



TAKING A PEEK at the new year is Johnny David Spencer, Castro County's "Mr. 1967." Checking in at 6:24 a.m. Monday, Johnny David was the first baby born in 1967 at Plains Memorial Hospital. The 7-pound, 15-ounce boy is a "first" also for his young parents, Jesse and Oleta Spencer, who live on the Jim Roy Daniels farm

near Lazbuddie, on the Castro-Parmer line. With Dr. J. D. Blackburn doing the honors, Johnny David came into the world sporting a crown of inch-long brown hair. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Spencer of Friona and Mr. and Mrs. Foster Walker of Daugherty.

Directors of Plains Memorial Hospital are expected to call a \$135,000 bond election at their Monday noon meeting to finance a 20-bed annex through a federal aid project.

IF THE election is called as expected, voting day would be Feb. 4 under the state's 30-day rule.

The proposed new wing would cost approximately \$270,000. Hospital Administrator Don Newman said the board will apply for a federal grant to finance one-half of the cost through provisions of the Hill-Burton Act.

Plans call for the expansion of the modern 30-bed hospital to a 50-bed plant to absorb the expected impact of county growth and Medicare.

Newman said the hospital's space problem isn't critical yet, but that the directors "want to solve the problem before it does become critical."

IN ADDITION to the extra rooms, Newman said, the expansion would make possible a new classroom for training purposes, a three-bed intensive care unit and recovery room combination, larger laboratory facilities, a formula room and family room. Most of these facilities would be gained through interior changes in the present hospital building, he explained.

Two-Car Crash Injures Pastor

A Dimmitt minister was hospitalized with broken ribs and a severe facial laceration Monday following a two-car roadside crash at Lee Street and Southwest Fifth.

A Dimmitt housewife escaped serious injury in the same accident.

TAKEN TO Plains Memorial Hospital was Minister Bedford W. Smith of First Christian Church, whose 1966 Volkswagen crashed broadside into a 1963 Pontiac driven by Mrs. Ruby Wood.

Mrs. Wood reportedly received only a bruised elbow.

City Marshal W. W. Jones said Smith was driving east on Lee Street when his Volkswagen hit Mrs. Wood's car. She was driving north on Northwest Fifth.

ALTHOUGH the speed of the cars was estimated at only 20 mph each, the impact of the crash spun Smith's car around in the intersection, Jones said. The marshal estimated damage at \$500 to Mrs. Wood's Pontiac and \$400 to Smith's Volkswagen.

Smith was cited for failing to yield the right of way through a yield sign.

Boosters to Meet; Ticket Totals Due

Dimmitt Booster Club will meet Monday at 8 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. All members are urged to attend — especially those who have tickets to sell. An accounting needs to be made to see how the club stands at present on ticket sales.



SWEARING-IN ceremonies were conducted throughout Texas Tuesday morning for newly elected and re-elected officials. Tax Assessor Kent Birdwell, right, administered the oath in the county-district courtroom for these six public servants of Castro County. From left are Raymond E. Wilson,

county judge and ex-officio school superintendent; John Alldredge, county surveyor; Al Maurer, new county commissioner for Precinct 4; Mrs. Zonell Maples, county and district clerk; Mrs. Florene Leinen, county treasurer; and Dale Winders, new commissioner for Precinct 2.

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(Readings recorded at 7 a.m. daily for the preceding 24 hours.)

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Tuesday	40	10
Wednesday	44	13

HOWARD COOK
US Weather Observer

Rices Visit Son
Mr. and Mrs. Olen Rice spent the holidays with their son, Lonnie, and his family in Nevada, Miss.

Vietnam to Dimmitt -- GI Sees Baby Daughter

It was a memorable Christmas for Sp-4 Wayne McClenny, stationed in Vietnam.

First he received a big parcel of homemade candy through the county's "Christmas Candy for Servicemen" project.

BUT THE biggest Christmas present of his life came last Thursday, when he changed worlds.

He's temporarily out of the Vietnam fighting. In fact, he's now here in Dimmitt — for the express purpose of seeing his newborn daughter.

Judge Raymond Wilson played Santa Claus, using American Red Cross workers for his voluntary reindeer. Together, the judge and the Red Cross obtained a week's

leave at home for the young soldier.

McCLENNY and his wife, Sandra, are the proud parents of a baby girl, Sandra Ann, born Dec. 28 in Plains Memorial Hospital. Sandra Ann was only a day old when her daddy got to see her for the first time.

Two Boys Hurt By Fireworks

Here's a lesson for youngsters who wonder why they aren't allowed to play with fireworks:

TWO YOUNG Dimmitt boys received painful injuries in separate fireworks mishaps last week. One was hit in the eye by the fireball from a Roman candle, and a large firecracker exploded in the hand of the other.

In the Roman candle incident, the youngster received a deep first-degree burn around his eye. However, an eye specialist said he apparently will suffer no permanent visual damage.

IN THE other holiday fireworks accident, another youngster received contusions and first-degree burns on his hand when a firecracker exploded as he was holding it.

A city ordinance prohibits playing with fireworks in Dimmitt, City Manager E. B. Noble said.

McClenny's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill McClenny of Route 4. His wife is the former Sandra Schreck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schreck.

ABOUT HIS big package of Christmas candy, Sp-4 McClenny said:

"I was so surprised to receive the candy from the ladies of the Bethel community, Mrs. Earl Lust and others. It was such a fine thing for them to do.

"All the guys in my platoon decided they would just move to Dimmitt when they get out of the service if everyone is that nice. I assured them that folks here ARE that nice..."

Rites Conducted For Mrs. Wyatt

Funeral services were conducted Saturday morning for Mrs. Nora Ellen Wyatt, 77, who died in Plains Memorial Hospital at 12:20 p.m. last Thursday following a long illness.

A 25-YEAR resident of Dimmitt Mrs. Wyatt had lived in DeSoto, near Dallas, since 1962, although she still owned her family home here. She had become ill here in September while visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ocie Bolton. During the last several weeks she had been under care at the Golden Spread Rest Home.

Services were held in the First Baptist Church Saturday at 10:30 a.m., with Rev. Frank Pollard, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Castro Memorial Gardens under Dennis Funeral Home direction.

Mrs. Wyatt was born July 20, 1889, in Arkansas. She was married to Theodore D. Wyatt Dec. 15, 1907. Her husband died in November, 1951.

She had been a long-time member of First Baptist Church here.

SURVIVORS are her two daughters, Mrs. Ocie Bolton of Dimmitt and Mrs. Ruby Barrows of Dallas; a son, Ralph C. Wyatt of Jacksonville, Fla.; a grandson, Gary Wyatt of Dalhart; a great granddaughter, Angelia D'Ann Wyatt of Dalhart; a sister-in-law and three nieces.

Pallbearers were Dan Heard, Edgar Dennis, Jack Howell, J. B. Moore, Troy Kirby and Meriton Powell.

Oops! Two Names Missing

The News has learned that the names of the James Bradford family and the Roy Dale Underwoods were omitted from the "Community Christmas Card" page in the Dec. 22 issue.

ALTHOUGH their names didn't appear on the card list, the Bradfords and Underwoods were among the earliest contributors to the "Operation Christmas Greeting" fund for new equipment for Plains Memorial Hospital, and we regret the omission.

Final Rites Scheduled Today For G. O. 'Bill' Kitchens, 47

Last rites will be conducted today (Thursday) for Grady Otho "Bill" Kitchens, 47, who died Monday night in Plains Memorial Hospital.



Mr. Kitchens

Mrs. Ethel Cambell of Taft, Calif.; and six grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be J. R. Brown, M. A. Tidwell, Jody Young, Woody George, Dr. J. D. Blackburn Jr., Arthur D. Schreck, Al Gibbs and Bud Hill.

HONORARY pallbearers are Joe Young, R. Young, Homer Newton, Clarence Bearden, H. L. Crum, B. L. Moore, Henry Howell, Edd McLercy, John Womack, Earl Chaney, R. E. Bradshaw and R. E. McDaniel.

Farmers Face Higher Costs, Less Net Profit This Year

Rising production costs began to make serious inroads into farmers' and ranchers' net income as 1966 drew to a close, and the outlook for 1967 indicates more of the same.

Hal Weatherford, president of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, said in a year-end statement that farmers and ranchers in Texas, which is served by the bank, will probably have about the same gross income in 1967 as in 1966 but their net may be off by as much as five percent.

THE BANK which Weatherford heads provides long-term real estate loans to farmers and ranchers throughout Texas.

"The prices of virtually everything farmers need will be up in 1967," Weatherford predicted. "Real estate taxes may increase by another five to seven percent; feed, fertilizer, labor costs, insurance, seed, livestock — all are likely to follow the same pattern."

The cost of money, upon which interest rates to farmers is based,

was higher in 1966 than at any time in the bank's 50-year history, he said. This had an adverse effect upon the bank as well as upon its borrowers.

"THE HOUSTON bank is one of 12 Federal Land Banks which are owned by land bank associations throughout the country," he said.

"Collectively, we borrow money

by issuing bonds and we loan this money to farmers. At one time in 1966 we paid as much as 6.14 percent interest on money we loaned out to farmers at 6 percent, our legal ceiling."

One of the brighter hopes emerging, Weatherford said, is that the money market may be easing slightly. "The last interest rate

we paid, for bonds sold on Dec. 20, was 5.95 percent."

One of the most serious effects of the current money shortage is that farmers have been unable to borrow as much money as they needed for machinery and equipment.

"That has been particularly

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Does Santa Drive a Truck?

The turnover of a wholesale truck four miles north of Hart last week straggled cartons of cigarettes, gum and candy all along the icy highway.

AND PASSING motorists must have thought Santa Claus was still around, for they helped themselves to virtually all the spilled goodies.

The accident occurred Wednesday of last week near the Wade Mills farm. A Popca Wholesale

Co. truck driven by salesman Don Clark of Plainview went out of control on State 145, slid off the icy pavement and overturned in a deep bar ditch.

INCLUDED in the truck's cargo were 150 cartons of cigarettes — approximately \$500 worth — plus cartons of gum and assorted candies. Looters made away with most of the spilled merchandise.

Deputy Sheriff Granville Martin

recovered 16 cartons of cigarettes and a carton of gum as he attempted to track down the stolen goods. However, he said the Popca Company had indicated it would not file charges in the thefts.

TOTAL DAMAGE to the truck and its freight was estimated at \$12,000.

The injured Clark was taken to Plainview Hospital and Foundation, where he was placed in traction.

Former Hart Schoolboy Dies Christmas Eve in Vietnam War

The tragedy of war struck close to home on Christmas eve when an American soldier who received his first schooling at Hart was killed in Vietnam.

HE WAS Marshal Lynn Horton, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Horton of Seal Beach, Calif., grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hart.

A Medical Corpsman, Horton was killed the day before Christmas. He had been in Vietnam since July 25 and was due for his discharge from the Army in April.

He was the father of a baby girl born two months after he arrived in Vietnam.

MRS. HART and her son, Joe Percy, left Clovis Monday to attend the funeral services Wednesday in the chapel of Forest Lawn. The young soldier's final rites included a military graveside service at Cypress, Calif.

Born Aug. 11, 1943, Horton started school in Hart, making his home with his grandparents there, while his father was in military service. His father was an Air Force pilot during World War II.

Survivors are his wife; his three-month-old daughter, Devon; his



Lynn Horton

parents; a brother, Troy Jr. of Seal Beach, Calif.; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hart of Hart; and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Beauty of Plainview.

Fry Burned in Gas Explosion

By Mrs. Owen Andrews
Charles Frye was painfully burned about the head Monday when an explosion from a leaking gas line covered him. He was thawing frozen water lines at his home when the accident occurred. He was taken to Deaf Smith County Hospital, where he remained overnight for observation to determine the extent of his burns, which were thought not to be serious. He considered himself fortunate to have escaped with only blisters and singed hair.

The Christmas eve program was held at the Frio Baptist Church with about 75 persons attending. A playlet entitled "An Angel for Every Occasion," directed by Mrs. Frank Robbins, made the program. Taking part in the play were Mrs. Bill Struve, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rogers, Genie Robbins, Cheryl Cole, Sammy Ogan and Gerry Robbins.

Santa appeared and visited with the children, giving out candy. Gifts were passed out from the tree, and sacks of treats given out.

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MR. AND MRS. Glenn Andrews Hal, Clint and Lynn of Etter, spent the weekend with his parents, the Owen Andrews. On Christmas day there also were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bruns, Jan and Harlan; Harry Bruns of Vernon, father of Herbert, who was spending the holidays with them; Mr. and Mrs. George Zetsche, Ann, Gay and Jim; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Andrews, Elizabeth, Valerie and Jason; and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Sparkman, Sr.

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MR. AND MRS. Ernest Harder and family were called to Meade, Kan., last week by the death of his father, G. J. Harder, who died Dec. 18. Funeral services for Mr. Harder, who was 82, were held in the Evangelical Mennonite Brethren Church in Meade, at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Harder is survived by his wife and 11 children, all of whom were present for the service. The family formerly lived in Oklahoma for several years.

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Others from here attending the service were Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Sparkman, Jr.

The Harders expected to go later in the week to Clinton and Corn, Okla., to visit her parents and other relatives during the Christmas season, before returning home.

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MRS. HARLAN BARBER, Mrs. James Bullard and Mrs. Bill Williams received word Dec. 18 of the death of Gail Alexander, 50, of Petersburg. Mrs. Alexander is a cousin to Mrs. Barber and Mrs. Williams. Mr. Alexander was in Sheppard Air Force Base Hospital for a checkup and died suddenly.

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Funeral services were held at First Baptist Church in Petersburg Dec. 20. Survivors include his wife, a son, Charles, a second lieutenant in the Air Force who is stationed at George Air Base, Calif., and a daughter, Janice, a student at Hardin-Simmons University.

The Alexanders have farmed the past four years at Petersburg following his retirement from the US Army. They have visited their relatives here and attended church at Frio numerous times. Among those attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. David Yandell, the James Bullards, Bill Williams and Harlan Barbers, and Mrs. Travis Stafford of Amarillo.

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YOUNG ADULT Class I had a supper at Cason's Friday evening. Attending were Rev. and Mrs. Sam Ogan, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dobbs, Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Baldwin

and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rogers. Mrs. Ogan, teacher, was presented a gift from the class during the social activity following the supper.

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Mr. and Mrs. Owen Andrews spent Tuesday night, Dec. 20, with the Glenn Andrews at Etter, and they all attended a school program at South Ward Elementary School in Dumas, where Hal is a second grader. Hal was a member of the cast of first and second graders who presented the play.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Andrews have been remodeling and redecorating the living area of their home the past week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dee Taylor and Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carson and baby went to Amarillo, Wednesday evening to take in "Peppermint Lane" and eat out.

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Mr. and Mrs. Homer West, Linda and Donna were going this week to Crystal City to spend a few days. West was there in the interest of his company's vegetable business, harvesting being underway in the Uvalde area.

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THE BALDWIN children who visited their mother, Mrs. B. H. Baldwin, during the holidays were Rev. and Mrs. Darold Baldwin and daughter of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Earp and daughters of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dean and family of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baldwin and daughter of Amarillo and the Godfrey Baldwins of Austin. Others visiting Mrs. Baldwin's home were her mother-in-law, Mrs. Anna Baldwin, and Mr. and

Mrs. Lewis West, all of Albuquerque, and Mr. and Mrs. Sid West of Plainview.

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Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Baldwin and Randy also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Andrews and Ronnie during the holidays. Others there Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baker and her mother, Mrs. Morris, and Mrs. Laura Littrell.

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MR. AND MRS. Clark Andrews, Rocky, Kirk and Lynette expected to return home this weekend after spending the Christmas holidays in Biloxi, Miss., in the home of Mrs. Andrews' sister, Mrs. Wallace White and family. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Berryman, also planned to return home this weekend. They had gone to Biloxi about three weeks before Christmas. They report rain almost daily for the past several weeks in that Gulf Coast area and, since Christmas, temperatures as low as the 20s at night.

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Mrs. Willie Williams of Floydada spent the Christmas weekend visiting her niece, Mrs. Glenn Gripp and family. On Christmas day the Gripps and Mrs. Williams and Mrs. A. G. Gripp of Conway ate dinner with the Spicer Gripps.

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On Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Spicer Gripp, Kim and Nancy attended a reunion of Mrs. Gripp's mother's people, the J. M. Cox family at Panhandle. About 70 persons came from points in Kansas and Wyoming as well as South Texas.

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Nancy is spending the holidays with her parents, on vacation from school at Tech.

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VISITING HIS mother, Mrs. J. E. Warrick and brother, J. E., Sunday and Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Velman Warrick of Wellington.

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Warrick, Eugene and Raymond, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bingham and family were expected to return home this weekend after spending the holidays visiting their mother, Mrs. Bingham, at Valiant, Okla., and Bill's father, J. P. Warrick, also in eastern Oklahoma, and other relatives in the area.

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Rev. and Mrs. Sam Ogan, Debbie and Sammy visited Mrs. Ogan's aunt, Mrs. Parker Rampley at Silvertown Monday.

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Hilton Frye, son of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Frye, was honored on his third birthday Monday afternoon with a party in his home. Chocolate cake-filled cones were served to little guests including Julie Terrell, Valerie and Elizabeth Andrews and his little sister, Shandra. Also present were grandmothers, Mrs. Wesley Brown of Dimmitt and Mrs. Harlan Frye; great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Jones, Mrs. Joe Andrews and Mrs. Jerry Terrell. Airman Ronnie Brown, Hilton's uncle, stationed at Amarillo Air Force Base, called briefly also during the party.

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DIMMITT SUPER MARKET

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MR. AND MRS. Homer West spent the holiday weekend with his mother, Mrs. Bill Maddox, and other relatives at Sayre, Okla. They came home Sunday and left again Tuesday to spend the remainder of the week at Crystal City, where West is seeing about vegetable harvest in the interest of his company.

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Here to spend Christmas week with relatives were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cotton and family of Spavinaw, Okla. On Christmas day, the Cottons, Robert Simpsons, J. C. Simpsons and Mrs. Sam Lindley and Lloyd of Brownwood were with the John Simpsons. The Lindleys remained to visit relatives until Wednesday. They also visited the H. E. Lindleys.

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Other recent visitors in the John Simpson home were relatives Mrs. Ellen Ingram of Dallas, Mrs. Wanda Turner of Floydada and Mrs. Elma Gardner of Clovis.

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Christmas day visitors of the T. L. Sparkman Jr. home were Mr. and Mrs. Charles King of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry King, Darlene and David of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Johnston and Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs.

Elmer Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Harder, J. D. and Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sparkman, Kevin and Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Baldwin, Robin and Brett, Rev. and Mrs. Sam Ogan, Debbie and Sammy, and Joel Findley.

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Roland and Howard Livesay came Sunday and spent the holidays visiting their sister, Mrs. Tommy Sparkman and family.

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VISITING THE Earl Harkins on Christmas eve were Mr. and Mrs. Arch McDaniel and Jake McDaniel of Edmonson, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Chiddix of Plainview, Don Gartin and Gary Don of Abemathy. The Harkins spent Sunday night with his parents, the F. B. Harkins in Plainview.

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Mr. and Mrs. Euen Smith and family of Edinburg visited from Saturday until Thursday in the home of his brother, Fritz Smith. Others visiting there on Christmas eve were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnston and family and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Johnston, all of Dimmitt; Mrs. Don Roberts and daughter of Dousman, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Eud Ames of Hereford;

and Mr. and Mrs. Verle Crick Hart.

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The Fritz Smith family spent Christmas day with the W. C. Crick family and also visited the Verle Cricks at Hart.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Johnston moved to Dimmitt last week. They have lived near the Fritz Smith family.

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Visiting the Elza Warricks during the holiday weekend were

their daughter, Mrs. Bruce Odom and Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilcox of Center, Colo. Also on Christmas day David Sellers and Jerry Clyde Palmer of Hereford, M. B. Odom of Dimmitt, and Mr. and Mrs. Dub Maddox and children and Kenneth Odom of El Paso visited the Warricks. Their son, Don, called from Anchorage, Alaska, where he is stationed with the Army.

Bible Thoughts

"ARE YOU READY?"

By Ronnie Parker

Every God-fearing man knows that the judgment of the Lord is coming. The word of God clearly teaches this meeting between God and man. Jesus spoke of the judgment when he was here on earth. He said, "every idle word that men shall speak, they shall give account thereof in the day of judgment." In John 12:48 he said, "He that rejecteth me, and receiveth not my words, hath one that judgeth him; the word that I have spoken, the same shall judge him in the last day."

Paul teaches us, "For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ; that every one may receive the things done in his body according to that he hath done, whether it be good or bad" (2 Cor. 5:10). The writer of Hebrews says, "And as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment" (Heb. 9:27).

Yes, the judgment is just as certain as death and just as real as the Lord Jesus. All people of all ages will be there. Your neighbor and your enemy will be there! Your friends and your relatives will be there. Your son and daughter will be there! Your wife will be there! You will be there!

The judgment is an accounting day, a day of reckoning. Everyone will be judged by the words of Jesus and the will of the Lord. Are you ready for the judgment?

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IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. Raphael Chen, Pastor
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Sunday—
Religion Classes 9:00 a.m.
Mass 10:00 a.m.
Mon. Tues. Sat. Mass 7:00 a.m.
Friday Mass and Benediction 8:00 p.m.
Holy Day Mass 8:00 p.m.
Confessions: Friday 7:30 to 8:00 p.m. Saturday 8:00 to 9:00 p.m.
Baptism By Appointment

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
600 Western Circle
Bedford W. Smith, Minister
Phone 647-5478

Sunday—
Bible School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship and Lord's Supper 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Rev. John H. Sewell, Pastor

Sunday—
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Christ Ambassadors and Sunshine Choir 6:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Service 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Frank Pollard, Pastor
Music Director, Johnny Burnett

Sunday—
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday—
WMU and Brotherhood Youth Organization 5:30 p.m.
Supper 6:30 p.m.
S.S. Officers and Teachers, BYC Choirs 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting 7:55 p.m.
Sanctuary Choir 8:30 p.m.

LEE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH
Oscar J. Mayo — Phone 647-3846

Sunday—
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Services 7:00 p.m.
Women's Missionary Union Tuesday 9:30 p.m.
Men's Brotherhood 2nd & 4th Monday 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday—
Bible Study and Prayer Meeting 8:00 p.m.
Choir Practice 8:30 p.m.

SUNNYSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
M. D. Durham, Pastor

Sunday—
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Night—
W.M.U. 7:00 p.m.
Sunbeams 7:00 p.m.
Junior G.A.'s 7:00 p.m.
Intermediate G.A.'s 7:00 p.m.
R.A.'s 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting 8:00 p.m.

IGLESIA METODISTA "El Buen Pastor"
Past Gilberto Diaz
807 S.W. 5th

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Western Circle Drive

Sunday—
Church School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Choir Practice Thursday 8:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Northside)
Bill Talley, Minister
Third and Halsell Streets

Sunday—
Bible Classes for all ages 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Preaching 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Classes 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday—
Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.

Joe Balles Latin American Mission
Rev. Ruben Calles

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.
Monday Afternoon Mission Service 2:00 p.m.

MACEDONIA CHURCH
Monday night Workers Council 7:00
Wednesday night Prayer Service 7:30
Thursday night Usher Meeting 8:00
Friday night Choir Practice 8:30

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
H. Weldon McCormick, Pastor
Phone 647-3649

Sunday—
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Little Helpers, Vesper Choir Junior Choir 5:30 p.m.
MYF 5:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday—
General Meeting, WSCS 9:30 a.m.
Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST (S.W. 4th at Bedford)
Ronnie Parker, Minister

Sunday—
Worship 10:30 a.m.
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
High School class 4:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday—
Children's Classes 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday—
Bible Class for All 7:30 p.m.
Saturday—
Children's Classes 10:00 a.m.

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST MISSION
Marvin T. Reynolds, Pastor

Sunday—
Sunday School 10:00
11:00 Morning Worship
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Mid-Week Services 7:30 p.m.

There is a reward at the top of . . .

THE CLIMB

EVERYONE IN THE CHURCH
THE CHURCH IN EVERYONE

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

Even when you know the proper way to climb with skis and the way up becomes easier, it still exerts you. However, the way is made even less of an effort when you think of the rewarding ride down.

The reward of an eternal life with God is easier still because it is a gift.

"For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord."

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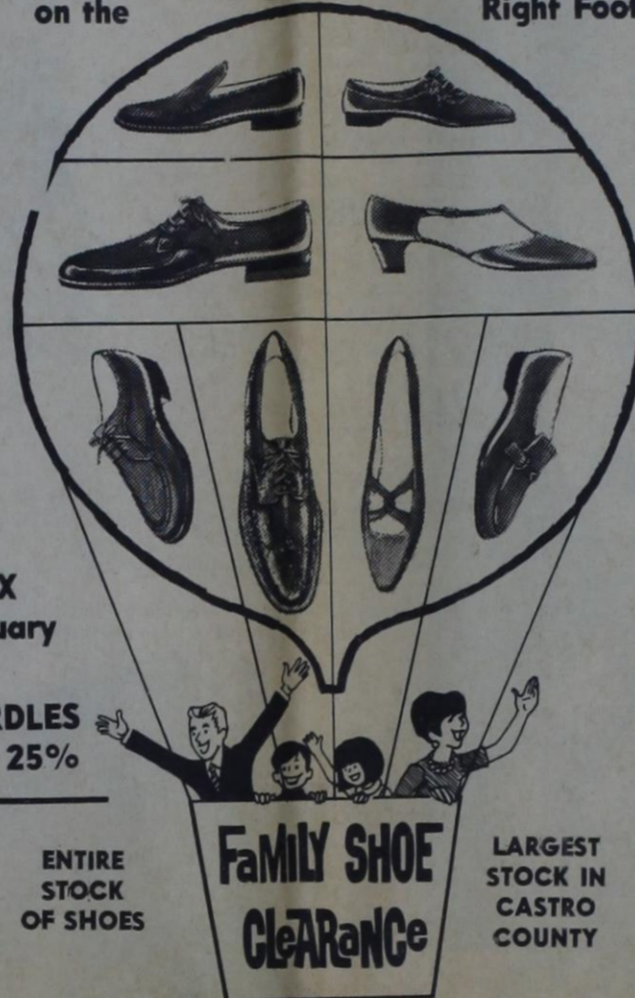
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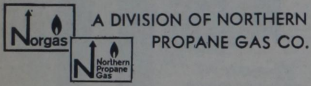


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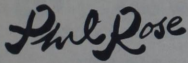
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Boy Hurt in Fall at Home

BY TEENY BOWDEN

Lynn Brown had to have six stitches taken in his scalp Wednesday after a fall at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown, Lee and Lynn moved from the E. R. Sadler house to Mrs. Thelma McClanahan's rent house Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Durham and Marvalynne left Monday morning for Dallas to spend the rest of the holidays with relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Waggoner left Monday for their home in Dallas.

MOLLY BRADLEY, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley, and David Blair of Dallas were married in a double-ring ceremony in the Sunnyside Community Church Monday afternoon.

Dec. 26. Rev. J. L. Bass of Farwell performed the ceremony.

Mrs. Vernon Scott of Farwell served her sister as matron of honor, and Mrs. Charles Roberts the groom's sister served as bridesmaid. Larry Gregory of Farwell was best man, and Richard Haseloff of Farwell was the groomsmen.

Candle lighters were Johnna Hastings and Sue Lust of Dimmitt. Ushers were Lee Bradley and Charles Roberts of Canyon.

Paula Zinn sang a wedding song and Juanelle Conard sang the closing prayer. They were accompanied by Janice Mooney at the organ.

Approximately 122 attended the reception at the home of the bride. The wedding rehearsal and supper for the wedding party was last Friday night.

The couple honeymooned in Amarillo. Molly went back to finish the first semester at Wayland and David returned to his job in Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hart of

Hart visited with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges last Sunday afternoon. They and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Harris of Lubbock had supper with the Bridges Monday night. The John Bridges of Earth visited several times with them while they were here. They left Thursday for their home in Weatherford.

The deacons of the church met after Sunday night services for their regular monthly meeting. Business was transacted Wednesday night with Weldon Bradley as the moderator in the absence of the pastor.

LESLIE LOUDED went deer hunting near Breckenridge Monday through Friday with relatives. He also visited with other relatives there. Sandy stayed with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Louder, and with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Kirby and son and her mother, was staying with them a few days.

Approximately two inches of snow fell here Tuesday morning of last week. It stayed on the ground until Saturday with a little lingering on the ground in shady spots after that.

GINGER GIBBS and Kenneth Presley of Dimmitt visited with Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler after attending the wedding Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Crozier and son left Wednesday for Lincoln, Ark., for a visit with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Waggoner left for their home in Corpus Christi Wednesday after a visit with relatives here.

The WMS met to work on the community map, bringing it up to date Wednesday night.

MRS. PEARL SADLER of Dimmitt visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler and family until Tuesday, then visited with the Ezell

Sadlers until Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbreath and family visited in Dimmitt with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilbreath and his sisters, Mrs. Jewell Rhodes of Albuquerque, N.M., and Mrs. Lucille Posey of Hereford Tuesday.

Alton Louder, L. B. Bowden, Doug Louder and Lowell Westmoreland of Littlefield left Wednesday for Junction, where they hunted until Saturday.

Mrs. Lowell Westmoreland and children of Littlefield stayed with Mrs. Alton Louder until Friday night when she went home with her to spend Friday night and Saturday.

Mrs. Doug Louder and children visited in Earth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Upchurch, last Thursday.

MR. AND MRS. Zay Gilbreath of Memphis, Tenn., visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbreath and family. They returned to Memphis Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler visited Friday through Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Paschal, Jessie and Keith and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Christian of Wingate.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler and girls arrived Friday night to visit over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lewis of Mount Vernon, Mo., spent Sunday night with them. Also, Mrs. Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt spent Sunday night.

RICHARD BILLS flew Mrs. Bill Bend and children back to their home in Dallas after a holiday visit with relatives in Dimmitt. She is a sister of Mrs. Richard Bills.

Mrs. Percy Cunningham of Dimmitt and Mrs. Milton Ott visited with friends in Earth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Louder and children visited in Earth Sunday and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Upchurch.

Carl Dean Carson was admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Monday afternoon of last week and was dismissed Friday.

The Young People and Intermediates of the church enjoyed a New Year's eve party at the church from 9 p.m. until after midnight. Mrs. Wanda Newberry, Rev. M. D. Durham and Bill Morgan sponsored the party. Twenty attended.

Sixty-one attended Sunday School with 42 in Training Union Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holcomb and family moved from the community to Arkansas Friday.

Maynards Host 15

Christmas holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Maynard were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Maynard; their daughter, Sharon, of Dallas; Mrs. Maynard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Phillips of Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Phillips, Poni Kay, Brent and Kent of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Phillips of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. John Smith of Memphis, and Jerry Myer of San Antonio.

Sharon Maynard returned by plane to Dallas last week after spending the Christmas holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Maynard, and her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Maynard.



IT WASN'T SERIOUS, as it turned out, but this Sunday night fire call to the Roy Switch Station elevator at Five Point had Dimmitt firemen worried at first. The blaze, reported immediately, turned out

to be only a small smoldering in some grain chaff outside the sheet-metal storage elevator. Odell Arnold (background center) scoops out chaff so firemen can thoroughly soak it to prevent a rekindling.

Chapman's Visit In Dallas Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Chapman and sons, John Henry and Duke, visited with Mrs. Chapman's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Max Ball and daughter Rene, in Dallas over the New Year's weekend. While there they also attended the Dallas Cowboys - Green Bay Packers Championship football game Sunday in the Cotton Bowl.

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Members of the Frio Jolly Workers 4-H Club installed their new officers for 1967 at their December meeting.

LEADING THE club this year will be Diana Adams, president; Eugene Warrick, vice-president; David Hutchins, secretary; Earl Behrends, treasurer; Gerald Robbins, reporter; Genie Robbins, council delegate; Rocky Andrews, ritual chairman; Marvin Smith, parliamentary; Kenneth Adams, inspirational chairman; Sue and Curtis Smith, song leaders; and Raymond Warrick and Pati Robbins, recreation leaders.

The meeting was held in the home of David Hutchins with Mrs. Ruth Robbins conducting the installation. Marvin Smith presided until the new officers were installed.

Nelsons Go Downstate

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Nelson and granddaughter, Connie Nelson, visited during the past week with relatives in Rogers, Rosebud, Lett, Beeville and Victoria. They spent New Year's day with their son, Bascom, and his family near Beeville.

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Shelly's Chatter

'Watch Parties' Throughout Town Herald '67

BY MYRTLE SHEFFY
The New Year was greeted with several parties in and around Dimmitt.

Gail and Carl Bruegel were hosts at an open house and watch party for around 60 people Saturday evening.

ME. AND MRS. O. K. HOWE

were hosts at a dinner and bridge watch party Saturday night. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Van Clark from Littlefield, the Edgars, Rameys, Goodwin Millers, Raymond Wilsons, Weldon Skimmers and Maurine Bice.

Betty and Bob Huckabay were hosts at a dinner bridge party Saturday evening. Their guests were Sandy and Betty Parsons, Lon and Betty Boothe, Dan and Ona Dee Heard, V. C. and Dorothy Hopson and Raymond and Idella Crum.

DEBRA SUMMERS was hostess at a most enjoyable watch party Saturday evening in the home of her parents, Bill and Martha Ella. Geneva Schaeffer and Nancy Hays helped serve the spaghetti and meat balls with other pick-up goods and Cokes to 36 teenagers.

Dancing, games and singing were enjoyed while they watched for the New Year. Martha Nitsa, student from Greece, was a special guest, and she called her family at Trikala, Greece, for holiday talk.

Aural Davis and daughters, Keitha, Suzie and Janis visited relatives.

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atives in Phoenix, Ariz. Keitha flew on up to the Pacific Northwest to visit friends.

Trudy and Cecil Dennis served that good chicken, baked with mushroom sauce and all that other good food at a dinner and "42" party Thursday evening.

NEARLY EVERYONE went to the big basketball playoff in Lubbock except "We" and a few others. We did listen on the radio to the good playing that our team did.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Howe went up to Wichita, Kan., to visit relatives, and the big snows there kept them a few days longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Presley and children spent the Christmas holidays in Vernon and had to go

back for the funeral of Jimmy's grandmother, Mrs. Vaughnie Box, who died Thursday. Services were at the Henderson Chapel there.

BETTY AND FRANK (Rowdy) Martin and children, who ranch at Alamosa, Colo., Reene and George Moss of Amarillo (sisters) Danelle Crowley (daughter) and student at Tech, and Dan Crowley (son) who is with the Bell Ranch in New Mexico were all guests this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Acker.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Colson and children of Blunt, S. D., Mrs. Annie Thornton and Mrs. Nellie Matthews and two children were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Butch Strickland.

Beth and Butch Strickland were hosts at a party Friday evening for a few friends. Games and snacks were enjoyed by Tommie and Ronnie Hutchison, Kathy Coffrey, Robbie Sheffy, Mary Lee Stone, Jeanne Dammron, Sandra Coffman, Debbie and Glen Broadstreet, Darla Kay, Stanley Reed, Larry Gamble, David Land and Steve Faulkner.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Bradford visited her folks at Paris, and two nieces came home with her for a visit.

SAW MARIAN LEE at the beauty shop. She had just got home from a car trip to Cleveland, near Houston, where she and three daughters Bonnie, Lori and Julie had been visiting her mother, Mrs. Glen Gilchrist.

At the Cecil Dennis party I met for the first time, Winona and Bill Bunch. They moved here from Lancaster about two years ago. Bill is with the telephone company. Winona is secretary at the First Baptist Church.

ED HUGHES has bought a cattle ranch at Morenci, Ariz., and is planning to get moved soon after the first of January.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Skinner and son Dan have returned from a trip to East Texas. They stopped off at Frisco, east of Dallas, to visit a son David who is teaching school there, then on to Temple to see a sister and the other relatives who came in.

IVAN EARL and Lyndell Sinclair of West Springfield, Va., phoned his parents, the Bryan Sinclairs, that they have recently adopted a baby girl whom they call Kimberly Lynn.

Fate and Dorothy Shannon, children Katy, Kim, Bob, and Roy Earl have been visiting their son David and his wife in Los Angeles.

THURSDAY, Margaret Wilson and I visited in the hospital. We saw Lenny Caldwell, who had been there several days. He was feeling better.

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ral others that we couldn't talk to. Little Tobin Touchstone was there.

Jack and Jane Copeland and little daughter Robin, of Columbus, Ohio have been here for a visit with their parents, Nell and Floyd Copeland.

James Patton, young son of Clara and Jack, is home from Methodist Hospital, where he had major surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Renter recently attended the funeral of his mother at Eldorado, Okla. She had been ill for a long time.

Mr. P. L. Cunningham and her friend, Mrs. Milton Ott, visited several friends, Lucille Price, Mrs. Barton and others at Earth, Saturday.

JIM COWSERT has been her for a visit with his parents, Myrna and Jack. He went on back to Colorado State at Ft. Collins a little early so he could do some skiing before the next semester.

Sunday we saw George Froehner, Dickie Dyer, Victor Gene Hughs, Kristi and Steve Wesson all home to see their folks.

Florence Leinen was hostess at a Sunday dinner for her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Stork of Nazareth; the Fate Shannons, just in from California; and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Sinclair and the Leinen kids.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gimn attended the funeral of a cousin, who was killed in a car accident last weekend in Snyder.

WELL, WHAT do you know! Willie Gipson tells me he is a great grandfather of a boy, named Mark Taylor, son of Steve and Karen and grandson of Willie R. Jr., and Polly Gipson.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Hulme of Midland were Sunday guests of the Bill Bennetts and other friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hudson and daughters, Donna and A'ona, visited another daughter in Missouri. They came home by way of Oklahoma City where Donna went through the allergy clinic.

FRANK AND SHIRLEY Wise and their young troupe were in California for the Rose Bowl Parade and game. They took the children to Disney Land, Knotts Berry Farm and to see the ocean.

Tommye and Myrna Keener have had a houseful of company these holidays - Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wauson and children of Brady, former teachers here; Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Elliot and Shane of Sanders, Ariz.; then several friends dropped in for coffee and conversation.

DIANE DYER, daughter of Carol and Goldman, went up to Tres Ritos with her aunt and uncle, Norma and Ed Dawson of Earth.

Margaret Ann Bunty, student at TWU, Denton, was home for a visit with her parents, Bob and Margaret Bunty.

Richard and Karen Woods and daughter of Salida, Colo. were here for a few days' visit with the Kenneth Clevelands and to attend the basketball tournament at Lubbock.

DO YOU remember Bill and Nicky Culpepper? Well, they were here from Floresville, where Bill is head coach. They visited Jean Byrnes, the Pete Wrights, Truman Touchstones, and Coach Clevelands.

Linda and Keith Huggins visited his mother in Oklahoma for the holidays. Keith is manager of Willson Nichols Lumber Co.

Guests in the home of David and Cissy Harpole this week are his brother, Bill Harpole, from near Heidelberg, Germany. Bill manages a John Deere Machine Co. there. Their mother, Mrs.

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County Meets Year's Quota In 11 Months

Castro Countians have racked up 137 percent of their 1966 Savings Bond goal - and the December total isn't even in yet. DURING November Castro Countians spent \$3,225 on Savings Bonds, hiking the county total for the first 11 months of 1966 to \$68,522, or 137 percent of the year's goal of \$50,000.

REV. FRANK POLLARD took a group of Baptist kids to the mountains near Gorieta, N. M., I think.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wiggins were hosts to a few friends for coffee Saturday - Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Brockett, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Logan and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Langridge.

Our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stanford on the death of her mother Mrs. A. B. Culp of Plainview. The funeral was at the Baptist Church there Christmas eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stanford left Friday for Hamilton to be with his father who is critically ill.

Nick and Olivia Gonzales were holiday guests of his folks in Ft. Stockton. Nick is manager of Anthonys.

MRS. JOE SCOTT was hostess at an informal surprise birthday party for Joe Friday evening. Cokes, pick-up foods and coffee were served to the Olen Rices, the Jack Gregorays, Jim Elders, Carlton Dobbins, the Iris Touchstones, Roy Cluck. '84' was the game enjoyed. Joe received several nice birthday gifts.

Fred Bruegel Jr. and Tommye Stanton flew off down to Ozona for a deer hunt. They stayed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Davidson (she is Bobbie Bruegel's sister.) They said they saw all the deer anyone would want.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Howard and Keith Ann, Lanny Lewis and Jerry Cockerham went to Dallas to see the Cotton Bowl game Saturday between the SMU Mustangs and Georgia Bulldogs. They hoped to get tickets for the Sunday game.

The Bruce Wiggins are entertaining a sister and her husband En. 1 Tommye and Novalee Langridge who have been stationed on Midway Island for a long time. They will now go to Corpus Christi. Bruce is with Brockett Ford Co.

Russell Moran took his mother, Mrs. Moran to her home in Mineral Wells after a few days' visit here. He came home in the snow storm.

Our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Renfro, who attended the funeral of her mother, Rosa Blankenship at Siloam Springs, Ark. Mrs. Blankenship died Christmas Day. O. C., son of the Renfro's, is home recuperating from a siege of hepatitis. He must stay in for a few weeks.

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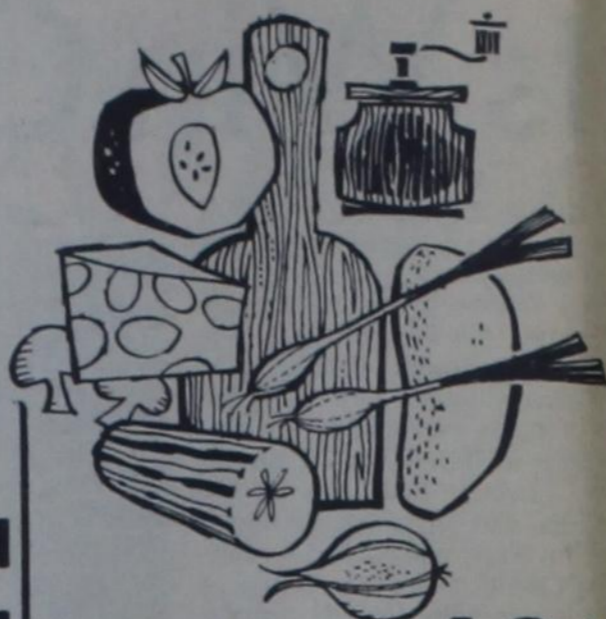
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You Save Money By Knowing Right Tax Categories

Farm assets have been classified into two categories by the Internal Revenue Service. Knowing the proper assets to put in each category can mean an income tax saving, points out James Mallett, extension farm management specialist at Texas A&M University.

The first category, items produced for sale, is called ordinary income. All ordinary income is subject to tax, Mallett explained. Examples of ordinary income are calves, yearlings, or cattle raised for sale. Steers, cows, pigs and other livestock purchased for resale are also classified as ordinary income, he said.

The second category, items used for the production of income, is called the production plant or capital items. Mallett said only half the gain from capital sales may be subject to tax. Cows, bulls, sheep and horses for breeding, draft or dairy purposes are subject to capital gains and only one-half the profit may be taxable, he said.

The animals must be held for breeding, draft or dairy purposes and owned before sale for 12 months or more. Other assets such as land and buildings must be held six months or more before sale to qualify for capital gains treatment. The A&M specialist said all kinds of farm livestock, including furbearing animals, may be eligible for capital gains treatment if they are used for breeding, draft or dairy purposes.

FOR COMPLETE information about requirements and limitations of capital gains taxes, see IRS publication No. 225, Farmers Tax Guide, 1967 edition, available from the county agent's office or the District Director of Internal Revenue Service.

Three New Tomato Types Ready for Texas Fields

Texas will see three new commercial-type tomatoes blooming in its fields this spring.

LA PINTA, El Monte and Chico Grande will make their debut billed as tomatoes with firmness, pleasing taste, attractive color and good keeping qualities. They are resistant to disease and cracking, and under test have produced double the yields of present types.

Foundation seed stocks were released early in 1966 to commercial seedmen. Seed are now available to growers for their spring crop.

The varieties were developed at the Lower Rio Grande Valley Research and Extension Center by Paul Leeper, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station horticulturist.

LA PINTA and El Monte are mostly Valley-adapted, but Chico Grande is expected to do well throughout the state.

LA PINTA cannot be successfully harvested until ripe, which should help live up the Valley's fresh tomato market. Picked green, it is brittle and will not stand up to harvesting and processing. It has produced 10 to 18 tons per acre in field trials.

El Monte lends itself to processing or the fresh market because it can be harvested green, vine-ripe or ripe. It is not quite as large as La Pinta but is redder. Yields have ranged from 16.6 tons per acre in spring plantings to 20.2 in the fall.

Chico Grande is kin to Chico, also developed by Leeper and released in 1961. The new variety is a blocky pear shape and about twice as large as Chico, a factor which has lowered peeling costs in tests. Most of the fruit matures in a relatively short time, making it well adapted to machine harvesting.



Meat Industry Changes Cause Growth of Feedlot Operations

Definite changes in the livestock and meat industry have resulted in growth of cattle feedlot facilities and specialized slaughtering plants in the Southwest, according to a research report just completed at Texas A&M University.

Dr. Raymond A. Dietrich, USDA economist assigned to the A&M Agricultural Economics and Sociology Dept., said the report traces adjustments which have affected the entire marketing systems of the livestock and meat business.

DEVELOPMENT in food retailing, meat packaging, transportation, communications and cattle feeding have influenced the livestock and meat marketing picture during the past two decades, the report shows.

Large volume retail establishments, which generally feature fed beef, and a growing population with rising per capita incomes are important factors that have encouraged the surge of highly specialized, large-scale feedlots.

Dietrich said feedlots with a capacity to handle 1,000 or more cattle have more than tripled in Texas and Oklahoma from 1955-66.

And indications are for cattle feeding to continue increasing in these states.

"ANOTHER interesting change is that the slaughtering industry is becoming more decentralized with more specialization and a movement toward areas of concentrated livestock production," the economist pointed out. "These actions are taken to cut procurement costs and to obtain adequate supplies of slaughter animals."

Federally inspected slaughter plants which specialize in cattle and calf slaughtering more than doubled in Texas and Oklahoma in the past 10 years, Dietrich added.

Dr. Tyrus R. Timm, head of the A&M Agricultural Economics and Sociology Department, said the study is part of an expanding market research program being conducted at the university with the USDA.

"THIS RESEARCH, like that with other major food items, is aimed at staying abreast of marketing changes so that the overall efficiency of the market system can continue to improve in all segments of our economy," Timm said.

FCIC Insurance Payments To Texas Farmers Near \$1,700,000

Insured cotton and grain sorghum farmers in 50 Texas counties are receiving nearly \$1.7 million in Federal Crop Insurance payments for 1966 crop losses, say Ben A. Jordan, Jr., State Director for FCIC.

IN ADDITION, HE says, beginning with the first of the year all-risk Federal Crop Insurance was made available to farmers in eight more Texas counties.

Although preliminary figures only are available, the bulk of the loss payments, about \$1,400,000 will go to cotton farmers in the hardest hit counties of Hudspeth, Hale, Lubbock, Parmer, Swisher, Floyd, Lamb and Hockley and lesser hit counties of Bailey, Briscoe, Calhoun, Castro, Crosby, Fort Bend and Victoria. Federal Crop Insurance will pay another \$100 thousand to grain sorghum producers primarily in Lamb, Hale, Deaf Smith, Castro, Parmer, Randall and Swisher counties.

With the exception of Hudspeth County where flash floods destroyed much of the cotton in a concentrated area around Dell City, most of the insured losses were widely scattered in the 50 counties where payments are being made.

THE EIGHT COUNTIES opened for Federal Crop Insurance programs for 1967 include Pecos, Reeves and Ward where insurance is available on irrigated cotton and Hansford, Carson, Dallam, Sherman and Moore counties for irrigated grain sorghum. This raises to 64 the total Texas counties where FCIC is serving farmers.

Besides the new counties, production guarantees on irrigated cotton have been raised and premium rates lowered in 17 West Texas counties in an effort to bring the program more nearly in line with normal yield increases.

"This completes a two-year program updating the FCIC cotton program. Dryland cotton producing counties in the Blacklands Area were adjusted a year ago," Jordan says.

Still another improvement in the

program introduced last year, but going into effect this year, is an adjusted premium discount feature. Jordan says policyholders who did not have a loss in 1966 will benefit from a five percent discount in premium this year. Previously, it took three years of no losses before discounts were given.

ALL IN ALL, he adds, 1966 saw nearly 10,000 Texas cotton, grain sorghum and wheat farmers voluntarily insuring 300,000 acres of croplands protecting more than \$17 million in farm investments.

1,207,000 Bales Classed in Area

The three area classing offices at Lubbock, Brownfield and Lamesa had received and classed samples from approximately 1,207,000 bales of cotton through Dec. 22, according to W. K. Palmer, in charge of the Lubbock Cotton Classing Office of the USDA.

The seasonal classing offices at Brownfield and Lamesa have closed for the season, and samples remaining to be classed from those areas will be classed at the Lubbock office.

The Brownfield office classed 163,279 samples this season, the Lamesa office 175,133 and the Lubbock office had classed 868,416 through Dec. 22. This brought the total classed this season at all three offices to 1,206,828.

THE COTTON harvest is now virtually complete and sample receipts have declined to less than 2,000 a day at the Lubbock office.

Cotton prices paid South Plains farmers, as reported by the Consumer and Marketing Service of the USDA, ranged from the low to \$1.50 per bale over the low for white grades. Light spotted and spotted grades were bringing from \$1 to \$4 per bale over the low.

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Bobcats Win Caprock Trophy



IT'S THE THIRD TROPHY of the year for Dimmitt's Bobbies, who won third place in the finals of the Farwell Tournament last week. From left are co-captains Genita Aldridge, Debra Summers and

A'llan Webb, and Coach Van Kountz. Earlier in the season the Bobbies won the Shallowater Tournament championship and the third-place trophy in the Tulia Tournament.

Bobbies Place Third In Farwell Tournament

Dimmitt's Bobbies downed Farwell, lost a three-point heart-breaker to Floydada in the last three seconds, then came back to defeat Olton in a high-scoring bout to win third place in the Farwell Holiday Tournament over the weekend.

IN THEIR first round game, Coach Van Kountz's Bobbies won easily over the Farwell sextet, 59-45, as A'llan Webb blistered the baskets for 31 points, Debra Summers for 21 and Carolyn Simpson for seven.

The game was close, though, until the final quarter when the Bobbies outscored their Farwell hostesses 20-12. The score was tied and 12-all when the first period ended, and at halftime Dimmitt was nursing a four-point lead. The Bobbies extended their advantage to six points by the end of the third period, then broke the game open in the final frame for a 14-point victory.

BUT IN their second game, the Bobbies became the victims of a turnaround as the revenge-minded Floydada Mhirlies got even for an earlier conference loss to the Bobbies.

In their earlier meeting this season, the Bobbies had fired their way to a 10-point victory over Floydada. But in last week's tournament game the Floydada girls turned the tide and snared a three-point victory, 46-43, in the final five seconds of an exciting cliff-hanger.

THE KEY TO the Floydada victory was a zone defense that kept the Bobbies from getting as many shots as usual.

Despite the zone, though, Dimmitt emerged from the first quarter with a 12-9 lead, and held a 25-24 advantage at halftime.

But with the third quarter came the deluge. Floydada outscored the Bobbies 15-9 to take a five-point lead, 39-34, going into the final frame.

With 20 seconds left, the Bobbies knotted the score at 43-all when Webb sank a basket from the corner. But Floydada came back to score with three seconds left on the clock, and the Whirlie forward was fouled in the process. She sank the free throw to ice the victory for Floydada.

THE NEXT night, Floydada whipped a talented Friona team

for the conference championship. The loss dented the Bobbies into the consolation bracket, where they staged a 68-60 comeback at Olton's expense.

Coach Kountz termed the Olton contest as "the best game our forwards have played all year." Here's why:

THE BOBBIE shooters hit 61 percent from the field and 76 percent from the free throw line. Webb had a tremendous night, sinking 36 points as she hit seven of 10 attempts from the field and 22 of 26 from the free throw line. Summers was close behind with 29 points, including 13 field goals in 20 attempts and three of seven from the charity line. Simpson added three points and led in assists with six.

The first quarter was nip-and-tuck as Olton emerged with a 19-18 lead. But in the second period the Bobbies surged past by eight buckets to take a 39-32 lead into the dressing room at intermission.

OLTON PLAYED a successful game of catch-up in the third period, though, and as they went into the final frame the Bobbies were nursing a thin one-point lead, 51-50, and the high-scoring game seemed headed for the record books.

In the final period, Bobbie guard Kay Bradley fouled out and the other Dimmitt defenders were in foul trouble as they tried to stem the Olton onslaught. So the Bobbie forwards took over with their ball control tactics, holding the ball and making Olton's guards come after it to stop the stall.

The tactic worked. Olton's forwards were neutralized, Dimmitt's guards were kept out of further foul trouble and the Bobbies glided to an eight-point victory in the high-scoring bout, 68-60.

IT WAS the Bobbies' third tournament of the year, and their second consolation title. Before the Farwell holiday tourney, the Bobbies won the Shallowater Tournament and placed third in the Tulia festival. The first-place victory at Farwell was the second tournament championship this year for Floydada.

Going into this week's action, the Bobbies were tied with Friona for the conference lead with a 3-0 district record. Friona was scheduled for a showdown against second place Floydada Tuesday night. The Bobbies laid their 16-4 record on the line at Lockney Tuesday night.

Seattle Visitors Mrs. Earlyne Gee and her daughter, Cammye, of Seattle, Wash., are visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Taylor, 609 Cleveland St., and with her husband Jerry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gee, in Amherst.

Dimmitt's Bobcats added a bright new feather to their victory bonnet last week when they won the AA-A-B championship in the big Caprock Tournament at Lubbock.

COMBINING A formidable style of ball control with a hawking defense, Coach Kenneth Cleveland's Cats turned back Crosbyton in the first round, outlasted once-beaten Lubbock Christian High School in one of the tourney's outstanding games, then breezed to victory over Aspermont in the finals Friday night in Lubbock Municipal Coliseum.

The Caprock championship was a sweet one for the Bobcats, who had gone to the finals of the tourney three of the last five years only to settle for the bridesmaid role.

Pacing the Bobcats throughout the tourney was center John Howell, who was named to the all-tournament team because of his scoring and outstanding rebound work under the basket. Howell netted 68 points in Dimmitt's three tourney bouts.

IN THEIR opening round game against Crosbyton, the Bobcats jumped to a 20-10 first quarter lead and stayed in front the rest of the way to gain a 65-58 victory.

Howell blazed the trail with 31 points, his top scoring effort of the tournament. Billy Glidewell turned in an outstanding performance also as he netted 12 points, including Dimmitt's first six. Ronnie Kenmore, Kent Lindsey and Tommy Stafford played a steady floor game from outside and frustrated Crosbyton's offense with their full court press and ball-hawking tactics.

Advancing to the semi-finals, the Bobcats went up against the rugged Lubbock Christian High team, which had posted 18 victories this season against only one loss.

The LCHS quintet came within a point of extending their record to 19-1, but the Bobcats came out of the fray with a 50-49 victory that put a chill into Lubbock Christian's high-scoring offensive attack.

ALTHOUGH the Bobcats built an eight-point halftime lead and dominated the contest, LCHS made it a breath-holder by knotting the score at 45-all with just

two minutes remaining, and it was anybody's game until the final seconds.

Billy Glidewell and Kent Lindsey saved the Bobcats with free throws. Glidewell calmly sank two charity tosses with less than two minutes remaining to give Dimmitt a 47-45 lead. A minute later, Lindsey sank one of two from the line to stretch Dimmitt's lead to three points, 50-47. Lubbock Christian pulled within a point again with seconds remaining, but that was as close as the Lubbock boys could get as Dimmitt won its right to the finals before a screaming crowd.

MAJOR FACTORS in the Bobcats' victory over LCHS were an outstanding defensive effort throughout the contest and a tight game of ball control in the fourth quarter.

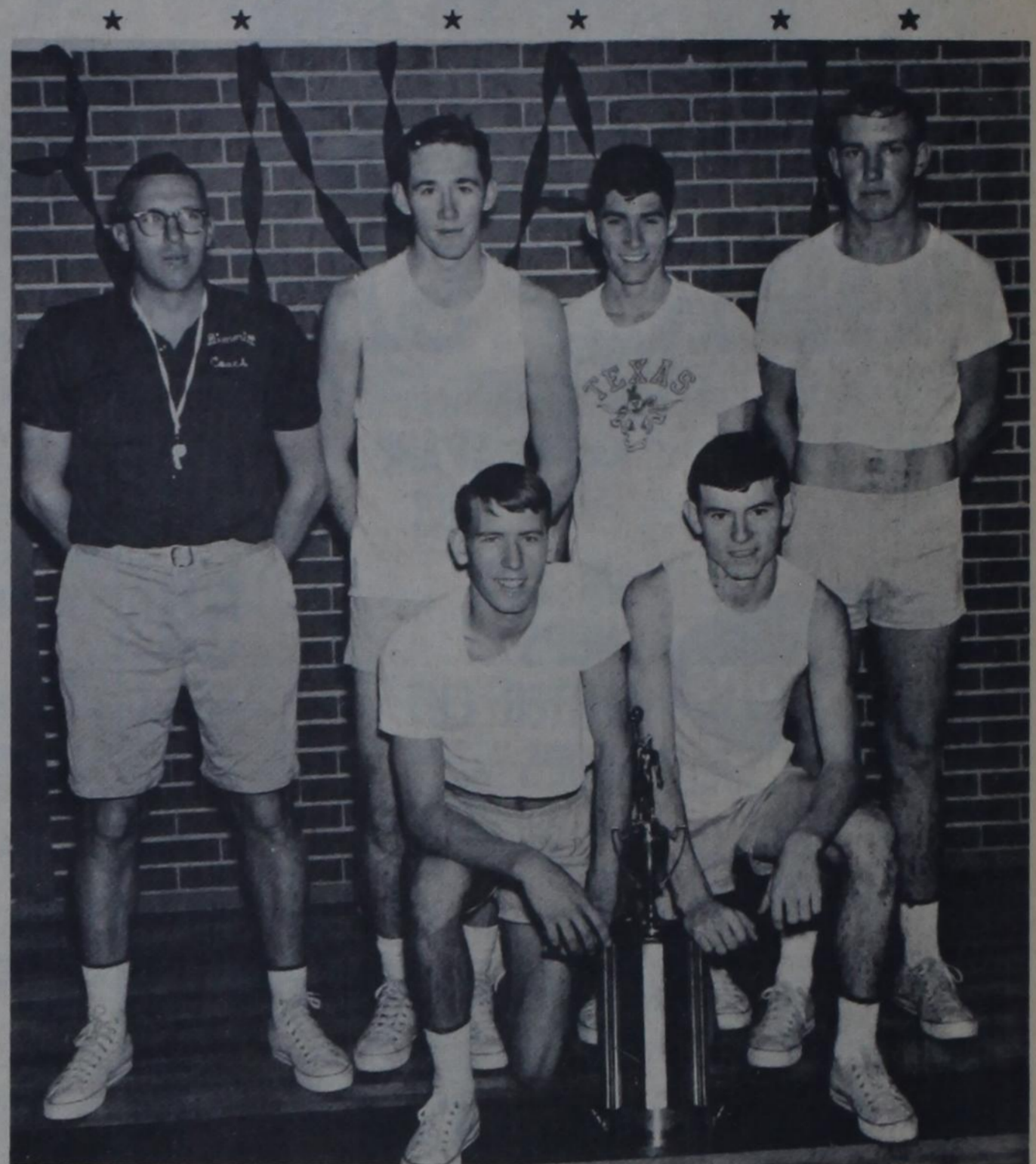
Howell again led Dimmitt scorers as he netted 19 points. Glidewell added 12 to help give the Bobcats a shot at the highly regarded Aspermont Hornets in the championship game.

En route to the finals against Dimmitt, Aspermont had downed Shallowater in the first round, then had put away Lorenzo, first-round victor over Post. The championship game shaped up as a first-class showdown.

BUT THE determined Bobcats went onto the coliseum floor to win, and they were in control all the way. Playing what Cleveland said was "probably their best defensive game of the season," the Cats held the talented Aspermont quintet to 42 points and won going away, 59-42, to gain the champions' trophy of the eighth annual holiday classic.

Each member of the team turned in an outstanding individual performance on defense. Billy Glidewell squared off against Aspermont center Nathan Ray, who had averaged 25 points per game him to 14. At the same time, Glidewell came off the boards repeatedly with important rebounds that cut off Aspermont's second chances.

Ronnie Kenmore again was assigned the task of stopping the opponent's top guard, and again proved himself to be one of the tourney's best defensive guards as he consistently kept Aspermont's playmaker out of position and off



THE BOBCATS had an extra spring in their step Monday morning as they kept their beautiful new championship trophy within glancing distance during workouts. Coach Kenneth Cleveland and his starting five

even found time to pose with the new prize. Kneeling are Ronnie Kenmore and Tommy Stafford. Standing, from left, are Coach Cleveland, John Howell, Kent Lindsey and Billy Glidewell.

balance. In addition to his yeoman defensive work, Kenmore poured 13 points through the basket during the tourney, and held the Aspermont offense time and again with interceptions and steals, and scored 15 points in the

Cats' winning effort. Kent Lindsey held his opposing guard to just two points in the bout. John Howell helped Glidewell to keep the backboards tidy, and again came up with high scoring honors as he netted 18 points. **THE BOBCATS'** happy coach,

seeing a 15-point lead on the scoreboard, cleared the bench in the final quarter — and the reserve unit gave a creditable showing, too.

Jack Bradford came into the game with three minutes remaining, was fouled three times by the desperate Hornets, and sank six straight free throws in less than two minutes. Don Moore also was granted three trips to the free-throw line in the final two minutes and sank four of six as the reserve unit extended the Bobcat lead until the final buzzer.

Nazareth

Order Has Yule Party After 'Holiday Whirl'

By Mrs. Florance Albracht The Order of Martha held its postponed Christmas meeting and party in the home of Mrs. Frank Hoelting Monday afternoon. 14 members and one guest, Mrs. Bill Woods of Washington, D. C., enjoyed an afternoon of cards, refreshments of dainty sandwiches, punch, coffee, and cake were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Maurer and family spent Christmas in Harper with his mother and other members of his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Venhaus and family, Mrs. Helen Backus and family and Mrs. Agnes Brockman went to Happy Tuesday evening for the Venhaus Christmas reunion in the home of Slim Venhaus.

MRS. ANNA Hivers and daughter and family, the Francis Kaplans, spent Monday after Christmas visiting the Venhaus relatives here.

A large group of relatives and friends from here went to Amarillo last Thursday morning for the funeral of Mrs. Francis Woelfle. Mrs. Woelfle spent her childhood and early married life here before moving to Amarillo. Mrs. Woelfle was a member of Blessed Sacrament Parish.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Neibur spent the past week in Umbarger visiting.

Rev. Father Reichel was a dinner guest in the Greg Hoelting home on New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Hoelting and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Francis Woelfle in Amarillo last Thursday morning and spent the day with their son and family, the Leroy Hoeltings.

The Leonard Conrad families had dinner in the Conrad home on New Year's Day. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hoelting and family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Vince Ramaekers of Umbarger, Miss Susie Conrad of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Brockman enjoyed the dinner.

COLLEGE STUDENTS and all our school children will be back

in school, hitting the books for mid-term tests.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Schacher spent New Year's Day and Monday with their daughter and family the Shillings at Slaton.

Mrs. Leonard Schulte, Mrs. John Schacher and Mrs. Hank Rossi of Tulia took Lynette Schulte to Fort Smith where she is attending St. Scholastica Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wilhelm were hosts for a New Year supper for Mrs. Loretta Guggemos, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Drerup, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Guggemos, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Drerup, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Schmucker and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ball and their families.

MR. AND MRS. Leonard Bartels and family and Mrs. Ralph Shirley spent a day during the Christmas vacation with Mrs. Loretta Guggemos.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woods of Washington, D.C., spent New Year's Day visiting the Brockman families.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Brockman had dinner guests on New Year's Day, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woods of Washington, D.C., Mr. and Mrs. Lon Brockman and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brockman enjoyed the dinner. In the afternoon all the Brockman relatives had a get-together in the community hall.

SISTER MAURINE, Sister Regina Marie and Sister Generose spent several days visiting in Nazareth. They are teachers in St. Joseph's School in Amarillo. Sister Maurine visited her mother, Mrs. Margaret Schmucker and family. Sister Regina Marie visited her sister and family the Earl Backuses, and her sister, Sister Celestine Marie, teacher here in our school. Sister Generose visited her mother, Mrs. Frank Huseman and family.

Sister Benedict, Sister Herbert and Mrs. Florance Albracht took Sister Leona, who had been teaching here, back to the convent in Fort Smith, Ark. Thursday of last week. Sister Charles Marie, who

Northedge News

Families Gather During Holidays

By Mrs. Robert McDaniel Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Williams, Susan and Michael of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. Garry Hathaway were holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Glidewell.

MR. AND MRS. Robert McDaniel, Mike and Inez accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Stephen McDaniel, their son and family of Denver, Colo., to Belton to visit relatives and friends in Belton Wednesday; they returned Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen McDaniel and Anita of Denver, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Carl McDaniel and daughters of Ovilla, and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson of Waxahachie were home for the holidays, all being present Christmas Day.

The Stephen McDaniels left Monday for Portland, Ore., via Denver and Salt Lake City, Utah.

The Raymond Crums spent Christmas day with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jordan in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Josephine Ball and son Fred and Mrs. Lizzie Gerber spent a few days with the Vernon Braddock family, who live near Fort Worth.

Baptized Sunday in Holy Family Church by Rev. Father Reichel: —Christopher Alphonse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Gerber. Sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Gerber.

Sonya Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schulte. Sponsors were Marvin Schulte and Raylene Schulte.

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Dimmitt, Texas

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FOR SALE:

3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, fully carpeted, central heat, all electric kitchen. 721 W. Stinson, Call 647-3296 or 647-3400. 8-tfc

FOR SALE:

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MATTRESSES RENOVATED:

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Used in Home Ec. Department at Hart High School. For details contact Henderson TV & Appliance, Dimmitt. Southwestern Public Service Company. 33-tfc

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See E. L. Ivey. 1-tfc

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FOR SALE: 7 piece Early American dining room suite.

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RENTALS

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment. Also trailer space. 201 NW 2nd. 2-tfc

FOR RENT: Bedroom, female only.

Phone 647-4335. Pearl Mae Johnston. 10-tfc

FOR RENT: 3 bedroom brick, 2 bath, carpet, 505 NW 8th.

Phone 647-5481. 10-3tp

FOR RENT: Two two-bedroom furnished apartments.

Mrs. Ola Murphy, 405 NW. Broadway, Ph. 647-2551. 12-2tc

FOR RENT: Industrial Building,

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WANTED MAN OR WOMAN SPARE TIME
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Wanted: Sewing and alterations.

Call 647-4697. Mrs. J. W. Godfrey. 7-tfc

WANTED: 5 or 6 room house,

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LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED TO MY PLACE: White face heifer, branded on left hip. Owner may claim by identifying and paying feed and ad cost. Vincent Braddock 945-2162, Nazareth. 12-tfc

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WELDING —Bring your welding needs to Easter Welding Shop for prompt efficient service. We also have portable welding equipment. Ray Sandoval. 25-tfc

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Contractor, brush - spray - paper-hanging. 647-3386 Dimmitt, Texas. 45-52tp

LEGAL NOTICES

W. A. EPPERSON, MELVIN BARTON, TOM DAVIS and DALE PRATHER, d-b-a PERSONAL FINANCE CO., a co-partnership, doing business in Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas, hereby gives notice, in accordance with Article 1302-2.02 of the Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, of their intention to continue business under the corporate name "PERSONAL FINANCE CO., INC. OF DIMMITT." 10-4-c

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO ALL CREDITORS OF WALLACE SHIFLETT
All creditors of Wallace Shiflett are hereby notified to present all bills to Francis Shiflett, attorney-in-fact of the estate of Wallace Shiflett of Star Route 2, Morton, Texas. 9-4to

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to friends, neighbors and citizens of Castro County for your most loyal support in the 26 years I have served in the office of county treasurer.

I also wish to commend the officials and employees I have ever served with, for their most pleasant and congenial attitude. My heart is sad this morning as I fully realize this is the last day in office. I was reluctant not to seek re-election, yet, I fully realize it would not be wise. Thank you, each and all.

Sincerely,
Faye E. Holland

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to our friends of Dimmitt for the many kindnesses shown during the loss of our loved one. We want to especially thank the ladies who prepared the lunch.

We thank everyone who helped in any way. May God bless each of you.
The Verda Coventry Family

CARD OF THANKS

The committee in charge of the Booster Club bake sale that was held before Christmas wishes to take this means to thank everyone who helped in any way to make our sale a success. To those who baked so willingly, those who worked and those who contributed money.

Especially do we want to thank the radio station for its loyal support as well as all other help in the past.

Dimmitt Booster Club

CARD OF THANKS

To the Hon. Judge Raymond Wilson and Mrs. Wilson; to the commissioners; to the law enforcing body and to all elected officials and appointed officials of Castro County; to all the voters of Precinct 4 I wish to take this means of thanking you for the loyal support you have given me during the number of terms I have served. I especially wish to thank those whose names are signed on the memory card and the beautiful desk set given to me. I shall never forget.

Yours Sincerely,
John C. Stork

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AUSTEX — 303 CAN	Spaghetti & Meat Balls	29¢
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— FARM FRESH PRODUCE —

CHICKEN OF THE SEA TUNA	7 OUNCE	43¢
TOAST-UM POP-UPS	10 OUNCE	39¢
TURNIPS	POUND	2 for 19¢
TOMATOES	P. K. R.	29¢
CARROTS	P. K. R.	2 for 15¢
GREEN ONIONS		2 bunches 15¢

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FRONTIER STAMPS!
Double Stamps
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2 FOR 25¢

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES
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Socially Yours

Nazareth 4-H'ers Tour in Amarillo

BY CLUB REPORTER
Early Wednesday morning of last week, the Nazareth 4-H Club headed for Amarillo to tour several plants. Everybody was ready for an exciting day.

WHEN WE got to the Borden Company we admired the beautiful Christmas decorations. When we toured the factory we saw how the milk was cartoned and how they made ice milk for restaurants.

After completing the tour through Borden's we all were treated to dinner at the Drumstick by Taylor-Evans Seed Store.

After dinner we went to Pinkney Packing Company. We saw them butchering the cattle and how they made and stuffed wieners. We learned how they cured ham and put the curing in it.

AFTER THAT we went to the Taylor-Evans Seed Company. Doc Potts showed us through the store. The most impressive thing was the printing and mailing press. They can print and cut their own paper. We enjoyed seeing how they made colored advertisements.

Enjoying our Amarillo tour were Mr. and Mrs. John L. Womack, Rita, Lester and Jess; Mr. and Mrs. William Hochstein Jr., Debbie, Larry, Patty, Coral and Jimmy; Mrs. Elmer Klemm, Cindy, Pat and Robert; Mr. Robert Huseman, Linda, Terry, Raymond, Julie and Robbie; Mr. David Acker, Debbie, Stephen, Agnes, Norman and Elaine; and Weldon Wilhelm.

DIMITT SUPER MARKET



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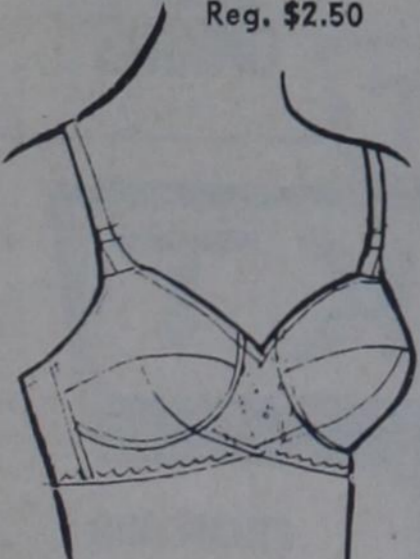
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Levinson Book To Be Reviewed

Dimmitt Book Club will meet Wednesday afternoon in the community room of First State Bank. The business meeting will be at 3:30 and the book review will start at 4 p.m.

"Everything But Money," Sam Levinson's current best seller, will be reviewed by Mrs. Earl Lust.

Young Homemakers Will Meet Tonight

The Dimmitt Young Homemakers will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m. in the homemaking department of Dimmitt High School. Mrs. Jeannine Wimberley of Blue Room Coiffures will give a demonstration on the use of wigs.

More About

Farmers Face

(Continued from page 1)
damaging in areas where there is an acute labor shortage and machines are sorely needed. If this situation continues, it will certainly drive farm commodity prices upward," Weatherford said.

Hey Red!

Hey Red,
Boy! I feel so tired after the holidays. I just can't even put up the things I got for Christmas or take down the tree. What do you suggest?

Pooped Polly
Dear Pooped,
First, come down to the Blue Room for a rest — while we fix your hair and nails. You will find that it relaxes you. Then you'll feel like whizzing around and in no time you will have it all done.

Hey Red,
Christmas Eve I had to baby sit. Christmas day I had to baby sit. Now — I've found out I have to baby sit on New Year's eve. I never get to have fun. What do you advise?

Sittin' Sue
Dear Sue,
Why not take a break? First, say "No, I have plans." Then, come down to the Blue Room and get a festive hairdo and manicure. Then invite some friends over for a holiday party. You'll feel much better.

Red
Jeannine Wimberley
Owner-Operator

Frances Irlbeck, Operator

BLUE ROOM COIFFURES

210 W. Bedford

H-D Notes

Anyone for Food?

BY IRENE KEATING
Now that we begin a new year we can do better than we did last year. It seems strange to be at work again as I've been off for a week. However, I went to Arkansas and now I'm refreshed and ready to work.

HERE ARE SOME helpful tips for the homemaker who is buying sweet spreads for her family. Jelly — is made from fruit juice; the product is clear and firm enough to hold its shape when turned out of the container. Jam — is made from crushed or ground fruit; it tends to hold its shape but is less firm than jelly.

Conserves — are jams made from a mixture of fruits, usually including citrus fruits, often raisins and nuts are added.

Marmalade — is a tender jelly with pieces of fruit distributed evenly throughout. A marmalade commonly contains citrus juice and slivers of peel.

Preserves — are whole fruit or large pieces of fruit in thick syrup, often slightly jellied.

WINTER IS the season when we eat more pork. Pigs, from which comes pork, were one of the first domesticated animals. Pigs were tamed by the earliest Chinese farmers. These pigs required practically no care because of their ability to forage for them selves in forests and swamps. Pigs abounded in Egypt even before Egypt had founded its dynasties.

The Celts of the Iron Age loved pork and honored it with a place in their tombs — the richest were able to afford a whole pig.

Pork was a staple meat of classical Athens and a favorite of the Romans. Roman emperors used to distribute thousands of pounds of pork among the poor on holidays. The Romans admired poundage, and some of their pigs came to market so hefty they could hardly stand up.

In England's early days, the serving of the boar's head attained the status of a parade. A guard escorted the dish from kitchen to table, while trumpeters blared salute.

WITH THEIR arrival in the New World, pigs adapted them-

increases in the market value of farm real estate.

LIFE ON the farm continues to improve for those who still remain there, though every year the farm and ranch population dwindles as more move to the cities and suburbs.

In 1966, net farm income per farm in the US was \$4,900 — an increase of 66 percent over 1960. But there were 17 percent fewer farms at the end of 1966, so the real per-farm increase was probably closer to 3 percent.

LOCALLY, the 1967 outlook for farmers in Castro County seems somewhat brighter, according to Billy Hackleman, manager of the Federal Land Bank Association of Dimmitt.

At the end of 1966, there were approximately 11 fewer farms in the county than at the beginning of the year, and about 18,800 acres were taken out of agricultural production.

Attend Wyatt Funeral
Out-of-town friends attending the funeral of Mrs. Nora Wyatt Saturday morning were Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Carter of Happy, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Smith of Amarillo, Mrs. Emily Thomas of Berger, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Chitty of Plainview, Mrs. Charles Carico of Amherst, Clyde Bolton of Amherst, and Mrs. Cleo Webb of Olton.

selves to pioneer living at once. According to one historian, they gave "a good account of themselves in encounters with bears, wolves and rattlesnakes."

The Jamestown pigs who arrived in 1608 survived so well that by 1617 the census takers didn't even bother to count them — they merely noted "innumerable numbers of swine."

The New World hog population has continued to grow. So has our appetite for pork eating. Add pork to your shopping list.

DISAPPOINTED prospectors from the California gold rush often turned to farming in the San Joaquin Valley.

That's how the raisin industry got its start in America. Today, the Valley produces its own gold rush — more raisins than the rest of the world combined.

Raisins are about 70 percent natural fruit sugar. They also provide you with vitamin A, thiamin, riboflavin, iron, calcium and copper.

They're one of mankind's oldest foods, with a history dating back more than 2,000 years. The Israelites used raisins to pay taxes to King David in 1,000 B.C.

USDA's Consumer and Marketing Service says raisins are in plentiful supply now.

WITH SUCH a good supply of both pork and raisins on hand, delight the family with Fruited Pork Rolls. You'll need 1/2 cup light or dark raisins, 1 1/2 to 2 pounds thinly cut pork steak, 1 1/2 cups soft stale bread crumbs, 1 cup chopped apple, 1 1/2 teaspoons instant minced onion or 2 tablespoons chopped raw onion, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon thyme, 2 tablespoon water, 1 tablespoon shortening and 1 cup chicken broth.

Rinse and dry raisins. Cut trimmed meat into 5 or 6 serving pieces. Combine bread crumbs, raisins, apple, onion, salt, thyme and water. Center each piece of meat with stuffing, roll up and fasten with string. Brown in heated shortening. Add broth, cover and cook slowly until meat is very tender — about 45 to 50 minutes.

Rosetta's Knit Shop

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Kelly Brockett Is Given Party

Kelly Ann Brockett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Brockett, 713 Maple, was given a party to celebrate her ninth birthday recently.

FRIENDS attending were Lori, Bonnie and Julie Lee, Pamela Heard, Sherry Singer, Brenda Brock, Kim Griffith, Shannon Woodard, Lindsee Snider, Melissa Moore, Sherry Sullivan, Norma Wall, Lori Fisher and Karen, David and Steven Brockett.

After entertainment of games and playing records, all were served hot dogs, chips, soft drinks and birthday cake. As Kelly opened her gifts, she presented each guest with a sweater pin.

Jan. 20 Date Set

Mr. and Mrs. Dorit Smiley of Dimmitt announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Glenda Kay, to Gary Everette Heller of Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everette Heller.

THE WEDDING will be Jan. 20 at 6:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt.

Miss Smiley and Heller are both sophomores at West Texas State University in Canyon. She is a business education major and he is majoring in accounting.

All friends of the couple are invited.



Miss Smiley

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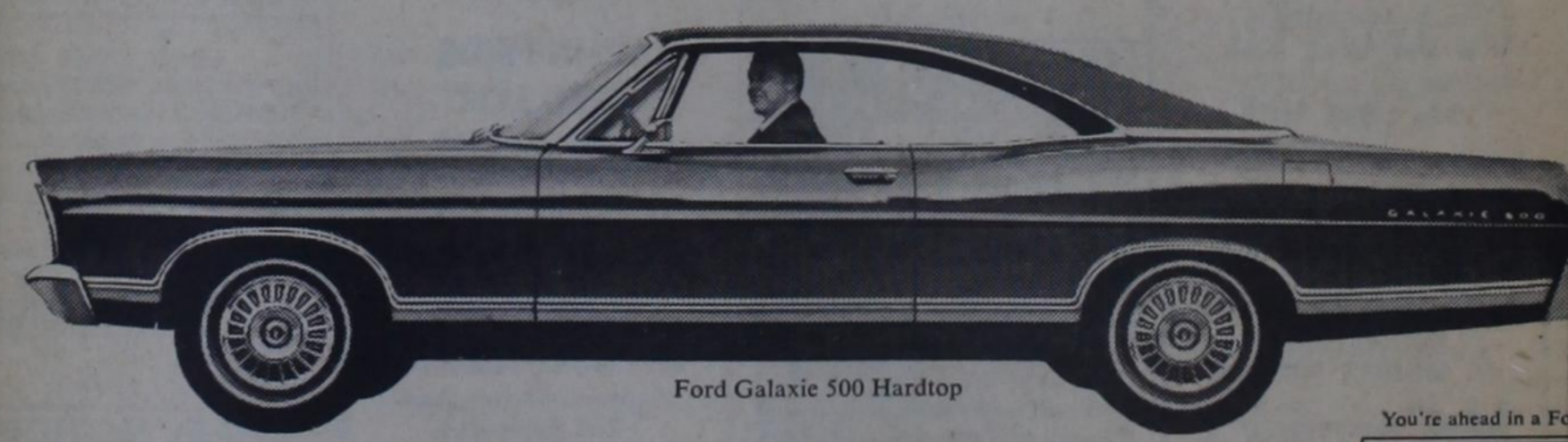
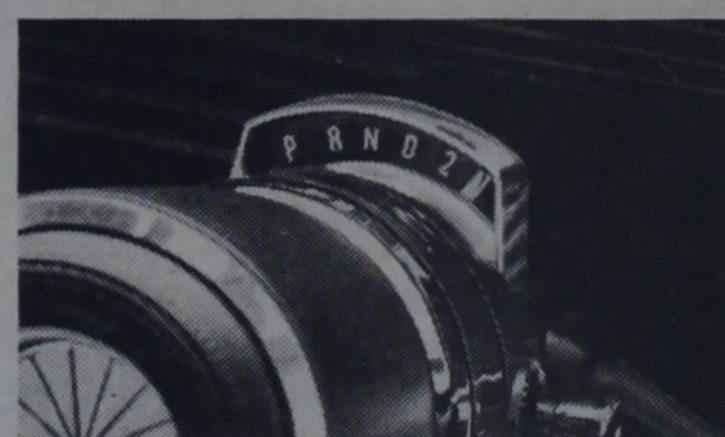
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I Thank You

As my term of office as your commissioner comes to a close, I feel I must thank the people who made it possible for me to be your commissioner for the past 12 years. Thanks for your confidence and trust, I pray you still have that confidence and trust.

I hope I performed the duties of this office to the best interest of the majority of the people of the county.

I also want to give thanks to the other elected officials and their help and anyone that is paid by the county, for their cooperation and help. They are a wonderful people. If you haven't met them, please do so. You will like them too. Thanks again for 12 good years. Will see you around.

Noble Armstrong

Easter

Mrs. Blankenship Dies

BY RUBY STONE
Word was received here that Mrs. Rose Blankenship of Sloom Springs, Ark., mother of Bettye Renfro, passed away Christmas eve. Mr. and Mrs. Renfro left Monday to attend funeral services. O. C. Renfro was unable to attend, he has been confined to his home, sick since Thanksgiving.

MR. AND MRS. W. P. Stone of Reed of Oakland, Calif., visited Mrs. Ruby Stone, Loy and Louise Stone and girls Sunday evening. They were returning from Pampa where they had attended the funeral of Mrs. Jessie Bell Zeek, mother of W. P. Stone and Dorothy Reed. Mrs. Zeek passed away Dec. 21 and was buried Dec. 24. Mr. and Mrs. Gary Burnett of Dalhart spent the holidays with his parents, the John H. Burnetts. Mrs. W. A. Epperson visited Mrs. U. E. Cook in the Deaf Smith

County Hospital Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Roe and Jeannette visited the Sam Scarborough family Tuesday night. Miss Addie Miner from the Golden Spread Rest Home in Dimmitt spent the Christmas holidays in the W. A. Epperson home. Gary Burnett visited the Sam Scarborough family Monday night. MR. AND MRS. G. H. LaPlant have moved back to our community after living in Arlington,

Wash., a number of years. They are presently staying in a trailer house on the W. O. Markley farm. Visiting the J. H. Floods over the Christmas holidays were their children and grandchildren, the Ernest Floods of Westway, Edwin, Ann and Gayle of Amarillo, and Tom and Kathryn Musser of Hereford. Ann Scarborough has been home over the holidays. Spending Christmas eve in the H. O. Markley home in Dimmitt were Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Markley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Hall and children and Mrs. Elvis Barker and girls. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Epperson and Addie Miner spent Christmas day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Medley in Hereford. Other

guests were Mrs. Eldon Howell and Kellie, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Webb, and Mr. and Mrs. George Millard. CAROLYN SUE Young spent Saturday night with Ann Scarborough. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Barton visited over the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Land, in Arkansas. Mr. and Mrs. Trent Downing spent the Christmas holidays visiting her parents in Franklin, La. Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Markley and children and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. LaPlant spent Christmas day with the O. L. LaPlants in Liberal, Kan. To everyone a very happy and prosperous new year!

Nazareth Legionnaires Slate Farm Equipment Sale Jan. 23

Nazareth's American Legion Post will sponsor a farm sale Jan. 23 at the Legion building in Nazareth. Akin and Harris, auctioneers, will conduct the sale. Legionnaires will take and catalog farm equipment items for consignment. ROBERT HUSEMAN, chairman, urged farmers with equipment they'd like to sell to contact him or leave their consignments at Nazareth Oil and Gas or Carl's Grocery to have the equipment placed on the sale bill. He said

all consignments should be in by Jan. 10 to be placed on the sale bill. Commission on items sold will be the standard 5 percent, Huseman said. Farmers should take their consigned equipment to the Legion building anytime after Jan. 20 and until the sale begins. Auctioneering is scheduled to start at 10 a.m. Jan. 23. ANY TYPE of farm or farm related equipment will be eligible for the sale, including livestock and furniture, Huseman said.

MRS. MARILYN GOSSETT and three children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Howell, over the holidays. They left by train Saturday for their home in San Diego, Calif. The Howells' son Don and family of Long Beach, Calif., could not make it home for the holidays. He left for Vietnam Dec. 27 for a five-month tour of duty. Don is an electronics technician aboard the destroyer Brinkley Bass.

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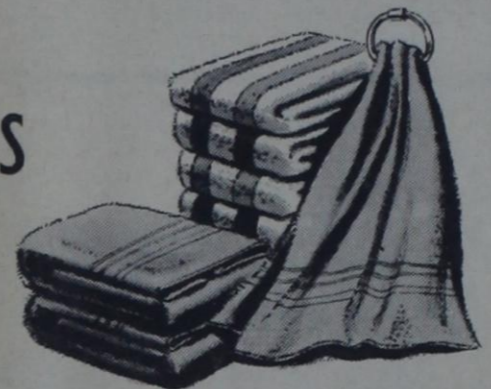
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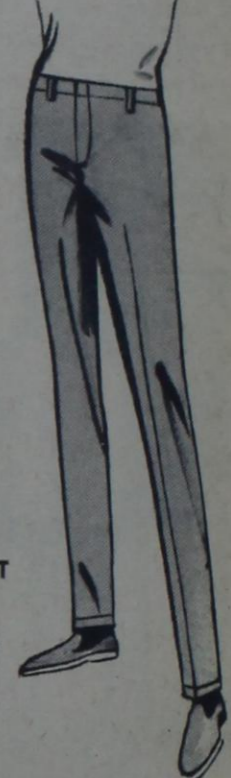
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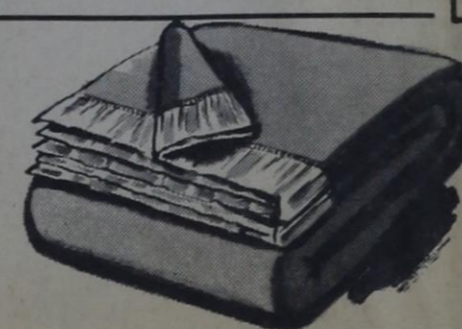
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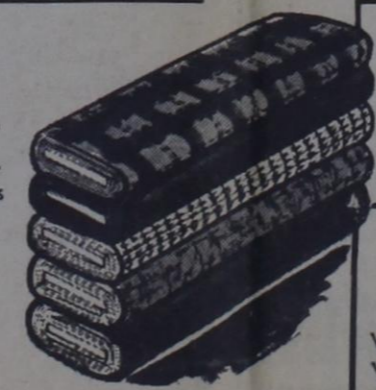
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HART NEWS

City Faces '67 With Confidence

BY MYRT LOMAN
Hart residents can look to 1967 with confidence as their community nears 1,000 population.

We now are approaching 1,000 population in the city, with 61 business firms based in Hart.

It's one of the best and richest farming areas in the state of

Texas, with new families moving into the community and area each week.

MRS. G. R. BENNETT and sons Ed and Bob and families enjoyed a few days at Ruidoso during the holiday season.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Maples last week were their granddaughters and great granddaughter, Miss Elaine Maples and Mrs. Glen Herring and Shanelle of Amarillo.

Mrs. Lillie Phillips and grandchildren, Monica, Michelle and Hoby of Littlefield were Saturday visitors in Hart.

SUNDAY morning worship service at the First Methodist Church was set aside as "Student Recognition Day," with college students Warren Gossett, Billy Bob Bell and Larry Bates having charge of the service.

Other students who are members of the church and who were given special recognition were Verletta Crick, Becky Burress, Judy Graves, Tommy Morrison and Jerry Parker.

Warren Gossett, son of Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Gossett, brought the morning message.

Gossett is a sophomore at McMurry College in Abilene. He served as youth director of the Methodist Church this past summer.

THE WOMEN of the Women's Society of Christian Service will be hosts on Jan. 12 for the sub-

district meeting. Each member of the local society is requested to furnish two pies for this meeting.

Registration will be at 9:30 a.m. on Jan. 12.

Men of the First Methodist Church met Wednesday morning at 7 in Fellowship Hall of the church for breakfast and an hour of fellowship.

The men prepared a breakfast of scrambled eggs, bacon, hot biscuits, jelly, butter and coffee.

E. E. Foster, a layman of the local church, brought the morning message.

Saturday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hart were sisters, Mrs. Grace Byars and Mrs. Floyd Barber; a niece, Mrs. Estelle Powers of Lockney; a brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Livesy of Olton; and two grandsons, Ronald and Lyle Livesy of Hereford.

Mrs. Dwight Miller and daughter, Carroll, were in Amarillo Fri-

day night to get Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hendrix, who returned by plane from California after spending the holidays with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Hendrix. It was the first plane flight by the senior Hendrixes and they loved it - even with an emergency landing in New Mexico.

MRS. J. P. ARMSTRONG accidentally fell Tuesday of last week and broke one rib and sustained a back injury. She is a patient in Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Jones and sons visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swopes in Visita, Okla. last week and on Friday C. R. and Charles Ray drove down to Buchanan Lake to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jones of Plainview, who are spending the winter fishing at Lake Buchanan.

Terry Armstrong, son of Mr. and Mrs. Deward Armstrong of Texico, spent last week in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brooks.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Bearden were their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Gamblin and children of Sunray; Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Shive and children of Hart;

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Wall and children of Burlington, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Shive and family of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Pigg and family of Hart.

Mrs. Fannie Shive of Dimmitt was host Christmas eve for a dinner honoring her children, grandchildren and sister. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shive, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Shive, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lacy, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Beavers, Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Pigg of Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Shive of Dallas, and her sisters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Davis of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Oberst of Canyon and Mrs. Mattie Turner of Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bennett were hosts Sunday to a New Year's dinner for her family. Guests were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lambert of Hart, her grandmothers, Mrs. Maude Lambert of Hammond, Okla., and Mrs. Emma Ritter of Plainview, and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Cooper of Plainview.

THERON MORRISON and son, Tommy, and Ed Bennett and son, Harold Bob, were in Dallas Sunday to attend the NFL Championship football game between

the Dallas Cowboys and the Green Bay Packers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Bennett and family left for Denton Sunday to be at the bedside of his mother, who is seriously ill, having had several heart attacks. Ike is manager of the Hart Producers Cop Gin.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barham and children of near Olton moved last week to the farm of Harold Smith, formerly owned by Jim Ebrooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Ewing and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Florent visiting in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Martin. Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Tucker and children

last week were her mother, Mrs. Eula Mae Spruill of Estelline, and her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Spruill of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sharp of Idalia, Colo., spent Monday in Hart visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Upshaw and family. The Sharp family are former Hart residents.



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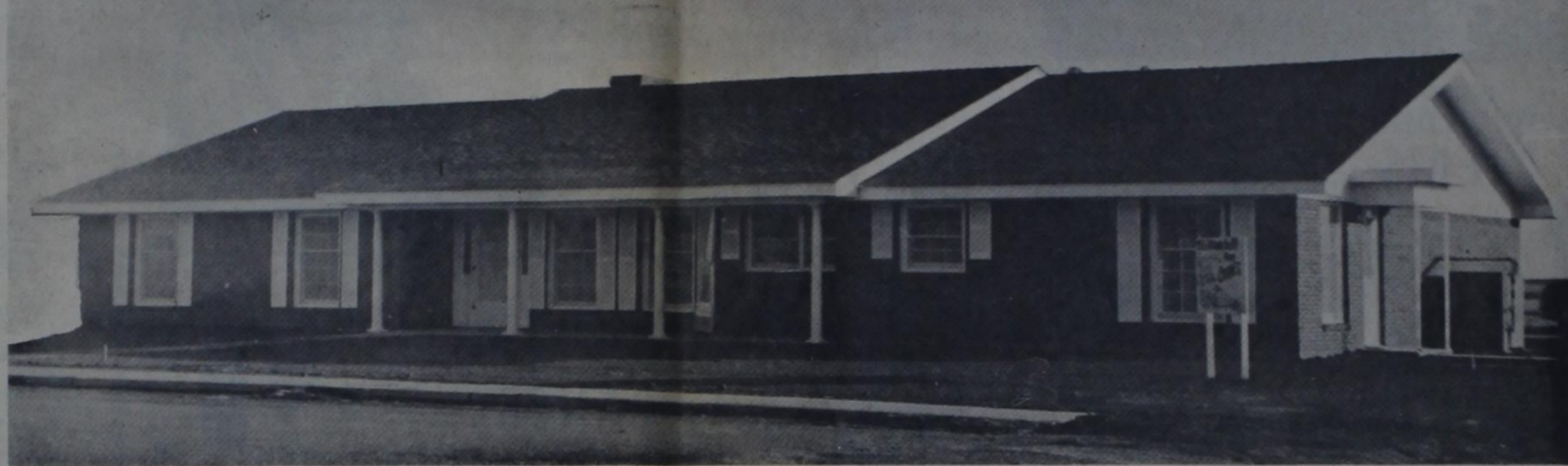
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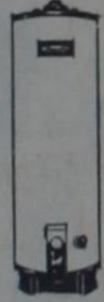
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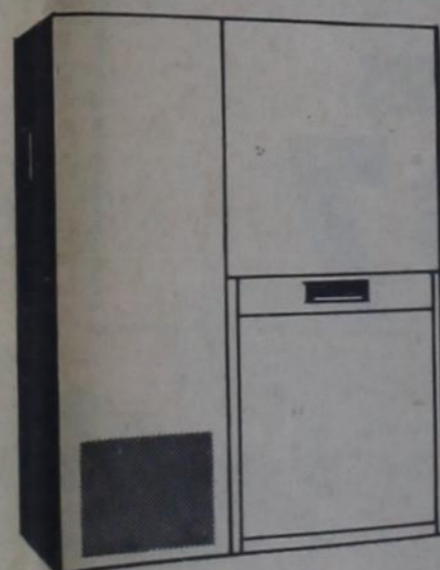
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