

Business Expansion Marks Year of 1955

New Buildings, Enlarged Sites Added by Local Concerns

Although the year of 1955 is expected to go down in the books as one of major business disappointments in Floydada, the growth of the community in the year, business-wise, has been significant.

The story of an expanding business community with increased facilities and strengthened capital investments are strongly borne out by a recap of the building activities of local business interests.

No new major outside investments have been recorded in the year but local business interests have invested more than \$300,000 in new buildings and modernization.

With two exceptions, where construction was carried on without the benefit of city permits, the figures are based on ultra conservative city permit figures.

A total of \$902,350 in building permits was issued by the city during the current year. A study shows that this total is made up of eight new business buildings, five buildings for use in storage by local business firms, additions of equipment by local firms, a labor camp, 22 new houses built, 11 houses added to or remodeled, and 15 houses moved to a new site. Also included is a radio tower and the high school building, which is now under construction.

Three of the business buildings were completed during the summer months, three were completed recently or are nearing completion. Construction has begun on one and plans are being made to start construction on the other in January.

Completed during the summer were the S. J. Latta Implement Company plant at 211 E. Missouri, the local Minneapolis-Moline dealer; the C. B. McDonald Building, new home of the United States Post Office and Southwestern Public Service Company; and the Richard P. Stovall Building, which contains the law offices of Richard P. Stovall, R. E. Fry and Billy B. Henry. Southwestern Life Insurance Company agency and the Floyd County

Abstract Company.

Weems and Wems Texaco Service Station recently opened a new location on the Matador Highway and was followed this week by Redd's TV and Appliance Center which moved into a new building on the Plainview Highway.

C. E. Dalk expects to move Dalk Pontiac-GMC to his new building also on the Plainview Highway, between the first and fifteenth of January.

Construction was begun recently on the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company's new building. This \$62,000 building marks a milestone in the history of Floydada in that it will house this city's dial telephone system after the change over in 1956. In addition to the cost of the building, about \$200,000 will be spent in initiating the dial system in Floydada. The building is composed of 3,400 square feet of floor space enclosed by walls of brick and blocks.

On Dec. 1 a building permit was given to Jimmy Wilson Jr. for the construction of a service station on lots 9 and 10 of Block 66 of the original townsite of Floydada. "The Humble station will be very modern in design and located toward the south end of the lots," stated Mr. Wilson. The building will be built of masonry with a glass front. Wilson and S. R. Duncan will be partners in the venture. Construction is expected to get underway between Jan. 1 and 15.

Storage units were built by Morckel Farm Chemical Company Farmers Elevator Company, Footc Butane Company and White Auto Store. All of these are made of steel. Morckel Farm Chemical Company has a 60 x 70 feet all steel warehouse located directly behind the old building. The warehouse is capable of holding from 450 to 500 tons of the farm chemicals and fertilizers which will be stored in it.

Footc Butane added a 20 x 30 foot warehouse for use chiefly in their new enterprise as wholesale dealer for Sinclair gas and oils. Footc also added two gasoline storage tanks, capable of holding 8,000 gallons of gasoline each.

W. N. and W. E. Garrett of White Auto Store have erected a 20 x 36 foot warehouse of 20 gauge steel. (See Business Gains, back page)

Smith Will Manage The Wagon Wheel

Doyle Mount, owner of Wagon Wheel Western Wear of Floydada, announced this week the appointment of Ray H. Smith as manager of the firm. Wagon Wheel was closed down for a time during the late summer and early fall due to shortage of help but reopened about Dec. 1.

Smith and Mount said this week they were re-stocking the store with all fine lines of western wear and believed all the new merchandise would arrive by early January.

Ray Smith is well known in Floyd County having spent most of his life here. He is engaged in farming activities east of town and has considerable experience in the merchandising field, having been employed by department stores in Floydada.

Smith is anxious for his friends to come by and visit him at his new location.

Call Mass Meeting On Cotton Protest

Dissatisfaction with the application of the rules governing cotton allotments for 1956 in Floyd County had grown this week to the point of calling a protest meeting of "all cotton farmers who are dissatisfied with cotton acreage allotments."

The meeting, to be held at the Lockney High School auditorium Monday night, (January 2) at 7:30 o'clock, will have former Senator G. H. Nelson present.

Whether or not there will be litigation depends on the set-up of the laws governing the cotton allotments and marketing quotas and the temper of the meeting Monday night.

Crux of the current contention

Pioneer Employs Christmas Party Held in Floydada

The Christmas party held Dec. 19 for area employees and their families of the Pioneer Natural Gas Company was attended by 53 persons.

The group ate a turkey supper at the Commercial Hotel and they went to the gas company's offices for the Christmas tree. The employees and their families drew names and exchanged gifts at the tree.

Employees of the Floydada and Ralls District attended from Ralls, Crosbyton, Lorenzo, Lockney, Silvertown, Quitaque, and Turkey. Mr. and Mrs. Curry attended from Lubbock.

Huckabay Honored At Grand Lodge

J. T. Huckabay of Floydada was appointed District Deputy Grand Master of the 96th Masonic District last week at the Grand Lodge meeting held in Waco. The district is comprised of Hale, Floyd, Briscoe and Swisher Counties.

Another appointment announced at the Grand Lodge sessions was that of J. W. Clonts of Tulla, who was appointed Grand Senior Deacon for the forthcoming Masonic year. Several members of Floydada Lodge AF & AM attended the Grand Lodge, which had an attendance of approximately 3,000.

Jack Cantrell Is Home From Odessa

Jack Cantrell and wife, who have been making their home at Odessa since his release from service with the Air Force, Monday moved back to Floydada, and will be associated with his father, Eddie Cantrell, in the produce and grocery business, as soon as he gets settled.

The business will continue in the name of Cantrell Fruit Market. Jack has been working in the mechanical department of the Odessa American as a printer.

Mrs. T. F. Anderson Celebrated her 90th Birthday December 19

Mrs. T. F. Anderson, of 600 East Virginia St., celebrated her 90th birthday Dec. 19 with all of her children and their wives and husbands, except one daughter (Mrs. L. M. Chandler of Detroit) present.

Each year the dinner is held at the home of one of her children. This year the family met at the home of Mrs. Ernest Williamson.

Grandmother Anderson, as she is known to almost everyone, received lots of birthday cards and several nice gifts also.

She is the mother of nine children, has had 31 grandchildren, 43 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Children and their families present for the dinner were, W. N. Anderson and wife of Nocona, W. E. Anderson and wife of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fawver, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Williamson, Mrs. A. W. Anderson and Lovell Jones of Floydada.

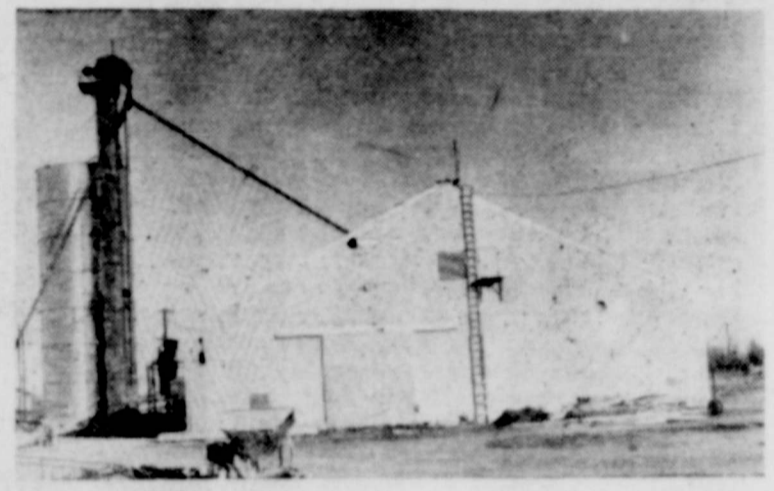
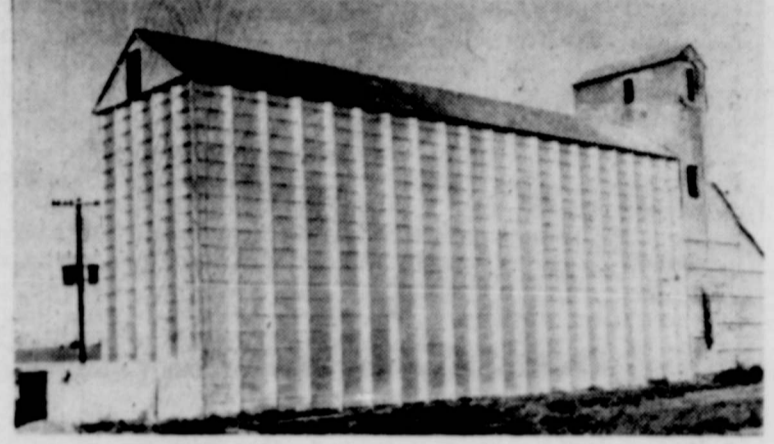
No Accidents Mar Yuletide Season

The Christmas holidays in Floyd County were not marred by accidents to county families either inside the county or on out-of-county journeys.

The sheriff's office reported that no accidents have been reported in the county, nor are there any reports of accidents to county residents anywhere else.

This Christmas was a happy one for most of the residents of Floyd County. Families met with friends and relatives from all over the state and a few were from out of the state.

Everyone had a good time, but the best part of the story is that there were no serious accidents to mar the happiness of the season.



Helping to relieve an acute shortage of grain storage space in Floydada are the installations of Farmers Elevator Co., (top) and the Davis Grain Co., both completed in this year and filled. Farmers has a capacity of 100,000 bushels flat storage, and the Davis plant a capacity of 150,000 bushels. Both are located in the railway industrial area.

Best Tournament in Years Seen For Local Gym Beginning Jan. 5

Boys and girls basketball teams of Floydada High School resumed practice sessions Tuesday following their Christmas holiday and are preparing for the Crosbyton tournament which starts today.

The boys see their first tournament action this afternoon at 3 o'clock when they tangle with Ralls. Floydada girls drew a bye in the first round and will go into action Friday morning at 10 a. m. against the winner of the Petersburg - Slaton game.

Schools of Slaton, Petersburg, Ralls, Floydada, Lorenzo, Crosbyton, New Deal, Brownfield, Jayton, and McAdoo have teams entered at the meet. Finals are due to be played Saturday night.

Trophies, which will be awarded Saturday night will go to first, second, and third place winners and to consolation in both boys and girls divisions. In addition 11 gold basketballs will be given to all tournament teams chosen from the competing teams.

Defending champions of the tournament are Slaton boys team and McAdoo girls team.

Tuesday Jan. 3 the Whirlwinds will go to Olton for three games with the Mustangs.

Tournament Here, Jan. 5 Coach Paul Huntington said yesterday that prospects were bright for the largest tournament in recent history (at least) for a local gym.

Already entered are 9 boys teams and 10 girls teams for the tourney which is scheduled to start in Graves.

HIGH TEMPERATURES HAVE MARKED CHRISTMAS WEEK

In the week from Dec. 24, embracing Christmas Eve and subsequent days, temperatures have been unusually mild in Floyd County.

Low for the week was a mild 28 degrees on Dec. 27, with a high reading on Christmas Eve mid-afternoon of 80 degrees. Two other days registered 70 degrees in the afternoon.

Powell Family Is Together For Day

All the S. L. Powell family were together for Christmas. This had not happened but once before since Mr. and Mrs. Powell moved to Floydada in 1945. The son is the one who usually fails to be present as he is in the service and often far away.

The children and their families are Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Darden Sherrill, Barbara and Billy Jack Floydada; Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Mangold, Bill, Howard and Gary, Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Travis Ray, Judy and Gayle and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Williams and little daughter, Kimberly all of Grand Prairie; and Lt. Col. and Mrs. S. L. Powell Jr. and Jan of Abilene Air Force Base.

Plan Watch Night Service Saturday

The First Methodist Church will have a watch night service Saturday, Dec. 31, at 11:30 p. m. at the church building.

The youth of the church will present a short program which will be closed with communion. The public is invited to attend.

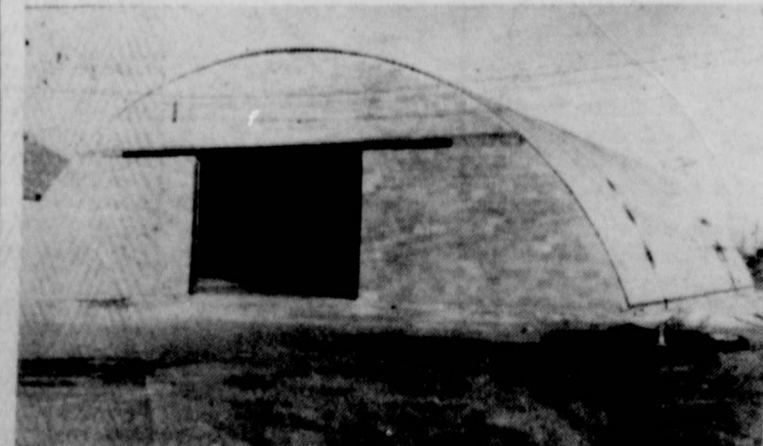
BOLDINGS ENJOY FRIENDS AND FAMILY AT CHRISTMAS

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Bolding enjoyed having their friends and family visiting with them over the Christmas holidays.

Out of town guests included all of their children, Mrs. Zolan C. Melton of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Edelman and children of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Colium of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Bolding Jr., of Midland.

DOLLAR DAY JANUARY 9

The retail trades committee of Floydada Chamber of Commerce this week announced that January Dollar Day in Floydada will be on Monday, Jan. 9.



Adding greatly to local storage capacity for farm chemicals and fertilizers is this steel structure recently added by Morckel Farm Chemical Co., on their East Houston Street site. Approximately 450 tons of sacked chemicals and fertilizers can be accommodated in the building.

Of the Oldest... Bennett Day On Monday... Pioneer of Floyd... West Texas... on Opens... House Held... Huckabay Honored... Mrs. T. F. Anderson... No Accidents Mar... Pioneer Employs... Smith Will Manage... Powell Family Is... Plan Watch Night... BOLDINGS ENJOY... DOLLAR DAY JANUARY 9

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## IEWS AND COMMENT

NOT NEW AT ALL

(Editorial from the Progressive Farmer)

On of the most persistent fallacies that seems to be in the minds of many people is that farm surpluses are something new . . . and that our farm price problem has developed only during the years that we have had a federal farm program.

These people are either too young to remember or too lazy to find out. It should be apparent to anyone that there never would have been a federal farm program in the first place if farmers hadn't been in a desperate situation.

There is nothing political about the farm problem. The Republicans claim that farm prices were already on the way down when they took over in 1953. That is true. But when they say the farm price problem developed while the Democrats were in power, they are conveniently forgetting what happened to farm people during the long years they ran the Government. It was the loss of farms and the failure of rural banks in the twenties that had a vital part in the total collapse of our national economy in the early thirties. The situation for farm people was unfavorable in the twenties and became so desperate in 1933 that there had to be a federal farm program . . . or else.

We had periodic cotton surpluses prior to 1933. Anyone who was farming in 1914, 1920, 1926, or 1932 knows what surpluses did to cotton prices in those years. The only difference between now and then is that now farmers have some protection. They don't lose everything they own when by the grace of God and good farming they make extra-bag crops. They are no longer penalized so heavily for producing abundantly. And that is the way it should be. Abundant production is a good thing for a nation, even though it is sometimes expensive. If you don't think so, take a good look at Russia . . . or even Great Britain, where a good part of what the nation makes on world trade goes out of the country to pay for the food and fiber its people must have.

**No White Christmas.** Floyd County had no white Christmas again in 1955, repeating a long sequence of years with no snow at Christmas time. Cattle and farming interests, of course, would have welcomed a deep snow and rejoiced in it, as would most of us. But to the destitute and desperately poor the balmy weather was a blessing beyond measure. At midnight Christmas Eve Santa Claus was operating in the open air in his shirt sleeves.

**Hybrid Grain Sorghums.** "Today . . . hybrid grain sorghums are a reality. A few thousand acres will be in seed-crossing blocks in 1956. In 1957 there will be enough seed to allow farmers to plant 600,000 to a million acres. After that . . . unlimited planting . . . Sorghum hybrids raise yields 20 to 40 per cent. . . . farmers can increase the annual crop . . . by almost 70 million bushels (\$90 million) and not plant an extra acre. . . . For all practical purposes grain sorghums are just as good as corn in feeding."

**Crop Rotation makes it rougher on the diseases and insects that thrive in the farmer's fields.** Farmers who practice moving their different types of crops around to different parts of the cultivated area say the recurrence of a particular insect or particular type of disease is lessened by this means. Different crops call for different ways of handling the soil, so that the cycle of bugs and bacteria seem to be interrupted or slowed down.

**Charles Bedford saying:** If you want a pretty lawn in the spring you have to water it freely in the winter.

## Hybrid Seeds May Increase Grain Sorghum Profits

(QUEST EDITORIAL)

An event which did not receive the notice that perhaps it should have received was the announcement by the U. S. Department of Agriculture a few weeks ago that a new type of hybrid grain sorghum had been successfully developed.

The development of this new hybrid seed may mean a drastic change in the farming operations of this area. It will increase yields from 20 to 40 per cent and the experts say that in a normal moisture year, yields of 110 to 125 bushels per acre will not be uncommon.

This area has long been a grain sorghum area, and the acreage has grown rapidly in recent years with the development of improved varieties of combine milo. Now the stage is set for more acreage devoted to grain sorghum and reduction in wheat acreage.

The new hybrid seed, which is a dwarf type stock will require less moisture and less soil food than any varieties now being grown. Some enthusiastic observers think grain sorghums may even push wheat out of the number one spot in our agriculture picture.

The agriculture department at Texas Tech has long worked on developing grain sorghums in the same position in this area as corn occupies in the middle west.

Experts have long contended that the best use of agriculture in the Plains area is as a livestock feeding center, using grain sorghums in place of corn. With proper development, this area could supplant the middle west feeder territory as the nation's major supplier of grain fed beef.

With the development of new grain sorghum varieties, we may see that day arrive.

**Texas Cattle Population.** Drouth and acreage controls are charged with the tremendous swing of the cattle population of the state from West Texas to East Texas. Lands no longer profitable to cultivate in the east half of the state also get credit for contributing to the changing scene. The Cattleman for December, takes the farm census of 1954 from which to draw an interesting map, showing by counties where the cattle were in 1900 and where the cattle are now. The 1954 census shows that only eight counties west of a line drawn from Lipscomb in the northeast corner of the panhandle due south to Maverick on the Mexican border had as many as 40,000 cattle. East of that line 80 some odd counties headed by Harris County (Houston) each had 40,000 or more head of cattle. Seven of the eight West Texas counties with more than 40,000 cattle were in the extreme northwest corner of the state. The other was Motley. Every county bordering on the Red River from Wichita east to the Louisiana line had 40,000 cattle or more. Bowie County in the northeast corner of the state had 52,551 head in last year's census. Red River next county west had 52,512. Floyd County, which in 1900 had a cattle population of 52,028 in 1954 had 19,533. Wharton, Zavala, Gonzales, Lavaca, Matagorda, Brazoria, Colorado, Denton, DeWitt, Fort Bend are in the list of counties having cattle population ranging from 66,000 up to 95,000. Harris is listed as the only county in the state with a cattle population above 100,000. Figures for that county are 113,426. Most of these last named counties were all in cotton in 1900 and had only enough land not in cultivation to furnish "stomping grounds" for their work stock.

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Progress is nothing more than the slow process of falling in line with the schemes of minorities.

## Highlights And Sidelights From the State Capitol

(By Vern Sanford, Texas Press Association)

**AUSTIN, Tex.** — Drew Pearson is drawing the wrath of Texans. The tv news commentator's financial advice to "Put your trust in U. S. Trust" led many Texans to invest life savings in the U. S. Trust and Guaranty Co.

So says Gariand Smith, chairman of the Texas Insurance Board, who along with Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd and Judge Charles O. Betts clamped the padlock on the firm's 14 Texas offices.

"I think Drew Pearson was responsible to a great extent . . . Mr. Pearson sitting in Washington, the Capitol at his back, telling people 'You can put your trust in U. S. Trust.' We've talked to these people. They think the U. S. Government was behind it — that it was safe," said Smith.

According to Judge Betts, the firm's operations appear to have been "born in iniquity and sin and fraud, and would seem to have been conducted that way from the beginning."

A Texas legislator warned Pearson more than six months ago that there were questions about his extravagant claims. Pearson flew to Waco and talked to the head of U. S. Trust. He deduced that everything was fine and continued his tv chant "You can put your trust in U. S. Trust."

Now his gesture of hiring a lawyer, to help salvage what is left of the firm's funds, doesn't alter the fact that Texans who took his advice and sank their savings in the firm stand to get back as little as 15c out of every dollar invested. Many of the depositors and policy holders are bitterly criticizing Pearson.

Today, something like 128,000 people are feeling the sting of personal losses because of easy faith. Not all of the criticism is directed at Pearson, but he is getting his share of the blame.

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insurance commission why their licenses should not be revoked.  
All American was shut down after the commission alleged it was insolvent to the tune of \$235,217.  
Ordered to show cause were U. S. Life Insurance Co. and Southern Medical and Hospital Services of Waco, both affiliates of U. S. Trust and Dallas Fire and Casualty Co. of Dallas, and American Atlas Life Insurance Co. of Dallas.  
Show cause order for the four did not necessarily reflect on their solvency the commission said.

**Land Suits Filed**  
Although piling beside the new excitement of far-flung insurance manipulations, the old veterans' land scandal, was back in the news. Attorney General Shepperd filed six new suits, seeking recovery of \$548,824 paid out by the state to block land operators.  
Thirty-six such suits, asking for recoveries of \$3,500,000 are pending in court.

**Big Business Year**  
Except for falling farm prices Texas' economy is riding high at the end of 1955, with a bright outlook for 1956. Experts predict a leveling off after the big push upward from 1954, but foresee no sharp jolts.  
Evidencing the general prosperity in 1955 were: A new high in crude oil production. An all-time high in non-agricultural employment. A billion-dollar year (forecast) for Texas construction. Booming retail sales expected to run 10 per cent ahead of 1954. New car registrations running almost 50 per cent higher than last year. Recovery of the Valley citrus industry from the 1949 and 1951 freezes. Multi-million-dollar contract for a Texas aircraft plant.

In contrast, State Agriculture Commissioner John White warned farmers that the future was "grim." He advised them to keep production costs to a minimum and avoid further debts.  
**Five Honored by Jaycees**  
Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce has selected what it considers the five outstanding Texans of 1955. They are: Dr. William Steuart McBirnie of San Antonio, under whose leadership the Trinity Baptist Church grew in six years from 94 to 2,000 members; William B. (Bill) Bellamy, executive administrator of employe and public relations for the Express Publishing Co. of San Antonio; Bill Allcorn of Brownwood, special prosecutor of veterans land cases for the attorney general's department; Dan Eddy of Dallas, public relations executive for the Salvation Army in Texas; and Jim Lindsey of Texarkana, youngest man ever elected speaker of the Texas House of Representatives.

**SHORT SNORTS: Paralytic polio** this year struck six times more Texas children who were not vaccinated than those vaccinated. Texas highway fatalities for 1955 are expected to run four per cent above 1954. Jan. 16-21 has been designated by Gov. Allan Shivers as Pay Your Poll Tax Week. He has proclaimed Jan. 23-29 as Citrus Week. Twenty-one tracts of land declared forfeited by the Veterans Land Board are to be put up for sale at the earliest practical date. Jack R. Maguire of Austin was named executive secretary of the Texas Ex-Students Association, succeeding John A. McCurdy who resigned several months ago. Two Houston families have contributed \$55,000 to further improve the state's future \$3,000,000 courts building. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clayton gave \$50,000 and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. McAshan Jr. \$5,000.

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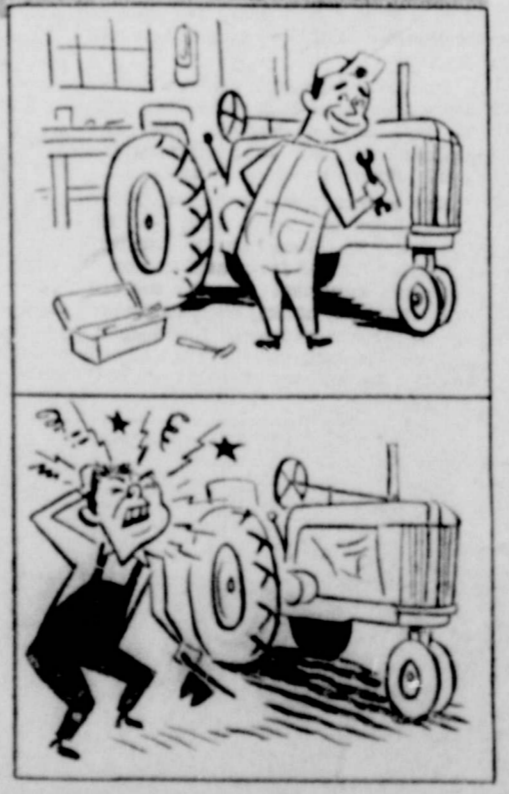
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## Film Will Present Dr. Lee's Sermon Sunday Night

The sermon, "Pay-Day Some Day" at Edgefield, S. C., 37 years ago. It will be presented as the worship service message Sunday night here. Dr. Allen said it is given in color and takes approximately 60 minutes to deliver.

Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Nelson and Alma Ruth and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nelson spent Sunday night with their parents. The R. K. Ooleys were Monday visitors of the Nelsons.

Mrs. Albert Buck and boys and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Cash and boys of Crosbyton, were Saturday night and Sunday visitors of Mrs. Viola Howell and Johnny.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Russell spent Christmas day in Floydada with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Boothe were Sunday night visitors in the Wayne Russell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thurston and children left Friday for Cleburne to spend the holidays. They will visit Mrs. J. R. Thurston and Louise and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hall and family also an aunt who is ill, Mrs. Saul McElroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Hartsell and children spent Christmas day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hartsell. Others present for the day were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hartsell and family of Texline, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Phillips and son of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harrison of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Hartsell were afternoon visitors of Wichita, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bell of Wichita, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Taylor and boys, On Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moss and boys of Memphis were guests in the Taylor home. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Taylor and boys attended a family Christmas dinner on Saturday at Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McClures in Crosbyton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Norris were hosts to a family dinner on Sunday. Present were Mrs. Tilford Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Taylor and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Norvell and boys of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Norvell were overnight guests of the Dennis Taylors Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edwards are the proud grandparents of a baby boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pitt of Abilene. He was born Dec. 22 and weighs 5 1/2 pounds. He has been named Donald Frank. At this writing both baby and mother are reported doing fine. Donald Frank may have to stay in the hospital awhile as he came earlier than expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edwards Sr. had as their guests Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edwards Jr. and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Maxey McKnight and sons of Wellington, Mrs. G. R. May of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. George Reid May of Oklahoma City and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cardinal and son of Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Appling and girls were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Appling of Ft. Blanco Community, Saturday night for a Christmas supper and tree. On Sunday they spent the day in Crosbyton with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wallace and family.

On Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Appling and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Haley shopped in Lubbock.

Christmas Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hambricht and Bob were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hambricht, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hambricht, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Breed, Shirley and Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tooley of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Teague of Clovis, N. M., were afternoon visitors in the Bill Hambricht home.

The Homer Newberrys went to Ft. Worth Wednesday and returned Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Newberry, Mary and Judy spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Mosley of

the Mt. Blanco Community. Others visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hay and boys of Tulsa, Mr. and Mrs. Poe Sherburne and Mike of Purcell Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crawford and Virginia of Crosbyton. Mr. and Mrs. Brints Breed had all their children home for a Christmas supper Saturday night. They were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breed and family, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Breed and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lloyd and boys and Dorothy.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Thornton and children of Lubbock visited with Mr. and Mrs. Brints Breed and Dorothy Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Breed and Dorothy ate Christmas dinner in town with Mrs. Breed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Widener.

We are sorry to hear of Mrs. Thurman Battey's illness. She has been in the hospital but was able to come home today. Her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. I. I. Collier from Lovington, N. M., came today and her mother will stay with Betty for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Battey and Mr. and Mrs. William Bertrand and children spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Orval Newberry and today Mr. and Mrs. Battey had their Christmas dinner. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Battey, Mr. and Mrs. William Bertrand and children, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Newberry and children, Thurman and Rex and I. I. Collier and son Joe of Lovington.

J. D. Ball of Amarillo visited over the weekend with his mother, Mrs. R. H. Peel. Mr. and Mrs. Peel's dinner guests Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ball and family and Mrs. E. F. Grayson of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Brien and family of Priona, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moody and boys of Providence and J. D. Ball.

Mrs. Roy Fawver visited with Mrs. Peel Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fawver had their children home on Christmas day. They were Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Goulighty and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fawver and children and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Fawver and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson were overnight visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fawver Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fawver visited with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edwards Sr. on Wednesday night.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wright Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wright and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Buell Neff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Verlon Wright and family and Mrs. Tilford Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wright and girls spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Smith of Crosbyton. On Christmas night Mr. and Mrs. David Stewart of Cone were supper guests of the Charlie Wrights.

Wayland Jones will be going back to his base at El Paso on Wednesday. On Thursday night, Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Wayland and Imogene visited Mrs. Jones' niece in Plainview, Mrs. Junior McAnally and family. Wayland spent Monday visiting with an aunt, Mrs. John King and Mr. King of Roaring Springs.



Steadily mounting investment in Floydada gin plants is reflected by this recent \$15,000 building program at Farmers Co-Op Gin.

Mrs. Fred Jones and Imogene were Pfc. Wayland Jones, Mr. and Mrs. James Jones and family and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Polasek.

Mr. and Mrs. Orby Wilkes and family of Orange, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wilkes of Lockney were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wilkes on Christmas Day.

Mrs. Thomas says she is feeling much better and wants to thank those who sent her cards, gifts and flowers. We certainly hope Mrs. Thomas continues to improve. She and Mr. Thomas ate Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Holt Bishop.

Mrs. J. A. Boone, of Springlake has spent several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas. On Tuesday Mrs. Thomas' three brothers, Lester, Luther and Fletcher Day of Amarillo visited in the Thomas home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Pegram and baby from Seattle, Wash., flew in last Thursday on a two weeks leave and will visit with Shirley's folks here and Jimmy's relatives at Quail.

The Bob Esteps of Lubbock spent Saturday night with the P. B. Esteps. They visited Christmas day with Jayne's parents at Rogers N. M., and the P. B. Esteps spent Christmas day in Lubbock with the Leroy Denisons. Also visiting in the Denison home was J. F. Jones of Floydada.

Mrs. R. L. Johnson gave a Christmas and birthday dinner for her husband on Saturday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Johnson and family of Saugus, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Thilman Johnson of Edmond, Canada, Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Wheelless and boys of Crosbyton, Charles Johnson of Saugus, and Patsy, Novis and Wesley Johnson.

Christmas Day dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reid and son, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Alston and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Alston and daughter all of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Wheelless of Crosbyton, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson, Charles, Patsy, Novis and Wesley.

We are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson from our community. They are leaving soon for Brown, Mo., where they have purchased a ranch. We hope they have much happiness in their new home.

## Birth of Saviour Is Play-Program Theme at Church

"Behold, I bring unto you good tidings of great joy; for unto you is born this day—a Savior." It was around this Christmas theme that a play-program was presented Wednesday evening, Dec. 21, at the First Christian Church.

Approximately 50 church members and visitors were in attendance for this program.

The primary boys and girls played the parts of the people who came to worship the Christ child in the manger. They came out of the audience in order to add a realistic touch to the scene.

The juniors took part in bringing the scripture and prayers, and the congregation took part in the singing of Christmas carols.

Following the program in the sanctuary the people gathered into Fellowship Hall to observe the traditional Christmas tree with the exchange of gifts. Glenn Jarnagin and John Farris were in charge of the plans for this part of the program.

Old Santa paid his visit to the youngsters at the Christmas tree.

## CHRISTMAS DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Norman were hosts Sunday at Christmas dinner honoring several of their relatives at their home, 516 West Virginia.

Those enjoying the lovely turkey dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Leeman Norman and son, Jack Clark of White Deer, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Appling, Catherine and Joe of Mount Blanco, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Latta and Alice, of this city, Mrs. Robbye Owen and daughter, Delores of Lubbock, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Norman.

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## Sunnysiders Have Christmas Dinner

The Sunnyside Home Demonstration club entertained the members of their families Wednesday of last week with their annual Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Burke, 221 West Kentucky.

Following a lovely turkey dinner, Mrs. W. O. Tye, retiring president, presided at a short business meeting. She read a letter of thanks from the 4-H scholarship girl.

The incoming president, Mrs. W. H. Bethel, gave a short talk on the 1956 club plans.

Mrs. John Hopper led the group in singing Christmas carols and Mrs. W. O. Tye read the beautiful Christmas story.

Gifts were exchanged from a beautiful Christmas tree.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hilton, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hopper, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Latta and Alice, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Denison, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Tye, Mr. and Mrs. Will Snell, Mesdames Ethel Sawyer, W. H. Bethel, Walter Collins, Sam Thurman, W. B. Jones, W. C. Sims, Hershel Hammonds, Charles Probasco, J. M. Daniel, Sam Thurman, Harriette Brummett and daughter, Ardyth and the hosts Mr. and Mrs. Burke.

The next regular meeting of the club will be Jan. 6, at the home of Mrs. W. H. Bethel.

## ONE-TIME RESIDENTS RETURN FOR VISIT TO FLOYDADA

Visiting in Floydada the first of the week were Mrs. Mary Walker of Pampa, Mrs. Ross Cherry of Wichita Falls and Mrs. George Seitz of Blairtown, N. J. They are daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bosley and were residents of Floydada in their girlhood days.

The sisters visited a cousin, Mrs. George West and family and other friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. West, and children of Garland were Christmas holiday visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wester.

Todd and Brent Wester, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wester, returned home with them Tuesday for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Shirey of Azle were Christmas holiday visitors in the homes of their children, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Finley and family and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Widener and family.

## Fire - Windstorm - Auto Insurance

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Miss Myrna Wilson of Lubbock spent the holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson. Myrna is employed by an insurance agency in Lubbock.

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**Corn King**  
Pound 42c  
**Friskies**  
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2 Cans 25c

**BABO**  
GIANT CAN  
2 for 25c

**New ZIP open package**  
PUREEIN BISCUITS  
2 for 19c

**Lipton**  
TEA  
1/2 lb. 69c  
**NAPKINS**  
80 Count  
2 Boxes 25c

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Tissue  
2 Rolls 25c

**Giant Box 69c**

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# COURT HOUSE

## 110th District Court

Grand jury called to meet in session Wednesday, Dec. 28.  
 Petit jury panel ordered summoned for Jan. 5.  
 Cases dismissed: F. E. Spencer vs. S. N. Caruthers and others, settled out of court.

## County Civil Court

Cases filed: Dec. 22, Lighthouse Electric Cooperative vs. J. W. Mathias, suit on sworn account.

## County Criminal Court

Dec. 26: State of Texas vs. Olin Dean Wyatt, DWI, plea of guilty, \$100 fine and costs of court.  
 Dec. 22: State of Texas vs. Leroy Salmon, DWI, plea of guilty, \$50 fine, court costs, and three days in jail.  
 Poll Tax Receipts: At the close of business Tuesday, 1,206 receipts had been issued and 29 exemption certificates.

## WARRANTY DEEDS

Lela M. Massie to Elmer Lee Criswell, all of lots No. 8, 9, and the west 10 feet of lot No. 10 in Block No. 11 of the Western Addition Annex, town of Floydada. \$1.10 federal revenue stamps.  
 Bryan Smith et ux to Annie L. Smith, all of the north 80 feet of lots No. 1 and 2 in Block No. 1, Westweather Addition, town of Lockney. \$18.70 federal revenue stamps.  
 W. M. Goode et ux to J. M. Willson Jr. et ux, all of the west 37 and one-half feet of lot No. 10 and the east one-half of lot No. 11 in Block No. 43, town of Floydada. \$1.10 federal revenue stamps.  
 Pedro Gonzales et ux to Lilia B. Castro, lot No. 14 in Block No. 2 of the George O. Tuttle Addition, town of Lockney. \$35 federal revenue stamps.

## MARRIAGE RECORD

Willie Eugene Thomas and Josephine Elizabeth Farmer, Dec. 22.  
 Billy Ray Hindsley and Margaret Ferguson, Dec. 22.

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## KFLD Schedule

- Monday Thru Friday
- 7:45-SIGN ON
  - 7:45-30-WORLD NEWS
  - 8:00-WEATHER NEWS
  - 8:05-MORNING MELODIES
  - 8:20-SPORTS CAST
  - 8:30-(Mon, Wed, & Fri) MORNING MELODIES CONT. (Thurs, Thurs) WEATHER (Thurs) SUNSHINE CLUB (Friday) BEAUTY HINTS FROM ARWINE
  - 8:50-WORLD NEWS
  - 9:00-LISTEN LADIES
  - 9:15-LISTEN LADIES
  - 9:30-CITY PARK CHURCH
  - 9:45-RALLS REMOTE
  - 10:00-TEXAS NEWS
  - 10:00-WORLD NEWS
  - 11:00-LOCAL NEWS
  - 12:00-SERENADE AT NOON
  - 12:15-WORLD NEWS
  - 12:20-TRADING POST
  - 12:45-TEXAS NEWS
  - 12:50-CO-OP MARKET REPORT
  - 12:55-WORLD COMMENTARY
  - 1:00-ESPERA MUSICAL
  - 2:30-(Mon. thru Thurs) GOSPEL MUSIC TIME
  - 2:45-CORNBRAD MATINEE
  - 2:50-WORLD NEWS
  - 2:55-THURS. P.H.S. PRESENTS
  - 3:05-HITS OLD AND NEW
  - 3:45-(Thurs) TREASURY CHEST
  - 3:45-(Monday) CHRISTOPHERS (Tues) FORWARD MARCH (Wed) COUNTRY STYLE (Thurs) MATADOR PROGRAM
  - 4:00-WORLD NEWS
  - 4:30-WESTERN RECORD SHOP
  - 4:50-90 CLUB
  - 5:20-WORLD NEWS
  - 5:45-SIGN OFF
- (Friday: 2:30 - 4:00 - TOP THIRTY IN POPULAR MUSIC)
- Saturday
- 7:45-SIGN ON
  - 7:45-30-WORLD NEWS
  - 8:00-WEATHER
  - 8:15-SPORTS PARADE
  - 8:20-MORNING MELODIES
  - 8:45-HERE'S TO VETERANS
  - 9:00-THIS WEEK'S TOPS IN POPS
  - 9:45-RALLS REMOTE
  - 10:00-TEXAS NEWS
  - 11:00-WORLD NEWS
  - 11:45-LOCAL NEWS
  - 12:00-SERENADE AT NOON
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  - 12:20-TRADING POST
  - 12:45-TEXAS NEWS
  - 12:50-CO-OP MARKET REPORT
  - 12:55-WORLD NEWS
  - 1:00-ESPERA MUSICAL
  - 1:30-LOCKNEY GAME
  - 2:15-INTERLUDE
  - 3:30-PETERSBURG GAME
  - 5:15-90 CLUB
  - 5:30-WORLD NEWS
  - 5:45-SIGN OFF
- Sunday
- 7:45-SIGN ON
  - 7:45-30-SERENADE FOR SUNDAY
  - 8:00-NAZARENE CHURCH
  - 8:15-WORLD NEWS
  - 8:30-CITY PARK CHURCH
  - 8:45-OLD FASHIONED REVIVAL HOUR
  - 9:45-LOVELY STARS QUARTET
  - 10:00-TEXAS NEWS
  - 10:05-MUSIC FOR SUNDAY
  - 11:00-CHURCH SERVICES
  - 12:00-HYMNS OF ALL CHURCHES
  - 12:15-WORLD NEWS
  - 12:30-WALTZ TIME
  - 1:00-METHODIST MEN'S HOUR
  - 1:30-STAND BY FOR MUSIC
  - 1:45-BETHEL CHAPEL HOUR
  - 2:00-MATADOR ASSEMBLY OF GOD
  - 2:45-HILLBILLY HORDOWN
  - 3:00-REVIVAL TIMES
  - 3:30-ESPERA MUSICAL
  - 4:30-LAS BUENAS NUEVAS
  - 4:45-MUSIC BY NAME BANDS
  - 5:15-UNITED NATIONS
  - 5:30-WORLD NEWS
  - 5:45-SIGN OFF



The 200 Block on West California Street got more new buildings than any other in the business district of Floydada during the year of 1955. The new post office quarters and the office of Southwestern Public Service Company, above, were opened with ceremonies in mid-summer and the Stovall Building across the street later. Investment totals upward of \$75,000 in the two buildings and sites. The Stovall building is occupied by the Stovall law offices, the Floyd County Abstract Company and the R. E. Fry Insurance Agency.

## South Plains News

(By Mrs. Murray Julian)

**SOUTH PLAINS, Dec. 26** — Christmas Day and Monday were like spring, with no wind, and temperatures as warm as those of a southern clime. Families were gathered together at their homes for the Christmas tree, the opening of gifts and the big dinner on Sunday.  
 Church attendance was small Sunday morning, for it was hard to tear young folks from their toys and housewives from the dinner chores.  
 Visitors at church included Mr. and Mrs. Don McClure from Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Willford, from Tracy, Calif.  
 Christmas day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman were P. M. Smitherman, Mac Smitherman, Kelly and Terri Bryn, who enjoyed dinner with their folks that evening the Hex Smithermans and their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jackson, in Floydada.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders and boys went to Floydada on Christmas Day to have dinner and spend the day with Mrs. Sanders' folks, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bartlett, a brother and his wife Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bartlett from Ft. Worth were also there. Sunday night all the Bartlett family and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Colston of Floydada came out here to visit with the Sanders family.  
 James Huckabee arrived home from his army base on Saturday night in time to spend the Christmas holidays here, and with his brother Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Huckabee and children of Floydada.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Higginbotham, Alton and Bud, went to Cedar

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Hill after church on Christmas Day to have dinner and spend the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gilley, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Smitherman and Marc and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smitherman and Larry, went to Silverton on Christmas Day to have dinner and visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bean in their new home. The Beans are the parents of Mrs. Philip Smitherman.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Donald McClure of Houston arrived here on Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure.  
 A surprise party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor on Friday night honored Miss Louise Pritchett on her sixteenth birthday with hostsess Virginia Taylor, Games and other diversions filled the evening. Refreshments of punch, cookies, nuts and candies were served to the honoree, Louise Pritchett, Donita Milton, Alton Higginbotham, Eugene Beedy, Kendis Julian and Virginia Taylor.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beedy and children of Stinnett visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper during the Christmas holidays. The Bill Beedys, the Charles Beedys and the Bradford Beedys, with all the Wilson family had their big Christmas dinner in Floydada on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.  
 On Thursday evening, Dec. 22 a group of the intermediate boys and girls, went caroling to some of the homes in our vicinity. Mrs. Bill Beedy and Mrs. Shelby Calahan were sponsors. After the crowd of intermediates finished their singing tour, they gathered at the parsonage for sandwiches and hot chocolate served by Mrs. Beedy and Mrs. Calahan.  
 Rev. and Mrs. Larry Faus, Vassie Beth and Bobby Faus went to Lamesa on Friday to spend that day and Saturday with her parents, enjoying a pre-Christmas dinner on Saturday evening with her folks Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fincher and son in Lamesa.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy and Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beedy and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Beedy and son, all went to Cedar Hill on Saturday, Christmas eve, to enjoy the annual Christmas tree and opening of gifts at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mize where all the Wilson family gathered. Refreshments were served to all those present.  
 Buddy Sanders, stationed at Fort Bliss in El Paso, came home on

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Saturday evening to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sanders and sister, Eulalia.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bean Diane and Carla, were guests on Christmas Day at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Key West, where Mrs. West served a buffet style dinner to all the members of her family, the Dorseys who came from as far as Lubbock.  
 Glen Wood, from Camp Pendleton, Calif., Marine base, was home from Saturday night throughout the holidays with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wood and Jannell, Bobby Jackson came home from California with Glen.  
 WMU of the Baptist Church here met at the church on Dec. 9 for bible reading, taken from chapter three, "Personal Revival" from the book, "Favorite Bible Passages" which the WMU is studying. During the past week the WMU group packed and sent a box of clothing to the Buckner Orphans Home in Dallas.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Beedy and Bradley Scott from Lubbock spent Friday night until Sunday with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy. Then they went to Stratford to spend a few days with her folks, the Smiths in Stratford.  
 Rev. and Mrs. Larry Faus and children left Sunday evening for Houston, where they will visit this week with Rev. Faus' grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Slaton. They plan to be home on Thursday evening.  
 Don Marble, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marble, has arrived home from Greenland where he has been stationed the past year, over the weekend. He is discharged from his army duties. He and James Huckabee are both out of the army now.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and Barbara Sue left on Sunday night for Chickasha, Okla., to attend the funeral of Otis McWhorter, of Oklahoma City, who took ill on Thursday and passed away on Christmas eve. He was 45 years of age. The Miltons spent the first night on the way in Hollis and returned on Monday night to their home. Donnie Young stayed the

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## Floyd County Hesperian, Floydada, Texas, Thursday, December 29, 1955

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Karr, Elton and Yvonne, went to Ft. Worth to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Karr at their Ft. Worth home.

The home of the R. E. Young in Lockney was the scene of a big Christmas gathering on Sunday. Those present with their parents for the dinner and Christmas tree were Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Branham, and boys of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Derral Young, Mr. and Mrs. Don Shurbet of here; and Donnie and Peggy Young. On Monday Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Whitaker and children from Amarillo, visited with the Youngs in Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Early Pritchett and children moved last Tuesday into their new home on the highway near the P. M. Smitherman home only across the road west.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smitherman Kelly and Terri Bryn, celebrated Christmas eve in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jackson, son of Floydada, where supper was served to Rex and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Amburn, Bobby Jackson, from Camp Pendleton, in California, who arrived home on Dec. 23 and Lynn Jackson.

On Friday Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans of Amarillo, with their children, came to spend Christmas with their folks, the George Weasts and stayed until Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Lee Smith and children of Sterley, spent Saturday and Sunday with the Weasts, all enjoying Christmas together. Mrs. Weast's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis of Hereford, came to spend Sunday and Monday here also. On Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman visited with the Weasts and their guests in the West home. Other Christmas day guests visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Weast were Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rampley, and Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davis, of Silverton. Christmas eve callers from Lubbock were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sanford.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Reeves and daughter Carol of Lubbock who had the Christmas week end at home and son, Jack, from Roswell, N. M., also home for the week, all went to Turkey on Christmas Day to have dinner and visit all day with Sim's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Cole Boswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry were hosts at their home on Christmas day to 25 of her people who spent the day and enjoyed a buffet dinner and supper in the Fortenberry home. Those present, from Amarillo were Mr. and Mrs. Clifton McCain, Mr. and Mrs. John McCain and children. From Tulia those who spent the day were Mrs. N. C. McCain and children, Mr. and Mrs. Larence McCain and children Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McCain and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hutson and children.

Monday morning visitors in the home of the George Weasts were Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McClure from Houston. Monday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams from Silverton were also visitors in the West home. Monday night guests were Mrs. Weast's cousins, Mrs. Ross Cherry, from Wichita Falls, Mrs. Mary Walker Pappas, and Mrs. Vivian Selts, from Blairtown, N. J., who stayed the night in the West home.

Kelly Rex, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smitherman, celebrated his fifth birthday in the home of his parents on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 15. The small children played with toys, and enjoyed small games outside. Balloons were given as favors and refreshments of cup cakes and ice cream were served by the hostess. The cakes were decorated by Kelly's grandmother, Mrs. J. B. Smitherman, and were in the circus motif, with animals on each, and the names of the guests on each cake. Present were Mrs. Sterling Cummings, Kim, Dee, Earle, and Paula Denise; Mrs. Thos. Pierce Stanley and Steve; Mrs. Jo Ann Beckley, Debby and Ken; Carlton Johnson; Pam, Mike and Ken Thompson; Vicki, Diane and Cathy Calahan, and the honoree, Kelly Smitherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvia Kinnibrugh and girls spent their Christmas holidays in Vera and Truscott, cele-

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kinnibrugh and Mrs. J. R. Spivey Happy New Year to everyone.

Jack Badgett, senior student at Texas Tech, spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Badgett. He also visited in the homes of his brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Badgett and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Badgett.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Willis, Patricia Ann and Bobby Clay, of Amarillo brought a turkey dinner to the home of his mother, Mrs. Bob Willis Sunday and enjoyed the day with her here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Henningsen and sons B. F. and Curt were week-end holiday guests of Mrs. Henningsen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Flynn Thagard. The family live at Austin where Mr. Henningsen is in school at the University of Texas.

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### CLEARANCE!

EXTRA STOCK  
LADIES FLANNEL  
Gowns and  
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SIZES 32 - 48!  
SOME CHALLIS  
INCLUDED

### CLEARANCE!

Entire Stock Ladies  
FALL DRESSES

Values to 6.95      Values to 8.95

4 ☆      6 ☆

Values to 12.95      Values to 17.95

8 ☆      10 ☆

### CLEARANCE!

Entire Stock Ladies  
FULL LENGTH COATS

Values to 19 ☆

29.95      25 ☆

39.95      35 ☆

49.95

### CLEARANCE!

CLOSE OUT GROUP  
Ladies Nylon  
HOSE

Several colors to choose  
from. Regular to 98c.

77c

Some Light Shades  
Sizes 8 1/2 to 11

### CLEARANCE!

Entire Stock Childrens  
WARM WINTER COATS

Values to 8.95      Values to 12.95

6 ☆      8 ☆

Values to 14.95      Values to 19.95

10 ☆      12 ☆

### CLEARANCE!

ENTIRE STOCK  
LADIES & CHILDRENS  
SWEATERS

REGUAR 3 ☆  
3.98

REGUAR 4 ☆  
to 5.95

REGUAR 5 ☆  
to 8.95

Wools, Orlons, Dacrons

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One large table  
Mens fine  
Sport  
SHIRTS

Values to 3.95  
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Some in 50% wools. All  
at a real bargain.

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Boys Dress and Sport Shirts  
SELECTED GROUP

VALUES 1.00  
To 1.49

VALUES 1.44  
To 1.98

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### CLEARANCE!

CHILDRENS  
Cotton Flannel  
NIGHTWEAR

GOWNS & PAJAMAS

Regular 1<sup>99</sup>  
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Regular 1<sup>44</sup>  
1.98

Regular 1<sup>00</sup>  
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### CLEARANCE!

LOOK! SAVE PLENTY!  
MENS DRESS SLACKS

Rayon, Dacron      All Wool  
Values to 7.95      Values to 9.90

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### CLEARANCE!

LADIES QUILTED  
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Values to 8.00

\$4 & \$5

Broken Sizes,  
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### CLEARANCE!

LOOK! FALL FABRICS  
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Rayons, Cottons, Fâilles,  
Gabardines, Prints  
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Business only recently, the Weems and Weems is located on East Houston Street. A is planned for the near future.

### Stors ve On Campus

James David Welborn, home on furlough and Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Arney and son Steve ate Christmas dinner Sunday with their parents the J. D. Welborns.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ross spent the week end in Roswell with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Craig and son. They came back by Baileyboro where they spent Sunday night with another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ragsdale. They reached home Monday.

The Greens had part of their children home for the church Christmas tree, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Green and baby Margaret Caroline of Boulder, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. Doc Ryman and baby Sara of Sweeny, Don Clark Green arrived home from Big Spring Saturday morning.

The Center Young People went caroling Friday night after the Christmas tree.

The Clyde Greens left Saturday afternoon for Ft. Worth and Dallas to spend part of the holidays with Mrs. Greens relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Green and Jimmy of Plainview spent Monday with his parents, the J. E. Greens Don Clark and the Ryman.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Latta and Mrs. Mrs. Anthony Latta and sons of Mt. Blanco visited in the J. E. Green home Friday evening after the Christmas tree. Clyde Green and family and the Doc Ryman called at the Walter Sims home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sims and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Horton and boys visited Saturday afternoon in Slaton with Mrs. Sims' sister, Mrs. P. T. Gentry and Mr. Gentry. The Gentrys and Hortons ate Christmas dinner with the Sims.

W. L. Hartline had a very painful accident last Thursday afternoon. He was badly burned when a can of gasoline exploded near where he was working on his car. He was rushed to Peoples Hospital and given first aid. He was dismissed Saturday. He is convalescing at home.

Dub Hartline and Donna Smith of Lubbock visited his parents, the W. L. Hartlines Saturday evening. June Hartline of Plainview visited them Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Horton Bruce and Phil visited Monday in Lubbock with Mr. Horton's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Vernon and children.

Visitors in the Friswell home during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cone of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Clifford Carpenter and sons of Ralls.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Burke and son Lawrence were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. Burke's sister, Mrs. H. B. Mankins and Mr. Mankins. On Monday the Mankins dined with the Burkes.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ross dined Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Mankins. Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Burke and family of Wichita Falls visited a while Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Mankins.

Mr. and Mrs. Mankins visited Friday evening after the Christmas tree with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dunn and baby Debbie.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Vinson are spending Christmas in the valley, near Harlingen with their children there.

The T. R. Nolands visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. Noland's sister, Mrs. Paul Williams and family in Plainview and with another sister Mrs. Oscar Warren and family of Floydada after church Sunday night.

Mrs. Burl Huckabee, Mrs. Ola Warren, and Mrs. Eula Huckabee visited in the T. R. Noland home Monday afternoon.

Johnny Lynn Warren ate Christmas dinner with the Rev. Tom Westson family.

Nancy Smith was a visitor in our Sunday night service.

The Greens and Ryman are taking off for Phillips today to visit relatives for a day.

The James H. Barnards have been taking the Christmas holidays in Wichita Falls and Dallas with relatives and friends.

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## Ability to Pay Is New Factor For FHA Loans

Revised loan regulations sent to county offices of the Farmers Home Administration this week emphasize that the ability of farmers and ranchers to repay the loans they receive is the major factor to consider in determining the soundness of a loan according to Walter T. McKay, the agency's State Director.

The loan policies of the Great Plains credit program - which began last August, were reviewed last week by agency officials at meetings in Denver and Amarillo. Special loans made in 145 counties in six Great Plains states enable farmers and ranchers to pay the cost of developing and carrying on the type of farming that provides for proper use of the land in the area; in addition credit is available for annual operating needs.

Soil resources, past production record of the farm, the applicant's ability and experience, farm plans and similar factors are used to determine the repayment ability of the applicant. A land capability map will be prepared by the Soil Conservation Service for the farm or ranch to be operated with the proceeds of the loan.

Each loan applicant is expected to carry out farming practices that will make proper use of his land and to take part in all programs designed to develop a sound agricultural economy. However, whether or not a loan is made depends upon whether it finances the type of farming that will enable the borrower to repay the funds advanced.

When needed adjustment in farming practices are to be made a detailed farm and home plan will be prepared and management guidance will be provided by the county supervisors of the Farmers Home Administration to the extent needed. When credit is required only to finance annual operating expenses only a minimum of planning is required and farm management guidance will not accompany the loan.

The credit provided by the Farmers Home Administration will be used only to supplement credit available from private and cooperative lenders.

Loans are made for the purchase of livestock, farm equipment, seed, fertilizer, feed, insecticides, farm supplies, and other farm and home operating needs. Loans are also made to finance soil conservation measures, development of domestic and irrigation water systems, repair of existing farm buildings, and when necessary, the purchase of additional land needed to provide an economic unit. In cases where it is necessary, to enable the farmer or rancher to continue his operations loans may include funds to refinance certain chattel indebtedness.

A loan may be made to a farm owner or farm operator if the

applicant (1) is an established operator and is primarily engaged in farming or livestock operations; (2) is unable to obtain the necessary credit elsewhere; (3) will have reasonable prospects of success with the assistance of the loan; and (4) will own or have available under satisfactory tenure arrangements a farm suitable for carrying on successful farming operations.

57 Texas counties included in the Great Plains credit program are: Andrews, Armstrong, Bailey, Borden, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Cochran, Collinsworth, Cotton, Crosby, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Dickens, Donley, Fisher, Floyd, Gaines, Garza, Gray, Hale, Hall, Hansford, Hardeman, Hartley, Hemphill, Hockley, Howard, Hutchinson, Kent, King, Lamb, Lipscomb, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Mitchell, Moore, Motley, Nolan, Ochiltree, Oldham, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Runnels, Scurry, Sherman, Stone, Swisher, Taylor, Terry, Wheeler and Yoakum.

Applications for loans are made at the county office of the Farmers Home Administration in Floydada. The local county Farmers Home Administration Committee determines the eligibility of applicants for these loans.

## Hostesses Entertain At Christmas Coffee

The lovely home of Mrs. Bob Copeland on West Olive Street was the scene last Thursday morning of a Christmas coffee between the hours of 9:30 and 11:30 o'clock.

Sixty-five guests were greeted by Mrs. Copeland and shown to the serving table.

From a table laid with a pink net cloth, coffee, sandwiches, mints and nuts were served. Mrs. Edward Wester presided at the silver service.

To complete the table decoration a lovely silver arrangement was used in the center of the table.

Co-hostesses with Mrs. Copeland were Mrs. Gene Collins Jr., Mrs. Brac Biggers, and Mrs. Edward Wester.

## CHRISTMAS DAY FAMILY GATHERING IN McLAIN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McLain had all their children and grandchildren with them Christmas Day.

Those present were Mrs. Roy N. Tyler, Betty Jean and Johnny of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton McLain, Michael, Timmie, Tommie and Stephen of Memphis, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wallace, LaDonna and Roxanne of Reseda, Calif., Mrs. Ovelene Huguley, Pat and Penny of Van Nuys, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. John E. Brown, Vickie and Lo Deane of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis McLain, Marilyn and Alison of Sand Hill.

Other visitors were Mr. McLain's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams of Dimmitt and E. L. Cornelius of this city.

Mrs. E. S. Randerson spent Christmas at Hereford where she was guest of her daughter Folio and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brock.



The addition of a Sinclair wholesale agency in Floydada during 1955 led Foote Butane to build this 20 x 30 feet storage unit. Two gasoline storage tanks, not shown, were also added.

## New Road Cuts Silverton Route North 48 Miles

SILVERTON - A bid was let last week for construction work totaling \$76,268 for roads in Briscoe County. This will be for the construction of Farm Road 272, 6.6 miles, grading structures and paving and will extend from paving on Farm Road 146, north to Armstrong County line. T. F. Jones Construction of Lubbock was low bidder. Construction is expected to start in January.

Contract paving from the Canyons north to the present paving to Claude will be let sometime next month, leaving only the section through the canyons for a paved route through to Claude. This new route will cut the distance from Claude to Silverton from 98 miles to 50 miles.

The Palo Duro Canyon which has been a barrier between Briscoe and Armstrong Counties will be spanned in the near future.

## LOUIS LLOYDS OF FAIRBANKS ARE PARENTS OF A NEW SON

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lloyd of Fairbanks, Alaska, are the proud parents of a son born Monday at 7:00 p. m. in a Fairbanks Hospital. The young man weighed six pounds and 10 ounces. He has been named Stephen Eugene.

Stephen Eugene has an older brother named Andrew Vance.

Mr. Lloyd is serving in the United States Army and has been in Alaska since August.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lloyd, and Mrs. Juanita Thompson of Lockney is a maternal great aunt of the young man.

Mrs. Doyle Mount and daughter Darlene are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vanoy at Belcherfield this week. The Mounts made the trip down on Monday and plan to return home Saturday.

## News of Harmony

(By Mrs. Mather Carr)

HARMONY, Dec. 26 - Captain and Mrs. James Vernon Edwards and children of San Antonio came Monday and spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards. They returned to their home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith and children left Tuesday for Florida to spend the holidays with their son Joe and family.

Mrs. Vernon Edwards and children, Jimmy, Dinah, Melody and Pam of San Antonio and Mrs. Bill Edwards were guests Wednesday in the Mather Carr home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Snodgrass were released from the Methodist Hospital Friday where they had been for more than two weeks. They returned to the home of their daughter, Mrs. Everett Miller. Supper guests in the Miller home Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reid of Canyon.

The Christmas program and tree at the chapel Saturday night were pretty well attended. Guests at the program were Mrs. Bill Edwards and grandchildren and Mrs. Raymond Williams and Carolyn of Floydada. Mrs. Reuben Rutherford of Plainview, Wright Scott, Rev. and Mrs. Horace Krebs and family, Floydada, and Miss Reda Mae Gary of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Loyce Turner and son were Christmas dinner guests in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. L. G. Pierce and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chelona Williams and daughter Sue were Christmas dinner guests of Chelona's parents Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Williams of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Carr and Charles Mather and Bill were dinner guests of Mrs. Carr's parents Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bailey of Dumont.

Those having Christmas breakfast in the Floyd Trowbridge home were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Vance of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vance of Roswell, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Trowbridge of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and son, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Mrs. Iva Elmore Payne, all of Lubbock, W. C. Clubb of Petersburg, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Smith and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Trowbridge. These folks all had Christmas dinner in the Charles B. Smith home with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clubb and sons of Lubbock added to the dinner guests.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Ramsey and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Tipton were dinner guests Christmas day in the Sherwood Ramsey home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Ramsey and Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Ramsey and children had dinner in the Bill Finkner home near Petersburg. This was a family dinner for the Ramsey family.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Bradford and sons of Oakland, Calif., and Miss Mary Hendricks of Floydada were guests in the Mather Carr home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Sawyer, Stanley and Gerry spent the holidays visiting relatives in Big Spring and Wingate. They spent Christmas eve and ate Christmas dinner with Mrs. Sawyer's mother, Mrs. J. M. Stanley and brothers at Big Spring. After dinner, they went to Wingate south of Abilene, to visit Mr. Sawyer's mother, Mrs. L. B. Sawyer, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Guy. Gerry stayed at Big Spring with his cousin for a week. The rest of the family returned home Monday. Mr. Sawyer's mother came home with them for a visit.

## SONS AND FAMILIES ARE GUESTS IN HINSON HOME

Visitors in the E. E. Hinson home during the Christmas holidays were their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hinson Jr., and daughter Jan, of Coshocton, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Hinson and children, Stan and Kim, of Dallas.

Two of Mrs. Hinson's sisters were also guests. They were Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Whigham and son, Sammy, of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Buel Hall and son, James of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hale of the Harmony Community were hosts Sunday to a family Christmas dinner. Present were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Snell and family of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Snell and family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Will Snell of this city and the hosts Mr. and Mrs. Hale and their family.

Mrs. Casey Adams, of Friona, recently visited her mother, Mrs. Julia Holladay. During her visit here Mrs. Adams and Glendon Dale Baker Mrs. Holladay's grandson, took Mrs. Holladay to Dallas for a physical check-up, returning home after a two-day stay.

## A. T. Edwards Succumbed On Christmas Day

Funeral service for Arthur Thomas Edwards, 73, was conducted Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the First Baptist Church with Rev. Laverne Merriott, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church of this city and Rev. J. T. Bibeary of Plainview, officiating. Burial was in Floydada cemetery under the direction of Harmon Funeral Home.

Mr. Edwards passed at 11:50 p. m. Sunday (Christmas Day) at his home. He had been in ill health for one and one-half years.

He was born in South Carolina March 1, 1882, and moved to Texas at the age of nine. He came to the plains with his family in 1900. He was married to Miss Climmie C. Garrison, June 14, 1908, in Floydada.

Edwards was a retired farmer and trucker, a member of the Calvary Baptist Church and was a member of the Odd Fellows Lodge. Survivors include his wife; two sons, W. Roy and H. E. Edwards of Floydada; five daughters, Mrs. W. A. Keeter, Seminole, Mrs. M. D. Rape, Floydada, Mrs. K. L. Giddens, Dove Creek, Colo., Mrs. W. L. Carver and Mrs. K. O. Glover both of Floydada; three brothers, Henry, Floydada, Bruce, Albuquerque, N. M., Alfred, Amarillo; one sister, Mrs. Herman Heath, Lubbock; 26 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were J. M. Daniels, W. M. Spears, F. J. Reeves, J. A. Patterson, L. W. Queen, H. L. Reeves, E. H. Sandusky and Foster Am-burn.

## FAMILIES ENJOY HOLIDAYS AT SERIES OF DINNERS

Visitors Christmas day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Poole were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Moore and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Decker and Walter Bell all of Burleson. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Norrell and Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Norrell and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Poole and Lance.

The above were guests at a Christmas eve dinner Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Norrell. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Turner and family of San Leandro, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Turner of Floydada.

On Monday, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Decker and Walter Bell of Burleson Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Norrell and Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Norrell and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Poole and son, Lance, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Poole were all dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Norrell.

## GROUP SPENDS CHRISTMAS WITH DALLAS RELATIVES

Jeff Welborn and daughter, Ann, accompanied by Mrs. H. O. Pope spent the Christmas holidays in Dallas.

The Welborns were guests of Misses Nora and Bess Bentley and Jeff Bentley.

Mrs. Pope visited her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Pope.

The group returned home Monday.

## BLOUNT FAMILY GATHERS AT HOME HERE CHRISTMAS

All the children of Mrs. A. B. Blount Sr., were at home with her on Christmas Day.

Also guests for the day were the grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. George Newman of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blount of Tulsa, Miss Opal and A. B. Blount Jr., of Floydada, her sons and daughters;

A grandson and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Blount and sons, and a grand daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Wright and children, Carolyn and Barbara of Stratford.

## HOME FROM SAN ANTONIO

Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Burgett visited during the Christmas holidays with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown in Lamesa, and in San Antonio with Mr. and Mrs. Ken Burgett.

While in San Antonio they visited several noted places including the Alamo.

The Burgetts returned to Floydada Tuesday.

## PEOPLES HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients in good condition at Peoples Hospital are Johnny Salinas Mrs. T. G. Byars, N. A. Armstrong, T. M. Noland, Ventura Santos, H. A. Krause, Mrs. W. T. Branson Mrs. W. C. Duncan and son, and Mrs. R. L. Alldredge.

Visitors in the Carl Minor Jr. home during the Christmas holidays were Mrs. Minor's mother, Mrs. T. J. Way, of Muskogee, Okla., her brother, Tom Way of Denton, and her sister, Miss Jean Way of Birmingham, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ross spent Saturday in Baileyboro, Tex., and Sunday at Roswell, N. M., guests of daughters who live at those places. They returned home Monday. At Baileyboro lives their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ragsdale, who are in the gin business. At Roswell is their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Craig in the upholstery business.

## Mrs. E. M. Walling Rites Are Held

LOCKNEY - Mrs. E. M. Walling of Amherst passed away Dec. 16 in South Plains Hospital at Amherst at the age of 76. Burial was made in Lockney Cemetery following funeral services at the Amherst Church of Christ Sunday at 1:00 p. m.

Mrs. Walling and her family were Lockney pioneers moving away about 1926.

Survivors include two daughters Mrs. E. E. Gee of Amherst, and Mrs. Frank Fischer of San Antonio; two grandsons, Billy Gene Gee of Ft. Carson, Colo., and Jerry Gee of Amherst; one sister, Mrs. Z. T. Riley of Pampa and one brother, Monroe Waites of McGregor.

Out-of-town people attending here for burial included Mrs. G. H. Brewster, Mrs. Arnold Torres, Mrs. Al Gallo, Jim Brewster and Bill Brewster, Van Horn; Mr. and Mrs. C. D. May of Carrizo, N. M.; E. D. Floyd, Plainview; Mrs. Daisy Goe of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald, Plainview and a large number from Amherst.

Payne Funeral Home of Amherst had charge of arrangements.

## CARD OF THANKS

I want to say "thank you" to all of my friends who did so much for me during my stay in the Plainview Hospital and the Peoples Hospital. For the cards and flowers I am deeply grateful.

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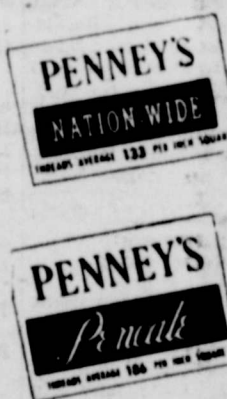
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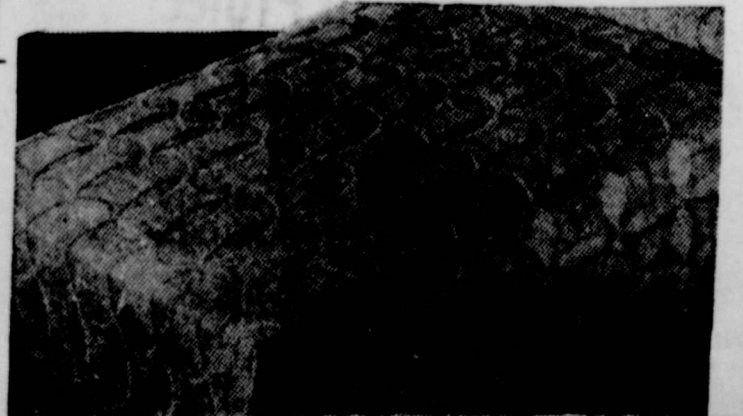
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## Home Lighting Winners Named By Lions Club

Entries in the Lions Club Christmas lighting contest were judged Wednesday night before Christmas and winners named. Fred Zimmerman Jr., residence received first place with a Rudolph the Rednosed Reindeer which had a blinking red nose and also porch lights in the form of a boot and a Santa on the chimney.

Lloyd Allen received second place with a nativity scene and Lewis Norman third with a decorated door, Christmas star, and tree in a well balanced arrangement. Honorable mention went to the Flynn Thagarda.

The contest was sponsored by the Floydada Lions Club with all residents of the city eligible to enter. Judges were Mrs. Bill Norman, Mrs. Tate Jones and Mrs. Fred Cardinal all of Dougherty.

John Kimble headed the Lions committee for Christmas activities and was assisted by Dale Goen and Rush Wheeler.

The committee and judges complimented the entries and expressed appreciation to all who took part in the holiday decorating contest. Named for commendation by the group were the above named winners and also the homes of Floyd Webb, Dave Willis, J. L. Hrabal, Jim Potts, John Kimble, B. A. Robertson, Rush Wheeler, John R. Tinnin, Edd Muncy, Buck Hickerson, Alma Holmes and Leroy Burns.

Prizes awarded were \$10 for first place, \$7.50 for second, \$5 third place.

### Fairview News

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Mrs. G. M. Bullard and J. C. spent the holidays at Clovis, and Portales. N. M. They visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Kate Crabtree at Clovis and at Portales with their son and brother and family. Mr. and Mrs. Preston Bullard and family, J. C. returned home but Mrs. Bul-

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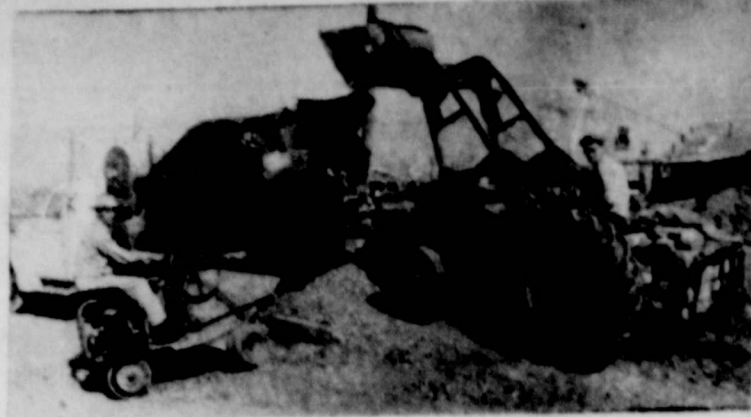
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Galen Holland of Matador visited while Friday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell.

Last Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Baxter, Mrs. W. W. Baxter and Roy left for California where they are spending the Christmas holidays at Sunnysvale with their son, brother and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Baxter. In a telephone call the other night to W. W. Baxter from his wife they stated they arrived safe but found California very wet. While there the Baxters will also visit in Los Angeles. On the return trip they will visit relatives at Phoenix, Ariz.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozy and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Perry and Jan went to Plainview to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Reeves Christmas eve where they had supper and exchanged gifts from the Christmas tree. On Sunday they all met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry for their Christmas dinner. The Reeves two sons, Duane and Randell remained here to spend the week at the Perry and Cozy homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rushing had all three of their children home for the holidays. They were Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Bridges and children of Houston who came Friday and will remain until Wednesday. Dorothy Rushing who also came Friday but left Monday for her home in Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rushing and family of Lubbock who arrived Saturday morning and returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walls, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Walls and son Larry Dean and Norma Kemppland who was here from Las Vegas, Nev., went to Floydada Friday night to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Walls where they had their family Christmas tree.

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TO OUR MANY FRIENDS



BEST WISHES

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Ashley has two older brothers Todd and Brent.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Powell of the Dougherty Community and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wester of this city.

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Swift Premium, lb. <b>BACON</b> . . . 43c	Fresh Sliced, lb. <b>Pork Steak</b> . . . 49c	Fresh Frosted Pork, lb. <b>SPARE RIBS</b> . . . 39c
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Libby's Frozen, 10 oz. Pkg. <b>CUT CORN</b> . . . 19c	Libby's, Frozen, 10 oz. Pkg. <b>Whole Okra</b> . . . 25c	Sun Maid, 15 oz. Pkg. <b>RAISINS</b> . . . . . 23c
Libby's, 10 oz. Pkg. <b>Cut Green Beans</b> 23	Libby's, Frozen, 10 oz. Pkg. <b>SPINACH</b> . . . . . 18c	Gerber's, Can <b>BABY FOOD</b> . . . . . 9c
6 oz. Can, 2 Cans Libby's Frozen		Tuxedo, Can <b>TUNA</b> . . . . . 19c
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<b>Chicken Pie</b> Libby's Frozen 8 oz. Pkg., 2 Pkgs. 45c		White House, 303 Can <b>APPLE SAUCE</b> 17c
Post, 9 1/2 oz. Box <b>RAISIN BRAN</b> 21c	Happy Vale, 303 Can <b>SWEET PEAS</b> . . . 15c	Franco American, Can <b>SPAGHETTI</b> . . . 15c
Campfire, 300 Can <b>Blackeye Peas</b> 10c	Morton House, 7 1/2 oz. Can <b>CHICKEN PIE</b> . . . 29c	Bama, Qt. <b>Peanut Butter</b> 75c
Libby's, 303 Can <b>SPINACH</b> . . . . . 15c	Pop Rite, 10 oz Can <b>POP CORN</b> . . . . . 17c	Petty Extract, 2 lb. Jar <b>HONEY</b> . . . . . 53c
		Libby's 303, Can <b>KRAUT</b> . . . . . 17c

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**GRAPES** . . . . . 12 1/2c

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 Snow White, Pound  
**CAULIFLOWER** 12 1/2c

**Kleenex** 400 Count Box 2  
 Arrow, 1 oz. Can  
**BLACK PEPPER** 12 1/2c

**DOG FOOD** 16c  
 Pioneer, 2 lb. Box  
**BISCUIT MIX** . . . 47c

**TOILET SOAP**  
 Ol-Fashion, Pint  
**PICKLES** . . . . . 27c

**WAX PAPER** 21c  
 Libby's, 8 1/4 oz. Jar  
**Sweet Relish** . . . 19c

**Paper Towels** 33c  
 Log Cabin, 12 oz. Bottle  
**SYRUP** . . . . . 31c

**STARLAC** . . . . . 38c  
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**SKINNERS** . . . . . 26c  
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**CHOC SYRUP** 23c  
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**CRACKERS** HI-HO Large Box 35c  
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 Morton House, 16 oz. Can  
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 Armours, 8 oz. Jar  
**FRANKS** . . . . . 47c

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 Lotus, No. 2 Can  
**Sliced Apples** 23c

**CRACKERS** Large Box 35c  
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**PIMIENTOS** . . . 15c

**Baby Magic Dental Cream**  
 Mennens 59c Size 39c  
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**NEW POTATOES** 11c  
 Hunt's, 300 Can  
**TOMATOES** . . . 13c  
 Deer, 303 Can

**CREAM CORN** 14c  
 Rose Dale 303 Can Can  
**PRUNE JUICE** . . . 37c  
 Del Monte, Qt.

**CRACKERS** Large Box 35c  
 Swift, 10 oz. Can  
**Pork Sausage** 49c  
 Libby's, Can

**CRACKERS** Large Box 35c  
 French, 9 oz. Jar  
**MUSTARD** . . . 16c  
 Libby's, 24 oz. Can

**CRACKERS** Large Box 35c  
 Heinz, White, Pint  
**VINEGAR** . . . . . 17c  
 Libby's, 24 oz. Can

**CRACKERS** Large Box 35c  
 Val Vita 2 1/2 Can  
**PEACHES** . . . . . 29c  
 Hunt's, 300 Can

**CRACKERS** Large Box 35c  
 White House, Quart  
**Apple Juice** . . . 27c  
 White House, 2 lb. Jar

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### Abbott Offers Training Class For Farm Vets

A course is being taught on Institutional On-Farm Training for veterans that are farming. The course is a combination of classroom instruction and actual experience on the farm.

A veteran desiring to enroll in this course should be farming under a written lease contract or ownership of the farm, or be able to obtain a lease contract covering the time of training allowed him. The farm must be of such size and character that, with his school work it will require the veteran's full time, permit instruction in all necessary aspects of farm operation.



This new building of Latta Implement Company on East Missouri Street, is being enjoyed by the agency and its customers. The new location was occupied about June 1.

There is room in the present class for more trainees. Under the present law, veterans have only two years after discharge in which to begin their training. And it is wise to begin their training as soon as possible after a decision is reached as to type or kind of training desired.

Visitors during the Christmas holidays in the A. W. Chowning home were Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Beane and daughter, Kathy, of Tonasket Wash. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Chowning, Delores and Douglas, of Quannah, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Aten of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Otha Noyes and daughter, Kay Nell, of Enid, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Noyes of Verdona and Pete Maxwell of Floydada.

the time they are in training, the amount depending upon the number of dependents. And a veteran may enroll for the length of time he has up to three years.

Brooks and George Chapman are spending the holidays with their parents, Judge and Mrs. Alton B. Chapman. Brooks is a student at Baylor University and George is a student at the University of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. (Buck) Sims and family of Quannah and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gossage and son, Lane of Ranger, were Monday visitors in the home of Mrs. W. C. Sims. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Newberry and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Hammonds and daughter all of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch March of Lubbock spent Christmas Day in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Moss and Mr. and Mrs. Joe March.



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### Worm May Tighter Regulations

Carrying nematode last week can be produced — or poison is developed for planting and fields are still the control for the pink

infestation of Texas in 1955 than in years. Two factors

is gaining firm footing farther north than

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fields.

the first factor, another has been created in Texas where mandala- plow dates will be means seven zones, 26 counties, will have

in 1956.

planting periods in these zones and by strict enforcement of all regulations.

When the pink bollworm moth emerges from winter hibernation, it must lay eggs on cotton or okra plants. If these plants are not available, the moth dies without reproducing.

Cotton in the infested areas should be planted as late as practical to deprive the early emerging moths of a breeding site. That is the "why" of setting planting dates by law.

This year, cotton in the extreme southern tip of Texas cannot be planted before Feb. 1, nor after March 31. The stalks then must be destroyed before Aug. 31, to rid fields of "pinkie" hibernation quarters.

The Feb. 1 date is 10 days later than previous years. It is hoped that a larger percentage of early moths will be starved out as a result. Cotton cannot be planted later than May 31 in any of the controlled area which covers all of South Texas, most of Central and East Texas as far north as Tyler.

Counties in the seven zones, along with their planting and plow-up dates will be announced in late January.

### DOYLE GRUNDY INITIATED INTO SERVICE FRATERNITY

LUBBOCK, Dec. 23 — Twenty-two new members were initiated into Texas Tech's Beta Sigma Chapter of Alpha Phi Omega, national service fraternity, this week.

Among the initiated was Doyle Grundy, Floydada.

The group celebrated the thirtieth anniversary of the fraternity at its banquet.

Members of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Steen were here for Christmas, including Mr. and Mrs. Phil Steen and daughters, Becky and Phyllis, of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Steen, son Brad and daughter Lisa, of Austin, and Mrs. Golden L. Nabors and sons, Clifford and Nathan, and daughter Nancy. The Maurice Steens also have been visiting in the home of Mrs. Steen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Sparks.

Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Condon and son are expected back in Floydada this week-end from Fort Worth where they were guests during Christmas of relatives at their former home. Rev. Condon is pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

Judge H. A. C. Brummett left Monday for Dallas where he will spend several days with relatives and friends.

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**Notice of Election**  
TO BE HELD TUESDAY  
JANUARY 10, 1956

District Director and County Commissioners.

**Voting Places in Floyd County:**  
Floydada Courthouse  
Lockney City Hall

**District Director: (vote for one)**  
Marvin Shurbet

**COUNTY COMMITTEEMEN:**

**District No. 1 (vote for one)**  
Ernest Lee Thomas  
L. D. (Buster) Simpson

**District No. 2 (vote for one)**  
Robert Lee Smith

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## Service Calls Issued To Four

Four men were ordered by Local Board No. 45 for induction in January. The families of the inductees are invited to attend a short program held on the 2nd floor of the Courthouse between 5:00 and 6:00 a. m. The program is sponsored by the American Legion, W.O.W., and a church minister.

Going for induction on the 11th day of January, 1956, to meet at the courthouse at 5:00 a. m. are listed as follows:

Frederick L. Marble, South Plains; Charles H. Hartman, South Plains; Sam L. Findley, Hale Center; Mack Hartfield, Lockney; and

Going for pre-induction physical examination on the 11th day of January, 1956, to meet at the courthouse at 5:00 a. m. are listed as follows:

Royce Lee Neighbors, Waxahachie; John Wayland Campbell, Rocking Springs; Johnnie Melvin Duncan, Plainview; Charles M. Rankin, Abilene; James R. Davis, Tulla; Delton L. Stone, Abilene; Jackie Ross Alexander, Floydada; Exiquic L. Garza Jr., Eliza; Ramiro Curren-tero Ramiro Cervantes, Plainview; Donald Bruce McGuire, Portales, N. M.;

Wendell Leon Hughes, Abilene; Marvin Orland Gilbert Jr., Lockney; Samuel Delton Jack, Lockney; Delbert Charles Shipley, Plainview; Eugene Lewis Martin, Petersburg; Ollie Vernon Rogers, Plainview; Jerry Dale Bradshaw, Winters; Teddy Noris Green, Matador; Edward Earl Slough, Abilene; and Cosme Albarado Becerra, San Antonio.

### BROWN FAMILIES ENJOY CHRISTMAS DAY DINNER

Christmas Day dinner guests in the Billy Brown home were Mr. and Mrs. W. Ed Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Brown of Stockton, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Badgett David, James and Suzanne and the hosts and their family, Randy Christy, and William Ed III.

The Martin Browns arrived in Floydada last Friday evening and will return to Stockton leaving next Wednesday. They report a wonderful time is being spent in Floydada visiting old friends and relatives.

### APPROVE PARKING METERS

SPUR — Parking meters for Spur were approved by the City Council at its regular meeting Tuesday, Dec. 13. Negotiations are now underway with the Magee-Hale Park-O-Meter Co., of Oklahoma City, to have the meters installed within the next 45 days.

### NEW C. C. PRESIDENT

LOCKNEY — Claud Holley, executive vice-president of the First National Bank, has been named president of the Lockney Chamber of Commerce and Board of Development. Mr. Holley fills the vacancy caused by the resignation of J. R. Holt, who will move away from Lockney soon after Jan. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Collins had as their visitors during the holidays their son, Pat Collins and family of Wichita Falls.

## Business Gains

(Continued from Front Page)  
to be used in connection with the business. Garrett stated that the warehouse will be used for storage.

The Lon Davis Grain Company erected an all-metal 70 x 120 foot box type storage building with an office in front of this main building. The box type structure and the tank next to it are capable of storing a total of around 150,000 bushels of grain.

Farmers Elevator Company this summer added a large storage unit to their old elevator building. The new unit is capable of storing 100,000 bushels of grain.

Scott Gin Company built a jug type of burr burner during the current year. The burner is 18 feet in diameter at the bottom and 6 feet at the top. The addition towers to 40 feet above the ground. Many other local gins have made additions of equipment inside the gin plants. New equipment is added in these plants practically every year.

A labor camp was established on the Silverton Highway for cotton pickers during harvesting time and will also be used by vegetable harvesters when they are in town. Four 20 x 100 foot buildings and one metal 26 x 110 foot building were erected for the laborers use. Three of the buildings are owned by the Floydada Producers and Marketing Association and the others belong to the Bohannon Gin Company. The tenant buildings owned by the Association will house approximately 12 families each, while the gin's buildings are made on the scale of a dormitory, containing mostly bunks for men. The gin's buildings are mainly for the use of Mexican nationals. The camp includes two baths each for men and women. Each bath contains three showers and other facilities. Spaces are also provided for the laundering of laborers' clothing.

### ATTEND AMARILLO REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Medley, Danny and Debbie, attended a family reunion Sunday at the home of Mrs. Medley's mother, Mrs. Maggie Mayes in Amarillo.

Mrs. Medley's sister, Mrs. Hollie Glenn of Amarillo, is spending the week in her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Aylesworth of Dumas, were here for Christmas, visiting the parents of Mrs. Aylesworth, Judge and Mrs. W. E. Grimes. Bert Grimes, Tech student, also has been in the parental home during the holiday season.

### VIATORS IN THE S. D. MEDLEY, THE L. W. QUEEN, AND THE V. D. TURNER HOMES THIS WEEK ARE MRS. W. H. FORD OF AGRA, OKLA., AND NORMAN MEDLEY OF FLORIDA.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wasson and children, of Matador, were among the Christmas visitors in Floydada. They were guests of Mrs. Wasson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lewis.

### MRS. E. MASOTTI AND SON MARC OF MIDLAND WERE CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY VISITORS IN THE HOME OF HER DAUGHTER, MR. AND MRS. J. R. KING AND FAMILY.

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### MRS. ROBBY OWEN AND DAUGHTER, DELORES OF LUBBOCK WERE SUNDAY NIGHT AND MONDAY VISITORS IN THE HOME OF MR. AND MRS. S. J. Latta AND MR. AND MRS. E. L. NORMAN.

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Significant of the changing scene in the area is this Labor Camp, built this spring on a three-acre site in east Floydada by Floyd County Growers and Marketing Association to accommodate transient laborers in the cotton and vegetable fields. A dozen or more farms contributed vegetable field work for the labor pool.

## Holidays Slow Fund Campaign

United Chest campaign reports in the holiday week have dribbled in only lightly, and as a result the fund had grown only \$480.25 on reports given county chairman N. W. Williams by the treasurers of the fund at Lockney and Floydada.

As of Wednesday noon funds actually deposited as reported by Treasurer W. J. Adams in Floydada stood at \$4,868.45, at Lockney the deposits had climbed to \$2,130.30.

The total is \$7,066.75, short of the goal by \$6,098.25.

Approximately one-third of the county's total area has not been reported from, Mr. Williams estimated late yesterday.

### FLOYD COUNTY HUNTERS BAG DEER AT ROCK SPRINGS

Lonnie Hinsley, Gene Probasco, Gene Boyce, and Doyle and David Mount enjoyed a deer hunt at Rock Springs, Tex., last week. The group saw lots of game and brought home one deer they bagged on the outing.

### LT. ROSSON HOME

Lt. Barry Rossion, stationed at Greenville, S. C., is home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Rossion.

Barry arrived in Floydada Dec. 22 and will be here until the 10th of January.

Miss Juanita Medley of Denver, Colo., returned to her home Wednesday morning after spending the Christmas holidays with the S. D. Medleys, the L. W. Queens, and the V. D. Turners.

Visitors in the S. D. Medley, the L. W. Queen, and the V. D. Turner homes this week are Mrs. W. H. Ford of Agra, Okla., and Norman Medley of Florida.

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## Leibfrieds 'Adopt' Youth In Korea

Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Leibfried received a letter recently from Kim, Soo Kil, a Korean boy they have "adopted" and are sending to school in Korea.

Kim stated in his letter that a cash gift from the Leibfrieds had been used to pay his fees at school buy a couple of chickens and some magazines. He especially likes to read stories about the United States in these magazines, he said.

The Leibfrieds send a certain amount of money to Kim, Soo Kil each month for use in his education and livelihood. Kim's school is in Seoul.

Home for Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Fuller were two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Olin R. Poteet and family of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Foster and children of Clovis, N. M., and a granddaughter Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Jones and son of Plainview.

## See Championship Game at Abilene

Pete Clark and Clement B. McDonald were two of the Floydada football fans who enjoyed the class AA championship football game at Abilene Monday afternoon. Clark reported the contest was closer than the score would indicate and after the run away first quarter developed into quite a battle.

Stamford won the AA crown over Hillsboro by a 34 to 7 score. The Stamford team pounced on every opportunity offered by the fumbling Hillsboro boys, pushing over 20 points in the first period.

### ARCH KEYS HOSPITALIZED

Arch Keys of Plainview, a former Lockney resident and brother-in-law of Leslie and Dr. J. M. Floyd of Lockney has been in a Plainview hospital the past two weeks with a heart ailment. He is in a serious condition and will probably be in the hospital for some time yet relatives report.

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Other Christmas house guests were Miss Dwina Glassmoyer of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Small and daughter, Dwina Donice, of Abilene.

**GETTING AROUND REPORT ON**  
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All Meat BOLOGNA	Pound	<b>39c</b>	

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SHURFINE Shortening	3 lb. Can	<b>79c</b>	SUPREME CRACKERS	lb. Box	<b>25c</b>
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SHURFINE BLACKEYES			SUPREME CINNAMON CRISP		<b>33c</b>
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