

Street Paving Plan Is Submitted City Council

Appoint rel Show rectors

Club and the Band
have appointed district
committees for the 1959
year.
are Mrs. Allen Bing,
W. F. Patrick.
committees are Mrs.
Mrs. Fred Connor,
Mrs. Darham, costume,
make-up, Mrs.
Mrs. Loy Lee
Mrs. Norman
Mrs. A. C. Pratt.
have already started
with the specialty
The chorus from
be contacted after the
will begin in January
the cast will be notified.

Hospital ased By Bishop

owner-manager of
announced this
had contracted to buy
hospital property on West
with his prospective
in mind.
The First
recently that the bank
recent quarters by
next year, which has
in their plans for an
plant.
property was put on the
when Dr. Pitts
he trouble that has him
will be can overcome
was closed early in
the decision to dispose
grounds did not
recently. Dr. and
in Boston where
being treated by
had not fully devel-
the first of the
tain he will use the
same way to house his
front for 200 feet on
Houston Street.

ay Mail to Hit Shortly

expectation that the
mail will hit its peak
few days. Postmaster
pressed his appreciation
operation thus far on his
Early For Christmas".
master said, "It's too
about early mailing of
fits and cards, because
everything now-even a
day in getting your cards
may mean disap-
your friends and loved
Christmas Day."
that last minute mail-
Mail for their Christmas
that are going out of
still time for local de-
all Christmas cards
by First Class mail-
include your return ad-
Christmas card envel-
package labels.

These Kids The Needy

Junior High School stu-
Fuglaar, are sponsor-
to help four needy farm-
farmers time in Floydada
need food, clothing and
children. Donations of
be greatly appreciated.
students in that room will
be giving such things to do-
to call Junior High,
or call Mr. Fuglaar
Room 3-2426.
new damaged will be fix-
ed and distributed in

Ag Teachers to Meet Friday and Saturday

H. G. Barber and Lloyd Cook, FHS
Agriculture teachers, accompanied
by Mac Lee Brewer of Lockney and
M. L. Moss of Matador, will be in
Amarillo Friday and Saturday where
they will attend a mid-winter con-
ference for ag teachers.
The conference will open at 7:30
p. m. with a dinner in the Tascosa
Room with John Dwyer of Groom,
area chairman, presiding.
Mr. Barber will give the in-
toxication and Rev. Leon M. Hill of Amarillo
will deliver the after-dinner
address.
Saturday's session will open at
8:30 a. m. in the Crystal Ballroom
of the hotel with Jack Jackson, voca-
tional ag teacher at Boy's Ranch,
serving as chairman.
Barber will speak on Saturday's
program.

okmobile Library Service Is Far-Reaching

31, 1959, a multi-county bookmobile
demonstration which has been serv-
ing Burnet, Blanco and Llano coun-
ties in Central Texas, will move to
Crosby, Dickens, Garza, Floyd and
Kent counties.
And sometime after March 15, 1959,
the demonstration now serving the
Rio Grande Valley counties of Hidal-
go, Starr and Willacy will move to
Dawson, Gaines, Hockley, Terry and
Yoakum counties.
In counties where the demonstrations
will be conducted for one year with-
out cost to the counties cooperating.
And some time to other groups of
neighboring counties wishing to par-
ticipate in the state-wide program
which is conducted by the State Lib-
rary under the Library Services Act.
At the close of each demon-
stration, Harwell said, "It is hoped that
it will be pooling counties which
have been participating their library
facilities into cooperative library
system for their respective areas
will continue this fine cooperation
under a locally-financed arrange-
ment."
The State Librarian explained that
the purpose of the Library Service
Act is to promote better library fac-
ilities for the people who live in
areas where this service is inade-
quate or non-existent.
"In these critical times," he said,
"we are daily being challenged on
the world scene in the ever-acceler-
ating race for knowledge. The in-
creasing use of libraries by men, wo-
men and children is one of our most
important means of enhancing our
educational and cultural well-being."
"I wish to congratulate the forward
looking county officials and the lib-
rary leaders in these West Texas
areas who are taking the necessary
action to bring about this vital ser-
vice to their people."
Explaining the program further,
Harwell said the value of inter-
county cooperation in library service
has been demonstrated in the areas
which have been served to date. He
said it has been proved that virtually
any request for books and other infor-
mational material can be filled through
interlibrary loan. This has been sup-
ported by the collections of the State
Library itself, in cooperation with
the loan divisions of the University
of Texas, Texas A&M College, and
other institutions.

Cotton Referendum To Decide Important Questions for Farms

How farmers vote in the cotton
marketing quota referendum to be
held throughout the Nations cotton
growing area on December 15 will
determine whether quota penalties
will apply to the kind of allotment pro-
gram in effect, and also the level of
price support for 1959-crop cotton.
The referendum therefore is of
vital concern to every cotton grower
says J. B. Robertson, Chairman of the
Floyd County Agricultural
Stabilization and Conservation Com-
mittee.
All farmers who were engaged in
the production of upland cotton in
1958 will be eligible to vote in the
referendum.
The referendum will be held be-
tween the hours of 8 a. m. and 6 p.
m. on Monday, December 15, at the
following polling places: Lockney
Beacon, ASC Office, Dougherty,
Cedar Hill, McCoy, South Plains,
and Aiken.

C-C Sets Objectives For 6 Month Period

Six objectives set by the Chamber
of Commerce and viewed as "musts"
by next May for the development of
the town were announced last week.
They are:
1. A bond issue to aid and plan for 100
blocks of paving.
2. The opening of a new residential
area for at least 100 building sites.
3. The announcement of an indus-
trial area with fixed prices, publica-
tion of a brochure.
4. A four month clean-up and mod-
ernizing downtown Floydada cam-
paign.
(a) Removal of frame structures
around the square and clean-up of
lots.
(b) More business buildings mod-
ernized.
5. Continued work on low rent
housing project and see it through
to successful conclusion.
6. Annex as many occupied homes
into city limits as practical.

Seismograph Explores In West Motley Area

A Pan-American seismograph
crew from Lamesa has been mak-
ing headquarters in Floydada for
three weeks while they carry on an
exploration assignment in west and
northwest Motley County.
The well on the D. I. W. Birnie
Ranch on the Whiteflat Road, origi-
nally drilled below 10 thousand feet
by Amerada and abandoned, was
re-opened by Pan-American several
weeks ago and made into a gas and
distillate producer from a formation
below 8,000 feet.
Leasing activity in the area has
been increasing and exploration of
the formations by seismograph also.
The crew working out of Floydada is
employing about 12 men.

Normans Leaving For Tokyo Holiday

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Norman of
Dougherty are busy people this week
getting ready for their trip over-
seas. The couple will leave Monday
by plane and arrive in Los Ange-
les, Calif., in the afternoon. Following
an overnight stay there Mr. and Mrs.
Norman will embark Tuesday morn-
ing for Hawaii arriving there in the
afternoon around 5 o'clock.
The Normans will stay two days
in Honolulu then will leave for To-
kyo to spend the holidays with
their daughter and family, Capt.
and Mrs. F. M. Kinner and their
children, stationed there with the
Air Force.
After Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Nor-
man will begin a month-long sight-
seeing tour that will take them to Hong
Kong, the Philippines and other Pacific
ports. They will arrive back in
California the latter part of January
for a short stay, then on to Floyd-
ada the first part of February.

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Right-of-Way Problems Slow Highway Building

The entry of the State Highway
Department into the picture as a
partner of the county in paying for
highway right-of-way is slowing
down operations, as compared with
the arrangement previously in ef-
fect. Under the former arrangement
county officials obtained clearance
of right-of-way in their own manner,
the highway department taking over
from that point.
In Floyd County, although the
money was long since allocated, and
the funds provided by the county for
the improvement of Highway 62 and
Highway 70 from Floydada to the
Crosby County line and from Floyd-
ada to the Hale County line, all that
has been done to date on right-of-
way for either route so far as the
Commissioners Court is informed, is
to get the county appraisers report
on 21 of the approximately 42 tracts
affected by the new right-of-way south
from Floydada on Highway 62.
Judge McBrien said this week he
did not know where the bottle neck
is but it is either in the district en-
gineer's office, in the state engineer's
office, or in the bureau of Public
Roads, he assumes.
Engineering in the resident en-
gineer's office and in the field has
progressed normally but the new
burden added by right-of-way buy-
ing has made a situation for the
highway department that calls for
a great deal of detail not heretofore
encountered.
Under the new partnership plan
the state participates in the purchase
of tracts for right-of-way but re-
serves the right to check the values
with its own appraiser.
The practical effect of this rule, a
necessary one from the highway de-
partment's view doubtless, is that
the county will make its appraisal
and submit the figures to the high-
way department for scrutiny be-
fore approaching the landowner to
negotiate for a deed.
The increase in the work load for
the highway department's land men
and engineers is enormous, consid-
ering the department has hundreds
of miles of highway to build in scores
of counties.
The commissioners in their session
Monday had the routine reports to
check and bills to pay. Among the
reports was that of Assessor-Collect-
or T. T. Hamilton for November.
This report showed gross collections
of \$18,419.75 from the current tax
rolls, bringing the collections total to
77.75 per cent of the total on the
rolls.
The commissioners will have their
final session before the end of the
year on December 30.

Engineer Sets 137 Blocks As Minimum Need

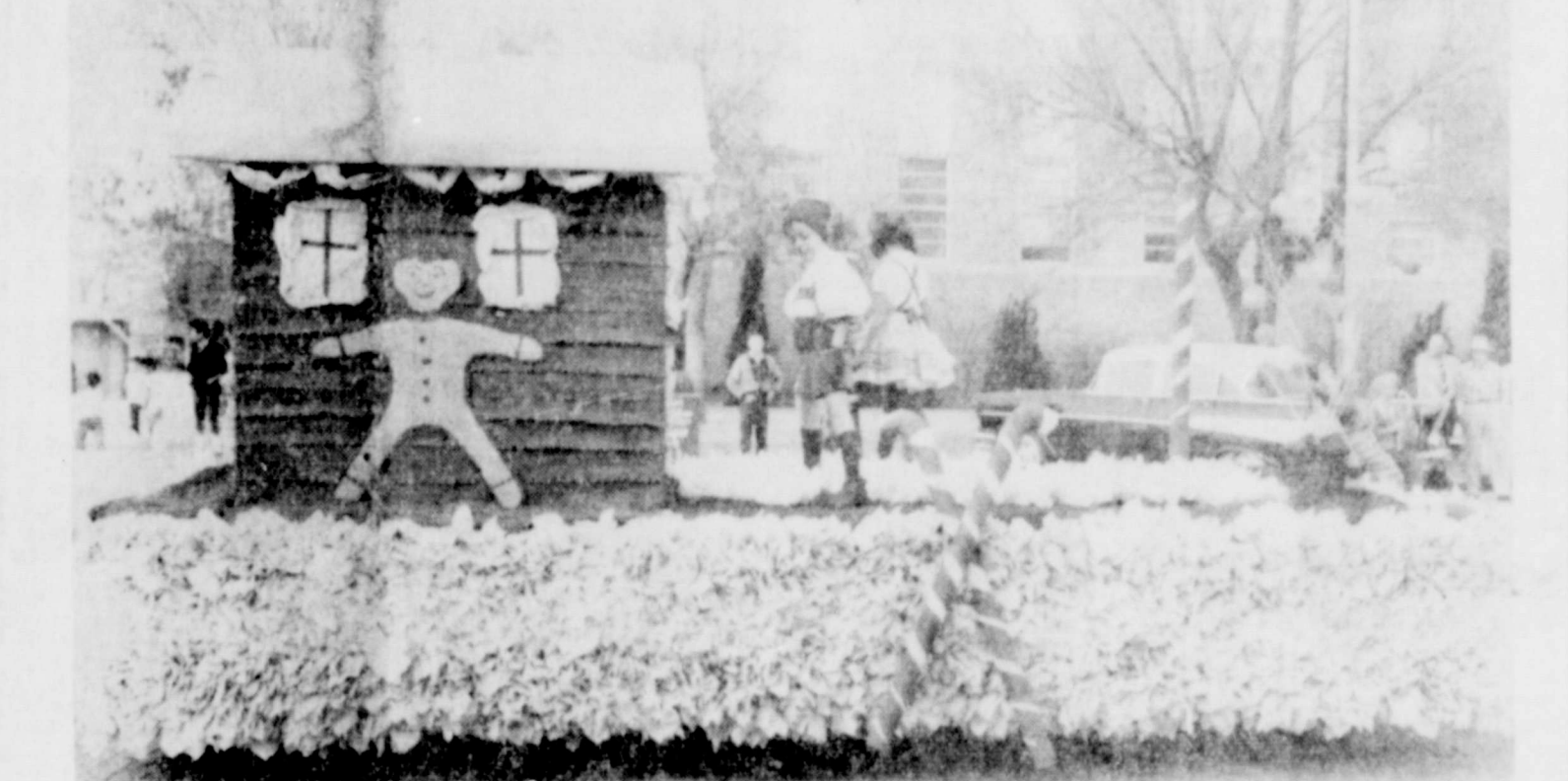
The possibility of a 137-block pav-
ing program for Floydada next
spring is being explored by the City
Council of Floydada.
Tuesday evening at the meeting
of the council a report requested
from Noble James, an engineer, on
what he deemed to be a feasible pro-
ject was presented to the council, to-
gether with the estimated cost.
Based on street widths varying
from 40 feet to 75 feet with curb and
gutter, and including 27 blocks of
patching and seal an existing pav-
ing the engineer put the total esti-
mated cost at \$341,793.61. In this
figure is included paving at
\$301,418, curb and gutter at \$143,
158.05 and the patch and seal at
\$6,555. The estimate also includes
an engineering fee estimated at
\$30,667.56.
James' estimate puts the cost per
front foot at \$3.65. The city's part
in the bill would be including the en-
gineer's fee, \$194,048.46.
Engineer James and his co-worker
H. C. Girod, surveyor, left maps of
the proposed project with the coun-
cil. James pointed out to the coun-
cil that a drainage problem the city
has due to flat terrain, requires a
considerable project so as to assure
water draining off the streets.
Members of the council are hope-
ful of getting a favorable reaction
from property owners. If they do
the matter probably will be submitted
for a vote after the first of the year.
City of Floydada finalized its light
plant financing operation Tuesday
evening at the regular meeting when
they entered an order to put signa-
tures to the bonds and set up
a method of payment.
The issue is for \$154,000. It pays
for a 1,250 Kw engine and panel.
The bonds to be known as refunding
bonds, take the place of warrants is-
sued by the city against the revenues
of the light plant. They bear in-
terest at 4 1/2 per cent.
The city is to pay a six-month ac-
crued interest bill of \$3,657.50 and
issue a check each month for \$1,148,
75, which is calculated to retire the
bonds in 19 years. Total principal
and interest will be \$261,914.47.
The payments are to be made out of
the earnings of the light plant.
Other action of the council includ-
ed the approval for payment of cur-
rent bills for a total of \$10,671.
The council voted all employees of
the city a Christmas bonus of 2 per
cent of annual salary.
The council also had a 40-minute
discussion with C. R. Styles, dis-
trict manager, and J. C. Oakley, local
manager of Southwestern Bell
Telephone Company, who continue
to press their company's demand
for an increase in certain areas of
business and party line rates on the
Floydada Exchange. No formal ac-
tion was taken by the council, which,
apparently, is not willing to grant
the increase asked at this time.

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At the Gingerbread House it looks "mighty lak Christmas," and well it should for Christmas is only around the corner. This picture to illustrate the Spirit of the Season is taken from the many pretty floats that paraded in Floydada on Santa Claus Day. Entered by friends of the Floyd County Library it was among the prize winners. Johnny Farris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kinder Farris, and Christi Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown, are the youngsters completing the picture. (Staff photo by Kenneth Rimmer)

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McAdoo School Basketballers Dominate Floydada Tourney

McAdoo boys repeated as cham-
pions of the Floydada's annual invi-
tational basketball tournament here
last week. Slaton girls were named
new champs in their bracket. Floyd-
ada boys were runners up and Post
boys won the consolation bracket in
the tourney. Post girls took second
place and Lockney girls were con-
solation winners of the meet.
All Tournament Teams Named
Named to the girls all tournament
team were Janice Boedeker, Lock-
ney; Glenda Whittenberg, Post;
Jude Bishop, Slaton; Mary Nell
Hickman, McAdoo; Pat Wheatley,
Post; and Vicki Krutson, Slaton.
On the boys team were Milton
Mickey, Lockney; Jimmy Short,
Post; Don Teague, McAdoo;
George Scott, McAdoo; and Bill
Patterson, Floydada. All the above
named received individual awards
for their outstanding performance.
First round games saw Crosbyton
drive Slaton boys 42-41. Floydada
boys down Post 37-34. Slaton girls
take Crosbyton 52-34. Post girls beat
Lockney 43-40, and Tahoka girls de-
feated Floydada 30-23.
Second round matches were won
by McAdoo boys over Crosbyton
70-24. Floydada boys over Lockney
33-32. Lockney girls over Floydada
37-31. Slaton girls over McAdoo 49-
46, and Post girls over Tahoka 46-
36.
In the finals Post downed Slaton
boys 46-40 for the consolation. Mc-
Adoo boys took Floydada 71-34 for
the championship. Lockney girls
downed Crosbyton 26-23 in the con-
solation and Slaton girls took the
measure of Post 49-43 for the
championship.
Pre-Holiday Schedule
Games on tap before the Christ-

mas holidays include a long trip to
McAdoo Tuesday night Dec. 16 where
both boys and girls will play, then
on Thursday the teams will enter
the Crosbyton tournament.
The schedule will be resumed Janu-
ary 2, when McAdoo returns their
match on the local court.

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stration Council will hold their annual
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Boren Adding Big Floor Space To Departmentalize Furniture

Boren Furniture and Appliance
Store, North Side dealer at 111 East
Missouri St., has had an ambitious
expansion program underway for
weeks and Tuesday owner-manager
Floyd Boren announced additional
space will be put into service within
a few days to make the store one of
the most modern and attractive
furniture stores in the south plains.
The completion of a warehouse and
balcony sometime next week will add
3,500 feet to the space in the store
available for storage and display
and will make room for department-
alizing the business.
With more than 12,000 square feet
of space in which to work the depart-
ments will be easily arranged for
display.
Home furnishings will be featur-
ed in one department where the lines
will include some 400 pieces of Sprague
and Carlton early American
maple. This department also will
represent some 15 major company
accessory lines of lamps, pictures,
plaque, etc.
On the lower floor one department
will be for appliances where Frigidaire
appliances and Roper, Magic
Chef and Hotwater ranges will be
displayed.
The other department will consist
of living room and bedroom suites
featuring such famous names as
Kroehler, Rush, Gold Arvo, Sprague
& Carlton, Bassett, Brynild, Hey-
wood, Wakefield, Ward and McCoy.
Boren said.
The store already has gained wide
acceptance. Its attractiveness will
be greatly enhanced by the addition
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Sorghum Growers Undertake Foreign Markets Program

What sorghum grain producers of
the high plains have hopes may turn
out to be the biggest thing to happen
in recent years in their search for
markets, came about last Friday
when the Grain Producers Associa-
tion signed a contract with the Foreign
Agriculture Service which official-
ly puts the organization in charge
of all Feed Grain Markets
in foreign countries.
Ewald Quebe, president of the
Floyd County unit of the Grain
Producers Association, and members
Forrest Mickey and L. B. Brandes,
were present when the meeting was
held for signing the paper. The meet-
ing was held at the Herring Hotel
in Amarillo.
The program will be financed by
eighty percent from FSA funds and
twenty percent from Grain Sorghum
Producers Association funds, raised
by voluntary contribution of two
pounds per thousand from grain sorghum
producers.
Farmers are urged to contribute
as soon as possible with their local
elevator or with R. C. Mitchell,
County Secretary, as a project is
already under way for a promotion
tour in foreign countries, stressing
the value of grain sorghum as a
feed with Soy Beans as a protein sup-
plement.
Italy has been chosen as the first
country to develop as a foreign mar-
ket.

Westers Attend Sulphur Springs Rites For Mother

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wester, their
son, Ed Wester, and their daughter,
Mrs. Watson Jones, were called to
Sulphur Springs, Tex., Sunday due
to the sudden death of Mr. Wester's
mother, Mrs. W. Y. Wester, 83. Mrs.
Wester died from a stroke about 5:30
a. m. Sunday. She had led an active
life up until her death.
A native of Tennessee Mrs. Wester
had been a resident of Sulphur
Springs for 59 years. She was 83
at the time of her passing.
The Floydada son is the only liv-
ing member of the family. Her hus-
band died in 1941 and a daughter,
Edna, also preceded her mother in
death.
Other surviving grandchildren are
Dr. James Wester of Garland and Dr.
Bill Wester of Weatherford. There
are eight grandchildren.
Rites were conducted in the First
Christian Church in Sulphur Springs
Monday morning with interment
in O'El Fellows Cemetery.

Grand Jury to Convene

District Judge L. D. Ratliff has
entered an order convening the Floyd
County Grand Jury on Wednesday,
December 17, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Band Receives First Rating

THE WHIRL

Edited in Room 115, Floydada High School, December 11, 1958

EDITORIAL ON PLAYING

Dr. Thurman, Dean of the Boston University Chapel, tells this allegory about the roles we play:

"The colony of ants spent many, many years building an ant memorial. At last it was complete except for one little spot, one little crevice that needed one grain of sand. When that grain was finally placed, this thing that they had been working on for so long would be finished. And so it happened that in the line of duty one little ant came carrying a grain of sand; he put this one grain of sand into one little unoccupied spot. Suddenly he realized that the work was all done and looked around saying, 'My, my, look at what I have done! Look at the ant heap that I have built, My anthill! My world! Then a wind stirred down in the valley, swept up over the top of the heap and carried the vaulting ant to destruction. But the ant mound remained."

There is a little poem which reads:

"I had a little tea party, yesterday at three.
Myself ate all the sandwiches, and I drank all the tea."
You see the role we play in life can be a very selfish one. A sense of our own importance can be exaggerated. The ego, the I, can be as demanding. We expect the world, our family, and our friends to revolve around us. Unless it does we refuse to play our little role.

How are you playing your role?
—Susan Kirk, AMARILLO SANDSORM

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Junior Team Fails To Place in Area One Competition

(By Ricky Holland)

Approximately 225 FFA members from about 30 chapters competed in the Area 1 FFA Leadership Contest at Plainview High School, Saturday, December 6.

Area elimination started at 9 a. m. to determine the teams to represent the region at the State Leadership Contest, December 13, at Sam Houston State Teachers College in Huntsville. All teams competing won district elimination events.

Contests were held in Junior and Senior Chapter Conducting, Junior and Senior Farm Skills Demonstration, Senior Radio Broadcasting and a FFA Quiz for first-year VA students.

Chapters represented were Memphis, Tulsa, Muleshoe, Slaton, Levelland, Amarillo, McLean, Springlake, Groton, Shamrock, Boaring Springs, Friona, Quail, Stinnett, Follett, Cotton Center, Littlefield, Hereford, Darrrouzett, Whiteface, Gruver, Happy, Monterey Lubbock, Anton Slaton, Lakeview, and Floydada.

FFA's first-place district Junior Chapter Conducting Contest team failed to place against seven districts Slaton won first.

The ten boys on the team were Ricky Holland, president; Mike Mattler, vice-president; Joe Rainer, secretary; Charles Owens, treasurer; Nathan Mulder, reporter; Rommie Stewart, sentinal; Sabaturn Stouffer, student advisor; Dale Newberry, first member; Ronnie Martin, second member; and Max Bradford, third member.

Mr. H. G. Barber, FFA's ag instructor and president of the Texas Association of Vocational Agriculture Teachers, served as one of the judges in the Senior Chapter Conducting Contest.

The long-awaited Senior Male Model Show will be held Tuesday, Dec. 16, in the morning about 27 beautiful glamorous, shapely males will model the latest styles.

Admission is 25 cents. Proceeds go to the senior class. Larry Bray (not handsome boy in 1958), Mickey Dot Hammonds, Larry Coltharp, Vin Stovall, Dale Brown, Charles Christian, Leon Williams, Bobby Seago.

Si Duncan, Larry Orman, True Kirk, Bill Gilliland, Rex King, Don Vickers, Jerry Batten, Johnny Fred Ewson, Edward Hartman, Rodney Teague, Barry Kinslow, Danny Shipley, Jimmy Huckleberry, Bill Hicks, Wayne Rice, Wayne Adams, Richard Graves, Aris Powell, and Bobby Christian.

Mr. I. T. Graves, President of District 4 TSTA, and Mrs. Graves, attended a convention on the TSTA in Fort Worth over the Thanksgiving holidays. The delegates of the TSTA and all of the teachers in the state of Texas were invited. Around 3000 persons were present of whom about 600 were delegates.

Mr. and Mrs. Graves attended the program Thursday night. Price Daniel was the speaker. The main topic was the lengthening of the school term. Price Daniel was not for lengthening the term, but most of the committee were.

The TSTA proposed lengthening the term 180 days. All proposed items will be decided later Friday, the president of the NEA convention gave his report.

There were also lectures from two outstanding educators, one of whom, Dr. John Beauford, will be the speaker at the District 4 TSTA meeting.

Freshmen Select Favorite Seniors

Fifty-two freshmen were asked to select their favorite upperclassman. Bill Patterson, senior, received 9 votes, and Kay Robertson, senior, received 8 votes.

Fleeta Carbel, junior, was third with 6 votes. The following all received three votes: Linda Hammonds, senior; Richard Graves, junior; Glea Adams, senior; and Bill Gilliland, junior.

Getting two votes were Mary Cogdell, senior; Don Vickers, junior; and Sally Jo Redd, senior.

The fifty-two casting selections were all students of Mrs. Beth Martin, English I instructor.

Bill Patterson and Kay Robertson also received the honor of being favorites of the 1958 senior class. Kay is FFA Sweetheart. Their pictures will be featured in The Whirl.

Devotionals Held Each Week

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(By Sonja Guffee)

Saturday, December 6, was a happy day for the Floydada High School Whirlwind Band because it won its third consecutive first-place rating. The excited band members, bundled up for the cold 26-degree weather, journeyed to Plainview to compete in the regional marching competition.

The contest site was the Plainview High School stadium. As each band completed its performance, the members eagerly awaited the outcome. Of the 30 high school bands in the competition, 14 received first division ratings. In Class AA Floydada Slaton, and Abernathy high school bands received first place ratings. Slaton did not get first on inspection however.

Now all the bands in Region I will begin preparing for Sightreading and Concert competition in the spring on May 1 and 2. These two contests will decide the Sweepstake Bands of Region I and who will get the trophies.

Bands have to win first in Concert and Sightreading in order to get a plaque in May.

This year a plaque will be awarded for a combination of all three. FFA has won sweepstakes for the past two years. In 1957, a trophy and plaque for marching, sightreading and concert. In 1958, a plaque was earned for all three first-place ratings.

Crawford Takes Scholarship Tests

Approximately 25 students from the South Plains and adjoining areas assembled in the Science Building on the Texas Technological College campus Saturday morning at 8:30 to take the College Entrance Examination Board Aptitude Tests.

Jerry Crawford, a senior in Floydada High School, was among those taking the test in competition for National Merit Scholarships. He qualified for the final elimination in the National Merit Program by his high score on the National Merit Scholarship tests given last spring to outstanding high school juniors.

The final tests, taken Saturday, consisted mainly of Vocabulary Comprehensive reading, and mathematics Usage tests. The results of these tests will not be known until next March when the scores on the tests will be sent respectively, to each student's school to be revealed to him by the principal.

All the students taking the tests were not Merit scholars. Some of them were competing under a different scholarship program and some students were taking the tests to qualify for admission to colleges requiring the exams for entrance.

'Winds Win First Basketball Game

(By Charles Holland)

The Winds held a 14-9 lead at the end of the first quarter, opened the margin over the Longhorns to 27-14 at the half, and they had to fight to hold on to a 36-33 third quarter lead.

The Whirlwinds broke the game open in the final quarter.

This was the first cage game with Lockney there on December 2.

Bill Gilliland was high point man for Floydada with 20 points, Bill Patterson had 18 and Don Vickers 14.

Milton Micky, of Lockney, was high point man for the game with 21 points; Jimmy Minter had 13 for the Longhorns.

Basketball Girls Win Lockney Game

(By Grace Ann Potts)

Tuesday, December 2, marked a big night for FHS basketball girls. The score remained very close all during the game.

The Lockney girls held 7-5, 12-11, and 24-13 quarter leads. Thirty seconds before the close of the game, one of the Floydada girls fouled. Lockney made both shots which resulted in Floydada leading by only one point. The climax came when the buzzer sounded with the score 33-32 favoring FHS.

La Juana Womack was high scorer with 21 points; Mae Bell Johnson 10; and Sallye Redd 2. Janice Bodeker had 13 and Nancy Webster, 11 for Lockney.

All-State Tryouts Slated Saturday

Region 1 All-State Band Try-outs will be held at the Texas Tech campus, Lubbock, Texas, Saturday, beginning at 9 a. m. Competing from Floydada High School will be Ann Word, senior, playing a Contra-Bass Clarinet.

All candidates will be required to play the major scales and to sight-read at the judges' discretion. A solo of any kind, size, shape, or form will not be required.

Last year, Sue Ring, Suzi Nelson, and Jerry Cardinal made the requirements for All-State Band. Jerry Cardinal was the only one, however, to go to Galveston to participate in the All-State Band.

Maurice Jones, band director, will be with Ann at Lubbock.

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BOBBY SEAGO

Seago Is Rated Outstanding As Floydada High Sr.

(By Sue Ring and Sue Williams)

WANTED: A 5 foot, 10 inches, 138 pound, hazel green-eyed, brown-haired, outstanding senior named Bobby Seago for just being swell.

In the short time he has lived here, he has added wit and humor to FHS by bringing laughter to many with antics in assemblies, after-game parties, and other affairs.

Bobby is an outstanding senior with many honors.

He is the vice-president of the Senior class and a member of the Student Council. He is an officer of the Floydada chapter of the National Honor Society. He also was a member of the National Honor Society at Monterey and a member of the Chess Club at Monterey.

Bobby is the president of the Young People's Class of the First Methodist Church.

One of his honors is being elected to FHS Who this year by the faculty of FHS.

Bobby's chief ambition of to be an agricultural engineer or a certified public accountant. He is trying to decide between the college at Boulder, Colo. and McMurry.

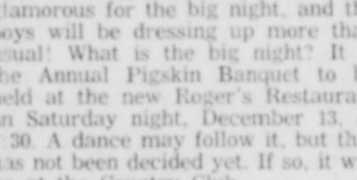
Bobby likes classical music, football, rockets, airplanes, bowling, chess, records, and anything to eat. He is also very fond of wieners sandwiches. In his spare time, he likes to read science fiction. His main dislike is someone to talk while he is watching TV.

His most exciting moment was when he finally got the steps of the old Methodist Church torn down. His most embarrassing moment was when his father found that he did it.

He is a member of the Glee Club, the Little Girl by the name of Sharon Edman had a hand in kicking down a wall with him at the church.

On the Seago's vacation in California, Bobby insisted that he would have to wear his glasses into the ocean because he positively couldn't see without them. He wore them for a month and the first wave took them off and despite his protests he had to be without glasses for about three days while his extra pair of glasses reached there. He found out that sometimes you can, if you have to, see without your glasses or not wear at all.

Robert Arthur was born in Dallas August 23, 1941.



Hola!

CHAT with PAT

"Hola! The gals will be puttin' on all sorts of things to attempt to look glamorous for the big night, and the boys will be dressing up more than usual! What is the big night? It's the Annual Pigskin Banquet to be held at the new Roger's Restaurant on Saturday night, December 13, at 7:30. A dance may follow it, but that has not been decided yet. If so, it will be at the Country Club.

The band sponsored the show 'Teacher's Pet' at the drive-in Tuesday night.

Only fourteen days until Christmas, and better still than that only six more days of school-burry!

Don't forget the Basketball game tomorrow night with Lockney here! Be sure to come!

Have you noticed - Mona Dell has 20 study halls, the band got a first; Eannie's home Christmas; the football banquet has everyone in an uproar; Judy Jackson's cute short hair cut; Jane and Sallye in Speech II plays; Linda Welborn's mother loves cats better than Linda; Everyone - Sandra and Grant have

not broken up. Mr. McKenzie's tape recorder; Bill Patterson made the All-Tournament Team-congrats; Don and Frieda going window shopping; Max Campbell; how many flunked Biology and Chemistry; Addie's hip riders from the Wagon Wheel; English IV is studying Macheth; Mari sue's digital; Douglas Wading sitting on the front lawn during Civics; Mike and Sue rabbit hunting; Larry Orman loves turtles;

Lacene can't keep up with her keys to the car; Kit asks many questions; Bob Gough's cards during Physics Class; Goober's second period sleeping class; all the demerits; Sue Fleenniken likes to whisper; Rex is another mustang fan; the Scotts from McAdoo. The Fearless Four; Sonnet Marler; Janice Noland and Addie can't get along; Sherry, Linda and Caughy are hilarious; Robert Overstreet has the 'tuffy'; Rodney and Jan had a wreck;

Sallye Park's ability to get along with Norman; Johnny Fred has really been going with a lot of girls; 3 in one week; Wayne Cage wearing his pajama top to school; Rodney White; Kari Call; Spur should be congratulated for winning Regional.

Couples seen around are: Linda Hammonds and George Farris; Carol Lawson and Johnny Brown; Mary Kay Asher and Kenneth Mankins; Sharon Edmiston and Bobby Seago; Kay Robertson and Johnny Brown; Linda Roe and Van Stovall; LaJuana Womack and Bill Gilliland;

Leona King and Mike Shurbet; Mae Bell Johnson and Johnny Brown; Barbara Darden and Johnny Witkowski; Estella Wyatt and Betty White; Jani Calk and Johnny Teague; Sara Holmes and Charles Christian; Elia Womack and Harvey Allen; Sue Kendrick and Mike Carver; Edwina Overstreet and Jim Womack; Mary Cogdell and Edward Whitehead; Carolyn Cates and Dale Brown;

Frieda Smith and Don Paulken; Jerry Fleeta Carbel and Wayne Adams; Pat Allen and Jerry Batten; Grace Ann Potts and Elwyn Pierce; Sue McClune and Henry Self; Judy Jackson and Bill Orman; Glea Adams and Bill Patterson; Sue Williams and Leon Williams; Donna Hilton and Aris Powell; LaJuana Womack and James Teague;

Barbara Smith and Jerry Bullock; Gaynelle Boothe and Keith Reeves; Kay Robertson and Wayne Richardson; Joy Sparks and Laron Fulton; Sallye Redd and Bill Day; Billie Holman and Richard Graves; Martha Snuthey and Elmer Williams; Mary Grace Dunn and Eddie Parks; Jane Tye and Weldon Pruitt; Nita Cage and Frank Burrow; June Marble and Marvin Viles; Gloria Sparks and Richard Marler;

Janet Moore and Kenneth O'Neal; Sonja Guffee and Don Garrett; Sue Fleenniken and Bobby Ashton; Edwina Overstreet and Don Colley; Glenda Cranford and True Kirk; Joyce Ferguson and Frankie Taylor; Darlene Johnson and Ray Walker; Akile Adkins and Keen Cooper; Beth Scott and Douglas Wading; Helen Whitfield and Charles Holland; Sue Ring and Gary Matlock; Vicki O'Neal and Price Pritchett; Lois Ann Glover and Gary Sawyer; and Rilla Sue Duncan and C. O. Woody.

Adios, Pat

Magician Performs

(By Mary Cogdell)

On December 11, the students of FHS were fortunate in having C. Thomas Magrum, master of magic, perform feats of magic for another in a series of southern assemblies.

Considered to be one of the most adept sleight-of-hand artists in the world, he performed many illusions that truly mystified and entertained the student body. Magrum was a student of the late Thurston and Houdini. And he certainly held his program to their quality.

Photographing Begins For Organizations

Glea Adams, annual editor, found out Wednesday that being an annual editor is no easy job. Organizational pictures were made.

When this comes, the editor lives up to her title, as much work and confusion are brought on in order to get all the clubs' pictures made. And it is no easy task for the photographer, either.

Organizations getting pictures made Wednesday were Who's Who, Whirl Staff, Thespians and officers, office assistants, TALA and officers, National Honor Society and officers, cheerleaders, chorus and officers, FFA and officers, sponsors, FFA and officers, sponsors, twirlers, football retakes, coaches, F Club and officers, basketball girls and boys (A & B), Student Council and officers.

Three Will Try For State Chorus

Three high school Misses will be excused tomorrow to compete for the All-State Chorus, which will be held in Galveston in February.

They are Joyce Morren, junior; Joyce Elaine Anderson, freshman; and Joan Hendricks, freshman.

Mrs. L. H. Christensen, choral instructor, will accompany the girls to Texas Tech.

Did You Know That?

Weldon Kirk, former FHS student, is in Okinawa as a Military Police.

Additional honor roll students are Marisue Burleson, 4 A's, Mary Cogdell, 4 A's, Sue Ring, 5 A's, Sara Holmes, 4 A's.

Annual covers are to be sold for 25 cents in the spring by the student council.

Pat Henry withdrew from school December 3. She now is in Amarillo.

North Ward High School won first place of \$75 in the Christmas parade. Jerry Crawford competed at Tech Saturday, December 6, for the national scholarship award.

Charles Holland and Don Garrett saw the Stamford Spur game.

All organizational pictures for the annual were made December 10. McAdoo and Slaton-18.

Adult Western: One in which the star is smarter than the horse.

Did you hear about the rich Texan who bought two Cadillacs and took his change in Volkswagens?

COMING EVER

December 12 - Lockney All-State Chorus Try-Out

December 13 - All-State Outs at Tech; Football Rogers Restaurant 7:30

December 15 - FFA Christmas Party

December 16 - McAdoo December 19 - Admission for 16-day Christmas holidays

December 18-19-20 - Tournament

January 2 - McAdoo holidays

January 5 - Return from holidays

January 6 - Silverton Tournament

January 8-9-10 - Lockney

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SOCIETY

Week Programs Are Conducted

The Clara Jordan Circle also met for Bible study. Their lesson was "New Testament Answers To Old Testament Questions," taught by Mrs. Ted Bell. Five members were present.

The Blanch Grove Circle Bible lesson was taught by Mrs. Dennis Dempsey with four members present. Pre-school Sunbeam bands met with Mrs. Bruce Bishop and Mrs. O. G. Mayfield as leaders. Fourteen children were present.

The First Baptist Church held a special night of last week in charge of the prayer program for foreign Missions. Patterson was leader and motivational. Appearing on the program were the Three Sunbeams, the pre-school children and primary children.

around a huge globe singing "We Are Marching To The World." They were costumes representing all stopping in front of the globe. Children stood before the globe regarding the needs they represented.

for the Sunbeams were Bishop, Mrs. O. G. Mayfield, C. Huckabee and Sonja.

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Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dunn of Floydada announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Norma, to Johnny Sands, son of Mrs. Ora Gough of Lorenzo, Tex.

The wedding is to take place on December 26 at 6 p. m. in the First Baptist Church chapel in Floydada.

The couple will make their home in Beverly Hills, Calif.

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For COLDS take 666

Tea Introduces Daughter-in-Law At Burleson Home

A "get acquainted" informal coffee honoring her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Stanley Burleson, was held in the home of Mrs. W. E. Burleson Saturday from 9 until 11:30 p. m. in her ranch home.

Mrs. Jack Henry and Mrs. Henry Edwards poured from a silver service and alternated at the guests register.

The honoree's table was covered with a red cloth with a silver arrangement of sprayed evergreens flanked with white candles bearing the Ranch brand C-Bar.

Guests attending from out of town included Mrs. Raymond Upton, Mrs. L. T. Wood, Mrs. Karl Craig, South Plains, Mrs. Gorea Applewhite, Lockney, Mrs. John Lewis, Mrs. Nig Reid, Miss Mike Reid and Miss Sae Reid, Canyon, Mrs. Bunday Campbell and Mrs. Minnie Hines, Matador Miss Dade Barton.

Mr. William B. Barton, Mrs. France Barton, Mrs. Alfred Martin, Mrs. Wilson Barton, Mrs. Herb Martin, Mrs. Wade Martin, Mrs. Richard Nall, and Mrs. C. C. Jones, of Florent.

Mrs. J. C. Burleson, Mrs. Katie James and Miss Viola Stinson, Matador, Miss Nova Martin, Canyon, Mrs. Kate Price, Plainview, and Mrs. A. L. McMurty, Silvertown.



As Christmas lights went on after Thanksgiving, winter caught a pass from autumn. Shops and shoppers swung into that stepped-up rhythm that lasts only a few fleeting weeks in December. With good harvests, good health, and good spirits, folks began thronging into stores, bearing away armloads of gaily wrapped packages both short and tall, round and oblong.

In addition to the usual flurry of gift-buying, however, this season promises a rich undertone of deeper Christian meaning. It is reflected in little ways. There is less pushing, less tenseness among shoppers. Parents take time to enjoy the honest pleasure of a child examining a new toy at a counter. Drivers behind the wheels of automobiles are more considerate, both of other drivers and of pedestrians too lost in holiday planning to watch out for traffic.

Families who expect to be together for Christmas accept their good fortune. At the same time, they remember the plight of the neighbor with recent sadness, of the fellow who is far away from home. Parents who are prosperous give thanks for the special blessings that enable them to bring up their own children in an atmosphere of happiness and plenty. But they know these blessings are special.

In a world filled with scientific wonders - and sometimes frightening possibilities - the warm, tender human relations have taken on additional beauty. And as the physical world man's feeling of kinship, with like-minded human beings in other land increases. Who knows? The Christmas season of 1958 may begin a revival of that ancient Christmas message. On earth peace, good will toward men.

Eastern Star Dinner Will Be Held Tonight

The annual Eastern Star Christmas dinner of the Floydada Chapter will be held tonight in Masonic Hall starting promptly at six o'clock. All members and their families are invited to attend.

This is the date also for the official visit for the Deputy Grand Matron, Mrs. Francis Austin of Plainview.

CHURCH PARTY ANNOUNCED

The Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church will hold their annual Christmas party Monday night starting at 7:30.

All women of the church are invited to attend.

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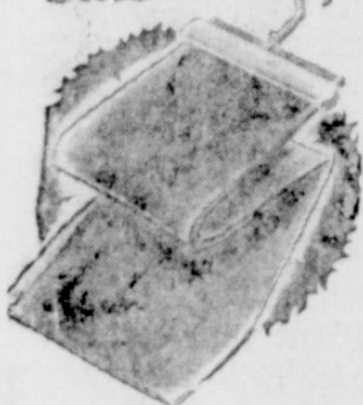
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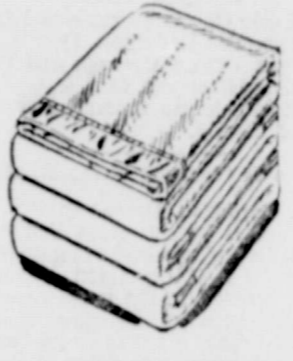
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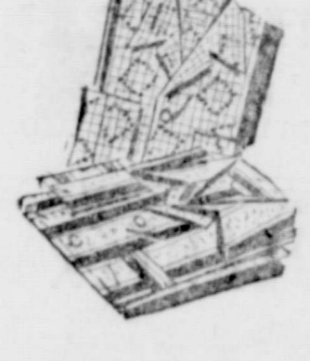
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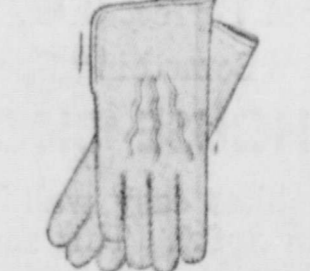
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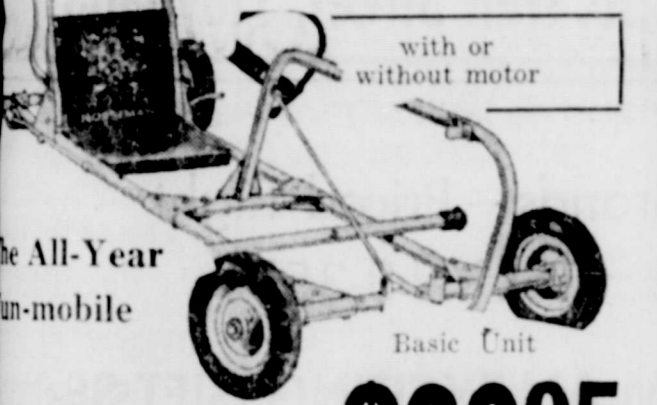
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Speaker Tells Mother's Part in Church Life

Mrs. Bryan Edwards, outstanding speaker and church woman of Lubbock talked Sunday at the First Christian Church as the feature of the congregation's observance of Woman's Day sponsored by the women of the church.

The attendance was gratifying and Mrs. Edwards was well received. Her talk pertained to the mother in everyday life of her children and her husband at home, in the church and the community.

"The life the parents lead the children will follow," Mrs. Edwards said.

Others on the program included Mrs. W. D. Reaves, Mrs. Edward Wester, Mrs. Dan Hagood, Mrs. Geo. Van Wickle, Mrs. Rex Brown, Mrs. J. C. Wester, Mrs. Harry Morekel, Mrs. Hazel Bradley, Mrs. D. W. Fyffe, and Mrs. Kinder Farris, president of the Christian Women Fellowship.

The noted speaker was accompanied to Floydada by her 15-year-old son, Phil. Following the day's program Mrs. Edwards and Phil were honored with a dinner at the Commercial Hotel. Doing the honors were Mr. and Mrs. Kinder Farris, Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Reaves, Mrs. Victoria Asher, Mary Kay Asher, Mrs. Don Barrow and Mrs. Ed Wester and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gamble of Tulsa, Okla. spent from Thursday until Saturday in Floydada, guests of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Virgle Shaw. On Saturday Mrs. Shaw accompanied her brother and wife to Lubbock where they visited with an uncle, A. N. Gamble and family.

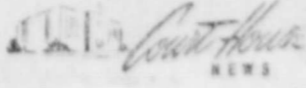
Guest Minister Leading Revival At Local Church

Rev. Ward Gregg of Loveland is leading an inspiring revival at the First Christian Church. Each meeting has been well attended with an increase in the attendance during the week. The meeting will continue through December 14, and all wishing to attend are extended an invitation to do so.

Rev. Gregg has been pastor of the Loveland Church for the past two years having served two pastorships previously in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Gregg has been serving as organist during the revival, accompanying Mrs. W. D. Reaves at the piano.

Meetings are being held each evening at 7:30.



In County Court

Fines totalling \$230 plus costs of court were assessed in county court in three liquor cases during the week. In addition one 24-day jail sentence and two 30-day jail sentences were set by the judge. One of the cases was possession of liquor for sale in a dry area and two for driving while intoxicated.

The 24-day jail sentence was on a plea of guilty to driving a vehicle without the consent of the owner.

10th District Court

Cases filed:
J. H. Miers et al vs Clarence Wayne Bennett. Suit for damages, transferred from Comanche County on Plea of Privilege.
Joe Reyna vs Armanda Enriquez Reyna. Suit for divorce.
Martin Habratsch vs. Wataash Fire & Casualty Insurance Co. Suit for damages.
Sarina Griffith vs. Bobby Ray Griffith. Suit for divorce.
Cases tried:
Tessie Jo Clark et al vs. Billie Miles Pitt. Suit in Trespass to try



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In Probate Court

In the matter of the estate of Wayne Bybee, on application for community administration, order entered approving inventory of the estate and bond qualifying June Bybee as administratrix.

In the matter of the estate of R. M. McCauley, application filed for probate of will.

In the matter of the estate of R. B. Mitchell, order entered probating will and appointing Anna J. Mitchell independent executrix. Inventory of the estate as made by E. L. Norman, T. T. Hamilton and C. A. Guffee approved.

Warranty Deeds

E. T. Thurman et ux to Faustine Perot et ux, a tract of land containing five-eighths of an acre out of the R. M. Emerson 160 acre Survey No. 7 in block SC, Floyd Co.

Billy Joe Ferguson et ux to Will Threlkell et ux, lot 6 in block 33 in the original town of Floydada.

Charles N. Legar et ux to Wilson P. Kermackel, the south 20 feet of lot 4, all of lots 9 and 10 in block 7 Walling Addition in Lockney, \$1.10 stamps.

Raymond Rucker et ux to W. O. Newberry et ux, 320 acres being the west one-half of Survey 81 in block G, \$32.20 stamps.

F. B. Estep et ux to William Rudolph McCurdy, 192.2 acres out of Section 25, B.S.&F RR in Floyd County, \$19.25 stamps.

Floyd County Memorial Park to Lee W. Burton et ux, Garden I, block 32, lots 7 and 8 in block No. 70.

Eina Glover Bryant to Robert Herandez, lots 11, 12 and 13, in block 14, Grant and Ramsey Addition in Lockney, \$2.20 stamps.

Marriage Record

Roberto Garcia Cortinas and Angelita Gonzales Rodriguez, Dec. 3.
James Dillard Hornage and Pearl Mae Armstrong, Dec. 5.
Ernesto Martinez and Mar Lou Martin, Dec. 5.

Notice to Creditors of the Estate of J. C. Covington, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the Estate of J. C. Covington, Deceased, were granted to the undersigned F. M. Covington on November 24, 1958, by the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, his residence being at Dougherty, in Floyd County, Texas.

All persons having claims against such Estate are hereby required to present the same to such Administrator within the time prescribed by law. His post office address is Dougherty, Texas. This 1st day of December, 1958.

F. M. COVINGTON
Administrator of the Estate of J. C. Covington, Deceased.

MRS. SHIPLEY REACHES HOME

Mrs. D. D. Shipley is back in Floydada having returned this week from Corpus Christi where she visited with a son, Packer Shipley and family.

Mrs. Shipley had been for the past two months in New England until

returning by plane two weeks ago to Dallas. She was met there by Parker.

Mrs. Shipley commented, "I got out of those states up there just in time. They really had a snowstorm this week." Altho enjoying her jaunt she was glad to be back in her own surroundings.

HARMONS SEE NEW GRAND DAUGHTER WHILE IN DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon were in Dallas over the week-end. Mr. Harmon returning home Sunday. Mrs. Harmon remained with the Don Skaggs family to get acquainted with their new daughter, Shelley La-

Don, born Nov. 29, and weighed pounds and one ounce.

Mrs. Skaggs is the former Harmon. Her husband tragically died. Mr. and Mrs. Harmon have another daughter, Margaret, age 21 months. Mrs. Harmon plans to return to Dallas for about another year.



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Dr. J. G. Pruitt is back home with his family after spending some time in Farmington with his mother and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Heflin of Plainview were guests over the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dorris Jones.

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Miladies Holiday Party Scheduled For December 19

WCSA Announces Silver Tea Dec. 17

Christmas Music Features Meeting of Wesleyan Guild

Belew - Burleson Vows Exchanged In Dallas Church

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church is giving a Silver Tea December 17 in the church parlor, and extends a cordial invitation to all women in the area.

Mrs. O. G. Glassmoyer will make Christmas arrangements, and Mrs. J. M. Wilson Jr., narrate the story and significance of each plant and figure used.

The program will begin at 3 p. m. with serving at 2:30 p. m. and 3:30 p. m. so that guests may choose their hours. Everyone is welcome.

KITCHEN SHOWER IS GIVEN FOR DECEMBER BRIDE-ELECT

Miss Vanda Carter was feted recently in the home of Mrs. Larry Glassmoyer with a kitchen shower, honoring her before her December marriage to Keith Burham of Muleshoe.

Hostesses for the occasion were DeLene Witkowski, Cheryl Crawford, Sherri West, Sandra Jarrett and Sonja Beth Glassmoyer.

Out of town guests were Misses Elaine Evans, Muleshoe, Lynn Thompson, Houston, and Annette Rose, Lubbock.

Mrs. E. J. Womack was hostess last Thursday for an all day meeting and luncheon for members of Miladies Club.

Mrs. W. A. Lovell, president, presided at the meeting. Roll call was answered with Christmas decorating ideas.

Plans were made for the club's annual Christmas party scheduled to be held on the night of Dec. 19, starting at 7 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Lovell. Gifts are to be exchanged and families of the members will be special guests.

Attending Thursday's meeting were the hostess, the president, and Mrs. H. F. Pratt, E. L. Judy, Virgie Warren, W. A. Amburn, E. J. Womack, Miss Wilma Judy and children of Mrs. Warren.

Club will convene next on the second Thursday of the month instead of the first Thursday due to a conflicting date. Members are urged to remember this change.

The mother of Rev. Clyde Spann left Floydada Monday to return to her California home after visiting in this area and near Wichita Falls for the past two months.

Special Christmas music by Mrs. I. H. Christensen and a group of high school girls was a feature of the Wesleyan Service Guild meeting Monday evening.

Girls taking part on the program of singing were Pat Stewart, Carolyn Duna, Etaine Anderson, Ella Mae Cagle, Joyce Morren, Sallye Parks, Darlinda Crawford, Wren Patterson, Joan Hendricks, Linda Withers, Dorothy Robertson, Francis Parks and Sandra Wright.

The meeting was in the home of Mrs. J. B. Bishop. Mrs. G. M. Armstrong was leader for the program on "Ministries in Music," given by Mrs. John McKinney, Mrs. L. F. Martin and Mrs. T. J. Hutchins.

Mrs. J. D. Colville introduced the new study, "Understanding Other Cultures," by Ina Corinne Brown.

Mrs. McKinney president had charge of the brief business meeting. The Guild is to meet again on Jan. 12 with Mrs. H. D. Bloodworth.

Members present Monday were Mrs. Loren Leibfried, E. E. Hinson, T. J. Hutchins, Bill Baker, J. D. Colville, M. L. Solomon, John McKinney, L. F. Gresham, Bryant H. D. Bloodworth, L. F. Martin, G. M. Armstrong, P. A. Genson, J. W. Adams, J. W. Reese and the hostess, Mrs. Bishop.

The marriage of Miss Lon Jean Belew of Dallas, Tex., daughter of Mrs. Blix Belew and H. L. Belew of Woodward, Okla., and Stanley Burleson of Floydada, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burleson was solemnized Nov. 28 in "The Little Church," chapel in the Central Christian church in Dallas.

Dr. E. C. Rowan officiated at the double-ring ceremony, and traditional wedding music was presented by Mrs. Newell Faulkner of Arlington, Tex. Gene Frewitt of Houston sang "The Lord's Prayer" as the couple knelt at the altar.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a two-piece white wool cashmere dress with white accessories, a shoulder length veil and carried a white Bible topped with white roses and white ribbons.

The church was decorated with white mums and white candles.

Miss Wilma Frewitt of Dallas was the bride's only attendant. She wore a two-piece wool suit of deep blue with matching accessories. Her flowers were of the palest yellow gladioli buds.

Paul Belew, brother of the bride, served as usher and also as the candlelighter.

W. E. Burleson served his son as best man.

The bride's mother chose a powder blue with white accessories and wore a white gladioli corsage.

The reception was in the home of Mrs. Fannie Farmer, a great aunt of the bride.

There were white mums throughout the house. The bride's table was centered with a three-tiered, all white wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom. White candles in crystal holders were tied with white satin bows and streamers on which the names Stan and Jeanie were written.

After the bride and groom cut the cake, Miss Joyce Shellenbarger served it and Mrs. Nelen Depew, cousin of the bride, poured the punch. Miss Marjorie Burleson, sister of the groom, was in charge of the guest book and assisted at the reception.

For traveling the bride chose a blue and green wool plaid costume with avocado green accessories. Her flowers were the palest yellow roses.

The couple had a short wedding trip through South Texas.

The bride has been employed for the past year as a reservationist for Braniff Airlines in Dallas. Mrs. Burleson graduated from Woodward A&M College in Oklahoma.

The bridegroom owns and operates a farm and ranch near Floydada where the couple will make their home.

Christmas Dinner For Southwestern Employes Planned

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ainsworth will be hosts Saturday evening at their home, 222 West Grover, to members of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company staffs of Lockney, Tuliz and Floydada exchanges.

Wives and husbands and their families will be guests.

About 35 are expected to attend the Christmas dinner and party, beginning at 7 o'clock.

Vernon Rites Held For Mrs. C. Estes

Claud N. Estes, Panhandle Warehouse supervisor of Floydada, was called to Vernon recently by the death of his step-mother, Mrs. Claude Estes, 46, who was killed in her car about nine miles east of Brown on a Farm to Market Road.

She was alone in the car which evidently went out of control on the shoulder of the road, swerved, hit an embankment and overturned.

Mrs. Estes had been a resident of Vernon since 1936 and was married to Claud Estes in Electra in 1946. Rites were conducted in Vernon Tuesday of last week following her death on Sunday.

Survivors include her husband, two sons, one daughter and four step-children including Claud of Floydada.

EXPECT CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Price are readying for the Christmas holidays as they are expecting their children home with them. One daughter will be unable to be here due to the distance.

Those expected include Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davis and family of Houston; Mrs. Otha Noves and family of Enid, Okla., and her son, Gary, who is stationed with the Navy in San Diego, Calif.; Mrs. Price's mother, Mrs. Tom Taylor of Throckmorton, and a sister, Mrs. George Bentley and Mr. Bentley of Grand Falls, Tex.

T. P. COLLINS DUE HOME THIS WEEK-END FROM WICHITA

Travis P. Collins called from Wichita Falls Tuesday and reported that he was doing nicely but after a check-up with his doctors it was decided it would be best that Mr. Collins remain for another check-up today before he returns to Floydada.

Mr. Collins underwent eye surgery in a Wichita Falls Hospital a week and a half ago and was dismissed last week. He and Mrs. Collins are visiting in that city with their son Pat and his family until the doctors give them the OK to return to Floydada.

SECOND SUNDAY SINGING

Regular Second Sunday Singing at the Nazarene Church will be held Sunday Dec. 14, at 2 p. m. Out of county singers will be there. Everyone is invited.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in Peoples Hospital this week include V. C. Harwood, T. M. Noland, T. J. Campbell, Mrs. Carl Jarrett, Tex Morren, and Mrs. Jimmy Rogers and baby girl. All are reported in good condition.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown and children, Vicki and Jo Dean, of Lubbock, visited with Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McLain last Sunday.

Mrs. M. O. Fields returned Sunday from Anson where she has been for three weeks visiting with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Berry Norman. Mr. Norman has been ill for some time but was improving prior to Mrs. Fields' departure. Mrs. Fields also visited with two other daughters and their families in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Richardson spent Friday night in Idaho with their daughter, Mrs. Dale Tamer and family and spent the remainder of the week-end in Lubbock at a church convention returning to Floydada on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Teague, Rodney and Keith, accompanied by Juanel Wood attended the L. C. C.—Wayland basketball game in Lubbock Tuesday night. L. C. C. won over Wayland 92-36 with James Teague and Dale Glach high point men with 27 points each.

Christmas Ideas Are Advanced At 1929 Study Club

The home of Mrs. Fred Battey was the setting for a regular meeting of the 1929 Study Club Thursday afternoon. Roll call was answered with Christmas ideas.

Members brought material for showing how to make attractive Christmas packages and bows. Different ways of tying and wrapping gifts were explained. Mrs. Tate Jones demonstrated her tree decorations made from drained egg shells painted with various designs and fixed with dainty lace and ties with which to attach to the Christmas tree.

Gifts were brought to Thursday's meeting that were sent to the State Hospital at Wichita Falls with wrapping and ribbon.

Mrs. Henry Willis poured tea from the dining room table and served to Miss Phyllis Rogendorf, guest of the club and members, Mrs. Hollis R. Bond, Fred Battey, R. E. Fry, O. G. Glassmoyer, Paul Huntington, Tate Jones, Jack Jordan, J. G. Martin, J. D. McBrien, Lee Rushing, and Mrs. J. B. Smitherman.

At the meeting on Dec. 11 with Mrs. J. B. Smitherman, guests on program will be Rev. DeWitt Seago, pastor of the First Methodist Church, and Mrs. J. D. McBrien.

Afternoon Tea Is Compliment To Vanda Dale Carter

The lovely home of Mrs. Bill Darden was the setting for an afternoon tea Thursday honoring Miss Vanda Dale Carter, bride-elect of Mr. Keith Burham of Muleshoe.

In the receiving line with Mrs. Darden were the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Ernest C. Carter, and the mother of the bridegroom Mrs. Dale Burham of Muleshoe.

Mrs. Russell King regereed guests at a small table holding pink candles surrounded with wedding bells and flanked by kissing angels.

Mrs. Larry Glassmoyer, Mrs. Jackie Jarrett and Mrs. Johnny Vest were assisted at a Silver Tea service by Mrs. L. D. Britton and Mrs. Grady Walker.

The bridal table was laid with a handmade white organdy and lace cloth bearing a center arrangement of a crystal epergne holding pink candles, pink carnations and American Beauty roses, carrying out the bride-elect's chosen colors of blush and pink and American Beauty red.

Assisting at the party were Mrs. Darden, Russell King, L. D. Britton, Sam Fowler, Bob Collier, Jimmy Wilson, Earl Crawford, Jim Word, Grady Walker, Gene Collins Sr., B. P. Sandefur and Mrs. Nolen Cope of Lamesa.

Shower Compliments Mrs. Robert Landry

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. Robert Landry (nee June Hartline) was given Friday evening in the Colonial Dining room on Ross Street. She received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Ruth Perry, W. O. Baker, John Hinsley, Willie Sandefur, Frank Dunn, J. E. Green, R. C. Ross, Mrs. Hall, W. M. Jackson, Leo Frizzell, Ann Cook, Nolan Arney, Henry Price, J. D. Welborn, Charles Horton, W. C. Plumlee, Hal Thomas, F. O. Conner and Robert Day.

The hostess gift was a Queen Elizabeth bedspread.

Mr. and Mrs. Landry are making their home in Plainview where both are employed.

Troth Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wicks Jr. of Ralls announce the engagement of their and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Helen, to James H. Jamerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jamerson of the McCoy community. Vows will be repeated at the Ralls First Methodist Church on March 13.

Miss Wicks is a freshman at Texas Tech and her fiancé is a former Tech student and presently engaged in farming in the McCoy community.

ARM HEALING NICELY

Vickie Jarboe was taken to Lubbock Monday by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Jarboe, after it was discovered her arm had an infection where the pins were removed last week from a broken bone.

Vickie was rather sick Monday night with a stomach disorder, but was said to be doing better Tuesday. The arm is believed to be healing nicely.

Marvin Davis of Houston stopped over in Floydada for breakfast and a short visit with his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Price, Monday morning. Mr. Davis was enroute to California on business. The Davis family are planning to be in Floydada with the Prices for Christmas.

SOCIETY

Bonnet Xmas Date Will December 19

Jarrett was hostess in her home for members of the Blue Bonnet Club.

Completed for their party at which the members are expected from Dec. 18. The party will be in the home of Mrs. Dennis Dempsey.

Games of bingo were given by Mrs. Pete Kendrick, and Mrs. Kear-

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FLOYDADA

Brother of Poteet Dies At Matador

Funeral rites for Louis C. Poteet of Matador, brother of Calvin Poteet of South Plains, were held yesterday afternoon in the First Methodist Church at Matador with interment in East Mound Cemetery there.

Poteet, 63, employee of Matador Automotive Co., at Matador for 27 years, was found dead a few feet from his pickup in a pasture on the C. M. Glenn farm, where he was hunting. Death was attributed to a heart attack.

Discovery of the body was by Mrs. Poteet the former Audie Moore, who along with the deputy sheriff of Matador, was searching for Mr. Poteet. He had been a resident of Motley County since coming there in 1893 with his parents.

Survivors in addition to his brother, Calvin, are his wife, Mrs. Poteet, Mrs. J. E. Poteet of Matador, a daughter, Mrs. Dave Beeden of California, two sisters, Mrs. Carl Ingram of Crosbyton, and Mrs. T. R. Jones of McAdoo, and two grandchildren.

South Plains

(By Mrs. Murray Julian)

SOUTH PLAINS, Dec. 8—Christmas plans for assembling of the 4-H Club, the Junior and Senior Home Demonstration Clubs with school and Sunday School parties and gatherings are all in the air at this time. School will be out for the Christmas and New Year Holidays from Dec. 19 to Jan. 5, and the next P.T.A. meeting will be held at the school house with Mrs. Roy Bledsoe giving a book review on Jan. 9.

Many are still on the sick list here, but Gary Morrison was able to be back in school Monday after missing a week of school on account of a cold and the flu. Diane and Carl, children of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bean are just now getting over a case of the measles.

Church attendance was down to 70 last Sunday at the Baptist Church with many gone over the week-end. Mrs. Roy Bledsoe and Bill on Sunday night. Larry Smithman, I. B. and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hopper and child ren and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Morrison at church. James Teague of Floyd ada was noted among the visitors.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Upton and baby, Eugene Beedy from WTSC at Canyon, and Miss Donita Milton of Lubbock were home over the week-end with their parents here.

Many from here also attended the Christmas Parade on Wednesday afternoon in Floydada as the Christmas season was ushered in with hosts of bright Christmas themes of the Nativity and characters from fairyland. South Plains Senior Home Dem. Club had a float in the parade, and everyone enjoyed the afternoon.

Thursday several men from here went to Amarillo to spend the day at a meeting with the head of the Pioneer Gas Company in this territory. Going from here with L. T. Wood, were John Key West, Murray Julian, Leighton Teague and E. J. Sinslow. Sterling Cummings also attended the meeting with his family who spent the day in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy were hosts at a dinner in their home on Friday night which honored Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wood on their wedding anniversary.

Among those from here who attended the coffee at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Burleson with Mrs. W. E. Burleson acting as hostess were Mrs. Raymond Upton, Mrs. Carl Craig, Mrs. L. T. Wood and Mrs. Bryant Higginbotham. The coffee was held on Saturday morning, Dec. 6, between the hours of 9 and 11 with many coming from towns around to get acquainted with Mrs. Stanley Burleson, from Dallas, recent bride. Coffee, sand tarts, mints and nuts were served from silver appointments.

The Senior Home Dem. Club will have its annual Christmas party at the school recreation room on Monday night, Dec. 13, with members bringing their husbands as guests. There will be a gift exchange, and a Christmas tree and games of forty-two will be enjoyed during the evening. Free coffee will be served. Hostesses for the occasion are Mrs. R. G. Dunlap, Mrs. John Key West, Mrs. Sylvie Kinnibrugh and Mrs. Shelby Calahan.

4-H Club leader, Mrs. Roy Bledsoe, has announced a Christmas party and banquet for all the 4-H members and prospective members at South Plains. The banquet will be held on Dec. 18, at 6 o'clock at the school house with a Christmas tree and games during the evening. No one will want to miss the Christmas banquet and fun on Thursday night.

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Dear Santa, I am a boy seven years old and in the second grade. I would like to have a Roy Rogers cowboy suit, a tent and a Daisy cowboy outfit. Please remember all the other boys and girls. With Love, Joe Mack Jarnagin.

Dear Santa, I am a little girl seven years old. For Christmas I would like a bride doll, a black board, and a doll house. Love, Sherron McCravey.

Dear Santa, I am a first grade student. I have been a good girl and I would like a collection doll, cook stove, ice box, and a tea set. I will surely thank you. Be sure and bring Kim some toys, also mits, candy and fruit. Love, Jean Meri Campbell.

Dear Santa, Please bring me a fire truck, a Tiny Tears doll, a jacket, a truck with policeman, doll dishes and records. Thank you, Love, Stephanie Jo Arwine.

Dear Santa, I want another bear, please, and a holster with two cap guns. And I can find one. My brother Kirk wants an airplane; Ann wants a big pink noodle and Sally wants a dog like they have in the catalog. Thank you. Love, Kreis McIntosh, age 6.

Dear Santa Claus, I am a boy seven years old. I am in the second grade. My teacher is Mrs. Phillips. I would like a pistol with a rifle handle and a long barrel to fit on it, and lots of fruit and nuts. Don't forget all the other little children. With Love, Keith Norrell James. He wants a fountain pen and a basket ball.

Dear Santa Claus, I want a tiny tears doll and a bride dress and anything else you want to bring me. Jill Clark.

Dear Santa, Please bring me a record player, steam shovel and tonka pickup. Bring my baby brother Quinn a ball, pull toy, and a snowsuit. Bring my mother and daddy something nice. Be good to all little boys and girls. Love, Craig Du Bois Floydada, Tex.

Dear Santa, Please come to see me at 722 W. Grover St., Floydada, Tex. I would like for you to bring me a stove, a refrigerator, a doll and a record player. Please bring my big brother and my little dog some gifts, too. I want to wish everyone everywhere a Merry Christmas. I love you, Janet Kassahn

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District Nine Baptists Meet At Littlefield

The convention sermon for the District Nine Convention of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, tomorrow at First Baptist Church, Littlefield, will be preached by Ed Brooks Howles, pastor of the first church of Floydada at 11:30. His subject will be "Deepest Need of the Hour."

A program of deep interest to Baptists of the district is planned. Among the discussions at the convention will be one at 11 o'clock preceding the Howles sermon. Blanco Canyon Baptist encampment grounds and the work of E. D. Margan, its manager, will be discussed, with Franklin E. Swanner, District Missions Secretary, leading.

Among the speakers also will be Rev. Roy C. McClung, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Plainview, whose message at 3 o'clock in the afternoon will climax the day-long program.

A number of local Baptist laymen are expected to attend the convention.

Lakeview News

(By Mrs. F. B. Estep)

LAKEVIEW, Dec. 8 — There was a good crowd at church Sunday morning. A mission program was presented at the regular preaching hour.

Mrs. Clifford Helms gave the life of Lottie Moon, Miss Wren Patterson of Floydada sang a solo and our guest speaker was Miss Janet May of Wayland. Miss May's home is in Columbia. She gave her testimony and the background of her life and the conditions that exist in Columbia and neighboring islands.

Everyone that missed her talk missed a blessing.

Another part of the program which was greatly enjoyed was a quartet composed of Brother Law, Fay Hart, Mrs. Nichols and Mrs. Appling with Mrs. Hart at the piano.

Lunch was served at the church. Visitors in the church were Miss Janice May, Candy Lopez of Wayland, Wren Patterson and Mrs. Travis Jones of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hart and David and Mrs. Nichols.

Lakeview Home Demonstration Club will meet Thursday, Dec. 11, with Mrs. Joyce Williams as hostess.

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Rotary Christmas Party Dec. 13

The annual Christmas party of the Floydada Rotary Club will be held the evening of December 13.

Floydada High School Cafeteria has been engaged for the event, said Joe Gadden, president of the club, this week.

Guy W. Ginn, Arthur L. Wylie, T. E. Daniel and R. B. Ross are planning the event. Wives of the members will be special guests.

Yesterday Rotary members of Floydada Club heard Douglas Degge, supervisor of the Floyd County Nuisous Weed Control District, tell of progress to date in the county program.

Intensive study and experiments in methods of birdweevil control are being carried on now, Degge said.

News of Broadway

(By Mrs. T. E. Thornhill)

BROADWAY, Dec. 8 — What a beautiful morning on this Dec. 8. How we are made to think back to December 1941, the next day after bombing of Pearl Harbor. We were all in a state of shock and now seventeen years later it is still a terrible thing to think about.

We are again made to realize the awful tragedies of war. How we pray that the unrest of the world today can be truly settled with peace. We know if the world would turn to Christ this could be accomplished.

Let us look forward to this Christmas season with love in our hearts for Christ and our fellow man.

Mrs. D. D. Thornhill visited awhile Wednesday evening of last week with Mrs. M. R. Givens.

Little Diann Sudduth spent several days last week with her grandparents, the A. D. Whalons while her father, Richard Sudduth was in the Crockett Hospital results of the accident. Richard lost the two middle fingers on his left hand. We are so sorry to learn of his misfortune, but so very glad it was no worse, since he could so easily have lost an arm.

Ben Beckham and P. Z. Thornhill think they hit it pretty rough all last week. Every time it was too damp or too cold to go to the field, we had a room ready for them to help us hang paper in. But we sure were glad to get it done.

Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Rainbolt and children, Marcia, Doug and Jan, Mrs. A. L. Winegar, and Robert and Georgia Ann, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Thornhill and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Beckham ate supper with the T. E. Thornhills. At one time in the evening there were two games of pitch, a sorry game and a game of checkers going and others were watching TV. You never saw a gang having more fun or making more noise.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dutton of Ralls were Sunday callers of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Whalen.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Thornhill visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Miller of Croton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt McClure have a new Pontiac which they purchased last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald McClure and daughters were Sunday dinner guests of the Hoyt McClures.

Sunday visitors in the R. M. Spence home in Floydada were Mr. and Mrs. Newman of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Thornhill and Tommy, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Rainbolt, Doug, Jan and Marcia, and Mrs. A. L. Winegar, Georgia Ann and Robert.

Mrs. Hoyt McClure says she finished up her Christmas shopping on Tuesday of last week. Every year we are going to do our shopping early but somehow we never do.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hawkins of Chico, and Kirk Edwards of Henrietta, spent last week-end in Floydada, guests in the homes of Mrs. Lou V. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson. Mr. Hawkins is a brother and Mr. Edwards a cousin of Mrs. Smith.

Baker News

(By Mrs. R. A. Colston)

BAKER, Dec. 9 — Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bradford and Danny visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Houston Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Siner, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Colston and Teresa went shopping in Lubbock Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fawver spent Thursday night with Mrs. Fawver's sister, Mrs. Grace Hart of Amarillo.

Douglas Galloway visited Sunday afternoon with Ted Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Furgerson, Connie and Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Colston and Teresa were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Willis, Brenda and Karen.

Mrs. L. Y. Woolsey spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Colston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Leatherman, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Galloway and family visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Anderson and Ted.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Willis, Brenda and Karen, were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Jones, Jay and Joe.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McNeill and James, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Willis, Brenda and Karen and Mrs. Olin Lyles and Tommy visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Colston.

Grady Mason, Claude and Gilbert L. Fawver attended the Co-op meeting and luncheon at Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mason and Betty Sue of Plainview visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Mason.

Leda McNeill visited awhile Wednesday morning with Vancel Colston.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Willis visited Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Willis, Brenda and Karen.

Claude and Gilbert L. Fawver, Curtis Siner and Grady Mason made a business trip to Fort Worth first of the week.

Mrs. Grady Mason spent Monday night with Mrs. Claude Fawver.

Mrs. Curtis Siner, Will, Lee and Leslie, spent Monday night with Mrs. Gilbert L. Fawver and Doris.

Mrs. Iris Colston and Mrs. Raymond Colston went shopping in Lubbock, Monday.

A party honoring Connie Furgerson on her fifth birthday was given by her mother, Mrs. Ted Furgerson. The event took place Saturday afternoon, December 6, Connie received many nice gifts.

The rooms were decorated for Christmas. Santa Claus cake, ice cream and punch were served. Plate favors were reindeer.

Those enjoying the occasion were Joe and Jay Jones of Dougherty, Ricky Biggs of Lockney, Will, Lee and Leslie Siner, Brenda and Karen Willis, Teresa Colston, Mrs. Travis Jones, Mrs. Elmer Biggs, Mrs. Curtis Siner, Mrs. Kenneth Willis and Mrs. J. B. Colston.

D. L. Hargis spent Thursday to Sunday with a sister Mrs. Thura Johnston of Fort Worth. The sister has been ill since suffering a fall recently.

YOUR COUNTY AGENT

(By Cecil Lewis)

Grain Sorghum: There are probably many who have adequate water for their sorghum when following with cotton or grain sorghum. Many questions have been asked as to when is the best time to add fertilizer to the stubble.

The use of fertilizer will probably pay when we have adequate water for our crops. When applied to sorghum stubble we have to decide how fast we want to get rid of our stalks. If we have land that is subject to wind erosion we probably need to leave the residue in the top part of our soil, then if we are going to fertilize, apply it between 2 and 3 weeks before our regular planting date.

A 5000-pound grain sorghum crop requires from 70 to 90 pounds of nitrogen. An average field of Grain Sorghum will produce between 2 and 2 1/2 tons of stubble per acre and it will take about 20 to 30 pounds of nitrogen to rot one ton of stubble, so we would need between 40 and 75 pounds of actual nitrogen per acre.

In some research work carried on at the Lubbock Experiment Station 2 tons of stubble produced 673 pounds. Four tons produced 1224 pounds per acre as compared with 653 pounds of lint per acre on no sorghum residue. The addition of 40 pounds of nitrogen to 4 tons of residue produced 711 pounds of lint.

To the farmers who are either rotating or having to use grain sorghum land for cotton this might be a good practice to check into.

By waiting until 2 to 3 weeks before planting to apply our fertilizer we can gain protection from wind and might prevent application of nitrogen on late planted cotton which always affects our income per acre.

Cotton: We have available at the County Agent's office a sheet whereby you can estimate the effect that Plan A and Plan B will have on your income. This sheet is just for estimating and should not be used as a final guide in making decisions.

Cotton: There will be a county wide committee meeting to make plans to develop a county wide control program, to be carried out over a 3 to 4 month period.

Further details will be announced at a later date.

INFANT BURIED WEDNESDAY

Graveside services were held in Lockney yesterday for Wesley Herbert Eiland, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley H. Eiland of Lockney.

The baby was born Monday in Lockney General Hospital and lived only a short time.

Survivors other than his parents include his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Eiland, Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hedlin of Plainview and Mrs. W. E. Eiland of Lockney and Mrs. J. M. Hedlin of Plainview are great grandparents.

TUPPERWARE PARTY HOSTESS

Mrs. Menard Field was hostess Monday night for a Tupperware party in her home. Showing and demonstrating the product was Mrs. Teresa Sutton of Silverton.

Mrs. Field served refreshments to Misses Sam Baker, Jewel Elza, Dub Hodge, Sibylle March, Adrain Field, John Galloway, Cotton Wilson, P. L. Orman, Olin Watson Jr., M. O. Fields, I. T. Graves, J. G. Pruitt, Parnell Powell, Don Barrow, O. M. Watson Sr., and Mrs. Lorene Crass of Silverton.

PLANS CHRISTMAS VISIT WITH SISTER NEAR CHICAGO

Mrs. C. M. Thacker has returned from an extended visit in Shreveport, La., with her daughter, Mrs. M. L. Lewis and family. Mrs. Thacker arrived in Floydada Tuesday and is now making preparation to leave on the 17th for Chicago, Ill., weather permitting.

While in that state, Mrs. Thacker will be guest for an indefinite time of her sister, Mrs. Edna Howl and family who make their home east of Chicago.

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Billy Wade Warren Is Named Airman of the Month at Frisco AFB

Billy Wade Warren is now an airman first class, stationed at Hamilton A. F. Base, San Francisco. He recently was given the new rating and also was named airman of the month for his squadron and airman for the month for the base.

Billy Wade is on his fourth year in the Air Force. He is scheduled to go to school for four months at Los Angeles, beginning in January.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Warren, of this city.

NEW GRANDDAUGHTER OF BARNARDS BORN NOV. 28

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barnard returned home Monday from Beville where they had been since before Thanksgiving visiting with their daughter and family, Commander and Mrs. M. W. Vineyard. Barbara Barnard stayed in Beville for a longer visit with her sister and family.

While the Barnards were at Beville they were presented with a new granddaughter, Nancy who was born November 23, Mr. Barnard's birthday. Nancy is the third child of Com. and Mrs. Vineyard. She weighed five pounds and ten ounces at birth and is reported doing fine as is her mother.

Nancy has a 12 year old brother, William, and a nine year old sister, Barbara.

The Vineyard family will be leaving Beville in January for San Diego, Calif., where the Commander will have a new station with the Navy.

BURIED AT TULIA SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Keim and Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith Jr., and children attended the funeral of Mrs. John Keim, 72, at Tulia Saturday afternoon at the First Methodist Church. Interment was made in the cemetery at Tulia.

Mrs. Keim was the widow of the late John Keim, a brother of A. B. Keim.

Four children survive the deceased.

MRS. RIGGLES HOME

Mrs. W. U. Riggles has returned from South Dakota where she had been for two months visiting with her son Oscar and family following the death of her husband.

Mrs. Riggles is getting settled in her new home her purchased before her trip.

Mrs. W. E. Sims spent Sunday in Lubbock with her son, Revis Harris and family.



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DON HARRIS PREACHES AT LAMESA CHURCH DEDICATION

Mrs. Wilson Kimble and John W. Kimble were in Lamesa Sunday where they attended the dedication service at the Presbyterian Church. The former pastor of the church, Rev. Don Harris of Baytown, son-in-law of Mrs. Kimble gave the address.

Mrs. Harris and children accompanied her husband to Lamesa, and all, including the Kimbles, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Claiborne, of that city.

Rev. Harris holds the pastorate of Baytown Presbyterian Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tyer and family spent Thanksgiving holidays in Snyder with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tyer.

HOLIDAY IN FT. WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. spent Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Nicholson, Max Lindsey and family other members of the family.

While in Fort Worth Mr. attended the Teacher's conf. Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Lillie Minter of S. Calif., and her daughter, Frank Hodges and baby, of Plainview were guests of last week in the home of Mrs. Joe Wilson.

Mrs. Kenneth Henson, Marty Brent of Plainview, Floydada Tuesday visiting parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. son and her grandmother John Wahl.

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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Vern Sanford

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

... shadowing many in the next Legislature the steady build-up of counter-proposals for public schools.

Teachers Association will go along with a 19-point legislative program. The Hale-Aikin Study Commission recommendations, though it omits a few H-A items, are more in line with the difference is that

TSTA calls for larger teacher salary raises. Present minimum starting salary is \$3,204. Hale-Aikin Commission recommends hiking this to \$3,800. TSTA is asking for \$4,000 for bachelor's degree holders, \$4,200 for those with a master's degree.

TSTA's salary increases would cost some \$10,000,000 a year more than the Hale-Aikin plan. Overall, enactment of the Hale-Aikin school improvement plan would cost the state an estimated

\$110,000,000, a year than is now being spent.

Other planks in the teachers' legislative platform are specific changes to expand or enrich school programs - driver education special programs for gifted children, more funds for small schools, etc. TSTA approved the Hale-Aikin proposal for lengthening the school year, but indicated it would not go all-out for it.

Because they call for new spending at a time when the state already is in the red, no one expects smooth sailing for the school proposals. Governor Daniel warned teachers that he could not foresee available money for all the program. Many legislators are haunted on the one hand by the need to dig up new money just to keep the state in business and on the other by campaign promises not to vote for certain kinds of new taxes. They're inclined to view new spending plans like smallpox germs.

On the other hand, advocates of school improvement constitute a large and very active group. And all such efforts gained tremendous new leverage when Sputnik I whizzed into orbit.

FOR BUSINESS SEEKING - Texas Industrial Commission is asking the Legislature for a \$100,000-a-year appropriation to be used in attracting new businesses to Texas.

Commission voted not to go into tourist promotion unless asked to by lawmakers.

Proposed budget allocates \$16,500 annually for an executive director's salary and \$75,000 a year for advertising in national publications. All this activity will be brand new to Texas, made possible Nov. 4 when voters removed an 82-year-old constitutional ban against spending state money for advertising.

Commission also announced that it is opposed to any plan of offering temporary local tax exemption as a sort of "prize" to new industries.

BACK TO WORK - For the first time in 1958, Texas non-farm employment broke the three-million mark in October.

Christmas rush and other gains may bring the number of workers to a new record high in December, according to the Texas Employment Commission.

Settlement of 13 labor-management disputes involving 9,749 workers contributed to the October employment peak of 3,001,400.

December's bright hopes are based on expectation of the usual retail job increases, more employment in

cotton processing due to a high per-acre yield, plus gains in manufacturing, transportation and school employment.

OLD AGE ROLLS SHORTER - Number of Texans receiving old age assistance payments dropped during the past year, but Texas still has a greater percentage of its population on state old age pensions than most other states.

State Welfare Department's report to the governor notes that an increase in the number of elderly persons receiving Federal Social Security payments is apparently causing the shrinkage in the state welfare rolls.

Despite this trend, Texas has 33.6 per cent of its 45-and-over population of the state pension rolls compared to a national average of 16.2 per cent. Texas' average payments are lower—\$47.06 per month compared to the national average of \$61.39.

During the past fiscal year the State Welfare Department paid out \$125,353,296 for old age pensions. Of this, 30 per cent was state funds, the rest federal.

JUDICIAL REVIEW UPHELD - Persons unhappy with State Water Board decisions may appeal to the courts, but not for a new trial starting from scratch.

State Supreme Court ruled that appeals from Water Board rulings may be considered only in the light of the evidence presented in the original hearing. In so ruling, the high court invalidated a provision in the water code providing for trial de novo (or anew).

At issue was a Water Board decision denying Southern Canal Co. of Houston permission to take water from the Trinity River. An Austin district judge had ruled that he did not have jurisdiction. Now the case can go back to district court for judicial review under the "substantial evidence" rule.

Effect of the Supreme Court decision could be far-reaching if applied to appeals from other administrative decisions. Heretofore, trial de novo has applied to appeals from the State Board of Insurance.

SHORT SNOOTS - Jack Jacobsen, Governor Daniel's top assistant, will leave this job Jan. 1 to enter private law practice in Austin. Jacobsen has been a close associate of the governor since the days when Daniel was attorney general. Texas Employment Commission Chairman S. Perry Brown has been reappointed by the governor for a new six-year term despite protests from labor groups. U. S. Dept. of Agriculture is recommending a 12 per cent cut in 1959 acreage allotments for spring potatoes in Texas. This would be 7,875 acres for next year compared to 9,000 in 1958. Texas Heritage Foundation President Paul Wakefield has petitioned President Eisenhower for a full pardon for one of Texas' most famous sons, the late William Sydney Porter, better known as short story writer O. Henry. Porter was convicted in federal court of embezzlement and served a prison term, but Wakefield declared there is "abundant proof of his innocence."

Wayland C. Rivers Jr. has resigned as an assistant to Attorney General Will Wilson and entered private practice in Austin. Texas draft quota for January will be 359 men, the lowest monthly call since December, 1957. It is to be filled with men who are 22 years of more by Jan. 1, except for volunteers and delinquents who may be younger. Department of Public Safety has begun the training of 70 new recruits at its Law Enforcement Academy. Graduates will be assigned to the Highway Patrol, Drivers License Patrol and Weight Patrol, all of which are undermanned.

News of Harmony

(By Mrs. Chloma Williams)

HARMONY Dec. 8-The Women's Society of Christian Service met Dec. 2 at 9 a.m. in the home of Mrs. M. D. Ramsey. "Everywhere, Everywhere Christmas" was the program conducted by Mrs. Ramsey. Mrs. William Finkner was pianist and Mrs. Raymond Williams led the songs. At the conclusion of the meeting a surprise birthday party was given Mrs. Sherwood Ramsey. A gift was presented Mrs. Marvin Smith, president.

Birthday cake, coffee and mints were served to those attending which were the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Ramsey. Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Sherwood Ramsey, Mrs. Joyce Davis and Jeanie, Mrs. William Finkner, Petersburg. Mrs. Raymond Williams and Rev. and Mrs. Phil Gates of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Tipton, Miss Anna Carr Petersburg.

Several attended the Santa Claus parade in Floydada Wednesday. Our home Demonstration club had a float in the parade.

Mrs. Wes Carpenter visited in the Mather Carr home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker and Mrs. Mather Carr were business visitors in Plainview Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Oswald of Muleshoe spent Monday night with their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pool. The Oswalds and Mr. Lee Turner, father of Mrs. Oswald and Mrs. Pool left for Dallas for a visit with relatives. Mr. Turner will remain over the Christmas holidays.

Several of the men have been enjoying quail hunting the past week.

Charles Carr of McMurray College, Abilene, came home over the week-end to visit relatives and friends.

Congratulations to the band on winning first again in the contest in Plainview Saturday.

Loyce Turner of Omaha, Nebr., and Wheeler Turner of Lubbock ate dinner Saturday in the R. B. Gary home. The Garys visited in Lubbock Sunday with the Turners. Loyce flies in from Omaha and will be here 3 or 4 days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Carr and Bill visited in Dumont Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pool visited the Byrum Stapletons in Petersburg Sunday.

The annual Christmas party of the Harmony Home Demonstration club will be Thursday December 11 at 6:30 p.m. at the center. There will be a Christmas tree and gifts exchanged.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Read were guests in the Chloma Williams home Sunday. Rev. Read preached both morning and night at the chapel.

Center News

(By Mrs. J. E. Green)

CENTER, Dec. 8 - Today dawned a bright sunny day, but a cold wind has sprung up from the east.

Sunday was warmer. We had at church with Brother Robert White two other Wayland students, Jim Reid of Abernathy who led the singing and Mary Nell Wyman from Roscoe, pianist. We appreciate these fine young people. They dined with the Greens.

Mrs. W. C. Plumlee is sick with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sims ate Thanksgiving dinner with their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs.



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Charles Horton and boys.

The Greens visited in the Charley Battey home Thursday evening. Other guests present were Mrs. Charley Neal of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Battey and Mrs. Ola Warren.

Other visits or calls the Greens made were to the D. I. Holdings Saturday afternoon and to Mrs. Joe Zvers Saturday evening. They also visited in the Reamer Rainer home Sunday afternoon. Reamer seems to be recovering satisfactorily but slowly, from his wreck in Missouri several weeks ago.

Margaret Dunn of Lubbock visited home folks Sunday.

Joe Lee Dunn is on the sick list and out of school this Monday.

Judging from the crowd in town Wednesday, 600 many people around town and country missed the Christmas parade. Surely everyone enjoyed it.

We, with the host of others, regret the passing of little Edna Hernandez. Her courage and devotion through her extended illness won for her many friends. Our sympathy is with the loved ones.

Come to church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McNeill and daughter, Janice, left Friday for Fort Worth and returned to Floydada Sunday. While in that section the family visited with Fred McNeill family, brother of Malcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Day spent the week-end in Amarillo visiting with his brother, H. S. Day and family.

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Did you know even in Christ's time here on earth that the religious people (Pharisees, Sadducees and such like) out-numbered many times more the true followers of Christ?

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EDITORIAL VIEWS AND COMMENT

What is it About America's foreign aid policy that is understood in Washington but not understood in Floydada? No doubt about it the people in this area are convinced that a tremendous amount of taxpayer money is wasted in various and sundry give aways from one end of the earth to another, a billion here, a half billion there, \$100 million, \$10 million, \$3.5 million, et cetera et cetera. Our Congressmen go to the capital apparently of the same opinion that "something should be done about it." No more than they get across the Patomac until they are also of the opinion along with official Washington that the grass roots beliefs are not well taken; after all the money does need to be spent—needed badly enough to take from 18 per cent at a minimum to a whopping 62 per cent of the income of the people of the nation. What is it they know that we don't know? Why can't we be told? Perhaps it would not do any good to try to tell us. The answer may be one of those they get from a giant computing machine.

After our vice president flew down to South America and was made the butt of one indignity after another in one country after another the data they newly have fed into the computer at Washington forecasts bigger and better spending below the equator. It may be a good augury that more of the outflow of taxpayers dollars is going to stay on this side of the Atlantic.

"Bold New Program." The Democratic National Committee is fashioning a "bold new program" which may be somewhat advanced for the slower thinking members of the party. We are somewhat critical for the reason that the advanced thinking is coming from the hierarchy of the party. Possibly the new proposals are coming from the ranks but not from the ranks with which we are familiar. President Truman, Adlai Stevenson and Paul Butler have been in conference with members of the National Committee. Mrs. R. D. Randolph, committee woman from Texas, indicates she will support the advanced thinking of the group, but doubts that Democrats of Texas will go all the way with the national leaders. The national party leaders are trying manfully to take the quarter-backing away from the congressional leaders.

School problems may take the No. 1 spot on the calendar of the legislature when it convenes in January, supplanting Water with a capital W. Sputniks, the Hale-Aiken Report and the well organized work of Texas State Teachers Association have brought public school affairs to the fore in a big way.

The teachers think the people of Texas can and should get the money for their increased pay. Taxpayers view the deficit and their already high tax bill and squirm. Who shall it be? What the teachers have in mind is approximately what the Hale-Aiken Committee has recommended. The increase comes to a figure well above \$100 million. The last two times increases in taxes have come along the corporations have taken the rap. That

is, corporations as such. Every type of industry in the state and almost every profession has an organization which swings into action to resist new taxes. Corporations as corporations have no organized front and "no friends in court." They may catch it again.

State School Budget. In connection with the teachers insistence on more pay we have wondered if the State Educational Agency, by whatever name it is now called, has checked through their budget to see that expenses have been cut to the minimum. We do not mean teacher salary cuts, we mean expense cuts, overlapping work, unnecessary officials and offices maintained. Floyd County is an instance where a considerable per centage of taxpayers think the educational system is carrying an unnecessary load by maintaining a county superintendent's office. We are not too well informed on what the department budgets for maintaining a superintendent's office in a county, how much work they get done, what the cost is per pupil, whether the work done can be handled more economically. Presumably the amount varies from county to county and there are 254 counties. Since the teachers take it on themselves to lecture the taxpayers for their parsimony, the teachers in turn should be able to justify the money they do spend at state and county level. All the taxpayer knows is what he thinks he sees. He begins to wonder if he is right in his judgment; wonder, too, if the operation at the county level is characteristic. Chance for the profession to get in a good lick by laying the cards on the table.

Every School Holocaust one reads about brings a shudder to parents with children in schools. The death trap in the parochial school in Chicago was reminder last week that school children need protection against such a disaster. In Floydada Public Schools the administration has been fire conscious for years. Drills are held at regular intervals and inspections are made of areas where rubbish and combustible materials could make a hazard. Naturally, the scare last week put the teachers on edge and they put the youngsters through their paces again to be doubly sure.

The Prison System hit it hard this year. More than a half million dollars worth of cotton was lost to the system in the floods. The income which the prison system lost in this manner will constitute a deficit, but a half million dollars is a small matter relatively speaking. Prison authorities had been in hopes that the state treasury would be in position this year to make some additions and improvements, sorely needed. Likewise more hospitals for persons with disturbed minds are in sore need. They should come first, no doubt, but prisoners of the state and people of unsound minds have no votes.

Youngsters certainly do brighten a home . . . you've never yet seen one turn off an electric light.

Kitchen and Field News

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by
NANCY MORCKEL

IF HE HAD NOT COME, just a simple Christmas story. It has been among my favorite Christmas stories now for many years—simple though it is, it reminds us all of something we sometimes tend to forget, the importance of keeping Christ in Christmas.

It was Christmas Eve—the one night in the year when 7-year-old Bobby was in a hurry to go to bed. His stocking was tucked in the mantel; the beautiful tree stood in the corner. He kissed his mother and father good-night. Then he raced upstairs and leaped into bed.

It seemed to Bobby that he hadn't been asleep any time when a harsh voice shouted, "Get up!" He opened his eyes, blinking in the bright sunlight. Then he remembered what day it was. With a joyful shout he hurried into his clothes and bounded down the stairs.

On the bottom step he stopped. No stocking hung from the mantel. The Christmas tree was gone, too. "But . . . but I put the paper angels on myself," Bobby began, when the shrill whistle from the factory nearby made him jump.

"The factory can't be open on Christmas!" Bobby thought as he put on his coat and ran out of the house. The gateman at the factory was his friend. He would tell Bobby why.

"Clear out of here, you!" The gateman jerked his thumb at him. "No kids allowed!"

As Bobby slowly turned to go, he saw the gateman's amazement that up and down the street all the stores were open. "Why are they open on Christmas?" he asked a woman coming out of the supermarket.

"Christmas!" the woman looked at him blankly. "What's that to a lady walking past?" Bobby cried. "At my church! There's a special service this morning!"

He started to run. Here was the street! At least he thought it was. But here was only a weed grown vacant lot. The tower with the carillon bells, the Sunday School windows where Bobby had passed so many times, there was nothing there at all.

Just then, from the tall grass near the side of the road, Bobby heard a moan. A man was lying on the ground. "A car struck me!" he gasped. "Never even stopped!"

"Help!" called Bobby to a lady walking past. "The man's hurt!" The lady jerked Bobby away. "Don't touch him! He doesn't live here. We don't know anything about him." She hurried away.

"I'll run to the hospital, mister," Bobby promised. "They'll send an ambulance!" and he tore off down the street.

"Hospital of the Good Samaritan." Bobby had often read the name over the archway in the great stone wall. But now the stone wall ran around an empty field. Where the name of the hospital had been, seas curved instead. **IF HE HAD NOT COME.**

Suddenly, Bobby was running home as if his life depended on it. Last night his father had read from the Bible! Maybe the Bible would tell him why everything was changed. The Bible was still lying on the table in the living room. Bobby snatched it up, ran upstairs to his room. But where the New Testament should have started, there were only blank pages. There was no Christmas story—no Jesus at all. Bobby flung himself on his bed and began to cry. It was his mother's voice from down stairs. "Aren't you getting up on Christmas morning?"

Bobby sprang out of bed and ran to the window. There was a Christmas wreath on the house across the street. And suddenly the carillon bells from the church tower began to ring. **JOY TO THE WORLD! THE LORD IS COME!**

"Here I come, Mother!" Bobby called. But he paused at the door and shut his eyes. "You came!" he whispered. "Thank You for coming!"

John E. Hutchison, College Station, Director Texas Agricultural Extension Service was the principal speaker.

Boys and girls from twenty counties, who were Gold Star Award winners for 1958, were all present, except one boy who was unable to attend to receive their awards. These awards were presented by W. H. Jones, District Agent, District II, and Mrs. Aubrey W. Russell, District Agent, District II.

Plate favors for the honorees were 4-H necklaces and perfume for the girls and 4-H pocket knives and handkerchiefs for the boys.

The banquet was well attended by the Gold Star boys and girls, their parents, adult leaders, Extension Service personnel and the representatives from twelve of the rural electric cooperatives, who were the hosts for the evening.

Here is a recipe that makes delicious Date Roll or Date Loaf candy if you would like to make it to have ready for Christmas.

Date Loaf Candy Recipe
6 cups sugar
2 cups Karo (white)

1/2 pound butter
1 large can evaporated milk
1 pound dates

Cook until a firm ball forms in cold water. Remove from fire and add 1 pound pecans, stir while mixture is cooking.

Beat until stiff enough to form into a roll or it may be poured up into a loaf pan.

When cool cut into desired pieces. This candy stores well and keeps nicely in the freezer for a long period of time.

The Live Better Electrically Kitchen Tour, in Silverton, on Sunday afternoon Dec. 7 sponsored by Order of the Eastern Star, was very nice. The beautiful homes and modern, convenient, electric kitchens were visited by many people the homes in the tour were:

Mrs. Clay Fowler and J. C. Mr. and Mrs. Ware Ferguson; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lightsey; Mrs. H. P. Ramsey; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Schott Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Storie; Mr. and Mrs. John E. Simpson; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Devenport.

Refreshments were served at the Devenport home.

WASHINGTON STATE VISITORS

Mrs. Mal Jarboe had the pleasure of entertaining her brother and his wife Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Willhite of Yakima, Wash., from Friday until this mid-week. The families hadn't been together for over twelve years.

While in the state of Texas Mr. and Mrs. Willhite will visit other relatives and enroute home will stop in the State of Oklahoma to visit with brothers and sisters there.

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Thanks to everyone for flowers, gifts, letters and making my pre-holiday trip to the hospital a pleasant one.
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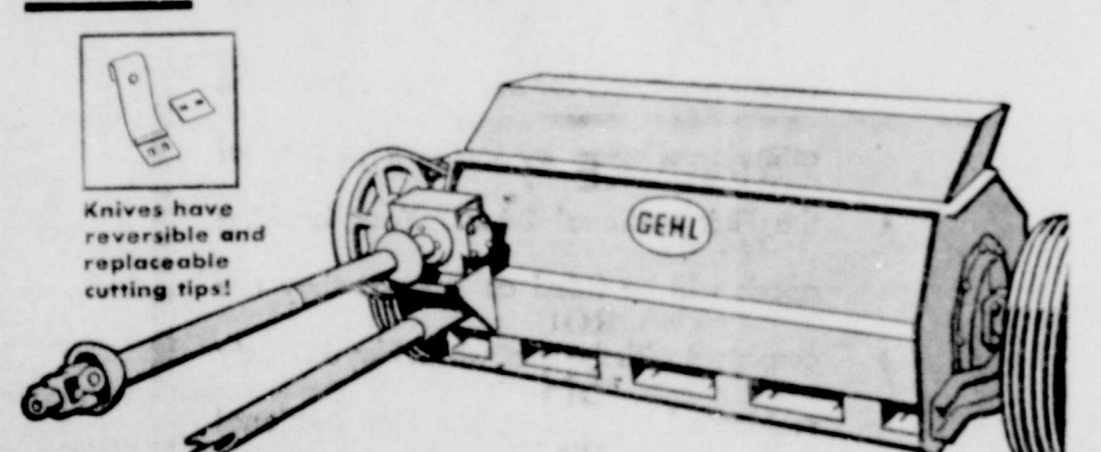
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As A Farm Woman Thinks

(By Nellie Witt Spikes)

Christmas is holly and mistletoe and sparkling snowy weather. It is the old sweet carols sung. Gay secrets we plan together. Small stockings, dim in the hearth light's glow.

Hanging expectantly, hovering angel, a silver star. At the top of a fragrant tree. Christmas is all these things, an more.

It is loving, and sharing and giving. The heart within, where Christ is born.

Awakened to glorious living. I have been much impressed by an article in the Christian Herald by Polly Stone Buck who says it art. Quote: "Wonderful Christmas. But the garish farce we have come to make of it, and what it is doing to us, is shocking. What has brought about this state of affairs? For our hating our American desire to do everything in the biggest, splashiest way possible.

"We were not content with a joyful religious festival in homes and in our Christian churches. Christmas is now a super-mammoth celebration, outdoing the circus at 'The Greatest Show on Earth.' It has become a commercial spectacle in stores and night clubs, on radio, TV, and besides the public fanfare, the individual observance of Christmas is going too much, receiving too much, making too much noise, giving too much.

"We are left weary and unsatisfied with the season that of all seasons should bring the world of peace and joy. 'Thank heaven, that's over or another year,' is our nation-wide cry on the 26th."

"She continues: 'Take that list of ours firmly by the scruff of the neck and move it from its present place to the forefront of your Christmas thoughts and put it where it belongs, far down the line in importance. Remember the 'Peace on Earth,' not 'Shop early,' was the Angel's message."

She goes on to tell to see about the poor, to have time for your own family, to read the Christmas stories to them and to talk about the family history, to draw them closer together, and she closes:

"Another Christmas is almost on us. Remember that the very word is Christ-Mass. Draw those you truly love closer to you. Stretch out a full hand, not to other hands already overflowing, but to some whose thin hands are empty.

Christmas is one of the spiritual high places of the Christian year. It should leave behind, not exhaustion, not thankfulness that it is over for another twelve months, but an afterglow and a radiance to carry us on through the winter darkness as far as the Easter light.

Just thought you might think along these lines as I have done and try to make Christmas this year a more spiritual and satisfying time for all around you.

Have you heard the story about the woman in California who saw a religious scene in the window of a department store and exclaimed, "Why just look, the churches are trying to horn in on Christmas!"

I would like to enter all your homes this Christmas and sit around the fire, turn off the TV and the radio and just talk, talk about the goodness of God in sending His only Son on a Blessed Night long ago that we might learn the way to Heaven; to talk about the years when we were young; to look at old pictures; to recall the friends we have known, and some who have moved away and many who are awaiting us on 'The Other Side.' We would take time to just relax and stop for a spell from the affairs of the time. When you do take the time to remember, think that I am there and enjoying it too, for you have been so good to A Farm Woman.

Funeral rites for Ruel McPherson, brother of Miss Mary Louise McPherson of this city, were held Monday of last week in Austin in Asbury Methodist Church, following his death on Sunday. McPherson had been in ill health for sometime. His mother, Mrs. C. P. McPherson and a brother, Jay of Lockney, were with the ill man at the time of his death.

Other survivors include his wife, the former Leota Shurbet, one daughter, Mrs. M. D. Griffith of Austin, three grandchildren, the sister here, and five brothers, Jay and E. C. of Lockney, Wiley of Austin, J. P. of Hobbs, N. Mex., and Mace of Midland.

CRUMP ASSIGNED TO GERMANY
FORT RILEY, Kan. (AHTNC)—Army Pvt. Jounughn P. Crump, son of Mrs. Edith M. Crump, Lockney, Tex., is scheduled to depart from the U. S. for Germany in mid-December with the 1st Division's 28th Infantry.

The infantry is being reassigned from Fort Riley, Kan., to Munich, and will become part of the 8th Infantry Division.

Crump is radio and telephone operator in the infantry's Mortar Battery, entered the Army last June and received basic combat training at Fort Riley.

The 22-year-old soldier is a 1954 graduate of Seymour High School and a 1952 graduate of Abilene Christian College.

VISITING AT CORPUS
Mrs. D. D. Shipley of Floydada who has been in Boston, Mass., the past month visiting with a niece arrived by plane in Dallas Sunday of last week and was met there by her son, W. Parker Shipley of Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Shipley accompanied Parker home and plans a visit possibly through the Christmas holidays.

Letters received here by her son, John, said she stood the trip fine and is in good health.

Guests in the Ernest Carter home with their daughter, Vanda, for the holiday were Keith Burman, Miss Elaine Evans and Stanley Fox of Muleshoe, Miss Lynn Thompson of Houston, and Miss Annette Rose of Lubbock.

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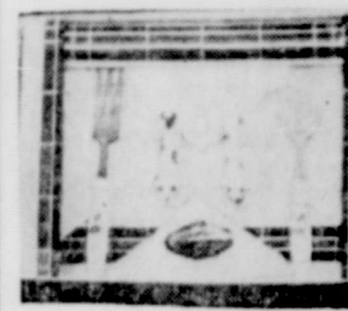


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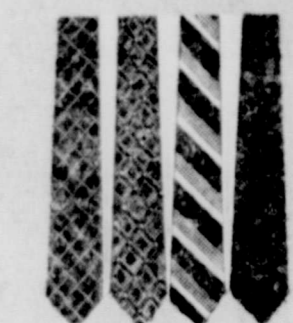


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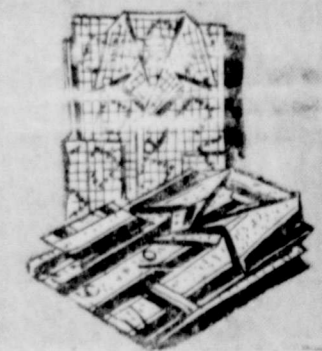


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Recent Changes In Vet Benefit Laws Are Noted

(New laws affecting Veterans' Benefits passed by 85th Congress as noted by Darnell G. Ayres, County Service Officer.)

Public Law 85-840, approved Aug. 28, 1958, provides that Social Security Disability Payments to Veterans will be no longer reduced by the amount of any Non-Service Pension Payments to the Veteran. In other words, the Social Security

Administration will no longer deduct the amount of the VA Pension from the Social Security Payment.

Conversion of "RS" Term Policies More than 685,000 Korean Conflict Veterans will soon be able to convert their previously non-convertible Term GI Insurance to Permanent GI Insurance.

The affected term GI Policies are identified by the letters "RS" appearing before the Policy Numbers. Beginning January 1, 1959 under the terms of Public Law 85-896, the holders of "RS" Term Insurance will have Three Options:

1. To convert their "RS" Term Policies to permanent plans of GI Insurance.
2. To exchange their "RS" Term Policies for a "Limited Conversion" Term Policy carrying a lower premium rate, but which after

Sept. 1, 1960, cannot be renewed by persons who have passed their 50th birthday; 3. To keep their "RS" Term Policies at the currently established premium rates, which increase every five years.

The maximum amount of the new-type insurance will be limited in each case by the face amount of the Veteran's present "RS" Policy.

The "RS" Term Insurance can be converted to the following permanent plans under the new law (PL 85-896):

1. Ordinary Life; 2. 20-Pay Life; 3. 30-Pay Life; 4. 20-Year Endowment; 5. Endowment at Age 60, and 6. Endowment at Age 65.

The new permanent Plan policies will not earn Dividends the same as the "RS" Term Policies which they replace.

The above law does not affect holders of GI Insurance under the National Service Life Insurance Act of 1940. In other words, it does not re-open GI Insurance for World War I Veterans who dropped their GI Insurance.

Recent Changes

Extension of Mustering Out Payment

Public Law 350, approved July 16, 1952, authorized the payment of Mustering Out Payment for those men discharged from Active Service on or after June 27, 1949.

Section 503 of the Act contained provision that any member of the Armed Forces who was discharged or relieved from active service prior to July 16, 1952, had two years from that date in which to make claim for the payment. Under Public Law 100-64th Congress, approved July 26, 1955, Section 503 was amended to provide making claim on or before July 15, 1956.

Public Law 35-633, approved August 14, 1953, now changes the July 15, 1956 date to July 15, 1959 for Veterans to make their claim. It is possible that some men were placed on the Retired List by reason of Physical Disability, and knew nothing of their entitlement to this Mustering Out Payment.

Persons drawing or entitled to

Retired Pay (other than Disability) and Retainer Pay, Severance Pay, etc., are entitled to the Mustering Out Payment.

News of Dougherty

(By Mrs. J. W. Ross)

DOUGHERTY, Dec. 8 — There were forty-four present for Sunday School Dec. 7. The Rev. Tomm Nesbitt conducted the regular scheduled services.

Several of the Sunday School classes have scheduled their Christmas parties for Thursday, Dec. 11. If interested check on the hour and date of your class party.

The Marey Molly Class is sponsoring a luncheon for all the ladies at the church at 12 o'clock on Thursday, Dec. 18, at the church. All ladies of the community are invited. Each one is to bring a dish of food and gift value not to exceed \$1.50. It is exchange. Come and enjoy an hour of fellowship.

Do you tune in KFLD at 3:00 a. m. Sunday mornings to hear "The Amazing Grace" program conducted by Rev. Tommy Nesbitt. This program is made possible by contributions. Requires approximately \$19.00 per month.

Many in this area will be interested to know the Rev. Clayton Hick has accepted appointment as Chaplain at the Veterans Hospital in Albuquerque, N. Mex., and has already reported for duty. Mrs. Hicks, a member of the faculty of the Bible Institute in Ft. Worth, has resigned effective at mid-term when she and Johnny will join Clayton at Albuquerque.

During the Thanksgiving holiday, Mrs. Hicks and son accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crawford visited her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Crawford while enroute to Albuquerque to spend the holidays with Rev. Hicks.

The Rev. and Mrs. Hicks have purchased a home in Albuquerque.

Rev. Hicks was pastor of the Dougherty Baptist Church while he was a ministerial student at Wayland Baptist College. After graduation he resigned to attend the Seminary at Ft. Worth. He was pastor at Bell several years and has been pastor of the Fastepco Baptist Church in North Ft. Worth the past year.

During the past week ginning operations have been at a high peak with over 200 bales on the yard several times. W. J. Ross received free ginning on a bale which was number three thousand for the season.

Thanksgiving Mr. and Mrs. Holly served turkey dinner with all the trimmings to the gin employees and their families. Twenty-eight were present. The turkey served was won by Holly at the Community Club Halloween Carnival. Mmes. J. W. Graham and Jesse Pernell prepared this delicious meal.

The school is preparing a Christmas program. The date will be announced next week.

Tuesday evening, Dec. 2, the community 4-H Club held their Christmas party at the school house with twenty-five present. Billy Don Colston directed several games and gifts were exchanged. The group presented gifts to the organizational leaders, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Colston. Mothers of the members decorated a tree and served refreshments at this event.

Mrs. W. S. Poole returned home Sunday evening after being hospitalized over a week. She is convalescing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith attended the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. R. L. Poe at Harlin Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Poole made a trip to Ada, Okla. last week. Enroute home Saturday they visited with her sister, Mrs. Dora Daves of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Robertson and daughter, Holly Juanita, were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Holly. They live in Pasadena, a suburb of Houston. They plan to spend the Christmas holidays with Kenneth's family.

Mrs. Mac Ward will entertain with a 6 o'clock dinner Dec. 10, celebrating the birthdays of her husband and her niece, Peggy Caughey. Those expected to attend are Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Drennan, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Childs and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ward and Randy, Mrs. Ward and Richard and the honorees Peggy Caughey and Mac Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lide entertained with an 84 party Dec. 8. Guests were Messrs and Mmes. C. W. Dennis, W. D. Burke and W. A. Lovell.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Liebfried were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Campbell. Mrs. Liebfried and Mrs. Paul Woody and children of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Woody of Floydada were recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Woody.

Mrs. Merritt Graham was hostess for an Around the World party Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Warden Mayes and children of Big Springs are visiting relatives at Carrolton, Ga., while Warden is in Ohio on business for Cosden Oil Company. Mrs. Mayes is the former Jean Covington.

Mrs. Ada Hinton is the hostess guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander of Lubbock. Her granddaughter, Claudia Alexander is convalescing following a tonsilectomy.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hinton and sons were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Lyles of Hale Center.

Mrs. W. J. Ross and Bill visited in Ralls Saturday.

Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ring accompanied Mrs. Hubert Ring and son, David to Perryton, where she met her parents. Before returning home they visited on aunt, Mrs. Sallie Ring in Mobeetie, whom she hadn't seen in thirty years.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Graham were Sunday guests of Mrs. J. W. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Norman were in Lubbock Saturday on business preparatory to their trip to Japan.

Sunday, Dec. 7, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn White and son Todd were guests at a belated Thanksgiving turkey dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Leach and Mikey in Borger.

Mmes. Daniel, Ring and Smith attended the Area Band Contest in Plainview Saturday.

Among those attending the Producers Co-op grain meeting at Amarillo Friday were Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Irens, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Smith, Jack McIntosh and Bob Vickers.

While in Amarillo, Mrs. Smith visited briefly with her son, Dale and family.

Mrs. Jack McIntosh and son Kirk are guest Friday of Mrs. Wade Watson at Claude. The ladies were formerly roommates at the University of Texas.

J. D. Morrison and son, David and their friends, Pinkie Footworth and son of Ft. Worth were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morrison.

Jack McIntosh attended the District Methodist Conference at Olton Thursday.

JOHNSON RECOVERING PART OF INCOME TAX CLAIM

A U.S. District Court jury returned a verdict awarding partial refund of income taxes to a Hale County couple Wednesday of last week in Lubbock federal court.

In the case Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Johnson sought \$12,000.49 refund from the federal government for over-payment of income taxes in connection with the sale of land in Floyd County.

Exact amount of the settlement was not disclosed but an attorney said the judgment would be for approximately \$5,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Lou Bryant of South Plains, a colored family, are parents of twin sons born in Peoples Hospital Saturday. The two boys were named Curtis Lee and Sammy Lee.

Andrews Ward Honor Pupils Are Reported

W. P. Nicholson, principal of R. C. Andrews Ward School, has announced the honor student list for the second six weeks of the school year as follows:

Fourth Grade A: Nita Karen Scott, Ricky Field, Veda Thayer, Evelyn Patrick, Howard Gidden, Nancy Garey, Lloyd Reece, Linda Wilson, Patty Dempsey.

Fourth Grade B: Elaine Warren, Denny Watts, Rebecca Miller, Betty Miller, Travis Weems, Jeff Kimble, Linda Myrick, Phyllis Fartenberry, Lois Hasley, Linda Lee Williams, Roland Adams, Mac Baker, Brenda Black, Sue Foster, Clara Hammonds, Michael Hinsley, Marilyn McLain, Deanne Robertson, Gay Sparkman, Tommy Weathersbee, Sue Whitehead, Johnny Myrick, Kitty Frances Lloyd Shirley Ann McClung, Shirley Nelson, Peggy Switzer, Karen Thomas.

Fifth Grade A: Billy Stanforth, Camella Nash, Joe Cox, Marc King, Vicky Gregory, Marsha Reece, Duane Webb.

Fifth Grade B: Jancy Ginn, Lon Johnston, Aubrey Neff, Shirley Rainer, De Ann Wilson, Clinton Fawcett, Tex Morven, Loy Ogden, Raymond Poole, Linda Rucker, Don Morgan, Patricia Washburn, Brenda Harper, Rebecca Baxter, Donna Baker, Johnny Cantrell, Vickie Smith, Rhonda Kay Warren, Becky Dunlap, Janice Giles, Mameella Martinez, Dan Hale, Kay Mcowan, Douglas Lyle, Jeanie Jones, Wesley Phillips, Gary Lyles, Sue Shurbit, Irma Martinez, Jenis Moore.

Dr. Woody Guthrie, local dentist, was dismissed from Peoples Hospital Monday after being hospitalized there several days with flu.

EDWIN E. ALLMON PASSES AT ALBUQUERQUE HOSPITAL

Edwin E. Allmon, 81, of Channing, brother of Mrs. Hattie Cash of Floydada, died in the Veteran's Hospital in Albuquerque, N. Mex., Wednesday of last week. Rites were held Friday in Blackburn-Shaw Memorial Chapel in Amarillo.

Allmon was a retired postal worker and was a member of an early day Channing family that settled there in 1900. He was a veteran of

the Spanish-American War member of the Methodist.

Survivors other than the sister, are his wife, two daughters, one brother, children and one great

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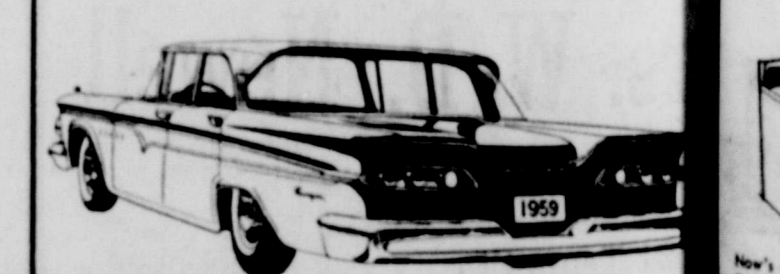
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DOUGHERTY, Dec. 8 — There were forty-four present for Sunday School Dec. 7. The Rev. Tomm Nesbitt conducted the regular scheduled services.

Several of the Sunday School classes have scheduled their Christmas parties for Thursday, Dec. 11. If interested check on the hour and date of your class party.

The Marey Molly Class is sponsoring a luncheon for all the ladies at the church at 12 o'clock on Thursday, Dec. 18, at the church. All ladies of the community are invited. Each one is to bring a dish of food and gift value not to exceed \$1.50. It is exchange. Come and enjoy an hour of fellowship.

Do you tune in KFLD at 3:00 a. m. Sunday mornings to hear "The Amazing Grace" program conducted by Rev. Tommy Nesbitt. This program is made possible by contributions. Requires approximately \$19.00 per month.

Many in this area will be interested to know the Rev. Clayton Hick has accepted appointment as Chaplain at the Veterans Hospital in Albuquerque, N. Mex., and has already reported for duty. Mrs. Hicks, a member of the faculty of the Bible Institute in Ft. Worth, has resigned effective at mid-term when she and Johnny will join Clayton at Albuquerque.

During the Thanksgiving holiday, Mrs. Hicks and son accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crawford visited her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Crawford while enroute to Albuquerque to spend the holidays with Rev. Hicks.

The Rev. and Mrs. Hicks have purchased a home in Albuquerque.

Rev. Hicks was pastor of the Dougherty Baptist Church while he was a ministerial student at Wayland Baptist College. After graduation he resigned to attend the Seminary at Ft. Worth. He was pastor at Bell several years and has been pastor of the Fastepco Baptist Church in North Ft. Worth the past year.

During the past week ginning operations have been at a high peak with over 200 bales on the yard several times. W. J. Ross received free ginning on a bale which was number three thousand for the season.

Thanksgiving Mr. and Mrs. Holly served turkey dinner with all the trimmings to the gin employees and their families. Twenty-eight were present. The turkey served was won by Holly at the Community Club Halloween Carnival. Mmes. J. W. Graham and Jesse Pernell prepared this delicious meal.

The school is preparing a Christmas program. The date will be announced next week.

Tuesday evening, Dec. 2, the community 4-H Club held their Christmas party at the school house with twenty-five present. Billy Don Colston directed several games and gifts were exchanged. The group presented gifts to the organizational leaders, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Colston. Mothers of the members decorated a tree and served refreshments at this event.

Mrs. W. S. Poole returned home Sunday evening after being hospitalized over a week. She is convalescing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith attended the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. R. L. Poe at Harlin Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Poole made a trip to Ada, Okla. last week. Enroute home Saturday they visited with her sister, Mrs. Dora Daves of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Robertson and daughter, Holly Juanita, were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Holly. They live in Pasadena, a suburb of Houston. They plan to spend the Christmas holidays with Kenneth's family.

Mrs. Mac Ward will entertain with a 6 o'clock dinner Dec. 10, celebrating the birthdays of her husband and her niece, Peggy Caughey. Those expected to attend are Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Drennan, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Childs and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ward and Randy, Mrs. Ward and Richard and the honorees Peggy Caughey and Mac Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lide entertained with an 84 party Dec. 8. Guests were Messrs and Mmes. C. W. Dennis, W. D. Burke and W. A. Lovell.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Liebfried were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Campbell. Mrs. Liebfried and Mrs. Paul Woody and children of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Woody of Floydada were recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Woody.

Mrs. Merritt Graham was hostess for an Around the World party Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Warden Mayes and children of Big Springs are visiting relatives at Carrolton, Ga., while Warden is in Ohio on business for Cosden Oil Company. Mrs. Mayes is the former Jean Covington.

Mrs. Ada Hinton is the hostess guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander of Lubbock. Her granddaughter, Claudia Alexander is convalescing following a tonsilectomy.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hinton and sons were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Lyles of Hale Center.

Mrs. W. J. Ross and Bill visited in Ralls Saturday.

Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ring accompanied Mrs. Hubert Ring and son, David to Perryton, where she met her parents. Before returning home they visited on aunt, Mrs. Sallie Ring in Mobeetie, whom she hadn't seen in thirty years.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Graham were Sunday guests of Mrs. J. W. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Norman were in Lubbock Saturday on business preparatory to their trip to Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Covington were guests of his parents Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones and children of Plainview were house guest of his parents over the week-end on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Travis Jones and sons joined the family group for a dinner celebrating the birthday of their father, Tate Jones.

Recently Mrs. Earl Oden and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton accompanied their friend, Mrs. Jessie Brown to Clovis, N. Mex., as she was returning to Clovis. This group enjoyed a visit in the home of Mrs. Brown's cousin in Clovis.

Coming Lecture On Dec. 16



REV. R. A. RENFER

Rev. R. A. Renfer, of Dallas, and of the local church, will deliver a lecture at the Presbyterian Church on Dec. 16, 7:30.

His talk will depict the life and death of Jesus Christ, and will be taken from the scriptures of the New Testament.

Mr. Renfer is a native of Europe, and has been Professor of History and Missions at the Presbyterian Seminary for many years. He studied at Wheaton College, Ill., and Dallas Seminary. He has held Cumberland Presbyterian pastorates in Dallas and Austin as well as Floydada.

During World War II he served four years as an Army Chaplain, and received the Purple Heart while serving with the 7th Infantry Division in its push through the Siegfried Line. He entered the Service from Floydada soon after Pearl Harbor.

Rev. Renfer has made church history and missions a study during his travels. As a member of the Executive Committee of the Central American Mission which has nearly 200

Collision Kills Silverton Man At South Plains

Freeland J. Bingham, 50, farmer and stockman of Silverton, was killed instantly Wednesday around midnight when the station wagon in which he was a passenger, rammied into the side of a Fort Worth and Denver locomotive, Highway 207 crossing in South Plains.

Bingham was pronounced dead on arrival at Peoples Hospital at 12:30 a. m. Driver of the automobile, Archie J. Washington, about 50, close friend of Bingham, is in Peoples Hospital suffering from head and facial lacerations. His condition is reported good. The two men were enroute to Floydada when the accident occurred.

Patrolman from Plainview, who investigated the wreck, said the station wagon hit the side of the second car of the double-header train and was dragged 57 feet before it was dislodged. The car was traveling south and the train was going east enroute to Childress.

Funeral rites for Bingham were conducted at 2:30 Friday in the Silverton Church of Christ. Interment was in Silverton cemetery.

Born July, 1908 in Comanche County, Bingham had made his home in Briscoe County since 1924. His father, the late J. D. Bingham, was killed in the tornado which struck Silverton in 1927.

Survivors include his wife, three sons, John of Amarillo, Jerry and Steve of Silverton, one daughter, Mrs. Raymond Reeves of South Plains, and one granddaughter, also six brothers, Harvey, Boise City, Okla., Curtis, Kress, Arthur, Alton, Boyd and Ken, all of Silverton, three sisters, Mrs. Ella Hall, Jayton, Mrs. Effie Hopkins, and Mrs. Viola Hopkins, both of Chillicothe.

David W. Allmon Victim of Heart Ailment Thursday

Rites for David Wesley (Buster) Allmon, 61, were held in the Bethel Baptist Church at Hereford at 2:30 Sunday afternoon following his death Thursday night from a heart attack. Interment was in Hereford cemetery.

Allmon died as he was driving a transport truck for Lyle Butane. He is the son of the late David Wesley and Mary Ann Allmon of Hereford and was four miles from Hereford and about eight miles from the attention of occupants in a house nearby.

Born in Hale County in 1898, he was married to the former Myrtle Pharr, sister of Mrs. C. L. Berry of his city. The couple made their home in Floyd County shortly after their marriage. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lee Allmon, pioneer residents of Floyd County. He is also a cousin of Mrs. Hattie Cash and Mrs. Eddie Cantrell of Floydada.

Survivors include his wife, three sons, H. L. of Brownfield, Bob of the Armed Forces stationed near Stephenville, and Jackie of the home, four grandchildren, and two sisters, Mrs. Walter Gracey of Brownfield, and Mrs. Carman Goff of Enid, Okla.

Several Attend Rites

Several from Floydada attended the funeral of D. W. (Buster) Allmon at Hereford Sunday afternoon. Among them were:

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Berry, Mrs. Vida Womack, Dr. and Mrs. G. Pruitt, Mrs. Hava Hightower, Madeline Sheely and small son.

Mr. and Mrs. Allmon, with some 30 other relatives, visited in Floydada for Thanksgiving dinner with the C. L. Berrys.

Buster lived for many years in this county, at South Plains, Center and Starkey.

Floyd County 14 Years Ago

(From The Hesperian, Dec. 14, 1944)

Award of the Air Medal for exceptionally meritorious achievement while participating in a sustained bomber combat operations over enemy occupied Continental Europe to Flight Officer Joe A. Arwine Jr., 19, was announced recently and the word of the award received here by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arwine. Joe is a navigator on a B-17 Flying Fortress.

Following approval of Civil Aeronautic administration and the War Production board last week and the return of favorable weather, work of the laying foundation for the hangar of the Floyd County airport has been proceeding. R. H. Willis is construction foreman and George A. Luder is engineer.

Second Lt. William F. Brown Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Edd Brown, recently completed an orientation course designed to bridge the gap between training in the states and combat soldiering against the enemy in Germany.

Shirley W. Irwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Irwin, now with the 8th Air Force in England, has been promoted to First Lieutenant. He was also recently awarded the Air Medal.

Lee Floyd, former resident of Floyd County and brother to J. M. and Leslie Floyd of Lockney, died at his home in Meadow on Dec. 2 following a heart attack.

Louis Earl Booth, with the finance division of the army, ran across Eddie Goodjohn in an American hospital in Italy recently. Goodjohn is hospitalized for wounds suffered some three weeks ago by a sniper bullet. He is sitting up most of the time and on the road to recovery, Booth said.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cantrell have received word from their son, PFC. Johnnie D. Cantrell that he is now in a hospital in Paris, France, after having been wounded for the second time.

A Floyd County boy who has been in the Siegfried line for sometime in an infantry regiment is Pat Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Collins.

Miss Lila Hennessee became the bride of Hugh Gordon Youngblood in an impressive ceremony in the First Methodist Church in South Gate, Calif., on Nov. 30. Mrs. Youngblood is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Hennessee of this city. She and her husband are here and formerly made her home here and is a graduate of Floydada High School and Arlene's Beauty School. She has made her residence in California the past two years.

Grady Harris and Mrs. Bessie Owens of this city were married in the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Doyle Saturday night. Mr. Harris is manager of Scott Gin Co.

Mrs. T. D. Fuqua, formerly Georgia Mae Hall, who is employed in Fort Worth with the War Food administration in home economics will leave here tomorrow for home after spending three weeks in Floydada visiting with her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Fuqua and other relatives.

James Robert Dennison M.M.C. for particularly able performance of duty at his battle station in which his ship closely engaged the enemy, has been commended at the captain's mast. He is the son of P. A. Dennison of this city.

C. B. Chandler, formerly mortician with Harmon Funeral Home here, but who later moved to Spur to operate the C. B. Chandler Funeral Home, has been hospitalized following an accident in the southwest Pacific war zone.

Funeral Held For Little Daughter Of Mission Pastor

Edna Hernandez, 10 year old daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Daniel Hernandez, died Thursday night a bout 4 o'clock in Peoples Hospital following a long illness.

Edna had recently been in a Lubbock hospital where she was treated for pneumonia and lung infection. She was admitted to Peoples Hospital last week after being home from the other hospital only a week.

The little girl fell at her home one year ago and injured her knee. How ever constant pain rent the family, seeking medical aid and she was taken to Children's Hospital at Houston where her leg required amputation.

It was found at this time that the child had a malignancy which eventually spread to her lungs.

Edna was born in Amarillo and was a fifth grade student at Andrews Ward. She kept up with her studies at school until her most recent illness. Edna celebrated Christmas early this year with a party in her honor about two weeks ago in the hospital at Lubbock. Girls from the Mexican Mission in that city brought gifts to her bedside along with a Christmas tree.

Funeral rites were conducted Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m. in the Mexican Mission here. Edna's father, Rev. Hernandez, is pastor. Burial was in Floydada cemetery under the direction of Harmon Funeral Home.

Survivors of Edna include her parents, five brothers and two sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Copeland, of Colorado City, were week-end guests in Floydada with their daughter, Mrs. Russell King and family.

Priceless Saddles Lost In Matador Headquarters Fire

Fire swept thru the saddle shed and feed house of the famed Matador Ranch Wednesday afternoon and high gusty winds hampered firemen from Matador and ranchhands from getting the fire under control.

The saddle shed contained 11 saddles, some of which were used by pioneer cowboys and were priceless, it was said. The feed shed had recently been stocked with four truck loads of alfalfa and cotton seed.

Stock remedies and medicines, plus blacksmith equipment were also lost in the blaze. Total damage has not been estimated.

What started the fire was undetermined but a ranchhand who had been in the saddle shed shortly before the blaze said he looked back to see flames from the shed.

PROGRESS IS SLOW FOR E. L. GINN IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. E. L. Ginn was at Plainview Hospital and Clinic Sunday where she spent the afternoon with her husband. He was taken there last week. Mr. Ginn is reported to be resting fairly well, under sedation most of the time.

He has been suffering from severe head and neck pains in recent weeks following an injury sustained about two months ago at Ceral Elevator north of Aiken. A grain spout swung around and hit him in the head.

Mr. Ginn is to be out in a neck cast within the next few days.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Smith returned home Sunday night after spending the week-end at Lawton, Okla., where they were with Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Ida Kettis, who is hospitalized there. Mrs. Kettis makes her home in Cache, Okla. She has been ill for several weeks.

FLOYD COUNTY HESPERIAN, FLOYDADA, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1936

INFANT IN INTERRED

Graveside rites were conducted at Floydada cemetery Friday afternoon for the prematurely born baby Tommy Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Mallow of Floydada.

The baby was born at 5:00 a. m. Friday in Lockney General Hospital and was the couple's first child. The mother is the former Janet Pruitt, a Georgia girl.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Terrell of Floydada are grandparents of the deceased, and Mrs. Edna Pruitt of Georgia, a grandmother.

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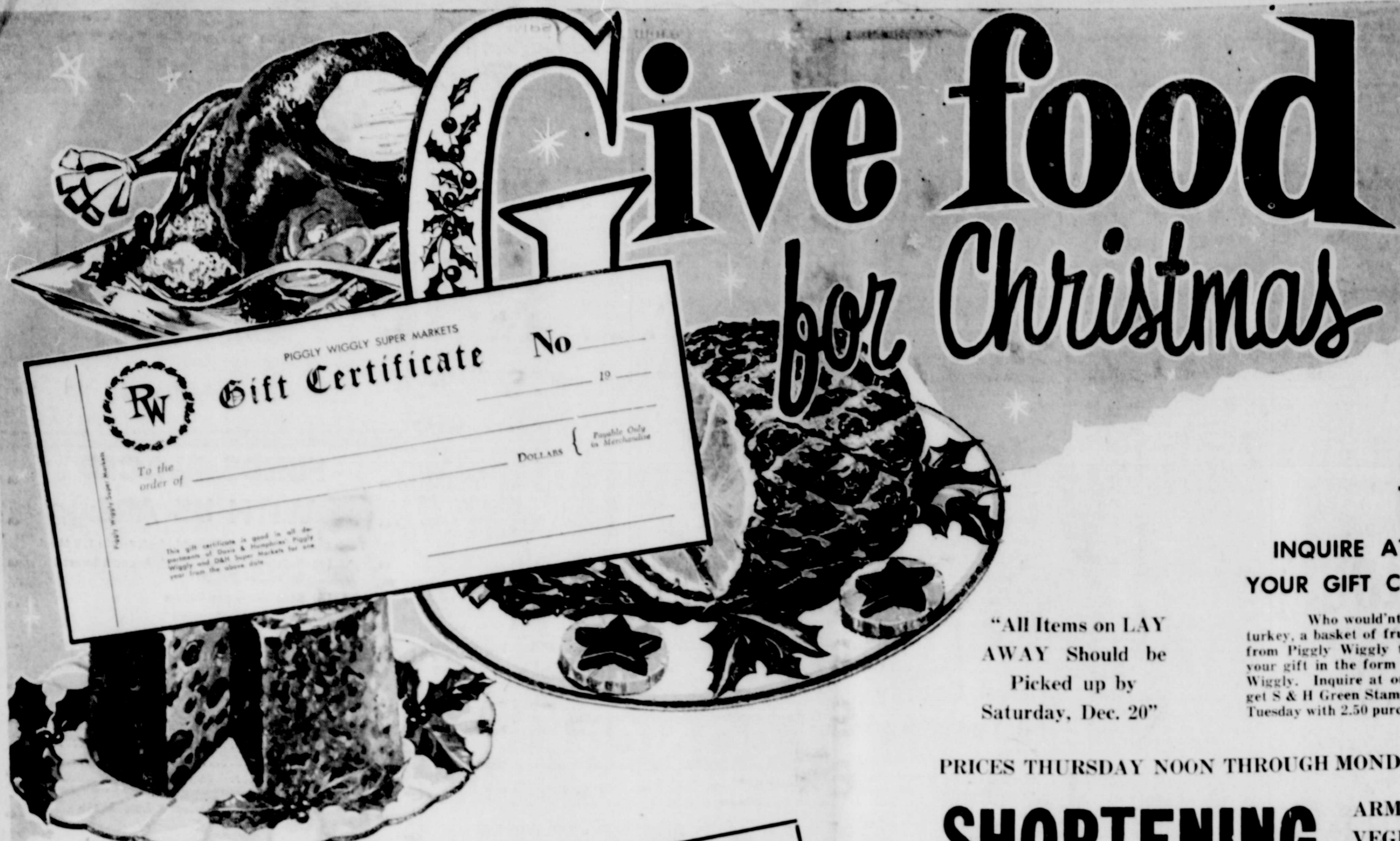
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