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Serious Three Car Mishap Saturday Night

A very serious three way car accident happened Saturday night on the Lubbock highway some 3 miles northeast of the city, according to highway patrolmen and the sheriff's partment here. It was stated that Ralph Carter attempted to pass a car driven by a Mexican, in which was his wife and six children ranging in age from 5 to 18.

Carter is said to have hit the machine driven in the same direction by the Mexican, Robles, which turned it into the direct path of an oncoming machine owned by Curtis Spites. Carter was unhurt, it was stated. Three occupied the Spites machine; he and his wife and Mrs. Frank Smith, all Denver City teachers. They were all brought to the local hospital.

The family of Felix Robles of Seguin, here picking cotton were also brought to the hospital, the mother was seriously injured, and died soon after reaching the hospital. The father and two of the children are being treated for broken legs.

Mr. Spites is being treated for fractured legs, cuts and bruises, and Mrs. Spites for broken ankle, cuts and bruises; Mrs. Frank Smith is also being treated for injuries to the left leg and foot and right foot, all broken, a broken thumb and cuts and bruises.

Pappy John Powell Presents A Nice Cane

We have received few if any presents we appreciate more than one from Pappy John Powell, the local mechanical genius this past week, in the way of a cane. We shall always treasure this gift, both from the point of time and patience devoted to its construction, as well as those sentiments of esteem that was behind the gift.

The head of the cane is simply a mesquite root, shaped naturally to the hand. This is joined on a staff made from birch. The natural mesquite handle, with just the right bend, is nicely carved into an animal head on the end, and it is joined with a brass collar to the birch staff. On the collar is carved, A. J. Stricklin, 1941 and bottom, John S. Powell. Between is this Latin phrase "sis-transit gloria mundi", which in English, we learn simply means, "thus passes away the glory of the world". We are not sure whether our friend was talking of our passing, or the mesquite grub.

Banquet For Football Team Held Monday Night

The football boys and their dates and other guests enjoyed the annual banquet at the Legion hall Monday night. Red and white programs on which the menu and official program were written were given out and read as follows: Official program - Kick Off Kick Off Returns - Introduction of Guests - Between Halves Stunt - "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life - Indian Love Call - Viralyn Patrick - Time Out for - Jack Curtis (coach of WTCC) - Touchdown - Recognition of 1941 Football Queen - Point offer touchdown - Recognition of Cub Captains - Interference - Recognition of Cub Coaches - Final - Whistle. The menu was written as follows: Toss Up with Pineapple Juice Then center your attraction on Waldorf Salad. Tackle this Baked Virginia Ham with Raisin Sauce. If you guard your "figger" omit the Snowflake Potatoes and Green Beans. We Half believe you'll like these Hot Rolls. End off on cake with Pecan Sauce. We hope you will be full after the coffee and cocoa and that you got your Quarter Back in Fun.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Horn, Ted White, and Myron Harris attended the Texas Tech band concert in Lubbock Tuesday night.

Elizabeth Page is visiting in Wnslow, Arkansas.

The Cubs Finally Get Licked

Like the guy that kept enlarging the territory of which he "could whip any man", and finally covered too much territory, so with the Cubs, except that the Cubs nor their coaches never at no time gave the least hint on whether they thought they could win or not. For nine games this year they did their best and won. The last one they were still fighting, but lost. Win or lose, the town is still for them in a big way.

Some said they needed to have learned passing. We are not even a good town quarterback, and don't know about that. We just know that the Cubs were matched with a very fast, crafty team, and that two costly fumbles probably gave them the game 13 to 0.

Next year, the Cubs will in all probability be playing some still harder, bigger and craftier teams in the District AA section, with towns like Borger, Pampa, Amarillo, Plainview and Lubbock, but we'll say right here and now that the boys with Red Sweaters will be found fighting as usual.

There is no dishonor in defeat once in awhile. Look what Baylor and TCU did to the mighty Texas lads just when everything was cozy. Then the Longhorns went on the rampage with A & M, and then stampeded into Oregon to redeem themselves.

Yea, Cubs! We're all still with you 100 per cent.



Letters To Santa

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am a little boy four years old, and I have tried to be good. Please bring me a little wagon, an army truck and a little airplane. Fruit, nuts and candy. Don't forget my mother and daddy.

Billie Norris Green

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
Joann wants a doll plaid skirt, velvet jacket and candy, fruit, vegetable stove, a electric iron, and a set of dishes, Lyle wants a air corps suit, a United States bugle, a target game and a slate.

Lyle Thomas Shelton

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
We are two little girls aged 1, 3 years and almost five years old. I, Wanell, would like for you to bring me a doctors set, a desk some dishes, nuts and condy. I, Gwendolyn Sue want you to bring me, some tin dishes, with flowers on them, a doll trunk full of clothes, a little stove and cooking utensils, some nuts, candy and fruit. We don't want you to forget the other little girls and boys, also don't forget our daddy and mama. Your little friends,

Wanell and Gwendolyn Sue
Thomason.

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am a little boy almost five years old, and I'm trying awfully hard to be good. Please bring me a pair of cowboy boots, a soldier uniform, a Gene Autry gun, and a fire truck. And Santa, if you have an extra pair please bring Uncle Mac a pair of socks. The pair he has is already worn out. I love you;

L. S. Salser, jr.

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I have been a pretty good little boy this year, so will you please bring me a gun and scabbard, a cowboy suit, an airplane, a big truck, some nuts, fruit and candy. Don't forget little Leah Lois, and Gene and Gary.

Gorth Willingham

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lewis visited Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Sawyer in Crossroads, N. M., Sunday.

A Prayer For The President Of The United States

From the Writings of Dr. Charles Stelzle

Thou great Sovereign of all nations, Thou King of Kings, and Lord of hosts, in these perilous times of war and rumors of war, when all the powers of hate have been loosed to kill and to destroy, we pray that Thy Spirit may steady the minds and quicken the hearts of those who call themselves by Thy name, acknowledging Thee as Father.

We pray especially for the President of these United States, upon whom has been laid heavy burdens and grave responsibilities, as he speaks for our country and for its people.

Renew his strength as daily his burdens increase. Give him wisdom and understanding that cometh only from above. Protect him from those whose motives and methods are prompted by the spirit of selfishness of personal ambition.

Show him Thy will. Out of the conflict of counsel may Thy voice come unto him saying: This is the way—walk ye it. And as Thy will is revealed, increase his faith, so that he may go forth in the consciousness of having fulfilled the task committed to him.

And we pray that he, with us shall seek above all things else to honor and glorify Thee, hastening the coming of Thy Kingdom upon earth, and the rule of the spirit of brotherhood in the lives and hearts of all peoples of the earth so that all nations may dwell together in peace and unity. Amen.

Jury Lists

Grand Jury List, Jan. Term 1942
C. T. Edwards, J. M. Burlinson, C. P. O'Bar, E. C. Willis, T. C. Garner, Hoosey Key, Wood E Johnson, Hayden Griffin, Ned Self, Grady Goodpasture, B. C. Horten, Earl Bond, Lee Lyon, Edd Evans, J. M. Trussell and Leslie Green.

Petit Jury list, Jan. term 1942
For the second week, appear on the 19th day of January 1942.
Orb Stice, C. D. Reid, Edd Crossland, Charles Warren, sr., A. J. Lloyd, W. E. Gatewood, Robert Luker, Tom May, Troy Wright, Lorn Walters, O. F. Kruger, sr., L. M. Wingerd, Leonard Willis, J. E. Gracey, L. O. Turner, R. A. Whitley, Ewell Stockton, A. L. Waters, W. E. Norman.

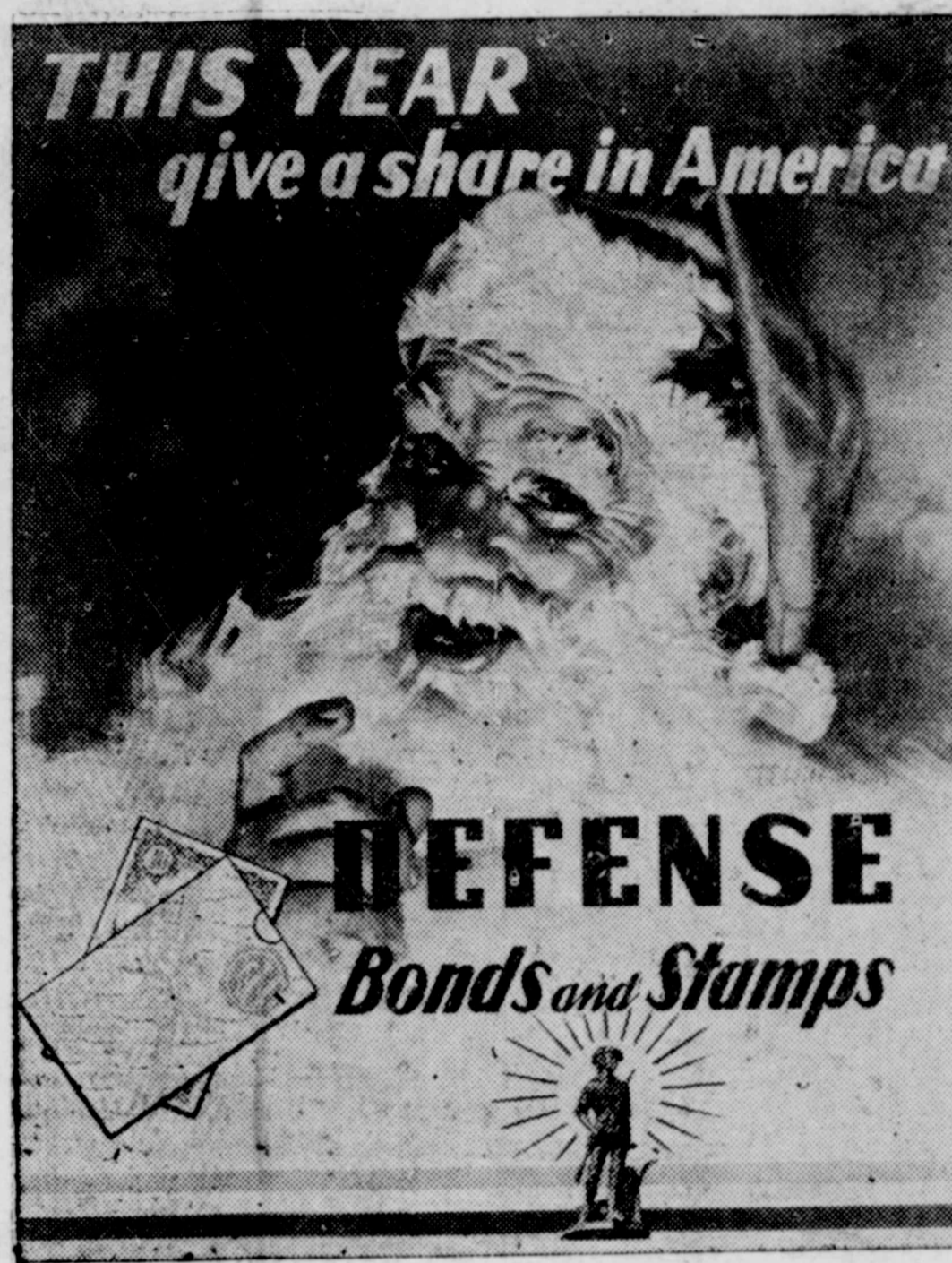
Homer Newman, Leo Holmes, Arlie Lowrimore, B. F. Finley, Norval Hulse, Sewell Dean, G. M. Thomason, A. A. Miller, W. V. Stormes, Jim Webb, Roy Young, Jack Van Ness, R. H. Crocker, Dick Reagan, R. B. Smith, Cecil Smith and Jack Shaw.

Petit Jury for 3rd. week, appear on 26th day of Jan. 1942. 10:00 A. M.

N. C. Mason, C. B. Quante, W. R. Tilson, Richard Meil, J. M. Welborn, Clyde Lewis, Pat Patterson, C. D. Ray, T. F. Winn, Edd Whitaker, E. A. Wassum, D. J. Yowell, R. E. Peugh, Marion Stone, Martin Warren, R. G. McNutt, H. L. Wright, Lewis Peeler, G. R. Ray, W. A. Stearns, Carl Stephenson, Oscar Sawyer, Roy Sparkman, R. J. Purcell, L. J. Hollers, M. M. Scott, Lem Yates, Claude Tucker, G. N. Webber, Robert Noble, W. G. Swain, C. M. Roe, A. E. Richardson, M. H. Rich, L. A. Rhyne, and T. O. Watkins.

Petit Jury list for Jan. Term 1942 for the 6th week. Appear on Feb. 9, 1942 at 10:00 A. M.

W. G. McDonald, W. A. Tittle, C. I. Preston, Roy Phillips, Gus Polard, O. L. Foster, Kenneth Moore, E. W. Rambo, Joe Young, Hardin Joyce, O. O. Miller, R. Headstream, H. Scott Tucker, Marlin Mason, Doyle Upton, J. A. Grissom, R. B. Perry, L. B. Peugh, Tom Toombs, O. V. Newton, L. D. Hamm, L. P. Price, B. F. Reeves, Jack Holt, W. M. Schroeder, L. R. Rainey, R. R. Robb, Earl McNeill, John R. Smith, J. W. Smith, N. E. Townsend, Dillard Thompson, A. W. Turner, J. N. Teague, W. B. White, O. A. Lemley.



SANTA CLAUS CAN HELP AMERICAN DEFENSE! This poster, drawn by J. W. and W. J. Wilkinson, a father and son artist team of Baltimore, reminds Americans that they can help the Defense Program this Christmas by giving Defense Bonds and Stamps in addition to the usual present. Nation-wide distribution of this poster has been made, especially in the windows of 500,000 retail stores where Defense Stamps—for as low as 10 cents—are now on sale.

Mexican Claims The Five Dollar Bill

Police Chief Roy Moreman told us this one, this week. He related that a little white shine boy, with clothes on that was prime evidence that his people were none too well fixed, picked up a five dollar bill behind a Mexican who was standing near the shine place handed it to the Mexican and asked if it was his. Yes, he stated, and without a word of thanks took the money.

Roy happened to be near, saw and heard, and walked over to investigate. He made the Mexican thank the boy, but that was about all he could do, but he says he is not right sure yet that the five spot belonged to that Mexican.

Then he lectured the boy. He told him he was proud he was honest and all that, but the next time he picked up money, to hide it in his hands, or put it in his pocket, ask the man if he lost any money and how much.

In that way, one can find if a person really lost any money in the first place, and if unable to describe it, he very likely did not lose any in the second place.

Terry County Farmers Vote For Cotton Quotas

Four hundred and seventy-eight Terry county farmers went to their polling places last Saturday and voted overwhelmingly for the continuation of cotton quotas. Two thirds majority is required. We understand the whole south voted for it.

In Terry county, the vote was: for, 442, Against 36.

Carolyn Jones spent the week end in Lubbock.



A new star, lovely Janet Blair, makes her film debut in "Three Girls About Town" opening Xmas eve at midnight at the Rialto Theatre, Miss Blair was formerly vocalist with Hal Kemp's orchestra.

City Sends Statements On Paving

Perhaps many property owners where paving has been put down this year, have been wondering why they have not received a statement of their part of the cost from the city. This was explained to us this week by City Secretary Roy M. Herod.

Mr. Herod stated that the city government talked of sending them out in the summer, but felt sure that most property owners would be more able to pay after harvesting of crops started.

We feel sure they are right, and such people we know, will appreciate this thoughtfulness of the city council.

A Real Thrifty Christmas Gift

To a lot of folks, Christmas means buying things — buying gifts, buying Christmas trees or buying food for the Christmas dinner, it means milling around through crowds in stores and trying to get one of the poor over-worked clerks to wait on you.

To a lot of other folk, Christmas means making things, making gifts, making toys and candy for the youngsters, making Christmas cards and cooking that Christmas dinner from Foods produced on the farm. This is being done by many of the families in this county by Farm Security Families and others throughout the county. Somehow, with things like they are over the world today, we do not feel like spending much money at Christmas anyway, and a lot of us couldn't if we wanted to. We still want to observe Christmas, especially for the children's sake.

If you had planned to spend some money for things this Christmas that you have decided to make at home, why don't you take that extra money and start a defense saving stamp album for your youngsters? That would be a really thrifty gift.

District Meeting Of Bar Association

The district meeting of the 106 Judicial District of the State Bar Association was held in Lamesa last Wednesday.

Those who attended from here were Messrs. and Mesdames Joe J. McGowan, Word Price, Burton Hackney, Virgil Crawford, and George W. Neill. A business meeting was held and guests speakers were Gordon Simpson, president of the State Bar Association and Dean Roy McDonald of Southern Methodist University.

The Lawyer's wives were entertained with a seated tea at the home of Mrs. Carl Rountree, and a dinner for all present followed at the country club.

Local Men See FSA Housing Plant At Lamesa

Two cars of local citizens made a trip to Lamesa Monday afternoon, to see the big labor housing project under construction there. This is truly an eye opener, and shows to what length the government is going to properly house labor, either transient or semi-permanent.

Those in the party were, Secretary of the Terry County Board of Development, Tommy Black and in his car were, C. L. Lincoln, County Judge; Mariah Craig, auto dealer and city councilman; R. N. McClain, County Agent. In the car with Dennis Lilly, local FSA supervisor, were, Emmitt Smith, school superintendent; Roy Moreman, police chief and A. J. Stricklin of the Herald.

Off hand we would say that the undertaking over at Lamesa will represent close to one hundred thousand dollars when finished, and will care for several hundred people at one time.

We were informed by the very gracious men in charge of construction, that from four to six other similar plants were likely to be built in Texas, and the towns that go after them will likely get them, if construction is not held up on account of war.

When these plants are finished they are put under a manager, but it seems the people of the settlement have their own officers and control measures are in their hands. No, this is not a sum clearing project, but a place, a very decent place to have for people who come in to help gather crops.

The outer circle of buildings, all built with modern conveniences, may be rented at a nominal fee for as much as a year, which includes lights, water and sewage connections. The inner circle, also well built are strictly for short time laborers, like cotton pickers.

Ginnings For The Area Behind 1940

While there has been a big increase in ginnings as of Dec. 1, over the report the 16th of Nov. the area is still behind that of last year, and Terry county is nearly 6000 bales behind the ginnings of the same time last year. However the lower tier of counties, as well as those with large acreage such as Lynn and Lubbock are some ahead of last year.

There is a particular increase in counties just under the cap or partially so, like Dickens, Crosby, Garza and Scurry. Terry stands seventh this year in ginnings, and sixth at the same time one year ago. The following is the report of the south Plains Counties:

COUNTY	1941	1940
Bailey	6,672	22,003
Briscoe	3,877	3,977
Castro	258	1,825
Crosby	24,716	18,436
Cochran	6,735	14,056
Dawson	40,460	29,125
Dickens	21,785	10,320
Floyd	2,281	10,088
Gaines	4,762	2,329
Garza	10,049	4,146
Hale	9,168	16,727
Hockley	19,875	47,760
Lamb	19,945	45,817
Lubbock	43,433	42,251
Lynn	43,688	31,049
Motley	9,218	9,146
Parmer	262	3,837
Scurry	31,680	19,114
TERRY	20,154	26,010
Total	319,010	358,086

News & Ad Copy Asked Early Next Week

This is to notify our advertisers, as well as those who may wish news items in next week's Herald, that we will get the paper out next week on Wednesday instead of Thursday as usual.

So be sure and remember this, if you want your article printed. If our advertisers will get their copy in on Monday or Tuesday so much the better. The printers want off Christmas same as other people.

Defense Meeting Held At Courthouse

Persons representing perhaps every organization in the city and county, including the civic and study, Red Cross, American Legion and Texas Defense guards, the city and county governments, met at the courthouse last Saturday afternoon, and despite the fact that it was a very busy time for business men in general, a fair crowd was on hand. County Attorney, Virgil Crawford presided.

Interesting talks were made by County Judge, C. L. Lincoln, Dr. Brumage and C. Sears. C. T. Edwards told what was expected of Terry county stating that on account of actual war, Terry county was expected to raise \$2,500 as their share of the \$50,000,000 to be raised in the nation for Red Cross.

A chairman was appointed for each community and several in town. These leaders are to appoint committees to work with them in raising the quota, and our quota must be raised by Saturday night. Workers stated this week that they believed Terry county would go over the top with their quota.

COMPANY D BULLETIN BOARD

Major A. B. Knickerbocker, commanding officer of the 34th Battalion, Texas Defense Guard, was in Brownfield Tuesday afternoon. Major Knickerbocker called on the executive officers of the local Company while here.

In a mobilization test Wednesday afternoon, the fire department and 64 officers and men of the local Company, together with transportation, were assembled in 6 minutes. Total strength of the company is 76 officers and men.

Several new men were present at Tuesday night's drill. The Company, however, can drill a much larger number, and those wishing to attend these meetings and drill with their group are urged to be present Friday night in order that those attending previously will not be so far advanced that the formation of another group will be necessary. Vacancies in the Company will be filled from this group.

The Sheriff's Department, Police and Fire departments met with the Company Tuesday night and plans to follow in the event of an emergency worked out.

Brownfield To Stage Practice Blackout

Plans are now being worked out for the staging of a practice blackout here in the very near future. Watch next week's paper for details and instructions.

Waste Paper To Be Picked Up

Scouts of the local troops are talking under consideration the gathering of waste paper in the city. More information on this subject will be given next week.

NOTICE

All drivers of motor vehicles not connected with the fire department Sheriff's or police department or the Texas Defense Guard are requested to pull to or as near to the curb as possible and bring their machines to a stop when the fire siren is sounded. This is a good practice to follow at all times, but since the Guard is now assembled by a steady note of the siren it is especially requested that drivers follow this practice as it is extremely hazardous for the guardsmen to proceed to point of assembly through rapidly moving traffic.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Marriage License were issued the past week to Doyle McCoy and Miss Avia Fitzgerald, and Albert B. Green and Raenell Moore.

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Texas farms are expected to produce 203,775,000 dozen eggs in 1942. Those in the know state that this will be fairly easy without increasing the flocks greatly. The main things, they state is proper housing and feeding. The production this year will run fairly close to those figures.

According to E. A. Miller, agronomist of the A. and M. college the new hybrid corn is taking the day wherever planted, as it is a good drought resister, and greatly increased yields result. There is a fair supply in the corn belt of Iowa or Illinois, but it is

stated that some 8,000 bushels of all that will be available for seed in Texas, enough to plant some 64,000 acres.

There are many things that seem unfair when we read or hear of them, not the least of which was the recent statement of people in position to know, that the man who delivers milk to the customers in the city, makes more money per quart, gallon or what have you than the man that owns the cows, feeds, milks and cares for them. In other words, the farmer, and dairyman do most of the work; go to most expense,

but share a small portion of profit. Of course this does not apply so strongly in the more rural sections like this where the dairyman delivers his own milk.

And political races promise not to be so hot this year, as there will probably be less candidates. Many of the younger congressmen and legislators will likely be called to the colors; some have gone already. Many believe the ins will have the inside track this year, as people will have less time, what with reading and listening to war news, and other urgent matters, rather than political hokey of the campaigner. Therefore, they figure there will be few changes in offices.

President Roosevelt stated to the congress on Monday, December 8th, when he asked them to declare a state of war existed between the United States and the Japanese Empire, among other things "Always we will remember the character of the onslaught against us". Yes, the United States will always "Remember Pearl Harbor", as they "Remembered the Maine in 1898, and as Texans "Remembered the Alamo" in 1836. Sunday, December 7, 1941, will be a date that Americans will always remember against those little yellow bellied rascals that call themselves humans.

War is on, and one of the industries that stands to be the goat is the newspapers, especially the small town weekly. Already our so-called "foreign" advertising is being curtailed, and we have had two cancellations from two automobile manufacturers this month, and as only 25 per cent of capacity is allowed at this time, and total stoppage of tire sales,

will of course ween not only car but tire advertising. In those two paper town, where the publishers have allowed their zeal to get the most advertising regardless of rates, will be badly hurt with rising cost of production, and a low advertising rate. None of us want the other fellow to ruin or get all our business, but a fellow better quit the game and go into something that pays, rather than waste his life swapping dollars. Publishers will also have to collect or stop papers to delinquent subscribers.

Along about this time of December 1903, a matter of 38 years ago, a little four page, five column paper was born in the little frontier town of Gomez, known as the Terry County Voice. The publisher, a Mr. Long, had to get by partially by selling land to prospectors, and soon his little sheet had more ads of his own real estate than otherwise. There was no Brownfield at that time, but things were happening fast in this pioneer section. So, in June the next year (1904) there was a hot county seat election between an imaginary Brownfield, and a Gomez of some 150 people. Brownfield won by a hair's breadth, and the little paper was moved over here, and soon the name was changed to the Terry County Herald. Others who ran the Herald after M. Long sold out, also engaged extensively in the real estate business and the business ran down.

The present management took charge June 1, 1909, and promised the people if they would read and patronize the little paper, we would stay out of the real estate business. We did—they have.

FIGHT FOR FREEDOM PROPOSES "AWARD" FOR 'V' PARTNER

Award of a scrap iron swastika fourth class to Pratho P. Scott of Tulsa, Oklahoma, who has taken out a patent on the V for Victory symbol, was proposed today by Ulric Bell, chairman of the executive committee of the Fight for Freedom, which uses the symbol as its emblem.

"It is quite evident that there should be an American award for second, third and fourth rate service to humanity of this sort, and the Fight for Freedom will now create it", Bell said. "The Swastika will weigh enough so that it will break the wearers neck the first time he stumbles".

A recent Associated Press dispatch from Tulsa said "all the commercial organizations utilizing the patriotic symbol of a battle torn Britain may have to pay royalties to Scott, sales manager for a Tulsa boat company, who patented the device after he had designed a boat pennant bearing a V with three dots and a dasa symbol of enslaved peoples in Europe and of the fighting British Commonwealth.

We were thinking about patenting the American flag and copy-righting the Star Spangled Banner and making a fortune; but this helps to change our mind. Surely a change in the laws will make foolish stunts like these a penitentiary offense rather than an opportunity to graft on a gullible nation.— Abilene Times.

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WANTS TO KEEP UP WITH OLD FRIENDS

Fort Worth, Texas
Terry County Herald
Brownfield, Texas

Please find enclosed \$1.50 for which please send us the Terry County Herald for one year.

We enjoy the Herald very much as it is like reading a letter from home, as you know Brownfield was our home for fifteen years. And we have many friends in and around Brownfield, Texas.

We like down here very much but we miss our many friends there.

W. G. Thrasher, and family
Fort Worth, Texas
R F D 7 Box 248—H

Mrs. Spencer Kendrick and Mrs. Daniel Davis visited their brother at Fort Bliss in El Paso over the week end.



A veritable tower of strength for Alolphe Menjou and Gloria Swanson, starred in "Father takes a Wife" coming to the Rialto soon.

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SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

The Santa Fe system carloadings for the week ending Dec. 13, were 23,101, compared with 20,762 for the same week in 1940. Received from connections were 8,933 compared with 7,193 for the same week in 1940. The total cars moved were 32,034 compared with 27,955 for the same week in 1940. The Santa Fe handled a total of 32,232 cars during the preceding week of this year.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for their many acts of kindness, beautiful floral offerings, and words of sympathy, which so helped and encouraged us all after the passing of our beloved husband and father.

May the blessings of our heavenly Father be with each of you.
Mrs. J. M. Story and family.

PLAINS—

Mrs. Coke and Clyde and Mrs. Barton left Sunday for Wichita Falls to take Arlin Coke who is stationed there.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Williams of Lubbock visited in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morris Sunday.

Mrs. Clyde Perry is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hogue, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Camp and Mrs. J. H. Morris was shopping in Lubbock Friday.

Mrs. Ed Turner, Mrs. Frank Donague and Miss Donnie Belle Gorden were in Denver City Monday afternoon.

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION IN GOOD HANDS

George W. Cottingham, editor of the Houston Chronicle, has been reappointed by Governor Stevenson to the Public Safety Commission. He was a member of the original commission set up to have charge of all State Police functions.

Cottingham is one of the most widely known of Texas newspapermen. But his reappointment is more than a tribute to a journalist who has made a name for public spirit. It means that in Texas, State Police work will continue to be strictly non-political. George belongs to no clique and aspires to no political career. He wouldn't swap his editorial sanctum for the governor's office.

Fern Sawyer of Crossroads, N. M. visited relatives here over the week end.

WILL pay cash to lease farm. 1-2 section preferred. T. J. Bishop Star Rt. 1 Pep, Texas 1tp

Notice

NOTICE TO THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF BROWNFIELD.

All persons who are delinquent in the payment of City Taxes are urgently requested to go to the City Hall and clear up their Tax obligations before the first of the year. All taxes paid during the current year are legally deductible from your federal Income Tax and by paying them now you can effect a double saving.

You are further notified that after the first of the year a Delinquent Tax Roll will be published in a local newspaper and, where necessary, suits for collection of delinquent taxes will be instituted.

Eugene S. Hurt
City Attorney.

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J. D. Miller, Sec.

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Meets 2nd and 4th Thurs. night each month.
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Loe Miller, Adj.

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Farmers To Fight Sabotage, Erosion Waste

Temple, Dec. 15—Shifting agriculture production to meet American and Allied war requirements without permanently damaging the land, as occurred as a result of the first World War plow up, was one of the problems considered here today at the first annual meeting of Texas soil conservation district supervisors.

It was emphasized, at this conference of supervisors representing farmers and ranchers in 71 Texas soil conservation districts covering approximately 65,800,000 acres, that conservation farming would make a major contribution to American victory by increasing per acre yields, by improving the quality of farm products, and by lowering the cost of production. The Foods for Freedom can be produced, it was said, without erosion damage to the soil, which is the farmer's manufacturing plant.

V. C. Marshall, administrator of the State Soil Conservation Board of Temple stressed the importance of the farm front when he declared that no war could be won without food and clothing—both products of the soil.

A supervisor, W. E. Moncrief of Arlington, said that industries turning out defense materials were being heavily guarded and then declared: "The soil is the farmers manufacturing plant, and we're here today to consider ways to put more and better guards—more and better conservation measures—on our farms to protect the soil. Erosion is sabotage, weakening our nation just as any other form of sabotage does."

Soil conservation district problems and progress in the Panhandle Plains section were discussed by Wm. G. Kennedy, a member of the State Conservation Board of Muleshoe and by Riley R. Wooten, chairman of the board of supervisors of the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District in Dickens, Kent and Stonewall and Garza counties.

Both speakers considered methods by which planning and establishing soil and water conserving practices could be speeded up.

Bobbie Lewis was home from Tech for the week end.

PROMINENT AREA LAWYER PASSES ON

Death on the 13th claimed T. L. Price, 60, of Post, Texas. Mr. Price had been in poor health for the greater part of three years, but most of the time was able to attend to his large practice. He came to this section in 1924, and after a year at Lubbock, has made his home at Post, except a short period at Tahoka.

He offered for District Attorney in 1926, and was re-elected two more terms, making six years in all. He was an able prosecutor, and was said to be one of the most eloquent attorneys in this section.

Funeral services were held last Sunday at Post Baptist church, with the Masonic lodge in charge. Burial in the Terrace cemetery at Post.

SHE JUST WANTS TO SHOOT BETTER

Lubbock, Dec. 15—Brightest pupil in advanced riflery class for women at Texas Tech is the wife of the college president, Mrs. Clifford B. Jones. Although she has known how to shoot with shot gun and "22" as long as she can remember, and has bagged her limit of quail, duck and dove many a day, she takes seriously the instruction on firing the Army rifle.

Principal differences between the Army "22" and her own, according to Lieut. Henry D. Weston, are the sling and pistol grip of the former; its straight, knife-blade front sight and adjustable rear or peep sight; and the fact that it is bolt operated instead of double barreled.

Mrs. Jones practices marksmanship with an advanced class of eight co-eds three times weekly, in standing, kneeling, sitting and prone positions. Asked why she wants to improve her aim, the president's wife said she "just wanted to shoot better".

COUNTY SING SONG

The Terry County Sing Song will be at Foster Sunday afternoon, December 21 at 2:00 o'clock. Everyone is invited to come. Lela Durham, sec.

Mrs. M. M. Durham and daughter, Miss Lela, were pleasant callers at the Herald office Tuesday.

Mrs. C. B. Polk and Mrs. William Conlee of Happy were in town Monday.

Christmas Carols in the Camps Feature American Soldier's Yule

LUCKY indeed is the soldier who obtains a Christmas feast and spends a portion of his holiday season at home, but what about those hundreds of thousands of American boys in our Army who will remain on duty in the cantonments and bases and in garrisoning distant outposts?

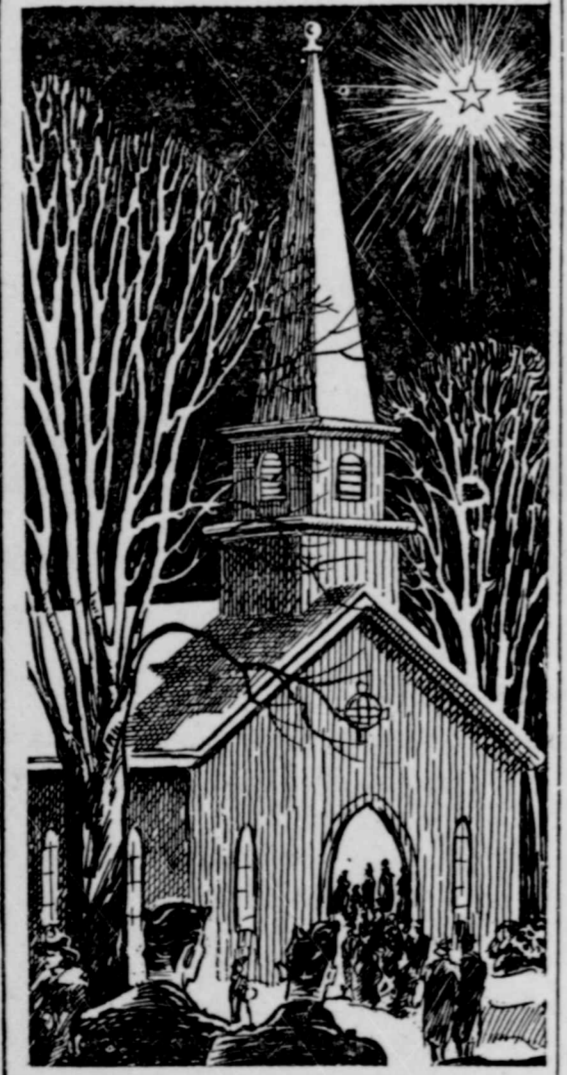
The answer is voiced in a song—a glorious hymn that will be heard from virile young throats singing in praise of Him in whom reposes mankind's steadfast hope in this dark hour of the world's history.

The hymn, a favorite of the American soldier and of his forebears in arms since colonial campfires, "O Come, All Ye Faithful," will be sung in 200 new Army chapels where this year Christmas services will be held for the first time.

In his spiritual life, Army chaplains declare, the citizen soldier finds the closest tie linking military duties with the cherished customs of his home. Especially among young men from the farming communities and the towns and smaller cities the observance of Christmas in the camps will not be unlike the programs in churches throughout the land where friends and neighbors assemble for the Christian festival. In Army chapels the same midnight services will be held, the youthful worshipper will join in the same inspiring music, he will hear again the same messages of hope, the same fervent prayers for peace and good will.

During Yuletide the singing of familiar carols will enliven the camps, not only in the training areas at home but the same music of cheer and comfort will echo from the cliffs of Iceland and the wastes of Greenland as well as among the tropic shores of Trinidad, Guiana, and the Orient. For the Chief of Chaplains has announced the distribution of the new Army and Navy Hymnal, a book containing the best in sacred themes, subdivided for Protestant, Catholic, and Jewish forms of worship. Special visitations will be made to the hospitals. Neither will the inmates of the guardhouse be overlooked.

All will share the spirit of Christmas. At this season the 1,626 chaplains in our Army take stock of their efforts through the year, and the Chief of Chaplains advises the Chief of Staff as well as the home folks that most encouraging progress has been made for the spiritual well-being of the troops. Where 11,640,000 soldiers attended religious services during the last fiscal year with an average of 97.3 persons at each service, it is



pointed out that there is now a much larger participation and a corresponding increase in the administration of holy sacraments.

Said a veteran chaplain: "The tradition established by those pioneer soldiers who bowed in prayer on the eve of Bunker Hill and in the storm-swept camps at Valley Forge is still alive in the hearts of America's defenders in arms."

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Shop girl gets millionaire in **UNEXPECTED UNCLE**

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THURSDAY

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FRIDAY-SATURDAY

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Texas High Among Shorthorn States

Chicago, Ill.—Texas ranks high in new Shorthorn breeders and in total volume of Shorthorn business transacted, according to figures released by the American Shorthorn Breeder's Association, Chicago, Ill., for the fiscal year just closed.

Though continuing to show substantial increase in new breeders of purebred shorthorns, the Longhorn state, with 48 new members dropped in fifth position to eighth this year.

In total volume of shorthorn business during 1941, Texas places tenth, same as last year. "Most all states," said H. J. Gramlich, secretary of the Association, "showed substantial increases in both new men coming into the business and in total business transacted."

During the year 975 new members have become affiliated with the Association, this in comparison with 903 new members in 1940 and 740 in 1939.

New members in the main are men who have purchased their first females during the past 12 to 24 months and who joined the Association when their first calf crop was ready for registration. Among them will come many of the breed's leaders within a few years.

Secretary Gramlich pointed out that in the course of the year there were 99 auctions of purebred Shorthorns. At these, 4,186 cattle were sold for a total of \$72,886.01. This is a 26 per cent increase over 1940 in number of auctions and a 13 per cent upswing in prices.

Dr. M. C. Bell Locates in Meadow

Here is an announcement we have been wanting to make for several years, and now it is possible—Meadow Has A Doctor.

Dr. M. C. Bell has opened an office in the Meadow Drug Store. Dr. Bell is no stranger to many Meadow people, having been in Brownfield for many years, before moving to New Mexico a few years ago. He is a physician-surgeon of attainment, and people of the community may take their illnesses to him with the assurance they are in competent hands.

He has rented Dr. J. D. Moorhead's home here in town. Dr. Moorhead is going to Leuders to make his home with a son.

This is another step toward building up the town. Every town needs a doctor. While Dr. Moorhead has been here most of the time, he has retired, and would not take cases only in an emergency. We welcome Dr. Bell to our town.—Meadow Star.

Mrs. Clovis Kendrick and Mrs. Everett Latham were Lubbock visitors Thursday.

Durwood Moorhead has moved to Pampa, where he has a position with an oil company.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hardwick of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McDuffie Sunday night.

Ray Christopher attended the State Junior Chamber of Commerce meeting in Wichita Falls Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Smith and Charlotte Ann left this week for Florida where they will spend Christmas with Mr. Smith's parents.

Mrs. Charles Roberts, Mrs. Ingram and daughter, and Mrs. John Steele of Lubbock visited Mrs. Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis Sunday.

Cotton Can Fight, Too



—Photo By U. S. Army Signal Corps

Tough, windproof cotton on the outside with a fleecy lining inside—that's what makes up the Second Armored Division's new winter combat uniform for tank troopers at Fort Benning, Ga. A supply sergeant is shown fitting out a soldier with one of the hood-like caps.

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CITIZENS EMERGENCY COMMITTEE ON NON-DEFENSE EXPENDITURES

Abilene, Dec. 15.—Commendation of its stand for husbanding the nation's financial resources for defense and war has been received by the West Texas chamber of commerce from the Citizen's Emergency Committee on Non-Defense Expenditures. This is a national group headquartered in Washington with many affiliates, including the WTCC. On the CEM executive committee of 100 is Dr. E. M. Waite of Texas Christian University, Fort Worth. Henry M. Wriston, president of Brown university, is chairman.

Wriston has written the WTCC that a declaration by the chamber's Midland convention last month cannot fail to be a powerful contribution to the defense program. As adopted by the convention house of delegates the declaration called Congress' attention to the fact that in addition to increasing taxes for defense financing, the tremendous increase in government borrowing will require three to four dollars of future taxes to pay back, and the people will cheerfully bear, if the money is wisely spent—"for which reason," said the declaration, "we call upon our federal government to vigorously econom-

ize and curtail to a minimum all non-defense expenditures".

The WTCC stand is getting strong support throughout West Texas. Thirty-five local chambers of commerce have already passed their own resolutions calling on their congressmen to support the economy move. Copies of these have been sent to the WTCC. The activity has been designated for competition in the Defense and Preservation contest launched at the Midland convention by the regional chamber.

VONDEE LEWIS IN DEBATE AT AUSTIN

Lubbock, Texas, Dec. 15.—Miss Vondee Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lewis of Brownfield and senior speech student at Texas Tech returned from Austin Sunday with the college debate team. Eight students and Miss Annah Jo Pendleton, acting head of the speech department, made the trip.

Participating in a speech institute and debate contest at the University of Texas, they met teams from Baylor, SMU and TCU and the universities of Kansas and Wichita in non-decision

matches. The subject was: "Resolved: That the federal government should adopt a policy of equalizing educational opportunities throughout the nation by means of annual grants to the several states for public elementary and secondary education".

State Health Officer Urges Defense Work Activities

Austin, Texas, Dec. 15.—In a special message from Washington, where he had gone to confer with national officials on civilian defense, Doctor Geo. W. Cox, State Health officer, who was recently named by Governor Stevenson as Chairman of Defense Health and Emergency medical care, today urged that every citizen of Texas register immediately for some type of civilian defense activity.

The urgency of immediate civilian defense training is surely apparent after what has happened to the peaceful civilian population in our Pacific Island possessions.

The grim reality of total war declared against our people by a treacherous enemy changes vague plans for future defense into a present and urgent necessity for immediate action.

The time for good intentions has passed, Doctor Cox stated. This emergency makes action imperative. I know the people of Texas are ready and eager to serve, and the time for service has arrived".

Outlining the three phases of civilian defense that he believed should be instituted at once, Doctor included first aid training, the organization and training of nurses aides, and emergency sanitary corps for every community.

These duties are the personal responsibility of every man and woman, Doctor Cox said. No one else can shoulder them for you. Communicate with your Mayor or County Judge, both of whom are acting as civilian defense coordinators.

In cities and incorporated towns, Mayors are serving as civilian defense coordinators, while in rural districts, or unincorporated towns the County Judges are acting in that capacity, Doctor Cox disclosed.

Every resident of every community in Texas should communicate with his civilian defense coordinator, and accept those dut-

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3,000,000 Fish Planted in Texas Waters

Austin December 15, The Game Department set a new high record in the number of fish planted for restocking purposes in Texas' fresh water lakes and streams during the fiscal year ending August 31st. The Department's Chief of the Inland Fisheries Division announced today.

In all, 7,388,631 fish were distributed by the Departments' 10 hatcheries during that period, and Fall and Winter distribution of additional fish, now drawing to a close, probably will boost the number of fish planted during 1941 close to 10 or 11 million, the fisheries chief said.

Total hatchery output for the fiscal year 1939-40 was 5,815,761. The 1940-41 figures indicate that fish production by the Game Department probably will be doubled by the time hatchery superintendents and helpers complete the

Defense Bond Sales Pass Two Million Mark

Washington, D. C.— Sales of Defense Savings Bonds for November amounted to \$233,487,000, it was announced today (Dec. 8) by the Treasury department. The November figure carried total Defense Bond Sales past the two billion dollar mark, and revealed that \$2,008,611,000 worth of Bonds have been purchased by the American people since the Defense Savings Program was launched on May 1 of this year. Total sales had passed the one billion dollar mark during July.

November sales were divided as follows: Series E Bonds, \$109,475,000; Series F \$18,978,000; and Series G \$105,035,000.

Total cash deposits at the Treasury for all three series of Bonds by Months: May, \$349,818,000... June, \$314,527,000; July, \$343,132,000, August, \$265,606,000; September, \$232,327,000; October, \$270,713,000; November \$233,487,000.

All figures are rounded to the nearest thousands, and will not necessarily add to total.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Herod and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Gillham were Lubbock visitors Sunday evening.

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Protein Vital In U.S. Health Defense Effort

An army of nutrition workers, scientists, physicians and others in the public health field are engaged in an all-out health defense effort to conquer malnutrition, now recognized as America's No. 1 health problem.

In this program to make America strong by making Americans stronger, feeding the family is the homemaker's most important task. It is a task made easier by a knowledge of good nutrition and of the factors necessary in an adequate diet.

Value of Protein

Among the diet factors, protein ranks first as a body-builder. About 18 per cent of the human body consists of protein. No life exists without it. Protein is necessary for building and repairing body tissues. It furnishes energy and it also enters into the structure of certain hormones which have a specific action on vigor and general efficiency.

The word, "protein" was coined in 1838 by Mulder, a Dutch chemist, from the Greek word, "proteios," meaning "in first place." Proteins differ greatly because they are made up of various amino acids known as "building stones." When protein is digested these amino acids are set free and are reconstructed to fit the needs of each body cell.

A plentiful protein supply is imperative for good health. Persons subsisting on low-protein diets show slowness in mental reaction, lowered resistance to disease and other ill effects. Authorities recommend about 1/2 gram or preferably 2/3 gram per pound of body weight as the daily protein requirement. Thus a man weighing 155 pounds requires about 100 grams of protein daily—about 3.5 ounces. Children require two to three times as much protein per unit of body weight as adults.

Protein in Reducing Diet

Contrary to former beliefs that high protein diets cause kidney disease, physicians now use such diets in treating kidney ailments. Dr. Leo K. Campbell, Rush Medical College, Chicago, has shown that on diets high in protein, overweight persons lost 8 to 12 pounds monthly. He also proved the value of a high-protein diet for weight gaining.

1941 distribution this month.

Production at the hatcheries prior to the creation of the Inland Fisheries Division in the Game Department averaged around 3,000,000 fish per year. The Fisheries Division was authorized by Legislative action and became effective September 1, 1939.

Fish distributed this year, which in time are expected to make life happier for the angler in most sections of Texas included 3,114,319 bass, 549,214 crappie, 2,488,010 bream, 996,463 catfish, and 240,625 goggle-eye.

Many of these fish were of fry size, but fry were planted only in waters that had been carefully checked by one of the two biologists in the Division to make sure that they would not be immediately devoured as food by larger fish. Wherever possible, fish of fingerling size were planted. In all cases, waters stocked were examined by fish biologists to determine if the waters contained enough food and cover to warrant the planting of fish.

Protein Content of Common Foods

PROTEIN	
SELECTED SERVING QUALITY	RELATIVE AMOUNT OF PROTEIN
LIVER	4oz ★★★
VEAL	4oz ★★★
LEAN MEAT	4oz ★★★
FOWL	4oz ★★★
FISH	4oz ★★★
LAMB	4oz ★★★
PORK	4oz ★★★
GLANDULAR MEATS	4oz ★★★
BEEF	4oz ★★★
CHEESE (soft)	1oz ★★
BEANS, PEAS, LENTILS	1oz ★
EGGS	1oz ★★
MILK	1oz ★★
CHEESE	1oz ★★
NUTS	1oz ★★
BREAD	1oz ★
GREENS	3oz ★★
CEREALS	3oz ★★
VEGETABLES (fresh)	3oz ★★
FRUIT (dried)	1oz ★
FRUIT (fresh)	3oz ★

★ ★ ★ GOOD QUALITY PROTEIN
★ ★ FAIR QUALITY PROTEIN
★ POOR QUALITY PROTEIN

Because they contain all necessary amino acids, proteins of animal origin—meat, milk, cheese and eggs—rank highest nutritionally and are called "complete" proteins. Half of the daily protein intake should be of animal origin. Glandular meats, such as liver and kidney, contain protein of exceptionally high value.

Sources of Protein
The accompanying chart, carrying the seal of acceptance of the Council on

CHRISTMAS TREE SUNDAY NIGHT AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Members and friends will gather at the Christian church at 7:30 Sunday night to enjoy an evening of Christmas carols, a program by the children, and climaxed by a Christmas tree with treats for the little folks.

Sunday morning Mrs. Jack Hamilton will open Sunday school with a devotional program on Christmas. At 11:00 o'clock the minister will preach on the subject "The Road from Bethlehem"

In these days we need the inspiration of Jesus and the comfort of His church. Come and worship the only One who can really bring "Peace On Earth, Good Will To Men".

Grace Tarpley, student at Texas Tech, was home for the week end.

Jack Bailey is on the sick list this week.

COMPARE the QUALITY and QUANTITY of PROTEIN from DIFFERENT FOODS

INCLUDE in the DIET FOODS RICH in GOOD QUALITY PROTEIN

Medical Association, shows the relative amounts of protein furnished by different foods, based on average servings. Three stars opposite a food indicate that its protein is of high quality.

A sufficient daily protein supply of animal origin is furnished by 2 servings of meat, or by 1 serving of meat, 2 glasses of milk and 2 eggs. The additional protein needed in the diet may be obtained from more of these foods and from cereals, legumes, etc.

The Inevitable Has Happened

The unprovoked attack of Japan on American possessions simply marked the occurrence of the inevitable. For many months, most authorities have been convinced that we could not avoid formal participation in the war that now engulfs all continents. The big question was when and where the spark would be ignited. The Japanese militarists, spurred by their Axis comrades, have answered that question for us and for the world.

The American people enter this war with a sense of grim bitter necessity. No thinking man wants war. It is to the credit of our government that it did everything possible, within the bounds of our national honor and interests, to maintain peace. That effort failed through no fault of those who administer our governmental affairs. It failed because the ruthless conquerors of our time are bent on world domination. Nothing less can satisfy them. It is all or nothing. And so, at last, the democratic world is allied in arms against the totalitarian world in the greatest war history has ever known.

Here in America the task is clear. The American people will support their government to the limit, and they will make whatever sacrifices prove necessary. The issue of intervention versus non-intervention is as dead as last year's news. The isolationists leader, displaying that patriotism which characterizes all true Americans, however different their opinions, have pledged their full support to the president and the nation. From this time on, it is

the job to show the world that a free America is more than a match for any adversary.

The soldiers and the sailors who fight in this war carry into battle a traditional freedom. They are not the unthinking, "heiling" subjects of a dictator. They are not slaves, living and dying like puppets at the whim of a master. They have been reared in the freest of all nations, under ideals which Lincoln called, "The last, best hope of earth". They know what they are fighting for. They know how precious freedom is. And they know the sorrowful truth that blood must be shed if freedom is to be preserved.

Back of the fighting men of America will be a production machine unparalleled on earth. Labor and industry will not shirk the gigantic task that time and circumstance have given it. The price of failure would be the death of freedom. The days ahead will be hard and bitter, but no one can doubt what the eventual end will be—victory for freedom, for a way of life that respects the dignity of man.

It is all in one word—freedom. Freedom of speech, freedom of press, freedom of worship, freedom of enterprise. These are what we possess, and these are what we are fighting to save and to perpetuate forever.

American industry is ready for this war. Go down the roster of our great private enterprises—the railroads, the power systems, the steel mills, the motor makers, the coal and metal mines, the oil wells and refining plants, the airplane factories and the rest. American enterprise represents a veritable miracle of preparedness. And now the tempo of production will be stepped up again and again. There can be on "business as usual", "strikes as usual" or



You can't have your cake and eat it too, as Robert Young finds out in Married Bachelor, opening Sunday at the Rio Theatre.

"politics as usual", from now on. Let there be no despair. Let there be instead, uncompromising determination. War has been forced on us. It has been forced on us by a nation to which we offered firm friendship, economic cooperation, aid in solving its problems—everything, in short, except the right to pillage and destroy and conquer. Now our enemies will learn how free men, backed by the limitless resources of our free enterprise system, can acquire themselves in battle.—Industrial News Review.

PRE

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During our Pre-Christmas Dress sale you will find many models and fabrics that you can wear on through Spring and at their nominal price you will want several.

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SUGAR Powdered or Brown 2 pkgs.	15c	PINEAPPLE JUICE 12 oz.	9c

COFFEE, FOLGERS lb. can 30c

PEANUT BUTTER qt. par	27c	CRACKERS 2 lbs,	15c
CATSUP 14 oz.	10c	POST TOASTIES 3 pkgs.	25c
PICKLES qt. cut	12c	FRUIT COCKTAIL No. 1 tall	15c

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SAUSAGE pound	22c	ORANGES doz.	17c
SUGAR CURED JOWLS lb.	30c	CELERY	12c
ROUND CHEESE lb.	30c	CRANBERRIES lb.	20c
CHILI lb.	25c	LEMONS doz.	15c
DRESSED HENS		COCOANUTS 3 for	25c

WE DELIVER

PHONE 77

Texas Clay Found Good For Chinaware

Austin, Texas, Dec. 15. — Within the next few years Texans can set their tables with china made of clays right out of their back yards, a University of Texas chemist promised today.

Back from a field survey of processing plants, F. K. Pence, University associate ceramics research director, announced that all-Texas china has already proven successful and should provide a healthy new industry for the State. Materials and manufacturing processes for the new "homegrown tableware" were all disclosed at the University under Pence's direction.

Clay for the new Texas dishes comes from East Texas, felspar and silica from the central part of the state, and Kaolin from west Texas, Pence said.

METHODIST CHURCH

We are happy to announce that contributions for our orphanage continue to come in. Texas and New Mexico are proud of the 400 boys and girls at our Methodist Home at Waco. The money we send each December is not a Christmas gift; it is their income for a twelve month period and provides their comfort and training during the coming year. Next Sunday will be our last chance to give our support.

In this time of emergency these words seem timely. We need sober thinking and calmness; we need faith in our leader's ability and integrity; we need patience; we need the will to endure; we need to rethink the great fundamentals in both church and state. We all need God and the strength and courage that come from worshipping Him with His People.

Subject for morning services: "The Stars Still Shine".

Subject for the evening service: "Faith Enriched by Experience".

"Moses forsook Egypt, not fearing the wrath of the King, because he endured as seeing Him who is invisible."

Stylized Coveralls



Sleeveless cotton coveralls with front button closing are among the scores of attractive defense garments for women defense workers suggested by the National Cotton Council and Cotton-Textile Institute. The coveralls, designed by the American School of Design, are made of saafORIZED seersucker.

The Chisholm Hatchery may start its 1942 run the last of next week, or the first week in the new year. Joe Chisholm, owner, had not definitely decided on the date when we called early this week, according to his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee O. Allen were Lorenzo visitors Sunday.

L. O. Brock of Silver City, N. M., has been here over the week end visiting his junior brothers, L. L. and H. M. Brock.

We are very sorry to report that our old friend, W. H. Harris became so poorly this week that he was carried to a physician for examination.

GOING ON A TRIP CHRISTMAS? Have You Forgotten Anything?

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Christmas Cheer

To our friends and customers we take this chance to wish you a Merry Christmas & a very Happy New Year.

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Phone 96

Baptist Church News

Christmas Gifts have become common but too often the greatest gift ever given the Christ, God's only son is not remembered. He has returned to His Father from whence he came but his church was left in the world and as you remember others do not forget a Christmas gift for the church. The building fund is in need of funds and your check should be so marked.

Our country at war will need our loyal support which is the least we can give her and will be willing to do less for our Christ who gave the church his marching orders.

In our giving may we not remember those in need who may not receive anything if we do not give, and thus exemplify the Christian Spirit.

The fine weather we are having should greatly increase the attendances in our churches. Our Bible school with 334 present last Sunday with an enrollment of 700 when it should be at least 1000.

You will be greatly helped and strengthened by your regular attendance at the services of the Church and will lose much in life if you do not practice it.

May this Christmas Season bring joy to every reader of these lines and may you be encouraged to give Christ the world's greatest gift to man a larger place in your life and His Church first place in your support and influence.

J. P. BRADFORD OF BROWNFIELD BUYS LITTLEFIELD HOTEL

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bradford, former hotel people of Brownfield consummated the purchase of the Littlefield hotel from Mr. and Mrs. Y. Onstott Saturday, and took over the management of same Monday.

Several weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. Onstott purchased the Brownfield Hotel from the Bradfords, which Mr. Onstott had been operating while Mrs. Onstott remained with the hotel here. She joined her husband there Monday. —Littlefield Leader.

WHAT'LL THEY THINK UP NEXT?

Seedless watermelons have finally been achieved. A Chinese scientist—Dr. C. Y. Wong, of Lingnan University—did the trick. His solution is interesting but hardly practical for the average watermelon grower. He used a number of growth-promoting substances, including naphthalene acetic acid, indole butyric acid, sulfanilamide, cocine and several others. In most of the experiments the chemicals were worked into a salve with lanolin and applied to the pistils of the flowers.

Mrs. J. E. Spears was in last week to announce that her son, Vance was safe, being in the war zone. Mrs. J. D. Echert also stated that her brother, Earnest Randal was reported OK after the bombing in the war zone. The Herald is not allowed to tell just where they are located, but friends of both families can at least know they were safe when last heard from.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gage Monday.

Cecil Smith and Bill Ashenbeck attended a Lumberman's meeting in Lubbock Saturday night.



Letters To Santa

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
How are you. I am fine, and I hope you are well. I had the time and thought I would write to you. I am in a big hurry, you cannot tell what I write, but I hope you can. I will tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a doll and a story book and a stocking of candy and I guess that is all.
Love
Yvonne

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I have been a pretty good little boy this year. Please bring me a horn, a stunting plane, a 40-piece farm set and a cowboy suit. Also some nuts, fruit and candy.
Gene Willingham

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
Please bring me a BB gun and a box of BB's and Santa please bring me a football.

I am seven years old and have been a good boy.

Charles Wayne Garret
P. S. Don't forget my little cousin Bobby Nell Richardson. She wants a doll.

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
Please bring me a bicycle and a drum.

Please bring Lilith Kay some blocks and a ball. Your friends, Lilith Kay and Mahalia Smith

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
Please bring me a bicycle and a bat and ball and remember Lilith Kay. Please bring her a ball and a doll.

Your friends
Louis Smith

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
Please bring me a doll, doll cradle, anklets, some story books, gloves and plenty of fruits and nuts.

Don't forget Dennis and Ronnie Jones who live at Ropesville. I will thank you very much if you will bring me these things.

Velda Malcolm

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
Please bring me some dishes a bottle doll, and a little rocking chair. Lots of fruits, nuts and candy.

Gail Busby

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
Please bring Donna a doll, a buggy, a band and a drum.

Please bring Pap pa a knife
Donna Jane Newsom

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am a little girl two years old and want you to please bring me a doll, doll buggy, and set of dishes.

Frances Green

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am a little boy six years old. I have tried to be a good boy. Please bring me a cowboy suit,



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Jewelite Comb & Brush Sets \$1.50 to \$10.00

Dresser Sets \$1.00 to \$10.00

Lentheric Men's Sets \$1.75 to \$5.00

Billfolds, Gen. Leather \$1.00 up

Wisley Bath Soap 5 bars \$1.00

Waffle Irons Electric Heat Pads (3 heats)

Mens Military Zipper Sets \$1.50 to \$10.00

Cameras \$2.10 to \$13.75



Picture Frames 50c to \$2.00

Mixmaster \$28.75

Samson Luggage for men & women \$6.50 to \$15.00

Floor Lamps \$7.50

Cory Coffee Makers \$3.45 up

Musical Powder Box Bed Lamps \$1.35 up

PALACE
PHONE 76 Drug Store BROWNFIELD TEXAS
"IF IT'S IN A DRUG STORE WE HAVE IT"

boxing gloves, pistol, scabbard and football, also a banjo and fruit nuts and candy. My little sister 10 years old wants a pair of house shoes a pair of skates, a pair of gloves, some knitting thread and two needles and the book of "John Paul Jones". Remember all the other boys and girls.
Dickie Green

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am a little boy 4 years old. I have tried to be good. Would like for you to bring me a train, a tractor farm set, a barn yard set with farm animals and a pop gun, also fruits, nuts and candy.
Kellie Mack Sears

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
Please bring me a wagon with side boards on it, and a Lone Ranger set, also some fruit, nuts and candy. Don't forget my little brother. With love
W. D. Warren

Mr. and Mrs. E Ward are the proud parents of a baby boy whom they have named Roy. He was born Monday, December 15th and weighed 6 pounds.

Dr. and Mrs. M. E. Jacobson and family will leave this week for Lynsburg, Kansas where they will spend Christmas with both of their parents.

Mrs. Annie Spivey of Adamsville, mother of Mrs. Mon Telford of this city, was injured last week when she fell from a truck her son was driving when turning a corner. She suffered from bruises and shock, and was in the hospital several days. Mrs. Telford went to Adamsville and brought her home with her, and she is improving rapidly.

Mrs. Jay King of San Angelo is visiting her sister, Mrs. Pete Tierman.

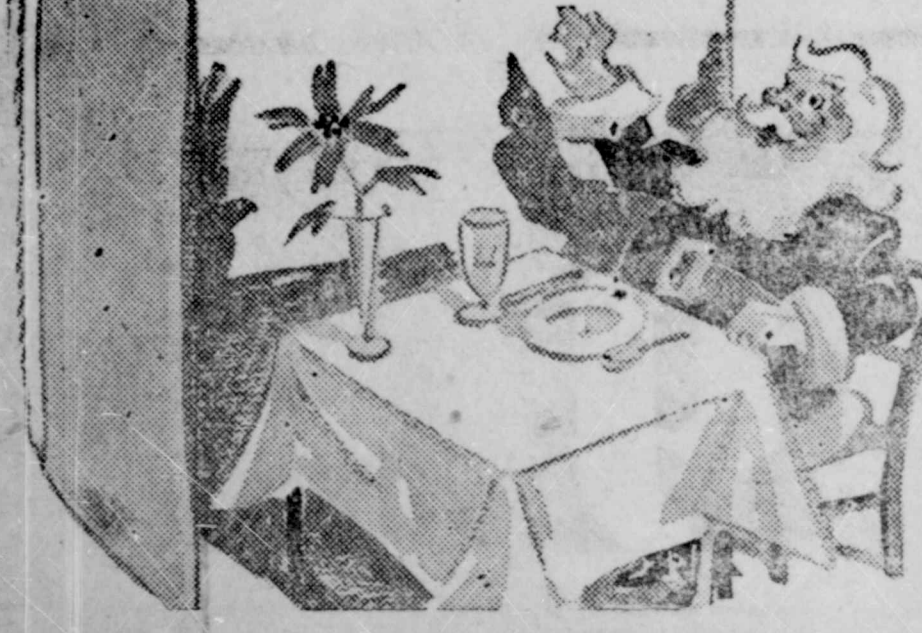
Mrs. Lala Shaw and Flaz Luker visited in El Paso last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Collier returned to Vernon Sunday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Collier.

AN EXTRA ORDER OF GAIETY, JOY AND LAUGHTER THIS CHRISTMAS WITH THE COMPLIMENTS OF

THE GRILL

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We'll feast you on merriment and give you a generous bill of fare of good things to enjoy all through the year. It's the best way we know—to say "Seasons Greetings" to every man, woman and child in our community.



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Feast ye Well and be Merry



We who can eat what we want when we want it have much to be thankful for. Let's spread a great deal of happiness this year by giving food. Merry Christmas!

FRIDAY - SATURDAY - MONDAY - TUESDAY - WED.

SNOWDRIFT 3 lb. Pail 63c
SUGAR Powdered or Brown 2 PKGS. **15c**
BUTTER CRESTA Quarters lb. **34c**
COCOANUT Long Shredded Pound pkgs. **19c**
Cake Flour Softasilk Lg. Pkg. **25c**

FRESH Cranberries
 lb. **19**

LIBBY'S QUALITY FOODS
CATSUP Libby's 14 oz bottle **17c** **PRESERVES** Libby's lb. Jar Strawberry **25c**
APPLE BUTTER Libby's 26 oz. Jar **20c** **TAMALES** Libby's CAN **17c**
PICKLES Libby's Sweet 22 oz. **29c** **PORK & BEANS** 3 cans Libby's **25c**
OLIVES Large Spanish 5 1-2 oz. jar **23c** **STEW** Lamb or Beef Libby's can **19c**
RIPE OLIVES Libby's 9 oz. can **23c** **TOMATO JUICE** 3 cans Libby's **20c**

ORANGES Texas Juicy 288 size, 2 doz **25c** **APPLES** Washington Winesap doz. **19c** **GRAPEFRUIT** Texas Seedless large Size doz. **25c** **Campbells** Soups 11c lg. Chicken & Mushroom 12c sm

ALL SIZES TEXAS & CALIFORNIA ORANGES - WASHINGTON APPLES

WALNUTS - BRAZIL NUTS - LARGE PAPER SHELL PECANS

SCOTTISSUE 1000 Sheets 2 rolls **15c**
 Roll **SCOT TOWELS** 10c

Grape Juice MAYFAIR QUARTS **23c**

Salad Dressing 29c Blue Bonnet Qts.

LETTUCE 2 HEADS **9c**

Fresh Beans, Squash, Mustard, Beets, Collards, Celery, Radishes, Turnips and Tops, Calava, Cabbage, Fresh Onions, Coconuts

CRACKERS Salted 2 lb. box **12 1/2c**

RIPPLED WHEAT 2 pkgs. **15c**

PEAS Libby's Rosedale No. 2 **15c**

MINCE MEAT Marvel 2 pkgs. **17c**

RAISINS Seedless 2 lb. pkg. **19c**

CATSUP Gem. 14 oz. bottle **10c**

Franco-American Spaghettia mac. can **10c**

VANILLA Worth 8 oz. bottle **10c**

SPAGHETTI Marshall AND CHEESE tall can **9c**

Corn On Cob Marshall lg. can **17c**

Hominy Marshall 15 oz. can **5c**

CORN Whole Kernel 14 1-2 oz can Marshall **10c**

BEANS Marshall No. 2 Whole Stringless **15c**

MUSTARD GREENS Marshall No. 2, 3 cans **25c**

TURNIP GREENS Marshall No. 2, 3 cans **25c**

PORK & BEANS Marshall Pound cans 2 for **13c**

PURE LARD ARMOURS 4 Lb. Carton **53c**

Cookies Delicious Oatmeal Vanilla Coconut **25c**

Raisin Bran Skinners Cereal and fruit pkg. **11c**

THE RICHEST FLAVOR IN COFFEE

Admiration Coffee ONE LB. **28c**

CANDY Brown's Quality Xmas Mix and 15 other varieties lb. **15c**

KRAFTS Caramels lb. pkg. **19c** **Chocolates** Brachs Miniature Milk lb. box **35c**
Hershey Kisses 11 oz. pkg. **23c** **Barber Pole** lg. 19 1-2 oz. **20c**
Hershey's Miniatures 11oz **23c** **Candy, Gum** 3 pkgs. **10c**
Chocolate Cherries lb. box **25c** **Hershey's** Nougat Almond **23c**
Barber Pole Browns 3 for **10c**



HENS Fat Fully Dressed lb. **25c**



TURKEYS FULLY DRESSED lb. **29c**

HAMS Tender Cured Half or Whole **26c**

BEEF ROAST Chuck or Seven from fed beef lb. **19c**

CHEESE Longhorn Pound **28c** **PORK LIVER** Fresh Pound **19c** **FRESH OYSTERS** and FISH

SAUSAGE COUNTRY STYLE lb. **16c**

WEINERS PURE Meat lb. **19c**

BACON SMOKED JOWLS lb. **19c**



Piggly Wiggly



Letters To Santa

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am a little boy 6 years old and have been pretty good. Will you please bring me a BB gun, one Gene Autry gun, and a little tool set, a big truck and some fire-crackers and sparklers.
Jimmie Ervin

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
Please bring me a large tricycle, army truck, money bank and lots of fruit, nuts and candy
Jimmie Ormal Pickett

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am a little boy 6 years old. Please bring me a gun with two barrels and 2 taps around the gun an airplane that the propeller go around and a box of tinkertoys.
I also want a stocking with a little box of chewing gum, fire crackers and nuts. Please take the other little boys and girls candy nuts and toys too.
Robert Heath.

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
Christmas will soon be here. Our teachers says that we have been good boys and girls. Please bring us a few pretty toys. Each of us want a defense stamp too.
Second Grade, West Ward.

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am a little girl three years old and live at Utopia, Texas down where the tall trees grow. I want a little doll bed and doll with shoes on, and lots of fruit, nuts and candy. Don't forget all the other little boys and girls
Loretta Fay Williams

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am a little girl 7 years old. I would like for you to bring me a red wagon, a doll and a doll bed. Bring Barbara Kay, my little sister a doll.
June Hodges

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am a little girl 5 years old. Please bring me a tea set and doll and color book.
Fay Nell Hodges

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
We are writing you a letter to let you know what we want for Christmas. I, Mary Nell want a doll, fruit, nuts and candy. I,

Robert Gene want a little truck, fruit, nuts and candy.
Mary Nell and Robert Gene
Rose

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am a little girl 10 years old. I want a watch and type. Please don't forget my friends Laveta and Joyce.
Joyce Hodges

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am a little girl nearly four years old. I have tried to be real good, so please bring me a doll, red ball, dishes, an iron, and any other toys you might give me.
Shelby Ann Thompson.

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am nearly 7 years old. I go to Gomez school. I want a doll named Judy, dishes, doll dresses and anything else you might wish to leave me.
Madelyn Thompson

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
Please bring me a football, football helmet, a game, skates, fruit, nuts and candy..
Don Cary

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am a little girl five years old. Will you please bring me a tricycle, a red wagon, and a baby doll. Lots of fruit, candy and nuts. Please remember all little children.
Janis Nell Smith
P S Please remember by sister Dortha Lee, she wants a wrist watch.

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
Please bring me a bicycle, army truck, and sail boat. Fruit, nuts and candy. I live in Oakland California but will be visiting my grandmother Christmas.
Bobby Neal Green

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am a little girl four years old. Please bring me a doll, a doll bed, table and chairs, tinkertoys, blackboard and skates. Don't forget the other little children. I have been a good little girl.
Elaine Davis

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa
Please bring me a hundred airplanes, a game, a big wagon and fireworks.
Jack Taylor Stricklin

Brownfield, Texas

Dear Santa:
I am looking forward to Christmas eve, and hope you bring me an air rifle gun, truck, drum, candy and fruits.
Don't forget the other little boys and girls.
Van Perry

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Bobby Burns once expressed the wish that some fairy might give us the power to see ourselves as others see us. Personally, your columnist has always doubted that this would be desirable because we may be a pain in the neck to other people but as long as we don't know it we are happy. Anyhow this observer has had the experience that the Scottish poet craved. H. B. Fox, winner of a nation-wide editor's contest a year or two ago, published the following pen portrait in his Madisonville Meteor:

That Texas raconteur, which in some languages is a story-teller and in others, an out and out liar, Boyce House, author, poet and movie adviser, busted into this office last Wednesday just, as we were checking over the first copy of the paper off the press to make sure that we had left enough errors in it to satisfy the ordinary crank.

Mr. House, who can tell one story after another so fast they run together like a politician denying he stole something before it was discovered missing, admitted that though he has traveled around, this was his first trip to Madisonville.

"What do you think of the town?" he was asked.

"An that reminds me" he said finishing up one story and starting on another without hearing us, "of the negro who had a diamond stick pin about the size of a small fist. 'Is that a genuine diamond?' he was asked. 'It bettah be, or I shore got stuck for a dollah and six bits'".

Mr. House author of several books, of articles in the Saturday Evening Post and the Frankston Citizen, was back from Hollywood where he was technical adviser for "Boom Town", a movie centered around a Texas oil town. He wrote some of the lines for Clark Gable and Spencer Tracy but said he slowed down when it came to Hedy Lamarr, who photographs so well she doesn't have to talk.

In three minutes flat in this office, Mr. House covered most of the range of literature, mixing up what DeMaupassant told Flaubert about the individuality of Paris cab horses with why Shakespeare had to leave Stratford in a hurry.

"California may have warmer sunshine than Madisonville but Madisonville has warmer hearts", Mr. House said, with some poetic

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The old fashioned way of expressing Christmas Greetings still holds good everywhere, but there are instances when the modern way is more appropriate. The boy that is away at training camp and cannot come home will appreciate a call from you Christmas Day. He'll delight in hearing your voice, the charge is economical, and the connection is almost as quick and close as is your telephone.

This company has tried faithfully to give you good service throughout the year, and will endeavor to give you the same good service the coming year, just as good as war time inconveniences will permit.

We wish each of you a very, very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Southwestern Associated Telephone Co.

carelessness, as Madisonville has the same sun Calofornia has and if it gets any warmer there than it does here, then movie actresses couldn't look so fresh after riding for days in a covered wogan across a burning desert.

We hope the next time Mr. House comes here, he has longer to stay, as the longer he stays, the more he says.

And that was H. B. Fox of the Madisonville Meteor speaking.

Horace Greeley, famous editor of 80 years ago, received the following letter from a woman: "Our church is in dire financial straits. We have tried every device to keep it going, chicken suppers, mock weddings, box socials, turkey dinners and doughnut parties. Will you please tell us what we can do to keep our struggling church from disbanding?" Greeley wrote back, "Try Religion".

"To meet the demand for crude oil, Texas had to boost her imports from other states and countries", say an International News Service dispatch from Austin, which pointed out that in single month the imports from foreign lands showed an increase of almost 50,000 barrels and Louisiana oil brought into Texas jumped over half a million barrels.

"The Texas oil industry", says the Houston Post editorially "is subjected to eight shut down days a month and other states have no shutdown days but most of them are producing oil with little or no restrictions".

From the pens of the immortals: Nature never did betray the heart that loved her.

Life—a little gleam of time between two Eternities.

A sorrow's crown of sorrow is remembering happier things.

Hypocicy is the homage which vice pays to virtue.

Knowledge is proud that he has learned so much; wisdom is

humble that he knows no more.

A professor, after finishing a long algebra problem, said "and so we find X equals zero". A freshman remarked: "All that work for nothing".

ACE-HIGH MEETS WITH MRS. CHRISTOPHER

Mrs. Ray Christopher was hostess to the Ace High Club Friday afternoon at her new home. Members present were Mesdames Ned Self, L. M. Wingerd, Mon Telford, V. N. Sibley, R. M. Kendrick, L. Nicholson, R. B. Parish and A. A. Sawyer.

Refreshments of egg-nog pie, salted nuts and coffee were served. The hostess gave United States Defense Bond stamps for high and second score.

Ray Christopher and Vernon Brewer were Amarillo visitors Wednesday

MRS. GLOVER PASSES

Mrs. B. J. Glover, of the Tokio section, who has been confined in the local hospital for some time, departed this life, last Friday. Mrs. Glover was 46 years of age, and we failed to learn if there were survivors.

Burial in the Brownfield cemetery Saturday, followed services conducted at the graveside. Brownfield Funeral Home in charge.

R. T. Massengill, of Tunnell Hill, Ga., is here visiting his mother, Mrs. M. C. Massengill over the holidays. Mr. Massengill lived several years ago in the Tokio section. He now lives where the Massengill family were raised in Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. West of Lubbock were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Herod Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mathis of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mathis, jr., of Levelland visited Mr. and Mrs. B. L. McPherson over the week end. Mrs. Shorty Brown accompanied them to Hobbs Sunday where they visited relatives.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce had a banquet and its monthly meeting at Hancock's cafe Monday night.

Mrs. Kyle Graves and Mrs. Slim Schillinger were Lubbock visitors Monday.

Smiles Welcome



"Titian-haired Alice Erle Beasley of LaGrange, Tenn., the 1941 Maid of Cotton, smiles a welcome to entrants in the 1942 contest to be held at Memphis next January 16. Miss Beasley has been named by the Memphis Cotton Carnival Association as official hostess at the contest to select the 1942 Maid, who will make a nationwide air tour, appearing in cotton fashion shows in major U. S. cities. The contest is open to girls in every section of the Cotton Belt.

STATEWIDE FIRE DEFENSE ORGANIZATION STATE FIRE COMMISSION ANNOUNCES

Austin, Dec. 12—Texas Fire Insurance Commissioner, Marvin Hall member of the National Defense committee for Texas and state coordinator for fire defense, announced measures for organization of the statewide fire defense organization.

This fire defense organization will be based upon official agencies. Specific plans will be made for the enrollment of citizens as volunteers in this service. Enlistment will be definite, and all those taken in this defense service will be assigned specific tasks.

Co-ordinator Hall announced that under the state fire defense mobilization plan, 26 districts are being created, each supervised by a district co-ordinator. All the district coordinators now have been designated, the state official announced, and are functioning.

Fitting into the entire civilian protection defense program, definite responsibility is placed upon the fire department officials of cities in the local defense organizations. County judges are county co-ordinators for the entire program, outside city limits, and mayors, are co-ordinators of all phases of activity in the city. Fire chiefs will serve as city, and in most cases, county fire defense co-ordinators.

For the fire defense program,

Mr. Hall announced local volunteer offices will be organized; and the local and county coordinators will call for the enrollment of all citizens, who will be assigned their various tasks. From this source will come men for fire defense work under the supervision of the local fire chiefs, as fire defense coordinators.

When separate fire defense activities are set up outside the city limits, in some cases the city fire chiefs will be given responsibility for county-wide fire defense co-ordination. In some cases specific appointment will be made of separate county fire defense coordinators.

The program thus fits into the entire state defense program, thru the governor, as state chairman, the fire insurance commissioner as state fire defense coordinator; 26 district fire defense coordinators; and the fire chiefs as city coordinators, and either the city fire chiefs or additional county coordinators for the rest of each county.

The local and county fire defense co-ordinators will, in general organize, train and supervise all auxiliary firemen, rescue squads and fire watchers, in line with prepared plans.

A separate service, the air raid warden service, is under super-

vision of the police officers. It will work in cooperation with the fire defense service. The fire defense officials, at the request of the police coordinator, will carry out certain instructional work in fire defense and first aid, but otherwise the air raid warden service is in separate hands.

State Co-ordinator Hall stressed the need for close cooperation of the fire department officials and the fire defense service with the police officials at all times.

Mr. Hall pointed out that while the fire defense set-up is extensive it places, specific duties and responsibilities on designated individuals; that these individuals are definitely assigned their duties and will be trained in them. It offers no opportunity for conflict of authority or responsibility, and no loop hole for failure to perform the required duties, he stressed.

State Co-ordinator Hall said: "The fire departments are called upon to perform a task which they are capable of meeting in this period of emergency. The citizens of Texas are requested to cooperate in this vitally important work which is before us now, and which must be accomplished without the loss of time.

"We have been asked to remain calm, and that all wild rumors be handled intelligently, so as not to create trouble. With utmost confidence we will, and must uphold and defend the third line of defense of our country".

WEATHER-MAKERS GET TOGETHER

There is always snow at Christmas in the big Hollywood movie studios, where they do more than just talk about the weather when it isn't just right. When it's necessary, the movie industry creates its own winter beauty scenes like this with gypsum and untoasted cornflakes. Dorothy Darrell, of Universal pictures, plays a charming proxy for Santa, with a 1942 conditioned air Nash as her modern sleigh. The car is the modern industry's best known weather maker.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alexander of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie German Friday.

Mrs. W. S. Brumage and Mrs. Richard Kendrick were Lubbock visitors Friday.

LET GOSSIP CAUSE NO EXTRA TEARS

You've often heard the expression, "Something ought to be done about it", when referring to a dozen or a hundred different things.

Usually nothing ever is, however, and the same sin, act, or misdeed goes unmolested, to repeat itself at a later date, an act, but more often a word or words that were uttered unthinkingly, or with out thought.

Scandal and gossip are the worst offenders coming under this category, two ugly words which should be committed to rigid self discipline or castigation.

Both, or each individually, has caused countless millions of tears have broken homes, and caused tragic deaths, even suicides.

Last Monday in Littlefield, some one evidently merely to be talking in the know, or just in idle gossip, doubtless unthinkingly, remarked to someone else that

"the first official list of casualties of the war for the U. S. in the horrible, dastardly attack in Hawaii, contained the names of four Lamb county boys. And there are a number of Lamb county boys known to be based or stationed there. Each of those boys has relatives here, mother, father, sisters or brothers. An hour after the rumor had started, it had spread like wildfire, and before the sun had set, four hours after the rumor had started, it had spread to one another, as fact, one frantic mother, a frantic sister of another, and a brother of still a third were pitifully seeking the source of that report—hoping that it was not true—hoping that it was just idle gossip or rumor, which it proved of course to be.

As this is written, we hope that the full official list of casualties there will not contain the names of any of our own boys from this county. No longer is it possible to even hope, however, that it is not going to contain the names of a long list of our American boys.

But in the future, wouldn't it be better, not to start, not to repeat such things, unless for certain they are founded upon fact—and know—haven't just heard—that they are based on fact.

There is no place—and this is no time to spread rumors, falsely or unfounded, that can cause a single extra tear, to the mothers,

How the American Country Boy Benefits from Army Training

The American country boy—that stalwart fellow from the farms and the towns and smaller cities—has contributed not only his brawn to Uncle Sam's armies, but exemplified patriotism, initiative, and intelligent discipline as well.

Such is the gist of authoritative commentary on the rank and file of the army in every instance where citizen soldiers have been called to the nation's defense. Today the parents of the young men lately called into service are asking what the army in turn does for the country boy. Here is the answer:

"He gains a broadening experience in adventure, friendship, and learning which only service in a common cause can give."

The quotation is from an overseas veteran of the World War who served in a hard hitting outfit composed largely of youths classed generally as country boys. Amplifying his statement, he stressed the young soldier's experience in adventure, friendship, and learning. Boyhood adventures in rambles with his dog, a plunge in the "old swimming hole" and explorations in the woods pave the way for his new duties in camp and in the field. Our Army affords new scenes and still more heartening adventures.

He gains a strong physique, good health, and a clean mind. He comes home equipped for his life work with renewed energy and a brighter outlook upon the world.

In friendship he broadens his horizon, meets thousands of young men like himself from all parts of the Union, and forms enduring comradeships. Knowing his fellow Americans better he is himself a better American.

The average country boy enters the

Army with an inquiring mind and a fund of practical experience declares the veteran of 1918. He is a good student. He has learned to work with his hands as well as his brains. He is quick to grasp the exceptional opportunities which modern military service provides.

When he returns to the farm he finds that his skill in handling a "jeep," a truck, or a tank for Uncle Sam has fitted him expertly to care for agricultural machinery. He has learned the economy of transportation. He has been observing of the practice of farmers in other sections of the country. He sees where improvements may be made. He knows more of conservation.

Active service in our Army has been America's greatest training school for the professions, in science, and in business. In every period in the nation's history the leaders in civil life have been largely those who in their youth answered their country's call to defense, and first of these has been the country boy.



Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Brock and Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Thomason went to Fort Worth Dec. 1st and attended the Farm Bureau State convention which convened Dec. 2 and 3, was a great convention. Some 500 farmers there, represented from counties all over the state, sent as delegates. There were 50 or 75 women who attended this convention. We only wish every farmer and his wife could have been there and heard all the good talks and messages we heard. Said Mr. Thomason.

Jim Shelton who attends A & M College will return this week end to spend the holidays with his parents.

Suspender Skirt



For women engaged in defense work the American School of Design has prepared this cotton suspender skirt outfit. Though designed for office workers, it is adaptable to wear in factories. The striped skirt is of sanforized dunnar and the white blouse is made of cotton broadcloth.



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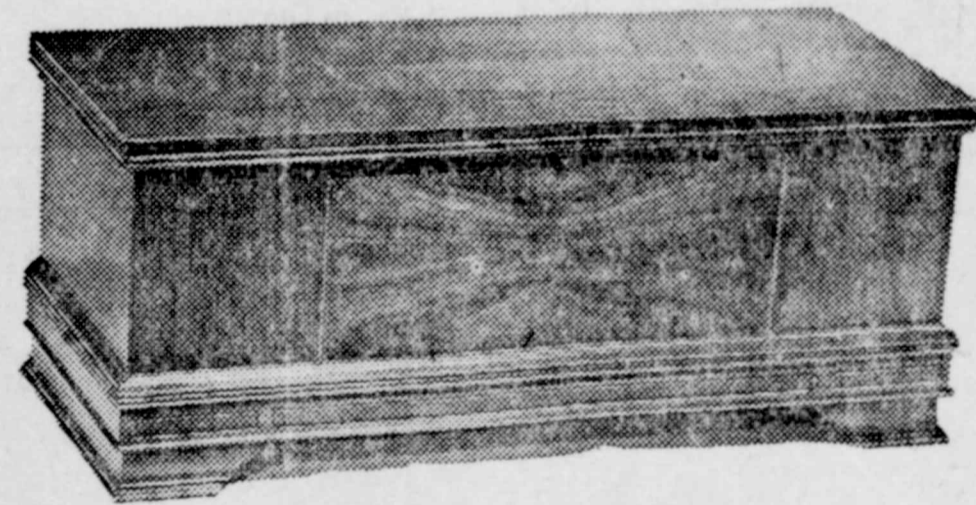
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Memorable passage:—"It, of course, is everyone's duty to love his Country. But he must know his Country in order to love it as he should. Whether he be plumber, farmer, doctor, lawyer, teacher, merchant, or minister, he will be a better one and of a greater honor to a free citizenship if he knows and loves his State and Nation"—Ben B. Hunt.

Q. Does Texas have a state museum?

A. Yes. The Texas Memorial Museum located on the campus of the University of Texas is a state museum and is maintained as such with funds appropriated by the legislature. Dr. E. H. Sellards is director.

Civic Pride: — Rosebud, Texas, points with particular pride to the fact that there is a rosebush in every Rosebud yard.

Q. When did Elizabeth Ney, sculptor of renown, move to Austin?

A. In 1892.

Q. Are there any records of punishment or discipline being meted out to soldiers during the Texas Revolution?

A. Bascom Giles, Commissioner of the General Land office, answers this question by referring to the muster rolls of the Army of the Republic. In one instance, Commissioner Giles points out, a soldier was sentenced to wear a ball and

chain for three months. In another court martial a soldier was sentenced to death, but the penalty was commuted to imprisonment at hard labor, and the soldier forfeited any and all claims against the government.

Q. Who was the last Texas Governor to wear whiskers?

A. Governor Tom Campbell who served from 1907-1911.

THE GREAT COMMONER: — William Jennings Bryan resided on a ranch near Mission, Texas, at one time. When he ran for president he was accorded votes in every county in the United States except Hidalgo county. "I bought a ranch there so I could do some missionary work", he recalled jokingly at the San Francisco convention of the Democratic Party in 1920. Mrs. D. F. Strickland of Mission has a bust of Mr. Bryan made of him in the early part of the century by the most noted of all Texas sculptors, Elizabeth Ney.

Q. How many governors has Texas had since entering the Union?

A. Coke R. Stevenson is the 34th governor of the State of Texas. The pictures of all of Texas' governors hang in the rotunda of the capitol. There is, however, no picture of Governor Sam Houston. His picture is carried along with the presidents of the Republic. Governor Miriam A. Ferguson's picture appears twice on the walls,

one for each of her terms.

Center of Texas—The geographical center of Texas is located about 15 or 20 miles north-east of Brady.

Defense Bond Quiz

Q. What is the best safeguard for my child's future.

A. Buying Defense Savings Bonds which will help the Government to preserve your child's American heritage of freedom.

Q. Will there be an intensive drive to sell Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps?

A. The Treasury Department sees in the response to the program so far indication that Americans will support National Defense on a voluntary basis, without high-pressure methods.

Jane Brownfield who attends Tech was home for the week end.

Mrs. Grady Calendar of Sweetwater spent the week end here. Mrs. Calendar's husband is the pharmacist at Alexander drug.

Mrs. R. L. Bowers, Mrs. Mozell Fitzgerald, Mrs. J. E. Shelton, Marian Bowers, and Edgar Self attended the Messiah in Lubbock Sunday night.

Jim Maloney spent the week end in Odessa.

My Week by Eleanor Roosevelt

PHYSICAL FITNESS

Late one afternoon I flew over to Philadelphia to take part in the beginning of their National Defense week. Mr. John Kelly was in charge of the evening. There had been street races in the afternoon for boys, and, while I was there, the prizes were given out to several individuals and teams.

They had some wonderful high school bands, as well as police and firemen's bands. I had to catch the 9:15 plane back to Washington, so I missed the greater part of the exhibition, but the glimpse of what the young people could do was a great satisfaction. I felt there was potential strength there which could be translated into sound and healthy bodies as they grew up.

I feel that our physical fitness program should serve to awaken interest among young people and their elders to look into all available sources of material.

PLEDGES OF FREEDOM

Carl Sandburg has just sent our Office of Civilian Defense two short pledges, which I hope people will copy and carry around with them. The first is: "I pledge myself to be a little thoughtful every day about the meaning of freedom and how and why I am a citizen of a republic of free men and women, and how and why men and women toiled and fought yesterday for my freedom today."

If we bear this in mind, I think we shall have a greater sense of responsibility about the preservation of our freedom today.

Mr. Sandburg's second pledge reads as follows: "I pledge myself to do a little thinking every day about the need of discipline and how, in a time of national danger more than ever, my own rights as a citizen are tangled and interwoven with the rights of others and these rights always deserve a decent respect."

HEALTH PROBLEMS

In New York city I went to America's Town Meeting of the Air. I enjoyed the program very much. As so often happens, I felt that many sides of the problem of health could not be covered, even in as long a period as we had on the air.

One thing I felt needed emphasis, namely, that the workers themselves, through their labor union organizations, are doing a great many things to improve their health. It seems to me that the employer has an obligation to use every safety device possible to prevent accidents and has an obligation to initiate other programs, with the idea of social welfare always in the background and the realization that health is a stepping stone to all real welfare and security.

But the employees also have a responsibility for plans and programs which they can work out themselves, or in co-operation with the employer. I think a shining example of this is Mr. David Dubinsky's International Ladies Garment Workers union, which has worked out programs for both health and recreation. They are valuable mentally, spiritually, and physically.

WOMAN'S LAND ARMY

I have had so much enthusiasm over the suggestion that a Woman's Land army might be needed. I know there are a great many women and young people who would welcome preparing for some definite thing. It is not in the province, of course, of the Office of Civilian Defense actually to carry out a program, but we hope before long to be able to suggest ways in which people can fit themselves to do whatever emergency work may be required in their communities when the summer comes.

There will be parts of the country where it will be possible to provide paid workers for farmers who need help. Wherever that is possible, it should be done. Volunteers may be needed in various specific ways, but they will be of value only if they have trained and disciplined themselves to stand outdoor work.

NEW YORK 'HOUSECLEANING'

I found myself one day devoting my time to catching up on the mail and doing various things in my house in New York city.

My husband holds over my head the fact that if these houses are sold, I shall have to leave them at very short notice. Since we have always kept certain things in locked closets, I fill up my spare minutes and hours trying to decide what to do with things that have a certain sentimental value and, which, perhaps, none of our children will have any real use for now, or in the future.

This particular day I found some very beautiful and large old tablecloths and napkins with handsome embroidered coats of arms, such as no one would think of indulging in at the present time. In fact, very few people who are economically inclined, use large or small tablecloths any more.

Also, most of us have learned to use paper in many ways which we did not consider possible in our grandmother's day. However, we may return to napkin rings and the careful use of napkins, since paper is now to be conserved.

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Courtesy will prevent a big percentage of traffic accidents and during the Yule season and everyone should be willing to contribute such a small gift to the happiness and safety of others.

Not only would the reduction in accidents be an important aid to the National Defense Program by conserving valuable manpower and property, but it would prevent needless tragedy that annually darkens the glow of holiday happiness in hundreds of Texas homes.

At few other times in our history has Christmas meant so much as it does this year. With death, disillusion, bitterness and tears sweeping the world, America must cling to its heritage—one of the few remaining spots on earth where Christmas will just begin to see the blight of suffering.

It's time or every thinking Texan to consider his responsibility in the statewide movement to reduce automobile accidents.

Why not take the Christmas spirit of "Goodwill toward men" behind the wheel with you.

Give the other fellow a break. Be patient with others' mistakes in traffic. Don't risk life and limb

on what you think are your rights.

"Give Courtesy for Christmas"

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Graves and Mr. and Mrs. Slim Schillinger spent Sunday with Clarence Hudgins and Mr. and Mrs. Don Hudgins in Lamesa. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hudgins and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hudgins of Levelland and their father L. F. Hudgins of Lubbock were there also.

Slick Collins and Ned Self were Lamesa visitors Sunday.

Texas Citrus Finds Wide Retail Market

New York, Dec. 15—In the week ending December 6, Texas citrus growers moved a tonnage of grapefruit equivalent to 121 carloads into consumption into ten states through the Atlantic Commission Company, produce-buying affiliate of the A & P Tea Company, it was announced here today.

H. A. Baum, general manager of the commission company, said grapefruit from the Texas citrus section were distributed through retail stores served by distribution points at New York, Louisville, Cleveland, New Orleans, Milwaukee, Detroit, Flint, Dallas, Iowa City, Chicago, Des Moines, Columbus, Cincinnati, Houston, Memphis, St. Louis, Boston and Huntington.

The volume moved from Texas growing areas by the A & P and other distributors, coupled with other market developments, was sufficient to maintain a stable market, Baum said.

made directly from the growing centers through the firm's field office at Harlingen, Texas, with the balance being made up of spot purchases at retail distribution points, he added.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Latham and Bibby, and Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Kendrick spent Sunday in Post and Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen J. Dykes of Arnett visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee O. Allen Friday. Mr. Dykes is Mr. Allen's nephew.

Bill and Mary Louise Cooper, students at Texas Tech spent the week end here with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Zorns and Mrs. Tom went to Ralls Wednesday to get Tom May who had been in an auto accident near there. He is quickly recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Repp of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McDuffie visited Mrs. Ben Coksey in Seagraves Sunday.

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SOCIETIES CHURCHES ENTERTAINMENTS CLUBS

Social Events of the Week

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HOMEMAKERS CLASS HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Homemakers class of the First Baptist church had their Christmas social at the home of Mrs. L. M. Rogers Thursday night December 11th. A chicken dinner with all the trimmings was served and members exchanged gifts.

GERTRUDE RASCO ENTERTAINS PIANO CLASS

Gertrude Rasco entertained her piano pupils with a party in the orchid room at Hancock's Cafe last Saturday from 4 until 5 o'clock.

The following program was given:
Roll call answered with favorite Christmas Carol and a wish for Christmas.

Song "All I Want For Christmas Is To Keep What I've Got".
Christmas Customs of Long Ago, Gertrude Rasco.

Then a recoding of the poem. "Twas The Night Before Christmas", with sound effects was played.

Lovely gifts were exchanged and refreshments of fruit cake, topped with whipped cream and hot chocolate were served to the following pupils.

Deenie Ballard, Peggy Black, Patsy Black, Patsy Ruth Carter, Aurelia Anne Cobb, Ronnie Daniell, Scharlyn Daniell Gwennette Glover, Billy Mack Herod, Althea Jacobson, Maud Alice McCracken, Christine McDuffie, Cheezey McSpadden, Irvin Nelson Louise Rayborn, Lynn Sturges, Cynthia Tankersley, Wanda Ruth Turner, Virginia Walton, Minnie Lee Walton, Nancy Wier, Frances Weir, Marion Wingerd and Joe Burleson, Frances Bell, Mattie Sue Bell, Vida Jo Copeland, Tommie Tilger, Terry Tilger, Daniel Turnbough and Ena Ruth Turnbough.

GARDEN CLUB HAS PARTY

Mrs. Grady Goin and Mrs. J. M. Teague were hostess to the Garden club's annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Goin Thursday evening December 11th. The house was beautifully decorated with red berries, evergreen and poinsettias. The members exchanged garden gifts and a Christmas buffet supper of baken ham and sauce, glazed carrots, pea and cheese salad, apple jelly, pickles, potato chips, bran muffins, prune cake, and coffee was served to the following: Mesdames E. G. Akers, R. L. Bowers, J. H. Dallas, B. G. Hackney, Roy Herod, M. E. Jacobson, W. H. Nelson, L. Nicholson, R. B. Parish, C. C. Primm, and the hostess. After the buffet supper all went to Mrs. L. M. Wingerd's book review of "Keys of the Kingdom" at the high school auditorium.

Gertrude Rasco will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rasco of Memphis, Texas.

WOODMAN CIRCLE MEET

The Woodman Circle met Friday night, December 12th, and was honored by a visit from the State Manager, Mrs. Laura E. Krebs of Austin and district manager, Mrs. Janie V. McCannlies of Cisco. The guarian, Rose Mayfield presided, and the officers were seated by the team members who were dressed in royal blue evening gowns. The hall was beautifully decorated in red, white and blue with candles of the same colors placed in silver and crystal holders. District guests were brought to the center of the hall and introduced by the attendant and assistant attendant, Stella Jackson. Patriotic songs were sung and a musical was given by Pauline Howell. Impressive talks were made by Mrs. Krebs, and Mrs. McCannlies, Mrs. George Garret of Seagraves and Mrs. Ruth Buchanan of Seagraves and Mrs. Carl Edwards of Tahoka.

YOUNG PEOPLE ENJOY CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Young Peoples Class of the first Methodist church were entertained with a Christmas Party Tuesday night, December 16, in the Fellowship Hall.

Shuffle Board was the chief game of the evening. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies, and hot chocolate were served to the class members and Rev. and Mrs. Hanks. Christmas gifts were exchanged and before going home a number of Christmas songs were sung by all present. Bro. Hanks dismissed the group. Exeryone reporter a good time.

WMU OF THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH MEETS

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist church met at the church in the Royal Service Program at 3 o'clock Monday December 15.

The program, "An Urgent Gospel", was given as follows:

Song, Joy to the World; Devotional, Mrs. W. W. Price; Prayer, Mrs. Avery Rogers; Song of Christmas Angels, Mrs. R. D. Shumake, jr.; First Heard in Bethlehem, Mrs. L. O. Greenfield; Urgency of the Christmas Song, Mrs. J. T. Auburg; Palestine Then and Now, Mrs. J. W. Nelson and Mrs. John Alldredge; Prayer, Mrs. Ame Flache, Hope of the World, Mrs. Bebe Brown and Mrs. D. L. Patton.

The Women and Young People will give a Christmas program at the Colored church for all colored children, Monday December 22nd, at 7:30 in the evening. All are invited to go and share in the giving.

There will be a meeting of the Executive Board at the church Monday, December 22nd at 2 o'clock and all members are urged to be present. Immediately following at 3 o'clock there will be a quarterly business meeting.

MRS. TERRY IS HOSTESS TO LAS AMIGAS

The Las Amigas Club met and had its annual Christmas Party at the home of Mrs. Grady Terry Tuesday afternoon.

Club members exchanged gifts, and the hostess served fruit cake and coffee to Mesdames Troy Noel, Clovis Kendrick, Spencer Kendrick, Everett Latham, W. S. Brumage, Wilson Collins, F. A. Scott, J. M. Welborn, Jack Bailey, Orb Stice and W. R. McDuffie.

MAIDS AND MATRONS HAVE CHRISTMAS DINNER AND PARTY

The Senior Maids and Matrons had their annual Christmas dinner and party in the Orchid Room of Hancock's Cafe Tuesday night. Hostesses were Mesdames Jot Akers, Grady Goin, Money Price, Leo Holmes and Herman Heath.

The welcome was given by Mrs. Jot Akers, Christmas prayer lead by Mrs. L. M. Wingerd, Singing of Christmas carols lead by Mrs. Jacobson, and then the members exchanged Christmas gifts. The room and table were decorated in silver and blue, and the hostess wore white mum corsages trimmed with tiny silver bells. A delicious Christmas dinner of tomato juice cocktail, turkey and dressing candied potatoes, stuffed celery, olives, pears salad fruitcake and coffee was served. Those attending were Mesdames A. J. Stricklin, M. E. Jacobson, Lee Fulton, L. H. Foot, M. G. Tarpley, Ruth Moore Looe Miller, Lee Brownfield, E. C. Davis, J. R. Turner, R. B. Parish, W. A. Bell, Carole Ferguson, Ike Bailey, Lela Toone, J. M. Teague, L. Nicholson, Mon Telford, L. M. Wingerd, Joe J. McGowan, Misses Rascoe and Olga Fitzgerald and the hostesses.

Mrs. Vernon Jenkins was a guest.

RHYNE - GOODPASTURE

Estelle Goodpasture, daughter of Mrs. R. M. Goodpasture and Robert Leon Rhyne, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Rhyne of this city, were united in marriage July 21, 1941. Leon is a corporal in the United States Marine Corps in San Diego, Cal., and the couple will make their home there as long as he is in training.

Both young people are well known here, and all wish them much happiness. In a letter re-stated that his camp was well fortified and they are really ready for the Japs.

IDEAL MEET WITH MRS HEROD

Mrs. Roy Herod was hostess to the Ideal club and Christmas party at her country home Wednesday afternoon. Those present were: Mesdames Lee O. Allen, Glen Akers, R. L. Bowers, Ike Bailey, Joe J. McGowan, W. R. McDuffie, H. M. Pyeatt, Lester Treadaway, A. A. Sawyer, and O. L. Peterman. A delicious luncheon of baked chicken and dressing, beans, buttered carrots, Krummel torte with whipped cream, and coffee was served.

LADIES AID OF FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Christian Church met Monday, December 15th with Mrs. Jack Hamilton. Mrs. J. A. Dennis lead the lesson study of John 6-11. Members present were Mesdames Dick McDuffie, C. S. Shaffer, K. N. McBride, J. A. Dennis, F. E. Walters, R. N. McClain. Mrs. E. W. Hemme of Meadow was a guest. The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. S. Shaffer December 22.

O E S LADIES ATTEND RECEPTION IN LUBBOCK

The Brownfield ladies of the Eastern Star attended a reception in Lubbock Thursday night, Dec. 11th in honor of Mrs. Lillian Barnard, Associate Grand Conductor. It was held in the lounge of the Women's dormitory No. 2. Those who attended from Brownfield were: Ethel Fulton, Thelma Peacock, Cornelia Moore, Pansy Groce, Nova Avon, Ida Bruton, Mary Ellen Brown and Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Turner.

JUNIOR MUSIC RECITAL AND XMAS PARTY

Mrs. W. H. Dallas presenting members of Junior group in Piano and voice, in recital program which will precede a fun frolic, Tuesday evening December 23rd, at the Presbyterian church. Music students, parents and friends have the privilege of attending at 7:30.

Those singing and playing will be Gayle Walters, Norma Cary, Jean Craig, Margie Cary, Pholo Jean Browder, Barbara Harrel, Mildred Copeland, Joanne Price, Billy Beryl Black, Joan Shelton Lyle Shelton, Lannie Webb, Maurine Webb, Tommie Bandy, Elaine Davis, Carole Dallas, Toni Akers, Patsy Teague, Jonelda Benson and others will give readings.

High school students and adults will appear early in January in Patriotic Recital.

Bill McGowan will return Saturday from the University of Texas to spend the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. McGowan.



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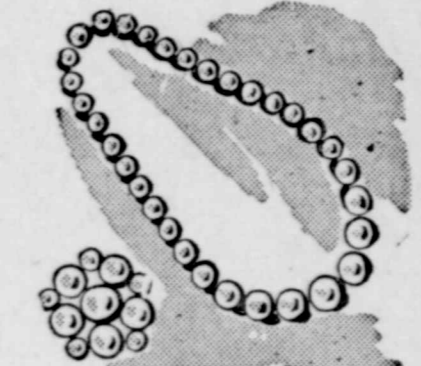
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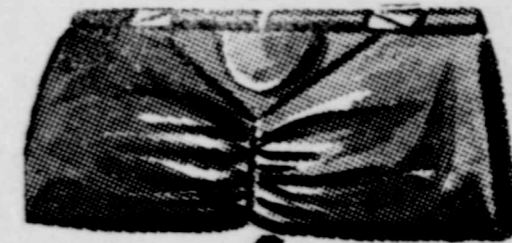
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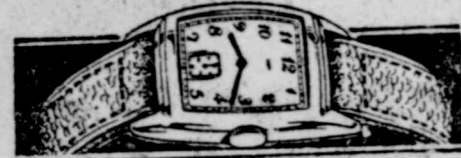
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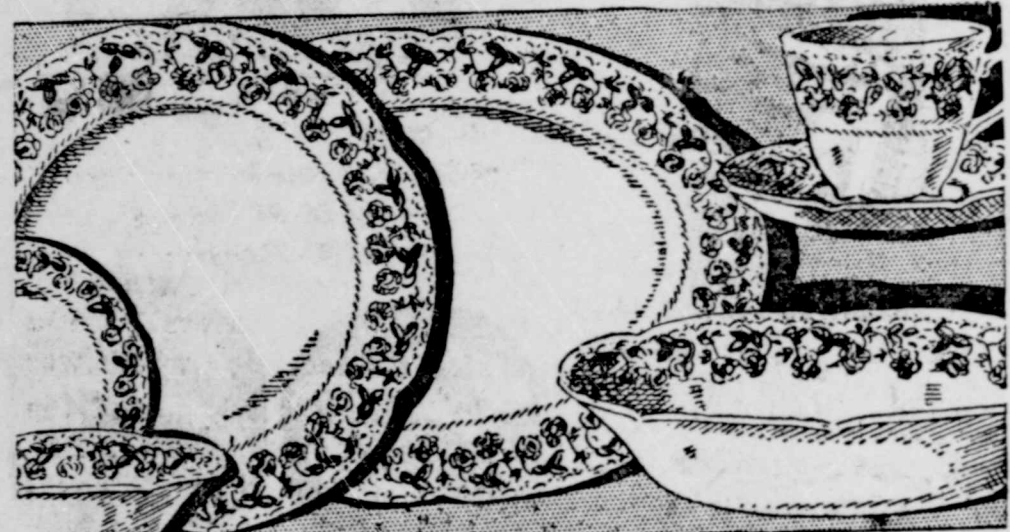


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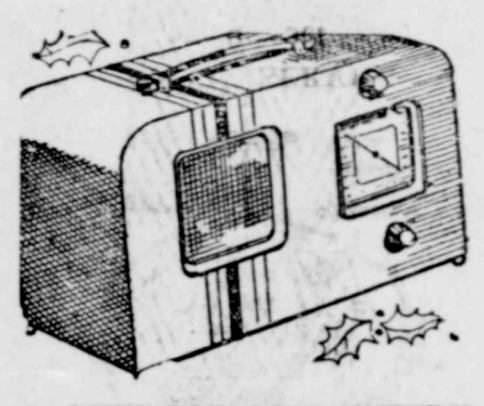
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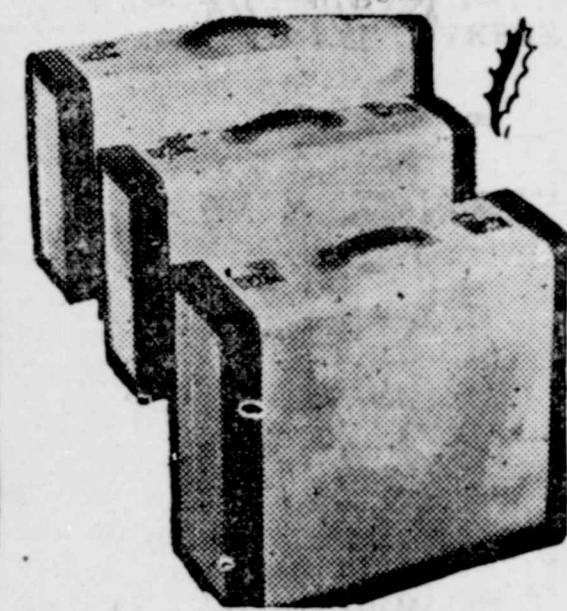
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FOR SALE, a few young toms and hen turkeys, alive or dressed, at McLeroy farm 4 miles west and 1 south of Brownfield 21p

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Judge Says—

California scored a point over Florida last week with those black out drops.

News reports that Hitler is sick. Who wouldn't be after taking those Russian enemas

Regardless of our dislikes, Joseph Stalin is the smartest man in Europe.

The U. S. Navy is going to set that 'Rising Sun'.

MRS. TELFORD'S MOTHER INJURED

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Brannan passed away Monday in Treadaway-Daniell hospital. The body was sent to Indian Gap, Texas for burial.

Illiene Jacobson has been ill this week with bronchitis.

TOKIO QUILTING CLUB

The Tokio Quilting Club met with Mrs. W. B. Martin Thursday afternoon December 11th.

Two quilts were quilted. Sandwiches, cookies, coca cola and orange crush was served to seventeen members and Mrs. Forbes and daughters of Ropes, and Mrs. Green from Gomez.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Claude Merrit on Jan. 8th.

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Stanolind Employees Hold Safety Banquet And Dance

The Stanolind Oil and Gas Co. employees working in the Brownfield Area held their semi-annual Safety Banquet last Friday night December 12, at 7:30 in the dining room of the First Methodist church. At ten o'clock the party met at the Legion Hall for a dance.

This was the first banquet held by the Stanolind since the opening of the new office in Brownfield on September 1st, 1940. Mr. V. N. Sibley, Assistant Field Superintendent, for the company in Brownfield, acted as Master of Ceremonies and in his introductory remarks mentioned the fact that the number of office employees in the Brownfield area had grown from seven when the office was first opened on Sept. 1, 1940 to twenty-eight at the

present time, and that the number of producing wells has increased from 26 to 135 with several wells now drilling and more to be drilled. Mr. Sibley exhibited a certificate of Merit presented to the management and employees of the Stanolind Oil and Gas Company by the National Safety Council in recognition of the meritorious achievement of the Stanolind in completing the Petroleum Section Annual Safety Contest July 1st, 1940 to June 30 1941, with only 21 disabling injuries while working 3,679,232 man-hours. These figures of course cover the entire Stanolind Company's producing operations in the United States. Mr. Sibley also mentioned that since the opening of the new office in Brownfield, there has been no lost time injuries.

The following program was given: Group singing accompanied at the piano by Miss Nancy Moore.

Virginia Lou Nelson.

The tables were beautifully decorated with cedar and Christmas candles.

Those present were Messrs. Mesdames L. T. Cope, N. O. Frederick, Coy Tucker, Tommy Moorehead, Ragan Peeler, V. N. Sibley and son, Miss Twilla Graham, Miss Betty Shelton, Messrs. Marshall Masterson, Clayton Simmons, Howard Tucker and Fred Jones.

Out of town guests were Messrs. and Mesdames O. C. Heath, Fred Nelson, R. M. Rutledge, W. D. Peden, John Shave, H. L. Terry, E. B. Butler, M. D. Gardner, E. R. Holt, George Ragland, Misses Kay Chauncey, Nancy Moore, Henri Ella Butler, Ruby Thacker, Messrs. Caskey Livingston, Daniel Streetman, C. B. LeGrant and T. C. Harman.

Mr. L. L. Bechtel, Field Superintendent was unable to be present at the banquet, however he Introductory remarks by Mr. V.

N. Sibley; Vocal solo by Mr. Caskey Livingston; Piano solo by Mrs. arrived from Ohio shortly after the dance had started.

DEATH COMES TO MRS. KENNEDY

Mrs. S. D. Kennedy, 48, of the Meadow section, who has been confined for some time in the local hospital, since a car wreck in which she was in several days ago, died Sunday.

She died of cuts, bruises and shock. She is survived by her husband and three sons.

Funeral services were held at the Meadow Baptist church at 2:30 Monday afternoon, with Rev. Horn of Post and the local pastor Rev. Shannon officiating. Burial in the Meadow cemetery with Brownfield Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Walter Hord was a Lubbock visitor Monday.

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