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Bring The Battleship Texas Back Home

BY GWN
Let give Texas a Christmas Gift. The Navy hath decreed the 38 year old Battleship "Texas" has served its time and purpose, and...

National Guard And Reserves Get Staff Training

Training under simulated combat conditions is being planned for the division staffs of seven National Guard and Organized Reserve Divisions assigned to the Fourth Army, General Thos. T. Handy, Army Commander, has announced.

Notice To Contributors

This will give due notice to one and all that on account of scarcity of print paper and other things other than newspapers would not understand, we cannot print articles about parties or celebrations, in which a long list of names are to be included.

Mrs. Farley's Father Dies In Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Farley, local funeral home operators, left Tuesday afternoon to attend the funeral of her father, Frank Jemison, in Temple, Okla.

A Toy Can Be A Death Trap

If toyland is a stopping place on your shopping list, remember the tiny, tender hands that will hold your gift on Christmas morning, asks Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner.

Electric trains should not be run under or around the Christmas tree as a stray spark on one needle could easily cause the whole tree to go up in flame.

Care should be exercised to see that the connection of any electric toy does not overload a circuit, causing a fuse to blow out or a fire to start in the wiring in the wall.

Seminole Cagers Down Cubs 42-32

Seminole High school's grid-iron stars, Jimmy Powell and Val Joe Walker, starred afloat Tuesday night as the Indians of district 7-A handed the Brownfield Cubs of 1-AA a 42-32 defeat in the first game of the basketball season here.

New Officers Elected In Odd Fellow Lodge

New officers were elected in the Odd Fellow lodge last Tuesday evening at their regular meeting. Remy Bryant succeeds Crawford Burrow as Noble Grand and W. C. Walding succeeds Mr. Bryant as vice grand.

Getting The Bank Robbers In A Hurry

Most of us thought that when the Hale Center bank was robbed some six months ago, and the participants were taken in within a few hours, that a record had been set that would stand for some time. But not so.

Old Church of Christ Building Removed

Another landmark gives way to the city's business expansion when the 30 year old Church of Christ building at the corner of Main and Third was removed last week. The Primitive Baptist church bought the building and have moved it to a site west of the Veteran Hall and will use it as their place of worship.

Lots Of Money Being Made On Grain Crops

Cotton may be King in most of the Plains counties, but here in Terry county, the Crown Prince Maize will surely be lasses run the Old King a close race, and you can put that down in your phone book.

A local man was in to see us just the 'other day, and he is the kind that loves to chew the fat, but is everything else but a guy given to boasting.

Outlook For 1948 To Appear Soon

The Herald will publish Roger W. Babson's Business and Financial Outlook For 1948.

Save Grain In The Dec. Poultry Flock

Every month is important in the poultry business, but December, 1947, is another grain saving month, and merits special attention.

Local Man Has Bottle Of Confederate Whiskey

A. J. Jordan, of North A street, is keeping as a family relic a full quart of whiskey, authenticated by affidavits made in Crockett, Texas in 1890, that it is double distilled corn whiskey, made in 1864, in the Louisiana State Laboratory, especially for Confederate sick.

Mayfield Second In Insurance Written

Ed Mayfield, local agent of the Amicable Life Insurance Co., Waco, stood second of several hundred agents of the company in Texas, in the amount of insurance written. When one considers that Ed has only been writing insurance nine months, this is indeed commendable.

Notice To Eastern Star Members

The Eastern Star will hold a regular meeting December 23 at 7:30 P. M. Following the meeting there will be Christmas carols and the exchange of gifts.

Lay And Ming Start Harvesting Cotton

Drove out to the Lay farm Sunday after church services, and had a splendid meal with them and other relatives visiting from Coahoma and San Angelo.

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Sales E Bonds Urged In Holiday Trade

Nobody was ever sorry he saved, U. S. Treasury emphasizes the importance of investing in U. S. saving bonds while agricultural products are at the highest peak in history and while farm (and ranch) incomes are beyond all previous levels.

Proclamation

By Gov. BEAUFORD JESTER
It is my solemn duty to acquaint the citizens of this State with the grim prediction of traffic deaths and injuries during the coming Christmas Holiday season.

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\$420 Offered In Prizes In Texas History

The Texas State Historical Association has announced a first prize of \$100 for the winner of the 1947-48 Junior Historian Writing Contest. Seventeen papers will receive awards totaling \$420.

School Athletic Fund Shows Increase

Superintendent S. P. Cowan has made a financial report of the condition of the school's athletic fund from Sept. 1 to date, covering the football season. It shows receipts to have been \$11,397.78 and expenditures \$8,522.34, leaving a balance on hand of \$2,875.44.

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A statewide search is underway for a 39-year-old man who worked under the name of Truman Hauser as advertising solicitor for the Terry County Herald.

Discovery of a possible misdeed occurred late Tuesday afternoon when quarters Hauser had been ordered to vacate were being cleaned and two blank checks, one bearing the signature of A. J. Stricklin and the other of A. J. Stricklin jr., were discovered under the linoleum.

The firm checks had been taken from a check book which the Herald kept in a vault. Some of the checks are still unaccounted for.

The case was turned over to County Attorney Virgil Crawford and the Sheriff's department Wednesday morning and search was started immediately.

The Herald family is greatly shocked over the matter and hope the culprit will soon be caught.

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The Herald believes that President Harry S. Truman was brought up right by good, moral and religious parents. But we also know that his political career was spawned and incubated in the rotten political machine in the midwest. And we know that no longer than a few months ago that he used a revival of this old machine still out of the pen, to defeat a young Democratic congressman that would not bow his knee to Baal. But the president's man, so elected, was defeated by a Republican. His latest episode was to pardon the mayor of Boston, convicted of defrauding by use of mails in a US court. Every move is a political one and in this one, he was fishing for Catholic votes, of which there are plenty around Boston.

By the way, it looks like some of the big moguls down state are getting fed up on the high handed methods the National Democratic Committee, or New Deal Party. The radicals, leftists, pinks, etc., try to laugh about Texas Regulars. They may live to see the day when the laugh will be on the other side of their faces. The only reason they made no headway four years ago was that they offered absolutely nothing, and were not organized well in Texas, and not at all throughout the rest of the south. Had they been organized throughout the south and had nominated some upstanding

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Democrat this day, Harry Byrd of Virginia, perhaps another page would have been written on who the president-elect would have been in 1944. As it was, there was just a blank bunch of electors who could have cast their vote for Andy Gump or most anyone else. So that left nothing for most of us to do but polish up our old brass dollar and march to the polls and cast the fourth and last ballot for Roosevelt electors.

The Treasury Department has asked the Herald along with the nation's thousands of papers and radio stations, to stress buying US government bonds by farmers and others who may have surplus cash. Ten years from now when these bonds begin to come due, a dollar may look as big as a wagon wheel. This is something to think about.

"Democrats give up on Henry Wallace"—daily headline. Who in all creation ever suspected H. Wallace being a Democrat, even if spelled with a little "d"? The New Dealers borrowed him from the Republicans to start with.

Poor little Finland! Living as he does under the shadow of the great big, burly bear, she cannot act otherwise than with some show of sympathy with the commies. But at heart, she is true blue democratic. Reason we think so? She is still honest and pays her debts as they come due to Uncle Sam. No dictator nation was ever honest.

One way to slow down reckless drivers on the highways and streets, is to make the penalty more severe for each separate offense, with or without liquor. A good stiff jail sentence might help. Every day we see them making the intersection down town, during heavy traffic hours at ninety to nothing.

Now comes Humphrey Bogart stating that he is no commie now nor never has been, nor is he a sympathizer. He also makes the 11th hour confession that he made a huge mistake in leading the bunch of Hollywood stars on Washington during the Congressional Investigation of Un-American Activities. But he went far enough to get his mug on the

## Be Quick To Treat Bronchitis

Chronic bronchitis may develop if your cough, chest cold, or acute bronchitis is not treated and you cannot afford to take a chance with any medicine less potent than Creomulsion which goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Creomulsion blends beechwood creosote by special process with other time tested medicines for coughs. It contains no narcotics. No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough, permitting rest and sleep, or you are to have your money back. (Adv.)

First page of Daily Worker. Now old Chas. Chaplin, the "Henglishman," who has made millions off the theatre going public in America, has been advising the French commies to resist that government. Kick 'em out of the USA and fast.

Next week is Christmas week. It should be one of good cheer for everyone. It should be one in which we can overlook the faults of all, and hope they will overlook our faults. Not the least of our earnest endeavor to make it easy as possible for those who are serving us in stores, cafes, etc. Let's try to make the occasion pleasant for all.

Another great and outstanding Texan, is retiring, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz has announced that he is quitting this week, and will make his home on the west coast, where he will still be in an advisory capacity to the Pacific fleet. The Admiral was born at Fredericksburg of German extraction, and after finishing his education in the common schools and college, he intended a career in the army. But West Point was so full at the time, he went to the naval academy at Annapolis. After the attack on Pearl Harbor, and the army-navy commanders there were discredited, Nimitz was appointed to build up a fleet in the Pacific. To say the least, with practically the entire fleet destroyed, this was a big order, but this smiling Texan took over. It was a heart rending job until some two years later when his fleet was more than a match for the Japs at Midway and Coral Seas, and later in the Philippine area. Then came the island jumping plan, and finally the Jap fleet found itself without a supply line and bottled up. Then the Pacific fleet with carriers and bombers went to work in dead earnest, until the Japs stuck up the white feather. He had the supreme satisfaction of being one of the representatives of the USA on board the battleship Missouri, to sign

Several from the local Methodist church attended the annual Harvest Day program at the St. John church in Lubbock December 4th. It was an all day meeting with luncheon served in Fellowship Hall. Reports from all churches represented were given for the years work. Those attending from here were Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Thurston, Miss Maude Bailey and Mesdames Ed Tharp, G. S. Webber, W. B. Downing, B. L. Thompson, J. H. Carpenter and A. J. Loyd.

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the articles of capitulation of the Nipponese. To Nimitz as well as all other Texans, he'll always be a Texan first.

Before we hardly got settled Friday morning after the paper was in the post office, Mayor Frank Jordan called up, and in the name of all the city street department heartily thanked us for the front page editorial that appeared last week. He said that people in public business usually got so many kicks in the ribs, that a complimentary article was really appreciated. He illustrated with the story of the little stray dog. If every one it meets yells at it or kicks the little fellow, he gives the appearance of not having a single friend. But let some one pat his head and the little pooch will follow you into the sea. In commenting on this good thought, we might tell Mayor Jordan that we might commend some people weekly in the paper, and if they had even seen the article, they never mention it. But as sure as you commend some one else, say sort of a competitor, they will become surly and hardly speak to you.

Prayer for divorce and general and special relief. Issued this the 9th day of December, 1947. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Brownfield, Texas, this 9th day of December A. D. 1947.

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**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: MAVIS RILEY  
GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 26th day of January, A. D. 1948, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the honorable District Court of Terry County, at the Court House in Brownfield, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's petition was filed on the 9th day of December, 1947. The file number of said suit being No. 3416. The names of the parties in said suit are:

S. N. RILEY, jr., as Plaintiff, and MAVIS RILEY as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit for Divorce. Plaintiff alleges that he was married on August 12, 1944, and that Defendant abandoned him Dec. 1, 1944, for the purpose of permanently separating from him, and that such abandonment has continued for more than three years prior to the filing of the Petition. That Plaintiff has resided in Terry County 6 months prior to filing suit and has been an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas for more than 12 months prior to filing same.

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**WE ARE IN THE MARKET FOR DRIED BLACKEYED PEAS**  
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## The Low Down From Hickory Grove

Well folks, I see where another of our "Wonder Boys" has gone where the woodbine twineth, and we can put his name up there on the escutcheon with the others who have gone down fighting for us common people—also for their own publicity. And this is the latest one to go over the divide is our recent hen house champion, whose slide rule slipped when he figured a live chicken hoppin' around in the barnyard would eat less grain than it would if you popped it in the skillet. So up there on the escutcheon with 100 other Heavy Thinkers, we can add a new name—Mr. Hen House Charley.

But this fowl-less Thursday business we been toying with has maybe after all been a good thing. If it demonstrates that the Govt. boys can be 100 per cent wrong in as simple a question as chickens, then they might also have some juvenile ideas on things like communism thrives best on hunger. But here in our own grand land where the gout is prevalent and the garbage cans bulge, we also see communism loom.

There is fummiddles some place in the woodpile. Yours with the low down,  
JO SERRA.

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Frank W. Hudgins, M. D. (Gynecology)

## Sure Hard To Understand Weathermen

Have you listened to the Fibber McGee and Molly program of late. A new character has been introduced, the local weather forecaster. Now, if you really want to hear a guy that can hum and haw, back track, side step and hedge, when talking about the weather, listen in on this program some Tuesday night.

The Old He would naturally have an interest in the weather, good, fair or indifferent, as for years we have had the oversight of the US Weather Bureau rain gauge in the rear of the Herald office. Then too, we have one of those "Weather Houses" you hear advertised over radio. And, secretly, we have just about reached the point that we would bet on the weatherhouse against all comers—if a betting man.

But we are still stumped on many announcements we hear at night via the weather route. We understand that just about all the weather forecasts are from Houston or Dallas. But we get ours over WQAF in San Antonio. They generally begin by giving the forecast for SA and vicinity, together with the temperature "to-

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- PIMIENTOS 4 oz. tin ..... 15c
- SHRIMP Pedigree No. 1 can ... 51c
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**Olo Belle Brown Wed To Jack Green In Sweetwater**

Miss Ola Belle Brown, daughter of Mrs. Gene Brown of Dumas, became the bride of Jack Green today at a surprise ceremony held at the conclusion of the regular noon day luncheon of the Lions Club in the Skyroom of the Blue Bonnet Hotel in Sweetwater.

The single ring ceremony was read by Rev. Sam Young in an improvised altar arranged by two flower baskets filled with pink and white gladioli. The wedding music was given by Mrs. Albert Brann who sang "Because" by D'Hardelot and "Calm as the Night" by Bohm and Mrs. Al Brandt who played the traditional wedding marches and "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life" during the exchanging of the marriage vows.

The bride entered with her brother, L. Grady Brown of Dumas, who gave her in marriage. She wore a white crepe frock with gold sequin trim and brown accessories. Her corsage was of split yellow mums.

Miss Abie Klanson served as maid of honor. She wore a green

gabardine suit with brown accessories and a corsage of yellow carnations. Homer Williams attended the groom as best man.

At the conclusion of the ceremony President Tom Marsh of the Lions Club read a letter from the Commissioners Court which contained a gift of \$10 for the bride and groom. The three tiered wedding cake was cut by Mrs. Mary B. Kennedy and served to the Lions members.

Mr. and Mrs. Green will make their home at 906 East Third street and continue to operate the concession in the court house. Out-of-town guests for the ceremony included the bride's mother, Mrs. Gene Brown of Dumas, her brothers, T. R. Brown of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Brown of Dumas; her aunt Mrs. S. E. Brown of Loraine, and her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hester and Mrs. Glen Coon of Loraine. Mrs. Tom Green, sister-in-law of the groom was also present.—Sweetwater Reporter

Mrs. Green resided here for a number of years, moving here with her family when quite small. Under the sponsorship of the local Lions Club, she operated a

**MEADOW STUDY CLUB REPORT**

The Meadow Study Club wishes to thank the people of Meadow and Brownfield for their good support of the sale of the Thanksgiving Turkey. The club will entertain the public with a free domino party at a later date.

The club met Nov. 25th for their regular Thanksgiving program with Mrs. A. C. Finley. Subject "Our Glorious Homeland," discussed by Mrs. Fox and Zorns. Leader, Mrs. Covington.

Next meeting will be Dec. 11th with Mrs. Carl Stephenson, subject, the Bible.

**MISS GRAHAM ENTERTAINS CLUB**

Miss Twilla Graham was hostess Thursday of last week with a Mexican luncheon and bridge at the Esquire. Club members attending were Mesdames Cotton Neely, Tom Harris, W. O. Schellinger, C. W. Hafer, Ted Hardy, Kenneth Hill, Sawyer Graham, George Germany, James Hankins, Bill Anderson and Bobby Jones. Guests were Mesdames Larry Wilson, Jim Christner, Fred Nabors and Charles Jones.

High score went to Mrs. Neely second high to Mrs. Germany and guest high to Mrs. Christner.

**MARTIN LINES ENTERTAIN 44 CLUB**

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Line entertained the 44 Club with dinner and bridge Thursday evening of last week. High score went to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Blair and second high to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dean.

Present were Messrs. and Mesdames Jack Benton, Crawford Burrow, Wayne Brown, Blair, Dean and Tom Crawford.

concession in the post office. At Sweetwater, where she has been for nearly three years, she had been voted sweetheart of the Lions Club and also ran a concession in the Court house.



**ELAINE FLACHE**

Elaine Flache, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Flache of Colorado City, will spend her first Christmas here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sawyer and her grandmother, Mrs. Ame Flache.

**WCS MEETS MONDAY WITH MRS. DOWNING**

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Monday at 1 o'clock in the home of Mrs. W. B. Downing for a luncheon and the final lesson from their study book. Mrs. Webber gave the devotional and the lesson after which gifts were exchanged from a beautifully decorated tree.

Present were Mesdames J. H. Carpenter, Dennis Lilly, W. A. Bell, H. L. Thurston, J. W. Hogue, G. M. Thomason, B. J. Hill, F. L. Maupin, McDonald, A. J. Loyd, M. T. Craig, Jim Jackson, Lula Singletary, Bettie Criswell, Joe Johnson, Addie Isbell, A. E. Proctor, Chas. Wilson, Ed Sharp, Cleve Williams, Harry Longbrake, V. D. Gorton, G. S. Webber, Wayland Parker, L. L. Brock, B. L. Thompson, Jessie G. Randal, Lee Walker, Miss Maude Bailey, Rev. H. L. Thurston and Mr. Downing.

T. E. Davidson, of Marlow, Oklahoma is here visiting in the W. F. Davidson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Muldrow and sons left Thursday to spend the holiday season in Okla.

**Marvline Powell Wed Billy Benson Sunday**

Miss Marvline Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bual Powell of Brownfield became the bride of Billy Benson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hursey Benson of Tokio, Sunday December 14. Rev. J. Preston Murphy, pastor of the Presbyterian church read the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore a blue suit with black accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. John George, of Meadow attended the couple as matron of honor and best man. Mrs. George is the bridegroom's sister.

After a wedding trip to Carlsbad the couple will be at home in Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Walker visited relatives in Sudan Sunday.

**NEW SILHOUETTE**



Reflecting the regal mood of autumn is this cotton velvet designed by fashion creator Charles Armour in the new long enhancing silhouette. Golden emblems on the collar and buttons suggest the courtly crest of bygone days. The matching hat also is done in cotton

**MAIDS AND MATRONS FILL CHRISTMAS BAGS**

Part of the entertainment for the Maids and Matrons club Christmas party was to fill bags with candy fruit and nuts for the children in the negro school. Mrs. Will Adams reviewed the book, "The Other Wise Man" and Mr. Jack Shirley sang Christmas songs accompanied by Mrs. Shirley.

The party was given in the home of Mrs. Roy Winger with Miss Olga Fitzgerald as co-hostess and was formal. The guests exchanged gifts.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Adams, W. A. Bell, W. B. Brown, E. C. Davis, Leo Holmes, Joe McGowan, Looie Miller, O. L. Peterman, Money, Price, Jessie G. Randal, Arthur Sawyer, M. G. Tarpley, J. M. Teague, Mary Ruth Nelson, Mon Telford, J. R. Wright, A. J. Stricklin and C. F. Simes.

**MRS. TURNER ENTERTAINS ALATHEAN CLASS**

Mrs. A. W. Turner teacher of the Alathean Sunday school class of the Baptist church entertained the members with a Christmas dinner Tuesday evening. After dinner gifts were exchanged and the class presented Mrs. Turner with a gift which she gave to the annual Lottie Moon offering.

There were twenty-four present.

Mr. and Mrs. George O'Neal and in Olney with her mother, Mrs. son, Don will spend the holidays Rhea Anderson.



The Jewelry Industry Council says that pearls may be draped to suit both fancy and neckline. Here a long string of them is looped about the neck three times and worn with a short necklace of larger pearls which carries an elaborate jeweled pendant that is also a clip. This ornament, whose center is a yellow sapphire surrounded by blue sapphires and diamonds, is set with large cabochon emeralds. Earrings, with unseen hoops of gold, hold pearls above as well as at the lobes of the ears.

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### Farm Cash Income Soars In October

Texas farmers cashed in with the stakes high during October as farm cash income soared \$100,000,000 above its September level to

score a 42 per cent monthly jump, The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported. Estimated farm cash intake for the State reached \$342,210,000 in October, exceeding October 1946 income by 55 per cent. The Bu-

reau's seasonally-adjusted index stood at 550 in October (Base: 1935-38 equal 100). The index was slightly under the September mark since the monthly advance failed to come up to gains called for in the seasonal pattern.

### Sleep Is Necessary To Good Health

Sleep is a necessity of life and health, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, and habitual loss of sleep will tend to retard the body's recovery from the fatigue of the day's activities. "We may be able to go without sleep for a night or two, but too little sleep for a prolonged length of time will undermine the health of a rugged person and sleep that is lost cannot be made up," Dr. Cox said. "When good health can be protected to such a large extent merely by sleeping and thus allowing overtaxed bodies and minds to secure the proper rest, it is hard to understand why so many persons are heedless of this important health measure."

Some individuals require more sleep than others. How well we sleep is as important as how long we sleep. A "good night's rest" means a sufficient number of hours spent in sleep to enable the individual to feel well, do efficient work, and to keep in a cheerful humor the next day.

"A comfortable bed, and fresh air in our sleeping quarters," Dr. Cox said, "will help us to sleep soundly at night, especially after some outdoor exercise such as a brisk walk. Don't mull over your problems and ideas after you have gone to bed. Make your plans early in the evening for a good night's rest by slowing down from the physical and mental work of your daily life, and dismissing

### Behind the Scenes in American Business

BY REYNOLDS KNIGHT  
Maybe business should take to its storm cellars. The economists of the Department of Commerce have just come out with an optimistic prediction for 1948. Boom conditions will continue in almost every American industry, is the prediction. This is the same department—though probably not the same men—who, in 1945, predicted there would be six million to eight million jobless by the middle of 1946. The memory of that prediction is likely to haunt the Commerce department for a long time to come. So business can be excused today if it wonders what now inspires such an optimistic attitude by a source that, in the past, has used economic predictions for its own purposes. Anyhow, the department now expects a sustained demand through the year for steel. It sees some help in the steel situation from the new facilities being brought into production. The automobile industry, it believes, will turn out five million cars and one million trucks. And just to top off the optimum of optimism, it thinks butter will be more plentiful.

HOME BUILDING BOOM—The Bureau of Labor Statistics your problems from your mind. When you arise each morning, rested and with a feeling of general well-being, you will be amply repaid for your thought in planning a good night's sleep.

### TEDDY JO HARDY GIVES BIRTHDAY PARTY

Teddy Jo Hardy observed his 11th birthday at his home, 610 East Main, Monday afternoon with a party. The guests played games and were served cake and ice cream.

Those attending were John Ross Holmes, James Herbert Chesshir, Kenneth Wayne Hardy, John Virgil Burnett, Don and Troy Bryant, Robert Strickland, Buddy Johnson, Jack Taylor Stricklin, Jimmy Dick Szydoski, Donny O'Neal, Barry Burrows, Joe Killian and Jimmy Benton.

is optimistic too. By the end of the year construction will have begun on more than 880,000 new permanent dwellings, making 1947 the best homebuilding year since 1925, it predicts. Unprecedented demand, of course, accounts for this huge amount of home construction, and one thing helping to make it possible is the fact that manufacturers are turning out record quantities of materials. Production of ceramic tile, for instance, reached the highest rate in history during September and is expected to go even higher before the year's end. The new peak based on Septmbr manufacturer, was at the annual rate of 97,824,000 square feet, or 3,618,000 square feet more than the previous production rate, achieved in 1926. This volume assures home builders an adequate supply of ceramic tile for new bathrooms and kitchens in the 1,000,000 new dwellings expected to be built in 1948, construction experts point out.



Match your hat to your earrings for a formal afternoon, says the Jewelry Industry Council and suggests a cluster of emeralds accented with rubies for wear with a velvet and satin hat of green and red. An elaborate gold ribbon bracelet and ring in domed open design are also set with emeralds and rubies to complete the ensemble. Hat from Sally Victor.

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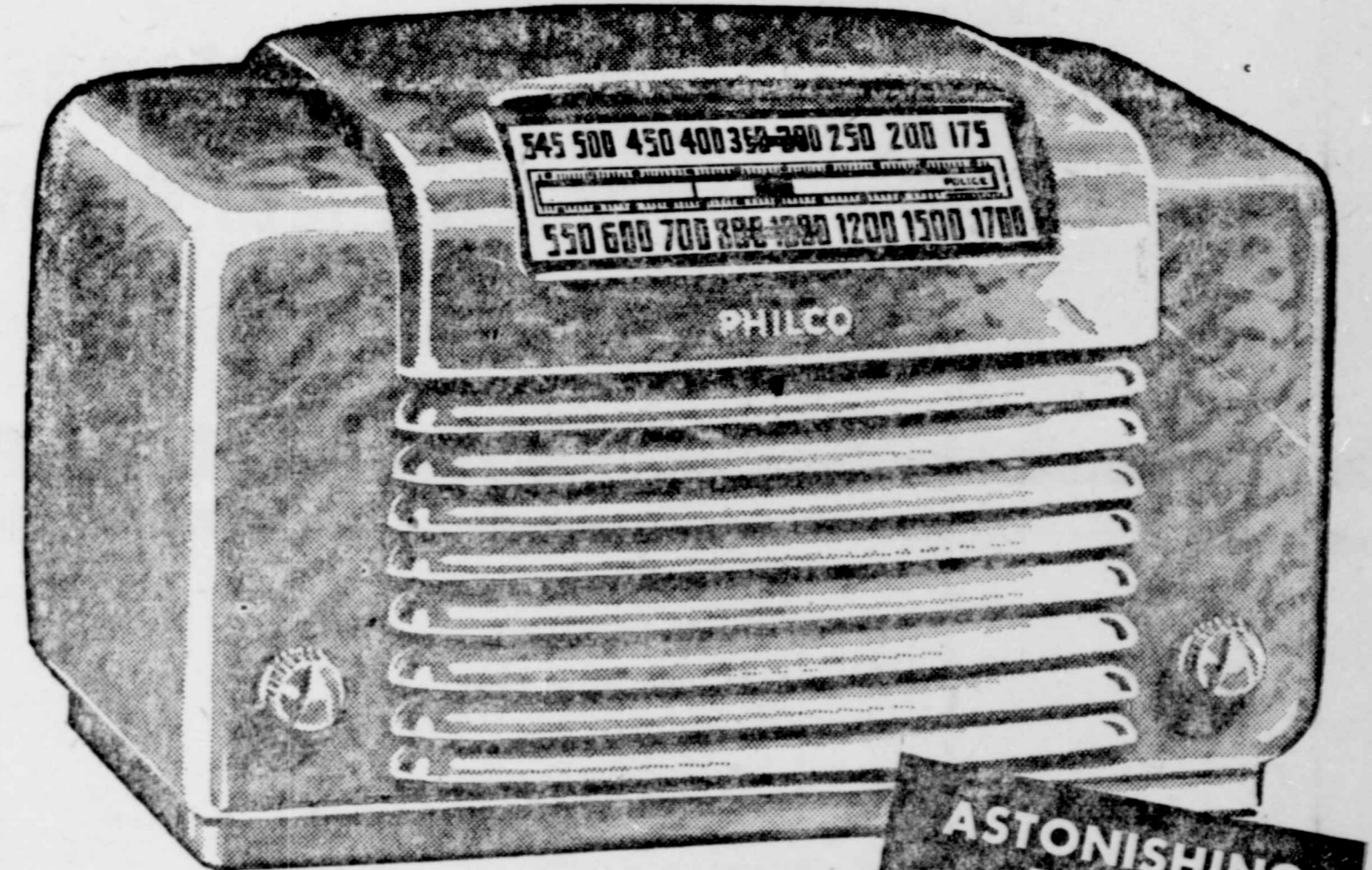


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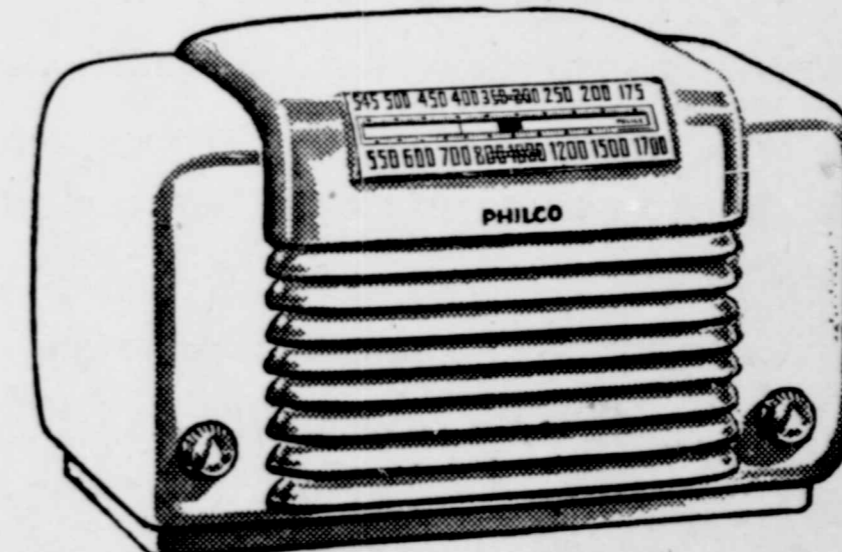
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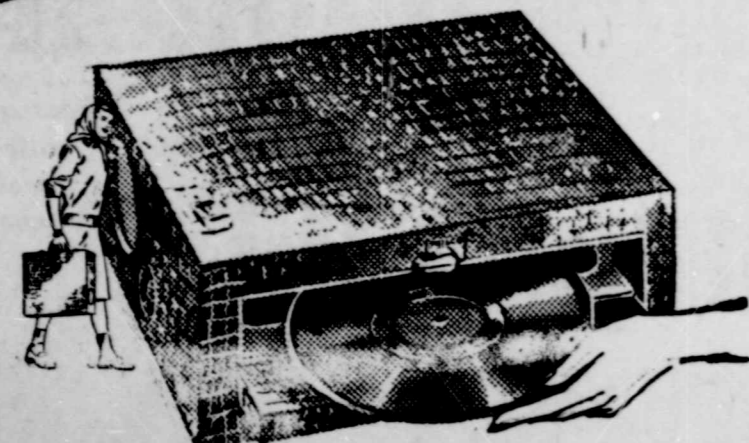
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Loving you always,  
Wanda Joyce

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
I am a little boy seven years old I have been pretty good part of the time. I would like to have an electric train, bow and arrow, football, and a box of tinkler toys. I have a little brother who is five years old—he would like to have a tricycle, and basket ball. We both need socks too. We would like to have some fireworks and candy and nuts.  
Love  
Gene and Doug Mason

**North Pole**  
**Dear Santa:**  
For our Christmas presents my brother and I would love to have an electric football game, fruit, nuts and sport shirts—also my brother would love to have a 3-

wheel bicycle. We have been good boys.  
Thank You,  
Teddy and Tommy Hardy

**Dear Santa:**  
Since there are so many needy people in the world this Christmas, I will not ask for much. I only want a real sweet doll and Santa, bring a Merry Christmas to all girls and boys everywhere. And a special Christmas to my sister, Becky, and to mother and daddy and granny and Big Boy.  
Thank you so much,  
Jonelda Oakley

**Dear Santa:**  
Please bring me a doll blanket. Like my sister Jo is weaving and I would like a gingerbread cutter. I have been a sweet little girl like you told me to be. I will not be afraid of you this year.  
Love  
Becky Oakley

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
I want a little fire truck that I can ride in; also a convertible Studebaker car, brand new.  
Love,  
Johnny

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
I want a baby doll and some dishes, but worst of all I want a house coat and some house shoes. My sister wants a doll and

my brother wants a fire truck that he can ride in. I am nine years old.  
Your Friend,  
Peggy Davis Herring

**Dear Santa Claus**  
Please bring me a doll, cash register a washing machine and some books and some boots.  
I Love You,  
Andrea Jenkins

**Dear Santa:**  
I want a little fiddle for Christmas and a fire truck if you have one. If you haven't you could give me just anything that you want me to have. I would like a doctor's set and house shoes and a new pair of boots, a little dump truck and loading shovel, and a gun.  
Dicky

**To Santa:**  
I want a Betsy Wetsy doll, a nurses set, make believe make up set.  
Judy.

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
Please bring me a bicycle, a doll and some doll clothes. Don't forget my little brother who is fourteen months old. I think he would like a rocking horse.  
Love,  
Linda Mae Bost

**Dear Santa Claus**  
I am a little girl seven years old I have tried to be a good little girl. Will you please bring me a doll, doll clothes, house coat, house shoes, dishes and a doll buggy and lots of fruits, nuts and candy. Please don't forget all the other little boys and girls.  
Love  
France Sue Steen

**Dear Santa Claus**  
I am a little girl five years old. I have been a good little girl. Will you please bring me a doll, dishes, doll furniture and a doll buggy and lots of fruits, nuts and candy. Don't forget all the other little boys and girls.  
Love,  
Patricia Vinger

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith and son plan to spend the week end in Amarillo visiting relatives of Mrs. Smith.

**TOM MAY WRITES TO SANTA CLAUS**  
Dear Santa Claus:  
Santa I know tons of letters you are sure to get,  
But lots of them you won't read a bit.  
But I am asking for a gift I know you can afford,  
And if necessary you might get some help from the Lord.  
I don't want toys, dolls or fancy sleds,  
nor balloons, or boots of red.  
It isn't guns, swords, or fishing reels,  
that I am asking you to forge from our nation's steel.  
But Santa please put your sideboards on your sled and heap it high,  
and give to ever one your are passing by.  
From north to south and east to west,  
The thing that I would love the best.  
I know you will bring it if you possibly can,  
and that is peace on earth to all men.

**Dear Santa Claus**  
I am a little boy. Will you please bring me a cowboy suit, hat, two guns one for each side, house shoes and house coat and lots of fruits, nuts and candy. I am going to be up at my grandmother's so bring by things up there.  
Love,  
Duane Steen

**Dear Santa:**  
I am a little girl two and a half years old. I would like to have you bring me a pair of house shoes, a doll, a little set of dishes, fruit and candy. Don't forget Charlotte Ann, please, for she will be visiting in Florida this Christmas. Oh yes, bring my toys to Ma Maw's and Jack's house.  
Lots of love,  
Jackie Sue Horn

**Dear Santa Claus**  
Linda Raye Douglas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Douglas of Lubbock spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Simms.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bevers, Mrs. Goldie Bevers, Mrs. Virgie Bevens and children and Barbara Bruce spent Sunday in Littlefield visiting relatives.

**Union Utterings**

School will be dismissed on Friday December 19 for the Christmas holidays. It will take up again Monday, Dec. 29.

The school rooms all have a gay Christmas look now. With Santa peeking in at the windows the rooms look bright and cheery.  
The box supper, sponsored by the senior class on Friday night was a grand success. Something over \$500 was netted from the sale of the boxes and queen's race. Doris Lewis was crowned queen of high school and Bettye Duncan was made queen of the grade school. The senior class wishes to thank the auctioneers, Mr. Jeff Farley and Mr. Victor Herring for their time and effort in selling the boxes.

Next Sunday is church day at the local church. The members of the congregation plan to give the pastor and his family a surprise gift box on Sunday morning. All who wish to have a part in giving are asked to please bring your gift to church Sunday and place it in the box.

Thirty five were present for Sunday school Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shepherd and family were called Saturday to the bedside of an aunt who is critically ill in a hospital at Lamesa.

Word was received here last week of a wreck in which the Box boys of this community were injured. No particulars of the wreck were learned, other than an uncle was killed immediately.

**CEN-TEX CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS PROGRAM**

The Cen-Tex Harmony Club met at the La Mecca cafe Tuesday evening for their Christmas program. Miss Delia Wall was chairman and Mmes. Eldora White and Clemmie Hamilton were hostesses.

The Christmas Story was given by Mrs. W. W. Price and a paper on History of Carols from Other Lands was given by Ruth Huckabee. Mrs. Wayne Hill sang, "O Holy Night" as a solo and the group sang, "White Christmas," "Silent Night" and "First Noel."

Gifts were exchanged and refreshments of mince pie and coffee were served to Mesdames D. P. Carter, Jean Feeser, Hill, Huckabee, N. L. Mason, Jimmie Moore, Homer Newman, W. W. Price, Grace Wood, S. P. Cowan, P. C. McCord, Johnny Benson and Misses Della Wall, Edith Creighton and Creola Moore.

**Jessie G. Randal P T A Meets**

The Jessie G. Randal PTA met Thursday of last week at the school for a program on, "Key Notes to a World Peace." Mrs. E. C. Gerstenberger discussed the woman's part in world peace.

Mrs. Homer Newman and Mrs. C. A. Wilhite's grades gave a program of Christmas poems and songs and a playlet titled, "The Littlest Shepherd."

During the business session conducted by Mrs. V. L. Patterson, first vice-president, plans were made for the Christmas party for the school children which the PTA will sponsor.

During the social which followed, cokes and sandwiches were served.

**ALPHA OMEGA CLUB HAS DINNER AT LA MECCA**

Alpha Omega club members enjoyed a dinner and Christmas program Monday evening at the La Mecca cafe with Mesdames John Portwood, Lee Brownfield and Grady Goodpasture as hostesses.

"Christmas is Christ" was given by Mrs. V. L. Patterson and "Christmas is Home" by Mrs. Sam Teague. Mrs. Wayne C. Hill sang a Christmas song and the group joined in singing carols.  
The room was decorated in keeping with the season and gifts were exchanged.

Present were Mesdames Jerry Kirschner, Robert Noble, Virgil Crawford, Jack Ellis, V. L. Patterson, Jake Gore, John O'Dell, James Sadler, Bill McGowan, Wayne Hill, N. L. Mason, Jack Hamilton, Clarence Lackey, Bill

**BROWNIE TROOPS HAVE CHRISTMAS PARTY**

Troops, six, seven and eight of the Brownie Scouts met at the Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon for a Christmas party. Singing, exchanging gifts and games made the party a gay one.

Fifty Brownies and Mesdames J. F. Venable, Raymond Hinkle, Fred Cox, E. C. Gerstenberger, C. R. Riley, Z. C. Frost, Shirley Moore, R. A. Bradley, J. W. Nelson and Herman Chesshir were present. Christmas cookies, candies and soda pop were served the group.

County Attorney Williams, of Plains, was here Monday on legal business.

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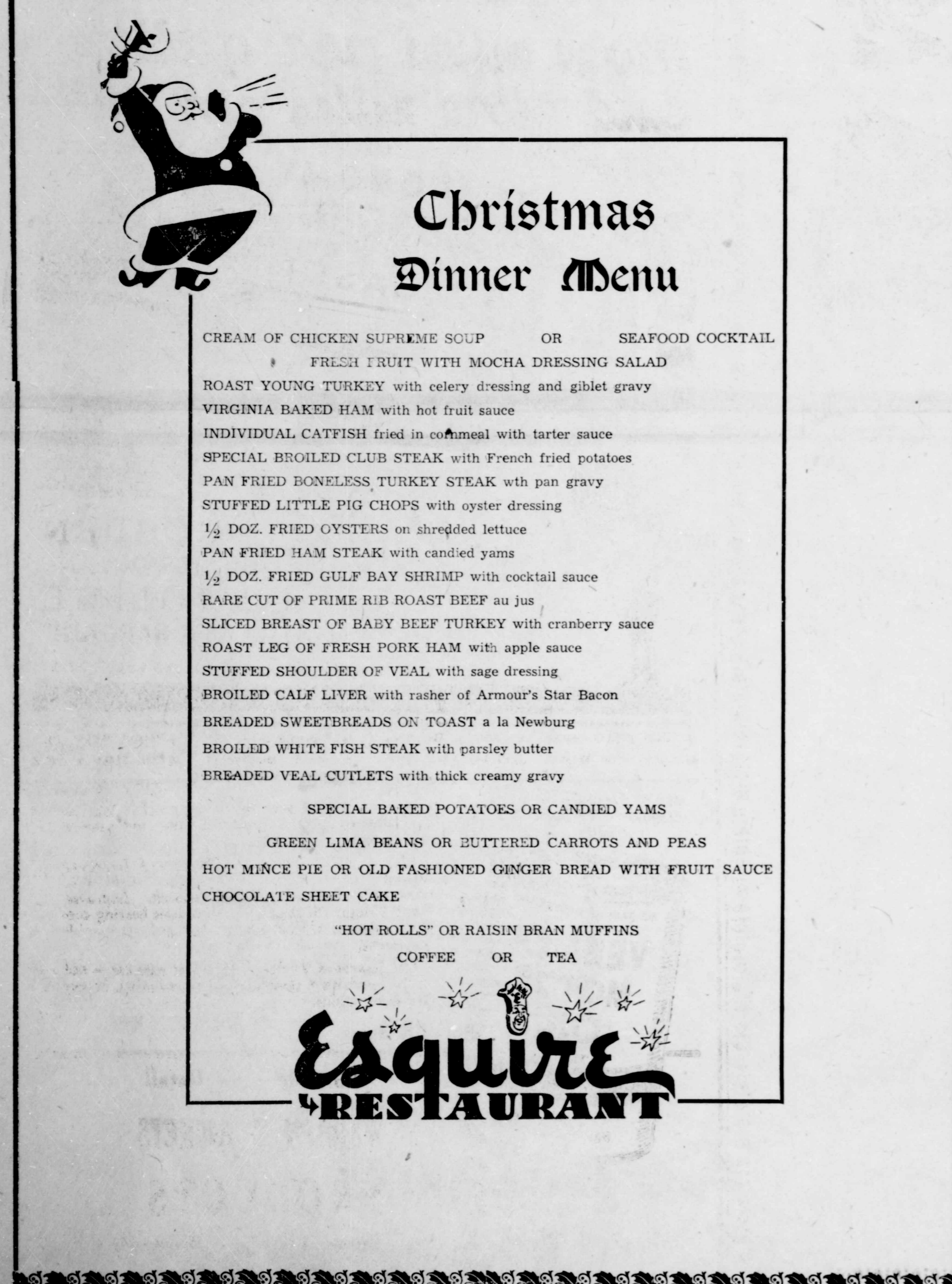
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VIRGINIA BAKED HAM with hot fruit sauce  
INDIVIDUAL CATFISH fried in cornmeal with tarter sauce  
SPECIAL BROILED CLUB STEAK with French fried potatoes  
PAN FRIED BONELESS TURKEY STEAK with pan gravy  
STUFFED LITTLE PIG CHOPS with oyster dressing  
1/2 DOZ. FRIED OYSTERS on shredded lettuce  
PAN FRIED HAM STEAK with candied yams  
1/2 DOZ. FRIED GULF BAY SHRIMP with cocktail sauce  
RARE CUT OF PRIME RIB ROAST BEEF au jus  
SLICED BREAST OF BABY BEEF TURKEY with cranberry sauce  
ROAST LEG OF FRESH PORK HAM with apple sauce  
STUFFED SHOULDER OF VEAL with sage dressing  
BROILED CALF LIVER with rasher of Armour's Star Bacon  
BREADED SWEETBREADS ON TOAST a la Newburg  
BROILED WHITE FISH STEAK with parsley butter  
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## Additional Society

### KOLONIAL KARD KLUB HOLD CHRISTMAS PARTY

Mrs. Arthur Sawyer entertained the Kolonial Kard Klub with a luncheon and Christmas party Friday afternoon in her home. The house was beautifully decorated for the holiday season and gifts were exchanged from the tree.

High score, second high and bingo were awarded Mesdames Buel Price, A. J. Stricklin and Wilson Collins.

Present were Mesdames C. T. Edwards, Money Price, E. C. Davis, Mike Barrett, Walter Hord, Jack Shirley, Roy Wingerd, Mon Telford, N. L. Mason, Price, Stricklin, and Collins.

### STEPHENS COLLEGE TURNS OUT FOR CHRISTMAS Dec. 18.

The Christmas vacation at Stephens College will start on December 18 and classes will resume on January 7. A series of formal holiday balls will precede the vacation period, as well as numerous informal residence hall and club parties. Christmas dinner on December 16.

Students from Brownfield who

### GOOD NEIGHBOR CLUB MEETS DEC. 4th

The Good Neighbor Club met Thursday, December 4th with Mrs. James Thurman. The afternoon was spent quilting a quilt for the hostess.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames W. H. Wagner, Milton Wagner, J. C. Cunningham, Dalton Warren, Walter Watson, Houston Stephens, J. E. Thurman, Miss Mary Belle Warren and Mesdames Davenport, Andrew Cooper, R. L. McKenzie and Fred Corneise who were visitors.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Walter Watson Wednesday, Dec. 31st.

Kathleen Hardin, of Houston will arrive today to spend the holiday season with her mother, Mrs. W. G. Hardin.

are expected to spend the holidays at their homes are: Miss Delores Mae Gillham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Gillham, Miss Betty Jean Holmes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Holmes, Miss Lois Marion Wingerd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy M. Wingerd.

### MR. AND MRS. PROCTOR CELEBRATE THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Proctor held open house at their home, 519 N. Fifth, December 5th to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary. They were married Dec. 5th, 1897 in Coryell county where they were born and reared and moved to Terry County in 1906.

A three tiered wedding cake iced in white with gold trim was served with coffee from a table laid with a lace cloth. Green tea napkins with the couples names and the wedding dates inscribed in gold were used. Mrs. Archie Proctor and Mrs. Abe Howard presided at the table.

Golden wedding bells and yellow mums decorated the reception rooms. Mrs. Edith Proctor, daughter-in-law of the couple, registered the guests in a book made especially for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Proctor have five children living and had them with their families as guests for dinner preceding the open house. Their son, Felix, of San Antonio was unable to attend.

Over 100 people called and congratulated them during the afternoon.

The Jack Baileys and Chad Tarplays and daughter, Joan, visit-

### HOCKADAY STUDENT HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

Miss Deenie Ballard, daughter of Mrs. Roy Ballard, 511 East Cardwell, Brownfield, will arrive home from The Hockaday School in Dallas Thursday, December 18, to spend the Christmas holidays with her mother. Miss Ballard is a member of the Dramatic Club, the Second Form, and the Modern Dancing Club. She plays on her class volley ball team. She was a member of the music committee of her class at the annual song contest in November.

Miss Ballard will attend the President's form Christmas dinner Wednesday night, December 17, in the Main Dining Room of the school. She will return to Hockaday Monday, January 5, to resume her studies.

### DELPHIAN CLUB HOLDS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Added to the social festivities of the holiday season was the party given by the Delphian Club Monday evening at the Esquire with Mrs. Lewis Simmonds and Mrs. Joe Hardin as hostesses. Mrs. Crawford Burrow presided at the guest book and Mr. Burrow gave the Invocation preceding dinner.

After dinner gifts were exchanged from a Christmas tree and games of 42 and bridge were enjoyed.

### LA FIESTA CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Members of the La Fiesta club enjoyed a Christmas party Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. C. L. Hafer with Mrs. George Germany as hostess. Christmas punch, sandwiches and candies were served from a table laid with a lace cloth and centered with red candles. Gifts were exchanged from a beautifully decorated tree.

In the games of bridge Mrs. Terry Redford scored high and Mrs. Cotton Neely, second high. Mrs. Kenneth Hill won bingo.

Present were Mesdames W. O. Schellinger, C. L. Truly, Ted Hardy, Ralph Ferguson, Hill, Neely Redford and Hafer.

### TREADAWAYS ENTERTAIN FAMILY FOR DINNER

Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Treadaway were hosts Sunday with a dinner for members of Mrs. Treadaway's family. A Christmas menu of turkey and all the trimmings was served at a table decorated for the holiday season.

Places were laid for Mrs. N. R. Marchbanks, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Marchbanks, jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Marchbanks, Mrs. Annie Mae

changed from a Christmas tree and games of 42 and bridge were enjoyed.

### WESLEYAN GUILD ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The Wesleyan Guild of the Methodist church met December 10th for their Christmas party and the election of officers for the coming year. Mrs. Joe Hardin was elected president; Mrs. George Steele, vice-president; Mrs. Steve Boruk, secretary and Mrs. James Sadler, treasurer.

Group singing of carols and the exchange of gifts added a holiday touch to the meeting and the hall was decorated with Christmas greens.

Openfaced sandwiches, Christmas candies and spiced tea were served from a refreshment table by the hostesses, Mrs. Kenneth Bailey and Miss Reva Newson.

Mrs. Mary White of Boston, Mass., is here visiting in the Arch Fowler home.

Hare, Miss Bernice Weldon, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Marchbanks and son, Pete, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hopper and Rita Joe and Miss Mary Helen Marchbanks, all of Lubbock.

### ELECTRIC WASHERS CAN BE DANGEROUS

Washing clothes with an electric washing machine is not generally considered a hazardous undertaking, but certain safety precautions should be observed to prevent accidents, according to Miss Lola M. Drew, assistant professor of home management at Texas Technological College.

The cord to the machine should be covered with rubber, and if an extension cord is used it, too, should be rubber insulated to prevent the wires from becoming wet. Electric switches should never be touched when the machine operator is holding wet clothes, standing on a wet floor, or when her hands are damp, Miss Drew warned.

There are 11,000,000 acres of East Texan pine and hardwoods in 36 counties of the state.

Mrs. Carl Marshall, of Odessa was here last week with her mother, Mrs. J. D. McCullough who was ill.

### SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

Santa Fe System carloadings for week ending December 13, 1947 were 28,202 compared with 28,422 for same week in 1946. Cars received from connections totaled 11,495 compared with 10,956 for same week in 1946. Total cars moved were 39,697 compared with 39,378 for same week in 1946.

Santa Fe handled a total of 40,050, cars in preceding week of this year.

Mrs. C. C. Bryant and daughter of Carlsbad were week end visitors here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Perry.

Mrs. Ulyess Sawyer of Cross Roads, N. M. was here this week visiting her sister, Mrs. George Warren, who is recovering from an operation in the local hospital.

Mrs. W. A. Bell sent in a year's subscription this week to go to her aunt, Mrs. W. B. Toone, of Dallas, for a Christmas present. Happy reading for a year, Mrs. Toone.

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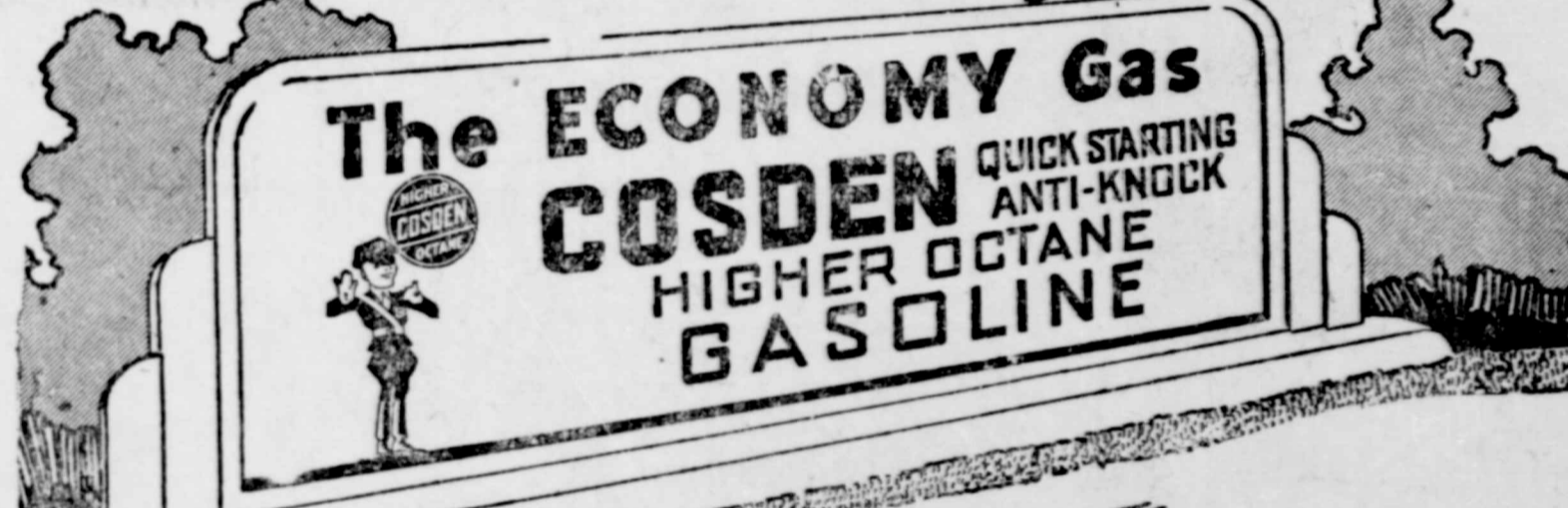
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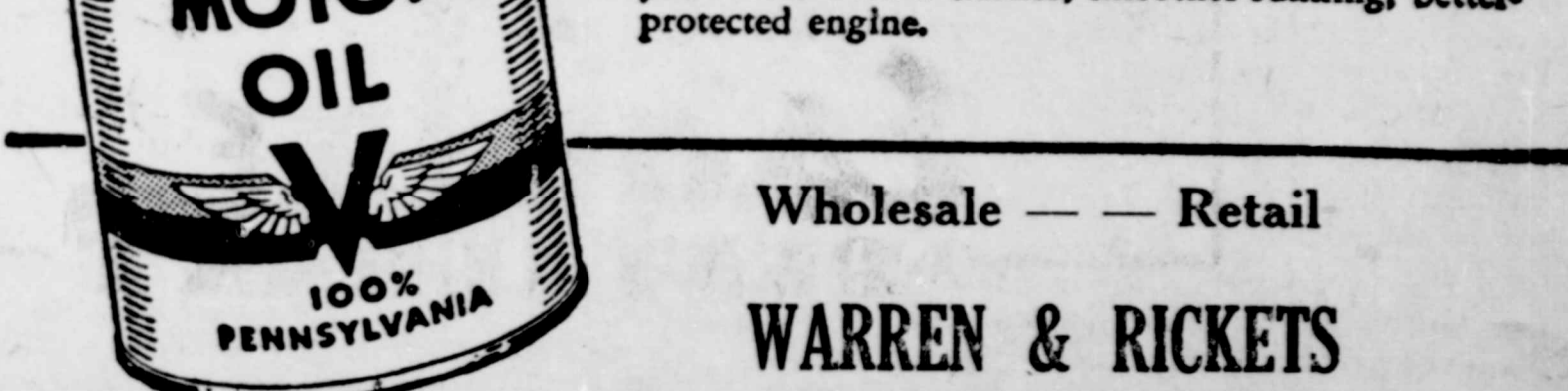
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Mrs. Loyd McNabb, of Ropes was in town Monday shopping and visiting Mrs. L. C. Snyder.

Capt. James W. Smith, of Hobbs visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Thomason Thursday of last week.

**Gomez Gossip**

Mrs. Edna Rodgers, mother of Mrs. Tress Key left Saturday for Phoenix, Ariz., to attend the wedding of her daughter, Myda Jane Rodgers. She will also visit her two sons and her mother while there.

We are happy to report Mrs. Winnie Winn is continuing to show slight improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Jones and children of Brownfield were visitors in the Tress Key home Sunday.

W. E. Buchanan, student in Wayland College spent the week end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Buchanan.

Rev. J. A. Harin, ministerial

student at Wayland college, preached at Gomez Sunday morning and evening.

Rev. Fred Lambert, new pastor of the church, is moving here this week from Melvin, Texas. Every one has a cordial invitation to attend church services at Gomez Baptist church every Sunday.

Weekend visitors in the B. R. Lay home were Mr. and Mrs. Bob McKinly, of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Roberts of Seagraves, Mrs. Jack Stricklin of Brownfield, Mrs. J. A. Roberts and Miss Letha Nell Roberts, of Coahoma.

Miss Nellie Carter is home after visiting several weeks in the home of her sister, Mrs. Jonnie Berryhill in Seminole.

Patricia Ruth Kelly celebrated her eleventh birthday Sunday afternoon with a party given by her grandmother, Mrs. Wes Key and her aunt, Mrs. Otis Kelly, in the home of Mrs. Key.

Games were played throughout the afternoon and blue and gold decorated cake was served with punch.

Messrs. and Mesdames J. J. Kendrick, Sawyer Graham and Kenneth Hill attended a dance for former Air Corps officers in Lubbock Saturday evening.

**Wild Rye Grass Getting Scattered**

We don't know what the botanists call the grass here that stays green most of the winter and seems to come up voluntarily in most cases, but we have designated it wild rye. It seems to have become scattered from planting of the State highway department on highway right-of-ways in this section. We first noticed it down around Post and Snyder some eight years ago.

But either by plantings or otherwise, it seems to have gotten scattered on highways on the Plains. Once in awhile it gets killed down, but it is the first green stuff you see when other grasses are dormant. Anyway, the stuff sure looks good when every other plant and tree looks brown and barren. We have often wondered if livestock or poultry are very fond of this grass.

About two years ago, some few stalks came up in the back of the Herald office. Last year there was a big increase, and we did not allow any weeds cut this year until the grain was mature. Now there is a fair stand of the grass all over the back lots of the Herald office as well as the Neill Tower.

What we would like to know, is this a good, fair or indifferent

**After Much Ado, Winston Marries Mexican Couple**

Last Saturday morning a couple of Latin Americans, the better half attired with flowing veil and gaudy robes, presented themselves before the Hon. Homer for marriage. The Judge informed them they would have to go to the County Clerk and obtain a license. While the bride to be waited, the groom was informed by the Clerk, he would have to go get a doctors certificate as to his health. He did this, returned and presented the Health certificate to the Judge to go ahead.

Again through interpreters, he was sent to the Clerk for the marriage license. The lady went with him. On obtaining this, he evidently thought this was the American's way of passing the buck,

and was all done, went their way, while the Judge was left waiting at the altar. After a long wait, the Judge mentioned it to another Mexican with whom he was acquainted and who spoke good English. The latter hunted up the couple, returned them to the office where the ceremony, through interpreters, was completed.

**Homer Nelson, Jr., Gets Kick Out Of The Herald**

Had a letter one day last week from Homer I. Nelson jr., who is attending Baylor U. at Waco. He was having a slight change made in his address, and took the opportunity to commend the Herald staff for the interesting reports from Old Terry.

Not only he, but other students from here got a great kick out of reading the Herald, and especially about the Harvest Jubilee.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We take this means of thanking our friends and neighbors for their help and comforting words spoken after the recent fatal accident to our relatives. Also for floral offerings and other manifestations of your regards. May the Father bless you.

Mrs. Mary Cox and brothers and sisters.



Fine jewelry shows new delicacy, according to the Jewelry Industry Council which offers as an example this exquisite clip of platinum and diamonds. Worked in a basket weave ribbon design, it has diamonds sprinkled over the surface and following its curving edge. The earrings, made of three rows of graduated diamonds and the bracelets of modern design are also delicate in effect.

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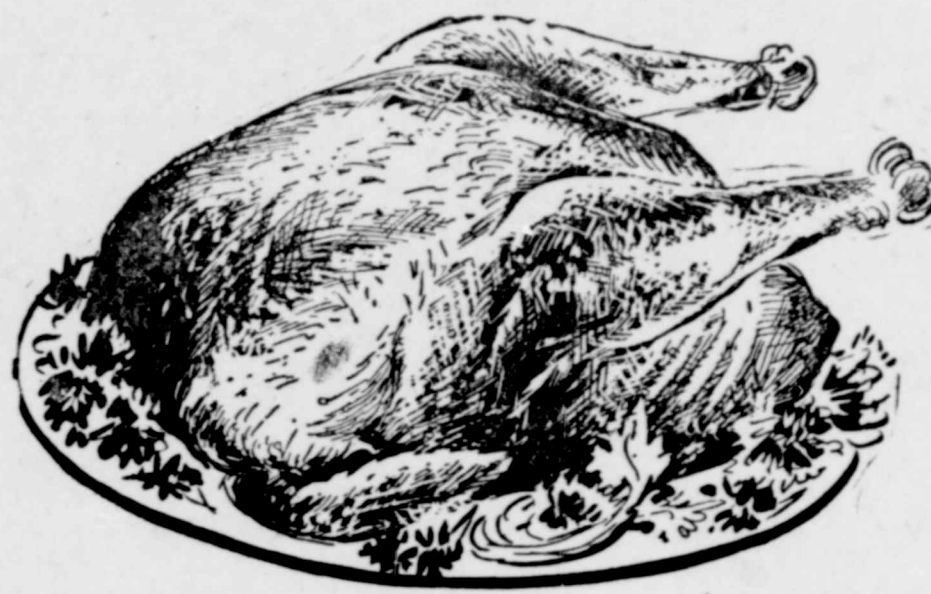


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- FRESH BLACKEYE PEAS DORMAN No. 2 CAN ..... 15c
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- CRACKERS Krispy's 1 Pound box ..... 25c
- NEW POTATOES Dorman Whole No. 2 can ..... 12c
- DEEP BROWN BEANS Libby 14 oz. can ..... 15c



# MARGARINE Parkey 1 lb. 35c

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| PEAS Rosedale Garden 303 can .. 17c    | <b>JELL-O</b><br>All Flavors<br>8c | MINCE MEAT, Imperial 9 oz. box .. 17c |
| Green Beans, Deer, no. 2 can ..... 14c |                                    | SCOT TOWELS roll ..... 15c            |
| KETCHUP Heinz, large bottle ..... 29c  |                                    | DUZ small box ..... 17c               |
| ROYAL PUDDING box ..... 8c             |                                    | GRAPE JUICE Hudsonvale, pint .. 29c   |

# WALDORF TISSUE 2 ROLLS 15c

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| <b>APPLES</b>                |  | <b>KRAUT</b>                   |
| Comstock no. 2 can ..... 23c |  | No. 2 1/2 can ..... 13c        |
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| Libby's 2 cans ..... 15c     |  | Pink, No. 1 tall can ..... 49c |

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| Toilet Soap, Bar ..... 11c |   | Large Box ..... 39c |
| <b>SWAN SOAP</b>           |   | <b>VEL</b>          |
| Large bar ..... 20c        |   | Large Box ..... 39c |

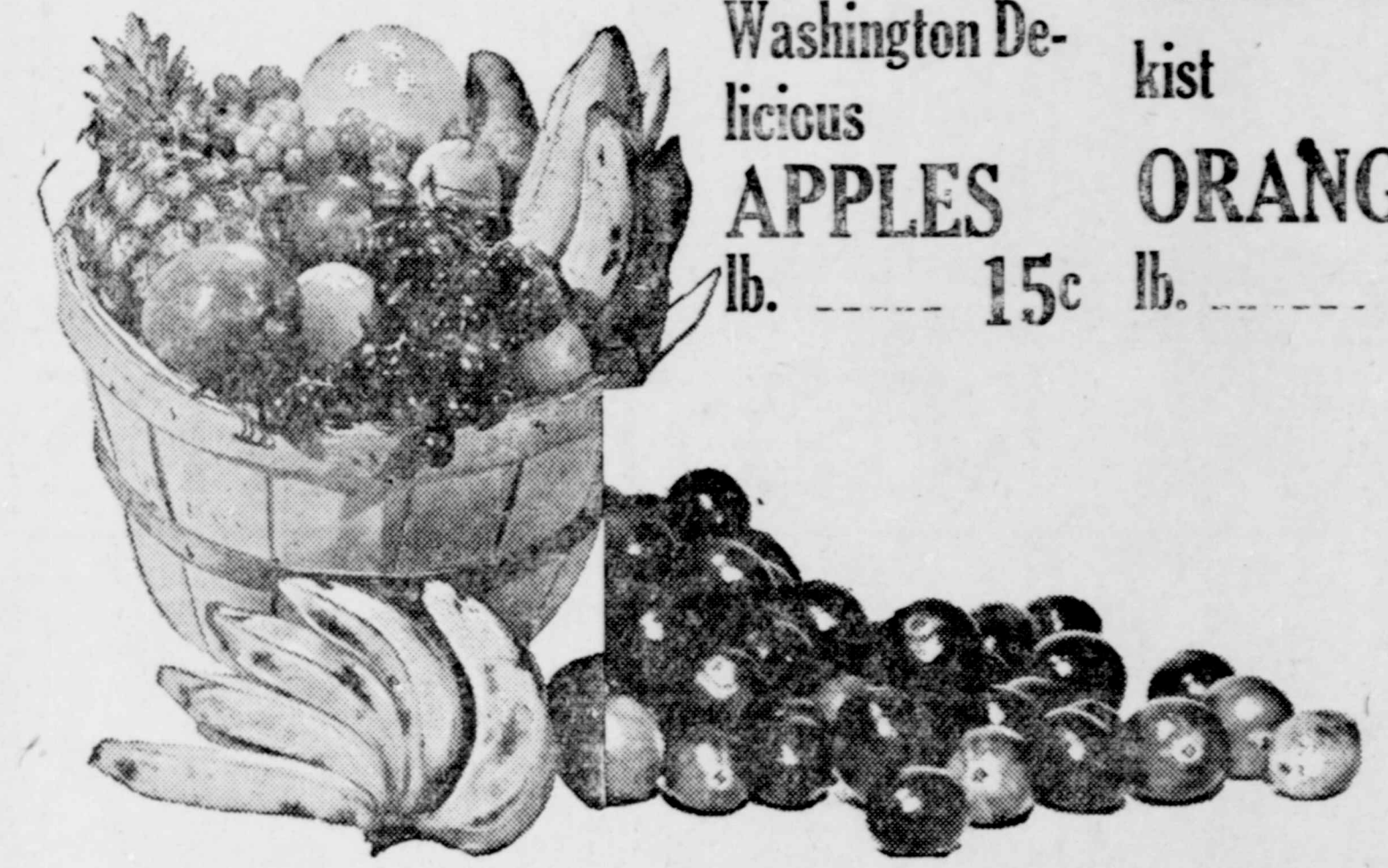
# Grapefruit Juice Texas 46 oz. can 12 1/2c

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| Fruit Cocktail Hunt's No. 1 tall ..... 25c      | <b>MILK PET OR CARNATION</b><br>tall can<br>12 1/2c | TREET, 12 oz. can ..... 53c         |
| PEARS, Hunt's no. 2 1/2 can ..... 39c           |   | WHITE KARO 1/2 gallon ..... 59c     |
| Apricots, Hunt's whole peeled no. 1/2 ..... 29c |   | SARDINES Cottage, can ..... 12 1/2c |
| POTTED MEAT, Libby's no. 1/4 can ..... 8c       |   | PUMPKIN Libby's no. 2 can ..... 15c |

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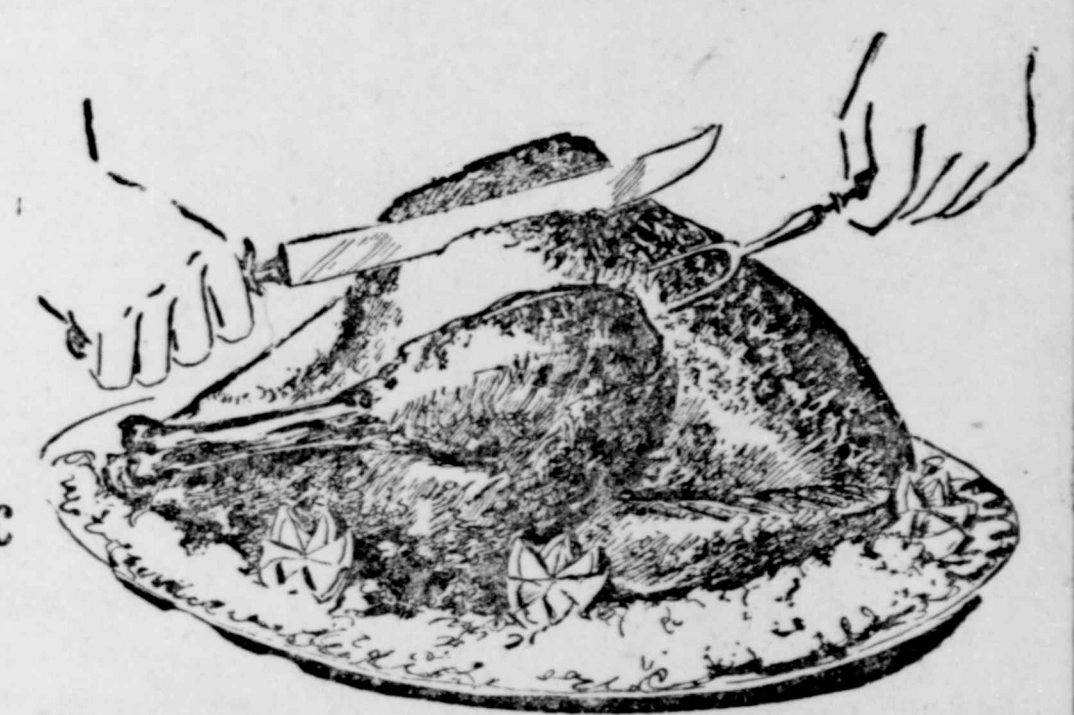
- Extra Fancy Washington Delicious **APPLES** lb. .... 15c
- California Sun-kist **ORANGES** lb. .... 10c



- Fresh **GREEN BEANS** lb. 15c
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- LETTUCE** Firm heads pound ..... 12c
- YAMS** Maryland Sweet no. 1 pound ..... 10c
- GRAPEFRUIT** Texas Seedless 10 lb. bag ..... 39c

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- FRYERS** Full Dressed And Drawn pound ..... 69c
- DRESSED HENS** lb. .... 55c
- PORK ROAST** lb. .... 55c



- PICNIC HAMS** Half or Whole lb. .... 49c
- BACON** Morrel Pride Sliced Pound ..... 89c
- BACON** Cudahy's Sliced Pound ..... 79c



Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lindley and Mrs. B. W. Hahn visited in the T. W. Cadenhead home in Lubbock Sunday. The Lindley's have just recently moved to Brownfield from Gomez.

Capt. John E. Johnson from the Pacific area and his wife who is teaching home economics in the Meadow school are here visiting in the home of his cousin, Miss Bernice Weldon.

**Meadow Musings**

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. West visited relatives at Morton last Sunday.

Mrs. Roberts of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Montgomery returned home from a visit to Dallas last week.

Sandra Leeth is back in school, after two weeks illness.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Leeth visited Mr. Leeth's mother at Brownfield last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. L. McNutt went to a Lubbock hospital for treatment on Monday of this week.

G. E. Ashburn has a new car.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Verner of Ropes visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Verner, and his brother, T. E. Verner, last Sunday.

A. E. Vestal is driving a new car.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hinson and girls of Lubbock attended the play

presented by the Senior high school class last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brannon of Silverton were Meadow visitors last week end. Mr. Brannon was athletic coach at the Meadow high school last year and Mrs. Brannon was a teacher in the Grade school.

Truett Babb's mother of Post visited her son and attended the play at the high school last Friday night.

Mrs. T. J. Locke and daughter, Patsy, attended the Senior Play last Friday night. They formerly lived at Meadow.

D. S. Carroll owns a cow that has twin heifer calves. These calves have attracted quite a lot of attention.

Joe Kennedy has rented a farm south of Meadow, and will move to it after the first of January.

G. A. Jenkins has rented a place southeast of Meadow and plans to move after the first of the year.

Mrs. J. W. Moore has returned from a visit to Fort Worth.

It has been reported that Ellis Ray Walker was severely burned when a barrel of gasoline exploded at a filling station where he worked in Hot Springs, N. M. His hands were burned so badly that he will not be able to use them for a long time. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Walker and formerly lived at Meadow.

Mrs. Bill Carter and Mrs. W. T. Arnett visited in Ropes last Saturday afternoon.

Floyd Copeland was in Meadow on business last Saturday. Floyd now lives at Chandler, Texas.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Preston Murphy are leaving Monday for Fort Worth where they will spend the holidays with their parents.

**The Woman Listener**  
By Sally Welles



PAUL McGRATH, star of the popular CBS "Big Sister" program, is more than a little leery about Mr. Bell's telephone system. During one summer vacation, while attending Carnegie Tech, Paul tried to install telephones for the New York Telephone Company. But he never really understood what he was doing.

This became evident after his first attempt to splice and connect a series of wires. When the phone was next used, it short-circuited the entire district switchboard. Small wonder that Paul and the Telephone Company mutually arrived at the conclusion that the wired circuits were not for him . . . but that a switch to foot-lights might be more profitable to all concerned. And his past twenty successful years on the stage and in radio have proved it.

Local Parties, patterned after ABC's "Breakfast in Hollywood" show, have long been popular all over the nation. The latest development is "Breakfast in Hollywood" block parties, with an entire neighborhood in a big city getting together for the celebration.

Radio Actress Julie Stevens, currently heard on the NBC daytime, "Road of Life", deserves a round of applause. Julie is the foster parent of a little Polish boy (under the Foster Parents Plan For War Children, Inc.), and recently sent him a gift of an artificial leg, so that the child may once again join his playmates.

First Radio Audition for Mary Lansing, now star of CBS drama, "The Guiding Light", cast her as bride of a young man, played by Frank Nelson. The role so appealed to her that she later put it to practice and became Mrs. Frank Nelson.

Tommy Bartlett was interviewing a 14-year old contestant on his ABC "Welcome Travelers" show recently. "Motorists", stated the lad, "should be careful about driving

The road bond election in Gaines county failed to carry, Saturday, Dec. 6th by two-thirds majority. The vote for for, 203, and 114 against.

Mrs. Sue Belle Kelly of Los Angeles, Calif, left Sunday to return home after a ten day visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Redford Smith.

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### GI Question And Answer Department

Q. My brother, a U. S. veteran of World War II who resides in Canada, would like to know if he can claim unemployment allowance while living there?

A. No, he cannot draw readjustment allowance for unemployment or self-employment while living in Canada. Residence in the United States, its territories or possessions is a definite eligibility requirement for readjustment allowance.

Q. Will you please tell me what kind of insurance is National Service Life Insurance?

NSLI is mutual insurance. All premium payments go into a trust fund maintained by the Treasury Department and invested in Government interest-bearing securities. The interest accrues to the NSLI fund.

Q. I had an arm amputated because of injuries received while in the army. Can I select the type of artificial arm I want and the

firm I want to buy it from? A. Yes, you will be permitted to select the artificial arm of your choice, but it must be purchased from an approved prosthetic appliance manufacturer under contract with Veterans Administration.

Q. I am in school under the G-I Bill and would like to know if Veterans Administration will pay expenses of a field trip to gather material for a thesis?

A. Veterans will not pay for occasional field trips, whether to summer camp or for data for research or thesis, where the charge to the student is a separate charge not included in the tuition or laboratory fee customarily paid by all students enrolled in the course.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Adon Carr of Arlington on November 26, a 7 and one-half pound boy named Robert Adon. Mrs. Carr, the former Miss Gene Thompson, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson, Rt. 4, City. The Carrs formerly lived in Brownfield.



"I'VE GOT A RIGHT to a big Christmas smile," says Rose Martin of Marshall, Texas, as she rises from her wheel chair. The 14-year-old girl is going home for Christmas—walking for the first time since she was struck with polio in March—thanks to the treatment given her at the Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children in Dallas. Entirely dependent on public contributions to meet its annual operating budget of over \$200,000, the hospital now is receiving donations from its many friends to carry on its humanitarian work.

### Union Utterings

The R. H. Decker family, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Decker, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cornett attended funeral services for Leroy Altum at Hobbs Friday afternoon. Mr. Altum, who is Mrs. R. H. Decker's brother, was killed in a traffic accident Wednesday afternoon. He is survived by two small daughters and his widow, who was the former Eva Lee Foster of Brownfield.

The community was shocked to hear of the accident which involved relatives of the Lewis family, Snow family and Benton family and Cabe family last Wednesday. The victims were former residents of this community. A complete story appeared in the Herald last week.

Church services were well attended Sunday and Sunday night. Rev. B. H. Baldwin, Mrs. Baldwin and two sons visited in the Cullifer and Bearden homes Sunday.

Mrs. Juanita Lanious and children, Vida Mae and Eddy, visited her parents at Lamesa Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lloyd Shepherd visited an Aunt who is in the Lamesa hospital Sunday afternoon.

Several in this community are still ill with the flu. Most of the pupils are back in school this week, however.

The high school pupils are busy preparing for the box supper and coronation exercises which will be next Friday night, December 12. Much interest is being shown in the Queen races, both for the high school and grade school.

The honor roll for the second six weeks is as follows:

Twelfth, Nathalie Golden. Eighth, Yvonne Herring. Seventh, Don Rogers, Glenn Sargent.

Sixth grade, Bonnie Horn, Jean Sargent, Cora Riley.

Fourth, Joyce Simmons, Carolyn Shepherd, Eddie Powell.

Third, Carl Young, Peggy Herring.

Second, Wyle Kay, Jimmy Sargent, Peggy Morrow, Laurette Penny, Kermit Shults.

First, Ada Belle McIntyre, Genelle Cornett, Buster Chambers, Sammie Adair.

Mrs. George Wade, her mother, Mrs. E. D. Yeatts and Miss Sue Hyman spent the week end in O'Donnel with Mrs. Levi Gray. They were guests at a birthday party for Sallie Gray Saturday evening which was given by her mother.

Mrs. May Gainer, pioneer settler of the Gomez vicinity, but now practicing Chiropractics at Plains, spent last week end here visiting old time friends.

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WHEN the last stocking is hung on Christmas Eve and the tree is decorated to the satisfaction of everyone, it's time to sit back and admire the results of your handiwork. You may like to listen to Christmas carols, or it may be the custom in your home to exchange gifts after the tree trimming. In any event, all hands will be ready for a long, refreshing drink. All through the holiday season you'll find many occasions to serve good drinks.

Many times a tall glass of pale dry ginger ale, with its delicate flavor and fine tang will just hit the spot. Keep it on hand in your refrigerator, along with club soda or sparkling water, canned or bottled fruit juices, and in a twinkling you can serve a wide choice of drinks to unexpected callers. The younger set will enjoy this arrangement, too, for they can whip up their favorite drinks

at any time when the gang descends. Here's a quick one, so easy with the ingredients in the refrigerator, chilled and ready for use.

**Pineapple Flip**  
1½ cups pineapple juice  
Pale dry ginger ale

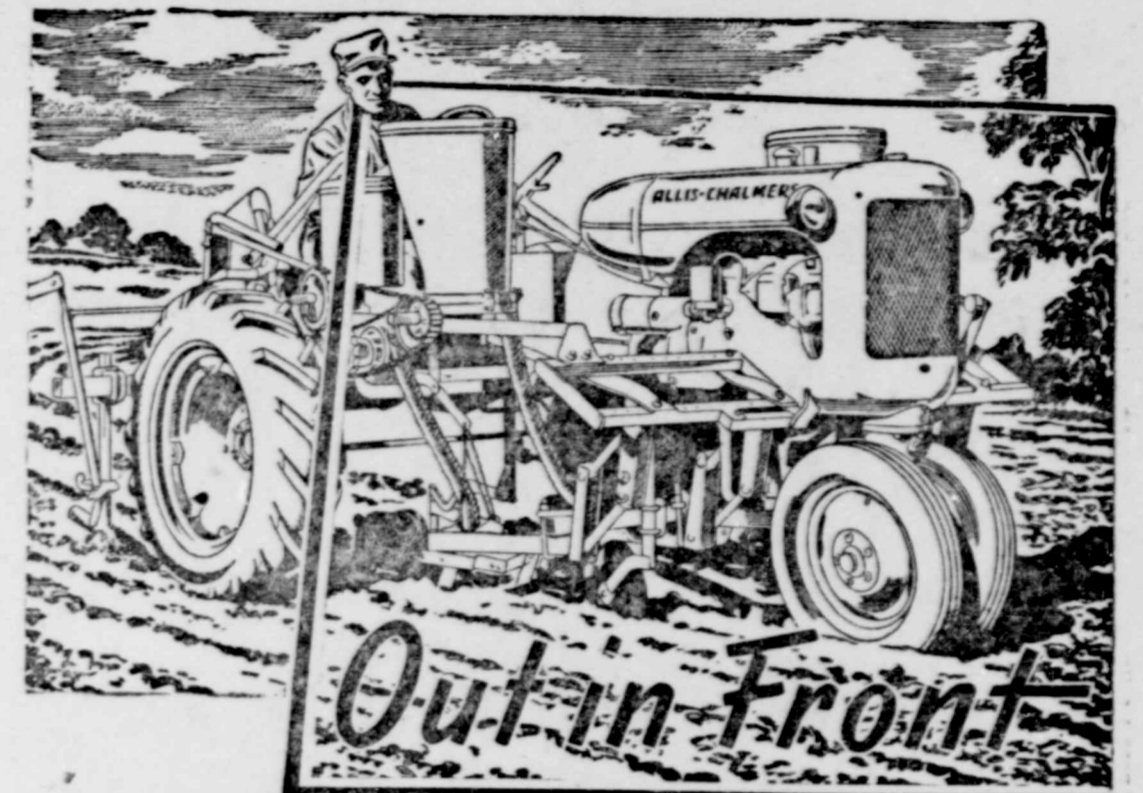
Divide pineapple juice in 4 tall glasses and fill glasses with ginger ale. A scoop of vanilla or pineapple ice cream may be added. Serves 4.

**Fruit Ginger Ale**  
¼ cup lemon juice  
1 ripe banana (mashed)  
½ cup sugar  
¼ cup light cream  
2 cups chilled ginger ale

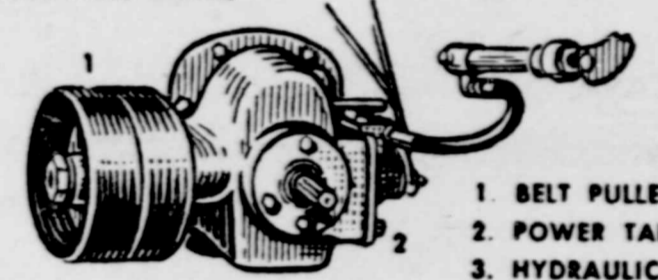
Combine lemon juice, banana and sugar. Stir until sugar is dissolved and chill mixture. Add cream and ginger ale and serve at once.

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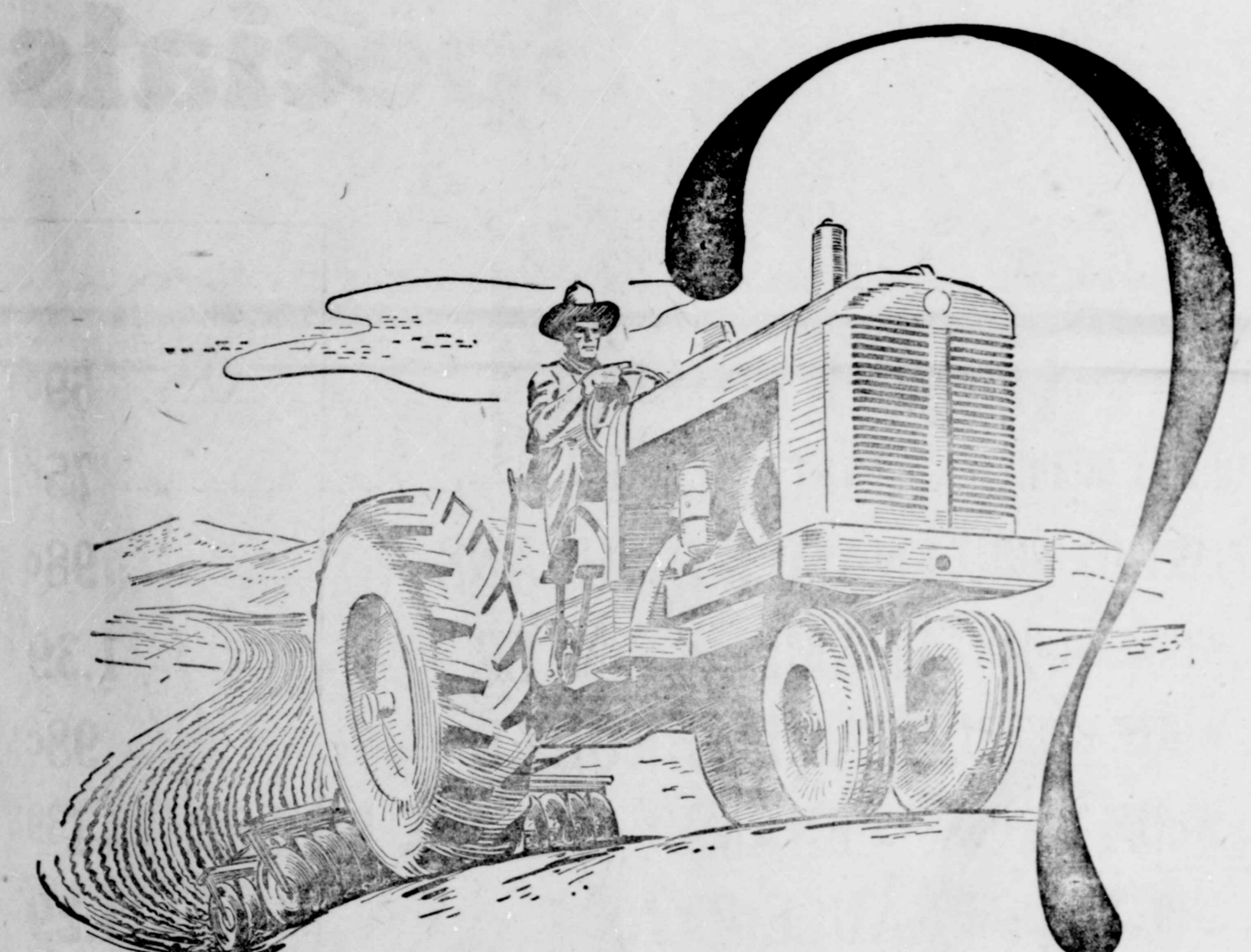
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**WANTED** man to dehead 230 acres of shocked grain. Olon Earnest at Lamesa Tractor and Motor Co., Lamesa, Tex. 21p

**FOR SALE—** 4-room house and bath, at 421 North 9th St., George Merritt 20p

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Mr. Leonard Echols of Portales, and Mrs. R. D. McDonald of Levelland, are attending the bedside of their mother, Mrs. George Warren who underwent surgery at the local hospital late last week.

Mrs. Juanita Rhynne carried her baby to Dallas recently for a slight operation. The baby had polio a year or two ago. We hope the operation will at least help, if not cure.

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR RELATIVES OF WAR DEAD

Next of kin of the war dead were urged today not to go to San Antonio upon receipt of the initial telegram advising them that the remains have returned to the United States.

"When the ship reaches the port of entry telegrams are sent to the next of kin advising them of the return of the remains," Lt. Col. S. H. Partridge, Chief of the American Graves Registration Division at Fort Sam Houston, said.

"The purpose of this telegram is to give families ample time for funeral arrangements, to contact other relatives, and to give us a check on whether the next of kin will be available to receive the remains.

The remains do not reach the distribution center until 10 days or so after the ship arrives in port. It requires two to three weeks, after arrival at the distribution center, before deliveries can begin. Next of kin have come to San Antonio from considerable distance upon receipt of the initial telegram. Such a trip only adds to the expense and worry as there is nothing we can do for them.

"Telegrams announcing the actual date of shipment are sent to the next of kin or funeral directors four days before the remains are shipped from the distribution center."

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