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### School Holidays

START DECEMBER 21

The Sterling School will turn out for the Christmas holidays on the afternoon of December 21, said superintendent O. T. Jones this week. Classes are scheduled to be resumed on Monday, January 2, 1961, said Mr. Jones.

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### Brucellosis Control Set for Sterling County

The Texas Animal Health Commission announces the receipt of Sterling County petition for Type II Brucellosis Control.

Proclamation by the Governor No. 138 has been issued and a hearing has been set for January 9, 1961, at 9:30 A.M. in the office of the Texas Animal Health Commission, State Office Building, Austin, Texas.

All those in favor of or in opposition to the designation of this County as a Type II Brucellosis Control Area are invited to attend. If no opposition is presented, Sterling County will be designated as a Type II Control Area effective February 24, 1961.

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### Announcement of Marriage

The announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Glenda Shryl Pool to David Carl Gruny. Miss Pool is the daughter of Mrs. J. C. Pool and W. S. Pool of Fort Stockton, and the granddaughter of Mr and Mrs. Luther Hallmark of Sterling City. David is the son of Mr. and Mrs. York Gruny of Sterling City.

The couple will be married Dec. 18 in the home of the bride-elect with the Rev. J.D. Crabb, Jr. reading the vows.

Miss Pool is a student in the Fort Stockton High School and will graduate with the 1961 class.

Gruny is a graduate of Sterling City High School. He attended Sul Ross State College, and is presently employed by the Fort Stockton engineering office of the State Highway Department.

The couple will be at home in Fort Stockton.

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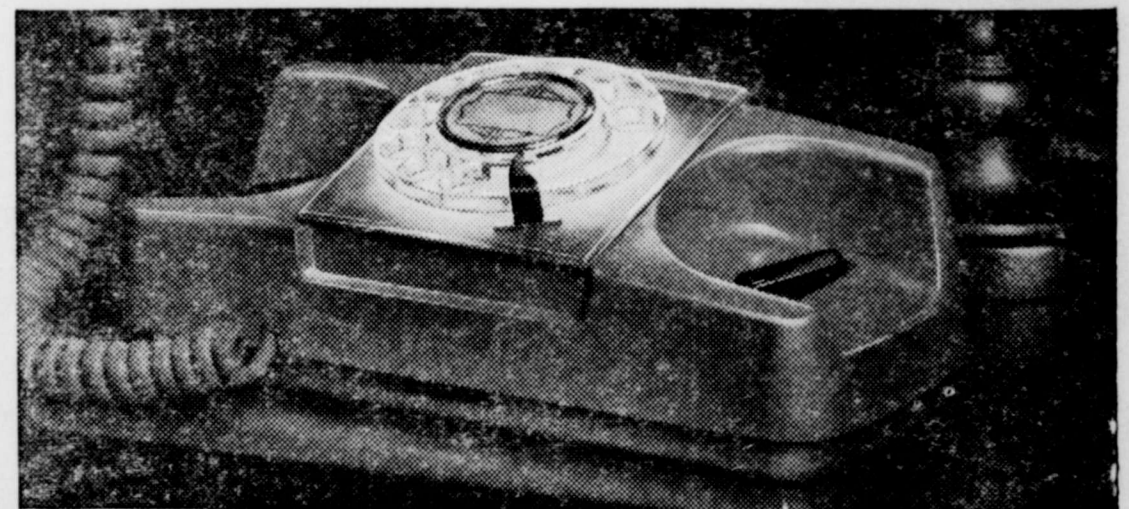
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**What's Doing in the Churches**

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
John Gibbs, Pastor

Church school 10:00 a.m.  
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.  
MYF 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Marion H. Hays, Minister

Bible school 10:00 a.m.  
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Classes 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.  
Tuesday, Ladies Bible Class 9:00 a.m.  
Wednesday Mid-Week Service 7:00 p.m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sherman Conner, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00 a.m.  
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer 7:30 p.m.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Hubert C. Travis, Minister  
Sunday school 10:00 a.m.  
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.

**METHODIST CHRISTMAS PLANS**

The Methodist church will have the annual Christmas program and tree for the children at 6:00 p.m.

On Sunday, December 25, a Christmas worship program is to be held at 10:00 a.m. for all Sunday School classes and all who wish to attend. There will be no service at 11:00 a.m. or evening service.

The Christmas offering for the Methodist Home in Waco and the Texas Mission Home and Training School in San Antonio will be received on one of these Sundays.

**POSTED NOTICE**—The U Ranch in Sterling County is posted; No hunting or fishing; trespassers will be prosecuted.  
George McEntire, U Ranch

**CARD OF THANKS**

We want to thank all our good friends for the flowers, cards, gifts, visits and all the nice things done for us in the past few months. We appreciate everything and everybody.

Sincerely,  
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. King and family

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**Texas History Club**  
The Texas History Club met on December 2. Mrs. Bena Davis, sponsor, read a letter from a girl in Tennessee who wanted a pen pal.

On December 9 at the club meeting we answered the letter from the girl wanting a pen pal. We discussed drawing names for Christmas.

Bill Allen, reporter

**YOUR** Watkins business is appreciated. Marie Legg 2-9-61



**TONY ALLEN**  
TONY ALLEN HIGH MAN IN RANGE JUDGING

Tony Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Worth Allen, was high point man in range judging in the Texas Section of the American Society of Range Management contest last week at Corpus Christi. Tony, a freshman student in San Angelo College, was one of four boys from that college to enter in the contest. Boys were also entered in the contest from Texas A&M, Texas Tech and SAC.

Tony's award was for the outstanding student in the contest. He was also awarded a spurclip for being high point man in his division.

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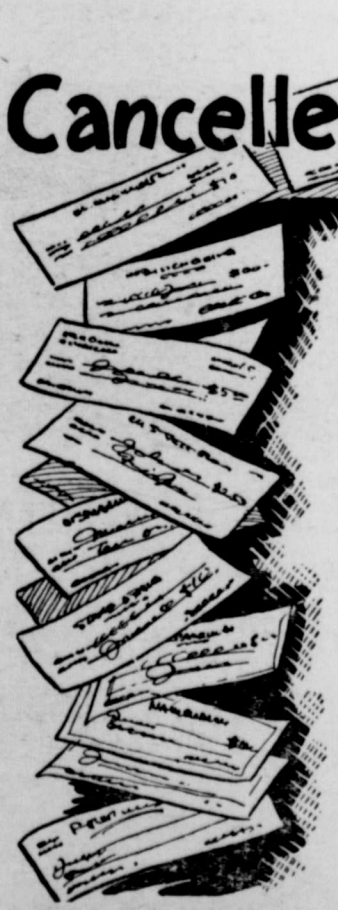
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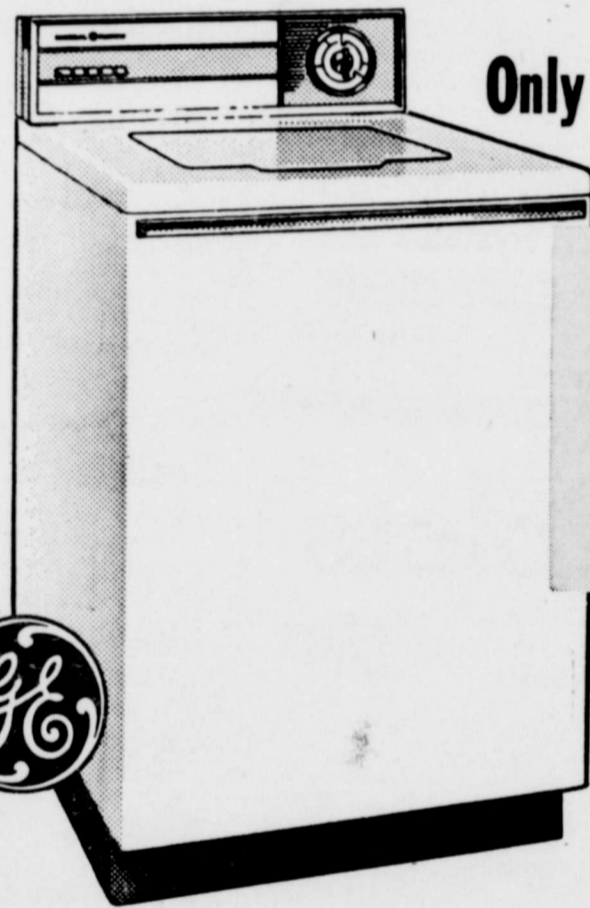
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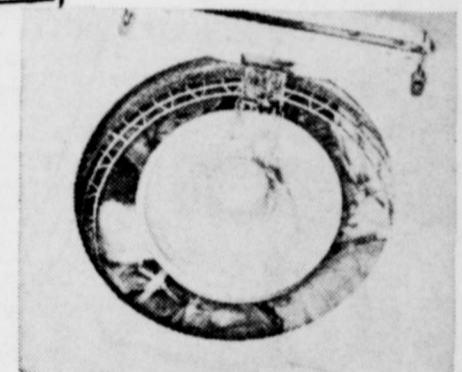
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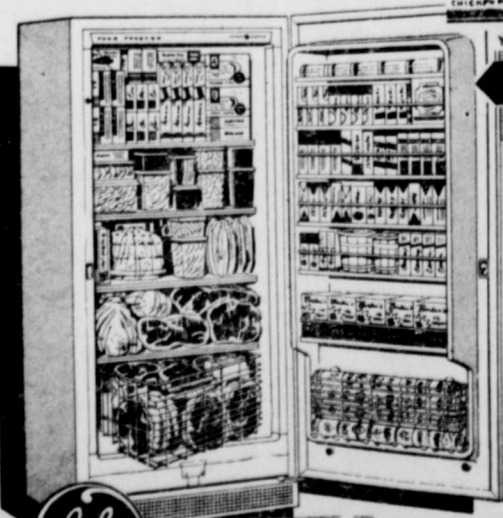


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