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Letter From Santa
Claus To The
Silverton Kiddos

North Pole
Nov 26, 1947
Dear Silverton Children:
While I am sitting up here in my snow covered house, warming my feet by the big fireplace and Mrs. Clause is busy in the kitchen, I thought maybe I had better drop you a line and tell you about things here at my home and work shop. My supper will be ready soon so I won't have very much time to write.

Since last year all the little elves have been real busy building all kinds of beautiful toys for Christmas this year. Last year they had a hard time getting certain kinds of material to make things out of but this year it has been more plentiful. For instance this year they have been making all kinds of pretty red wagons, tri-cycles and scooters. They are just like those over at White's Auto and at Seaney's and Mr. Woodhill's hardware. Lots of sleds and scabbards too! Mr. Tiffin at the variety store has some of his store. And for the little girls the little Elves are just making hundreds of beautiful dolls and dolls and bears, and tea sets and baby buggies and stoves like those over at Mr. Tiffin's and The Place Drug and Mr. Ballard's drug store. Why come to think of nearly every store in Silverton has pretty toys just like these the little Elves are making. You know, I think you ought to go to town and look around before you write me a letter so you'll know what I want me to bring when I come down next month.

Since there are so many little children this year I guess I'll just have to bring my extra sleigh so I can carry it all. I see one of the little Elves out feeding old Dancer and Prancer now. As you know they are two of my reindeer. They are strong and healthy and will be ready to come down there on the night of December the 24th.

You know, I was just reading the Briscoe County News a little while ago and I saw where Dicky Bayfield was sick. I sure hope he is well by now. This reminds me, then you write me your letter then mail it to the Briscoe County News, in care of Santa Claus and the Editor will print all the letters in the Briscoe County News.

Since I'll be awfully busy about Christmas and if your letter is in the paper I won't have time to waste a lot of my time opening envelopes. I can just read them all in the paper at one time.

Since it takes a long time for me to get my Briscoe County News, I guess you had better send your letter to the News Office by the 25th of December if possible so I'll be sure and get it. Of course maybe a day or two after that would be all right but by the 15th would be better.

I want to hear from all the little children, even those in school.

Well, I hear Mrs. Clause calling supper is ready so I guess I must close. But remember, I'll be seeing you Christmas.

Love,
Santa.

Office Supplies at the News.

Last Saturday, November 22, W. T. Graham, of the Graham-Hoems Plow Company at Amarillo and a past resident of Silverton, with business interests in this community at present, presented his check in the amount of \$1,000 in a pre-campaign purchase of Christmas Seals to a group of youngsters from the Preventorium in that city.

A huge picture of the presentation appeared on last Sunday's edition of the Amarillo Daily News. The picture shows Mr. Graham presenting his check and accepting a hand full of Christmas Seals from a Silverton youngster. The lad is Ronald "Butch" Grimland, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Grimland.

"Butch" Grimland is a patient at The Preventorium, an annual sale of the seals started officially Monday morning of this week and is sponsored by the Potter county Tuberculosis Association.

Scarlet Fever Prevalence Great Over The State

The incidence of scarlet fever is at the present time nearly one-third higher than the seven-year median in Texas. One of the most disabling and dangerous of the diseases usually associated with childhood, actually it is confined to no age limit, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Fifty-five cases were reported in the state during the week ending November 15, bringing the year's total to 1,242.

The Doctor described scarlet fever as an acute infectious disease, the onset of which is sudden. The first symptoms including sore throat, vomiting, fever, and headache, may appear in three to five days after exposure. These are followed by the distinctive scarlet rash which gives this disease its name, Dr. Cox stated.

Complications can result in prolonged disability or death. Children suffering with scarlet fever may develop sinusitis and middle-ear infections which can lead to mastoiditis. As the germs spread through the child's system, the joints, kidneys, and heart may become involved, causing life-long invalidism or crippling.

"A child with any kind of sore throat should be seen by the family physician promptly," Dr. Cox asserted. "If scarlet fever is present, the treatment the doctor prescribes will do much to alleviate discomfort, and reduce the possibility of dangerous complications."

Lake Superior is the largest fresh water lake in the world.

A. G. Tadlock Dies at Home of Son in Waurika, Oklahoma

Albert Gideon Tadlock died at the home of his son, Walter, in the north part of town Sunday, November 16 at 12:40 p. m. Funeral arrangements were in charge of the Worley Funeral Home and the body was returned to the old home at Chico, Texas, for burial. Funeral services were conducted from the Methodist church in Chico Tuesday afternoon by Ira Stephens, a cousin of Mr. Tadlock and a member of the faculty of Southern Methodist University at Dallas. Interment was in the family lot in the Chico cemetery.

Mr. Tadlock was born in Alabama September 13, 1868, and was in his 80th year at the time of his death. He was married to Miss Delia Perry at Chico, Texas, in 1896 and to this union four sons were born, one passing away in infancy and Leon died in 1920 at the age of 16.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Delia Tadlock; two sons, Walter of Waurika and A. G. Jr., of Fort Worth; two brothers, Dr. M. E. Tadlock, Fort Worth and C. C. Tadlock, Saint Jo, Texas; seven grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Mr. Tadlock had been a member of the Methodist church for the past 22 years. He was formerly a resident of Kress, Texas and Silverton, Texas.

Chevrolet Breaks All-Time Record In Truck Sales in Oct.

Chevrolet sold a record-breaking 29,461 trucks during October 1947, more truck sales than have been reported in any single previous month in Chevrolet's 35-year history. It was announced here today by T. H. Keating, general sales manager.

Production and sales have been climbing steadily since the new "advance-design" line of trucks first was announced to the public last June. The previous record-breaking month for truck sales was June 1941, when 28,367 commercial units were sold. These figures represent sales in the United States by dealers to consumers.

Reflecting an increased demand for trucks over prewar conditions, Keating pointed out that approximately 31 per cent of the unfilled orders on Chevrolet books are for trucks. During the last years before the war, approximately 19 per cent of Chevrolet's total sales were trucks.

Maryland's farm production is large, with wheat and corn the principal crops.

Massachusetts ranks first in the manufacture of textile goods and boots and shoes.

Palace Theatre to Open Next Thursday Night

The Palace Theatre will open its doors to the movie-going public next Thursday night, December 4th, according to an announcement made here yesterday by Charles Jefferson, manager.

Charles, as Mr. Jefferson is better known to his friends, stated that "The Sea of Grass," starring Spencer Tracy and Katharine Hepburn, a brand new top-notch movie will be shown on the opening night.

A complete remodeling job is being done in the theatre this week. The color scheme has been changed to a baby blue. New projectors have been added and a complete new sound system to offer the best in movie entertainment for the citizens of this community.

Income Tax Dept. Getting more "Chips" Than a Little

Texas taxpayers poured more than \$300,000,000 into Uncle Sam's cash register during the period July 1 through October 31, or 7 percent more than last year's federal internal revenue collections for the same months. The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Although there is talk of tax reductions effective in 1948, there is no immediate relief expected even with the special session of Congress underway.

Income taxes from corporations and persons not on withholding status slumped 1 percent below year-ago figures, but employment, with holding and other taxes brought in increased revenue.

October collections in Texas were 18 percent above intake during October last year, with all tax sources bringing in advanced returns.

Kansas City and St. Louis, Mo., are two of the largest railroad centers in the U. S.

Top Honors go to Happy In Championship Meet

One of the best football games to be witnessed in Panhandle class B football in a long time, took place at Tulia last Thursday when the Silverton Owls clashed with the Happy Cowboys.

It was a hard fought battle from the start to the finish. The Owls scored late in the second quarter after a reverse play had put the ball on the one-yard line. It took four plays for the Owls to squeeze out the one yard and at the half the Owls were ahead 6-0. The Cowboys took advantage of

10 Days Of Moisture Brings Total To 1.60

All - District Team Is To Be Picked at Turkey

According to an announcement made here yesterday by Wm. F. Talley, Superintendent of the local schools, an all-star, all-district football team will be picked at Turkey on Tuesday night of next week.

Coach L. R. Bailey will attend the meeting and it is believed that possibly several men of the Silverton team will be chosen for the team.

School Children to Enjoy Several Holidays this Week

Silverton school children will enjoy some big holidays as a result of school being turned out on Wednesday afternoon of this week, Supt. Wm. F. Talley reported yesterday.

The four-day vacation results from the fact that the schools will be turned out Thursday for the children to eat turkey and Friday for them to recuperate from eating too much turkey. Of course Saturday and Sunday are the usual days off, Mr. Talley concluded.

Because of its large iron industry, Birmingham, Ala., is called the "Pittsburgh of the South."

Arizona is a leading mining state. Its principal mining products are copper, gold and silver.

Nebraska's livestock, poultry and dairy farming interests are large and valuable.

Office Supplies at the News.

SWING OF THE SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS

Southwest farm markets paid mostly steady to higher prices last week, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Cotton prices advanced sharply, and net gains averaged \$6 to \$7 a bale. Sales increased too, as farmers offered freely in most areas. Rains halted picking.

Continued active demand raised corn prices about 15 cents per bushel for the week, and other feed grains followed the upward trend. Wheat advanced slightly, as more favorable weather for winter wheat offset large foreign requirements. Friday's close found wheat at \$3.16, white corn \$3.01 to \$3.02, and sorghums \$3.95 to \$4.

Milled rice eased slightly last week, as limited rough rice sales held fairly steady. Some feeds dropped early in the week but strengthened toward the close. Holders of hay offered stocks less freely, and prices remained firm. Peanuts moved at the support schedule but failed to qualify for top price.

Calves and weaners advanced mostly 50 cents to \$1 for the week, while most other cattle classes sold strong to 50 cents higher. Relatively few slaughter steers, heifers and yearlings came to market, as cows, calves and stockers made up the bulk. Common and medium calves brought \$12.50 to \$18 at Houston, \$13 to \$18.50 at San Antonio, and \$13.50 to \$17.50 at Fort Worth. Good and choice grades sold at \$19 to \$22 at Oklahoma City, \$18.50 to \$22.50 at Wichita, and \$22 down at Denver.

Southwest hog markets regained part of recent losses during the week in gains of mostly 25 to 50 cents. Butcher hogs advanced \$1 at San Antonio, where good and choice weights closed at \$25.75, while Fort Worth and Denver paid \$26. Oklahoma City and Wichita bought most comparable lots from \$25 to \$25.50.

Texas sheep markets continued steady to strong, but other southwest terminals closed barely steady to as much as \$1 lower. San Antonio bought good and choice ewes at \$7.75 to \$8.50, and Denver paid \$8.50 to \$9. Common and medium ewes brought \$7.75 to \$8.25 at Fort Worth and \$6 to \$7 at Oklahoma City. Goats held firm.

Lower wool tariffs announced. See FARM MARKET—Page 5

Cloudy, damp and rainy weather ceased here Sunday morning of this week as temperatures zoomed downward to reach a low of 19 degrees on Saturday night, it was reported this week by Ray C. Bomar, operator of the local Federal Weather Bureau station.

Mr. Bomar reported that to the present, a total of 1.60 inches of moisture fell here during the 10-day rainy period.

Silverton was luckier than most parts of the Panhandle early this week when snow, sleet and freezing mist was realized over most parts of the Panhandle. Streets and highways were all frozen over with hard layers of ice Saturday morning but it soon melted as the sun rose higher during the forenoon.

Warmer weather has been promised the Panhandle during the next week or so which is expected to be quite an asset to local farmers. Many farmers are waiting patiently until their fields are in condition to plant their wheat which has been drastically delayed due to persistent drouth.

27 Tech Students Named Who's Who In U. S. Colleges

Twenty-seven outstanding students of Texas Technological College have been named to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. Five of the group are named to Who's Who for the second year.

Selections were made by the dean of women and dean of men working with student representatives of the five undergraduate divisions of the college, and were based on scholarship, leadership, service to the college and participation in extra-curricular activities.

Those named for the second year include Robert Baumgardner, Wellington; Betty McMurry, Vigo Park; Tom Hassell, Lubbock; Jackie Lewis, Lubbock; and Bill Nugent, Amarillo.

Others listed are Henry R. (Dick) Copeland, Mexia; Gladys Dawson, Tulia; Carl A. Dwyer, McLain; Avis Fuchs, Abertathy; Charles W. Hudson, Seagraves; Patricia Lively, Pampa; Vera Harber Maas, Vernon; Rayford L. Moody, Archer City; Katherine Nelson, Lamesa; Newell A. Reed, Abertathy; Bob Watson, Hermleigh; Andrew Willingham, Rottan; James Ragan and Earl W. Sears, Brownfield; and Joe Arrington, Jr., John Ash. Brac Biggers, Dan Gillett. Joe M. Hefner, Lamar Jackson. Pauline Lokey and Betty Bomar Self, all of Lubbock.

Thanksgiving Day Services At Baptist Church

All denominations will assemble at the First Baptist Church of this city, come Thursday night, when a special Thanksgiving service will take place at the Church at 7:00 p. m., Rev. G. A. Elrod said here yesterday.

A nice program has been arranged for the service and everyone, regardless of denomination, are extended a cordial invitation to attend.

WELCOME, NEW SUBSCRIBERS

We welcome the following new and renewal subscribers to The News this week: No restrictions are placed on weekly newspapers concerning the acceptance of new subscriptions, so if you are not now a subscriber, we hereby invite you to become one:

- Ben Fowler
- C. E. Anderson
- L. W. Francis
- W. M. Hartman
- T. J. Hodges
- Jake Honea
- Richard Lindsey
- C. B. Parker
- G. F. Weast

We Wish You A Pleasant THANKSGIVING!

Dottie

Joe

Tommy

PERSONAL ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mrs. H. Roy Brown, Mrs. Durward Brown and Mrs. Estelle McEwin were shopping in Plainview recently.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Scott Monday of last week included Louis Newell and family of Arizona, Carl Newell of Los Angeles, and Mrs. S. D. Scott of Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Holcombe and daughter, of Turkey, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Olive Sunday.

Mike Edens, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morris, underwent a tonsillectomy at the Tulia hospital Monday of this week.

Mrs. W. E. Tait returned home Thursday after visiting several days with her daughters, Mrs. Billy Wood and Mrs. Claude Grimes, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Grimes and family have moved to Littlefield where Mr. Grimes is employed by H. L. Dye Motor Co.

Mrs. Preston Trower and Toni returned home Monday night after visiting several days in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Callahan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold were in Plainview Monday where they visited Wayland College and heard Dan Alford and his Wayland College Choir.

Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod and several other Silverton persons attended a business conference in Plainview Monday afternoon.

Duke Woods and Junior Carpenter of Quitaque, were Silverton visitors last Sunday.

Mrs. Tommy Wyrick was a business visitor in Happy and Amarillo last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Olive of Plainview, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Olive Sunday.

Mrs. Gene Long and Mrs. Claude Grimes were visitors in Littlefield last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Criswell and Mrs. Glenn Lindsey, of Anton, spent Friday afternoon here.

Sue Lindsey returned to her home in Anton last Friday following a several days visit in the home of Mrs. O. C. Allard.

Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod, Mesdames G. A. Dowdy, J. C. Bomar, Ray C. Bomar, Charlie Chappell, Alvie Jasper, Clifford Allard and Miss Eunice Cox attended the Workers conference at Matador Tuesday.

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Are We Gullible . . .

Dr. W. W. Bauer, editor of Hygiene, recently observed that "There is a large scare campaign underway by the proponents of socialized medicine to convince people that their health is degenerating." He then said this charge is not true, and that nations subjected to socialized medicine have lower health standards than those which have escaped it.

The American people will be gullible indeed if they feel their health is on the down-grade. Diseases once fatal in a high proportion of cases, such as typhus and smallpox, have been almost completely conquered. The death rate and the incidence of tuberculosis have been sharply cut. Great progress has been made in handling cancer and heart disease. So it goes, down the long list. It is an interesting commentary on American health that sociologists are concerned with the fact that the percentage of elderly people in the population is rapidly increasing. We are living longer and healthier lives, as the insurance statistics show.

High standards of health result from preventive medicine—from the elimination of the causes of disease. In this field, as in curative medicine, the American doctor has no superior. He hasn't been shackled by politics. He hasn't been regimented under some code of mediocrity. He does not depend on government for his living and his advancement. He is, in short, an integral part of the free enterprise system, and has progressed accordingly.

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Behind The Scenes in AMERICAN BUSINESS

By REYNOLDS KNIGHT
NOTE TO READERS—The information contained in this weekly summary of happenings in the world of business and industry has been obtained from sources we consider reliable but is not guaranteed. Opinions and forecasts are based upon careful analysis but are subject to change without notice.—The Editor

The gulf between U. S. free enterprise and state-trading nations is enormous. Maybe it is too great a chasm ever to be bridged. The subject would be an academic one except for this: because the political state has taken over so many areas of business in other parts of the world, your clothes, your shoes and even your chocolate bars cost more. In Australia, wool mounts to new high prices as the wool-stabilizing cartel keeps supplies off the market. African cocoa and Argentine hides are also under the heavy hand of the state, which is reaching for every penny it can get, and using the powerful resources of a people to obtain the final farthing. Sooner or later, of course, such efforts defeat themselves, and artificial prices crash. Twice such cartelization and price schemes were tried on rubber, and twice they worked for a while, only to go to pieces under the impact of the law of supply and demand. "Oh liberty, what crimes are committed in your name," once cried the philosopher. Today, such economic crimes as cartelization are committed in the name of the welfare of the masses.

POLICY PAY-OFF—New tires would be costing you \$31 today instead of \$14.40 if it were not for the American-made rubber created to help win the war. That is what James J. Newman, vice president of B. F. Goodrich, says would be the case, on the "very conservative" assumption that Far East rubber would by now be at least \$1 a pound (instead of the 13 to 25 cents it has been since V-J Day). On the same basis we would have paid \$1,165,000,000 more for the Far East rubber we have actually used since then, than we have. That excess, Newman noted, is one-and-a-half times the \$700,000,000 it cost to build the plants as a war-emergency measure, so the facilities already have more than paid for themselves. He favors continuing mandatory use of a minimum quantity of this rubber in tires and recap stock as a "simpler and more workable method of assuring rubber for

national security than by any methods based on subsidization, protective tariffs or cartelization."

THINGS TO COME—You will soon be getting razor blades in a new package that does away with the paper wrappings . . . Maybe this should be entitled "things not to come;" those polaroid headlights and windshields will not be installed on new cars for a long time, the auto industry has decided. Too costly, for one thing . . . A field machine for farmers. Powered by any tractor, the new device sharpens tools or makes on-the-spot repairs . . . A new table-top barbecue broiler will turn out a meal for six in three or four minutes. Can be heated indoors over the gas or outdoors with bottled gas . . . One of the oldest coughdrop manufacturers is about to enter the chewing gum field . . . General Foods announces minute tapioca will soon be available again. Company is able to get tapioca from Brazil instead of Java or Singapore, which were isolated by the war . . . Now comes stainless steel paint, soon to be available in powdered form . . . Christmas tree ornaments will last longer: soon to be introduced is all-metal, bright-colored ball that is shatterproof.

PRESS BOOM—Plagued by spiraling costs which threaten to offset hard-won circulation and advertising gains, newspaper publishers are now bidding for new printing equipment at a rate almost double that of 1929, when the last great period of newspaper expansion and modernization ended. More than \$170,000,000 alone is being spent this year on new printing equipment, according to William L. Batt, president of SKF Industries, Inc., who says that printing presses now rival aircraft and intricate precision machine tools as prime users of anti-friction bearings. The program, he says, is sparked by the fact that the U. S. public is buying daily newspapers at a rate of 2,114,000 copies every hour around the clock while advertising revenues for this year are expected to top \$1,100,000,000.

Some 180,000 presses—a 10 percent increase over 1930—are now going full blast to meet demands of increased leadership caused by a greater interest in news and a decline in national illiteracy, the SKF president points out.

BITS O' BUSINESS—Is the housing shortage beginning to ease up? In Cleveland, owners of apartment houses and other rental units say that higher-priced space is going begging. The landlords held their meeting not only to talk over current problems, but also to fight continued rent

control. Their most potent argument: rent ceilings keep many new structures from being built because the builder can not get a return on his money . . . The short-term indebtedness of the consumer is still rising. It has hit a record \$11.4 billion, but Commerce Department experts say the record will be broken the next time new figures are announced . . . The man who could sell electric fans to Eskimos has met his match. An oil-burner manufacturer has just launched a campaign to level out the peaks in furnace buying by trying to get householders to buy their new equipment in the spring and summer and not wait for the cold weather.

A cattle-eating tiger will kill 60 or 70 oxen a year.

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Veterans' News

Veterans Administration announced a new plan for VA houses financed by GI. The houses are still under construction.

VA inspections will not be required in connection with work. The job training program provided for World War II veterans by the GI Bill has passed its peak under present laws and conditions, the Veterans Administration believes.

The peak apparently was reached last January when 632,000 veterans were training on-the-job. Steady decreases since then cut the total to 564,000 by September 30, 1947.

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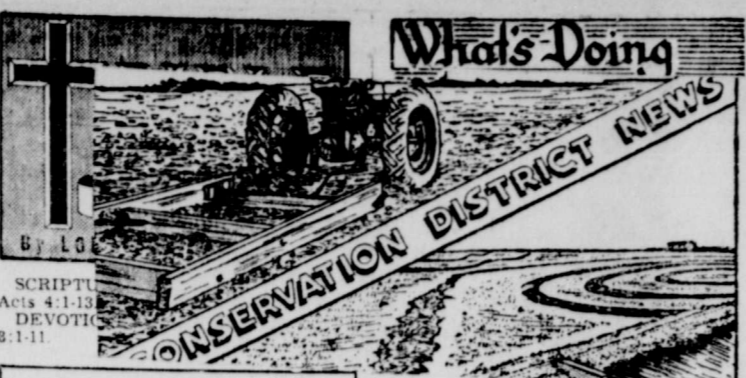
With the new plan, VA for the first time is assuming directly the function of assuring proper construction—from plans to completion—of houses built for sale to veterans with GI loan financing.

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Proof of a Christian

Lesson for November 30, 1947

OPEN your Bible to I John 4-5; Second John; and Acts 4:1-13, and you will have the Scripture background for Sunday's lesson. Add to the above passages Romans 8:1-11, as devotional reading, and you will be thinking of the unimpeachable proofs of a Christian.

Two men are brought before us as examples of Christian discipleship. Peter and John had been preaching Christ to the people in Jerusalem, and they were arrested and brought before the Sanhedrin. The rulers and priests scolded them, asking by what power or name they had done this. Peter, filled with the Holy Ghost, answered them:

"Be it known unto you all, and to all the people of Israel, that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom ye crucified, whom God raised from the dead, even by him doth this man stand here before you whole. . . . Neither is there salvation in any other; for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved."

And then follows the verse that reveals the proof that these humble fishermen were really Christians:

"Now when they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were unlearned and ignorant men, they marvelled; and they took knowledge of them, that they had been with Jesus."

The Lord Is My Helper

IN HEBREWS 13:6, we find this revealing statement: "The Lord is my helper; I will not fear."

The more we study the words of John in Sunday's lesson—words that remind us again and again that God is love, that we love him because he first loved us, that when we love him we are made strong in serving him, the clearer we come to understand the incident in Acts 4:1-13, when Peter and John stood boldly before the Sanhedrin, impressing the court with the fact that they had been with Jesus.

They were not afraid because they were conscious of the presence and power of God. The Psalmist put it sublimely when he said, "The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want."

When We Walk With God

continuously. Bob Stevenson and J. L. Waters went to their aid. They stuck the muzzle of the gun through the bath room door and killed the dog. There were several women present including Mrs. Jeff Davis, Mrs. Rawls Miller, Mrs. Stuart, Mrs. Sam Hunt, Mrs.

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STATE OF TEXAS County of Briscoe

TO: E. L. Kyle, who resides outside the State of Texas in the State of Indiana, whose residence is unknown, and the unknown owner and owners of the hereinafter described property and their heirs and legal representatives whose names and places of residence are unknown, and all other persons owning, having or claiming any interest or lien in the property hereinafter described.

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One 6 volt windcharger, together with wiring.—One Piano.

Witness My Hand and Official Seal of My Office in Silverton, Briscoe County, Texas, this 7th day of November, A. D. 1947.

Dee McWilliams
Clerk, District Court
Briscoe County, Texas
(SEAL) 46-31c

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It is thought that the bison may have been stampeded over the low steep bluff bordering the

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THINGS TO COME—You will soon be getting razor blades in a new package that does away with the paper wrappings . . . Maybe this should be entitled "things not to come;" those polaroid headlights and windshields will not be installed on new cars for a long time, the auto industry has decided. Too costly, for one thing . . .

because the builder can't return on his money. Short-term indebtedness of the consumer is still rising and has hit a record \$11.4 billion, the Commerce Department says the record will be broken next time new figures are announced . . . The man who sells electric fans to Eskimos met his match. An

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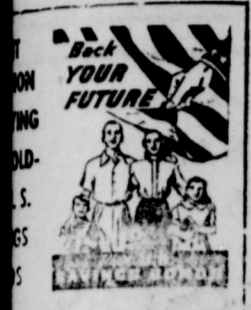
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Scotts Main Football and Dates

Mrs. Dillard Scott Monday night with a party honoring members of football team.



Joy Reathmeyer. Also present were Bennie Gardner, Milton Clemmer and Norma Jo Teeple.

After supper other members of the team and their dates called and were served cookies and punch.

Mormans in the state of Utah were the first Anglo-Saxons to practice irrigation on a large scale.

The Hoosac railway tunnel through the Hoosac mountains in Massachusetts is nearly five miles long.

Texas, California, Louisiana and Oklahoma are the four leading oil producing states of the U.S.



SUPERVISORS FOR CAF ROCK DISTRICT—Earl I. Cartwell, Chairman, Obra Watson, Bray Cook, L. A. McJimsey, and Bill Helms.

It Happened . . .



20 Years Ago

22 Years Ago Today

Jim Busby, big deputy sheriff, returned from a week's trip to McGargle, Graham and Wichita Falls. This was one trip that Jim didn't "get his man" for he was not on a "man hunt."

Miss Jessie Cox was married to Mr. Hillary Sanders of Amarillo Tuesday. The ceremony was performed by Judge Morton at the A. A. Turner home.

There were two new pupils in high school this week. Bessie Jenkins who entered the tenth grade and Myrtle Jenkins who entered the eighth grade.

Quite a bit of excitement was caused Tuesday afternoon when a Collie dog at the home of Jeff Davis, in the east part of town turned mad, or at least appeared to do so. The dog snapped at the children and another dog and chased the children in the house, who escaped without being bitten.

O. W. Mitchell, operating a farm in the Crass Conservation Group, has a seeding of improved pasture that is looking good. Mr. Mitchell planted his pasture early last fall and watered it up.

Edwin Crass, cooperating with the Cap Rock Soil Conservation District, has a trial planting of Austrian Winter peas that show promise. Winter peas are soil builders that can be used only advantageously in the irrigation belt of our district.

Dan Montague had Soil Conservation District technicians locate a high point on his place 3 miles west of Whitley switch in the Gregg Conservation Group.

Recent rains have put enough moisture in the soil that terracing can be started. The local district office in Silvertown urges that any one who plans to terrace contact them as soon as possible.

Alvin Davis, Mrs. Hattie Davis and perhaps others.

18 Years Ago Today

The new auto license plates for Texas will be blue and yellow, and they will be on sale soon at the tax collector's office, which will have a monopoly upon this sort of merchandise.

The outstanding event of the month for the seniors was the party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Dickenson Friday night. Mrs. A. L. Kelsay furnished the entertainment making the broom talk, mimic exercises, and retrieving forfeits.

dys Murphy, Christine Bundy, Gerldine Biffle and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kelsay.

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11 Years Ago Today

Mrs. Opal Parker and Mr. Herbert North were married at Plainview, Sunday, November 22.

Census reports from the Department of Commerce show that there were only 1,835 bales of cotton ginned in Briscoe County from the crop of 1936 prior to November 14, as compared with 3,578 bales ginned prior to November 14, from the crop of 1935.

Pat Pavlicek and Jim Cline were visiting in Floydada and Plainview Sunday.

1 Year Ago Today

Temperatures started falling in the early hours of the morning Monday accompanied by strong winds from the North which brought snow about 1:00 p. m. Flakes fell rather spasmodically for some two hours. Tuesday all trace of snow disappeared and temperatures rose to about 50 degrees.

FARM MARKET—

for the first of the year stimulated foreign buying.

Southwest markets paid steady to slightly stronger prices for eggs and poultry the past week. Current receipt eggs brought 43 to 45 cents per dozen at Denver and 45 to 50 at Fort Worth.

Colorado onions and potatoes remained about steady to firm during the week. Excessive supplies of satsuma oranges found their way into the New Orleans market because of curtailed shipments out of the state.

Old Bones Are Present to Museum At Tech Recently

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The projectile points, which have been classified as the Plainview type, are perhaps historically intermediate between the Folsom and Yuma types. All may be found in association with species of extinct bison.

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One 6 volt windcharger, together with wiring.—One Piano.

Playground equipment, and school desks.

The above listed property will be sold at the Rock Creek Schoolhouse located 7 miles west and 1 mile south of Silvertown, Texas.

The terms of sale are cash and the trustees of the said Rock Creek Common School District No. 4, Briscoe County, Texas, reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the following described property belonging to the Rock Creek Common School District No. 4, Briscoe County, Texas, will be sold for cash, at public auction on the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1947, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., to-wit:

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south of Silverton, Texas.

The Trustees of the said Rock Creek Common School District No. 4, in Briscoe County, Texas, hereby reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

TRUSTEES
Rock Creek Common School District No. 4, Briscoe County, Texas.

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PUBLICATIONS

STATE OF TEXAS
County of Briscoe

TO: Edna Fowler-Jones and her husband---Jones, whose initials are unknown to this pleader, and whose residence is unknown; and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of all the above named parties, and the unknown owner and owners of the hereinafter described property and their heirs and legal representatives whose names and places of residence are unknown, and all other persons owning, having or claiming any interest or lien in the property hereinafter described.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED AND COMMANDED to appear and defend at the first day of the next regular term of the District Court of Briscoe County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof in the City of Silverton, Briscoe County, Texas, at or before ten o'clock A. M., on the First Monday in January, A. D. 1948, the same being the 5th day of January, A. D. 1948, then and there to answer a petition in a delinquent tax suit filed in said court on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1946, in a suit numbered 1317, styled The State of Texas vs. Edna Fowler-Jones and her husband, ---Jones, on the docket of said court in which The State of Texas are plaintiffs, and The City of Silverton and The Silverton Independent School District are impleaded party defendants, and Edna Fowler-Jones and her husband ---Jones are defendants, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said hereinafter described property and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes, penalties, interests, and costs of suit.

Said suit is a suit to collect taxes, interest, penalties, and cost on the following described property: All of Lots 13 and 14 in Block No. 75 in said City of Silverton and the Silverton Independent School District in Briscoe County, Texas. The amount of taxes alleged to be delinquent, due, owing, and unpaid for the respective years and in the respective amounts for each of said plaintiffs, intervenors, and impleaded party defendants, taxing units, on the above described

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Each party to this suit shall take notice of, and plead, and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file or thereafter filed in said cause by all other parties therein.

Plaintiffs, intervenors, and defendants that are taxing units also seek the establishment and foreclosure of the lien securing payment of such taxes as provided by law.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

WITNESS MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL OF MY OFFICE in Silverton, Briscoe County, Texas, this 8th day of November, A. D. 1947.

Dee McWilliams
Clerk, District Court
Briscoe County Texas
(SEAL) 46-3tc

STATE OF TEXAS
County of Briscoe

To: W. C. and M. C. Willingham and their unknown heirs, C. O. Woods and his unknown heirs; whose residence is unknown. Clem Woods, John J. Woods, Ela Sue Curtis and husband, Leonard Curtis, Laverne Woods and husband, Jim Woods, and Don Woods, all of who reside outside the State of Texas, heirs and legal representatives of P. O. Woods, deceased, whose name and residence is unknown, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of all the above named parties, and the unknown owner and owners of the hereinafter described property and their heirs and legal representatives whose names and places of residence are unknown, and all other persons owning, having or claiming any interest or lien in the property hereinafter described.

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School District are impleaded party defendants, and W. C. & M. C. Willingham and their unknown heirs, Clem Woods, John J. Woods, Ela Sue Curtis and husband, Leonard Curtis, Laverne Woods and husband, Jim Woods, Don Woods, C. O. Woods and his unknown heirs, Lanell Butler and husband, J. R. Butler, Jr., and Ela Wilson & husband, Otis Wilson are defendants, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said hereinafter described property and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes, penalties, interests, and costs of suit.

Said suit is a suit to collect taxes, interest, penalties, and cost on the following described property: All of Lots Nos. Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) in Block No. Six (6), in the City of Silverton and Silverton Independent School District in Briscoe County, Texas. The amount of taxes alleged to be delinquent, due, owing, and unpaid for the respective years and in the respective amounts for each of said plaintiffs, intervenors, and impleaded party defendants, taxing units, on the above described property is as follows:

City of Silverton: \$25.98, 1918 to 1946 Inclusive, Willingham and Woods; Silverton Independent School District: \$10.12, 1931 to 1946 Inclusive, M. C. & William Willingham; State of Texas: \$9.41, 1930 to 1946 Inclusive, P. O. Woods and W. C. and M. C. Willingham, together with interest, penalties, cost, charges, and expenses of suit, which have accrued and which may legally accrue thereon.

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Oranges, tomatoes or tomato juice, grapefruit, raw cabbage and salad greens are excellent sources of vitamin C and should be included in menus for winter days.

FARM FACTS
WORTH KNOWING
Q. How much feed does a rat eat? What measures should be taken to overcome the rat menace?
A. Experts at New York State College of Agriculture estimate that a pair of rats eat the equivalent of 100 lbs. of feed in a year, not to mention the amount they waste. A concerted Rat Riddance campaign would save millions of bushels of badly needed corn and other grains. Some suggested steps are:

- 1. Store feed where rats can't get at it.
2. Get rid of trash and rubbish piles which attract rats.
3. Use good rat poisons. Red Squill and Red Squill are the best. The bait should be used in the order mentioned. Bait which may contain a substantial dose following a single baiting with Annu will acquire a temporary immunity against this poison. This resistance usually lasts for a period of about 30 days. During this interval it is recommended that these survivors be baited with a product containing Red Squill. Although both poisons are relatively non-toxic for dogs and cats, it is a good practice to place rat baits out of reach of these or other animals.

Q. Why is it important to worm pigs and when should this be done?
A. Ridding pigs of worms at 1 weeks of age may save up to two bushels of corn per pig, thus increasing the hog raiser's profit and aiding the grain conservation program.

Q. How can a dairyman judge when heifers have reached proper weight for breeding if he has no scale available?
A. The Ralston Purina Company, St. Louis 2, Mo., offers a weighing tape that measures the size of the heart girth and tells the approximate weight of the heifer. This weighing tape has a high degree of accuracy and is a great convenience to dairy men who do not have scales on which to weigh their cows.

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Weekly SURPLUS NEWS WAA

This is a diesel age, some engineers say, and 102 six-cylinder, diesel engines are now on sale until December 1 through the Customer Service Center of the Grand Prairie office of War Assets Administration. They are offered at fixed prices to prospective users and to dealers. They are all used and are located at Red River Arsenal near Texarkana, Texas.

A final block of 127 buildings at Blackland Army Air Field at Waxahatchee, Texas, is being passed into private ownership by a crowd of 250 persons in attendance at a War Assets Administration public sale quickly bid off for removal from the grounds recently. Less than four hours after the sale opening at 10 a. m., all property listed as surplus except a pistol range and a 8 by 10 foot salvage office had been awarded to the bidders.

WAA officials said the sale would be chalked up as netting a good recovery for the government, "as good or better than" similar sales held recently.

Highest bidders are to get desalted lots of oxygen cylinders, valves and accessories in a bid

asked to be awarded structures. Awards were to be announced as soon as duplicated bids could be adjudicated. The remainder of the buildings not applied for will be advertised for public cash bidding at a later date, it was disclosed.

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Three locomotives of various types for sale through competitive bids to priority and commercial buyers are being offered through the Customer Service Center of War Assets Administration at the Grand Prairie zone offices. They are steam, diesel and gasoline powered. Bid opening date on these locomotives is December 11. Casting frames, blocks and lamps are listed in the same sale. The diesel and steam engines are located at the Louisiana Ordnance Plant at Shreveport, La., and the gasoline locomotive is stored at Ellington Field at Houston, Texas.

Eighteen priority applicants sought buildings at Amarillo Army Airfield recently when applications were opened by the Office of Real Property Disposal of the Grand Prairie zone office of War Assets Administration. Eleven schools and school districts, three counties and one city



I like limeade made with plain, and not carbonated, water. Orangeade is made with plain water. Lemonade is made with plain water. So what is there so peculiar about wanting limeade made with plain water? But most people prefer it with carbonated and, regardless of my request, that's the way it's always served to me. If and when I ever get limeade with plain water, I'll know that the good old days when the customer

was always right have returned. In a Houston show window, "Shirts made to order, only \$17.50." The material was not beaten gold or woven radium; it was cloth from Czechoslovakia.

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Opportunity is lacking, did someone say? Irving Berlin be-

gan as a singing waiter. He can scarcely pick out a tune with one finger on the piano but he has composed 800 songs, many of which gladdened millions of hearts and will live as long as the human race.

Edison was deaf. Milton was blind. Byron had a club foot. Napoleon was five feet "tall." Demosthenes had a weak voice but developed it by declaiming against the roar of the ocean.

Paul Revere and Jesse James didn't amount to much until each got a horse.

Say, this pep talk of mine is

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Selling Cull Stock Now Pays In Two Different Ways

Removing unproductive, inefficient livestock from a herd is good business at any time, but is especially desirable and profitable under 1947 conditions. That is why close culling of livestock is strongly recommended this fall by Extension Service livestock specialists and other authorities.

Several factors are important in selecting cull animals. Culling should include crippled, diseased and poor-quality animals, and unproductive breeding stock. In the breeding herd, it is desirable to cull cows that have missed calving for one or two years; they are likely to be fat and bring more money when sold. Dairy cows that produce less than the herd average are worth more when sold than when kept as "boarders." Sows which have farrowed small litters are not paying their share of the cost of feed and care. Hens that have stopped laying and are getting fat are robbing the flock of profit. As a rule, it pays to cull animals that are passing their usefulness because of age,

and to replace them with younger stock. Rigid culling will allow farmers and ranchmen to feed more generously animals that are able to return a profit for the feed given them. However, under present conditions, even the best of animals should not be fed to grade higher than "Good," as the extra finish requires too much grain. Young and pregnant animals will have more feed at the time when their nutrition needs are most critical, helping to insure better, heavier calves, lambs or pigs next year.

Culling also will aid the improvement of permanent pastures, especially important in the Cotton South. With unproductive animals eliminated, proper stocking of pastures is encouraged so that livestock operators will be in better position to capitalize on the use of better grazing in the future.

Another major advantage of culling stressed by livestock authorities is that it will help to reduce the hazard of continued large livestock inventories. They urge the elimination, now, of many animals which have been kept in the herd in the past because of the general upward trend in prices.

For these reasons, close culling is recommended this fall as one of the important steps in the good management and feeding, which will help to solve the problem of scarce and high-priced grains. Other practical methods of saving and using grains efficiently will be discussed in future articles of this series.

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Stubborn Cattle Disease Yields To Newest Treatment

One of the nation's most stubborn and costly cattle diseases appears to have met its conqueror.

The disease is trichomoniasis, a venereal infection. Its vector is a drug called sodium iodide.

Trichomoniasis is spread during breeding and causes delayed conception, abortion, and sterility. Previously, there was no effective means of treating affected animals.

Georgia veterinarians, writing in a current number of the Journal of the American Veterinary Medical Association, reported that they had been successful in eliminating the infection from bulls by treatment with sodium iodide.

Although these investigators could give no assurance that the treatment would be effective in all cases, many authorities on animal diseases regard it as one of the most important and promising veterinary developments of the year.

Chairman Thomas



WASHINGTON, D. C.—(Sound photo)—The House Un-American Activities Committee hearing buzzed with excitement as John Howard Lawson, Hollywood writer, engaged in a running word battle with Chairman J. Parnell Thomas, (R) of N.J., above, as he called for order and put an end to the fireworks. Lawson refused to state under oath whether he is or is not a Communist, and then was summarily removed from the witness stand. He was later cited for contempt of Congress.



McCollum Named President of Conoco Oil Company

Leonard F. McCollum, 45, pictured above, has just been elected president of Continental Oil Company, effective December 1, succeeding Dan Moran, who has resigned because of ill health.

Born in Bradford, Tenn., in 1902 McCollum now becomes one of the youngest major executives in a fully integrated oil company in the United States. He launched his oil career following graduation from the University of Texas in 1925 by joining the Humble Oil and Refining Company, an affiliate of Standard Oil Company (New Jersey), as a geologist. In 1934 he became chief geologist and manager of exploration for the Carter Oil Company, another Jersey Standard affiliate, and later became president of the Carter company. He moved to New York in 1943 as assistant coordinator of producing activities for Standard Oil Company (New Jersey), and a year later advanced to the position of coordinator, which assignment he held at the time of his election to head Continental Oil Company.

Varicose Veins In Farm Animals Are Inherited

Varicose veins, troublesome ailment of the human family, have a counterpart in the barnyard, the Journal of the American Veterinary Medical Association says. In reviewing a report on this subject from the veterinary school at Alabama Polytechnic Institute, the Journal said that varicose veins in farm animals are usually inherited although they may result from tumors around the veins or toxins in the blood. Surgical treatment, comparable to that used in human cases, is recommended for severely affected animals.

Rhode Island's chief industries are weaving and manufacturing.

Gazers to Take Big Gander at Planet Mars Soon

Astronomers are going to get a good look at the planet Mars next February 18, Dr. Gerard P. Kuiper, director of the University of Texas McDonald Observatory, says.

On that date, Mars will be close enough for magnification to a size four times as large as the full moon appears to the eye. Dr. Kuiper said he hopes to observe

the infrared spectrum caps and green areas visible, and perhaps whether water is present. Mars will make its approach to earth for the years. Astronomers will peer the planet through a meter, sensitive instrument applies the science of astronomy.

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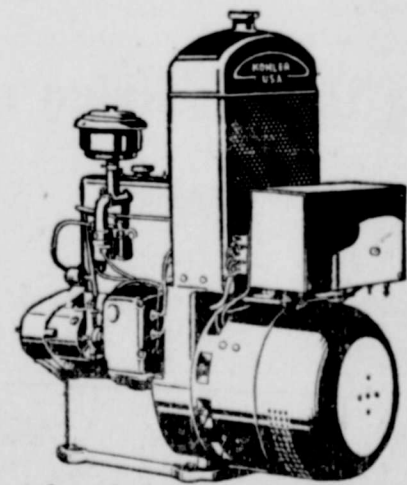
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