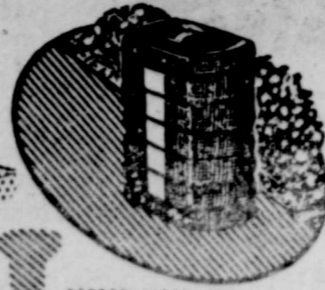
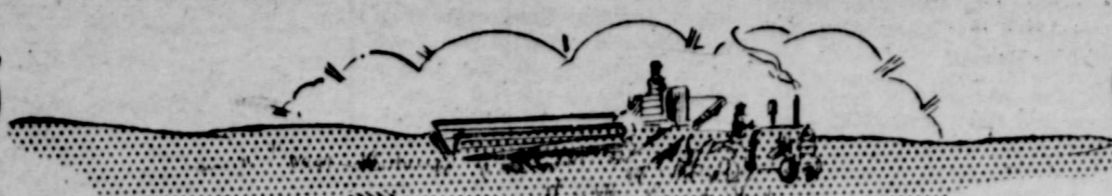




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Everybody's Talking About...



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## ANNOUNCING AN EXAMINATION FOR POSTMASTER AT SILVERTON, TEXAS

An examination for Postmaster at Silvertton, Texas, \$4,990 a year, will be open for acceptance of applications until January 13, 1959, the Commission announced today.

Competitors for the postmaster vacancy in this city must have at least 1 year of experience showing that they have the ability to conduct and manage the community's postal business efficiently and to supervise employees so that customers are satisfied with the service.

Competitors must show that they can deal with the public agreeably and effectively and that they are reliable citizens who would command the respect and confidence of patrons of the post office.

Applicants must take a written test. Those who pass will be assigned final ratings on the basis of this test and on their experience, and fitness for the position. They must have resided within the delivery of the office for one year immediately preceding the closing date of the examination.

Complete information about the examination requirements and instructions for filing applications may be obtained at the post office for which this examination is being announced.

Mrs. W. W. Martin thought she was injured bad enough when she slammed the car door on her finger and hurt it pretty bad; but when she jabbed the ice pick into her lower limb that night she realized that most things could be worse; a call at the doctors office and several shots later she thinks she is going to be able to enjoy Christmas after all.

## Last Rites for Mrs. Edith Clyde Weaver To Be Friday Morning

Funeral services for Mrs. Edith Clyde Weaver, age 73, widow of the late J. A. M. Weaver, will be conducted at 10:00 a. m. Friday, December 19, 1958 at the Silvertton Methodist Church with Rev. James P. Patterson, pastor, officiating, assisted by Rev. G. A. Eirod, pastor of First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Weaver died Tuesday evening, December 17, 1958, at 4:30 in a Plainview hospital following surgery. She had been a patient there since Sunday.

Mrs. Weaver was born January 15, 1885, at Jackson, Mississippi. She and Mr. Weaver came to Briscoe County from Coryell County, Texas, in 1940, where they have made their home since. Mr. Weaver preceded her in death in August of this year.

Survivors are three sons: Lem and Shafe Weaver, both of Silvertton, and Ewing Weaver, of Sundown, Texas; five daughters, Mrs. Bill Fink, of El Paso, Texas; Mrs. Bona Wane, of Kerrville; Mrs. Roy Boyd, of Lubbock; Mrs. Gerald Perry and Mrs. Louie Lukman, both of Ronan, Montana. There are also 12 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Leo Comer, Berton Hughes, Howard Brown, Edgar Mills, Wayne McCutchen and Jord Hollingsworth.

## Gay 4-H Club Met In Home of Mrs. Don Garrison

The Gay 4-H Club of Silvertton met in the home of Mrs. Don Garrison, their leader, on December 1, 1958. The meeting was called to order by the president, Rave Garrison.

The song leader, Sandra Kitchens, led us in the 4-H Motto and Pledge.

Mrs. Kenney gave a demonstration on "How to Make a Miniature Christmas Tree" of net to be used as a center piece or as a decoration.

Mrs. Don Garrison gave a demonstration on "How to Make Chocolate Marshmallow Fudge."

Sandra Kitchens, the song leader, led the members in a game of gathering flowers.

Mrs. Garrison gave out material to the members that they needed for their projects.

Mrs. Garrison served refreshments to Mrs. Kennedy and the members.

The meeting was adjourned. Reporter, Mary McWilliams.

## Enjoy Annual 4-H Club Christmas Party At Local Gymnasium

The high school gymnasium was the scene for the annual Briscoe County 4-H Club Christmas party. Some 65 club members and 30 parents and leaders were on hand to witness this special event that is planned each club year.

Leading a host of games and mixers were Dewey Estes, Sandra Mercer, Carolyn Garrison and Doris Estes.

Refreshments were served by the 4-H Council. Bobby Saul and Dellis Monk were in charge of these. Lynn McDonald is council chairman.

Special recognition was given to the 4-H Club boys that won awards in the hybrid grain sorghum contest.

The Clubs of the County wish to thank Superintendent Leroy Scott and custodian Clarence Redin for the accommodations afforded.

## 4-H Club Winners Honored at Banquet In Lubbock

Briscoe County's Gold Star 4-H Club winners, Lynn McDonald and Sandra Mercer, were honored at a district banquet Monday night, December 8th at Lubbock. They were the host of the Rural Electric Cooperative of the area.

The program was designed to recognize and honor the best 4-H Club boy and girl from Extension District 2 which covers 20 counties of the South and North Plains.

Waggoner Carr, speaker of the State Legislature at Austin, was the master of ceremonies. Hohn Hutcheson, director of the Texas Extension Service was the main speaker. Stuttering Sam Hunter of Tulsa, Oklahoma, entertained the crowd of near 350 with his repertoire of humor and stammering presentation.

Sandra is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mercer of Silvertton. She has been in 4-H Club work five years. She has carried demonstrations in Home Improvement, Garden, and Clothing. She attended the State 4-H Club Round-up at College Station in 1958 as a member of the Shrub Identification Team. She has served as junior leader for the 1958 encampment and was a member that attended the 1958 Leadership Camp held at Lubbock.

Lynn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDonald of Quitaque. He has carried swine and field crops for each of the 6 years he has been in 4-H. He is chairman of the County 4-H Club Council. Last summer he was the third high individual in the State Land Judging Contest. He was judge for the South Plains Fat Stock Show Princess Contest in 1958.

In addition to these members and their parents Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison, local 4-H Adult Leader, Carolyn Garrison, Junior Leader, Peggy Mercer, and County Agent and Mrs. Robert Ledbetter attended the banquet.

REA Cooperatives participating from this area were the Hall County Coop, The Swisher Electric Coop, and the Light House Electric Coop.

Mrs. Bill Long has a deep cut on her hand sustained when a glass shattered while she was washing dishes on Saturday. A few stitches were required to close the wound.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisch have recently moved to their new, two bedroom, home southeast of town; they have lived on a farm located between the Rock Creek and Francis communities the past 22 years. The new home is located between the homes of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Berle Fisch, and the home of Mr. Henry Myers. Mr. and Mrs. Fisch have been in failing health for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McPherson have sold their home on South Braidfoot Street to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Steele. The McPhersons have moved to the farm home southwest of town recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisch. The Steele family were moving into town from the farm early this week.

Mrs. Bill Kennedy and Greg spent Wednesday of last week in Amarillo, guests of Mrs. Lee Gillis.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin McGilvray and family, of Lubbock, and his mother, Mrs. Nora Cox, of Gainesville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morris. Mrs. Cox, sister to Mr. Morris, remained here for a longer visit.

Mrs. Jesse Grimland underwent surgery in a Plainview hospital on Wednesday of last week. She is thought to be recuperating satisfactorily.

"And they went up..."

## Roads Were Not Paved For First Yule Trip

THERE were no modern highways leading from Nazareth to Bethlehem when Mary and Joseph undertook their memorable journey nearly 2,000 years ago.

The way was rough and hard and dangerous.

As far as routes were concerned, there were three. The western route led along the sea-coast and through the plain of Sharon. This route was unpopular with pious folk like Mary and Joseph who shunned the heathen cities rowdy travelers and the ungodly as much as possible.

The shortest route via the fruitful plains of Esdraelon into the mountains of Samaria and through Shechem and Bethel, was not very popular either. The road was tolerable, but steep; however, the Jews had little use for the Samaritans, and vice versa.

The Jordan route, which descended into the Jordan valley and followed the river's east bank around Jericho, was favored by the majority of Galilean travelers who for the Passover and other religious events went down to Jerusalem at regular intervals and knew their way around as well as suburbanites know their way around modern metropolitan areas.

If the Jordan route was a little round-about, it was fairly level—and steeped in Jewish history, from the shadow of Mount Tabor where

Joseph did not choose the western route when they planned their very special journey. Whether they chose to go by way of Shechem and Bethel, or around the walled city of Jericho may never be determined definitely.



But, the distance—nearly 100 miles—was, in any case, unrelenting and conquered only by persistent plodding. And when Mary was too tired to go another step, Joseph took the packs upon his own shoulders so she might ride the little donkey which trudged faithfully at his side.

This was a hard journey and Mary appreciated the shelter of the stable that night—no one could have been more grateful or more happy than Mary. And she brought forth her first-born son, and laid him in a manger.

### IT'S CHRISTMAS WHEN

Elevator operators say good morning; Bus drivers don't slam the door on your feet; Jimmy's teacher says he's a perfect angel and oh so bright; Your secretary limits her coffee break to one a day; Your wife is the first to shut off the alarm clock; Your son says that's okay Dad, you take the car tonight; And your boss says here, try one of my pills.

When you water a Christmas tree, add a few tablespoons of sugar to bring out the fragrance of the pine.



Saul in desperation sought his "witch" of Endor, to the tomb a little before Bethlehem where the first Joseph buried his beloved Rachel. It is fairly certain that Mary and



CHRISTMAS PACKAGES—It took a lot of time, care and patience to produce these beautiful Christmas packages. The ribbon and paper that went into the wrapping was first started in production three years ago. Most companies that produce this type of gift material must work several years in advance.

Mrs. M. L. Welch and Ronald were hosts at a family dinner and a Christmas tree Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Henderson, of Lockney, Mrs. John Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Welch and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Long and children were guests.

Mrs. W. W. Martin, Mrs. Mary Cross and Mr. and Mrs. George Martin and sons were in Plainview on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Jasper, of San Diego, California, visited Mrs. P. D. Jasper and Dawn from Thursday through Saturday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Jasper were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rowell on Saturday.

Mrs. M. G. Moreland visited her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Morris G. Moreland and Flynt, in Amarillo from Wednesday through Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Womack and children, of Lakewood, a suburb of Denver, Colorado, spent Thursday night of last week here with her mother, Mrs. J. H. May, and other relatives; they were enroute to Ozona for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Womack. They plan to return here for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Yates and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Stephens were in Amarillo on Friday.

## Flake Montgomery, Brother to Mrs. Tony Burson Died Sunday

Canyon, December 15—Funeral services for Flake Montgomery, 54, car dealer at Happy, was held at 2 p. m. Tuesday in Warren-LaGrone Chapel in Canyon.

Rev. Walter C. Hadley, pastor of the Happy Methodist Church officiated. Burial was in Dreamland Cemetery in Canyon under direction of the funeral home.

Mr. Montgomery died Sunday in Neblett Hospital in Canyon. He had been a patient about two weeks. He was born October 19, 1904, in Hereford and had been a resident of the Happy area most of his life.

He was a World War II veteran. Mr. Montgomery is survived by his mother, Mrs. Mary Montgomery of Happy and a sister, Mrs. Tony Burson of Silvertton.

## Dr. W. A. Sedgwick Undergoes Surgery At Amarillo

Dr. W. A. Sedgwick, 80, entered the Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Sunday afternoon and underwent lung surgery Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Rex Dickerson took Dr. Sedgwick to Amarillo.

Lt. Col. R. A. Sedgwick, of Montgomery, Alabama, came to Amarillo on Sunday and will remain in Amarillo so long as his father needs him.

Mrs. W. A. Sedgwick, who is recuperating from a broken lower limb, spent Monday in Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee and Mrs. Cora Donnell, Silvertton, Stanley Sedgwick and his mother, Mrs. Pat Patterson, of Lubbock, were in Amarillo on Monday with the Sedgwick relatives.

Dr. Sedgwick was doing as well as could be expected late Monday and Lt. Col. Sedgwick had not reported any change in his condition on Tuesday.

## H. E. Fowler Is Able To Be Out of Hospital Following Surgery

Charles Quillen, of Portland, and his mother, Mrs. H. E. Fowler, arrived in Silvertton Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Fowler have been in Portland for some time visiting Charles and his family. Mr. Fowler has recently undergone surgery twice in the Osteopathic Hospital in Corpus Christi but is now recuperating in the Quillen home in Portland. He is still in a serious condition but is not bothered with asthma since going to that climate.

Mrs. Fowler fell a few days ago and suffered severe injuries and spent a week in the hospital and is still in pretty bad shape. She says she will be here a few days and then go back to Portland to help care for Mr. Fowler until he is able to be brought home.

## McMurtry's Reported In Good Condition at Methodist Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. John McMurtry, of Muleshoe, were reported in "good condition" early this week by attendants at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

The couple was injured in a two-car collision at the intersection of Highway 84 and Farm Road 303 near Sudan on December 8.

McMurtry suffered a broken leg, knee and hip. His wife, Ida, suffered a broken kneecap and a fractured vertebrae in the accident.

J. B. Wingo, about 70, of Sudan, driver of the second car, was not injured.

McMurtry, about 65, has ranched in the Muleshoe area for many years. He is a brother of A. L. McMurtry, of Silvertton.

Scoutmaster, Rev. James P. Patterson, and a group of scouts attended a swimming party in the pool at WTSC, Canyon, Monday evening. Scouts enjoying the party were Mike Mercer, Jaye Towe, Jerry Martin, Monte Smith, Jimmy and Dickie Reid, Jimmy Smith, James Tennison, Gary Hunt, Travis Gilkeyson, Wayne Nance and Bill Schott.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Woodard, of Hereford, came early Monday morning for a visit with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Porter. Mrs. Woodard reports that her mother, Mrs. M. L. Porter, is doing very well now at her home in Canyon.

Mrs. C. L. McWilliams, Sr., Mrs. Frank Hunt and Gay Walker were in Tulla on Thursday of last week. While there they visited Mrs. Wayne Gerdes and children.

## 4-H Club Boys Attend Annual Christmas Party at Quitaque

Briscoe County 4-H Club Boys that were entered in the Hybrid Grain Sorghum Contest were awarded \$150.00 in prize money at the annual Christmas party held at Quitaque Saturday night. Tooth Acres Seed Farms of Tulla and Mr. Reese McNeil of Spur were the sponsors of the contest. Dr. R. F. McCasland of Tulla and Mr. McNeil were on hand to award the prizes in two divisions.

First place winner in the dryland division was Phil Barefield. He grew 3000 pounds per acre of AMAK R 10 hybrid, and was awarded \$50 dollars for his prize. Second place dryland winner was A. B. Lyles with 2230 pounds per acre and was awarded \$30 dollars for his placing with AMAK R 10. Third place winner was Melvin Cobb with 2210 pounds per acre. His award was \$20 dollars for his placing with RS 610 hybrid.

In the irrigated division, Richard Whitfill won second with 5010 pounds per acre with RS 610 and was awarded \$30 dollars.

Third place irrigated winner was Roy Gene Stephens with 4950 pounds per acre on both AMAK R 12 and RS 610. He was awarded \$20 dollars.

A total of thirteen boys were entered in this contest this year in the irrigated and dryland divisions. The rules required the boys to plant one acre of two hybrids. The choice was between AMAK R 10 and RS 610 for dryland plantings, and between AMAK R 12 and RS 610 for irrigated plantings. Two boys chose Texas 590 as their companion hybrid.

E. J. Hamilton served as demonstration leader for the dryland growers. Other boys in the contest were Lynn and Lee McDonald, Joe Bob Watson, Joe Kitchens, Joe Hamilton, Ernest Reagan, and Riley Harris.

Other guest with the sponsors were Mr. Jim and John Simpson, and Mr. Bob Brown who are all associated with Tooth Acres Seed Farms.

Judging committees were Mr. Hamilton, O. R. Stark Jr., Frank Mercer, Pascal Garrison and Allen Kellum. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Montague and Jene, of Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee attended a piano recital at the Presbyterian church in Memphis Sunday afternoon where Suzzette Smithee, daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smithee, of Memphis, had a part. Mr. and Mrs. Dee Garvin, Gerald and Max spent Sunday in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pede and family.



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Salem's Dry Goods  
Jennings Supply Company  
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### NOTICE

As Mrs. Rogers has relinquished her lease on Hotel, will be under old management. Mrs. Kate Fowler. Same old prices. Due to sickness will be unable to keep dining room open until later. Will be glad to meet the old guests and new ones. Mrs. Kate Fowler. Have some vacant apartments and trailer houses for rent. 51-1tp

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### LIVESTOCK NOTICE

December 3, 1958  
The City Council of the City of Silverton, Texas voted to give the people who own livestock in the zoned area, within the City Limits, until March 1, 1959, to move their livestock out of the zoned area.

ALVIN REDIN, Mayor, Silverton, Texas

### NOTICE

The Dempsey Gin Cafe is now open, 5 miles south of Rock Creek on Lockney highway—open 7 a. m. to 10 p. m., dinners and short orders. R. N. McDaniel, Prop. 50-2tc

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Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Stodghill, Mary and Donna, have recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edd Stodghill and family, in Amarillo, and Pfc. Joe Ray Stodghill, who was enroute to California where he expected to leave soon for service in Hawaii.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold R. Storie, Sharon and Gary, spent last week in Post with Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Storie, Jr. The men's grandmother, Mrs. H. B. Connor, 89, is seriously ill in a hospital there. Harold Storie has been assisting his brother in the operation of a gin and all the relatives are looking after the grandmother.

An effective program on the Christmas story was brought by a group of Lockney MYF at a district meeting of the MYF at the local Methodist Church on Tuesday evening of last week. A group of Floydada MYF were also present. Refreshments were served during the social hour which followed the program.

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Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Tate and Jackie Carol were in Tutia on Sunday; Jackie Carol went for medical attention. She was thought to be taking the measles.

Clyde Lightsey came home from the Plainview hospital on Tuesday of last week; he had been a patient there for several days

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Rev. James P. Patterson, district director of Youth Work, Wendall Patterson, district MYF president, and Bobby Stafford, attended a district MYF council in Olton Sunday afternoon.

Dryden Sinclair, of Weyburn, Saskatchewan, Canada, spoke at the local Church of Christ on Wednesday evening of last week.

STUDENTS CARBON Paper, at J. D. Day, Sat., January 10, 1959 at News Office. Dictionaries at the News Office.

Mrs. H. A. Morris and Mrs. Roy Morris were in Lockney on Saturday; Mrs. H. A. Morris went for a checkup on recent surgery.

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Adult scout leader, John Lott, of Post, was principal speaker at a Nokona Lodge, Order of the Arrow, annual banquet held in Lubbock Saturday evening. Scoutmaster, Rev. James P. Patterson, Mike Mercer, Joe Anderson and Jaye Towe attended the banquet. Mr. Lott spoke on the new explorer program.

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Mr. and Mrs. Glen Allen, of Costa Mesa, California, are spending a visit here with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Burson, and other relatives; they also are visiting relatives in Clarendon and Amarillo.

Mrs. Mae Gilkeyson and Murry Scott, of Lockney, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Yates Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dunnagin left last week for a holiday visit with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Jones, in Electra.

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Mrs. L. C. Yates has been notified of the death of her maternal uncle, Rev. W. A. Comfort, 89, of Jackson, Mississippi, on Saturday, December 6. Rev. Comfort was a retired Baptist Minister and singer. He had been in bad health for a year. Survivors include his wife, 7 sons and 3 daughters. Mrs. Yates was unable to attend the funeral which was held there.

Mrs. D. Oneal and Mrs. W. H. Martin were in Amarillo on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. T. C. Bomar, Mrs. Grady Wimberly and Mr. and Mrs. Don Burson and sons were in Canyon on Sunday. Mrs. T. C. Bomar visited her sister, Mrs. Kitty Lawler, who has recently moved to Canyon from Goodnight. Mrs. Wimberly spent the day with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wimberly. The Don Bursons were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hair and children.

Mrs. J. T. Oneal and Mrs. D. Oneal visited Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Clifton and daughter in Tulia on Saturday.

Rev. Bob Beck, of Quitaque, Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tennison attended a district nine Baptist Church Association in Littlefield on Friday of last week.

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### Century of Progress Study Club Met Dec. 10 With Mrs. Bomar

"Merry Christmas Mr. Banter", was the book reviewed by Mrs. Rufe Jordan when the Century of Progress Study Club met Wednesday, December 10, 1958 in the home of Mrs. C. D. Bomar.

During the business meeting, plans were completed for the Christmas Food Bazaar which was held Saturday, December 13, 1958. The Christmas social was discussed. Refreshments were served by Mrs. E. A. Birdwell and Mrs. Bomar to the following: Mesdames James Davis, Garland Francis, L. D. Griffin, Gene Grundy, Robert Ledbetter, George Long, Wayne McMurtry.

Mrs. R. L. Campbell, who broke her hip some time ago at the home of her daughter, Miss Roberta Campbell, near Hereford, has written her sister, Mrs. T. L. Anderson, that she is recuperating satisfactorily and has recently been for a visit with another sister at Garard and with another daughter, Mrs. Glen Burnett, in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mercer returned home on Saturday after a visit with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Holt and Pat, at Grand Prairie. Frank Mercer went to Grand Prairie and drove his parent's car home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Gregg were weekend guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Belling, in Lockney.

Mrs. Lem Weaver, who spent a few days last week in the Tulia Hospital, was taken back to the hospital on Monday with an infected arm. It was reported that she would be there a day or two for treatment.

Mrs. Wiley Bomar, Sr. returned home on Thursday of last week after a three weeks visit with relatives in Colorado. She was a guest of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Massey, in Delta, and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Massey, in Grand Junction.

Mrs. A. A. James, Mrs. W. W. Reid and Mrs. P. H. McKenney were in Floydada Sunday afternoon where they visited L. A. McCracken and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie King and family. Mesdames James and Reid are sisters to Mr. McCracken who has been quite ill.

Robert Haley Hill, C. L. Dunn and Carley Monroe, students at WTSC, Canyon, spent the week end here with home folks.

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### SOME FISH STORY

According to a story in the December 6 issue of the Hilo Tribune-Herald, published in Hilo, Hawaii, the Burson brothers, Troy, from Silverton, and Bland, from Channing, got themselves a 150 pound marlin off the village of Kona the other day. They are due home in a couple of days with pictures of the event and we hope they'll let us have one for the paper. (Amarillo Daily News.)

### THE BUSY BEES GET TOGETHER

The Busy Bees met at Mrs. Obra Watson's home on Thursday, December 11, 1958. Mrs. Watson showed us how to make candles which was very interesting. Later we decorated cookies and all had a wonderful time. Our next meeting will be in January.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Thompson and LaGuan visited his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Thorne and Mr. and Mrs. Homer McKay in Lubbock Saturday. Saturday night and Sunday they were guests of Mrs. Thompson's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arvon Davis of Midland.

Mrs. Bertha Burson, of Childress, who has been staying here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Watson for several weeks, has been a patient in the Tulia Hospital for several days. Mrs. Burson, the former Bertha Hill, is a sister to Messrs. Jesse, Robert and Bailey Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith, of Wellington, spent Saturday night here with her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mack Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hamilton have recently moved back to their home in town from the farm where they have lived for the past two years. Mr. and Mrs. Carol D. Davis and Alex, of Hart, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley, and Connie on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williamson were in Tulia on Friday; he went for a checkup on recent surgery and was advised that he was recuperating satisfactorily.

Mrs. Rex Dickerson took her mother to Tulia on Thursday of last week for a checkup; she was advised that she was doing fine following a severe heart attack a few weeks ago. Mrs. Hill says she has not got rested yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mercer spent Tuesday night and Wednesday of last week in Lubbock.

Roy Morris was in Lubbock on Thursday of last week for a checkup on his leg which was broken several months ago; the pin has slipped and Roy is to undergo further surgery at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leldon Gilkeyson and daughters, of Roswell, New Mexico, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gilkeyson, and brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gilkeyson and Travis.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gilkeyson, of Dallas, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Turner; Elmer also visited his brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gilkeyson and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gilkeyson.

Mrs. True Burson has spent several days recently in Amarillo with her daughter, Mrs. Betty Penn, and Karen.

Mrs. Lem Weaver spent a few days last week in the Tulia hospital. She came home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Porter spent Thursday night and Friday in Claude with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Porter and Cynthia. Mrs. John R. Porter underwent surgery in the Northwest Texas Hospital on Friday and is thought to be doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McJimsey and Todd moved to their new home on South Braidfoot Street from their farm home last week. The house, of wood construction, was moved in from Lubbock several days ago.

Mrs. K. M. Fleming and daughter, Mrs. Doodle Zachry, and Ken Stuart went to Byers on Monday to visit relatives until Wednesday. They planned to visit Mrs. Josie Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cocanower.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn spent the week end in Wichita Falls, having been called there on account of the illness of their son, Travis. They were notified Wednesday that he was quite sick, and would probably have to undergo surgery, but they were advised while there that he had ulcers of the stomach, and that surgery would not be necessary since he was responding to the treatment.

Mrs. Kenneth Bean, Mrs. Philip Smitherman, of South Plains, and Mrs. J. K. Bean were in Lubbock on Monday.

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Mrs. J. T. Neese left early last week for Strathmore, California, for an indefinite visit with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Neese. Mr. and Mrs. John Neese, of Amarillo, came for his mother and took her to Amarillo where she entrained for California.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Bomar, Jr. were in Amarillo on Monday.

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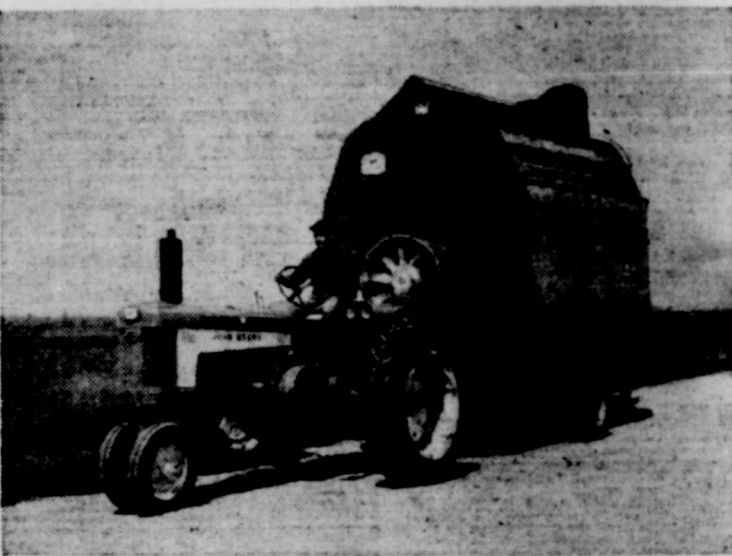
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# Merry Christmas to All...





By Patricia McCune

"MARTHA, it isn't everyone we'd trust to stay with the boys," dark-eyed Lillian said as she and Joe left Friday noon for the mountains.

"Don't worry about a thing," Martha Drake smiled. "Merry Christmas."

Although Martha had given a weekend with Davey and the twins as a Christmas present to Lillian and Joe Johnson, she knew they were giving her the weekend, too.

Martha hoped that in the Johnsons' cozy home, lanky Roger Burton would see her less as an efficient secretary and more as the girl he wanted to marry.

That night, as the three blond boys slept soundly, Martha and Roger soaked up the homey atmosphere and soft music. By one o'clock Roger had left and Martha was in bed, but it was still dark when a small hand softly caressed her cheek.

"Mr. Sun is up," Davey whispered. "Where's Daddy?"

"Davey, your daddy and mother have gone to the mountains for a few days, you remember. And Mr. Sun is not up. It's dark, Davey. Get back into bed."

"I'll get in with you," Davey decided, climbing over her still un-rested body.

With the first graying at the window, Davey's hands gently touched her cheeks again. "Mr. Sun is up," he announced.

"Davey, give me another half hour to sleep, please. Aunt Martha's really tired."

But it was only a moment before brown-eyed Johnny was pulling at her from the other side.

Martha realized that her morning had begun. Mr. Sun was up.

Davey gulped breakfast and flew outside to the mud almost immediately, but it was mid-morning before Johnny and Joey were back in bed.

Now to see what Davey's doing. Martha thought, hurrying to the back. As Martha stepped outside, the door caught with a sickening click behind her.

Ten minutes later, Roger sauntered up the front walk in time to see her disappear through the window she had frantically broken to get in.

Some weekend this was going to be. Why did Roger have to see her climbing in the window? "Well, I'll have a wonderful dinner, with juicy, rare steaks that Roger loves and he'll forget all about the silly business of being locked out," she told herself.

Dinner Burned But that night, just as Martha was ready to remove the steaks from the broiler, Davey crept into the kitchen. "Johnny isn't in bed any more," Davey announced. "He's gone."

"Gone?" Martha repeated, racing to the boys' room. "Johnny's gone!" Martha cried and then saw him on Roger's arm like a sack of flour. Relief surged through her, but momentarily, as the burning smell sizzled in from the kitchen.

Sunday showed early promise of being a better day, even though Davey was up with Mr. Sun as usual. It was the laundry that broke the spell—Davey's muddy corduroys, crib sheets, pants, shirts, sleepers, diapers.

"It's no Christmas present to come home to all this," Martha sighed. "I guess I'll just do a load or two as soon as Johnny and Joey are napping."

The washing machine was humming through its third load when Roger arrived, but the third load was just too much. In sudden revolt, with a devastating noise, the machine ground to a halt and quickly overflowed. Johnny and Joey screamed and only Roger kept the soapy water from flooding the house.

"Some weekend," Martha lamented later. "Did Lillian say I was dependable? First I locked myself out and then ruined our dinner. Now I've wrecked the machinery."

With his warm eyes glowing with love, Roger took her hand. "It isn't what happened that counts. It's what you do about it. You always thought of the children first. I like that. Tomorrow after work, let's go Christmas shopping. Now I know what I want to give you."

Mrs. Charles Whitfill was in Plainview on Thursday.

Gerald Arnold was in Plainview on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mercer were in Lubbock visiting friends Wednesday afternoon and night.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Womack and children, of Lakewood, Colorado, spent Sunday night here with her mother, Mrs. J. H. May, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stephens, Philip and Becky went to Dalhart on Friday for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Ritchey.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Thornton and daughter, Mrs. Bill Kennedy, and Greg were in Lubbock on Friday; they visited Mrs. Ray Teeple who was a patient in Methodist Hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Vincent, of Stratford, spent Saturday here with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Thornton and Mrs. Bill Kennedy and Greg.

J. W. Byrd, of Happy, visited his sister, Mrs. J. W. McCracken Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McCutchen, Joy Ann and Richard were in Amarillo on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strange and Donald Dee West and Mr. and Mrs. George Long, Nancy and Nicky were in Amarillo Monday evening.

### Bayberry Candles Have Long Been Part Of Tradition

To learn your luck for the year they say, Burn a bayberry dip on Christmas day.

If the flame burns bright and the light shines clear, Good luck will be yours throughout the year.

This old verse repeats the tradition from the early years of our country that burning a bayberry candle on Christmas eve would insure one of a long and happy life.

The settlers of our country found that the bayberry gave off a wax that would make fine candles. Since animal fats were important as food and for other uses, it was the bayberry candle that was used as much as possible. It was usually the task of the children to gather the berries.

Candles have always been associated with Christmas and many legends give them a place in the observance of this holiday.

In Ireland, for instance, on Christmas Eve a large candle was burned which could be snuffed out only by one named Mary.

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By Shirley Sargent

"JUST because we live ninety-seven thousand miles from civilization," Betty Abernathy said heatedly, "is no reason we can't have modern conveniences."

Jim Abernathy, who was as stolid as his wife was slight and enduring as she was excitable, placed a record on the turntable before answering mildly. "Darling, we have electricity, running water, and Poverty Flat is only twenty miles away."

"Oh, I hate logical men!" Betty looked out the window of their mountain home at the far flung snow-covered peaks. "Here's Christmas coming and I bet you haven't an idea in your head."

Jim tamped his pipe slowly. "Betty, before I brought you here, I warned you that the adjustment from city life would be difficult and promised to make things as easy as possible. I hope to have TV in by Christmas day."

"Oh, Jim you are a darling. But how?"

"Leave it to me," he felt less confident than he sounded. "Do you realize that neither of the Cullens have ever seen a set outside of magazines?"



"You'll have a good picture here," the expert decreed, "but your set will have to be up here."

"Heavens, that's right. They've been here since Nathan retired ten years ago."

Community Present "Yes, and ten years back TV was still in its infancy."

"Heavens," Betty repeated. "Jim."

Let's make it a community Christmas present. Think how they'll enjoy it."

Jim drove the twenty miles to town in their fire engine red jeep with frequency in the ensuing weeks. Getting reception at 5,200 feet was a real problem. At the cabin, they could have sound, but no picture. Nathan Cullen and he scouted a nearby ridge with the TV man from Poverty Flat.

"You'll have a good picture here," the expert decreed, "but your set will have to be up here."

"Here?" Jim glanced at the encircling pine trees with dismay. "What about snow?"

Nathan, a giant of a man even in his seventies, answered briefly. "Put up a tent with a woodstove in it. Effie's keen on seeing TV for Christmas. Puts me in mind of a child."

It took the men two days to erect a satisfactory antenna on the often windswept ridge and another day to set up a "Theater" as Nathan called their tent.

Christmas night, they all poured out of the jeep into the already heated tent where the TV set reposed in walnut splendor.

"My," said Effie excitedly, when the test pattern flickered on the screen. "That's a new game to me. Not much like checkers."

Nathan and Effie leaned forward, never taking their eyes from the big twenty-one inch screen. Even the commercials enthralled Effie.

More Fun Than TV Effie cried watching one Christmas drama. "My, those poor people have so many troubles. It must come of living in cities. Poor things."

When Jim came back from stoking the fire, Betty whispered to him. "She's more fun than the TV."

A second play, a spectacular, was so entrancing that they were reluctant to turn off the set. When they trooped out to the jeep, they discovered four inches of fresh snow. Jim dropped the enthusiastic Cullens in front of their redwood board and batten home.

"You certainly gave us a Christmas present," Nathan said.

"My, yes," Effie said, "now we've seen that life can be beautiful."

Once in their own home, Betty exploded. "Did you hear that silly Effie? Our life is beautiful. We didn't need TV to know that, though I couldn't help thinking that we're pretty lucky. Jim. Peace, simplicity, freedom—why, we have all that and more."

"If TV made you feel that way," Jim said, taking her in his arms, "I'll take you up to the 'Theatre' once a week just so you'll keep that Christmas spirit throughout the year."

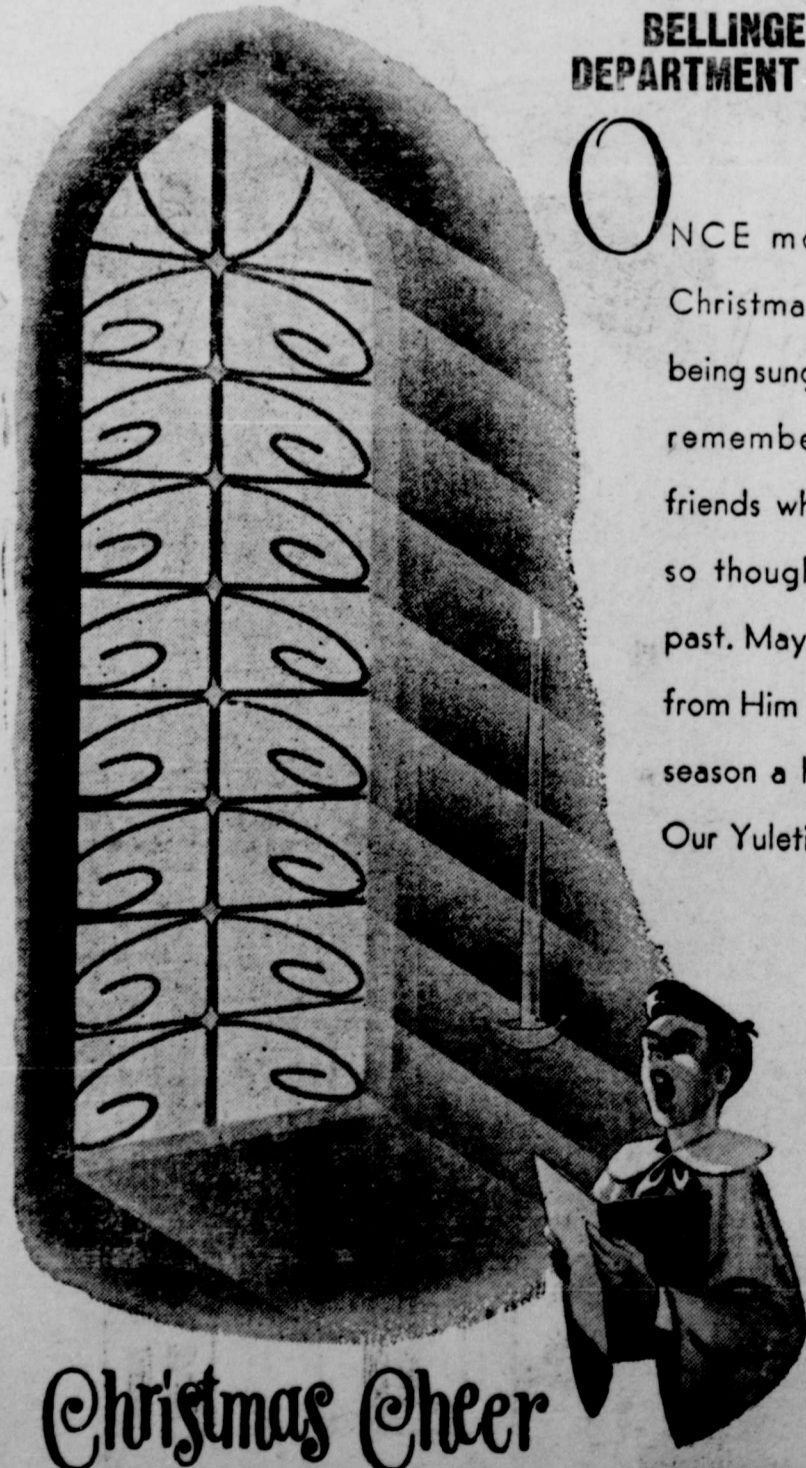
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