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## Student Strike Closes College At Canyon

Canyon—The 250 students left on the West Texas State College campus Monday morning met in secret session to consider further action in the campus strike now in its fourth day.

No report of action taken in the meeting was forthcoming immediately following the meeting but persons on the campus said the students, most of them veterans who live in Canyon, were anxious to end the strike because of the possibility of subsistence checks from the veterans administration being cut off if the students fail to attend classes.

The college was closed Saturday by the board of regents after the 1241 students had gone on strike to enforce their demands for the resignation of college business manager Virgil Henson. Most of the students had left the campus before or shortly after the college operated eating facilities were closed Sunday. About 900 students had been eating in such facilities.

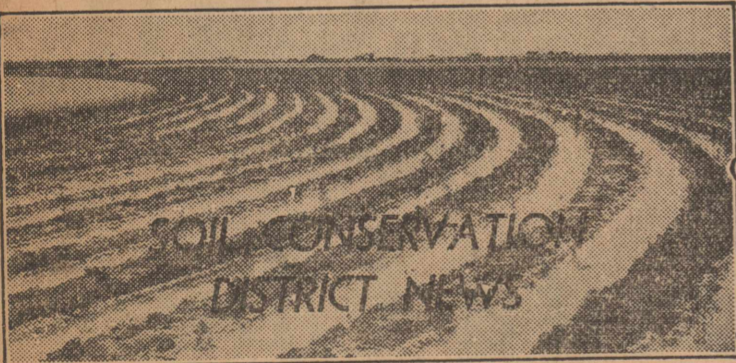
In addition to the closing of all buildings on the Canyon campus, work at Amarillo Center was also suspended. Dr. A. J. Hill, college president, in a written statement to the center officials declared:

"Much as I regret to make this announcement, it has become necessary to suspend work at Amarillo Center until further orders from the Board of Regents are received. While you are in no way responsible for the conditions that make this necessary, we urge your cooperation and patience pending the re-opening of the institution. Scholastic credit will not be impaired by this action."

Wednesday's Amarillo News-Globe reported as follows:

Whether West Texas State College will be reopened at the close of the Christmas holidays, originally scheduled to begin Dec. 20 and end Jan. 2, last night appeared dependent upon whether the Board of Regents would accept the action of the Student Senate and Veterans Executive Committee in calling off the five-day-old student strike.

Decision to end the strike was announced Tuesday afternoon after meeting of the Veterans Executive Committee and the Student Senate.



The Board of Supervisors of the Cap Rock Soil Conservation District met in regular meeting on Friday, Dec. 13, with the following members present: Earl I. Cantwell, chairman; Bray Cook, Pierce White and Obra Watson.

Applications for soil conservation work were approved for Vinson Smith 320 acres; Lester Monk 63 acres; Abbie Hawkins 160 acres; and Tom Pierce 160 acres.

Cooperative agreements were approved for the following farmers and ranchers: R. L. Mullins, E. M. Bass, J. R. Stroup, W. A. Graham, and L. J. Bedwell Estate.

Two disc terracers will be purchased by the supervisors of the Cap Rock Soil Conservation District for the use of cooperatives in building and maintaining terraces.

These terracers can be used with Farmall Model H and Model M, John Deere and Allis-Chalmers tractors. These terracers should be available by the end of the month and cooperators desiring to use these machines should contact their respective group leaders, or in the case of cooperators not having group leaders contact Pierce White, Quitaque. There will be a nominal maintenance fee charged for the use of these machines.

Earl I. Cantwell, chairman of the board of supervisors of the Cap Rock Soil Conservation District, attended the state-wide meeting for soil conservation supervisors,

## Girls Scouts Send Box Overseas

The Girl Scouts met Saturday afternoon in the home of their leader Mrs. J. T. Persons and packed a box of gifts to send overseas. They also planned their Christmas party to be held Saturday, Dec. 21, at the Legion Hall, beginning at 3 o'clock. They drew names for exchange of gifts and are expecting to have a big time.

The box the girls mailed overseas contained school supplies in Christmas wrappings, such as pens and pencils, note books, crayolas, etc. The box went to the Girl Guides of Greece and they will distribute it to the needy. It was addressed to 7 Kolokatroni, Athens, Greece, attn. Mrs. Dora T. Lykirodopulo. They are anticipating a nice letter from Greece and will let you know what those girls have to say about their Christmas box.

Mrs. Persons is greatly in need of help with this fine group of girls. They are enthusiastic about the work and are making nice progress. But they must have leadership and they need a small fund to defray expenses and carry on the work. Contribution of a small amount of money will be greatly appreciated and will take care of the small expense of operating. The Girl Scouts are no exception to the general rule that when there is group activity or organization, some small expenses will crop up, so please remember this and occasionally make a contribution to this worthwhile program for young people.

Mrs. Persons needs personal assistance also. Planning and meeting every week with a group of lively youngsters and keeping them occupied in constructive work, is a big job. If you have an hour to lend to the work, tell Mrs. Persons, she will be grateful for your presence.

Mrs. J. H. Simmons returned Saturday from a three week's visit in Barger. Miss Mary Simmons who went to Bakersfield, Cal. several weeks ago, has been in the hospital there again, but is improving, her mother reported.

Friends from Quitaque who attended the last rites at Tulla Sunday for George Childress were Miss Minnie Mae Roberson, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Badgett.

in Austin, this week.

Datis Martin, a cooperator in the Rock Creek Conservation Group, is making plans to seed forty acres of Weeping Love Grass on his farm.

Early to rise, has been the motto of Tony Burson for the past few weeks as he has started mequite eradication on his ranch land, using a D-7 crawler type tractor with a modified dozer attachment for tearing the mesquite and cedar from the ground. He is also using this same tractor with a regular bulldozer attachment and a carry-all for constructing stock water dams and farm roads over his ranch.

"Water is where you find it, but proper distribution is something else," says Wylie Bomar of Silverton, who, with aid from Soil Conservation Service technicians, has started laying out an irrigation system on his farm.

Bray Cook thinks the time to build terraces on sloping land is now, and the equipment that can be successfully used is most any kind on the farm. He is completing construction of 18 miles of terraces for this year, and in the process of building has used a disc terracer on a John Deere farm tractor, a two-bottom mold board plow, a harrow and a freso.

## EVERYDAY RELIGION

### DOES GOD LIKE US?

By E. B. Thompson

It was said of David that he was a "man after God's own heart." Of Jesus we have the word, "The child grew—in favor with God—." At His baptism the manifestation was, "This is my beloved Son in whom I am well pleased," and He once said "I do always the thing that pleases my heavenly Father."

It is natural for us to want people to like us. Any pretense to the contrary is not normal. This would be an ugly world indeed if we didn't care what people think of us. But there is another matter that needs stressing, what does God think of us? Of course, God is love, and He loves us, but does He LIKE us? Are we attractive to God? Are our lives well-pleasing in His sight?

What kind of people does God like—? He speaks for Himself in divine scripture. He likes sincere people. Jesus had much to say about people who were insincere. He was patient and kind to confessed sinners—but he was HARD on people who would not confess! God likes whole-hearted people. The only reference to the emotion of disgust on God's part is the word in Revelation about a half-hearted church. "I would that you were cold or hot. Because you are neither cold nor hot, but lukewarm I am about to spew you out of my mouth!" God is disgusted with half-hearted people! Then, God likes faithful people. "Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give you a crown of life."

In the words of Roy Rogers, in closing his Saturday Night Radio Program—which some people might say is a far cry from scripture—"May the Good Lord take a likin' to you!"

### SCHOOL PROGRAM FRIDAY

The public is invited to attend the grade school program which will be given Friday afternoon at 12:40 in the school auditorium. The program will be presented by students of the first, second and third grades. Numbers on the program are as follows:

Rhythm Band, "Santa's Sleigh-bells"; "Santa Claus Is Coming to Town."

Playlets by characters from first, second and third grades, "A Toy Shop Mixup."

Song, "The Christmas Party," third grade students.

Reading "Mrs. Santa's Advice," Rochelle Craig.

Vocal solo, Nancy Smith.

Following the program in the auditorium the pupils will return to their rooms for their trees. Anyone who wishes is invited to attend the individual room trees in which they are interested.

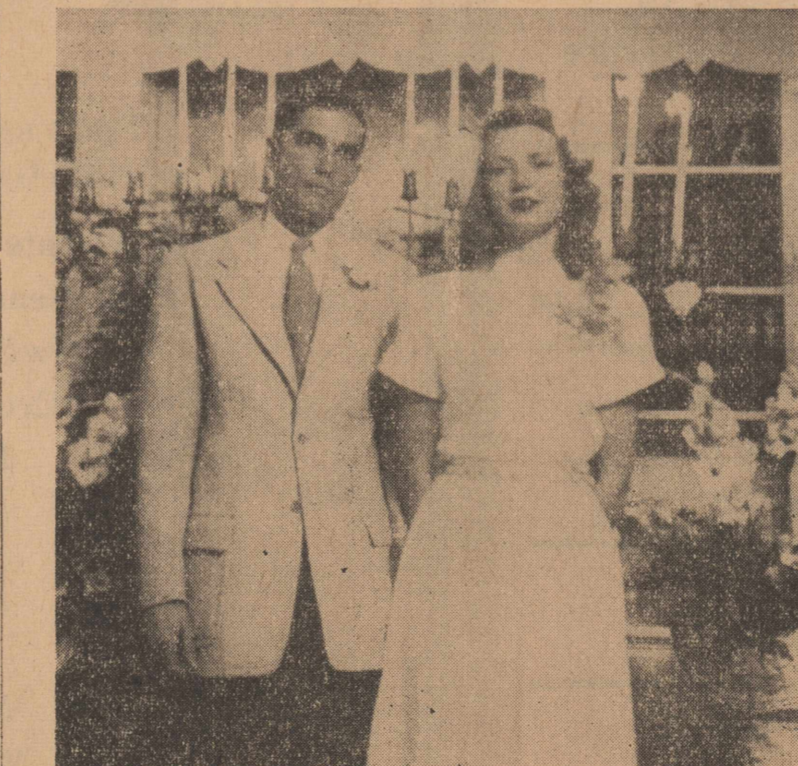
A daughter was born Wednesday Dec. 11, at the Plainview sanitarium to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Reynolds. The little girl was named Margaret Diane. She and her other are getting along nicely and came home Sunday from the hospital.

### SERIOUSLY INJURED

Word was received by relatives here this week of serious injuries received by Mrs. Carrie Muckelrane in an automobile accident. Mrs. Muckelrane's home is in Los Angeles, Cal. She received the injuries Saturday when she was crushed between two cars while trying to help her husband start their stalled car by pushing it from the rear. Full particulars of the accident were not learned but relatives were advised that her condition was serious.

Mrs. Muckelrane formerly lived in this community. Before her marriage she was Miss Carrie Hodges, and she is a sister of H. H. Hodges of Flomot. She is the mother of five children, all of whom were with her except one daughter, Mrs. Hazel Couch of Plainview who left Monday for her mother's side.

Mr. and Mrs. Mort Hawkins were in Lamesa this week helping her father Lockett Payne get his household in order following the death last week of Mrs. Payne. The youngest son Bobby will return to Quitaque with Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins to make his home with them.



MR. AND MRS. JAMES K. POWELL

A bridal shower complimenting Mrs. James K. Powell, nee, Miss Barbara Jo Persons, was given Monday afternoon in the home of Mr. E. W. Tibbetts. Hostesses were Mrs. Tibbetts, Mrs. Orlin Stark, Misses Minnie Mae Roberson, Bilye Tibbett, Edna Murray Tiffin and Margaret Hamilton.

The pretty home was beautifully decorated for the occasion, with Christmas ornaments, a tree, seasonal flowers, miniature Santas, etc. Miss Tiffin, with the honoree

## Abe Vinyard Dies Of Heart Attack

Friends and relatives all over this area were grievously shocked Monday night, Dec. 16, when word was received that Abe Vinyard of Turkey had died suddenly of a heart attack at 9:30 o'clock at a Matador hospital.

Mr. Vinyard had suffered a broken hip Monday, Dec. 9, at his farm home when he became entangled in the rope after roping a cow. He was receiving treatment at the Stanley Clinic at Matador and was reported doing splendidly until the fatal heart attack came on unexpectedly. Mrs. Vinyard had been at his bedside but his condition was so much improved that she had returned home and expected to return Mr. Vinyard to his home within a few days.

Last rites were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the Quitaque school auditorium with interment in the Quitaque cemetery under direction of Stewart Funeral Home. The services were conducted by Rev. C. W. Parmenter, Methodist pastor at Turkey, assisted by Rev. E. B. Thompson, Methodist pastor at Quitaque.

Surviving are his wife, one son Wren Vinyard of Lubbock; three sisters, Mrs. George Wilson of Amarillo, Mrs. R. L. Hight of Grand Prairie, Mrs. B. F. Moore of Duncanville; three brothers, W. W. of Farwell, E. D. and C. O. of Duncanville, and one grandchild. All were present for the last rites.

Abe Vinyard was born February 7, 1883 in Dallas County, Texas, and passed away Dec. 16, 1946, at the age of 63 years, 10 months and seven days. He was married to Miss Mittie Miller in Gainesville, Texas on October 14, 1919.

He had been a railroad man all of his active life until his retirement in the spring of 1945, most of which time was spent with the Fort Worth & Denver City railway. He was cashier and telegraph operator for the line at Estelline for several years, going from there to Hedley where he became depot agent.

He left Hedley and came to Quitaque as agent in 1932. In January, 1938, a vacancy occurred at Turkey upon retirement of D. Armstrong and Mr. Vinyard moved over to that job where he remained until his retirement last year under the railroad's plan for length of service.

Abe joined the Methodist church when he was a small boy of 10 years, and remained a faithful and loyal member throughout his lifetime. He was known and loved by most of the folks all over this area of west Texas, who are saddened by his untimely passing.

### CARELESS HUNTERS

Hunters shot and killed a calf last week on J. C. Hamilton's place. It is carelessness of this kind which forces so many to post their land to hunters. Mr. Hamilton lost another animal recently when someone shot the lock off a pasture gate, letting the stock get out of the pasture and eat a poison weed which killed a good cow.

### BADLY BURNED

Mrs. Odell Setliff was badly burned Wednesday evening when she overturned a pan of hot grease which spilled on her. She received burns from above the waist, down the legs to the ankles. The burns though very painful were not deep and did not necessitate hospitalization. She was reported doing very well Thursday morning.

Three young men from Decatur came up in a plane last week to quail hunt. Dennis Keith and G. E. LeMay, cousins of N. B. Herrington, were accompanied by Dick Rainey. They made the trip in a BT-15, last Thursday, the heavy mist giving them a bit of trouble in finding their destination, and landing. They finally came down on the Graham wheat pasture west of town, after searching in vain for the landing field at Turkey. They took off Saturday, to return home, with a rather short bag.

Mrs. George Pepper who underwent a major operation several weeks ago, suffered a relapse Thursday, and was taken to the Stanley clinic at Matador.

## Quitaque Girls Win Basketball Tournament

The Panthers came home from the Matador tournament last week end with two trophies and three basketballs. The girls won first place at the tourney.

The girls played their first game on Thursday night with Spur. It was a hard game and they had to put out all they had to win but the final score was 27-23. Adkins was high point man. The second game was Friday night with Paton Springs, and this was not as hard a battle as the first encounter, ending with the score 35-15. Adkins again was high point man.

The final game that won first place was with Matador. The score was 24-14. All the girls were outstanding throughout the tournament. Two of them made the all-tournament team—Rinky Holcomb for being an outstanding guard, and Betty Adkins for her work as forward. Betty scored more points than any other player who attended the tournament—including the boys squads also.

The boys won first in consolation, winning two games and losing one. They played their first game Thursday night at 8 o'clock, losing to Spur by a score of 26 to 21 points. After losing this game they were in consolation and played Matador B team, winning 41-48.

The Turks were their next opponents and they won over them 26-14. This game put them first place in consolation.

All the boys did some swell playing and showed loyalty to their team. Bogan was high point man in the Spur game and Grundy was high point man in the other two.

For winning first place in consolation the boys were awarded a trophy. An all-tournament team of boys was also elected. We're proud of Grundy as he was the only member of our boys team who made it. He was given a silver basketball as an award.

Quitaque should be very proud of both the girls and the boys basketball teams as they are making quite a mark in this years season.

The girls are scheduled to play the Lakeview girls at Lakeview Friday evening.

The Panthers met the Turks at Turkey, Tuesday evening, playing two games, both A and B team boys.

The B team boys won their match 23 to 20, Secats Lewis being high point man.

The A team boys won with a wide margin of 31 to 18. All the team did some swell playing. Grundy being high point man.

Wednesday was a very thrilling day at THS for the football boys and basketball girls, because they were measured for, and ordered jackets. The jackets are very attractive—just wait until you see them.

Boys getting jackets are Bogan, Grundy, Poss Hamilton, Proff Patrick, Herman Graham, Dean Purcell, Lob Hamilton, Whiz Patrick, and Secats Lewis.

The girls getting jackets are Adkins, Owens, Hutcheson, Rinky Holcomb, Starks, Morris, Sue Barrett, Crabtree, Alpha McFall, Melba Woods, Othelia Woodruff.

### QUEEN TO SHOW EVERY NIGHT NEXT WEEK

There will be a show every night next week at the Queen theatre, including a Tuesday and Wednesday show. Check the regular theatre ad in this issue, to see what is showing.

Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Ham and Bobby Jack and Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Rumph were in Dallas last week on business pertaining to the Queen theatre. Mr. and Mrs. Ham, new owners of the movie house, are planning quite a few improvements, and have been scouting around, with Mr. and Mrs. Rumph assisting them, searching for available material to carry out their plans.

New sound-proof rugs have been laid in the aisles and the lobby of the theatre, the large electric sign has been freshly painted and repaired and a steel frame has been erected for display signs. Other improvements will be forthcoming (including new seats) when they can be secured, Mrs. Ham stated.

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**LOCAL BRIEFS**

Bill Ebbs was here from Lockney visiting friends over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Stark and Mrs. E. G. Rice drove to Tulia for a visit Sunday.

Billy Joe Sachse, who is attending WTS at Canyon, is home for the holidays.

Glenn Edward Lewis who is attending Tech was home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Brown Hutchison and Ray Gene of Amarillo were here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lindsey visited Sunday with his parents at Wellington.

Mrs. Eugene Gitson, Mrs. Clara Everhart and Bob Hyman visited

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"The thing generally raised on city land is taxes"

DECEMBER

- 24—Treaty of Ghent signed, 1814.
- 25—Christmas Day.
- 26—Washington captures Hessians at Trenton, 1776.
- 27—Earthquakes take 50,000 lives in Turkey, 1939.
- 28—U. S. takes over control of railroads, 1917.
- 29—Congress votes Philippine Independence, 1932.
- 30—Sun Yat sen elected first president of China, 1911.
- 31—Ellis Island opened as Immigration Depot, 1890.

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Mrs. E. S. Milton and family at Hedley Wednesday.

**NOTICE TO QUAIL HUNTERS**—My place is posted, Please stay out. J. C. (Juriel) Hamilton. 48-1

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bedwell and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Setliff shopped in Plainview one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Bogan and daughter Carolyn are expected to arrive today from Denton to spend the holidays with their parents.

Mrs. Victor Hall is in Corpus Christi, with her son Lt. Polk Hall and wife and their new son who arrived December 8.

Miss Virginia May was here Tuesday from Silvertown visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd May.

**FOR SALE**—Brand new Bendix Washer. See Mrs. Gladys Wise at the First National Bank. 48-2

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Hadaway of Turkey spent Sunday here with his mother Mrs. J. W. Hadaway and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Clifton of Benson, Okla., spent Friday here with Mrs. Clifton's sister Mrs. Frank Gillespie and family.

Students home from college for the holidays include Glen Lewis O. R. Stark, Graves Mayfield, Billy Frank Rhoderick and Wanda Thompson, all from Tech.

Miss Othelia Woodruff became

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**BURGESS PHARMACY**

suddenly ill while at school Monday and was taken to her home by Supt. McAdams. She is still not able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. Hood Wise and children left the first of the week for Morton to make their home. They have bought a farm near there.

Rev. and Mrs. Carl A. Smith and daughter of Hamlin were here this week visiting in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith and with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Womack spent Saturday night and Sunday in Lubbock with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith.

Mrs. Charlie Gamble and son

Jerry Dean of Amarillo were here last week visiting relatives, including her aunt and cousins from California who are visiting here.

Roy Burgess drove to Childress Thursday to meet his brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn Burgess who are coming from Weatherford, Okla., to spend the holidays here with relatives.

**WANTED**—Young lady, high school graduate, train in clinical laboratory. Room and board furnished. Contact Mr. Mattos, Plainview Sanitarium & Clinic, Plainview, Texas. 47-2c

Mrs. N. P. Thompson of Coose Bay, Ore., is the recipient of a nice Christmas gift in the form of a year's subscription to the Quitaque Post, which is being sent her by her sister Mrs. Edgar Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tannahill and daughters of McLean were here Sunday to visit his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tannahill and their new daughter Toni.

**FOR SALE**—1937 model Farmall F-14 tractor; 2-row equipment, power lift; one 11-A John Deere combine.—Lawrence McCain, Silvertown. 47-2

Mr. and Mrs. Bungy Rhoderick went to Morton the first of the week. They are moving soon to Morton where they have bought a farm and are building a new home there.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank our many friends who helped us out in so many ways when Tommy got lost last Thursday night. May God's richest blessings be bestowed upon each of you.

The Gilbert Families.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We want to thank our friends for the many kind deeds, the words of consolation and sympathy, the hospitality of those who opened their homes to our need, and the beautiful flowers received during the illness and passing of our loved one. We ask God's blessing upon each of you.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rhoderick were in Plainview Saturday finishing up their Christmas shopping and visiting with relatives.

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<b>COSTUME JEWELRY</b>	<b>TIES</b> 1.00 to 2.50
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### LOCALS

Miss Evelyn Cain arrived home for the holidays Wednesday night from Denton where she is a student at NTSC. Venoi Cain and Olin Patrick, also students at the college, are expected to arrive today, Thursday, coming with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Bogan and Carolyn. **FOR SALE OR LEASE**—Good improved stock farm; will lease for \$500.00 per year, or will sell cheap at \$27.00 per acre.—Contact Mrs. L. A. Merrell at 3702 S. Polk, Amarillo, or phone 29366, Amarillo. 47-2  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rhoderick, Jr. have bought the place from Dellis Hooks, west of the school which was the former Venus Gillespie home and will move to town this week. Mr. and Mrs. Herrington who had been living there have moved

into Mrs. Kell's house. Mrs. N. J. Stinnett came in this week from her home in California and will spend the Christmas holidays here with her daughter Mrs. Ira Graham and family, unless she is called to Sweetwater to be with a brother who is ill.

### Christmas Program At Baptist Church Dec 22

The Christmas program at the Baptist church will be presented Sunday night, Dec. 22, and will begin about 7:15 o'clock. Several numbers will be given, followed by a Christmas play. The program follows:  
Quiet music "Silent Night", piano duet, Patsy Stark and Mrs. C. E. Bedwell.



# City Grocery

BERT GRUNDY

Shop For Your Christmas Gifts at Your Grocery Store



## Miscellaneous Items

WINDEX  
O'CEDAR PRODUCTS  
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JOHNSONS PRODUCTS  
ZERO CLEANER  
O'CEDAR MOPS  
BROOMS  
WET MOPS  
WHISK BROOMS  
DUST PANS  
MOUSE TRAPS  
CHORE GIRLS  
LIGHT BULBS  
STOVE WICKS  
PAPER TOWELS  
PAPER PLATES  
PAPER CUPS  
RAT POISON  
POULTRY COMPOUND  
HOG COMPOUND  
AXLE GREASE  
NIL  
CLEANING FLUID  
LIGHTER FLUID  
MINERAL OIL  
HAIR OIL  
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PABLUM

## HOLIDAY SPECIALS

TOMATO SOUP (Campbells) 5 cans 55c  
Sweet Potatoes, syrup pck, No 2 1/2 can 25c  
PEACHES (heavy syrup) No 2 1/2 can 30c  
FRUIT COCKTAIL, No. 2 1/2 can 40c  
CORN, white cream style No. 2 can 15c  
SPINACH, Hearts Delight, No 2 can, 2 for 35c  
PAPER PLATES, doz. 15c  
Tavern Furn. Polish, cream gloss, pt 43c  
CATSUP, any brand, 14-oz. bottle 25c  
PEANUT BUTTER, pt. jar 25c  
Grapefruit Juice, 24 No. 2 cans 2.40  
Spuds, nice ones, 100-lb sack 2.25

## Don't Forget To Look For These Christmas Regulars

SWEET POTATOES  
PUMPKINS  
MINCE MEAT  
SPICES  
EXTRACTS  
NUTS  
DATES  
SALAD DRESSING  
CATSUP  
CHILI SAUCE  
MEAT SAUCE

**Marvene**  
Soapless Suds  
Regular 50c Package  
45c

**Sugar Cure**  
Carey or Figaro  
10-lb Cans  
75c

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1 Dexter Washing Machine  
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20% Egg Mash 4.25  
18% Egg Mash 4.00

### FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Celery, nice and crisp, stalk 15c  
Lettuce, firm heads 10c  
Bell Peppers, lb 15c  
Ruby Red Grapefruit, each 5c  
Cranberries, lb 35c

### MARKET

Velveta Cheese, 2-lb box 95c  
Loin & T-Bone Steak lb 50c  
Chuck Roast lb 40c  
Pork Roast (shoulder) lb 45c  
Oleomargarine lb 40c

## Your War Surplus Store Offers These Specials For Friday and Saturday

### ARMY BLANKETS

100% Wool, new, limited quantity 4.50

### USED BLANKETS

Cleaned & sterilized, only 16 left, this week, each 3.25

### MEASURING PITCHERS

96 quart-size, extra heavy metal, this week 35c

### HEAVY ARMY TYPE DIPPERS

1-Qt. size, only 88, special Friday & Saturday 29c

### FEATHER PILLOWS

Standard size, wt. 4-lb each, only 80, special this week, 1 pair 2.75

### NEW SEERSUCKER DRESSES

Size 14, only 17 of these, special Fri. & Sat. 2.98

### HEAVY STEEL FOLDING COTS

With springs, limited supply, 3.95

### OFFICERS MESS TABLES

2-inch Maple, Oak and Gum Wood tops, 3 1/2 x 10 ft., suitable for building dinette suits and cabinet tops, only 7, special, each 34.50

### HEAVY OAK TABLES

Restaurant type with racks, 3-inch solid Maple tops, fine for meat blocks, only 2, each 49.50

MANY OTHER ITEMS AT BARGAIN PRICES

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Quitauque, Texas

"Greetings", reading, Tommy Baird and Sandra Persons.  
Songs, "At Christmas", "Wishing On a Star", primaries and juniors.

Song, "Seeking a King," Gene Lynn Rush, Leroy Bull, John Lewis Bedwell.

Song "Christmas Candles" Brenda Sue Womack, Dottie Wise, Patsy Barbee, Jeanette Sue Berry, Mattie Graham, Norma Jean Persons, Carol Berry, Patricia Allred, Neva Jean Barbee.

Reading, "For Jimmy and Me", La Juan Stell.

Play, "The Shepherds' Visit," Jo Dean Bedwell, Lynn Rhoderick, Reba Jo Barrett, Ray Savage, Melba Jo Woods.

During the play, two special numbers will be presented, the vocals parts by Mrs. Jim Stroup, Mrs. A. E. Gragson, Mrs. Tom Persons, and Willadeen Owens, with Mrs. C. E. Bedwell, pianist. Mrs. Bedwell

will be the accompanist for other numbers on the program.

### CAR BURNS UP

A 1934 Oldsmobile, belonging to Dick Cooper burned up last Thursday night. Cooper and two friends were riding in the car on the highway east of town when the blaze started in the rear end. The boys could not extinguish the fire, but managed to save their belongings which were on the back seat, and the tires.

A mean act of vandalism was perpetrated here Sunday night when someone slashed three new tires on E. J. Hamilton's car. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton were at evening service and their car was parked in front of the Methodist church. When they were ready to go home they discovered two flats and investigation showed that the tires had been slashed with a pocket

knife, or some such instrument. The next morning when Mrs. Hamilton started to town in the car, she found that another tire had been cut, but not deep enough to deflate immediately.

They have no idea who could have done such a mean act, and no clues have been reported. If the tires had been stolen, at least someone would be getting some good from them, but wantonly destroying such a critical item, is pure meanness.

W. H. Bell suffered a heart attack last Thursday and was taken to a Memphis hospital where he received treatment. He was able to be brought home the first of this week and is reported to be getting along nicely. In response to a message of the serious illness of his father, J. W. Bell of Hobbs, N. M. came immediately to be at his bedside.



## Christmas Specials

Dura Bike Sidewalk Bicycles	were 29.95 — now — 24.95
Seneca Flyer Sidewalk Bicycles	were 19.75 — now — 17.75
Michigan Push Cars	were 15.75 — now — 12.75
Large Red Toy Wagon, all metal	were 13.50 — now — 11.95
Large Toy Wagon, wood bed	were 11.75 — now — 8.95
Tricky Rovers	were 8.75 — now — 5.95
Small Red Wheel-Barrows, all metal	were 2.85 — now — 2.50
Small Dump Wagon, all metal	were 2.35 — now — 1.95
7—Living Room Suites, 2-pc., divan makes bed	were 129.50 — now — 114.50
2—Living Room Suites, 2-pc.	were 169.50 — now — 149.50
1—Living Room Suite, 2-pc., divan makes bed	was 249.50 — now — 219.50

### JUST RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING:

Small Wall Heaters (Butane)	27.95
Granite Dippers	35c
Heavy Aluminum Wash Pans, 5-Qt.	90c
Curtain Rods, each	15c

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**TWO COUPLES ARE MARRIED IN DOUBLE CEREMONY**

Two couples were married in a double ceremony performed Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith at Quitaque, Rev. Carl A. Smith of Hamlin read the service in which Miss Christine Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards of Turkey, became the bride

of Allen Brummett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brummett of Gasoline community, and Miss Maxine Vance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Vance of Quitaque, became the bride of Dean Dyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Dyer of Flomot community.

Friends present for the service were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and son, Mrs. E. L. Smith and

daughter Edna May, Gene Dyer, Frank Buckelew, Rev. and Mrs. Carl Smith and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kelly.

Mrs. Brummett chose a navy crepe dress and black accessories, and Mrs. Dyer wore an aqua dress with black accessories. Both brides wore corsages carrying out the bridal tradition, formed of sprigs of evergreen, autumn leaves, ribbons and candies.

Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served by Mrs. Clyde Smith and Mrs. Carl Smith. Each couple had an individual wedding cake, beautifully decorated, and each cut the first slice from their cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Dyer are at Quitaque for the present, but plan to make their home in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Brummett are at home with his parents for the present.

**BRUMMETT-KELLY NUPTIALS AT TURKEY, DECEMBER 12**

Miss Gay Brummett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brummett, and Howard Kelly of Winniwood, Okla., were married Thursday night, Dec. 12, at Turkey in the home of Rev. T. R. Shannon who performed the ceremony.

The couple was accompanied by the bridegroom's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith, of Quitaque, and the bride's brother, Allen Brummett, and Miss Christine Edwards.

The bride wore a navy dress trimmed in white, and brown accessories.

Following the ceremony, a supper was served at the Rite Spot cafe in Turkey, attended by the wedding party.

The bride is a junior in the Turkey schools and the bridegroom, who attended school at Winniwood, received his discharge last December from the Navy after 13 months service, including active duty at Okinawa.

**8TH GRADE CHRISTMAS PARTY**

The eighth grade students gathered at the home of Miss Reba Jo Barrett Monday night for a Christmas party. The house was gaily decorated with Christmas trimming and lighted by candlelight.

After a round of games, the group was served refreshments of cheese and meat sandwiches, salad, cookies, candy and nuts and Dr. Peppers.

Those present were Jimmie Faye Witche, Buddy Holcomb, Earl Thompson, Roxie Mae Price, Patsy Stark, Preston Price, Wayne Crabtree, Patsy Brown, Jo Dean Bedwell, Ray Savage, Lynn Rhoderick, Chester Hamilton, Reba Jo Barrett, Mrs. Syble Lee and Mrs. A. C. Barrett.

**VISITORS FROM CALIFORNIA**

Mrs. Ollie Honea accompanied by her daughter Mrs. Eudora Debolt and son Mike, of Leevinny, Cal., are here for a two weeks visit with her mother Mrs. Alice Miller and other relatives.

Last Friday a family dinner honoring the visitors was given in the home of Mrs. Honea's brother, Cleat Miller and family.

Sunday a family reunion was held at Palo Duro park where Frank Miller is supervisor, assisted by his brother Bob. Horse back riding over the bridge paths through the park and other pleases were enjoyed during the day.

**Junior Class Has Christmas Party**

The junior class and several guests were favored Monday night with a Christmas party at the home of Jean Thompson. Entertainment for the evening included card games, monopoly and forty-two. The forty-two champions were Arthur Patrick and Earnest Barbee, who seemed always to draw an 84 bidding hand.

Everyone was kept smiling for chance they might be included in one of snapshots which were taken at various times throughout the evening.

To top things off Santa visited the party, but instead of bringing gifts this time he brought a bag of "Warnings from Santa." There was one for everyone just to let them know he had been watching.

The presents were then distributed and while some were busy exclaiming over the huge Teddy Bears which Ima Lee and Arthur presented to each other, others were raising the roof singing Jingle Bells and Christmas carols.

Refreshments of cookies and hot chocolate were served and an enjoyable evening was ended by shooting fireworks in the front yard.

Those present were Sue Barrett, Othella Woodruff, Rinkey Holcomb, Bobby Jack Ham, Betty Rae Adkins, Earnest Barbee, Billie Rae Hutcheson, Margaret Owens, Ima Lee Morris, Ima Jean Jackson, Kenneth Hamilton, Arthur Patrick, Betty Brunson, Tad Persons, Mrs. Ruth Moose, Rev. and Mrs. Thompson and Jean Thompson.

**QUEEN THEATRE**

QUITAQUE, TEXAS  
Admission 12c & 30c—Tax Inc.  
Thursday-Friday Dec. 19-20  
**Bachelor Daughters**  
Gail Russell, Claire Trevor, Ann Dvorak  
Short: AMIGO

Saturday Mat. & Night Dec. 21  
**In Fast Company**  
Leo Gorcey, Huntz Hall  
Short: BIKINI THE ATOM ISLAND Chapter 2 of Serial—THE SECRET AGENT

Sunday-Monday Dec. 22-23  
**Partners In Time**  
Lum 'n Abner,  
Short: BEWARE OF RED HEADS

Tuesday-Wednesday Dec. 24-25  
**The Plainsman**  
Gary Cooper, Jean Arthur  
Short: GOAL RUSH

Thursday-Friday Dec. 26-27  
**Angel On My Shoulder**  
Paul Muni, Ann Baxter, Claude Rains  
Short: RUNNING THE TEAM

Roberson, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wilson, Mrs. Venus Gillespie, Miss Minnie Mae Roberson, and Rev. and Mrs. Thompson.

**CHRISTMAS PAGEANT SUNDAY-NITE AT METHODIST CHURCH**  
A Christmas pageant "The Great Gift" will be presented at the Methodist church next Sunday evening, Dec. 22, at 7 o'clock.  
This beautiful pageant will present such scenes as "The Annunciation," "The Procession of the Pilgrims," and "The Manger Scene." The music will be sung by the

**GEM THEATRE**

TURKEY, TEXAS  
Admission 12c & 30c—Tax Inc.  
Thursday-Friday Dec. 19-20  
**No Time For Comedy**  
James Stewart, Rosalind Russell  
Short: EAGER BEAVER  
And PARAMOUNT NEWS

Saturday Mat. & Night Dec. 21  
**Mystery Man**  
Bill Boyd, Andy Clyde  
Also Selected Short Subject  
And Chapter 6 of SERIAL

Sunday-Monday Dec. 22-23  
**Boys' Ranch**  
James Craig, Butch Jenkins  
Also Selected Short Subject

Tuesday-Wednesday Dec. 24-25  
**Monsieur Beaucaire**  
Bob Hope, Joan Caulfield  
Short: RODEO ROMEO

Thursday-Friday Dec. 26-27  
**O. S. S.**  
Alan Ladd, Geraldine Fitzgerald  
Short: CAREFUL NOW  
And PARAMOUNT NEWS

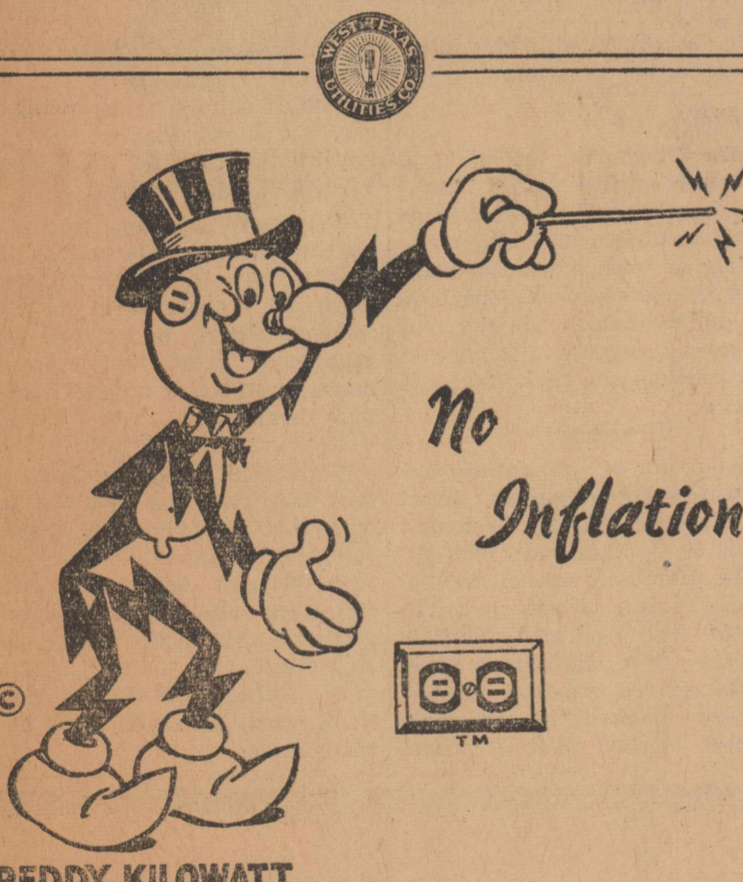
Girls Trio, from the Cantata "Chimes of The Holy Night." Following the pageant an offering for the Methodist Home will be taken.

**MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED**  
Announcement is made of the marriage on Thursday, Dec. 12, of Mrs. P. O. Woods and Otis Wilson. The ceremony was performed at Matador by the Baptist pastor, in his home. The couple was unattended.  
The many friends of the couple offer their felicitations and best wishes.

**All Toys & Games REDUCED 20%**

Our Toy Stock is getting low and we are glad to give the late shopper the benefit of what is left at a big saving before rather than after Christmas. We have several of these items left, on sale at 20% reduction from the regular prices quoted:

- 20% Reduction From These Prices**
- Some real nice Dolls ..... 2.95 to 11.50
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  - Walkie-Talkie Pocket Radios ..... 1.75
  - Drums ..... 1.75
  - Scooters ..... 2.95 to 5.95
  - Bow & Arrow Sets ..... 4.25 to 6.25
  - Black Boards ..... 2.50 to 6.95
  - Flying Jenny (see-saw) ..... 16.95
  - Tricycles ..... 16.95 to 18.75
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**WSCS CHRISTMAS PARTY**  
The Methodist WSCS enjoyed a Christmas social in the form of a 42 party Wednesday night at the home of the pastor, Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Thompson.  
The games were followed by delicious refreshments of individual mince pies topped with whipped cream and coffee. Gifts from the Christmas tree were exchanged.  
Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gillespie and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Nall, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ham, Mr. and Mrs. M. L.

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- One Smoking Stand ..... 3.25
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- Card Tables ..... 3.79
- Cedar Chests ..... 39.50 to 69.50
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- Large Aluminum Roasters ..... 6.40 and 7.19
- 4-Pc. Pyrex Colored Mixing Bowl Sets ..... 2.95
- 3-Pc. Pyrex Mixing Bowl Sets ..... 1.00
- One Philco Radio-Record Player Combination ..... 79.90
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