



HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1936

NUMBER 81

## County School Board Opposes The Agency's School Plans

Number Haskell County Board has gone on record in recommending the Board of Education to reorganize the school system.

The county board with the possible aid of the State Board of Education, the local schools. The local board is of the opinion that the recommendations could wipe out the school in Haskell.

This week the board outlined their opposition to the recommendations and urged the State Board to take the matter to the State Board of Education.

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## Christmas Seals Help in Early Diagnosis of TB

A high school athlete went with other members of his class to a Wichita, Kansas hospital to be examined by X-ray for symptoms of tuberculosis.

When his film was developed, an ugly lung shadow was discovered. His family doctor called him in for diagnosis.

"If we hadn't caught it when we did, it would have been too late," the doctor said. The young man is well and healthy today.

This incident illustrates the importance of case finding and early diagnosis. The youth's condition would have remained undiscovered if it had not been for the routine check for tuberculosis among all high school seniors in the county.

The screening tests will be conducted by the Haskell County Tuberculosis Association through funds from the annual sale of Christmas Seals.

Prevention pays. It is estimated that a serious case of tuberculosis costs in excess of \$15,000. This includes treatment, hospitalization, and help that the patient's family may need.

There is no way of telling how many cases of tuberculosis are discovered in the early stage when cure is usually easy. There is no way of telling how many persons will never have tuberculosis because of the activities of the Christmas Seal people.

Prevention is seldom dramatic. But it pays.

## Junior and High School Bands to Present Concert

The Junior High School Band and Haskell High School Indian Band will combine their talents for a Christmas Band Concert, to be presented Friday night, Dec. 21.

The program will be given in the Elementary School auditorium, beginning promptly at 8:30 P. M.

There will be no admission charge and the general public is invited.

The concert Friday night will be the first joint program presented by the school band organizations and will include a varied repertoire of selections.

## Young Navy Man and Family Here From Japan for Holidays

Arriving this week from Japan to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents was Kenneth Bledsoe, Telesman First Class, U. S. Navy, accompanied by his wife, Michiko and their two children, Michael, 3, and Barbara, one year old. They are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Slover Bledsoe, parents of the Navy veteran.

Also guests in the Bledsoe home are their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Max Bowen and Vicki of Houston, who will spend the holidays here.

This is the first trip to the United States for Mrs. Kenneth Bledsoe and the two children. Kenneth has been stationed at a U. S. Navy base in Japan for six years. At the end of his holiday leave, he expects to be stationed in the U. S. for three years.

## Band Members Win Awards in Recent Twirling Contest

Members of the HHSB Indian Band won some of the top awards at a recent Inter-scholastic League twirling contest held at Winters.

Entering the contest from Haskell were Drum Major Nancy Fancher and Materitas Sandra Hadaway, Sarah Robertson, Robbie Lora Robertson, Janice Hester and Norma Dale Mullins.

The Haskell group won first place in Setlist Twirling, and in individual awards Nancy Fancher won first place, and Norma Dale Mullins, second place.

Shoulder patches, bearing the insignia of National Band members, also have been earned by Bobby Sego, Nancy Fancher and Carol Thompson. The awards will be presented at an early date.

## Thieves Loot Coke Machines in HHS And Junior High

Thieves broke into the high school and junior high school buildings some time Saturday night, and took between \$7 and \$8 in money from three Coke vending machines in the buildings.

The culprits damaged the machines in forcing them open, and also broke several doors in the two buildings, officers said. One door was broken open in gaining entrance. Sheriff Bill Pennington said.

Sheriff Pennington and members of his department who investigated the burglary theorized that the culprits evidently were not familiar with the building. The thieves went to unnecessary trouble in forcing some of the doors that were broken, in gaining access to the vending machines, officers pointed out.

Time of the burglary was placed at sometime Saturday night. School officials were in the building Saturday afternoon, they said. The burglary was discovered late Sunday afternoon and the sheriff's department notified.

## First Round Play Starts Thursday In Cage Tourney

Haskell High School Indians will host an Invitational Boys Basketball Tournament Thursday, Friday and Saturday, in which eight schools have entered.

Competing will be Seymour, Hamlin, Hawley, Munday, Mattson, Weinert, Paint Creek and Haskell.

Trophies will be awarded first, second and third place winners, along with the consolation award. An all-tournament team of 10 boys will also be selected. Play will begin at 5 p. m. each day during the tournament.

First round schedule Thursday: Mattson vs. Weinert; 5 p. m.; Seymour vs. Hamlin, 6:15; Hawley vs. Munday, 7:30; Paint Creek vs. Haskell, 8:15.

## Weinert Students Home for Christmas Holidays

A number of Weinert students in various colleges and universities have returned home to spend the Christmas holidays. Among those returning are:

Randall Forehand, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Plemmer, Raymond and Doyle Boykin, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Reeves from A. C. C.; Joann Winchester, Clyde Childress, C. W. Dringon, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Therwanger from Hardin-Simmons University; Estalynn Edwards from N. T. S. C.; Denton, Howard Liles from Sul Ross; Mr. and Mrs. Verna Teague; Mr. and Mrs. Keaton Jetton; Jim Smith, Martha Sanders and Lester Hutchinson, Midwestern University; Bob Sargent, T. C. U.

## Haskell Man on A.F.&A.M. Grand Lodge Committee

Judge Dennis P. Ratliff of this city has been advised of his appointment as a member of the Title, Deeds and Property committee of the Grand Lodge of Texas, A. F. & A. M.

The appointment was made by Paul Turney, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas. Judge Ratliff has served two years as a member of the committee.

Chairman of the committee is Hon. Towne Young, associate justice of the Court of Criminal Appeals at Dallas.

## Billy Ray Likes Parents' Son

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Lusk of Canyon, Texas, are announcing the arrival of a son, Jimmy Ray, born Dec. 9 in that city. The little fellow weighed six pounds, 14 ounces. His father is a senior student in West Texas State College, Canyon. Grandparents of the new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Copeland of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lusk of Haskell.

Carol Greene, Wichita Falls beautician, spent the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howell Greene of this city.

## Rochester Groups Present Program At Lions Meet

Talent from Rochester High School furnished a diversified and thoroughly enjoyable entertainment program at the meeting and luncheon of the Lions Club Tuesday at noon in the dining room of the Texas Cafe.

During the business session, a report on progress of the Goodfellow Christmas program was given, indicating generous cooperation and support for the program.

The Rev. Davis Edens, pastor of Rochester Methodist Church and Mrs. Maxine Hamilton, commercial teacher in Rochester High School presented a group of talented students in an entertainment program.

A quartet composed of Ann Davis, June Oates, Patricia McWhorter and Barbara O'Neill sang several numbers and accompanied with Dianna Reid as accompanist.

Next, a group of six young ladies presented a chapter from the recent Golden Anniversary pageant in Rochester. The group, in depicting the "Roaring Twenties" went through a routine of the Charleston, popular dance craze of the 20's. Composing the group were Elaine Overland, Ava Lou Harper, Beekie Simmons, Cleo Williams, Diane Reid, Barbara O'Neill.

An amusing pantomime in which Hoye Tibbetts portrayed the flashy oil promoter, assisted by Patricia McWhorter as his "financier" gave a take-off on the exciting period shortly after oil was discovered in the Rochester vicinity.

In addition to the Rochester group, H. D. Gammill, agent for the Haskell County Farm Bureau, was a guest at the meeting.

## Wintery Rain Brings .80 Inch Moisture To This Area

A wintery spell accompanied by welcome moisture in the form of freezing rain which later changed to a light drizzle brought precipitation of more than three-quarters of an inch Tuesday and Wednesday.

The rainfall was measured at .69 inch by Sam Herren, local Government observer on the gauge at his home in North Haskell. Gauge at the City Hall registered .80 inch at 8 p. m. Wednesday, with a heavy mist and occasional light drizzle continuing at intervals during the early morning, becoming heavier around noon.

The precipitation was the heaviest received since October when a total of 1.05 inch was recorded during the month. Hardest down-pour came around midnight Tuesday, when hard showers fell, accompanied by considerable electrical disturbances.

For several hours Tuesday, moisture froze as it fell, coating cars and windshields with ice and making driving hazardous. High-way traffic was slowed when some bridges, especially on east and west routes, began icing over. However, rising temperatures Tuesday afternoon ended the ice threat.

Light rains and freezing drizzles were reported over a wide area of the state.

## Six Gifts for Children To Be Given Away Saturday

### Final Farm Checks Scheduled to Be Mailed Dec. 20

Haskell County farmers received approximately \$150,000 during the weekend, representing benefits earned in current phases of the government's soil bank program, the local Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office reported Tuesday.

This sum was represented in a batch of 550 checks mailed last Friday, to farmers in all parts of the county.

An additional allotment of about 500 checks will be mailed today, Dec. 20th, representing around \$150,000 more for farmers participating in this year's program.

The checks scheduled for mailing today will virtually complete the payments scheduled for this year, workers in the ASC office said.

The final payments going out during the past ten days bring total payments to Haskell County farmers under the current program well above the \$1 million mark, ASC workers estimated.

### Funeral Service For Cecil Gary Held Sunday

Funeral services for Cecil Gary, prominent Haskell County farmer who died early Saturday, were held at 2 p. m. Sunday in the First Methodist Church in Weinert.

Mr. Gary, 52, suffered a heart attack at his home eight miles north of Haskell Friday and was removed to the Haskell Hospital. Death occurred at 2 a. m. Saturday.

Officiating for the funeral rites were the Rev. Gene Louder, Weinert Methodist pastor; the Rev. Temple Lewis of Tye, and the Rev. C. C. Lamb of Thalia.

Burial was in Willow Cemetery in this city under direction of Houden Funeral Home.

Mr. Gary was born May 6, 1904, at Celeste, in Hunt County. He married Clara Bradshaw of Fannin County Sept. 10, 1922. The couple came to Haskell County in 1941 and settled near Weinert.

Mr. Gary was a member of the Methodist Church and of the I. O. O. F. Lodge.

Survivors are his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Don R. Nafus of Dallas; a son, Charles E. of Weinert; one granddaughter; his father, and step-mother, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Gary of Bonham; a brother, Glenn B. Gary of San Antonio; and a sister, Mrs. David Lane of Lubbock.

Funeral services were held at the home of Mrs. John Kimbrough, Raymond Liles, Bill King, Buck Turnbow, Jersey Walker, and Clovis Winchester.

### Six Gifts To Be Awarded Saturday

Christmas will come early for six lucky children of Haskell and vicinity when local merchants sponsor the final gift distribution in the community Christmas Program Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

In the drawing last Saturday, 4-year-old Randy Lacey was the lucky winner of the Shetland pony given away by merchants cooperating in the Christmas program. Randy and his mother were present to claim the award. The lad's parents are Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lacey of Route 3, Haskell.

For the final gift distribution Saturday, sponsoring merchants have selected six valuable awards, any one of which would make any little boy or girl happy. To be given away are two large kiddies tricycles, two dandy red wagons, a name brand wrist watch, and a late model record player. All of the awards were purchased from the regular stocks of Haskell retail stores.

The drawing will begin promptly at 3 p. m. Saturday on the courthouse lawn, and the youngsters whose names are called must be present to claim the award. Names will be drawn until six winners are present to receive the prizes.

All children up to and including 12 years of age are eligible to win one of the awards if they register their names with cooperating merchants. Tickets for registering are given with each purchase amounting to \$1 or more in stores sponsoring the program.

## Goodfellows Ask For Names Of Families In Need of Help

It is felt that there are people in Haskell who are in need of help but hesitate to turn in their names to the Goodfellows. Persons knowing of such cases should call to turn in the names and addresses to the chamber of commerce office not later than Friday of this week.

A committee of Lions and Fire Boys will check the list of applicants on Friday afternoon and baskets will be prepared for those known to be in need of help. It was stressed at the weekly meeting of the Lions Club today that quite a number of persons have signed up for the program who are definitely not in circumstances requiring the aid of the Goodfellows. Such applications are a hindrance and detract the purpose of the Goodfellows to whom many contributions of food, clothing and money have been made in good faith. People who have no means of income, are sick and unable to work and cannot provide any type of Christmas for the children are the ones the members of the Goodfellows organization desire to help with baskets on Christmas Eve.

When sending in the names of needy persons, by all means give the correct address which enable fire boys to deliver the baskets to the right place. Also, it is desired that the ages of the children be given but not necessarily the names.

## This Christmas Be a Goodfellow; Help The Needy

Christmas is a most here. But the Goodfellows remind that there is still time for donations to the Goodfellows Fund to be received. If you would make the Christmas bright for Haskell's needy families, bring gifts of food, money, usable toys and clothing. In Chamber of Commerce office. In this season prayers and carols, tinsel and parties mingle to express our joy. One of the greater joys lies in helping the needy. Give to the Goodfellows Fund for Needy Families this Christmas!

## Pirates Win Over Aspermont Hornets In Openers

The Paint Creek Pirates opened district basketball play Friday, Dec. 14, winning both games by defeating the Aspermont Hornets.

In the boys' game, Leon Hokanson scored 18 points for the Pirates and Ned Galloway hit nine for the Hornets. The final score was 46-33.

Final score in the girls' game was 64-61 with Nelta Walton scoring 27 points for Paint Creek and Nancy Galloway netting 34 for the Hornets.

The Pirates will meet the O'Brien Bulldogs, Dec. 18 at O'Brien in a district game, last competition scheduled until after the Christmas holidays.

## Area G-E Dealers Attend Service School Here

Area dealers and servicemen convened Monday evening at Bynum's, Haskell for a G. E. Dealer Service School.

Attending were dealers and servicemen from Rotan, Knox City, Stamford, Hamlin, Albany, Throckmorton and Haskell.

The school was conducted by Glenn Kelly, Lubbock. Discussed was the servicing of washers and dryers, complete disassembly of washers, and the dealers were also brought up to date on the new models.

## Christmas Tree and Play at Church Of God Dec. 20th

A Christmas play will be presented tonight (Thursday) at the Church of God in this city, the pastor, Rev. J. W. Davis has announced.

After the play, the annual Christmas tree will be held in the church. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave H. Persons plan to leave Thursday for New Orleans, La., where they will spend the Christmas holidays in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hunter. Their return trip will be by the way of Houston where Mr. and Mrs. Persons will visit in the homes of his sisters, Mrs. J. J. Marshall and Mrs. Henry Butterfield.

## Delbert Rose Home After Release From USAF

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Rose and little son David have returned to Haskell, after the former Airman was released from active duty with the U. S. Air Force at Lake Charles, La., AFB on Dec. 10. The Haskell man held the rank of Airman, First Class.

Rose, an employee in the mechanical department of The Free Press, volunteered for enlistment in the Air Force Jan. 9, 1935. He received basic training at San Antonio, then was stationed at Lowery Air Force Base, Denver, Colo. Later he was transferred to Lake Charles, La., Air Force Base. Mrs. Rose, the former Martha Arnett of Rule, and the couple's son, David, made their home in Denver and at Lake Charles while Airman Rose was in service.

While stationed at Lake Charles AFB, Airman Rose spent 68 days on temporary overseas duty at Sidi Salimane AFB, French Morocco, North Africa.

## Sgt. Joe C. Blake Receives Discharge From Army

Former Sergeant Joe C. Blake returned home Sunday after receiving his release from active duty in the Army last week at Detroit, Mich., where he has been serving with an artillery unit.

He is the son of County Commissioner Francis Blake, and attended Texas Technological College before entering the Army in January, 1935. He plans to resume his studies at Texas Tech at an early date.

## Thieves Get \$3,000 Loot When Ranch Home Ransacked

Haskell County officers have launched a widespread search for a quantity of household articles taken in the wholesale looting last week in the ranch home of Dr. A. A. Smith of Munday, located near the north line of Haskell County.

Sheriff Bill Pennington said the stolen merchandise was valued at between \$3,000 and \$4,000 by the owner and that many of the items were valued as antiques.

More than 100 items were taken from the home, ranging from dining chairs to hand painted portraits, smoking stands, record player, radio, etc. The ranch home was seldom occupied, and was used occasionally for entertaining officers said.

Burglars who looted the premises apparently worked unhindered. Sheriff Pennington said. The house is located about 100 yards from a road, surrounded by a grove of mesquites and the thieves apparently carried the merchandise from the house to a waiting car or truck in the road.

A description of the stolen merchandise has been sent to officers over a wide area, the sheriff's department reported.

## Youth Revival to Be Held at East Side Baptist

A five-day Youth Revival will be held at the East Side Baptist Church in this city, Rev. Roland Williams, pastor, has announced.

The revival will begin Wednesday evening, Dec. 23, and will continue through Sunday, Dec. 30. Services will be held each evening during that period, beginning at 7 o'clock.

John Winters of Haskell will be Youth Evangelist. Singer will be Sammy Selfres of Rule, and Sharon Tucker of Rule will be pianist.

Boyd Andreas of Haskell will serve as youth pastor during the revival.

All services will be planned especially for young people and all phases of the revival will be youth directed, Rev. Williams explained.

An invitation is being extended to all young people in Haskell and surrounding communities to make their plans to attend and participate in the revival.

## District Meeting Of Waterworks Group Held Here

Thirty-two representatives from 10 area towns and cities attended a district meeting of waterworks supervisors and employees held here Tuesday night of last week.

The visitors were guests at a supper in the dining room of the Texas Cafe, after which a brief business session was held. Program included a discussion of municipal waterworks problems of the various towns represented.

In addition to waterworks personnel, city officials from several towns were present, along with members of the Haskell City Council.

Cities and towns represented at the meeting included Hamlin, Rochester, Rule, Munday, Wichita Falls, Gore, Benjamin, Roby, Aspermont, Stamford and Haskell.

## Recent Visitors In E. C. Montgomery Home

Arthur Yeager of Denton was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Montgomery last week.

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**Haskell County History**

**20 Years Ago—Dec. 17, 1936**  
 Fire which started in the rear of the building caused several hundred dollars damage at Dicks Grocery & Market on the east side of the square early Sunday. The fire was discovered about 4 a. m. by Nightwatchman Wilton Kennedy.

The Senior Class of Haskell High School will sponsor a banquet for all ex-Seniors, on Monday evening Dec. 28 at the Methodist Church. Miss Winnie Darnell, secretary of the class, said invitations had been sent to more than 100 HHS graduates.

Annual Christmas cantata sponsored by the Harmony Club will be presented at the First Methodist Church Sunday evening.

T. J. Arbuckle returned the first of the week from Piqua, Ohio, driving through in a 1937 model LaSalle combination ambulance and funeral coach recently purchased by Jones Cox & Company of this city.

After victimizing five Haskell merchants in a flurry of bogus check passing, a 32-year-old Dallas man was apprehended Wednesday in Munday, where he had passed several checks there. Sheriff Giles Kemp returned the man to Haskell, and he is being held for Grand Jury action.

Misses Nettie and Marguerite McCollum and Miss Eunice Huckabee were in Abilene Sunday, where they were guests at a venison feast on the Grissom Ranch.

Mrs. Fred Gilliam was returned to her home here Wednesday

from the Stamford Sanitarium, where she had been a patient several days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Self and Mr. and Mrs. Oran Self of Paducah are the guests of their son and brother, Floyd Self and family here this week.

Sam Armstrong, well known Haskell farmer, left Sunday for El Paso, where he will spend the winter months.

**30 Years Ago—Dec. 16, 1926**  
 Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Helms of the Vernon community have reported to officers that thieves stole 13 turkeys from their farm one night last week while the family was away from home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Boyce, who have been living in Munday for several months, have moved back to Haskell, and Mr. Boyce has resumed his work as salesman for West Texas Utilities Company here.

The coldest spell of the season hit Monday, sending the temperature to a low of 14 degrees Monday night. Below freezing weather has prevailed since then.

All cotton gins will be closed on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, it was announced this week.

H. L. Woods of the Midway community says he has found turkey raising more profitable than cotton farming. He sold 30 turkeys to Western Produce Company this week for a total of \$171.30, which he says is equivalent to the profit on many bales of cotton at today's prices.

Lee Brown, brother of Virgil

Brown of this city, has returned to his home in Quitman after spending the fall here with his brother.

George Green and family of Curry Chapel moved to the Baldwin Ranch last week.

Albert Peiser of the Irby community recently purchased a late model radio from McNeill & Smith Hardware Company. He says he plans to enjoy the long winter evenings by hearing the latest musical programs.

The rain and winds the past week did quite a lot of damage to the cotton crop in the Irby community, where there is still considerable cotton to be gathered. Much of the cotton was blown out and stained, farmers said.

Mrs. J. M. Hinkle of the Roberts community sold 62 turkeys on the local market a few days ago which brought her the net sum of \$345.75. Mrs. Hinkle says she still has a large flock for next year.

**50 Years Ago—Dec. 15, 1906**  
 F. A. Klose, who was in town Thursday, said the Throckmorton road was in bad condition and that people served by the road are anxious that some work be done on it. He said he has gathered 20 bales of cotton to date and expects to get ten or twelve more.

G. C. Burdine of the McLemore Ranch was in town Tuesday. He reported everything out his way in fine condition and said he had his land about all broken for next year's crop.

Judge H. R. Jones and Mesdames Jones, W. E. Sherrill and J. S. Keister went to Munday this week and assisted in the organization of a Rebekah Lodge at that place.

W. F. Tomkins has completed his residence in town and the family has moved in from the farm to their new home.

Bert Brockman has returned from Idaho to again make his home in Haskell.

E. C. Thorp has set up a mattress factory here on a small scale and is turning out hand-made mattresses.

There was a train wreck on the Wichita Valley south of Munday Tuesday. The track, several cars and some merchandise sustained considerable damage, but no one was hurt.

H. S. Post has ordered some 500 black locust trees which he will have planted on lots he has in various parts of town.

Our old friend and former townsman, Rev. D. James, is down from Indian Territory. He is visiting in the home of his

daughter, Mrs. John Ellis.

Gus Grussendorf of the east side was in town Monday and hauled out four wagon loads of lumber for improvements at his place.

McNeill & Smith have moved their stock into the new brick building on the east side of the square.

V. B. Hawkins of Tempie was prospecting in Haskell several days this week.

W. B. Roberts of the east side was in town Monday. He says he has out 15 bales of cotton with about 20 bales still to be gathered.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lusk spent the weekend in Canyon with their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Lusk and infant son, Jimmy Ray.

**Kenneth Lane On Ticket Committee For M. U. Dance**

Kenneth Lane, a 1953 graduate of Haskell High School, has been named to the tickets and reservations committee for the Winter Wonderland Dance at Wichita Falls.

Lane is a member of the Cowhands Club which is co-sponsoring the Christmas formal with the Cowgirls.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Lane of Haskell. A sophomore, Lane is majoring in geology and minoring in math.

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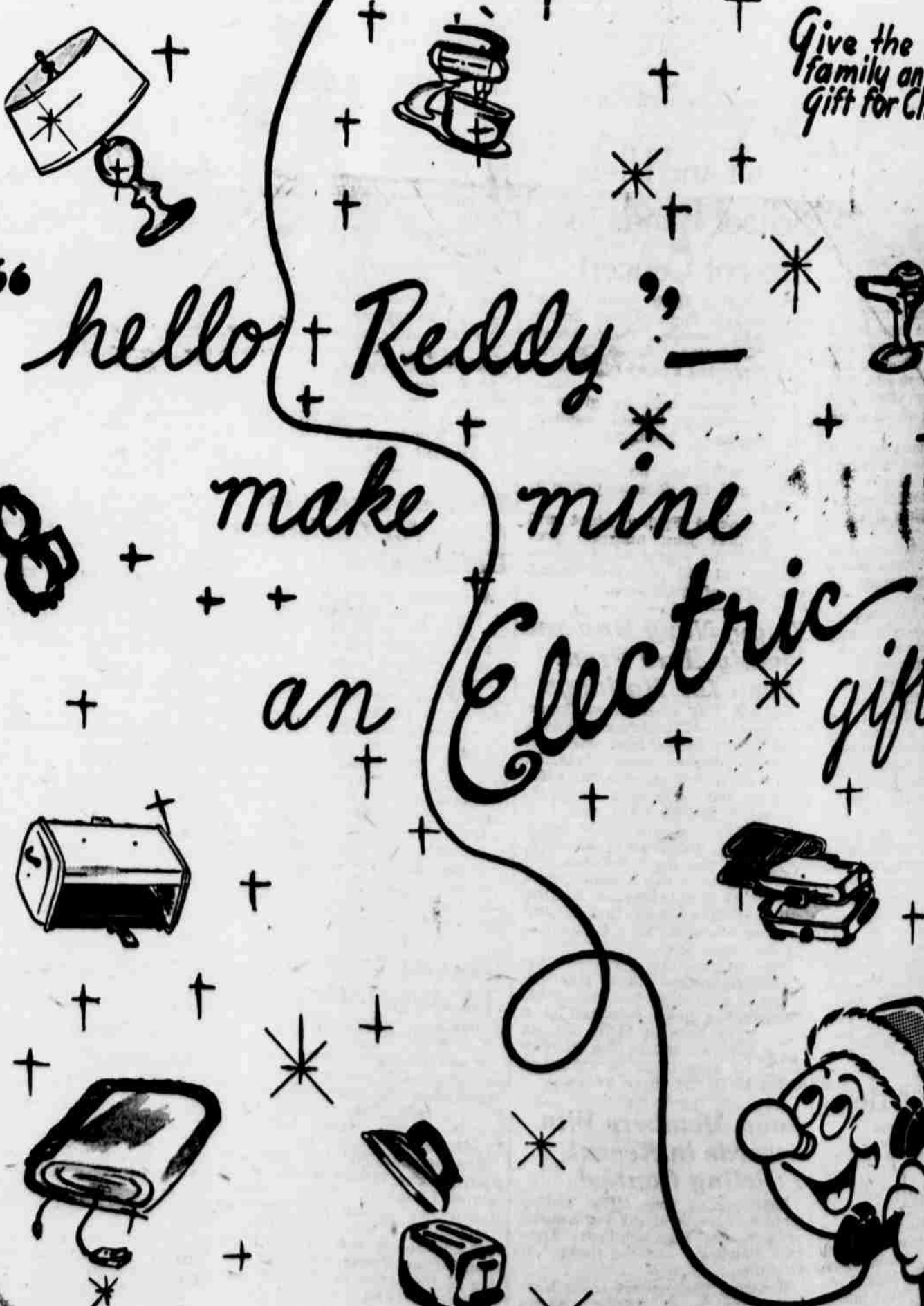


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### Busy Schedule In Store for State Highway Patrol

"The Abilene district highway patrolmen will have a merry Christmas-at work," said Capt. G. L. Morahan of the district office Monday.

"All holiday leaves have been cancelled and our patrolmen will be on 10-hour shifts throughout the holidays," he said. "Radar will be in operation throughout the entire holiday season. If the holiday travelers would obey our speed regulations as the Abilene football fans have this fall, our problem would be a lot lighter."

"We expect a major exodus of holiday travelers beginning Dec. 21 and continuing until Christmas Eve, then tapering off and beginning again on the 28th and continuing through Jan. 1."

The captain added that "speed violations will be our major worry, sprinkled with improper passing and driving while intoxicated, of course we are standing by ready for traffic accident calls constantly."

Capt. Morahan also gave a list of several rules as insurance against traffic accidents. They are: "If you are planning a trip, start early, stay alert, slow down in bad weather, don't drink and drive. Darkness doubles trouble; slow down at sundown; dim your lights even though the other fellow doesn't dim his; always yield the right-of-way, don't take it; come to a complete stop at stop signs; stay on your side of the road, and follow at a safe distance, one car length per each 10 miles per hour."

"We would like to see each of you around next year, and by observing the above rules, you can insure yourself of a happy holiday season and less work for us," he said.

### Rev. John Barry Dedicates New McKinney Church

Dedication of a new building for the East Christian Church in McKinney, where a former Haskell minister, Rev. John Barry, is pastor, was held Sunday Dec. 9.

The modern new church building replaces the former frame structure which had served the McKinney congregation for some fifty years.

The new building has a seating capacity for 400 and a fellowship room which will easily accommodate 100 or more persons. There are ten class rooms as well as pastor's study. Construction on the new building started last summer.

Rev. Barry has been pastor of the McKinney church for the past 18 months, accepting a call from that city while he was pastor of First Christian Church here.

Rev. and Mrs. Barry are the parents of three sons, John Timothy 8, Joel Mark 6, and Jonathan David, 4 years old.

**DRIVE SAFELY** — The best safety device known is about nine inches above your shoulders.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
It is during a time like this that we learn how much our friends really mean to us. Thank you for your sympathy which we will always treasure. Thank you for your visits, your kind words and all the wonderful ladies who worked so diligently cooking and serving food to all our many out of town relatives, and last but certainly not least, to a long distance telephone operator at Haskell, who at four o'clock in the morning worked so hard to complete the many calls that were so necessary. — Cecil G. Gary Family.

### OUT ON A LIMB

By CHARLENE WHITE

Mrs. Ruby Smith tells this one on her son. She looked out the window the other day and saw the youngster doing battle with another five year old. Mrs. Smith brought the boy in the house for his first lesson in chivalry. "Boys shouldn't hit little girls," she said. "Boys are supposed to protect them and see that they don't get hurt. After all, girls are the weaker sex." Later she heard him talking to his former opponent. Nita, I have to protect you 'cause you're the weaker insect."

Some people sure know how to treat reporters is all we've got to say. Several days ago when Captain Theo L. Moore, stopped in town to visit his parents while en route to California we capered on down to gape at the helicopter along with a good many Haskellites. His sister, Mrs. Henry Harris, suggested we stop in the house for coffee. Thought she'd never ask. She also brought out the most luscious German Chocolate Cake in town. Now we don't mean to complain or criticize, but I would be nice if others would please take note. Boy, pickin' cotton was never like this.

Mrs. Hudson Pitman is looking a little crestfallen. Just a few days ago she was so proud of her scholarly little daughter. Every evening she came home with an armload of school books. "My," she said, trying not to beam too brightly, "you certainly are doing a lot of homework these days. You do like your studies, don't you?" Replies Jennabeth, "Oh, no. I just don't have any place to keep books. I HAVE to bring them home every night."

Mrs. Dr. Kemp is very relieved after completing her semi-annual visit to the dentist. Even if he is her husband. Or perhaps, especially since he's her husband. "About half way through, I asked him how much longer it would be before he was through. He

snorted and said, "Oh, you're just like all my other patients." Billie marveled, "I don't know what ever makes him think I'd be any different." Oh these modern day kids miss a lot. One just phoned in a letter to Santa Claus.

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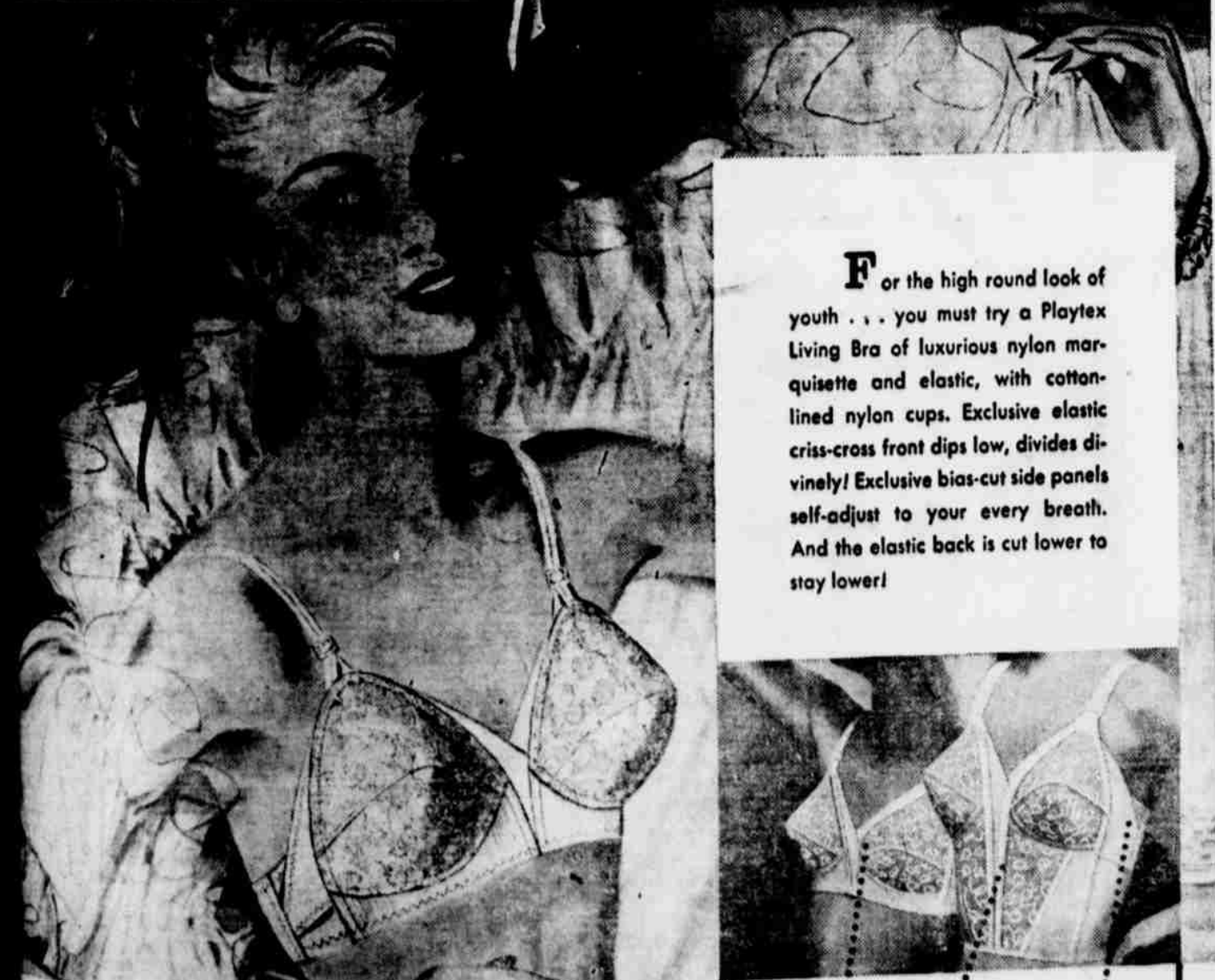
**ATTENTION:**  
Pam Klose, James Robert Crawford, Kelly Cahill, Lynda Bush, Jerre Sue Couch, Gordon Moore, Dorothy Gibson. Gift winners may pick up their presents Monday.

See you soon,  
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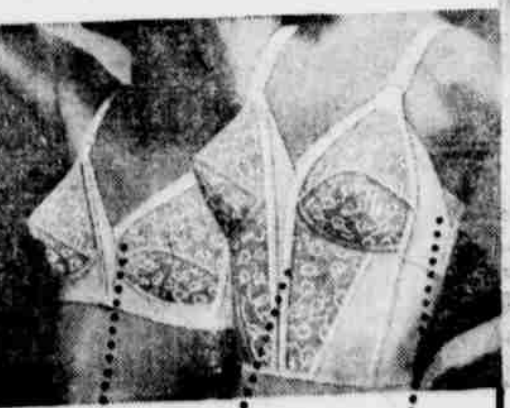


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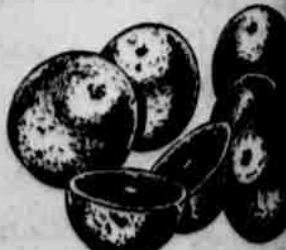


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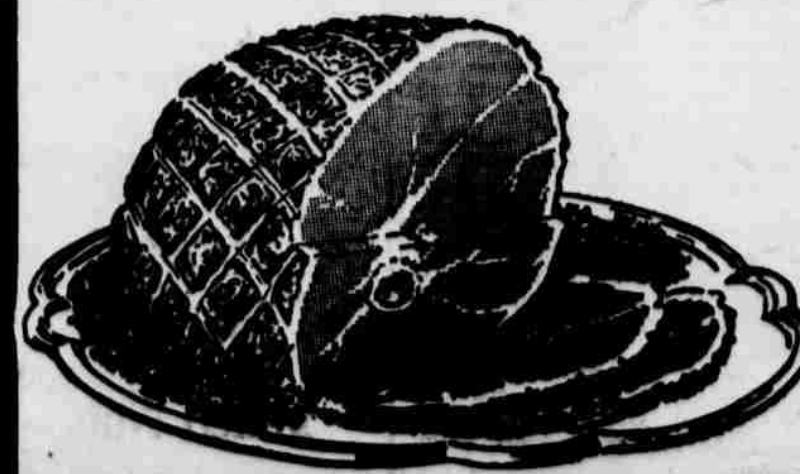
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### Weinert Matrons Club Meets With Mrs. W. B. Guess

The Weinert Matrons Club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. W. B. Guess with Mrs. V. C. Derr as co-hostess.

In keeping with "Human Rights Day" which had just passed, Mrs. W. A. King opened the meeting with prayer.

The program, "We Serve Through Our Home and Church," was directed by Mrs. P. F. Weinert.

The Bible Woman of Today, Mary the Mother of Jesus, was given by Mrs. R. H. Jones.

Beautifulizing our home and church physically, mentally and spiritually was discussed by Mrs. Fred Monke, Mrs. C. T. Jones and Mrs. J. A. Mayfield. Gifts were brought by members to be sent to the State Hospital at Wichita Falls.

Fruit cake topped with whipped cream was served to the following: Mesdames C. T. Jones, W. A. King, R. H. Jones, P. F. Weinert, Marvin Phenister, H. W. Liles, J. A. Mayfield, Fred Monke, D. C. Myers, G. C. Newsome, W. C. Winchester, C. G. Gary and the hostess.

### Mary Bible Class Meets for Annual Christmas Social

The Mary Bible Class met Wednesday Dec. 12 in the home of Mrs. C. A. Thomas for a business meeting and Christmas social.

Mrs. Thomas had her lovely home beautifully decorated with cedar and red berries, emphasized with a Christmas tree and decorative light bulbs.

After a business meeting and an hour of fun and games, gifts for each member present were distributed. Everyone enjoyed their gifts and the thrill of unwrapping them.

The class brought groceries for a grocery shower for Mr. and Mrs. Jess Josselot who are ill. They were delivered by Mesdames Olyphant, Thomas and Cass, and the Josselots appreciated their presents very much.

Those present for the occasion were Mesdames Olyphant, Adkins, Cass, Dilbeck, Gibson, Cox, Bland, and Thomas.

## NEWS OF INTEREST WOMEN



MR. AND MRS. DAVID HAROLD JONES

### Carolyn LaVada Wade Becomes Bride Of David Harold Jones on Dec. 8th

Miss Carolyn Lavada Wade, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Wade of Stamford, became the bride of David Harold Jones of Haskell, at 2:30 p. m. Saturday, Dec. 8 at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Jones.

Rev. Jones performed the single ring ceremony before the fireplace in the living room.

Dan Grindstaff of Fort Worth, was best man. Maid of honor was Barbara Ivy of Stamford.

The bride was dressed in white moire faille taffeta. Her accessories included a white velvet hat and white brocaded shoes.

A reception was given after the ceremony. Members of the house party included Miss Jeanie Sittton, Mrs. Lillian Townsend, Mrs. Eldon Price, Mrs. J. W. Sorenson and Mrs. Jesse Jones.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Norton, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sorenson, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Price, Mrs. Virgil Edwards, Mrs. C. Jones, Mrs. Lillian Townsend, Misses Lelia Jones, Barbara Ivy, Jeanie Sittton and Maxie Wade, W. H. McBroom, R. D. Grindstaff, Chester Jones, Mrs. B. M. Wade and Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Jones.

The bride has been a senior in Stamford High School and will complete her schooling in Haskell High School. The bridegroom is a 1935 graduate of Haskell High School and attended Texas Tech College.

### Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howard Observe Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Howard, well known Haskell residents, celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary Sunday, Dec. 16, when they held open house in their home in this city from 2 until 5 p. m.

Assisting the couple in the reception and open house were their children, all of whom were present for the occasion except one daughter, Mrs. Ed Muse of Resaca, Ga., who was unable to attend.

Several of their children and grandchildren remained for a longer visit in the Howard home.

During the reception, cake and coffee was served to the large number of friends and well wishers who called. Mr. and Mrs. Howard also were recipients of numerous gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard were married in Haskell on Dec. 16, 1906, with Rev. Beavers, a Methodist minister, officiating. Mrs. Howard was the former Miss Mogie Green, whose parents were early day residents here. Mr. Howard's parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Howard, one of the county's pioneer farm families.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard have lived in Haskell County practically their entire married life, the only exception being a brief period when they lived in Arkansas. Mr. Howard retired from active farming a few years ago and the couple has made their home in Haskell since then. Both are long time members of the Baptist Church.

Their children are Mrs. Ed Muse of Resaca, Ga., Hollis Howard of Haskell, Mrs. Bob Williams of Bradley, Ark., Mrs. Jim Hunt of Bossier City, La., Mrs. Jeff Tidwell of Fort Worth, Mrs. George McGee of Fort Worth, and Dan Howard of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard also have 25 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

DRIVE SAFELY—Caution plus courtesy, plus common sense, equals safety.

### Harmony Club's Christmas Party Held Thursday

The Harmony Club held its annual Christmas Party Dec. 13th in the home of Mrs. R. C. Couch, Sr.

The social committee consisting of Mesdames Mart Clifton, Tannye Squyres, G. F. Mullino assisted Mrs. Couch as hostesses.

The Christmas decorations prevailed throughout the living room and dining room with a beautifully lighted tree as the center of attention.

The dining table was laid with outwork linen underlaid with green. The centerpiece was holly and lighted candles. The buffet featured a gum drop tree with colored birds on the limbs and reindeer at the base. The centerpiece was flanked with pink candles.

Mrs. M. E. Helber was in charge of the program. Christmas carols were sung and games and tricks were presented by Mesdames Helber, Collier, Patterson and Cadenhead.

Mrs. V. W. Meadors presided over the refreshment table. Gifts were presented to each guest.

Mrs. Hubert Bell was presented a milk glass bowl and candleholder console set, from the Harmony Club in appreciation of her direction of the Christmas Cantata.

The members with their husbands as guests were as follows: Messrs. and Mesdames O. E. Patterson, Hubert Bell, Jetty V. Clare, R. C. Couch, Sr., and Mesdames Mart Clifton, J. F. Cadenhead, Tommye Hawkins, R. L. Harrison, G. F. Mullino, V. W. Meadors, Dan Collier, Tannye Squyres, M. E. Helber. Also the Mesdames Martha Meadors and Beryle Boone.

### Center Point H. D. Club Has Annual Christmas Party

The annual Christmas Party of the Center Point Home Demonstration Club was held Thursday, Dec. 13 at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Margaret Wall.

Scripture reading and prayer was given by Doris Hannsz, after which several poems were read by members and Christmas Carols were sung by the group.

Refreshments of fruit cake, home made candies, nuts and coffee were served to members and visitors: Mesdames Doris Hannsz, Emma Bland, Virginia Dornier, Tilda Marugg, Sallie Patterson, Lorene Fouts, Rosa Aguilar, Maxine Koerner, Virginia Flournoy, Ethel Bird, Essie Bland, Helen Wiseman, Frances Bird, Claudia Mae Bland, Zada Smith, Margaret Wall, and visitors, Mesdames Eddie Johnson, Eva Pearsey, and Miss Wanda Greenhill, county Home Demonstration agent.

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### Miss Noreta Faye Scheets Becomes Bride of Airman Charles Coddington on Dec. 11th

In a simple and beautiful ceremony, Noreta Faye Scheets became the bride of Airman Charles Coddington on Tuesday night, Dec. 11 at 8:30 at the East Side Baptist Church. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Scheets of Haskell, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Coddington of Belleville, Ill.

The vows were read by Rev. M. D. Rexrode beneath an arch entwined with huckleberry. Baskets of pink gadioli and wrought iron candelabra with white candles were at each side.

Candlelighters were Cheryl Jean Coddington, sister of the groom, and Margie Alice Scheets, sister of the bride. Wedding music was

played by Mrs. Veda Griffin who also accompanied Mrs. Gene Overton who sang "True Love," "Always," and "The Lord's Prayer" at the close of the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white Princess style dress of nylon net over satin. Her nylon tulle veil was attached to a halo of white roses. Her bouquet was of white carnations. For "something old" she wore a pair of rhinestone earrings, something new was her dress, and she carried a blue handkerchief borrowed from her grandmother, Mrs. H. B. Hilliard.

Miss Bonnie Mae Scheets, twin sister of the bride, attended as maid of honor. Her dress was of pink nylon net with rhinestone accessories. The bride's aunt, Ellen Hilliard, and Wanda Howell, a close friend, were bridesmaids. They wore waltz length dresses of blue nylon net.

The bride's brother, Jerry Lynn Scheets, was ring bearer and her cousin, Patricia Ann Hilliard, was flower girl. Ushers were Howard Earl Scheets, brother of the bride and Thomas O'Bar of Abilene.

The best man was Airman Earnest Rodriguez, and groomsmen were Airmen Bill Hammond and Howard Darr.

The bride's mother wore a dress of gray suiting with a corsage of white carnations. The groom's mother wore a dress of aqua blue faille with a corsage of white carnations.

The reception, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McWilliams, where punch and cake were served from a lace covered table with crystal and silver service.

The bride attended Paint Creek High School and has been working in Abilene for the past eight months. The groom attended school in Belleville, Ill., and is now stationed at Dyess Air Force Base in Abilene. The young couple will make their home in Abilene.

Guests were here for the wedding from Abilene and Belleville, Illinois.

### Mrs. Hallie Hostess for Class Social

Mrs. Hallie Chamberlain was hostess for a meeting social for the First Baptist Church Dec. 7.

The home was Christmas symbol greenery. The dinner beautifully laid with med in Yuletide.

The president, Chamberlain was following program.

Song, "Love Let carols were sung story of the Nat.

After prayer, Mrs. head told the Christmas Star, that the real spirit is giving in the Lord.

Reports from the Mrs. W. D. Roge Hallie Chapman, please in contest.

In the attend, group led with an for the month of Mrs. Rogers' group orage of 18.

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**Pork Chops** Lb. 49c

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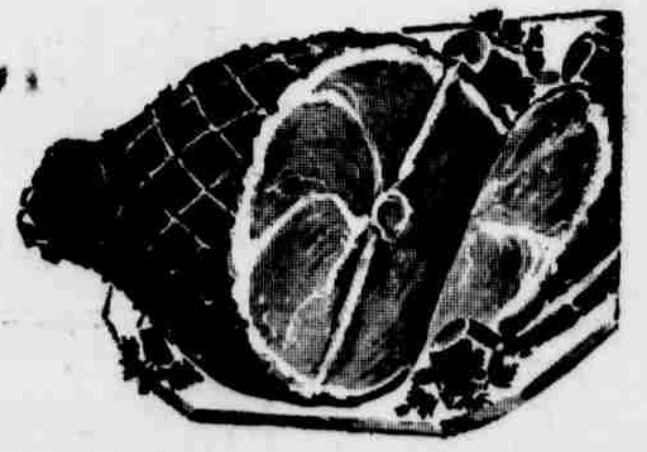
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# Paint Creek . . . Community News

MRS. GENE OVERTON

Here we are in the Christmas rush again, and it seems just a little while since we were writing about the Christmas rush last year. It has been a good year, even if our last year's New Year's wishes weren't fulfilled. We have telephones, and we only had two deaths in the community when we lost Mr. H. Hisey last January, and Mr. Grametbur in September. Several families have lost loved ones, and several people who had moved away from here died, but neither the Baptist nor the Methodist Church had one single funeral in them in 1956.

As far as politics are concerned, the less said the better. Democrats in Texas are still scarce as raindrops. But Paint Creek is still Democratic, and if we can just hang on and keep our farms in spite of drought and an administration that seems to think a nation should be built on an industrial foundation instead of an agricultural one, we'll get by.

We are blessed in having a wonderful rural school for our children, in good health, and neighbors whom we love, and who love us. I do believe we have the most agreeable group of people of Paint Creek who ever lived together in one community.

Both the senior boys' and girls' basketball teams won their first district game when they played the Aspermont boys and girls last week. They are to play O'Brien teams this Tuesday night at O'Brien. The girls were expected to win, but the boys surprised us. They played football so late we thought they would be late getting a good team ready. And Aspermont is supposed to be the best team in our conference. I guess our boys hadn't heard that because they beat them 48-33 with Leon Hokanson and Eddie Earles leading scorers. All Mr. Morrison's girl forwards, Nelta Walton, Cynthia Russell and Judy Earles were hitting the basket more often than not. They won 64-61. I guess we now lead the conference in one game won, none lost.

Last Friday night the 7th and 8th grades had their Christmas party. They met at the school and took a bus to the home of Mike Overton where they had their Christmas tree and exchanged gifts. They were served refreshments of hot chocolate, punch and cookies by Mrs. W. J. Earles, Mrs. Ira Coleman and Mrs. Gene Overton. Then they went to the show at Stamford for a theatre party.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mickler spent last week in Snyder with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs.

Durward Mickler. Durward has recently moved to Snyder and with his father-in-law has bought a locker and meat processing business. The Mickler children both had chicken pox when their grandparents visited them.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meacham and three children spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Meacham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan McRae and family.

Martin West underwent surgery at the Stamford Sanitarium last Wednesday. Several Paint Creekers were on hand for blood donors, and Allen Isbel, gave blood for a transfusion before the operation. Mr. West is doing fine. In fact they say he is doing much better than they even expected him to.

Polly Tipton had surgery last Thursday for the removal of a goiter. She is getting along just fine, too. It was so unusual how she found out she had a goiter. She was looking at a television program from Abilene recently when a beauty shop showed some of the hair-dos and Polly was one of the customers whose hair arrangement was shown. A family friend from Stamford later told Mrs. Tipton that Polly looked as if she had a goiter, and the next time Polly came home from school she had a physical examination at a clinic. Sure enough, she had a large goiter. Plans were made to have surgery near the Christmas holidays so she would have more time to recuperate. She is getting along fine.

Last Saturday afternoon the Northern District Lodge of the Order of the Arrow met at the home of Chief Wallar Overton. Two Rule boys, six Anson boys and Joe Breed, William Haynes, Dan Griffith, William Overton, and Wallar Overton from Paint Creek were present.

Mrs. Brooke Early has been spending every day in Albany at the bedside of her father, R. J. Moberly who suffered a heart at-

tack last week. He is much improved.

Don Perry had his new car stolen for several hours not long ago. It was recovered later on the streets of Abilene.

Miss Smithy won more bingo games than anyone else at the Cook's Christmas party for the faculty and the board. We suggested that she would do better in Las Vegas than teaching school, with her luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Berry who have been living in Sonora have moved to Abilene, and we know Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffith are glad to have them back closer home. Mrs. Berry is their daughter.

Mrs. Raymond Bounds spent last week in Lubbock with her daughter, Mrs. Ray Deen Gresset and Mr. Gresset.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Herring and children, James, Lin and Martha of Fort Worth, Miss Valie Stanford of Eastland, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Herring of O'Brien spent last weekend with Mrs. Jewell McLennan and Paul. Mr. Herring is recovering from a back injury sustained in a fall from a trailer while hauling feed.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodroe Smith recently returned from Houston where they visited Woodroe's mother, Mrs. R. C. Smith. Mrs. Smith is improving after suffering a stroke that paralyzed her throat.

Paint Creek men are saying "All I want for Christmas is a 3-inch rain." (Taken from the song). This sleet this (Tuesday) morning is wet even if its cold and messy. This weather makes it seem more Christmasy than the sand storm and warm sun we have had.

**WILL SPEND CHRISTMAS IN ARTESIA, N. M.**

Mrs. T. A. Tate and granddaughter, Barbara Alexander, left Monday for Artesia, N. M., where they will spend the Christmas holidays in the home of Mrs. Tate's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Howard.

## Letters to the Editor

### Hospital Should Clarify Policy, Doctor Says

Editor Free Press,  
What is the policy of the Haskell County Hospital Board? One member who deplored the attitude of those who objected to the harsh terms as put in their public statement that "all persons" must make a cash payment, or have a valid paid up insurance policy before entering the hospital and must pay the balance before leaving the hospital. He further stated, according to the editor of the Rochester Reporter, that the policy of the Board would continue that all persons unable to pay would be taken care of. Their circular letter does not so state. The Board owes it to the people of Haskell County to clarify the situation. This statement of one member of the Board will not suffice.

M. W. Rogers, M. D.  
Rule, Texas.

### Haskell Soldier is Given High Rating At Mines School

Private First Class William Royce Mullins of Haskell who is currently with U. S. Army forces in Germany, was selected as Honor Graduate from a recent Demolition, Mines and Booby Trap course conducted at any Army Engineer's School.

In a letter commending the Haskell soldier, his commanding officer, Col. E. E. Wilhoit, Jr., Army Corps of Engineers said: "Pfc Mullins has demonstrated outstanding ability, diligence, and attention to duty. I consider it a privilege to have him under my command."

Pfc Mullins is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Mullins of this city and is a graduate of Haskell High School. He entered the Army Oct. 6, 1955 and has been in Germany since April 10 this year.

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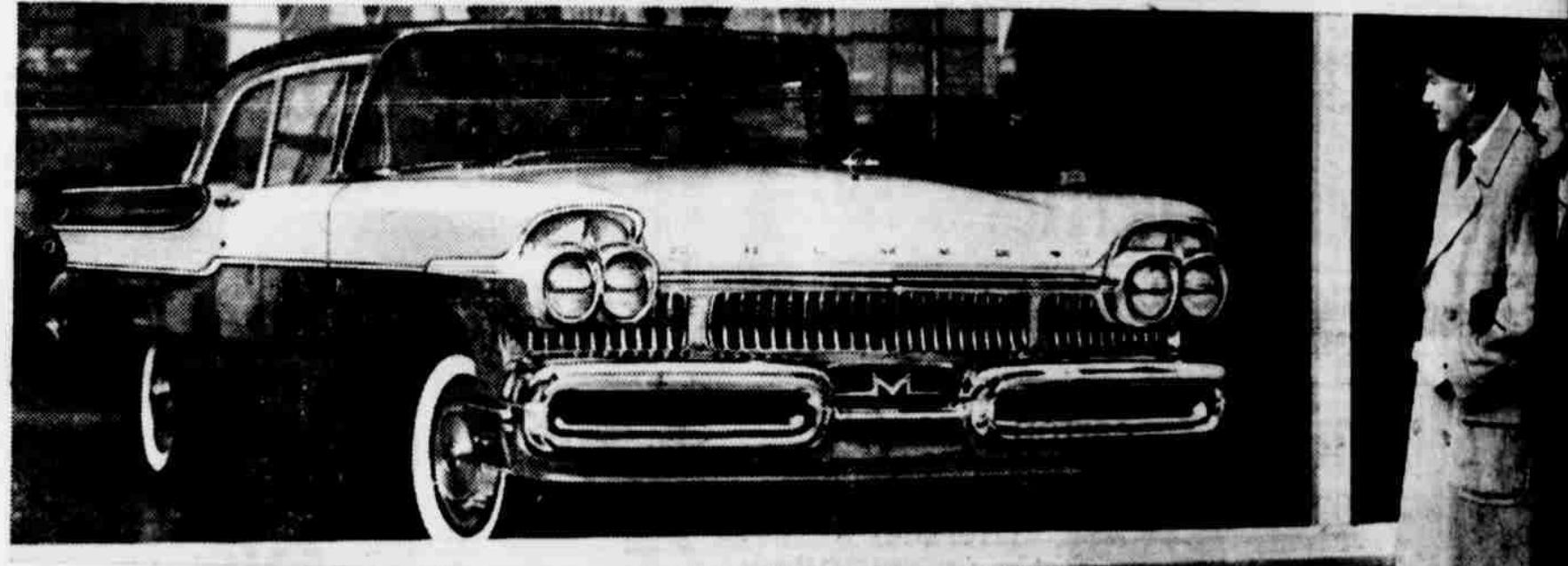
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## Sagerton News

By MRS. DELBERT LEFEVRE

Airman First Class and Mrs. Ted Terrel are here on leave from San Antonio visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Miller of Rule. They will be here through the Christmas holidays.

Christmas services have been announced for the St. Paul's Lutheran Church as follows: Worship service with Holy Communion next Sunday morning, Dec. 23, at 9:00, followed by Sunday School, Sunday evening Dec. 23 at 6 p. m. the Sunday school children's program will be held at 9:30. Since the church is without a pastor, Pastor Berry of the Trinity Lutheran Church in Haskell, will conduct these services.

The Sunday School children's program at the Zion Lutheran Church will be held Christmas Eve night.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lewis and Sandra Ross visited in Abilene Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crabb.

The children's Christmas pro-

gram sponsored by the Methodist Church will be held Friday night, Dec. 21, in the school auditorium, and a fellowship gathering will be held afterwards. Everyone invited.

A farewell party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Neinst and children was held in the basement of St. Paul's Lutheran Church Friday night of last week. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Paint Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Scott of Albany.

Hostesses for the party were: Mesdames Melvin Lewis, Cliff Ghoson, Will Stegemoller, Buford Letz, Glyn Quade, Clarence Neinst of Stamford and Mrs. Fat Sellers.

Delbert LeFevre was honored on his birthday with a party, Wednesday Dec. 12. Games of 84 were played and refreshments were served to the following:

guests: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Neinst and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stegemoller, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin New and Jimmy, Mr. and

Mrs. F. A. Stegemoller, Mr. and Mrs. Will Stegemoller, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff LeFevre and the honoree and his family.

Pete and Jack Kittley, Charles, Whit and Joe Clark and M. Y. Benton went on a hunting trip near Bledsoe where Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gibson live, last Sunday.

The members of the Pioneer Birthday Club and their families met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Kittley Friday evening, for their annual supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gibson of Idaou visited here last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Kittley.

A Christmas party was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre Saturday night, Dec. 15, for the Methodist young people. Those present were Terry Ghoson, Jana Ulmer, Jimmy New, Billy and Terry Sellers, Bob Clark, Linda LeFevre, Bro. and Mrs. Frank Knox and the host and hostess.

Mrs. Lizzie LeFevre visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. LeFevre Sunday.

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### HOUSEHOLD ITEMS —

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### FOR RENT —

**FOR RENT:** 6 room house \$40 a month. See Barney Frazier at Frazier's Record Shop. 481fc

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**FOR RENT:** 3 bedroom, newly decorated, 507 N. Ave. L. Call 208-J or see Bud Herren. 471fc

**FOR RENT:** 6 room house, \$30 per month. G. W. Reese, Haskell. 50-51p

**FOR RENT:** Furnished apartment 2 rooms and bath, 1006 N. Ave. G. Phone 107. Mrs. Dora Cook. 501fc

**FOR RENT:** 6 room house, 508 South 12th Street. See G. W. Roberts at Woodard Farm Sales. 50-52p

**FOR RENT:** Nice 2 bedroom modern house. Contact Virgil Wall, 783-W. 50-51p

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### LOST —

**LOST:** Ladies Hampden yellow gold wrist watch with expansion band and beveled crystal. Reward. Betty Landess, Phone 132-J. 51c

### Wm. H. Wilson, Jr., Named on National Ford Dealer Panel

Dearborn, Mich., Dec. 14—Austin Hemphill, of San Antonio, Texas, has been elected chairman of the national Ford Dealer Council of Ford Division, Ford Motor Co., it was announced today.

A Ford dealer since 1945, Mr. Hemphill is president of Austin Hemphill, Inc., San Antonio, and was one of two Texans elected to represent Ford dealers from five southwestern states in national dealer council meetings.

The other was William H. Wilson, Jr., owner of Bill Wilson Motor Company, Haskell, Texas.

The dealer council system was organized in 1945 to bring about effective two-way communication between Ford dealers and management. All Ford dealers participate in the exchange of ideas with Ford management, starting at the zone level and electing delegates to district, regional and the national meeting. Information obtained at the national council meeting goes back to dealers through a similar series of meetings.

At the conclusion of the meeting today Mr. Hemphill thanked all Ford executives for "their wholehearted cooperation throughout the entire proceedings and our willingness to discuss any and all subjects." He added that this meeting "was an historic occasion since invited, on behalf of all Ford dealers to study the new Ford sales agreement prior to presentation to all Ford dealers early next year."

**Charles Burnett Shows Winner in Tech Stock Show**

Charles Burnett of Haskell was among the 31 Texas Tech students who were winners in the institution's annual Little International Livestock Exposition.

The Haskell student won second place on the animal he exhibited in the heavyweight Hereford steer division.

The show, patterned after Chicago's International Livestock Exposition, is designed to give Tech students experience in preparing and showing animals. Students drew their animals from Tech herds.

**WILL SPEND CHRISTMAS WITH PARENTS**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tanner of Weimert have as their guests in their home for the Christmas holidays, their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Tanner, and their daughter, Mrs. Lillian Walker, all of Odessa.

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	Sun-Spun, No. 303 Can HOMINY 5c
	Imperial Cane SUGAR 10 lbs. 89c
	3-Minute, Large Package OATS 33c
	Arrow Brand, Pure, 4-oz. can BLACK PEPPER 19c
	Armour's BEEF and GRAVY can 39c
	None-Such MINCE MEAT pkg. 19c
	Kuner's Little Dainty, Fancy, No. 303 Cans PEAS 3 cans 59c
	Kounty Kist, Whole Grain, 12-oz. cans CORN 4 cans 49c
	Hershey's, Nestle's or Baker's, Chocolate Chips 6-oz. pkg. 15c
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## Central Ward School News

By B. T. W. BEMBRY Principal

We take this method of thanking the members of the Local Board and the Superintendent of City Schools, for three new heaters, new filing cabinets, telephone and one new door, locks, and other minor repairs to make the building comfortable. We feel that in due time a modern building and equipment will become a reality, encouraging a better grade of work and increased attendance. Our prayers and hopes are for a good academic setup and other constructive activities for the development and growth of our boys and girls into useful and constructive citizens.

We are grateful to our white and colored citizens as well as students for the support in purchasing uniforms for the boys and girls team. We have been able to pay \$210 on athletic equipment and uniforms. We owe \$150 which we hope to clear on or before the first of March, 1957. We have paid \$12 to Prairie View A&M College, which is our fee for League participation in field, literary and track events on the local, district, and state levels. Also we have paid \$2 for treatment of the captain of our boys team, James Hanson, \$5.45 for a turkey which was won by Carl Lackey. We still have \$13.67 in Central Ward Athletic Fund.

We are grateful to Dr. Joe Thigpen and the Haskell National Bank for \$10 and \$5 recently given to the Central Ward Athletic Fund. Also to Mr. Bynum for a desk and two chairs.

We do hope and trust that parents will sense the need of keeping your children in school daily, which is the parents responsibility.

The new day Progressives have tried to shelve the Three R's. They say it is not important for a youngster to learn to spell or to multiply or divide. All that matters is that he be allowed to express his natural impulses as by splashing paint on the walls or punching his neighbor in the nose.

Both World War Two and the post war advances in science and industry have exposed the fallacy of this new theory. Graduates of the so-called progressive schools have fallen short. The need today in every field is for men and women, boys and girls who know how to do something useful and constructive and have the drive to get their work done. It is not for nebulous thinking and impulsive action.

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### Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE: Used piano in good condition. Bargain for quick sale. Mrs. Leon Robertson. At Guest Dress Shop. 51-52p

## Rosalie McCall Is Named to College Who's Who

Rosalie McCall of Haskell is one of 12 Austin College students named to Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

She is the daughter of Dr. R. K. McCall, 304 N. Ave. E. A senior English major, Miss McCall is secretary of the Austin College Student Association. She was voted all-school favorite last year and belongs to Kappa Gamma Chi sorority.

### SPEND WEEKEND IN PETERSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Oliphant spent the weekend in Petersburg, Texas, where they visited in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Oliphant and children. The Haskell couple returned home Monday night.

As you store holiday foods in your freezer, you'll save time if you put them in the pans in which you're going to heat them.

DRIVE SAFELY—Promote safety and prevent sorrow.

scope and rigid discipline of the schools of two generations ago, the so-called progressive education had little in its favor. But it was carried to excesses from which a return must be made. The job of the administrator and teacher is not to take over the functions of parents but to provide the practical training needed for adult life. There must be an improved human relationship with the three major institutions to do the job for our children's development and growth: The Home, Church, and School.

Our Christmas Program and Tree will be at the Central Ward School Thursday, Dec. 20, 1958. We urge parents to be present.

We represented forty members from the Central Ward Parent-Teachers Association at the Congress which met at Texas Southern University Dec. 6, 7 and 8, 1956 in Houston, paying all of our delegates expenses. Miss Flossie Mumfry, our primary teacher, who made a most interesting report at our program at the Hope-well Baptist Church on Dec. 11 during Pastor Jackson's third anniversary program.

We wish for each of you a merry, merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year.

DRIVE SAFELY—Think twice, once for yourself and once for the other fellow.

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N. Ave. E at Fourth Street  
Wednesday, Dec. 10  
6:30 p. m. Christmas Tree program.  
7:30 p. m. Meeting of Deacon Board.  
Every deacon is urged to be present.  
Services Sunday Dec. 23.  
9:45 a. m. Sunday Church Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.  
Subject: "No Room For Them in the Inn."  
6:00 Pioneer Fellowship.  
Senior Hi Fellowship—Special.

Christmas program.  
7:00 p. m. Joy Gift Program under the direction of Mrs. Ira Hester and Mrs. Belton Duncan. Offering taken for our aged ministers, widows of ministers and orphans of ministers. You have a cordial invitation to attend these services.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Anderson had as their visitors in their home during the weekend Mrs. Anderson's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Townsend of Mer-ton, Texas, and Mrs. J. L. Cle-naut of Aspermont, sister of Mrs. Anderson.

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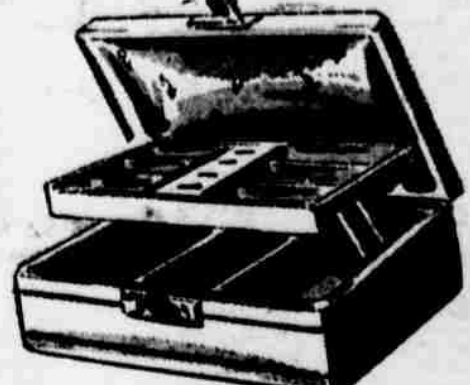
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