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HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1957

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edition will be No. 52, of The 1867. and will carry

Sponsors and directors of the

# Twenty-Seven Entries To Be Judged In Mrs. B. F. Scruggs

In addition to those officially entered for judging, the contest has stimulated widespread decorating of homes throughout the community for the holiday season, sponsors said.

"We are gratified that so many homeowners have taken the in-terest and given their time and work to make our city a more beautiful place during the holi-day season," Mrs. Ramia Lee Frazier, chairman of the contest,

The following is a list of homes that have been entered in one or more of the four divisions: Ervin Frierson, Floyd Self, Jeff Robertson, Mrs. Ira Hester, Mrs.

Rachel Stubblefield, Mrs. Bill Pogue, Mrs. J. C. Wheatley, Mrs. Cecil Bowers, Mrs. M. C. Medley, Rev. Oscar Bruce, Mrs. Bailey Toliver, Mrs. F. E. Frierson, Mrs. James E. Crawford,

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Negro School Building Site

After the Reynolds sold their Coper 5.00 holdings in this section around the Coper 5.00 1938, Mr. Culp went to the Reynolds Ranch in Culberson County nolds Ranch in Culberson County manager until retiring a few years ago. He also served as County Commissioner in Culberson County for several terms. Mr. and Mrs. Culp made

their home at Kent, Texas. Body of Mr. Culp was returned to Albany, where funeral rites were held Wednesday, Dec. 11, with interment following in the

Albany Cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, of Kent; three sons, Lawrence, who is in the U. S. Navy, Tom Culp of El Paso, Rusty Culp of Amarillo; a daughter, Mrs. Dewey Gay, who lives in South Carolina; three brothers and two sisters. Attending the funeral from Has-kell were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Patterson, former neighbors and long-

# time friends of the deceased and Chapel Rites Held

Ballard Infant Funeral rites for Tommy Char-les, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy J. Ballard of Haskell, were held at 10 a. m. Monday in Holden Funeral Chapel, conducted by the Rev. M. D. Rexrode, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Burial was in Willow Cemetery with Holden Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Tommy Charles was born Dec. 5 in the Haskell Hospital and liv-

ed only 10 days. Death occurred at 2:50 p. m. Dec. 15. Immediate survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy J. Ballard of Haskell, a sister, Dee Ann; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frieble and Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Ballard, all of Haskell; great-grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Shiffield of San Angelo, and great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Bridwell of Winters.

#### Weinert Seniors to Present Class Play Friday Night

The Weinert Senior Class will present the class play, "Hot Water Henry," Friday evening, Dec. 20, at 7 o'clock in the school au-

Dlay are Mrs. D. L. Moody and T. V. Lum. Members of the cast include: Christene Hutchinson, And will carry like earlier printing for the office not saturday, Dec. 21. Patsy King, Walter Davis, Joyce Walker, Truman Therwhanger, Tiffen Mayfield, Charlene Sturdy, Elwood Bruton, Danny Earle, Durwood Bruton, Carolyn Davis, Donald Griffis.

# Annual Home and Yard Lighting Contest Funeral Rites

Judges in the annual Christmas Home and Yard lighting contest sponsored by the B&PW Club Troy Ash, Mrs. Dray Lowe, Mrs. Held Wednesday will select award winners from a Stanley Furrh, Mrs. Monte Frier-list of 27 homes entered in the son, Mrs. Myron Biard, Mrs. Wilvarious divisions of the contest. da Medford, Mrs. Bfil Steele, Deadline for the official entry was Mrs. Gene Campbell, Mrs. Melvin Norman, Mrs. Bud Pace, Mrs. W .R. Holter.

### Speech Students Give Program at Lions Club Meet

The atmosphere of Christmas prevailed at the meeting of Haskell Lions Club Tuesday at noon in the Texas Cafe, when members brought gifts of toys for the Goodfellows baskets, or contributed \$1

in place of a toy.

The holiday theme was carried out in the entertainment program provided by members of the speech class of Mrs. Terry M. Diggs, consisting of readings and songs, with John Stone as plano accompanist. Stone also played dinner music for the group. Hazel Andress was announcer

for the group. The program included readings, "The Man Who Missed Christmas" by Robbie Lou Roberson, and "Christmas Propaganda" by Lin Currie. A sextet composed of Gail and 1942. Pinkie Ratliff, Barbara Elliott,
Kay Wiseman, Kay Culberson,
and Becky Watson sang "Walking
In a Winter Wonderland,"
"Dreaming of a White Christmas,"
and "Silent Night."

a prominent early-day farm family in this section, died Monday, Dec. 16 in Weatherford, Texas. She had been in failing health for several years.

Funeral service for Mrs. Scruggs was held at 3 p. m. Wednesday, Dec. 18 at the First Christian Church in this city, with Minister Guy Harris officiating, assisted by Minister Almon Martin, pastor of First Christian Church, Post, Texas, and a nephew of the de-

Bural was in Willow Cemetery with funeral arrangements in charge of Holden Funeral Home. Mrs. Scruggs was the former Carrie Boynton, born Oct. 25, 1872, in Kentucky, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Boynton. She was married to Mr. Scruggs Oct. 13, 1892, in Hamilton County, Texas.

They made their home there until 1905, when Mr. and Mrs. Scruggs moved their family to Haskeil County and he became one of this section's prominent farmers during the early days of agricultural development of this section.

Mrs. Scruggs had been a mem-ber of the First Christian Church since girlhood. Her husband preceded her in death in October, She is survived by one son,

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### Haskell Jaycees Will Contribute \$25 To Goodfellows

Haskell Jaycees held the final meeting of the year Tuesday night in the banquet room of the Highway Drive In Cafe. Next meeting of the organization will be Tuesday evening, Jan. 7, 1958. By unanimous vote, a contribution of \$25 was authorized to the

In discussion of plans for the coming year, Tom Watson was named chairman of a Welcoming Group to visit and extend welcome to all newcomers to Haskell. Jaycees will alternate in serving on the committee.

Goodfellows, as a gift from Jay-

The organization has several other projects outlined for 1958, on which work will be launched early in the year.

Jaycee President Dee Larned expressed the organization's wish of a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to everyone in the community. Larned also urged all Jaycees to attend the January 7

nual Chamber of Commerce ban-

quet, with date for the affair ten-

directors Tuesday morning in the club room of the Texas Cafe.

is contemplated. Of fireproof con-

struction, the building would also

include a stage, together with of-

supplies, and other necessary fa-

cilities. Cost of the building will be between \$25,000 and \$30,000

according to some estimates.

Named In Weinert

Students in Weinert High School

elected class favorites Monday for

the current school year. Chosen

Cutest girl, Joyce Walker,

Best looking boy, Chesley Fore-

Most popular boy, Tiffen May-

Most popular girl, Carolyn Da

Most athletic girl, Joyce Walk-

Boy most likely to succeed,

Girl most likely to succeed,

FFA Sweetheart, Peggy Turn-

FFA beau, Bobby Jenkins, jun-

Christene Hutchinson, senior.

Best all-around boy,

Class Favorites

High School

hand, freshman.

field, a senior.

enkins, junior.

sophomore.

James Hawkins, senior.

Davis, senior.

r. senior.

bow, junior.

fices, library, storage room for

tatively set on Feb. 14.

Annual C. of C. Banquet

This was announced following and C. of C. Manager Mrs. W. R. Johnson gave the financial report

Gaston Hattox, C. of C. president, to handle the various phases in

# Haskell Stores To Observe Dec. 25 and 26 As Holidays will observe a two-day holiday for

### Three Win Cash Christmas Awards, Jackpot Prize To Be \$150 Saturday

Three Haskell people were win- drawn before the award was ners of Christmas awards amounting to \$50 in cash Saturday, in the second weekly drawing sponsored by the retail trade commit-tee of the Chamber of Commerce.

The jackpot award, \$100, was not claimed, the person whose name was called being absent. As a result, the top award Saturday will be \$150 in silver dollars.

The winner of the \$10 award Sat urday was Rachel Stubblefield. teacher in Haskell elementary school. Her name was the sevent!

tising the short course.

of the organization.

A report on the Christmas Pro-

gram was given by Don Roberts, and C. of C. Manager Mrs. W. R.

No further report on progress

of preliminary surveys on the pro-

W. I. Pierson, 73,

William Isaac Pierson, 73, re-

day, with the Rev. Woodrow Ad-

cock, pastor of the First Metho-

dist Church in Pampa and former

pastor at O'Brien, officiating, Ma-

sonic rites were held at the grave-

side in O'Brien Cemetery. Fun-

eral arrangements were in charge

of Mansell-Smith Funeral Home.

Mr. Pierson had lived in Has-

kell County since 1907. He was

born Feb. 19, 1884, in Johnson

County, Ark., and moved to Texas

when a young man. He married

the former Miss Denie Yates Oct.

Surviving are the wife; one son,

Aubrey Pierson of O'Brien; three

daughters, Mrs. J. L. Abston, Mrs.

Nicholes, all of Amarillo; a broth-

Howard Pride and Mrs. R.

Rochester.

claimed. The \$15 in silver dollars was laimed by Mrs. C. M. Davis of name drawn for this particular

Mrs. Lindsey Cox. Haskell, won the \$25 award. She was present for the drawing and hers was the first name drawn for this award. The name of C. L. Williams, Haskell, was drawn for the capital award of \$100. Mr. Williams was out of town, and under the rules of the contest, this sum will be added to the jackpot for the final drawing Saturday.

Names of the following persons who were not present to claim the awards, were drawn Saturday; W. R. Johnson, Haskell; Leslie Tibbetts, O'Brien; Mrs. Johnnie Alexander, Haskell; Cliff Nicholon, Haskell; A. A. Pierson, O'-Brien: Milton I. Christian, Haskell: J. T. Berryhill, O'Brien; R. W. Herren, Haskell; and C. M. Wil-

Next Saturday the drawing will drawn until all awards are claimd. sponsors announced.

# Women Dies In Dawson County

Kirby Stephens, 75, long-time resident of Dawson County and a brother of Mrs. Stella Jossele and Mrs. W. D. Rogers of Haskell died early Friday morning, Dec. 13, at his home in the Hancock community near Lamesa. He was a retired farmer.

observe varying schedules of Christmas holidays, with the schedules being announced from company headquarters.

Service Pipe Line Company will observe a holiday on Christmas Day only, while Schlumberger Oil Well Servicing Company will observe and the schedules of Christmas holidays, with the schedules of Christmas holidays, a retired farmer.

Funeral service for Mr. Steph-Baptist Church in Lamesa at 2 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 15, with the Rev. E. L. Jones, pastor, officiating. Interment was in Lamesa Memorial Park, under the direction of tiered farmer and landowner of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

the O'Brien section, died at 2:30 Grandsons were pallbearers. a. m. Sunday in the Knox City Mr. Stephens was born Novemper 17, 1882, in Van Zandt County Funeral service for Mr. Pierand moved to Dawson County 36 son was held at the O'Brien Methyears ago. He was a member of odist Church at 2:30 p. m. Monhe Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Satie Stephens, Lamesa; daughters, Mrs. H. L. Buchanan and Mrs. John Nelson, both of Lamesa; four sons, W. L. Stephens of Snyder, Bert Stephens and L. J. Stephens, both of Lamesa, and Lois Stephens of Los Angeles, Calif.; five sisters, Mrs. Cordie Duncan of Lubbock, Mrs. Stella Josselet and Mrs. W. D. Rogers of Haskell, Mrs. Cammie Basham of St. Joseph, Ark., and Mrs. Charles Fouts, Corpus Christi; one brother, Lee Stephens, Tampa,

three great-grandchildren. Attending the funeral from Hasell were Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Rogers, Mrs. Stella Josselet and Marion Josselet.

er. Earl Pierson, and a sister, Mrs. Nellie Smith of Haskell; seven grandchildren. One daughter

companied Mrs. Jack Merchant Amarillo Sunday, where she will spend the Christmas holidays in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Merchant. Mr. and Mrs. Max Merchant returned to Haskell Mon-

No sale was held in connection

with the show. County Agent Frank Martin stated the club

boys would enter their steers in

coming shows at Abliene, Odessa

San Antonio, and Wichita Falls.

of Stonewall County, was show judge and classified all animals

as prime. The Weinert Lions Club

Carols and Candles

Thurman Kennedy, county agent

# Directors Set Feb. 14 Date For Dr. W. R. White, president of the Extension Department of the Midwestern University, Wichita University of Texas. The C. of C. Falls, will be speaker for the an-

start promptly at 3 p. m. on the courthouse lawn. Names will be

# Brother of Haskell

Fla.; eight grandchildren and

IN AMARILLO

fifth and sixth.

sponsored the show.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Merchant ac-

#### Purchased In East Haskell A site in the east part of town having been trying to secure a suitable site for a new Negro night, trustees said that as soon school building to replace the as legal matters connected with as legal matters connected with present out-moded school located the land purchase are completed, near the Wichita Valley Railroad. work will be started preparing Several possible sites were investhe site for starting the building A modern, three-room building

for a new school building for Ne-gro students of Haskell has been purchased, subject to approval of abstract and warranty deed, it was announced following a meeting of the board of trustees of Haskell Independent School District Monday night.

The site, purchased from Woodrow Jones of this city, comprises approximately six lots between North 6th and North 8th Streets, facing East Avenue D.

For more than a year, trustees

### Haskell Indians Smear Hawley 83-72 Tuesday

The Haskell Indians overpowered Hawley, 83-72, in non-district high school basket ball play at Hawley Tuesday night, despite a 48-point scoring spree by Hawley's Jim Womack for high point

Haskell, paced by Bobby Kemp's 31 points, held a 43-35 halftime Haskell also took a 40-18 victory in the B game in the evening's schedule.

tigated, but until now, no definite progress had been made toward etual purchase of a location. Local school official's had been advised that the present Negro school building was below stan-

dard, and state school authorities had indicated that there was a possibility the district would lose accreditation if a building program was not inaugurated in the near

### Donate Gifts For Needy Children

At the First Baptist Church next Sunday morning, Christmas gifts will be brought throughout the entire Sunday School.

# First Baptist Will

Then on Sunday evening in the evening service they will be placed under the decorated Christmas tree for the purpose of helping the Goodfellows meet the need of the less fortunate at Christmas time. In connection with this program, there will also be a Christmas program given in place of the regular worship and preaching

# HHS Indian Band Wins First Division Rating in Marching, Twirling Contests

BY GAYLE SPAIN HHS Band Reporter

The 54-piece marching band of Haskell was among the 3,000 crisply-uniformed high school bandsmen taking part in the annual Region Two marching and twirling contests recently. The event was held in Blizzard Stadium at Winters.

For about six hours, some 35 bands marched and performed be-fore five judges. Only 14 bands came out with a first division rating in both marching and in-spection. The Haskell band was listed in the group receiving first division ratings.

The judges gave ratings of one through five, and no over-all winners were chosen. Neatness, alertness and uniformity of dress were considered in pre-marching in-spections. The playing, maneuvers and general sharpness were counted while in performance on the field.

are the traditional black and gold. with leather sleeves. The letter "H" on the jacket is something new this year and really sets off the field.

Earlier, the twirling contests were held. Twirlers of the Haskell band entered a sextet in this contest. The group, which consisted of Nancy Fancher, Sandra Hadaway Mullins, Janice Hester, Robbie Roberson, Wynette Sherman and Sara Roberson received a "1-" rating. Nancy also did twirling solo and received a "1-" rating also. As a result of the "first" rating

in marching, the band will receive a very large trophy and will also be eligible to win sweepstakes later on in the school year when the concert contests are held. The band will have to win a "first" rating in both concert and sight reading to acquire a sweepstakes. Last week the band jackets for

are the traditional black and gold,

Relative of Haskell Women Dies Sunday n Fort Worth n-law of Mrs. J. L. Dilbeck and

pital following a heart attack. She had been a resident of Fort Worth for a number of years. Funeral rites for Mrs. Graham were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday in Fort Worth, and burial was in that 957-'58 arrived. These jackets Immediate survivors includ

Mrs. J. F. Graham of Haskell

died Sunday in a Fort Worth hos-

#### preceded him in death in 1943. SPEND WEEKEND IN Mr. and Mrs. Don Timberlake of Abilene spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Rainey in Weinert. Best all-around girl, Clarolyn Davis, senior. Most athletic boy, W. J. Swan- Haskell Boy's Steer Champion

Of Annual 4-H Club Boys Show John Gannaway, Haskell 4-H | fourth; Jerry Dunnam, Weinert, Club boy, exhibited the grand champion steer in the annual Haskell County club boys livestock show, held Saturday in Weinert. The steer, weighing 920 pounds, was bred by Whitt Thompson of

Reserve champion was shown by Dub Sims, Paint Creek 4-H club boy, a 760-pound Hereford steer. It was bred by Dr. E. P. Bunkley of Stamford

Twelve animals were entered in the show, in two divisions: For lightweight steers, under 900 pounds, and for heavy steers, over 900 pounds. Prize money of \$200 was awarded

the following exhibitors: Lightweight—Dub Sims, Paint Creek, first; Jerry Hutchinson, Weinert, second; W. J. Swanner, Weinert, third; David Gannaway, two daughters, Mrs. K. C. Price and Mrs. Charley Stodgadell of Fort Worth; one son, Walker Gra-ham of Decatur; and five grand-

Program Sunday at Weinert Church The Weinert Baptist Church will conduct a service of "Carols and Candles," Sunday at 6:30 p. to six places in each division to

be a Christmas tree with treats Haskell, fourth; Sims, fifth; John for all the children.

Gannaway, sixth.

Heavyweight—John Gannaway, first; Jerry King, Weinert, second; been pastor of the church for a David Gannaway, third; King, year.

Christmas. and will be closed Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 25 This is the same schedule followed last year, and was approv-

ed early this year in a poll of merchants conducted by the Haskell Chamber of Commerce. A spot check this week indicated that virtually every business con-Haskell, hers being the third cern in Haskell would be closed

on the two days.

Offices in the court house will be closed an extra day. Christmas Eve, county officials have announced, with the exception of the Sheriff's Department Highway Patrol.

Offices in the City Hall will close for the two days, Dec. 25-26, and all city employees will have two days off with the exception of those on emergency duty. The Haskell post office will ob-

serve a full holiday on Christmas Day, Dec. 25, and will be open Dec. 26. Postmaster Harold Spain stated. There will be no mail deliveries on rural routes or city carrier routes on Christmas Day. However, all outgoing mail will be dispatched on schedule.

#### School Holidays

Haskell schools will dismiss Friday afternoon for a combined Christmas-New which will give students and faculty members a respite from classwork until after New Year's Day. Dismissing Friday afternoon, Dec. 20, classes will be resumed Thursday, Jan. 2. Employees of the State High-

way Department will have a three-day holiday for Christmas, subject to call should an emergency arise. Workers will be off Dec. 24, 25 and 26, Maintenance Foreman Ray Lusk said.

Local oil industry concerns will observe varying schedules of

Well Servicing Company will ob-serve Dec. 24 and 25 as holidays. pany, the area's major oil field servicing concern, has scheduled a holiday on Christmas Day.

### White Christmas Program Sunday At Christian Church

The Haskell Christian Church will present their annual Christprogram Sunday evening,

Dec. 2 at 6:30 p. m. The program is always a highlight of the year's end. This year there will be a beautiful pantomime presentation of the events that accompanied the coming of the world's Savior to mankind, which will be followed by a beautiful candle lighting service with a challenge to Christians for the New Year. The climax will be the presentation of the White Gifts to be used in helping several Christian Children Homes. Interspered throughout the program will be appropriate music presented by the young people of the primary department, the teen-agers, and the adult choir , with solos, duets,

Mrs. Guy Harris and Mrs. Lynn Pace Jr., have led in developing the music for the program. The following young people will have part in the pantomimes: Joseph Thigpen, Mary Pogue, Marilin Crawford, Steve Pace, Freddie Kreger, Jerry Kreger, Sam Pace, Jimmy Don Freshour, Junior Holt. The readers will be: Dennis P. Ratliff, Miss Madalin Hunt, and Charles Pelsue. Those who have headed com-mittees that have worked hard

to make this program possible are: Lynn Pace Jr., Mrs. Dennis Ratliff, Mrs. Guy Collins. The public is cordially invited to attend this service at Christian Church at 107 N. Ave. F. Remember the time: 6:30 p.

#### m. Sunday, December 22. David Conner Is Named on Class AA All-Area Squad

David Conner, tackle on the 1957 HHS Indian football team, was named on the Abilene Reporter News' Class AA All-Abilene Area football selection, announced Sunday by the newspaper.

Named Class AA Coach of the
Year was Harold Barrett of the

Ranger Bulldogs. In addition to Conner, All-Area selections included End Charles Wolford and Back David Wharton

of Ranger End Delbert Wiley of Ballinger, Guard Gaylon Woodard Ballinger, Guard Gaylon Woodard and Quarterback Dale Byerly of Coleman, Halfback Jimmy Roberts of Anson and Quarterback Billy Ryan and Center Bill Moss of Beymour, Guard Don Drusmond of Hamlin, End Rufino Escobedo of Stamford. Following the service there will

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#### Where Do You Keep Your Heart?

Where do you keep your heart?

Do you keep it deep inside, and open it only when you want something for yourself?

Or do you keep it near the surface, especially along about Christmas time-ready to be moved by the appeals of those less fortunate than yourself?

If your heart is hidden far below the blurs and the blemishes the toils and disappointments of this workaday life, the appeal of little children who may see no Santa Claus-unless you are Santa Clauswill surely bring it near the surface. And surely your heartstrings will

All of us become too absorbed in the things that concern us alone. May we not think of others a bit more this Christmas season and give dozens of children a glimpse of the holiday spirit.

That is what the Goodfellows try to do each Christmas. They need your help-will you give it? Or is it of no concern to you that the faith of some little child in Santa Claus is shattered?

Your heart has the answer-and you still have time to mail

#### Poll Tax and Politics

The slang expression. "It won't be long now," probably was never intended to apply to poll tax and politics.

But it aptly fits into the local picture at this time, only a few weeks until the first political guns start booming.

Poll tax payments in Haskell County now stand at about 800, a mere fraction of the potential voting strength of the county. Although voters have the entire month of January in which to pay the 1967 poll tax, the small number who have paid to date does not indicate a potentially large total.

The coming year will be important politically, with qualified voters being called upon to fill local offices from the precinct level up through district, state and national posts.

Aside from any special elections which might be called, first scheduled election for 1958 will be the city election on Tuesday, April 2. Voters will select a mayor and three aldermen. Four days later on April 6, local and county school trustees will be selected.

The big one comes July 27 when poll tax and exemption holders will name officials from Justice of the Peace up to Governor and

Congressman in the first Democratic primary. In addition to the regularly scheduled elections, it is almost certain there will be one or more special elections of importance dur-

You'll need a poll tax to qualify as a voter, unless otherwise exempt. Better pay yours today

#### Give the Gift of Life for Christmas

Governor Price Daniel, through his Traffic Safety Council, has urged a concerted campaign to reduce the slaughter on our streets and highways during the Christmas holiday season.

The Council points out that during December of last year 252 people were killed in traffic accidents on our streets and highways. Of this number, 108 were killed during the Christmas period. Unless every citizen does something to stop this slaughter, the Department of Public Safety predicts that 113 people will be killed in traffic accidents during this year's holiday period.

In the face of this grim prospect, the Council urgently asks that Haskell and all other cities and towns in the state intensify traffic safety campaigns during the remaining days of 1957, for there is a definite goal in sight.

The Department of Public Safety reports there is an excellent chance that this State's 1957 fatality total can be 100 less than last year's record of 2.611 lives lost in accidents provided the public faces up to this critical problem and renders its support during the remain-

Let every motorist adopt the slogan. "Give the gift of life this



When fire strikes your business remember, the loss to you not only includes replacement, but also loss of sales. Protect yourself with fire insurance.



INSURANCE IS THE BEST POLICY (Scotch) COGGINS

551-J Home

# Haskell County History

ware stores will have plenty of

ammunition on hand. Hunters will

be asked to save their rabbit

scalps, as the county will pay a

50 Years Ago-Dec. 14, 1907

Clarence Knight and Stanley

Switzer, who were for some time

on the Herald force at this place.

have gone to Hawley to establish

ing a special offer this month.

Customers are invited to get an

electric smoothing iron and a meat

broiler from the plant, attach

them to their electric connections

and give the appliances a trial in

their home. If not satisfied after

the trial, the articles may be re-

J. F. Coilier left Wednesday

telegram informing him of the

Capt. W. M. Wood of Weinert was in town Thursday, He says

work of harvesting, and are now

Miss Florence Baldwin visited

friends in Munday the first part

Mr. and Mrs. Hart of Dallas are

The city officials are having

drainage culverts put in over town

hat will be appreciated when the

W. T. Newsom and sons have

purchased lots in the northeast

part of town and are building a

neat residence. We understand i

is also their intention to put in a

gin plant for next season's busi-

Culloch and Killingsworth build-

ing on the northeast corner of

next big rains come.

visiting the family of John B

making plans for next year.

turned and no charge will

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5c bounty for the ears.

Haskell County farmers have been told by County Agent B. W. Chesser that it is not necessary to sell their entire 1937 cotton crop before July, 1938, in order to be eligible for the 3-cent subsidy

T. J. Arbuckle visited his mother in Fort Worth Saturday. The Christmas turkey market closed Monday at 16 cents, two a news paper. We predict they

cents higher than the season open- will give the place a good, newsy ed. More than 30,000 pounds of paper. The Haskell Light Plant is makturkeys have been sold on the local market. Al (Dutch) Jordan of this city,

who was injured in a gin accident Monday, was carried to the Stamford Sanitarium Tuesday in an ambulance from Holden Funeral Home. After examination and overnight observation in the hospital, Jordan was returned to his ome here. Mrs. John A. Couch left Wed-

nesday for Waco where she will for Oklahoma City in response to spend the holidays with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed death of his son-in-law, C. M. G. Burleson. Mr. Couch plans to Wheeler. to Waco a few days before Christmas.

Misses Anita Jo Simmons and Louise Pierson, High School pep squad leaders, were guests at the annual Stamford High School football banquet held there Tues-

Mrs. H. K. Henry of Gatesville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Mullino and other relatives here. Herman Pittman, graduate stu-

dent in Texas Christian University is here to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R F. Pittman. Gladys Fouts, sophomore in Hardin-Simmons, came home Sat-

to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Ed F. Fouts. Students returning from Texas rech, Lubbock, to spend the holldays with homefolks are: Ger-

The Grand Jury adjourned finally last Saturday, after returning into court eight indictments aldine Norris, George William for felonies and 26 for misdemean-Fouts, John E. Fouts, Geraldine ors. Seventeen of the latter were Conner, Elsie Gholson, Kathleen Crawford, Bill Williams, and Dufliquor laws. fer Crawford. Broad concrete sidewalks are being laid along the west side and north side of the Stein-Mc-

#### 30 Years Ago-Dec. 21, 1927

Tibbetts Construction Company of Houston was awarded the contract Monday for 20 blocks of paving, on Walton, Campbell, Clark and Houston Streets. The City Council, in letting the contract, reserved an option to add additional blocks where property owners desire. Contract price was \$2.85 per square yard, for the brick on concrete base, with intervening sand cushion and asphalt covering.

W. G. Pope of the Foster community lost a good work mule the other day under unusual circumstances. He had bought a span of mules from a neighbor, and was leading them to his place behind as auto. He had not gone far until one of the animals began staggering. Although he stopped immediately, the mule died within a few minutes. A veterinarian explained the animal nad succumbed to poisoning from monoxde gas from the car's exhaust. Prior to Dec. 1. a total of 40,-

557 bales of cotton had been ginned in Haskell County from the 1927 crop, the government reports. W. A. Hise of the Howard comis one of the county's leading farmers. He has picked and ginned 119 bales from this

year's crop and still has several bales in the field. Because Christmas comes on Sunday this year, Haskell stores will observe a holiday on Mon-

Dec. 26. Hugh Anderson, who is attending Tech College at Lubbock came home Monday to spend the Christmas holidays with home folks.

J. D. Hughes, farmer and stockman who lives in the Post community, won first place award at the International Grain and Hav Show in Chicago, on the best 10 heads of mile maize exhibited. A big rabbit drive has been

planned Monday, in the section southwest of town near Mule Creek. Judge S. A. Hughes, who s in charge of plans for the affair, says hunters will meet on

#### CARD OF THANKS

We are truly grateful to the good friends who did so much for us during our recent sorrow. May we take this means of saying thank you for the many comforting expressions of your friendship and ffection - Robt. E. Malone and Family, Mrs. Agatha Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stodghill and

# HUMBLE TIPS

By M. L.



That's right, folks, come to us to be sure your car is properly serviced and ready to go for that holiday trip

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# PEOPLE, PLACES, AND THINGS

Banker W. R. (Roy) Johnson, nows exactly how to describe sinking feeling" that comes a fellow sometimes, since last Saturday's drawing in the C. of Chrisimas program.

Roy, along with Tom Barfield and Don Roberts, have the job of After Tom and Don had ex-plained the rules of the drawing the crowd and Roy had the 100 ilver dollars sorted into the different awards, a little girl was alled to the stand and drew the first card from the container.

Tom, ready on the P. A. system ook the card as he started anouncing "The name drawn is . uh . . W. R. Johnson! But he's not eligible for it, ladies and gentlemen! Roy's only noticeable reaction

was a couple of quicker-than-usual puffs on his pipe as he nodded agreement. Later, he confided. I could have used that money, all right.'

Another fellow who missed out on one of the awards is Bob Herren. Haskell farmer. Kidded by farmers are about up with their friends, Bob replied "Man, I was working, trying to get the rest of my cotton out." Reflectively, he added. "It is kinda discouraging. missing out on a though. money deal. It's enough to turn a man against work!"

> Haskell Jaycees are receiving nany compliments on one of their community projects. the Nativity Scene placed on the courthouse lawn.

The installation has attracted considerable attention, particularly at night when it is illuminated. The striking beauty and simplicity of the scene catches the attention of numerous travelers on the high-

way passing the square. One evening last week a car with an Ohio license tag pulled out of the traffic lane and drove around the block in order to park for violation of the local option for a few minutes apparently for a better view of the scene.

> One little fellow who's letter to Santa Claus caught our eye is destined to go places if he con- He stated Christmas shopping tinues to apply his direct ap- was in full swing. The town has

roach to the problems of life as he grows older.

His letter, which will be in the hristmas edition, gets down to fundamentals quickly. It starts: We've moved You know about that, so let's get on with the toy deal, I want and he proceeds to list the wanted items, A go-getter in the making, we'd

Had he known it, the driver of stolen car nabbed by Highway Patrolmen Arthur Mason Commy Wood and Sheriff Bill Pennington at Sagerton recenty, could have easily outdistanced the patrolmen, whose car had developed motor trouble.

Driver of the stolen car had just ad the vehicle filled with gas as the patrolmen pulled up beside him in the station. Realizing he was caught, the culprit talked freely to the officers. He had 'floor boarded" the car all the way from Jackson, Miss., he related, making the distance in nine

After learning that the patrolhad barely been able to make it into Sagerton because of notor trouble, the car thief snorted, "Man, I could have left you so far behind in this Mercury you'd never known which way I

"Just goes to show that a crook doesn't necessarily get all the breaks every time," was Patrolnar Mason's calm retort.

Because the stolen car had been ransported across a state line. the culprit was taken to Abilene and turned over, along with the car, to a United States narshall.

A letter from Rex Felker states he is getting settled in his new spot as manager of the Quanah Chamt of Commerce.

Rex, who lined up Haskell's splendid Christmas program and stayed here to get it off to a good start, jumped into the same thing on his new job. Their program was launched Dec. 5 as a night affair "with the town full of people turning out for the activities and drawing. He stated Christmas shopping

some fine payrolls to supplement stock raising, he reports.

Members of the fire department ave been kept on the alert recently, as the result of cotton burr and trash fires at local gins. And, naturally, the calls come mostly at night when a high wind strikes. Judging from the com-ments of City Fireman "Satch" Lusk, some inventive genius in the department is going to figure out a way to eliminate the hazard before next ginning season.

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#### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank the docnurses and entire hospital staff, also all who sent food and flowers during our recent sorrow. Your kindness at this time was a great comfort to us and brought up a deeper realization of the priceless value of your friendship. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Friebele.

Excalibur was the name of the famous mystic sword of King

#### HERE TO SPEND THRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

Mrs. William McDonald children, Cene and Scott, of Slidell, La., are here to spend the Christmas holidays in the home of Mrs. McDonald's mother, Mrs Frank C. Scott and Dr. Scott, and with other relatives.

In the U. S. Navy the executive officer is the one next in line to the captain.

Europe is the smallest of the

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# Central Ward School News

We are grateful to those who visited us during the first se-mester, and those who appeared on the series of program this term. Mrs. Crawford, daughter and husband who gave a beautiful skit, jokes and several prizes given to students during the two programs rendered at Central Ward School this semester. She gave away \$7 or \$8 in prizes, peanuts, pecans, and gave teachers a cup and saucer each and about a bushel of apples to students and teachers. A fine spirit of good will to a less fortunate group. We solicit that type of interest from other citizens of good will.

We do appreciate those who aided us in being represented in our National Parent and Teachers Congress that convened at Charlton-Pollard High School in Beaumont, Texas, Dec. 6-7, 1957. This is the second time in the history of Central Ward School that we were represented with the organi-

The Principal reported that the 73rd annual session of the Texas State Teachers Association of Texas, held in Waco Nov. 28-30 was a success and largely attended. This is the second time in the history of Central Ward School that teachers were represented 100 per cent in the District TSTA, and the National Education Association. This is the first time we have been represented in the Youth Fellowship organization, the H gh School YMCA and YWCA organizations. The principal gave \$12.50, and the Independent Baptist Church, Rev. J. L. Shellman, astor, gave \$5.00.

It is our desire today and tomorrow, to be given a chance and opportunity to develop into fullfledged citizenship, and prove our worth as American citizens in this commonwealth of ours.

The following citizens and stuients gave the amounts listed; B. T. W. Brembry gave \$5.00 and sponsored the drive; Mrs. O. M. Eilis and husband, \$6; Mrs. Lona C. Walker and husband \$2; Miss Addie Wilson \$1; Mrs. Ann Hogan \$1; Mrs. Ruby Lee Van Zandt \$1; Mrs. Rosle Lee Parker \$1; Mrs. Louise Platt \$2:50; Mrs. Albert Hall \$2; Mrs. Corine Moffet \$1 Morris Curtis \$1: Bille Gene White \$1; Earl Shepherd \$1; Leo Johnson \$1; Alvin Earl Johnson \$1; Albert Earl Foster \$1; Jackie Kingsberry \$1; Charles Cain \$1; Diivia Cain \$1; Lee Altus Cain \$1; Hazel Jeanette Jones \$1; Floyd 31.25; Rev. Otis Jackson \$1.50.

Jackson in his 4th Anniversary program, \$81.84. He has aided astors on several occasions and supported their programs.

he presence of Rev. Guy Harris, ister of the First Christian Church, and family, and Minister Paul E. Rogers of the Church of Christ, on Dec. 13, 1957. Minister Harris used John 3:16 as his text and Minister Rogers took his text from Matthew 25:31. Both brought repirational messages.

Mrs. Harris rendered two selctions that everyone enjoyed Mrs. Harris also allowed us to se their hymnals this week and she has practiced one group with Christmas Carols. We several

are grateful. Benjamin Van Vandt will speak o us Thursday about Korea. France and Germany. He is makng a career of the Army and will retire at 40. He is married the former Miss Ruby Lee Platt of Haskell.

Rev. M. D. Rexrode, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and our City Superdittendent of Schools. Mr. King will be with us Friday We are grateful for the outstanding personalities of the commuty who give their time to share their experiences with us.

I wish for each of you a Merry Merry Christmas, and a Happy and Propserous New Year. "We have seen His Star in the east. and have come to worship Him.

#### Mattson Pep Squad Honors Football Players At Banquet

The Mattson Pep Squad honored their football players and coaches with a sem-formal ban-quet recently. The banquet was on the theme of the Golden Harvest and was held in the Mattson

The menu consisted o ffried chicken, creamed potatoes, green beans, gravy, tossed salad, rolls, and ice cream topped with straw-

berries. After the banquet the Football Hero and Football Sweetheart were presented. Dorinda Kretschmer was chosen Football Sweetheart and was presented with a bouquet of roses and a football lacket. Loyd Klose was chosen Football Hero and was presented with a charcoal gray shirt and red vest sweater.

The boys that are to letter were announced by Coach Baker. The boys presented the coach with small gift and the girls gave Mrs Baker a small token of their and preciation for all she has defor them.

After the presentation es enjoyed a good football form There were 41 present at the han-

# RADIO & RECORD SHOP to 140 degrees or more.

### Use Caution In Placing and Decorating Trees

But not everyone sleeps. In fire stations there's an air

uneasy tension Fires at Christmas time are particularly tragic at this the hap-piest holiday of the year. On this most sentimental day thousands if homes and apartments are carelessly and unwittingly converted into dangerous fire traps regardless of warnings by fire epartment officials and safety uthorities.

Two years ago fires on Christ-mas Eve killed 23 persons, most of them children, and in the fourday weekend last year took the

ives of 54. This year, for instance, the nation's fire losses may well be ver a billion dollars, the death oll close to 10,800, according to he National Board of Fire Underwriters. Over 300,000 fires. the National Board declares were in the home.

Among fire victims at Christmas time a year ago were a mother and four children in Meriden, Conn.; three brothers in Allagash Plantation, Me.; three sleeping children in Great Falls, Mont : two small children in Phenix City, Ala.; a sleeping mother and five children in Ironwood, Mich.

You can save your life and you can prevent fires by observing the following suggestions offered at this time by the National Board: The Christmas tree is a poten-tial fire hazard and caution should be taken in its selection, placement in the home, and mainten-

Play safe by choosing a small one. There will be 30 million on the market.

Keep the tree outdoors until ready to be set up. While it's outdoors occasionally throw water over it to keep it moist and fresh. This will keep it moist, fresh. When you bring the tree inside. cut the butt slantwise to open the pores, then stand it in a tub

of water or moist earth. Be cautious of chemicals or ohter substances sold for "fireproofing" trees. In some cases this process is ineffective.

In placing the tree, it's best to avoid "hot spots" such as those year the fireplace, stove, televison set, radiator, or electric bulbs Never use untreated paper ornanents or untreated cotton bating or gauze for decoration. Coton and gauze can be made flame resistive by dipping in a gallon Fennon \$1; Clyde Patterson \$1; of water mixed with nine ounces Mrs. Ann Hogan \$1; Mrs. Menon of borax and four ounces of boric Hogan \$1; John Henry Hammond

Use only electric lights, never candles. Be sure, too, that wires Principal Brembry also aided candles. Be sure, too, that wires he Independent Baptist Church are in good condition and bear the Sunday School with a small group UL mark denoting Underwriters present to the tune of \$15.10. Laboratorites, Inc., which shows nd on Dec. 13-15 Rev. Otis B. they have been tested for safety Frayed electric cords are a fire hazard. The switch for turning on the

rea lights should be placed some distance from the tree. Never use an outlet plug under the tree or un electric trains around the

If decorations are used about he house, do not permit them around or near chairs and other places where people may smoke t is preferable to have them near he ceiling, well above the head anyone standing up.

Keep plenty of ash trays handy during the holiday season, as al-If lights are desired in windows,

lever use candles. Keep curtains and other flammable material nulled back at least six inches from any electire light. Use non-inflammable decora- materials from your living room tions of glass or metal, and "fire and dispose of them.

# Sagerton News

Everyone is invited to attend iny or all of the Children's Christmas programs being prepared by the Sunday School pupils of the hree churches and the school pupils pageant "Christmas Eve Visor w... be given by the school pupils Thursday evening, Dec. 19 at 7 p. m. On Sunday evening, and Mrs. Leon Stegemoeller and Dec. 22 the St Paul's Lutheran family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hertel Sunday School will have their Thristmas program at 6:30 p. m. and the Methodist Sunday School will have theirs also the same night. The Zion Lutheran Christmas program will be held Christmas Eve at 7 p. m.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loil Young last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swofford and Williard Young of Carlton and Claude Young of Stamford. Church services will be held at the Zion Lutheran Church at 2 p. next Sunday afternoon, and Christmas program practice will

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Guinn, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wal-ter Speck of Rochester, went to Odessa Sunday to help the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Guinn move their things and get settled in their new home.

Mrs. August Hahn, who had to is back in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ervin Diers, near Old Glory, and is much better.

### Pedestrian Deaths Due to Increase During Holidays

Chicago-Pedestrians are never more than two feet away from a traffic accident-their own two feet-the National Safety Council said today.

Because pedestrian deaths are highest in December, the Council is stressing pedestrian safety in ts annual December safety campaign. Long hours of dar Christmas shopping haste and holiday drinking by both pedestrians end drivers increase the usual pedestrian hazards, the Council

A special study of 501 Christmas holiday accidents, made by the shows that one-third of the pedestrians killed contributed to their own deaths by crossing between intersections. from behind a parked car or walking on a roadway. Victims were principally older persons. Four out of 10 of the victims were vears old or older.

Many times a pedestrian has ly two seconds to avoid being hit, the Council said, unless the driver can change his speed or direction. If a car is traveling 34 miles an hour-about 50 feet a second-and the driver sees the pedestrian 100 feet away, it is almost impossible for the driver to top in time.

To avoid being hit, the Council urges pedestrians to: 1. Cross streets only at inter-

sections and to say within cross-2. Obey traffic signals, signs,

regulations, and directions of traffic officers. 3. Never dash into the street or walk suddenly from any spot

where parked cars or other obstructions block the view. 4. Be sure there is time cross safely before stepping from

5. Walk to the left, facing traffic, if there are no sidewalks. proof" snow in decorating your

tree for Christmas. After you have Christmas presents, remove all the gift wrappings and packing

birthday party in his home Fri-13 Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Raphelt of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hertel, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Olson and family of Stamford, Mr. and daughter, F. A. Stegemoeller and Raymond Olson of Stamford the honoree and his family.

Charles and Reece Clark returned Sunday from a deer hunting trip to South Texas.

The registered Hereford bull belonging to Leon Stegemoeller and his brothr Marvin, took third place in his class at the Abilene Registered Hereford Sale Monday of last week, and was sold for

Mrs. Minnie Koch and son of Lueders visited with Mr. and Mrs. August Angerman last Sunday.

Elyzabell LeFevre, who attends a beauty college in Lubbock, spent several days of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. LeFevre.

Winston Ulmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ulmer and a student be taken to the hospital last week at Texas Tech, was home last weekend

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#### Delta Kappa Gamma Christmas Party Held In Asperment

Members of Beta Chi chapter. Delta Kappa Gamma, met for their annual Christmas party on Saturday evening in the First Methodist Church, Aspermont, with Aspermont members: Mesdames A. D. Martin, Lee Smith T. C. Clark, Wesley Robbins, Jack McGough, John P. Ward, and Marvin Lott Jr., as hosts.

Chancel rail at the church was covered with pink angel hair. At intervals were golden pine cones in hand-wrought silver candelabra completed the decor in the main auditorium.

Mrs. Luther Burkett, Haskell, president of the group, welcomed members and guests. Mrs. Lott Jr., was program chairman for the evening. She introduced the guests, Rev. Rex Mauldin, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Aspermont, Mrs. Mauldin and their accompanist. Miss Glenda Galloway, who gave an evening's program of Christmas favorites in story and song. Mrs. Mary Martin, music chairman of the group of Haskell, led in the singing of Christmas carols.

exclusively in gold decorations, the I nestled in a bed of red and held staff. gifts for all. The serving table was laid with an antique ivory lace cloth over red linen. A tall, frosted taper, set in a cage of bronze wire, trimmed with Christmas beads and surrounded by Christmas balls in shades of red, was the focal point of table decorations. Bronze wire cherub carolers, flanking jeweled candles. completed arrangements.

Presiding at the silver tea service was Mrs. Smith and serving the fruit cake was Mrs. Ward. Christmas corsages were presented to those present. The guests, Rev .and Mrs. Mauldin, Miss Galloway, and Misses Ann Bradshaw, Glenda Gardner and Sabro Kelley, Abilene Christian College students, together with twenty members attended from Haskell, Munday and Asperment.

Make hers a

Red Christmas



#### WTU Power Plant Employees Stage Christmas Party

The annual Christmas Party for the West Texas Utilities Co.'s Paint Creek Power Plant employand swags of holly. Red candles ees was given this year at the Haskell Elementary School audi-

Turkey, dressing, vegetables, sweet potatoes, pie, and coffee, were served to one hundred-fifteen employees, their families and

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Britt Smart of the Abilene General office, and Mr. and Mrs. H. King of the Haskell local of-

Food was served by the Haskell School Home Economics class, under the direction of Mrs. Pyeatt A white Christmas tree done McCollum and was prepared by the Elementary School cafteria

> After the meal, Santa Claus was n hand to greet and visit the hildren. Santa then gave Christmas gifts to all the children pres-

> Chief Engineer C. O. Holt. Asst. hief Engineer J. R. Cook, and maintenance foreman. W. E. Huss Jr., were presented Christmas presents by Wallace R. Stark, M. C., on behalf of the W. T. U. employees.

Following an entertaining half hour with Santa Claus, the group then played bingo. Bingo prizes included such prizes as a pop corn popper, heating pad, dutch Reddy Kilowatt cuff links, reading lamps, and electric clocks, and numerous prizes of groceries, candies, and gum.



MISS FRANCES ROSALIE MCCALL

Announcement has been made pastor of the First Presbyteria of the engagement of Miss Frances Rosalie McCall, 1231 Malcolm, Garland, to William A. Cunningham, Jr., of Austin. Rev. R. K. McCall, Austin, former terian Church of Dallas.

Church, Haskell. He is the of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Cunningham, Sr., of Austin.

The wedding will be an even of February 8 in the Sudie George McCe'l is the daughter of Memorial Chapel, First Presby

#### Miss Ridge Is Bride Of Pat Hartsfield In Midland Rites

The wedding of Miss Judith Dell Ridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith Ridge of Midland, and Darwin Rae (Pat) Harts-field, son of Mrs. John L. Hartsfield and the late Mr. Hartsfield of Lubbock, was solemnized Sat-urday, Dec. 14 in Midland First Presbyterian Church.

The Rev. Richard Be Clayborne officiated for the double ring ceremony at 5:30 p. m.

A background of seven-branched candelabra was accented by baskets of white gladioli and white carnations. Similar arrangements graced the communion table.

George L. DeHart played organ selections and accompanied Miss Peggy Read as she sang Faithful Forever, and Wedding Prayer. Mr. Ridge escorted his daughter down an ais's marked by white satin bows. She was gowned in delustered satin fashioned with a pearl embroidered lace yoke

and long-point sleeves.

John L. Hartsfield of Lubbock was his brother's best man. Ushers were Charles Moore, Clinton Smith and Robert Brackett, all of Lubbook, Smith and Moore also lighted the candles.

church parlor following the cere-Montgomery, Ala.

The Harisfields will establish After dismissal with the P-TA residence at 2106 13th St., Lub- Prayer, a social hour followed

he is a senior student at Teas

Mrs. Hartsfield attended Tech two years where she was affiliated with Pi Beta Phi social sorority. Her husband is co-captain of the Tech Red Raider football team and a member of the Double T Association and Sigma Alpha

Epsilon social fraternity.

Attending the wedding from Haskell were Mr. and Mrs. Hess Hartsfield and son, Larry. The Haskell man is a cousin of the bridegroom.

#### Students Present Panel Discussion For Jr. High P-TA

The Haskell Junior High P-TA in the Visual Aid room

Mrs. J. D. Weaver called the meeting to order, and introduced the Rev. M. D. Rexrode who brought an inspirational devotional message appropriate to the Christman season.

Mrs. J. A. Byrd was director of Miss Virginia Leah Ridge at-tended her sister as maid of hon-James Cameron acting as chairman of the panel. They discussed their problems under headings of dating, growing up, and recreation. At the close of their marks, several adults from the audience were asked to present A reception was held in the their opinions on the same topic.

A short business session was mony, after which the couple left held. Room count was taken, with immediately on a wedding trip to Mrs. Green's room winning the

bock, where she is employed as with Seventh Grade mothers being service representative by South- hostesses. Cookies and coffee was western Bell Telephone Co. and served from a decorated table.



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#### Rule OES Chapter Makes Plans For Christmas Party

Mrs. John P. Ward. Aspermont, Worthy Matron, presided for the regular meeting of Rule chapter, use Order of the Eastern Star, in the Masonic Hall on Thursday

Charlie Jackson, acted as worthy patron and conducted initiation Resolutions to the memory of a deceased member, Mrs. Vera Rogers, were read and memorial services for her were conducted by Mrs. E. C. Smith, marshal, and Mrs. Joe Mathis, chaplain Mrs. Mary Lee Pinkard, organist, played When They Ring Those Golden Bells.

Star points, Mesdames Leatha Star points, Mesdames Leatha, Fuller, Ola Mae Lisle, Zora Wood, Lucille Martin and Audie Penick, together with Mrs. Ward, were characters in program honoring new members for the past two years. Honored were Allen Davis, Miss Janice Ruth Mauldin, and Mesdames Carl W. Duncan, Pinkird. Nancy Sims and Roy Dean Smith. Each received a pocket edition containing Eastern Star thoughts, linen handkerchiefs, and symbolic key charm, gifts of he worthy matron. The entire nembership joined in singing the reicome song.

Plans were made for the chap-er's annual Christmas party to be held Friday, Dec. 20 at 7:30 p. m. in the Philadelphian club-

Instead of exchanging mong members, gifts of money ill be hung on the tree for the hapter's part in the Worthy brand Matron's chosen welfare rogram. A box of individually rapped gifts will be sent for resents of the Eastern Star Home Arlington.

Christmas candies, pecan crisps nd miniature red stocking lemon hins were served with coffee from a refreshment table covered with lace over red linen. Twenty-four members and guests attended.

#### RETURN FROM VISIT IN DILOXI, MISS.

Mr. and Mrs. William Baccus have returned home after spend-ing a few days in Biloxi, Miss., in the home of Airman 3-c Clinon Baccus and Mrs. Baccus. While away the foursome toured Pensacola, Fla., and went across to Santa Rosa Island to scenic Old Fort Pickens. A-3c Baccus is studying electronics, radio and radar at Keesler Air Force Base near Biloxi, Miss.

Next total eclipse of the sun will be Oct. 12, 1958.

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#### ACC Vice President Guest Speaker at Study Club Meeting

W. R. Smith, Abilene, vice president of ACC was the speaker when the Progressive Study Club met Dec. 5 in the Homemaking

cottage. Topic of the program was Juvenile Delinquency. Mr. Smith was accompanied by his wife. Mrs. Bob Herren was director

of the program. Attending: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Perry, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. "Shady" Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holden, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pit-man, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hester, Mesdames R. G. Foote, W. E. Woodson, Frank Martin, Huey Bledsoe, Wilda Medford, Bob Herren. Bailey Toliver, Ed Hester, Clarence Davis, Wm. J. Kemp. S. W. Flournoy, M. C. Medley.

#### Weinert Study Club Christmas Party Given Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Baker of Weinert were host and hostess to a lovely Christmas party for the We jert Study Club members with their husbands as guests Monday evening at their home. Games of progressive 42 were

played. Refreshments of sodas, coffee and cake were served. Club members packed a box of Christmas gifts to be sent to the State hospital in Wichita Falls. Six couples attended the party. They were Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Earle, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Lemley, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Phemister. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Patton, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Guess and the host and hostess.

Distemper is commonly considered a form of influenza.

Some 91 million Chinese died from famine in the year 1877-78

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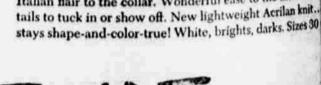


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things to wish for last year, and

I guess we wished too hard for

rain, because we surely received too much, didn't we? There's no

use wishing for prosperity for us

farmers until we get through with

these Republicans, so let's just

try to be content and happy with

our lot. We hope all of you can

afford to stay on the farm and

don't have to move to some town

or city for a job. I guess what we

could wish for our community this

coming year would be for more

of our people to be able to move

back to us, and for some new

families with 8 or 10 children to

move in to help our school and

starve to death. Anyway, may

you have a wonderful Christmas.

Lt. Sidne Woodsen

Second Lieutenant Sidney B.

silver pilot wings in graduation

ceremonies at Goodfellow Air

Force Base, Texas, on November

15. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs.

Lt. Woodson graduated in 1952

from Haskell High School and at-tended Texas A&M College where

ne received his B. S. degree in

Agriculture Engineering. He re-ceived his commission through

the ROTC program at A&M. Be-

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Shepherd

of Olney were visitors Sunday in

W. E. Woodson of this city.

Seminole. Texas.

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Receives Wings An

Air Force Pilot

an-Starnes ng Rites

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Whitharral, became the libum Starnes, son of tr. J. C. Starnes of the Whitharral Bap-Sunday, Dec. 15 in ceremony. Rev. M. officiated at the cere-

honor was Anita Bur-harral and the brides-re Linda Overman and erman, sisters of the marral. Archie Cocharillo, brother-in-law m. served as best man-ers were Joyce Smith, be bride, McLean; Kay lery Overman, brother de. Whitharral, and nes, brother of the Whitharral.

Hisaw, organist, my Hisaw, mer sang. I Love You Wonderful One.

given in marriage by wore white lace over The jacket waist with fingertip sleeves. veil fell from a white dress. She carried a

white mums. The wore blue two-piece accessories. rs were white mums. option was held in the was covered with over blue. Appointof crystal and silver. and the bouquets of party were used as The wedding cake pered. trimmed with om. The bride's ta-red with a white

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cloth and centered with blue car-

cloth and centered with blue carnations.

Miss Linda Reed served punch
and Miss Geneva Raines served

Paint Creek . . . ake, Mrs. J. H. Smith Jr., regisered the guests.

Following a wedding trip to Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and Haskell, Texas, the couple will be at home in Killeen. The bride's going away costume

was a blue faille princess style dress, trimmed in wool with blue and white accessories. Her corheld Saturday. Dub sims show- vid, 3, who are visiting for a few dred Patterson, George Bouldin.

Attending the wedding from Haskell were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Phelps, Rusty and Chery. Jake Stewart, Shirley and Eddie. Mrs. Starnes is the granddaugh-ter of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Viney

#### Soil Tests Will Get Lawns and Gardens Off to Good Start

College Station-A soil test is the first step in getting your garden or lawn off to a good start next spring.

Fertility-of the right kind and mount—is necessary to keep lawns growing good and to keep gardens producing plenty of good vegetables. This can be determined in a laboratory test.

Taking a soil sample for testthe piano was another arrangeing to determine its fertility needs is easy, said Wm. F. Bennett, supervisor of the Soil Testof honor wore a blue ing Laboratory at Texas A&M College. If it is from a lawn dig spories. She carried a about the first three inches of soil from about 10 different places. mix them together and take about Dan Griffith served as master of

a pint to be used for testing. If it is from a garden use the same procedure, but dig about the first six inches of soil, Bennett said. One sample normally is enough for most lawns or gardens, but if the type soil differs from one part of the lawn to another a sample from each of the various types should be taken. A soil test cannot be used to determine whether a plant has died from root rot or some other disease, he said. Neither can the test be used to determine presence of soil insects or other effects due to a lack of soil fertility. However, if samples are taken to help determine plant growth dif-ficulties, complete information on how the plants have grown and symptoms of the disease should be included with the soil sample.

AT LAST

Roy Craig who made pictures of the annual. Ray Hughes, who is in the submarine base, New London, Conn., is at home for a two week's Christmas leave (I believe the Navy calls it liberty) with his family, Mr. and Mrs. W.C. (Kid) Hughes and Jerry. Ray's subma-

show and Dub will show his cal-

ves at the Wichita Falls show in

The football banquet at the

lunchatorium Monday night was a

beautiful, colorful affair. Tables

for six were arranged about the

room, decorated with green styra-

foam miniature football fields with

tall white tapers joined by white

cross bars representing goal

posts. Miniature Pirates were place

favors, the programs were print-

ed on white footballs, and small

white jerseys were place markers.

At the head table was an ar-

rangement of maroon and gold

ment of mums in a football hel-

The pep squad girls planned and

decorated for the banquet, and

mothers of the boys and the girls

cooked and served the food, as-

sisted by the Homemaking girls.

Judy Calloway and Linda Med-

ford sang My Happiness and Let

Me Call You Sweetheart. Dan

Riley Griffith was crowned foot-

ball hero, and Sue Watson foot-

ball sweetheart. He was presented

a gift from the pep squad and

she was presented a gift from the

team. The speaker of the evening

was Coach Gordon Wood of Stam-

ford. He compared a football

team to an industrial plant with

a list of things which will cause

industry to lag, and will also hurt

a team. Some of these were ab-

At the close of the banquet let-

ter jackets were presented mem-

bers of the team. Guests were the

faculty and their wives and hus-

senteeism, lack of ability.

ceremonies.

mums in a gold football and on

rine is the Corsair. Mrs. Jewell McLennan has completed her course at the Scoggin Beauty School in Abilene and will go to Austin sometime in January to take the state examinations. Paul is enjoying attending

sage was taken from her wedding ed the reserve champion calf, a weeks until their mother comes Leo McKeever and Alex McLen-760 pound Hereford bred by Dr. home from the hospital with a E. P. Bunkley of Stamford. In new baby daughter. Little Miss the division for lightweight steers under 900 pounds, Deb's won first Nov. 27 at St. Ann's Hospital in and another calf won fifth. The Abilene to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. calves were not sold after the

Community News

McKeever. Richard Selman acted as master of ceremonies at the Sagerton football banquet last Tuesday night where Ray Overton Jr. was speaker.

Mrs. Twain Mickler and little daughter of Colorado City are guests of her mother Mrs. Veda Griffin and Twain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess J. Mickler.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Garland Middlebrook are here for the holidays for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Velton Middlebrooks and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Sonnamaker of Haskell, Billy Garland is working in Casper, Wy.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Haynes and William spent Sunday afternoon in Anson with Mr. Haynes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Haynes. In the re-routing of the line for the new road, the Haynes were able to get a telephone. Their number is 728K4. Gene Overton attended the Eagle Scout ceremony at Hamlin

Scout Lodge near Lake Hamlin last Friday night. Kenneth Lafferty, Scout executive from Stamford was a Paint

Creek visitor Monday. Christmas shoppers (that I saw) in Abilene Saturday were Mr. and Bill Mickler, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watson (she is the former Evelyn Shanafelt), Mr. and Mrs. Durward Livengood and children, and Mrs. Gene Overton and Mike. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cox recent-

ly had all their children home for

the weekend. Here were Mr. and Mrs. Othella Cox and family of Weinert, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Cox of Lubbock, Helen Jean Cox of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gardner and children of Dallas, bands, Coach Gordon Wood and and some friends of theirs, Mr. and Mrs. Gocher, also of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Vernay Howard honored his mother, Mrs. M. B. Howard on Dec. 1 with a birthday dinner in their home. Here for the

day were her son Murle Howard and his wife of Albany, Bud Howard, Gayle and Marion of Lubbock, a son-in-law, Rice Alvis, his son Tom, and Geneva Franklin of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. Vernay Howard and Dubbie, the hosts. Mrs. Howard's daughter, Mrs. Rice Alvis couldn't come.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McRae, Johnny and Linda had as their week the home of their daughter and end guests last week Mr. Mc- family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holter Mr. and Mrs. Leo McKeever Rae's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Les in this city.

McRae and family from Hurst. Mrs. L. E. Dudley Oscar Nichols, 70, who lived in the Rockdale part of Paint Creek Guest Speaker at until 1930 when he moved to Wich-B&PW Club Meet ita Falls, died there the 29th. He had been in failing health for sev-"Come out, come out and be

eral years. Graveside rites were ed Mrs. L. E. Dudley of Abilene Two of his sisters, Mrs. Tony members of the Business and Schaefer and Mrs. Louis Cox live Professional Women's Club. Mrs. Dudley, well known as

public speaker and for her active part in federated club and charity work, reviewed Cid Rickett Sumner's "A View From the Hill" at the Christmas dinner of the B&PW Mr. and Mrs. Lennis Jones of Club Tuesday evening at seven-Delinda Ruth McKeever was born Rule were guests Sunday after- thirty in the dining room of the Texas Cafe.

Dr. and Mrs. David Ballard of A wonderful philosophy of life, Stamford spent Sunday with his a love of travel and association parents ,Mr. and Mrs. Tom Balwith people was portrayed as Mrs. Dudley presented the author's Merry Christmas Paint Creekversion of the most outstanding ers! May each of you have good incidents in her life. health, good crops and content-

Tables for the dinner were decorated with Santa and Santa's boots with cedar and brilliant Christmas balls running the length of the tables. officers of the club were hostesses for this utstanding program.

Places were marked with small lanta Class face for the followng: Lorraine Dudley, Leone Pear-Clara Biard, Ozelle Frierson, Reba Harrell. Dora Montgomery. Ramia Lee Frazier, Jeanette Jones, Elizabeth Stewart, Gertrude Robinson, Edna Mae Lyles, Erma Liles, Mrs. Fred Monke, Marion Frierson, Pauline Norman, Artie May Burkett, Allee Payne. Peggy Vaughter, Thelma Adams. Jessie Vick, Esther Payne, Opal churches. Maybe we should not Dotson. Veta Furrh, wish that, because they might Hunt. Juanita King. Callie Rob-starve to death. Anyway, may inson. Lois Jones. Bera Hattox. Campbell, Wanda Greenand be as happy as we are going | hill. bble Herd, Fadwa Hassen, to be with our two Aggies at | Cor "Kelvain and Janice Garrett.

#### · VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Therwhen it and Barry of Abilene, and their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Derr nd Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Ther-Woodson of Haskell rectived his whanger Sr., in Weinert Saturday and Sunday.

> VISIT IN HOME OF MOTHER

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Barton of Abilene were visitors Sunday in the home of Mrs. Barton's mother. Mrs. L. N. Lusk, and with other

HASKELL VISITOR

relatives here.

fore entering the service, Wood-Charlie Allison of Wellington, son was an irrigation engineer for Pexas, visited in the home of his the Soil Conservation Service at sister, Mrs. May Larned several days last week. He had been vis-Lt. Woodson is married to the iting relatives in Granbury for the former Nancy L. McFarlin of past two months and was en Haskell. They have one son, Wilroute home.

### HHS Football Banquet Saturday Evening One of Season's Most Colorful Events

of the holiday season took place Beckey Watson, Co-leaders. Saturday evening, Dec. 14 in the Band and cheering section en- came when Coach Overton introng Indian football squad and

The cafeteria was decorated in Christmas theme of blue and silver. Blue Christmas trees sprayed with silver hung from the windows and ceiling. The ceiling gave a heavenly touch with silver stars dangling down from strings of blue. The tables had white covers with lighted candles sprinkled with glitter. Blue miniature Christmas trees were center pieces. Plate favors were sil- Christmas Party ver angels with red lolli-pop heads. To add to the decorations. programs were miniature Christmas trees.

white silhouette of a church with glittered steeple and roof stood next to the piano.

Janette Gibson acted as narra-Wonderland" and "White Christmore sextet, Kay Culbertson, Kay bara Elliott, Gayle Ratliff and the prayer.

Leab Ratliff accompanied by John Refreshments of fruits, mits, Stone at the piano.

rected by Mr. Porter.

duced the new yell leaders. They A. Thomas Sr., Stella Josselet, are Lin Currie, Senior Leader; Martin Rueffer, Julia Collins, Junior Leader: Kay Creenhill and the hostess.

Coach Overton introduced the

HHS Cafeteria, when the HHS football boys. The biggest thrill terlained with a banquet honor- duced John Kimbrough and he, in turn introduced Sammy Hardin-Simmons coach. It was the most exciting event the stuwitnessed-to be sitting in the presence of two of the greatest time" All-Americans.

The banquet closed with the group singing "Silent Night." The former cheer leader led

### Josselet HD Club Held Tuesday

The Josselet Home Demonstrauon Club met in the home of Mrs. Marvin L. Walters Tuesday for the annual Christmas Party. Christmas decorations were us-

d throughout the house and in he entertaining room a Christmas Winter tree was loaded with gifts. Mrs. Paul Cothron and Mrs. C. mas" were sung by the sopho- A. Thomas Sr., gave Christmas

more sextet, Kay Culbertson, Kay readings. The group sang "Silent Wiseman, Beckey Watson, Bar- Night" and Mrs. W. C. Norton led

candies, cake and coffee were ser-Carols were played by a sec-tion of the high school band di- Ray Cothron, W. C. Norton, Lan Robertson, Louise Merchant, Janet Pennington, head leader J. L. Toliver Sr., J. P. Perrin, the season of 1958-59 intro- Carl Bailey, Thurman Howeth, C. Miss Wanda

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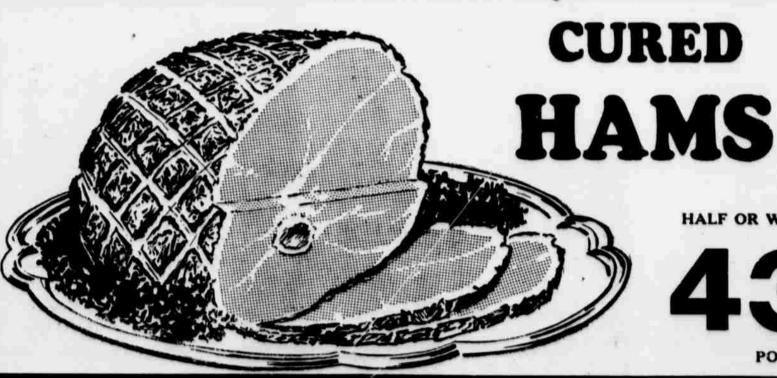
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nants were made from yellow conuniction paper. The programs were in the outline of footballs. usual tables were of small yellow leaves on styrafoam. A bronzed | playing on the Decatur team. candle was placed in the center. On the head table, the centerpiece was made from bronzed children in Brownfield. mums and small yellow chrysanthemums placed in a football

Jackie Cox was master of ceremonies for the following pro- too much for horse trading. Es-Invocation by Coach Yarbrough.

Welcome by Georgia McAda. Response by Sammy Grindstaff. The entertainment was given by the Gayettes, a group of girls from O'Brien, accompanied Joann Emerson, pianist, and Jun-Hester with electric guitar. The Gayettes sang "Winter Wonderland," and Junior Hester sang an original composition, "She's My Darling.

The guest speaker was J. T. Sego, assistant football coach at Rochester, who talked on "The Characteristics of a Champion. The benediction was given by George Plifer of O'Brien.

#### Singers Invited To Program In Stamford Sunday

Singers and music lovers of this section are being invited to attend a regular program spon-sored by Haskell and Jones Counly singers to be held Sunday, Dec. 22 at the Foursquare Church in Stamford.

The program will begin at 2 p. m. according to Sam White, of Stamford, who is in charge of arrangements for the event. Haskell singers have a special invitation to attend.

Derby Day was first instituted at Epsom Downs in England by the Earl of Derby in 1780.

# **MATTSON NEWS**

next year.

improvement

vided by law in certain cases.

As a result of this stepped up

action, 1.620 drivers were inter-

viewed in October throughout

Texas to determine if they were

to retain their driving privileges. Some 109 drivers were interview-

ed by Lee's personnel in Region

During the fiscal year 1956-57,

Major R. A. Crowder, Commander

of Region 5, reported that a to-

tal of 19,253 interviews were held

rendering 14.363 affirmative find-

ings authorizing the suspension of

drivers license. Out of this num-

19.253 interviews, 2.694 formal

been placed on an individual's

ing him that the convictions are

on file and soliciting his coopera-ton in making our highways

safer. After four entries, an ex-

amination letter is mailed from

Austin headquarters requesting

that the driver be re-examined to

prove that he is physically and

mentally able to operate a motor

vehicle safely. During the fisca

year, 48,917 Texas drivers were

summoned for this re-examina-

When five adverse entries are

alled before a department rep-

esentative to discuss his record

and determine if driver improve-

said, "We have had a greater in-

crease in driver improvement

relivities in 1957 than any pre-vious year." The captain report-

ed that for this period there was

a 44 per cent increase in formal court hearings with an 80 per

cent increase in criminal com-

plaints filed by the Drivers Li-

these are for making false state-

ments on drivers license applica-

Mrs. O. W . Tooley is in San An-

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to go to San Antonio Dec. 24 to join his wife for a brief visit there

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record, he is sent a letter remind-

suspension of drivers licenses.

BY CHRISTENE GREENE Correspondent

Mrs. Leon Newton went to Abilene Friday

Miss Elva Mae Holcomb visit-Sound girls and their spon- ed her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Miss Letha Hix. Jake Holcomb during the week

Supt. Bill Baker took a group of high school boys to Abilene centerpieces for the individ- Thursday might to see Decatur College play Hardin-Simmons in chrysanthemums with bronzed basketball. Arlon Alexander is

Mrs. Annie Sorenson has returned home after visiting her

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Sego made a three-day trip to Hugo, Okla., where they purchased a horse, Mrs. Sego says she doesn't care pecially over such rough roads

Mrs. Holcomb's sister, Dovie Furth, will undergo surgery in Fort Worth Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Phelps and

Mrs. Jake Stewart went to Littlefield Sunday to attend the wedding of their piece. They returned Monday.

Harris Strickland is visiting his mother, Mrs. Velma Strickland. He has been ill and is having some dental work done while he is

and Mrs. Willie Moeller ber, 7.192 judgments were held in moved to Haskell last week. abeyance and the drivers placed on probation. This was a 47 per visited her folks in Hamlin Sun-

and Mrs. Rody Sorenson entertained the young married folks of Mattson church Thursday night with a Christmas supper. After supper gifts were exchanged. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Aycock, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ormsby, Mrs. Jake Stewart, Mrs. Howell Greene and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Sorenson. Several of the class did not get to attend because of working

Mattson basket ball team play-d Old Glory here Friday night. Mattson boys won and the girls lost their game. Vera will play at Mattern Monday night. Mattson Baptist Church will

have a Christmas tree and pro-Wednesday night. Almost everyone is through with oll pulling, and plowing is the opic of conversation now. We ope we all get caught up with everything by Christmas and can ment action is necessary.

#### South Side Baptist hapel Will Join 'n State Program

The South Side Baptist Chapel, South 9th and Ave. F. Haskell, is articipating in the 1958 Texas Baptist Church Achievement Program sponsored by the Baptist General Convention of Texas, Pasor Marvin J. Mosley said this

Designed to stimulate interest HASKEIL COUPLE in small-church work, the program recognizes outstanding achievements pastors and tonio, where she is visiting her hurches in areas of church, com- new grandson. Bradley, infant son nunity and world improvement. More than 335 Texas Baptist San Antonio. The little fellow was own and country churches parti- born Dec. 10 and weighed six and cipated in the program last year, one-half pounds, Mr. Tooley plans Each church participating in the program sets up goals for advancement in the three areas. An and accompany her home. inventory questionaire furnishes suggestions for projects, such as health education, community recreation, citizenship training, race relation studies and world mis-

Individual churches, however, select their own projects for the program. Winning pastors in each of the

BGT's 17 districts receive a parchment scroll and the church a metal plaque which may be displayed in a prominent position out-side the building. Churches in the open country

and in towns up to 2,500 popula-tion are eligible to enter the program. Approximately two-thirds of all Texas Baptist churches are classified as towns and country congregations.

The program has been expanded this year to include all Spanish speaking congregations regardless of location.

Records and scrapbooks are made under the direction of three special committees. The scrapbooks are the basis for judging on the associational, district and statewide levels.

Darwin Farmer, direct missions associate for BGT, is in charge of the program. He said surveys participating churches show the rate of baptisms nearly twice as high as the general average for all churches.



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Traffic Toll of 113 Lives Predicted fair crop this year and I think we can look forward to a good year

#### DPS Stepping Up Col. Homer Garrison Jr., di-Driver Control, ector of the Texas DPS, announ-

ced the prediction of all forms of violent deaths compiled by N. K. Woerner, manager of Statistical Services. The estimate includes Captain Sanford Lee, command-

113 motorcides, 48 suicides and comicides and 44 other accidental ing officer of the Driver's Lideaths for the 12-day period excense function, Region 5, Texas ending from 12:01 a. m. Dec. 21 Department of Public Safety, anthrough 11:59 p. m. Jan. 1. nounced today that the Depart-During the 12-day period last year 108 persons were killed in 89 ment is stepping up its program in the dirver improvement and fatal traffic accidents, seven becontrol sections in addition to the ow the 115 predicted motorcides. mandatory suspensions as pro-

The state police director said the same "all-out" effort of traflaw snforcement employed in olding down last year's count of dead will be used again luring the forthcoming holiday. "Cur estimated 115 motorcides (traffic deaths) for last year ould have been exceeded except for the cooperative around-thelock effort of all law enforcement agencies throughout the state

raffic law enforcement will again

be strengthened in an effort to prevent traffic accidents and acciient prone situations. 'From all indications, the two veckends during the forthcoming oliday period will be high accicent increase over interviews the ient periods. With Christmas and previous year, n addition to the New Year falling on Wednesday. noth days plus the day preceding court hearings were conducted for will also be high accident days. This means that we will According to Lee, after three moving traffic violations have lave the equivalent of four week end within the 12-day period." As a means of cutting down the

number of traffic accidents and notorcides Garrison urged moorists to employ the following iriving suggestions: Leave in time to get where ou are going without speeding.

Reduce speed according to reather, road, traffic and dayight conditions. Pay strict attention to drivig and do not let passengers dis-

4. Obey traffic regulations and raffic signs.

your attention from the

Always be courteous to othlrivers and to pedestrians, esecially at Christmas time. Suicides and homicides taken nto account in the DPS predicton usually runs high during the hristmas season. In regard to micides. Garrison said that it is asy when away from home, to

ecome despondent "at a time

when everyone is exchanging gifts and having fun." Increased ten-

During Christmas-New Years Holidays Violent deaths of 205 persons in | slons and social activity result Texas during the 12-day Christ- in greater personal conflict.

mas-New Years holiday period was predicted today by the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Colder temperatures and holiday activities in general was given in explanation for the increased Coider temperatures and holinumber of accidental deaths this time of year. House fires increase in cold weather, people suffocate when they sleep in improperly ventilated rooms: falls and hunting accidents increase during bad weather and holiday periods.

> Garrison said that although the holidays bring tragedy and sorrow to many, "we can prevent much of it if everyone will be especially careful at home, when walking or driving, and at social

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Rogers Memorial Coliseum. There will be only a night performance on opening day. shows will be held each day thereafter except Feb. 1 when the morning matinee and night performances are scheduled.

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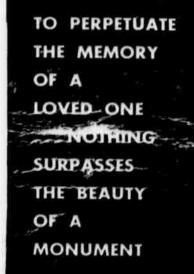
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On his return trip to the states, Dr. Spencer stopped in Dallas briefly and his plane was met by Mrs. Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. George Tyler of this city. They visited with Dr. Spencer, who is a brother of Mrs. Tyler, for more than an hour between planes before he resumed his flight to

the plane fare and expenses of Dr Spencer and Dr. Bahnson for worked with the heart pump every the trip to Sydney and return in order that the specialists might instruct Australian surgeons in use of the newly developed facility used in complicated heart surgery. The unit was purchased yourself-reminds me of Texas from John Hopkins Hospital and shipped to Australia in July.

In traveling to Australia and return, Dr. Spencer and Dr. Bahnson went completely around the world, making the entire journey by plane.

York to Istanbul. Turkey, where they spent about 24 hours. Then to Delhi. India, for a short twoday side trip to visit the Taj Mahal. Then to Bangkok, Indo-Chma, for a day, and from there to Sydney, Australia. On the return trip, Spencer came by the way of Honolulu, Hawaii.

Concerning his stay in Australia, Spencer told of some of the ighlights in the following exerots from one of his letters: "My days in Sydney have been

usy ones. Have scarcely been in TV room except to sleep. We've have been entertained every evening with a dinner or a somewhere. The people are very hospitable and friendly, try to do their best to make you enjoy ospitality

"Our first testing of the heart When the two American sur- pump in the lab was like pulling geons arrived in Australia, there teeth, working in a strange envir-

onment that slowed us down a bit, potash and lime, so in many inbut we operated on our first two patients yesterday with a good resuit: so things are well under addition of these essential

way. Because of the delay, I moved my travel schedule back two days to Friday the 29th, and will fly almost non-stop to Baltimore, Hank will stay about 10 days longer.

This is their summer here. January and February are their hottest months. Today was about degrees. Tonight a "southerblew in from the South Pole On the first stage of their trip, and the temperature dropped to they went by plane from New 50. I told them in Texas that we called this a "norther."

### Soil Management Important For Top Production

Good soil management practices and well adapted cropping sys-tems are the basis for a long coninued and prosperous agriculture. who depend on the soil for livelihood are likely to become careless with this main resource, and this can prove costly, warns Jack Barton, soil extension conservation specialist at College

The physical condition of soil is of much importance in crop production, says Barton. Physical properties can be controlled by good use of crop residues, crop rotations, green manure and cover crops and barnyard manure. A deep, moderately porous soil sun visors; 265 HP V-8 engine, should be maintained, rather than with oil filter; heavy duty front one that is too tight and hard to work or the other extreme, too front and rear shock absorbers; porous.

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Haskell County, Texas.

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The Commissioners Court of Haskell County, at its regular meeting on Jan. 13, 1958, will accept bids for purchase of 2 automobiles for use of the Sheriff's Department, subject to conditions and specifications set out below: 2nd Grade body styles; Forder Sedans, with arm rests and two and rear springs; heavy duty heater and defroster; safety belts; heavy duty 40 Amp. generator.

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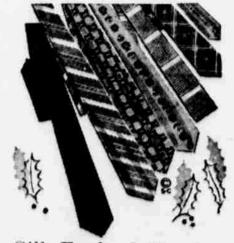
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