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Jayton School Sponsors Duo Basketball Tourney

This week end starting Thursday night at 7:30 at the local gym, Jayton Public Schools and townspeople will be hosts to a joint senior boys and girls basketball teams from this area. A number of teams will be present; representing, Girard, Roby, Peacock, Dickens, Robertson and Haisevelt.

The games start at 7:30 Thursday night; 1:30 Friday afternoon; 7:30 Friday night; 1:00 Saturday afternoon and 7:00 Saturday night.

The gym is well heated, and there will be booths where refreshing drinks and sandwiches can be purchased so all in all you should be present at the gym and show visiting schools of the hospitality that is Jayton.

Several worthy awards are in the offering to winning teams and individual stars of all teams. The gym floor has been sanded and finished and is in perfect condition. Jayton School should be the place this year of the most outstanding tournament in this area.

Sleep Is A Necessity Of Life And Health

Austin, Texas. — Sleep is a necessity of life and health, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, and habitual loss of sleep will tend to retard the body's recovery from the fatigue of the day's activities.

"We may be able to go without sleep for a night or two, but too little sleep for a prolonged length of time will undermine the health of a rugged person and sleep that is lost cannot be made up," Dr. Cox said. "When good health can be maintained to such a large extent by sleeping, and thus allow us to rest our bodies and minds to secure the proper rest it is hard to understand why so many persons are heedless of this important health measure."

Some individuals require more sleep than others. How well we sleep is as important as how long we sleep. A "good night's rest" means a sufficient number of hours spent in sleep to enable the individual to feel well, do efficient work, and to keep in a cheerful humor the next day.

"A comfortable bed, and fresh air in our sleeping quarters," Dr. Cox said, "will help us to sleep soundly at night, especially after some outdoor exercise such as a brisk walk. Don't mull over your problems and ideas after you have gone to bed. Make your plans early in the evening for a good night's rest by slowing down from the physical and mental work of your daily life, and dismissing your problems from your mind. When you arise each morning refreshed and with a feeling of general well-being you will be amply repaid for your thought in planning a 'good night's sleep.'"

RENEWALS TO THE CHRONICLE

The following people have our thanks for their renewals to the Chronicle: W. N. Lansdown, Jr., Guam; J. H. Elliott, Big Spring, Texas; Edd Reeves, Girard, Texas; ad Wayman Lansdown, Earnest Carey, J. A. Lafoon, and H. J. Parks all of Jayton.

ALMANAC



- 10—Peace treaty signed with Spain, 1898.
- 11—Indiana admitted to Union, 1816.
- 12—Washington, D. C. become the permanent site of U.S. government, 1800.
- 13—General Burnside defeated at Fredericksburg, 1862.
- 14—George Washington died at Mount Vernon, 1799.
- 15—Bill of Rights Day.
- 16—Boston Tea Party, 1773.

Swing Of Southwest Farm Markets

(USDA) — Generally strong livestock, egg and feed prices contrasted with lower grains, cotton and many fruits and vegetables in the Southwest last week, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Grain markets reversed recent trends the past week as wheat, corn and sorghums suffered substantial losses. Oats went down too, and barley gained only slightly. Improved prospects for winter wheat and reduced foreign demand tended to lower prices. Rough rice prices held about unchanged with markets inactive since most of the 1947 crop has already moved off the farms.

Feed markets scored advances this week despite slow demand for liberal offerings. Lighter offerings of good quality hay influenced a firm price trend although demand fell below normal for the season. With harvest nearly over in most sections of the Southwest, peanuts moved to crushers in volume at support prices.

Cotton prices fluctuated widely, but Friday's price of 35.10 cents per pound at Dallas for spot middling 15-16 stood \$2.75 per bale lower than a week earlier.

Texas citrus fruits and vegetables played a greater part in consumer markets during the past week. Many prices trended lower in terminal cities as well as at shipping points. White grapefruit, cabbage, beets, radishes and tomatoes sold cheaper in the Lower Rio Grande valley, where carrots and peppers held firm. Spinach showed a firmer tone in the Eagle Pass and Winter Garden districts. Most products weakened at Denver but carrots, celery, potatoes and radishes sold firm.

Southwest egg prices rose sharply during the week on seasonally light farm offerings. Dallas paid 55 to 60 cents per dozen for best current receipts, and Denver mostly 53 to 57. Top candled eggs brought 60 to 62 cents at Fort Worth, as fresh No. 2 Extras sold around 58 at New Orleans. Good demand held poultry firm.

Cattle markets ruled steady to 50 cents higher for the week. Receipts continued to decline, and fed classes were particularly scarce. Houston bought a few good yearlings at \$20 to \$23, as San Antonio took medium steers at \$19.50 to \$22.50 and short-fed yearlings at \$20 to \$23. Fort Worth sold medium and good steers and yearlings at \$19 to \$26, while Oklahoma City moved good fed steers at \$26 to \$30. Medium light steers brought \$20 to \$26 at Wichita and good and choice \$31.50 at Denver.

Hogs showed notable strength at southwest markets with gains of 25 cents to 75 cents or more. Top butchering hogs closed the week at \$25.50 at San Antonio, \$26.50 at Fort Worth and Oklahoma City, \$26.60 at Wichita, and \$27 at Denver. Most sows sold around \$23 at San Antonio and up to \$25 at other southwest terminals.

Sheep markets flowed other livestock in strong trend for the week except for losses of 50 cents or more on slaughter lambs at Oklahoma City, Wichita and Denver. Good and choice lambs sold around \$21 to \$23 at most markets. Wool markets continued quiet, with offerings of desired qualities light.

FRIENDS:

Do you have a friend in need whom you think would appreciate a gift from you Christmas?

If you do and care to trust me with same, I will have a Christmas Box at the Texan Theatre and will give a free ticket with the gift for the Matinee Show Christmas Eve, Wednesday December 24th, and will deliver the gift for you.

You know your neighbors and friends and know what they will appreciate more than anyone.

—S. M. Newberry.

FIRST SNOW FALL FOR JAYTON AREA

The people of Jayton awoke Thursday morning to find a preview of a white Christmas to greet them.

The first snow of the season fell early Thursday morning, and was a beautiful sight to see. Trees, house tops and the earth was covered with a two inch blanket of snow.

PICTURE NEWS OF THE WEEK



EYE POWER to spare has Lila Leeds, say optometrists who specialize in such matters. The newcomer to the movies has "the kind of eyes that make men lose their strength when they need it most."



ELUSIVE HOT DOG. Pretty little Ann Steuer has more than her share of troubles at the annual food show in Milwaukee.



WHEAT GROWER Tom Campbell tells President Truman that rise in wheat price to \$3.50 a bushel from current \$3.00 could solve wheat shortage by encouraging farmers to turn loose grain they are holding.



STAINLESS STEEL SLEIGH FOR KIDDIES TOYS. Each year Columbus Elks distribute toys so no little kiddies will be forgotten. Last Christmas Eve reindeer and sleigh were replaced with an International truck and Fruehauf stainless steel trailer manned by Elks in charge of the social welfare work. Bulging with toys this "giant sleigh" made the entire city circuit in one trip.

Jayton Basketball Teams Win Over Patton Springs

Tuesday night a large crowd of fans watched the Jayton High School basketball teams win their first district conference games by defeating the basketball teams from Patton Springs High School.

The Jayton girls won by a 28 to 7 score. The girls playing for Jayton were: Jimmy T. Cave, Sue Cave, Ima Jo Healer, Jaunell Harrison, Norma Ruth Turner, Marie Smith, Lou Cave and Edna Donoho.

Edwards was high point girl for Patton Springs and Jimmy T. Cave was high point girl for Jayton.

The Jayton girls took the lead early in the game and held it throughout the contest.

The boys game was a more evenly matched contest with Jayton winning by a 22 to 19 score.

Players for the Jayton boys team were: Johnny Davis, Naylan Vencil, Jerold Stanley, Bert Sartain, Hugh Kissick, Bill Sartain, Willie Hall and Frank Sandell. Bert Sartain, Stanley and Davis led in the scoring for Jayton. No. 24 from Patton Springs was high point man of the game with 12 points to his credit.

Baptist W. M. S. News

W. M. S. met Tuesday for Bible Study. Our new books are very interesting. Be sure and meet with us next Monday. It is Royal Service Day and we have a good program.

Don't forget the used clothing, shoes, etc. for the folks across the way. Notice! particularly woollens are to be clean but not pressed. Cottons, clean but not ironed. There is a large box just inside the church door, bring them any time.

HONOR STUDENT AT A. C. C.

Thomas J. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams of Jayton, has been named as an honor student in Abilene Christian College, Abilene, Texas, for the first half of the 1947 fall semester. Abilene Christian College counts the scholastic top ten percent of each class as its honor students.

He is a junior: student in Abilene Christian College, where he is majoring in physical education.

Lee Harrison of Dallas visited his father A. J. Harrison last week.

Delegates Elected To The Kent County ACA Convention

Delegates to the Kent County ACA Convention, which will be held next Monday, December 15th at the AAA Office in Jayton, were elected as follows:

Community "A" — Milton H. Butler, Rt. 1, Girard, Texas.

Community "C" — Vernon B. Murdoch, Jayton, Texas.

Community "B" — Returns have not been received.

Other committeemen elected in December 9th election, are Arthur G. Dyer, Alternate Delegate to convention from the "A" Community; Elmer E. Long, Chairman Community Committee. John E. Willis, Vice Chairman and Delmer D. Thompson, Regular Member.

Those elected for Community "C" are, W. E. Walker, Alternate Delegate to Convention. J. E. Hanson, Chairman Community Committee, Monroe Davis, Vice Chairman, Jimmie Montgomery, Regular Member.

Returns from the Peanut Referendum which was also held December 9th are 12 votes for Allotments and Marketing Quotas and 23 votes against Farm Allotments and Marketing Quotas.

NEW MIX FATAL TO COTTON BUGS

Washington. — Boll weevils and every other cotton pests are doomed—if experiments by the Department of Agriculture pan out like it thinks they will.

Denzene Hexachloride, mixed with DDT, gave "outstanding control of heavy infestations" of practically every known cotton pest in experiments at Waco, Texas, the Bureau of Entomology reported Monday.

Its new mixture, 5 per cent DDT combined with benzene hexachloride containing 4 per cent gamma isomer, killed boll weevils, pink boll worms, cotton aphids, leaf worms, flea hoppers, tarnished and rapid plant bugs, thrips, loopers, stink bugs, webworms and army worms, the bureau said.

It reported that another new poison, chlorinated camphene, gave promising results against practically all types of cotton insects in laboratory experiments, adding that fields treated with it produced 46 per cent more cotton than those treated with calcium arsenate.

P. T. A. Will Present Christmas Program

Farm Cash Income Higher and Higher

Austin. — Texas farmers cashed in with the stakes high during October as farm cash income soared \$100,000,000 above its September level to score a 42 per cent monthly jump. The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Estimated farm cash intake for the State reached \$342,210,000 in October, exceeding October 1946 income by 55 per cent. The Bureau's seasonally-adjusted index stood at 550 in October (Base: 1935-39 equal 100). The index was slightly under the September mark, since the monthly advance failed to come up to gains called for in the seasonal pattern.

The gain in intake over October last year is especially significant in view of the fact that gains were expected to be less spectacular for the second half of this year than they were for the first. The basis of comparison has changed: in the first half of the year, the comparison was between a free market and OPA-ceilinged prices of a year earlier.

Cumulative income for the year to date is 47 per cent above January-through-October intake last year. The \$1,501,361,000 total is a result in gains registered by all but two districts. Greatest jump for the 9-month period was in the Northern High Plains, where income shot upward 123 per cent to reach \$238,432,000 and mark up the second highest dollar-intake figure for the State. Running first in cumulative income for 1947 was the Black and Grand Prairies District racking up a total of \$240,996,000.

The outstanding September-to-October record was made by the Southern High Plains, where the 29 percent monthly hike pushed the seasonally-adjusted index for the district up to 965.

The Northern High Plains marked up the second highest October index, 734, and the Coastal Prairies ran third with the index standing at 694.

One of the dominant factors in maintaining a high level of farm income and relatively high farm prices was the heavy export of food and continued foreign requirements for farm products. On the other side of the picture was the short corn crop, drought-stricken areas finally drenched by rain in late October and November, and prospects for a shortened winter wheat crop. Farmers, knowing the present high prices will not hold, are digging in for winter and looking to the special session of Congress for a hint of what is to come in the future.

BUBBLE CLUB NEWS FROM CLAIREMONT

All members of the Bubble Club met at the home of T. F. Baze last Tuesday night, December 2nd.

The meeting was called to order by T. F. Baze and we decided to give \$3.00 to the Community Christmas tree, which will be held December 19th at the Church House. We are putting on a Christmas play the same night and the name of it is "The Human Christmas Gift." We invite everyone over to see it.

We had a bubble gum contest which was won by Wanda Peep, C. T. Scogins, and Weldon Carriker. Everyone had a very good time and cake was served to all present.

Charlene Peek - Reporter.

SENATOR REPORTS ON FORT KNOX ARMY EXPERIMENT

Washington, D. C. — An enthusiastic report on the Experimental Universal Military Training Unit at Ft. Knox, Ky. was given here by Senator Chan Gurney (R.-S. D.) upon his return from a trip of inspection. He was accompanied by other members of the Senate Committee on Armed Services of which he is Chairman.

"The UMT experiment at Fort Knox is on the right track," Senator Gurney stated. "I challenge anyone to find anything wrong with it. It not only builds soldiers, but better soldiers result. It has taught them discipline and self-government. Beyond this, through the influence of the fine chaplains and the commanding officers, the soldiers have developed into a remarkably clean lot of men."

One of the outstanding programs of the school year, "When Christmas Comes," an Operatta, will be presented at the High School Auditorium Wednesday, December 17 at 7 P. M. A choir of young voices will sing Christmas Carols preceding the Operatta.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend this program and recapture again the spirit of Christmas as they see the drama of the Christ-Child unfolded. There are nearly one hundred students, in colorful costume, taking part in this program.

This presentation is the annual Christmas Program given under the auspices of the Jayton P. T. A.

Cotton Balance Sheet At Record Low

Austin. — Not since the fall of 1924 has the November cotton balance for the nation been as small as it is this year according to The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Dr. A. B. Cox, Professor of Cotton Marketing, College of Business Administration, pointed out that cotton, because of its many ramifications into the economic life of this nation, and the world, is particularly sensitive to economic and political storms now dominant in the world. "Cotton is the best hedge in the world against inflation," according to Dr. Cox, "because it has a world market and relatively nonperishable. At the present time cotton is in rather scarce supply, especially with the United States cotton balance standing at 11,733,000 running bales."

Strong world demand for cotton, the wide margin of profit to spinners, drastic Government proposals of price ceilings, exchange regulations, export programs, crop quotas and subsidies will regulate cotton in the near future as far as price movements are concerned.

December

The sun sets early. Dusk deepens into a cold darkness illumined only by the skies where Pegasus and Aquila are on high. Winter creeps in with a finality and ice gnaws at the pond shores. The sun heads toward its greatest southern declination.

December isn't much month to look at. In no time at all the color has gone from the elms and those tenacious leaves that remain are shriveled from an icy wind. Theoretically, this is still autumn, but there is little trace of it. The woodland is quite, with only a jeering jay to enliven things. Leaves that two weeks ago rustled crisply underfoot are now ashy gray and packed into a mold to feed rootlets of another spring. December is dreary and every-other-day rains don't help matters—particularly when accompanied by sleet.

But the final month has its compensations. For those who like the companionship of books—even if these are of them—these are wonderful nights. Epictetus and Montaigne take on a new meaning with a howling wind outside and a log fire for inner radiation. December nights are marvelous for the quiet company of friends, for split-pea soup and roasted nuts and contemplative reveries in a rocker. On a raw December evening home and family and humble blessings are of deep significance.

These are simple pleasures, but the simple are really the magnificent. Only a man of folly would close his eyes to them. And later in the month is the season of the our arms and tell him of Saint Nick Nativity when you take your tor in and watch heaven come into his eyes.

—The Dallas Morning News.

WAY IS CLEARED FOR CHRISTMAS LEAVES IN ARMY

Washington, D. C. — In order to permit the maximum number of Army personnel, who so desire, to take Christmas leaves, the Department of the Army has authorized the suspension of training from December 20 to January 4 at all Army installations in the United States. Classes scheduled to begin on or after December 20 will be delayed two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Gallagher of Pampa, Texas visited relatives in Jayton Tuesday.

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflection upon the reputation or standing of any individual, firm, or corporation that may appear in the columns of The Jayton Chronicle, will be gladly corrected when called to our attention.

BOYCE HOUSE "GIVES YOU TEXAS"

Had a letter from the officials of the State Fair of Texas and they say next year's exposition will be bigger and better. As far as I'm concerned, the one this year was plenty good enough. Went over there on Press Day and it's worth going a long way's just to shake hands with the fine folks of the Fourth Estate, especially from the smaller towns and especially the ones who run the papers that publish this column.

There was also a barbecue dinner, served by the Odessa Chuck Wagon Gang. And so many things to see, as guests of the management, that I never could get around to 'em all—but I did see the S.M.U.-Missouri football game that night and "Annie, Get Your Gun" that afternoon. The star was Mary Martin, and she is a

Texas gal that every Texan has a right to be proud of. She sang, she danced, she got laughs and she was the romantic interest, too. Besides that, she was a dead shot with a rifle. (That is the only thing she did that I thought maybe might have been fixed so as to make it look like the targets were being hit; that is, I would have been a mite suspicious if she hadn't been from Texas.)

Mary Martin's is a Cinderella story. She was born in the peaceful town of Weatherford where she had taught singing and dancing. Also she sang over at the Baker (or maybe it was the Crazy Hotel) in Mineral Wells. She came to Fort Worth while Casa Manana was being presented but Billy Rose wouldn't give her a place in the show.

She went to New York, and was the under-study to a star who kindly got sick one night. That was Mary's chance; she didn't need but one. She sang "My heart Belongs to Daddy" and became the toast of Broadway. Then came stardom on the air and on the screen.

Her appearance at Dallas was her first visit back to her old home state and the home folks cheered and cheered.

When you hear anybody say that celebrity no longer exists in America, just call the guy's attention to Mary Martin.

So, officials of the State Fair of Texas, next year's show may have more exhibits and departments, and it may be better than the 1947 one was—but this columnist is one fellow who is going to have to be shown.

Yours, for Press Day and barbecue and football—and Mary Martin, of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sewalt, Mrs. Jack Holley and son and Mrs. Beryle Murdoch visited in Abilene, Texas Wednesday.

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Mrs. H. B. Wade and children of Colorado Springs, Colorado is visiting relatives in Jayton this week. Mrs. Jack Holley and son of San Diego, California visited Mrs. W. T. Holley in Abilene, Texas last week.

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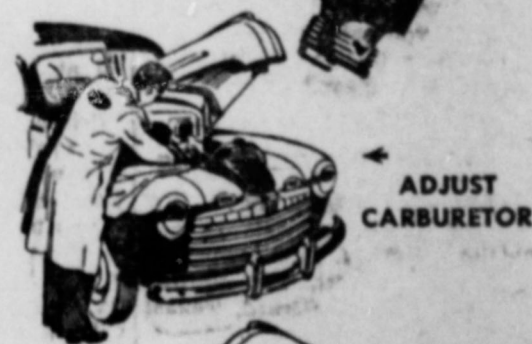
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School News

SENIOR NEWS

We are very sorry that both the boys and girls basketball teams were defeated at the Roosevelt tournament last Friday. Everyone is looking forward to our tournament which is to be held this week.

The F. F. A. boys are sponsoring a donkey basketball game in the high school gym next Monday night; maybe no one will get hurt.

The pictures came in Monday; it was a surprise to us and we were not prepared for the shock.

The grade and high schools are working on a Christmas play; if you want to see some real acting, then crop around.

This seems to be just about all of the news until next week.

JUNIOR NEWS

We were all happy to get our pictures Monday; that is most of us. We miss Mr. Herd very much and hope he is back soon. We have enjoyed having Mrs. Robinson for our teacher during his absence.

Everyone is looking forward to the basketball tournament the last of this week. We hope everyone will be there.

This concludes our news for this time.

Reporter.

SOPHOMORE NEWS

We are writing our letter to Santa and hope the Chronicle will be nice enough to forward our letter to the North Pole.

Dear Santa,
We think we have been a very nice bunch of Kids.

For Ima Jo Healer, please bring a little rubber doll.
For Nancy Donoho bring a stick horse and a bale of hay.

Juanell Harrison sure likes trucks, so bring her a little truck and a gallon of gas.

Bring Alma Joy Koonce a zipper for her brown jersey skirt and a betsv wetsy doll.

Helen Abercrombie says don't forget her and bring her a live doll about 6 ft. 3 ins., black hair, blue eyes, and about 16 years of age. Helen says this will be enough for her. And of course, if there is any more like him all the Sophomore girls want one.

Joy Hunnicutt wants a little red trycycle and a little yellow bus.

Bernadine Johnson says not to bring her a bracelet as another gentleman gave her one, but she wants a teddy bear and a rattler.

Johnnie Rodgers wants a large box of corks or a substitute like him. Naylan Vencil wants a set of dishes, a little stove and a little iron.

John Allen Kelley wants a doll with a bottle and a little washing machine.

Billy John Harrison, please bring him a cowgirl, Jolie Blonde is preferable, but her daughter would do.

Henry D. Taylor wants a Sparkle Plenty doll, and clothes to match.

Mrs. Jones isn't very particular about what she gets as long as it isn't a new car, but you can bring her a new rolling pin.

Don't forget to bring our candy,

and fruit. Be seeing you soon.
Love,
Sophomore Class.

FRESHMAN NEWS

Some comments overheard when the pictures arrived Monday:

Larry told Lou not to give anybody her picture that he wanted them all.

Sue and Bill had a time getting a picture of each other.

Ruby and Jerold talked about each others pictures until Mr. Hinds said, "Pictures won't work algebra."

Flint didn't like his picture because the wave in his hair wasn't just so so.

Edna decided that too many wanted her picture, so she would auction them off. The highest bidder was a junior boy. He gave her a

choice of a rotten egg or his picture. She took the rotten egg.

Don, in the study hall, was squirming around so that Mrs. Fowler asked him what was the matter. He said there was trouble going on in his billfold. She asked what about? He said there were so many pictures of girls in it that they were all fighting.

Frank, L. E., Jimmy, and Cecil were all having a game of "swap out". L. E. said, "I'll swap you two pictures for one of Peggy's pictures." Jimmy said, "I'll swap you one picture for two of Barbara's pictures." Cecil said "I'll swap three pictures for four of Lavina's pictures" Frank said, "I'll swap you five pictures for six of Maxie's pictures". Wonder how it ended?

T. F. seems to have gone in the hole. Seems he gave all his pictures away, and didn't get any in return; on the other hand, Freddie didn't give any away and has a collection of snaps which he is proudly showing.

Edith and Nina remarked that all the benefit they gained from their were paying for them.

A certain sophomore named Billy John Harrison had Nina's picture on his desk while taking a history test. He failed the test!

Edith has a certain Freshman all in a dither. She has her pictures and is taking them to California with her.

Mrs. Fowler, our teacher, you know, offered the pupils her picture. They looked at it and all at once returned it. Poor Mrs. Fowler just can't get rid of hers. I wonder why?

BASKETBALL NEWS

Everyone is very excited this week as the Jayton tournament begins Thursday night at 7:30. The first game will be between the Jayton girls and Dickens girls. We are looking for a big crowd, so don't disappoint us.

We want to thank everyone who have been coming to our ball games. It makes us play harder when we know the town people are behind us.

The teams that are entering our tournament are: Girard, Peacock, Dickens, Roby, Robertson, Roosevelt and Jayton. There will only be one session Thursday night with 2 games. Friday the games starting at 1:20 and again Friday night at 7:30. The games Saturday start at 1:00 and again at 7:00. There will be four games Saturday night.

We are very sorry that both boys and girls lost their games at the Roosevelt tournament. The Jayton girls played Cooper girls and were defeated by 15 to 11. The Jayton boys played New Home boys and were defeated by 40 to 25.

We are very sorry that Mr. Herman is still away visiting his father who is seriously ill.

We will be looking for everyone to be present for the ball games Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Betty Kennemer and Owen Hahr of Corpus Christi, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Gardner last week end.

Mrs. Fred Jones, Mrs. Jimmy Johnston Jr. and Mrs. E. R. Cox went to Aspermont Monday to a W. M. U. Training School.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Byford and children of Monahans, Texas visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Robinson last week end.

Approximately 75 percent of the farm homes in the U. S. are without running water.

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TEXAN THEATRE

EVENING SHOWS START AT 7:00

THURSDAY and FRIDAY

Edmond O'Brien, Ella Raines, William Bendix and Vincent Price
IN
"THE WEB"

Saturday

TEX RITTER and FFUZZY KNIGHT in
"OKLAHOMA RAIDERS"

Saturday Nite Prevue, Sunday - Monday

ESTHER WILLIAMS and AKIM TAMIROFF in
"F E S T A"

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY

JANE WITHERS and ROBERT LOWERY in
"DANGER STREET"

THURSDAY and FRIDAY

Lionel Barrymore, James Craig and Lucille Bremer in
"DARK DELUSION"

CHRISTMAS COOKING NEEDS

- CRANBERRIES, 1 lb. 45c
- PUMPKIN No. 2 1/2 can 24c
- BORDENS MINCE MEAT, 9 oz. box 23c
- SWEET POTATOES, No. 2 1/2 can 24c
- POP CORN, 10 oz. can 20c
- COFFEE, Magnolia, 1 lb. 40c
- BROWN SUGAR, 1 lb. 15c
- FLOUR, 50 lbs. \$4.00

SHREDDED COCOANUT
ASSORTMENT OF NUTS 30c to 55c

Mr. & Mrs. C. V. Wright
Grocery and Service Station



The more you drive it,
the more you like it!

Every mile gives added proof of BIG-CAR QUALITY AT LOWEST COST



One look will tell you that Chevrolet out-styles all other cars in its field. It brings you smarter design—smarter colors—smarter upholstery and appointments! It alone offers a luxurious body by Fisher at lowest prices.

As more and more Chevrolet owners are discovering, years of service mean nothing to a Chevrolet! This car has extra strength in every part—built-in ruggedness and reliability—the excellence that endures. It will serve you for scores of thousands of miles, and the longer you drive it the stronger your appreciation of its value—for it possesses Big-Car durability and dependability unequalled in its field.



You can't beat a Chevrolet for all-round performance with economy. And Chevrolet's world's-champion Valve-in-Head Thrift-Master Engine, unique in its price range, wrings the last ounce of energy out of every gallon of fuel.

You'll enjoy maximum riding-smoothness and road-steadiness, too, because only Chevrolet, of all cars in its field, brings you the firm, easy, balanced movement of the Unitized Knee-Action Ride.



The demand for new Chevrolets surpasses all previous records. That means it's wise to safeguard your transportation by bringing your present car to us for skilled service, now and at regular intervals, pending delivery of your new car. See us for dependable, car-saving service.

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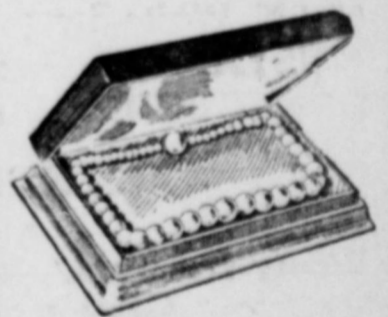
GIFT SUGGESTIONS

FOR HER:

- Stoves
- Rugs
- Chairs
- Platform Rockers
- Dishes
- Lamps
- Pottery
- Irons
- Cookers
- Silverware

FOR HIM:

- Knives
- Guns
- Radios
- Chairs
- Fishing Tackle
- Tackle Box
- Tool Sets
- Flash Lights
- Smoking Stands
- Spurs



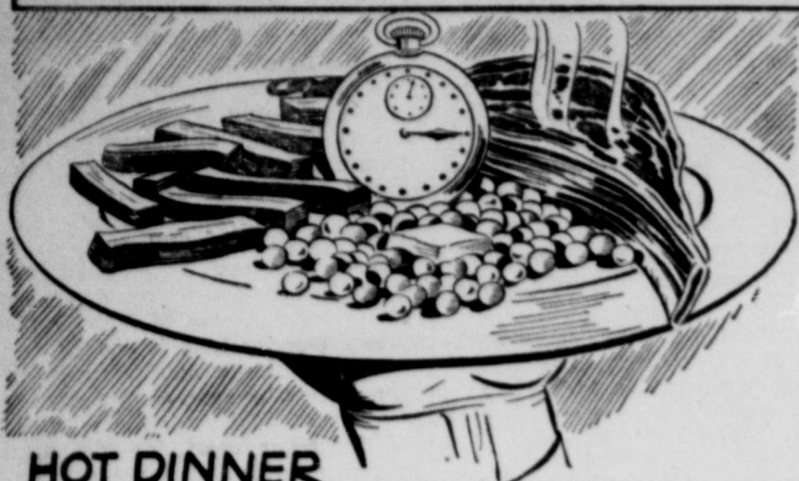
MAKE THIS HER REAL CHRISTMAS

Nothing in this wide, wonderful world equals the joyous thrill of giving or receiving a beautiful set of Pearls or a piece of exquisite jewelry at Christmas. You and your loved one can enjoy this thrill — select her secret dream from our sparkling holiday collection.

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HOT DINNER IN 75 SECONDS! NEW ELECTRONIC OVEN DEVELOPED BY GENERAL ELECTRIC USES HIGH FREQUENCY RADIO WAVES TO HEAT PRE-COOKED FROZEN FOODS TO 160° FAHRENHEIT IN 1/4 MINUTES. WHEN AVAILABLE COMMERCIALY, IT WILL BE TIME-SAVER FOR RESTAURANTS, SHIPS, ETC.

ELECTRIC WARMTH HELPS PLANT GROWTH!

FOR MANY YEARS GENERAL ELECTRIC HAS CARRIED ON RESEARCH ON ELECTRIC HOT BEDS. FARMERS SPEED, AS WELL AS REGULATE, THE GROWTH OF YOUNG PLANTS BY MEANS OF G-E SOIL-HEATING EQUIPMENT.



MEASURING A MILLIONTH! IN ORDER TO MAKE REFRIGERATOR PARTS PRECISE, GENERAL ELECTRIC HAS DEVELOPED INSTRUMENTS TO MEASURE A MILLIONTH OF AN INCH! WITH SUCH CARE, G. E. BUILDS PRODUCTS THAT LAST.

GENERAL ELECTRIC

SPECIALS FRIDAY and SATURDAY

You will find our prices cheap as it can be sold but prices are still going up.

- CHRISTMAS TREES 95c and up
- COFFEE, Del Monte, 2 lbs. 89c
- TOMATO PASTE, 3 cans 25c
- OLEO, any brand 42c
- SYRUP, Brer Rabbit, Brown, 1/2 gal. ... 55c
- BEANS, Mexican Style, 2 cans 23c
- LYE, 3 cans 25c
- MILK, White Swan, big 11c
- MUSTARD, Refregerator Style 19c
- GRAPE JUICE, pint 22c

ALL KINDS NUTS

Plenty fruits and vegetables - Apples, Oranges, Grapes, Bananas, Tomatoes, Lettuce, Celery and etc.

Plenty of Stuff for your Xmas Cakes

MARKET:— Bacon, slab and one pound; Pork Sausage; Lunch Meat, all kinds; Creamery and Country Butter; AA Beef, any kind of cut you like; Hot Barbeque.

TRADE HERE AND SAVE

FOR FREE DELIVERY CALL "107".

GARDNER

GROCERY - MARKET FEED AND SEED STORE
"WHERE MOST FOLKS TRADE"
Barney - Wallace - Darwin

Gifts that make the HOME more Enjoyable

ELECTRIC:	Club Aluminum	Club Glass	Dishes
Record Player Combination	Set - \$19.95	Perculators and Double Boilers	Pyrex . . .
Clocks	Individual Pieces	Plate Glass Mirrors	Measuring Bowls
Toasters		Rugs	Serving Platters
Irons	Cake Covers	Alarm Clocks	Coffee Vaculators
Vacuum Cleaners	Presto Cookers		
Radios			

For your holiday house cleaning, use the Tri-County's Electric Floor Polisher that can be rented by the hour or day.

TRI-COUNTY LUMBER COMPANY

JAYTON, TEXAS

TAME THE WIND

College Station.—When the winds start to blow, whether on the high plains of the Panhandle or the prairies of the Gulf coastal area, the home gardener can figure on some damage to vegetable and flower gardens. The hot winds of summer or cold winds of winter can cause an equal amount of trouble.

A good windbreak in an answer to the problem. Sadie Hatfield, extension landscape gardening specialist for Texas A. and M. College, says that a windbreak on the two sides of the house from which the most destructive winds blow will pay dividends in more ways than one. They add to the beauty of the home and protect livestock and poultry from hard winds, as well as cut down on the destruction of gardens. The occasional thinning which are necessary will furnish wood for fuel or construction.

Plant the windbreak 75 to 100 feet from the house. That's to keep it from cutting off cool summer breezes. Miss Hatfield says that in the southern part of the state, athel, native pine and other native trees make good windbreaks. In the Panhandle and great plains country, the western yellow pine, chinese elm, desert willow, tamarix or salt cedars and apricots or other seeding fruits, are among the many varieties which will help break the strength of the wind.

SALESMEN WANTED:

LOOK HERE! Wanted—Men to start in busines on our capital. Sell some 200 farm-home Products. Thousands our Dealers now make quick sales, big profits. For particulars write Rawleigh's, Dept. TXL-580-192, Memphis, Tenn.

FOR SALE:— One 150 gallon butane tank for \$115.00. See, James McAteer.

FOR SALE:— One feed mill and one milk cow with young calf. See them at my home 3 miles east of Jayton. —H. J. Parks.

FOR SALE:— Two Butane Bottles. See, Ed Brown.

TURKEYS FOR SALE:— Anyone wanting a turkey for Christmas, see or call Edd Kyle. Call before the 20th of December.

Edd E. Kyle, Jayton, Texas.
Mrs. Ralph Brantner and daughter and Mrs. Jimmie Matthews of Carlsbad, New Mexico visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Branch a few days last week.

Mrs. M. D. Fuller and Mrs. Kenneth Todd and son visited relatives in Lubbock, Texas a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Murdoch had business in Spur Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Kelley had business in Fort Worth, Texas last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison and Beth Ann had business in Spur Monday.

Mrs. K. P. Brantner, Joyce and Ronny, Mrs. Fred Jones, Jane Ann and Freddie Ray had business in Abilene, Texas Tuesday.

Ray Hoover of Jonesboro, Texas spent last week end in Jayton with his sister Mrs. K. P. Brantner and family.

Ish Hahn and Ples Hart of Aspermont, Texas are working on the Mason Chevrolet Company building this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark and children of Snyder, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Tate of Snyder, Texas visited her father Mr. J. E. Gallagher last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryle Murdoch visited in Abilene, Texas last Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Lawrence Purcell and daughter of Abilene, Texas visited friends and relatives in Jayton last week end.

Mrs. H. D. Black and Jody visited Mr. and Mrs. Floy Barfoot at Lamesa, Texas last week end.

Jiggs Holley and son of Dallas visited relatives and friends in Jayton last week end.

Mrs. L. H. Mason, Mozell, Mason and Louis Henry spent last week end in Lubbock, Texas with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Barney Gardner spent Monday in Aspermont, Texas with Mrs. E. B. Featherstone.

Forty-seven states, the District of Columbia, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, Alaska and the Virgin Islands now have programs in operation under the National School Lunch Act.

RED & WHITE STORE FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS

- Christmas Trees
- Christmas Candies
- Nuts Of All Kinds
- Cranberries, Bulk and Canned
- Fresh Cocoanut and Frozen Cocoanut
- Cap Pistols and Plenty of Caps
- Fruits, All Kinds

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JAYTON, TEXAS



SHOP NOW FOR HIM

MERRY Christmas



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