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## Benjamin Man Injured in Wreck

Tommy Hall, 48, of Benjamin was injured about 8:30 this morning in an accident about 10 miles west of Benjamin.

According to reports, the pickup truck Hall was driving was struck from the rear by a cattle truck driven by Clint Turbyfill of Spur. Turbyfill was uninjured.

Hall was brought to the Knox County Hospital where doctors reported he had extensive lacerations, brush burns on the face and forehead, and undetermined head injuries. His condition was not considered serious.

Highway Patrolman George Leedy was investigating the accident.

## Ordination Services To Be Held Sunday At Gillespie Church

Ordination of Deacons is scheduled at the Gillespie Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, Dec. 13 at 2:30 p. m. Rev. Roger Butler, pastor, announced this week.

T. J. Partridge and Clifford Cluck are candidates for ordination.

Rev. E. V. Becker, pastor of the Knox City Baptist Church, will examine the candidates, and Rev. Jack Wester, pastor of the Pinkerton Baptist Church, will deliver the charge to the candidates and church.

Rev. Butler will deliver the message.

The public was invited to attend the services.

## Clubs to Collect Gifts for Patients in State Hospital

The public has been invited to join with members of the Knox City Study Club and the 1946 Study Club in "bringing Christmas" to patients in the State Hospital at Wichita Falls.

Mrs. E. V. Becker, Mrs. Geo. T. Hardberger and Mrs. E. P. Reese have been named as a committee to accept gifts. Boxes are being placed in downtown business houses for the convenience of those desiring to make contributions, and the boxes will be picked up December 19.

The Wichita Falls State Hospital serves 77 counties, including Knox County, and the Federation of Women's Clubs in the district is sponsoring the campaign to bring a happier Christmas to the 1,307 men and 1,483 women at the hospital.

Patients range in age from 12 to 80 or more.

Committee members pointed out that the cost of the gift is not important, and that an inexpensive article may bring a tear of joy to the eyes of a forgotten patient.

Suggested gift items for men are combs, brushes, socks, gloves, scarves, cigarettes, tobacco, any wearing apparel, pipes, shaving articles, bath powders, fishing equipment, baseball equipment.

Suggested gifts for women include any costume jewelry, any cosmetics, hose, handbags, ribbons, scarves, combs, brushes, bobby pins, hairpins, deodorants, evening gowns or any wearing apparel.

Overall gifts include electric irons, used typewriters, radios, phonograph records, portable TV sets, playing cards, any type games, knitting yarns, stamping patterns for embroidery, decorations for Christmas tree, material for gift wrappings, and all types of new and used clothing.

## McGees to Observe Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McGee, pioneers of Knox City, will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary with open house at their home in Knox City Sunday, Dec. 13, from 2 to 5 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. McGee were married Dec. 9, 1903 in Mountain Peak, Ellis County, Texas. They moved to Knox City in 1907 and have lived here since that time. Mrs. McGee was the former Miss Julia Hollabough.

## Funeral Services Held Saturday For Troy D. Swift

Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church in Knox City Saturday for Troy D. Swift, 46, who died in a Stamford hospital Wednesday, Dec. 2, following a lengthy illness.

Rev. E. V. Becker, pastor of the church, conducted the services.

Mr. Swift, an employee of Stanolind Oil & Gas Company for the past nine years, moved his family to Knox City in February of this year.

He was born in DeQueen, Ark., August 1, 1907. He attended high school in DeQueen and Hardin Junior College and Draughton's Business College in Wichita Falls. He was married to Gladys Owens in Crowell in 1938.

Survivors are his wife; two sons, Dan and Phil; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Swift of Broken Bow, Okla.; five brothers, Tom of Andrews, Marvin of Levelland, H. L. with the Army in Japan, Clyde of Ringen, Ark., and Dwell of Broken Bow; and two sisters, Mrs. Marshall Capps of Olney and Mrs. Horvill Ray of Pine, Texas.

Active pallbearers were W. C. Colson, Mickey Supina, Ben McMillen, Homer Johnson, Bill Brown and Wayne Hardin, all of Knox City.

Honorary pallbearers were Z. E. Cone, W. E. Scott and O. E. Cross of Knox City; Howard Henderson of Burk Burnett; F. M. Robertson, A. J. Knopp and A. A. Henson of Sweetwater; Hartley Easley of Crowell; Jay Darr of Archer City; Clyde Broom, A. C. Lively, John Blair, Ray Frazier, John Calvin, Bill McKissick and Charlie Hamilton, all of Andrews; F. A. Nichols of Midland; and W. D. Anderson, Paul Mackey, Archie Cox and H. W. Robison of Haskell.

Flower girls were Mrs. W. C. Colson, Mrs. Mickey Supina, Mrs. Ben McMillen, Mrs. Homer Johnson, Mrs. Bill Brown, Mrs. Wayne Hardin, Mrs. O. E. Cross, Mrs. Arlie Williams, Mrs. Howard Henderson, Mrs. Hartley Easley, Mrs. Annie Bell and Mrs. J. R. Hitchcock.

Interment was in the Crowell Cemetery.

## Candle-Lighting Service Scheduled At Benjamin Church

A White Christmas Candle-Lighting Service will be held at the First Christian Church in Benjamin Sunday night, Dec. 13, Karel Desgrange, minister, announced this week.

The service will begin at 6:30. Featured will be a choir of 28 members, dressed in white robes.

"This service will be an inspiration in preparation for the religious holidays ahead," Desgrange said. "We invite everyone in Benjamin and this area to attend."

## Christmas Lighting Contest Rules, Prizes Announced

With Christmas fast approaching, Knox Citizens were urged this week to enter the Christmas lighting contest being sponsored by the Knox City Lions Club.

The contest committee, Paul Hope, Rev. Floyd Bailey and Sam E. Gonts, drew up a set of rules governing the contest, and announced a partial list of the prizes to be offered.

This year there will be two divisions—homes and business houses.

Prizes in the homes division will be a \$35 floor lamp given by West Texas Utilities Company; a \$29.95 Zenith portable radio given by Hoge Pharmacy; and an Electric Whipper given by City Hardware.

In the division for business houses, first prize will be \$7.50 in cash, given by the Lions Club, and \$5.00 in merchandise at Wm. Cameron Co. Second prize will be \$5.00 in cash from the Lions Club and an electric popcorn popper given by White Auto Store. Business houses will be judged on their overall appearance, inside and outside, rather than on a show window.

## Fireworks Banned In Downtown Area

The City Commission, after receiving many requests and complaints from individuals, this week instructed city officials to enforce the anti-fireworks ordinance that has been in effect a number of years.

The ordinance prohibits the shooting of firecrackers or other fireworks in the fire zone, which is designated as the area extending from the Baptist Church to the Knox City motor Co. north and south, and from the Knox County Lumber Co. corner to the Porter and White Feed Store corner east and west.

Members of the commission said the city had received many complaints since the "fireworks season" started last week.

"Saturday night," one city official said, "powerful firecrackers were tossed into crowds on the street, and some aged person or child could easily have been injured."

The city also received complaints, he added, that older boys were throwing firecrackers from cars, at people and into the entrances of buildings.

"We feel it is a parent's duty to see that his child doesn't shoot fireworks in the fire zone," the Commission said, "and in the event of violations by minors, the parents will be held responsible."

## Rev. McKeown, Former Pastor Here, Dies in Tennessee

Rev. W. E. McKeown, pioneer West Texas Methodist preacher and former pastor of the local Methodist Church, died in Nashville, Tenn., Tuesday at the age of 98.

Funeral services were to be held today (Thursday) in Nashville.

Rev. and Mrs. McKeown came to Knox City in 1916 and he was pastor of the local church four years. He then served as pastor at Throckmorton for one year, and returned to Knox City for another year.

He had been making his home in Nashville with his son, Boyd, McKeown, a former superintendent of the Knox City Schools and a former dean of McMurry College.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Thomas David (Uncle Tom) Cummings proudly announces the birth of his 21st grandchild, and another namesake.

The baby boy, born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Newberry of Rochester Thursday morning, Dec. 3 at the Knox County Hospital, weighed 6 pounds. He has been named David Mike.

will be as follows: Conformity to Christmas spirit, 50 percent; general artistic effect, 25 percent; and originality 25 percent.

Any home or business within the general trade area of Knox City is eligible for a prize. All homes and businesses within the city limits will be automatically entered in the contest, but anyone living outside the city limits who desires to enter his home or business should notify Jeff Graham, Lions Club president, before Dec. 18.

Exact time of the judging will not be announced, but will take place sometime between Dec. 18 and 24.

Since no contest was held last year, sponsors hope there will be many entries this year and that much enthusiasm will be shown, making our city one of real Christmas beauty.

## Gordon Acker Dies In Amarillo Friday

Gordon Acker of Amarillo, former Knox City resident, died unexpectedly Friday, Dec. 4, about noon. He suffered a heart attack while at work, and died in an ambulance enroute to a hospital. As far as members of the family knew, he was unaware of heart trouble.

He was born in January, 1908, and married Miss Frankie English of Knox City on June 3, 1929. Her father, I. W. English, was pastor of the First Baptist Church at that time. The couple lived in Knox City about three years, then lived in Truscott, Angleton and Lubbock before moving to Amarillo, where he owned a laundry.

Funeral services were held in Amarillo Monday at 10 a. m., and graveside rites were held at Truscott Monday afternoon. Rev. Roy Clayton of Glenrose conducted the graveside rites.

Survivors are the wife; one adopted son, David; his mother, Mrs. Callie Acker of Amarillo, and one brother, Leslie Acker of Arlington.

## Two Slayings Occur in County

Two early-morning killings occurred in Knox County last week end, both involving itinerant cotton pickers.

Shortly after 3:00 a. m. Friday, Filmore Salazar, about 25, was found dead of knife wounds on the farm where he was employed, a mile and a half north of Munday. According to officers, Salazar was a Mexican subject, in the United States illegally.

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Jose Morales, who was also employed on the farm. According to reports, Morales was seen driving away from the farm about 3 a. m., accompanied by his wife and two children.

According to Sheriff Homer T. Melton the suspect, whose home is in the Valley, is driving a 1947 Ford coach, license number DU-565.

Jerome Willis, 21, Negro from Fairfield, Texas, was stabbed to death in the Negro section at Goree at 3:05 a. m. Sunday, in an altercation over a woman.

An extensive search for the slayer was launched by Knox County officers, and Buddy Bolt, Negro from Peecos and Calvert, was arrested in Rule by Haskell County officers at 3:00 p. m. Sunday.

Bolt is now in jail and his bond has been set at \$5,000.

## Greyhounds to Play O'Brien Tonight

The Knox City Greyhounds are still seeking a win in basketball, losing to Haskell Tuesday night, 50-34.

In the Munday tournament last week end, the "Hounds" played the powerful Throckmorton quintet a good game, but lost the contest 53-42. Killer Lewis was high point man for Knox City with 18 points, while in the Haskell game, Shelby Bishop was high with 11 points.

Tonight (Thursday), the boys will play O'Brien, winner of the Munday tournament, on the local court. Traditional rivals in basketball, the "Hounds and the Bulldogs are in different districts this year.

Next Monday night, the Greyhounds will play Weimert here, and next Friday night they will go to Weimert.

The girls' teams went to Crowell last Friday night and the B girls won, 17-4, while the A girls lost a thrilling 17-15 contest. The Crowell A team returned the visit Tuesday night, and the local girls won, 24-18. Leta Large was high scorer.

## Christmas Cantata to Be Presented Sunday Night

### Band Parents Club Nets \$255.91 From Box Supper, Party

Mrs. J. G. Hawkins, president of the Band Parents Club, expressed thanks Wednesday to everyone who helped make the box supper and tacky party sponsored by the club a success.

The affair was held at the school gymnasium Monday night, Dec. 7, with the proceeds going to the band fund.

The auction of boxes netted \$255.91, with the highest bid on boxes being \$36. The box bringing the highest price belonged to Mrs. E. H. Tankersley, Jr.

It was a tie between Mrs. Abe Watson and Mrs. Hawkins for the tackiest woman present. E. H. Tankersley was voted the tackiest man and Doyle Goe Graham was the tackiest boy. Prettiest girl was Betty Jean Hawkins, and ugliest boy was Donald Denton. Patsy Williams was tackiest girl.

During the affair, the school board announced that it was giving the band \$125 for the purchase of a saxophone.

Lee Smith was auctioneer, and music was furnished by the Soda Saunders band and the Conjunta Allegria, Latin American entertainers from New Braunfels.

## American Legion to Meet Friday Night

A called meeting of the American Legion will be held tomorrow (Friday) night, Dec. 11. Post Commander Curtis Coates announced Tuesday.

This will be the last meeting of the post before Christmas. Coates said, and many important matters will be discussed.

He urged all Legionnaires to attend.

## BENJAMIN CHURCH TO SHOW 'KING OF KINGS' THURSDAY

Dr. L. A. Eisenhuth, M.A., minister of the First Christian Church of Seymour who wrote and compiled the musical setting to the "King of Kings" in the life story of Christ, will present the picture in 12 reels at the Benjamin High School Auditorium tonight (Thursday) beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Karel Desgrange, minister of the First Christian Church of Benjamin, has announced.

Prior to showing of the movie, which runs from 7:30 to 10 p. m., Dr. Eisenhuth will offer a piano recital of the original musical setting to the King of Kings, beginning at 7:15.

There will be no admission charge, but a free will offering will be taken at the door after the showing of the picture. The proceeds of this offering will go to the Christian Church for the benefit of the Women's Missionary fund.

"This picture of the silent film days was enhanced by the musical score compiled and composed by Dr. Eisenhuth, which has since been recorded for sound," Desgrange said. "See the portrayal of Judas as he accepted the thirty pieces of silver and then hanged himself. See the resurrection of Jesus, and Lazarus. See the earthquake at the time of the crucifixion, see the veil of the temple destroyed by fire from top to bottom as quoted in the scripture, and much more to be seen in the King of Kings."

Everyone in the Knox City area was invited to attend the show.

## Christmas Cantata to Be Presented Sunday Night

"Come early for a good seat" was the request made this week by the producers of the Christmas Cantata which will be presented at the First Baptist Church Sunday night, December 13, beginning at 7:30.

A capacity crowd is expected to see the awe-inspiring pageantry, music and song portraying the birth of Christ.

The 40-member choir will be attired in white robes, and the singers will be directed by Robert C. Taylor, local band director.

Worship services will be dismissed at the Methodist Church, First Christian Church, Four-square Church, Full Gospel Mission and the Church of God, so members may attend the community program.

Chad Wilson will act as narrator, and Joseph and Mary will be portrayed by Rev. and Mrs. E. V. Becker. Others in the cast are:

Dan Strakley as the prophet Isaac; Jeff Graham, Sam E. Gonts and George Wall as the three shepherds; Judge L. M.

Mrs. E. Q. Warren Wednesday appealed to all members of the cast of the Christmas Cantata to attend the final rehearsal at the First Baptist Church Sunday afternoon.

"We want to make the Cantata as nearly perfect as possible," Mrs. Warren said, "and it will take the cooperation of every member of the cast to do so. Please be at the rehearsal at the church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 for last-minute instructions and practice."

Williams, Charlie Shannon and Joe Reeder, Jr., as the three wise men; Mrs. Jeff Graham, Mrs. Sam E. Gonts and Mrs. Edith Hackfield, Sr., as angels.

Doyle Graham is in charge of the lighting effects, and members of the prep committee are Bob Hanna, chairman, George Wall and Charlie Shannon.

Taking solo parts with the choir will be Mrs. Neil Perdue, Mrs. A. V. Kemeltz, Doyle Graham, Mrs. Buddy Angle, Norman Hickok, Taylor, and Mrs. Bob Hanna.

The Cantata is sponsored as a community project by the 1946 Study Club and the Knox City Study Club, headed by Mrs. Rip Collins, Mrs. E. Q. Warren, Mrs. Mabel Fyeatt and Mrs. J. M. Bradberry.

## Auxiliary to Collect Clothing for Victims Of Vicksburg Storm

The American Legion Auxiliary will collect used clothing for the victims of the Vicksburg, Miss., tornado, Mrs. Guy Robinson, president, said this week. Anyone with good used clothing was asked to take it to the American Legion Hall where boxes and racks will be provided.

"If you do not have a way to bring the clothing to the Legion, call any member of the Auxiliary or the Herald office, and someone will pick it up," Mrs. Robinson said. She hopes that the articles can be collected and mailed sometime next week.

## MRS. WILSON TO HOST CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY

Mrs. John Wilson will be hostess to the Business and Professional Women's Christmas party at her home Monday night, Mrs. N. F. Mullins, president, said Tuesday.

Members were asked to be at Mrs. Wilson's home at 6:30 if possible.

The Weather			
Observations by Horace Finley			
Daily Temperatures			
Date	High	Low	Rain
3	60	40	
4	40	23	
5	62	42	
6	61	32	
7	70	35	
8	67	36	
9	58	39	
Rain this month: 0.60			
Total this year: 24.50			
Total this date 1952: 10.00			

### Benjamin News

Mrs. Von R. Terry, Reporter

and visited friends and relatives here Wednesday.

Mrs. Bill Dodd and Charles were in Quannah Monday of last week on business.

Willard Kilgore was a business visitor in Dallas Thursday.

Mrs. Myrtle Meinzer was in Munday on business one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hall of Lawton, Okla., were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bufkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hamilton and son transacted business in Oklahoma a few days last week.

W. A. Ryder, Sr., returned home Saturday from Oklahoma, where he had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ryder and boys.

Jackie Young, who has been stationed in California, is home on a 30 day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Young, and other relatives and

friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Von R. Terry, Carl Benson and Lynn Stephens, who are working in Paducah, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barnett and son of Chico visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Marshall and Omiltene and Pete Barnett Saturday.

Mrs. Hattie Castleman, who has been visiting relatives here, left Sunday for Fort Worth to visit relatives before returning to her home in San Antonio.

Calvin Brown, who is working in Whitesboro, spent the week end with his family.

Miss Louise Brown visited her parents in Munday Thursday night.

Venice, Dale, C. B. and Luniel Howard, all of California, were guests of Miss Omiltene Barnett and Pete Barnett one day last week.

Tom Hamilton was in Quannah one day last week on business.

Miss Jean Galloway of Spur spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Galloway.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Melton, Jr., of Ralls spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Homer T. Melton and family, and other relatives and friends.

Howard Barnett, who is working in Stamford, spent the week end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Nesbitt and family of Weatherford visited Mrs. Hugh Kendrick over the week end.

Mrs. M. E. Heald and daughter of Dickens visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sams, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steedman

and children of Ft. Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Redwine, over the week end.

M. B. Gillentine of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Gillentine, over the week end.

Miss Omiltene Barnett had as her guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Tom Porter of Seymour and Mrs. Newt Smith of Knox City.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dodd and Charles were in Post over the week end to visit his father, H. W. Dodd, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Littlepage visited friends in O'Brien Sunday.

#### Legal Notice

##### CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 11.569 miles of Hot Mix Asphalt, Conc. Pvt. & Two-Crs. Surf. Treat. on Shldrs. from Benjamin to King County Line on Highway No. US 82, covered by C 133-2-8, in Knox County, will be received at the Highway De-

partment, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., Dec. 15, 1953, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the work on above named project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall pay not less than these wage rates for each craft or type of laborer, workman or mechanic employed on this project.

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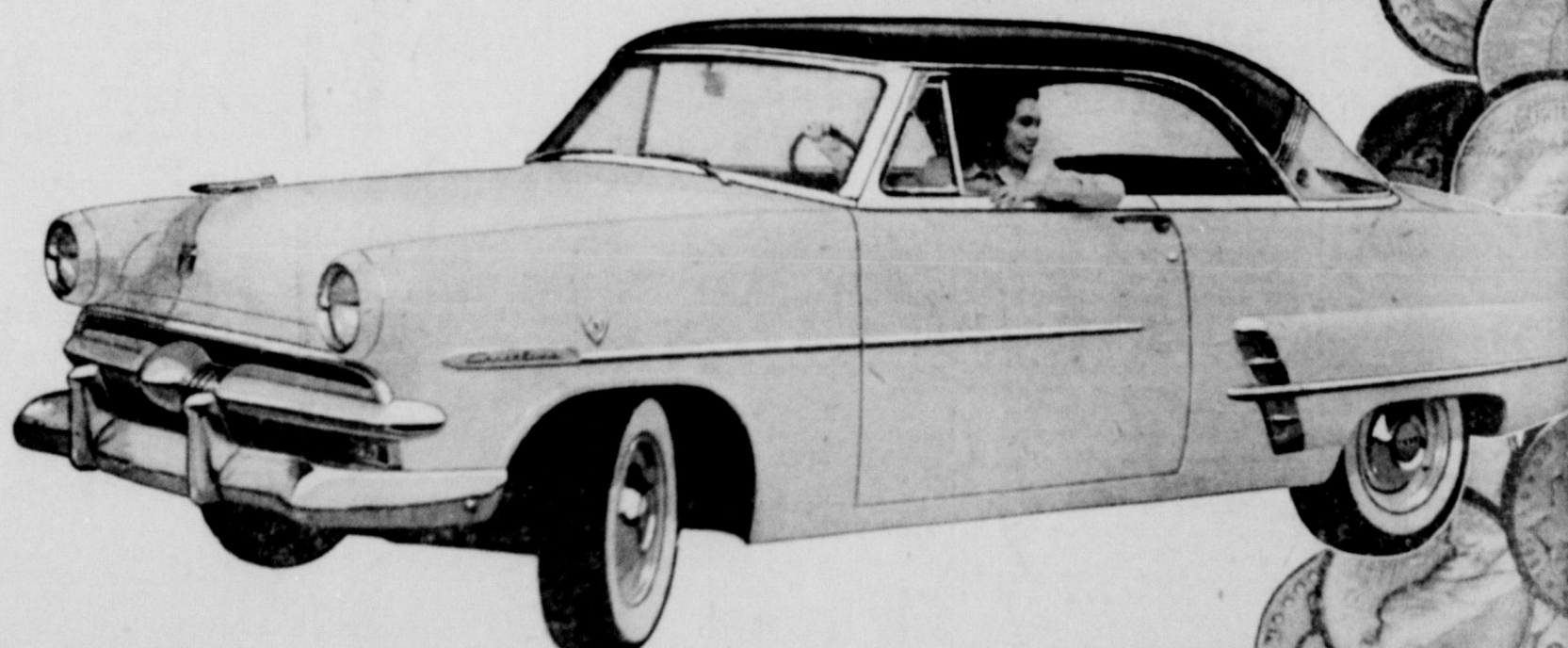
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**O'BRIEN NEWS**

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Middlebrook were Mr. Middlebrook's relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Stark and Don of Newport; Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Cooper of Carson City, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Frie and Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Davis and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Middlebrook, all of Bellvue; and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Page and child.

ren of Muleshoe. Mrs. Sam Johnston and Shirley, Mrs. Sammie Roberts, Mrs. O. S. Johnston and Mrs. R. L. Walsworth spent Sunday and Monday in Wichita Falls with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Johnston and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Johnston and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stanfield are in Corpus Christi with their daughter, Mrs. Donald Wreyford, and family. Mrs. Wreyford underwent major surgery recently. Mrs. Joe Bob Johnson and

Phyllis spent Friday in Abilene. Mrs. Annie Crutcher of O'Donnell and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. West of Oplin are at the bedside of their mother, Mrs. W. H. West, who has pneumonia. Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Malone transacted business in Abilene Saturday. Mrs. Cyle Carver and Mrs. Bill Matura were Haskell visitors Monday. Mrs. H. A. Barnard spent Monday in Altus, Okla. She carried her sister, Mrs. Denny Gibbons, home. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Sparks spent the week end in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Draper and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Selph were Wichita Falls visitors Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Marshall of Hale Center spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Stephens.

**NEW CHEVROLET MODELS TO GO ON DISPLAY SOON**  
A new line of Chevrolet passenger cars, improved in appearance and performance, will go on display here soon, according to Dan Steakley, local dealer, who recently attended a company meeting in Ft. Worth where he saw 1954 models and heard a discussion of their features. "In line with the customary Chevrolet policy," Steakley said, "we have been asked not to disclose details of the new cars. The company feels that its automotive progress can be fully appreciated only at first-hand inspection. For this reason we make every effort to keep the models under wraps until the national showing, when they can be seen in dealer show rooms." For his local introduction, Steakley plans special show-room decorations and a program that will make the event unusual. The annual showing here has always been spectacular, Steakley said, and the 1954 display will be no exception.

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**BENJAMIN FHA GIRLS PLAN CHRISTMAS PARTY**

The Benjamin Future Homemakers chapter met Dec. 3 to discuss plans for a Christmas party and the installation of officers. Plans are to hold the party and installation in the living room of the Homemaking Department Monday night, Dec. 14. Names were drawn for the exchange of gifts.

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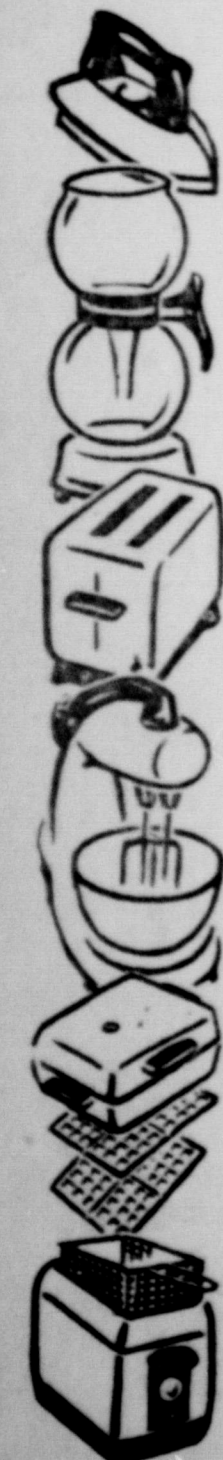
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 to a former pastor of the Meth ...  
 with Church here.

...his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl ...  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walker ...  
 were in K... City on business ...  
 Saturday.

...one day last week ...  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walker ...  
 were in K... City on business ...  
 Saturday.

...to Quinlan Thursday ...  
 Mrs. Elba Joyce Franklin ...  
 Crowell spent Sunday with her ...  
 parents, Mr. and Mrs. ...

...atives and friends here and in ...  
 Crowell ...  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clonts visit ...  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Meloth in ...  
 State Center during the week ...

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<b>CAKE MIX</b>	Swansdown	Angel Food	<b>55c</b>
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<b>Lettuce</b>	Head		<b>10c</b>
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<b>Blackeyed Peas</b>	Diamond Brand	2 for	<b>19c</b>
<b>KLEENEX</b>	200 SIZE	7 FOR	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>Delicious Apples</b>	By the Box	For Christmas	<b>\$5.95</b>
<b>SUGAR</b>	Brown	2 for	<b>25c</b>
<b>SUGAR</b>	Powdered	2 for	<b>25c</b>
<b>Tomatoes</b>	Diamond	2 for	<b>25c</b>
<b>Pork &amp; Beans</b>	Diamond	2 for	<b>19c</b>
<b>Ketchup</b>	Del Monte	2 for	<b>29c</b>
<b>Toilet Tissue</b>	Delsey	2 for	<b>25c</b>
<b>Wapkins</b>	Charmin	2 pkgs.	<b>25c</b>
<b>Wipe</b>	Large		<b>29c</b>
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**STREAMS**  
 in Desert Places  
 By Orville Stephens

In this time of the year our thoughts are turned toward the Christ child and the purpose of His coming. In the scriptures we find the purpose of His coming was to destroy the works of the devil, which are "to fulfill the prophecy of Messiah, to open blinded eyes, to untie deaf ears, to cause the dumb to speak, to heal broken hearts, to proclaim liberty to the captive, to preach the Gospel to the poor and give abundant life.

God had a purpose in everything that happened in the life of Christ. It was written that you and I should believe that Jesus is Christ, the son of God. By believing we have life spiritual, physical and eternal through His name.

The enemy will discourage and destroy our faith unless we hold steadfast our confidence in Him. Once David was in a place of great difficulty, he placed his confidence in God. He refused to be moved by trials. He said, "God is my defense and my protection before mine eyes." Victory is yours in all your desert places when your trust is in Him. "For power belongs unto God."

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### O'Brien Bulldogs Off to Good Start In Basketball Season

The O'Brien Bulldogs have apparently launched another successful basketball season, winning four of their first five games, including the championship of the Munday tournament.

Coach Elvin Mathis has three regulars back from last year's team that won 23 and lost five. They are John Grindstaff, Paul Dean Gothard and Dwayne Johnston. Other starters are Weldon Hutchinson and Billy Denton.

Five of the O'Brien players are over six feet, giving the Bulldogs one of the tallest basketball teams in the area.

The Bulldogs defeated Wernert, 37-34, to win first place in the Munday tournament. They earlier had beaten Vera, 37-22,

and Throckmorton 42-38.

Although he made only four points, Raymond Lancaster sparked the team to greater effort when he sank two shots from the side near the end of the third quarter. The quarter scores were 7-5, 13-17 and 22-20, with O'Brien's score listed first.

The semi-final game with the Throckmorton team, which has an excellent record so far this season, saw O'Brien off to a 9-1 lead early in the first quarter, a 14-8 margin at the end of the half, and ahead 35-28 at the end of the third period. Billy Denton led O'Brien's scoring with 15 points, closely followed by Paul Gothard with 14.

Paul Dean Gothard, 6 ft. 3 in. center, was one of the five members of the All-Tourney team, chosen by the coaches and officials.

Tonight (Thursday) the Bulldogs will play the Knox City

Greyhounds on the Knox City court.

O'Brien will host an invitational tournament on January 13, 14 and 15 for both boys and girls.

The O'Brien Colleens, girls' team, have defeated Knox City A 26-10 and B 19-15; Hobbs 40-35 and Old Glory 44-43. They will enter the Goree meet to night (Thursday) and Friday, meeting Benjamin in the first game.

In the Old Glory game, Peggy Edge broke a 43-43 tie with a successful free throw after she was fouled with two seconds of time remaining. She made 21 points in the game, trailing Barbara Hines by one tally.

#### AUTO INSPECTION "LOG JAM" FEARED

Another "log jam" in auto inspections can be expected unless owners take some quick action. Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the State Department of Public Safety, said this week.

Only 14 per cent of the cars have been inspected under the new inspection law, he said. The deadline is April 15.

About 56 percent of the cars inspected have required minor repairs. Costs have averaged 78 cents, the department reported. Most defects were in headlights and brakes.

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### FHA Girls Give Study Club Program

The Knox City Study Club enjoyed an interesting program Saturday afternoon when the FHA girls of Knox City High School presented a skit on Homemaking.

The program was under the direction of Mrs. Charles E. Silk, Homemaking instructor, and girls taking part were Betty Hawkins, June Cox, Patsy Denton, Helen Acosta, Edith James, Nelda Dodd and Sharon Wilson.

Between the acts of the skit, a musical number was given by Beverly James and Lynelle Tankersley.

After the program Mrs. J. M. Bradberry, club president, presided over a business meeting.

Mrs. Phil Colehour discussed the type of books to be placed in the club library, and the club voted to let Mrs. Colehour decide the kind of books to be selected.

Plans were made to serve a dinner at the clubhouse when the doctors of Knox City are hosts to the hospital and clinic personnel.

The club voted to buy a Christmas tree for the clubhouse, to be used by any group or organization that uses the building during the holiday season.

It was announced that a gift box for the State Hospital at Wichita Falls will be sponsored by the club, and everyone was asked to make a contribution.

Mrs. C. C. Hoge, secretary, told club members that a substantial gift in the form of a check had been received from Timothy Paulsel of Ft. Worth. The gift will enable the club to pay off its indebtedness on the clubhouse.

Mrs. A. L. Pessell was elected to membership in the club.

#### SCHOOL LUNCHROOM MENU

Menu at the Knox City School Lunchroom for the week beginning December 14 will be as follows:

Monday: Pinto beans, buttered cabbage, potato salad, corn-bread and butter, milk, peaches.  
Tuesday: Beef and vegetable stew, buttered spinach, cheese and crackers, milk, apple delight.

Wednesday: Salmon croquettes with tomato catsup, mashed potatoes, creamed English peas, rolls and butter, milk, fruit salad.

Thursday: Pimento cheese sandwiches, hot pork and beans, potato chips, milk, banana pudding.

Friday: Christmas dinner of turkey, dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, green beans, vegetable salad, rolls, butter, milk, ice cream sandwiches.

### LOCAL 4-H CLUB SELECTS ADULT LEADERS

The Knox City 4-H club boys met with County Agent F. J. Bryan Tuesday, Dec. 8, with the president, Bobby Day, presiding.

Two Adult Leaders were selected. They are S. E. Park, Sr., and F. A. Johnston, Sr.

The county agent passed out bulletins on broiler production and Growing Chicks for Flock Replacement. He then showed slides on the culling of poultry. The slides showed the boys how to cull the chickens from the day they are purchased until they become too old to lay.

Other officers in the organization are S. E. Park, Jr., vice president; Jerry Don Anderson, secretary; and Jerry Johnston, reporter.

#### ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Campbell, Jr., of 1908 Edgehill Rd., Huntington Valley, Pa., have announced the arrival of a daughter.

The girl was born Monday, Dec. 7, and has been named Mary Jo, after her grandmother in Knox City.

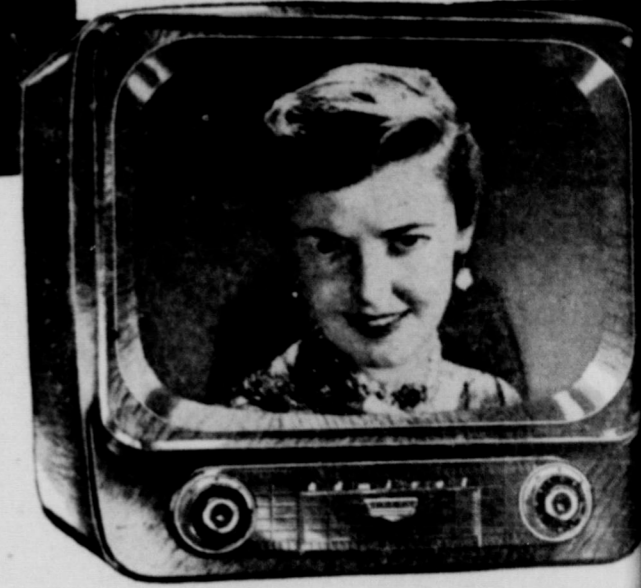
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Charmin Bathroom TISSUE, 4 rolls .....	39c	Fresh LETTUCE, head .....	15c
Guaranteed EGGS, dozen .....	69c	7 oz. size JOY SUDS, only .....	29c
Foremost or Dairyland SWEET Quart .....	22c	Diamond PORK & BEANS, 2 for ..	18c
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 Services were conducted by [Name]...

**Entertained with Party**  
 The [Name] [Organization]...  
 The party was held at [Location]...

**From Where I Sit**  
 A Case of [Name]...  
 [Name] writes from [Location]...

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 Dr. [Name]  
 Dr. [Name]  
 Dr. [Name]

## Is The Bible Sufficient?

The existence of many creed books, manuals, disciplines and catechisms in the religious world makes one ponder the question, "Is the Bible sufficient as a religious guide?" Do we need other books to define our faith? Is the Bible inadequate to express completely and clearly the teachings of Christ?

The Bible itself answers these questions. Jesus promised "Howbeit when the Spirit of truth is come, he will guide you into ALL TRUTH." John 16:13. He clearly specified what he wants his followers to preach in Mark 16:15, "Go ye into all the world and preach THE GOSPEL to every creature."

A solemn warning is issued in II John 9, "Whosoever transgresseth, and abideth not in the doctrine of Christ, hath not God." Additional emphasis is given by a curse pronounced in Galatians 1:8 upon any who preach a perverted gospel, "But though we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel unto you than that which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed."

Finally, the specific claim is made in II Timothy 3:16, 17 that the scriptures, unaided by human books, furnish us perfectly and completely unto all good works: "All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: THAT THE MAN OF GOD MAY BE PERFECT, THOROUGHLY FURNISHED UNTO ALL GOOD WORKS."

We, therefore, accept the Holy Scriptures alone as our religious guide. We trust them completely and seek to follow them precisely in doing the will of God. The study of the Bible pays eternal dividends — We welcome you to study with us.

**KNOX CITY CHURCH OF CHRIST**

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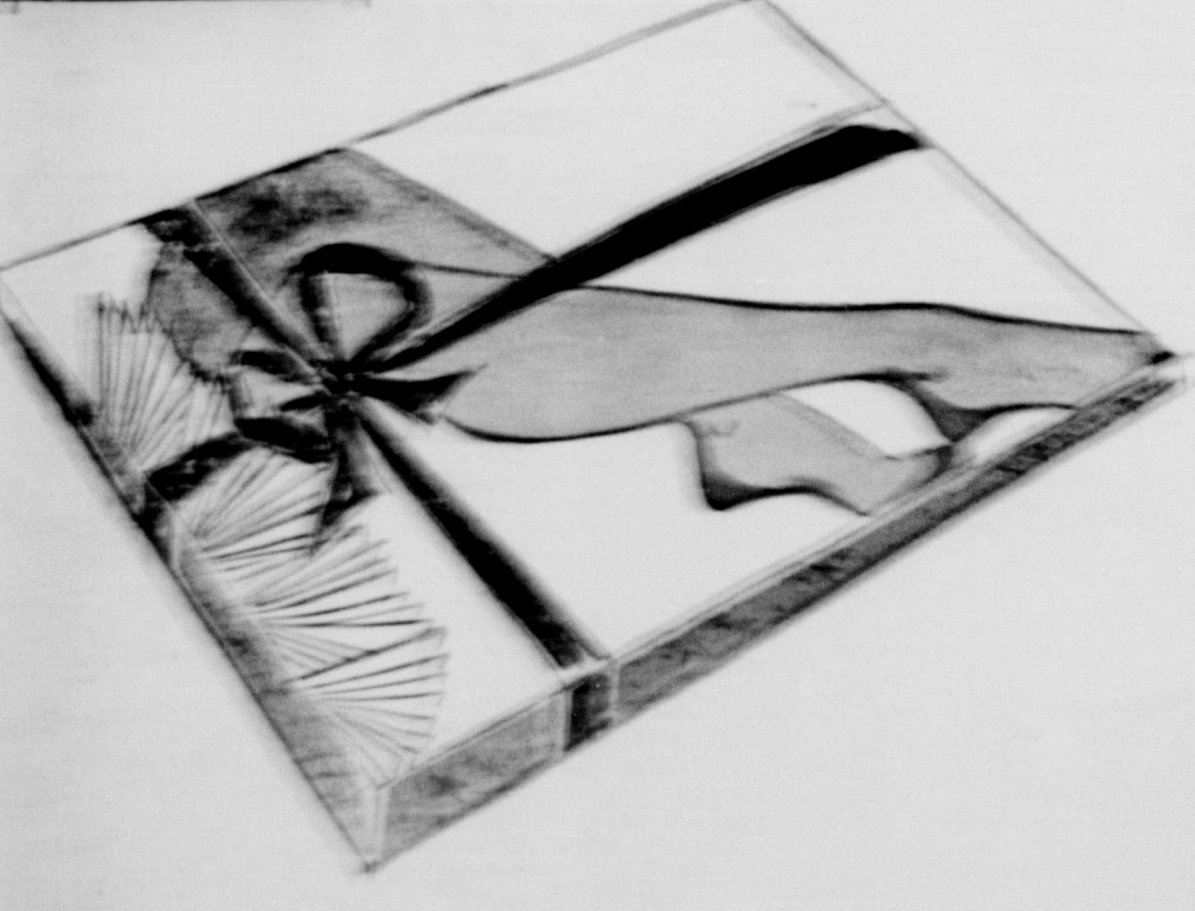
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## CHRISTMAS GIFT SALE!



Cobb's has purchased Ten Thousand Dozen In-Pouch Nylon Hose, #1 Gage, 15 Denier, first-quality, nationally advertised brand, to give to their customers in this special event. Regular price is \$1.65 and \$1.35.

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**M.O.D. Workers Attend Meeting In Abilene Dec. 4**

Representatives of four Texas areas attended a March of Dimes pre-campaign meeting at the Windsor Hotel in Abilene Friday. Attending from Knox County were Mrs. J. C. McGee, county campaign chairman; Mrs. L. A. Parker, Benjamin chairman; and Mrs. Arlie Williams, Knox City chairman.

Purpose of the meeting was to coordinate work between counties in the 1954 fund raising campaign for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. A goal of 59 cents per capita nationally has been set to raise the \$75 million needed for patient care, research and education.

The campaign will begin Jan. 2 and continue through Jan. 31.

Twenty-two representatives and speakers from the Northwest, West, Northeast and Central Texas areas attended the meeting. Dr. W. T. Walton, Taylor county director, gave the invocation and the welcome. Mrs. R. O. Pearson, state advisor on women's activities, reviewed the history of the national foundation.

Bo Mingus of Radio Station KRBC, Abilene, gave a talk on "Radio in the March of Dimes" and Dick Tarpley of the Abilene Reporter-News spoke on "Press in the March of Dimes."

Other speakers were Bob English, West Texas representative, and Mike Hyre of Abilene.

**ATTEND POSTAL MEET**

Postmaster and Mrs. Jeff Graham were in Nocona Saturday night to attend a convention of the postal employees in the 13th Congressional District.

Principal speakers were Congressman Frank Ikard and Postal Inspector L. H. Schwoerke.

Judge and Mrs. L. M. Williams were in Dallas Wednesday and Thursday.

**Legion Auxiliary's Christmas Party Set for Dec. 15th**

The annual Christmas party of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held at the Legion Hall Tuesday night, Dec. 15, Mrs. Guy Robinson, president, said this week.

Those attending were asked to bring a gift for a lady. Mrs. Sammie Carpenter is in charge of arrangements and working with her are Mrs. Alton Fitzgerald, games and entertainment; Mrs. Loyce Teague, refreshments; Mrs. C. S. Woodward, decorations; and Mrs. Bud Thompson, invitations.

**HOMEMAKERS CLASS MEETS WITH MRS. AVERITT**

The Homemakers Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Joe Averitt Tuesday, Dec. 8, with seven class officers and the teacher present.

A class clinic for a Standard class was conducted, and the Homemakers met all requirements for a Standard class.

Those present were Mrs. Averitt, teacher; Mrs. G. W. All-

dridge, Mrs. W. N. Bishop, Mrs. Morris Denton, Mrs. Norman Howell, Mrs. G. W. Hodges, Mrs. Lloyd Wheeler and Mrs. Jack Land.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. English of Glen Rose visited his daughter, Mrs. Horace Finley, and family during the week end. Sunday night guests in the Finley home were Mr. and Mrs. Billy English and sons, Larry and Rickey, of San Antonio.

Airman John R. (Duck) Robinson was to leave today after a 14-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Robinson. Duck, who has been sta-

tioned at Sheppard Falls, is being to Randolph Field, tonio.

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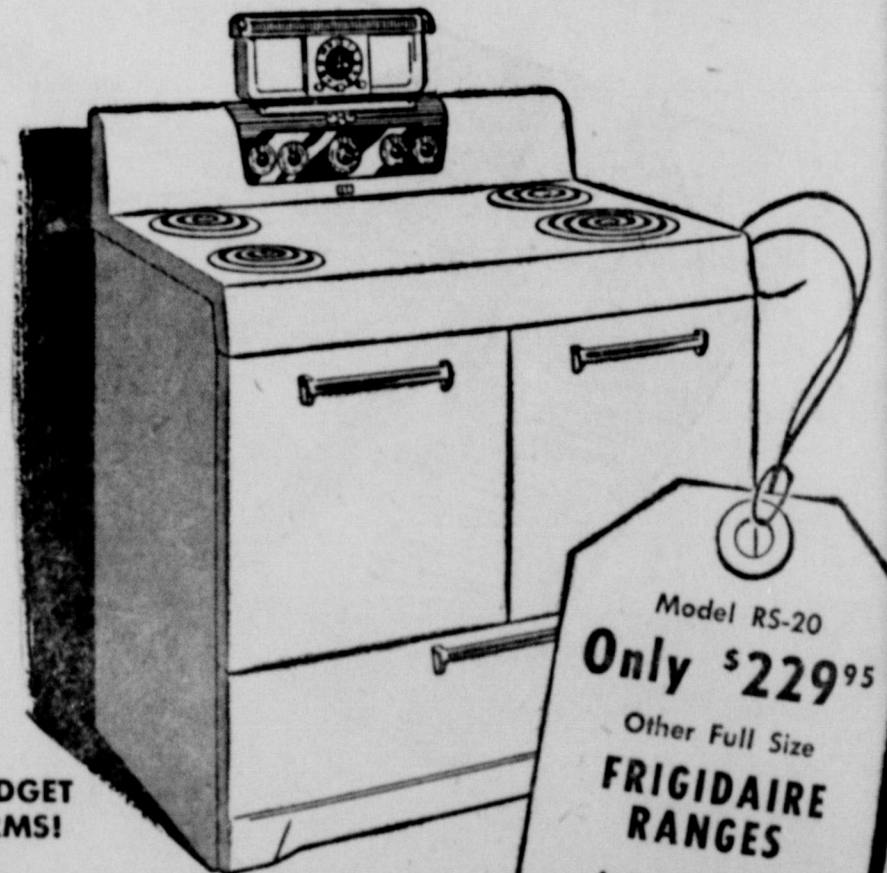
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