

SIGHTS, FACES SEEN

Around Town

Maybe it's the season, but this week Hereford is "going musical." Things get off to a flying start Sunday evening with the "Messiah" -- and are slated to keep right on throughout the week.

Thursday, for instance, is a double-header. The Lions Club Ladies night will feature singers from Hardin-Simmons University -- and the program is scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock. The Hereford School Chorus presentation, previously scheduled for 8 o'clock at the high school auditorium on the same night, has been changed to 7 o'clock to avoid conflict and to allow those who desire to attend both events.

Manager Robert Bell reports that a Hereford business man dropped into the Rural Telephone office the other day, paid the application fee, plus 12 months service charge on a telephone for his parents. It's to be their Christmas present.

The Jaycee Committee also called to announce that judging in the annual lighting contest will be Tuesday night, Dec. 23. Points included in judging will be "Religious Motif, Originality and Appearance."

Frank Barber can really be stubborn when he tries. He is the subject of "I'll Never Forget" on the editorial page this week and, as per custom, The Brand tried to get his picture. Not Frank, though. He flat refused, not once, but several times. Frank says in addition to his wife, his partner, Mrs. Bruce Rose, and the girls in the coffee shop, would never let him hear the last of it if his picture came out in the paper.

Hank Williams is giving Mayor S. O. Wilson a fit. There is a big mud hole in front of Hank's house on 25-Mile Avenue and Hank tried to talk Mr. Wilson into having the city fix it. Mr. Wilson declined on the grounds that 25-Mile Avenue is a state highway and the city has no jurisdiction. A few weeks later Mrs. Wilson got stuck in the very same mud hole and Mr. Wilson had to go to the rescue. What Hank doesn't know, though, is that Hereford's

Allison To Head Red Cross Early Donor Campaign

J. R. "Jim Bob" Allison has been named Advanced Gift Chairman for the Hereford Chapter Red Cross fund-raising campaign scheduled for March according to D. C. Kinsey, 1953 fund campaign chairman. Although the quota for 1953 has not yet been received, it will be announced later. At the same time those who give at this time of the year may do so and their donations will be earmarked for that quota, stated Kinsey. Checks should be made payable to the Hereford Chapter, American Red Cross and may be given to Allison, turned in at Red Cross office or mailed to Red Cross, Box 137, Hereford.

Kiwanis Radio Auction Is Set For Sunday Afternoon

The Kiwanis Club will sponsor Hereford's first Radio Auction Sunday afternoon, Dec. 14, between the hours of 1:45 and 5:45, according to announcements made Saturday which reported approximately 75 items with a total retail value of around \$1,200. The idea is to do your Christmas shopping the easy way, says Pat Sullivan, president. "All you have to do is pick up the telephone, ask for 'Radio Auction' and bid. The high bidder will be notified immediately as the bid is purchased as soon as the bid is confirmed. He will also be mailed a letter. He should present the letter and check for the amount payable to Hereford Kiwanis Club to the merchant who donated the item. "It's simple," adds Sullivan, and has gone over big in other communities where it has been tried.



MARTHA JEAN BROWN, center, was officially named "Band Sweetheart of 1952-53" at the High School Band Presentation Concert Thursday evening, Dec. 11. Attendants were runner-up for the honor, they are Bobbie Drury, left, and Barbara Rogers, right. Pat Newell was escort to the queen, Pickens Moore for Miss Drury and Tunny Wilson to Miss Rogers. Richard Tucker, vice president of the band organization, presented Miss Brown with the lyre of flowers. The auditorium was filled for the concert. W. H. Patton Photo.

"Deaf Smith Capsules" Now Being Packed For Research

"Deaf Smith County capsules" are now being packed by the Upjohn Company, one of the nation's larger pharmaceutical houses, according to reports received here this week. The new capsules are "not for sale," however, and are being made as special orders from hospitals and clinics for "experimental purposes only." These Deaf Smith capsules will be used for experiments on hospital cases with broken bones or bone structures which are below average," Wayne Evans told the Deaf Smith County Research Committee at a meeting this week. "Hospitals now using the

Deaf Smith formula include Galveston, St. Louis, Dallas, and three veteran's hospitals," he continued, pointing out that six experimental hospitals are now included in the group. "Furthermore," Evans reported, "Dr. L. B. Barnett, who is assisting with the experiments, reports that actual tests over a period of several months disclose that these patients show a two-week

quicker healing record than do parallel cases where the Deaf Smith formula was omitted." This information, he said, was reported by Dr. Barnett in a paper presented before the American Orthopedic Association in Chicago recently. Already, the Hereford Chamber of Commerce is getting letters from doctors seeking further information on Continued on page 2

Bus Strike Delays Hereford Travel, Freight Shipments

Hereford is practically without public highway transportation, due to the strike of the New Mexico Transportation Co. According to the local bus station, drivers of New Mexico Transportation Co. are striking for higher wages and longer vacation time. They say that the Greyhound Bus Lines give better wages and vacations to their employees and that both bus lines cover the same routes. The strike was called Monday, Dec. 8, for 12 midnight, and since that time, there has been only one bus in or out of Hereford. The Texas New Mexico and Oklahoma Bus Lines have a small bus which comes from Lamesa and is here at 3 p.m. daily. Mrs. W. R. Hall of the local Bus Station, says that if something isn't done, people are going to begin having trouble traveling during the Christmas holidays. According to Mrs. Hall, many are already wanting to start on Christmas trips.

Rural Telephone Foundations Run

Concrete foundations on the seven exchange buildings for the Rural Telephone organization are nearing completion, Robert Bell, manager, reported Saturday. He also reported that line work is in process at some points and surveys are being made in others. Exchange stations will be located at Dawn, West Hereford, Frio, North Frio, South Frio, Bovina and Oklahoma Lane.

Thieves Rob Coin Machines, Ignore \$1,300 In Vault

Thieves, apparently, more interested in nickles than big money, netted between \$100 and \$150 in two robberies on Highway 60 Tuesday night, according to Hereford police.

Heaviest loss was at Hereford Oil Company, located on the "Y" in east Hereford. Thieves broke open cigarette machines, candy machines, Coke machines, and Dr. Pepper machines, taking all money, but leaving merchandise. The machine damage was estimated at more than the actual cash loss. They also took two new tires for good measure.

The oil company safe, unlocked, was sitting in the room and contained \$1,300 to \$1,400 -- but was not touched by the thieves who presumably thought it locked and did not bother it. A valuable shotgun was also resting on top of the safe, but was not touched.

Presumably the same thieves also entered the Delano Cafe, next door to the station. Here they also broke into cigarette machines and took funds from two wall boxes connected with the juke box.

Chief Leo F. Box said that both robberies were unsolved and that police believed the robberies to be the work of transients.

Funeral Service For Mrs. Sargent Scheduled Today

Mrs. Raymond L. Sargent, 39, died in her sister's home at Terminal, Texas, December 12, following an illness of four months. Before Mrs. Sargent became ill, she was employed at Anthony's Department store in Hereford. Her husband, Raymond Sargent is employed with Big T Pump Co. Mrs. Sargent was born January 9, 1914, at Fredonia, Texas. She was married in Pala Pinto, Texas, September 16, 1941. They came to Hereford in 1946 from Mineral Wells, Texas.

The body is lying in state at the Gilliland Funeral Home. Funeral services are to be at the Avenue Baptist church Sunday, Dec. 14, at 3 p.m. with Rev. H. V. Fields, officiating. Pallbearers are Tony Burrus, Walt Blanes, Paul Harvey, Lendal Murry, George Hudson and Harvey Hudson.

Interment will be at West Park Cemetery in Hereford under direction of Gilliland Funeral Home. Surviving are the husband, Raymond L. Sargent; her mother, Mrs. Nancy Deiner of Odessa; her sister, Mrs. Pauline Dunne of Terminal; one uncle, Harry Downer, Nevada, N. M.; one aunt, Mrs. Carrie Stambaugh, Eunice, N. M.

The Weather

	High	Low
Thursday	52	20
Friday	58	20
Saturday	60	22



FIREMEN BATTLE raging flames on a Labor Camp barracks in the top photo. The fire, of unknown origin, broke out around 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. Most people, including Ed Dzug, president of the labor



A CHRISTMAS PRESENT for the Meregillo Castile family might well be the title of the above photo. The Castiles lived in the front part of the barracks -- and lost everything. Mr. Castile was away working when the fire broke out. Mrs. Castile and the two children were uninjured, but were unable to save anything in the building. Other residents of the barracks were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Garcia, and one child; Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sunnega and four children. The two latter families were able to save furnishings and some clothing, however. Housing will not be a problem, since around 125 people now inhabit the 30 barracks in the camp. Staff Photo.

"Messiah" Presentation Scheduled Sunday Night

Annual rendition of the "Messiah" by the Hereford Chorus will this year attract possibly more interest than ever before, according to Miss Mattie Mae Swisher, chorus president. Presentation will be made in the auditorium of the First Baptist church Sunday evening, Dec. 14, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, and most churches have indicated that will dis-

miss services for the occasion. Special soloists from over the Texas Panhandle and Eastern New Mexico will be featured. The presentation will be under direction of A. Clyde Roller, director of the Amarillo Symphony Orchestra, and 40 pieces from the orchestra will come to Hereford to take part in the "Messiah."

Soloists include: Mrs. Eidean Reed, soprano, Borger; Miss Billie McCain, alto, Alamogordo, N. M., who is a student at Wayland College; Sam Allen, tenor, Wayland instructor; Henry Arnold, baritone, Dean of Music, Amarillo

College; Bill Hutchinson, bass, KPAN, Hereford; Charles Whitehead, senior student in Hereford High School. Mrs. A. J. Schroeter is pianist and Don Moore of Hereford High School has served as assistant director for the group. In addition to 73 Hereford singers listed by Miss Swisher who have been practicing for the presentation, she also said that the group will be joined by singers from neighboring towns. All singers were asked to be at the church by 7:10 o'clock to secure places prior to the actual presentation.

Youth, 17, Admits Thefts In Five Hereford Churches Since Nov. 26

A small-time thief with an apparent "religious complex" was arrested here this week by City Patrolmen and later confessed breaking into five different churches in Hereford between Nov. 26 and the present time.

Charges of robbery were filed against Delano Dwight Williams, 17, on five counts. Bond was set at \$1,000 on each count and he remained in the county jail. Police Chief Leo F. Box said that Williams has served three previous reformatory sentences.

The series of burglaries started Nov. 26 when the youth entered the Methodist church here. The loss was never fully estimated, since it composed a special offering. Williams said that he went up the back stairs, found the door open and located the money in a box in

a desk drawer. He kept the money and burned the checks.

On Dec. 5, he entered the First Baptist Church after breaking a window. He found \$20 in a box, also in a desk drawer.

At the First Presbyterian church, Williams said that he cut a screen and was able to open an unlocked window. He found only \$3 this time, locating it on a shelf in a Sunday School room.

At the Avenue Baptist church, Williams made a "water haul." He recalled that the door was open and he had no trouble entering, but said he prowled all over the place -- without locating any money.

St Anthony's Church netted him \$30, which he found in an offering stand. He broke the glass in a back window and entered the church through the window.



JUST GRAB THE PHONE and say, "Radio Auction, Please!" One of the willing Kiwanians, above, will take your bid. Here they are, on the line and ready to go: Left to right: Clint Formby, Roy Feet, Tommy Hulsey, Reuben Knox, H. V. Stanton, Joy Lovell, Walter Seed, John Paul, Calvin Edwards. W. H. Patton Photo.



WEDDING VOWS for Dortha Charlane Hynds and Rae Melton Cox were solemnized in the Avenue Baptist Church by Rev. H. V. Fields, pastor. The group above shows: Jas. Edward Grimes, Rae Melton Cox, Dortha Charlane Hynds, Elaine Cox and Rev. H. V. Fields. Photo by Alex Thompson.

SPORTS SHOTS

These Football Banquets Reveal Season's Success

By Harold V. Ratliff
Associated Press Sports Editor
This is the time of the year when you hear two kinds of speeches. They are made at the football banquets being held everywhere.
If the speaker starts out like this: "You can learn many lessons from losing -- you know the team didn't do very well."
If it's like this: "I pay great tribute to a great football team; it had the spirit and the fight when the chips were on the line" you know the local team really went to town.
It's amazing how much benefit a football team can get from being defeated. It would appear that since the rewards are so great, every team would try to lose.

But there was a new angle given to this "profit from losing" situation at the banquet for Southern Methodist University's football team which failed by a long shot of having a fine season. It is doubtful if this angle ever was used before.

Gerald Mann, star quarterback and passer of Southern Methodist in the late twenties, was the speaker. Mann attained a high position in law, is a leading attorney of Dallas these days. He attacked his subject from the commercial angle -- except that the way he told it, the commercial angle was removed.

Mann reminded the Southern Methodist players that while they hadn't won a championship, they had played in some great games and before many thousands of people and that the profits from the gate receipts had gone into making SMU greater.

The athletic fund at Southern Methodist, which was swollen by \$650,000 in a single football season, contributed a large amount to the university press, handed over funds to help build a student union building and is contributing to the erection of a big gymnasium.

\$1,913 into the fund; \$1,449 has been paid out on laboratory experiments, plus containers, postage and other incidental expenses, leaving \$276.08 in the fund. Payment of \$200 for the first 30 days of tests on the rats was made this week, leaving a balance of \$76.08 in the fund. The isolation tests on rats is scheduled to continue for a period of six months.

But Mann was fortunate in being able to talk to a losing team that made money despite its record. Most teams that lose don't come out on the winning side financially.

However, the example Southern Methodist has set with its football teams could, if followed by other colleges, remove the cry of overemphasis of sports and remove the taint that has clouded intercollegiate athletics.

SMU has managed to build a fandom that likes to see football for football's sake and doesn't worry too much about the local team losing.

The Texas Interscholastic League used pressure to remove the Oil Bowl at Wichita Falls. Midwestern University, you know, sued the league and got an injunction forbidding the league from penalizing Wichita Falls High School for allowing use of its field for the Oil Bowl game in violation of a league rule against all-star games.

The case now is in the Supreme Court. But it was settled by the league itself without having to wait on the courts. The league merely removed itself from any

activity that might be sponsored at Midwestern University in which school children participate. The attitude of the league was that since Midwestern wasn't agreeable to its rules then it could not see its way clear to help Midwestern build up its student body. That was the blow that removed Midwestern from contention.

It just goes to show you that the Interscholastic League hasn't been operating 40 years for nothing -- it has learned all the angles.

Rainfall is Lower
San Angelo, Texas - (AP) - Only 137.34 inches of rain fell here in the ten years between Nov. 1, 1942 and Nov. 1, 1952. This is the lowest amount recorded in any decade since records began in 1867.

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A LOT OF AUTHORITY FOR ONE NOT IN THE GAME



Around...

Newest City Councilman, Wayne Edwards, also got into the hole Thursday night -- and had the dickens of a time getting out. Wayne said he was grinning to himself all the time, thinking about what Hank would say if he had caught him.

Billye Wright is helping in The Brand news department for a few weeks. There's just one thing wrong with Billye, she plans to move to Fort Worth shortly after Christmas.

Francis Hardwick is having trouble giving away Wedding Anniversary passes. The big item, right now is that people send in names, but give no address and sometimes he cannot track them down. Right now he's trying to locate Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Townsend and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford A. Arnold. Will someone turn in these mailing addresses at the Star Theatre. "Send 'em in," says Mr. Hardwick, "we want them all -- but we cannot send out cards -- passes if you do not include the address."

Thursday The Brand reported E. Elliott as hospitalized. It should have been R. E. Elliott.

The Elliotts have recently moved from 505 Union to 300 Gracie Street, but Mr. Elliott will remain in the hospital for some time, according to recent reports.

When Dudley Green sold his Ford business a few months back and Mrs. Green leased out the Savoy Hotel, Dudley was scheduled to "piddle" around the farm and Mrs. Green was going to "take it easier." They announced today, however, that they are operating the Tasty Drive Inn on Hiway 60 -- and they are "taking it easy" by stepping up the opening time to "24 hours a day," plus drives in service from 4 o'clock to 12 o'clock nights. Furthermore, they seem plenty happy to get back into harness.

A farm sale of considerable interest is that of James M. Morris, scheduled Dec. 19. It will be held at the farm 15 miles north on Hiway 51, four and one-half west, one-half south from here.

Ladies attending the Rotary Ladies Night Christmas Party Friday were given as favors wooden gadget boxes with the Rotary emblem on top. Sweetheart Zelma Altman also received an official "Sweetheart pin" inscribed with the Rotary emblem.

Capsules...

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soils, water, climate and general conditions in the Hereford area. The paper will be published in medical journals in the next few months.

The next step in advancing work of the research committee will be in isolation of elements or combination of elements which lead to more rapid bone healing, Evans reported. He said that white rats will be used in an extensive program in an effort to find out just which of the elements bring about the results. If this is successful, Evans says, the tests will be later used in experiments on patients to the "capsule program" now in progress.

In addition, he says that Dr. Barnett feels that the Research Committee may look for a possible \$15,000 grant from American Research Council to carry on the program. Meanwhile, the local committee is opening another drive for funds to carry on the work until outside aid appears.

"We will need approximately \$1,000 to carry out our part of the program," Evans pointed out. The committee, to date, has collected



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PRESIDENTS OF CIVIC CLUBS were Rotary guests at the annual Christmas party Friday night -- and provided part of the entertainment. Wives and sweethearts stood behind the dignitaries who were asked questions like, "What color is the buckle on your wife's belt?" When the husband gave the wrong answer, the wife, standing be-

hind with a rolled-up newspaper, gave him a sound whack. You can see the paper descending on D. C. McWorter, who responded, "Gold." You can also see that Mrs. McWorter wore no belt. Others show are: John Aiken, Jay Cees; Pat Sullivan, Kiwanis; Don Zimmerman, Lions; Wayne Edwards, City Commission. Kenneth Coker Photo.

TEXANS IN WASHINGTON

Mexican Farm Labor Topic Before Washington Bureau

(Ed. Note: "Wetbacks", Mexican-Americans and domestic Spanish-American labor problems have frequently been discussed at club meetings and by individuals of this area. The following article proves that the same problems are current in other parts of the United States, and more especially in the Rio Grande Valley from where much migratory labor in the Hereford area originates.)

By Tex Easley
AP Special Washington Service
WASHINGTON — Mexican wetbacks become something more than just illegal aliens when you listen to Judge Joe Montague and Jim Griffin.

The problem had been tossed around for a couple of days at a conference called here by the Labor Department. Some 100 representatives of farm and ranch operators from all parts of the country were present.

They all sought ways to improve the U. S.-Mexican farm labor agreement. From a purely business standpoint some of those taking the floor complained about red tape in getting and keeping Mexican farm and ranch hands.

Seated on the front row up near the panel discussion table where Undersecretary of Labor, Michael Calvin held the spotlight, was Judge Montague of

Fort Worth. He has headquarters in Fort Worth, at least when he isn't hitting out this place or that in his job as counsel for the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association.

"You know," said the Judge, rising to his feet. "You're overlooking something else in all this."

"In the drafting of these contracts you ought to consider the relationship between some of these Mexicans and the people they work for."

"Some of them have been on one place for years. They get deeply attached to the place and to the horses and other live-

stock. You move them out to comply with some technicality and they're heartsick."

Tall, black-haired Jim Griffin of Mission, then got up. He said he operated a ranch close to the Mexican border and that his own boys were growing up like Judge Montague had. "To love tortillas even better than pon blanco."

Observing that he was hiring only braceros -- Mexicans admitted under the labor treaty -- Griffin said the government should simplify the program to eliminate the wetback problem.

"Take my situation," he added. "I could go across the border and within a radius of 50 miles hire 12 to 15 good, experienced cowhands. That's the way we used to do it, we knew those people and they knew us."

"As I understand the program, we have to take whatever Mexican Nationals they give us, and hope they can do the job."

"Here's what I mean. One night last week a new born calf on our place froze to death. The man we had sent out to look for the mother couldn't find her among the other cows, so we could take care of her. Any cowboy who knows his business should have found her."

Griffin reminded his listeners that a great segment of the South Texas population is of Latin-American racial stock.

"Texas belonged to Mexico before it was a part of the United States," he continued. "Many of those people down there have close family ties across the border, and speak the language better than the language you are speaking here."

Austin Anson of Harlingen, manager of the Texas Fruit and Vegetable Growers Association, backed up what Montague and Griffin said.

He told of a south Texas man and his wife driving to Monterey to find and aid seven Mexicans who formerly worked for them but who had been deported and told they could reenter the country at a point hundreds of miles away.

While on the trip their car was in a wreck. The man was killed leaving eventual return of the Mexicans still in doubt, Anson said.

Other Texans attending the meeting included Ed McDonald of Dallas, southwestern regional director of the Labor Department's Bureau of Employment Security; W. L. Crawford and Tracy Murrell, both also of Dallas; H. G. Bradley, El Paso; Roy Eorkner, Lubbock; B. J. Burnett, W. G. Kirkin and J. P. Kirkin, Pecos; Harry Moore, El Paso, Monty Morgan, Texas Employment Commission; G. N. Reed, Midland; W. G. White, Lamesa and R. L. Skov, El Paso.

AROUND THE CAPITAL:
Lacey Sharp of Waco, secretary to Rep. W. R. (Bob) Poage (D-Tex.) has just left the hospital after an appendectomy.

Rep. Wright Pitman of Texas, commenting on a proposal by a New York congressman that the terms of representatives be four years instead of two, said:

"In my opinion, such an amendment would be an unsafe change from the standpoint of the people, although it would be more convenient for the House members."

"A two-year term is long enough for a poor congressman or a poor Chief Executive. The present term of two years allows the people to regain control in two years and not only elect, if necessary, a better congressman, or a better Congress, but also direct the Chief Executive, since the House of Representatives has charge of the pursestrings."

Rep. Lloyd Bentsen of McAllen, who piloted bombers from an Italian base in World War II, air raids, recently flew a jet fighter plane for the first time. He expressed amazement at the ease with which it handled, and said he thought it less tiring to fly a jet than a propeller driven craft. Bentsen holds a commission in the Air Force Reserve.

Addresses Of Men In Service Sought For Xmas Mailing

Appearing in this issue of The Brand will be found a list of servicemen from this area. Addresses are also included in the list, which is published in order that friends and schoolmates may remember the boys with Christmas cards.

In addition to this list, another will be published Thursday, following which date it will probably be too late to mail cards and have them arrive for Christmas. Therefore, if you have a relative, or friend in the service, you are invited to write or phone The Brand office -- and give the correct mailing address.

Christmas cards, sent air mail, will still reach Korea in time to bring season's greeting. A personal letter, perhaps, would do an even better job.

Culling the poultry flock is a job that never ends, say poultry husbandry specialists. It never pays to keep birds that are poor layers.

Fine Arts Program Presented For County Federation Session

Deaf Smith County Federation of Women's Clubs held its second quarterly luncheon meeting at the Christian church Friday. Hostess clubs included: Child Study Club, Bud to Blossom, B & P.W. Club, Lone Star Study Club and Cultural Home Demonstration Club.

A Fine Arts program was featured with Mrs. C. W. Parker, fine arts department chairman, in charge.

An ensemble from the Music Study Club was presented with singers; Mesdames J. C. McCracken, H. K. Fox, Troyce Carmichael, C. J. Mount, T. W. Roberson, Earl Phillips, S. O. Wilson, C. W. Parker and A. O. Thompson. They sang: "Mamselle Marie" and "Lef Away" with Mrs. McCracken at the piano.

Mrs. Parker gave a demonstration of the correlation between art and music, showing copies of famous paintings and playing recorded music expressing the mood of the painting.

Mrs. Earl DeHart, president of the Federation, presided over the business session and announced the next meeting at the Methodist church on February 27. The American Home Department will have charge of the program. Fifteen clubs were represented at the meeting.

Officers Named By Farm Bureau At Tuesday Meet

The Farm Bureau met Tuesday night, elected officers for the coming year and heard reports from delegates to the State Convention in San Antonio.

Officers selected were: V. E. Dodson, president; Pete Carmichael, vice president; Johnnie Henderson, secretary-treasurer. Selection of the officers was by the 26-member board of directors.

Reporting on the state convention were Mr. and Mrs. Byron Campbell, Pete Carmichael and Mrs. Jesse Mae Dodson, who made the trip as delegates of the local unit.

Trend Against Inflation
The entire trend of the con-

vention was against inflation. Mr. Campbell and Mr. Carmichael said curbing inflation; cutting price controls and eliminating the socialist trend in government, they reported as chief topics of most speakers and said that the trend was also to be noted in the resolutions adopted by the convention.

"These resolutions," said the delegates, "voted on and passed by 413 voting delegates will be the basis for State Farm Bureau policies for the ensuing year."

Mrs. Campbell gave an interesting and humorous report on incidents which happened though some of the other delegates insisted she failed to tell "all that happened."

At the close of the meeting the Deaf Smith Farm Bureau also reported that rent arrangements had been made with Packard Milling Company to provide office space for the organization.

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NOT THE BIGGEST FIRE, but a real "toughie" was encountered by the Hereford Fire Department Sunday afternoon when the lint house south of the gin on Highway 60 caught fire. Lack of a water connection diverted the boys back to chemicals as lint scattered over the grounds would blaze into flames. They spent several hours chasing the small fires over the gin grounds, placed moving equipment beside stacks of cotton bales and twice subdued small fires which broke out in the gin proper. The lint house, which was considered a loss. The pile of cotton in the above picture, where firemen are seen working, was composed entirely of small fragments of lint -- and highly inflammable. Staff Photo.

Toasted Corn Bread Tops Chicken a la King Taste



Just how the name "King" came to be associated with this popular luncheon, dinner or supper dish is a matter that usually brings forth a little discussion. Some claim that Chicken a la King was named for a Philadelphia restaurant owner who dreamed up the dish late one evening, years ago, when his supply of chicken was low and a late-evening crowd ordered chicken. Others believe it was so named because it is fare fit for a king.

Whatever its rightful origin may be, you can't beat Chicken a la King for goodness when it is served on toasted corn bread. Corn bread possesses a rich flavor that's naturally sociable with the tasty creamed chicken or turkey. A strong point in favor of this combination is that the toasted corn bread will not go limp when it's covered with the hot mixture.

Toasted corn bread makes the perfect base for the King method of using the strappings taken from the left over carcass of a holiday bird, whether it's turkey or chicken.

CHICKEN a la KING ON TOASTED CORN BREAD 1/2 cup green pepper, chopped 1 tablespoon onion 1/4 cup butter or margarine. 1 cup chicken stock 1 cup cream 1/2 teaspoon salt 1/2 teaspoon white pepper

13 LOST STRAYED: Seven weaners White-face calves. Weigh about 300 lbs. Branded X right hip. Strayed southwest from Vega. Call 3904 at Vega collect. B-12-23-25-4p

Kiwanis Club Thurs. Noon Hotel Jim Hill

Veterans of Foreign Wars Meets Every Thurs. 8 P.M. Y. E. W. CLUB HOUSE

Wedding Rites Are Announced

Announcement has been made here of the marriage of Miss Dorothy Charlene Hynas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hynas of Gentry, Ark., to Ray Melton Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cox, who live north of Hereford.

The wedding took place Sunday morning December 7 at the Avenue Baptist church with the Rev. H. V. Fields officiating. Only the immediate members of the family attended.

The bride wore a winter white suit accented with a corsage of ruby rosebuds.

Mrs. Cox attended schools in Arkansas and Mr. Cox attended Hereford schools. He served several months in the Pacific Theater of war in World War II.

The couple plan to make their home on a farm south of Dawn.

Those attending the wedding were the bride's sister, Mrs. James Edward Grimes and Mr. Grimes, the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cox, and his sister, Elaine Cox.

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NOTICE OF MEETING ODD FELLOWS Each Monday Night BEBEKOHS Each Tuesday Night

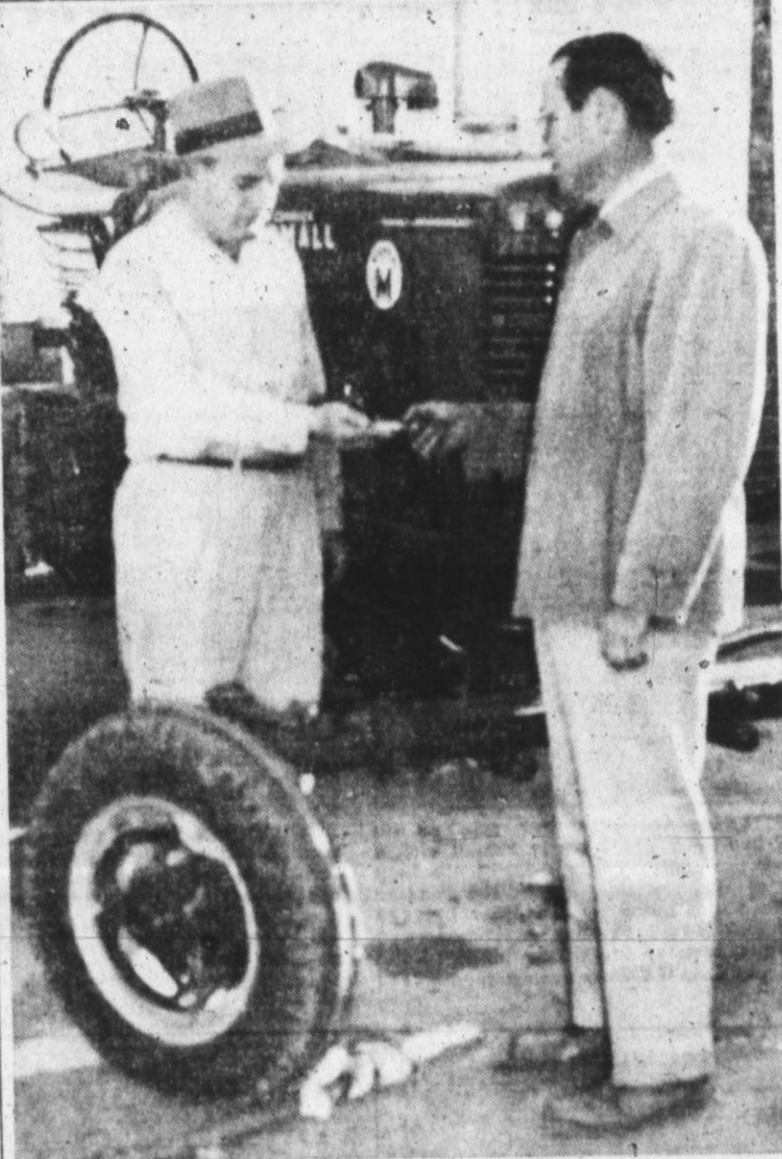
Regular Meeting Night 1st & 3rd Tues. Night of Each Month AMERICAN LEGION AND AUXILIARY Lions Club meets each Wednesday, 12 noon Hotel Jim Hill

Hereford Rotary Club meets every Friday at 12:05 Hotel Jim Hill



MRS. HAROLD KAESTNER Entertained 25 guests at a cookie swap in her home Friday. Guests brought about 55 varieties of cookies and exchanged both cookies and recipes. Pictured above around the gaily decorated table are Mrs. Harold Koestner

and Marsha Ann, Mrs. Durstin from Frisco, Mrs. A. H. Gronemann from Vega, Mrs. Arthur Tiefel, Mrs. D. Habbinga and Mrs. Abraham Drager. Guests were members of the Lutheran church or friends.



CHAMPION TRACTOR DRIVER L. A. Smith, left, receives an engraved lighter from Dan Penick, Zone manager of International Harvester Company. Smith won the event in one minute and 50 seconds. The course was laid out in a maze with short turns. Russell Molyneaux was second with one minute, 59 seconds, and John Billups was third. Staff Photo.



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CHARLES WHITEHEAD

"MESSIAH SOLOISTS to be heard at the First Baptist Church here tonight will include singers from over the Texas Panhandle.

Presentation of the "Messiah" will begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

Public Warned To Watch That Cold

AUSTIN — Carelessness in the treatment of a respiratory disease is not only foolish but very hazardous, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, who warned Texans today to be on guard against such illness as lead pneumonia.

makes one constitutionally weak, especially if accompanied by fever, demands the immediate attention of the family physician," Dr. Cox said. "To self-treat and fight on one's feet a condition of this kind is to endanger life unnecessarily. It is advisable to take all possible steps to avoid respiratory illnesses since they so frequently lead to that most dangerous complication - pneumonia.

"Guard against pneumonia which is a communicable disease," Dr. Cox urged. "It may be acquired by direct or indirect contact with a pneumonia patient, reduced bodily resistance resulting from habitual disregard for normal physical requirements makes pneumonia doubly dangerous," he added, "and I cannot emphasize too strongly the importance of consulting a physician, immediately upon the appearance of a respiratory ailment.

It pays to keep young pigs worm free by good management and careful sanitation rather than to rely on drugs after the pigs become infected.

International District Training School Is Held Here This Year

By Mrs. R. C. Childers NW HEREFORD (SP) — Dan Penick, Clovis, New Mexico, zone manager for this district was in charge of a training school for employees of the International Harvester, held on the Paul Corbett farm, four miles west of Hereford, Thursday afternoon.

Trapper Refutes Denison's Black Panther Scare

Denison, Tex. — (AP) — Denison's recent "black panther" scare is discounted by Luther Johnson, Grayson County's state trapper. "There is no wildlife native to the United States that is black," says Johnson, who has trapped and killed about 200 wolves in the county in the past two and a half years.

"It couldn't have been a black panther unless one had escaped from a circus. It wasn't a wolf or the dogs in the neighborhood where it was reported would have raised more of a howl. "But everyone who saw it describes it as having a long tail, which a bobcat doesn't have. I think it was a dog and as far as I'm concerned it's a closed incident."

Johnson gets a \$5 bounty for each wolf pelt he turns in to the county auditor. He uses a cyanide shell which he paints with a broth made of ground deer and javelina and places just beneath the surface of the ground. The mechanism of the shell is exploded by the wolf as he digs the non-existent morsel which he smells.

Researchers for a New Holland Pa., farm machine company remind farmers to make soil tests of run-down fields. See your county extension agent on how to get this done.

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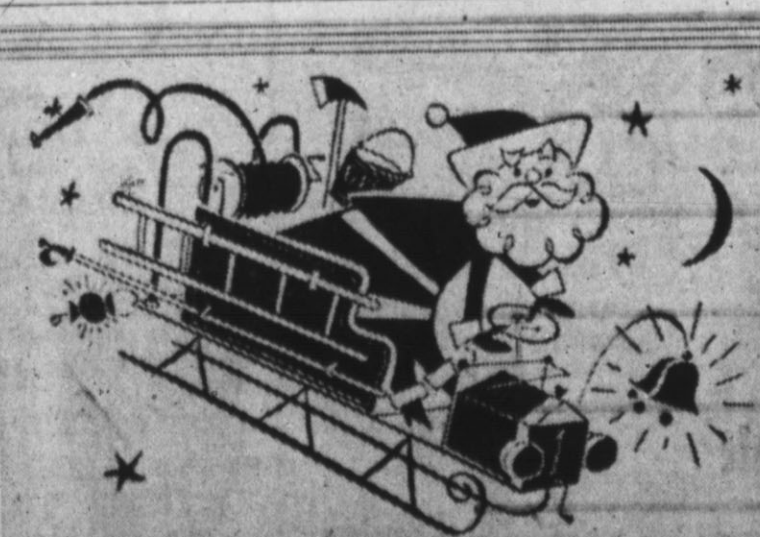
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PROMOTED TO LT. COLONEL. Word was received this week that Jack R. Cox, son of Mrs. Edd Cox and the late Edd Cox, has been promoted from Major to Lt. Colonel. He is stationed at Travis Air Base in California near Vacaville, working with B-36 bombers. Jack is being transferred to Mountain Home, Utah; in May to work with the big 50 bombers. He is married and has five small children; his family is living at Vacaville, Calif.



SOMEWHERE IN KOREA—(FHTNC)—Accepting her fate as an orphan of war, "Miss Hap," a two-week old Korean kitten, chows down on canned milk piped to her by medicine dropper with the help of Marine Sgt. Frank Praytor of Birmingham, Ala. The Marine adapted the kitten after its mother was killed by a mortar barrage near Bunker Hill. The name, "Miss Hap," Praytor explained, was given the kitten, "because she was born at the wrong place at the wrong time." (Official U.S. Navy Photograph—FHTNC)



Also misplaced were these youngsters—children of some 70 refugees from a North Korean fishing village—who grin with delight as they face their first real meal in many days. Crew members aboard the destroyer USS Cunningham, such as D. H. Bartley, engineman first class, USN, of Fort Wayne, Ind., were pressed into service to pass out huge portions of steaming rice and scrambled eggs to some very grateful customers. (Official U.S. Navy Photograph—FHTNC)

Students Face 'Busy Week' Schools Dismiss On Friday

This week will be a busy one at the high school -- if extra-curricular activities are any indication.

Things start off Monday evening with a concert by the West Texas State College a cappella choir.

Tuesday night, Dec. 16, is "Stunt night," beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Wednesday night was left blank, due to prayer meeting services.

Thursday, Dec. 18 the High School Chorus will appear in a program beginning at 8 o'clock.

Friday Dec. 19, well, so turns out Friday, after the holidays and quite a few of the students will be leaving town to visit. A way, it drew a bye.

Classes will convene on Monday, Dec. 29, following the holiday period, remain session through Friday, 31, and dismiss again to convene again Jan. 5, following a brief New Year holiday interval.

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Christmas Story Program Feature At Pioneer Study Club Tuesday

The Christmas story program featured the Pioneer Study club annual Christmas party held in the home of Mrs. Ralph McCullough Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. O. M. Dickey was assistant hostess.



READY FOR WEDDING. Air Force Cpl. Winferd M. McLeroy, 20, who found 60 other airmen to aid him in chartering a plane in Paris, France, so he could fly home to his wedding, exchanges smiles with his fiancée, Janice Suggs, 18, upon arrival in their hometown of Hearne, Tex. The wedding is set for Dec. 13. (AP Wirephoto)

The entire home was bedecked in holiday attire and the president, Mrs. A. L. Manjeot, began the program with a resume of the Christmas message from Mrs. Mildred Ahlgren, General Federation of Women's Clubs president, who stressed the hearth, the flag and a place of prayer in America's heritage.

In the business portion of the meeting members reported two boxes of clothing sent to Korea and CARB packages sent to Austria. A box of candles was sent to Korean soldiers and a love offering sent to Girlstown. That day a basket of fruit was sent to a shut-in charter member, Mrs. Jennie Thompson.

Two new members, Mrs. O. H. Herring and Mrs. Don Root were welcomed.

Mrs. Rex Tynes was program director. After roll call which listed Christmas decoration suggestions, Mrs. H. A. Close introduced Mrs. Sam Nelson, guest entertainer, who told the Christmas story of the Marimba. She played "White Christmas," "Jingle Bells" and "Holy Night."

Mrs. O. G. Hill reviewed the Christmas story, "The Purdy Family" by John D. Weaver, which revealed much of the comedy and some of the pathos in every family at Christmas time.

Mrs. A. G. Bell and Mrs. John Patton directed the exchange of gifts.

Refreshments were served from a red and white table featuring lighted candles, bright balls, Christmas bells and greenery.

Members attending were Mesdames: Fred Barrett, A. G. Bell, J. E. Beyer, Bonnie Brumley, H. A. Close, O. M. Dickey, Burl France, N. E. Gass, Carl Gilliland, E. E. Holcomb, F. M. Kester, A. L. Manjeot, H. E. Miller, John Patton, Mary Seigler, F. M. Terrell, R. A. Tynes, Bess Werner, J. M. Gilliland and the hostess.

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First List Of Service Men's Addresses

In Thursday's edition of The
and, it was announced that
names and addresses of service
men would be published for the
benefit of those who would like
to send them Christmas cards.
Below is the first list, and an-
other list will appear in Thurs-
day's December 18th, edition. Ad-
dresses should be brought or call-
ed in as soon as possible.

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THE 54-VOICE A Cappella Choir of West Texas State College will present a Christmas concert Monday at 8 o'clock in the Hereford High School Auditorium, sponsored by the Hereford High School Choir.

The Group, directed by Dr. Houston Bright, will tour eight West Texas towns on its annual concert season.

West Texas Choir To Appear In Christmas Concert Mon.

A Christmas concert by the West Texas State College A Cappella Choir, sponsored by the Hereford High School Choir, is slated tomorrow night, Dec. 15, in the High School Auditorium. The 54-voice choral group is directed by Dr. Houston Bright, associate professor of music.

One of the eight concerts the WT choir has slated in West Texas towns, the group will also appear tomorrow in Tulla and Dimmitt, and in Littlefield, Abernathy, and Floydada on Tuesday, and in Childress and Memphis Wednesday. Three performances of the same concert will be given on the West Texas State campus Thursday.

Four From Hereford It will be homecoming for four members of the A Cappella Choir, when the singers appear in Hereford. Miss Pat Walton, Miss Martha Thomas, Miss Leta Dene Springer and Lloyd Parsons are all graduates of Hereford High School and all four were members of Hereford High School glee club and choir. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd E. Walton, Miss Walton is a sophomore music student who is in her second year as a member of the choir.

A senior, home economics student, Miss Thomas is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas, 404 Roosevelt. She is secretary of Kappa Omicron Phi, national home economics fraternity.

Miss Springer, also a senior in music, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Springer, Star Route, Parsons, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Parsons, Route 4, is a sophomore history major. He was a member of the cast in "HMS Pin-afore," West Texas State's first

operetta, which was presented last spring.

Featured this year on the Christmas program will be three selections which were arranged or composed by Dr. Bright, who is earning fame in the area for his choral and piano compositions. His "Evening Song of the Weary," which is a familiar favorite with Panhandle audiences, and his arrangement of Mendelssohn's "If With All Your Hearts," and "O, Come Immanuel" will be included in the program.

Three ensemble groups within the choir will give special numbers; these groups include the Treble Ensemble, made up of 11 girls, the men's Varsity Quartet, and the Jassibelles, a popular music group.

Soloists with the choir are Miss Peggy Williams, a soprano from Plainview for whom the Mendelssohn transcription was made, Wayne Hinds, tenor from Amarillo, and Miss Kay Castleberry, alto from Amarillo.

Opening the program will be a Bach Chorale, "O Rejoice, Ye Christians, Loudly," which will be followed by Bright's "Evening Song of the Weary." A tribute to the men who have given their lives in Korea, "How Sleep the Brave" by Rathbone, will be the third selection, followed by Olsson's "Alleluia" chorus.

The famous aria, "If With All Your Hearts," which was transcribed from Mendelssohn's great oratorio, "Elijah," will feature Miss Williams as soloist. The impressive choral development of an early Reformation hymn, "Psalm XXXIII" by Mueller, will conclude the first portion of the concert.

Second part of the program will feature the lively carol "On This Good Christmas Morn" by Cain, and the lovely and haunting "I Wonder as I Wander," which was arranged by Niles from the tender little folk carol from the Appalachian Mountains.

Cain's "Carrillon" will present the sopranos of the choir singing a new version of "I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day," while the rest of the choir imitates deep-throated chimes. With the Bright arrangement of "O Come, Immanuel" the men's sections sing in the style of Gregorian chant, from which the melody is taken. The concert will be concluded with the familiar "Carol of the Bells" by Leontovich-Wilhouisky, and the traditional, "Silent Night."

Members of the choir, one of the largest ever assembled at West Texas State, include Beth Beene, Beth Blankenship, Barbara Gaither, Kay Castleberry, Beverly Nance, Yvonne Cavender, Mrs. Natalie Sanders, Travis Jordan, Wayne Bassett, Wayne Hinds, and Richard Larsen, all of Amarillo.

And Bobby Vandergriff, Joyce Rushmer, Joan Conner, Donna Erwin, Florence Coffey, Joyce Keller, and Eugene Hill, all of Canyon, Pat Walton, Leta Dene Springer, Martha Thomas, and Lloyd Parsons, all of Hereford, Anita Toley, Peggy Williams, Joe Garrett, and Byron Gammage, Plainview, Sue Lynn McFall, Dan Stallings, Bill Epps, and Bill Studebaker, Pampa, Mary Frances Norman and Bill Damron, Big Springs, Shirley Lee, Nova Jones, and E. D. Harrington, Shamrock, John Butler and Ernest Siegrist, Chicago.

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November Tax Payments Are Up Slight Bit

Tax collection showed a slight increase this year over last year's collections by the end of October. According to Fred Baird of the School Tax office and Homer Hensley of the County Tax office, 73 percent of the tax roll had been paid at the end of November as compared with approximately 70 percent at this time last year.

In the School Tax office, total collections through the month of November 1952, amounted to \$167,886.73 as compared to November 1951's report of \$160,856.23. County Tax collections through November 1951 were \$168,311.78 as compared with November 1952 collections of \$165,997.89, showing an increase in percentage, but a lowered collected amount of money.

Both offices report that most people prefer to take advantage of the 3% discount offered if taxes are collected during October and as a result, the October collections showed that both offices had been paid approximately 63% of the total tax roll by the end of October.

There was only about 10 percent increase to collected taxes at the end of November.

In Mr. Baird's office, he says that there have been no split payments in taxes this year. He feels the reason for this is that this plan was a depression time measure and people had rather pay their taxes and benefit from the discounts rather than to pay in the split payments. It was explained that one-half of the payment would be due in October and no later than November, at which time it extends the second

son, Wildorado, Shirley Bishop, Crosbyton, Jean Stork, Nazareth, Jan Christal, Lelia Lake, Tippi Stinson, Waco, Barbara Dunn, Littlefield, Doris Joens, Davenport, Iowa, Fae Marie Beck, Perryton, Mildred Bennett, Stratford, Thelma Moss, Hedley, Alan Setliff, Turkey, Carolyn Kiker, Floydada, Grady Davis, Earth, Wanda Gollehon, Dimmitt, and Erma, Satterwhite Higgins.

one-half payment until June without any penalty.

Contrasting with Mr. Baird's report, is the report from the County Tax office, which has had one-half payment this year.

Tax levy in the School Tax office for the year 1951 was \$227,433.20 and for 1952, \$245,916.15. Total collections for the year 1951 were \$223,832.53, with the remaining \$3,500.67 not collected, being turned in as delinquent taxes.

County Tax Levy for the year 1951 was \$224,817.82 and for the year of 1952 was \$234,572.39. Penalty and interest on delinquent taxes start on February 1, interest being 1 1/2 percent. After July, they accumulate straight interest at 6 percent.

Mr. Hensley commented that the poll tax sales this year were only about one-third as much as they were this time last year. Apparently, the reason for this is that this year is going to be an "off" year for voting.

Now is the time to prepare the beds for shrub planting in January and February. Check the soil for drainage—locate the planting site for each shrub with a peg and spade and fertilize the soil.

The annual short course for dairymen will be held at Texas A & M College on December 4 and 5.

Homemakers can save time and energy by using an automatic clothes dryer.

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Texas agricultural producers bought 387,761 tons of fertilizers during the first six months of 1952. Total sales for the period were about an eighth higher than for the previous year and a third higher than for the same period three years ago. Harris County led in total sales.

The 1952 Texas 4-H delegation leaves Fort Worth November 28 for Chicago and National 4-H club Congress.



HANK WILLIAMS, "The Mystic Swam" kept Rotarians edge at their annual Ladies Night Christmas party at Jim Hill Hotel Friday evening as he divulged personal secrets, wedding anniversaries and other facts and figures about various members. Kenneth Coker Photo.

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La Madre Mia Club Entertains At Courtesy Tea For Sponsor Club

La Madre Mia, newly organized young mothers study club, entertained members of Les Meres Study Club, sponsoring club, at an appreciation courtesy tea given in the G. W. Brumley home Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Lilburn Hamilton as hostess.

A Christmas theme of good will marked decorations for the tea in keeping with the approaching holiday season. Holly and red carnations were combined in a center arrangement for the refreshment table and cake squares were adorned with tiny sprays of sugar spun holly. Mrs. Bradley Lookingbill and Mrs. Bobby Owen presided.

Members of the club being honored included: Mesdames Spicer Gripp, Glenn Gripp, Carroll Hudson, Gib Howard, W. N. Reiger, Dub Jones, Dick Goldston, E. D. Hopson, Joe Davenport, Ed Brindine, Elvin Wilson and Robert Lebon.

Members of La Madre Mia club attending were Mesdames; Bradley Lookingbill, Bobby Owen, Don Bookout, Arthur Tinsley, Dean Herring, Eugene Sparks, Glenn Hopson, Charles Sanders, Vernon Wilson and the hostess.

Mrs. Hoyt Curry of Plainview spent Friday with Mrs. Bess B. Moore.

Mrs. Alice Casebolt of Clovis is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Boydston and her sister, Mrs. Harry Whitechurch.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Little, owners of the Little Fashion Shop, of Littlefield were in their store Friday.



KATHLEEN BRUNSON

Kathleen Brunson, Guy Cornelius Will Be Married On December 28

Mrs. Ada Brunson has announced the engagement of her daughter, Kathleen, to Guy P. Cornelius, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cornelius of Hereford. The ceremony will take place on Sunday December 28 in the First Methodist church, the Rev. T. Edgar Neal officiating.

Miss Brunson is a graduate of Hereford High School and received her degree in nursing at St. Anthony's School of Nursing in Amarillo in 1950. She is employed as a nurse in the Deaf Smith County Hospital.

Mr. Cornelius is also a graduate of Hereford High School and has served in the United States Army. He is employed in concrete construction in Concord, California, where the couple will make their home following their marriage.

Leta Dene Springer Is Feted At Miscellaneous Shower-Tea

A miscellaneous shower-tea was given to honor Miss Leta Dene Springer, bride-elect of W. Clyde Swartzell, in the home of Mrs. Gordon Witherspoon Friday afternoon. Hostesses for the courtesy were Mesdames; Witherspoon, N. D. Bartlett Jr., Maurice Tannahill, Joe Story, Liston Wilson of Amarillo, J. M. Thomson, John Jacobson Jr., Fred Axe and George Heard.

A pink and white theme, chosen colors of the bride-elect, was used for the refreshment table while Christmas decorations prevailed throughout the house.

The table was laid in white linen draped with pink net caught with tiny nosegays at the corners. The center piece was of ever greens, mahonia and pink Christmas balls and tiny white wedding bells. Mrs. Joe Story and Mrs. Liston Wilson presided at the silver appointed table. Mrs. N. D. Bartlett Jr. listed names of guests.

Throughout the calling hours, Nansy Story entertained with piano music.

Those registering were Mesdames: Lloyd Prewett, H. A. Cavness, George Springer, T. L. Sparkman Jr., W. L. Jones, C. M. Stapp, J. J. Clark, W. A. Springer, Owen Andrews, T. L. Sparkman Sr., H. F. Benson, Glenn Snyder, Taft McGee, Carl Frye, Wayne Newsom, Lee Conklin, D. H. Alexander, Elmer Patterson, J. W. Witherspoon, J. C. Reese, Bob Wear, A. T. Jones, Joe Benson, Wesley Brown, W. C. Mehar, G. W. Newsom, Ray Conway, Lisle Woodford, Robert Thompson, Deward Roberson, Merlin Kaul and members of the house party.



SHOWER-TEA HOSTESSES, above, are busy preparing for the occasion which honored Leta Dene Springer, bride-elect of W. Clyde Swartzell. The shower was given Friday afternoon in the Gordon Witherspoon home on Miles Avenue. Hostesses shown are Mrs. Maurice Tannahill, Mrs. N. D. Bartlett, Jr., and Mrs. Gordon Witherspoon. Staff Photo.



PEP CLUB LEADERS FOR 1953 are shown in the above photo: Ndn Lookingbill, left is a new member, Gayle Gault was re-elected, Melrose Whitefield and Sue Barnard are also new members. Photo by W. H. Patton.

Gym Transformed Into Ethereal Land For Annal Pep Club Fete

The gymnasium at Shirley School became an ethereal airy land for the annual Pep Club Banquet Friday night. Built around a blue heaven theme, a star studded sky reflected on golden gates that marked the entrance. Large crescent moons, stars and lighted blue tapers were interspersed on the long banquet tables. Place cards and favors were miniature angels.



Sandra Wright Bride Of Johnny Fields In Las Vegas Ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Wright of Summerfield have announced the marriage of their daughter, Sandra Wright, to Johnny Fields, son of Rev. and Mrs. H. V. Fields, of Hereford.

The wedding vows were solemnized on Friday Dec. 5, in the First Christian Church parsonage at Las Vegas, N. M., with the pas-

tor, Rev. H. H. Powell, officiating. Mrs. Fields was a student in Hereford High School at the time of her marriage.

Mr. Fields is a graduate of Hereford High School and will be employed in Lubbock where the couple will make their home. Mrs. Fields plans to continue her high school work there.

Writer Honored Here Tuesday

Mrs. Joe E. Boyd of Post was honor guest of the Writers Group Tuesday evening at a meeting in the home of Mrs. Eugene Naugle.

Mrs. Boyd who has recently completed a juvenile book "Belon and Bambi" and who also won first place in the 17 district, TFWC, and placed first in the state contest with her poem, "Worship" was a guest of Mrs. Naugle.

Manuscripts of members were read and criticized and a general discussion of writers interests was held.

Those present were Mesdames; T. Edgar Neal, E. D. Hopson, Corinne Jennings, Clyde Cocanougher, Elmer Patterson, Miss Roberta Campbell, the honor guest and the hostess.

Christmas Party Held For Junior Etude Club Group

Beta Eta Chapter, Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority, held its Christmas party Monday evening in the home of Lola Faye and friends were guests at the party.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Kathleen Brunson.

Festive Christmas decorations marked the entertaining rooms. Mrs. Bobby Rudd, Mrs. L. J. Clark, and toy gifts were exchanged. Virginia Cutsinger, Corinne Jennings, Jackie Wright, Clarence which later will be delivered as gifts, Francis Young, Pat Sullivan and the hostesses.



MEMBERS OF THE JR. ETUDE CLUB enjoyed Christmas Carols, special numbers and refreshments at their Christmas party held in the First Christian Church basement Monday evening. Seen in the above picture are Lonna Caylor and Dorris Russell, Mrs. C. W. Parker at the piano, Jane Houston and Margaret Phillips as they were singing "Jingle Bells." Staff Photo.

Music Study Club Has Second Lesson On Literature Of Piano

An interesting program completed the second of three programs on the "Literature of the Piano" at the Music Study Club session held Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. J. Stanford.

The subject for the afternoon was "Literature of the Piano Comes of Age" with four composers with Mrs. T. W. Roberson as leader of the program.

Mrs. Roberson told of the lives and works of Schubert, Schumann, Brahms and Chopin with piano selections following to carry out the lesson theme.

Mrs. B. Y. Crosthwait (piano) played "Andante from Conota in A. Op. 120" by Schubert; Mrs. Bob Lawrence played "Album Leaves" by Schumann; Mrs. J. C. McCracken played "Intermezzo", Op. 118, No. 12 by Brahms; Mrs. W. J. Stanford played "Raindrops Prelude" by Chopin.

Two back numbers were presented; Mrs. Bob Lawrence played "March of the Toreadors" from "Carmen" from the October 13 program and Mrs. W. J. Stanford played "Minuet in D" by Mobart from the November 10 program.

Featured hymn of the month by the group in conclusion was "All My Heart This Night Rejoices." Mrs. J. C. McCracken was the director and Mrs. A. J. Schroeter accompanied at the piano.

Mrs. J. D. Neill, president, presided over a short business session when convention plans for the Seventh District, TFWC to be held here in April, were discussed. Club rating charts were also discussed.

Members attending the meeting were Mesdames; J. R. Allison, Bill Bradley, B. F. Cain, W. T. Carmichael, B. Y. Crosthwait, C. C. Ferguson, Bob Lawrence, J. C. McCracken, C. J. Mountz, C. W. Parker, Earl Phillips, T. W. Roberson, Bill Stanford, A. O. Thompson, Steve Clements, Miss Mattie Mae Swisher and the hostess.

Christmas Party For Beta Etas

The Junior Etude Club, sponsored by music teachers; Mesdames Glenn Snyder, C. W. Parker, Ellis Coombes and B. Y. Crosthwait, held its annual Christmas party in the basement of the Christian Church Monday evening. Christmas green and red candles were used to decorate the entertaining rooms and a musical program was presented by the club members. Piano duets, piano solos, vocal duets and vocal solos were featured in an informal hour of diversion.

A short business session was held when members voted to sing carols about town and voted to invite members of the Boys High School Chorus to join them.

Members attending the party were Norma Sue Sowell, Gale Blythe, Jane Newsom, Mary Anne Young, Dixie Young, Donna Caylor, Doris Russell, Patsy Childers, Dorothy Williams, Joan Brown, Martha Logan, Linda Smith, Inez Brown, Donna Rae McLaughlin, Janie Lamm, Frankie Culpepper, Ramon Childers, David Stanton, Margaret Phillips, Jane Houston, Larry Kaul, Dick Wilson, Raymond Wells and Carlynn Williams.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Newsom and Mrs. Delmo Williams.

Birthday Party

Don Veigel celebrated his 18th birthday Sunday, December 7, at a dinner given by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Veigel, in their home.

Guests at the dinner were Dale Winget, Richard Tucker, Pat McCullough, Bob Brown, Beryl Fish, Bill Carmichael, Virgil Cocanougher and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wilkins and Lanny left Friday for Denton to visit a son, Jim. While there, Mr. Wilkins will do some hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. London have returned after a two months stay in Dallas and other Texas points.



4 Year Old Enjoys Party

Pamela Winget celebrated her fourth birthday with a party given by her mother, Mrs. Richard Winget, Wednesday afternoon. Indoor games suitable to the ages of the youngsters were enjoyed and Mrs. Herbert Haseloff showed a film of interest to the children.

Those attending the party were: Lynn Barrett, Dennis and David Owen, Paula Waldrep, Keith Blanton, Janice Lynn and Sharon Rose Hagans, Jean and Sharon Roberson, Charlotte Hill, Diane and David Kroll, Gayle Newell,

Cindy Ross, Gary Stagner, Jimmie and Mike Kreig, Robert Haseloff, Larry Larrimore, Nancy Martin, Craig Griffith, Wayne Winget and the honoree.

Mothers attending and assisting with the party were Mesdames; Herbert Haseloff, Stan Barrett, Fred Kroll, Chas. Owen and Eddie Roberson.

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Couples Party Held At Church

Young Married Couples Department of the First Baptist church, held its annual Christmas dinner and exchange of gifts at the church Thursday evening.

A shining tree featured decorations and tables were marked by red, candles and red halo shaped ornaments. Christmas greens tied with red ribbon were corsage favors.

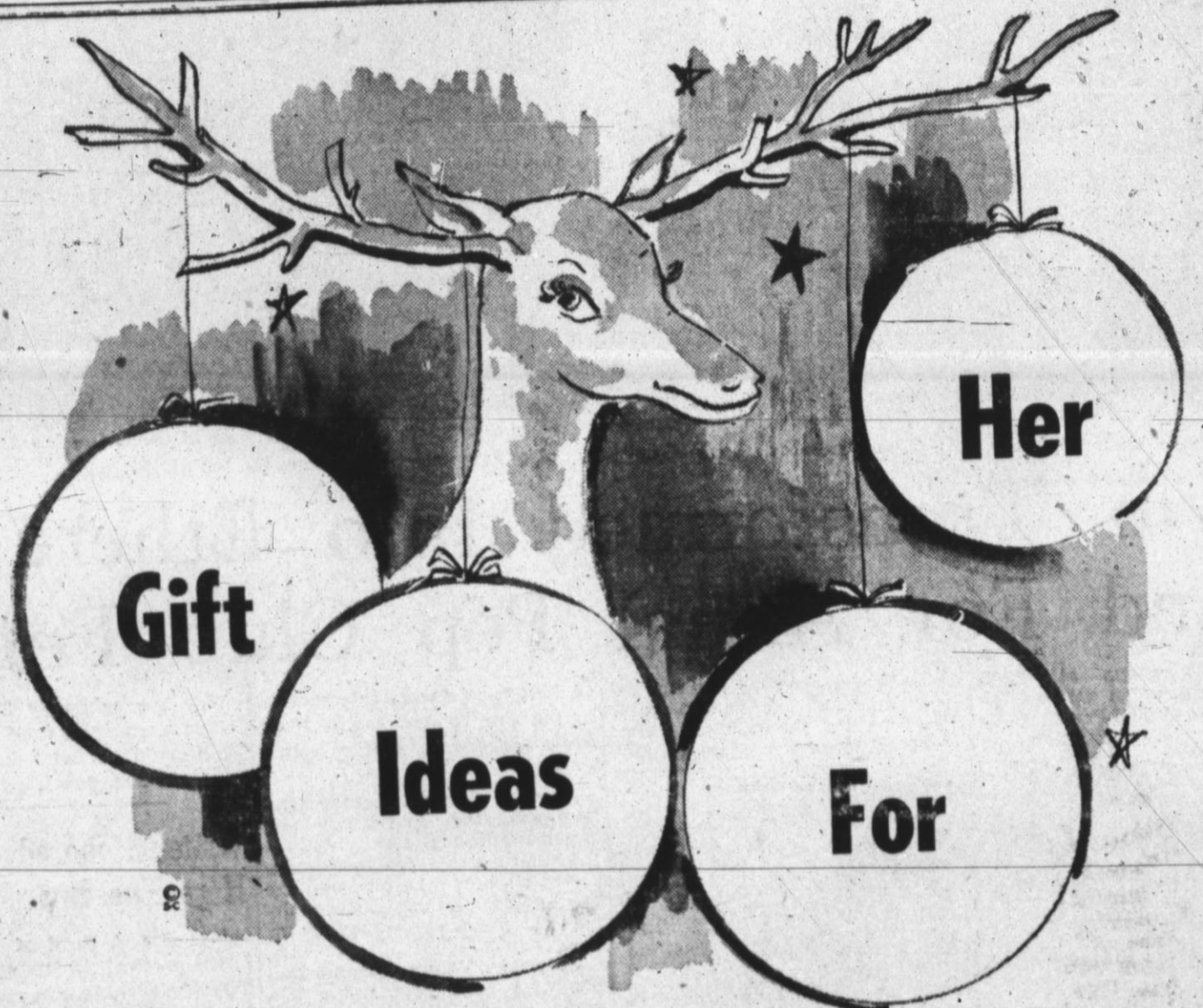
Rev. R. H. Cagle gave the invocation and Mrs. Geo. Graham, superintendent of the department,

read, "Let's Keep Christmas." Gifts were exchanged.

Those attending were Messrs. and Mesdames; Owen Stagner, Bob Lawrence; R. H. Cagle, Eugene Sparks, Lilburn Hamilton, Clint Formby, Dean Herring, Arthur Tinsley, Ronald Hale, Calvin Goodin, Harold Loerwald, Harry Hale, L. H. Lookingbill Jr., Rex Lee, Jack Scarth, Floyd Coker, Euel Luce, Travis Hendrick, Joe Lowery, A. O. Thompson, C. E. Leasure Jr., Jack Reynolds, V. C. Hopson, Earl Stagner, Bobby Owen, Kenny Wilson and Mesdames; Wanda McMahon, Morris Thompson, and George Graham.

PAMELA WINGET celebrated her fourth birthday at a Christmas party given in her home Thursday, December 11. Pictured front row, left to right: Lynn Barrett, PAMELA WINGET, Mike Kreig, Paula Waldrep, Sharon Hagans, David Owen. Second row, left to right, Charlotte Hill, Diane Kroll,

Gail Newell, Larry Larimore, David Owen. Third row, left to right, Robert Haseloff, Jimmy Kreig, Jean Roberson, Gary Stagner, Janice Lynn Hogans, Cindy Ross, Nancy Martin. Front row, Craig Griffith.



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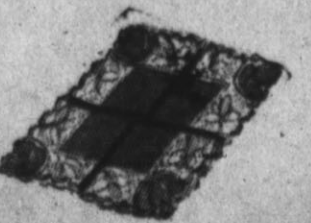
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Courthouse Records

DEEDS OF TRUST

Parker Brothers Planing Mill to James W. Witherspoon, Trustee for Benefit of First Federal Savings and Loans Association, Clovis, W 31 ft. of the 336 ft. of Lot No. 14 of the H. E. Miller Sub of the W part of Tract No. 18, Sect. 80, Blk. K-3, Deaf Smith County, Texas.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Luda B. Adkisson, et al. to James J. Boydston, part of Blk. 49 of the Town of Hereford and additions as shown by the plat of said Town and additions of record in the Deed records of Deaf Smith County, Texas.

John W. Key, et ux, to P. T. Hamilton, et ux, NE 1/4 of Sect. No. 20 in Blk. K-3, Cert. 1/572.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Richard Donald Smith and Ruth Ann Terry, December 4. AUSTIN - (SPL) - Of the new domestic corporations in Texas, approved this week by Secretary of State, Jack Ross, one was in Hereford. The business is as follows: CROWE-GULDE CEMENT CO., OF HEREFORD, Hereford; 11-23-52. 50 years. Manufacturing. Capital stock: \$30,000.00 (pd. all). Incorporators: C. T. Crowe, Stanley Crowe, Joseph F. Guide. Ch. 112882. Ld. 69481.

Church Council Installs Officers

The Presbyterian Council of Church Women held its Christmas meeting in Fellowship Hall of the church Wednesday. Hostesses were Mrs. J. T. Gilbreath Jr. and Mrs. Lee Kent.

Mrs. H. A. Close gave the program "The Bethlehem Road" with Mrs. J. D. Neill at the piano. She was assisted by Mesdames: N. E. Milburn, Les Combs, and J. T. Gilbreath Jr. Royce Gilliland entertained with a piano solo "O Holy Night."

Rev. Russell Wingert, pastor, installed recently elected officers for the coming year. They included: Mrs. H. A. Close, president; Mrs. J. D. Neill, vice-presi-

dent; Mrs. Geo. Mohard, secretary; Mrs. N. E. Milburn, treasurer and secretary of spiritual life; Mrs. Will S. Key, Christian Education; Mrs. Paul Mathers, National Missions; Dr. H. Alexander, foreign missions; Mrs. C. C. Pettibone, literature; Mrs. Zula Gilman, hospital supplies; Mrs. Lee Kent, social education and activities; Mrs. M. L. Simpson Sr., and Mrs. Lee Conklin.

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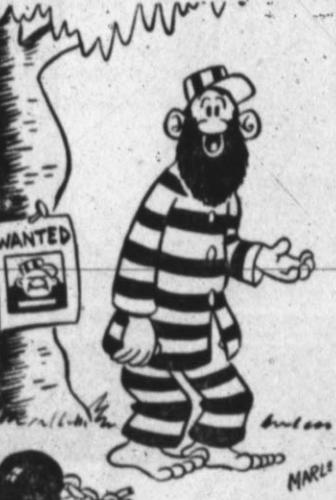
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Mrs. Willie Dunn of Muleshoe, grand deputy matron of the Order of Eastern Star, was honored at a dinner given in the Masonic Fellowship Hall Tuesday night. Those arranging the dinner were Mesdames: Robert Waggoner, Jessie Wagner, Deward Roberson, Parker and Miss Lucy Reed.

The table was done in red and green with red tapers entwined with frosted ivy. Artificial snow added to the seasonal suggestions. Mrs. Vivian Major, worthy matron of the local chapter, presided and members voted to send a Christmas box to the older women in the O. E. S. Home in Arlington. Plans were made for the local chapter to share in the official visit of the worthy matron of the O. E. S. of Texas, Mrs. Mildred Garlick of Fort Worth, who made an official visit to Tulia Thursday night.

Following the banquet the honor guest gave greetings from the state official and also gave instructions on the work for the year. Mrs. Bessie Jones presented Mrs. Dunn with a gift. Other special guests at the meeting were Mr. Glenn Dunn of

Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Buchanan of Friona and Mrs. Betty Fields of Dumas who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Waggoner.

Walcott 4-H Club Meet Held Friday

Walcott 4-H members entertained their mothers with a tea Friday, Dec. 5, at 2:30 in the afternoon. Refreshments of cookies and spiced tea were served to the members and their mothers.

The girls exchanged Christmas gifts. Recreation was led by Miss Clara Redman, assistant Home Demonstration Agent.

Those present were Mesdames: Herbert Hoover, Wallace Gumbkins, Roy Grider, Jack Weaver, Houston Talley, Roy Pruitt, A. J. Walker, Henschel Burrus, Lois Patterson, Miss Frances Shure, Miss Lillian Fisher and Miss Clara Redman. Members present were: Royce Lee and Merry Kay Pruitt, Margaret and Cecelia Burrus, Janel Weaver, Etta Walker, Sharon Alexander, Mary Wandl Chapman, Patricia Grider, Carol Lynn McClure, Valeria Meier and Donna Guseman.

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LET'S COOK SOMETHING

Christmas Story Program Given At Pioneer Club Annual Party

It's the time of the year when homemakers make up delicious batches of traditional recipes for the holidays, and frequently extra amounts to package for gifts.

Many families make an occasion of filling the cookie jar at holiday time, for versatile sweets give ready answer to the dessert problem as well as snack time. Nothing says happy Christmas so well as the occasional visitor during the holiday season so well as an open cookie jar filled with professional looking confections — whether the age is six or sixty.

If you want to give them as gifts, pack them in baskets or boxes, attractive little plastic bowls or candy dishes.

When we thought of cookie recipes for this column, we immediately thought of Mrs. H. L. Broadwell whose home is still in Hereford but who now spends much of her time with a daughter in Amarillo. Some of her cookie recipes date back as far as 1896 and her mother's culinary skill. Some she worked out herself, but all turned out the daintiest, most luscious looking and tasting holiday fare. Children in the neighborhood where Mrs. Broadwell lives were frequent visitors — it didn't take them long to find out about Mrs. Broadwell's cookies.

In answer to our request for the recipes, Mrs. Broadwell sent us four — Here they are:

Lemon Crackers
1 cup butter

2 cups sugar
2 eggs
pinch of soda dissolved in 2 tablespoons sweet milk
grated peel of 1 lemon
Cream the butter and sugar and stir in the well beaten eggs. Add the soda, buttermilk and lemon peel. Knead very stiff with flour and roll very thin. Cut in diamond shapes and bake in slow oven until golden brown.

For chocolate crackers omit the lemon peel, add two tablespoons vanilla and two tablespoons cocoa and proceed as with lemon crackers.

Oatmeal Cookies
1 cup brown sugar
½ cup shortening
1 egg beaten well
½ teaspoon soda
2 tablespoons boiling water
½ teaspoon vanilla extract
½ teaspoon baking powder
2 cups rolled oats
1 cup flour
½ teaspoon salt

Blend sugar and shortening and add well beaten egg. Add the soda which has been dissolved in the 2 tablespoons of boiling water. Mix with flour to which has been added the baking powder and salt. Add oats and vanilla, blend well and drop by teaspoonfuls on greased baking sheet. Bake slowly and remove from oven before brown. If baked too long the cookies will crumble. If desired add 1 cup raisins and 1 cup of



JUNIOR ETUDE CHRISTMAS PARTY at the Christian Church Monday evening featured an array of entertainment, including group singing as seen above, left to right are: Jane Newsom, Carlynn Williams, Raymond Wells, Larry Kaul, David Staton, Margaret Phillips, and Jane Houston. Solos, duets and refreshments completed the entertainment. Staff Photo.

Lone Star Club Christmas Party

Mrs. Lawrence Womble was hostess for the Lone Star Study Club Christmas party Tuesday afternoon. Members of the social committee were in charge of arrangements. They included Mesdames; N. E. Gass and Ralph McCullough.

Mrs. R. G. Blue was in charge of the program, giving first the story of the Three Wise Men from Isaiah 7-14 and Matthew 2-11.

For her second part Mrs. Blue reviewed the book, "The Story of Naaman", the story of a large family and how they faced Christmas time. The house was decorated throughout with Christmas suggestions and gifts were exchanged.

Refreshments were served from a table decorated with Christmas greens, candles and bright bangles.

Those attending were Mesdames; R. G. Blue, Roger Corbett, V. E. Dodson, W. S. Fluit, Leo Forrest, H. E. Henslee, Jim

Higgins, Berry Jacobsen, John Jacobsen Jr., C. D. Kelton, Joe Kendall, Louie LeGrand, Robert Lingenefer, Guy Newsom, Earl Phillips, Robert Thompson, Ed Warren, C. O. Wilkins, O. L. Click, a new member, and the hostess.

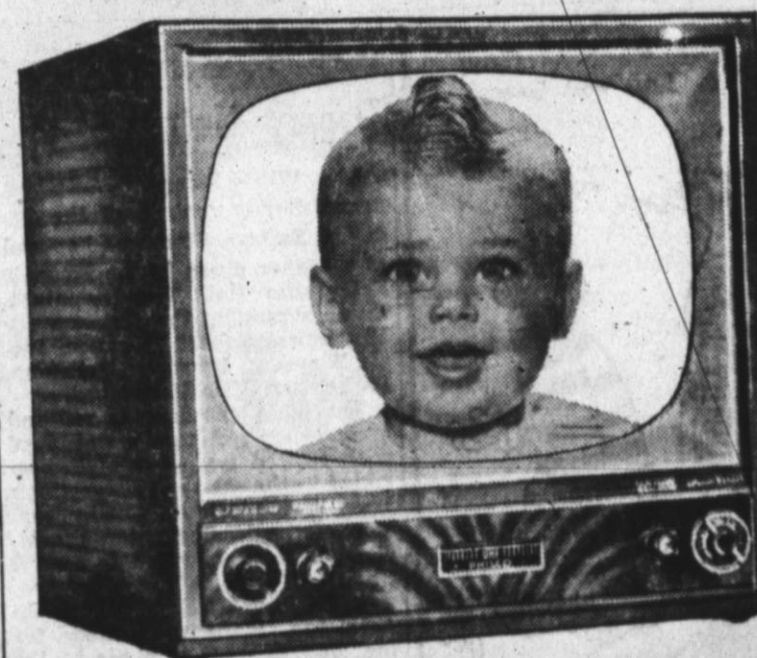
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Cinnamon Cookies

Rub ¼ pound of butter into 1 pound of sifted flour until mixture is like cornmeal. Mix thoroughly with 1 pound of granulated sugar and add 1 tablespoon of cinnamon. Beat 3 eggs well and add to mixture blending well.

Roll into a sheet and cut with small round cutter and bake in quick oven (about 400-F) for a few minutes. The dough will be stiff and cookies will not spread in baking.

Filled Cookies

FILLING

1 cup chopped raisins

½ cup sugar

1 tablespoon flour

½ cup water

Cook until thick, stirring constantly to prevent burning.

DOUGH

½ cup shortening

1 cup sugar

3½ cups flour

2 teaspoons cream of tartar

1 teaspoon soda

½ cup milk (sweet)

1 egg

1 teaspoon vanilla

Cream the shortening and sugar and add eggs. Sift flour and

cream of tartar together and add dry and liquid mixtures alternately to the sugar and shortening mixture. Add vanilla and roll thin. Spread filling, which has cooled by this time, on half of rolled out dough. Turn over other half of dough on top, cut in bars or squares with knife. Bake in slow oven until golden brown.

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We wish to take this means of thanking all our friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses, flowers and cards during the recent illness and death of our mother, Mrs. E. E. Standifer.

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COMMUNITY NEWS

Kenneth McDermitt And Barbara Clark Crowned King And Queen

By Mrs. C. J. Mapes
According to reports the Best Banquet held in the new hotel cafeteria, Dec. 6, was picturesque in every respect. The theme, "Winter Wonderland", was carried out minutely. A Christmas tree of silver sheen hung twinkling blue bells graced the head of the long tables laid with snowy white table cloths, decorative of snow flakes made of white dillies and colorful trays of candy mints for favors.

Following the traditional turkey dinner, a short program of Christmas carols, and two novel numbers rendered by visiting members from Childress. Thence, the choice of FFA Queen, in person, Miss Barbara Clark, to be crowned by FFA King, Kenneth McDermitt, to be crowned in executive procedure by the capable Rosie Bates, Speech, Arts, directors, and a colorful array of pastel shades of evening attire of the young girls attended by the an-of-the-Year, gents. 150 attended.

The finale brought a chorus of "Jingle Bells," and a wish for a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Mrs. Faye H. and, County Treasurer, has been on the sick list this week, but is able to carry on her official duties at this writing.

Yuletide greetings with a sumptuous pheasant dinner took

NORTHWEST HEREFORD NEWS

Christmas Season Keeps Residents Of Northwest Hereford Area Busy

By Mrs. R. C. Childers
A group of women from the Cultural Home Demonstration club met in the Earl DeHart home and made cookies for the Council Christmas party this week. They were Mrs. Grady Parsons and Mrs. Paul Corbett.

The organization is new and the purpose was to stimulate interest for the spring sale of 4-H Club calves, and fall sale of baills consigned by Hereford Breeders.

The event was held in one of the parks, and the pit-Bar-B-Q was served to an estimated 300 people.

The group arrived home near 8 o'clock Sunday night.

Mrs. Dolly Lynch of Amarillo, who was to have reviewed The Giant, by Edna Ferber, at the district court room, Wednesday, Dec. 10, had the misfortune of falling and injuring herself to the extent that she was not able to do the review.

Mr. Buck Wilcox of Grant, N. M., was transacting business and visiting relatives last week.

Word has been received to the effect that Mr. and Mrs. Boren Brown reached Rockport Monday in time to catch a bait of fish for the evening meal.

Flammable materials should not be used to decorate the family Christmas tree. The tree is actually a fire hazard and should be treated as such.

Jimmie Merritt, son of Mr. Frank Merritt, was inducted in the army in Amarillo on Tuesday.

feeding stall) for feeding baby calves. Childers is feeding around 30 baby calves, and milking 30 heifers and cows.

Dawn Musettes Xmas Program

The Dawn Musettes entertained with a Christmas program in the home of Mrs. C. C. Stewart Monday afternoon.

Clara Jo Smith, president, had charge of the business meeting when members voted to sponsor a Community Stunt Night on March 6. It was also voted to invest twenty five dollars in the Community book fund.

Selections on the program were: a reading "The Christmas Alphabet" and the piano number "Away in a Manger" by Dorothy Stewart. Other piano selections included: "Silent Night", and "Kittens at Play" by Linda Carothers; "Moccasin Dance", Audni Miller; "The Wigwam" by John Rodgers; "White Christmas" by Phyllis Ann Wimberley; "Christmas and Killarney", Wanda Sue Wimberley; "Willy Claus" was sung by Ted and Phyllis Wimberley. Wanda Sue Wimberley played for a group singing of Christmas carols and songs. Walleen Beavers read "Twas the Night Before Christmas."

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Surprise Breakfast Fetes Workers 4-H

NW HEREFORD (SP) — Mrs. M. G. Caywood entertained the Workers 4-H Club with a "come as you are" breakfast Saturday morning.

The breakfast was a surprise to everyone including Mrs. Caywood's daughter, Patricia, who, upon the arrival of the guests, exclaimed, "What are all of you doing here?"

The group were served a breakfast of bacon, eggs, hot chocolate and orange juice.

Due to bad weather, the regular meeting was postponed, so the group combined business with pleasure for a very delightful meeting.

Besides Mrs. Caywood, who is the club sponsor, the following girls attended: Laveta Head, Fredda Inman, Paula Beth Corbett, Stella Hunter, Marie Hunter, Lual Gayle Rickman and Patricia Caywood.

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Christmas Party Held Dec. 11

Wyeche Home Demonstration Club held its Christmas party on December 11, in the home of Mrs. C. Ellis, with Mesdames H. L. Ford, J. V. Pickens and W. R. Smith as co-hostesses.

The president, Mrs. W. T. Carshel, presided over a short business session. Members answered the roll call by telling of outstanding previous Christmas parties.

Mrs. Ira Ott directed games. Mrs. W. R. Scarth gave a reading, "The Night Before Christmas."

The next club meeting will be held on January 13, when a refreshment plate will be served.

to the following: Mesdames: Ira Ott, Jim Cross, Marion Fite Jr., W. T. Carmichael, W. T. Johnson, W. P. Axe, E. C. Hewett, V. P. Walker, Jack Scarth, Elmer Reinart, C. R. Damron, Edwin Flood, Charles Packard, and Mrs. Luther Ellis as guest, the hostesses and Mrs. Tom Draper County Home Demonstration Agent.



CANDLES FOR KOREA are coming off the Jolly Teen Horizon girls assembly line in the above picture. Working this shift were Betty Culpepper, Elna Bishop and Marian Jo Wilson as they work in the kitchen of Mrs. Urlin Streu, leader. Materials were secured from discarded candles and remelted by the girls in answer to a call from local boys serving in Korea. Staff Photo.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF F. E. FINNEY, DECEASED, No. 1240, Verdis Chilton and Frances Chilton, joint Administratrices de bonis non of said Estate filed an application in the County Court

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Water Conservation Cited As Texas Greatest Problem

(Editor's Note: Leaders of the Water Conservation District have been warning irrigation farmers in regard to probable state-wide legislation. This district, established for the purpose of handling regulations locally, feels that state-wide regulation of underground water could not be fair and equitable, due to varied conditions over such a large state as Texas. The following article, sent out by John C. White, Texas' Commissioner of Agriculture, is the first official forerunner of a campaign which will likely follow, ending with legislation of some sort by the 1953 Texas Legislature. Since this is part of an area unique to the rest of Texas, The Brand

feels that irrigation farmers should carefully consider the situation.)
Here is a basic fact! The future of our state depends upon how we use or mis-use our soil and water resources. Today, as never before, water has become Texas' greatest economic need. The amount available in the coming years will control the growth and wealth of Texas. This fact has been brought home to us in a forceable manner during the past two years. We have experienced one of the hardest droughts in our history. We had no control over this disaster, but it cost millions of dollars, just the same.
Lack of rain is no longer the concern of just the farmer. Our cities have felt the pinch by re-

duced supplies of underground and surface water. This year, some cities in West Texas were at times only seven days away from a bone-dry lake bed which meant their municipal supply was exhausted. Even cities the size of Dallas were endangered.
This situation occurs all too frequently in scattered sections of the state. It was more apparent this year because it was more widespread. As our urban population increases, the problem will become even more acute unless we take steps to prevent it.
The Texas Legislature has been working for a solution since early in this century when it established the old State Levee and Drainage Board. It has made numerous attempts to establish a practical water and control program since then, but none have met with any large degree of success.

lature-meets, the water problem will be a top item on the agenda. Programs have been suggested which are similar to the proration of oil. There are plenty of snags and vigorous opposition in such a plan for water -- just as there were for oil.
A lot of oil was wasted and the oil market crashed before property owners were convinced that proration was necessary. Our water supply is extremely low now --and it, too, is exhaustible.
Fortunately, water can be replenished. We must look far enough ahead to plan measures which will replace our supply, both on the surface and underground. But since the situation is acute now, it may be decided by the Legislature that statutory restriction is necessary to preserve water in the state.
NEXT WEEK: The mistakes we are apt to make in trying to preserve our water supply.

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Baptist Women's Luncheon Meet

The Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist church held its regular, monthly business and luncheon meeting at the church Wednesday. The Ray Buster Circle served as hostess using a holiday theme in decoration. Mrs. John Patton was chairman.
Mrs. Carroll Whiteside, president, directed the business meeting following the luncheon when reports were heard and thanks were received for Labor Camp assistance. Mrs. A. O. Thompson was named chairman of the decorating committee for the White Christmas program to be held on December 20.
Mrs. Ralph McCullough was leader of the program. Special music was presented by Mrs. C. J. Mountz and Mrs. A. O. Thompson. Mrs. Jim Lipscomb told a Christmas story, and Mrs. H. M. Cogswell told the story of "The Unexpected Guest." Mrs. A. L. Manjeot closed the program with "Jesus Walks in Lebanon."

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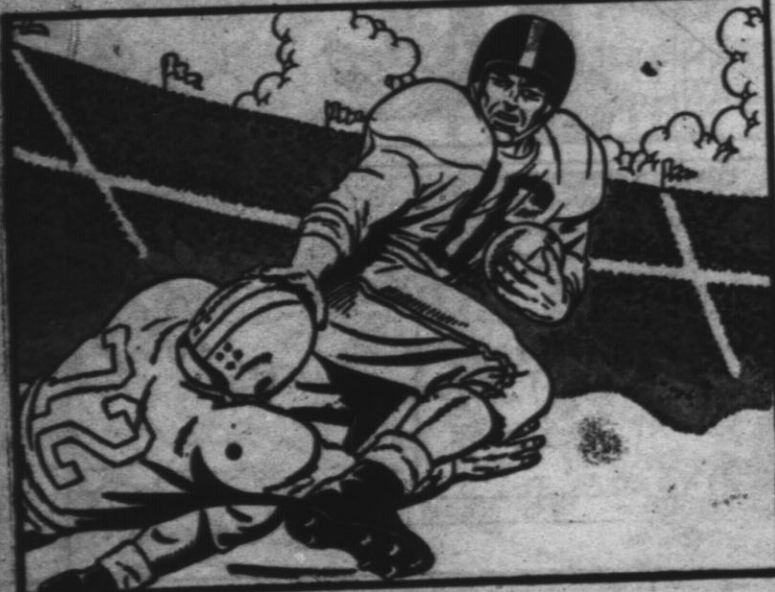


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BRRRR-

I CAN'T HEAR YOU, FOR THE WASHING MACHINE.

I SAID I WONDER WHO IT'LL BE THIS YEAR. I WONDER—

Whoo!

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RATS? ER... AREN'T YOU PRETTY LITTLE TO BE IN THE RAT-EXTERMINATING BUSINESS, SONNY?

I'M MADE THIS WAY SO I CAN RUN INTO THEIR HOLES AND CHASE 'EM OUT, WISE GUY! FURTHERMORE, DON'T CALL ME "SONNY"—I'M A GROWN MAN.

NEVER SAW A BARN WITHOUT RATS. I'LL GET MY DOGS.

SURE, GO AHEAD. NEED SOME HELP?

NOT ME! I'M HELPING YOU.

YIP YAP!

YOU CAN CALL ME "SCRAPPY." IF YOU DON'T MIND, I'LL SLEEP IN THE BARN. COOK MY OWN MEALS. WON'T TROUBLE ANYBODY. C'MON, DOGS! RATS, RATS!

WHAT WAS IT YOU WERE SAYING ABOUT STRANGE CHARACTERS DROPPING IN ON US EVERY WINTER, ROSCO?

NEVER MIND.... HE'S HERE!

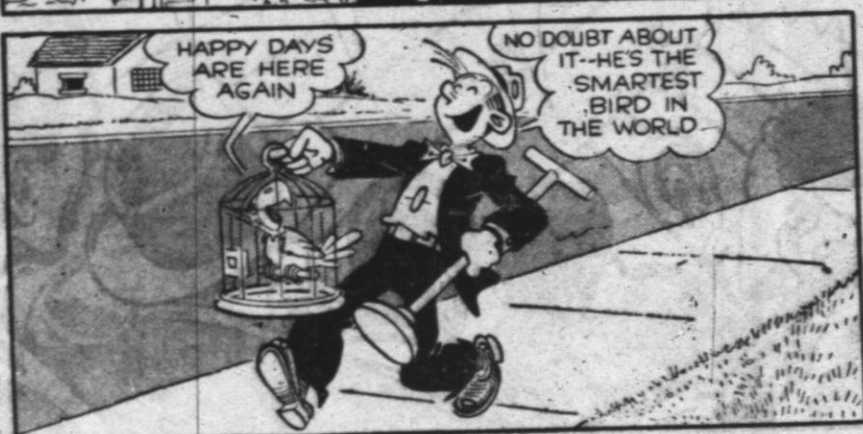
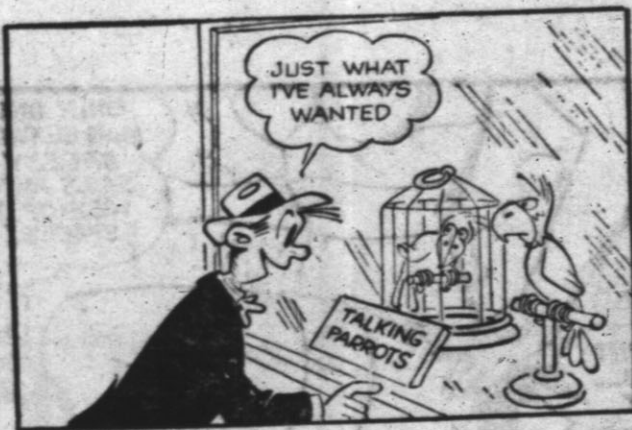
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TAKE THAT, YOU SHAGGY KILLERS!



CRAWL THIS WAY, MOLLY! THEN WE CAN MAKE A DASH FOR A LOW-BRANCHED TREE... **OH!**

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MOLLY! IT'S ME DON LARK! WE FOUND JOHN... HE'S WOUNDED, BUT SAFE IN MY CABIN!

SO... MY SHOTS DIDN'T KILL HIM, EH?... I'VE GOTTA GO AN' FINISH TH' JOB!

MEANWHILE, AT MARSH'S CLAIM WHERE MOLLY FLED FROM THE MURDERER, "SCAR-FACE" MIKE!



THAT'S STRANGE... NO SIGN OF MOLLY... I'D SWEAR I SAW A MOVING SHADOW ON THIS TENT... **UGH!**

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HER?

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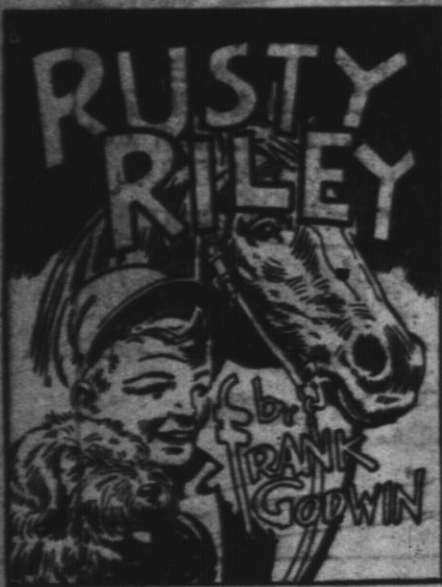
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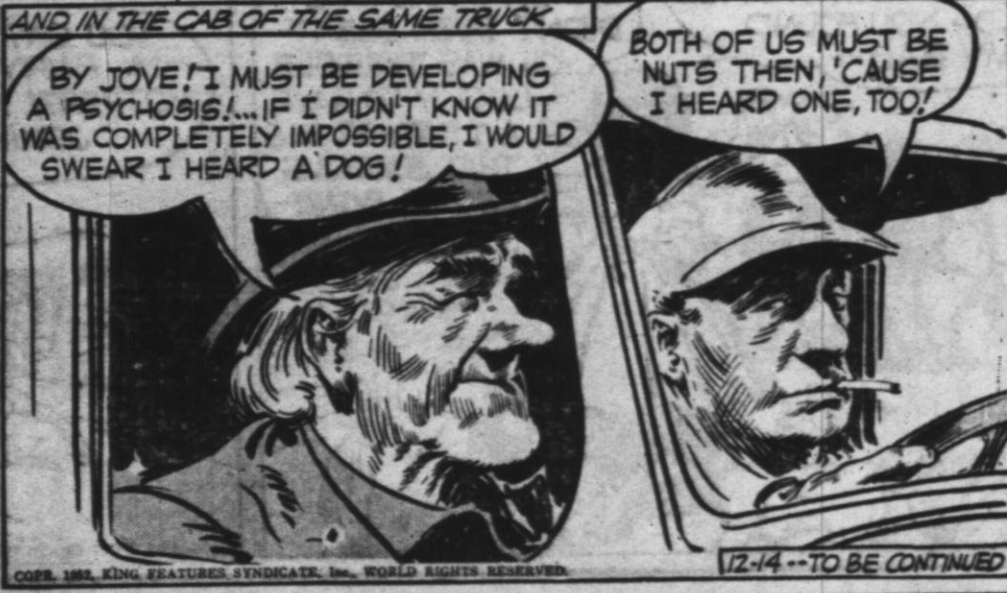
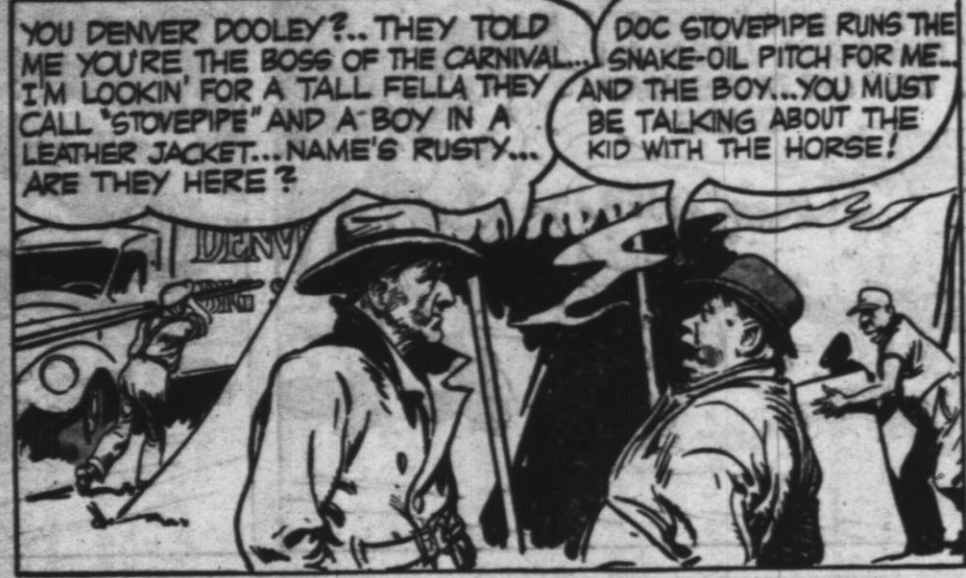


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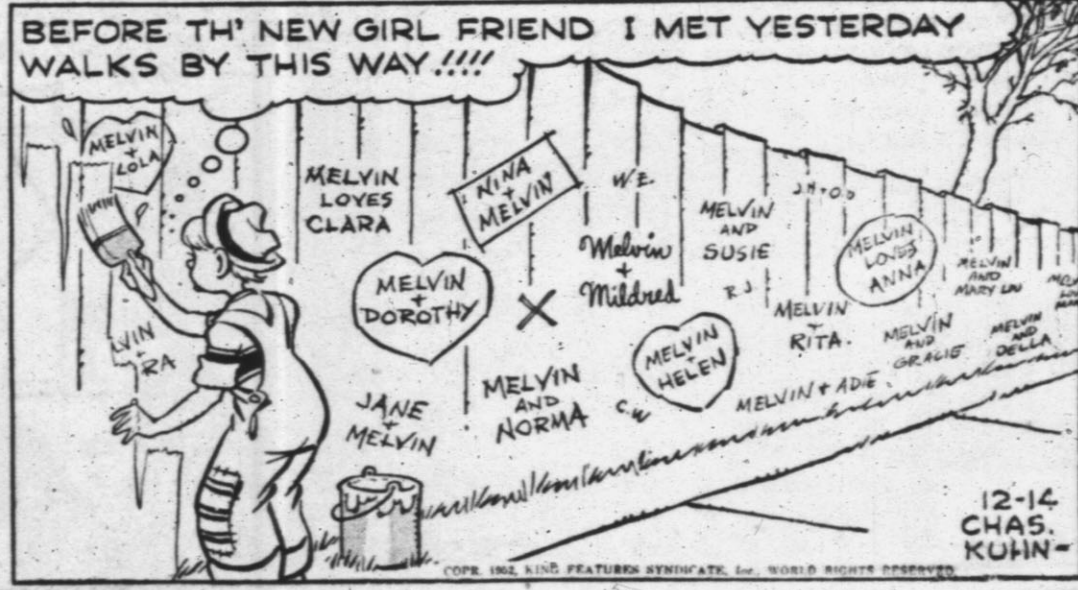
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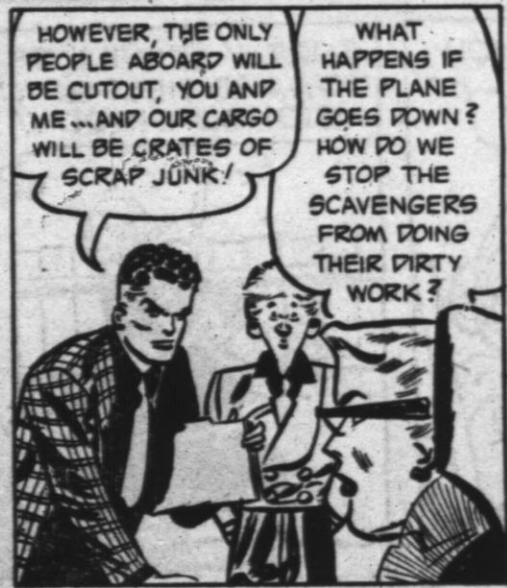


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MY GOODNESS GRACIOUS, IF I AIN'T DUMB! I FORGOT I GOT BIG, LONG LEGS AN' YOU GOT LITTLE, SHORT ONES~

WUFF!



I KNOW YOU AIN'T GOT LONG, SKINNY LEGS LIKE A GREY-HOUND HAS, BUT~ LISTEN~ I THINK I HEAR SLEIGH BELLS~



THERE IT IS~ THERE IT IS! OH, GEE~ I WISH I COULD HAVE A SLEIGH RIDE~ IT MUST BE WONDERFUL!

JINGLE BELLS
JINGLE BELLS



I THOUGHT I SAW SOMETHIN' BOUNCE OFF THE SLEIGH WHEN IT SKIDDED AROUND THE CORNER~ IT'S NO USE DIGGING, ZERO~ WHAT I SAW WASN'T A BONE~



WHY, YOU CLEVER LITTLE CHILD~ YOU FOUND MY BAG~

I DIDN'T FIND IT~ I DIDN'T EVEN SEE IT~ YOU WAS TERRIBLE LUCKY TO HAVE A LEATHER BAG THAT SMELLS LIKE A BONE~



YOU SAY I AM A FAIRY GOD-MOTHER?? ARE YOU JOKING?

HONEST, MA'AM~ NO FOOLIN'~ I WISH OUT LOUD THAT I COULD HAVE A SLEIGH RIDE~ AN' MY WISH WAS GRANTED JUST LIKE IN A FAIRY TALE~

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U. N. Debate Turns To Tunisian Issue

A WAIT-AND-SEE attitude on the Eisenhower program coupled with Communist rejection of the India truce plan has stalled U. N. diplomatic efforts to break the military stalemate in Korea. Without approval by the Chinese and North Korean Communists, the Indian truce proposal is merely academic. It did draw the free nations into a unified bloc, however, by gaining an overwhelming vote of approval. Russia and its satellites were the only dissenters.

In a last-minute effort to gain Communist approval of the Indian plan, U. N. Assembly President Lester Pearson, Canadian foreign secretary, dispatched urgent appeals to Peking and Pyongyang.

The Chinese and Korean Reds have echoed Russia's condemnation of any truce plan which does not require forcible repatriation of war prisoners.

Key Holds Key

Any new U. N. policy on Korea will depend on what President-elect Dwight Eisenhower, and his advisers decide should be done.

The U. S. delegation to the U. N., headed by Secretary of State Dean Acheson, was in a somewhat crippling, lame-duck status.

The explosive question of Tunisian independence from France was the top priority subject up before the 60-nation Political Committee, meanwhile.

Britain's Selwyn Lloyd declared the U. N. had no right to discuss the question. He called it a French domestic, not international question, and said for this reason Britain would not comment on rights and wrongs involved in Tunisia.

U. S., Britain at Odds

The U. S. was at odds with Britain and France over the U. N.'s right to discuss the Tunisian question. Philip Jessup, whose resignation as a Truman Ambassador-at-Large has already been submitted, ignored the question of U. N. competence and addressed himself directly to the problem raised about French administration in Tunisia. The U. S. tried to hold a middle course, not offending the Arab-Asian bloc and counting on other ties to keep the sensitive French from too overt a break over the situation.

Morally, the U. S. definitely favors open U. N. debate on Tunisian independence and is sympathetic to Tunisian demands for self-determination.

It was plain the U. S. did not go along with Britain's claim that the Tunisian question lacked international implications. In the volatile Middle East, where Communist rabble rousers recently have been active, the final outcome of the Tunisian debate could have profound effects on other Moslem nations watching to see what course the U. N. will follow.

New riots swept the other independence-seeking French North African protectorate of Morocco even as the U. N. debated.

Egypt

Republic A-Borning

Maj. Gen. Mohammed Naguib, premier of Egypt, abolished the 29-year-old Egyptian constitution this week, paving the way for an Egyptian republic.

The constitution Naguib cancelled was granted in 1923 by King Faud, father of former King Farouk, who abdicated and went into exile last summer with his infant son.

Naguib promised the regime now administering the country would "serve the citizens without discrimination" until a new constitution is drawn up. He declared the revolution of last summer had saved the country from a regime of corruption and chaos under a careless king.

The premier meanwhile worked to set up a national bloc made up of leaders from all political parties.

Naguib made it clear that the period of army rule in Egypt is drawing to a close. In the new constitution he seeks to set up a form of government that will allow broader participation by the people and the establishment of a new democratized parliament.

There were indications the long dispute between Egypt and Britain over the Sudan also was nearing an end. Naguib met with British Ambassador, Sir Ralph Stevenson in a series of discussions aimed toward an agreement to carry out elections in the Sudan and establish an interim regime in preparation for Sudanese self-determination in approximately three years.

Sidelights

● In Richmond, Va., 32-year-old Odell Rice, arrested on a charge of drunken driving, walked a straight line on his hands for 30 feet in the police station to prove he wasn't drunk. The charge was promptly changed to reckless driving.

● In Washington, the eyebrows of House investigators probing lurid literature shot up when it developed that one of the star advocates of a new stand cleanup, writer Margaret Culkin Banning, was the author of an article in one of the magazines under fire. Title of Mrs. Banning's article: "Is Virginity Old Fashioned?"

The WORLD This WEEK

EISENHOWER PLOTS KOREA COURSE

THE dramatic Mid-Pacific meetings between President-elect Eisenhower and key appointees to his Cabinet caused a tidal wave of speculation.

Details of the secret discussion aboard the Cruiser Helena, and later at Pearl Harbor, may never be disclosed. It was clear, however, that the talks were devoted to Korea.

The fact that Eisenhower's men for secretary of state, secretary of the treasury and secretary of the interior were whisked out to meet the general at Wake Island had some observers convinced the President-elect had either decided, or was on the verge of deciding, some major shift in policy on Korea.

Pearl Harbor Conferences

The hurried flight of Charles E. Wilson, the next secretary of defense, and Adm. Arthur Radford, commander in chief of the Pacific Fleet, to Pearl Harbor ahead of the general and his party heightened the sense of urgency.

Announced purpose of this move was to set up military discussions at Pearl Harbor with Gen. Omar N. Bradley, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

The shipboard conferences apparently went into all phases of Korea, including military and economic issues. The second stage of the conferences — at Pearl Harbor — apparently were devoted to military considerations.

Eisenhower has made it clear he intends to refrain from public policy statements until after the Inauguration Jan. 20. After that he will be in a position to speak out and act on whatever opinions he has formed as a result of his tour of the Korean battle area and the subsequent discussions with his Cabinet appointees.

No Time Wasted

During the Presidential campaign, Eisenhower said the Korean war and how to end it will have high priority once the new Administration takes over.

The precise reason Eisenhower chose to meet his Cabinet members on the way home instead of waiting until he got home is wide open to conjecture. It was evident the general intended to waste no time in hammering out some program for Korea in order to be ready for early Presidential messages and speeches on foreign affairs.

In London, British officials, skeptical about any all-out U. N. offensive that might risk enlarging the war, indicated Britain might be willing to go along with a limited Allied offensive — as long as it stops at the Korean narrow below the 40th Parallel.

Such a push would carry the Allies 150 miles north of the 38th Parallel. A ranking government source in London said the U. N. would need more divisions than it now has in Korea for such an offensive. Britain, the source said, could put another fighting division in Korea only by pulling one out of Germany.

The prevailing British opinion is that there is no way open to the U. N. to gain a clear-cut military decision in Korea.



WILSON, EISENHOWER AND DULLES ABOARD THE HELENA

Korean Possibilities

An offensive 150 miles northward of the 40th Parallel would not bring a military victory but it would shorten the front line for the U. N. about one-third, to approximately 100 miles.

One source close to Gen. Eisenhower, meanwhile, denied reports the general favors enlarging the Korean war. "Nothing is definite yet," the source said.

From Eisenhower's public statements during the campaign, it appeared his program for dealing with the Korean war revolved around these points:

1. Strengthening of South Korea and the use of more Republic of Korea (ROK) troops at the front to replace Americans.
2. Increased economic aid to South

Korea to bolster its ability to continue the fight.

3. Avoidance of any military action that might involve risks of another world conflict.

4. Move to strengthen the cooperation between the U. N. Allies.

MacArthur's Plan

Eisenhower cleared the way, meanwhile, for a face-to-face meeting with Gen. Douglas MacArthur to receive the former Far Eastern commander's plan for ending the Korean war.

Pushing aside past differences with MacArthur, Eisenhower radioed a message saying: "I am looking forward to informal meetings in which my associates and I may obtain full benefit of your thinking and experience" on Korea and the Far East.

MacArthur replied that he was "grateful for your interest in my views."

The exchange of messages followed a speech last week by Gen. MacArthur in New York in which he disclosed he had a peace plan for Korea and was willing to give it to Gen. Eisenhower if the President-elect asked for it.

Some Pentagon sources criticized MacArthur for not stepping forward with his plan right away if he thought it would help save lives in Korea.

In MacArthur's reply to Eisenhower, there were traces of bitterness. In part, the message read: "... despite my ultimate personal and professional connection and well-known concern therewith, (Korea) this is the first time that the slightest official interest in my counsel has been evidenced since my return."

The exchange of views with Gen. MacArthur will give the Eisenhower Administration the counsel of a man who commanded Allied forces in Korea during the first nine and a half months of war. MacArthur was re-

lieved by President Truman because he was "unable to give his wholehearted support" to U. S. and United Nations policies.

At the time of his relief, MacArthur's position was that Allied forces could defeat Red China by air attacks and by utilizing Chinese Nationalist forces in amphibious assaults against mainland China.

In Washington, meanwhile, Wisconsin's Republican Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy declared President-elect Eisenhower would be wise "to utilize the genius" of Gen. Douglas MacArthur in forming any new plans to end the Korean war.

A close Eisenhower associate told a reporter he believed the President-elect "would not ignore" MacArthur's apparent offer of advice.

The Eisenhower friend, who declined to be quoted by name, said he also expects Eisenhower will keep this country's Allies in Korea advised of his own thinking.

Dates

- Monday, December 15**
North Atlantic Treaty Organization Council meets in Paris to plan rearmament schedule for 1953.
- Tuesday, December 16**
Bill of Rights Day, commemorating ratification of first ten amendments to the Constitution in 1791.
- Wednesday, December 17**
Anniversary of the flight of the first power-driven aircraft at Kitty Hawk, N. C., 1903.
- Sunday, December 21**
First day of winter, shortest day of year.

Controls Dilemma

THE Wage Stabilization Board is as strife-ridden an agency as the Federal Government ever had. It has survived many explosions, but John L. Lewis' demand for a \$1.90-a-day pay boost for coal miners sowed seeds for its final demise.

The Board, by a vote in which industry and public members joined to override objections from labor representatives, held the pay hike should be cut to \$1.50.

WSB Chairman Archibald Cox, a public member, stepped out after the Presidential action allowing the \$1.90. All seven industry members followed, calling the President's action "political expediency."

The resignations put the WSB out of business. It cannot operate without members from all three segments of the economy. But Economic Stabilizer Roger Putnam took charge of the wage stabilization program, determined to turn over to the Eisenhower Administration functioning wage controls.

Putnam announced his resignation as Economic Stabilizer after giving assurances that some kind of wage control formula would be retained.

Critical Time

The WSB foldup comes at a time when Congress and the new Administration are due to come under control of the Republicans, many of whom have not had as much sympathy as the Democrats for controls.

Republican leaders of Congress in the economic field agreed, however, not to set on any proposal to end controls before hearings can be held. These could not be conducted in either chamber before Feb. 1.

Meanwhile, the collapse of the WSB snarled up pending wage agreements. AFL President George Meany said that if a way was not found to clear these, some unions might stage protest strikes.

Meany said he thought President Truman could solve the situation by giving approval to all pending agreements. There are some 12,000 such cases before the WSB. Unions with wage petitions before the WSB indicated they would not take wage cuts lying down.

In Short

Reported by the official Yugoslav news agency in Belgrade, a new wave of arrests of top Communists in Czechoslovakia. Among those reported on the new purge list: Zdenek Fierlinger, former premier who paved the way for the Red coup of 1948; Gen. Ludvig Svoboda, first postwar minister of finance; Antonin Gregor, former minister of foreign trade.

Elected: President of Israel to succeed the late Chaim Weizmann, Itzhak Ben-Zvi, scholar, statesman and soldier.

Announced: by Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden, that Britain will take legal action against any American oil companies which try to buy or sell Iranian oil. Britain, said Eden, still regards products of the Iranian oil industry as the property of the Anglo-Iranian Oil Co.

Re-elected: John L. Lewis, for another four-year term as president of the United Mine Workers.

Announced: by officials of the American Red Cross and National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, a program under which thousands of children in stricken areas in the country are to receive gamma globulin injections to protect them against polio. The officials emphasize success of the plan calls for increased contributions to the National Blood Program.

Demanding: by a Congressional subcommittee looking into housing, more protection for home purchasers against defective housing erected with Federal aid. The group recommended a nine-point program for correction of "serious deficiencies," with special emphasis on home warranties and bonding devices binding contractors to deliver according to plan.

Aviation

Combat-Ready Supersonic Jet

The first faster-than-sound flight by an American fighter plane completely equipped for combat has been made in California.

The flight was made by the XF-91, designed and built by Republic Aviation Corp., and piloted by test pilot Russell Roth.

Other supersonic flights have been made previously by purely experimental planes, but this is the first by a plane described as carrying armaments and ready for combat.

The XF-91 technically is still an experimental plane, but Mundy I. Peal, Republic president, said: "This is a combat-ready plane not a purely research plane."

In addition to a turbo-jet power plant, the plane has a rocket-power engine. It was officially disclosed only that the plane had reached supersonic speeds but all other performance details were restricted.

At sea level, the speed of sound is approximately 750 miles an hour, varies according to altitude. The altitude or altitudes the XF-91 flew were not disclosed.

The plane was designed as a high speed, high-altitude interceptor or capable of downing any high speed bombers—or the speedy Russian MIG.

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NEWSWORTHY



SILENT TRIBUTE—Youngsters in Nobby, Australia, stand with bowed heads as hearse bearing casket of Sister Elizabeth Kenny passes on way to nearby cemetery. Sister Kenny, famed for her polio treatment methods, died Nov. 29 at 66.



DEATH IN INDOCHINA—Communist Vietminh troops lie sprawled in death after attack through barbed wire on French airbase 117 miles west of Hanoi. Airbase capture would give Reds climax victory in assault launched Oct. 15.

ATLANTIC PACT TIMETABLE SUFFERS SETBACK

MILITARY strategists of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization have a basic strategy. It is to concentrate heavy ground and air strength in the central part of Western Europe and assign flank positions to smaller land, air and naval forces.

Under plans worked out a year ago, NATO commanders hoped to see 40 combat-ready divisions in Europe by the end of 1952 and between 70 and 80 divisions by the end of 1954.

The over-all planning also called for putting the European army, made up of forces from West Germany, France and Italy, under command of the Supreme Commander of NATO as a separate entity.

Lag Is Obvious

The extent to which the NATO goals for 1952 have been fulfilled is secret. The fact that they have no chance of being completely realized on schedule can hardly be concealed.

When the NATO Council meets in Paris next week, delegates will plan the rearmament schedule for 1953. Originally, the 1953 schedule called for 50 or 60 divisions.

The NATO timetable was further hindered by the constitutional crisis in West Germany over ratification of the Bonn peace contract with the Western Allies and the European Defense Community Treaty. Chancellor Konrad Adenauer sought a ruling in the Federal Constitutional Court that would allow ratification by a simple majority in the Bundestag. The judicial morass that developed around this threatened the very existence of the Adenauer government.

U. S. Attitude

In the U. S. there has been some uncertainty about the course the new Administration will take in regard to NATO, but President-elect Eisenhower has made it clear he intends to



1952 NATO GOALS AND ESTIMATED SOVIET STRENGTH

stand by U. S. commitments in Western Europe.

There are many advocates for some plan under which the U. S. could help Europeans step up their own production while spending somewhat less on buying American arms to send to Europe.

Any such step would require the U. S. to spend more of its billions in direct economic assistance to Europe. A Republican-controlled Congress, mindful of campaign promises of economy and tax cuts, is likely to tackle such a proposal with extreme caution.

Perhaps one of the more serious setbacks NATO suffered this year was the result of continued Franco-German haggling and mistrust. While the U. S. is anxious to see a

West German military force developed which will at least balance the East German, Sovietized "police force," the French have balked, demanding guarantees against a re-armed, resurgent Germany.

Serious Block

Despite Russian attempts to drive a wedge between cooperating Western nations, and to sow discord among West Germans by proposing unification, the rearmament of West Germany might have been close to being underway by now were it not for French reluctance to let Germans bear arms again. In 70 years, France suffered three invasions by Germans. The French want to avoid a repetition.

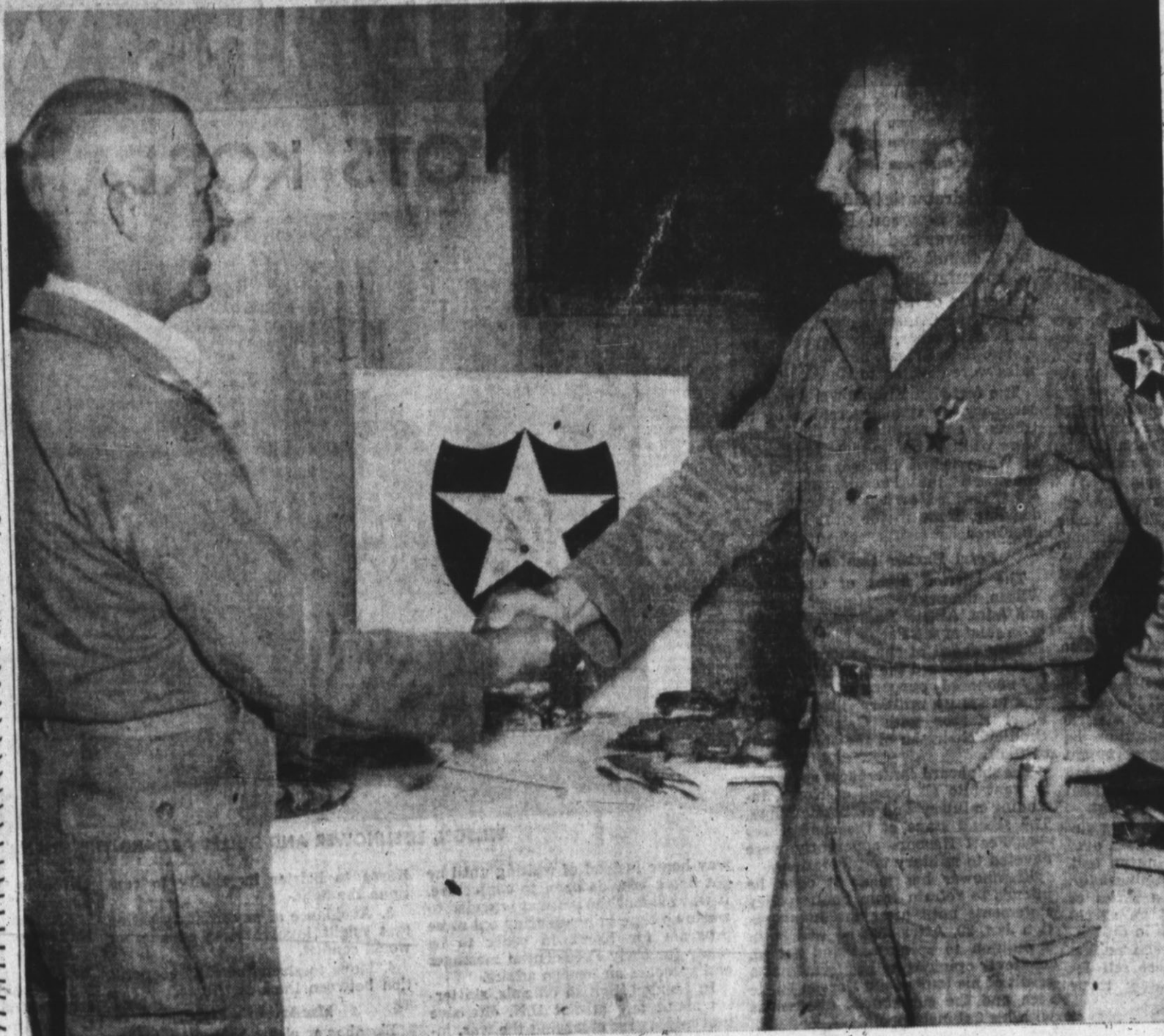
Britain, while sympathizing with



Friona Women's Club Holds Annual Christmas Party, Program Dec. 10

By Mrs. E. R. Day Sr.
On December 10, the Friona Women's Club met at the club house in their regular meeting. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Wesley Hardesty, due to the absence of Mrs. V. R. Jordan, president, and Mrs. G. L. Hough, vice president. The roll call was answered by the happiest Christmas you ever had. Business was attended to. Mrs. Fred White read a Christmas story, "Better than Santa Claus", by Louise McNeill. Each member brought a gift and drew numbers for their gift. The house was decorated with miniature Santa Clauses and candles, a tree and greenery. Those present were: Melbames; Charles Russell, Lem Miller, E. R. Day, J. C. Wilkinson, Mabel Hartwell, L. F. Lillard, Joe Moy-

er, T. E. Lovett, Wesley Hardesty, Spencer Hough, B. W. Buchannon, F. W. Reeves, E. Bogges, Fred White, Bert Chitwood, Roy T. Slagel, Mary Officer, Leo McLillon, F. L. Reed, L. R. Dilger, C. W. Dixon, O. F. Lange, W. A. Finney, A. H. Boatman, Floyd Schlenker, H. F. Brewer and Mrs. Roberts. Pat and Sue Cranfill gave two dance numbers. Hostesses were Mrs. L. R. Dilger, Mrs. F. L. Reed and Mary Officer, who served fruit cake, whipped cream, coffee and tea. Mrs. H. C. Kendrick attended a luncheon in Amarillo Tuesday. Mrs. Roy T. Slagel was shopping in Clovis Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Day Sr. attended to business in Amarillo Thursday and visited with their daughter, Tila Rue.



BRONZE STAR AWARD -- Col. Koesson of the 2nd Q. M. of duty" and specifically mentioned the victory enjoyed by the regiment at Old Baldy by the 28th Infantry Regiment in Korea. Army Photo.

Mrs. V. R. Jordan, who has been in the hospital at Lubbock, was able to return home Saturday. Jim Baxter, Preach Collier and Lonnie Dement of the Friona Motors attended the barbecue and meeting in Amarillo Wednesday night for the Ford dealers. Jimmie Trotter who worked for the General Telephone Co., and is now living in Friona was in a car wreck Sunday near Littlefield. He is now in the hospital there. While in Friona he has rooms at the Emmett Day home. His home is in Littlefield.

Mrs. Hensley Back After Two Month Visit With Daughter

Mrs. Homer Henslee has returned home from Falmouth, Mass., where she spent two months in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Lt. and Mrs.

George L. Mager. The Mager have a new son, whose birth was announced October 30; and is named George Jeffrey. Mrs. Mager is the former Mary Ellen Hensley. While away Mrs. Henslee also visited her son, Homer Jr., and family in Darien, Conn. In Providence, Rhode Island, she visited other relatives.



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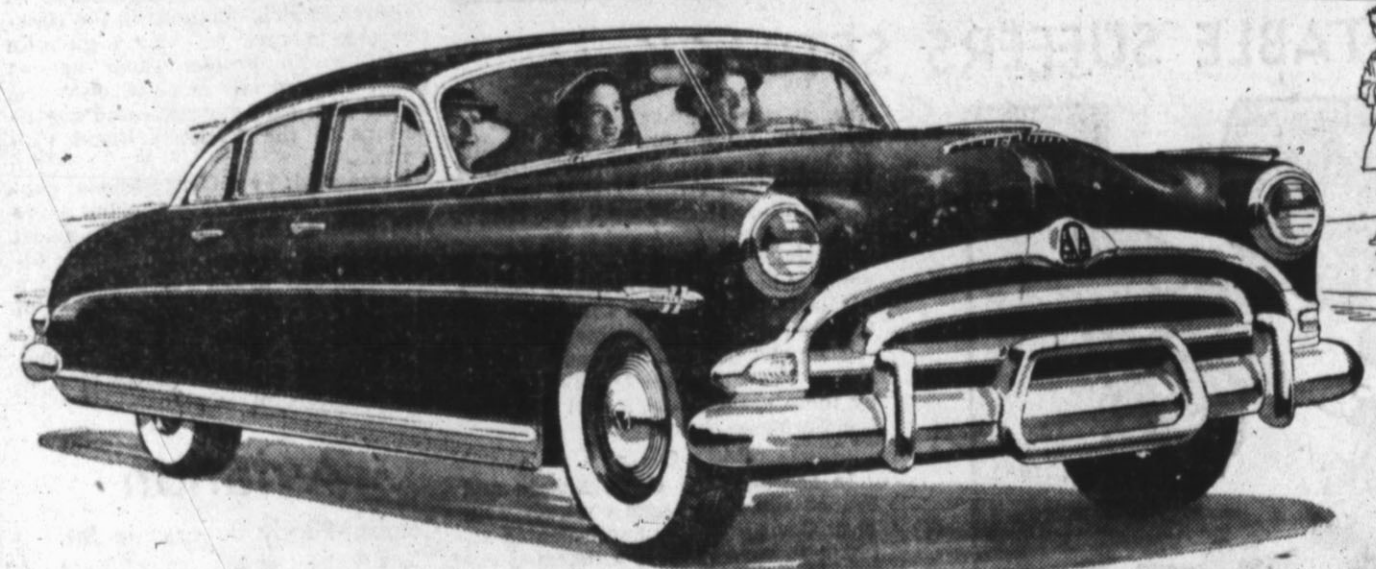
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Editorials

What Good Are Traffic Laws ... If Not Enforced?

Hereford police announced this week that enforcement will start Monday in regard to city traffic violations.

With a practically new police department the announcement, no doubt, required considerable courage. No one likes to get "a ticket" and flagrant distribution of traffic summons naturally floods the city offices with wailing and protests, some often directed at officers who pass out the tickets.

On the other hand, there seems little use of having laws or regulations -- or even peace officers -- of we are not going to enforce the laws. These laws are not passed merely to give a cop something to do in his spare time. As we understand it, they are passed for the sole purpose of protecting human lives.

Persons who most frequently violate traffic laws seldom, if ever, consider violations from this standpoint. Each day, the police tell us, some mother is called down for speeding in a school zone. Not one of these mothers, we feel sure, would maliciously run over and maim or kill one of the children. "Teen-agers who are doing most of the speeding and racing on Main Street, Park Avenue and other city streets automatically brand themselves as irresponsible and immature, but we sincerely doubt that any one of the group would run over another person intentionally. Blocking alleys for long periods, merely to save walking a half block to a parking place, is not purposely done to impede possible passage of fire trucks along the space designated for such purpose.

All of us really mean well. Sometimes we may act foolishly or unwisely. Other times, we are prone to become careless or lazy. These are recognized reasons. Furthermore, they are the very reasons which make traffic laws necessary. If people did these things with intent the penalties would be much greater, and you can rest assured of that fact.

Right now YOU AGREE. You want the traffic laws enforced. Maybe for the welfare of your own family. Your own little boy or little girl. But the real test comes when you are one of the persons to get a traffic summons. How will YOU feel when YOU get a TICKET? Will you recognize that you were wrong and that the laws are for your protection as well as that of others, or will you feel that you got a raw deal -- just because it was YOU.

Certainly, getting a traffic ticket is no signal honor. However, a lot depends upon how you act after you get it. There live very few people in America who have not been faced with at least one traffic violation charge. Regardless of how you feel about getting such a summons, you can rest assured that it would be a mere nothing compared to sitting in the hospital all night, sleepless and nervously awaiting for word regarding some child you have run over. Word that he would live? Word that he was dead? Word that he would live, but never walk again? Waiting... to find out... What?

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Facing the child's parents, regardless of the outcome, would be literal "hell on earth" -- especially for another mother or father. Even an irresponsible 'teen-ager would flinch... perhaps, for the rest of his or her life.

Remorse and self-criticism perhaps accomplish many reforms, but they have never been known to restore the life of a child lost in an automobile accident. The time to prevent these things is before they happen. It is the only time.

Resolve now to be careful while driving. If you will do this, you will never become angry with a police officer for giving you a traffic ticket.

HERE'S HOW YOU CAN...

Eat Cake Every Day

"If you call your wife on the telephone around 3:30 in the afternoon and lay down the law, demanding a chocolate cake for supper, chances are you won't get it."

These were the words of W. O. Churchwell, vice president of the Texas Firemen's and Fire Marshall's Association, as he spoke to the Hereford fire department and guest this week.

"However, if you happen to mention at noon that you always thought your mother was the best cook in the world until you ate that chocolate cake your wife baked the other day, the one with the big nuts on top," he continued, adding that it might have been months ago, but don't bring that up, "you will probably have chocolate cake for supper -- with nuts on top, and stirred all down through the cake."

This, according to Mr. Churchwell is "public relations." We disagree. So far as Americans are concerned, at least, it's plain old "horse sense."

The American people like and dislike a lot of things, but the one thing they like least of all is being "pushed around." We are friendly souls, easy-going, reasonably honest, a little bit selfish and, unquestionably, the most independent people in the world. We can be talked "into" or "out of" almost anything, but the very minute someone tells us the "have to do something," then the trouble starts. Furthermore, we know it, and we are a little bit proud of the fact.

A pleasant, happy, successful lifetime can be built around Mr. Churchwell's one bit of philosophy -- but how many of us do it? Even those who have considered the matter seriously get busy, worried or enraptured to the point that we seldom take time to apply this bit of logic, which we well know is a basic point of better living.

Do we try to console or help a frightened or inefficient sales girl, or do we debate her with sarcastic rebuke? Christmas shopping, like chocolate cake, comes a lot easier with a spot of kindness and consideration. A telephone operator can go blind from stuffing plugs into switchboards and often she gets nothing but complaints. A polite "Thank You, Operator," once in a while will often change the tone of her voice and brighten her day. Tact is a wonderful virtue but perhaps, even more important, is the politeness.

Dale Carnegie once wrote a book entitled, "How to Win Friends and Influence Enemies." Mr. Carnegie made a small fortune from the book, but apparently most of the people who read it soon forgot. We like Mr. Churchwell's story better, anyway. It took a lot fewer words. It didn't cost anything and anyone, especially married people, will know exactly what he means. Besides, we like chocolate cake.

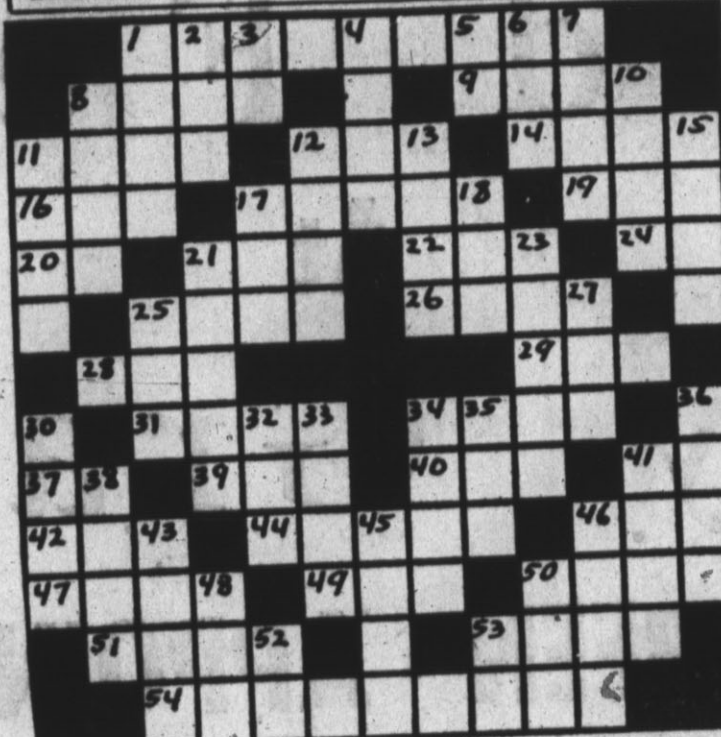
Information

Today's information item: Snails travel at the rate of one mile in ten years, and never have any traffic accident. -- Cincinnati Enquirer.

Assumption

The ukulele has come back into popularity and one manufacturer has produced an inexpensive plastic instrument that can be played under water-coating, we assume, to that clientele that prefer to use pen in the same way. -- Christian Science Monitor.

CROSSWORD By A. G. Gordon



- ACROSS**
- 1--Soldier who ran out of words to conquer
 - 2--Presently
 - 3--Famed Persian poet
 - 11--Depression
 - 12--American originator of the detective story
 - 14--Irish playwright
 - 15--Estat
 - 17--Caruso was famous as a "this"
 - 19--Historically famous Belgian resort town
 - 20--Very Old (abbrev.)
 - 21--Ancient Greek god of shepherds
 - 22--A brood, as of pheasants
 - 24--Lithalia of the little boy who cried for his supper
 - 25--Discarded
 - 26--Withered
 - 28--Resting place
 - 29--Japanese statesman
 - 31--Famed American general (poss.)
 - 36--Everyone individually
 - 37--Opposed to
 - 38--Student
 - 41--Force
 - 42--Greek letter
- DOWN**
- 1--Former English queen
 - 2--Biblical character who escaped destruction of Sodom
 - 3--Printer's measure
 - 4--Shakespeare was "The Bard of..."
 - 5--Execute
 - 6--Printer's measure
 - 7--College cheers
 - 8--Combining form meaning "in"
 - 10--Reographed
 - 11--English chemist
 - 12--Founder of U. S. "Keystone State"
 - 13--Great time divisions
 - 15--Scottish inventor of steam engine
 - 17--Scottish "top"
 - 18--River immortalized in a poem by Robert Burns
 - 21--Former Russian Czar
 - 23--Famed Scandinavian navigator (poss.)
 - 25--The sun
 - 27--Bulle of ordinal numbers
 - 30--Former "terrible" Russian ruler
 - 32--Auditory organ
 - 33--To thrust
 - 34--Smooth
 - 35--Feel indisposed
 - 36--Famed Italian actress
 - 38--Brought legal action
 - 41--Army food
 - 43--Broad smile
 - 45--Kind of meat
 - 46--Reputed designer of first American flag
 - 48--Eggs
 - 50--Old Spanish title of respect
 - 52--Abbreviated airplane
 - 53--Behold!

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Public Approves Police Move To Halt Traffic Violations

City officials announced Thursday that, starting Monday, the police will rigidly enforce traffic regulations which cover: Speeding in school zones, Racing on city streets and Blocking of alleys. What is your idea on this subject?

L. W. COMBS

Well, I think it's a darn good idea. I think they've needed to enforce these regulations for a long time. I live on Park Avenue and I have lost two dogs. If dogs' lives are in jeopardy, children's lives are even more so. I do think Hereford needs more stop signs on through streets, though, and a thorough enforcement of these.

MRS. JOHN H. CHANNER

My idea is that it is one thing necessary to this community, that the laws should be enforced. Traffic laws and regulations are of no good to anyone unless they are enforced.

DON T. MARTIN

I think it's the best idea that they've ever had and really a nice gesture on the part of the police department. We are lucky at the high school that there haven't been any accidents from reckless driving.

MRS. B. A. WEST

I think all should be made to obey the traffic rules. I just think it's a good idea.

MRS. JOHN B. RENFRO

Well, I certainly think they should be enforced. I believe everyone will profit by it if these plans are carried out.

'Tater Peelin's

By Roberta Campbell

Every so often somebody comes up with the idea that Christmas is becomin' too commercialized but have you ever considered it from the business men's angle?

They realize of course that the volume of buyin' will be done durin' the Christmas season and it is only fair that they should make a bid for your trade when the contribute to first one cause and another continuously from December to March. Besides the annual drives, there is hardly a civic or study club that doesn't ask their help at some time durin' the year.

An Manjeot was bein' real neighborly and divided some of his honey with the N. E. Johnsons. The Johnsons were very pleased with the gift and were makin' the most of it at meal time but at first one of their young sons evidently didn't share their enthusiasm because when his mother started to serve him he surprised her with, "No, Mother, I don't want any of that glue on my bread."

We always thought Mrs. Albert Higgins who lived north of Hereford for many years and now lives in Texline could make the best mince-meat of anybody and though we've put dried apricots in what we made, we never were able to "pinch and dash" to the same degree she did because it never quite came up to the same perfection.

She used hoghead as we had always thought was the only way to make mince-meat until we found a pretty good recipe in a farm magazine that uses enough fruits, spices, cider and jam to obscure the beef and suet.

I'll Never Forget

By Billie Wright

Frank Barber came to the Panhandle in 1890, having migrated from Throckmorton County. In 1898, at the age of 14, he and his younger brother, Floyd, brought 300 head of cattle and horses to Castro County from Plainview. They came on their saddle horses leading a pack horse.

They settled where they found a windmill and the family came on in a covered wagon. In those days, many people would come to the Panhandle to live, drill a well and for some reason have to leave. Settlers and ranchers would then rent their mills and generally their one-room shacks for \$15 a year and let the cattle graze the grass.

They camped there until they were able to build houses. Wagons, shacks and tents served to be the temporary housing.

There were no fences. The only fences to stop the cattle were drift fences at the Concho river.

Cattle mingled with other rancher's cattle and two or three times a year there would be a roundup.

In 1902, two brothers named McCormick who were Irish Catholics settled four miles southeast of where Nazareth is now. They wanted to start a church there so they contacted a Catholic Priest named Father Reisdorph. He began colonizing the Nazareth community. Most of the colonists were farmers from Iowa and Nebraska. Naturally, they wanted to farm, so they began plowing up the country; therefore, the ranchers had to seek other parts.

Frank Barber's father went west to Dimmitt and bought more grass. He had paid \$1.50 acre for the land southeast of Hereford and people thought he was wild for buying land at that price. This land he bought at this time was 50c an acre.

Later W. B. Dameron bought land adjoining theirs and was one of the first ranchers in the section of the country to begin building fences for ranching. Frank Barber was batching at his place and he and Mr. Dameron became good friends. Dameron's family lived in Hereford and he stayed at the ranch.

About 1904 Frank's father was elected county judge of Castro County. At that time, Castro, Lamb and Bailey counties were together for judicial purposes; therefore, he was judge for three counties. He turned the entire ranching over to Frank and Floyd. They raised stock horses and cattle. At one time they would sell as many as 75 head of mules and horses in a year. They sold their horses at two years of age to ranchmen and would get from \$20 to \$25 a head. Soon their horses became known for their fine quality and stamina and were known as Copper-bottom horses or Hambletonian horses. They prided themselves in their horses.

In 1908, Frank met and married Etta Dixon. Her family had settled in Dimmitt when she was 13 years old. Frank and Etta had seven children: Mrs. Bub Newell who lives in Hereford; Frank Jr., who is a Geophysical Engineer in Kerrville; Major George A. Barber, who is still in the service at Roswell; Jack Barber, who is a resident engineer for Southwestern Public Service at Lubbock; Helen Ruth who married Commander A. Pat Jones and they live in Washington, D. C.; Billie Louise, whose husband is Sanitarian of Wyoming and they live in Sheann.

Frank remembers that when he came here, Hereford was known as Blue Water Creek because of the Blue Water Creek, which is now known as Tierra Blanca Creek. The deep blue holes in the creek gave way to its name. LaPlatta was the county seat of Deaf Smith County then and the courthouse was there. Later when the Santa Fe Railway was built through here, Hereford became the county seat. Hereford got its name from the Hereford cattle around here.

"I'll never forget," says Frank, "when all the cattle from as far away as Swisher County had to be shipped out from here. Once there were about 40,000 head of cattle being held around Hereford waiting for cars to ship. They were so far behind and there wasn't enough cars to do much good. Well, it was in May, and we had a good old fashioned rain and hail storm one night. Despite the efforts of the cowboys, all the cattle mixed, and you know, it took every bit of two weeks to get the cattle straightened out. There was many an unhappy cowboy that morning when all rain drenched, we had to begin separating the cattle. I had 1800 cattle there, then, myself."

"At one time there were more cattle shipped from Hereford than any other shipping point. Then there wasn't anything around here except a railroad station and a saloon. When we'd get here with our cattle, we'd just find an

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Panhandle Paragraphs

M. H. Koelzer of Hereford brought a paper to the Brand office from Muenster. There was a picture of an acquaintance of his, Maurice "Chili" King, who made his story as a deer hunter last week. He roped his buck, about a 300 pounder, and he wasn't hunting deer in the first place in fact he did not even have a license to hunt deer.

It happened on Thanksgiving day while he was hunting a stray cow and calf on his farm near Marysville. He noticed the animal lying close to the creek bed, circling a tree to get behind the deer, he eased his lariat over the neck of the deer before he was aware of the presence of King. He had quite a tussle with the deer, but finally succeeded in loading the animal in the pickup to take to Muenster.

Elvera Duerksen, 15, of Plainview, will compare notes with other top homemakers at the Chicago 4-H Club Congress. As guest of Montgomery Ward, she will join record-making girls from all parts of the country for good time exciting experiences and serious discussions.

West Texas State College holds its informal open house for the new library building next Sunday from 3:30 to 5:30 p. m. in Canyon.

Rev. J. Henry Cox, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Olton, announces that installation of the sanctuary pew in the new church building has been delayed.

Muleshoe had their first treasure hunt Saturday, December 6, when those participating would get cards at the Journal office and would find stores with corresponding numbers on the cards. Prizes were the rewards.

Santa made a surprise visit to the polio patients at the Plainview Clinic last week and says he would like to see people about two small youngsters he saw there. Bet Mae Dunn of Claude, is six years old and Donna Ge Christian. These two young ladies would be quite happy to receive your Christmas wishes in care of the clinic.

Fire in the First Baptist church of Matador disrupted the Sunday morning services. Damage was estimated from \$3,000 to \$5,000, most of it from smoke and water. Church members worked throughout the afternoon to clean up the debris in time for the service Sunday night, and services were held as usual.

Honolulu and Signal are assured of flowing products from the Pennsylvania lime reef and a new discovery of their No. 1 T. H. Matthews, Southwest of Hockley County wilcat, 12 miles southeast of Levelland and approximately two miles southwest of the Ropes field.

According to the new Funk and Wagnall's Encyclopedia, page 297 of the first volume, Amarillo is designed as the county seat of both Potter and Randall counties. Wonder when this happened? The people of Canyon apparently intend to find out!

The BOOTLEG Philosopher

Editor's note: The Bootleg Philosopher is off on another one of his odd side trips, his letter this week reveals.

Dear editor:
The other day I was readin about a trip Mrs. Eisenhower took to the White House, to sort of look the place over and get some idea of what her new home is gonna be like, and after she'd inspected the place, looked at all the new decorations, modern conveniences, brand new kitchen air conditioning, etc., which cost six million dollars and took two years to complete, the group was gain down a long hallway and noticed a rat scurryin along, and the report pointed out in his article that the White House like other houses was bothered occasionally with mice.

You mean to tell me with six million dollars to spend on a house modern science still ain't able to build it no proof? We sure could have saved some money. My house out here ain't rat-proof, but it sure didn't cost six million.

It looks like this country's scientists are good at takin a couple of billion dollars and comin up with a bein which is pretty good at eliminatin people, but there ain't one of em capabable of out-smartin mice. We may be able to build an airplane that'll fly 1,000 miles an hour, but you get where you're gain at that speed it's just as likel the mosquitoes will be as bad as they were at the place you took off from. There are some people who say I'm able to sit at home here in Texas and not only hear but the President of the United States bein inaugurated in Washington is so fantastic it's almost unbelievable, but it's near as fantastic to me as the fact the President after gets inaugurated on television then moves into a six-million dollar house with mice. Television is a wonderful thing, swattin at a fly buzzin around your head while you're lookin at television ain't a whole lot of improvement over swattin at one while you're lookin at crude drawings on the wall of a cave.

I don't care how far out in space scientists slip or powerful a bomb they perfect, somebody has slipped a person we still got as many mice, flies and mosquitoes as when we had back in the days when the side with most broad axes won the war.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

I'll Never...

(Continued from page 4) there until we could ship." empty spot for our cows and stay For a while Frank Barber says he was just a tramp cowboy and he and his brother, Floyd, wandered from Texas to the Dakotas working from one ranch to another. Frank was a small man and could break young horses.

Years ago, when one cowboy would stop for the night with another cowboy, it was the custom for the visitor to do up the outside work while his host would get breakfast. Such was the case one time with Frank who was visiting George Abbot in Castro County. Mr. Abbot was at the back door and called to Frank to help an old cow up. He had just received a shipment of Old Mexico cattle, known as Chihuahua cattle, and they were weak from travel. Frank went to help the cow up. He took hold of her tail and up she come and wheeled on him and gave him a real run for the money to see who could make it to the gate first. Frank did, he says, but by the skin of his teeth, which has always been a joke on Frank ever since, as far as George Abbot is concerned.

Frank quit ranching to go to Dimmitt as postmaster. In 1917, he came to Hereford as assistant postmaster. He remembers that there were around 1,000 people in Hereford at that time.

Later he went to Floyd County to an insurance office and then became insurance special agent and adjuster in 1922. He stayed with that job until he became tired of traveling and he came back to Hereford for a while to be with his family all the time.

In 1939, the children went to Lubbock to school and Frank claims that Mrs. Barber walked the fence and bawled until he had to move her to Lubbock... 'course he didn't miss the kids at all.

They managed to get back to Hereford about 1945 and have been here ever since.

DOCTOR OF THE YEAR... Dr. John M. Travis of Jacksonville, Tex., (right) receives a gold medal and citation as Family Doctor of 1952 at a general meeting of the American Medical Association in Denver, Colo. Dr. Travis was selected from among various state winners. The medal was presented by Dr. Archer Sudan of Grand Junction, Colo., (left) first winner of the general practitioner award in 1947. (AP Photo)

EASTER NEWS

Wrapping Hints Topic Of Club Meeting Dec. 4

By Mrs. L. E. Stone.

L. Dee and Larry Taylor spent Thanksgiving weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Glenn spent Thanksgiving with Mr. Glenn's parents, also with Mrs. Glenn's mother and the M. B. Glenn's from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brooks visited Tuesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. LaPlant.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Epperson visited Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Smith Tuesday in Hereford.

Mrs. C. M. Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. G. H. LaPlant Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ham and boys spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Glover in Happy.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Simpson from Los Alamos, N. M., were visitors in Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Godfrey's home during Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin LaPlant went to Oklahoma during Thanksgiving, visiting her folks and visiting at Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Ethel Farmer of Lomita, Calif., is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. E. Stone and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Markey visited with the Charlie Noland family Sunday afternoon.

Shirley Markley started working in the PMA office in Dimmitt December 3.

Club held a call meeting at the school house Dec. 4, with Gladys Flood as hostess with 14 members present. Roll Call was answered with gift wrapping hints. Discussion was on the Christmas Party to be held Dec. 23 at the school house.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wortham visited in Lamesa and Big Springs Wednesday night and Thursday.

Child Study Club Group Has Guest Night Program Here

As a Christmas courtesy to special guests, members of the Child Study Club held its annual guest-night program in the home of Mrs. Lawrence McGee Thursday night. Mrs. J. W. Witherspoon and Mrs. H. A. Cavness were co-hostesses.

The program, designed as a special entertainment for guests, consisted of a book review given by Mrs. Nolie Elliston. She gave a summary of the true story "My Wild Irish Rogues" by Vivian Hallinam.

The story deals with a lawyer in California who takes cases everyone else rejects and incidents in the life of the family of six boys.


Special guests were Mesdames; Corinne Jennings, J. B. Noland, Mrs. W. L. Jones, Mrs. Vivian Major and Mrs. Nell Culppepper were in Tulsa Thursday night to attend a meeting of the Order of Eastern Star honoring the worthy grand matron of the O. E. S. of the state of Texas, Mrs. Mildred Garlick of Fort Worth, who made an official visit in this area.

A Pennsylvania department store has set up a fashion show on wheels: A special bus equipped with dressing rooms, alteration and show rooms, travels throughout dozens of small communities.

The National Turkey Federation Convention will be held in Dallas from January 6-8, 1953. Every phase of the turkey industry will be discussed in the educational meetings and represented in the exhibits. Dressed and live turkey shows will be a feature.

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If you need directions for canning fruit cake to send men in the armed forces, let me know. We have copies in our office of standard recipes and the canning directions.

The Board of Directors for the Texas Home Demonstration Association is having its annual winter meeting at the Baker Hotel in Dallas. Mrs. B. M. Harris, Hale County is president.

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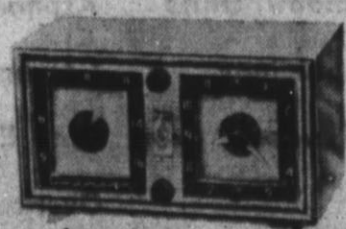
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Streu's Diary

December 12, 1952

DEAR DIARY:

Everyone has treated me gently this past week. Which shows that it pays to sing the blues upon occasion. No fooling, there are times when it just doesn't seem to be worth the effort to inhale and exhale. But not this week! No sir, this week everything is rosy.

Received a shipment of the finest television sets in the world—RCA Victor. With the famous Golden Throat Tone System—the Magic Monitor—which screens out static—automatically, and many, many other outstanding features, RCA Victor guarantees that the lowest priced model of their Super Sets will out-perform the highest priced model of any other line—and those old boys know just what they are saying and why. Come around and I'll give you the low-down on just why.

Of course, we have plenty of "45" players and records—westerns, pops, classic, children, and Christmas records. Also several table model radios, three way portables, consoles (on which we have a very attractive proposition), clock radios, bed radios, and others—most all of these fine instruments are, of course, RCA VICTOR.

We have rather consistently forgotten to mention Christmas suggestions for the Man of the House—now, we have not forgotten him in our gift buying, and offer the following suggestions—

STREU

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FOIBLES

Fancy and Plain

By Kent Snare

We're going to have, as per this column earlier, a 1953 re-run of the 1951 Texas-Tennessee clash in the Cotton Bowl. . . . It is my concept, that now as then, Texas has the better manpower, but then as perhaps it may be on January 1 in '53, condition and a less complex offensive system, surpassed the superior material. . . . Man for man, I'll take Texas, then and now. . . . But it is much more difficult to retain the delicate timing of the Split T over a 33 day inactive span, than it is to keep the touch of the single wing which is employed by Ney-

land and cohorts. . . . Before I wander further, mayhap you would tolerate a listing of the regular 1952 season's results of the two club:

Texas	
35 LSU	14
28 North Carolina	7
3 Notre Dame	14
20 Oklahoma	49
44 Arkansas	7
20 Rice	14
31 SMU	14
35 Baylor	33
14 TCU	7
32 Texas A & M	12

Tennessee	
14 Miss. State	7
0 Duke	7
26 Chattanooga	6
20 Alabama	0
50 Wofford	0
41 North Carolina	14
22 LSU	3
26 Florida	12
14 Kentucky	14
46 Vanderbilt	0

They have had two common foes with the statistics about static on the two weak sisters. Texas swept the SWC after drops to two of the best clubs in the US and A, Notre Dame and Oklahoma. . . . Incidentally, the Sooner players rated the Steers, whom they defeated, over the Irish, who beat them. . . . I got a

huckle from an eyeball witness of the Okie-Texas game, who was giving me a firsthand rundown of the wizardry of Eddie Crowder, the T magician of the Sooners, to wit: That not only did the Texas teamies lose track of the pig-hide when Mr. Crowder was making with the motions, but that 70,000 spectators didn't know its exact whereabouts. . . . To me those two toughies made the Texas as club, who outside of the seasonally allowable bad game, that with Baylor, were very tough indeed, sweeping the SWC without a demerit agin 'em. . . . Tennessee did not win their conference, the Kaintuck tie obviating them from consideration, with the title going to the Wrecks from Atlanta. . . . The Vols, on the rebuild, had a hand picked schedule, which rebuffed them in spots, even with Chattanooga and Wofford on it they did not amiss any point total that would merit mention. Their best game, in fact, their only outstanding game, was the 20-0 win over 'Bama. . . . Their pick for tailback, Pat Shires was a definite disappointment and they got the most mileage out of a third stringer, Pat Oleksiak, who may have reached the poised perfection that the General demands. . . . A vivid memory remains of Lauricella, deftly and calmly, directing a 70 yard tour of the terrain in their last Cotton Bowl outing, picking and choosing where to run, and where and

when the blockers, who were omnipresent, were to function, and did. . . . I recall Bill Rives' comment on the day following the '51 tussle, it went largely: People, there's nothin' to this game of football, "jes blockin' and tacklin'" and that did tell the tale. . . . The Neylands are always well versed in the fundamentals, they bounce you more than somewhat and if en you commit and skulkers, there they be to avall themselves immediate. . . . I am not a devotee of limb teetering but I am going out on one and pick the Texans, thinking that they will be able to achieve their timing maximum and fling it front face at the Vols, which they needs must do in order to prevail. . . . You can rely on a steady, well conditioned, perfectly poised Tennessee team which has lots of offensive and defensive line power but which is definitely undermanned in the backfield, especially if Andy Kozar isn't in there to meticulously time that Buck Lateral series. . . . The Pennsylvania hard-rock has a fracture pelvis and they were removing the cast today, hoping that he will be bale to saddle and ride come January one. . . . I note that Bob Neyland is listed about fifth among the righthalfbacks on the Vols, not much favoritism showing from that sector. . . . more. . . anon. . . .



REWARD FOR CROWS. . .As part of a crow-eradication drive, the agriculture committee of the Belton, Tex., Chamber of Commerce, released several bounty crows worth money to the hunter who bagged one. The crow being released here carried a tag worth \$25. Nelson Handler, former president of the Texas Pecan Growers' Association, releases the crow while Joe Chance and Jarrett Coppin of the Bell Company Sportsman's club pose with guns ready. (AP Photo)

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Wednesday	Hamburger Patties . . . Buns Sliced Tomatoes . . . Lettuce
Thursday	Onions . . . Pickles . . . Mustard Peach Halves . . . Milk Prune Cookies Baked Turkey Dressing . . . Giblet Gravy Fruit Salad
Friday	Oven Fried Fillets . . . Lemons Buttered Green Beans Pineapple with Cheese Bread . . . Butter . . . Milk Christmas Candy

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Owen left Wednesday for a vacation to Abilene, Galveston, San Antonio and Austin. They plan to attend a wedding Christmas at Galveston.

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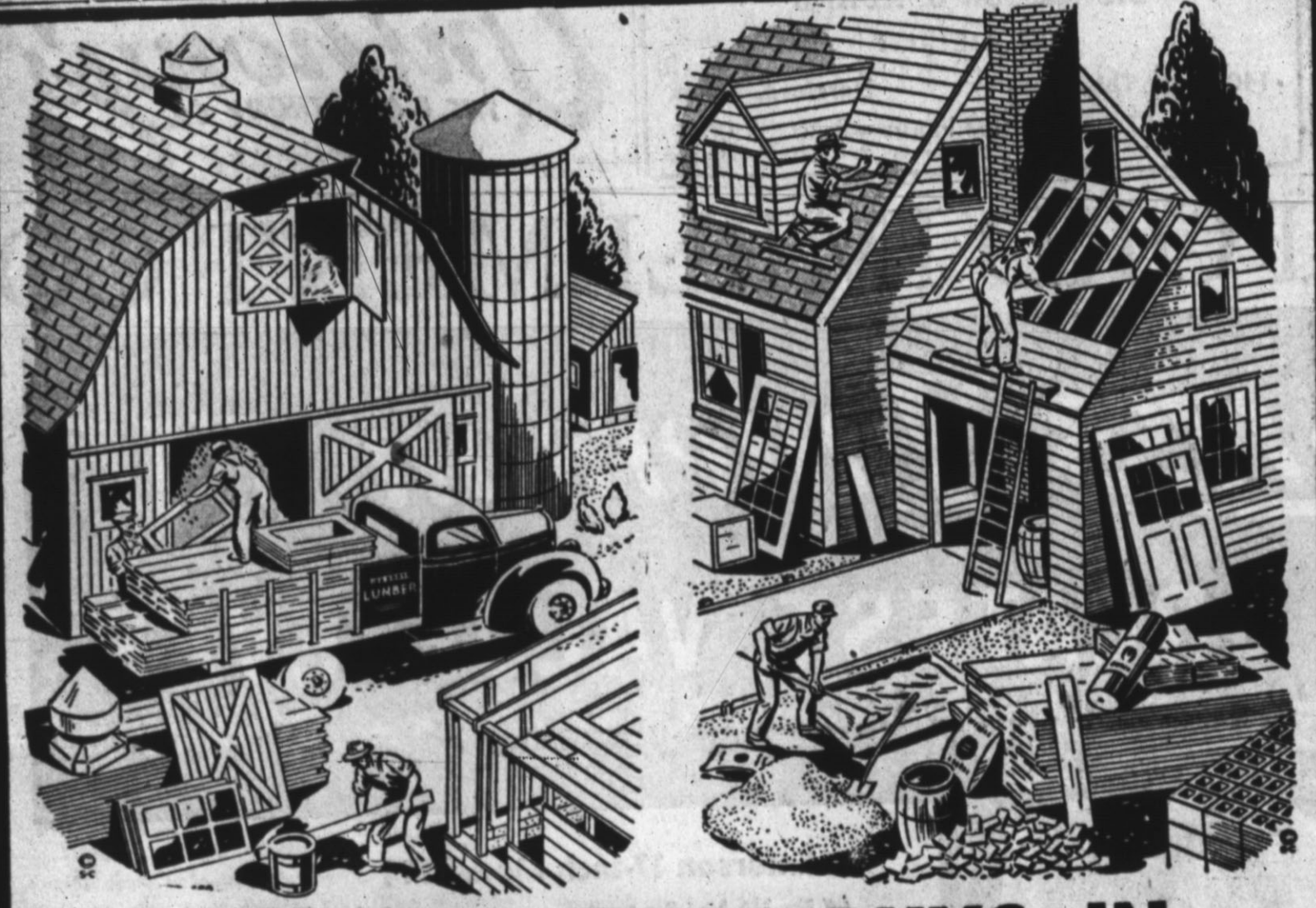
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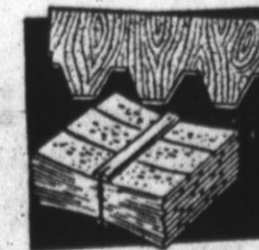
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