

YULE SEASON HELPS TO KEEP KIDS AT HOME

The Christmas season evidently fills juveniles with love for home and family or at least they don't run away.

Or if they do, they aren't caught in Big Spring. Until the juvenile officer picked up a girl Monday, there hadn't been any runaways since two girls were picked up here Dec. 3.

One of the reasons for no runaways lately, A. E. Long, juvenile officer, said, is that the schools are closing down for the holidays. And the main reason for leaving home is to get out of going to school, he added.

But they usually start taking off soon after receiving their Christmas gifts and the school term begins again.

The first runaway of this year was apprehended the first day of the year. And the same one who ran away and was caught the first of the year is one of the two girls picked up Dec. 3.

Sophomore Hi-Y To Make Collections

Again this year, the Sophomore Hi-Y club will collect Christmas toys, clothes, and food to give to needy groups. The collection will be made Thursday.

Anyone desiring to give any articles to the Club should leave the items on their doorstep and they will be picked up by the Hi-Y members.

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Ex-Red Prisoner Blames Breakdown On Malnutrition

HOUSTON (AP)—Dilmus Kanady, apparently completely recovered after 11 weeks of intensive medical treatment, said his breakdown after release by the Communists was due to malnutrition and continuous Red pressure.

The 36-year-old former Shanghai representative of E. T. Robertson & Sons of Boston, cotton controllers, was arrested by the Reds in 1951 and vaguely charged with black marketing, espionage and sabotage. He was released a walking skeleton this fall.

Talking to newsmen here after being discharged from Methodist Hospital, which he entered on the verge of a complete breakdown Oct. 3, Kanady looked in perfect health and talked calmly and at times even humorously of the almost five years he spent in a 7-foot long cell.

He weighs his normal 195 pounds, a gain of 61 pounds since he was hospitalized.

Kanady said the Reds' long sessions of futile interrogation ended with returning him to his "bed" where his only activity "was reading that blinking Communist propaganda. You just read it and laughed—it had some use that way."

Describing the utter monotony of prison life, Kanady said "They gave me paper and a pencil to write out my 'confession,' and I saved some of it and tried to keep a diary. I gave it up in a hurry. There was nothing to write about."

Kanady said his present plans call for at least a month of rest here with relatives.

Tuberculosis is caused by a germ the tubercle bacillus, identified in 1882 by a German scientist, Robert Koch.

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Shivers Again Underlines His 'Wait-And-See' Demo Position

By DAVE CHEAVENS
AUSTIN (AP)—Gov. Allan Shivers has once more underlined his "wait and see" position before saying flatly whether he will support the Democratic presidential nominee in 1956.

But he said he wanted to "repeat and underline" his hope that the party could find a moderate candidate, and his willingness to "support, work for and vote for" such Democratic nominee.

Shivers, who rejected Adlai Stevenson in favor of Dwight D. Eisenhower in 1952, said again that he could never support Stevenson. He said at a news conference yesterday that Stevenson was "the ultimate" among Democrats who have "sought to impose their own

ideas of the party" rather than advocate its traditional beliefs.

Shivers said that the Americans for Democratic Action type of leadership that has risen in the last 20 years has sought to "misuse, misdirect, exploit and abuse" the party, that they are "interlopers" seeking to send it down the wrong track.

Shivers heads one faction of Texas Democrats seeking to win control of the state's 56 national convention delegates. He is opposed by the faction that supported Stevenson in 1952 and which has accused Shivers of party disloyalty. Shivers yesterday rejected the charge, saying he had been loyal to the party's basic philosophy. The Texas governor mentioned

several prospective Democratic nominees in addition to Stevenson, emphasizing that he was not now saying whether he would support or oppose them.

They were Gov. Averell Harriman of New York; Lyndon B. Johnson (D-Tex); Sen. Estes Kefauver (D-Tenn); Gov. Frank Lausche of Ohio; Gov. Robert Meyner of New Jersey.

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Death Penalty Is Urged For Convicted Killer

PRINCETON, Ind. (AP) — The death penalty was recommended last night by a jury which convicted Leslie Irvin, 31, described by the state as a "mad dog killer," for the slaying of one of six persons he is accused of killing.

The Gibson Circuit Court jury of 12 men deliberated 90 minutes before convicting Irvin of murder in the slaying of Wesley W. Kerr, 29, an Evansville, Ind., service station operator, in a robbery Dec. 23, 1954. Sentence was delayed by Judge A. Dale Eby pending filing of appeals by defense attorneys.

Irvin maintained outward calm when the verdict was read. His only gesture was to reach over and pat the hands of his mother, Mrs. Alice Irvin of Evansville, who broke into violent sobbing.

In the packed courtroom was Mrs. Goebel Duncan, survivor of a triple slaying also charged to Irvin. Goebel Duncan, 51; their son, Raymond, 21, and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Duncan, 19, were shot and killed at the Duncan farm near Henderson, Ky., March 21.

Mrs. Duncan, shot by the assailant, survived but was blinded by a bullet wound in the head.

Irvin also was indicted for the killing of Mrs. Mary Holland, 36, in an Evansville liquor store Dec. 2, 1954, and Mrs. Wilhelmina Saller, 47, at her home near Mount Vernon, Ind., March 21.

The trial, which began Nov. 11, was brought here on a change of venue from Vanderburgh Circuit Court at Evansville. More than 500 persons were examined in the four weeks required to seat a jury. Most of them were excused because they said they had formed opinions in the case.

Paint Job Suit

CLEVELAND (AP)—Mrs. Loretta Giarrizzo, 70, filed a \$25,000 damage suit against house painter Stanley Gonstor, yesterday, charging that he painted her garage green when she criticized his work on her garage.

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Yule Amnesty Asked For U. S. Communists

NEW YORK (AP)—Forty-two persons, including Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, have petitioned President Eisenhower to grant a "Christmas amnesty" to Communist party leaders jailed under the Smith Act.

The petition stressed that the signers were "in fundamental disagreement with the philosophy of the Communist party and with essential elements of its program." It added that the motive for their appeal was "their attachment to the democratic way of life."

The petition, made public yesterday, asked that sentences of 16 jailed Communists be commuted to time already served. They were sent to prison after being convicted of teaching or advocating forcible overthrow of the government.

The petition said the trials "were carried through in a period of the 'cold war' and in an atmosphere often marked by hysteria."

It also sought postponement of more than 100 similar cases now pending or under appeal.

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Merle Miles, et al, to Louis G. Stumm, the west half of Section 91, Block 22, Tomahawk School, TSP Survey.

NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS
Eugene F. White, Lubbock, Ford, H. D. Noel, 1956, 8-120, Chrysler, Juan Tejar, Big Spring, Plymouth, Glenn A. Hall, Webb AFB, Ford, Herbert Walker, Webb AFB, Buick, Shroyer Motor Co., Big Spring, Oldsmobile, Lester Shroyer, Big Spring, Oldsmobile, Hines J. Davis, Oldsmobile, 1955, 8-120, Buick.

FILED IN 1955 DISTRICT COURT
Carroll K. Graham vs. Dulah Lee Graham, suit for divorce.

Reaction Varied At Eden Cabinet Change

LONDON (AP) — Prime Minister Eden announced a wholesale reshuffle of his government today but British newspapers gave the changes a mixed reception.

Eden put seven Cabinet portfolios into new hands, raised one department to Cabinet rank and dropped another from the inner fold.

Nine of Sir Anthony's innermost official family stayed where they were and actually only three new men joined the Cabinet. Even some Conservative papers expressed doubts and Laborites—naturally—jeered at what they interpreted as a game of political chairs.

These were the most important changes:

1. Richard A. "Rab" Butler went from chancellor of the exchequer to government leader of the House of Commons. In effect he becomes deputy Prime Minister, the post for which he has been slated ever since the general election last May.
2. Foreign Minister Harold Macmillan succeeded Butler at the Treasury.
3. Defense Minister Selwyn Lloyd takes over the Foreign Office from Macmillan, and Sir Walter Monckton—who has been Labor minister—succeeded Lloyd in the Defense post.
4. The Works Ministry was raised to Cabinet status and Patrick Buchan-Hepburn, chief Conservative floor leader in Commons, was named minister to replace Nigel Birch. The Ministry of Pensions was dropped from the Cabinet.

Those removed from the Cabinet—generally men above 50—either went to the House of Lords or to higher titles if they already had peerages.

The shakeup was Eden's answer to increasingly shrill criticism—spearheaded by the Labor opposition—of inflation on the home front and failure to cope with stepped-up Communist pressure abroad.

The United States and other British allies were mainly interested in Macmillan's replacement by Lloyd at the Foreign office.

After serving as foreign secretary for eight months, Macmillan

was under considerable fire even from many Conservatives. His critics accused him particularly of indecisiveness toward the growing crisis in the Middle East, where the Communists are making an all-out bid to muscle in on the diplomatic and economic fronts.

Lloyd, 51 years old to Macmillan's 61, used to needle the Russians with wit and effectiveness when he was second in command at the Foreign Office several years ago and is expected to bring considerable color to a normally staid job.

U.S. Officials in Washington were confident that the switch from Macmillan would bring no change in British foreign policy.

The Daily Herald, champion of the Labor opposition, termed the government the same "mixture as before" and added: "It is as inadequate for the times as were the governments of (Stanley) Baldwin and (Neville) Chamberlain, and it is a true Tory descendant of them both."

The Conservative Daily Mail commented somewhat skeptically: "We can all only hope that the new team imparts to the government a drive and a decision now lacking."

The Conservative Daily Sketch said the widespread shifts may "startle Parliament" but that the changes "will go far to strengthen the government."

Lord Beaverbrook's Independent but pro-Conservative Daily Express was displeased with Butler's removal as the government's economic chief.

The influential, Conservative Financial Times said that Macmillan "will have to maintain for himself the foreign confidence which Mr. Butler has established." It declared that the new chancellor's "task is a difficult one."

In addition to Butler, Macmillan, Lloyd, and Monckton, the new Cabinet appointments were Iain Macleod, former health minister, (a sub-Cabinet post), who was raised to Labor minister, and the Earl of Selkirk, who replaced Viscount Woolton—72-year-old former head of the Conservative party organization—in the catch-all post of Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster.

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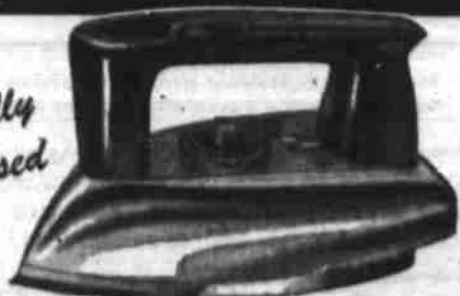
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Chief Justice's Daughter Weds

Dorothy Warren, 24, daughter of Chief Justice and Mrs. Earl Warren, gets a kiss from her father and her new bridegroom, Dr. Carmine E. Clemente, 27, after they were married in the picturesque Wayfarers Chapel at Portuguese Bend near Los Angeles, Calif. Dr. Clemente is a professor of anatomy at the UCLA medical center. After a honeymoon in Acapulco, Mexico, they will make their home in West Hollywood, Calif.

Mrs. Norris' Rites Slated At Lamesa

LAMESA — Final rites for Mrs. Willie Gertrude Norris, 62, retired hotel operator, were to be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the First Methodist Church with the Rev. J. Lloyd Mayhew, minister, officiating.

No New Leads In Station Robbery

The bandits who took \$197 from the Chevron Service Station at Birdwell and East Fourth were still at large today. Police said no new leads had turned up.

Alert Aired For Missing Youth

Police were broadcasting an alert throughout the area this morning for 21-year-old Bobby Jannaman, a former employe of Marvin Wise, 1605 Owens.

Three Mishaps In Tuesday Traffic

Three minor traffic accidents were reported to police Tuesday. Henry Paige, 1004 N. Gregg, and Jewell Nipp, 1202 Main, were in collision at Main and Eighteenth.

Viscosimeter Found In Lake

Anybody missing a viscosimeter? Frank Bardsiefer, 705 W. 15th, "caught" one in the Moss Creek Lake the other day.

DeMolay Official Makes Visit To Local Chapter

Maurice Lamphere, Lamesa, district deputy to the active member in Texas of the International Supreme Council of the Order of DeMolay, made an official visit here Tuesday night. He met with the Leon P. Moffet chapter at the Masonic Lodge (No. 1360) Hall at 21st and Lancaster.

Christmas Mail Volume Declines

The number of Christmas cards and letters mailed here declined considerably Tuesday, but the volume of parcels stayed at the record level of about 1,200.

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North Koreans To Fire On Planes Violating Truce Line

TOKYO (AP)—The Communist North Korean radio served notice today it will fire on any United Nations planes which stray over the truce line.

The radio quoted from a Communist statement at yesterday's Military Armistice Commission meeting at Panmunjom.

At the meeting, the U.N. Command charged the Communist with "indiscriminate" antiaircraft firing at an unarmed Allied helicopter north of Panmunjom Dec. 7.

The Communists brushed aside the protest, the radio said.

The U.N. Command said the

helicopter pilot had lost his bearings. The command said three fliers have been killed by the Reds in the last year when they inadvertently flew over Communist territory.

Cub Scouts Present Gifts To Mothers

Cub Scouts of Den 2, Pack 138, presented gifts they had made to their mothers Tuesday.

They also exchanged gifts and played games at a meeting in the home of Stanley Lewis, 1100 E. 18th. About 15 were present.

Chance To Make Another Movie

TOKYO, Tuesday (AP)—The movie scene called for the burning of an 18th Century Japanese village. It went off as scheduled.

"Cut," said the director, satisfied.

But the fire blazed on. Three fire trucks and 70 firemen—not in the script—put it out.

Santa Claus Figure Taken From Store

SAN DIEGO, Calif. (AP)—Santa Claus is missing.

The police report today said he was fully clothed and was in a green sleigh, drawn by five reindeer, when last seen.

That was when he was placed on a liquor store roof.

He was gone a few hours later. His value was given as \$80.

National Safety Council Sees 560 Holiday Deaths

CHICAGO (AP)—The National Safety Council today estimated 560 Americans will be killed in traffic accidents during the long Christmas holiday period. That number of deaths would set a new record.

The holiday period will begin at 6 p.m. (local time) Friday and end at midnight Monday.

Associated Press files show that the traffic death record for any holiday period — 536 — was set during the four-day Christmas holiday in 1952.

The council's figures show that Dec. 24 usually is the most deadly day of the year because of Christmas Eve festivities and heavy travel to family gatherings.

But the council also said the risk will be great on the afternoon

and evening of Friday, the 23rd, when many motorists will take off on trips.

DA Files Request For Extradition

District Attorney Guilford Jones has requested Gov. Allan Shivers to ask the return of C. G. Collins to Texas from Neosho, Mo.

Collins is charged with theft of \$300 from Paul Liner. A hearing is scheduled Thursday in Neosho on a fugitive complaint lodged in connection with the Big Springs charge. Gov. Shivers is expected to request the issuance of an extradition warrant against Collins by the Missouri governor.

Children Enjoy Mice-Capades

LOS ANGELES (AP)—A high producing "mouse factory" has turned out millions of rodents in the neighborhood of Encino, in the San Fernando Valley, but the Los Angeles Health Department has them marked for the gas chamber.

Scores of householders complained to the department that there had been a sudden mouse invasion of their property. Investigators said they found "millions of mice, living beneath chicken pens" on property formerly used as a poultry ranch on Ventura Blvd.

The rodents were scampering the boulevard and youngsters were having a field day catching them. One, an 8-year-old girl, had three mice tucked away in her purse for safekeeping.

Missionaries Leave By Air Force Plane For Manila

HONG KONG (AP)—Dr. and Mrs. Homer V. Bradshaw left by U.S. Air Force hospital plane today for Manila. After nearly five years in Communist captivity, both are suffering from acute malnutrition and Mrs. Bradshaw has had a mental breakdown.

The couple, both in their early 50's and Presbyterian medical missionaries in China since 1928, were helped across the Hong Kong border yesterday.

Weighing only about 80 pounds, the woman was incoherent and stared blankly at Red Cross, British and American officials who received them at the border. Her husband said she could not realize that she had been freed.

Crew members had to half lift both Dr. and Mrs. Bradshaw into

the plane.

The couple will be given a thorough medical examination in the Philippines. Dr. Bradshaw said he plans to take his wife to her father's farm near Pittsburgh, Pa., to recuperate.

Dr. Bradshaw said after his arrival the Reds did not tell him he was charged with espionage until last October. He denied the charges.

Woman Follows Mate In Heart Attack Death

PORTSMOUTH, Ohio (AP)—Mrs. Helen Rowe Cooper, 58, died yesterday of heart attack. Her husband, Maurice, 59, died the day before of a heart attack.



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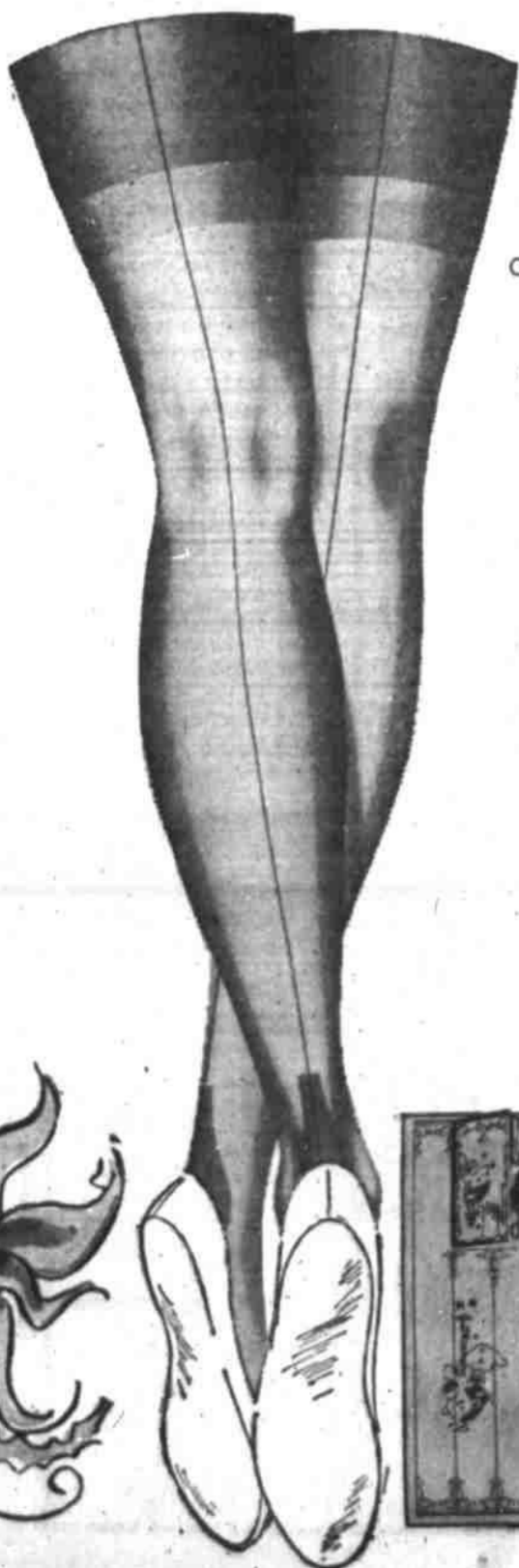


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Hanes Hosiery ... without a seam in sight. Reinforced heel and toe, **1.50** pair; sheer heel, demi-toe, **1.65** pair; and sandalfoot sheer, **1.95** pair.

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Sapphire Nylons in two colors of sheer beauty ... 66 gauge 15 denier nylons ... in a specially designed Christmas gift box (sketched). Box of three pairs, **5.85**.



Gift Suggestions for the Girl Scouts and Brownie Girl Scouts

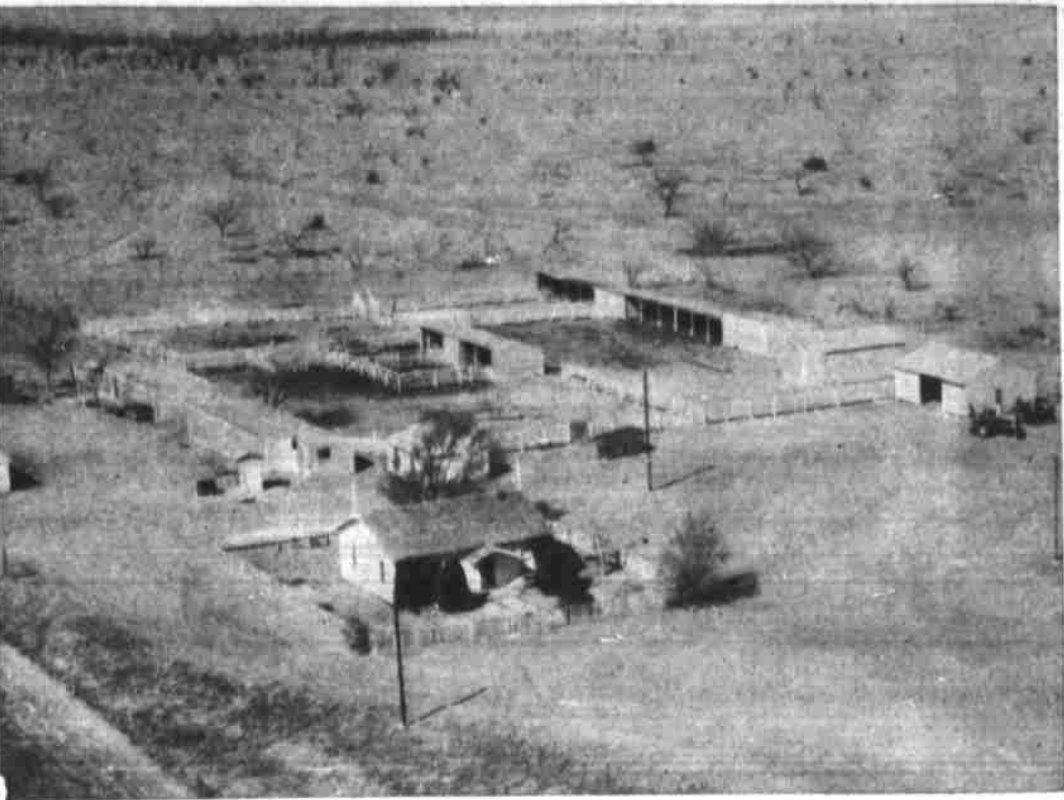
to be found in our Girl Scout Department now in the Ready-to-Wear.

Brownie Uniform	3.50	Girl Scout Uniform	5.95
Brownie Cap	.75	Girl Scout Cap	1.50
Brownie Belt	.50	Girl Scout Belt	.50
Brownie Socks	.50	Girl Scout Socks	.50



Girl Scout Knife	1.00
Girl Scout Camera	4.95
Girl Scout Mess Kit	2.75
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Corrals and outbuildings glisten in the sunlight

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Horace Garrett Place Has A Reputation For 'Brightness'

A good name for The Herald's last "mystery farm" would be "Silver Corral."

For Horace Garrett of Big Spring, owner of the place has had all the corrals, fences, as well as outbuildings, sprayed with a silver paint, making the farm headquarters just about the "brightest" in this area.

The house also is kept brightly painted. W. L. (Bill) Eggleston, who lives in the house and rents about 250 acres of cultivated land from Garrett, only recently gave his home a new coat of white.

The place is situated in the Fairview area north of Big Spring, just off the Vealmoor road. Garrett owns better than 1,000 acres there, with all but the acreage rented to Eggleston in rangeland.

Drought of the past few years has crippled the range, and Garrett now runs only a few head of sheep on the pastures. Crops, of course, have been hit by dry weather also.

Eggleston has lived on the place about seven years. He formerly operated another farm owned by Garrett.

The farm home is attractive and well kept, and is equipped with all modern conveniences including telephone, electricity, butane, etc.

"We try to keep the place in as good condition as possible," Garrett said.

outbuildings. There are stock sheds poultry houses and barns, in addition to the garage.

Garrett acquired the place from his father, the late W. J. Garrett, who purchased the farm in the 1930's. The 1,100-acre spread is a combination of several smaller farms which the Garretts purchased through the years.

The house occupied by Eggleston is one constructed by Horace Garrett and his father after the latter purchased the farm more than 15 years ago.

Garrett is hoping for some drought-breaking rains this winter and spring, to revive pastures and enable him to get more stock on the ranges.

Gov. Shivers Urges Poll Tax Payment

AUSTIN (AP)—Don't fail to pay your poll tax, Gov. Shivers has urged Texans. He set aside Jan. 16-21 as "pay your poll tax week."

Lethargy, indifference and neglect are the "most formidable enemies of democracy," Shivers said in urging Texans to qualify as voters.

The League of Women Voters is pushing poll tax paying campaign for the Jan. 16-21 period. The deadline is Jan. 31.

On A Holiday Jag? Let The Cops Drive You Home

The police Department will again furnish free rides to persons during the holidays who have, perhaps, overindulged at a party.

Chief E. W. York said the patrol cars would be available for any person who feels he is in no condition to drive himself home. Just call the police department, 4-4311, and request a ride.

This safety measure was initiated by York last year to cut down the number of persons driving

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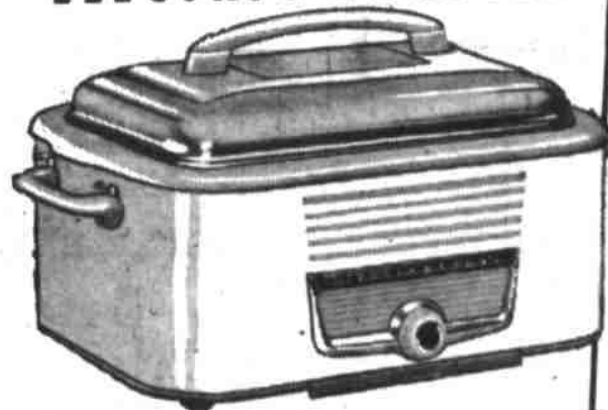
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'Christmas Spirit' Candle Is Growing

A large red candle burned in the First Methodist Church for the first time in almost a year, but since it was extinguished in 1954, it had gained almost three pounds.

The candle — the church's special "Christmas spirit" candle — was lighted in the church service Sunday morning during a special ceremony and will burn through Christmas Day.

Dr. Jordan Grooms, pastor of the church, devised the idea last year, desiring to start a tradition. And the candle was the result. It was made from pieces of wedding, birthday, Christmas, and other special candles of members — just any candle having a special significance to some church member.

The candle was molded and weighed approximately 47 pounds. It burned over a week at that time and the idea of letting it burn through Christmas every year was started.

This season, the huge red candle was slightly reworked and was re-

decorated. Last year, it was covered with stars. Today it is decorated with silver and red ornaments.

Prior to bringing the candle into the program this year, about three more pounds of wax were added to the candle and the center was bored out about half way down and a new wick was inserted. The bigger wick casts a larger flame than was visible last year.

The weight is approximately 50 pounds and the candle is nine inches across the top.

It measures 29 inches in height. Since the candle is lighted in the Sunday morning service by a group of college students from the church, it has burned down about four inches.

The candle was reworked this year by Mrs. Jeff Walker and Mrs. V. E. Jones.

What to do for 'TV Stomach'

(Acid indigestion caused by late-hour "snacks")



If you like to "nibble" and drink while watching TV, look out! Don't overdo it! Too often it may lead to acid stomach and hours of night-time tossing. But not if you take 2 Tums as a "nightcap" whenever distress occurs. Tums neutralize excess acid fast! You sleep better—feel fresher. Always keep Tums handy to counteract gas. So economical—only 10¢ a roll! 3-roll pkg. 25¢



Merry Christmas, Mary Christmas

LAWRENCEVILLE, Ill. (AP)—With the approach of Christmas, a Lawrenceville high school teacher gets more than her usual number of greetings.

She is Mary Christmas, a business instructor at the high school for the last three years.

The more than 100 students attending her five classes greet her this week as "Mary Christmas," not Miss Christmas.

Miss Christmas, 36, said she was named after her grandmothers, Grace and Mary. "Mary just happened to come first," she said.

Glassy-Eyed Stare For Santa Claus

CHICAGO (AP)—A 3-year-old girl, enchanted by the glistening ornaments on the newly decorated Christmas tree in her home last night, plucked one off a branch and tried to eat it.

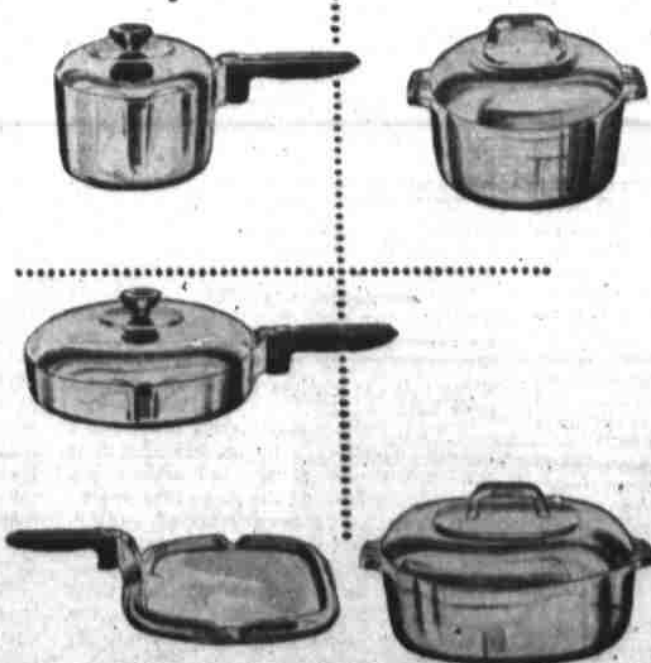
The little girl Dorothy Zadravetz, selected a large green ornament and was munching it when her mother, Elizabeth, 25, entered the room.

She was taken to a hospital by police. After the broken glass was removed, she was treated for scratches in her throat and taken home.

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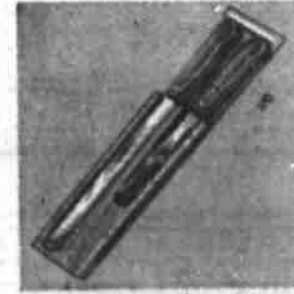
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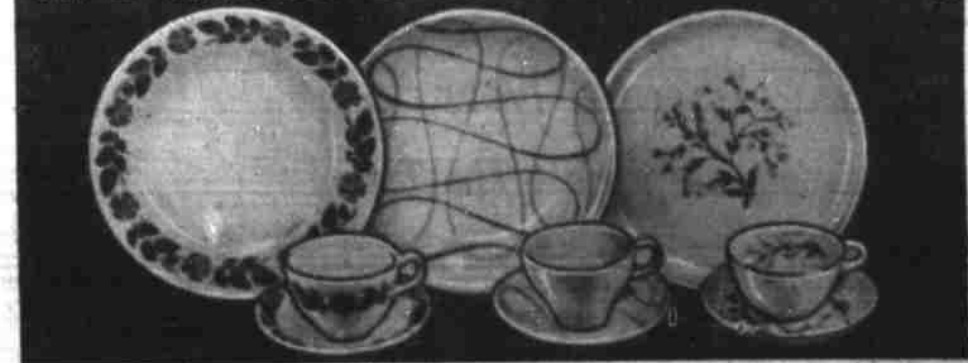


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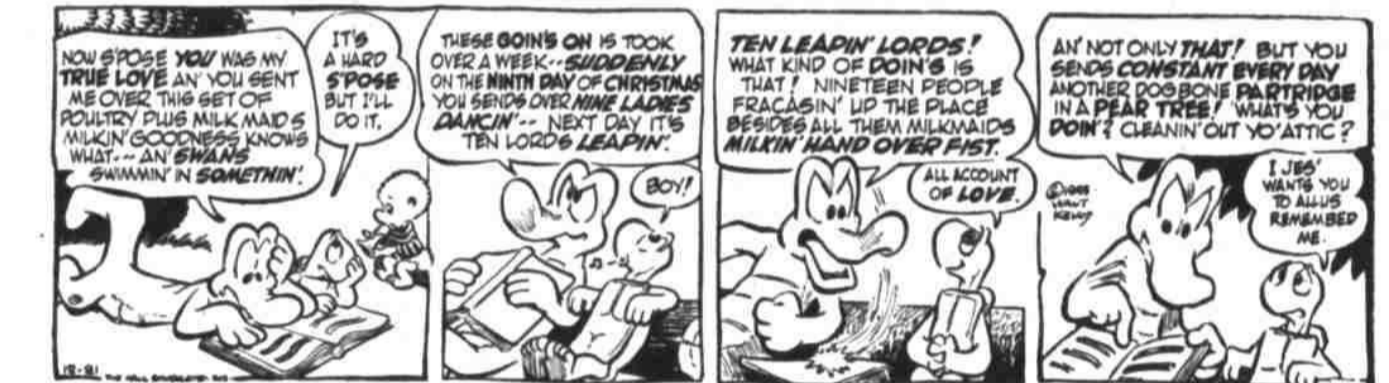


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Don't Exchange Holly For Funeral Wreath

"Let's not have a single home in Big Spring exchange their Christmas holiday for a funeral wreath," George Oldham, executive secretary of the Citizen's Traffic Commission, said.

Oldham was talking about the holiday traffic problem. There are more people killed in traffic accidents on Christmas Day than on any other day of the year, he said.

Traffic safety is a two-way business, Oldham pointed out. It calls for cooperation between walker and driver. A dangerous malady, "holiday," contributes to making December "deadly."

Drivers should watch carefully for pedestrian shoppers. They sometimes carry too many packages to watch where they are walking and are apt to step into the street without looking.

The statistical division of the Department of Public Safety has predicted 112 deaths this year in Texas due to traffic. That is an average of about 10 deaths per day for the 11-day holiday season from Christmas to New Year.

In December 1953, 3,920 persons died in motor vehicle accidents, Oldham said. In 1954, the deadly month had 3,570 persons killed. The space for this year is still a blank, Oldham pointed out, and the figure could just as easily be left that way after the holidays.

A sharp reduction would be a wonderful and positive contribution to the season's joy, he added.

Roads and streets are sometimes slippery and visibility is usually due to inclement weather this time of year. Crowded vehicular traffic and a large volume of pedestrian traffic tend to make December more hazardous.

Increase your vigilance, Oldham warned drivers. The CTC urges you to "drive with care, and not to crash the Christmas party."

Again this year, the Big Spring police department is offering a free ride home to any person who over-indulges at a party. Persons who feel they are not in condition to drive their car, may call the station at 4-311 and a police car will furnish a free ride home.

Chief of Police E. W. York said it was safer to take the persons home than to let them drive their car when they may not have all their faculties.

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Miss America Helps Church

GRAND ISLAND, Neb. (AP)—A check the Rev. R. R. Yelderman said was the biggest he had ever received from an individual for church construction was sent to the First Christian Church here by Miss America of 1956.

The sender was Sharon Kay Ritchie, a Grand Island girl now a college student in Denver.

The letter that came with the check yesterday said "from the time I was just a little girl, I have worshipped in this very church, and it was here that my Christian principles were molded. 'I am so grateful that other people saw fit to support this church so that little girls like me could learn about Jesus. Now I want to offer my contribution to be used for the building of the new church, where more and more young people can learn about Christ.'"

The pastor did not disclose the amount of the check.

Quake Hits Chile
SANTIAGO, Chile (AP)—Two heavy earth tremors rocked the coastal city of Constitución, about 150 miles south of Santiago, at 8:30 (EST) last night. No damage or injuries were reported.

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ASC Activities Are Outlined

A 24-page booklet has been prepared and printed by the Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation office covering the office's activities for the coming year.

All counties are required to prepare these booklets and send copies to the state office at College Station. Otherwise, the booklets are mainly for use of the ASC office, the county agent, the Farmer's Home Administrators, the soil conservation offices and like groups.

It was compiled with the cooperation of other agriculture agencies.

The booklet outlines the work of the ASC for 1956 and listing the government aids and assists on certain projects, such as conservation, cover crops, stock-watering tanks, terracing, erosion dams, and mesquite control.

Chamber's Worth Is Up To Members

CHADRON, Neb. (AP)—The Chadron Chamber of Commerce is going to let its members set their own value on their organization.

The Board of Directors yesterday asked each member to "rate himself" and "the organization" and pay 1956 dues on its own ratings.

Last Day For Turning In Toys For Needy Children

Today was the last day for turning in toys for repair to the fire station. All the boys in the Salvation Army-Fire Department "toy store" will be given to needy families Thursday.

Mrs. Dexter Breazeale said she had mailed out over 250 tickets for needy families to use in "buying" the toys. Parents will pick the toys they want their children to have and take them home for the children. In this manner, the parents act as Santa Claus to the children and not some impersonal agency or group.

The Salvation Army will also give out food baskets to needy families Saturday morning. Tickets for these baskets were also mailed out. Mrs. Breazeale said the families could pick up the baskets at 10 a.m.

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Police Issue 1,402 Tickets

The police department issued 1,402 tickets during November. There were 458 arrests made for various violations of law.

Drunkness was the most often cause for arrest, a total of 180 persons arrested on this charge. Traffic violations were second with 85. Other of the more numerous arrests were for vagrancy, 28; disturbance, 34; affray, 16; investigation of attempted murder, 10; driving while intoxicated, 10.

The corporation court docket shows fines assessed for a total of \$5,921.50. A total of \$4,333.50 was paid in fines, of which, \$994 was for parking tickets. Fines totaling \$2,118 were paid by the fined person "laying-it-out" in jail.

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