

Merry Christmas to All



JOLLY OLD SAINT NICK arrived in the twin-cities Saturday, and was greeted by several hundred youngsters, who were all invited to talk to the old gentleman and were given giant candy canes by members of the Theta Rho chapter of ESA, Santa

is sponsored each year by the organization. Treats were given out and Santa greeted the children at the Holiday parking lot in Farwell, after making his way through town on a fire truck.

Yule Celebration Christmas Eve At OL

All area persons are extended an invitation to attend the annual Oklahoma Lane Christmas Tree at 7:30 Christmas Eve night at the community center. On the program will be the Christmas story, with various members of the community

from all age groups taking part. Musical portion of the program will be furnished by the adult choirs from the Methodist and Baptist churches. Mrs. R. E. Blankenship will serve as narrator and director is Mrs. Dee Brown.

Also featured on the program will be Mesdames Troy Christian and Melvin Terry with a duet "O Holy Night."

Gifts may be brought to the program, and will be distributed by Santa Claus during the even-

ing. Treats will be given to everyone attending.

Chairman of the annual affair is Mrs. Sterlyn Donaldson, who extended a welcome to all to attend, and gave a special welcome to "old timers."

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SECTION 1

1961 Marks 45th Annual OL Community Christmas Tree

Oklahoma Lane's most colorful tradition, the annual Christmas tree, is still very much alive, as the community will hold its 45th annual celebration on the 24th of this month.

The Christmas tree has been traditional ever since 1916, and since there is no school now, alternates between the Baptist and Methodist church buildings. The affair draws about 300 persons annually, and is a real "homecoming" for Oklahoma Lagers.

The first community Christmas tree celebration was in the home of John Scribner, brother-in-law of Ed McGuire. The date was Decem-

ber 24, 1916. Because neighbors were scarce and communications slow, only four families were present. They were the families of John Scribner, Ed McGuire, Ben Bates and John Bates. The location of the celebration was the present farm of Mr. and Mrs. McGuire.

Old settlers do not recall a similar celebration in 1917, but a party of some sort was planned in 1918, but had to be cancelled when a flu epidemic and heavy snow storm kept families at home.

In 1919 the Christmas tree was in the old Knox school, located directly west of the present A. L. Tandy farm. This was the year, old settlers recall that a peach tree was used as the traditional Christmas cedar. Green crepe paper was tightly wound around the limbs and the effect was much the same as we have today in our modern trees. Decorations for the tree were homemade, strings of cranberries and popcorn added to the festive coloring.

The sacks of treats that were passed out that year were made of bright colored mosquito netting and were filled with store bought treats, purchased with money that had been made a few weeks earlier at the first community box supper.

The old Sunnyside school on the corner of the present Earl Routon farm was the scene for the 1920 Christmas tree. Another peach tree wrapped in green crepe paper was used. About 12 or 14 families were present. Among them were the George Magnesses, the Fosters, the McGuires and the Fosters.

The next year, 1921, was a year of progress. A real cedar tree was brought in from the breaks by Tom Foster, John Christian, Carol Fowler and the newly married Clyde Perkins. The celebration was at the location of the present Methodist church were the two little schools of Knox and Sunnyside had been consolidated. The school had only two teachers and P. A. Lee was the superintendent.

The year was significant also in that the date of the first Friday night in December was set as the official date for the annual box supper to raise funds for the purchase of Santa's sacks. This date remained the same down through the years in spite of basketball games, deaths in the community, and snow until the school house became the Methodist Church years later. Another big snow storm covered the high plains in 1922 and prevented a trip to the breaks, so the old peach tree covered with crepe paper was hauled out. Oklahoma Lane was still only a two-teacher school. The superintendent was N. C. Smith, rural mail carrier in this area until his retirement this year; and Miss Ann Foster was the other teacher. The little school was fast becoming over crowded so superintendent Smith took the overflow

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Boys Win Second; Girls Consolation

Always the bridesmaid, but never the bride could be the reaction of the boys and girls basketball teams of Farwell, who came out second best at the Silverton tournament over the weekend. The boys brought home a second place trophy, after being defeated by their arch rival, Kress, and the girls lost their first game, but bounced back to cop the consolation prize.

Leon Lovelace, who racked up 29 points against the host team in the second round of play, was named to the all-tournament team at the close of the competition.

The Steers met Memphis first, and got off to a slow start, hitting only five points the first quarter. But they began rolling and had a 21-17 lead at halftime, 38-29 at the end of third and won by a 56-40 count. Maurice Smith was high point man with 19 and Jerry Lovelace accounted for 16.

In the second round with Silverton, the boys repeated their first performance, trailing 5 points at the end of the first period. They took the lead in the second with score by quarters reading 27-23; 45-40; and 64-56.

The locals lost their rabbit's foot in the championship contest against Kress Saturday night. The Steers were defeated by Kress in football this year. During the first half, it looked as though the locals might get rolling, but they trailed five points at halftime, and

steadily lost ground in the final rounds. Score was 58-43, Kress.

The Steerettes won over Silverton in the last round of play Saturday morning to bring home consolation honors. They lost to Friona "B" in the initial game 35-33, with Chris Paine hitting 11 points for Farwell and Iris Goldsmith responsible for 10.

After their first defeat, the girls bounced back to top Turkey in the second round 41-21. All the girls were hitting the basket and Misses Paine and Pat Kaltwasser racked up 11 each with Miss Goldsmith responsible for 10.

It took a last quarter rush in the finals for consolation. The locals held small margins at the end of the first, second and third quarters, with three points the biggest point spread. Score by quarters was 10-9, 18-16, 29-26 and 42-34, Farwell.

Leading her team to victory was Iris Goldsmith with 16 counts. The Steerette guards held their opponents, with defensive positions played by Margaret Haseloff, Patsy Herrington, Melody Coffman, with the help of Peggy White, Barbara Conner, Paula Winegart and Darlene Williams.

Next game for the teams will be Jan. 2 at Farwell, with the Friona teams as opponents.

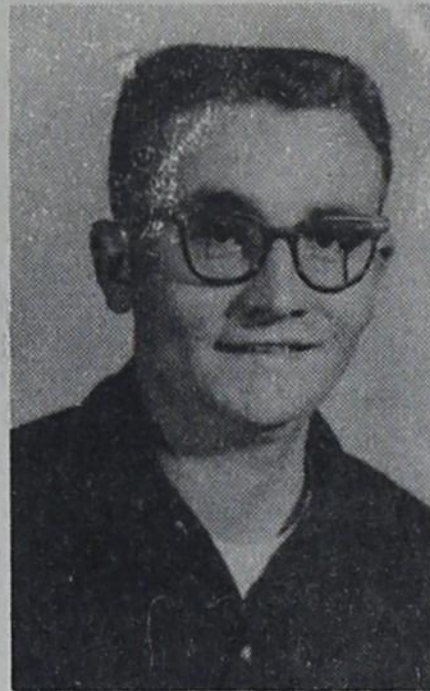
Local Woman Winner Of ESA Doll

Mrs. Orle Jones of Farwell can hardly afford to miss out on the annual ESA Christmas give away, as she took home the prize for the second time, when she was awarded the Miss ESA doll Saturday.

The doll, along with an elaborate wardrobe valued at approximately \$75, was given to Mrs. Jones during the time Santa made his annual visit to the twin-cities Saturday afternoon.

The first time Mrs. Jones won the annual ESA sponsored give away, was several years ago when she was presented with a bicycle.

Odum Smith was returned to his home in Farwell over the weekend after being a patient in the Methodist Memorial Hospital in Lubbock for several weeks. Family members report that he is slightly improved.



LARRY RICHARDSON

Larry Richardson To Attend All-State Music Clinic

Larry Richardson, senior, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Richardson, was the only Texico student of the six auditioning recently to be selected to attend the All-State Music Clinic in Albuquerque February 1, 2 and 3.

Accompanied by Harold Barnett, Chorus and band teacher at Texico, Donna Osborn, Donald Chandler, Judy Sharp, Marquette Wall and Ellen Caillouet attended the audition in Roswell. Each student was required to sing a solo. This is the second year Texico has been represented in the all-state chorus, Kenneth Murdick and Leslie Dyer attended last year, accompanied by former music teacher, Fred Danforth.

Students attending the All-State Music Clinic in February will spend hours in rehearsal and presenting concerts. They work with students that have been selected from all over the state. Century recording company will make recordings and records are available to individuals for a nominal fee.

Ammerman To Speak At Feed; Begin Park Plans

Dan Ammerman of Station KGNC of Amarillo has been invited to speak at the annual banquet of the Farwell Chamber of Commerce, according to word from officials this week. Date for the occasion is February 10.

Also, CC officials note that the park project, which has been promoted by the organization is "off the ground" and contributions may be made to Bob Anderson, Hurschel Harding or Wilfred Quickel. Funds will be used for construction of the park, which will then be maintained by the City.

Checks may be made payable to Park Project, Farwell Chamber of Commerce.

Two Farwell Boys Named

Further recognition has been awarded Jerry Lovelace and Jim Cain, who as members of the Steer football team selected by The Lubbock Avalanche - Journal sports staff. Lovelace was selected as back and Cain as guard.

Receiving honorable mention were two other members--David Lindop, end, and Scotty Turner, tackle.

Steers Take Defeat From Wolverines

In the annual cage battle between the Texico and Farwell basketball teams, the Wolverines from New Mexico edged the Steers from Texas by one point in a close tense contest.

Scoring was so close during the entire game that it was anyone's win, with Texico racking up a slight 3-point lead, 13-10 at the end of the first quarter. The Wolverines then hit 13 points in the second round to 12 for the Steers leaving the halftime reading

at 26-22.

The Farwell boys edged up a point on the Texico five in the third 34-31 and the last quarter was a thriller. It ended with the Wolverines ahead 46-45.

Dwight Turner of the green and white was the star of the show by sinking 27 points to pace the Wolverines. Leon Lovelace led the count for the blue-clad boys with 22.

Also winning the B team game were the Wolverines to the tune of 47-27.

Season Record Shows Strength

AN IDEAL PRESENT for some lucky boy or girl to find in his stocking on Christmas morning would be a miniature Chihuahua puppy, like the one pictured above who is owned by Bob and Janie Lebow of Texico. The little dog--Boy-- is about 2 months old now and has added 1/2 pound to his weight since being given to the Lebows. He now weighs 1 1/2 pounds, and can usually be found sleeping in his owner's house slipper.

Jerry Lovelace led the Farwell Steer football team on offense according to statistics compiled by the coach, Dempsey Alexander for the past season. Lovelace, who scored a record 132 points during the season, made 1074 yards on 119 tries for an average gain of 9.3. Alexander says the star Steer has had several attractive offers for scholarships to colleges for the coming year.

Leading on defense on assists was Dickie Gerles with a total of 58, and on unassisted tackles was Jim Cain with 35. The Steer gained a total of 3566 yards during the season to average 356.6 per game. Total yards gained for each game: Friona, 453; Bovina 237; Lazbuddie, 449; Morton, 304; Plains, 393; Kress, 118; Sundown, 312; Sudan, 465; Springlake, 345; and Hale Center, 450.

How did the Steers stack up against their opponents for the season? They more than doubled them with 266 points to 111. They held a 7-3 record, losing only three games. Morton topped them 24-20; Kress 26-6; and Springlake a scant 19-16.

Wins were recorded over Friona, 20-0; Bovina 6-0; Lazbuddie, 50-0; Sundown, 26-0; Plains, 30-14; Hale Center, 44-14; and Sudan, 48-14.

Texico Boy To Have Work In Anthology Of Poetry

"Good, D. H." was the personal comment written by Dennis Hartman, secretary National High School Poetry Association, Los Angeles, Calif., when he sent an award to Ronald Watts, senior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watts, Texico. Ronald, co-editor of the Texico school annual, was notified in a letter from Hartman that the Poem entitled "Let Me" by Watts has been accepted for publication in the annual anthology of High school poetry.

Other members of the Creative Writing class taught by Mrs. Fred Danforth submitted entries, with Watts being the only one accepted.

Earlier in the month, four members of this class were awarded certificates for essays accepted for publication in an annual Essay Anthology.

Short Charged In Black Theft

James Short, 20, was charged with theft from the Black Post Office by federal officers in Amarillo this week.

Short was arrested in Hereford after he was identified as the person who took \$110 from the postal drawer at the Black store while Leslie Deaton, owner, was filling his

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First Pack Meeting For Scouts

First cub scout pack meeting for the newly organized group in Farwell was held in the school cafeteria Friday evening, with seven dens representing a total of 40 boys in attendance.

The boys received their Bobcat pins in ceremonies presided over by M. A. Snider Jr., cut master, and Bert Williams, secretary-treasurer for the pack.

Each den participated in the program and displays of hand work which had been done by the boys was arranged for parents to view.

Parents and friends were special guests for the pack meeting, and were served miniature candy canes after the program. A planning meeting for den mothers will take place on December 28 at 7:00 in the Elmer Hargrove home.



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Belvin Freeman Is Promoted

(ATHNC) -- Belvin S. Freeman (left) of Texico, N. M., has the gold oak leaf signifying his new rank of major, pinned on by his wife, Peggy, in recent ceremonies at the Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kan. Major Freeman is attending the regular course at the college, the Army's senior tactical school, established in 1881, as the School of Application of Infantry and Cavalry. The major entered the Army in 1948. Major Freeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Freeman, is a 1946 graduate of Texas High School, Texico, N. M., and attended Eastern New Mexico Uni-

versity, Portales, and is a 1960 graduate of the University of Maryland, College Park. (U. S. ARMY PHOTO)

Fronan Faces Bigamy Charge

Enrique Rodriguez, 29, of Fronan was charged with bigamy and bound over for grand jury action last week.

Bond was set at \$1,000 and was posted by Rodriguez. The next regular session of the Farmer County Grand Jury is scheduled for the first Monday in March.

Arrangements may be made to convene a special grand jury as a result of the recent slaying of Jesse Dawkins. Such an arrangement will depend upon the possibility of an opening in the schedule of District Judge, E. A. Bills, according to Sheriff Charles Lovelace.

Mrs. Blair Observing 53rd Christmas In Twin-Cities

By ANITA HENSON
 Somewhere through the years, Mrs. E. G. Blair has captured the special something that makes the spirit of Christmas live in her heart--from December to December. And all the time, she is having the good time that goes with it. Mrs. Blair is observing her fifty-third Christmas in the Twin Cities this year, having moved to Texico in 1908. She was known as Nettie Balch at that time, and was an active member of the Baptist Church in Texico, playing the organ for services. It was directly through her musical ability that she met and married E. G. Blair.

The local pastor was preaching for a revival service at Fairfield -- a community south of Texico -- and since none of the women in that community could play the organ, he asked

permission of Miss Balch's parents to let her play for the services. It was during the meeting that she met E. G. Blair whom she married in 1911.

After their marriage, the Blairs farmed in the Fairfield community until 1918 when they moved three miles south of Texico -- Farwell. They made their home there for thirty-seven years until the time of Mr. Blair's death in 1955.

During the time they lived on the farm, the couple had three children, Doris, who preceded her father in death--Joe who makes his home in Farwell, and Mrs. Helen Wellman of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

In asking her about any special Christmas, she said "Every Christmas has been outstanding for me. We always looked forward to Christmas even when times were hard and

we could only have inexpensive gifts, just being together made it special."

Mrs. Blair moved to Farwell after her husband's death, and being a talented gardener, transformed the weed lot on which her new home was erected, into one of the most beautiful yards in the community.

She lists her two greatest pleasures as church work and yard work, and her bright blue eyes fairly sparkle when she speaks of either.

She is a member of the Hamelin Memorial Methodist Church in Farwell, serving as treasurer of the Wesleyan Service Guild and being a member of the Wesley Bible Class. She is active in various phases of church work, and since she owns and drives a car, often does the "leg work" for many extra Church activities.

She couldn't recall just when she became interested in raising plants, but has always found joy in growing things, which is apparent the minute you stop in front of her home. A beautiful lawn set off by many varieties of shrubs and flowers, provide an attractive exterior for her home.

Her "green thumb" is still more apparent upon entering her home where she has many varieties of ivy, African violets and other potted plants growing.

Mrs. Blair said she could hardly bring herself to pur-

chase artificial flowers when they first became popular, but now enjoys having them in her home in the winter time. She admitted however that she stores them away in the summer so she can enjoy fragrant cut flowers from her own yard.

"Each year I try to add something new to my yard, I'm always finding a new way to do something and my curiosity gets the better of me until I try it myself," she added.

In telling that a rose is her favorite flower, Mrs. Blair said she often remembered the words of a friend who wrote her a letter from California describing the beautiful rose gardens that were found throughout the state. The friend, remembering Mrs. Blair's love for roses, wrote to her saying that when looking at the colorful blossoms she often thought "Only God could make a rose." Mrs. Blair said she still remembers the phrase each time she sees a rose in bloom.

Mrs. Blair is also active in civic affairs, being work supervisor of the Texico Cemetery Association. She was one of the first persons in the association when it was formed in 1945, and is still an active member, being chairman of the planning committee for the annual cemetery dinner.

On the day I called to interview Mrs. Blair, she had just finished making a fruit cake, which was one of the many she had baked to give as Christmas gifts. After showing me the cakes and telling how she had varied the recipe to make each one a little different, she jotted

down the recipe so I could try it.

With all her many interests, Mrs. Blair still has time to be a good neighbor, and is always one of the first to arrive when someone is sick or needs help. All of these things combined with silver gray hair, sparkling eyes and a friendly smile are the things one thinks of when her name is mentioned.

It is indeed, people like Mrs. Blair who make living in the Twin Cities a pleasure.

Students To Have Poems Published

Seven Farwell High students have received certificates of acceptance for original poems which will be included in the Annual Anthology of High School Poetry, a publication of the National High School Poetry Association in Los Angeles.

The students, with poem titles, follow: "Goodbye for Now," Iris Goldsmith; "Beauty is Brief," Janice Prince; "Time Goes By," Sherry Billingsley; "Day Dreams," Carolyn Lindop; "The Perfect Life," Jane Hubbell; "These I Love," Vicki Moss; and "Dandelions Scatter," by Max Field.

The anthology will be off the press on January 20.

IN CASE OF FIRE

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A BIRD TREE is one of the many unusual arrangements Mrs. E. G. Blair has dreamed up to show off her plants. The birds are placed on a piece of driftwood which she arranged in the center of the floor planter. Several of her other potted plants are shown in the window.

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For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, which is Christ the Lord

Karl's Auto Clinic
 Smokey and Fred Farwell

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 Clovis

Both Mr. and Mrs. Whitley Retire In Past Year

For this couple, the time for relaxation has finally come. Their friends of this area wish them health, God speed and the capacity to enjoy these, the bonus years of their lives.

By SALLY WHITESIDES
In a neat white house at the corner of Fifth Street and Avenue "B," one of Farwell's popular couples is learning to live an almost alien life. Within the past seven months, both Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whitley have retired from their individual demanding professions. For Mrs. Whitley, retirement last summer culminated 40 years of teaching. Whitley began the "new" life December first. He had completed 20 years in the capacity of State Livestock Inspector.



Retirement can mean many things, but for the amiable couple here, it means an opportunity to enjoy more time with the alert little miss holding the kitten. The well-known Farmer County couple are the Harry Whitleys of Farwell, grandparents of Paige, 2, who resides in Friona with her parents, M. C. and Ann Osborn.

This quiet couple has lived in Farwell for the past 19 years, but had lived in the general area since the latter 1920's. They are both natives of the Denton-Pilot Point area.

Mrs. Whitley decided very young to be a first grade school teacher. In fact, it was the total absence of such a grade and such a teacher in that first school which she attended that gave fire to her determination.

"In that first year we, the first graders, were given recams of poetry to memorize. No regular studies at all and oh, how I hungered to get down to the business of learning to read!" the future teacher remembers. "And right there, I decided I was going to be a first grade teacher; I was equally determined to be a good one."

Opinions expressed by many of her former students and their parents indicate that she has been most successful. Mrs. Whitley was born near Denton and lived there until moving to Pilot Point the year she entered the tenth grade. Following two more years of high school and two years at the Denton college, she started her teaching career. It was only after her marriage a number of years later that she was able to complete her study toward her degree.

Not only had she decided early in life on her professional career, but she also met the man destined to be her life partner. She met Harry shortly after moving to Pilot Point, though it was almost 15 years later that their family obligations lessened to the extent that they could think of their own happiness and marriage.

Harry was partially town reared. His father, until his death, was a grocer in Pilot Point. But, as the father of a large family, Mr. Whitley Sr. was convinced he needed room to raise boys. So he kept 20 acres just outside town on which to keep "cows, horses and kids." It worked very well, especially for young Harry. He decided very early that he didn't care for the grocery business; in fact, he didn't like towns

or town life.

So, even as a very young boy, he spent most of his time among the family animals. Following his father's death, the young teenager went to work and through the passing years, acquired his own string of horses and a herd of cattle.

Forty-six years ago, Whitley settled his affairs in the Denton area and went in search of cheaper grass and better livestock conditions. He soon found himself on range land southeast of Friona. Several years later, it was to this home that he brought Mrs. Whitley as his bride.

The intervening years were busy ones for her. She continued teaching first grade classes in a number of schools and assisting a younger sister through school. She taught in Decatur, Pilot Point and then in Clovis, N. M. She ventured far from home only once, and that was to teach in Casper, Wyoming.

At the conclusion of her teaching in Wyoming, Harry met her in Denver, Colo. and they were married there in a quiet ceremony in June of 1928. Their return to the Friona home was as exciting a wedding trip as any couple could wish to avoid.

It seems that Harry was accustomed to driving his big

Chrysler and his efforts to drive her Model "T" Ford left a great deal to be desired.

"I could herd it down the straight roads pretty well," he remembers, "but when I tried to make the Raton Pass, with all that clutch work, well things began to happen." Both chuckled deeply at the memory of the wild ride that finally ended when the car, suffering from both a burned out clutch and burned out brakes, coasted to a stop at the bottom of the pass.

For the next several years, Mr. and Mrs. Whitley lived in and around Friona, with her teaching there and at a couple of nearby schools until her temporary retirement following the birth of their daughter, Ann. During this time, Harry gradually withdrew from farming and ranching and, at the death of Jim Martin, former State Livestock Inspector, he attained the position which he held for the next 20 years.

With the attaining of the position, the Whitley family moved to Farwell and Mrs. Whitley taught locally for several years before transferring to the Clovis school system. The vigilant search for a small mite-carrying livestock disease has kept Harry Whitley busy for the past 20 years. But his search for Scabies, often

called "scab" among animals, began privately many years before. Now, thanks to rigid state laws, Scabies has all but been stamped out in Texas. This wasn't the case 35 years ago. It was during the latter 1920's that he learned much about the disease and how to recognize it.

"Then," he remembers, "we had to dip almost every animal on our ranches, the disease was so prevalent."

Scabies is a skin disease that hardens the hide of livestock, often making the hair slip and leaving dried, leather-like patches on the victim. Cattle, goats and horses infected will not prosper or fatten and, in severe cases, they eventually die.

Dipping, the cure 35 years ago, is still Texas' accepted treatment. Some other states allow spraying.

Most of Whitley's duties have been towards ranch to ranch or "range" inspections. During his term as inspector, his territory consisted of eight West Texas counties; Farmer, Oldham, Deaf Smith, Bailey, Cochran, Castro, Lamb and Swisher. His official work week was a five day one, but he was on call at all times.

Often ranchers themselves would request his opinion as to whether their herds were infected. However, it was usually routine to check all cattle moved through major cattle sale rings of his territory. Other cattle sold were checked only on request or when they were being moved out of state.

Now, after a combined 60 years of public service, Mr. and Mrs. Whitley are having a chance to sit back and enjoy their leisure. Both deny any real hobbies, but a drive past their home any time of the year will disprove that remark.

Theirs is one of the most charming yards and gardens in town and both can usually be found improving it's beauty even

more. Their greatest pleasure in life is their family -- Daughter Ann, her husband, M. C. Osborn, and of course, their two-year-old granddaughter, Paige. Even though Ann's family lives in Friona, the families see one another several times a week.

Although both retired with certain regrets, they do feel that now they at least will have more time to get closer acquainted with this gay granddaughter.

Asked about plans for the future, Mr. and Mrs. Whitley say they have no specific ones. They wish to do a little visiting with relatives, but travel, to a couple who have traveled to and from work so much, doesn't interest them.

A number of Mrs. Whitley's former students, who have since become mothers and fathers themselves, have asked her to start a kindergarten. To these requests, she gives thanks for

their regard, but has no such plans at present.

As for Whitley, whose health has been impaired since a severe bout with a virus last winter, he has no plans to work. However, upon his retirement, he was visited by a number of Texas Livestock Commission members from Austin. They accepted his resignation, accepted his records, but refused to accept his identification card and inspection permit. Their reason now was the same reason as was given for accepting him for the job 20 years ago. "You know the disease we're fighting; you know the territory and you know the work. We want to be able to call on you at any time."

"Science of Fire" Film Is Available

A new 16mm. film entitled "The Science of Fire" has been added to the film library of the National Board of Fire Underwriters and now is available for showing before civic groups, schools, and other gatherings. The film, which is in color and runs about 20 minutes, may be obtained by writing the National Board of Fire Underwriters, 85 John Street, New York 38, N. Y. Altogether, the National Board has 31 films which may be borrowed without charge.

If you live West of the Rockies, write to the National Board of Fire Underwriters at 465 California Street, San Francisco 4, Calif.



For many years, we have enjoyed the privilege of wishing joy and happiness to our friends at Christmas, by personal cards and visits.

This year, our health prevents us from seeing friends and addressing cards.

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"The Family Store" Farwell, Texas

The Women's Page

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Connie Tharp-Phil Elliott Exchange Double-Ring Vows

Church Scene Of Christmas Tea

Approximately 20 women attended a come and go Christmas tea at the Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church Tuesday afternoon between the hours of 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.

Hostess for the social were Mesdames Liz Phillips, Donna Jordan and Carrie Anderson. Red candles arranged on a gold base and surrounded with

gold angel puff formed the centerpiece for the serving table which was covered with a Christmas cloth.

Christmas Games Featured At Party

Various table games including a game in which each time a winner was declared they received a Christmas gift, were played Tuesday evening when members of the Oklahoma Lane Farmerette club and their husbands held their annual Christmas party in the L. L. Cooper home in Farwell.

The games were played following a buffet dinner. During the gift exchange secret pals were revealed, and names drawn for the coming year.

During a business meeting officers for 1962 were elected with Mrs. James Roach serving as president, Mrs. L. L. Cooper, vice - president and Mrs. Delbert Garner, secretary - treasurer.

Attending the social event were Messers and Mesdames Harold Carpenter, James Roach, Wendol Christian, Delbert Garner, Troy Christian, Donald Christian, Don Watkins, Leon Grissom, Ponce Billingsley, R. E. Blankenship, and Bill Meeks.

Helping Mr. and Mrs. Cooper with hostess duties were Mesdames Leon Grissom, Troy Christian and Billy Meeks.

Mrs. Robert Tomlinson presided at the silver coffee service, and Mrs. Joe Helton poured punch. Crystal trays with assorted Christmas candies, cookies and nuts were on the table.

Several dried arrangements with Christmas motifs were used throughout the room to add to the festive decorations. Christmas carols were played as background music during the social.

Heltons Host Employee Party

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Helton were host and hostess for a dinner and gift exchange at their home Wednesday evening honoring their employees.

Following the dinner and gift exchange, "42" was played throughout the evening.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. John Hightower, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dollar, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dollar, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Billingsley, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Prather, Mr. and Mrs. Don Jones, Gayle Doolittle, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ranck, district salesman; and Mrs. Helton's parents, the J. E. Whatleys from Amarillo.

Sixty Attend Church Party

A large decorated Christmas tree surrounded with gifts was focal point of decorations at a party Saturday evening in the Texico Woman's Club Building.

About 60 members and guests of the United Pentecostal Church were present for the social.

Following a gift exchange, Christmas carols were sung in unison by the group and various party games were played. Remainder of the evening was spent in visiting.

Door prizes were awarded to Don Sudderth and Faye Martin, and refreshments of coffee and gaily decorated Christmas cookies were served.

In a double-ring ceremony on a recent Sunday afternoon, Miss Connie Tharp became the bride of Phillip Ray Elliott. Vows were exchanged in the sanctuary of the Texico First Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. Orvel Brantley, performing the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tharp of Texico, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Elliott of Clovis are parents of the bridegroom.

The mid-afternoon ceremony was performed before a large white and green bouquet backed by a tapered candelabra and flanked with 15-point candelabra. A white kneeling bench, entwined with white and yellow flowers, ribbons and green leaves, was placed on a white crushed velvet throw.

Traditional wedding music was provided by Carol White who played selections before the ceremony, and later accompanied her mother, Mrs. Murray White, as she sang "Whither Thou Goest" and "The Lord's Prayer." The last selection was presented while the couple was kneeling.

Preceding the bride to the altar was Mrs. David Gossett, Clovis, as matron of honor. She was attired in a magenta and black flowered silk dress which featured a bateau neckline, full gathered skirt and black cummerbund. She wore a white carnation corsage with turquoise trim.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was radiant in a street length dress of white satin brocade designed with a chiffon overskirt, short sleeves and a scalloped neckline. Her shoulder length veil of white tulle, edged in tiny seed pearls, was borrowed from a friend, Mrs. Buster Wooten, as was her gown.

A white satin and lace covered Bible belonging to her sister, Judy, formed the base for the bridal bouquet of white roses and stephanotis.

In keeping with bridal tradi-

tion, she carried a penny minted in the year of her birth and another minted in the year of the bridegroom's birth in her shoes, and wore a blue garter.

Serving as best man was Douglas Roberts of Farwell, a friend of the bridegroom. Candelighters were James Ussery of Farwell and Jim Elliott, brother of the groom from Clovis. They also served as ushers.

Mrs. Tharp attended her daughter's wedding in a whipped cream dacron shirtdress of beige with black accessories. The bridegroom's mother wore a tan sheath topped with a waist length jacket. Her accessories were brown. Both women complemented their ensembles with white carnation corsages.

Miss Judy Tharp, sister of the bride, registered guests at the wedding and ensuing reception which took place in the church basement.

Sisters of the bridegroom, Mrs. Eddy Bolling and Barbara Elliott served at the reception.

A white lace cloth over turquoise covered the reception table which was centered with an arrangement of white and green flowers. A three-tiered wedding cake, large crystal bowl with turquoise punch, and silver compote of nuts and mints graced the table.

For a wedding trip to Oklahoma City, the new Mrs. Elliott changed into a winter white satin brocade sheath with a short boxy jacket which featured bell sleeves and a standup boat collar. Her accessories included a white hat and purse and silver and white shoes.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott are making their home on Route 2, Texico and he is engaged in farming.

The recent bride graduated from Texico High School in 1960 and attended Draughon's business college. She is now employed at the Curry County Sheriff's office. Her husband attended school at Clovis high.



Mr. & Mrs. Phillip Ray Elliott



IT'S CHRISTMAS

...and may the joys of Christmas abound in your heart always.

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WMA Group Meets Each Thursday

WMA women of the Calvary Missionary Baptist Church are studying in the book of Genesis, with meetings held each Thursday at 2 p.m. at the church.

All area women are invited to attend the meeting. The women met Tuesday in the R. C. Lemons home to prepare a food basket for a needy family.



BEST WISHES TO ALL OUR FRIENDS

AT THIS MOST WONDERFUL OF ALL SEASONS

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John Christians Have Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. John Christian welcomed the birth of a daughter on December 17 in the Farmer County Community Hospital in Friona. The new arrival weighed 7 pounds 15 1/2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Rochelle Christian of Farwell are paternal grandparents.

Bride Is Shower Honoree

Yellow, turquoise and brown were used throughout in decorations last Tuesday evening, when Mrs. Phillip Elliott (nee Connie Tharp) was feted with a post-nuptial shower in the basement of the Texico Baptist Church.

Hostesses for the social were Mesdames Juanita Wall, Murray White, Ruby Adams,

Avis Patterson, Harla Gossett, and members of the Golden Circle Sunday school class from the church.

Guests were registered at a table covered with a yellow linen cloth and centered with a miniature bride and groom.

Mrs. Eddy J. Bolling and Miss Barbara Elliott, sisters of the recent groom, presided at the serving table which was covered with a lace cloth over yellow and centered with a miniature bride doll standing beneath an archway of yellow flowers and greenery.

Crystal serving pieces were used in serving the turquoise punch, yellow cake squares, mints and nuts.

Mrs. Elliott was assisted in opening gifts by her mother, Mrs. Ray Tharp; at a table which was centered with a large bride doll standing amid the gifts.

Doran Home Scene For Woman's Club Party

The Buck Doran home in Texico was the scene for the annual Texico Woman's Club Christmas party Monday evening.

Following a short business meeting, during which time members voted to contribute to the various state projects, Christmas games were played, including having members write letters to Santa Claus for each other.

Green holly leaves and red berries outlined with sequins and glitter were applied on a red net table cloth which was used over red on

the serving table. Gold mums flanked on either side by white tapers in gold holders formed the centerpiece.

Christmas napkins were used to add to the holiday motif. Cookies in various seasonal shapes were served along with cranberry punch and candy to guests.

Upon arriving guests placed gifts around a large decorated Christmas tree for the exchange which took place during the evening.

Women attending the social included Mesdames Gerald Wilkinson, Jim Pierce, Jim Moss, Leroy Faville, Johnny Green, C. B. Stockton, Hollie Hughes, J. E. Stone, John Adams, Buck Doran, Frank Doshier, Elmer Teel, Avis Patterson, Ellen Daniels, and Lola Standefer.

Hapkes Arrive For Yule Visit Here

Radioman Chief and Mrs. Frank Hapke of Cutter, Maine arrived Tuesday for a visit with friends and relatives here. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hapke and she is a sister of Mrs. Jim Bob Smart.

Also to be guests of the Hapkes during the holidays are Miss Naomi Hapke of California and Richard Hapke of Lovington.



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Pink and White Motif Decorations For Shower

A pink and white motif was used Monday afternoon when Miss Joan Potts was feted with a pre-nuptial shower in the First Baptist Church at Farwell.

Guests were registered by Mrs. Marye Whitley at a lace covered table centered with an arrangement of pink candles and roses.

Varigated pink and white poinsettias arranged in a pink epergne and lighted from the glow of a large white candle formed the centerpiece for the white lace over pink covered serving table.

Crystal serving pieces were used in serving individual white feed cake squares and pink punch. Pastel pink, green and white mints and nuts were placed on the serving table in crystal dishes.

Miss Potts and her mother, Mrs. Herbert Potts, were presented with corsages formed from miniature kitchen utensils, and white Christmas bells tied with pink ribbons.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Thelma Watts, Connie Hardage, Dixie Jesko, Marye Whitley, Gertrude Foster, Dexter Watkins, Gladys Hromas, Annabelle Hillock, Jo Schell and Mabel Martin.

Names listed on the guest register included Mesdames Nina Glasscock, Mae Magness, Partin Austin, Larry McDonald, Jack Williams, Sterling Donaldson and girls, Clara Billingsley, Ed Blain, Charlie Pike, Margie Meeks, Susie Hammonds, Alvenia Cox, Gabe Anderson, Marilyn Edwards, Bruce Blair, M. A. Snider Sr., Wilma Liner and Elmer Scott.

Also Mesdames John Lockhart, Lucille Jones, John Getz, Ann Smith, Doris Johnson, Dickie Magness, Fern Hardage, Picklee Gerles, Irene Henson, Jane Stovall, Diana Warren, Dee Owen, Carrie Hamrick, Vernon Symcox, Billie Phillips, Elizabeth Turner, Estelline Billington, Katherine Traxson, C. A. Turnell, Doll Aldridge and the Holiday Store.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Potts, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hardage, The Alvin Maces, The Hollie Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Graham, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Windburne Hardage, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Crume, Mr. and Mrs. Carliss Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Watkins, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Flowers and children.

Also Misses Sheri Austin, Toni and Sherry Billingsley, Alice Ramm, and JoAnne and Karen Schell.



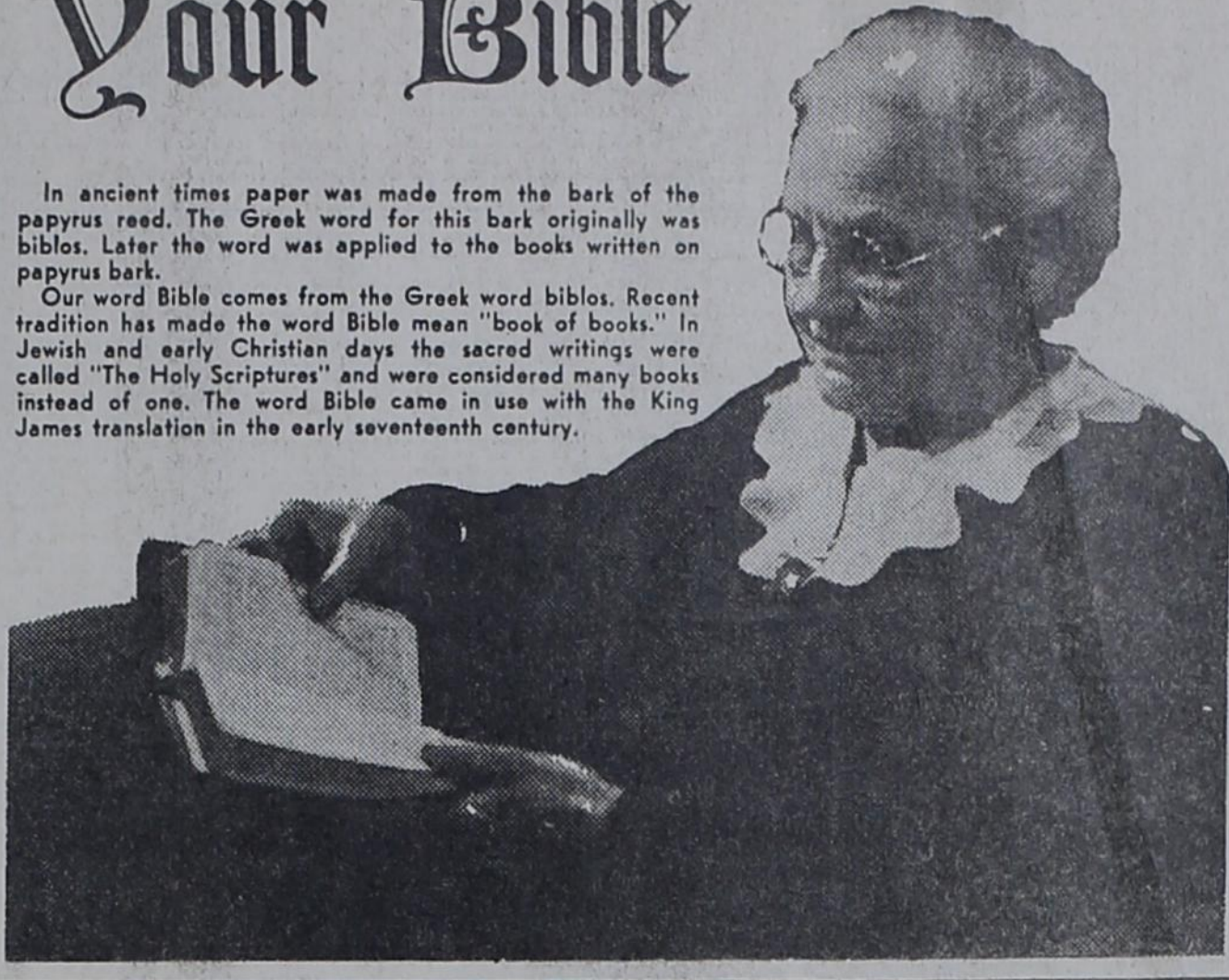
HOW CHRISTMAS WAS NAMED

The name "Christmas" to designate the celebration of the birth of Christ is used only in English-speaking countries. It comes from an old English phrase—"Christes Masse," meaning Christ's Mass which emphasizes the religious meaning of the holiday.

Your Bible

In ancient times paper was made from the bark of the papyrus reed. The Great word for this bark originally was biblos. Later the word was applied to the books written on papyrus bark.

Our word Bible comes from the Greek word biblos. Recent tradition has made the word Bible mean "book of books." In Jewish and early Christian days the sacred writings were called "The Holy Scriptures" and were considered many books instead of one. The word Bible came in use with the King James translation in the early seventeenth century.



Couple Honored On 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Billingsley were surprised Wednesday at the A-A Bowl by a group of friends who were honoring the couple on their 25th wedding anniversary.

The couple was presented with a mirror for their new home.

Names appearing on the card were Mr. and Mrs. Jelly Vincent, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Koehler, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Watts, Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kaltwasser, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Kaltwasser, Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. John Aldridge, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jesko, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hardage, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Lovelace, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Don Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rundell and Mr. and Mrs. Partin Austin.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Blackie Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lovelace, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Chiles, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sinnacker, Mr. and Mrs. Mitz Walling, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mace, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Christian, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dollar, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Henson, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rundell, Mr. and Mrs. Kirt Crume, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Potts, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Felts, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Williams, Mr.

and Mrs. Billy Watts, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hromas, Mr. and Mrs. Melborn Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Prince, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hardage, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Huguley, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dollar, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haseloff, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Shuman and Mrs. Marilyn Edwards.

Also Messers Jerry Banks, Jerry Bradshaw, Vane Doshier, Weldon Bell and Curtis Jones.

Charles Chisman Party Honoree

A going away party in the James Craig home recently, honored Charles Chisman who will be leaving for the Navy on December 26.

Members of the senior high department of the Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church presented the honoree with a gift, and table games and ping-pong were played. A humorous reading by Mrs. Nelle Craig on the experiences of a boy entering the service highlighted the evening.

Refreshments of doughnuts and pops were served to Barbara Bieler, Darrell Crook, Bobby Tomlinson, Joe Teel, Kenny Smith, Gerald Chisman, William Dannheim, Jim Morton and Mr. and Mrs. James Craig.

"Christmas Around The World" Viewed At WSCS Yule Party

"Christmas Around The World" was the title of a film shown Wednesday when women of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church held their annual Christmas party. Special guests were members of the Susanah Wesley Bible Class.

Recorded Christmas music was played throughout the afternoon, and a gift exchange was held.

Decorations with a Christmas motif were used throughout the room, with a large Christmas tree being focal point of the decorations. A choir boy scene was used on the piano, and Christmas candles in various arrangements

were at intervals in the room. Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Willie Williams, Elmer Teel and W. N. Foster.

Refreshments of decorated Christmas cookies, fruit cake, pop corn balls and coffee were served to guests.

Attending the social were Mesdames Bunk Parks, Jess Newton, Joe Helton, W. N. Foster, Willie Williams, D. O. Rolland, Robert Tomlinson, B. N. Graham, E. G. Blair, Anne Overstreet, Albert Thomas, A. D. Smith, James Cox, Ruby Dixon, Anna Westbrook and Joe White.

Texico Fireboys Hosts For Dinner

Wives and special guests of members of the Texico Fire Department were honored with a Christmas dinner Sunday in a Texico restaurant.

Invocation was given by Fred Danforth and Fire Chief F. S. Thigpen presided over the social hour following the dinner. He was assisted in distributing gifts by John Adams and Don Johnson.

A menu of ham or turkey was served the members. Tables were decorated with pine cones and miniature paper stand-up Christmas trees.

Those attending were Chief and Mrs. Thigpen, Assistant Chief and Mrs. Perry Winkles, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Danforth, Mr. and Mrs. Don Fought and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johnson.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watts, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Rip Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Doran, Mrs. Elmer Teel, Mrs. Otis Huggins, Miss Janice Adams, Miss Glenda Billingsley, Donald Caillouet and Bill Thigpen.

Four members were unable to attend.

Help the Fire Chief Have Merry Holiday

Help the fire chief and his men have a Merry Christmas this year by using care with fire around the house, says the National Board of Fire Underwriters.

The chief and his men, like everyone else, would prefer to have quiet Christmas dinners with their families, the Board adds.

You can make the chief happy by being careful to avoid fire this holiday season.

Mrs. Sides Is Host For Party

Mrs. Sam Sides of Hereford was hostess for the annual Oklahoma Lane Variety Club Christmas Party held in her home Wednesday.

During the business meeting, women voted to send a quilt to girls' ranch at Whiteface and another to boys' ranch at Amarillo. Names for secret pals for the coming year were drawn.

Following a gift exchange refreshments of cheese sandwiches, fruit cake, stuffed dates and candy were served.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ed McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. John West, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Grissom and Lola Jean, Mrs. George Lindop, Mrs. G. T. Watkins, Mrs. Bessie Caldwell, Mrs. Shorty Milledale, Mrs. G. A. Bandy and a visitor, Mrs. Corda Batty from Hereford.

Farm Bureau Has Annual Christmas Dinner, Party

Texico Farm Bureau members held their annual Christmas dinner and party at the school lunchroom Thursday evening.

After a short business meeting, which was presided over by Wesley Engram, a musical program was conducted.

A piano solo, "Silent Night" by Linda Hadley and one by Lynell Engram, "O Holy Night," were highlights of the program. A number of old time Christmas favorites were played by Gerald Wilkinson, Ed Combs, Fred Danforth and Mrs. Wesley Engram.

Remainder of the evening was spent playing "42" and visiting.

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Greetings

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Because it's Christmas! The happiest, most wonderful time of the year. It is our hope that your Christmas will be the best ever, and that every Christmas to come will increase in happiness for you and your family.

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Robert - Hope - Henery

Somehow, the glow of Christmas candles signifies the true meaning of Christmas. As each of them shed their gentle soft light in every home at Christmas, our thoughts become more gentle and humble.

We find ourselves looking at the world around us with more understanding than ever before. . . .

It is our hope that the glowing candles of love and happiness light your home this Christmas, and that the same wonderful light may be yours for all times to come.

Merry Christmas
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THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Anna Ware and her unknown husband or husbands, all of whose places of residence is unknown, and if deceased then their unknown heirs, assigns, devisees and legal representatives, all of whom are unknown, and all of whose places of residence are unknown; W. S. Merrill; Mrs. Cleo B. Merrill; E. N. Nivison; J. W. Gaither; M. W. Ashby; Clara Williams; R. N. (Bob) Williams; W. H. Gaither; T. O. Cuning; Harry B. Marshall; Nancy J. Ball; Zora Archer; C. C. Archer; Rosy Cannedy; W. R. Cannedy; Carrie Cash; Emma Chonnell; Rosy Kennedy; W. J. Kennedy; Walter Marshall; Charles Marshall; C. G. Marshall; Randolph Marshall; Laufa Marshall; Kenneth G. Marshall; John H. Marshall; Laura F. Marshall; Florence W. Marshall; Randolph Gordon Marshall; Randolph G. Marshall; Laura Marshall; Walter Clark Marshall; Harry Barnett Marshall; Charles Lincoln Marshall; Charlie L. Marshall; S. G. Myers; S. G. Meyers; R. D. Sedwick; William M. McCandlish; Wm. N. McCandlish; Monroe E. Grant; Martha E. Grant; Mabel W. Marshall; Ed Johnson; J. W. Losey; G. W. Losey; C. H. Losey; Laufa F. Marshall, and all unknown claimants; all of whose places of residence are unknown, and the unknown husband or hus-

bands and unknown wife or wives of all of the above named parties, all of whose names and places of residence are unknown, and if any of the above named parties is deceased, then their unknown heirs, assigns, devisees and legal representatives, all of whom are unknown, and all of whose places of residence are unknown; W. S. Merrill; Mrs. Cleo B. Merrill; E. N. Nivison; J. W. Gaither; M. W. Ashby; Clara Williams; R. N. (Bob) Williams; W. H. Gaither; T. O. Cuning; Harry B. Marshall; Nancy J. Ball; Zora Archer; C. C. Archer; Rosy Cannedy; W. R. Cannedy; Carrie Cash; Emma Chonnell; Rosy Kennedy; W. J. Kennedy; Walter Marshall; Charles Marshall; C. G. Marshall; Randolph Marshall; Laufa Marshall; Kenneth G. Marshall; John H. Marshall; Laura F. Marshall; Florence W. Marshall; Randolph Gordon Marshall; Randolph G. Marshall; Laura Marshall; Walter Clark Marshall; Harry Barnett Marshall; Charles Lincoln Marshall; Charlie L. Marshall; S. G. Myers; S. G. Meyers; R. D. Sedwick; William M. McCandlish; Wm. N. McCandlish; Monroe E. Grant; Martha E. Grant; Mabel W. Marshall; Ed Johnson; J. W. Losey; G. W. Losey; C. H. Losey; Laufa F. Marshall, and all unknown claimants; all of whose places of residence are unknown, and the unknown husband or hus-

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 22nd day of January 1962, at or before ten o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County, Texas, at the Court House of said County in Farwell, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, on the 4th day of December A. D. 1961, in this cause, numbered 2251 on the docket of said court, and styled, N. R. Harding, Plaintiff, vs Anna Ware, Et Al,

Defendants.

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows:

N. R. Harding is Plaintiff and Anna Ware and her unknown husband or husbands, all of whose places of residence is unknown, and if deceased then their unknown heirs, assigns, devisees and legal representatives, all of whom are unknown, and all of whose places of residence are unknown; W. S. Merrill; Mrs. Cleo B. Merrill; E. N. Nivison; J. W. Gaither; M. W. Ashby; Clara Williams; R. N. (Bob) Williams; W. H. Gaither; T. O. Cuning; Harry B. Marshall; Nancy J. Ball; Zora Archer; C. C. Archer; Rosy Cannedy; W. R. Cannedy; Carrie Cash; Emma Chonnell; Rosy Kennedy; W. J. Kennedy; Walter Marshall; Charles Marshall; C. C. Marshall; Randolph Marshall; Laufa Marshall; Kenneth G. Marshall; John H. Marshall; Laura F. Marshall; Mabel W. Marshall; Florence W. Marshall; Randolph Gordon Marshall; Randolph G. Marshall; Laura Marshall; Walter Clark Marshall; Harry Barnett Marshall; Charles Lincoln Marshall; Charlie L. Marshall; S. G. Myers; S. G. Meyers; R. D. Sedwick; William M. McCandlish; Wm. N. McCandlish; Monroe E. Grant; Martha E. Grant; Mabel W. Marshall; Ed Johnson; J. W. Losey; G. W. Losey; C. H. Losey; Laufa F. Marshall; and all unknown claimants; all of whose places of residence are unknown; and the unknown husband or husbands and unknown wife or wives of all of the above named parties, all of whose names and places of residence are unknown, and if any of the above named parties is deceased, then their unknown heirs, assigns, devisees and legal representatives, all of whom are unknown and all of whose places of residence are unknown; and Martha Beth Ehlers, a female sole. Hamlin Y. Overstreet, Executor of the last will and testament of James D. Hamlin, Deceased; John Armstrong, Executor of the last will and testament of Katherine Hamlin, deceased; and Farwell Development Company, a Corporation, whose place of business and address is unknown, its unknown officers and stockholders, successors, heirs and assigns, all of whose names and places of residence is unknown; are Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff brings this suit in trespass to try title, alleging that he is the owner in fee simple of the following described land, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, of Block 2; Lots 3 and 4, of Block 3; Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32, of Block 4; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 23, 24 and 25, of Block 5; The South 3 feet of Lot 9 and all of Lots

10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 23, of Block 6; Lots 13 and 14, of Block 7; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, and 10, of Block 8; Lots 4, 8, 9, 10, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, and 29, of Block 9; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32, of Block 10; Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 28, 29, and 30, of Block 12; Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32, of Block 13; Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30, of Block 15; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, and 38, of Block 16; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30, of Block 17; all in the Hamlin Heights Addition to the Town of Farwell, Parmer County, Texas, as fully shown by plat of record in the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas. That on or about the 1st day of December, A. D. 1961, Defendants unlawfully entered upon said land and ejected Plaintiff therefrom and wrongfully withheld possession from said Plaintiff; and praying for judgment for title to and possession of said real property, and for writ of possession, and further claiming title to said real property by virtue of the 5- and 10-year statutes of limitations, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Farwell, Texas, this the 5th day of December, A. D. 1961.

Attest:
Hugh Moseley Clerk,
District Court,
Parmer County, Texas
10-4tc

NO. 880

The State Of Texas Vs. Nellie Taylor, Et Al
Proceedings In Eminent Domain
In The County Court Of Parmer County, Texas

NOTICE IN CONDEMNATION

The State Of Texas, As Petitioner,

To: Nellie Taylor and her unknown husband or husbands, all of whose residence is unknown, and should she be deceased, then her unknown heirs, assigns and legal representatives, and R. C. Campbell and his wife, Mamie Campbell, and should either of

them be deceased, then their unknown heirs, assigns and legal representatives, and all unknown claimants and/or owners.

You Are Hereby Commanded and directed to appear and answer in the County Courtroom in the Parmer County Courthouse in Farwell, Texas, at 10 o'clock A. M., on the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1962, being a Monday, in the above styled suit, in which suit the State of Texas is Plaintiff and the persons named above, their unknown husbands and wives, and their unknown heirs or legal representatives, and unknown claimants, are Defendants.

The cause of action alleged by Plaintiff is for a condemnation of certain property in Parmer County, Texas, fully described in the original petition for condemnation filed in said cause, said property being adjacent to U. S. Highway 84, running east of Farwell, Texas, and to assess the damages accruing to each of said Defendants, if any, by reason of the taking and appropriating of said lands. That such construction, reconstruction and maintenance upon said highway is surveyed through, across, upon, and will cross, run through and upon the following described real property situated in Parmer County, Texas, the fee simple title to which is vested in the Defendants, to-wit:

Parcels 35 & 36
0.191 acre of land, more or less, same being part of Lots 2 and 13, Block 14, Burton Addition, Farwell, Texas, same lots having been conveyed to Nellie Taylor by Viola Bevel by deed dated April 16, 1917, and of record in Volume 21, Page 41, Parmer County Deed Records, which 0.191 acre of land, more or less, is contained in two parcels, being more particularly described as follows: Parcel 35: Being part of Lot 2, Block 14, Burton Addition, more particularly described by metes and bounds, as follows: BEGINNING at the Northwest corner of Lot 2, same corner being 50.00 ft. S 0 deg. 19 min 30 sec W of the original NW corner of Block 14;

THENCE S 89 deg 40 min 30 sec E with the North line of Lot 2, 140.00 ft. to the NE corner of Lot 2;
THENCE S 0 deg 19 min 30 sec W with the East line of Lot 2, 28.38 ft. to a point;
THENCE N 81 deg. 58 min 45 sec W, 141.27 ft. to a point in the West line of Lot 2;
THENCE N 0 deg. 19 min 30 sec E with the West line of Lot 2, 9.46 ft. to the point of beginning, containing 0.061 acre.

Parcel 36: Being part of Lot 13, Block 14, Burton Addition, more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows: BEGINNING at the NE corner of Lot 13, same corner being 50.00 ft. S 0 deg 19 min 30 sec W of the original NE corner of Block 14;
THENCE S 0 deg. 19 min 30 sec W with the East line of Lot 13, 50.00 ft. to the SE

corner of Lot 13;
THENCE N 81 deg. 58 min 45 sec W, 141.27 ft. to a point in the West line of Lot 13;
THENCE N 0 deg. 19 min 30 sec E with the West line of Lot 13, 31.08 ft. to the NW corner of Lot 13;
THENCE S 89 deg 40 min 30 sec E with the North line of Lot 13, 140.00 ft. to the point of beginning, containing 0.130 acre.

That all of the above more fully appears in a certain written petition for condemnation, filed with the County Judge of Parmer County, Texas, as aforesaid, on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1961.

This notice and citation shall be served by the Sheriff of Parmer County, Texas, upon the above named Defendants and their unknown heirs and all unknown claimants, by publishing the same once each week for four consecutive weeks, in the State Line Tribune, a newspaper published in Farwell, Parmer County, Texas, the first publication to be at least 28 days before the return day above fixed.

Herein fail not, but have you before the undersigned Commissioners, on or before the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1962, this notice and citation with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Issued and given by the Commissioners heretofore appointed by the County Judge of Parmer County, Texas, on this the 5th day of December, A. D. 1961.

Joe W. Jones
W. N. Foster
Billy R. Bolling
10-4tc

NO. 881
State Of Texas, Et Al, Vs. C. B. Henze, Et Al

Proceedings In Eminent Domain
In The County Court Of Parmer County, Texas

NOTICE IN CONDEMNATION

The State Of Texas, As Petitioner,
TO: American Union Petroleum Corporation, a corporation whose place of business and address is unknown, its unknown officers and stockholders, successors, heirs and assigns, all of whom are unknown and whose places of residence are unknown; C. B. Henze, whose place of residence is unknown, his unknown wife or wives, whose places of residence are unknown; Charles B. Henze and his wife, Pauline Henze, whose places of residence are unknown; and if any of the above named parties is deceased, then their unknown heirs, assigns, devisees and legal representatives, all of whom are unknown and whose places of residence are unknown, and all unknown claimants.

You Are Hereby Commanded and directed to appear and answer, in the County Courtroom in the Parmer County

Courthouse in Farwell, Texas, at 10 o'clock A. M., on the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1962, being a Monday, in the above styled suit, in which suit the State of Texas is Plaintiff and the persons named above, their unknown husbands and wives, and their unknown heirs or legal representatives, and unknown claimants, are Defendants.

The cause of action alleged by Plaintiff is for a condemnation of certain property in Parmer County, Texas, fully described in the original petition for condemnation filed in said cause, said property being adjacent to U. S. Highway 84, running east of Farwell, Texas, and to assess the damages accruing to each of said Defendants, if any, by reason of the taking and appropriating of said lands. That such construction, reconstruction and maintenance upon said highway is surveyed through, across, upon, and will cross, run through and upon the following described real property situated in Parmer County, Texas, the fee simple title to which is vested in the Defendants, to-wit:

Parcels 33 & 34
0.254 acres of land, more or less, same being part of Lots 12 and 13, Block 15, Burton Addition to Farwell, Texas, same lots having been conveyed to American Union Petroleum Company by Charles B. Henze by deed dated August 21, 1929, and of record in Volume 39, Page 408, Parmer County Deed Records, which 0.254 acre of land, more or less, is contained in two parcels, being more particularly described as follows:

Parcel No. 33: Being part of Lot 12, Block 15, Burton Addition, more particularly described by metes and bounds, as follows: BEGINNING at the Northeast corner of Lot 12, same corner being 100.00 ft. S 0 deg. 19' 30" W of the original Northeast corner of Block 15;

THENCE S 0 deg. 19' 30" W with the East line of Lot 12, 50.00 ft. to the Southeast corner of Lot 12;
THENCE N 81 deg. 58' 45" E, 141.27 ft. to a point in the West line of Lot 12;

THENCE N 0 deg. 19' 30" E with the West line of Lot 12, 31.08 ft. to the Northwest corner of Lot 12;
THENCE S 89 deg. 40' 30" E with the North line of Lot 12, 140.00 ft. to the point of beginning. Parcel No. 33 containing 0.130 acre.

Parcel No. 34: Being all of Lot 13, Block 15, Burton Addition, lying South of present U. S. Hwy. 84, being more particularly described by metes and bounds, as follows: BEGINNING at the Southeast corner of Lot 13, same corner being 100.00 ft. S 0 deg. 19' 30" W of the original Northeast corner of Block 15;

THENCE N 89 deg. 40' 30" W with the South line of Lot 13, 140.00 ft. to the Southwest corner of Lot 13;
THENCE N 0 deg. 19' 30" E with the West line of Lot 13, 47.97 ft. to a point in the South right-of-way line of present U. S. Hwy. 84;

THENCE from a tangent bearing S 82 deg. 41' 53" E around a curve to the right having a radius of 5,679.65 ft., with the South right-of-way line of present U. S. Hwy. 84, 141.29 ft. to a point in the East line

of Lot 13;
THENCE S 0 deg. 19' 30" W with the East line of Lot 13, 29.00 ft. to the point of beginning. Parcel No. 34 containing 0.124 acre.

That all of the above more fully appears in a certain written petition for condemnation, filed with the County Judge of Parmer County, Texas, as aforesaid, on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1961.

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Help the Fire Chief Have Merry Holiday

Help the fire chief and his men have a Merry Christmas this year by using care with fire around the house, says the National Board of Fire Underwriters.

The chief and his men, like everyone else, would prefer to have quiet Christmas dinners with their families, the Board adds.

You can make the chief happy by being careful to avoid fire this holiday season.

In addition, you can have a Merry Christmas yourself without the prospect of a rebuilding bill in January.

Merry Christmas

TO YOU AND THANK YOU FOR YOUR GOOD WILL

Farwell Post Office Personnel

Just an old-fashioned greeting
To wish Christmas Cheer

TEXICO AUTOMATIC LAUNDRY

THANKS
and have a Merry Christmas
won't you?

FLOYD MILSTEAD

Merry Christmas

SHEETS And SON
Texico, New Mexico

Hope you have the nicest CHRISTMAS ever!

GLADYS FARWELL

WE WISH YOU Merry Christmas

Your friendship and patronage have helped make this a truly happy time for us. May your Christmas abound with the spirit of great joy.

SKYLITE SKATATORIUM

FARWELL

Merry Christmas

May you have a Joyful Holiday

Texico Post Office Personnel

GOOD WISHES FOR A JOYOUS CHRISTMAS

PRICE Walgreen AGENCY

CLOVIS

BEST WISHES FOR

A Merry Christmas

To you, who have been so faithful a friend and customer... we repeat this year the ageless, unchangeable phrase, "Merry Christmas." We know that you'll know it comes from the heart.

COOPER GIN

Lawrence Mildred

TIPS FOR SMOKERS

Keep plenty of noncombustible ashtrays about your home during the holidays and empty them often, the National Board of Fire Underwriters recommends. The National Board points out that one out of every four fires is caused by matches and smoking. If you are having house guests, make sure that upstairs bedrooms as well as the living room, dining room and kitchen are well stocked with ashtrays. And, when you empty an ashtray, make sure no fire is in it.



Guy, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitesides, holds a tray which his mother made as a Christmas gift this year. He is surrounded by other items to be found under family trees. In the background is a spool rack, bathroom library, wall note pad and spice and towel rack. A portion of a stenciled tablecloth can be seen and a cleansing tissue holder is in the foreground.

Sally Whitesides Finds Hobbies An Aid At Christmas Time

By Jeanne Graham
Christmas is a time for giving hand-made items for one modern-day family; it's a tradition that has been maintained since long before the

phrase, "do-it-yourself" was invented. Mrs. Bill Whitesides, or Sally as she is known, began her Christmas designs back in September and her house now looks like a specialty shop with gift items displayed in every nook. With the hobbies of wood-working and sewing, Sally finds planning gift items for family members is simplified--she can design a present that fits the personality of the recipient. Her first love, wood-working, is the "only hobby I've ever found that pays for itself", she relates. So far this year, she has made an Early American spool holder that has 52 holders and places for eight bobbins; a bathroom library with the spool for paper and a book rack; a spice and towel rack; wall note pad; toothbrush holder, and several cigarette caddies, a favorite gift for the men on her list.

She has designed quilted robes for friends and relatives, stenciled tablecloths although she has done "very little stencil work." Another dainty gift that she likes to make is a cleansing tissue holder designed from organdy or taffeta covered with net and edged in lace. She plans the colors according to the homes of persons to whom the holders will be given. Asked how she manages to find all the items needed for making all her gifts, Sally explains "Oh, I Christmas shop all year long." She buys magazines to aid her in getting ideas for items she wishes to make. When interviewed a couple of weeks ago, she was still trying to find time to make plastic flowers, a new hobby.

The possibility seemed remote at that time. In the past, she has also made outdoor decorations. Last year, she made angel silhouettes in gold, flanked by tall electric candles. She gave the decorations away after Christmas. She also made angel plaques for the children last year, and several jewelry boxes of shell macaroni sprayed in various colors and lined in matching velvet. By listening to remarks from family and friends during the year, Sally gets ideas on suitable presents. Knowing her ability, some tell her there are certain items they would enjoy. Also planned this year were soap holders, which hadn't been completed. She gave several decorative candles last year and hasn't repeated plans for this gift in 1961. To fill out her gift list, she is also baking special things. Busy last week with divinity and other candies, her plans also include gifts of Danish pastry, one of her specialties. Her busy hands are not rested after Christmas since she makes all of the clothes for Guy, the 2-year-old junior boss of the household. She also sews most of her own clothes and some things for her husband, Bill.

The family moved to Farwell from Bovina 2 1/2 years ago. He is employed at Sherrley - Anderson Grain. Before moving to Farwell, Sally was society editor of the Bovina Blade. Bill has hobbies, too. He enjoys hunting and fishing and according to his wife is "good at woodworking." He designed his own gun cabinet, "but he is hampered by the space problem," Sally says. She does most of her work on the dining table. Probably the spool rack was the most time consuming project this Christmas. Sally spent about 20 hours completing it. It's obvious that she enjoys her work and probably no one enjoys her gifts more than the giver.

Hereford Trio Held For Area Burglaries

Three persons were apprehended in Hereford Tuesday in connection with a series of cross country burglaries reaching from Friona to Dora, New Mexico, Monday night. Parmer County Sheriff Charles Lovelace reported Wednesday morning that Jackie Dickerson, 24, Wayne Dickerson, 16, and L. D. Locke, 21, all of Hereford, were being held in connection with burglaries at Associated Growers, Friona; Three-Way Chemical Co., Bovina, a school house in Bledsoe, a grocery store in Bledsoe, and a grocery store in Dora. Locke and Wayne Dickerson have admitted to the burglaries and to recent similar acts in Morton, according to Lovelace. Jackie Dickerson "is implicated because of the stolen goods found in his quarters,"

Lovelace added. He has not yet given any statement of admission to any of the burglaries. The three lived at the same address, according to officials. "I believe we are going to clear up about 10 burglaries and thefts which have been committed in the last few months," Lovelace said. He based his statement on items found in the living quarters of the trio which are believed to have been taken in several area burglaries dating back to Sept. 1. Reports indicated that \$3,000 in checks and \$6 in cash were taken from Associated Growers Monday night. Officers recovered the metal box containing the checks after they were told that the box had been thrown under a bridge about two miles from the scene of the burglary. A 12 gauge shotgun and \$50 in cash were taken from Three-

Way Chemical Company in Bovina, according to Lovelace. The serial number of the stolen gun matched that of a gun found in the possession of the trio. At last report, Parmer officials did not know exactly what was taken in the Bledsoe and Dora burglaries. Lovelace said that Locke and Jackie Dickerson would be taken to Morton Wednesday afternoon to appear before the grand jury there in connection with burglaries in that area. The Cadillac driven by one of the trio had been watched by area officials for about two months.

Thirty-Nine On Honor Roll

The names of honor students have been released for the second six - weeks period at Texico, with thirty - nine students on the list.

Each of the students was issued a free pass to the local theater, a regular courtesy extended honor students by Ira S. Levins, owner of the theater. Seniors receiving passes were Beverly Cassidy, Kit Doran, William Heacock, Mildred Hukill, Betty Lockhart, Judy Lovett, Vickie Lovett, Beulah McDaniel, Donna Kay Osborn, Barbara Raulie, Larry

Richardson, Evie Thornton, Dwight Turner and Patsy Widener.

Juniors named to the roll were Georgina Lambert, Linda Palmateer, James Watts and Carol White; while three sophomores, Wayne Hudnall, Hazel McDaniel and Kathleen Smith were listed from that class.

Freshmen were Emmitt Autrey, Vivian Duncan, Linda Hadley, Gwinette Lovett, Floyd Morris, Mike Spearman, Cynthia Spence, Sarah Beth Walker, Kathy White and Lanny Doshier.

David Duncan, Terry Lovett, Gary Meier and Veda Wilson were listed from the eighth grade; and seventh graders included Keith Crooks, Pamela Roberts, Susan White and Marsha Palmateer.



Silent Night

May the spirit of peace be with you!
Stateline Motor Exchange
JUNIOR ROBERTSON
Farwell

FREE
\$9.95
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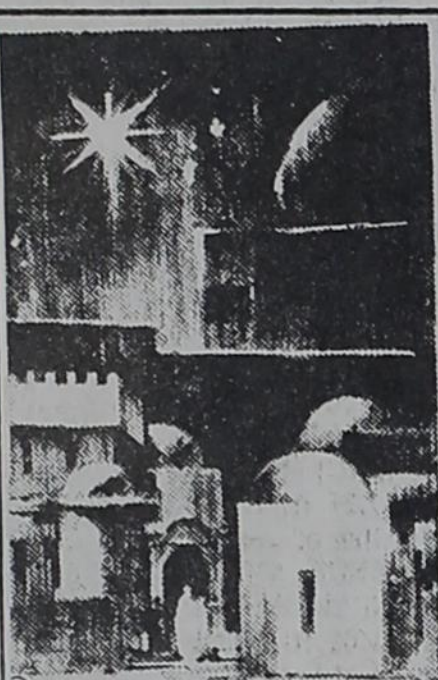
The perfect Christmas present for your home. Here's a completely new idea in Christmas decoration! The jolly Santa ornament - completely safe, easy to install - glows at night and brings the warmth of the Holiday Season to the entire neighborhood.

Gas Lights will continue to brighten your patio, drive or porch throughout the year. It's at home in any setting... wherever you need outside lighting... lending a touch of the traditional charm of America's gaslight era.

See a complete selection of Gas Lights on our display floor. Choose the design you like best for your home - or as a gift. Your free Santa Claus ornament will be wonderful for Christmas - and will help save on decorations, too.



SOUTHERN UNION COMPANY GAS



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May the spirit of peace be with you!
TOM PAUL'S BEAUTY SALON
--FARWELL--

May the spirit of the Christmas Season bring joy to you and yours
MC DORMAN LAUNDRY
JAMES VELMA

May the blessings of Christmas be with you today and always.
Roth Grocery And Market
Tina Ted Bill

"For unto you is born this day in the city of David, a saviour, which is Christ the Lord."
Luke
Merry Christmas
S. & S. Furniture Inc.
Jim Bob Smart B.L. Barnes

Keith O'Hare Serves Aboard USS Bennington
Men from the Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church in Farwell were guests of the Oklahoma Lane Methodist men Monday morning, when they prepared breakfast for the group. Guest speaker was Rev Robert O. Tomlinson. Sixteen men from the Oklahoma Lane church along with Rev. Tomlinson, Clay Henson, Willfred Quickel, A. D. Kirk, John Lovelace, Woodrow Lovelace, Paul Wurster, Dub Howard, Joe Helton, John Aldridge, Joe Blair and Joe White attended the function.

GREETINGS
for the Holidays
THANK YOU FOR YOUR MANY FAVORS
Magness Real Estate
And **George's Barber Shop**

Red Says - - -
WE MAY NOT REALLY BE SANTA CLAUS, BUT WE DO GIVE OUR VERY BEST IN SERVICE EACH TIME YOU DRIVE IN ON OUR DRIVEWAY.
At This Time We Want To Wish Our Customers
Peace on Earth
May Gifts Of Joy Be Yours This Christmas Tide.....
Wheeler Ave "66"
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Texico, N. Mex.

MERRY CHRISTMAS
SISEMORE FURNITURE
CLOVIS

HAPPY CHRISTMAS TO ALL!
DUFFY'S
CLOVIS

HAPPY HOLIDAY
From **WAYNE WALLACE MOTOR CO**
CADILLAC AND OLDS
And All Of His Employees



Christmas Joy and Blessings

"And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the Babe lying in a manger." In the hush of a Holy Night, He was born, bringing to earth a joyous promise of Peace and Good Will to all mankind. And now, as the bells ring out the glad tidings, age-old yet ever new, another Christmas dawns. Hope is strengthened, courage fortified, faith renewed. Hearts and spirits are bright with the shining wonder of the Day.

To all our friends, our greetings and good wishes! May you hear the wonder of Christmas in each dearly cherished carol... see its magic in each gaily decked tree... feel its infinite joy deeply in your heart. And, as you hark to the words of the sacred story, may the blessings of His message surround you and those you hold dear, at Christmastide and through all the days to come.

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G.D. ANDERSON

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DOLLIE PORTER

R.W. ANDERSON

NINA MAE GLASSCOCK

IRENE M. DYER

L.S. POOL

NELL THOMPkins

A CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

“...and on earth
peace, good will
toward men!”



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CLOVIS FIRMS

These Messages Are Individually Written As Personal Expressions To Their Friends

May This Joyous Christmas Light Your
Way To A Happy Prosperous Year Ahead.

CLOVIS BODY SHOP

Portales Hi-Way Clovis

Our Gift... Good Wishes For This
Christmastime And For Each Day In The
Coming Year.

FLOWERLAND

1021 Main Clovis

The Bells Ring Out Our Bright And
Happy Wishes To One And All This
Glorious Yuletide.

SELF'S RADIO AND T.V. SERVICE

117 W. 5th. - Clovis - PO 8-6633

HAPPINESS AT CHRISTMAS... And Every Joy In
The Coming Year,

BRYSON'S

FURNITURE - CARPET - GIFTS

516 - 518 Main Dial PO 2-2931

May The Stars In The Heavens Shine
As Never Before On Your Christmas
Happiness This Year.

THRIFTY DRUG STORE

420 Main Clovis

May Your Christmas Be Quite Jolly,
And Your New Year Full Of Fun,
We Wish Everyone Of You
The Best There Is Through 1962.

THE PRESCRIPTION SHOP

119 W. 5th. Clovis

To Our Customers A Greeting Sincere
Merry Christmas And A Happy New Year!

MAULDIN LUMBER INC.

S. Lea Clovis

To All Our Friends... Old and New,
Past, Present and Future... We Say:

"MERRY CHRISTMAS!"

JOHN WHITE IMPLEMENT CO.

IHC Dealer Clovis N. Mex.

May Joy And Good Fortune Be Yours
Throughout Christmas And The New Year.

THE SPUDNUT SHOP

Herb Baker, Owner
Clovis, N. M.

'Tis The Christmas Season... And The
World Is Filled With Cheer! And So We Pause
To Extend Our Sincerest Best Wishes To One
And All.

**MOTTS VENETIAN BLIND CO.
AND CLOVIS TENT AND AWNING**

Clovis, N. M.

This Space Is Too Small To Wish Our
Many Friends And Customers The Kind Of
MERRY CHRISTMAS and PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR
We Hope They Have.

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Randolph and Cathryn Bevell
7th. and Prince CLOVIS, N. M.

The Best Ever... That's The Sort Of
Christmas We Wish For Our Friends And
Customers In 1962.

**BURKETT MAYFLOWER
BURKETT
MOVING & STORAGE CO. INC.**
Clovis

Our Wish Is Brief But Very Sincere.
A Merry Christmas To You And A Happy New
Year.

DAYHOFF SHOES

415 Main Clovis

May We Convey Our Sincerest Hopes
For A Cheerful, Happy Christmas And A
Brighter New Year To You.

THE CLOVIS NATIONAL BANK

Clovis N. Mex.

Same Old Wish, Always New...
A Merry Christmas To All Of You.

**EASTERN NEW MEXICO
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CLOVIS, N. M.

Not As A Customer... But As A Valued
Friend, We Take This Occasion To Express
Our Holiday Greeting To You.

PIERCE MARINE SALES & SERVICE

917 E. 1st. Clovis

MERRY CHRISTMAS Still Rings Truer
Than Any Other Greeting We Can Extend To
You At This Time Of The Year.

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TO EVERYONE ... MERRY CHRISTMAS!

VILLAGE RECORD SHOP

113 E. 7th. Clovis

May Your Christmas Day Be Gay, And
Many The Gifts That Come Your Way,
And As The New Year Follows Through, We
Wish You Joy And Warm Friendships Too.

W AND J AUCTION

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CLOVIS, N. M.
W. A. James

May Your Christmas Sparkle With
Happiness.

G. C. WILLIAMS PAINT STORE

119 E. 5th.
Clovis N. Mex.

Local Couple And Friend Return From Visit To Twelve Countries

A pictorial record of a dozen countries is a study in color photography in the album compiled by Hamlin Overstreet after he and his wife and a friend, Mrs. Cora Janeway of Clovis, returned the past summer from an independent tour.

The trip gave Overstreet the opportunity to photograph international places of beauty that are often seen in travel magazines. Visited were Morocco, Gibraltar, Sicily, Italy, Switzerland, Germany, Austria, Holland, Belgium, France, England and Scotland.

A highlight of the trip was a visit with James W. Younger, a retired Brigadier General and former Farwell resident who now resides in Paris. The Big Younger and Overstreet grew up here and the two men hadn't seen one another again until a couple of years ago when they renewed their acquaintance in Clovis.

the many apes that inhabit the area.

Enroute to Sorrento, scenery was beautiful and lunch was at a hotel overlooking the Mediterranean. The trip was made via Pompeii. Mrs. Overstreet had a picture taken with the statue of Caesar as she quipped "As much difficulty as he gave me in school, I want my picture with him." A new experience was the chance to see a live volcano.

Rome was the site of much sight-seeing, but "In Italy, one sees so many cathedrals," Overstreet explains. He had nothing but praise for the

beautiful city of Florence, however, where the artistic touch was so evident. Here, he has a unique collection of pictures.

A short sightseeing tour by gondola was a highlight in Venice and the visitors particularly liked St. Mark's Church and Square and the Lido where travel was by horse and buggy. Italy's charm was best remembered as the place of Michaelangelo.

In Milan, they were in the audience of the opera "Madame Butterfly" at the famous La Scala opera house. They heard Leontyne Price, the American

Metropolitan singer in the title roll.

The only language difficulty was encountered here. On leaving the opera performance, the party walked into pelting rain. They couldn't make anyone understand that they wanted a taxi and finally went to a coffee shop hoping to find an English-speaking person. When they had no luck there, they again went outside and were rescued by a citizen who charged three prices to take them to the hotel. "We paid happily," Overstreet adds.

Snowflakes were gently falling while the trio was in Switzerland.

From Munich, they traveled through the Bavarian Alps to visit Eagle's Nest, where travelers wind around mountain roads, then at 10,000 feet, ride an elevator to a mountain tea

room. They returned via Berchtesgaden and Oberammergau where they visited the Passion Play Theatre.

In Vienna, the Overstreets and Mrs. Janeway were visitors at the same time that the Kennedys were there. They visited the Spanish Riding Academy to view the famous white Lipizzaner horses in performance while Mrs. Kennedy was present, but there were so many persons in the party of the First Lady that she could not be seen too well.

Of particular interest was the walled city of Rothenburg in Germany where they walked through picturesque winding cobblestone streets and viewed walls and moats and gardens in the quaint old-world city. A city noted for etchings, the Overstreet purchased some of the work.

West Berlin, "as modern as Dallas," was a contrast to East Berlin, a place of rubble and depressed living conditions. The group had no difficulty in their drive through the Russian sector at that time; they did show passports several times.

Near Hamburg was the "most beautiful cemetery in the world" and the local people agreed. It resembled a park.

Remembered most about Holland are the acres and acres of colorful flowers and Volendam where residents wear pantaloons and wooden shoes.

Two men still design shoes by hand. Willow is used because after the shoes are dried, they won't absorb water.

In Paris, they had lunch at the Eiffel Tower restaurant, saw Napoleon's tomb and viewed the changing of the

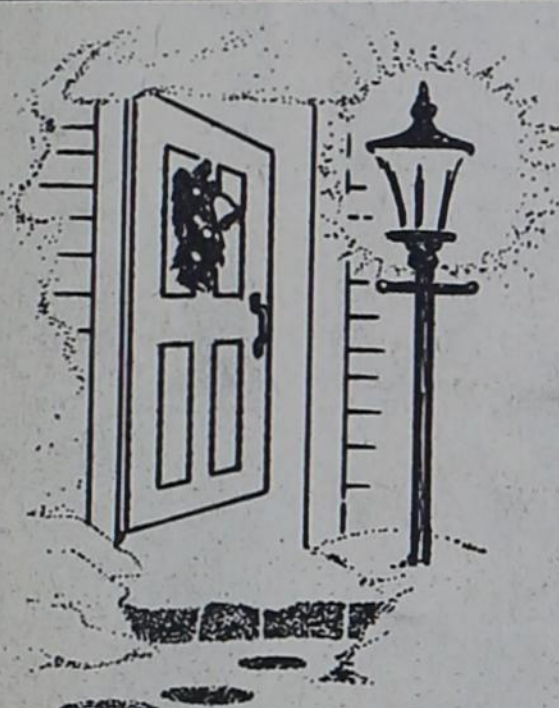
guard in London. They enjoyed their travels in Scotland and England and saw "Hamlet" at the Shakespeare Theatre at Stratford on Avon, visited the "Lady of the Lake country" and Walter Scott's home.



AT THIS HOLY CHRISTMAS SEASON, WE EXTEND OUR BEST WISHES.

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MR. & MRS. PAUL WURSTEP



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We'll welcome the chance to visit with an old friend, and talk of the many good Christmas Seasons of the past, and extend our hearty wish that the Christmas Season of this year be a happy one for you.

Jones "66" Service



Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin Overstreet (left) and Mrs. Cora Janeway pause aboard the Queen Elizabeth, as they are enroute to the states after a tour of Europe. Twelve countries were on their itinerary.

Our wish for you is the blessing of the season, joy, happiness, contentment, cherished friends and good neighbors.

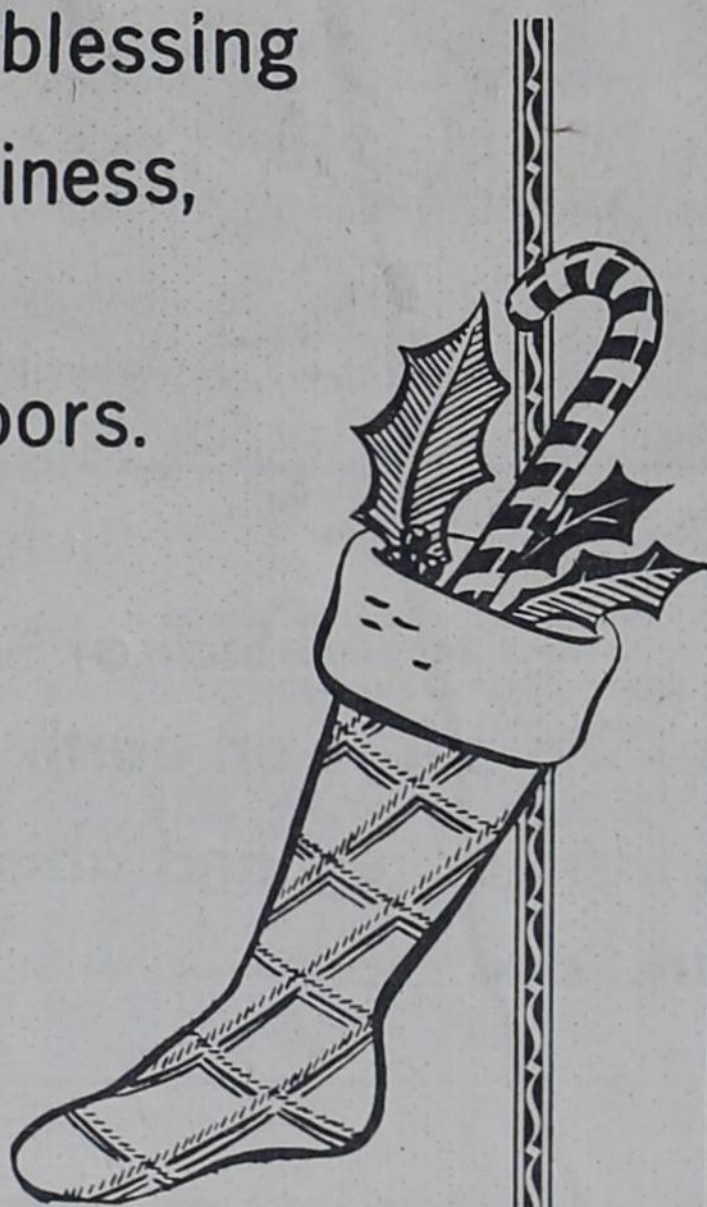
Thank you, and . . .

Merry Christmas

TO EVERYONE

THE VOHS CO.

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A firm like ours could not exist without such friends as you. So, once again, in appreciation of your good will, we pledge our best.

Happy Holiday

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Letters To Santa

Dear Santa,
I want a kissy doll and a chaty-cathy and a ballerina and a record player and a real kitten.
Love Linda

Dear Santa,
I likes to have a Kissy. I like to have a doll, and a bed, and a real kitten.
Mary

Dear,
Ballerina bicycle, roller skates. Darlene

Santa Claus
I like to make my friends happy. Please bring me a gun, truck and wagon.
Steven

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a cry baby and a bed four cry baby.
Love Rose

Dear Santa,
May I have a Krissy doll, a queen doll that walks and talks.
Love LaShawn

Dear Santa,
Please bring me 3 trucks and one gun.
Love Ty

Dear Santa,
I want a Rickishay. I want a football suit and a football.
Love Dexter

Dear Santa,
Will you please bring gun and

good tire?
Love Randya

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a bike, ballerina dishes and a real kitten.
Love Diane

Dear Santa,
I want a steam shovel. Send it to me. Love Ray Norton

Dear Santa,
I want a kissy doll and I want a kitten, and I want a Casper doll.
Love, Caroline

Dear Santa,
I want a sled. I want a roller skates. I want a record player.
Love Mack

Dear Santa Claus,
This Christmas would you please bring me (Kim) a bride doll? Kristi wants a big baby doll and Kirk would like a soft, cuddly toy. Kristi and I have been pretty good so would you also bring us some cowboy hats and batons?
Thank You,
Kim and Kristi Magness

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Thumbelina. I want a Princess Telephen. I want a baby buggy. I want a Coco Cola machine. I want a Deluxe train case. I want a beauty rose cosmetic kit. I want a deluxe all-in-one beauty bar. I want a Wishmaker Special Ironing set. I want a typewriter. I want a Barbie doll.
From Lynne White

Dear Santa Claus,
For Christmas I would like a cap carnival set. It is bigger than any other set that I have had.
Marty White

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year and would like for you to bring me a TiddlyWinks game, a two-gun holsters set and a bowling set. I will sure be looking for you Christmas.
Thank you
Lesley Curtis

Dear Santa,
I have been a good little girl and would like for you to bring me a kissy doll and buggy for my doll. A coke machine.
Thank You,
Joy Meeks

Dear Santa,
Will you please bring me an automatic car that I can really ride in? I am eight years old, and I am in the third grade. The reason I told you that because I thought that you ought to decide how fast it went.
Thank you,
Your friend,
Ronny Graham

P. S. And will you please bring my brother John a play airplane too? MERRY CHRISTMAS SANTA!

Dear Santa,
Will you please bring me a football for Christmas? I am 6 years old, in the first grade.
Thank you,
Your friend,
Hal Graham

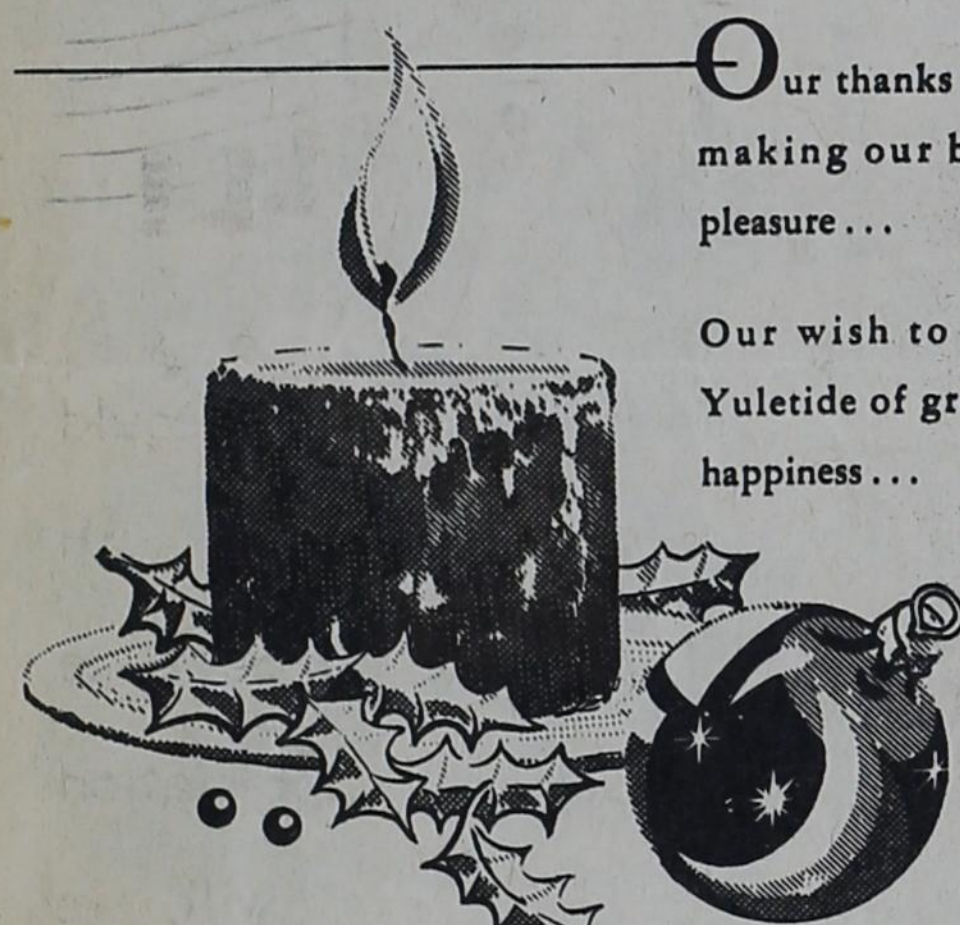
P. S. And will you please bring my little brother Andy a toy telephone? MERRY CHRISTMAS SANTA!

Merry Christmas



May every moment of this Holy Season be one of Peace and Contentment for you and your entire family.

Bill Moss Texaco Station



Our thanks to you for making our business a pleasure...

Our wish to you for a Yuletide of great joy and happiness...

Aldridge Insurance Agency
Farwell, Texas

Good WISHES

for the happiest holiday season

It's Christmas again, and we're glad. Glad... because it gives us the opportunity and occasion to express our sincere appreciation for the friendship of those whom we serve. You've made this a wonderful Christmas for us.

FARWELL HARDWARE
Farwell, Texas

May all the joys of Christmas time be yours

Your heart shall rejoice, and your joy no man taketh from you

JOHN 16:22



Piggly Wiggly

Peace on Earth



As the three wisemen did long ago, let us in this Holy Season look to the Star of Bethlehem for guidance toward lasting peace on earth - - - - - May the peace of Christmas rest and abide in each of you, now and evermore----

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John Garrett

James Garrett
Malcolm Garrett
Michael Garrett
Virgil Gregory
A. J. Grimlan
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Letters To Santa

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy four years old, I have been a good boy all year. Please bring me a pair of cowboy boots, a truck and tractor set. Please leave me some candy and nuts in my stockings. Please remember Kirk and Rodney.
Love Greg Crim

candy and nuts in my stockings. Please remember the other boys and girls.
Love Lucinda Crim

Dear Santa,
I am a boy, 6 years old. I would like for you to bring me a horse and saddle, a road grader, a dump truck and a bicycle, also an airplane. My little brother, Brian, who is 4 years old would like for you to bring him a horse and saddle, a road grader, an airplane, and a bicycle. My other little brother, Mark, who is 2 years old would like a horse and saddle

too, and a road grader, a gun and an airplane.
Please fill our stockings and remember all the other little girls and boys. We have been pretty good boys this year.
We love you,
Steve, Bryan and Mark Koehler

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy six years old, and I have tried to be a good boy. Would you please bring me a tractor and equipment, an airplane and anything else you think I might like. Don't forget all of the other little boys and girls.
Thank you Santa,
Yours Truly,
Gene McCarter

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Gayla I am 8 years old and I want a bicycle and tiny tears. I guess that is all for now.
Lots of love,
Gayla Haguley

Dear Santa Claus,
I am 2 years old. I've been a pretty good girl and I would like you to bring me a baby doll with a bottle, little red wagon and some blocks.
Thank you,
Carla Haguley

Dear Santa Claus,
I am five years old. I have been a pretty good boy and I

would like a B-B gun and a road construction set for Christmas.
Thank you,
Ricke Haguley

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy six years old, and I have tried to be a good boy. Would you please bring me a tractor and equipment, an airplane and anything else you think I might like. Don't forget all of the other little boys and girls.
Thank you Santa,
Yours Truly,
Gene McCarter

A. L. Tandy was released from Clovis Memorial Hospital Monday, after being a patient for several days.
Levi Johnson was dismissed from Parmer County Community Hospital Monday. He had been a patient for several days.

JOTTIN'S By Jeanne

I love to go to the post office at this time of year, because it's when I receive that yearly note from long-time friends, and many times find a picture of little ones whose parents are dear to me. All the old high school and college chums seem to drift away from one another until Christmas, then we remember to take a minute for a note.

Ettie Musil, home demonstration agent, sent a clever and useful greeting. She mailed a greeting along with holiday recipes and household hints.

We're still trying to get a picture of Dickie Gerles, Farwell pep club beau in the paper. After 10 years, of marriage, the publisher is still confused at times on things I assume he knows. For instance, I wrote a story about Dickie and Carolyn Routh, FFA sweetheart and clipped the pics and story together, marked them for the society page, and thought it was taken care of.

It was, until the spouse who is also the printer, started waving a picture of Gerles around the plant and couldn't find a story to go with it. He didn't think to look on the society page.

So we still have the picture and will make another try at it, don't know if Dickie would rather be on the society page or elsewhere, but I thought it was an excellent idea.

This is the annual Christmas issue of The Tribune. I hope you will sit down and visit briefly with each of the merchants by reading their messages to you at this special season, if you don't yet have the Christmas spirit--read the Christmas greetings and it will help you join in the feeling of the season.

These merchants serve you--their customers, all year, and this is one way they express their appreciation for your patronage.

All of us here at The Tribune join these businessmen in wishing you a wonderful 1962.

Mrs. Bob Lebow, who underwent surgery before Thanksgiving, is slowly recuperating and was to return to Lubbock this week for a checkup.

News From LAZBUDDIE BY MRS. G. A. WATSON

Three Lazbuddie football boys were notified this week that they had received honorable mention in the region. The boys were all on the all-district team. Jimmie Seaton, Calvin Mason and Don Watson were boys receiving the honor.

The Lazbuddie P-TA met Thursday in the high school auditorium with Mrs. Don Schuman in charge. A musical program was given by Mrs. Barton, music teacher. Room count was won by the sixth grade.

Morris Bruns was home for the weekend to visit with his parents, the Less Bruns.

Mrs. W. M. Parham of Merkel returned to her home last week after a visit with her son and family, the E. A. Parhams.

Home for the holidays from Hardin - Simmons University are Billy Hardage, Wayne Peterson and Maudene Barnes. Carol Littlefield from ENMU was home Saturday and Sunday. Her Christmas vacation will begin Thursday.

Odus Bradshaw, a student at Lubbock Christian College, was home Saturday for a visit with his parents.

Attending the Farmers Union Convention at Waco last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Davis

Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Wyle Bullock, Sam Bradley and T. O. Lesley.

Birthday greetings this week go to John Neil Agee, December 19; Annie Cargile, and Mark Harris, December 20; Larry Morris, and Kay Ann Smith, December 21; and Jaunita Pierce, December 22.

George Crain visited his mother in Sudan last week and reported her condition improved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Young, Cooper and Steve left during the week for a Christmas vacation at Port Aransas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bolin from Hub visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Henderson near Sudan Saturday and Sunday.

Visiting the Leon Smiths Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dykes from Sudan and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Day from Canyon. Dale Warrick from Muleshoe visited Leon Watson Saturday.



A cheery
"Hello" to you at Christmas
May this Christmas bring to all our good friends the fulfillment of their greatest expectations.
FARWELL FERTILIZER
ED GENE

A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

We wish you and your loved ones a very bright, festive and fun-filled holiday celebration!

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Thank You
A Merry, Merry Christmas
BUCK'S SUPERETTE
Buck, Onie Jerry

GOOD WILL TOWARD MEN

HELTON OIL CO.
Texico - Farwell

Greetings
And to you, our friends, we wish you all the joys of a happy Christmas.
Johnny McDonald
Real Estate

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

Happy Holidays! Thank you for your loyalty and good will throughout the year.
Mil And Marys' Truck Stop-Cafe
Texico

MERRY CHRISTMAS FOLKS!

Holiday calls are a vital part of CHRISTMAS and across the land folks hurry on these pleasant errands.
Since we cannot come in person, we take this means of expressing our appreciation for your friendship and good will and to sincerely wish that your Holiday Season be a joyous one.
KEMP LUMBER CO.
Farwell

A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

It means so much to us at this time of the year to send you our sincerest wishes for a joyous Yuletide. We hope your holiday will be filled with good health, good cheer and spiritual satisfaction.
Farwell Grain Exchange
Bill And Jean Prince

WE THANK TREE...

For love and Peace, for the Goodness in the world,
For life and family, for truth and for freedom,
For friends, one of the most valuable gifts of all. To each one we extend a special wish for a Christmas of Peace and for future years of happiness.
Ralph Humble
Minneapolis-Moline
JIM MOSS -- ODOM SMITH -- RALPH HUMBLE

THE HIGH PLAINS FARM AND HOME

National Defense Food Policy Announced By USDA

A realignment of its defense planning organization to help American agriculture to be prepared for any foreseeable emergency need for food and fiber has been announced by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Robert S. Reed as special assistant to the Secretary of Agriculture will be responsible for directing the total defense planning program for the USDA. When the realignment was announced, Under Secretary of

Agriculture Charles S. Murphy said, "At President Kennedy's direction, the Department is developing a National Defense Food Policy through which agriculture can strengthen the nation's defense capabilities and create a deterrent to attack through knowledge that we are prepared to withstand any assault." By executive order, the President recently assigned to the Department the responsibility for strategic food stockpiling.

The Department continues to have the assigned responsibility for defense food production, the management of food stocks in the hands of processors and wholesalers, fire control in rural areas, radiological monitoring in rural areas, and for a program of information and education to help farm families protect themselves, their crops and livestock from radiological, biological and chemical attack. During an emergency, the Department is responsible for the domestic distribution of farm equipment and fertilizer.

The USDA is also responsible for helping farmers and agricultural industries obtain the production resources required to meet the nation's food and fiber needs. These resources include machinery, repair parts, fertilizers and other chemicals, containers, construction material, fuel, labor and transportation.

Every 24 hours, a half million tons of oil are moved from the fields to Texas refineries.



Legend of the Bells

Many years ago, in the little town of Locen, Holland, there hung in the church tower two fine bells. Their clear tones gave comfort to all who heard them.

However, these bells had never been baptized, and one night, so the story goes, they disappeared from the church tower. The sorrowing townspeople searched everywhere, but the bells could not be found.

On the Eve of Christmas, the people longed for the joyous sound of the bells — proclaiming the Christmas spirit. Then, precisely at midnight, bell-like tones were heard through the snowy night. They seemed to be coming from a nearby pond.

Though the bells themselves were never found, each Christmas Eve, just at midnight, their chimes rang out over the town and the legend of the bells spread far and abroad.

Other towns, and other countries continued the custom of bell-ringing, and today it has become a beautiful part of the traditional celebration of Christmas.

Cotton Variety Important Factor Mechanical Harvest

Did your mechanical cotton harvester do a satisfactory job on this year's crop? If it didn't, the blame might lay with the variety of cotton you planted.

According to tests conducted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, some cotton varieties are more suitable to mechanical harvesting than others. For the studies, 14 open-boll varieties were tested on the A&M Plantation near College Station and 12 storm-resistant varieties were tested at Substation No. 6 near Denton.

In the mechanical picking tests all varieties were planted on the same date and all received the same cultural practices. All were harvested in a once-over operation and immediately after the harvesting the cotton remaining on the plants and cotton dropped to the ground was collected and weighed. This information was then analyzed statistically to determine mechanical picking efficiency.

The storm-resistant varieties were tested in the same manner, but two different types of stripper rolls were used. Double steel rolls, which are used on some commercial strippers, and rubber paddle stripper rolls developed by the Experiment Station were used on all varieties. In almost every case the rubber paddle stripper rolls showed higher harvesting

efficiency. If you use machine harvesting, and did not get the harvesting efficiency you desire on your last crop, then you should get a copy of PR 2209. This Texas Agricultural Experiment Station publication contains the test results, and this information may help you select a cotton variety more suitable to mechanical harvesting. A copy may be obtained from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas.

FROM THE COURTHOUSE

INSTRUMENTS FILED FOR RECORD WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 2, 1961 County Clerk's Office, Parmer County
W. D., E. C. Berry, Larry Ben Berry, Part Lot 1, Blk. 83, Bovina
Ab. of Judg., Gulf Oil Corporation, R. S. Johnston, Jr., W. D., Lillian Cheshier, Cal Farley's Boys Ranch, Part SW 194 a. Sec. 49, Synd. A, & Part Sec. 20, Blk. C, Synd. W. D., Frank O. Bennett, Jr., Harman-Toles Elevator Co., E/2 Sec. 17, Synd. B S/2 Sec. 30, Synd. C
MML, Billy Jack Gibson, Institute for Essential Housing, Lot 1, Blk. 2, Drake Rev. Sub, Friona
W. D., Commodity Credit Corporation, Lots 9 - 16, Blk. 44, Synd. A
W. D., John Aldridge, et al, R. A. Weiss, Lots 9 - 16, Blk. 44, Synd. A
D. T., R. A. Weiss, Prudential Ins. Co., Lots 9, 16, Blk. 44, Synd. A
W.D., O. T. Haden, R. A. Weiss, E/2 Sec. 6, All Sec. 7, Synd. E
W.D., R.A. Weiss, John Aldridge, et al, E/2 Sec. 6, All Sec. 7, Synd. E
D. T., Sam Jones, HI-Plains Sav. & Loan Assn., E/70' Lot 7 & 8, Blk. 42, Friona
MML, George C. Taylor, Jr., William H. Nunn, Lots 6 & S/2 Lot 7, Blk. 8, Staley Add., Friona
W.D., J.H. Stout, Glenn Ritchie, et al, Part Lot 4, Blk. 85, Bovina
Deed, Byron Campbell, George D. Ledbetter, 20 a. in N/2 of SE/4 Sec. 5, D&K
W.D., Sloan H. Osborn, Osborn Farms, Inc., E/20 a. E/2 Sec. 17; NW/4 Sec. 13; Sec. 14 & W/2 Sec. 18, Blk. B, Rhea Federal Tax Lien, U.S.A. vs. R. & M.L. Powell.

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



OUR SOIL ★ OUR STRENGTH

As many of you know, a watershed and flood detention project on the Running Water Draw has been instigated by the Hale County Soil Conservation District.

Should it be proved economically feasible, a series of flood water retarding structures will be installed to control any flooding. To prove that it is feasible, for every dollar required to build these structures, there has to be shown a dollar's worth of damage.

The soil conservation districts along the watershed have agreed to co-sponsor the application along with the Hale County Soil Conservation District. It is the task of each district to collect necessary information. Forms were sent to each landowner along Running Water Draw and its tributaries. As of this date, very few of these forms have been returned. These forms should show the damage that has resulted from flooding of the draw.

This should include such items as fences being washed out, weed seeds being washed in, cost of controlling such weeds, actual loss of livestock, loss of livestock due to poisonous weeds being washed in and loss of soil by erosion.

If you see an owner along the watershed who has not received one of these forms, please contact the Soil Conservation Service in Friona either in person or by mail. If you have received one of these forms and haven't returned it yet, please do so as soon as possible. Show all damages regardless of how small they may seem to you. If you feel that you have no damage, please send in a negative answer.

Senator Carl T. Curtis of Nebraska advocates placing unions under antitrust laws, in order to deal with their monopoly power. If this is done he believes, many featherbedding practices will vanish and collusion in boycotts will be removed.

Biblical Star Still Mystery To Scientists

Even in this advanced age — with satellites in orbit, sputniks and rockets — men of science still find mystery in the Biblical Star of Bethlehem that shone so brightly when He was born.

Some scholars believe it may have been a supernova, or exploding star. Others think it might have been a comet or perhaps a conjunction of the bright planets Jupiter and Saturn.

If it was a supernova in the Milky Way, astronomers say it would have unquestionably filled ancient stargazers with awe and the feeling that a great event might be taking place.

A "nova" implies a new star, but actually is not. It is rather an old star that suddenly flares up in a display 20,000 to 50,000 times brighter than the sun. A supernova is about 100 million times more brilliant than the sun.

Astronomers do not know what causes a supernova. One theory is that the star's supply of hydrogen becomes exhausted. As the star contracts, the core temperature rises to 110 million degrees centigrade. The incredible temperature sets off helium fusion processes, and the star becomes a huge nuclear fusion reactor which eventually flies to pieces.

'Twelfth Night' Traditional Yuletide Fete

Twelfth Night, or Epiphany, is marked with many customs, ceremonies and legends throughout the world. French and Swiss children, for example, look forward to the pastry they receive on that day, in which a bean, coin or china figure is hidden. Whoever gets the prize, is crowned king of the family.

Epiphany means "appearance" and commemorates the visit of the Three Wise Men to the Infant Jesus. Their arrival was proof to believers that Christ the Saviour was born.

During the Middle Ages, Epiphany or Twelfth Night, was commemorated with plays presented in churches. Solemn observances largely disappeared in Elizabethan England, and this became a time for revelry.

Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" reflects this mood. Historians say it was probably presented in a command performance at White Hall Palace on January 6, 1601.

It is interesting to note that January 6th was first observed as Christ's birthday. January 6th was the day set aside as Epiphany, to commemorate the coming of the Three Wise Men and the first manifestations of Christ to his followers.



Season's Greetings

From The Parmer County Courthouse

We welcome the festive season and this opportunity to tell you how much pride and pleasure we take in your friendship and loyalty. Have a very happy holiday!

- LOYDE A. BREWER
County Judge
- ★
- TOM LEWELLEN
Commissioner, Pct. 1
- ★
- C. H. JEFFERSON
Commissioner, Pct. 2
- ★
- GUY COX
Commissioner, Pct. 3
- ★
- G. W. CRAIN
Commissioner, Pct. 4
- ★
- CHAS. LOVELACE
Sheriff
- ★
- LEE THOMPSON
Assessor - Collector
- ★
- HUGH MOSELEY
County & District Clerk
- ★
- MABEL REYNOLDS
County Treasurer
- ★
- HURSHEL HARDING
County Attorney

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Season's GREETINGS

THE FASHION SHOP

6th & Main Clovis

NOEL

May Christmas, 1961, once again remind us of our Christian faith that we may reaffirm a divine belief in an ever-living God for it is through him that all blessings flow!

SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY

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Extension Agents Explain Radioactive Fallout

(This is the first in a series of questions and answers on civil defense compiled by County Extension Agents, Miss Eggle Musil and Deryl L. Coker.)

The greatest threat to the U. S. at this time would be a nuclear attack. Whether or not this nation survives would depend upon how well we all would be prepared and educated so as to know what we should do.

Parmer County residents have all given some thought to nuclear attack but very few have done anything about it. A few fallout shelters of various types have been constructed. These vary from buried boxcars to rearranged storm cellars. But the mere construction is of little value unless they are equipped with food, water and other facilities for our survival. At the present time many people are taking the negative attitude toward protection against a nuclear attack. But we are always reminded of the fact that our forefathers of this country built stockades as a means of protection against the Indians. People have always tried to protect their families and themselves from all harm or attacks. This is human nature.

Many people are of the opinion that everything would be destroyed by a nuclear attack. This is not necessarily true.

This is the first in a series of questions and answers on civil defense to be published in this paper. These may be the answers to the many questions that have been puzzling to you.

1. QUESTION: What is fallout?
ANSWER:

Fallout is the term used to describe radioactive particles, produced by nuclear explosions, that fall to earth from the upper air. When the bomb explodes close to the earth, large quantities of soil, rock, and debris are drawn up into the ascending cloud. After mixing with the highly radioactive material, particles fall back to earth and produce radioactive contamination. Some of

the particles fall close to the point of the explosion, while others may drift downwind for many miles before settling to earth.

2. QUESTION: What is radiation from fallout?
ANSWER:

Radiation from fallout is caused by particles picked up in the nuclear reaction. These minute particles or isotopes represent a portion of the total energy released by the nuclear reaction. Being unstable, they immediately begin to release energy in the form of wave action, much like heat and light, at a rate which is different and characteristic for each. These unstable particles attach themselves to surface debris which is atomized and taken into the atomic cloud of the ground burst, drift with the winds and fall to earth based on the weather patterns of the moment. These radioactive particles then become a threat to people, livestock, crops and perhaps a long-range threat to our soils. Air bursts, since they do not touch the surface and suck up debris, do not represent a significant fallout threat. Ground bursts are the main threat from a fallout point of view.

3. QUESTION: Are there different types of radiation?
ANSWER:

Yes—two of which are important to us.

1. Beta particles have a limited penetrating capability and are particularly dangerous when the radioactive material is taken internally or stays in contact with the skin. Ordinary clothes generally protect all but the exposed portions of the body. Contamination can be removed by brushing or washing both clothes and the body with soap and water. This will be a problem for livestock and other farm animals.

2. Gamma particles or radiation represent the lethal

and long range threat. They are highly energy waves which penetrate substances in direct ratio to the density and thickness of the material. Roughly, 3 inches of lead is the equivalent of 3 feet of earth in stopping power. For the same thickness, other substances of less density, such as wood, water, etc., decrease the radiation to a lesser extent. Animal tissue and vital organs are easily penetrated and in the process the animal is damaged. Unless this damage is too severe, the body is repaired in time, much like a burn heals. This presents a problem of keeping the exposure within manageable limits. Protective shelter, then, is necessary both for humans and for farm animals.

4. QUESTION: Can fallout be removed like dust?
QUESTION: Can radioactive material be washed from the skin (clothes)?

ANSWER: While the fallout particles have weight and vary in size, the heavier particles fall from the cloud first. The more finely divided particles drift with the air currents like powder. Radioactive particles should be removed as soon as possible. Beta burns can be serious after approximately two days of exposure. The particles can be removed from the skin and clothes by washing; however, the residue in the wash water is radioactive and must be kept away from the shelters.

5. QUESTION: Will the water in wells and ponds be contaminated?
ANSWER:

Yes, but not enough to be an acute hazard. After the fallout has settled to the bottom, the water should be usable. However, if an uncontaminated source of water is available it should be used. The hazard of contaminated

water is primarily a long range one due to radioactive strontium. This causes bone tumors, but the time required to produce bone tumors is more than usual life span of livestock. Water in wells will be contaminated if open and exposed to fallout. If exposed, the water will be usable when the particles settle.

6. QUESTION: If the fallout is trapped in the ice, how long will it take for the radioactivity to diminish?
ANSWER:

The normal rates of decay will control the levels of radioactivity. The ice will serve as a protective cover to water underneath. However, when the snow and ice melt on open water such as ponds, the answer to question 5 applies.

7. QUESTION: Will radiation penetrate glass?
ANSWER:

Windows will be penetrated by gamma radiation but not by beta. Food sealed in jars or cans will be safe.

8. QUESTION: What neutralizes the radioactive material?
ANSWER:

Neither chemical action nor temperature has any effect. The hazard can be reduced by distance or shielding.

9. QUESTION: If earth and concrete are required to protect humans, how can the fruit skin protect it?
ANSWER:

Fruit, vegetables, or other inanimate matter are not damaged by fallout radiation. The reason for peeling or washing such vegetables and fruit is to remove the fallout particles and thus to prevent their entry into the human body. The reason for earth shielding is to absorb the very penetrating rays of these fallout particles and prevent them from reaching sheltered persons. Watch for the second question and answers series next week in this paper.

Christmas Legends

Since this is the Holy season of Christmas here are a few legends to share with you as compiled by Miss Etie Musil, county Home Demonstration agent.

The Legend of the First Creche
One snowy December day, in the year 1223, St. Francis of Assisi was on his way to preach in the village of Greccio in Italy. He pondered, as he walked, how he could bring hope to the poor and illiterate peasants the real meaning of Christmas, and make them understand, so that the story of the birth of Christ would live in their hearts. Suddenly he was inspired. He would show them the scene as it actually was! So he went to a friend in the village, and between them they fashioned the first creche, or Nativity scene.

When the peasants came to the church on Christmas Eve, they stopped in amazement, then fell to their knees in adoration. For there before them was a crude manger—at one end a live donkey and ox. At the other end, real people taking the parts of Joseph and Mary and the shepherds, all grouped around a manger in which lay an effigy of the baby Jesus.

Then St. Francis told them the wonderful story of the birth of Christ and the first Christmas. The people who heard him felt that they were really there in Bethlehem on that blessed night, and they never forgot the message of hope and gladness which the story had for them.

The Legend of the Animals at Christmas

Countless stories and legends have been told of the part the animals and birds, bees and even plants have played in the Nativity. All nations honor those humble beasts who were close to Jesus at the time of His birth, sharing their stable with Him.

One of the best loved legends tells us how the barnyard

animals fell to their knees in adoration of the Christ Child just at midnight on Christmas Eve. This story came from Germany and Switzerland. The American Indians believe that the deer in the forest kneel at midnight on Christmas Eve. Another legend has it that the animals were given the power of speech just at midnight on Christmas Eve to announce the birth of Christ to the world.

In Spain, the cows are specially honored on Noche Buena -- because of the way the little Jesus was kept warm by the cows breathing on him. Lambs play a large part in the Nativity because of the shepherds who traveled so far to see the Baby Jesus. And when we place the little figures of donkeys and oxen, cows, sheep, and lambs in our creche, it is to keep fresh in our hearts the part they played in the first Christmas.

The Legend of the Christmas Rose

It was the holy night of Christ's birth in Bethlehem. The shepherds were gathered outside the stable where the Child was born, and the Wise Men from the East drew near to offer the infant Jesus gifts of gold, and frankincense and myrrh. All of the people gathered round and had come bringing gifts to the Holy Family.

Among them was a young girl who also wanted to enter and

worship the Baby, but she had no gift to bring. Tears of disappointment fell from her eyes. And lo where her tears touched the ground, there sprang a bush bearing beautiful white flowers.

Joyfully, she picked the flowers and hastened to offer them to the Christ Child. When He reached out His little hands to touch them, a delicate pink appeared to flush the hearts of the flowers. And so came into existence the lovely flower which blooms at Christmas time, and which we call the Christmas rose.

The Legend of the Pine Tree
When the little Christ was born in Bethlehem, not only the Wise Men came to offer gifts, the birds, beasts, and plants came too. Each one had something to offer the little Jesus, except the pine tree. It had nothing to offer except its needles, and they would only prick the Baby, and were not at all suitable.

But God saw how disappointed the little tree was, and told some of the stars to go down and rest on its branches. When the did, the little tree was covered with such radiance that when the Child saw it, he stretched out his arms toward it in happiness. From that time forth, at Christmas time, the little pine tree always bears lights which we place there in memory of the night it gave pleasure to the Christ Child.

The Legend of The Poinsettia
In Mexico it is the custom to bring gifts to the church on Christmas Eve to lay at the feet of the Christ Child. The story tells of a little boy who wanted to give a gift to the Child, but he was poor and had no gift to give.

"But I can at least pray," he thought. And so he knelt down outside the church window where he could hear the organ music and see people kneeling inside, and sent up his prayer to the clear midnight skies. When he rose to his feet, in the spot where he had knelt was a beautiful red plant. He reverently picked the red

Income Tax Filing Time At Hand

The year of 1961 will soon be history. For many people, the end of December means the conclusion of another tax year and that tax obligations must soon be met, points out C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist.

Before tackling the tax reporting job, Bates suggests that farmers and ranchmen get a copy of the Internal Revenue Service's 1962 edition of the Farmer's Tax Guide. It is available without cost from the offices of local county agents or those of the Internal Revenue Service. The guide is written in easy-to-read style and includes examples of problems worked out on the applicable tax forms, Bates says.

As for the dates, January 15 is the deadline for farmers and ranchmen who want extra time for filing their final report to file their 1961 tax estimate. If the estimate is filed, Bates explains, the final date for filing of the 1040 form is extended to April 15. If no estimate is filed, February 15 then becomes the deadline for making the final tax report. These deadlines, points

out the specialist, apply to taxpayers who derived two-thirds or more of their 1961 gross income from farming or ranching.

Another important consideration is the reporting of hired labor and the social security tax on wages paid. Either of two tests determine whether or not a farmer must pay the social security tax on wages. If the worker was paid \$150 or more during the calendar year or if the worker was paid wages (on hourly or day basis) for 20 days or more during the year, the 3 percent social security tax should have been deducted from the cash wages.

Form 943 is used for reporting farm wages. The farmer-employer must show the wages paid and give the account number of individual workers. The withheld tax plus an equal amount from the employer along with the reporting form must be

filed on or before January 31 or a month after the close of the year. Because every phase of the farm and ranch business can be affected by taxes, Bates emphasizes the need for a study of the Tax Guide.


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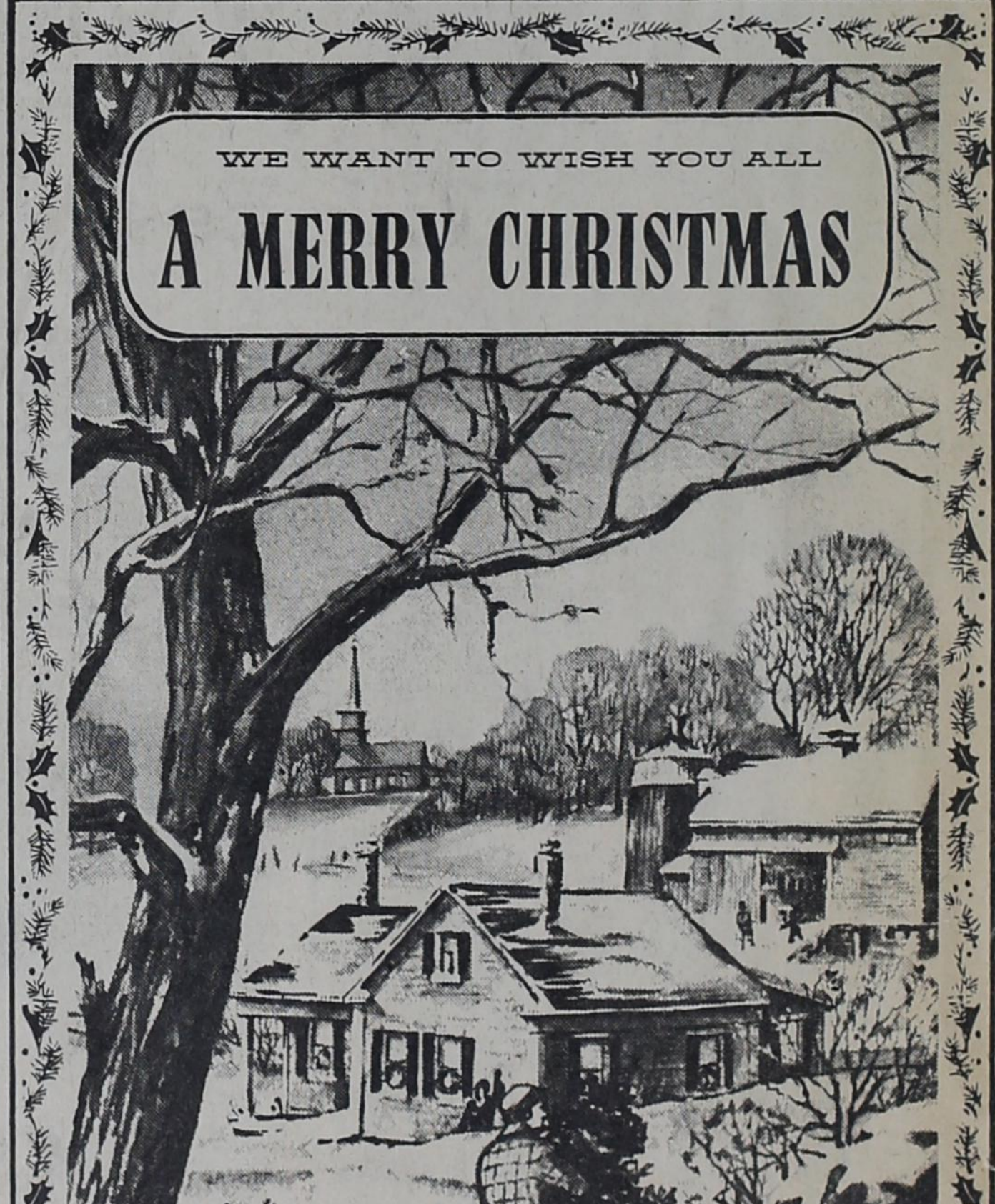
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ROOM AND SAFETY . . . Mrs. Dean Jones, Miss Ettie Musil and Deryl Coker stand at one end of the box car which is set about four feet under the ground. The bath facilities and escape hatches are situated at one end of the car while 22 bunk beds are placed at the other end. At present, the roof of the car is covered with soil but additional modifications and changes, include the covering of the car with cement. Butane will furnish fire for heat and cooking.

PASSAGE TO SAFETY . . . Mrs. Dean Jones leads the way through the tunnel from the cellar on the Partin Austin farm to the buried box car which is being prepared for a fallout shelter. The refrigerated car is one of the methods used to prepare the shelter for large groups or with adequate living area. Miss Ettie Musil, County home demonstration agent, follows Mrs. Jones with her son, Kyle, on a conducted tour of the installation.

EMERGENCY WATER . . . Miss Ettie Musil and Deryl Coker, county agent, inspect the water well situated in the tunnel which connects the cellar with the buried refrigerated freight car which is to provide a fallout shelter for four families, Partin Austin, Dean Jones, Guy Austin and E. L. Smith. Mrs. Jones recently showed the installation to the extension agents.

The HAPPY HOMEMAKER

BY JUNE FLOYD

Have you ever baked a cake from instructions contained in the Bible? If not, try this scripture cake. I clipped the item from some of our exchange publications and think it would be real interesting to try making the cake from the Bible references only. However, since the ingredients were stated in the original recipe, I will pass them along for you to use. Spelling Out Scripture Cake

If you mix a verse of I Kings with a phrase in Judges, a word in Jeremiah and a pinch of Leviticus, you will have the basis for a real Christmas delicacy, namely, Scripture Cake. Based entirely on Biblical quotations, this favorite New England recipe is presented in "The Bible Cookbook" (Bethany Press, St. Louis) by Marian Maeve O'Brien. The recipe as presented here is based on the Revised Standard Version of the Bible, but similar earlier recipes took their ingredients from the King James version.

Here is the recipe:
4 1/2 cups I Kings 4:22 (flour); 1 cup Judges 5:25, last clause, (butter); 2 cups Jeremiah 6:20 (sugar); 2 cups I Samuel 30:12 (raisins); 2 cups Nahum 3:12 (leavening - baking powder); 2 cups Numbers 17:8 (almonds); 2 tablespoons I Samuel 14:25 (honey); 1 pinch Leviticus 2:13 (salt); 6 Jeremiah 17:11 (eggs); 1/2 cup Judges 4:19 (milk); seasonings to taste, 2 Chronicles 9:9 (spices).
Follow the directions of Solomon for bringing up a child, Proverbs 23:14 -- "beat him with a rod."
Bake the cake in loaf pans at 325 degrees for about 50 minutes. Turn out on a rack to cool. Slice after a few hours.

Although this column isn't really an "all request" affair, I am honoring a number of requests for re-printing a recipe which ran in In And Around Friona in August. Those of you who do not read the Friona Star may be trying Carrot Cake for the first time. CARROT CAKE
2 cups sugar
1 1/2 cups cooking oil
4 eggs
1 teaspoon soda
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon orange cake color

Combine first seven ingredients in saucepan and boil five minutes. Cool mixture 2 or 3 hours. Beat egg until light and fluffy. Stir into cooled mixture. Sift flour, soda, cream of tartar and salt then add to first mixture. Stir in nuts. Bake in 3 layers or loaf pan.
Hair can be dried in 10 minutes with a tank vacuum. To clean the air hose, reverse it for one minute. Then wrap a towel around your head, leaving an end of the towel open so the hose can be put in to blow air through. When hair is partly dry, remove the towel and spot - dry wet areas.
Try adding a tablespoon of liquid starch to a quart of warm water for rinsing your nylon hose. This will keep them soft and run resistant without making them stiff and shiny.

Details on the 1962 statewide swine carcass test program have been released by T. D. Tanksley, extension animal husbandman. He says the contest provides an opportunity for hog producers to get valuable information on their animals at little cost. Both commercial and purebred producers are urged to participate and details are available from local county agents or teachers of vocational agriculture.

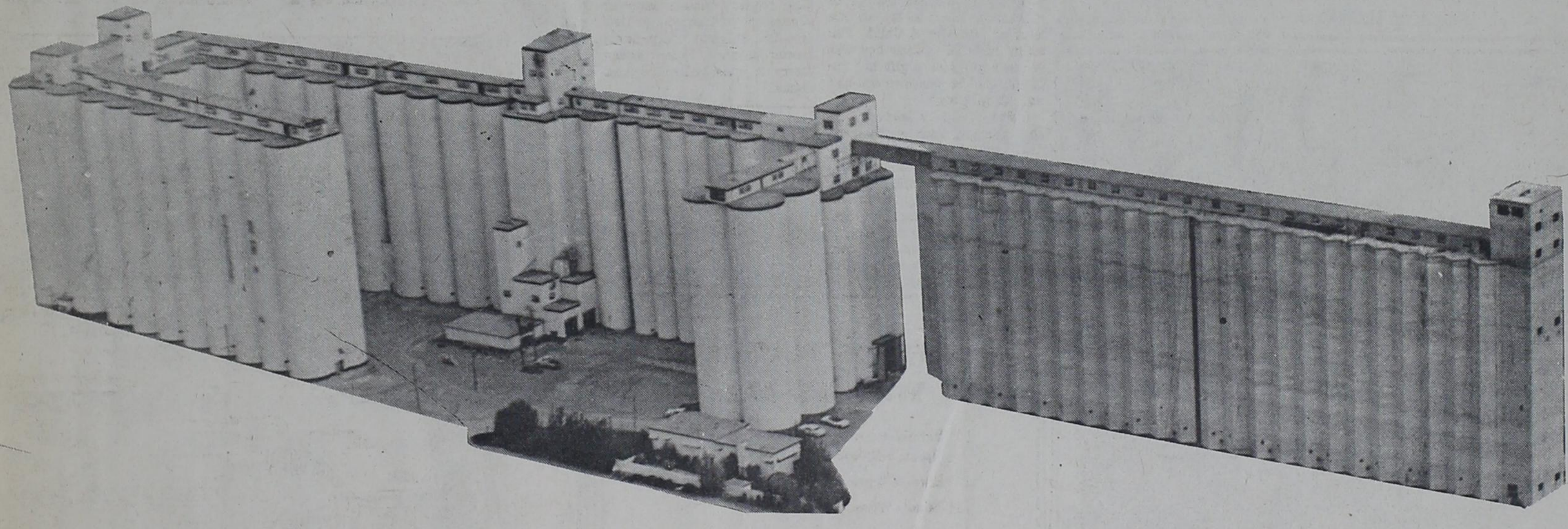
The office wolf couldn't keep his eyes off the beautiful new steno; and he was sitting at his desk, dreamily gazing at her profile, when he suddenly

became aware that footsteps had come to a stop behind him. Turning with a start, he discovered the boss standing there, scowling at him.
Holding up his hand in a "stop" gesture, the wolf burst out, "Don't say it, I know," and sighed audibly, "I shouldn't be thinking what I am on company time."

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The next year residents brought the tree in before the big snow. It was housed in the giant new building of tile with a coal furnace and basement classrooms. Christmas shopping trips were made with wagons and teams that year, but the annual celebration went on as scheduled in spite of bad weather.

Oklahoma Laners remember that 1924 was the year of the biggest tree ever. A traveling Christmas tree salesman came through Farwell with a giant tree he intended to cut up into several smaller trees. Carl Fowler happened to see him before he cut it up and made a bid for it. The man was happy to see it and Carl triumphantly brought it home.

The ever-faithful peach tree was decorated again in 1925 when another storm prevented a trip to the breaks, and again the residents of the community came to the celebration in wagons.

A surge of new settlers came in 1926. For several years families moved in by the scores and broke out the native grass. The depression of the 20's saw many families become discouraged and move on. A

Church and Union Sunday School had been in operation in the old school house for several years. The old Methodist Church was built in 1928 and the old Baptist Church in 1935.

It was a hard land, but a rewarding one. Many of the first settlers have lived to see a community of modern churches, irrigation wells, farm to market roads, electricity, telephones and other modern conveniences, but the Oklahoma Lane Christmas tree has remained the same. Always on Christmas Eve night, it always has Santa with a gift for everyone, and always evident is the same spirit of the old time Christmas.

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car with gasoline, according to Charles Lovelace, county sheriff.

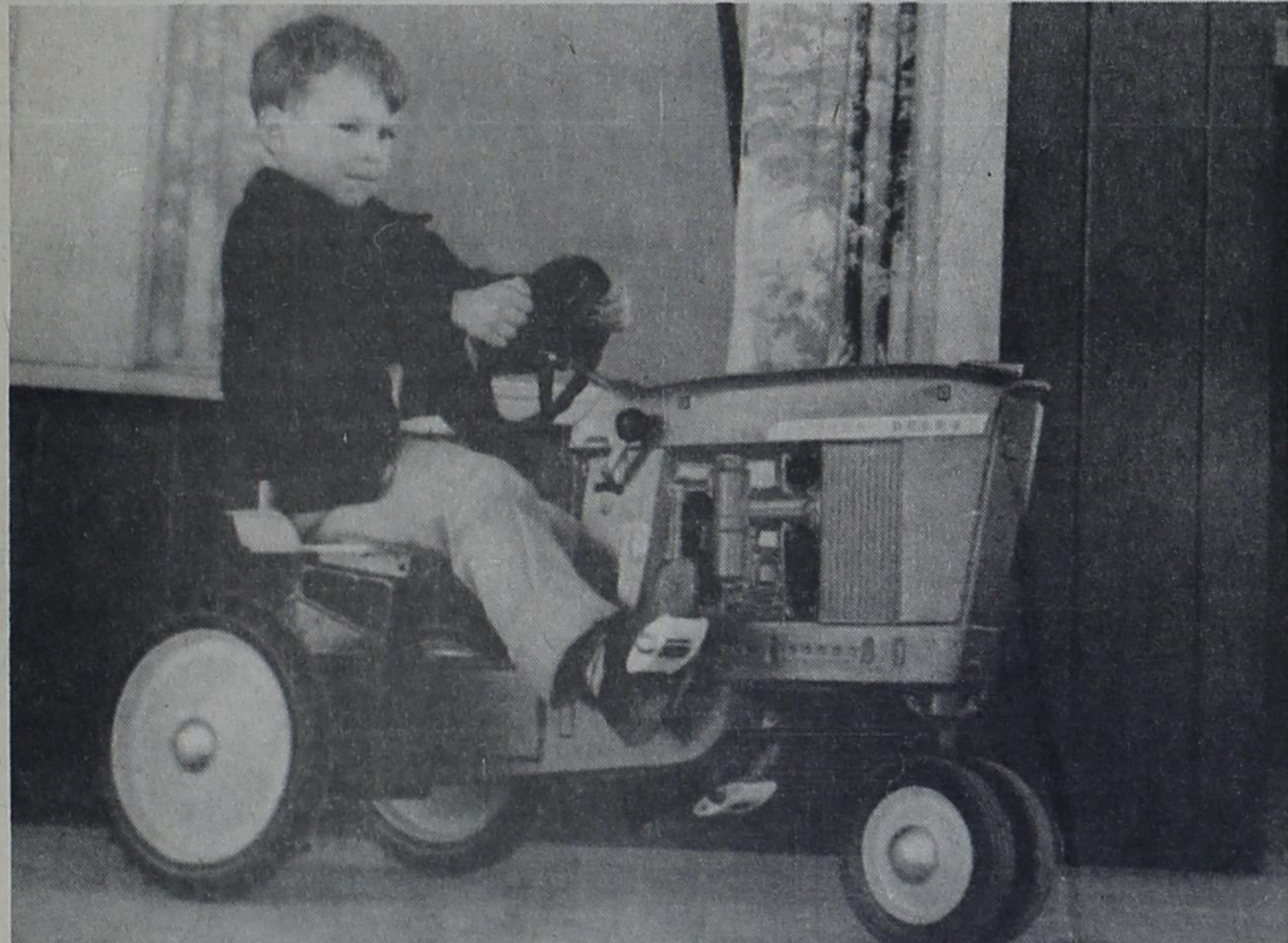
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