May the Peace and Joy of Christmas abide with you throughout the coming year

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Local Births

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Each Pays for His Meal

certificates were issued following Burkburnett s last week: Messrs and nie Joe Elliott, boy, Sam-

lbert Wayne Metcalf, boy

HIGH SCHOOL CAPEHART SCHOOL SITE

e Burkburnett School Dishas secured a 12 acre site new Elementary School. chool will be located west djacent to Capehart Housproject. The new school camwill be easily accessible to ehart personnel and will be ected from heavy highway ic. The site will be well ed and should become a landscaped campus.

SCHOOL CENSUS

I children between the ages 17 on or before Sept. 1, 1959 be enumerated on school sus during the month of mary, 1959. Children becom-16 years of age before Sept 959 must be on census roll contact school authoriand see that all children beof school age for next term will be on the ol census roll.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

weeks and will be the long-

Jr. High School

cson from Topeka, Kans., d Diane Williams from Oslo, tway to join our class. Sorry lose Gene Reynolds to Tope

fothers again "Thanks" for fees, dues and politics.

he Holidays are always great

rs. J. N. Hicks Ostess Christmas offee Dec. 15th

rs. J. N. Hicks was hostess he members of the Current erature club and guests at a mas coffee Tuesday, Dec.

hristmas candles and deco- ness. ons were prevalent throughthe party rooms. rs. W. C. Vann assisted with

rs. D. C. Dodson and Mrs. Miss Ella Billingslea.

Card Of Thanks

er, Mrs. F. R. Knauth The Knauths

Its For Sale Advertise

James Estes Named In Who's Who Among

Students in American Univ. and Colleges



Following is a letter from goes. Who's Who to Mr. and Mrs. Estes:

Dear Parent:

We are glad to have Lee Beth you on the selection of your Current Lit. Club son for Who's Who Among Students in American Unienjoyed our Christmas means of recognition for a Friday afternoon and to college student void of all

we will be glad to see old in this publication each year ered by a cloth of net over satare nominated from approx- in beautifully trimmed with a imately 700 colleges and uni-versities. Campus nominat-bells. The center piece was made ing committees are instruct- up of a beautiful Christmas caned to consider, in making Beautiful Christmas candles treats their selections, the student's scholarship; his par- displayed on tables and the bufticipation and leadership in fet. academic and extracurricular activities; his citizenship Archer, was in Kansas City with chants drawing. and service to the school; his an ill sister, so Mrs. Jo Brookpromise of future useful- man, vice-president, presided the Boy Scouts, private parties

Who's Who Among Students in American Univer- Judy Kauer. sities and Colleges awards each member a certificate of were brought by each member. Lohoefener presided at recognition, presented on the campus either at gradudeautiful coffee service. the campus either at gradumember, was read and graciouscolor calling between the ation or earlier in the year. It is accepted by the club mem-9:30 and 11:00 a. m. Also, it provides a place- bers. Mesdames W. W Cham-J. S. Vanderberg, C. R. bers, J. L. Caffee, Ralph K. W. B. Short, W. C. Vann, seeking employment. There sion on Religions of the World. is no cost to the student for She told briefly of the many re-McCabe, Marjorie Kauer, Brookman, A. J. Harris, Dodson, A. H. Lohoefener or for any of these services inclusion in the publication, ligions of the world and then

wishes to express sin- member of our organization, served to 19 members, one life Oles Stofer of Devol.

Sincerely yours, H. Pettus Randall, Editor

James has demonstrated 1957 were dry.

James Estes, son of Mr. that any one desiring a col- que hobby for several lears and Mrs. Dow Estes, has lege education can get it on which is growing into a big job. been named to appear in his own. He has almost com- It requires many hours of work the Burk Public Schools will Who's Who Among Students pleted four years of college and a lot of finance to carry on. s will mark the end for the in American Universities and work on his own resources, Colleges. James, a senior at working between towns Midwestern University, is at night, at many jobs, and making it possible for unfortuholidays period of the school currently president of Stu-long hours. He has repeated- nate children to have a Christdent Government at the Uni-ly declined financial aid mas. versity and an honor stu- from his parents, preferring Duvall is employed at Shepto pay his own way as he

Mrs. Ralph White We want to congratulate Hostess Xmas Party

The Current Literature Club versities and Colleges. This met in the home of Mrs. Ralph Kans., Nancy Seals to Wich-Falls and Vicki Stubbs to istence for nearly a quarter hostess for their Christmas century and is the only party. The house was beautifully decorated throughout and a big tree for the beautifully wrapped gifts which were exchanged by the members. In the The students recognized dining room ,the table was covdle with a wreath and bells. made by Mrs. C. M. Archer were

The president, Mrs. C. M. and welcomed one new member, Mrs. Jo Lundberg, and two upon him. guests, Mrs. Paul Browning and

Gifts for the state hospital

Miss Ella Billingslea as lead er, conducted a panel discus-

About 36% of all Texas wells of Scenic, Arizona, and Mrs. Ail- About 1/4 of Texas wells (wildcat and field development eene Jeter of Wichita Falls, Tex. in 1957 were "wildcat wells" wells added together) drilled in

Xmas Lighting Winners Named

Winners in the Christmas lighting contest were named Monday morning, following judging Saturday night by out of town judges.

Burkburnett Council of Garden Clubs took 1st place with their display at the Eastern entrance to the city. First place winner received \$75.00 from the Burk Chamber of Commerce.

Second place winner was Mrs. Harold Van Loh, who received a \$50.00 award.

Third place and a \$25.00 award went to Mrs. P. A. Carpenter.

Judging was an extremely difficult job. Dozens of homes featured originality and lots of time and effort on their beautiful displays.

Kids' Happiness **Duvalls' Hobby**

by Mrs. A. H. Lohoefener

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Duvall of 612½ East Second Street, Burkburnett, have had a uni-

Duvall and wife Juanita do not consider the job too big, con-

pard Air Force Base and each year takes off two weeks of his time to plan a Christmas party in a downtown Burkburnett Thursday Night building which he decorates.

He states that if it were not for the contributions of Burkness places and individuals, it would be impossible to carry on ful Christmas dinner at the this work. The county officials store Thursday night. Mr. Henry

to the happiness and needs of the elderly people, the sick and the shut-ins. They visited the Mrs. C. A. Morgan children of the colored school Hostess Unity Club

race, color or creed, a child is a During Christmas week. Mrs.

Duvall drives the car while Russell delivers toys, food and Saturday they entertained and

treated approximately 400 children in the Majors Building on Main Street, after the mer-Duvall also plays Santa for

Their greatest joy is to see the pleased and happy expressions on little faces that might oth-

Last Rites Were Dec. 21 In Alabama For Orville Smith

Birmingham, Alabama, Dec. 21 to see it.

two sisters, Mrs. Clara Dungan

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Parker's Food Store **Employees Honored**

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SOME -- READ BY EVERYBODY

The employees of Parkers burnett and Wichita Falls busi- Food store and their families were entertained with a bountiat the courthouse always are Hall, manager of the store, was eager participants, Duvall says. host for the occasion. Approxi-They also visit and contribute mately 33 attended the affair.

Their slogan is "Regardless of Christmas Party

M. Goins and Mrs. P. H. Mc-Phail as co-hostesses.

A brief business session was presided over by the president, Mrs. A. L. Gilbow. Mrs. Ralph Wedding Rites Brookshier was program leader for the day. Roll call was answered by naming a Christmas plant, then Mrs. T. J. Campbell

explained how a committee from Mrs. Ed Morrow of Devol. the Burkburnett Council of Gar-Funeral services were held in Highway and invited everyone

Again, let us congratulate you on your son. We are family of Mrs. F. R. pleased to have him as a lovely refreshment plates were lovely refreshment plates were lovely refreshment plates were son of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Newman, J. D. Riddle, E. The bride is a senior in Burk- table cloth and centered with a winter damily and Mrs. Sue bow, Carl Black, Ralph Brook- table cloth and centered with a winter damily and Mrs. Sue bow, Carl Black, Ralph Brook- table cloth and centered with a winter damily and Mrs. Sue bow, Carl Black, Ralph Brook- the wedding cake. Smith and family and Mrs. Sue bow, Carl Black, Ralph Brook- the wedding cake. The bride is a senior in Burk- their lunch and enjoyed a daw H. Fuller, B. H. Alexander, J. S. thanks for all kind expression and wish him all the success of sympathy and acts of liness during the recent ill
Sincerely yours

Mession of our organization, served to 15 members, one lie of Store of Devol.

Survivors include the wife, Savola, two sons, Rex and Orsele of Savola,

which seek to discover new

Stores Remaining Bill Vincent Is Chairman of Open until 8:00 **Until Christmas**

M. each evening from now Wayne Landrum. until Christmas.

Many people who work, per year. some of them working out store hours. The late hours releases for the skeet. The Unity Garden Club held will give everyone a chance

Smith-Morrow Repeated Dec. 20

The First Baptist Church was told Legends of Xmas Plants. the scene of a wedding Saturday Mrs. A. W. Newman gave a pro- evening at seven o'clock which gram on Christmas wreaths giv- united in marriage Miss Juddie ing types, meaning and ways to Smith and Mr. Leon Morrow. make them. She also demonstrat- Rev. Leroy Meyer, pastor, offierwise be neglected in this busy ed advent, full and dried ones. ciated. The former Miss Smith Gifts from under the lovely tree is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Cur-S. M. Smith of Burkburnett and ry, former residents of Burkbur-Mrs. A. L. Gilbow, chairman the groom is the son of Mr. and nett. Funeral services were held

> Given in marriage by her fathden Clubs had made and erect- er, the bride wore a blue suit ed the Nativity Scene at the with white accessories. Brides-Highway crossroads on Wichita maid, Miss Sharon Stevens, wore a pink suit. Best man was Charlie McCullah.

burnett High School and the of fellowship with Mrs. Ring.

home at 714 W. 3rd St. in Burk-

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Burk Gun Club

Bill Vincent is chairman of the recently organized Burk Gun Club. Fred Morgan is secretary-treasurer.

Other charter members Stores in Burkburnett are are Joseph Logan, Wayne remaining open until 8:00 P. Sykes, Sid Landrum and

Membership dues are \$5.00 The club will feature

of town, could not get their skeet shooting. They have shopping done in the usual already secured mechanical

Those interested are invitits Christmas party in the home of Mrs. C. A. Morgan with Mrs. rolls around. more information.

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Last Rites Were Tues. In Dallas For Stanley Curry

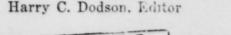
Word was received in Burkburnett Monday morning of the death of Mr. Stanley Curry of Dallas, Texas. He was the son in Dallas Tuesday.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. M. C. Ring were: First Deputy and Mrs. Jack Green of Wichita Falls, G. B. Sanders and family of Wichita Falls, Virgil A reception was held following the wedding in the home of onga, Okla., W. A. Jackson and am. These families all brought

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harrison received a letter this week from The couple will make their their son, Pfc. Freddie Harrison stating that he had just arrived in Korea and was doing fine. Freddie is a cook in the officers

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We can never say that "Christmas has come and gone" - for in a very important sense, it is never "gone". Each Christmas of our lives, no matter how many, leaves at least some further tiny shred of Christian understanding in our hearts. And if we could live long enough even the most cantankerous and rebellious of us might absorb the full significance of the Nativity.

But, with that most significant of all dates on the calendar behind us, we would like to examine briefly that sudden and mysterious drive to "put Christ Back in Christmas," and its corollary-to put Santa Claus out of Christmas. We understand that various of the clergy are behind this move. And we would like to ask by what consecrated arrogance do they presume to tell us that we have evicted Christ from our most celebrated holiday - or that we must spell the day with a "Y" to sanctify it?

It is difficult to imagine that any man with the mental capacity for spiritual guidance of others can be so obtuse as to miss the point that Santa Claus provides a joyous embodiment of Christ's teachings that youthful minds are capable of understanding. The fact that some merchants — perhaps even a majority of them-have over-commercialized this beloved symbol of brotherly love, of the joy of giving and the warmth and sanctity of family ties, is rather beside the point. Even a preacher should admit that merchants are people, and cherish in his heart the hope and belief that they will see the error of their ways. But we can conceive of no more shocking error in these times than to banish Santa Claus. For this, if we have any concept of Him, Christ would truly weep

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HOW BOUT THAT

By RALPH TEE



Life Lines Of Trade

What enterprises and what groups of workers benefit from our foreign trade? The answer is practically all.

Take for instance the leading exports that left West Coast ports alone last year.

They included aircraft, autos and parts; machinery and instruments; fruits and vegetables; chemicals; cotton, wheat and flour; metals; rice and barley; stone, rubber and textiles; lumber and furniture; meats and dairy goods. And the grand total of their value was \$1,636,000,000.

There's hardly anyone in the region who didn't benefit in some way, directly or indirectly, from this huge export business. It was reflected in jobs and payrolls in all manner of enterprises, large and small. And remember-what happened on the West Coast happened similarly on the other coasts.

We are,in sum, the world's greatest exporting and importing nation-and the imports, it should be noted, include various strategic materials essential to our national defense as well as to industrial production. The life lines to world trade are shipsmerchant ships. Many of those ships fly friendly foreign flags, and it is to be hoped they will continue to serve. But the ships we must depend upon, come what may in the world, are our own.

"The Typical Country Editor"

The American Press, which is a magazine of home town newspapers, recently sought an answer to this question: "What manner of man is the typical country editor?"

Naturally, there are tremendous differences of belief and attitude among the thousands of men and women who edit the grass oots press. But, American Press finds, certain things can be said. In its words: "In general, their roots are firmly imbedded in the America of a past era-an America which thrived on such words as self-reliance and independence, and they stubbornly resist all movements wherein social groups might be benefited but at the expense of the individual's freedom.

Mollycoddling' by government is one of the pet hates of the country editor. His heros are the founding fathers of our nation who believed in a minimum amount of government and a maximum amount of individual freedom.

He is a champion of free enterprise, and the freer the better. In other words, the typical country editor believes in the ideals that not only made this country great - but maintained individual freedom and dignity along the national greatness.

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Altus visited his sister, Mrs. 319 Ave. C Opal Bookbinder and family, here Sunday

Merchants of the town have agreed that they would keep tioned with the Navy in Watheir stores open, Saturday, Jan. ington, arrived Tuesday to sp 1st. Usually the day is observed the holidays in the home of as a holiday but since the day and Mrs. A. J. Jackson. falls on Saturday, it will not be

By BILL BROWNING

'MERRY CHRISTMAS' com

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easy to the tongue of all Miss Ruth Vogel of Port Arthur and Mr. and Mrs. Chas.

Weber are visiting Mrs. Ann

However, to say Weber are visiting Mrs. Ann

George Counter, Jr., Harry Dodson, Jack Grubbs and Henry and Clyde McDonnell returned empty handed Sunday night from a deer and turkey hunt in Kendall Co., near Fredericksburg, Texas.

Revealed By The Star

observed this year.

Vogel this week.

Files 10 Years Ago

All fireman are busy selling

tickets to the Firemans bene-

fit dance to be held New Years

Eve at the Town Hall. Proceeds

of the dance will be applied on Fireman's retirement and in-

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Gilbert are spending the holi-days visiting their parents here.

Little Jon Evans underwent a tonsilectomy at the Wichita General Hospital Monday.

Plainview will arrive this to spend Christmas in the O. J. Ensey home.

and Pat of Austin are visiting here over the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White of

and the joy we anticipate for the coming New Year add your present happiness. true affection I pledge to yo Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Smith of our gift of service and o sincere interest in all yo Insurance needs for the co ing New Year.

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Now it is again the season of the year that we call Christmas, th st joyful and most universally celebrated of all our holidays. the observance of Christmas may differ among nations and peoples section from the lands of snow and ice to the sunny Southern sphere, but in every corner of the world the true meaning of the I'day is ever the same.

As our world has changed through the centuries since the first hristmas, so have we taken the customs of Christmas and adjusted hem to our changing environment. The origin of many of these cusoms have been lost in the passing of time to the extent that today many burn candles in the window and adorn firesides and homes with holly and mistletoe without a passing thought as to why we use candles ather than kerosene lamps and holly or mistletoe in preference to ther winter greenery. It is custom, and we believe in following cusoms, in one fashion or another.

Customs have their place in the scheme of things, so let us keep hem and, if need be, give them new meanings of our own. Yet, with tall, let us remember that customs and traditions are only a part the observance of Christmas. We do not keep the Christmas merely because we observe the customs.

Let us keep Christmas in our hearts. Let us remember that it is a ligious holiday, a time of joy and peace and faith and hope. More icularly, it is a time to be humbly grateful for mankind's greatest hright-the hope of eternal salvation. Such was God's gift to the orld that night at Bethlehem.

the spirit of Christmas in our hearts we shall find deep and at meanings in the customs and traditions we associate with

News From The County Agent

arm Safety Council.

Up to 30 percent can be add-by Texas producers. In 1958 Hatch of egg type to the life of a farm machinsaved in getting the machin- earlier.

lexas. Some sections of the laying and not yet laying, are likely to be 10% larger than the thers. Normally this would give number on Jan. 1, 1958.

now and christmas.

The number of layers in the United States during the first half of 1958 was smaller than during the same period the year A grant in aid from the Na-mal Science Foundation to es to be much higher than in the first six months of 1957. Cold storage holdings for shell sed to finance a three year inassive study of sideoats grama to higher egg prices. Holdings for the ten year period, 1947-1956 on Oct. 1st averaged 1,432,exas A-M College, will direct to studies.

1330 On Oct. 1st averaged 1,332, 000 cases compared to only 895, 000 cases on Oct. 1, 1957 and only 302,000 on the same date The home during Christmas in 1958. This smaller number ason is usually loaded with of layers was due in part to an the hazards and unless safety 18 percent decrease in the numrecautions are taken gaiety can changed to grief and sorrow seconds, warns the Texas The number of layers in the Humber of the H is always an important factor in determining prices received

cy by giving it proper winter are, points out B. T. Haws, Co. gent. Too, he adds, time will layers than it had 12 months

ers will be on hand Jan. 1,1959 Interviews with buyers, feed compared to Jan. 1, 1958. There ealers and breeders indicate will be fewer hens than the very hat 80 to 90 percent of the 1958 large carry over of the year be-burkey crop has left the farm of fore, but the number of pullets,

pe for a slight increase in it appears that the egg price movement in the next 6 months de stocks this is not as likely will be downward and prices will it would be with average orage holdings. Turkeys yet to moved in other states may so influence prices between moved in the flex of movement in the flex of mo

reducing the anticipated drop in

If the 1959 springtime egg prices are greatly below those of 1958, they will induce a reduction in the size of the replace ment hatch and lead to the expectation of a greater seasonal increase in egg prices in the fall of 1959 than occurred in 1958. By late summer or early fall egg prices may (let's hope) move up close to 1958 levels and for the last three months of 1959 may be about like 1958 prices or a little higher if hatch is cut back

The sum total of those expecwill equal the annual average winter sets in and growing egg prices of 1958. Eggs at the weather shortened. family table is the largest outlet of US production.

ilies and keepers of back yard ends don't detract from the application about 15% of pearance of the plants. With flocks amounts to about 15% of our total production and these such shrubs as Photeni, there eggs never enter commercial will be little if any outside trade. Eggs used for hatching growth developed until growing purposes make up about 5%

of total production. Eggs broken commercially for use as liquid, dried or frozen represents about 6% of total production. These flow through different marketing channels than those used in market table eggs. The above markets make up 26% of total production, thus there is about 74% of all eggs produced that are used for table eggs that are marketed through channels of trade for this pur-

Steers implanted with hor-mones made better feedlot gains than those not implanted at the USDA Southwestern Great Plains Field Station at Bushland, after 122 days of drylot feeding. 45 steers weighing an average of 505 pounds each, bought in Oct. 1957 and grazed from November through June, 1957 were placed in drylot on July 1st. They grazed native pasture, wheat pasture, sorghum stubble and were supplemented with hegari bundles and cottonseed cakes from Jan. 13th to May 1st. Their average daily gain for this period was 1.24 lbs.



Obeying this sign may cost you a few minutes. Failing to heed it may cost a life. Don't be a killer . . . or a are obeyed, deaths g DOWN

BACK THE ATTACK



Your county HD agent, Thelma Wirges reminds you at this time tations is unlikely to result in of year, pruning is always carannual average egg prices that ried out as a final chore before

For instance, with the top growth diminishing, any prun-Eggs consumed by farm faming should be done so that cut

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May the Christmas

happiness for you.

eeason hold complete

North Berry Street

BOB COOK

AND EMPLOYEES

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CHRISTMAS IN THE CITY . . . A glistening tree, dim figures the night, and the shadowy background of tall buildings-add o these the glittering sparkle of snow and then you'll know that Christmas has come to the city.

weather begins again in the evergreen. spring. All dead wood which oc- Sometimes an alternative in curs in the inner growth may be removed now, and the outer top lections of the oldest wood withgrowth may be thinned by se- in the plant's structure and relected canes with care not to moving at a low level. This kind leave gaps in the plants struc- of cut is not usually visable at

best form of the plant.

The abelia is a favorite in this section of the state and is pruned in many ways. This plant does develope an outside green surface with only bare and often dead wood on the inside. This makes Abelia a poor choice for hedge, where continual cutting to form is carried out. Mrs. Ralph Swinford in the Friberg-Community and Mrs. Gale Lowrance at Iowa Park have a nice planting of Abelia. Mrs. Lowrance is developing a landscape plan and will use more Abelia, since it is an evergreen shrub which requires little pruning.

plants have to be started over | Charter members of the Burkfrom the soil level. The gardner burnett High School National may feel she is imposed upon by Honor Society met Dec. 11th, to such radical treatment but she elect officers and approve new then has new growth. Mrs. Swin-members. Elected to serve as ing of a jasmine. However, this pres., Gary Wood; Sec., Mur drastic pruning would not be Anne Elliott; Treas., Bobby

All pruning is done to produce the best form. Sometimes brought up through the plant to a different kind of pruning is necessary for the kind of effect Abelia, Photenia, Jasmine and desired. However, more often other plants may be handled in than not pruning which does not this manner, not only now but follow natural growth spoils the throughout the year. A rather good rule for pruning is to so prune that the natural growth

in a given plant is carried out. Mesdames J. L. Graham, Jud Irby, Marie West and Gale Lowrance, members of the home improvement committee have made plans for landscaping information to be presented in the future. through this regular weekly news.

High School

There are times when such NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

done this time of year on any Lewis and Reporter, Pat Clack.

Elected last year as charter members were: Gary Wood, Royce Miller, Cherry Baker, Pat Clack, Kathy Roark, Grady Griz-zle, Bobby Lewis, Morris Seay, Jimmy Wolf, Kayrene Davis, Judy Hofacket, Mur Anne Elliott, Margaret Vaughn and Sally Welbrecht.

Newly elected members are: Charlotte Begeman, Lee Bulla, Sharon Finney, Charlene Preston, Barbara Smith, Robert Eaton, Eloise Morris, Marion Parrack, Linda Roark, Sharon Boyle, Shirley Boyle, Carolyn Clement, Johnny Cools, John Gallegos, Wendlyn Goins, Jacqueline Heslop, Shirley Hodges, Patsy Preston, Irma Ned Riley, Judy Roy and Ronald Waddell.

The average value of Texas natural gas is approximately 9 cents per 1,000 cubic feet.



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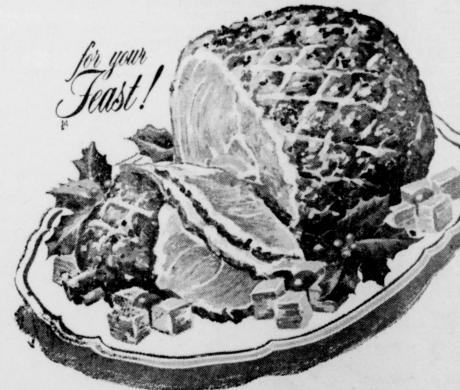
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The Night Before Christmas

Twas the night before Christmas when all thru the house Not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse, When down through the chimney all covered with soot, Came the "Spirit of Fire", an ugly galoot.

His eyes glowed like embers, his features were stern, As he looked all around for something to burn. What he saw made him grumble, his anger grew higher, For there wasn't a thing that would start a good fire.

No door had been blocked by the big Christmas tree, It stood in the corner leaving passageways free. The lights that glowed brightly for Betty and Tim Had been hung with precaution so none touched a limb.

All wiring was new, not a break could be seen, And wet sand at its base kept the tree nice and green. The tree had been trimmed by a mother insistent, That the ornaments used be fire resistant.

And mother had known the things to avoid, Like cotton and paper and plain celluloid. Rock wool, metal icicles and trinkets of glass, Gave life to the tree; it really had class.

And would you believe it right next to the tree, Was a suitable box for holding debris. A place to throw wrappings of paper and string, From all of the gifts that Santa might bring.

The ugly galoot was so mad he could bust, As he climbed up the chimney in utter disgust. For the folks in this home had paid close attention, To all the rules of good "Fire Prevention".

ROSE BOWL HISTORY

After Michigan routed Stanford 49-0 in the first Rose Bowl football game. January 1, 1902, there was no football game supplement to the Tournament of Roses until 1916. Chariot races were substituted for the gridiron spectacle in 1903, proved popular for several years and then lost in favor until 1916 when collegiate football returned as Washington State defeated Brown University.

Exercise Care in Outdoor Decorations If you light an outdoor tree, do it

with care and caution.

Spruce, firs and pines, when not too large, are ideal for outdoor Yuletide display, but hemlock, yew, boxwood and aborvitae are a little more sensitive to the heat of Christmas lights and their needles may be scorched if caution is not used.



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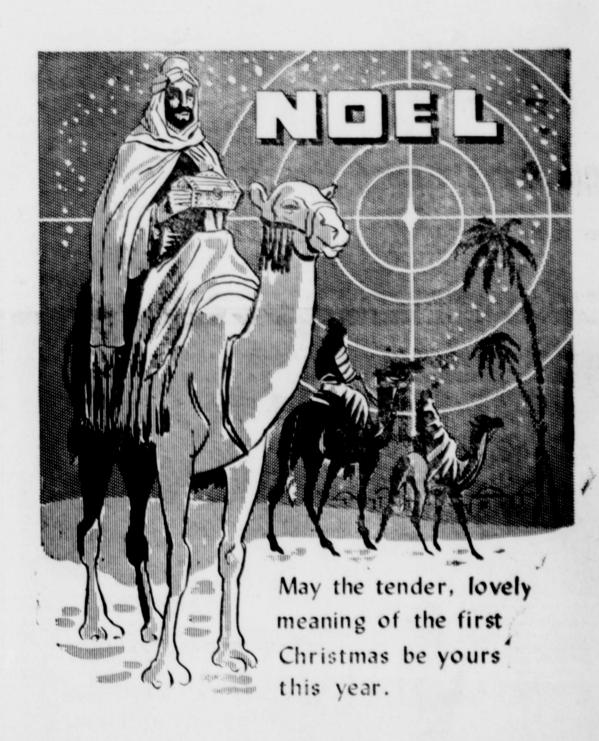
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traffic in most areas is congested because of the gift hunting

rush. The pressure is expected to continue right up to the day before Christmas.

It's easier to say take it easy

than it is to practice it, Musick said. But we must curb the de-

sire to rush and hurry. At the

highways are made slippery by ice or snow, proceed with cau-

Americans Are Responsible for **Looks of Santa**

It's little wonder that Saint transportation.

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Nick is especially generous to the American people. History of Saint Nick was a tall, angular ers and jumpers, will be holiday accidents are really proves that the Americans have man who rode on a bony, gray judged the first half of the avoidable mishaps. They occur

According to Donald Ludgin, and figure, and a new means of

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mare. Both the horse and Saint Nick looked as if they hadn't done a lot for Saint Nick. had a good meal in some time. World Book Encyclopedia, the Americans have given Saint Nick a new name, a new face and figure and a new face and figure and a new face of the second half. loak and a black skullcap.

One of the outstanding walking safely.

The early English settlers in features of the 1959 show Musick urged

this country started giving will be the third anual Ft. Saint Nicholas his "new Look." Worth Stock Show Quarter Worth Stock Show Quarter The English children adopted Horse Sale. The auction of the legendary Christmas figure from the Dutch, but they had trouble pronouncing Saint Nick-olous. Somehow the name change gin at 3:00 P. M. on the solution of the property of the solution of ed to :: Santa Kalouf, and finally last day of the stock show, Raisers Association it was corrupted to Santa Claus. February 8th. However, this was only the beginning. In 1809 Washington Irving, in his Knickerbocker's

Irving, in his Knickerbocker's History of New York, wrote of History of New York, wrote of the Saint as the guardian of New York City. Irving described Saint Nick as a jolly fellow with a broad brimmed hat and huge breeches. He taught Saint Nick to smoke a long pipe, and in the story, replaced his shuffling hay burner with a trim wagon that floated over New York house tops. these December nights, make sure you don't unwittingly shop York house tops.

A short time later, Saint Nicholas' tranformation was aid- for an accident, motorists and ed by Clement Moore in his pedestrians were cautioned to-famous poem, "The Visit from day by J. O. Musick, General Saint Nicholas," written in 1822.

Manager of the Texas Safety As-Moore, a professor of Divinity sociation. in a New York Theological Seminary, gave Saint Nick a sleigh other communities than their twinkling eyes, cheeks like ros- own to find different gifts for es, nose like a cherry and a Christmas, he pointed out. Downtown business areas and round little belly.

Today's Santa Claus is by no outlying shopping centers are means streamlined, but he is a crowded day and night, especfar cry from the lean, ascetic, jally at night when most worksomberly dressed fellow who ers are through for the day and for centuries, on Christmas Eve, desire take advantage of evenguided his mare through the ing shopping opportunities. streets of Europe

\$38,000 in Premiums At Ft. Worth Show Jan. 30 thru Feb. 8

More than \$38,000.00 in premiums will be awarded wheel or on foot, take time to outstanding horses during the 1959 Southwestern Exposition & Fat Stock Show position & Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth January 30 through February 8.

tion, Musick advises. When bliz-Douglas Mitchell, zards bring deep snow, be pre-pared with tire chains. Don't intendent of the Ft. Worth horse show, expects about block traffic or have a skid 1,000 Western and show wreck. horses to take part.

ards, this is the greatest party-Show horses, which ingiving time of year, Musick addclude gaited, walking and

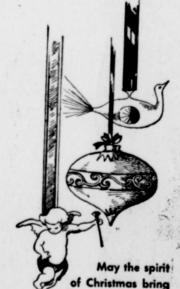
A host, whether it be a busi-should make it clear to guests joyed without over indulgence in intoxicants. It must be reholiday.

In addition to shopping haz-

Musick said state and local law enforcement officers will not let the holiday spirit deter them from strict enforcement of the laws against drunken

Each December, the accident wards of our hospitals are ready to receive the injured victims of holiday accidents, he pointed out. This preparation is based

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because the drivers and pedesten-day exposition. Western type horses and Shetland

> Musick urged every Texan to tion. Our membership is exercise reasonable restraint in made up of North Texas his enthusiasm for the year's happiest month, so it will re- "I will be happy to an-

Meets Monthly

The North Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association meets monthly at the Valley Farms Community House near Wichita Falls. It was organized several years ago by people who

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The original European version road horses, as well as hunt- on past experience, but often were interested in sheep and to me at Box 1255, Wice goats for this area.

> trians involved are too occu- the association, says "We Ponies will be featured the second half.
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> Thank involved are too occur the association, says we pied with thoughts far removed from the simple but extremely important task of driving or coats to join our organization. heartily invite any person Texas royalty owners recinterested in sheep and ed about \$580 million from goats to join our organiza- and gas production in 1957

JOY IS OUR HEARTIEST

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Falls, and I will no Ray Renfroe, president of them of our next mont meeting."

Texas produced 1,085,000, barrels of crude oil in 1957; percent of U.S.



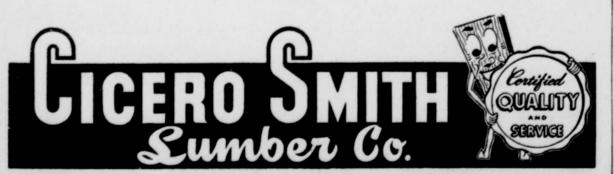
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ich applies to gifts made by person to another. However overnment has no desire to rdinary birthday & Christgifts. The law therefore exdes from taxable gifts the \$3,000 given to each indithal in each calendar year.
The law also excludes from table gifts, gifts to the church,

munity chest and similar ritable organizations and aleach giver an exemption of 000 before the tax applies. he tax applies whether the is of money or of property. it is of property, the tax is muted on the fair market of the property at the date

The purpose of many gifts is nemove the property from the mable estate of the giver at time of his death. This may may not be accomplished. federal law provides that fers made within three ars before date of death shall deemed to have been made in memplation of death and all be taxable in the estate the one who dies.

t may be advisable to look at horse in the mouth for the may cost the one who reves the gift income taxes as all as the giver in gift taxes. for income tax purposes the t basis of property received gift is the cost to the giver ardless of the fact that the er may have paid a gift tax the gift. The other rule is t in case of property receiv-by inheritance, the cost basis he fair market value at the of the decedent's death. an example will show the apration of the rules. Suppose a mer acquired his land in the y days at a cost of \$10,000. property is now worth \$50, The farmer wishes to reand to escape estate taxes, the gives the farm to his dau-

ugh he may pay federal taxes totaling several thou-

decides to sell the farm for its \$50,000 value, she still has to pay income tax on \$40,000 profit (difference between the sales price and her father's cost of \$10,000.)

On the other hand, if the farmer had not given the farm to ise to some people, the fed- the daughter, but had left it to government levies a tax her under his will, he would



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this matter.

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the streets and highways.

How meaningful are these words portrayed the qualities of love and

lie not in riches and gold, or self attainment, but in thoughtful and joyful meaning, the spiritual occa-For He so loved the world that sion of the birth of Christ. And if He taught the world to love we can truly keep the Christmas, Through one, great and wonderful then perhaps we can keep the spirlife upon earth, He set down for it of Christ within our hearts all mankind and for all time the throughout the year.

have saved the gift tax. The dau- increased costs equal higher ghter would have taken the pro- rates.

perty at a cost basis of \$50,000 Automobile liability insurance so upon the sale she would not rates begin in traffic accidents, have had to pay any income tax. according to the pamphlet. Un-Of course, there would have til there is a crash, there are no been some estate taxes and ad- soaring repair costs, no skyministration expenses in the fa-ther's estate, but that would bills, no up-swinging general inhave been much less than the flation, no rising jury verdicts, taxes which resulted from the all of which keep pushing claims gift. However, depending upon costs up, up, up.

individual and particular cir-Your rates are determined by cumstances, there may be oc- the number of accidents caused casions when a gift is advisable. by cars garaged in your rating Your lawyer can advise you on territory and the cost of settling claims arising out of those accidents. If claims and claim costs increase, your rates must follow: if they decrease, your rates will likewise follow.

In describing what can be

done to bring safety and sanity to our highways, the pamphlet expresses a let the punishment fit the crime attitude.

If you and your community

are ready for strict and impartial traffic law enforcement -The place to start reducing a tough and continuing crackautomobile insurance rates is on down on all violators-and the removal of unfit drivers from This down to earth fact is the road, traffic accidents in spotlighted in a new leaflet pre-pared by the Association of Cas-half. Sound and continuing law ualty and Surety Companies to enforcement has never failed.

explain why auto rates are ris- The folder warns motorists ing and how motorists can re-verse the trend. The pamphlet, tistics that might lull them into "You Can Help to Bring Down a false sense of complacency Your Automobile Insurance Rates," is being mailed to insured orous program of traffic law encar owners throughout the coun- forcement.

try by insurance agents and If your town gets a medal for reducing fatal accidents, the Automobile insurance costs pamphlet notes, be glad but not more, the mailing piece says, be- complacent. It's 100 to that cause increased accidents plus accidents, fatal, bodily injury and property damage, have gone |

In addition to traffic safety,

Statements that things are get- verdicts have been rising faster ting better all the time because than the cost of living. Be fair, more cars are traveling more but not extravagant. miles is pure statistical mumbo jumbo to sugarcoat the bitter un-

the leaflet also points out that

up. Your rates are affected by fair jury verdicts rather than accidents, not just those causing exaggerated "jumbo" verdicts will do much to keep rates down The whole enormity of America's traffic accident toll is unawards based on sympathy, they known. The experts know only are giving away your money, that it exceeds 11,000,000 an- policyholders are reminded. It nually and is rising rapidly. all shows up in your rates. Jury

> Average price for Texas crude barrel.



The average Texas well prooil in 1957 was about \$3.10 per duced about 17 barrels a day in 1957.

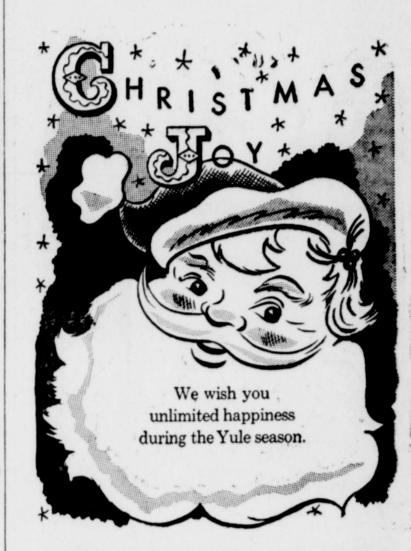


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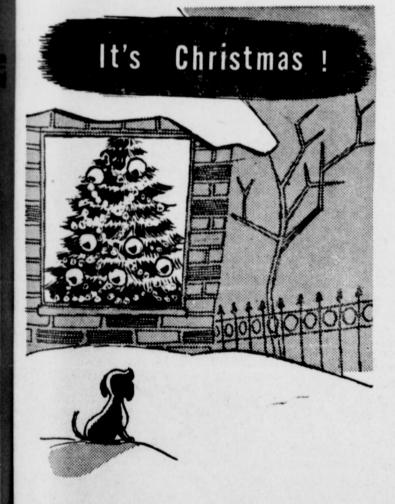
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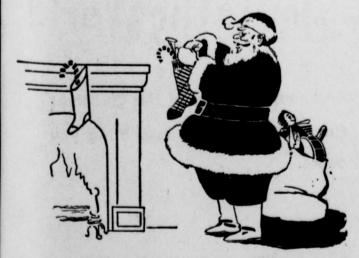


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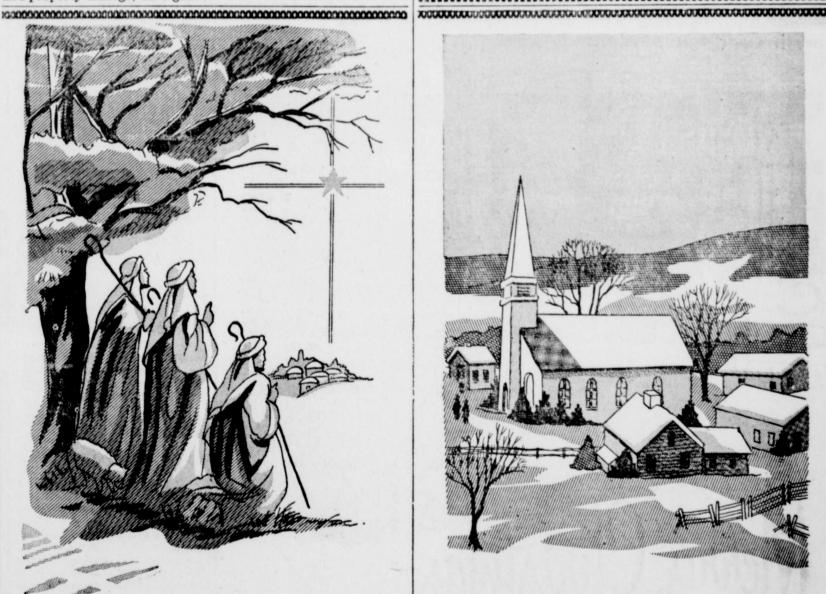


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Bethlehem Basilica Among Oldest Churches

The Basilica of the Nativity at Bethlehem, constructed more than 1,620 years ago, is one of the oldest churches in Christendom.

As it stands today it represents the original building as erected by Emperor Constantine and restorations and additions made under Justinian.

It is surrounded by three convents of separate faiths, Greek, Latin and Armenian. All three have the privilege of worshiping in the Grotto of the Nativity.

BRIGHT DECORATIONS

The conventional wreaths which adorned Christmas doors and doorways for years have given way to popular use of bells and tree ornaments.

You can make both doors and window frames bright and cheerful by framing them with ribbon and sprigs of holly. Hang ribbons in festoons across the curtains and tie at the sides in wide sash bows for colorful effect.

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Christmas Belongs To All Ages, to All People Everywhere

Christmas belongs to the children? Christmas is indeed a time when hearts must be young but it is not only the child who can know and share the love and faith and hope

that brightens the heart at Christ-

Christmas is a great spiritual occasion and the atmosphere of excitement and anticipation that permeates the world of the young has a deeper, more significant counterpart in the world of the older generation. The hard-boiled, the cynical and the disbelievers cannot enter into the spirit of Christmas. Their hearts are too heavy, too filled with guilt and inner fears, and they close their eyes to all but the material aspects of the holiday observance. But there are those at all ages whose heart becomes filled with the wondrous glory of the occasion, who see beyond the glitter and foil and tinsel and who enter with the faith of a little child into the realm of the spirit known as Christmas. For all these, there is joy and peace and happiness.

Belongs to All

Christmas belongs only to the children? Christmas belongs to us all. It is ours to share, to the fullest measure. And, if the truth be known, we elders have a much greater share in the holiday than our children. To them, Christmas is bright lights and Santa Claus and snow and tinsel on the tree, and toys and fruits and good things to eat, and the mere acts of giving and receiving. Have you ever considered the fact that we share in all these aspects of the holidayin addition to the deeper, truer meaning of Christmas, and the most important part, which the very young heart is yet unable to understand or comprehend?

Christmas belongs to the children? No, Christmas is ours. A part of the holiday, a bright and shiny part, belongs to the children. But they must grow in years and faith and wisdom before they can really share in the whole and complete spirit of Christmas.

Three-fourths of Texas gas is processed through plants to extract the liquid fuels such as natural gasoline, butane, etc.

Texas has about 6,500 oil producing firms.

Greeting Cards Came To Us From England

cards to friends and relatives at Christmas comes down to us from

It is generally suggested by historians that the idea began with schoolboys away from home who wrote their Christmas letters on fancy paper and in fancy writing

There has been controversy through the years as to who sent the first lithographed cards. In 1941 a copy of an old Christmas card was found in the British museum and credit for the card was given to William Maw Egley, a 16-year old apprentice, in the year

Cole Gets Credit

Later evidence, however, gave credit for the first card to Sir Henry Cole and lithographer John C. Horsley, in the year 1843.

Cards credited to Egley and Cole are quite similar. Each was etched in black and white and each shows drinking, dancing and holiday merriment scenes, and both carry holi-

day greetings. Evidence that Egley was not the originator comes from a framed copy of the Egley card which reportedly carries a note on the back in the apprentice's handwriting.

The note says the card was finished December 3, 1848 and is the 'second ever published."

Cole began sending out cards to all his friends in 1846, each card bearing the message, "A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Although the cards brought fame and popularity to Cole, it was some twenty years before Christmas cards became very popular in Eng-

Old Legends Concern Magic Mule and Camel

Among the many legends about Christmas that concern animals, two of the most interesting are the Magic Mule and the Camel of

A Syrian legend says that a certain traveler tied his mule to a tree and went into an inn for refreshment on Epiphany Eve. Just at midnight, when the boughs of the tree bowed down in homage to the Holy Infant, the mule was caught up on the rebound and found cradled high up in the branches by its returning master

Another legend holds that the youngest camel of the three ridden by the Wise Men was exhausted by the pressing journey and was blessed with immortality by the baby Jesus as it lay moaning near the Nativity scene.

News From The **HD** Agent

Proper care will keep those Christmas plants looking lovely longer. Here are some pointers suggested by Thelma Wirges, County HD agent.

Avoid drowning or water-logging plants by watering too of ten, on the other hand, remember that indoor atmosphere dries plant quickly. Follow direction for watering given with each plant. Drainage is important too. If the pot is wrapped in metal foil, it may be necessary to cut a small hole in the bottom of the foil cover.

A potted cyclamen will bloom for several months if kept at a temperature of 65 to 68 degrees where it can get morning light Never allow soil to dry out completely while the plant is blooming. When it starts to lose leaves, allow the soil to become drier than in the growing season but not powder dry. Some moisture must be present to keep the corm from drying completely. Store in a cool dark place to carry it over a second season.

African violets need a sunny window during the middle of winter but can be put in the shade about the last of February. Let the soil get dry before watering, and then use water several degrees warmer than room temperature.

Primroses need abundant light in winter and do best at about 65 degrees. To much watering rots them, but they should not be allowed to dry out complet-

The Jerusalem cherry and ornamental pepper like cool tem-peratures, high humidity and plenty of sunshine. Smoke or gas in the room will cause leaves to drop.

Poinsettas will stay attractive for most of January if kept at temperatures around 65 degrees. Let them dry gradually and then plant outdoors.

Members of the Ray HD club exchanged shrubs for Christmas. This is a good idea for individual gifts as well as club gifts. Shrubs make long lasting gifts. Mrs. Ray Krull is serving as landscape demonstrator for the Ray club.

Want to give the house a special Christmas fragrance?

n" gifts for the holidays.

Pomander balls made from cloves until the apple is thick in" gifts for the holidays. ful satin ribon, make attractive,

These fragrant balls can be drain on paper for a couple made in one easy sitting. Here hours. It's then ready to go is how: Start with some whole work. Just hang it in the cloth cloves and a red, well shapped or linen closet or put it in a apple. Wash and dry the apple. corative bowl or basket for Then, beginning at the top of hall or dining room table. the apple, force a row of whole cloves in a circle around the stem. Push the cloves in up to ducing companies; 440 gas pu their heads. Follow the same chasing companies.

spiced apples, tied with color- covered. You can use both s shaped, headless cloves and fi inexpensive gifts. Or they can be used as holiday decorations. ly, knobby ones. After the app is studded with cloves, let

Texas has about 2,500 gas pr



CLARK GRESHAM

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

PRECINCT No. 2

maybe, you need several "fill a said



by the children in the house and will lend a cheerful spirit to home surroundings.

Half of the gift is the wrapping, so make the outside covering of your gift as gay and attractive as the gift inside.

For the girl who knows how to sew, material for a dress in a fabric-wrapped box, rick-rack for the ribbon and spools of thread with big buttons for the decoration create an unusual package.

A flat box of letter paper can be disguised as a desk pad by using a real blotter on top with corners of metallic paper.

Everybody gets and gives neckties at Christmas, so why not make yours distinctive by using a necktie knot in decorating the box containing the tie? Fasten the ends of the ribbon under the lid about 1/4 way down, bring to center, tie the knot and shape the ends tie fashion. Use dark blue, wine or green ribbon about one and one-half inches wide. These are attractive

Or the package might resemble a tiny suitcase wrapped in paper with the ends bound in decorative tape. Add a handle and identification tag.

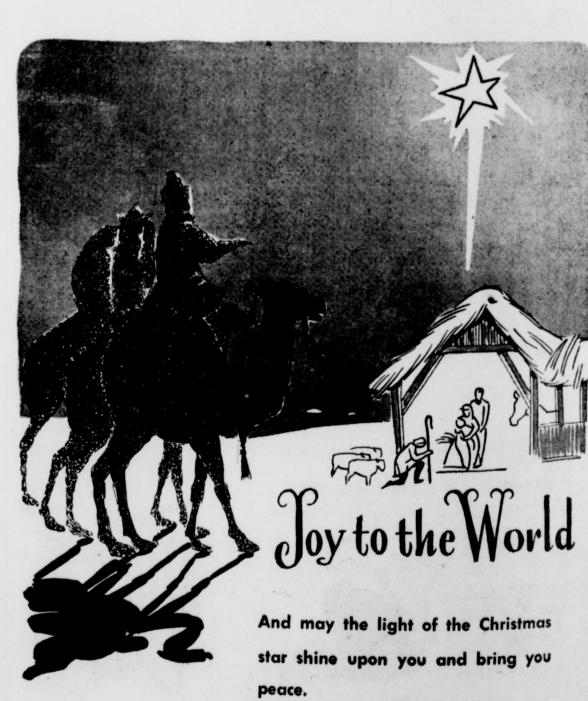
Outdoor lights should always be placed so they do not touch nee-



Attractive Package Brightens Your Gift

used on a striped or plaid paper.

dles. Bulbs of 15 wattage are suf ficient. Use only weatherproof elec trical fixtures designed for outdoor use. Check the position of the lights each day and turn them or only at eventide. Be sure to turn them out before retiring.



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was Christmas night ar was 1776. The place was the Delaware River. Some tattered and bleeding men silently about, uncomplain-

s Christmas night was a crunent for a new republic ad yet to gain its freedom. ourse was charted by a leader and a great American t, George Washington. His of inspiration remain to this This is it, gentlemen-vicdeath. That is our only

victory it was. Fired by the and inspiration of the man came known as "the father country," a tattered band ots crossed the dangerous of ice and marched to Trenhere they surprised and humthe Hessian mercenaries and ed a great Christmas story pages of American history.

lihead value of Texas nagas produced in 1957 is ated by the US Bureau of es at \$493 million.

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Home owners can often get all the Yule greens they need by wisely pruning their conifer trees and evergreen shrubs. There are five simple rules to follow when trimming branches and twigs for holiday decorations.

(1) Thin the trees and shrubs for shape, always maintaining the natural contour of the plant. (2) Do not cut more than 6 to 7 inches from a branch. (3) If the tree has not been pruned for some time, take off every other branch. (4) Do not cut beyond the green needles; otherwise this will not fill in with new growth. (5) Keep the cut branches in a cool moist place until ready for use.

Ideal Greens

Spruce, pine, hemlock, yew and aborvitae make ideal Christma greens. Yew seems to hold up best. Broadleaf evergreens such as laurel, andromeda, boxwood and Japanese holly should be kept in water when used indoors, otherwise their leaves shrivel.

Roping used to frame a doorway can be made of pine, balsam, broadleaf evergreens, co-mingled with holly, balsam or yew, are ideal for wreaths. Good for indoor arrangements are barberry, firethorn, viburnium with its bright completely cured before baling. red fruit, bayberry and drooping

Christmas Customs South of the Border

In the lands of Central and South reaches its zenith with the celebration of the Misa del Gallo (Mass of the Cock) at midnight Christmas Eve. This traditionally is the hour at which Christ was born The name itself stems from Christian Rome's early practice of holding the first service when the cock

Christmas feasts follow the midnight service, and delicacies vary according to the country. While roast pig is Latin America's holiday favorite, turkey dominates tables in Mexico, Brazil, Colombia, Nicaragua, Panama and Puerto

Gift Giving

Gift giving has always been closely linked with the Nativity. Mexico and Puerto Rico, tots impatiently await Epiphany, January s, and a visit from the Three Wise Men. Santa Claus adds, for the parents, an expensive complica-

Exchange of gifts takes an unusual turn in Colombia where it is Farm, one mile north of Punkin custom for merrymakers in masquerade to mill through the streets on Christmas Eve. Whenever a Electra. friend detects another's dentity, he claims a reward.

Children of Latin America traditionally send their letters to "Baby Jesus, Care of St. Peter," but North American symbols of Christmas, Santa Claus, the tinseled tree, wreaths, and greeting cards-are becoming familiar in the cities of several neighboring countries, notably Mexico, Cuba and Puerto

Holiday Celebrations 'n Various Countries

Although such things as family dinner and the custom of gift giv ing are a part of the Christmas observance almost everywhere, this universal holiday is celebrated differently around the world.

In the United States, of course, we have the Christmas tree, holly and mistletoe, Santa Claus and Christmas cards.

In Italy the shepherds gather in villages on Christmas Eve to play musical instruments as townsfolks sing sweet Nativity songs. And thousands come from all over the world to attend Mass in St. Peter's in Rome on Christmas Day.

In Holland, the land of Old St. Nicholas, forerunner of our Santa Claus, it was custom in former years for the Dutch to celebrate for about a month. St. Nick scattered his gifts about the floors of Dutch homes as early as Decem-

In Greece, decorated trees, greeting cards and the exchanging of gifts mark the observance of the holiday. New Year's Eve is the time for a really big celebration with dances and parties for both young and old.

In Mexico, during the nine days before Christmas, candlelight processions are formed nightly. Called Posadas, which literally means "lodging," this ritual reenacts the Holy Family's journey to Bethlehem and its difficulty in finding place to stay. At a prearranged household, the marchers are barred at first, then admitted with

News From The County Agent

The time is here when cattle owners should be warned that Johnson grass or Sorghum after a frost is somtimes extremely high in prussic acid content and is very dangerous to livestock.

drouth, certain chemical changes sometime occur in the plant and it develops a content of prussic acid, or hydrocyanic acid explains B. T. Haws, Co. agent. The poison acts quickuly and can kill an animal within a short time after the damed plant is eaten

Symptoms described by Haws include an appearance of nerv-ousness, difficult breathing and difficulty in standing. Whether a poisoned animal can be saved depends upon how quickly a veterinarian can get to it. Treat ment involves injecting antidotes directly into the blood stream.

than lower leaves.

Frosted Johnsongrass or Sorghum should not be grazed until it is completely dry, advises laurel, and hemlock. Any of the Haws. If Johnson grass or sorghum is ready to cut before a frost, it may be cut the first day after the frost and used for hay if care is taken to see that it is

able to let the animals self-feed from the silo filled with frosted America, the Christmas festival sudan or sorghum. If the silage

Demonstrations on controlling rats in the house, barn, wheat fields and pastures will be given this week. Mr. V. R. Smith, Texas Predator and Control Service, Ft. Worth will assist the Co. agent in this series of demonstrations. Everyone is invited to attend.

Poison maize to control rats in the fields and pasture will be available and rat bait for the house and farm will be available at the rat meeting only. The youngsters of many lands look | People living in town are also to the Christ Child for presents. invited to attend one of the In certain countries, including meetings. The meetings will be as follows:

Grounds.

1:30 p. m.-Emil Flusche

Friday, December 12th 9:30 a. m. 4-H Barn, Wichita

11:00 a. m.-Wiley Wolf Grain Wichita Falls

When wilted by frost or

Young plants will develop more prussic acid than those approaching maturity, points out the veterinarian. Their leaves will contain from 3 to 25 times more acid than leaves of plants in the boot stage. Upper, younger leaves will contain more acid

It may also be used for silage he adds. Generally enough, prussic acid is lost in gaseous form during the ensiling process and as the silage is removed and fed to make it safe for livestock. However, it is not advisis questionable, it should be chemically tested by a local veterinarian or by using one or two inferior animals as "guinea

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debate in the next Legislative session is the steady build-up of **propo**sals and counter-proposals **for** improving public schools.

Texas State Teachers Association has voted to push a 19-point legislative program. TSTA will go along on most of the Hale-Aikin Study Committee's recomsals and is lukewarm on others.

Most notable difference is that TSTA calls for larger teacher salary raises. Present minimum Aikin Committee recommends hiking this to \$3,800. TSTA is October. asking for \$4,000 for bachelors degree holders, \$4,200 for those with a masters degree.

TSTA's salary increases would cost some \$10,000,000 to \$15,-000,000 a year more than the Hale-Aikin plan. Overall, enactimprovement plan would cost the state an estimated \$110,- 3.001,400. 000,000 a year more than is now being spent.

legislative platform are specific employment in cotton processchanges to expand or enrich ing due to a high per-acre yield, school programs, driver educa- plus gains in manufacturing, tion, special programs for gifted children, more funds for small Schools, etc. TSTA approved the Hale-Aikin proposal for length-

state already is in the red, no other states. one expects smooth sailing for Daniel warned teachers that he that an increase in the number could not foresee available mon- of elderly persons receiving Fedey for all the program. Many eral Social Security payments is legislators are haunted on the apparently causing the shrinknew money just to keep the Despite this trend, Texas has state in business and on the 33.6 percent of its 65 and over Mobilgas — Mobiloil to vote for certain kinds of new rolls compared to a national taxes. They are inclined to view average of 16.2%. Texas aver-new spending plans like small-age payments are lower—\$47.08

On the other hand, advocates tional average of \$61.39 of school improvement consti- During the past fiscal year the tute a large and very active State Welfare Dept. paid out

\$100,000 a year appropriation a new trial starting from scratch to be used in attracting new businesses to Texas. Commis- that appeals from Water Board sion voted not to go into tourist promotion unless asked to by in the light of the evidence prelawmakers.

Proposed budget allocates \$16,-500 annually for executive di- validated a provision in the warector's salary and \$75,000 a ter code providing for trial de year for avertising in national novo (or anew). publications. All this activity will be brand new to Texas, made possible Nov. 4th when voters removed a 82 year old constitutional ban against spending state money for advertising.

Commission also announced mendations, though its own pro-gram omits a few H-A propo-of offering temporary local tax exemption as a sort of "prize" to new industries.

Back To Work-For the first time in 1958 starting salary is \$3,204. Hale- Texas non-farm employment broke the three-million mark in

> Christmas rush and other gains may bring the number of workers to a new record high in December, according to the

Texas Employment Commission. Settlement of 13 labor-management disputes involving 9,ment of the Hale-Aikin school 749 workers contributed to the October employment peak of

December's bright hopes are based on expectation of the Other planks in the teachers' usual retail job increases, more transportation and school em-

ening the school year, but indi-cated it would not go all out for dropped during the past year, but Texas still has a greater per-Because they call for new centage of its population on spending at a time when the state old age pensions than most

State Welfare Department's the school proposals. Governor report to the governor notes

per month compared to the na-

For Business Seeking—

Texas Industrial Commission is asking the Legislature for a Persons unhappy with State Water Board decisions may appeal to the courts, but not for

State Supreme Court ruled sented in the original hearing. In so ruling, the high court in-



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jurisdiction. Now the case can file for benefits as early as posgo back to district court for ju- sible. People who will achieve dicial review under the "substantial evidence" rule.

Effect of the Supreme Court decision could be far-reaching if as 3 months prior to their 65th prompt and efficient service for applied to appeals from other administrative decisions. Heretofore, trial de novo has applied token, those who have been that his staff stands ready to appeals from the State Board waiting for early 1959 to file serve a beneficiary at any time. of Insurance.

Social Security Claimants Urged

While most people are counting shopping days until Christmas the local Social Security staff is counting days until the first of the year, according to Erton F. Tate, District Office

It appears that Social Security Offices experience their "rush" season when the department stores have finished sweeping up debris from a rush of a different sort. Big reason for increased activity, said Mr. Tate, is the fact that people choose the turn of the year as a conven-ient time to make a series of new starts; a new fiscal year, a set of resolutions, and very often the first year of retirement. In order to soften the first full



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retirement age in the first two months of 1959 are being advised that they may file as much waiting for early 1959 to file serve a beneficiary at any time, because their record of self- but added that a man's needs employment is not yet complete are being urged to undergo the files early, and provides himself

gained tremendous new leverage when Sputnik I whizzed into orbit.

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Texas Industrial Commission
Water Board decisions may apis serking the Legislature for a peak to the courte but not for the courte but not for the case can be seeking.

Sions. Of this, 30% was state decision denying Southern Canaccording to Tate, the Social Set of take water from the Trinity River. An Austin district judge had ruled that he did not have jurisdiction. Now the case can file for honefits as early as possible for honefits as early as poss phasized, will find early filing assures one of early payment, because a more even distribu-

tion of work loads permits a greater number of people. Tate was quick to point out routine elements of filing now, with the documents he can antileaving the incidental task of cipate will be necessary.



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The gaiety of the Christmas gason can be changed to grief and sorrow within seconds. The me, during this season, is usally loaded with fire hazards ad unless safety precautions taken an accident could hapm, warns the Texas Farm and anch Safety Council.

The Christmas tree, the cenmost home decorations, be a principal hazard. The buncil suggests that a freshly tree be selected a few days re Christmas. Before it is ced in the house, the base of tree should be cut diagonand placed in water or wet This will keep the tree esh and help in retarding fire. tree should be placed so it will not block exits to a om and away from the fireother sources of heat.

The Council recommends that Underwriters Laboratories roved lights be used on the Lights which have been before should be checked frayed wires or damaged soc-Electrical circuits should overloaded with additionhts, toys and appliances. non-flammable decora-

ould be used on the tree tree lights should be turnoff when no one is at home when the family retires. Tree bould be discarded when the edles begin to dry and fall. s also a time for smokbe doubly careful, points the Councilmen. Extra care th a cigarette, cigar or pipe advised especially when toking around flammable marials. Don't let wrappings om packages clutter up the use for they can become a real

bservance of the basic rules home safety can make the oliday season happier and life ore pleasant for the family ad friends, concludes the saf-

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ing to Oldsmobile general models on October 3, show building cars to fill these manager J. F. Wolfram, Oldsmobile ahead of its orders as fast as possible, who is also a vice-president nearest competitor by al- consistent, of course, with added.

for the second ten days in reputation," he added. November, showed Oldsmo-dealers being supplied with a complete line of '59 Oldsmobiles. The sales figure "This means that all of months," Wolfram said.

tinuously improving busi- ram concluded. ness than they have been in years," Wolfram added. The public's enthusiasm and confidence is evident too in the large number of orders for new cars being received here in Lansing.

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Oldsmobile's general manbile sales to be double those ager noted that in order to of the first ten days. This supply dealer demand for reflects the increased pro- 1959 Oldsmobiles, his firm duction at our plants, which has recalled over 2200 emhas in turn resulted in our ployees who had been laid

was the highest in eleven Oldsmobile's seniority people were given job oppor-"Our dealers are more tunities and several hundred enthusiastic about the pro- others, who had worked for duct and more confident Oldsmobile in the past, are about the outlook for con- also back on the job", Wolf-

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Time is indeed the true coin of our mortal realm, a deeply personal possession that each is free to spend, squander, sell, give away, devote to the glory of God and to the causes of humanity.

And though 1956 marks yet another milestone along the journey of life that is all too short and quickly travelled, it is joyfully welcomed as the giver of a new and magical handful of time. With this magical handful it is possible to defeat the worries of age; to conquer fear; to see through the shadows of disillusionment.

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Of all the world's holidays, Christmas is the holiday that belongs to one and all. Christmas is for everyone, the sad and the weary, the sick and the infirmed, the happy children and their more serious

Yes, Christmas belongs to no one alone. Men of different nations and diversified beliefs always share a certain unity in the observance of this greatest of all holidays. Christmas, and the spirit that goes with it, belongs to us all.

Christmas is a time of excitement for the very young. It means good food, bright lights, an inviting pyramid of presents beneath a glittering tree. Christmas is likewise a time of joy for those who are growing

up. And for these Christmas begins to take on a deeper and more significant meaning with each holiday. Behind the laughter and festivities, the caroling and presents, there is borne the realization that there is yet greater joy in the holiday, though the glitter of Santa Claus becomes dimmer year by year. For others, Christmas is a magic mirror of memories, a mirror that

afflicted; a mirror that reflects only the kindness and goodness God wished for the world He created. Christmas is all these things, and more. It is the shadow of a church steeple in the winter's snow; a pointed ray of light shining through a stained glass window; the crunch, crunch of heavy footsteps on

dissolves all the prejudice, hate and sorrow to which mankind is

crusted snow; and voices singing in the night. Christmas is all things to all men; and to all men it is the st.ining symbol of man's continual hope for eternal salvation.

News From The County Agent

The Wichita Valley DHIA Association ranked first in the state in average pounds of milk which was 890 pounds and second in the state in average lbs. of fat which was 32 lbs. There are 23 herds in the Association with 928 cows. Mr. Gene Robertson is president of our local Association.

Cattle grub continues to be a problem on livestock in the county. 7 1-2 lbs. of derris or cube containing 5% rotene per 100 gallons of water as a spray is recommended. Treat at 30day intervals as long as neces-

US agricultural exports for the year ending in Mid 1959 are Trimmed Tree Brought expected to total at least \$3.8 To Us by Germans billion. This would be a little less than the \$4 billion of last year, but still one of the best homes this year. Yet the trimmed years on record. At this rate, we tree, as we know and use it today, are exporting the output from is only about 150 years old in this 1 acre out of every 6 of our to- country. tal cropland.

On the favorable side, buying power is improving in Western Europe, Canada, and Japan, our biggest cash markets for farm products. Economic conditions in these industrialized countries have remained reasonably good and their gold and dollar assets have improved over the year. In other countries, mainly in Asia and Latin America, where buying power is weaker due to declining gold and dollar reserves, our farm products will continue to be available under Safe, Durable Toys special government programs such as Public Law 480 which Best for Youngsters provides for sales for foreign currency, barter and donations.

An explosive growth in world population also strengthens our trade position by providing more potential customers every year for our farm products. And our participation in world wide trade agreements and continuing efforts to reduce trade barriers provide increasing stabilty to our foreign agricultural

Smaller exports of cotton this year, due to increased competition abroad, will account for the bulk of the decline in our exports. But we can also expect smaller exports of dairy products, fruits and tobacco. Anticipated increases in exports of wheat, rice, vegetable oils and oil seeds are not expected to make up for declines in other products

If our exports this year total as high as presently expectedand of course there is always margin for error due to unanti- Since hard plastics break easily, cipated political or economic developments, 1958-59 would still rank among the big 6 export years in our agricultural history.

Can you imagine a broiler flock of approximately 1,600,-000,000 birds? That is the estimated number of broilers to be produced in the United States during 1958, and according to B. T. Haws, county agent, Texas will furnish more than 100 million of these birds.

Haws also said that the estimated per capita consumption of ready to cook chicken had increased from 19 to 29 pounds during the past 10 years. A decade ago broilers made up 1-3 of the total chricken consumed while today they account for more than 3-4 of the total.

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BRIGHT'S THE WORD Santa, snow and bright lights, these are things that spell out Christmas in the big city.

A Christmas tree will be put up in two out of every three American

The Pilgrims forbade Christmas celebrations on the grounds they were pagan. A Massachusetts law in 1689 subjected anyone to a fine who observed the day by feasting, refraining from work or in any other manner.

It was not until near the end of the American Revolution that the Christmas tree took hold. German immigrants, homesick for the tradition of their native land, put

Carefully selected toys will give children many happy hours of safer, constructive play. Poorly chosen toys, on the other hand, will collect dust on the shelf or need repairing a few days after Christmas.

Many winding and friction-drive toys are limited in their use and are not recommended for children. On the other hand, blocks, logs and other such toys will help develop a child's creativity.

If you choose a doll as a gift, be sure it is durable. Check the arms to see that they will bend easily. Also see that the fingers are not spread out so that it is difficult to dress the doll.

Make Clothes Simple Doll clothes should be attractive,

yet made so the child can manage them herself. They should open down either the front or the back and fasten with snaps, large buttons or ties.

The construction and material used in toys is also important. soft plastics, metal and wood are better for toys. Inspect metal toys carefully to be sure there are no sharp edges.



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In buying Christmas toys, parents, relatives and friends should consider how the playthings will fit into the family set-up as well as whether the child will like them. Choose Wisely

Choosing toys for a child who has a playroom all his own is quite different from choosing toys for a child who has to play in the living room or kitchen. Outdoor toys are not the thing to give a child who lives in a crowded apartment building or has no access to recreation space. Every factor should be considered before selecting toys.

Pets are quite often controversial Christmas gifts. Parents must first be sure they themselves want the pets and are willing to take on the extra work entailed. A pre-school child is not capable of assuming full responsibility for



shiny star lights the night in Chicago, where lights of buildings are cleverly lighted to form a Christmas star.

Christmas Day

The date of December 25, as the oirthday of Jesus, and hence, hristmas, has been generally ob erved in most Christian nations ince the fourth and fifth centuries. Prior to the fourth century, Chrisians observed only Epiphany (the commemoration of the Baptism) nd Easter with festivals and regious rites.

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of David, having come to register voices of men, and there app as ordered by Herod. The journey a group of Magi, wise mer had been a particularly tiresome Persia. They have followed one for Mary. The quietness of the brightness of the star in se stable and the small amount of of a new-born king. They warmth it provided was indeed gifts of precious gold. welcomed by both She and Joseph. There in the stable, wrappe

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Little Frankie Wayne Tinsley, who has spent the past six weeks here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wood, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Wood and Judy to Ft. Worth Sunday where he was met by his moconsumer ware ware ther, Mrs. Ray Tinsley. Mrs.

> Merry Christmas

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(THIS WEEKS NEWS)

Mrs. T. C. Dillow was honored with a surprise birthday party Tuesday afternoon on her 87th E. N. Miracle, R. A. Odom, K.
L. Smith, Amanda Warren, Nora
Wood, O. L. Doty, Jack McCasland and the hostesses.

Little Frankie Wayne Tinsley, who has spent the past six

Tuesday afternoon on her 87th anniversary. Refreshments of coffee and cookies were served to Mesdames W. C. Charboneau, J. B. Stevens, E. Watson, Dollie Hardin, W. H. Stevens, Callie Baumhardt, Gertrude Farmer, B. L. McCharles W. L. Smith P. E. L. McClurkan, K. L. Smith, R. A. Odom and Hume Fuller. Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wright of

Ardmore were visiting friends in Devol Wednesday and were guests Wednesday night of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Frye.

Word was received here Thursday of the death of Orville (Peanut) Smith Dec. 17th at his home in Melrose Park, Illinois. A former resident here, Mr. Smith was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Oles Stofer. Interment was in Birmingham, Ala., according to information received here.

A six o'clock supper was en-joyed at the Masonic Hall Thursday evening, Dec. 18th by about 50 Masons and OES members and families, after which joint installation ceremonies were conducted. In the Masonic ceremony, Robert Hopkins was installed as worshipful Master for 1959. Other elective officers in stalled included Hume Fuller, Senior Warden; Albert Coles, Junior Warden; Hugh M. Frye, Treasurer; T. V. Landers, Secretary; appointive officers installed were: W. L. Frye, Chaplain; Jack McCasland, Senior Deacon; Buck McClurkan, Junior Deacon; Joe Champion, Senior Steward; Tom Monson, Junior Steward and O. G. Weaver, Tyler. Conducting the Masonic rites were T. A. Landers, installing officer and W. L. Frye, installing Marshall. Joe Champion was the out going worshipful master.

Mary Fuller was installed as most the process of the second seco

worthy matron and Hume Fuller as worthy patron for the en-suing year. Other elective officers installed were: Lucille Dulsworth, associate matron; Hugh M. Frye, associate patron; Lorene Weaver, secretary; Bertha Frye, treasurer; Lois Goddard, conductress; Grace McClurkan, associate conductress; appoint-ive officers selected by the wor-thy matron elect included Ethel McCasland, chaplain; Hortense Monson, marshal; Mary Lucille Coles, Adah; Clemmie Watson, Ruth; Ruby Hortsell, Esther; Helen Hopkins, Martha; Ruth Champion, Electra; W. L. Frye, Warder; John Hartsell, sentinel. Warder; John Hartsell, sentinel. A lovely gift was presented the out going worthy matron, Hortense Monson, from her officers. The presentation was made by Mrs. O. G. Weaver. Also a gift of appreciation was given to W. L. Frye from past officers for his work in keeping the lodge hall tidy and clean. The gift was presented by Ethel McCasland. Casland.

The installing worthy matron was Mrs. T. C. Dillow, of whom was Mrs. 1. C. Dillow, of whom we are very proud. She is 87 years of age and gave all the work perfectly by memory. She was assisted by the installing officer, Clemmie Watson.

Mrs. T. C. Dillow was called to Oklahoma City Sunday by the illness of her daughter in law, Mrs. Lee Dillow.

Margaret Ferguson Floyd Jackson United In Marriage

Miss Ella Margaret Ferguson and Mr. Floyd Jackson were united in marriage Thursday, Dec. 18th at the First Baptist Charles Interest Toyas Poy Church in Henrietta, Texas. Rev. Kenneth Cantrell, pastor, was the officiant.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ferguson of Burkburnett and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Kent, also of Burkburnett.

Mrs. Jackson is a graduate of Burkburnett High School and has been employed by South-western Bell Telephone Co. 13

Mr. Jackson is also a graduate of Burk High School and is employed by the Benjamin F. Shaw Construction Co.

The couple will make their home in Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Maney of Odessa are here visiting re-latives over the holidays. Mr. Maney is the new County Com-missioner of Ector County.

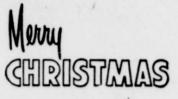
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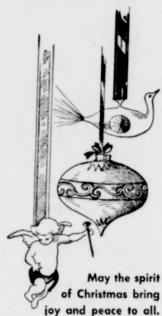


Among state officers of the Grand Lodge of Texas, A. F. & A. M., who participated in the Home and School of Texas, located in Fort was leveled on November 29.

Worth, were: left to right, Randall E. Briscoe, deputy grand master, Houston; John T. Bean, levelling of the cornerstone for a new chapel grand senior warden, El Paso; John G. Kemmerbuilding being erected on the campus of Masonic er, grand master, Fort Worth. The cornerstone

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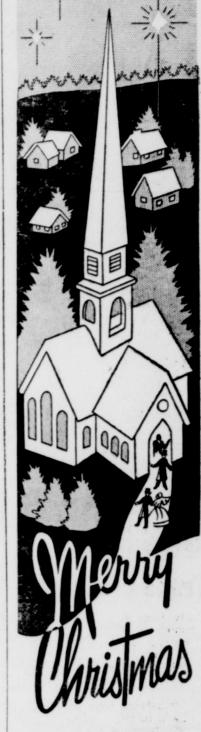
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Here are some words from a famous Christmas message by Henry there is a better thing than the observance of Christmas day,

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These famous words have echoed through the years and yet, sadly enough, so many of us never learn the "secret" of keeping Christmas. In the hearts of the majority, Christmas is a great holiday, a festive occasion, a time of joy and peace, of sincere pleasure in the very act of giving. There is a certain spirit about the preparation for and the observance of the holiday. We follow the usual customs, we decorate and adorn our homes and firesides, and on this one day allow our hearts to be filled with joy and peace. We hold the spirit of Christmas and we cherish it-until the bright lights come down and the tinsel and glitter are discards

Yet, how wonderful would be this world we live in if we could all keep Christmas in our hearts-all year round; if we could fill our hearts with love and do away with hatred and intolerance; if we could shun false pride and be always considerate and understanding in our relations with our fellow man; if we could replace the yearning for the gold and pleasures of the world with the virtues of faith and

If we could do these things, we could build a better world; a world of peace and brotherhood and we would be keeping the spirit of Christmas-forever-in our hearts.

founders—a Catskill farmer who brought his trees to market in

New York City in 1851. And it

helped pave the way for a new

custom-the community Christ-

In 1924, a Norway spruce was planted near the White House and later dedicated as "a na-

Reaching 267 feet into the sky

from a base 40 feet thick, the

was growing on the mountain slope when Christ was born in

Analysis of a Texas Highway

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tional living Christmas tree." Two years later, a giant Cali-

Teddy Roosevelt Banned Xmas Tree in Capitol

Teddy Roosevelt almost rode roughshod over the Christmas fornia redwood in King's Cantree in his drive to conserve the you national park, named Gennation's forests. But two little eral Grant after the Civil War boys put the Christmas spirit— hero, was dedicated as the "Na-and the tree— back in the White tion's Christmas Tree."

The Christmas tree was wellestablished in the United States tree is the second largest in the when TR became president.
Research experts with The Every year, nearby towns-

World Book Encyclopedia says people and visitors join in a hola Harvard professor named iday service and sing carols at Charles Follen set up one of the the base of the sequoia, which

President Franklin Pierce put up a tree in the White House in the 1850's to entertain the Sunday School of the New York Avenue Presbyterian church. And President Benjamin Harrison continued the custom in

Showing Increase But some modern-day Crooges convinced Roosevelt that the convinced Roosevelt that the cutting of Christmas trees would over Last Year soon deplete the nation's forests TR promptly banned the tradition at the White House.

However, the old Roughrider in Texas in 1958 than they did forgot to consult his young sons. during 1957," announced Capt. Archie and Quentin cared little E. L. Posey of the Texas Highabout presidential edits, and less way Patrol. about conservation. They smug-Pennsylvania Ave, and set it up in Archie's room.

had an indoor Christmas tree.

The president relented, and ever since, the White House has TR's concession also sent the Christmas tree industry soaring

beyond the dreams of one of its



good will among men reign over all the earth.

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of Public Safety revealed that 12.6 per cent of all vehicles of Texas are exceeding the 60 mile per hour speed limit, as compared to 6 percent last year. The Statewide survey, taken at 25 checking points throughout the State will be used by the Highway patrol in planning its selective enforcement program in the tive enforcement program in the

"Taking into consideration that the last month of the year is our mostly deadly in traffic accidents and deaths, said the Captain, we will use every available resource to reduce this speed problem. The Captain pointed out that December is a deadly month in traffic due to bad weather, holidays and shorter days hours. Highway Patrolmen in this

District have been instructed to carry out a stepped-up speed enforcement program in an effort to reduce as many of these ac-cidents as possible during the remainder of the year.

About 70% of total Texas gas production came from 13,681 gas wells; 30% from 117,239 oil wells (casinghead gas.

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News From The **HD** Agent

Mrs. Ben Lane, Kitchen de-monstrator for the Eastland HD club has just completed her work for the year. She established goals and objectives early in the year.

Mrs. Lane is most pleased with the storage arrangement. Corners are not wasted space at the Lane home. Most useful corner on increase and to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space at the protection of a mulch if allowed to the storage are not wasted space. in the year.

Good kitchens do not just happen, they are only achieved af-ter careful planning. Mrs. Lane made and developed a plan which made her old kitchen, which had no joined work centers into an adequate one. To do this an L-shape kitchen was



We wish for you good companionship and happi-ness this holiday season.

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MAE, ELLEN and GUSTIE

joining room.

arrangement to make the kitchen most useful as well as at-

Wichita County farmers must be going after wild game, judging from requests received in the county HD office.

Any wild game may be frozen for future use, county HD agent reminds that it must be dressed and frozen as soon as possible. Correct packaging is important. Birds should be wrap-ped individually in moisture proof wrapping materials such as celephane, alumimun foil, pli-film or different kinds of laminated wrapping paper.
Wrap steaks of venison with

2 layers of packaging material between each steak. This makes it possible to separate steaks and begin cooking without having to wait for complete package to thaw. However, for uniform cooking of the meat, each piece should be at least twothirds thawed.

Wild game that is frozen and maintained at 0 degree or colder will not lose any of its fine qualities for several months.

Shrubs make long lasting gifts for a young couple just starting out or for anyone on your list who enjoys adding plants to the landscape. You will find a wide variety or ornamental shrubs to select from now at your local nursery. Also, notive shrubs of nursery. Also native shrubs of ornamental value are found in all parts of Texas, according to Thelma Wirges, co. HD agent.

Native plants found near your home will be especially well adapted to soil and climate of this area. They may take less care than introduced plants. Rose plants make fine gifts too. Now is the time considered best for transplanting woody plants. It is also a good time for adding

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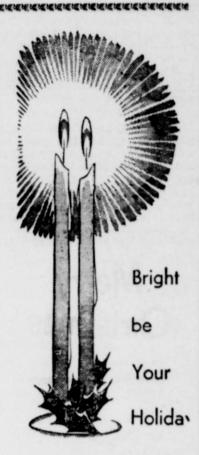
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developed when new cabinets were built and equipment was moved. The kitchen now has 3 work centers conveniently arranged.

new plants. Early winter is an excellent time to obtain full root growth. Mrs. Gale Low-rance, landscape demonstrator and member of the Home Improvement Committee in the property of the Home Improvement. A neutral color scheme was selected to blend with the ad-



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60 a. m. Ivening Worship Service, 7:30

mining Union, 6:30 p. m. rector, W. D. Sage Wednesday night Prayer Ser-

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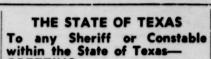
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