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A "glabrous" man is a bald one.

VOLUME 56 BURKBURNETT, WICHITA COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1962 NUMBER 16

## H. D. Smith, Burk Leader Dies In Home



H. D. SMITH

H. D. Smith, 74, well-known Burkburnett resident, died unexpectedly Friday morning in a Wichita Falls hospital. He was born October 13, 1888, and had resided in Burkburnett for 40 years. Smith, former mayor of Burkburnett, had served on the city council and Burkburnett School board for a number of years. He was a member of Burkburnett Masonic Lodge No. 27, Guthrie, Oklahoma County, Wichita Falls Maskat Club, I.O.O.F. Lodge, Rotary Club and Burkburnett First Baptist Church. Smith had operated a laundry in Burkburnett until his recent retirement. Services were at 2:00 p. m. Monday from the First Baptist Church with Rev. Hollis Morris, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Burkburnett Cemetery under direction of Owens & Brumley Funeral Home. Survivors include the widow, Mrs. Anna Smith; three daughters, Mrs. Paul West of Odessa and Mrs. Glenn Howard and Mrs. Valetta Chambers, both of Midland; two sisters, one of brother; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Pallbearers were Brooks Robinson, Harry C. Dodson, John Cookman, Alvin Hill, George McClarty and C. E. Lundberg.

## Adams Services Were Sunday

Funeral for Herbert Adams, 67-year-old farmer of the Cashion Community was at 2:00 p. m. Sunday in the Central Baptist Church of Burkburnett. Officiating was Rev. Robert White, pastor of the Cashion Baptist Church, and Rev. Charles Brashear, Wichita Falls. Burial was in the Henrietta cemetery under direction of Owens-Brumley Funeral Home of Burkburnett. Pallbearers included Olen Bailey, Clinton Swinford, Buddy Warren, Wendell Hale, Donald Pemberton and James Adams. Adams, a resident of the Cashion area for 23 years, died Saturday at his home. He was a native of Forney, Texas, and was born December 3, 1896. He previously resided in the Ringgold area before moving to Cashion. He was a member of the Cashion Baptist Church and a veteran of World War I. Survivors include his wife; two sons, Owen Twain Adams, Wichita Falls; and Duane Adams, Dallas; a daughter, Miss Valetta Adams, Wichita Falls; a step-son, Ben Chaffin, Tucuman, N. M.; two brothers, L. H. Adams, Bowie; and L. R. Adams, Abilene; four sisters, Mrs. Grace Adages, Bowie; Mrs. W. A. Kelley, Justin; Mrs. Maude Sewell, Henrietta; and Mrs. Berte Weeks, Houston; and nine grandchildren.

## CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the beautiful service, floral offerings and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful.  
Mrs. H. D. Smith  
Mrs. Beatrice West  
Mrs. Mildred Howard  
Mrs. Valetta Chambers

## Chamber Announces Residential Christmas Contest Winners

The beautifully decorated home of Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Carpenter, 722 Sunset Drive, was judged as first place winner in the Chamber of Commerce sponsored Residential Christmas Decoration Contest announced Web Sharp, manager. The Carpenters will receive a Reddy Light from Texas Electric Service Company of Burkburnett. Truly, an outstanding display. Second place winner and eligible for a \$50 Savings Bond from the First National Bank of Burkburnett is Floyd W. Bailey, 610 Hazel Drive. Bailey used a monochromatic blue theme to capture the attention of the judges, Floyd Wayne, 14, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bailey. Mrs. Carl Morrison, 802 Sycamore Road, won third place with an impressive display of lawn lights, manger scene and a beautiful, imaginative Christmas tree. The Morrissions will receive a \$25 Savings Account from the First Savings and Loan Association of Burkburnett. Ten entries were received by the Chamber of Commerce and all ten were judged Friday evening, December 21. The top three winners were not the only beautifully decorated homes in Burkburnett by far. Why not travel the route of entered homes which were: Eldred Hill, 835 Lee St.; T. M. Cornelius, 703 South Berry St.; Joseph J. Lucas, 601 Hazel Drive; Mary Tullis, 125 Avenue F; Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lohofener, 206 W. 4th St.; Lottie Gowan, 312 Broyles; and Mrs. E. C. Fleming, 206 Laurel Lane.

## Local Births

Judson L. Wright, boy, Gregory Lee.  
Virgil D. White, boy, Paul Dwayne.  
Victor E. Easley, boy, Timothy Eugene.  
James W. Futch, girl, Grace Elaine.  
Wendell L. Snider, boy, Corey Jon.

## CARD OF THANKS

The kindness and sympathy of neighbors and friends in our recent sorrow will always remain with us as a precious memory. For the food, beautiful service, floral offerings and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful.  
Mrs. Herbert Adams  
Mr. and Mrs. Owen Twain Adams and children  
Mr. and Mrs. Duane Adams and children  
Miss Meta Adams

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Stockholder's meeting of the First Savings and Loan Association of Burkburnett, Texas, Wichita County, Texas, will be held Thursday, January 10, 1963, in the office of the Association located at 314 East Third Street at 4:30 p. m.

## Sunday Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wiggington, Watumka, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Burr Sanders and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Sherman, Wichita Falls; and Mrs. Chisholm Marble of Electra, had lunch Sunday with Mrs. M. C. Ring and Robert.

John Lohofener of Concordia, Missouri, visited his brother, Will Lohofener, and other relatives here during the Christmas holidays.

## CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles White and daughters, Rynda and Renee, of Abilene visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph White and Mr. and Mrs. Al Lohofener, here during the Christmas holidays. Rynda and Renee remained here for a longer visit with their grandparents.  
Peanut Boyd of Irving, Texas, Mrs. B. D. Boyd during the Christmas holidays.

## Youth Center Board Meeting

The official board for the Youth Center will meet at the Center January 1 at 7:00 p. m. for the purpose of electing new members on the board. Will each civic club see that they have a representative member at this meeting. Thanks very much to the Optimist Club for their sponsorship, they mean business. The town as a whole should appreciate these men for what they have already done and will do. The Youth are showing a lot of interest, and they are so nice. The pool tables are about ready. We need two sets of balls, racks and chalk. The ping pong tables need new tops. The Center will be open for reading. If you need a Christmas tree, get it from the Optimist Club at the Ford car lot. Thanks a million for what you have done for the Youth Center. Thanks in advance for what you will do. Thanks to every one that had a part in helping the Center in any way. Merry Christmas to All and to All a Happy Prosperous New Year.

L. R. TODD

## Newcomers Welcomed to Burkburnett

The Burkburnett Chamber of Commerce and the Greeters Service wish to welcome the following newcomers to our city.

Lay, Wilfred  
Adolphus, J. C.  
Robert, Chester  
Nix, James  
Corbais, Leo  
Boatright, Virginia  
Boyd, Agnes  
Kelley, Alvin  
Black, R. L.  
Westfall, Wm.  
If you are a newcomer to Burkburnett and have not been contacted, please call Mrs. Savage, 569-2180, or the Chamber of Commerce Office, 569-3393.

C. J. Lippard spent the Christmas holidays with his brother and family in Lamesa, Texas.

## Foreign Missionary Speaker At First Baptist Church Sunday, December 30, 1962

Rev. Leroy Benefield, Southern Baptist Foreign Missionary, will be guest preacher at First Baptist Church, Burkburnett, Texas, December 30, at 10:40 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Everyone is urged to hear him and we are especially urging that all parents come and bring their Juniors, Intermediates, and Young People.

Pondering the deepening conviction that he should become a preacher and missionary, Leroy Benefield used to wonder how God could use "a country boy with a farmer's heart." Now he knows.

Appointed by the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board in 1958 for service in the Philippines, Mr. Benefield has been leading in evangelistic and agriculture work in Cotabato Province, on the island of Mindanao. By sharing his agricultural know-how and introducing new farming methods and new crops, he has made the region's farmers receptive to his preaching and opened the way for introducing the gospel.

Much of his effort has been directed toward expanding the agricultural program at Southern Baptist College, M'lang. The schools new agricultural building, providing classrooms, tractor garage, and other needed facilities is his pride and joy.

The son of a tenant farmer, Mr. Benefield was born and reared near Caney, Oklahoma. He served in the U. S. Army for two years, during and following World War II.

After receiving the associate of arts degree from Murray Agricultural College, Tishomingo, Oklahoma, and the bachelor of science degree from Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical

## Christmas Party Enjoyed By Burk "Oldtimers"

One of the nicest Christmas parties in Burkburnett was held last Thursday evening for its "oldtimers" in the new Texas Electric Service Company "Reddy Room." The party was sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce with George Counter as chairman. Special "thanks" are in order for the wonderful ladies of the Current Literature Club who served as hostesses and decorated the room for the "oldtimers." Representing the club were: Mrs. F. M. McMurtry, Mrs. A. H. Lohofener, Mrs. Ralph White, Mrs. W. C. Vann, and Mrs. Ping Lundberg.

Another gesture greatly appreciated by the honored guests and the chamber was a magnificent Christmas Tree erected and decorated by Cub Scout Troop 156 especially for the senior citizens of Burkburnett. Carl Sutherland is the Scoutmaster. Although inclement weather hampered attendance, those "oldtimers" who did come to the party seemed to have thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

## Burkburnett Infant Dies In Her Home

Linda June Russell, six-week-old daughter of Airman 1/C and Mrs. James Russell, died Friday morning at the family residence, 117 S. Preston, in Burkburnett.

She was born November 1 in Wichita Falls. Funeral was at 4:00 p. m. Saturday from the Owens & Brumley Funeral Home Chapel in Burkburnett and burial was in Burkburnett Cemetery.

Other survivors are two sisters, Lois Louise Russell and Brenda Dee Russell, maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Smith of Gary, Indiana; and paternal grandfather, Vernard Russell of Schererville, Indiana.

Miss Pat Clack, student at Arizona State University, spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Clack and brother Kerry Clack.

## Background of Roger W. Babson



Roger W. Babson

American business has no more inspiring personality than Roger W. Babson, internationally known business commentator and investment adviser. An outstanding feature of his philosophy has been his lifelong insistence on the importance of both religion and advertising in business.

Born and reared in an old-fashioned atmosphere of hard work and hustle on a farm in Gloucester, Mr. Babson went to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Upon graduating, he turned instinctively to financial and business activities in which his father was engaged.

His exertions, however, undermined his health; he contracted tuberculosis and he was sent West "as good as dead." It was while he was convalescing from this dread malady that he worked out some of the possibilities and problems of business forecasting. His weekly releases are used by over 400 newspapers and his financial reports by 20,000 corporations and estates. His research work is carried on by a large staff of experts.

Mr. Babson founded Babson Institute for Men, and, in cooperation with the late Mrs. Babson, developed Webber College for Women — both nationally known educational institutions. Here young men and women may concentrate on the fundamentals of honest and efficient business administration. Later, he founded a Midwest Institute of Business Administration, located in Eureka, Kansas, the center of the United States. He has been active also in the establishment of other mediums of service to the public, such as the Gravity Research Foundation located at New Boston, New Hampshire.

Mr. Babson has probably done more than any other man to create among his millions of newspaper readers an interest in simple business problems, and to instill a broader vision in businessmen, enabling them to meet the ups-and-downs of the business cycle.

## E. O. Bryan Rites Were Wed.

E. O. Bryan, native of the Firberg-Cooper Community, died at the Midway Service Station, which he owned, Monday afternoon.

Born November 18, 1914, in the Firberg-Cooper Community, Bryan was a member of the Firberg-Cooper Methodist Church, the Masonic Lodge No. 1158 AF&AM, and of the National Coursing Greyhounds Association.

Funeral services were held at 3:00 p. m. Wednesday from the Owens-Brumley Funeral Home. Rev. Robert White, pastor of Cashion Baptist Church, and Rev. Carroll Copeland, pastor of the Burkburnett Methodist Church, officiated. Burial was in Crestview Memorial Park.

He is survived by the widow, Alta Bryan of the home; one son, Alan Bryan of the home; his mother, Mrs. Ethel Bryan of Wichita Falls; three brothers, Kenneth Bryan of Wichita Falls; Wilbert Bryan of Artesia, New Mexico; and Bobby Bryan of Austin, Texas; and two sisters, Mrs. Victor C. Lamb of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Margaret Binion of Burkburnett, Texas.

Pallbearers were E. B. Chaffin, Walter Guyton, Jake Morton, Floyd Firberg, Jr., Clinton Firberg, Honer Lea, Eddie Snyder and Quinton Williams.

Charles Wayne Boyd of Houston spent the Christmas holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boyd.

## Burkburnett C-C Invited to Have Day Ft. Work Stock Show

The Burkburnett Chamber of Commerce has received an invitation to be honored on a special day at the 1963 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, January 25-February 3.

W. R. Watt, Stock Show president-manager, said by selecting a "day" at Fort Worth's 67-year-old exposition the city would receive special recognition both at the show and over a wide area of Texas.

The invitation provides a block reservation of Rodeo seats, for advance sale locally. The delegation would be presented to the Rodeo crowd in a spotlighted introduction during the performance. The local band is invited to play a concert on the Stock Show ground and be the show's guest at the Rodeo.

## Kindergarten Enrollment Reopens

Because of service families moving out of town, the Grace Lutheran Kindergarten has had some "drop outs" among the kindergarten children. Enrollment is now open to fill these vacancies for the rest of the school year. To enroll, children must have been five years of age by last September 1st. They will then be able to enter the first grade of public school next September.

The kindergarten at Grace Lutheran has fared well during its first three and a half months, and it continues to be a good contribution to the community in the field of education.

One set back was experienced the first of October when the kindergarten teacher, Mrs. Sylvia Ramming, became ill and required a long period of recuperation. However, the set back was greatly lessened by the substitute teaching of Mrs. Omer Liefier who also is an experienced teacher. Mrs. Ramming is now teaching again.

Those who desire more information about enrollment may call Rev. Phil Otten, pastor of Grace Lutheran, 569-2706 or 569-3164.

## Cancer Society Hears Quannah Man

L. E. Ross, Quannah community leader, discussed the laryngectomy operation as guest speaker at a meeting of the Wichita County Unit, American Cancer Society, Tuesday, December 18th.

Ross, who underwent this operation 28 months ago, is donating much of his time to talking with persons who face the operation and in helping them learn to talk again afterwards.

The Quannah citizen, a Texaco distributor, is vice president of the Chamber of Commerce; a Sunday School teacher; president of a civic club; and a golfer.

Reports were given on the recent district meeting in Abilene and state meeting in Dallas. Dr. Charles Wilson, unit president, was master of ceremonies.

Doug Menden, 1963 crusade chairman, discussed plans for that event. Mrs. Dorothy Preston and Mrs. Glen Bear of the Burkburnett Study Club attended the cancer society meeting.

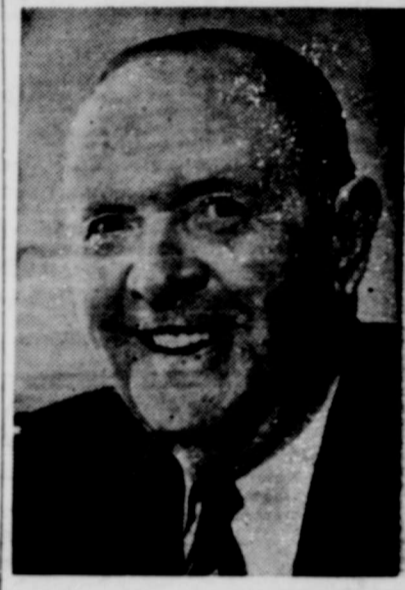
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Chambers spent the Christmas holidays with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fite and children in Richardson.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Brookman this week are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brookman and girls of Point Mugu, California and Mr. and Mrs. John Alan Brookman and children of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Visitors in the H. D. Maney home during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Franzwa and two children of Lynwood, California, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Maney and children and Mr. Eldon Maney and two children, all of Odessa, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Davis and children of Gainesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Lohofener of Abilene were holiday visitors in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Lohofener, and Mrs. B. H. Preston.

## Banquet Speaker Announced By Burk C. Of C.



ROBERT E. JACKSON

Professor (better known as "Prof.") Robert E. Jackson, renowned, retired educator at Texas Woman's University, Denton, Texas will be the featured speaker at the Burkburnett Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet disclosed speaker chairman Jerry Thomas.

A frequent lecturer throughout Texas and neighboring states, Jackson's success as a toastmaster, main speaker and commentator began early in his teaching career. "He doesn't talk on education, but his talk is an education in itself," is typical of the comments made by those who have heard him speak.

"Prof." Jackson enjoys the distinction of being one of the best-known humorists in the Southwest. Del Sharbutt, NBC and Columbia announcer who once introduced Jackson, was so impressed with his presentation that he invited "Prof." to deliver a speech in California. His keen sense of wit and jovial disposition make him one of the most sought after dinner speakers in Texas.

"We feel it's a big red feather in Burkburnett's cap to obtain such a distinguished speaker as 'Prof.' Jackson, who has spoken in ten states, for our banquet," said Jerry Thomas.

Tickets for the annual banquet, Friday evening, January 11, 7:00 p. m., may be obtained from any chamber director or from the Burkburnett Chamber of Commerce office said Web Sharp, chamber manager.

## Den 2—Pack 156

We met on December 12, 1962 in the home of our Den Mother, Mrs. Florence Gann.

Donald Vitalie led us in the flag ceremony and the Pledge of Allegiance. We gave our Den yell and nearly raised the roof off the house. We finished the gifts we are making for our mothers for Christmas. We made Christmas cards to send to the other dens.

A cookie treat was furnished by Donald Vitalie and served to Ronald Rush, Mike Sweeney, Gordon McCluskey, Roy Boswell, Bobby Dilbeck, Ronald Gann and Den Chief Eddie Gann.

Ronald Gann, Keeper of the Buckskin

We met December 19, 1962 in the home of our Den Mother, Florence Gann.

Ronald Rush led in the flag ceremony and the Pledge of Allegiance. We gave our Den yell and raised the roof. We made our father's gift for Christmas and wrapped both the gifts for mother and dad. We made plans for our Christmas party.

Those present were Gordon McCluskey, Bobby Dilbeck, Roy Boswell, Mike Sweeney, Donald Vitalie, Ronald Rush, Ronald Gann and Den Chief Eddie Gann.

Merry Christmas everyone. Ronald Gann, Keeper of the Buckskin

Ronnie Evans, a student at John Tarleton College, is spending the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McKinney spent the Christmas holidays with their son and family in Missouri.

# The Burk Burnett Star

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## GRASS ROOTS OPINION

**PRIEST RIVER, IDA., TIMES:** "Historians tell us about the past and economists tell us about the future. Thus only the present is confusing."

**CRYSTAL SPRINGS, MISS., METEOR:** "Little by little, the problem of what to do with, about for and to teenagers is being solved. A mother of three teenage daughters makes the last girl who returns home Saturday night prepare Sunday breakfast for all the family."

**NORFOLK, VA., TIMES ADVOCATE:** "Should we adults expect our children to understand and support the American way of life, if they don't know what makes it tick? How can we sell free enterprise around the globe if our young don't know what it's all about? Each year more than two million high school grads are absorbed into the nation's work force—and less than five out of every 100 have had as much as one semester course in business economics. So what happens? Of students polled, only 39% accept the profit incentive as necessary to the survival of the free enterprise system. 82% believe that monopolies rule the roost in many of America's major industries. 59% believe owners get too much of a company's profit. 62% think a worker should not produce all he can."

**WILLIAMS, ARIZ., NEWS:** "It is encouraging to see all of the Communist newspapers, magazines and news media throughout the world attacking the Peace Corps. No other thing would further our belief that it is effectively countering Communist measures."

**MILES CITY, MONT., DAILY STAR:** "The use of the taxpayers' money, for such things as a 'Packet for the Bride', now being distributed by the Secretary of

## WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS"

By C. WILSON HARDER

While much has been claimed about the progress, or lack of progress made by the 87th Congress, the actions of the session that ended late in the year does give some harbinger of a return of sanity along the Potomac.

Presumably, in a true, democratic form of government, no legislative body is going to be perfect, and thus the 87th Congress passed a great deal of legislation that undoubtedly will turn out to have been quite unwise.

On the other hand, the Congress, against quite stubborn opposition, did pass legislation permitting self-employed to start tax free retirement funds. This principle was asked for by a majority of the nation's independent business and professional people, voting through the National Federation of Independent Business.

It also passed a measure which will permit a better system of depreciation for tax purposes on new equipment bought by business. While the measure as passed did not afford the full relief asked by independent businessmen through the National Federation of Independent Business, the compromise measure as adopted was approved by the majority as a step in right direction.

And while the Congress did pass many expensive measures, it did take some negative actions which indicates the tide may be running against the trend towards socialism.

For one thing, almost a billion dollars was slashed out of the foreign give away appropriations. This was done at the insistence of the House, which is an important factor to be borne in mind.

It also turned down a request to permit any incoming president the power to name a new Chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, as it also turned down a request for presidential power to cut taxes at will. Both of these measures, it was felt, would give any president too much control of the nation's currency and economy with which to play politics.

The interesting aspect of all this is that relief from some past evils and from some proposed future evils was due to House action, not the Senate.

This can only be attributed to the fact that the members of the House of Representatives are much closer to Main Street, and are thus more conscious of the viewpoint of the people who are furnishing employment, operating independent enterprise. The sessions prove it is possible for the voice of reason to combat the daily flow of influence poured upon Congress by professors and other economic theorists.



C. W. Harder that undoubtedly will turn out to have been quite unwise.

Agriculture, was related to the House by Rep. Byrnes (R-Wis.). 'It is an attractive brochure,' Rep. Byrnes said, 'with a picture of a demure bride in pink on the cover, and containing 10 agricultural publications and a letter of congratulations from the Secretary of Agriculture. If we're going to package things, I would suggest a different kind, something like 'Saving for Taxpayers.'

**BRIDGEPORT, NEBR., NEWS-BLADE:** "Everybody reads their hometown weekly newspapers. They know what is going on in the town but want to see who was caught at it."

### Burk Boy Elected To Phi Beta Kappa

Forty-six University of Texas students and 1962 graduates have been elected to Phi Beta Kappa, top-ranking national scholastic honorary society in the arts and sciences. From Burkburnett was Gary Lynn Wood, 705 Reagan.

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## BURKBURNETT... HISTORY

Revealed By The Star Files 20 Years Ago . . .

H. C. Hill, coach at Valley View, has accepted the position of physical education instructor and football and basketball coach in the Burkburnett High School.

Dick Tracy is now with the Boyd Bros. store in the meat department and invites his friends and former customers to call on him in his new location.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Snow, Brownwood, Texas, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Ione to Sgt. Thomas H. Harms, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Harms of Burkburnett.

Mike Harms, who is attending school in Denton, is home for the holidays.

Mrs. Roy T. Magers is spending the Christmas holidays in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Strick Schofner, in Waco.

Mrs. G. W. Ferguson, of this city, who is visiting her daughter in Houston received word that her brother R. W. Cum-

mings passed away on December 11, in Ventura, California

Mrs. J. K. Mathews and infant son, Johnny Kenneth, were returned to their home here from the hospital in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Minick and Dorothy of Seymour visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Minick on Monday.

Mrs. Nellie McGinnis from Ft. Worth is spending the Christmas holidays with her son Howell.

The annual Christmas party of the American Legion Auxiliary was held in the home of Mrs. H. C. Gilbert with Mrs. V. C. Gage as co-hostes.

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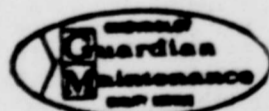
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## Friendship Class Had Christmas Party December 13th

The Annual Christmas Party of the Friendship Class of the First Baptist Church was held at the home of Mrs. R. P. Thaxton on Thursday evening, December 13, with other members of Group Four as co-hostesses. The house was beautifully decorated to carry out the Christmas motif. Mrs. Will Teal, president, after welcoming service members and guests, called on Mrs. Jimmy Johnson to open the meeting with prayer. Mrs. Teal read an invitation from the children of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmons for members of the Friendship Class to attend a reception honoring their parents with a Fiftieth Anniversary open house on Sunday, December 23, from 2 to 5 p. m. at 402 West 3rd Street. Program Chairman, Mrs. Earl Van Deren, called on Miss Ella Billingslea for the devotional. The story of the birth of Christ, Miss Billingslea selected the version, Luke 2:1-16. At

the close, she related a short narrative, entitled, "If Christ Had Not Come."

Mrs. Van Deren then presented Mrs. W. B. Short, who used excerpts from one of Dr. Norman Vincent Peale's sermons, "The Coming of the King," as a background for her message. She added statements that she had gleaned from other sources, as well as original suggestions. The following thought expressed by Mrs. Short should be remembered when one is searching for a suitable Christmas story: "There is no need to search for Christmas stories, old or new. There is only one, and after all no one can improve it. It has been said that the gospel of Luke is the world's most beautiful book and that the story of the birth of Jesus is the book's most beautiful chapter."

After gifts had been exchanged and refreshments served, the class adjourned to the living room where everyone joined in singing Christmas carols, with Mrs. Preston Johnson as accompanist. Little Miss Paula Gore sang two numbers, "Joy to the World," and "Silent Night."

Mrs. J. G. Cheney dismissed



## The Theta Epsilon Sorority Met December 4th

The Theta Epsilon Sorority met December 4th at 7:30 o'clock in the home of La Donna Sheperd. Opening ritual was read by the President Helen Cornelius. Roll call was answered with something on "Cheese." Minutes were read and approved.

We received a letter from the hospital thanking us for the coffee donated to them.

A "Thank You Note" was received from Jane McCarthy, our district president, for the lovely corsage sent to her.

The program was given by La Donna Sheperd. It was given on Deserts, which she called a "Happy Ending."

For refreshments, she served deserts of cakes of different assortment with coffee and Cokes.

The door prize for the evening was won by Bobbie Klinsk-

erman. Those present for the evening were, Mesdames, Cloyd Adams, Clarence Bridges, Kathleen Brammer, Murray Carter, T. M. Cornelius, Lyle Eaton, Bryan Farris, William Glisson, Q. L. Howard, Elmer Klinkerman, Clyde Slusher, James Spinks, J. W. Tibbets, Neal Tullis, Raymond Van Loh, Charles Wilkins and the hostess, Mrs. Bruce Sheperd.

## CARD OF THANKS

The colored people of Burkburnett wish to thank the First Baptist Church and the members for their help in finishing the church and especially thank Mrs. Jimmie Johnson for her services. We wish all of you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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with prayer. Those present and enjoying this delightful Christmas party were the following members: Mesdames, Preston Johnson, J. B. Ady, E. R. Burns, Hubert Butts, C. R. Chambers, W. V. Combs, Lee Garner, R. W. Kent, H. L. Lawrence, E. H. Logan, Fred Lynch, Frank Simmons, V. C. Skipwith, H. D.

Smith, Will Teal, R. P. Thaxton, Earl Van Deren, Sam Weaver, J. B. Wright, Misses Addie Dickson and Ella Billingslea; service members, Mesdames J. G. Cheney, Jimmy Johnson and W. B. Short; guests, Mrs. J. T. Brady and Miss Paula Gore.

## Cold Weather Clothing

We Texans are so used to warm weather that when dressing for a winter hunting trip we either overdo it or under to do it. Then we spend the rest of the day roasting or freezing.

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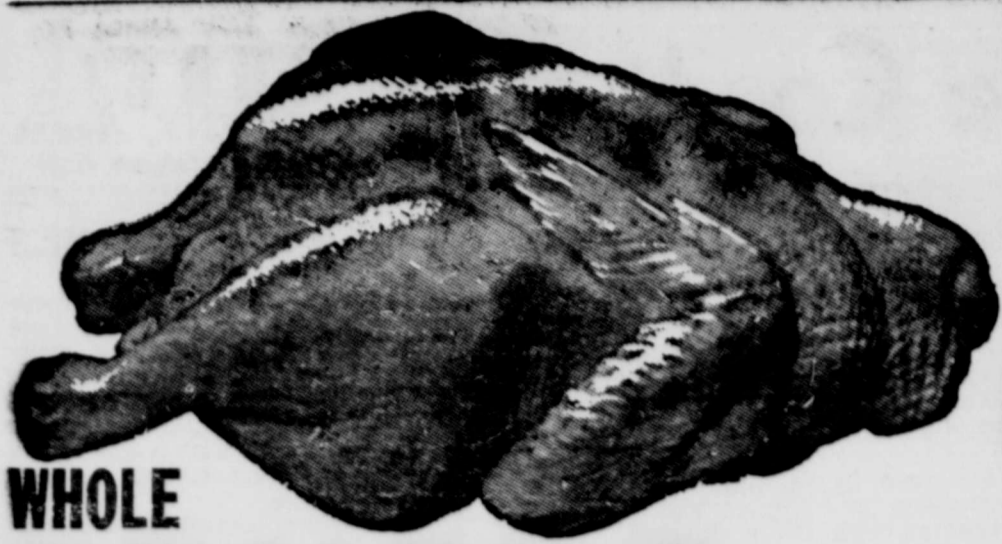
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basket sent to the needy. Mrs. Ady moved the Federated give a Christmas basket to Mrs. Chambers in the Housing project.

Mrs. Cecil; Secretary, Mrs. Gallop; Treasurer, Mrs. Minnick, offices accepted. Mrs. Bunstine, Mrs. Vann, Mrs. Minnick and Mrs. Van Deran on Year Book Committee.

"Tree" in her impressive way, enjoyed by all. Santa then presented himself from the lovely Christmas tree, giving each one present a gift, each one enjoying the social hour that followed.

Gragg, J. H. Cecil, W. C. Vann, Homer Gilbert, Seely Galloup, R. W. Kent, J. B. Ady, W. A. Minnick, Bill Catuhorn, Essie Haley, B. L. Turner and the hostesses Mrs. Van Deren and Mrs. Jones.

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The Church of St. John The Divine Sunday School, 1:15 p. m. Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, 1:30 p. m. Services temporarily held in the First Christian Church, the Rev. R. E. McCrary, Vicar. Rectory, 728 1/2 W. 3rd Street. Phone 569-3558. Nursery is available. Monday-4:00 p. m.-Catholicism Class, Rectory. Monday-7:30 p. m.-Adult Confirmation and Inquirers Class, Rectory. Tuesday-4:00 p. m.-Acolyte Practice. Tuesday-8:00 p. m.-Choir Practice. Wednesday-7:30 p. m.-Brotherhood of St. Andrew. First Sunday of every month. Vestry Meeting. Second Sunday and Fourth Sunday-Bible Study-Rectory. Third Sunday is the Faculty Meeting. Episcopal Church Women meet ever Second Thursday of every month.

First Church of Christ Scientist 2156 Avenue H Wichita Falls, Texas Sunday School for children under 20 years of age, 11:00 a. m. in the Church Edifice. Nursery. Services at 11:00 a. m. Wednesday Evening Services, 8:00 p. m.

Church of the Nazarene Main at Holly R. A. Noakes, Pastor Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m. Young Peoples Service, 6:45 p. m. Junior Society, 6:45 p. m. Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:30 p. m.

First Baptist Church Rev. Hollis Morris, Pastor Corner Ave D and 4th St. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Morning Worship, 10:45 a. m. Training Union, 6:30 p. m. Evening Worship, 6:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. "In the heart of the city for the hearts of the city."

NOTICE Burkburnett residents are invited to attend the First Presbyterian Church in Grandfield, Oklahoma. Sunday School-10:00 a. m. Morning Worship-11:00 a. m. Wednesday Bible Study-7:30 p. m. Rev. Campbell B. Long, Pastor.

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The rural traffic accident summary for Wichita County in January through November of 1962 shows a total of 103 crashes. As a result of these crashes there were eleven persons killed and 123 persons injured. The estimated property damage amounted to \$95,131.

Traffic wise, December is traditionally the most dangerous month of the year. Just what makes it so dangerous? A time of goodwill, cheer, celebrating. Why should it be dangerous?

Sergeant Stroud stated there can be many reasons for this. The month of December has fewer hours of daylight than any other month. We usually have

some bad weather. People insist on celebrating the holidays with intoxicating beverages. Many are preoccupied with holiday activities and do not apply their full attention to their driving and walking. There will be some traveling at excessive speed to reach their destination. Others will be fatigued because of not stopping for rest along the way.

"Facing the prospect of 92 traffic deaths during the holidays, our patrolmen will be working overtime hours, and they will remain especially alert for those serious law violations which are responsible for most fatal accidents—such as excessive speed and driving while drinking," he said.

In other words, we will be doing everything within our power to prove the statistics, which are so often right, are wrong for the holiday season. And we trust that holiday motorists will help by heeding the traffic laws and rules of safety."

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### HOMETOWN AMERICA



### Past Noble Grand Club Met Dec. 13th

The Past Noble Grand Club had their first annual Christmas Party last Thursday, December 13th. This was held in the home of Elizabeth Gragg. Some time ago all members of the lodge were requested to bring gifts for the old people's home at Ennis, Tex. Most of these gifts were brought or collected. The lodge as well as the Past Noble Grand Clubs members, wish to thank all of those who contributed to this cause. Especially those who gave money. The money was used to purchase candy to be included in this box being mailed to this home. This Past Grand Club is sending a Christmas Card to all members of the home, which totals seventy-six. Thanks again to all who helped to make this cause successful. Cora Lee Harmon secured the names of these seventy-six old people.

We had two visitors, Agnes Boyd and Lou Ethel Boyd. Each member brought a gift for their

secret pal and we had an exchange of gifts before Bessie McKnight brought a very interesting Christmas Story.

The meeting closing in prayer. Refreshments of cake, whipped cream, red and green jello and coffee were served by the hostess, Elizabeth Gragg. Everyone present expressed themselves as having a "good time."

The next meeting is to be the fourth Thursday in January. Jean McPhail invited the club to meet with her.

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By Robert J. Serling

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The trip from suburban Bethesda, Maryland, to the National Press Building covered thirteen miles and about 40 minutes. I carefully observed all posted speed limits no more and no less. In that time, we recorded: Forty-nine cars passing me at speeds exceeding the posted limits.

Two cars running red lights. One was waiting during a green light and suddenly started up when it turned red.

Two busses passing me in violation of speed limits.

Three cars turning left from right-hand lanes.

Twenty-six traveling less than the posted limits and in most cases causing traffic pile-up behind them.

Five cars passing me when I was observing a 15-mile limit in school zones. Two went by me as if I were standing still; they also went by policemen stationed at the school intersection but were not stopped.

Six cars failing to come to a complete halt at stop signs.

Three cars with no stop lights.

One ancient truck with no stop lights.

Five cars which did not use turn signals for turns.

At home that night, a neighbor asked me to look after his mail while he was vacation in Kansas.

"You flying?" I asked.

"Driving," he said. "Flying's not safe."

### The Home Builders Sunday School Class Met December 12th

The Home Builders Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church met December 12 in the home of Jessie Jones.

The President, Sadie Jones presided. Christmas Carols were sang and prayer was led by Mrs. Revier.

Mrs. Jessie Jones read a poem written by Mrs. Minga and a

letter from Mrs. Jensen. Both were wives of a former pastors.

Mrs. Homer Gilbert read a story entitled "How Come Christmas To Be Christmas."

Gifts were exchanged and refreshments were served to Mesdames, C. Jones, Gage, Revier, Kelly, Gladden, Gragg, Moreman, Henson, Grace, Gilbert, Lowery, Hodges, Henry, Copeland and Mrs. Gloger, reporter.

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**SERVICES** will begin at 7:00 p. m. and continue until midnight, with intermission at 9:00 o'clock for refreshments. The ladies of the church will furnish sandwiches, coffee and cake at this hour.

Preachers and singers from neighboring churches will be on hand to contribute to the program.

Everyone is invited to join us in this service to see the old year out and the New Year in. Calvary Baptist Church and pastor wishes for all a joyous and spiritually profitable New Year.

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**Mrs. Mollie R. Elliott, Reporter**  
LAST WEEKS NEWS

**Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Hatcher** and son, Wayne of Burkburnett visited his mother, Mrs. Flora Hatcher Saturday night.

**Mr. Fred Spoon** was reported ill and taken to a Lawton, Oklahoma hospital Monday.

**Mrs. Bill Harrison** and children visited Friday with her sister, Mrs. Frank Bohac of Wichita Falls.

**Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Eastman** and Mrs. F. E. Eastman Sunday.

**Mrs. F. M. Boggs, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Martin** and Larry, Mrs. Frank Etier, Mrs. J. L. Duggins attended funeral services Monday of last week in San Antonio for Mr. W. E. Tucker, a brother-in-law of Mrs. F. M. Boggs. He was a former resident of Burkburnett.

**Mrs. L. E. Ellis** and children of Burkburnett visited Friday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rhoads.

**Mrs. R. O. Brown** entertained the Dorcas class of the Baptist Church at her home Saturday afternoon with a party. Three visitors were present, Mrs. T. L. Wileman, Mrs. Roy Clayton and Miss Linda Underwood and Mrs. A. S. Nason, Mrs. Flora Hatcher, Mrs. Raymond Underwood, Mrs. Ida Green, Mrs. John Martin Sr., Mrs. Hattie Campbell, Mrs. Alma Capps, Mrs. T. E. Spannagel, Mrs. A. L. Patterson and Mrs. Scott Johnston.

**Mrs. R. Underwood** gave the devotional. Mrs. A. S. Nason led in prayer. Games were played and a grab bag was enjoyed.

Refreshments of fruit cake, candy and hot cranberry punch were served.

**Mrs. Alma Capps** accompanied by her son, Tud, of Oklahoma City attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary celebration Sunday in Springtown, Texas as Mr. and Mrs. Guy Blair.

**Mrs. Grace McClurkin, Mrs. J. R. Underwood, Mrs. W. R. Baldwin** and Mrs. W. T. Mills attended a Christmas party Sunday at the Masonic Home for old folks and children in Guthrie.

**Mr. Fred Spoon** was reported ill at his home last week and this.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. O. O. Best included Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sonnamaker and sons of Tyler, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Davis, Mrs. Ella Penwell and Mr. Fred Simmons.

**Warren Stanford** of White-right, Texas visited his father, T. H. Stanford and his sister, Mrs. Manual Braden and Mr. Braden Sunday.

**Mr. and Mrs. John Mayer** of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Postelwaite were six o'clock dinner guests Wednesday of last week of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Menz.

**Mrs. Freda Butler** and Mrs. Willie Mae Otis of Walters visited Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Menz Sunday of last week.

The **Randlett Washeteria** is now open all day Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

**Mrs. Mary Kirksey** is visiting relatives in Fresno, California.

**Mr. and Mrs. Ray McCandless** of Omega visited his brother, Mr. Reid McCandless and Mrs. McCandless and children over the week end.

**Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goode, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goode** and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Goode and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kemp and children of Duncan attended Wedding Sunday at Calera, Oklahoma of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goode's grandson, Russell Rogers and Miss Caroline Sweeney, Dana Goode and Cindy Kemp were candlelighters for the occasion.

**Mrs. C. H. Dunn, Mrs. R. Underwood, Mrs. A. L. Patterson** attended O. E. S. installation of officers Sunday afternoon at Temple, and after it was over they visited Mrs. Goldie Linkugel.

**Mr. and Mrs. Reid McCandless** and children visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McCandless from Friday thru Sunday at Omega, Oklahoma.

**Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mills** and son of Glenn Rose visited Bro. and Mrs. Roy Clayton Saturday.

**Pauline Shaw** of Southwestern College at Weatherford, Oklahoma spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Carmoon

Shaw and Darlene. Mrs. G. L. Pfeifer, Mrs. C. B. Bowles accompanied by Mrs. Willie Gibson of Temple, Oklahoma visited Mrs. Annie Mitchell of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma Sunday.

**Mr. Clarence Williams** was taken to a Wichita Falls hospital Saturday.

**Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Eastman** and daughter of Burkburnett visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Eastman Thursday night.

**Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Watson** were six o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Watson of Lawton, Oklahoma Sunday.

**Mrs. Nadine Price** and children of Grapevine spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Shaw.

**Mr. Fred Harrison** of Devol, Oklahoma visited his son, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harrison and children Sunday afternoon.

**Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Spannagel** visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Duke and children of Lawton, Oklahoma Sunday afternoon.

**Miss Murle Hatcher** of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma visited her mother, Mrs. Flora Hatcher Saturday and Sunday.

**Mr. and Mrs. Roger Fielding** of Burkburnett announce the birth of a daughter December 21st. They have chosen the name of Julia Beatrice. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Baber of Randlett.

**Circle 1 of W.S.C.S. Met In Home Of Mrs. J. H. Rigby**

Circle 1 of the W.S.C.S. met in the home of Mrs. J. H. Rigby December 10 for their Christmas Party The Circle Leader, Mrs. Rigby called the meeting to order. Opening song "Blessed Assurance." Mrs. R. L. Gragg led the prayer. Each member brought something for the basket to be given to a needy family Mrs. B. N. Cauthorn was leader of the program.

**Mrs. A. R. Bunstine** brought the Devotional, "The Cloud Over Christmas," as the Christmas season approaches, may we guide with renewed hearts and minds the meaning of Christmas. If we do this we can not help but feel God's nearness to us. May each of us pray that we may know the love of Jesus Christ in our hearts, that is love will work through us, not only at Christmas, but through the coming year; then we can say, we are prepared spiritually.

**Mrs. B. N. Cauthorn's** subject: "The Wise Men and Unwise." Where is He that is born King of the Jews? For we have seen His Star in the East and are coming to worship Him, Matt. 2:2. In the beauty and charm of the Story of the coming of the Son of God, we take great delight and we find inspiration for our hearts as we think of the Wise Men leaving their home and following a Star into a strange and distant country. No record conveys any certainty as to which road the Wise men took their journey to Bethlehem. They showed their wisdom by following the light given them.

"These men were more than earthly wise. In their actions they were moved by heavenly wisdom.

Exchange of gifts and a lovely refreshment plate were served to the following Mesdames, Mrs. Carl Morrison, Howard Henderson, A. R. Bunstine, J. M. Pogue, R. L. Gragg, Blake Browning, B. N. Cauthorn, S. S. Reger, I. N. Witherspoon, J. S. Gore, Beulah Hall, R. H. Henry, and hostess, Mrs. J. H. Rigby.

**Grace Lutheran Women's Missionary League Held Party**

The Annual Christmas Party of Grace Lutheran Women's Missionary League was held on December 18th in the Parish Hall. The brief business meeting was opened with a prayer led by Mrs. C. Koenig and called to order by the president, Mrs. C. Schroeder. New officers for the coming year were installed by Rev. F. Otten.

The program was under the direction of Mrs. C. Koenig, who with Mrs. D. Roark presented a skit entitled "Christmas Spirit." Mrs. O. Frieling

served as narrator. Christmas carols were sung and enjoyed by all following the skit. brought by members for church kitchen were opened and a Christmas food basket presented to the Pastor and family. Hostesses, Mrs. J. L. sey and Mrs. C. Schroeder served refreshments to two one members and four visit-

**NEW YEARS PREVIEW MONDAY, DEC. 31st 10:45 P. M.**

**FRI.-SAT. - JAN. 4- WALT DISNEY'S LADY AND THE TRAMP**

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