# Talco Lions Club **Christmas Party**

Talco Lions Club held its anwere exchanged and all enjoyed school style show, and a pantoa delicious meal.

uttin' for Christmas," by en- Barbara Mankins. Jerry Jones intro-

\$16.30. The legal bill of sale was acquired, making the club legal Susan Gage, Danny C acquired, making the club legal Susan Gage, Danny Cotten, owner. There was one condition Glenda Gail Stockton, Jerry in the sale, the duck must have Scarlet, Lana Sloan, Dorothy a good home available at all Pierce, David Boyd, Stan Dicker times and must attend every meeting of the Lions Club. The duck was made a member of the

It was decided that if a member was absent from a meeting without a legal excuse he is to Parks, Gay Ballard, Stevie Newsome, Janet Stanley, Randy Bakeep the duck until thenext meet-If the duck loses weight while the person is keeping him he has to pay 10 cents for every ounce lost. Also once a month Dr. E. L. Miller will make a check of the ducks cage for cleanliness and if the cage is unclean, he will report it to the Talco Takes Two directors of the Lions Club. They will fine the person from one to From Clarksville five dollars. S. O. Loving has the duck now, named Alphonso, and will keep him until the 2nd Tuesday of January, 1958.

# This Newspaper **Makes Ideal Gift**

Do your Christmas shopping the easy way. Send this news-

The recipient will receive 52 issues of this newspaper, and it will arrive each week throughout At Talco Hospital ry at Rosalie. After the holidays, will arrive each week throughout issues of this newspaper, and it the year, not just at Christmas

# **Children Present PTA Style Show**

Talco PTA presented its annual Children's Style Show, Thursday, nual Christmas party Tuesday Children's Style Show, Thursday, evening at the Talco High School Dec. 12. The program consisted cafeteria. Nineteen members and of First and Second grade style their wives were present and show, group singing "Ain't Got they had eleven guests. Gifts Nothing for Christmas"; premime by Jane Dell Flanagan, The program was presented by Susan Gage, Gayla Caldwell and Miss Ermadine Walls. Songs were "Let Me Be Your Teddy Bear," by Janie Webb, Donna Beth Mitchell and Gay Orr; "Honeycomb" by Sue Webb, Pan Miller Karen Pittman, titled "Cutest Kids in Town." Miss Mary Jo Flanagan gave a musical reading and James Rodgers accompanied at the piano for the pantomime.

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duced Mrs. Kenneth Mayfield Jane Dell Flanagan, Karen Pitt- survey. It failed to find producand Linda Smith, accompanied man, Larry Don Elkins, Winston tion in the deep zone in going to by Cato Jones at the piano, sang 'Winter Wonderland,' "O Holy Hargrove, Lynn Harton, Nancy In Red Ri Night" and "White Christmas." Hawkins Dianna Shoffner, An-The club purchased a duck for nette Swaim, Nancy Graf, Chris Anderson No. 1 Florence Little, the purchase price of 10 cents an Waddell, Jimmy Buchanan, Mari- Jane Ritchey survey, three miles ounce. The duck weighed 10 lyn Fail, Cathey Burleson, Anne northwest of Clarksville. Hole lbs. and 3 ozs., making it cost Sue Webb, Gayla Caldwell, Peg- was carried to 2,940 feet.

son, Richard Shaw, Tony Sloan, Melton Hawkins, Lisa Cotten Glover survey, went to 4,757 feet. Tommy Brock, Guy Norris, David Hill, David Lee Miller, Jim Bill Chaloner, Janie Webb, Donna ten, Marla Pittman, Lynn Elkins, Preferred Stock Johnny Swatsel, Gay Orr, Rusty Belcher, Cheryl Kelly, Dennis Parr, Donna Beth Mitchell, Mark Norman of Grand Prairie, Vic Company by the Securities Ex-Morris, Amelia Bolin, Gaulden.

and Jackie Martin nine to lead be sold at public offerings. Talco past Clarksville in a 33-29 game at Clarksville Monday will be used to finance expan-

to make it a clean sweep, 41-35. Company's four-state operations. Jerry Russell led Telco with 12 The Company's construction bud-points, and R. Emery hit 12 for get for 1957-1958 exceeds \$13,-Clarksville "B."

Next action for the Trojans will be in the Daingerfield Invi-

Mrs. Faye Duffell, admitted months training. Why not do your shopping now Dec. 9; dismissed Dec. 10. Debby ordering a subscription. All orah Gafford, admitted Dec. 9; gift subscriptions will be an dismissed Dec. 12. Roy Farrar whose mother, Mrs. Margaret nounced thru the columns of this admitted Dec. 10; dismissed Dec. Curtiss, lives in Talco, recently Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennett Of Chickasha, Ok., spent Wednes
Boyd, Dec. 13: Admitted: at Brooke Army Hospital, Fort Dee Smith, Dec. 13; Mrs. Jean Boyd, Dec. 13; Mrs. O. E. Jones, the Army last June and com-

# Interesting Oil

the New Hope field area at No. Children who participated were 1-2 New Hope unit, Isaac Barre

In Red River County abandonment is reported for James K

In Bowie County what appears to be a Paluxy failure has been drilled in the southwest part of the county 12 miles north of Omaha. Morris Coats and R. E Moore No. 1 Heard estate, M.

## Telephone Co. Will Sell Four Million

Approval has been granted The Southwestern States Telephone change Commission to issue \$4 | and worn, turn the pages of this million in cumulative convertible preferred stock, D. T. Strickland, Vice-President and General Manager, announced,

He said 160,000 shares of \$1.44 Mickey Via scored 13 points \$25.00 par value per share will

Proceeds from the stock issue Talco also took the "B" game for 1957-1958 throughout the 000,000

tational Tournament beginning of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown of paper to relatives and friends, then you can sit back and relax New Diana at 2:20 p. m. Thursodist Hospital at Dallas, was the odist Hospital at Dallas, was the consumer milk supplies by penients, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Low- cillin. Hospital at Galveston for three

Pvt. Henry Johnson Jr., 18, 15. James Hall, admitted Dec. 11; was assigned as a supply clerk day thru Saturday with his par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lewis, Karen Boyd, Dec. 15. Jackson, S. C. Jackson, S. C.

#### School to Close Friday, Dec. 20

Talco Public Schools will close for the Christmas holidays on Friday, December 20, according to Supt. S. O. Loving.

Classes will be resumed on Thursday, January 2, giving students nearly two weks holiday vacation.

# Yes, Christmas Is Coming Again

Vari-colored street lights, decorations in stores and shops and shoppers with their arms laden with brightly wrapped packages, remind us that it is here again-Christmas, that is.

Local schools are dismissed and children are excited about the holidays. Teachers are planning for family get-togethers in their homes; college students are home for the Yule-tide festivities and everyone is feverishly trying to crowd two days work into 24 hours of time.

If too much shopping, gift wrapping and other holiday activities have left you feeling limp mas greetings from your friends -the merchants and business men of this territory. This will surely revive your Christmas spirit—Peace On Earth, Good Will Toward Men!

#### Warns Farmers Using Penicillin To Treat Cattle

and Drug Administration plans treating dairy cattle diseases unless farmers abide by controls.

and drug officials in comment on side was Mrs. Buchholz.

The latest complaint of penicillin in milk came from Dr. Jno. P. Ayres, a city-employed veterinarian at Binghamton, N. Y.

He said farmers were using so much penicillin in milk that it has gotten to the point where it affects people who are allergic to the drug.

Lubbock, Saturday and Sunday. Ition doesn't show up on time.

# **Titus-Red River Accident Report**

Captain Glen Warner, com-manding officer, Texas Highway Patrol, Tyler, released the rural traffic accident summary for Titus County for the month of November.

The Highway Patrol investigated a total of 10 accidents with the following breakdown: 8 property damage, 2 personal injury and 0 fatal accidents. These accidents caused a total property damage of \$3,825.00 with 2 per-

sons injured. In Red River County there were 4 accidents, ,4 property damage, no personal injury and no fatal accidents. These accidents caused a total property damage of \$650.00.

# Jimmy Griffin **Buried Monday**

Little Jimmy Griffin, age 141/2 months, passed away Sunday morning. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Griffin of Talco, and two sisters, paper and read the many Chris- Brenda and Patricia. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Byram of Monroe, La.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. at the First Baptist Church by Rev. C. W. North.

#### **Imagine Meeting** You Here, My Dear

Chicago. — At an intersection where shrubbery cut the visibil-Washington. -The U. S. Food ity, Dr. Alex M. Buchholz's car rammed the rear end of another to ban the use of penicillin in auto. The latter did a double flip, landing upright.

Dr. Buchholz rushed over to That warning came from food see if the driver was hurt. In-

"Why, dear, I didn't know it was you," he said. "Then we are even," replied

#### Next Week's Edition Will Be Day Late

Because Chistmas comes on Wednesday next week, no business will be transacted by this newspaper on that day. But it will make next week's edition a Mrs. C. E. Griggs and Eddy day late. Please remember newsvisited Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jack- paper folk don't work on Christson and their grandson, Phil of mas day when next week's edi-

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# PREDICT 113 PERSONS TO LOSE LIVES DURING CHRISTMAS WEEK

Operation Deathwatch, the dem. Dec. 21 and extends through times to be aware of traffic. 11:59 p. m. Jan. 1. During this period 113 persons are expected cidents, while 205 are predicted to die from all violent causes.

In announcing plans for the destrians. high-accident holiday period, Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., DPS ing were named as the leading to prevent loss of life and property upon our highways. Three functions of the department, he said, the Highway Patrol, License and Weight and Motor Vehicle Inspection, will devote their attentions to traffic law violators throughout the 12-day period.

Not only will patrolmen in three functions of the Texas DPS be working as one unit in con- all social gatherings." trolling traffic law violators on Texas highways, the governor has called upon county and city departments throughout the state to make all-out efforts to remove dangerous drivers from our streets and highways.

During the 12 days of last record high occurred in 1951 the pair, a male and female, when 126 persons died in 115 fa- Jess Alsobrook of Deport, tal accidents.

DPS prediction lists 113 motorcides, 48 suicides and homicides and 44 other accidental deaths totaling 205 violent deaths.

With the Christmas holiday torists for safe driving during period only a week away the the Christmas-New Years period. Texas Department of Public Saf- the Texas DPS advised motorists, ety has placed its enforcement pedestrians and partygoers to use functions on the alert for traffic common sense in their activities.

Pedestrians were asked to use proper judgment in crossing partment's count of all violent streets and highways, to be extra deaths in Texas, opens at 12:01 a. careful in bad weather and at all

Drivers were urged to use extreme caution during he holiday to lose their lives in traffic ac- period taking into account the increased flow of traffic and mass of Christmas shopping pe-

Speed and drinking while drivdirector, said well coordinated factors in fatal traffic accidents enforcement efforts will be made during holiday periods. The state police director said commonsense driving practices would eliminate accidents from these

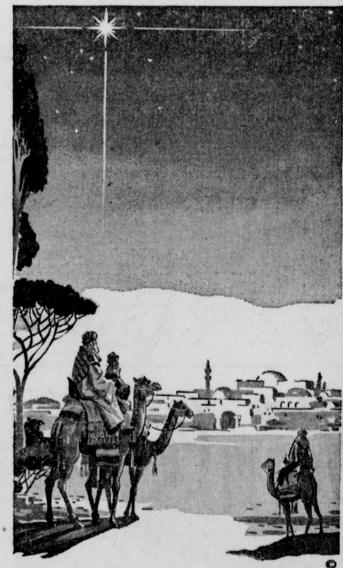
Garrison said that "although the holidays will bring tragedy and sorrow to many, we can prevent much of it if everyone will be especially careful at home. when walking or driving and at

#### **Hunters Kill Three** Wolves Near Deport

Warren Ripley of Deport, killed two large timber wolves on the Read place north of Deport year's Christmas-New Years holi- last week. This should help to day, 108 motorcides occurred in decrease the wolf population in 89 fatal accidents. The previous this section with the killing of

Jess Alsobrook of Deport, also killed a wolf while bird hunting For the current holiday the in the Halesboro community last

With a bounty of \$10 for each wolf in Red River and Lamar counties, more of the animals In making its bid to Texas mo- are expected to be killed.



Just as the Wise Men of old were guided

on their holy journey by

the wondrous brightness of a shining star, so may our good wishes

guide our many friends to a happy time to come - blessed with

the spiritual gladness of the holiday and its happy memories.

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vertising rates will be applied. Formal obituaries, cards of

Wednesday noon the editor sat down to a big dish of fried young squirrel, cream gravy, a pear salad and a big glass of buttermilk. It came about when Mautie Dinwiddie came by our home and left two squirrels, skinned and cut up. In case you don't know Mautie, he is one of the most highly respected colored men in this area and a fine cook. We have eaten his food on squirrel, deer and turkey hunts and fishing trips for a third of a century. It was nice of him to remember us with the squirrels. They were thoroughly enjoyed.

#### Fine Arts Club Has Christmas Meeting

Under direction of program chairman, Mrs. C. C. Collins, the beautiful Christmas story in song and legend was presented when the Fine Arts Club met at the home of Mrs. J. H. Weatherall, Tuesday, Dec. 17. All members participated by relating the story of Christmas as told in St. Matthew and by telling some of the beautiful legends and customs which have come down through the ages. Also discussed was the music of Christmas. the origin of many of the carols, Christmas festivities and traditions. Mrs. Collins concluded the program by reading a poem titled "The Bethlehem Road." Recorded music of the always popular hymns and carols of the Christmas season was enjoyed throughout the afternoon

Mrs. Howard Johnson presided over the business session. During the social hour holiday deli- Times Subscribers cacies were enjoyed from the hostess' tea table which was covcloth and centered with a colorful arrangement of holly. Candles and greenery appropriate to the holiday season decorated other rooms of the house. Each member received a gayly wrapped gift from under the brilliantly lighted tall and fragrant Christmas tree standing in one

corner of the living room.

Jan. 7, Mrs. Sidney Frugia will be hostess when the club will present a program on the subject of i "Texans on the Alert for Civil Defense." Mrs. M. E. Jones and

#### **EDITORIALLY** SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART in Pittsburg Gazette

If you tell everything you know you might incriminate yourself.

Scientists say that in 10 or 20 years we can travel to the moon. We can wait.

A woman with a few well-regulated tears can get what she wants for Christmas.

The long line waiting on the outside are people waiting to ge

goods or wares of any kind are trip to the Paris conference. He did get the publicity.

Many a boy who has been dethanks, resolutions of respect and nied a BB rifle has been given poems are published at regular the keys to a 200-horse power advertising rates.

> Bring up a child in the way he should go and if you are not careful he will go the way you went when you were a boy

Some one observes that it now costs more to amuse a child than it once did to educate his father.

The fact that it pays to be good would interest more people if the payments came in dividend

"Early to bed" was the advice given a long time before late television programs were put on

When a man spends \$400,000 for a spectacular dinner we are wondering whether he should be classed as a showman or a show

A train wreck in England took 100 lives and sent 200 to hospitals, and a gas explosion in Georgia snufffed out 15 lives is a sad prelude to Christmas.

Don't worry if you cannot leave your children a big bank account. They can struggle along with all the worries that an empty pocketbook can provide.

Mrs. Frugia will participate in the discussion.

Members present were: Mmes. G. N. Anderson, C. C. Collins, F. B. Haynes, M. E. Jones, Howard Johnson, R. J. Rosson, S O Loving and the hostess

# New and Renewed

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of an old-fashioned Yuletide - that

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# Struggle - Essence of Life

The schools are in session again throughout the country. This in itself may give special interest to a talk which Samuel B. Pettengill, a former Congressman and a well-known writer on public affairs, made some time ago before the Cum Laude Society of the Vermont Academy.

Mr. Pettengill's theme is that the essence of life is struggle. He takes a dim view of that commonly-held attitude which causes parents to try to make life easier for their offspring than it was for them. And he takes the dimmest possible view of what is generally known as the welfare state, with all the expensive buffers it attempts to place between people and adversity. He says: "In recent years, society has gone 'nuts' on the pusillanimous cult of 'security," guaranteed by government, in short, a nation of parasites. The illusion of the age is that people can vote themselves rich. It is a superstition that 'social security' depends on the promises of politicians, not on the character, competence and courage of men. It is a fable and a fraud that the output of society can be greater than the in-put of individuals."

Going on from this, Mr. Pettengill feels it is woefully wrong when, for example, labor unions say, in effect, to their members, "Take it easy. Do no more than enough to stay on the payroll." And he is deeply concerned over the fact that young people, in applying for their first jobs, often ask such questions as these: "When will I begin to draw a pension? How many coffee breaks in a day? How many paid holidays? If I worked more than 40 hours . . . do I get timeand-a-half?"

Mr. Pettengill cites the point of view of a number of distinguished men who exalted struggle above almost everything else. One is Emmanuel Lasker, for many years world champion at the most difficult of all games, chess. Lasker, who had shown brilliance as a mathematician and philosopher, was asked why he had given so much of his life to this game. He answered: "The chessboard is a symbol of lifeof all life. The essence of life is struggle. Take struggle out of chess, or out of life, and what is left? In chess I have found ing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. happiness." Mr. Pettengill's own advice to parents follows from this: "Don't take struggle out of your children's lives."

A famous American is also quoted—President Theodore Roosevelt. His philisophy was described in these words: "I wish to preach not the doctrine of ignoble ease but the doctrine of the strenuous life." And his wish for himself was: "Let me wear out, not rust out." His appeal was always to the strong side of men-never to the soft and the weak.

To quote Mr. Pettengill once more: "Avoid struggle and life becomes sterile, vapid and meaningless. Our mental hospitals are being filled with thousands of neurotics, many of whom feel inadequate to meet life because they were protected from taking the bumps in childhood."-Winnsboro school library

#### EGG HANDLERS WARNED TO OBTAIN LICENSE

Austin.-The state egg marketing advisory board warned unlicenses egg handlers last week that they are violating the new Texas egg law.

Although enforcement of all phases of the egg law does not go into effect until Feb. 17, egg handlers must have permits now, the board said.

Penalties are fines from \$50 to \$1,000 on conviction.



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#### **JOHNTOWN**

By MRS. G. A. VAUGHAN

Mrs. Irene Pew accompanied Mrs. James Thomas and Eddie to Pittsburg Monday and assisted her in moving from Talco to employed as a butcher.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Weisinger report these visitors in their home: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wilson of Waxahachie, the week end; Miss Linda Shaw of Talco, a guest Sunday at dinner; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cotten and Lisa, Monday dinner guests.

Mrs. Katie Pirtle, now a companion to Mrs. Bartlett of Bogata, visited her brother, Hubert Horn and family and Mrs. Frank Rhodes, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas, Eddie and Janie, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vaughan and Mary

Miss Nona Hawkins of Longview, visited Mary Ann Vaughan Saturday night and Sunday. Miss Billie Bain was her guest Sunday. Mrs. John W. Horn received

word that her husband in the Navy, stationed in the Philippine Islands, would sail for the States

Mrs. David L. Hudson had a long distance call from her husoand in the Army, stationed in Georgia, that he would leave for Darmstad, Germany, very soon.

W. R. Baxter is reported improving at his home, where he as recently been ill with flu. while in bed recuperating after surgery. Mrs. Jess Morris and children, who spent a week in Pampa with Mr. Morris employed there, has returned to her home here, where she is attend-R. Baxter.

Mrs. D. A. Baxter and grandchildren, Robert and Anna Kay Williams, were business visitors in Bogata, Saturday.

Mrs. Ruth Vaughan and children of Paris, visited in the J. E. Vaughan home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hall and Cindy of Paris, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vaughan,

Mary Ann Vaughan accompanied Mrs. Mable Hale and Mrs. Eva Bell of Bogata, to Paris Friday on a book shopping trip for

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Kennedy of Cunningham, visited her sis-

G. A. Vaughan, reported ill at his home with severe cold, is im-

Friends here have received announcement of the birth of a son their new home there. James is on Dec. 10 to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Jeffery of Arlington.

Relatives and friends here, have learned of the death on Dec. 12 of Ernest Williams, son of the late, Mrs. Jim Ragsdale, at his home in Lubbock. He was a half-brother of T. B. Boyd. Mrs. Irene Pew, who visited

relatives in Longview the past week, returned home Friday. She was accompanied home by R. L. Smith, who had visited in the E. V. Pirtle home.

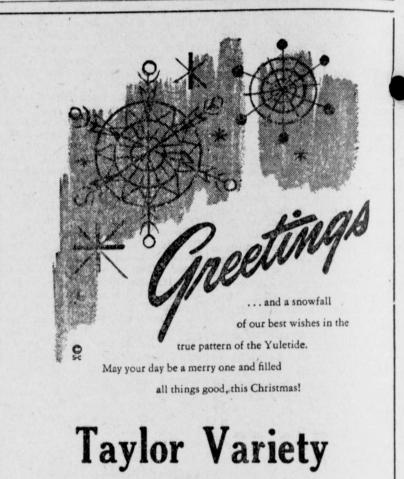
Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cecil and Steve of Talco, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pirtle, Sunday.

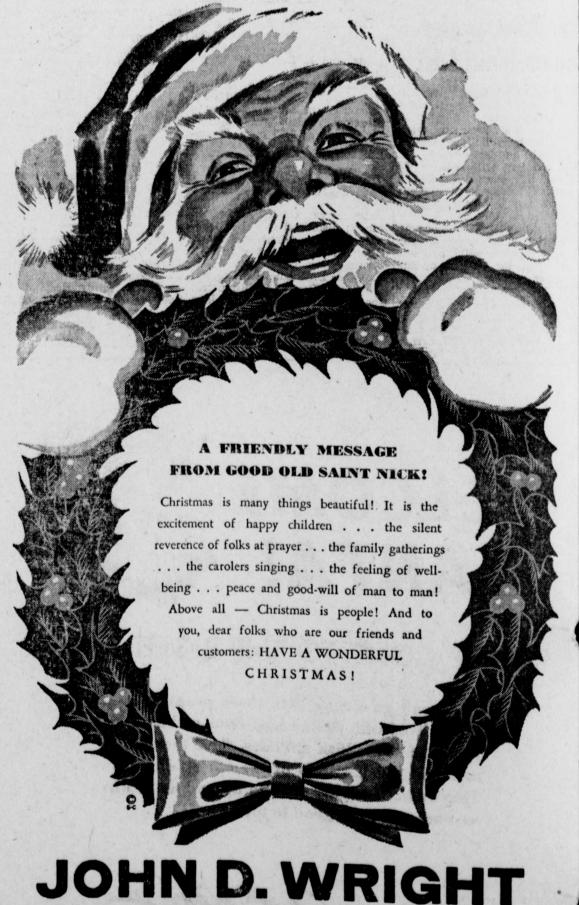
Miss Louise Potter of Bogata, visited Miss Doris Watson, Friday night and Saturday.

#### ter, Mrs. Jim Pirtle and family, SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS CHRISTMAS MEETING

TEL Sunday School class of Calvary Baptist Church met on Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Olan Matlock for their monthly social and business meeting, under the direction of the president, Mrs. Joe Nelson.

Meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. Fred Coker. After a short business session, Mrs. D. J. Smelley brought the devotional, "Lest We forget," based on the Christmas story. Gifts were exchanged from a beautifully decorated tree. The group enjoyed several lively games and delicious refreshments of sandwiches, old fashion jam cake, heavenly hash, salted nuts and coffee were served to Mmes. Joe Nelson, Jim Nelson, Carl Stewart, Fred Coker, Floyd Haynes, D. J. Smelley, O. J. Holland, Jack Funderburk, Oma Prestidge and the





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trendix rating failed to hold Lincherches have revivals, and coln and Mercury regularly. somebody's kinfolk visit. Steve Allen, Perry Como, George Gobel, Sid Caesar, Jackie Glea- Just rountine information about son, Milton Berle and many everyday folks. Compared to the others either failed to get spon- television spectaculars, it is very sors or else had to take on so drab stuff indeed. many lines their programs now But to the weekly newspaper

have been the old reliable for all | serve. manufacturers down through the manufacturers down through the years, have had to take a back Sullivan and his galaxy of TV seat while the enthusiasm for the stars to invade their parlor, but new medium of television ran its they will never permit them to course. They had to do the same invade their heart as their per-

We in the weekly field have learned from long experience this all over again and come back that we'll be temporarily ditched home with their sales message. every time some new and glam-orous medium comes along. We back home too, by gosh.—Panola ist bide our time and continue Watchman.

The honeymoon appears to be our unglamorous role of chroniion Mr. Bigs to peddle their pro-ducts. the home team wins or loses a game, the P-TA will meet, the Ed Sullivan's supposedly high United Fund is underway, the

sound like an old fashioned itin- folks it is tremendously importerant peddler selling his wares. ant news, because it is about The weekly newspapers, who their people. The people they

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ENGAGEMENT-- Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mayes, Bogata, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Frances, to Neil Rozell, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Rozell, Bogata. The wedding will be at the First Methodist Church, Bogata, February 2, at 2:30 p. m.

Christmas Party

on Monday at 3 p. m.

ents and Jerry Jones honored

Ramona Smith, Rusty Jones,

John Delbert Goodroe, David

Earl Smith, Kenneth Mayfield,

#### THESE FUNNY PEOPLE

Teacher: "Now, can anyone Honors Children tell us what is a flood?"

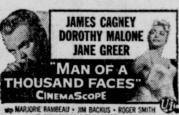
Bobby: "It's a river that's Mmes. Roy Primm, Don Clemgrown too big for its bridges."

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FRIDAY & SATURDAY



SUNDAY-MONDAY



TUES.-WED.-THURS. BOONE CHIRLEY



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#### HAGANSPORT

Ruthie Ottinger is in the Mt. Vernon hospital.

Some of those who called on Mrs. Morris Halmes since she returned home from the Mt. Vernon hospital recently: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Goode, Mrs. Eugene Humes, Mrs. May Talley, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Waters, Mrs. Fay Gieger, Mrs. Addie Stanley, Mrs. Mattie Waters, Chas. Leiner, Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Chum Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Tillery, Mrs. W. L. Holmes, Mrs. Charles Goode, Valliant, Ok., Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Grout.

Rev. George Lester of Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Hagansport, preached at Old Hagansport Sunday morning, but went home to bed and did not preach in the evening because he is not doing well, according to some members of his congregation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovice Coe visited the Horace Duty family on Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cote were out during the week John Setzer, who has been ill with a cold, is better. Mrs. Tom Moore is in the Mt.

Pleasant hospital.
Rev. and Mrs. W. V. Ray of Mt. Vernon Methodist Circuit, will entertain the members of the circuit churches at the parsonage

Dec. 23 at 7:30 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Rutland and daughter called on Mr. and Mrs. Morris Barron while attending the funeral of Mr. Rutland's fa-

Mrs. Dolly Barron and Mrs. Dewey Tillery have just finished reading the book, Candle in the Mist, by Florence Crannell Means who has written twenty-three other books, which have been kept in the Hagansport library by Mrs. Means' uncle, Geo. P. Grout to read free of charge. The latest, which is just out, is Reach for a Star. The second book is Ranch and Ring.

#### Engagement is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Damron of Bogata, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jean, to Glen and Carol Gaulden, Debra Hoyt Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Stan Dickerson, Randy Buford Taylor of Talco. Wed-Clements and Janie Webb with a ding to take place in the Dam-Christmas party at the city hall ron home on Friday, Dec. 27.

The children played games and The tables were decorated with a white cloth with a miniature sang Christmas cardls. Each Christmas tree on the center of child received a Christmas stockthe table. The mothers and ing filled with candy, gum and guests who attended were Mmes. Gifts were exchanged.

Felix Jones, Glen Gaulden, Billy Looks like the only tax relief Ray Dickerson and J. T. Goodroe. we'll get is when we go on it.

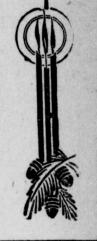
Even in big cities we notice Ft. Hood, were week end gu a candidate all its own.

that every little movement has in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Travis King and family.



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# ALCORN FOR PARITY SYSTEM TO EQUALIZE YULE GIFT GIVING

Editor's note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur won't get anywhere with this idea, but that's his concern, not ours.

Dear Editar: Here it is, the Christmas season is upon us again and still Washington hasn't done anything about my proposal to get yuletide parity in the exchange of Christmas gifts.

Under the present system, when a man starts in buying gifts for everybody on his and his family's list, including the in-laws, he has no more idea where the gifts coming in will will wither and die and stores equal the gifts going out than a farmer knows when he starts a farming year whether he'll come index. out even or not.

Under my proposal, the govup the difference.

basis of they're the ones you fig- come tax and we'll never get a

ure will give you a present, but when all the unwrapping is completed on Christmas day you find out you over-estimated some of your relatives and friends and while you sent them a gift, all you got in return was a dimestore Christmas card, some of them clearly held over from last

Obviously, you're below parity, and the Federal government ought to make up the difference, because next year you're going to remember those who skipped you, in turn skip them, and if the thing snowballs from year to year the custom of giving of gifts will lose business and you know what that will do to the economic

You might say what concern is tally efficient. Her tenseness will it of the Federal government, but transmit itself to the rest of the ernment would step in and make I'm here to tell you about a third family." of the entire income tax Wash-Say you whittled your list ington gets from many firms is down to the bare minimum, piled up in December, as a dirbought presents for those you ect result of Christmas business, felt you simply had to, on the and you take away that much in-

#### To Be Charming Try Scrubbing Floor

who aim at top physical condi-tion: Get down and scrub the kitchen floor.

This advice came from Dr. Doris Plews, consultant for Canada's Health and Welfare Department, now on tour to survey the physical fitness of Canadians.

"Some of the best exercises for women are done on the hands and knees and utilize floor scrubbing motions," she says. Physical fitness is the basis of

charm, Dr. Plews stresses, and is

important in everyone's life. 'Take a mother," she says. "She is the shock absorber for the whole family. A physically fit woman will absorb all the problems and crises of the day and remain relatively calm and serene. One who doesn't keep railing. fit will be tense and brittle-tempered although she may be men-

# **Audacious Thieves**

department store have seen a lot of audacious shoplifters but nothing like two young women recently arrested.

They took a briefcase from one floor and tried to get a \$14 refund on it from a clerk on another floor. They were charged with deceit.

Card playing has been used as method of hand exercising by famous pianists, Vladimir Horowitz and Ignace Paderewski. Horowitz exercises his ahnds with Canasta, while Paderewski had a special Bridge table installed in a corner of the official railroad car he used as Premier of

satellite launched. And without a satellite, I don't see how the United States can keep its head up much longer, although if these guided missiles can do all they say they can, the nation with its head ducked may be the one that lasts the longest.

If you think this Christmas appreciate your getting in touch with our Congressman before the new session starts in January. It's too late for this Christmas, but regardless of how the Russians feel about Christmas, I figure there'll be others. It'll probably be observed long after the Russians are gone. Merry Christmas. Yours faithfully, A. A.

# HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS Calgary, Alta.—To housewives FROM YOUR STATE CAPITOL

By VERN SANFORD, Texas Press Association

Austin. - Christmas cheer responsibilities which go with abounds at the State Capitol. We these rights.' mean the old-fashioned kind of MANFORD APPOINTED warm greetings and sunny dis- Former House Speaker Durwood positions, mixed with just plain Manford of Smiley steps into the

This is the week when state chairmanship on Jan. 1. He will employes, from the Governor on replace retiring board member down, hold their annual Christ- H. A. Beckwith and will take mas program. School choral over as chairman from R. M. groups in Austin share in the Dixon. festivities with carol singing. And the Governor brings the traditional Yuletide message.

Activities center around mammoth Christmas tree. stands in the rotunda and stret- sion as well as considerable outches up beyond the second-floor

Each year at this time committees from the Texas Public Employees Association divide the responsibility of getting a sturdy, 25-foot cedar and decking it with Board. He will leave that positioned and 432 multi-colored tion which will be filled by Judge lights. It's a sight for sightseers, as well as young and old among Charged With Deceit the Capitol's regular inhabitants. Tulsa, Ok.—Officials of a Tulsa And it always provokes the question "Where did they get it?"

Out-of-state visitors usually insist that it must have been imported from another state. This the capitol receptionist firmly denies. When pressed for facts she says, "The Governor came in from East Texas one day, wearing it as a boutonniere."

HOME FOR CHRISTMAS Capitol employes will be leaving for home, Saturday, for the holi-day vacation, which begins Monday. They are due back on the job Thursday morning.

Texas statutes now prohibit a succession. This is interpreted has been hired. to mean that offices can be closed Christmas day, plus two more. Therefore skeleton forces will staff, he added. man many departments during

and Jan. 3 "GIVE THE GIFT OF LIFE"-That's the slogan for Governor question. Daniel's Christmas Safety Cam-Parity idea has any merit, I will paign. "Christmas holiday traffic took 108 lives on Texas high-ways in 1956," the Governor spring, says a school will lose pointed out. "This year the Department of Public Safety estimates the toll will reach 113. But this useless and tragic slaughter can be prevented.

"I plead with every Texan to assume normal, adult responsibility for driving his car with utmost care. It's the very least any of us can do. And the greatest thing we can do is 'Give the Gift

of Life for Christmas."

GOVERNOR HITS "MOSS-BACKS"-It's the people who want the state government to "sit on its hands" who pave the way for federal .centralization,

says Governor Daniel. In a speech before an Austin civic club, the Governor hit at the "mossback philosophy" those who want to "preserve the status quo" in state government, "especially in regard to spending money." They "do more to undermine the cause of local self-government than the most vocal advocates of federal pow-

er," he declared. Daniel mentioned school needs specifically. He said the state, not the federal government, should step in to help districts that can't pay for needed build-

Concern has been expressed by some over the complete draining of the State Treasury to enact the Governor's 52-point legislative program. Various estimates have been made as to how much additional tax money will be needed to make up deficits in

Daniel's apparent reply: "State's rights and local self-government cannot be honestly defended unless we are willing to accept the

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state aid if it integrates without ment of financial formulas for has ordered Dallas schools to integrate Jan. 27.

ney General's staff appeared at federal court could not set aside a state law. Federal Judge William H. Atwell agreed.

But the order to integrate remains, leaving Dallas and other controversial State Water Board districts which forsee a similar problem, without an answer.

SHORT SNORTS — Members Higher Education met on Dec. 16

a local election. A federal court use by the institutions in submitting money requests to the 56th Legislature . . E. E. Adams Members of the Texas Attor- of Austin will succeed J. M. Patterson Jr. as chairman of the the hearing to argue that a lower Board of Control. Judge L. H. Flewellen of Austin also was appointed to serve as a member of the board . . . Texas' major re-servoirs now are 91 per cent full, reports the State Board of Water Engineers. There's enough, according to estimates, to take care of two years without rain . . Apof the Texas Commission on plications will be accepted unti mid-January from young men in to discuss the role and scope of terested in becoming state paeach of the 18 state-supported trolmen, says the Department of colleges and universities. Also Public Safety. Needed are 150 on the agenda was the develop- men between the ages of 21-35.

# **MERRY** CHRISTMAS

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#### Governor Daniel said he felt that his appointment of Manford will bring harmony to the board. In past months the Water Board has been subject to inner dissenside criticism. Manford is a former chairman of the State Board for Hospitals and Special Schools and was named just a few weeks ago to the State Industrial Accident

Ned Price of Tyler WATER RESEARCH BEGINS -State Water Board says it is moving ahead "as fast as possible" on a water development program for Texas. Legislation passed this fall au-

thorizes the department to make a study and present findings to the next regular legislative session. Report is to cover where and what Texas' water resource are, with recommendation on how they may best be used to meet the needs of various sec-

Information-seeking meetings have been scheduled with consulting engineers and with farmers and ranchers, according to present Board Chairman R. M. state office from being closed Dixon. A first assistant planning more than two working days in engineer, Isom Hale of Dallas,

Some \$200,000 of the engineering work will be contracted, said However, some workers plan to Dixon. Low salaries make it diftake more time "on their own." ficult to attract engineers to the

DILEMMA REMAINS - Whemost of the period between now ther a school district should follow state or federal law in regard to integration is still an open

A federal judge declined to rule on the issue for the Dallas school





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#### FILMS IN HEAVENS

Paris. A French airline has equipped its planes for in-flight movie showings. The privately derson of Deport, lost a cow and owned Transports Aeriens Interealf, respectively, last week when continentaux will start the serthe animals were accidentally vice in mid-December on the run from Paris to New Zealand.

Some units of Texas National tures are located northwest of Guard can trace their beginnings aire Texas oilman, had died at Deport, where the animals were back to the defenders of the Alamo.

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#### **Talco Activities** ON FRENCH PLANES 10-20 Yrs. Ago

Week of December 12, 1947 Joe Hall of Talco, had killed a Llano County.

Rogers E. Lacy, multimillion-Longview.

Mrs. Floyd Lawrence, 65, of Hopewell, had died in a Mt. Vernon hospital as the result of an auto collision with a truck on Highway 37.

Farm income was up 55 per cent in October over the previous

Elmer Cato Sr., 65 had died at home in Talco after illness.

The G. P. Walkers had sold who were to operate the cafe.

Although there had been no munity. traffic accident fatalities in Franklin, Titus and Red River counties in November, the year's statistics showed an increase. Agriculture Department in its

final report of the year, estimated the year's cotton crop at 11,-Merchants were advertising

Christmas merchandise. Milton Carroll of the U. Navy, was home with his par-

ents for a six week's leave. Week of December 10, 1937 Willard Lunsford, 16, had been fatally injured near Daingerfield day.

when he was hit by a car driven by R. H. Nail. Dr. W. M. Wright of Paris, had

addressed the PTA. The total number of oil wells pital. in the Talco field was 638;

The City of Talco was planning more pavement in the city limits, according to A. J. Mc-The corner stone had been laid

for the new city hall with a large crowd attending the celebration, Monday. despite a drizzle of rain. C. C. Newsome had been shak-

en up a bit when an oil truck hit Pleasant, Friday. the wagon he was driving.

with typhoid fever. Charles Singleton of Talco, had been removed from a Paris hos- daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud pital to a government hospital at Hope and baby of Dallas, visited

services of J. H. Maple, 84, at Bridges Chapel.

the Christmas holidays on Dec. to have them. 23 and resume work on Jan. 3.

#### Week of December 19, 1947

Mrs. Trudy Blalock Grammer had died in a Gladewater hospital from injuries received in a car accident near Gladewater.

Mrs. O. B. Hopwood had been elected tax assessor and collector of Talco Independent School district, succeeding the late C. E. Walker.

Ladies of the Methodist church had honored Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moore and daughter, Miss Jo Ann, at a chisken dinner and had presented them with a blanket and wall plaque.

The Franklin County Tigers had captured their third Region 5A championship within nine years by winning a 17 to 14 victory over the Athens Hornets.

MM2c John Gaddis, stationed at San Francisco, Calif., was spending a fifty-day furlough with his mother and family.

A son, Michael Thomas, had been born to Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Allison at a Gladewater hos-

Book Lovers Club had named these new officers: Mrs. J. L. Cato, president; Mrs. Jim Morris, vice-president; Mrs. O. S. Goodloe, secretary - treasurer; Mrs. Dick Rodgers, reporter.

Week of December 17, 1937 J. W. Burks, 76, father of E. E. Burks of Talco, had died at his home in Paris.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Harris, 49, had died at a Paris hospital. Burial was in the Pine Tree cemetery near Greggton.

Mack Davidson, 36, was burned to death and his 14 year old daughter seriously burned when his clothing caught fire as he attempted to start a fire with kerosene at their home near Mt. Ver-

Total enrollment at the Talco school was 905, compared to 609 on the same date the previous

C. E. Jones and A. P. King were doing grand jury service at

Franklin County's oldest wo-man, "Aunt Puss" Graham, had died at her home in Mt. Vernon. She would have been 93 in a few months.

A daughter had been born to Mr. and Mrs. George Canady and named Mary Ellen.

J. L. Cato was constructing a new service station at the corner of Broad and 6th streets. Miss Sally Lou Gray and My-

ron Gage had been married at the home of Rev. and Mrs. High-Ben Chapman, former Titus County man, had been arrested in

connection with the fatal shooting of Lee Hutchinson, constable at Amarillo.

W. C. (Bill) Shellberg, manager of Community Public Service
Co. at Deport, Bogata and Talco, had been elected president of the Community Club at Deport.

#### WILKINSON

By MRS. MORRIS BLALOCK Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock and Morris were called to the bedside of their son and brother, Charlie Blalock, who had a heart attack Wednesday and was car-17 point buck while hunting in ried to a hospital in Longview.

Mrs. Morris Blalock and Mrs Emma Jones, Mrs. A. T. Blalock were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hendrix and Mrs. E. E. Blalock and son, Paul, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buris Christwell and family visited her mother, Mrs. E. C. Elder and Mr. Elder of Oak Grove, Friday.

Mrs. Morris Blalock visited her sister in Humble Camp, Tues-

Mr. and Mrs. Romus Burgin and grandson of Talco, visited in their building and interest in the the A. T. Blalock and P. B. Har-Trojan Cafe to the J. R. Sloans, his home Friday, and other relatives and friends in the com-Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock and

Pallie spent Saturday night with their daughters in Dallas, Dorothy and Marcia Blalock. Mrs. Raymond Smith and chil-

dren of Talco, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke and family.

Sunday aftenoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke and family were Rev. Pat Cabetness of Mt. Pleasant, Joe Thompson and children of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brownlee and boys of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris, Sun-

Mrs. C. B. Harris visited her grandson, Jimmie Bob Shipp, Friday, who had an operation last week in a Mt. Pleasant hos-

Mrs. Bobbie Stephenson of Midway, visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Riddle and daughter, Wednesday.

Mrs. Vernon Riddle and daughter, Vicki, visited her mother, Mrs. Ruth Buchanan at Midway,

Mrs. Emma Jones visited her brother, Hugh Wilson of Mt.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Berry Miss Hazel Johnson of Hales-boro, had died after being ill Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Riddle, Sunday.

.Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Hope and Hot Springs, Ark.

Members of the Talco Masonic
Lodge had attended the funeral
services of J. H. Manle, 84

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blalock have moved back to their home Talco school was to dismiss for in this community. We are proud

Rev. Smith of Lone Star was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blalock.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Bell of

#### Bethany Class Christmas Party

Bethany Class of Calvary Baptist Church held its annual Christmas party on Tuesday

The ladies honored their husbands with a delicious Christmas dinner in banquet style. Rev. C. M. Fields told a Christmas story, Mrs. Oscar Goodloe read Christmas reading and Mrs.

W. Prestidge led Christmas Guests for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fields and Betty, Johnny Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Later of Long-

view. Mrs. Later was a former member of the Bethany Class. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Luttrell, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. LeMay, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Teague, Mr. and Mrs R. W. Pres tide, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gandy, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McMasters, Mrs. W. A. Hawthorne, Mrs. Jewell Easterling, Mrs. Oscar Goodloe, Mrs. Stella Taylor and Mrs. Lilly Dillard.

They all exchanged gifts from

a beautiful Christmas tree. The class presented Mrs. H. F. Teague and Mrs. Oscar Goodloe with lovely rhinestone pins. The program was closed with R. W. Prestidge saying the benediction.

Mt. Pleasant, visited in the Walter Blalock home Sunday.

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#### Farm Appetites Carried to City

Syracuse, N. Y .- About 3,000 farmers, here for a convention, is, Judy Jaggers, Nelda and San- wore their city clothes but dra Gable, Barbara Morse, Lana brought along their farm appe-Sue Brown, Sherry Sikes, Nelwyn Munn, Janice Kirl, John Smith, Phil Jones and Mike Lewdrank 4,200 cartons of milk, 4,800 cups of ice cream, 9,300 doughnuts, 1,200 cookies 4,320 eggs, 60 pounds of butter, 2,000 bags of popcorn, 70 boxes of apples and 50 gallons of apple cider.

Present-day Brooklyn resulted from the consolidation of numerous small villages, first of and other ways. There is some- which was settled by the Dutch



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Mrs. Nora Williams and Wanda spent Monday in Paris.

Louie Bond spent Thursday in

Sve Langsford of Kilgore, vis-Wednesday.

Mrs. Loyd Swinford and Mrs. Calvin Swinford spent Saturday in Shreveport.

Mr. and Mrs. Cline Oakleaf of Longview, visited Mr. and Mrs. John L. Tennison, Sunday.

Mrs. D. J. Smelley attended a Juncheon in Pittsburg Friday in the home of Gilbert Garrett.

Mrs. Loyd Swinford and Libby visited Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Story of Mt. Pleasant, Friday.

Janie Caudle spent Friday and Saturday with her grandmother, Mrs. Hazel Greer, of Clarksville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rogers and Judy of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stockton, Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Johnson and children of Palestine, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis.

Donnie Eberts of ETSC, Commerce, visited his mother, Mrs. Mattie Eberts, over the week

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gieger visited her sister and family, Mrs. R. P. Pratt of Commerce, Satur-

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Taylor and family of Maud, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lewis, Becky, Annette and Brenda, over the week

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cato and Christelle left Sunday morning to visit their daughter and famin Tampa, Fla.

with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stewart, J. C. Stewart.

Larry Horton of ETSC, Commerce, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd

Eddy Griggs of ETSC, Commerce, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil

Mr. and Mrs. William Brown of Odessa, visited Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Roy Primm and Mrs. A. Jack Brown and children, Wed-F. Bowman were in Paris Frinesday.

Mrs. Florene Miller, Mr. and Mrs. B. Gartman and Mrs. Mrs. L. L. Reed visited Mr. and Mrs. George Wims of Mt. Vernon, Sunday

Johnny Gartman of ETSTC ited Mr and Mrs. Roy Primm, Commerce, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Gartman.

> Mrs. J. R. Lee left Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lee of Dallas and Mrs. Gladys Seward of Ft. Worth.

Janell Brown, student at ETSC. Commerce, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Brown.

Mrs. Beuna Swinford is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Dean Martin and Mrs. Billy Blythe of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Madge Brown has ordered The Times sent to her sister, Mrs. G. C. Glass at Abilene as a Christmas gift.

Mrs. Tommie Barton renews the subscription of Mrs. Stewart Hanson in Long Beach, Calif., as a Christmas gift.

Mrs. Florence Miller of Kermit, arrived Saturday to visit Mrs. Nora Williams and Wanda and Mrs. Roy Primm.

Mrs. S. N. Boykin of Grapeland, spent Friday thru Sunday with her sister, Mrs. D. J. Smelley and Mr. Smelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Brown of Maple Springs, visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hamilton, Janie and Greggton. Tuesday afternoon. Jimmy, Friday night.

their daughter and family, Mr. ler and Evelyn, Friday night. and Mrs. R. J. Ritchie.

will go The Times each week for lene High and Highland Park ily, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dismuke, the next year as a Christmas ball game in Dallas Saturday. gift from Mrs. A. O. Brown.

Evangeline Stewart, student James Carl Stewart Jr., sta-gordo, N. M., is visiting her nurse at the Methodist Hospital tioned at a Naval base, arrived daughter and family, Mr. and in Dallas, spent the week end home Monday to visit his par- Mrs. Loyd Swinford and Libby. Own Currency

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Dallas, visiting friends and rel-Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Rosson and Mrs. Wayne Norman and Mark met Mr. and Mrs. Haymon Han-

over the week end. T. A. Mankins of Mt. Pleasant, underwent surgery at Paris sanitarium Tuesday. He is the fath- big guns of industry?" ed of Eugene Mankins and Mrs. E. W. Smith of Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lilley of WHAT DO YOU SEE Dallas, visited her parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. AT CHRISTMAS? T. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rates: 3 cents per word first in-Lewis, over the week end.



There are a lot of things about Christmas that everybody sees. The colored lights. The Christmas trees. The store decorations. The counters filled with dazzling gifts. Homes decorated, streets

decorated. Everybody sees Christmas cards, bells, and street corner Santas. There are carol singers, mistletoe, holly and evergreen wreaths. We see hurrying crowds of shoppers, enlarged toy departments in stores, overloaded mail trucks, express packages miled

trucks, express packages piled high beside the trains. We see fires in the hearth, stockings hung with care, tables laden with good things to eat. And they are all a part of Christmas.

But all of these things are often too easy for us to see. Perhaps this year we should look extra hard for the "Spirit of Christmas." Let's look for the great amount of good in all people; it shines best at Christmas time. Let's look at the faces of little children for the real happiness of Christmas. Let's look out for the needs of less fortunate people, the shut-ins, the lonely, the unfortunate.

And this year, let's try once again to see the real meaning of Christmas-its religious significance. Its message of peace and hope for the world. Let's really see Christmas this year.

Mrs. Nora Williams and Mrs. Roy Primm visited Mr. and Mrs. James Cain and children of

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Luttrell and son visited his parents and the formal opening. spent Thursday in Paris, visiting sister, Mr. and Mrs. Pleas McCul-

Jerry Jones, Frank Sloan and To Mrs. F. O. Brown in Dallas W. R. Shaw attended the Abi-

Mrs. Mary Stewart of Alamo-

las, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Taylor,

kins and Ross at Alexandria, La.,

sertion; 2 cents per word each additional insertion. No ad accept-Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Miller and ed for less than 50 cents per issue. family visited his parents, Mr. Terms cash unless you are a regu-and Mrs. E. A. Miller of Kilgore, lar advertiser in this newspaper. and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Miller

of Talco, Mrs. Hazel Greer of

Norman, Ok., visited friends in linoleum, new patterns and colors. Bogata Lumber Co.

ector of District 1, gave a lunch- up, low mileage, locally owned. eon in honor of Association G. A. directors. Mrs. D. J. Smelley is director of Pittsburg Association. up; 8-cyl., deluxe cab, heater,

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Emile Jones of San Francisco, Calif., arrived

Mrs. W. R. Presley, and Mrs. Welch's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Presley of Mt. Pleasant, visited her and Mrs. Co., Deport. Lallie Welch, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill, Jerry and Joe, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Hill and Gracie of Antlers, Ok., and and Billy Wayne, Sunday.

of Longview, visited Mr. and gata Lumber Co. Mrs. Olen Williams and Sharon and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Primm, Tuesday. Mrs. Florene Miller re- ances for Christmas presents. turned home with them.

and children, Ronnie and Nancy, of Wichita, Kans., are expected gue and Mr. and Mrs. Merle

Mr. and Mrs. Robbie McCuller H. F. Teague of Talco, attended or write to J. R. Poston, Box 464,

While E. A. Rodgers, pumper at Humble Lake, was out in the lake in a boat recently, a five Wanda Williams visited Mr. and the process.

#### For Sitters Martha Brown, student nurse

Kalamazoo .- Some mothers in suburban Milwood are printing their own "currency," and the U. S. Treasury doesn't mind a bit. The mothers have printed bills in two denominations - a half-

hour and a full-hour. spent Sunday and Monday in They use the bills to keep their baby-sitting assignments straight. When one mother is in need of a baby-sitter, she calls another mother and pays her off with the appropriate number of bills. The recipient, in turn, uses the bills

> A BIG GUN "So your husband's one of the "Yes, he's been fired seven

To the many greetings

that come your way at Christmas time, we take this opportunity

to add ours, with a note of thanks

for your continuing friendship and patronage - we say,

PIRTLE GROCERY & MARKET

TALCO

A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS TO OUR MANY FRIENDS!

when she needs a baby-sitter.

WANT ADS

Clarksville and Thomas Greer of NEW SHIPMENT Armstrong

Mrs. Gilbert Garrett, G. A. dir- 1955 CHEVROLET 1/2-ton pick-Kelsey Motor Co., Deport. dbttfc 1956 CHEVROLET 1/2-ton pick

low mileage; extra nice. Kelsey Motor Co., Deport. dbt-tfc Tuesday to spend the holidays WE WILL be delighted to show with his mother, Mrs. Georgia you the beautiful patterns and Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Harold colors in our large stock of wall paper. Bogata Lumber Co. dbt

Mrs. O. D. Welch's mother, VERY Special—Washing machand tires; extra clean for model. A real bargain. Kelsey Motor

> 1956 CHEV. 1/2-ton pickup; 6 cyl., custom cab, heater, good condition. Kelsey Motor Co., 'De-

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hill visited WE HAVE eight different colors Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Dixon, Jackie in beautiful materials used in building cabinet tops. You can certainly find what you want Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Williams here for any color scheme. Bo-

SEE US for G. E. small appli-Just received a new shipment. Mr. and Mrs. David Teague gata Lumber Co. dbt-c

ALONG with Pittsburgh Paint Saturday for a visit with their brand, Pure Paint, "the painters we have a new and cheaper pride," rubber base, \$3.75 gal.; enamel \$4.95. Roach Lumber Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Joda Nelson of FOR SALE-5-room frame house Nashville, Ark., former Talco folk with floor-furnace and 32 in. recently built and formally op- suction fan; also garage and 20 ft. ened last week a nice cafe. Mrs. x 20 ft. shop. Inquire at Hum-Nelson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. ble Pipe Line Co. office in Talco Cisco, Texas.

Miss Nancy Kelley and Miss pound bass got excited and jump- Mrs. James A. Cain and children ed into the boat. He then tried at Greggton and Mr. and Mrs. to get out, but Rodgers covered Vernon Williams at Longview him, receiving a couple of fins in Saturday. Mrs. Nora Williams returned home with them after visiting the Williams for a few

Mrs. Wayne Norman and Mark of Grand Prairie, are visiting her parents, M. and Mrs. R. J. Rosson. Mrs. Norman and Mark plan to return home this week

Cato Jones, student at ACC, Abilene, arrived Friday night to visit his parents and brother, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hamilton

Mrs. Floyd Hamilton

Rosalie. Ph. ME 2-5875. b12t47p

Christmas holidays. and Mrs. Felix Jones and Virgil, Christmas holidays.

> Mrs. Jerry Jones and Rusty and Mrs. Kenneth Mayfield visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shaddix of Daingerfield, Saturday. They also visited the Gaylan Johnsons, who have moved into their new

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hamilton and Jimmy visited Mrs. Hazel Greer at Clarksville, Saturday.

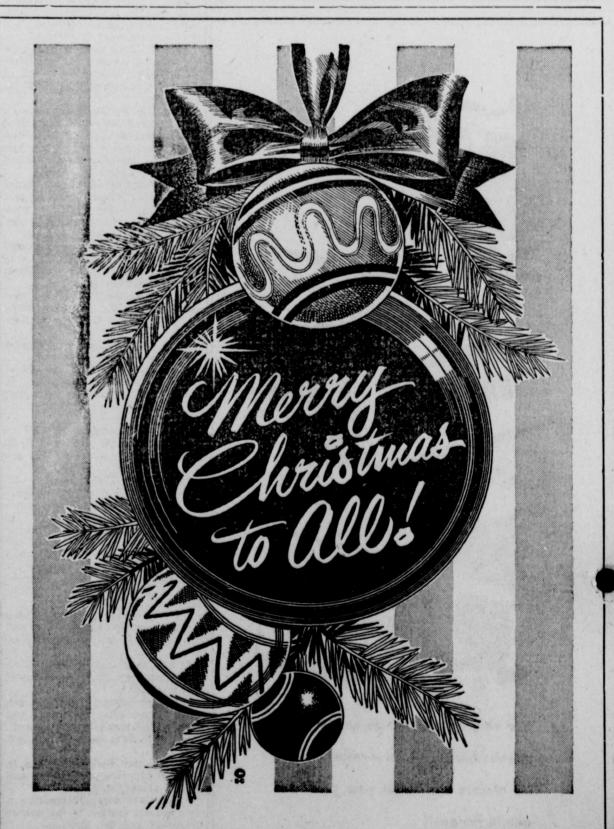
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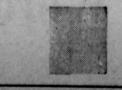
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