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SANTA CLAUS has been making stops in area towns and plans a trip to Hart Tuesday, Dec. 23 when he will pass out sacks of candies and nuts to the little ones here. He will make a stop at Kiddie Kollege at 11 a. m. and will be in the elementary gym at 12:30.

Local Residents Attend NFO National Convention Recently

Eleven Castro County delegates have returned home from Louisville, Ky. where they attended the national convention of the National Farmers Organization.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hawkins all of Hart. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Schulte and Elmer Schulte of Nazareth.

A record 14,000 voting delegates attended the two days of meetings, which charted the

CVAE Class Repair Toys

Boys in the CVAE Class are reminding Hart residents that some little boy or girl may have a sad Christmas morning with no toys if people who have used toys that could be donated for renewing don't do so soon.

Persons with toys that can be made new by some paint and repairs are asked to take them to the class. Also names of children needing toys should be given to the class. J. V. Wescott, instructor, asks that the age and sex of each child be listed with his or her name.

future of agriculture and strengthened the position of the family type farm in rural America.

The largest farm convention in American history, the meeting featured reports from various commodity department heads which illustrated price increases being received by NFO members for their products through the NFO collective bargaining program. Growth of the organization also was reflected by the reports of many new commodities added to the bargaining program.

Oren Lee Staley of Rea, Mo., national president, in his State of Affairs message, said, "For the first time in the history of agriculture, a coordinated bargaining program in all 48 states of the continental United States is operating or has the capability of operation, which makes the NFO structure a total collective bargaining structure."

He also pointed out the role of the small businessman in the battle for rural America survival. "In a corporate agriculture structure, small business men will go down the drain along with the farmer."

Delegates were told that the first two years of the 70's will decide whether the family type farms or corporate ven-

tures will supply the nation's foods.

A "gigantic" organizational drive is planned for this winter, designed to contact every farmer who is not a member of the NFO and ask him to join.

Delegates were told that stepped-up bargaining efforts will be designed to secure more contracts and to improve the contracts the NFO already has in operation and to secure added block bargaining.

The organization believes its holding actions of various farm commodities is a major factor in winning goals. Spot holding actions will be used as needed and are now in use on such products as grain sorghum, durum wheat and some other feed grains in various areas.

Staley was re-elected president and Erhard Pfingsten of Sergeant Bluff, Iowa was re-named vice president.

BULLETIN

Schools will be dismissed for the Christmas holidays Tuesday, Dec. 23 at 2:30 p. m. Buses will run at that time.

Classes will resume and the second semester begin Tuesday, Jan. 6.

Operation Christmas Card Contributions Mounting

Hart Cemetery Association has received several donations to "Operation Christmas Card" from residents who gave contributions to the Cemetery Fund in lieu of sending Christmas cards to local friends or relatives.

Those contributing to this fund are Mr. and Mrs. John McLain; Mr. and Mrs. E. Wamon Foster and family; Sue A. Dinwiddie; Mr. and Mrs. Willis A. Hawkins Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ray.

Also Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Wescott and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Futrell; Vasca Kittrell; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jackson; Mrs. G. R. Bennett; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. McLain and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Steiert.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Jones;

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Newman; Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Friday; Mr. and Mrs. Al Sharp; Mrs. H. E. Loman; Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lancaster.

Local Baptists

Present Program

Special music and a message from the Bible were part of the program presented Sunday afternoon by members of the Baptist Brotherhood for patients in the Golden Spread Convalescent Home in Dimmitt. J. D. Rodgers was program director.

Joe Prince gave the Bible lesson and special music was presented by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mahan of Amarillo, Mrs. Perry Barham and Mrs. Everette Heller.

Others from Hart attending the special service were Rev. C. T. Cunningham, Perry Barham, Mrs. Joe Prince, Mrs. Vasca Kittrell and Myrt Loman.

Harold Smith will direct a Christmas program for the group at the home Sunday, Dec. 21.

PTA To Hear

Christmas Music

A special program of Christmas music is planned for the meeting Thursday night of the Parent-Teachers Association in the elementary auditorium.

Presenting the program are the fifth and sixth grade classes of Hart Elementary School. They also presented the program Tuesday afternoon in the North Elementary School in Dimmitt.

Special solo parts will be presented by Vivian Davis, Marlan Hart, John Guitierrez, Blair Morrison, Terry Hill, Rickey Odom, Alice Rodriguez, Mary Mancias, Karen Foster, Terri King and Patricia Smith. Mrs. Carl Rambo, music teacher for Hart schools, will direct the program.

Mid Term Exams Begin Friday

Mid-term exams will begin Friday for students in Hart Schools and will continue on Monday and Tuesday. Buses will run at 2:30 Monday and Tuesday.

The exam schedule is as follows: Friday, Dec. 19, seventh period exams at 2:15 until 3:45.

Monday, first period classes, 8:45 to 10:15; second period classes, 10:30 to 12:00 and third period, 1:00 to 2:30.

Tuesday, four period classes, 8:45 to 10:15; fifth period, 10:30 to 12:00 and sixth period, 1:00 to 2:30.

Santa Claus To Visit Here

Santa Claus has sent word to the Hart Beat that he will be making a short visit in Hart Tuesday, Dec. 23 and will have sacks of goodies to give to his little friends.

Because of his busy schedule, Santa will divide his time with pre-schoolers, kindergarten children and boys and girls in the first through fourth grades.

Santa will stop at Kiddie Kollege at 11 a. m. and will be at the elementary gym at 12:30 where he will visit with pre-schoolers. Following his visit there he will stop by classrooms of the elementary students.

Rev. Godsey Is Speaker

Rev. Glen Godsey, pastor of La Primera Baptist Mission in Plainview, was guest speaker Monday night for the Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church. He also showed slides illustrating his work in Old Mexico during the past two years.

The meeting, held in fellowship hall, was a family night observance with members' families as special guests.

Weldon Davis, accompanied by his wife, presented special music and led in group singing. Scripture reading and prayer was by J. D. Rodgers.

W. T. King is church Brotherhood director. The pastor, Rev. C. T. Cunningham, introduced the guest speaker.

Proclamation

Mayor E. E. Foster has proclaimed Friday, December 26, 1969 as a legal holiday in the City of Hart.

ATTEND MEET

All faculty members attended a teachers' meeting last Monday. The meeting was held at 3 p. m. in the school library.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. J. B. Allensworth, suffering from flu, was confined to Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt several days last week.

IN CLOVIS

Mr. and Mrs. David Smith were in Clovis Sunday afternoon for the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brooks.

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Life Of Peter Told To RA's

Rev. C. T. Cunningham spoke on "Sermon in Chemistry" to the Royal Ambassadors Thursday afternoon in the First Baptist Church. They also heard Harold Smith, their adult leader, tell of the life of St. Peter.

Plans were made for the group to begin basketball after the first of January.

Thirty boys were present.

TOPS Members Host Supper

Members of the Hart of Texas TOPS Club entertained their husbands and other guests with a salad supper Christmas party Monday night in the Community Room of Farmers State Bank.

Guests included Messrs. Robert Brooks, Weldon Jones, Don Jameson and Calvin Alexander. Also Mr. and Mrs. Bob Berry and Betsy, Mr. and Mrs. Narvin Waller, Mrs. Willie Alexander, Patsey Davis and Scott and Kelly Jones.

The club will meet again Dec. 22 at 6 p. m. for a weigh-in only.

IN HOSPITAL

L. M. Carter, father of Boyce Carter of Dimmitt and Mrs. L. J. Rice, was admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital Saturday after suffering another stroke.

GRANDSON VISITS

Jack Sanders of Dallas and Corpus Christi visited Monday with his grandmother, Mrs. Grace Sanders, and with other relatives.

Zealot Club Meets Monday

Members of the Zealot Club exchanged gifts and revealed their Secret Pals at their annual Christmas party and "penny auction" Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Warren Lemons.

Assisting with hostess duties were Mrs. Charles Nelson and Mrs. Hubert McLain.

Mrs. L. D. Williams was auctioneer for the annual auction. Proceeds from the club project is used to sponsor Christmas parties for three classrooms in the elementary school.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Glen Gleghorn, Ted Averitt, William D. Bell, Jackie Burns, Deryl Clevenger, C. T. Cunningham, Garlan Crosby, Jimmy H. Davis, Jimmy Ray Davis, Darrell Davis, Jack Dyer, C. C. Hanes, David Irons, Cecil Ray Jones, Jerry Kittrell, Cleve McLain, Howard Mitchell, Eldon Shive, Elmer Six, Preston Upshaw, L. D. Williams and Frank Barnes.

INJURED SATURDAY

Yolanda Gonzales, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gonzales, was injured Saturday night in a two-car accident north of Edinburg. She received a broken leg and other injuries. She is a freshman in Edinburg College and was enroute home.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Relatives visiting Sunday in the Kenneth Lambert home were Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Miller, Mrs. Childs, Mrs. Riddles and Mrs. Lou Darnell, all of Plainview. Other guests were Mrs. Willie Richards and Mrs. Juanita Hutchinson, also of Plainview.

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Financial Facts

By Willis A. Hawkins, Jr.

Did you know the term "dollar" is not American? In a sense it isn't even British.

Joachim's Dale, a mining district in Bohemia, is where the term originated. There the silver from the mines was minted into a coin called a "Joachimsthaler." The first minting was in 1516.

Within two years the coin gained widespread popularity. It appeared all over Europe and even in Britain. For semantic convenience the name was shortened to "thaler."

The British, however, found this term difficult to pronounce. So as they've done with other Continental terms, they revised the revision. The "thaler" became the "dollar" and eventually the dollar came to America.

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"dollar" today anyway. Can you imagine asking someone if he'll lend you a few Joachimsthalers until payday?

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HART PRESENTS— Sheryl Denee' McLain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve McLain. The little miss is three and one-half years old. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McLain, Edward Todd of Eureka, Nev. is maternal grandfather.

Chi Psi Chapter Holds Annual 'Penny Auction'

Mrs. Sam McGill was hostess Thursday evening for the Christmas program and annual "penny auction" of the Chi Psi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi. Assisting with hostess duties was Mrs. Tom Ed Benton.

A brief business meeting was held with plans for a bake sale Saturday, Dec. 13 discussed. Mrs. Richard Franks and Mrs. Bob Bowden were in charge of the sale arrangements.

The Christmas story from the Bible was presented by Mrs. Fred Brown and Mrs. Bob Lacy read the poem, "The Three Kings." Mrs. Jim Black led the group in singing carols.

Mrs. Warren Lemons was auctioneer for the annual penny auction. Proceeds from the sale are used in the many projects of the sorority.

The two Beta Sigma Phi Chapters met in the home of Mrs. Bob Bennett to reveal secret pals. Names of new secret pals were drawn.

Members attending were Mmes. Jerry Allen, Clinton Bil-

lingsley, Jim Black, Charles Black, Bowden, Brown, Charles Clark, Bill Hill, David Irons, Lacy, Lemons, J. D. Myrick, L. D. Williams and the hostesses.

Two Clubs Hold Christmas Party

An old fashioned Christmas party was held Thursday night in the Community Room of Farmers State Bank for members of the Good Neighbor Club and the Grandma and Grandpa Club.

The group enjoyed exchanging gifts, singing Christmas carols and playing "42".

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamm, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hart, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Griswold, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Newman and Mrs. Bessie Mae Cox.

Good Neighbors will meet again Jan. 6 in the home of Mrs. Cox.

Happy Birthday

DECEMBER 14
Glen Black

DECEMBER 15
B. H. Rogers

DECEMBER 17
Ike Bennett
Rhonda Brooks

DECEMBER 18
Margaret Morrison
Deryl Clevenger

DECEMBER 19
Ray Cox

DECEMBER 20
Jeanne Keller

IN PLAINVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Sharp visited in Plainview Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Waldrop.

Happy Anniversary

DECEMBER 14
Mr. and Mrs. Theron Morrison

DECEMBER 15
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ray Davis

DECEMBER 20
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mapp
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brooks

Baptist GA's Go Caroling

Members of the Girl's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church, along with Francis Cunningham and their adult sponsor, Mrs. David Irons went caroling Saturday night.

They returned to fellowship hall of the church and were served brownies and hot chocolate by Mrs. Preston Upshaw. Girls participating were Vivian Davis, Pat Smith, Melanie Upshaw, Dianne Davis, Jana Mapp, LaDonna Hart, Debbie Lacy and D'Ann Richburg.

SON VISITS

Bob Jackson and sons of Odessa visited last weekend with his mother, Mrs. Maude Jackson. Other guests in the Jackson home Sunday were her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Adams of Hereford and a granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bowden and daughters.

rites held

Pre Zell Washington died Friday in the Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt after a lengthy illness. Burial was Monday in Athens, Tex. Survivors include his wife and several children. He was a farm employee of Robert L. Hawkins.

ATTEND WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brooks and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lee Brooks and girls attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brooks Sunday afternoon.



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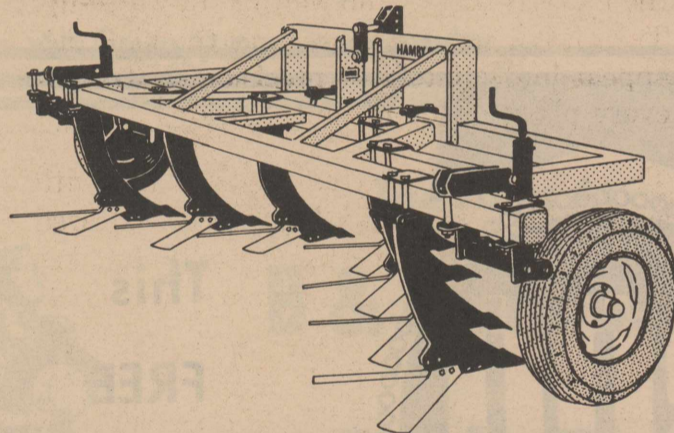
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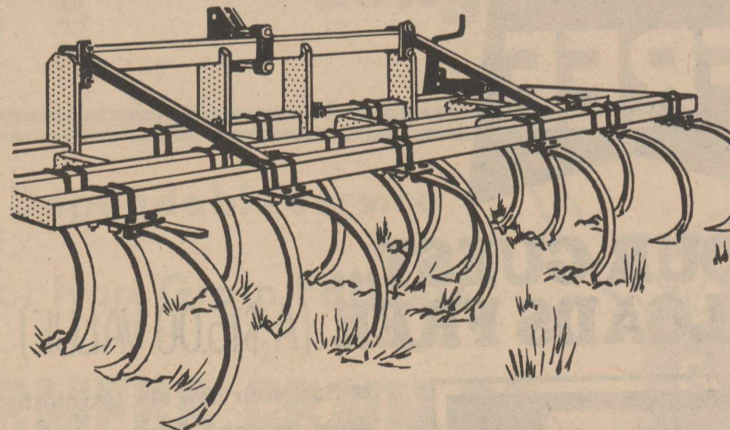
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Dora Gonzales

HART FLORAL SHOP
BACKS
THE LONGHORNS

Dear Santa Claus
I want a food ball and a big train.
Santa Claus can you bring me a minidike for Christmas and basketball and a toy train.
I want a toy clown and bring me a umbrella too and bring me a little telephone at the night day.
Joe Ramiz

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Easy Bake oven. I want a pink housecoat. I want a drummerboy record. I want a real weg. I want a pink gown.

From Tonda Billingsley

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a easy bake oven and a Tippy Toes and a blue ring Francie doll and a doll house.

Love from Alice Steiert

Dear Santa Claus,
I would like a Dancerina, or nuts. And blue p.j's. Sewing machine, and a navy purse. I will be at Seminole.

Love, Marci Wescott

Dear Santa Claus,
How are you I am fine. I want a Swing and a easy bake oven and a barbie with clothes and my brother wants a truck and a Stocking with some candys. I love you so much.

Eileen Morales

Dear Santa Claus,
I want some go-go boots. How are you. I'm just fine. I want a typewriter for Christmas.

How is Mrs. Claus?
How is the snow?
How are the elves?
Surprise Santa Claus?
love Rosalinda Rodriguez

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a bike I want a dall I wish a go-go boots I wish I have a doll

Dora Rios

Dear Santa Claus
How are you I am fine. I want a dune buggy for Christmas and a present. My little brother wants a firetruck and my big brother want's a mini-bike

Love Keith and Johnny and Kerry Newsom

Dear Santa Claus
I want a doll
I want a talking doll.
I would like a Dancerina.
I want some dishes
I want some puzzles.

America Garza

Dear Santa Claus
I want a bicycle and a little car and a record player.

Signed Herman Garza

Dear Santa Claus
May I have a pop gun Please. and a bicycle. Please and two pistols Please and a spirograph.

Preston Scott Jones

Dear Santa
I would like to have a train and a pony or a car with a man in it. Or a bicycle or some cowboys and indias. Christmas is coming soon. I hope that you will bring me that. do not forget to bring me that.
Signed Louis Aguilar.

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a football and a big train. I want a big toy cat, I want a toy Santa Claus, I want a toy car, I want a basketball, I want a Toy clown.

I like Santa Claus I want a monkey for Christmas.

Benny

Dear Santa Claus.
I want a game of battling top. And I want a game of hiding-go-thief.

I want a electric football game.
Daniel Higgins

Dear Santa Claus
I want a doll that take. And I want a big dall. And I want a toy monkey. And I want a little telephone. And I want a big elephant. And I want a big kitten. And I want a present. And my name is Ernestine Montemayor

Dear Santa Claus,
Santa Claus can you bring me a mini bike for Christmas and a basketball and a toy train and a electric football game and a box of toy and a play gun and a rifle and leave a letter to me.

I like you Santa Claus
I love you Santa Claus

John Barretero

Dear Santa Claus
I hope I get some go-go boots
I hope I would get a doll and a ball

I want a telephone but my Mother want buy My that much I hope you would I love Christmas night I hope My sister to

Love Mary Lou



HART BASKETBALL place trophy from teams played in the Fall

Busy

DAVID

In basketball week the Longhorns defeated Bovina Springlake. The from class AA Tuesday night's girls defeated score of 36 - 12. Bovina and Delo high point girls each. Bovina with 18 points and Delo with 15. The "A" girls Bovina 28-27. I Becky King with 12 and Ja seven. San Gron point girl for 12. The Longhorns a clean sweep Bovina 64-41. Led by Jim Ave followed by Ric 12 and Lonny De Bovina Mustang Tony Foster with 12. The Horns played in the S nament. The boy a third place girls did not p day the Horns The girls wer 19 despite a fin put by Roni King's 15 poi led by Angela points.

BACKING THE LONGHORNS



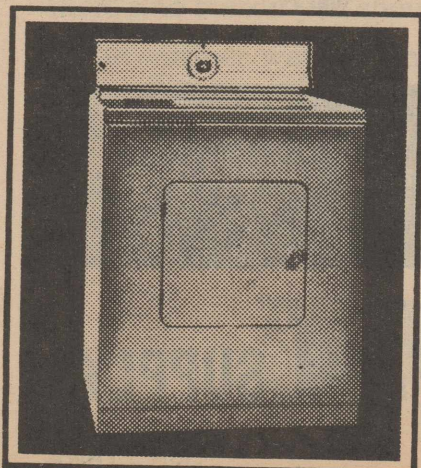
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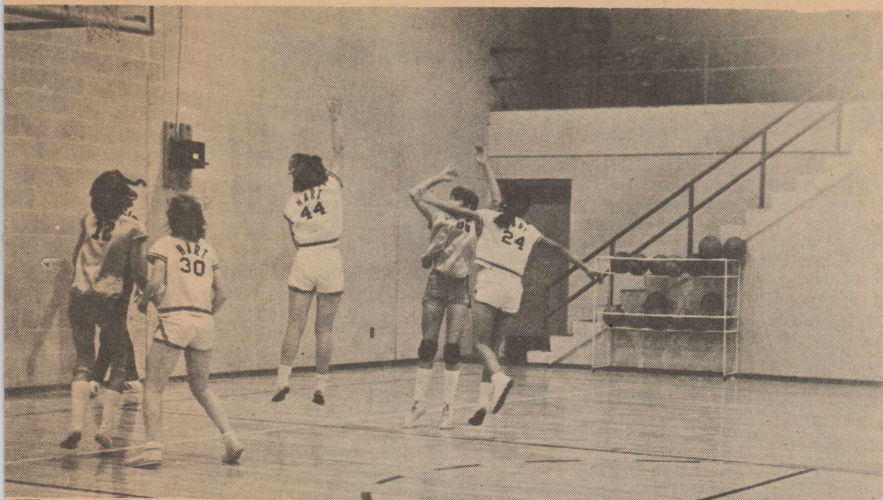
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BALLERS had a busy schedule this past week, and the boys brought home a third from the Springlake tourney, although the girls did not place. Junior high basketball made Monday night. The boys lost 23-29 and the girls lost 13-25. Other games were well tournament.

Schedule For Roundballers

BASS

In action this morning boys' team a, Sudan and their only loss was Lockney. In action the "B" Bovina "B" by 31. Suzy Hawres' Diaz were with 18 points as led by Deb-14 points. is also defeated Hart was led by 12, Cindy Dyer met McLain with nowsky was high Bovina with 25. m boys made it as they blasted The Horns were eritt's 23 points ky Farris with vis with 10. The gs were led by o had 16.

s "A" teams Springlake tour-ys brought home trophy but the lace. On Thurs- played Sudan. e defeated 39- e defensive out- Cox and Becky ats. Sudan was Pickett with 18

Friday both teams played Lockney. The girls were defeated 28-12. Becky King led the girls with a nine point output. She was followed by Cindy Dyer with two and Janet McLain with one.

The boys also lost to Lockney by a score of 56-47. Jim Averitt led the Horns with 22 points. Lockney was led by Tracy Dickson's 21 points.

The Horns played Springlake again Saturday for third place and came out on the long end of a 57-51 score. Jim Averitt again led the Horns with 20 points. Willie Wilburn had 20 for Springlake.

Hart junior high basketball teams had a busy schedule this week. Monday night, the teams played Spade there. The boys lost by a score of 23 to 29, and the girls lost 13 to 25.

In other action, the seventh and eighth grade boys and the junior high girls played in the Farwell tournament. The girls came away with the second place trophy. The boys were not so fortunate, as they failed to place.

In the girls first game of tournament play, they were defeated by Farwell with a score of 8 to 34. Cheryl Friday was high point with five points. Their next game, with Bovina, was a big win for the Hart girls with a score of 35 to 22. Cheryl

Friday was high with 16 points and Nelda Henderson was close behind with 14 points. In the final game of tournament play the Hart girls beat Sudan in a close one. The score was 14 to 11. Cheryl Friday was again high point with six points.

In boys' games in the tournament the seventh grade fell to Farwell with a score of 14 to 34. Gilbert Rodriguez was high point with five. Eighth grade boys also lost to Farwell by a score of 29 to 48. Jerry Swindle was high with 11 points. Seventh grade boys lost to Bovina by a score of 22 to 37. Danny George was high point with five points.

Eighth grade boys toppled Bovina by a score of 43 to 15. Kim Dyer led the Short-horns with 10 points. In their final games in the tournament the seventh grade lost to Sudan by 17 to 35. Gilbert Rodriguez was high point again with 11 points.

The eighth grade was defeated in a close one by 33 to 36. Jim Tucker led the scoring with 12 points.

Monday night, the boys and girls both fell to Cotton Center. The girls score was 18 to 42 with Cheryl Friday and Nelda Henderson tied for high point with seven points each. The boys score ended up 21 to 41 with Jerry Swindle high point with 13 points.

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VISIT SONS

Mr. and Mrs. John Hollaway spent Saturday night in Lubbock with John Ray Hollaway and Kenneth Warren. They visited Sunday in Wellman with another son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hollaway.

IN CLOVIS

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Davis attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brooks in Clovis Sunday. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Myrick, who are former Hart residents.

BACK INJURY

Mike Hutcherson of Plainview, brother of Mrs. Jack George, received a back injury Thursday in a helicopter accident. He is making satisfactory recovery.

Annual Christmas Dinner Held For Nanny Farmers

Mrs. Ralph Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin were hostesses Saturday night for the annual Nanny Farms Christmas dinner. The occasion was held in the Alcove Restaurant in Plainview.

Enjoying the dinner and bridge and "42" afterwards were Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Theron Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Boots Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bass, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cheves, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones, Albert Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis

Jolly, Mr. and Mrs. Max Marble, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Robertson.

Sister Feted With Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Carson honored her sister, Mrs. Bacon Jones of Lubbock, with a dinner Sunday in observance of her birthday.

Attending were the honoree's husband, Mr. and Mrs. Spike Jones and Tiffany, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Bowlin of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Aven and Mrs. Mabel Aven.

**Mayor E.E. Foster
PROCLAIMS
FRIDAY, DEC. 26, 1969
A
LEGAL HOLIDAY
Hart**

IN HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lancaster visited in Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt with Mrs. J. B. Allensworth. She was admitted to the hospital Thursday.

IN McLEAN

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lemons and family recently visited in McLean with Mrs. Paul Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Smitherman and family.

IN LITTLEFIELD

Mrs. Jack Vice was confined to Littlefield Hospital from Wednesday until Friday.

Glen Black's Tenth Birthday Is Honored

"Batman" was the theme Friday afternoon of a party honoring Glen Black in observance of his tenth birthday. Hosting the occasion were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Black.

Balloon and sling shots were party favors. Chocolate birthday cake, ice cream and punch were served to Robert Lacy, Jackie and Russell Davis, Kelley King, Keith Reed, Chad Black, Kent Hill, Bart Bruington and the honoree's sister, Janet Black.

TAKE TESTS

Several Hart seniors took A.C.T. tests Saturday at Wayland Baptist College. Students taking the required college acceptance tests were Bill Bledsoe, Francis Cunningham, Pam Shive, Kathy King, Paula Harris, Ricky Mitchell, Harold Bob Bennett, Jerry Heller and Andy Rogers.

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Xi Mu Iota Chapter Meets, Holds 'Penny Auction'

Members of the Xi Mu Iota Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi voted Thursday evening at their meeting to help with Christmas parties for some of the elementary classes at school.

The Bob Bennett home was the scene of the meeting with Mmes. Howe Parker, Willis A. Hawkins Jr. and Tom Ed Benton assisting with hostess duties.

Club members held their annual "penny auction" and

WMU's Annual 'Lottie Moon' Program Held

The annual Lottie Moon Christmas offering for foreign missions was taken Monday afternoon when members of the Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met in fellowship hall of the church.

Following the mission study, members exchanged Christmas gifts and revealed secret pals.

Brownies and punch were served to Mmes. W. C. Lacy, Lester Lancaster, Harvey Davis, Bill Lacy, Howard Mitchell and Vasca Kittrell.

WSCS Members Tell Favorite Bible Verses

Members of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the United Methodist Church met Thursday at the church and made plans for the new year.

Each brought a gift for the girl the group sponsors at Girlstown. Mrs. L. L. Swindle presided at the business meeting and invitations were written for the society's annual Christmas salad supper.

For their devotion, each member gave her favorite verses of scripture.

Members attending were Mmes. Swindle, Mabel Aven, E. E. Foster, Leonard Griswold, W. A. Hawkins Jr., Fred Brown, Ed Bennett, Hubert Mables and Myrt Loman.

IN LEE HOME

Weekend visitors in the Lorenzo Lee home were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Lee and Mrs. Larry Lee's father, Cecil Wilson, all of San Angelo; a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lee of Cotton Center and Lorenzo Lee's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Lee of Brownwood.

were joined by members of the Chi Psi Chapter for the exchange of Christmas gifts and revealing of Secret Pals.

Refreshments were served to 19 members.



The Christmas story was told by members of Den 3 at the Cub Scout pack meeting and Christmas party Friday night in the elementary gym. Cubmaster Darrell Davis called the meeting to order with the Cub Scout sign and Den 2 led the flag ceremony.

The Cubbie Award for having the most parents present was presented to Den 2 for their perfect attendance. Den 2 also gave the reading, "Twas the Night Before Christmas." Cubs led those attending in singing Christmas carols.

A very special guest paid a surprise visit when Santa Claus stopped by for a few minutes to give boys and girls sacks of goodies.

Awards were presented. Randy Heck earned his Bobcat pen and denner's bars were given Pat Six and Rickey Rowland in den 3 and Glen Black, Brett Aven and Russell Davis in den 2.

Potato sack races were directed by the Cubmaster and refreshments of Christmas decorated cup cakes and punch were served.

Scouts from Den 3 met Wednesday after school in the home of their den mother, Mrs. Doyce McAdams. They worked on Christmas gifts and were assisted by den chief, Duane Clevenger, Mrs. McAdams and Mrs. Bob Berry.

Randy Heck led the Scout Promise. Refreshments were served to Randy, Pat Six, Mark Bruington, Vic Hart, Bruce McAdams, Johnny Newsom, Ricky Rowland and the den chief.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Berry and Mrs. Miles Cox attended funeral services Monday afternoon in Tulia for W. C. Vandergriff, 56.

CONDITION IMPROVES

Jim Dalton, still confined to Veterans Hospital in Amarillo, is reported to be improving.

Cards Of Thanks

We want to express our deepest, heartfelt thanks to all of our many friends for all their kindness and thoughtfulness during our time of sorrow.

The food, flowers and every kind deed will always be treasured.

The family of
Ollie Monk

VISIT SISTER

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Davis visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cobb of Clovis. Mrs. Cobb is ill.

ATTEND ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Johnson spent Saturday night with their son Mr. and Mrs. Thrumman Johnson and family in Brownfield. Sunday they attended the 50th anniversary of The First Baptist Church in Meadow. The Johnsons formerly lived at Meadow.

Local Churches Slate Special Program Sunday

Residents of Hart and the surrounding community are cordially invited to special Christmas programs presented Sunday in the First Baptist Church and First United Methodist Church.

A cantata, "Glory to God", will be presented at the 11 a.m. worship hour in the First Baptist Church by youth from the Hart churches. Roger Edwards, youth director of the Baptist Church, will direct the program.

Miss Roni Cox will be the pianist and solo parts will be by Mrs. Roger Edwards, Sandra Bruington, Sharon Brooks, David Bass and Bill Bledsoe.

The congregation of the United Methodist Church has planned their annual White Gift Service and all-church program for 6:30 p.m. Sunday.

The Rev. Fred Brown, pastor, will preach at both the morning and evening services.

School Menu

Dec. 22 to 23, 1969
MONDAY - Corndogs and mustard, whipped potatoes, cole slaw, hot rolls, red velvet cake, milk and butter.

TUESDAY - Baked ham, potato salad, lettuce wedge, hot rolls, milk and butter, Santa Claus Ice cream.

OUT FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS 1969.

ATTEND WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wilson and girls attended the wedding of her brother, Oscar Brooks in Clovis Sunday.

DINNER GUESTS

Sunday dinner guests in the Miles Cox home were Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Newman and Mrs. Bessie Mae Cox.

HOSPITALIZED

Henry Reed, father of Mrs. Sam Davis, remains in the Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt.

FARM SALE

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1969 - TIME: 1:00 P.M.

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- 1-4 row R&J Crustbuster (Belly Hitch)
- 1-4 section John Deere Rotary Hoes
- 1-John Deere 8 ft. Tandem Disk (D.T.)
- 1-4 Section Harrow
- 1-Oliver 3-16" Spinner Mouldboard
- 1-M-M 6 Disk Breaking Plow, drag type
- 1-Case 4 disk Breaking Plow, drag type
- 1-International 4 row Planter (400 series)
- 1-Myers V Ditcher, drag type (on rubber)
- 1-John Deere 404 Disk Breaking Plow
- 1-3 Bottom M-M Mouldboard (D.T.)
- 1-John Deere 3 bottom Mouldboard (D.T.)
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- 2-15 ft. Toolbars
- 1-Set Hamby Gauge Wheels
- 1-A Frame
- 5-Toolbar Spacers (12 inch)
- 1-Set J.D. Rotary Hoe Fenders
- 2-Sections J.D. Rotary Hoes (for parts)
- 4-I.H.C. Planter Boxes and Planter Parts (400 series)
- 1-Set Hydraulic Markers (5-Row)
- 4-Rotary Hoe Fenders
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- 3-J.D. No. 129 Lister Bottoms
- 1-Lot Shanks, Knives, Clamps
- 1-Set MM Row Markers
- 1-Lot Int. Orchard Shanks
- 1-Lot Planter Drags
- 2-John Deere Cylinders
- 4-Sections of Harrows

MISCELLANEOUS -

- 1-Lot John Deere Wts. (Front and Rear)
- 1-Lot Maize Fingers
- 1-Set Front Wheel Spacers

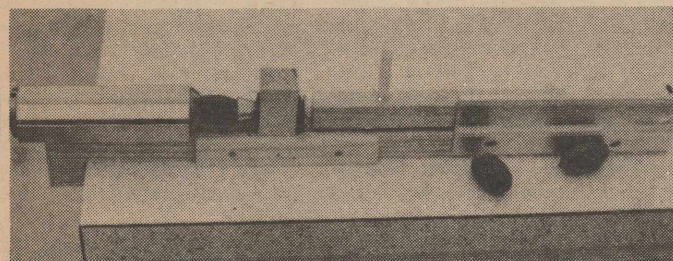
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Scriptures selected by the American Bible Society

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Isaiah 40:1-5	Isaiah 42:1-4	Isaiah 43:1-21	Isaiah 44:1-8	Isaiah 49:1-13	Isaiah 52:1-12	Isaiah 52:13

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