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Basketball Tourney Scheduled for Dec. 16-18

City High School Hounds and Hound-dog are their annual invitational basketball tourney beginning Thursday at 10:00 a. m. continuing through Saturday night. Participating teams include Monday, Rule, Hamlin, O'Brien, Haskell and the schedule is as follows:

GIRLS (Bracket 1)	
Monday	7:00 p. m. Thursday
Tuesday	4:00 p. m. Thursday
Wednesday	7:00 p. m. Friday
Thursday	4:00 p. m. Friday
Friday	7:30 p. m. Saturday
Saturday	4:30 p. m. Saturday

BRACKET 2	
Monday	1:00 p. m. Thursday
Tuesday	1:00 p. m. Friday
Wednesday	12:00 m. Saturday
Thursday	9:00 a. m. Saturday
Friday	7:30 p. m. Saturday
Saturday	4:30 p. m. Saturday

BOYS (Bracket 1)	
Monday	8:30 p. m. Thursday
Tuesday	5:30 p. m. Thursday
Wednesday	8:30 p. m. Friday
Thursday	5:30 p. m. Friday
Friday	9:00 p. m. Saturday
Saturday	6:00 p. m. Saturday

Prizes will be given for first place, second and consolation.

Weather Continues to Show Harvest

Weather continued this week showing a heavy vesting in the Munday region, reports well. Officer-in-charge according to the consumer and service, 317 samples this week bringing total to 2,970. This is 66,000 samples same date last year.

predominant grades were Strict Low Middling Light Spotted-34 percent, Low Middling Light Spotted- 16 percent, and Strict Low Middling Spotted- 25 percent. Thirty-four percent of the cotton classed was reduced in grade due to bark and grass. The predominant staple lengths show 6 percent 31's, 47 percent 32's, 31 percent 33's, and 10 percent 34's.

The micronaire readings were lower than the previous week. Ninety-one percent read in the desirable range of 3.5 - 4.9 compared to 97 percent last week. Nine percent had readings of 3.4 or lower.

Prices received by growers were steady at 26.00 to 27.75 cents per pound for lower grades with 33 and shorter staple lengths. Strict Low Middling and higher, with 34 and longer staple lengths, are selling for around 29.00 cents per pound.

League Hears Angle Wednesday

Community met last Wednesday at The Woman's Club for the regular monthly meeting.

Another phase of city improvement is underway with plans to improve facilities for the children and youth of Knox City.

In other business, the League named Mrs. Celso Gonzales as chairman of a Christmas project, to fill food baskets for various families.

Eastern Star Meets Monday

The Order of the Eastern Star will meet Monday, Dec. 20, at 7:30 p. m. for a stated meeting.

The Deputy Grand Matron will be making her official visit, and every member is encouraged to attend. Mrs. Elaine Lewis, Worthy Matron, said.

A covered supper will be served at 6:30. Each member is asked to bring a covered dish. Every officer is requested to bring a covered dish and a dessert.

FROM BROWNWOOD
Mr. and Mrs. Phil Acree of Brownwood visited here over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hodges and Sue of Knox City and Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Acree and Patti of Rochester.



AND THE WINNER IS...

V. L. Speck of Rochester was the lucky winner of the 19" Consolelet Magnavox X color television set that was given away Wednesday, Dec. 8 at the Buccaneer Gift Center. Rebecca Rojas of O'Brien drew the lucky slip from the hopper. Shown with her is James Adkins, Buccaneer area manager, of Amarillo. Participating merchants had been giving away registration blanks for the television set since the opening of the new Buccaneer Gift Center on Nov. 4.

Last Rites Held Tues. For A. B. Lowrey Jr.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. from the First United Methodist Church for a longtime, Knox City businessman, A. B. Lowrey. The Rev. B. J. Foster, pastor, officiated. Burial was in the

Knox City Cemetery with Smith Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Lowrey, 74, died Sunday at 4:45 p. m. in the Knox County Hospital after being admitted Sunday morning. He had been in failing health for several years.

He was born January 7, 1897, in Knox County and had lived here all of his life. He was a retired dry good merchant.

Mr. Lowrey was a World War I veteran and a member of the American Legion.

Survivors are one brother, Porter of Knox City; and two sisters, Mrs. Bess Benton and Mrs. Myrtle White, both of Knox City.

Palbearers were Neal Logan, Olvis Hamm, Lee Smith, Guy Glenn, Chad Wilson, and Sam E. Clonts.

Wm. J. White Buried Friday

Services were held Friday, Dec. 10, for Captain William J. White, 58, in the Hampton-Vaughan Funeral Home Chapel in Wichita Falls. He died in Dallas December 8 of an apparent heart attack.

Rev. Luther J. Slay, pastor of Faith Baptist Church, officiated and burial was in the Crestview Memorial Park.

Capt. White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam L. White of Knox City, was commanding officer of the Texas Highway Patrol in the Dallas Department of Public Safety District, but maintained his residence in Wichita Falls, where his wife taught home economics in the high school system.

White was born November 6, 1915 in Stephenville. He was a World War II veteran and served in the U. S. Marine Corps.

He was a public school teacher in Haskell County before joining the Department of Public Safety in 1941. After completing his training he served as a highway patrolman in Amarillo and Pampa.

He was promoted to sergeant in 1948 and assigned to the Austin district.

In 1955 he was promoted to lieutenant and assigned to the San Angelo district and later to the Wichita Falls area.

Survivors include his wife, Louise; two daughters, Mrs. Sammie Dee Williams of Austin and Mrs. Drayton J. Lieb of Shape, Belgium; a son, William Jr. of Denton; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam L. White and four grandchildren.

DID YOU KNOW
...that James McCannies 760 Charles Ave. St. Paul, Minn. 55104 subscribes to The Knox County News?

Winners in Saturday Drawing Are Announced

A crowd of hurried Christmas shoppers was on hand Saturday for the second Christmas Shoppers Bonanza drawing held here at 3 p. m.

Genie McNellie of Rochester drew the first ticket, blue 013276

Care Home Sets Residents Party December 21

On Tuesday Dec. 21, at 3:00 p. m. the Brazos Valley Care Home will hold its annual Christmas party for all residents of the Home.

The Knox City Garden Club was responsible for putting up the tree and decorating the home.

The First United Methodist Youth Choir will furnish the entertainment for the party and refreshments will be served.

Families and close friends of all the residents of the Home are invited to attend the party.

John McGaughey Attends Session

School Principal John McGaughey attended a workshop for high school principals sponsored by the Division of Extension of the University of Texas at Austin Saturday and Sunday.

The workshop included principals from around the state and was for the purpose of studying conflict situations in various sizes of schools in Texas. Conflict, pressure use, and methods of dealing with strife in schools was studied. Problems between students, between teachers, between students and teachers, racial problems, administrative problems, and a long list of other items which can cause conflict within school systems were examined.

Common principles were studied and negotiation methods, power usage and other means of settling conflicts were discussed.

Central theme of the workshop was how to insure that all persons involved in a conflict situation are treated as human beings without prejudice when a disagreement has occurred.

After hearing of riots, shootings, knifings, police escort for teachers and the like the problems of the small schools seemed to fall into the category of conflicts of a smaller nature arising from a lack of communication between two people or small groups of people.

Mr. McGaughey expressed the feeling that he was glad his children live in and go to school in Knox City.

Rites Held for Ex KCitizen

Funeral services for former KC resident John L. Kale, 71, of Athens, were held Monday morning at the Hassell and Foster Chapel in Athens.

The Rev. Faulk Landrum conducted the services and burial was in the Oak Lawn Memorial Park.

Mr. Kale died Sunday morning at an Athens nursing home after a long illness.

He was born in Anderson County and had been a resident of Athens for seven years, moving there from Knox City. He was a retired self employed water well driller.

Mr. Kale was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Athens. He was a member of the Colfax Masonic Lodge 904 at Van and a 32nd degree Scottish Rite Mason.

Mrs. Kale died in November of 1967.

Survivors are one son, Jackie Lee Kale of Athens; one daughter, Miss Margie Nell Kale of Athens; six sisters and three grandchildren.

but no one answered the call. The first winning ticket was blue 007765 held by Mrs. James Albus and was from Bob's Super Save.

Harry Hickman held the second lucky ticket from "M" System. His ticket was blue 012683.

Ticket No. (blue) 060822 was held by Mrs. W. E. Clonts and was from "M" System. Blue No. 021144 was called but no one was present with this number.

Green 47922 was a winner and was claimed by Annette Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Jackson. Her ticket was from The Hairdresser. A blue ticket, No. 023466 was drawn but no one claimed it.

Mrs. Ross was the next winner with a blue ticket from "M" System, No. 013772. Blue No. 001880 was not claimed and Mrs. Clyde Bouldin was the last winner with Blue 015004 from "M" System.

A prize of 5000 Buccaneer Stamps was also given at Saturday's drawing. This was a welcome surprise and three numbers were drawn before Olvis Hamm's Green 48060 from Lewis Paint and Body Shop was winner. His ticket was held by Doug Meinzer. The numbers drawn for the stamps that were not held were all blue and numbers 003784, 065139, and 060684.

All prizes are in the form of cash certificates and are in one dollar script form, redeemable at any participating store.

The Christmas Shoppers Bonanza is sponsored by the local Chamber of Commerce and is an attempt of the merchants to express their appreciation to shoppers for their patronage throughout the year as well as during the holiday season.

The next and final drawing will be held Saturday afternoon, Dec. 18 at 3 o'clock at the same location. Six winners will again be awarded cash prizes for their lucky tickets. Another 5000 Buccaneer stamps will be awarded.

Be sure to take care of your Christmas shopping and layaway items before Saturday, for the more you buy, the greater number of tickets you get and the better your chances of winning.

No Mail on Christmas Day

Postmaster Jeff Graham reminds all residents that a series of holidays will be coming up soon with Christmas and New Year's falling on weekends.

Pickup time on Saturday, Sunday, and all holidays in the outside box will be 1:15 p. m.

No mail truck will run in the Abilene area on Christmas Day, therefore, there will be no mail for the boxes or Star Route.

Postmaster Graham added that service will resume on Sunday, Dec. 26.

The Weather

FURNISHED BY PLANT MATERIALS CENTER
4 Miles NW of Knox City

Date	High	Low	Rain
12-7	66	28	--
12-8	38	36	87
12-9	41	34	87
12-10	44	29	33
12-11	64	31	--
12-12	52	41	--
12-13	61	28	--
12-14	--	46	--

Jerry's Plumbing In New Location

Another business firm has moved to Central Avenue. Jerry's Plumbing, formerly located on North Second, completed the moving process last Saturday and the shop is now located across the street from the West Texas Utilities office.

Jerry's Plumbing is owned and operated by Jerry Guinn and is an authorized American Standard dealer.



PREPARE FOR REGIONAL -- Wes Hays, Knox City Band Director, and Diane Clonts look over her music for regional tryouts.

Diane Clonts Places 3rd in UIL Concert

Diane Clonts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Clonts, was in Abilene Saturday, Dec. 11 to compete in the Regional II University Interscholastic League all-district band concert South zone.

Diane, who plays the oboe,

placed third in that section. This is the first step into the All-State Band, the next step is all-regional tryouts, area and then state.

The concert was held at the Abilene Christian College Moody Coliseum and the band clinician was Dan Gibbs of Monahans High School.

The all-regional tryouts will be held in Iowa Park, Friday, Jan. 7, and the ones who qualify for regional band will attend an all-day rehearsal and clinic on Saturday, Jan. 8, under the direction of W. Francis MacBeth of Arkansas.

Diane is to be congratulated!

Produce Man Is Accident Victim

Andrew Jackson Sanders, 67, produce salesman in this area for a number of years, was struck and killed near Brady by a pickup truck at 5:55 p. m. last Thursday as he crossed U. S. 87. He was from Weinert.

Sanders was rolling a flat tire to a service station to be fixed when he was hit. It was drizzling and dark and the driver apparently didn't see Sanders.

He was born March 22, 1904 in Frath County and came to Haskell County in 1921. He married Sallie Alexander Aug. 7, 1921 in Weinert.

They lived in the Cottonwood Community until 1946, when they moved to Weinert. He had been in the produce business since that time, selling in Haskell, Hamlin and Knox City.

Survivors are his wife, seven daughters, four sons, two brothers, six sisters, 26 grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

Farm Auction To Be Saturday

As will be noted in a display ad in this week's News, a farm auction sale will be held Saturday Dec. 18 at 1:00 p. m. at the old Bettis homeplace, for the Lloyd Lemley Estate.

Jimmy Tankersley may be contacted locally for further information.

Christmas Concert To Be Dec. 21

The Greyhound Band of Knox City High School will present a Christmas concert Tuesday, Dec. 21 at 2:00 p. m. in the school auditorium.

The program will consist of "Big Four" by King, "Trumpet Old" by Gofield (featuring the trumpet section), "Noel Francois" by Ployhar, "The Christmas Song" by Cacavas, "Cha Cha For Band" by Oseer, and "A Christmas Festival" by Anderson. A Christmas Carol Songalong will follow the concert.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Bulletin

Leonard Morgan, Knox City High School CVAE teacher, received word early Tuesday morning of the death of his mother in San Angelo. Further details will be in next week's Knox County News.

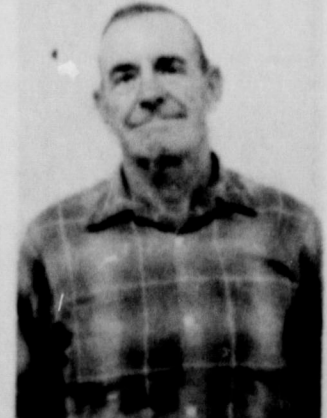
Clark Assumes Police Duties

T. H. "Doc" Clark of Bowie was recently hired by the City Council to assume the duties of Chief of Police. He began Wednesday, Dec. 15, and succeeds Frank McAuley Jr. who quit last month after serving two years and three months.

Clark formerly served Knox County as a deputy sheriff for seven years, and was a law officer at Munday for five years. The last three years Clark lived in Knox County, he worked on two ranches, the Howell estate and Barney Arnold's.

Mr. Clark and his wife, Pauline, moved to Knox City this week renting a house at 1109 South Third.

They are members of the Church of Christ.



"DOC" CLARK



M SYSTEM
Your FRIENDLY
SUPER MARKETS
KNOX CITY

**YOUR HOLIDAY MOOD
BEGINS WITH FOOD**

ALL SIZES GRADE A FANCY
BROADBREADED

PRICES GOOD THURS. DEC. 16TH
UNTIL CHRISTMAS

CHRISTMAS
HAMS
IN ALL
SIZES



LONG HORN
CHEESE lb. **79¢**

CHICKEN HENS fancy Grade A
POUND **49¢**

TURKEYS

PRICED FROM lb. **35¢**



FROM
ALL OF US AT
"M" SYSTEM

GOLDEN
OLEO
lb. **19¢**



KRAFT CREAM
CHEES
3 oz. PKG. **9¢** 8oz. 2

MERRY CHRISTMAS an

HERSHEY'S
DANTIES
PKG **19¢**



FRESH
CRANBERRIES CELLO BAG **25¢**

GOLDEN
BANANAS
lb. **9¢**

LARGE FRESH
COCONUT
2 for **25¢**



TEXAS
ORANGES
CELLO BAG **39¢**



OAK FARMS
ICE CREAM
HALF GAL. CTN. **79¢**



"M" SYSTEM GRADE "A"
HOMOGENIZED SWEET
MILK
HALF GAL. CTN. **53¢**

KRAFT JET PUFF
MARSHMALLOWS

REYNOLDS FOIL HEAVY DUTY Roll **59¢**

KIMBELL
CAKE MIXES

Kimbell COFFEE LB. CAN **79¢**

Box **29¢**





M SYSTEM
Your FRIENDLY
UPER MARKETS
KNOX CITY

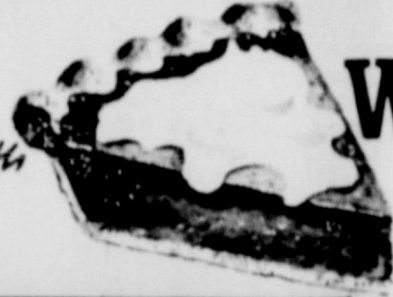
SANTA'S FAVORITE FOODS

...leading Holiday food Values!

OAK FARMS



OFFER GOOD THRU DEC. 16th
TILL CHRISTMAS



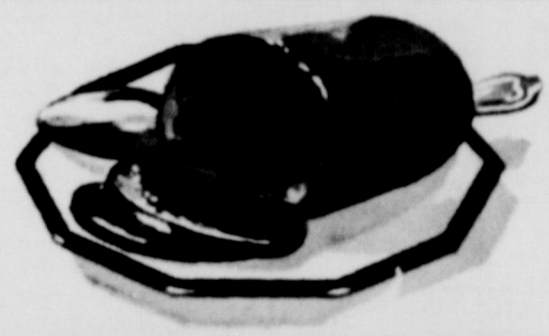
WHIPPING CREAM

HALF PINT CTN. **29¢**

DEL MONTE FRUIT COCKTAIL
4 ^{303 CANS} **98¢**

DEL MONTE CUT
Green BEANS
4 ^{303 CANS} **89¢**

OCEAN SPRAY
Cranberry SAUCE
TALL CAN **25¢**



GLADIOLA
FLOUR
5 lb. BAG **49¢**



DEL MONTE
CREAM STYLE GOLDEN
CORN
4 ^{303 CANS} **89¢**

HAPPY NEW YEAR

CHRISTMAS CANDY
FRUIT CAKE
INGREDIENTS
WHITE CHOCOLATE
CHRISTMAS WRAP

WHITE GERMAN CHOCOLATE CAKE
1 Cup grated white chocolate
1 Cup boiling water
Pour over Chocolate and let cool
1/2 Cup Crisco
1 Teaspoon Salt
1/2 Cup Sugar
1 Teaspoon Vanilla
2 Egg Yolks
1 Teaspoon Soda dissolved in
2 Tablespoons Buttermilk
1 Cup Buttermilk
2 Cups Cake Flour
1 Cup Buttermilk
Egg whites beaten stiff
In Crisco and sugar, add egg yolks
at a time, add chocolate mixture,
sifted flour and milk, ending with
baking powder. Fold in egg whites with wire
drum. Carefully fold 1 cup Coconut
and 1/2 cup Pecans (chopped). Bake
in 9x13 inch pan... 350 degrees... 25 to 30 min.

FILLING
1/2 Cup Sugar
2 Egg Yolks
1/2 Teaspoon Pick Spice
2 Tablespoons Flour mixed with part
of Sugar
1 can Carnation Milk
Cook until thick being careful not to
boil. Add 1 Cup coconut and 1 Cup
chopped Pecans.



PUMPKIN OR
MINCE MEAT
PIES
EA. **29¢**
FROZEN



DROMEDARY
DATES
PKG. **29¢**

MY-T-FINE
PUDDING
LG. Box **9¢**

SCOTT
TOWELS
3 Jumbo Rolls **\$1.00**

DIAMOND
SHORTENING
3 lb. CAN **69¢**

LIPTON
INSTANT
TEA
LARGE 3oz. JAR **98¢**

SALAD
OLIVES
10oz. JAR **49¢**

KIM PAPER
PLATES
100ct. PKG. **69¢**

MONKEY BREAD
REG. LOAF **59¢**

DEL MONTE
Golden RASINS
29¢

DEL MONTE WHOLE
DILL PICKLES 22oz. JAR **39¢**



HOLIDAY FOOD SAVINGS

Prices Guaranteed

from all of us...
to all of you...



We Will Be Closed
Sat. & Sunday Dec. 25, 26,
That Our Employees May Enjoy The
Christmas Holidays With Their
Family And Friends.

ICE CREAM

Assorted Flavors
1/2 Gal. Carton

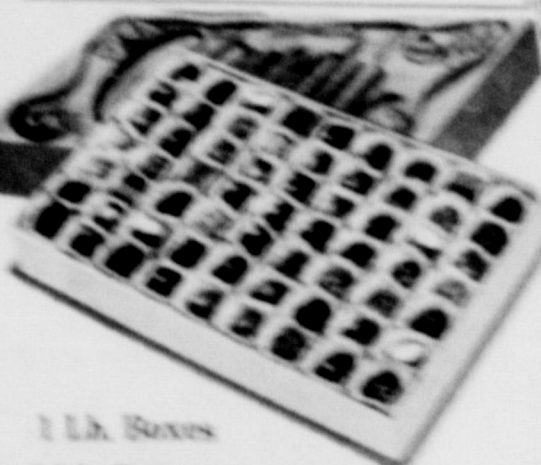
79¢

FLOUR

5-Lb. Bag

49¢

THE SWEETEST GIFT
Christmas Candy



1 Lb. Boxes
3 Lb. Boxes
5 Lb. Boxes

PECANS

89¢

MIXED NUTS
69¢



We have over
200 new 5 track
Tapes special
priced for
Christmas Gifts

DINNER
NAPKINS
39¢

CATSUP
33¢

GEISHA
PINEAPPLE 25¢

WHITE SWAN FRUIT
COCKTAIL
4 303 Cans \$1.00

PEAS
29¢

EGG NOG MIX
49¢

Aluminum Foil
49¢

CRISCO
79¢

Pie
Shells
\$1.00

Cups
33¢

59¢

ORANGES 29¢

Cherries 39¢



ru December 24th

ARMIN
TISSUE
49¢

DEL MONTE
SWEET PICKLES
12 Ozs. **47¢**

Borden's or
Oak Farms
Whipping Cream
1/2 Pint **29¢**

Lipton
TEA
1/4 lb. **39¢**

Extra Fancy
ROME BEAUTY
APPLES
5 Lb. **49¢**

TEXAS ORANGES
5-Lb. Bag **39¢**

Golden Fresh
Orange Juice
6 Oz. Can **25¢**

Towie
Olives
5 oz. Jar **49¢**

Mrs. Bairds
Pecan
Ring Cakes
99¢

California
Tangerines
3-Lb. Bag **39¢**

Fresh
Cranberries
1 lb. bag **35¢**

Kounty Kist
WHOLE GREEN BEANS
4³⁰³ Cans **\$1⁰⁰**

SUGARY SAM
SWEET POTATOES
No. 2 1/2 Can **35¢**

Folgers
Coffee

FOLGER'S
COFFEE
Lb. Can **83¢**

New Crop Baby
Walnuts
59¢ Lb.

New Crop
Brazil Nuts
59¢ Lb.

We have a complete
selection of Christmas
Candy.

PHILADELPHIA
CREAM CHEESE
Big 8 oz. Size **29¢**

Hormel
BACON
Pound Pkg. **69¢**

Pork Spareribs
Lb. **49¢**

Dry Cured—No Water Added
HALVES
or
WHOLE

Star
Shaped
HAMS
\$1⁹⁸

GOOD BEEF
CHUCK ROAST
79¢

TURKEY
TOMS
37¢
16/24-Lb. Avg.

BOB'S \$UPER \$AVE
P. O. Box 605 Knox City, Texas 79529

News About Rochester People

By BECKY SLOAN

Rev. and Mrs. Luther Helm visited their children, Marie and Tom Friday of last week at McMurry College. On Saturday they visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Helm of Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Ose McGuire spent Friday night with their son, Mr. and Mrs. John McGuire in Abilene.

Mrs. L. N. Burleson left Sunday to visit Mrs. Jannell Strickland at Lubbock for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pittman returned home Sunday after spending a month in Comanche with her sister who was seriously ill. The sister, Mrs. Ruth Dolberry passed away, December 7.

Mrs. Vera Kevie spent last week in Wichita Falls with her sister, Mrs. Eva Smalley.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Bishop and Tamara of Rule visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Faulkner, Terry and Scott of Big Spring visited recently with her mother, Mrs. William Penman, Bill and Bob.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Byrd, Mrs. Linda Tanner and Tracy of Abilene and Louise Byrd of Ranger Junior College visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Q. D. Byrd and Hank.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sloan visited Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Sloan, Scott and Lance in Chillicothe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Wayne Hatfield and boys of Seymour and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Byrd of Abilene spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patterson and Pat.

Mrs. W. H. Patterson spent part of last week in Abilene with Mrs. E. A. McBeth who is a patient at Hendrick Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McClung of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Aldridge of Knox City and Betty Jones of Mineral Wells visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Speck, Pam and Randy.

Mrs. Felix Mullins and Ginger spent the weekend with Melvane and Melissa Murray in Lubbock. Their parents were in Dallas on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Murray spent Saturday night with her father, Felix Mullins. Mrs. Mullins and Ginger were in Lubbock with the Murray's children.

Mrs. Edna Adkins left Friday for Chillicothe where she visited until Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Sloan, Lance and Scott.

Mrs. Edna Adkins and Mrs. Dickie Sloan and Lance were in Wichita Falls and Vernon Saturday on business.

Mrs. Duane Mable is in Wichita Falls visiting her daughter this week.

The Rochester First United Methodist Church will present adults and young people in a Christmas program portraying the "Christmas Story" and special music. This program

will be held December 19 at 8 p.m. at the church.

Wednesday night, the group Christmas dinner was held at the church. It was a church fellowship and each family brought a covered dish and a beautiful meal was enjoyed. A Christmas Carol song was held after the dinner and the children had their Christmas tree.

WNU Meets
The WNU of the Baptist Church met five times last week for their annual week of Prayer Programs for Foreign Missions.

They studied the first day about work and the needs in Europe and the Middle East. Tuesday was about needs in Southeast Asia. Wednesday were the needs in Africa. Thursday about the needs in East Asia. Friday they traveled to South America.

All were very interesting programs and each one attending received a blessing. There were an average of 7 each day.

Junior High Cagers
The Junior High teams were host to Old Glory Monday night.

In the girls game the visitors took home the victory with Old Glory having 27 and Rochester 19. High scorer for Rochester was Marla Stegenweller with 13 points.

In the boys game, Rochester was victorious with 27 - 23 win. Bob Arcey was high scorer for Rochester with 9 points.

Youth Groups Meet
The Girls in Action and Crusader Boys met Tuesday after school at the Baptist Church for their regular meetings.

The first through third grade Girls in Action decorated a Christmas tree. They cut out bells and stars and put Bible Verses on them, then presented the tree to the pastor, Rev. Glenn Granger for his office.

The first through sixth grade Crusaders made "See and Do" books. These books will be taken to Haiti by Rev. and Mrs. Granger and given to the children there.

Fire Truck Paid For
The City Council met in session Monday, Dec. 8, with Mayor Alton Byrd presiding.

The City Councilmen, V. A. Mitchell, D. E. Smart, Keele Acres, James Reid, and Bob Easterling, wish to express their appreciation to all the people of Rochester for their part in helping pay for the Fire Truck.

The Fire Truck is now paid for and the \$180 per water meter that was voted for five years ago to pay it will be taken off the water bill beginning with the December water bill, according to O. R. Cox, City Secretary.

Juniors and Seniors Visit Library
Twenty-seven Junior and Senior students of Rochester High School spent Monday, Dec. 8, at the Abilene Public Library to further their knowledge in the

use of the library. The chief purpose for going to the Abilene Library was to help the students find and gather information on their assigned research paper.

Previously on Dec. 3, Mrs. Maxine Hamilton, County School Librarian, had guided a complete study on the use of a library. Mrs. Hamilton demonstrated how the students were to use the card catalogue, reference books, and evaluate books in the library.

Miss Elizabeth Karle, Reference Librarian for the Abilene Public Library guided the group on a tour of Abilene Library as well as helping the group locate information needed for their assignment. District Party

Rev. and Mrs. Luther Helm, Tim and Marie attended the Seymour District Conference for the United Methodist Church Sunday, Dec. 3 at the First United Methodist Church in Vernon.

Highlights for the Conference was a Youth Choir which presented the musical "Tell It Like It Is." This musical was conducted by Jimmy Cameron, Youth director of the Vernon Methodist Church.

Tea Honors Mrs. Eslinger

Mrs. John Eslinger was honored with a going away tea, given in the home of Mrs. J. C. McVie, Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Officers and members of O.E.S. were guests. Mrs. Eslinger holds the office of treasurer.

Guests told of an early childhood Christmas experience and then presented gifts, which were under a beautifully decorated tree, to Norma.

She will soon join her husband, John, in Oklahoma City where they will make their home.

Those present for the occasion were Meses, Ernie Wilson, Jack Coats, John Eckenbacher, Joe Ray Smith, Jess Gilpin, Guy Robinson, Lewis Kay, Opal Hutchinson, Marie Reeves, Oma Parker, and Jannet White.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients dismissed since 12-4-71.

KNOX CITY — Lillian Davis, Ivan Logsdon, Elaine Lewis, A. T. Holcomb

MUNDAY — Brad Angerer, W. R. Holcomb

GORREE — Curtis Williams

BENJAMIN — Claude Stockton

ROCHESTER — Lois Speck

Patients in the hospital as of 12-11-71

KNOX CITY — Mary L. Hunter, Charlie Hughes, William Duncan, Mary Adams

MUNDAY — Keith Burnison, Joe Pearce, Annie Michels, Ethel Adams, Rosa Bellinghausen, Chester Bowden.

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Holiday Dessert Has An Italian Accent



MONTE BIANCO is a short course in Italian Christmas cooking — the international touch to perk up your holiday parties.

NEW YORK (ED) — The twelve days of Christmas offer so many opportunities for entertaining that it's hard to understand why more holiday parties aren't more imaginative.

A new dessert — instead of the same old fruitcake and flaming plum pudding — can be all it takes to give your holiday party a touch of international elegance. Monte Bianco is a short course in Italian Christmas cooking — a delicious way to start a new holiday tradition.

Easy-to-see, too. This new version of the old classic — modernized by the Italian kitchen at Progresso — takes into account American quick-cooking habits, and our preference for sweets on the light side. Here, chick peas replace chestnuts in the puree base, for a result that's less sticky, less rich — and far easier to work with — than the original.

Best of all, preparation can be done several days in advance — to be unrolled and served at the most memorable party of the holiday season.



Tie-Dyeing Tips

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5. (not boiling) dye bath. Let knots float above solution when dyeing unknotted parts. Place fabric knots down to dye knotted areas. Submerge the entire piece if it is to be all one color.
6. Remove, squeeze out excess dye, and rinse in cold, running water.
7. If a second color is to be used on some sections, repeat steps 3 through 6 on those areas.
8. Untie knots. Re-rinse until water runs clear.
9. Drip dry. Iron while damp.

The Consumer Is 'Queen'

Ever felt like a "Queen" as you do your weekly grocery shopping? Most likely not.

Yet the homemaker continues her "reign" over our complex marketing system. And, Texas Food and Fiber Abundance Week, November 15 through 21, is a good time to remember this fact.

The farmer, processor and retailer all gear their operations to serve the customer. For example, in the apple industry the homemaker has expressed her desire for apples and apple products. She casts her vote for apples every time she buys apple products. But she also indicates her marketing preference for different kinds of apples and apple products. Her preference, then, command her "servants" — the farmer, processor and retailer — to obey the "Queen's wishes."

This fall consumers are buying lots of apples, which tells the farmer he will need to continue to plant apple trees.

But what kind of apple trees should he plant? The farmer finds his answer by going to the market and observing which types consumers prefer. He may discover that the more red on the apple, the more the consumer is willing to pay. So the farmer decides to plant more red apples than yellow or light colored ones. The consumer has dictated his choice.

The processor also makes production decisions based on consumer choice. He examines the customers' buying habits — which apple products she selects most often, including apple sauce, pie filling, apple juice or cider, frozen apple pies or other forms of processed apples. He may also develop new products because the consumer has shown her willingness to try them, and he discards those products which the consumer doesn't buy in volume in order to maintain manufacturing economy.

The prime concern of the retailer is to keep the consumer happy. He may sell apples by the bag, tray, box or pound. He offers different varieties of apples at different prices. Such variety is an attempt to stimulate consumer traffic through his store, important in making profits and remaining competitive.

Not so many years ago, the grocer wouldn't have offered such selection. Remember the apple barrels, with only one price on the product? The

consumer has again gained influence. The next time you do your grocery shopping, chances are the services you'll be getting are fit for a "Queen!"

IN BARNARD HOME

Joe Barnard, a student at Texas Tech University in Lubbock was a weekend visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Barnard Jr.

VISIT NEW GRANDSON

Mr. and Mrs. Z. I. Smith, Ben, and Keiton, visited in Hurst this past weekend with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen and son John Colby. They were there to see their new grandson. They report that he is "just great."

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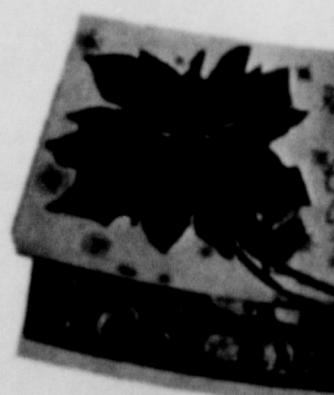
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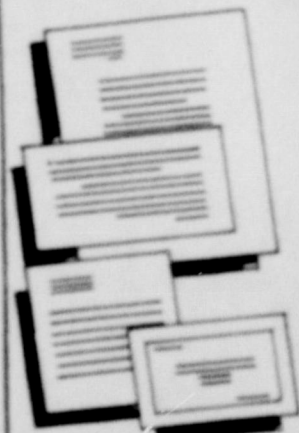


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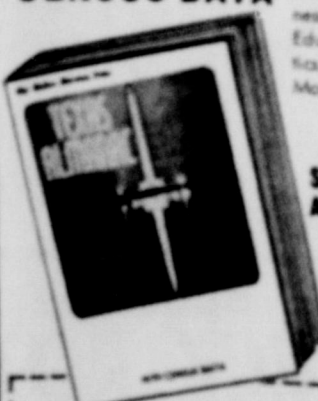
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Purcell Urges Passage of Agricultural Grain Reserve Bill

U. S. House of Representatives today passed a bill to create a grain reserve. The bill is the first of its kind since the passage of the Agricultural Conservation Act in 1935. The bill would require the Secretary of Agriculture to set aside a certain amount of grain each year for use in times of emergency. The bill also would require the Secretary to set aside a certain amount of grain for use in times of drought. The bill is expected to pass the House in the next few days.

Conservation Farmers Aid in Pollution Fight

Conservation farmers are aiding in the fight against agricultural pollution. Most of the pollutants produced in our society come from sewage and industrial wastes. However, agriculture's contribution to pollution is increasing. According to Pete Elliston, local conservationist, several landowners and operators of Knox County are planning and applying conservation treatment to protect their soil and prevent siltation of our streams and rivers.

Landowners and operators that are planning or applying conservation practices are James and Wallace Reid, Elvis Blake, Edward Burnes, Lloyd Waldrip, Tommy Richardson, Jim Anderson, Calvin Christian, Mrs. Bobby Burnett, and many others. Some of the practices being planned or accomplished are pasture planting, range seeding, terracing, waterways, cover crops and conservation cropping systems.

Most agricultural pollution is caused from silt filling creeks, rivers and harbors. This silt, in many cases, contains large amounts of fertilizer and other farm chemicals. A good example of this locally can be seen along the Brazos river and our many road ditches in the county.

The effect of pollution from siltation is felt by all people. The upstream landowner loses valuable topsoil while the downstream farmer loses his crop. The effect of pollution from siltation is felt by all people. The upstream landowner loses valuable topsoil while the downstream farmer loses his crop.

Shoppers are urged to shop at the businesses where a ticket will be given with each \$2 purchase. In addition to those named, Wayne's 66 Service Station is also one of the participating merchants.

Wall Installed As Dist. Deputy

Mr. and Mrs. George Wall were in Waco last week to attend the Grand Lodge of Texas where George was installed as District Deputy Grand Master of District 30, "the most illustrious grand council of royal and select masters of Texas."

Mrs. Wall visited some of her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thomas and Mrs. Sabie Draper in Waco and her aunt, Mrs. Josie Blasienz in Temple while they were attending Grand Lodge.

NOTICE

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet for its general meeting Monday night, Dec. 13 in the home of Mrs. Ruby Robinson at 7:30 p.m. All members are urged to attend.

Encouraging Trend Enrollment

Year for the last three years, from nineteen to the present allocation of sixteen. However, with the increased enrollment and improved attendance, officials expect to regain one additional state teacher's salary support this year under the current average daily attendance formula plus the earning of the one additional teacher for the next school year under the past average daily attendance formula. This should mean about \$15,000 in additional state salary support for the local school.

into the recent USDA announcement of a grain deal with the Soviet Union. Purcell, Chairman of the Livestock and Grains Subcommittee which heard testimony from Department officials, earlier had expressed concern at many hidden implications of the transaction.



SILTATION POLLUTION: MAJOR PROBLEM -- The Texas Highway Department maintainer is shown removing unwanted silt from culvert and road ditch south of Knox City.

Farm and Ranch News

GRAZING SORGHUM
Proper grazing of grain sorghum and corn stubble could boost agricultural income on the Texas High Plains by more than \$160 million. And the practice could also pay dividends in other areas of the state.

In 1970 a study was initiated by Texas Agricultural Extension Service specialists Dr. Cal Parrott and Ed Garnett of Amarillo and Castro County Agricultural Agent Charles Hottel to obtain new information about the utilization of milo and corn stubble with steer calves. Site of the study was the Bob Anthony farm in Castro County.

"With about four million acres of milo and corn harvested annually in the High Plains, a well-managed grazing program could boost yearly farm income and provide the roughage for raising seven million feeder calves annually," said Garnett in discussing the grazing study. He said the cattle feeding industry on the High Plains will

averaged 22 cents with a daily gain of 2.26."

The specialists emphasized that proper management is the key to this grazing program. The study can be used as a guide for producers in making management decisions.

Grazing out the stubble has other advantages, according to the specialist. The farmer can return to work the soil quicker during the late fall or winter and to gain efficiency in utilizing his land. Also, fields that were grazed were void of volunteer grain sorghum or corn even though the soil was worked very little.

The grazing study will be repeated this year to evaluate its consistency.

Youth Choir Has Program

The Youth Choir of the First United Methodist Church, under the direction of Mrs. Melvin A. Lowrey and Mrs. Joe Clonts, presented its annual Christmas program Sunday, Dec. 11, in the Fellowship Hall of the church at 3 o'clock.

MRS. S. N. REED

Local's Father Buried Dec. 1 In Stamford

Services were held in the Lueders Baptist Church Wednesday, Dec. 1, for George (Claude) McCown, 88, father of John McCown.

Officiating was Rev. W. L. Trice, pastor. Burial was in Highland Memorial Cemetery in Stamford.

Mr. McCown died at 10:20 A.M. Monday in Stamford Memorial Hospital of an apparent heart attack.

A native of Ellis County, he was born Oct. 2, 1883, and came to Jones County in 1886. He worked for Swenson Land and Cattle Company as a young man and helped survey the townsite of Stamford in 1900.

A retired farmer, he married Verona Grace Wright Oct. 5, 1908, in Stamford.

Survivors include five sons, John of Knox City, A. K. of Thrall, H. G. of Wichita Falls, Wayne of Albany, and W. C. of Lueders; three daughters, Mrs. Homer Hughes of Lueders, Mrs. Hazel Thomas of Haskell, and Mrs. Katherine Locke of Wichita Falls; 16 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren.

Grandsons served as casket bearers.

Counts Named District Deputy

Waco, Texas, December 2. Senator Jack Hightower, installed today as Grand Master of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas, has announced the appointment of David Counts of Knox City, Texas as District Deputy Grand Master of Masonic District No. 91.

Truscott, Gilliland News

There will be a Christmas program and party at the Truscott Methodist Church on December 21 at 6:30. If you wish to exchange presents bring a gift. Everyone is invited.

Mrs. Gerald Howard and her son of Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Adcock over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Dunn and family of Foard City visited the Don Daniels last Sunday.

Carlton Winton, a student at Hardin Simmons, preached Sunday morning at the Truscott Baptist Church. He will hold morning services at Truscott again next Sunday.

Bob Brown of Crowell visited his grandmother, Mrs. J. R. Brown over the weekend.

Harry Martin of Abilene, and Kenneth Martin of Ansel visited the W. O. Corders last Wednesday and went hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shaw and Mike and Jerry of Alvarado

visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Shaw over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Moore of Plainview visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Cash over the weekend.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Laquey Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lohman of Olton and Lon Laquey of Dublin.

Allen Tapp spent the weekend in Wichita Falls with Mr. and Mrs. Randy Tapp. They brought him home Sunday.

Mrs. Bennie Hopkins was honored with a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. J. R. Brown last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Myers and children of Red Springs, and Mrs. Jackie Horne and children of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Horne over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Welch and Mrs. Paul Horne visited Mr. and Mrs. Weidon David in

Truscott this week. Mrs. Tommy Tapp is taking a Mary Kay cosmetic counselor course at Abilene.

The Gilliland Home Demonstration Club met last week and had their Christmas party.

Dwight Reeves has received his discharge from the Marines at Camp Pendleton, Calif. He and his wife plan to spend the rest of the year in Gilliland and then go to school at San Marcos.

Jim Woods of Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. Ayers recently.

The weather remained cold and cloudy with light precipitation until the middle of the week. It warmed up and dried up over the weekend. Thank goodness!

RETURNS HOME
Mrs. Mary Bigham returned home Wednesday from Goldthwaite where she visited her sister in law, Mrs. Sam Sullivan. She also visited a niece of Mrs. C. C. Hoge, Mrs. Annabelle Littlepage, in the Hickman Care Home.

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KC Woman's Brother Dec. 1

Funeral services were conducted at 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, Dec. 1, at Henderson-Fields Funeral Chapel in Vernon for J. Dee Jones, 58, brother of Mrs. Otto Lawson.

Officiating was Rev. A. B. Cockrell, pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Vernon. Burial was in Wilbarger Memorial Park with Masonic rites.

Mr. Jones died at 7:00 a.m. Tuesday in a Vernon nursing home after an illness of several years.

Born December 9, 1912, at Crosbyton, he moved with his family to Vernon in 1916. He attended Vernon schools and was a member of the First United Methodist Church, Blue Lodge of Vernon, Maskat Temple of Wichita Falls, and Scottish Rite of Dallas.

He married Vonnie Jordan in Frederick, Okla., on Oct. 17, 1942. Mr. Jones retired in July, 1970, because of ill health.

Survivors include his wife, a stepson, Aubrey Jordan of Houston; two sisters, Mrs. Lawson and Mrs. Dave Reed of Nocona; a brother, Roy Jones of Vernon; and four stepgrandchildren.

Members of the Vernon Masonic Lodge served as casketbearers and included Elmo Shannon, Andy Anderson, Leroy King, Henry Scott, J. B. Taylor, and Kirk Hammer.

Jan represented the Knox Co. 4-H Club as its candidate for

the two runners-up in the contest were Susan Hays, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Hays of Olney, and Linda Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Morgan of Seymour. Guest speaker was Will Whittenburg, past Area 4 president of the Young Farmers organization from Graham.

The Oilbelt District presented Kenneth Lankford an honorary Lone Star Farmer degree for his valuable cooperation and assistance to the FFA program.

Knox City delegates to the banquet were Art Crownover, Dean Bouldin, Leslie Fitzgerald, and David McLaughley. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. John McLaughley, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lankford, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Guinn, Leon Burkham, chapter advisor, and Jan.

Jan is currently serving as 2nd vice-president for the FFA, and has been a member for three years. She has been an active member of FFA and has been a member of the Houndettes basketball team for the past three years. She was named to the all-tourney team last year during the Knox City Tournament.

She has been a very active member of the Knox City High School Marching Band and the Choir for three years. She is serving the choir as reporter this year.

Jan has been a Beta Club member for two years and has made the Physical Fitness team for three years, being the highest ranking girl last year. Her junior year she was voted Most Beautiful girl in Knox City High School.

Jan has one sister, Sheryll, a seventh grader, and a brother Dell. She attends the First Baptist Church.

The Weather

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12-2	35	30	.78
12-3	33	30	—
12-4	40	29	.25
12-5	36	33	—
12-6	47	28	—

Inclement Weather Stops Cotton Harvest

Rain and snow completely stopped harvest operations in the area serviced by the Munday Cotton Classing Office, reports Shirley A. Sewell, Officer in Charge.

Sample receipts increased this week due mostly to cotton harvested last weekend. According to the USDA's Consumer and Marketing Service, 1,372 samples were classed this week bringing the season's total to 2,653. This compares with 35,800 samples classed by the same date last year.

Quality statistics for the week ending Dec. 3, 1971, show a decline in the quality of cotton classed. This is due partially to the increased percentage of shorter staple, stripper-type cotton harvested.

Ten percent of the cotton graded in the white grades compared to 22 percent the

previous week. Forty-seven percent graded Strict Low Middling Light Spotted up 12 percentage points over last week. Eighteen percent graded Low Middling Light Spotted.

Thirty-one percent of the cotton classed was reduced in grade due to bark or grass, compared to 14 percent last week.

The predominant staple lengths show 24 percent 31's, 38 percent 32's, 26 percent 33's, and 10 percent 34's and longer.

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The Fire Truck is now paid for and the \$1.90 per water meter that was voted for five years ago to pay it will be taken off the water bill beginning with the December water bill, according to O. R. Cox, City Secretary.

Juniors and Seniors Visit Library

Twenty-seven Junior and Senior students of Rochester High School spent Monday, Dec. 6, at the Abilene Public Library to further their knowledge in the

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients dismissed since 12-4-71:

KNOX CITY — Lillian Davis, Ivan Logsdon, Elaine Lewis, A. T. Holcomb.

MUNDAY — Brad Angerer, W. R. Holcomb.

GORREE — Curtis Williams.

BENJAMIN — Claude Stockton.

ROCHESTER — Lois Speck.

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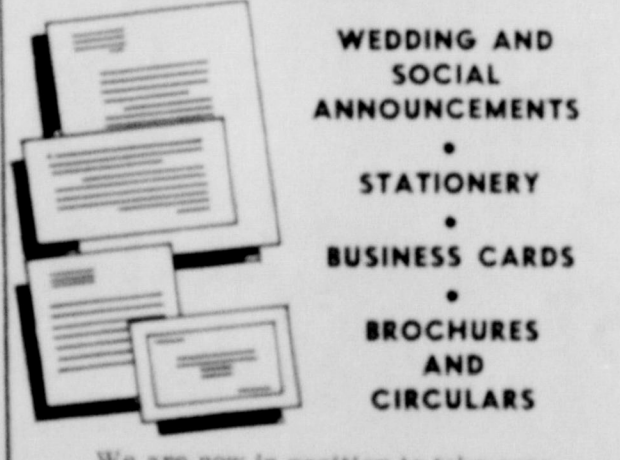
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