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Editor's Viewpoint



by John Ruback

Out of every catastrophe some good can come.

While some children may have enjoyed last week's snow and ice, most of the rest of us really didn't. And one of the greatest annoyances was to have the electric power go off.

If the bad weather has taught us nothing else, it taught us how dependent we are on other people. John Donne's saying that "No man is an island" is so very true.

We have always been dependent on our loved ones at home. But as the years have gone by, we have had to come to depend on others - store keepers of all sorts, garage mechanics, gasoline stations, telephones, plumbers, electricians and many others.

Above all, we've become dependent on the gas and electric companies. When these utilities are not available, we are really in a bad way. All we can do is sit around and hope that the companies realize their responsibility to the public and will do everything in their power to restore service.

All of which is sort of the long way around to expressing our personal thanks and the thanks of all Burk residents to the Texas Electric Company and its employees. They had a rough job, with all of the ice causing wires to break under its weight. But they kept at it around the clock, bringing about 200 extra workers into the Wichita Falls area to assist in restoring service. And even though it seemed an eternity before service was restored each time, we were really fortunate to have a utility company that takes its responsibility so seriously.

CHATTER: Chatted with Postmaster Dub Zimmerman the other day. He was full of smiles over the fact that the Christmas mail moved so smoothly. He was profuse in his thanks to Burk residents for mailing early and for using ZIP codes. "Without the people's help, our job would have been almost impossible, considering the fact that we had almost an 8% increase in volume over last year."

POLITICS: We all have our own political views and our likes and dislikes of people in public life. Yet all public officials do, from time to time, say things that just about everyone can agree with.

We print as an editorial this week a letter written by J. Edgar Hoover, and elsewhere in the paper is a report from Texas Governor Preston Smith. Both of these men have something important to say about the future. I think their comments are worth reading.

"Found In A Wastebasket": Telegram sent last week from Burk to Juneau, Alaska: "Bad snow and ice. See you when the weather clears." Now we know how bad off we were!

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: "When the grass looks greener on the other side of the fence, it may be that they take better care of it over there."

New Families

J. H. Watts
Jack Shelley
Bennie Smith
R. S. Massingill
Wm. P. Hutchins
Watten Benjamin
Terry Franklin
Ronnie Lary
Richard Robinson
H. F. Seitz

City Council Buys New Patrol Car

Purchase of a new patrol car for the Burkburnett police department was authorized by the Burkburnett City Council, Monday.

Mathis Chevrolet Company, Burkburnett, was successful bidder at $2367 on a 1970 model Biscayne with police package.

The Council meeting was held at 5:00 PM, instead of the usual hour, due to the threatened icing of Burkburnett streets.

Except for the approval of the payment of current accounts in amount of $7374, all routine business was tabled until the next regular Council meeting on January 19.

Present for the meeting were Mayor F. R. McCandless, Irv Smith, Billy Smith, J. L. Caffee, A. H. Lohoefener, city attorney Joe Janeke, city secretary C. R. Chambers and city manager Gary Bean.

DA To Speak At Service Center

The monthly Neighborhood meeting will be held at 7:30 PM Monday January 12 in the Burkburnett Community Service Center.

District Attorney Jim Phagan will present a program on Narcotics, and the Narcotics Education Program he has held in our schools, according to Mrs. Louise Mullins, Chairman of the Neighborhood group. This is a most important program and one that should not be missed by a single individual, particularly those with teenage children and grandchildren.

In addition Mrs. Mullins stated that Mr. Angus Thompson, Assistant CAP Director will be here to formally organize the "Buyers Group". All eligible members who qualify under the OEO guidelines should be present for this important meeting. "Those who want to make their dollars go further, will find this to be a wonderful opportunity," said Mr. Mullins.

Mrs. Carol Blankinship stated that coffee would be served at Monday's meeting. She urges all community residents to be present for this worthwhile meeting.

It Will Be Easier To Get Your 1970 License Plates

AUSTIN - When the owners of Texas' seven million motor vehicles get their 1970 license plates, they will find that the Texas Highway Department has taken a lot of frustration out of registration.

Owners will receive motor vehicle registration applications by mail early in January.

This three-part form is the key to convenience.

In previous years, the vehicle owner had to hunt up his certificate of title and last year's license receipt and take them to the tax office or a substation. Often, he found himself at the end of a long, slow-moving line.

The lines should be much shorter this year. And there are provisions for license plates by mail.

Here's how easy it is:

If a motorist goes to the county tax office or a substation, all he need take is the three part form - the motor vehicle registration application - that came in the mail. And the registration fee, of course.

If he should find a line, chances are it will be shorter and faster-moving than any he remembered from previous years.

All he needs to do is to present the renewal application and pay the fee. The clerk will validate the application with the new license numbers and return part of the form as a receipt.

Another part of the form is retained for the county's records and the third is sent to the Motor Vehicle Division of the Texas Highway Department in Austin.

Should the vehicle owner decide to register his vehicle by mail, he sends the entire renewal application, the fee and an additional $1 to his county tax officer. The $1 additional charge is provided by statute to cover the cost of handling and postage.

The registration "season" begins at county tax offices and substations on February 1. The vehicle owner can register his vehicle in person until April 1.

If he wants his plates mailed to him, he must send in his application, the fee and the $1 postage and handling charge to his county tax officer by March 1.

This allow 30 days for delivery before 1970 license plates must be displayed after midnight, April 1.

Easy-to-follow instructions are printed on the three-part form. The Highway Department asks that the owner leave the form intact and that he not separate the three parts.

The new system is the product of many months of planning and work. The system began taking shape in 1967 with the installation of the first computer equipment by the Highway Department.

At one stage, 500 inmates of the Texas Department of Corrections were engaged in matching records and converting the records into a format suitable to be put into computers.

The new system gives Texas one of the most modern and efficient systems for maintaining accurate and up-to-date records on motor vehicles in the world.

The big beneficiary, however, is the vehicle owner who will realize extra convenience and big savings in time.

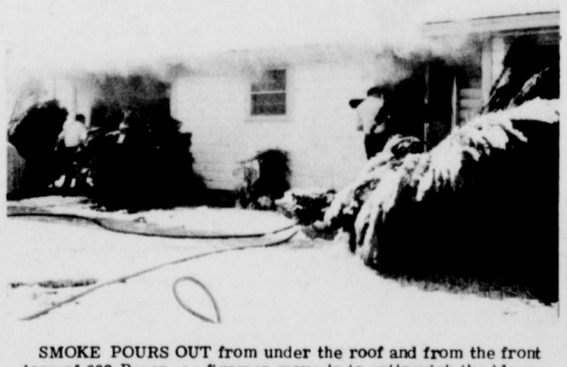
Fire Damages Burk Home

A fire last Friday seriously damaged the residence of the Leslie Webb family at 632 Pecan.

The Burkburnett Volunteer Fire Department arrived to find considerable smoke pouring out of the house and a strong fire in the front hall and kitchen. Smoke damage to the rest of the home was considerable.

The fire apparently started in or near the front hall closet. It was discovered by the Webb children. Mrs. Webb herself called the Fire Department.

Although hampered by a considerable amount of smoke but made quick work of extinguishing the blaze.



SMOKE POURS OUT from under the roof and from the front door of 632 Pecan, as firemen move in to extinguish the blaze.



WORKING AROUND THE FIRE HOSES, Mrs. Webb searches some of the papers and family records brought out of her home.

Grace Jokey, 67, Dies Suddenly

Services for Mrs. Grace Elizabeth Jokey, 67, resident of Burkburnett more than 50 years, died Monday at her home here in Burkburnett. Funeral services were held Wednesday, January 10, 1970 from Owens & Brumley Funeral Home chapel in Burkburnett.

Officiating was the Rev. Lamoin Champ, pastor of the Burkburnett First Baptist Church. Burial was in Burkburnett Cemetery.

Born July 4, 1902, in Duke, Oklahoma, Mrs. Jokey had been a resident of Burkburnett since 1918.

Survivors include three brothers, G. W. Jennings of Burkburnett, Jack E. Jennings of Arlington, Texas, and Theney Jennings of Hemet, California; and a sister, Mrs. Leathres Martin of Hartford, Conneticutt.

5000 Shoppers Distributed This Week

Fritz Lanham To Be Guest Speaker At Chamber Of Commerce Banquet



Fritz Lanham, Chamber of Commerce Speaker

T.M. Cornelius To Be Installed As President For Coming Year

Guest speaker at the annual Burkburnett Chamber of Commerce banquet scheduled for this Saturday is to be Fritz Lanham. Lanham is the director of the Division of State-Local Relations in the office of the Governor of the State of Texas.

The banquet will be held at 7:00 PM in the Burkburnett High School Cafetorium. Officers and directors for the coming year will be installed following the banquet.

Lanham will speak on the "Texas Communities Tomorrow" Program. He holds a BBA degree from Texas Tech and an MA from the University of Texas. He has had positions as Administrative Assistant and Assistant City Manager in Lubbock and has been City Manager of both Tulia and Baytown Texas.

Active in civic affairs, Lanham has worked with Boy Scouts and Little League, has served on the boards of the South Plains Guidance Center and the Baytown Community Chest and has been vice-president of the board of the Milam Training Center for retarded children.

In April of last year Lanham was appointed to his present position. The program which he heads is designed to assist in the revitalization of smaller communities in the state. As the first Newsletter of the group states, "A primary purpose of Texas Communities Tomorrow is to enable leaders in smaller communities to find more easily the right person in the right agency to obtain information necessary for solving the problems and achieving the goals of their communities."

Lanham is a member of the Methodist Church and of the Kiwanis Club.

New officers and directors will be installed at the affair. President for the coming year will be T. M. Cornelius. New directors elected last fall will be Lon Williams, Danny Schaffner, Paul Avrit, Loise Bean and Dick Johnston.

Other officers for the coming year are: Jerry McClure, 1st Vice President, Tom Nicklas, 2nd Vice President, Joe Gillespie, Treasurer and Marjorie Kauer, Assistant Treasurer.

Tickets for the banquet are on sale at both banks, at Texas Electric, Lone Star Gas, and the Chamber of Commerce office.



SELLING - SELLING - SELLING! Two pretty City Hall employees purchase their tickets to the Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet. From the left, Venita Eastman and Lahoma Wood are shown paying for tickets they are buying from Lon Williams and Bill Donnell. Banquet is set for this Saturday.

Early Tax Deadline For Farmers

DALLAS, TEXAS -- Farmers who earned at least two-thirds of their 1969 gross income from farming should file their 1969 declaration of estimated Federal income tax by January 15, 1970. Form 1040-ES(F) should be used for this purpose.

However, Ellis Campbell, Jr. District Director of Internal Revenue for Northern Texas, said that farmers do not have to file an estimate if they file their 1969 Federal income tax return and pay all the tax due by Monday, February 16, 1970.

"Farmer's Tax Guide," Publication 225, furnishes information on this subject and may be obtained free by dropping a post card to Supply, Internal Revenue Service, P. O. Box 1738, Dallas, Texas, 75221 or your county farm agent.

Fishermen who expect to receive at least two-thirds of their gross income from fishing follow the same rules as those for farmers.

Burk Police Have Light Week

Police activity in Burkburnett was extremely light, according to Police Chief Buck Abbott. There was even one twenty-four hour period when there were no calls on the police of any sort.

One reportable accident happened last Wednesday when a 1969 Dodge, driven by Gary L. Balcom, 317 1/2 Preston, slid on the snow and ice and struck the rear of a 1965 Ford truck. The truck, belonging to the Texas Electric Company, was being driven by Herman Lee Moser of Wichita Falls. Moser was stopped at a yield sign near the corner of Highway 240 and Sycamore. Balcom's car suffered about $60.00 damage; the truck was not damaged.

Other police activity during the week consisted of investigating a report of indecent exposure and of a man contributing to the delinquency of a minor. No charges have been filed as yet in either of these cases.

There was also one report of a runaway. She returned home the following day.

ATTENTION

The City of Burkburnett requests all citizens to move all broken tree limbs to the edge of the street so that trucks can load them easily, without going into yards. The City will continue to run special trucks to pick up limbs for as long as it is necessary to do so, but cooperation is needed.

Stout Will Attend Planning Meeting

The Rev. David Stout will go to Abilene January 10 for a meeting of all area ministers to make plans for a District 19 board meeting to be held in Burkburnett in the near future and to plan for counselors for Christian Church Camp counselors. The board meeting which should have been held here December 18 had to be called off because of too many conflicting dates in the area.

The Rev. Mr. Stout will be serving as the director of Chi-Rho groups in District 19. He will attend the Texas Leadership Development Institute in Brownwood on January 12-15.

B.G. Mills Dies; January 2 Rites

Belvin J. Mills of Pleasant Valley, died in a Wichita Falls hospital December 30, 1969.

Services were held Friday, January 2, 1970 from Owens & Brumley Funeral Home in Burkburnett with the Rev. Phillip Otten, pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, officiating. Burial was in Burkburnett Cemetery.

Born May 4, 1902, in Alabama, Mills, a retired farmer, had been a resident of this area since 1941. He was a member of the Lutheran church and a veteran of World War I.

Survivors include his wife, Louise; four sons, Adrian J. of Santa Ana, Calif., O. J. of Lamesa, Texas, D. R. of Gatesville, Texas, and Guy of Lawndale, California; a stepson, Cecil Daniel of Abilene, Texas; four brothers, Virgil and Troy both of Burkburnett, Guy of Richardson, Texas, and Tom of Dorsey, Mississippi; three sisters, Mrs. Ada Mae Bowles and Mrs. Eva Robison, both of Burkburnett, and Mrs. Lorene Perry of Glen Allen, Alabama; 14 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Isaac Butler Found Dead

Isaac Lee Butler, who had lived the past few years at 508 South Avenue D (Davey Road) was found dead in his home at about 10:40 AM Tuesday, January 6 by Police Chief Buck Abbott.

Informed by neighbors that they had not seen Butler since before Christmas, Abbott entered the house. The Coroner said that death was apparently from natural causes.

Butler, about 70 years old, was born in Raines County, Texas. He is survived by one brother, George, of Burkburnett.

Funeral services are pending with Owens & Brumley Funeral Home.

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Thank You

(Editor's Note: We received this note of thanks this past week from a person who has given so liberally of his time that really Burk should be thanking him for all he and his wife have done. We take this opportunity to thank Mr. and Mrs. Duvall, and to publish their thanks to all who assisted in the Christmas party for the children.)

We wish to thank everyone who helped to sponsor the annual Burkburnett children's Christmas Party. A special thanks is extended to the Girl Scout troops who furnished food for food baskets, the business people and individuals who contributed money, the Rotary Club for the fine group of toys, the Senior Citizens who showed their concern for the less fortunate of our town with a nice cash contribution. We hope that you, along with us, realize that without the unselfish generosity of you fine folks, indeed Christmas wouldn't or couldn't have been so successful in making a merry Christmas for many families in our town.

We also wish to thank our Chamber of Commerce for the preparation and furnishing of the candy and fruit bags for the children. We feel sure you all will be rewarded in your consideration for mankind.

Thanks
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Duvall

Self Discipline

It was Patrick Henry who said, "Bad men cannot make good citizens. It is impossible," he added, "that a nation of infidels or idolaters should be a nation of free men. . . . A vitiated state of morals, a corrupted public conscience, is incompatible with freedom."

I suggest there is a pertinent message for present-day Americans in Patrick Henry's warning. As we move into a new decade, I feel we are being pressured by some behavioral excesses which are incompatible with our continued freedom. Certainly, a free society is not free from difficulties, but it must be relatively free from weaknesses such as moral decadence and disrespect for law if it is to survive.

Moral decadence and disrespect for law thrive when self-discipline is weak. In a society of free men, there must be an abundance of personal integrity and discipline. We need only to look back at the 1960's to see what has been happening to our moral standards.

For the past several years our citizens have been barraged with unbridled vulgarity, obscenity, blasphemy, perversion, and public desecration of our cherished ideals and symbols. Although strong protests have been made from portions of our concerned citizenry, for the most part these degrading and debasing activities are increasing. Immorality is becoming more of the rule than the exception.

In the face of these perplexing conditions, many citizens are practically moral cowards. Afraid of being labeled puritanical or "square," they tolerate and condone acts and habits which they know are morally wrong but which they do not have the courage to denounce and oppose. This is unfortunate, because they fail themselves, their children, and their country.

Where morality and decency are concerned, Americans must not let rationalization and doubletalk confuse them. There is nothing enlightening, enduring, or progressive about degeneracy. No great nations or stable societies have ever been built on false morality. If we value our country and our system of self-government under the rule of law, then we must not stand by and let our moral standards be compromised.

Respect for law is also a moral obligation. Much of our trouble today is caused by a growing number of persons who feel no legal responsibility to obey it. Belonging to divers groups and movements, these persons are clairvoyant and prolific on matters of liberty, freedon, and individual rights, but impatient and taciturn on the issues of responsibilities and established democratic processes. Their emotions override their judgment and reasoning. Edmund Burke put it this way --- "The freedom of some of the herd of swine that ran violently down a steep place into the sea and were drowned. The only liberty that is valuable, is a liberty connected with order; that not only exists with order and virtue, but which cannot exist at all without them."

To my mind, a big question for every American as we enter the 1970's is whether he wants to support and defend our free society or let it be overrun and destroyed by visionary agitators, whether he wants to promote the cause of justice and order or give in to crime and chaos, and whether he wants to hold the line on decency and morality or let depravity and degeneracy corrupt our populace.

Let us make no mistake about it. Human dignity, individual values, civil rights, and freedom for all citizens cannot exist without order and self-discipline. We need discipline to lift us above the baseness of indulgence, discipline to stand for right over wrong, discipline to uphold and preserve our ideals and principles of democracy, and discipline to respect and obey the law.

Let those whose actions are incompatible with the freedoms of our society know that their rights and privileges end where the rights and privileges of others begin.

JOHN EDGAR HOOVER, Director FBI

(Reprinted from the FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin, January, 1970)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor

I want to thank you for the December 25 issue of your paper. Your editorial the story of the Nativity, and your feature news story on page one. I have read newspapers for over 65 years. Your story was the best Christmas story I have ever seen in one.

Thank you
Mrs. Neal Hall

Dear Sir:

Please renew our subscription to the Informer/Star, for one year.

We really enjoy reading our hometown paper. All the changes you have made in it are very good and much more interesting. Keep up the good work.

Thank you very much
John A. Johnson
Ranford, Illinois

Dear Sir;

I would like to use your paper to thank all the hometown people who took the time out to sit down and send Christmas cards to one homesick sailor. It really looked to be a bleak Christmas, being so far away from home and all, but the good citizens of Burkburnett came through and made home seem a little closer. Thank you people, thank you all. You don't know how much it was appreciated.

Much appreciated
Roger Bangs RMSN

P. S. How about a parents of the year contest. The winners could have a spread in your paper about them. If such a contest should ever come about, I nominate Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bangs. You could have essays turned in and the best essay would choose the winners. Thank you for listening to a subscribers suggestion.



REPORT FROM YOUR GOVERNOR

Preston Smith — **Governor of Texas**

As Governor of the State of Texas in the days of transition from the 1960's to the 1970's I look ahead to the next decade with cautious, yet realistic, optimism.

The successes of the Sixties, are but partial ones - ones that will seek fulfillment in the decade ahead. I sincerely believe that our direction is towards that fulfillment.

Though, in the 1970's, we have seen unrivalled progress in science, in technology, in economic growth, in human relations, and in virtually every other realm of human interest and activity, we have also witnessed tragedy.

We have witnessed the tragedies of assassinations, of mass murders and of skyjackings. We have witnessed the tragedies of racial unrest and violence in our cities, of rebellion on our college and university campuses, and of a war which persists in dividing our people.

But the divisiveness and violence that have come to characterize the 1960's, just as the first manned lunar landings have, seem to be ebbing.

We do, I believe, have reason to be hopeful. Part of that hope lies in the past. And part of that hope lies in the present.

Though our job is not yet done in securing optimal human relations and living standards for all our people, it has been more than a year since we have experienced the sort of racial turmoil that began to erupt in our cities early in the decade.

Not since the summer of 1968 have we seen the tragic, violent clashes between our young people and law enforcement personnel.

These are but meager indications of the promise that the decade of the 1970's holds for Texas and for the nation. These are indications of a trend towards moving away from violence and lawlessness.

We have not achieved unanimity of conscience or purpose. But our goal is, as it has always been, not unanimity, but unity.

The success of the coming decade must be premised on a continuing and cooperative effort at realistic problem solving.

Our nation and our state are hungry for solutions. Our people can no longer tolerate or be satisfied with promises and idle rhetoric.

Together, in the past decade, we have made advances that many of us never dreamed possible. We have begun to make headway inre solving our cr ses and we have begun to treat our problems before they burgeon into crises. But what we began in the Sixties, in the areas of education, the economy, governmental efficiency, health, housing, human resources, natural resources, recreation and open space, public protection and transportation, will be meaningless if we do not continue with redoubled effort.

In the last few years of the 1960's Texas State Government has suddenly changed from a wobbling instrument of public service into a dynamic agency of action.

Instead of sitting defensively on its states rights, Texas has started exercising those rights.

Some time ago, we conducted a Governor's Conference on Model Cities. It must have been a surprise to some people. One city official at the conference said in amazement that Preston Smith had suddenly discovered the existence of cities.

It might have been more accurate to observe that cities had suddenly discovered the existence of state government - state government as a partner, not a dictator or even an umpire, in solving problems where people are.

Part of our optimistic feelings about the prospects for the 1970's result from workable programs that have been initiated or significantly expanded in the first year of this administration.

In glancing backward at the recent past, I think of the Texas Communities Tomorrow program for renewing small towns as vigorous places in which to live and to work.

It is the first program I can recall in the past decade that came up from the grass-roots of Texas and went searching for state and federal aid. Usually the process has been the other way around. Usually, the program has been born in Washington and has come down from afar looking for a place to land.

Hospitals and recreational facilities top the local communities' pleas for help under this new program.

The Coastal Resources Study, aimed at more effective management and development of our Gulfside assets, is actually underway, even while some of our federal colleagues still ponder in wonderment how and whether they can help.

And then there is the Texas Highway Safety Program. Only recently it was approved by the Federal Department of Transportation, after deadline preparation, to help deal with the tragic annual slaughter on the streets and highways of Texas. One of the first acts of the Smith Administration was the establishment of the Office of Traffic Safety Administrator in the Executive Department. This office is now enlisting the energetic support of thousands of Texans to realistically fight for highway safety.

Under the direction of the Governor's Office, comprehensive health planning is off to a running start, with a focus on control of skyrocketing costs for medical and hospital services.

We have also begun, in the past year, to strengthen law enforcement and the entire system of justice in our towns, counties and state through the Criminal Justice Council. First steps have been taken toward a statewide criminal data and communications system, in which local law enforcement units would be instantaneously linked.

I confess to an abiding personal interest in renewed emphasis on technical-vocational education for Texas. Legislatively and administratively, we have made great strides in this area in the past year. Somehow, however, vocational education is passively regarded by each parent as something good for the other fellow's children, but not for his own. In addition to government action, we require public acceptance.

We are also working closely with the Joint Council on University-State Relations, established by Governor Connally, in developing an input-output model of the Texas economy and two management development courses for state administrators.

The State Employees Training Act of 1969, originated by the Joint Council, is a policy landmark of our government, which opens the door to both in-service and degree-oriented training programs and permits state employees to be hired on the basis of their potential rather than their previous training.

Not only have we, for the first time in the history of the state, proclaimed a Human Relations Week, but also we have secured the establishment of a statewide Governor's Committee on Human Relations.

The new Human Relations Committee is actively working with the various racial and ethnic groups in our state to increase harmony and justice among such groups, and between them and their government.

A principal example of the sort of coordinated direction and leadership which we are attempting to provide in state government is GOALS FOR TEXAS. It is a continuing search for a sense of purpose and for priorities.

Goals for Texas, Phase 1, which has already been completed, is a compilation of objectives for Texas in ten major areas, as seen by the principal departments and agencies of state government. But it is only a beginning.

In Phase II, now underway, the regional councils of government, in collaboration with local governments and the citizens they serve, are examining their local needs and objectives.

State government should be the most effective link between local governments, concerned with community problems, and a federal government concerned with national issues and needs. Without a clear sense of priorities, we cannot marshal our resources to match our purposes.

These are but a few of our programs, but they are significant parts of the whole.

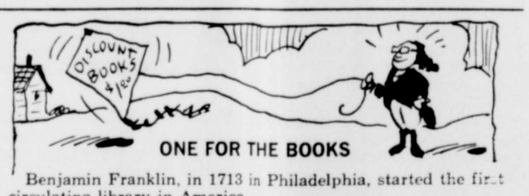
In our program for progress, our program for Texas, we must measure our strengths to match our purposes, not set our purposes to merely match our strengths. For the 1970's only greatness will do. And we must reach that height together.



Marty Leads Off

FOLLOW THE EXAMPLE of 8-year-old Marty Mim Mack, 1970 National March of Dimes Poster Boy from Santa Clara, Calif. Contribute to the January appeal to prevent birth defects. Your support aids year-round programs of research, education, patient and community services, dedicated to overcoming diseases which strike 250,000 American babies every year. Marty, student and sportsman, is their symbol of courage.

Do more.
For your Country.
For your career.
For yourself.
As a nurse in the U.S. Army Reserve.



ONE FOR THE BOOKS

Benjamin Franklin, in 1713 in Philadelphia, started the first circulating library in America.



Guidelines Of Life

MAX DOWLING, PASTOR
Central Baptist Church

RIDICULOUS EMBARRASSMENT

What next? A high school student was suspended from school in Fremont, California, briefly for talking about God during his lunch hour. Fortunately, he has been given assurance that he was "within his constitutional rights."

Understandably, suspension of 18 year-old Steven Minden had caused wide-spread controversy. The incident originated when a faculty member overheard Steven "witnessing for Christ" with several classmates on the school lawn. He reported the incident to the school principal.

Principal Robert Callahan allegedly asked Steven, "Will you stop these discussions or do I have to suspend you?"

When Steven told the principal that he "couldn't honestly make such a promise since God is the most important thing" in his life, he was "sent home to discuss the matter with his parents." The principal explained to the parents that "the state's education code prohibits the teaching or instruction of any sectarian or denominational doctrine, directly or indirectly, on a public campus."

The parents and Steven were dissatisfied with the principal's opinion. Steven insisted he was not "preaching" but merely "describing his experiences." That's when they protested.

In a formal opinion, Alameda County Counsel Richard Moore ruled that Steven was not violating principles of separation of church and state when he discussed religion with classmates over lunch. Since other students were free to "walk off" if they did not wish to listen to him, Steven was entitled to the same freedom to "sermonize about God," if he wished, Moore held.

It seems a little ridiculous that a youngster is embarrassed by an incident like this when so many unruly things are permitted on some high school campuses today. - Written by J. Marse Grant and copied from the Biblical Recorder, North Carolina.

Our Fighting Men In Vietnam

Listed below are the names and addresses of local men who are serving with the U. S. Armed Forces in Vietnam. We are sure they would appreciate receiving letters or cards from Burkburnett residents regardless of whether you know them or not.

The Burkburnett Informer-Star will be glad to publish the names of other local men in Vietnam if parents or friends will call 569-2191 and give us this information.

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MRS. GORDON HUTCHINS, JR.

Society

Hutchins-McDonald Nuptials Read

Nuptial vows were exchanged by Miss Sylvia Grace McDonald and Gordon Hutchins Jr., Monday evening, December 29, 1969, in the First United Methodist Church. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin T. McDonald of Burkburnett, and Chaplain (Col.) and Mrs. Gordon Hutchins of Ft. Devens, Mass.

The father of the bridegroom officiated at the ceremony. A candle arch entwined with greenery, votive candle trees and baskets of white mums decorated the sanctuary.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a semi-fitted A-line gown. Rosepoint lace formed the yoke and three-quarter length sleeves. A train of the chosen lace was pleated into the back yoke. Her fingertip length veil of illusion was attached to a band of white velvet flowers and leaves. The bride carried a cascade of white mums and lily-of-the-valley centered with a white orchid.

Miss Sheri Garland of Burkburnett was maid of honor. She wore a formal gown of midnight-blue velvet with silver-jeweled trim at the empire waist and carried a nosegay of silver mums. The bridesmaids, dressed as the maid of honor, were Misses Ellen Hutchins, sister of the groom; Carolyn McDonald, sister of the bride; and Patsy Newcomb of Pampa.

Best man was David Wardrup of Amherst, Mass. The groomsmen were Oliver McDonald, brother of the bride; Howard R. Hutchins of Ft. Devens; Thomas Pond of Duncanville.

The reception, given by the bride's parents, followed in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

Assisting were Misses Judy Kauer, Nancy Walker, and Donna Greer all of Burkburnett and Mmes. David D. Wilson of Meridian, Idaho, sister of the bride; David Wardrup of Amherst, Mass.; Bill Boardman, Florence Nichols, Hugh Veach, and Nelson Boyle all of Burk.

The couple will be living in Amherst. The bride attended North Texas University in Denton, Texas, and is a member of Alpha Kappa Delta, national honor society in sociology, Theta Chapter. She was an honor student and chosen for Who's Who of the 1967 graduating class from Burkburnett High School. Hutchins is presently attending the University of Massachusetts in Amherst and was the valedictorian of his graduating class from Nurnberg -American High School in Nurnberg, Germany.

The groom's parents were hosts at the rehearsal party held at Luby's.

Willis Family Holds Reunion

The three living descendents of the A. J. Willis family, who were among the first settlers in the Burkburnett area (they arrived in 1890 with the first 3 train car loads of machinery and stock) recently enjoyed a family reunion.

Jessie Willis Allen, T. Guy Willis and B. O. Willis gathered at B. O.'s home on Sunday during the Christmas holidays, along with B.O.'s children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Among those present were Ruth Willis Claxton and Charles of Andrews, Texas; Fonda Willis Liddle and son Jack, Pittsburg, Penn.; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Willis and son Jack K. of Waco, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stewart, granddaughter and great-granddaughter Deanna of Odessa, Tex.; Ruth Sanders, also granddaughter and great-granddaughter, Kelly of Burkburnett and Verna Kill of Lawton, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Ruth Ooten entered the hospital Monday and was scheduled to undergo major surgery Tuesday morning. She is in room 216 at the Bethania Hospital in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Law and daughters Stacy and Cindy, from Schertz, Texas, spent the New Year's holiday with Mrs. Law's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Morris, 624 West Third Street.



MRS. WILLIAM RALPH ENGLAND III

England-Brown Vows Exchanged In Ardmore

Miss Victoria Jeannette Brown became the bride of William Ralph England III, Sunday, December 28, 1969 at 12 noon in the Northwest Baptist Church in Ardmore, Oklahoma. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee Brown, Ardmore, Oklahoma, formerly of Burkburnett and Mrs. Ruby England of Burkburnett.

The Rev. Carroll Jackson, grandfather of the bride, officiated at the double ring ceremony. Red roses set in white baskets and red satin pew markers decorated the church.

Mrs. Melton Kunkel of Copperas Cave, Texas provided the traditional music for the ceremony. Miss Gay Luck of Anadarko, Oklahoma, sang "O Perfect Love" and "Wedding Prayer".

Mr. Walter L. Brown gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a white, coat-style dress of peau de soie with a shoulder length veil of French illusion from a Dior Bow and carried a nosegay of red roses.

Miss Melissa Brown, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, wearing a red velvet dress with pink accessories. She carried a single red rose with pink streamers. Miss Glenda Jenkins, bridesmaid, was dressed in the same way as the honor attendant.

Darryl Siefkas of Wichita Falls was best man and Larry Egenbacher of Burkburnett was groomsman. Robbie Faulk and Cy Mills, both of Burkburnett, were ushers.

The reception followed in the home of the bride's parents. The bride's table had crystal appointments on a white lace cloth and red roses in white baskets. A red rose cascade decorated a three-tiered white cake. Assisting with the reception were: Miss Nancy England, sister of the groom, attending the bride's book; Miss Carol Moxley, Mrs. Larry Brown of Burkburnett, an aunt of the bride; and Mrs. Melton Kunkel of Copperas Cave, Texas.

The bride is a 1969 graduate of Ardmore High School and attended Oklahoma Baptist University. England was a 1968 graduate of Burkburnett High School and is attending Texas Tech University.

After a trip to South Texas, the couple will be residing at 112 - 80th Street in Lubbock, Texas. There they will both attend Texas Tech University.

Vincent-Spannagel Exchange Vows

Vows were exchanged Sunday, December 28, 1969, between Miss Carol Dell Spannagel and Ricky Lee Vincent. The Rev. Max Dowling, pastor of Central Baptist Church in Burkburnett, officiated at the ceremony held in the home of Mrs. James McGrath. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Palmer of 808 Easy Street, Burkburnett and M/Sgt. and Mrs. Glen Simpson of 112 Matador, Sheppard AFB.



MRS. RICKY LEE VINCENT

Wearing a white wool street-length dress, the bride was given in marriage by her father, Kenneth L. Palmer. White satin flowers attached to a veil of net formed the bride's headpiece. She carried a bouquet of white carnations.

Miss Rennie Kirby of 812 Easy Street in Burkburnett, was maid of honor. She wore a yellow dress accented with white accessories.

Nick Vincent, brother of the groom, was the best man.

The reception, given by Mrs. James McGrath, was held at 105 Hyland Drive, in Burkburnett. Assisting with the reception were, Misses Debbie Vincent, serving cake and Rennie Kirby, serving punch.

After a wedding trip to Lake Kemp, the couple will reside at 608 East 4th Street in Burk.

Marriage Of Cremin-Neeley Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Neeley announce the marriage of their daughter, Ruth Marlene, to John Melvin Cremin, Jr., a Captain in the U. S. Air Force. The ceremony took place Saturday, December 27, 1969, in the Brophy College Preparatory Chapel in Pheonix, Arizona.

Cub Scouts Hold Christmas Party

On December 15, 1969 Cub Scout Pack 155 held their Christmas meeting at Town Hall. The meeting was opened by Cub Master Lonnie Padron. Flags were posted by Webelos.

Each Den lead the pack in Christmas Carols. Mrs. Dixon, Mrs. Boardman and boys of Den 3 presented a very enjoyable skit and the carol "Rudolph, The Red Nosed Reindeer." Mrs. Yates and boys of Den 2 lead in "White Christmas", Mrs. Rooney and boys of Den 4 sang "Joy To The World", and Mrs. Blancett and Mrs. Milam with boys of Den 1 lead "Here Comes Santa". By some strange coincidence Santa must have been listening because at the end of the song he came bouncing in with a bag full of goodies. All the Scouts with their little brothers and sisters received a bag from Santa. Before he left on his busy trip he sang "Silent Night" with the crowd.

Mr. Tom Evans was present with some of his Boy Scouts to welcome Michael Sharp into Troop 155.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Yates and boys of Den 2.

The January meeting will be the usual fourth Monday, January 26, 1970 at 7:30 PM. See you there!

Contemporary Club Has Meeting

The Contemporary Study Club met in the National Room of the First National Bank, Burkburnett, with Mrs. Edgar Fulcher as hostess.

Mrs. Harry Elliott called the meeting to order with the Club Collect. Various committee reports were given. A letter was read from Mrs. Sexauer, Santa Rosa President, pertaining to club reports and conventions.

The club made plans for decorations for the annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet as the club has been asked to decorate.

Mrs. Frank Miller and Mrs. F. T. Felty, Jr. were welcomed into the club as new members.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Robert Norriss January 19th. Mrs. Phillip Carpenter will present the program.

Christian Church To Organize Chi Rho Group

A Chi-Rho group will be organized Sunday, January 11 at the First Christian Church at 6:00 PM. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kincaid will be sponsors for the group. It consists of training in Christian principles and ideals for children of junior high school age.

The Christian Youth Fellowship already organized, growing and working is for boys and girls of senior high school age. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dzuibanek were sponsors of that group. While Dzuibanek is in Vietnam, his wife acts as sponsor of the group.

All boys and girls not already working in a youth religious group are invited to visit and/or join one of these groups. Those who are of Chi-Rho age are invited this Sunday evening to help organize and become charter members.

PERSONAL

A1/C David Spannagel of Chanute AFB, Illinois, spent the Christmas holidays here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Palmer, and also attended the wedding of his sister, Carol, on December 28. David left December 31 for his new station at Fairchild, Washington.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Clayton and Bill over the holidays, were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Martin of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Richardson, Brend, Becky and Barbara; also Bryon Crocket all of Arlington, Texas; and Mr. and Mrs. James Creyer of Wichita Falls, Texas.



MRS. PAUL EDWIN MORRIS

Morris-Arvin Vows Said In TCU Chapel

Miss Susan Arvin became the bride of Paul Edwin Morris Monday evening, December 22, 1969 in Robert Carr Chapel, Texas Christian University. Jack Arvin, minister of the West Berry Church of Christ in Fort Worth and Ed Morris, minister of the Church of Christ in Burkburnett, fathers of the couple, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arvin of Fort Worth. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morris of Burkburnett.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a gown of candlelight peau de soie with a full overdress of Belgian lace. Her flowers were white and red roses.

Mrs. Bill Plummer, Dallas, cousin of the bride was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Janice Lee Arvin and Anne Elizabeth Arvin, sisters of the bride, Fort Worth; Cathy Sue Bledsoe, Oklahoma City and Linda Barnes, Dallas. Betty and Bonnie Arvin, twin sisters of the bride were flower girls. Each girl was dressed in blue velvet gowns and carried long stemmed rod roses.

John Morris of Pomona, California, the bridegroom's brother, was best man. Groomsmen were Terry Morris, brother of the groom, Burkburnett; Jack Arvin Jr. brother of the bride, Fort Worth; Lindsay Gibbons, Houston; and Terry Bledsoe, Oklahoma City. Jeffrey Arvin was ring bearer. Ushers were Don Chandler, Temple, and John Hosek, Fort Worth.

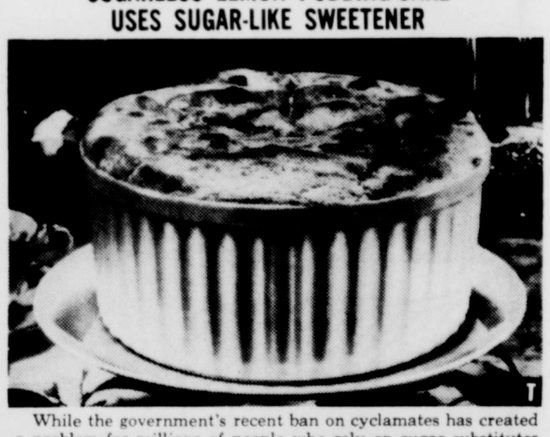
The bride's parents entertained at the reception in Weatherly Hall, TCU.

The couple will live in Fort Worth after a wedding trip to New Orleans.

The bride graduated from Harding College, Searcy, Arkansas and is now in graduate school at TCU. The bridegroom graduated from Abilene Christian College and is doing graduate work in Physics at TCU.

A rehearsal dinner was given at Jettons in Fort Worth by the groom's parents.

SUGARLESS LEMON PUDDING CAKE USES SUGAR-LIKE SWEETENER



While the government's recent ban on cyclamates has created a problem for millions of people who rely on sugar substitutes for health or diet, few realize that the original granulated sugar substitute never contained cyclamates.

Adolph's was the original sugar substitute to use glycine, an amino acid which is not metabolized as sugar. It is medically approved and preferred for diabetics as well as dieters. And this use of glycine has the approval of the Food and Drug Administration. This sugar substitute, which comes in both plastic shaker-top jars and individual serving packets has been used for years by hospitals, hotels and other institutions.

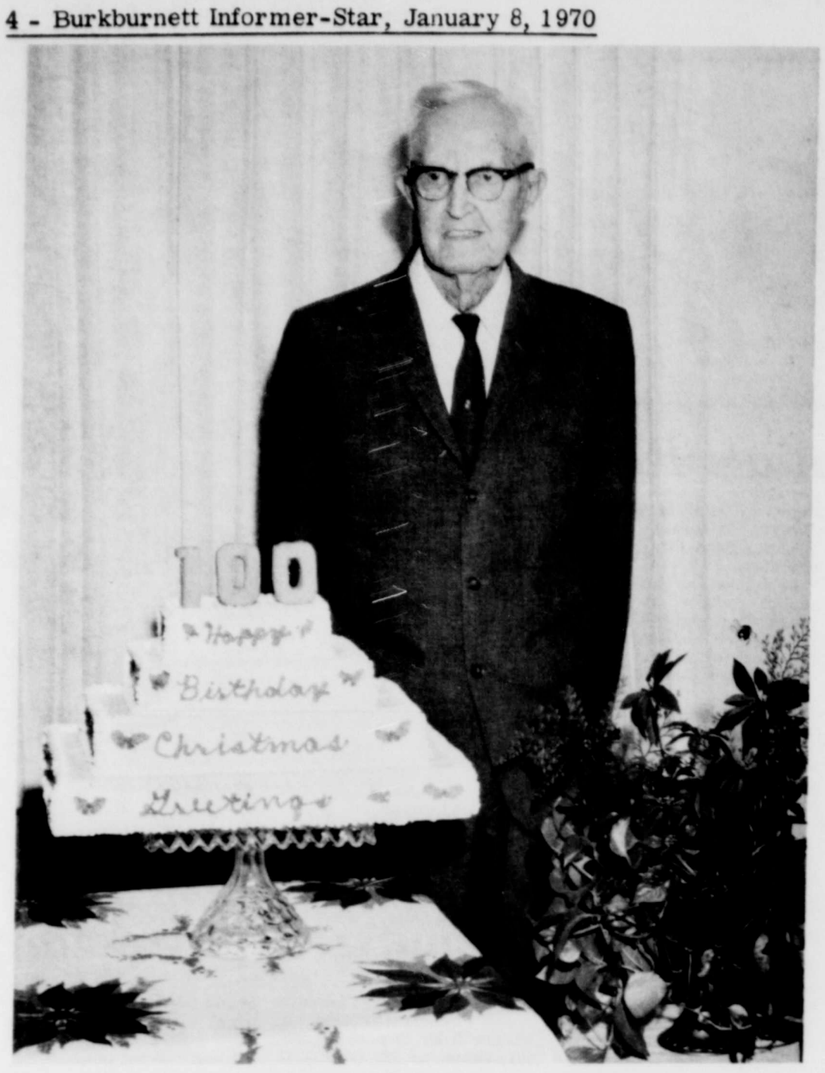
Among the countless advantages to the granulated sugar substitute are that it looks, sprinkles and tastes like sugar, it dissolves instantly, and it doesn't have to be crushed or powdered before adding it to foods. It can be sprinkled on hot or cold cereals, stirred into hot or iced beverages, mixed in toppings, sauces, preserves and frozen desserts. It can be baked in breads, muffins, cookies, custards and cakes. And here's a recipe for an elegant Lemon Pudding Cake that's an old-fashioned, tart-sweet favorite brought up to date in this low-calorie version: 80 calories per serving as compared with 200 for the standard version. (For the diabetic exchange list, food value per serving: protein, 5.92 grams; fat, 1.9 grams; carbohydrate, 5.09 grams.)

BAKED LEMON PUDDING CAKE
(6 servings)

½ cup flour
½ teaspoon baking powder
2 eggs, separated
2 teaspoons grated lemon rind
¼ cup fresh lemon juice
1½ cups skim or non-fat milk
2 teaspoons Adolph's Sugar Substitute

1. Sift Flour and baking powder together. Beat egg yolks until lemon colored; add lemon rind and juice, milk and Adolph's Sugar Substitute; beat thoroughly. Add flour mixture and beat until smooth.
2. Beat egg whites until stiff but not dry, so they stand in peaks; fold into egg yolk mixture. Pour into a lightly oiled 1-quart souffle or baking dish. Set in pan containing ½-inch hot water. Bake at 350 F. 30 to 35 minutes. Let cool at least 15 minutes before serving. Pudding will separate into cake layer and sauce layer.

For a free copy of "Exciting New Low-Calorie Recipes" including calorie-indicator, write to Adolph's Ltd., Dept. C3, P.O. Box 828, Burbank, California 91503.



Pictured above is Mr. C. L. Price who celebrated his 100th birthday on Christmas Day at his home in Davis, Oklahoma. Forty-nine of his relatives gathered for a dinner there in his honor. He has 97 living direct decendents. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bloodworth and family of Burkburnett were in attendance. Mr. Price is Mrs. Bloodworth's maternal grandfather. She states that he is still in good health and is very active.

News About Randlett People

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Fain of Denton and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wilson and daughter of Dallas visited their sister, Mrs. Herbert Kiesling and Mr. Kiesling recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Wilson and children of Monroe, Louisiana, spent from Thursday to Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wilson.

Randlett was almost isolated all last week with electricity off and without telephone service; then to top it all off the water ran out Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Mollie Elliott went to her sister's, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hicks of Burkburnett Sunday evening of last week and stayed until Wednesday due to the icy roads and having to travel to and from work.

Mrs. Jerry Couch is ill at her home this week.

Sam Small, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crawford, narrowly escaped a serious eye injury last week when an icicle fell and struck him in the eye. The eyeball was cut and at this time is healing nicely.

Greg and Gary Jekson of Hurst spent the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frant Etier.

Miss Mildred Etier of Fort Worth spent last week here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Frank Etier and Mrs. T. J. Baber accompanied by Mrs. Whick Parrick of Burkburnett took Greg and Gary to Hurst Friday and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. John Jekson and children before returning home.

Mrs. Lennie Keen and son of Topeka, Kansas is visiting her mother, Mrs. Marie Starks.

Mrs. A. L. Patterson was ill at her home last week.

New Year's dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wilson were Mr. and Mrs. Oran Wilson and children of Monroe, Louisiana and Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Smith and sons, Dennis and Danny of Burkburnett.

Mr. Troy Horton of Burkburnett visited Mr. and Mrs. Riley Davis Sunday.

Mrs. N. R. Kirkpatrick visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bowers of Temple, Oklahoma Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fowler and children of Fort Worth visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fowler Saturday night.

Mrs. Dwight Leonburger and Dana of Burkburnett visited her mother, Mrs. Nile Bowman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Smith and Mrs. Sammie Wise and son of Burkburnett visited Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wilson Saturday night.

Mrs. Mollie Elliott spent Friday night with her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Morrow and daughter of Wichita Falls. From there she went on Saturday to spend the night with a cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hackney. Sunday she went to Fort Worth for the Morrow reunion which was held at her brother's, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Morrow. There were 42 present. All had a good time.

Baptist Conference To Feature Dale Evans

FORT WORTH - A former western film star and 15 other speakers highlight the Texas Baptist Evangelism Conference meeting in Fort Worth's Tarrant County Convention Center, January 12-14.

Dale Evans, who, with her husband Roy Rogers, gained fame in many western movies, headlines the list of featured speakers. She is scheduled to address the conference on Tuesday evening.

Also appearing on the program is Dr. C. M. Ward, an Assembly of God radio preacher from Springfield, Mo. Dr. Ward, whose radio broadcast "Revivaltime, U.S.A." is heard all across America, delivers the keynote message Monday night.

Other speakers include Dr. Edward B. Lindaman, a scientist with the North American Rockwell Corporation; Dr. Harold J. Ockenga, former Boston Congregationalist pastor who has recently been named president of Gordon College, Wenham, Mass.; Dr. Kenneth Chafin, director of evangelism for the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board, Atlanta, Ga.; Dr. Robert H. Wilson, pastor of the St. John Baptist Church in Dallas; and a number of other Texas Baptist pastors.

From 10,000 to 12,000 persons usually attend the conference. It is particularly popular with pastors in Texas and adjoining states and is considered to be one of the best attended meetings in Southern Baptist life.

Music for the conference has been arranged by the church music department of the Baptist General Convention of Texas in Dallas. It will feature special music by opera singers Robert Hale and Dean Wilder; the Tarrant Baptist Association Choir; and a choir comprised of state Baptist ministers of music.

Conference theme is "This We Believe" and features doctrinal messages on Biblical subjects.

Dr. C. Wade Freeman, Texas Baptist Evangelism director, has said, "This year's program is one of the finest we have ever assembled and we believe it can be of great value to our pastors and laymen across our state."

"OUR FAITH"

"And this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith" (1 John 5:4). I have often wondered what would really happen if every child of God had more faith. We are living in a world of many fools. "The fool has said in his heart, there is no God" (Psalms 14:1). Does it surprise you to hear your child say that man first came from monkeys, seaweed or tiny cells? Thousands believe and teach this very foolish theory as a fact. The veracity of the scriptures is being questioned in some religious groups. (You might ask your preacher what he believes about the Genesis account of creation, the virgin birth of Christ, Jonah and the great fish. You may be in for a shock.) The world contains at least 200 million atheists. What is the answer to such a tragic emptiness that would remove the influence of Jesus Christ from the face of the earth? Can you imagine what the world would be like had it been filled with doubting Thomases for the last nineteen centuries? BACK TO GOD! BACK TO THE BIBLE! BACK TO A FAITH THAT COMES BY HEARING AND A HEARING BY THE WORD OF GOD" (Rom. 10:17). This can be the only answer.

Ed Morris, Minister, Burkburnett Church of Christ

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Informer/Star

I enjoy your paper so much now I don't want to miss a copy of it. You have made a great improvement on the paper. As I lived in Burkburnett 49 years and only moved away March, 1969, I still have lots of friends there but I greatly regret that so many have lately passed away. I always loved the town of Burk - and the people that live there.

Best regards to everybody there and Best Luck with your good paper.

Sallye L. Gore
Seymour, Texas

United Parcel To Deliver In Texas

The Interstate Commerce Commission (ICC) has issued an order which will give Texas shippers access to one of the nation's primary small-package transportation systems.

The order has granted United Parcel Service authority to handle packages for Texas businessmen and residents to and from 36 other states and the District of Columbia.

Although the new interstate authority does not allow the company to carry packages moving intrastate between points in Texas, the company has filed an application with the Texas Railroad Commission to provide this additional service. A decision on this application is pending.

The ICC order, issued on Nov. 21, would permit the company to pick up and deliver packages to and from North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi, as well as to and from the entire midwestern, southwestern and eastern parts of the United States.

A number of additional legal and regulatory steps are necessary before service can be commenced.

United Parcel Service has been in the small-package handling business for six decades. Up to the end of World War II it had concentrated mainly on carrying parcels for retail stores in the nation's large urban centers, although it also operated a general package delivery service in competition with United States parcel post in southern California.

After the war the company began extending this package delivery service to other areas. The order which permits service to Texas and eight other states in the Midwest is the latest such extension of authority to the company.

A vaccine to prevent rubella (German measles) has been approved by the federal government. Widespread use of the vaccine can wipe out this disease, which is a major cause of birth defects, according to the March of Dimes.

The VA says a record number of 783,000 veterans, servicemen, their sons, daughters, wives and widows were in training as of Dec. 31, 1969, an increase of 35 per cent over last year.

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HD Agent News
By THELMA WIRGES

"Food For Us All" is the title of the 1969 Yearbook of Agriculture recently released by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Thelma Wirges, County Home Demonstration Agent says it provides basic, solid nutrition information needed by every consumer.

The 400-page book joins the popular editions of years past which have and are serving as valuable reference and information sources relating to the great advances made by the agricultural industry.

The book describes how the wholesomeness, quality and purity of our foods is safeguarded and outlines the role of the farmer and describes the food industry's contribution.

Members of Congress have a limited number of the books for distribution or it may be purchased from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. 20402, for $3.50 per copy.

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Consumers confronted with more than 20 choices of margarines in a supermarket, are wrestling with the question: are higher-priced margarines better than those selling for half their price?

There is no simple yes or no, answers Thelma Wirges, County Home Demonstration Agent. The more than 20 kinds of margarine fall into six types: regular, whipped, soft, premium, unsalted and low-calorie. Each contains 80 per cent fat blended with milk or cream. Each is fortified with vitamin A and some with vitamin D.

Other ingredients, such as salt, may be added to improve the product. The most common type is regular margarine. Generally it is made from soybean and cottonseed oil and costs less than the other types. Prices range from 30 cents a pound for national brands to 18 cents a pound for the store's private label brand.

Regular margarines are all-purpose --- may be used in cooking, baking, frying, as a seasoning and for tablespread.

Inert gas is injected into whipped margarine to increase its volume. Six sticks are packed the 1-pound package.

Pound for pound, whipped margarine has the same number of calories as nonwhipped margarine. On a volume basis - say stick for stick - whipped margarine has about 1/3 less calories.

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Keep the liquid! It contains a third of the water soluable nutrients in canned vegetables. Serve it along with the vegetables or use it in gravy or soup, suggests Thelma Wirges, Wichita County Home Demonstration Agent.

Usually, drained solids make up about two-thirds of the total content of a can. Soon after canning, water-soluable nutrients distribute themselves evenly throughout the solids and liquid. The solids therefore contain about two-thirds of the soluable nutrients and the other third are in the liquid.

Vitamin C and the B vitamins are water soluable. The body needs them to regulate its processes.

Farmer-Stockman New Home Editor

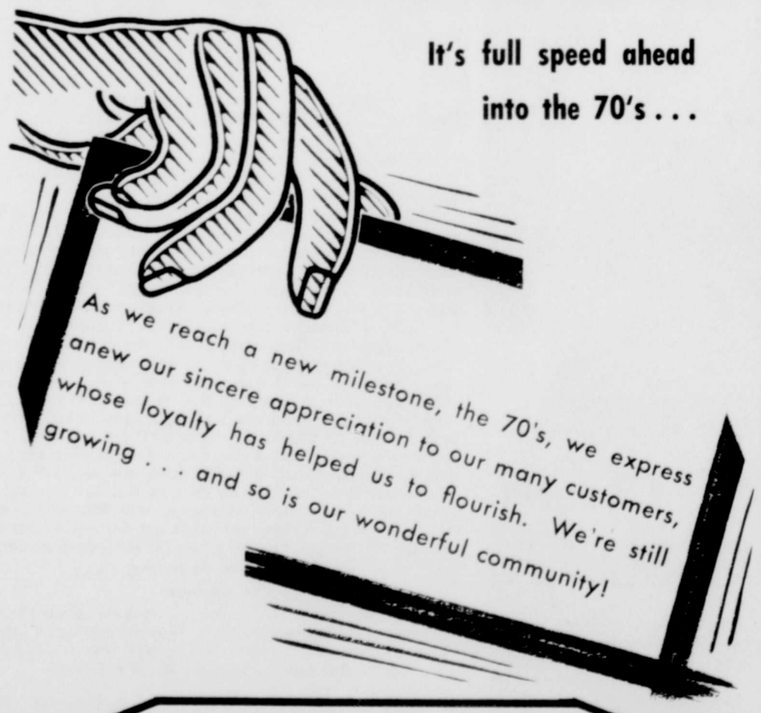
OKLAHOMA CITY - Joyce Adams, of Muleshoe, Texas, has been appointed home editor of The Farmer-Stockman, leading farm magazine in Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico. The monthly magazine is published in three editions, with a combined circulation of more than 400,000.

According to the announcement made by Ferdie J. Deering, editor and manager, Miss Adams will succeed Katharine Randall, who is retiring after holding the position for more than 24 years. Miss Randall, well known among homemakers and farm women's organizations throughout the four-state area, is Mrs. O. W. Rush in private life.

Miss Adams is a former 4-H club member, outstanding student, graduate of Texas Christian University, and teacher of high school English and journalism at Bovina, Texas.



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The fine spirit of understanding, the cooperation and patience shown by our customers during last week's ice storm was an inspiration to all of us at Texas Electric Service Company.

It made the job easier for everyone, especially those line crews and others working under difficult conditions around the clock to restore service.

We know the inconvenience caused by service interruptions, and we shared fully your interest in getting service restored as quickly as possible. We brought in all available crews and additional equipment from other parts of our system and from neighboring companies to help.

We are especially appreciative to those folks who offered to help in any way they could and to those who in some instances served our men hot coffee and gave them words of encouragement when they were needed.

Thank you again for your help; understanding and for your patience

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W. A. Hotchkiss
Division Manager



SQUADRON IS ADOPTED - Officials shown at the official adopting ceremony of the 3782nd Instructor Squadron at Sheppard Air Force Base by C. O. Morgan Lincoln Mercury Inc. are Col. Floyd Taylor, USAF retired, originator of the Squadron Adoption Program; Capt. Bennett Hoisington, squadron commander; C. O. Morgan, owner of the sponsoring company; and CMSgt. William Coles, squadron first sergeant. The squadron adoption luncheon was held at the Wichita Falls Country Club December 16.
(OFFICIAL USAF PHOTO)

Fifteen Civilians Honored For Long Service At SAFB

SHEPPARD AFB, TEX. - - - Fifteen civilian employees at Sheppard Air Force Base reached the 10 and 20-year length of service marks during December.

Silver service pins and certificates signed by Maj. Gen. Jerry D. Page, commander of Sheppard Technical Training Center, were awarded to those employees completing 20 years of government service. Those finishing 10 years received bronze service pins and certificates signed by Col. Harold F. Layhee, STTC vice commander.

Recipients of the silver pins were Thomas C. Burnam Jr., 3750th Civil Engineering Group; Jack W. Whitaker, 3750th Maintenance and Supply Group; Elgin T. Pressler, Charles L. Capron, Bobby R. Arrington and Roy L. Sorrell of 3750th Technical School.

Bronze service pins went to Ferne R. Brown, Sheppard Technical Training Center; Barbara K. Plemons and Lorraine M. Jensen of USAF Regional Hospital Sheppard; Billy R. Magee and Shirley A. Moser, 3750th Air Base Group; Plase A. Bennett and Grady P. Carpenter, 3750th Civil Engineering Group; and Sonia R. Moats and Barbara T. Turner, 3750th Maintenance and Supply Group.



FOR SAFETY EFFORTS --- Patrolman Ralph Briscoe, District 5 Safety Officer with the Texas Department of Public Safety, receives a plaque in appreciation for his contributions to Sheppard AFB's "Holidays From Danger" vehicle safety program, from Col. Harold F. Layhee, vice commander of Sheppard Technical Training Center. Patrolman Briscoe presented 23 traffic safety lectures to both military and civilian personnel of the base. He is also responsible for several other safety programs at Sheppard.
(OFFICIAL USAF PHOTO BY SSGT OWEN EVANS)

Up, Away Up And

BY EDDIE LAXSON

Last week's column was about Jimmie Green and his flying machine that cracked up on an auxiliary field near Sheppard AFB, and was rebuilt on a back porch in Burkburnett.

This little Culver Cadet plane was accident prone as you will surmise before this column is finished.

The engine was overhauled in the Wichita Falls Municipal shop and installed in the rebuilt wooden plane. The plane was relicensed.

Two and one half years later I was working on a Navy program at Kerrville, Texas. One morning about 8:00 a long distance call revealed a plane had cracked up in a wheat field some 60 miles north and needed to be hauled in.

The boss sent a truck and crew. I was not one of the crew, and was surprised to see the Culver Cadet with Jimmie arrive on the truck.

He had left Kansas or some port north and was flying south into a headwind when the engine started sputtering as if getting very low on gas. Jimmie picked a wheat field to set the plane in, and it was a muddy one, following two rains.

More advice to old and young pilots who have never experienced forced landings in planes with retractable gear. Always make the landing with gear up if a solid strip is not available. After rains select gravel roads, paved roads or leave the gear up. A belly-landing in soft fields can do but little damage. Also, if the landing field is very short leave the gear up. This advice comes from one who knows by experience, and that is one of the best teachers, even if not the cheapest.

Now, back to the Culber Cadet and the second crackup in two years or two and one-half years.

The wheels bogged down in the soft field and the plane nosed over on its back. Jimmie was pinned inside as the two doors help form the top of the cockpit and could not be opened until some help came and righted the plane.

It had to be rebuilt in Kerrville's shops. I drew the job. Six months later it was ready to go again.

Two women had worked so hard putting a hand rubbed finish on the entire plane after the repairs. One was offered a ride on the test hop.

Before turning the plane over to the company's test pilot, I taxied the plane out for its final runup and cockpit check.

When the throttle was opened to maximum position the engine sputtered as Jimmie described its action before he landed in the wheat field.

Mechanics take notice. I checked the flow of gas to the carburetor and found ample supply. I checked valve timing and found all correct, checked the magnetos on a bench tester and they were 100% OK. Checked valve spring tensions and they were OK. All mechanical checks were made. All operational checks were OK until the rpms reached 2,000 then the sputtering started. The carburetor was removed, and it had been previously assumed that since the plane had flown two and one half years the jets were the correct size. This assumption was correct. The carburetor was correct in every respect except something you mechanics will never believe.

When the engine was rebuilt it required a new carburetor and one was secured from the stock room. The carburetor was directly under a bin of aircraft nuts, size 5/8 inch.

When the carburetor was installed, one of these nuts was below the butterfly valve and was not noticed.

After striking the walls of the ventura the corners of the nut wore down until it was almost round and became small enough to restrict the flow of gas from the main opening located in the smallest diameter section of the venturi. I removed the nut, installed the carburetor and the sputtering stopped at any speed of the engine.

I pronounced the plane ready to fly and you'll have to wait until next week to find out more about the jinx.

SHEPPARD AIR FORCE BASE NEWS



CHECKING THE FIT - Amn. Wallace W. Wilson checks the fit of a girls Club T-shirt for Gina Selby during a party at the Southside Girls Club in Wichita Falls Thursday. aAirman Wilson, along with other members of the 3778th Student Squadron at Sheppard AFB, presented some 150 young ladies of the club with T-shirts and bags of candy.
(OFFICIAL USAF PHOTO BY A1C TOM WEIGAND)

Eighteen Retire As Old Year Ends

SHEPPARD AFB, TEX. - - - Three officers and 15 noncommissioned officers retired from military service at Sheppard Air Force Base December 31 completing careers of at least 20 years of active duty.

The three officers are Lieutenant Colonels Walter H. Plummer Jr., of 3750th Technical School; William J. Schulmeister of 3750th Maintenance and Supply Group; and Maj. Herman L. Mullins of the Medical Service School. Colonel Plummer, chief of Tactical Systems Section Training and Plans Branch of the Technical School, is to retire in Wichita Falls following 28 years of military service. Colonel Schulmeister, chief of Quality Control Branch of the Consolidated Maintenance Squadron, completes 27 years of service. He will live in Fort Myers, Fla. Both were promoted to lieutenant colonels on their retirements. Major Mullins, completing 23 years of service, will reside in Richmond, Va. He was a course supervisor in Health Services Administration.

SMSgt. Frank N. Rogers, pavement/airfield superintendent with 3750th Civil Engineering Group and MSgt. William F. Kuchinsky, recreation specialist with 3750th Air Base Group both complete 26 years of service. Sergeant Rogers will establish residence in Oklahoma City, Okla, and Sergeant Kuchinsky, in Wichita Falls, Tex.

MSgt. Hershel D. Powell Jr., noncommissioned officer in charge (NCOIC) of the plumbing shop, Civil Engineering Group, is retiring after 25 years of service and will live in Kinston, Alabama.

MSgt. Alton N. Longshore, communications and relay center equipment maintenance supervisor, with the Maintenance and Supply Group and TSgt. Harold P. Osborn, military training instructor with the Technical School, both complete 22 years of service. Sergeant Longshore will live in Shreveport, La., and Sergeant Osborn in Wichita Falls.

Four sergeants from the Technical School will complete 21 years of service. SMSgt. Ralph W. Schufft, block supervisor in aircraft maintenance course, will reside in Eldridge, Missouri, MSgt. Lucien G. White, instructor-supervisor, will reside in Bastrop, Louisianna, MSgt. Guy P. Merchant, instructor-supervisor, will reside in Glen St. Mary, Florida.

The other six sergeants have completed 20 years of service. They are SMSgt. Bobbie L. Steele, supervisor of the Inside Plant Maintenance course, Technical School; TSgt. Roy Spivey, refrigeration and air conditioning specialist, Civil Engineering Group; MSgt. Gerald D. Tomblin, NCOIC special cycle inventory unit, Maintenance and Supply Group; TSgt. Daniel G. Snyder, assistant chief of military pay, Sheppard Technical Training Center; SSgt. David A. Schnitzer, supply services specialist, Air Base Group; and Sgt. William S. Larkin, materiel facilities specialist, Maintenance and Supply Group.

Sergeant Steele is to reside in Hppy, Kentucky; Sergeant Spivey, in Burleson, Texas; Sergeant Tomblin, in Hulbert, Oklahoma; Sergeant Snyder in Amarillo, Texas; Sergeant Schnitzer, in Albuquerque, N. M.; and Sergeant Larkin in Fiarborn, Ohio.

Retiring from Sheppard's Field Training Detachments are Maj. Dennie E. Staggs, CMSgt. Edward P. Forbus, Master Sergeants Eloy B. Candelaria, George T. Hernandez, Milton C. Kelly, John B. Meadows, Frank W. Shepard, and William E. Watkins; and TSgt. Floyd H. Huffman and TSgt. Clifford E. Pollock.



INSTRUCTOR OF THE MONTH - MSgt. Billy R. Noland, right, receives a certificate and pen and pencil set from Col. George S. Arbuthnot, commander of 3750th Technical School at Sheppard AFB, for being selected Instructor of the Month.
(OFFICIAL USAF PHOTO BY A1C TOM WEIGAND)

Former Sheppard C.O.,s Nominated For B.G.

SHEPPARD AFB, TEX. - - - Two former group commanders at Sheppard AFB were nominated Wednesday to the United States Senate by President Nixon for promotion to the rank of brigadier general.

They are Col. Geoffrey P. Wiedeman, first commander of the Medical Service School after its move to Sheppard AFB from Gunter AFB, Ala., and Col. Frank L. Gailer Jr., first commander of the 3630th Flying Training Wing after its organization at Sheppard. The wing conducts flying training in both fixed wing and rotary wing aircraft.

Colonel Wiedeman is now command surgeon at Headquarters Air Training Command. Colonel Gailer is commander of the 48th Tactical Fighter Wing of the United States Air Forces in Europe.



JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

January 1, 1913—The U.S. Parcel Post System started operation.

January 4, 1493—Columbus sailed for Spain on his return voyage from the new world.

January 8, 1918—President Woodrow Wilson delivered his historical 14-point speech for peace.

January 14, 1873—"Celluloid" was registered as a trade name.

January 16, 1883—The Civil Service Act was passed by Senate and House.

January 20, 1820—Indiana University was founded at Bloomington.

Medical Officers To Be Promoted

SHEPPARD AFB, TEX. - - - Sixteen officers in the Medical Corps at Sheppard Air Force Base were notified Wednesday of their selection for temporary promotion.

The two selected for promotion to colonel were Lieutenant Colonels Donald J. LaPorte of the Medical Service School and Verne L. McClellan of the United States Air Force Regional Hospital.

All of the others are assigned to the Hospital. They include Maj. Bradwell R. McAlister who was selected for promotion to lieutenant colonel; and Captains Gene G. Abel, Denis S. Atkinson, John L. Beauchamp Jr., Michael L. Gruber, Eugene A. Hill, Steven L. Jaffe, Don A. Lee, George A. Martin, Berry L. McCord, Arthur S. Pawgan, Roland S. Philip, Gerald E. Vanderpool and Richard E. Wendt, who have been selected for promotion to major.

Captain Beauchamp's promotion is to become effective in March 1970, Captains Philip and Wendt in July and all of the others in June.

Southside Club Squadron Hosts

Members of the 3778th Student Squadron at Sheppard Air Force Base entertained approximately 150 girls at the South Side Girls Club Thursday afternoon.

The Squadron presented the young ladies with Girls' Club T-shirts and bags of candy.

Second Lieutenant Billy R. Haskins, squadron commander, was a charge of arrangements for the party.

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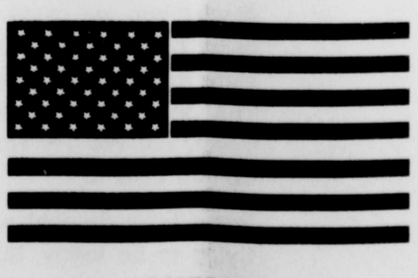
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ROUND THE TOWN

BY SYLVIA LOHOEFENER

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Higgins of Denver, Colo., visited last week here with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Roe and family. Bill Roe also visited his family, the Thos. Roe's, thru the holidays. He is a student at Hardin Simmons University in Abilene.

Mrs. Edna Brandau, an instructor in the Fort Worth schools, spent a few days during the holidays here with her brothers, Wilbur and Walter Prechel.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Prechel visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Johnson and their three little daughters in Garland, Texas, over Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor G. Davis of Monahans visited Mrs. Davis' sister, Mrs. Joy Sessums and brother, Waldo Huddleston, a few days during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Weaver spent Christmas Day until Saturday in Amarillo visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCoy.

Among the visitors in the home of Mrs. Ralph White during the holidays were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roy Winkles of Mustang, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Winkles and son of Midland; David Winkles of Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. Roy McClung of Seymour; Mr. and Mrs. Charles White and daughters of Abilene; Miss Margaret Mathews of San Antonio; and Mrs. Daisy Meyers and daughter of Dallas.

Rev. and Mrs. Don Youngblood and son, Ken, and Mark McLean, visited last week in Meadville, Miss. The Youngbloods visited both of their mothers, and attended a family reunion of the Youngblood family. Ken and Mark spent most of their time hunting on the Youngblood farm. Rev. Youngblood is the pastor of the United Methodist Church of this city.

Mrs. Anna Mae Bartlett of San Antonio arrived Saturday to visit her sister-in-law and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McClarty. They all left Sunday to visit Mrs. McClarty's sister, Mrs. Bill Wheat, in Quanah for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lundberg spent Christmas with their son, Major and Mrs. Bill Lundberg and family in Wichita, Kansas. Their grandsons, Will and Scott returned to Burk for this week with their grandparents. Ping and Jo will meet the boys' parents in Oklahoma City Saturday so they will be home in time for school.

Among the holiday guests in the Lester Coats home were: their children, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Thomas and family and grandchildren from Abilene. Mrs. E. E. Samsill and family of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weaver of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coats and daughter of Ft. Worth. The Lester Coats' have six grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ramsa visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cooley, in San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stevens and daughter Jennifer of Eastland, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. David Hooper of Lawton visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Roark, here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Mullins observed their 65th wedding anniversary on Sunday of last week in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Mullins west of the city with a big Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Mullins were married in Alvord, Texas, and have been in the Burkburnett area 45 years. They have one daughter, Mrs. Robert Germany of Skelleytown, Texas; four sons Nelson of Tucson, Ariz., C. W. Mullins of Midland, and Eldon and Harlan of this city; also 14 grandchildren and 25 great grandchildren. They are faithful members of the Central Baptist Church.

Those sharing the joyous occasion with the couple, besides the host and hostess, were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hooper and baby Paul of Junction City in Kansas, and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Mullins, Connie and Nada of this city.

Mrs. J. H. Rigby had her family at home to spend last Sunday with her. They were: Mr. and Mrs. John H. Rigby and three sons of Dallas, and their daughter, Mrs. Robert Raiph of San Antonio, LaVerne and Naomi and daughter Phyllis Rigby of Wichita Falls.

News of interest to many Burk friends of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris of Ft. Worth is the recent marriage of their son Tim Morris to Miss Loretta Johnson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Johnson of Houston, on December 27th.

The marriage rites were read by Rev. Leroy Meyer, at the Park Memorial Baptist Church in Houston. The reception following the wedding was held in the Fellowship Hall of the Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris resided in Burkburnett many years before Walter was transferred to Ft. Worth. Rev. Leroy Meyer is a former pastor of the First Baptist Church in the city.

Clinton Morris of Burk, an uncle of the groom was among the guests attending the wedding.

George and Mildred Counter left Burk December 18th for a holiday trip. They spent Christmas and several days with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wayne Counter and family in Portland, Texas. They visited several scenic spots in the Valley including Harlingen, McAllen and Laredo and stopped a few days in Dallas, while enroute home and visited Mildred's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Siegley. They report a wonderful trip, returning home Monday, December 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pogue and Norman spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. (Jeanie) Garland and family of Bryan, Texas. Enroute home they visited Mrs. Pogue's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dodd, in Fort Worth and on Christmas Day, 45 relatives gathered at the Dodd home for dinner and visit. The Pogues returned home Saturday.

Doyle Cobble, a student at Bethany Nazarene College in Bethany, Okla. spent Christmas here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cobble and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fain Kaspar and family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kaspar and family of Ft. Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Leimer of Borger all spent several days here during the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kaspar of the Clara community. Mrs. Leimer's mother returned home with them for a longer visit.

Miss Judy Brister of Austin visited here Christmas week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brister. They all went to Walters on Saturday and had Christmas dinner with Mrs. Brister's father, Mr. G. C. Beaver. Several of his children were also there.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wileman of Randlett spent three or four days in Burk last week with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brister as the Wilemans did not have lights or water due to the ice and snow storm.

Ricky Clemmer, a student at Texas Tech in Lubbock spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clemmer. They all had Christmas dinner with Mr. Clemmer's mother, Mrs. Alice Clemmer in Walters, Okla.

Mr. Bert Sessums, Mrs. Dixie Shumate, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lloyd Huddleston all of Oklahoma City and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Williams and son Buddy of Lawton visited Mrs. Joy Sessums and brother, Waldo Huddleston of this city. They all were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lemley, 703 Tidal St. in this city for Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. John V. Lilley and daughters, Martha and Kathaleen, of Oklahoma City visited Mrs. Lilley's mother, Mrs. M. B. Hayes during Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Sutton of Denton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Skipwith here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mills had their children all home during the holidays. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Horace Mills and Beth of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anthony, Dick and Sarah Jane, and Earl Mills of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Don Mills of this city and their little granddaughter Lynn Simpson of Oklahoma City.

Mrs. C. F. Johnson and Ethlyn of Burk, spent several days during the holiday season with their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Johnson and family in Portland, Texas.

Mr. Sam Shrum, who became ill Christmas Day while he and Mrs. Shrum were visiting their daughter and family in Corpus Christi, and who is in the Sphon Hospital in that city, has been moved in the Intensive Care Ward and is reported to be in a very serious condition.

Norman Duke of Lubbock spent a couple of days in Burk last week. He came to attend the funeral services of his close friend from kindergarden days, G. D. Scruggs.

Floyd Ray Skipwith, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Skipwith in this city, who has been with the Texas Company for 32 years and has worked in several states of the U. S., has received a transfer to the Texas Company head office in New York City. He has been placed in charge of overseas production for the Texas Company in a number of foreign countries. His assignment to this important high office in the foreign branch of this company represents a distinct promotion and recognition of his ability in his chosen field.

Floyd will be remembered here by many friends. He graduated from the Burk school system and received his college degree in Abilene. He has a wife, one son and two daughters.

Mr. Albrack, a former resident of Burkburnett, passed away January 2, in an El Paso hospital. His sister, Mrs. Johnnie Ponder, and her husband and family of this city attended the funeral.

He was a cousin of Juanita Groves of Houston and Wanda Davis of Burk. Mr. Albrack was a retired ex-service man. He leaves a wife and two daughters of El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Hall Jr. of Dallas visited here last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Hall Sr.

The Roy F. Wilsons of this city are having quite a string of misfortunes. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wilson are ill in Wichita General Hospital and both were scheduled for major surgery Tuesday morning. Roy is in Room 335 and Mrs. Wilson in room 494.

Miss Juanita Groves of Houston spent the holidays here visiting her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Hennis and her sister Wanda Davis and family. Miss Groves left by plane for home Sunday.

Neal Hall received word this week of the serious illness of his brother Clyde Hall of Abilene, who is in the Hendricks Memorial Hospital receiving care and treatment.

Mr. J. C. Gay visited his sister Mrs. Charlie L. Warden in Alex, Oklahoma from Thursday until Saturday last week. His brother-in-law Mr. Warden, 84, was buried Thursday but Mr. Gay did not arrive in time for the services.



A PROUD BACK-YARD FARMER poses with the results of lots of tender loving care and a wee bit of fertilizer. Randy Gann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gann, 17 Doyle Addition, grew this ten pound turnip all by himself.

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One of the first persons an expectant mother should tell her good news to is her physician.

Every woman who suspects that she may be pregnant should visit a doctor promptly to obtain the benefits of modern medical guidance, says the Texas States Department of Health.

The need for medical care throughout pregnancy and following birth cannot be overemphasized for healthy babies, and mother's health and peace of mind.

In what ways does a doctor help the expectant mother during pregnancy? The doctor gives an expectant mother a careful physical examination to determine her general condition. He answers questions she may have about pregnancy and birth.

The mother-to-be is given instructions on diet, exercise, rest, bathing and clothing. Usually there need be little-if-any-change at this time in her customary daily activities. Any fears she may have can be talked over and explained.

During the first six months she visits the doctor about once a month. This enables him to keep check on her general condition, blood pressure, pulse and weight, as well as to make appropriate laboratory tests.

The doctor also treats possible discomforts such as constipation or morning sickness. He tells her what to watch for and answers any questions that may be puzzling her. The doctor is trained and willing to talk over any emotional problems or worries that may arise.

About halfway through pregnancy, the doctor is able to hear the unborn baby's heartbeat and follow his growth and progress. In the final month the doctor will see the expectant mother about once a week.

He tells her how to prepare for the baby's birth and her stay at the hospital. A preview visit to the hospital is a good idea so that when the time comes she will know where to go and what to do to be admitted. The doctor makes the hospital arrangements so that everything will be ready when she arrives.

With early and continuous medical care and advice, the big day should be as rewarding as anticipated for mother, father and baby.

Tax Man Sam Sez

The good tax folks are concerned over the anxiety expressed by some tax-payers, that the new red, white and blue tax form makes life harder for the little 1040A card form user. As most of you know, Internal Revenue punched the 1040A card plum out of existence this year and gave taxpayers more space and a better arrangement on an improved form 1040, to claim all of their deductions and credits.

A check by IRS showed that there were just too many cases of little taxpayers cheating themselves by filing a little card form instead of using one page of the form 1040. For more years than we like to remember we have been advising you to read those instructions and save yourself some money. This year you don't have any choice---you'll have to read the instructions, but you'll still find that it's beneficial, just as we told you it was about 10 years ago.

Service Project Adopted By CWF

Mrs. Alice Dzuibanek will be program leader and Mrs. John Rogers worship leader in the meeting of the Christian Womens Fellowship in the home of Mrs. Fern Bloodworth Tuesday, January 13, at 7:30 PM.

The service project for the month is doing things for Inman Center which is a mission center in San Antonio in the midst of a Latin-American area. One of the major needs is books for children. Each member is requested to bring a Golden Book, or other childrens books or a donation for same.

Calendar Of Events

January 10 - 7:30 PM C of C Banquet, High School Cafetorium.

January 12 - 7:30 PM Monthly Neighborhood Meeting, Burk Community Service Center.

January 13 - 12:05 Burk Rotary, Town Hall.

January 13 - 7:00 PM Burk Lions Club, Town Hall.

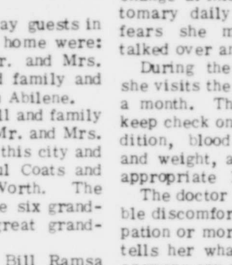
January 13 - 7:30 PM CWF of First Christian Church.

January 14 - 12:05 Boomtown Lions Club, Town Hall.

This is another community service of

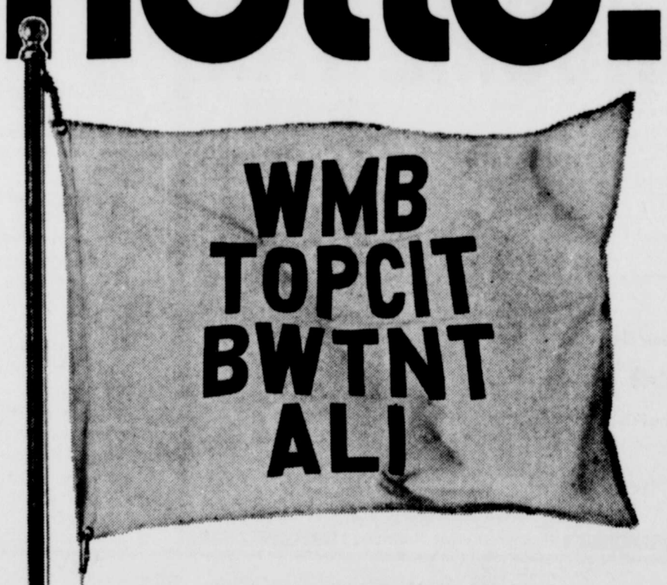
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11:00 a.m. - Song, Preaching Service
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5:30 p.m. - Young Peoples Services and Teachers Meeting.
6:00 p.m. - Night Preachingg Services
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting.

First Baptist Church

DEVOL, OKLAHOMA
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
7:00 p.m. - Training Union
8:00 p.m. - Evening Worship
TUESDAY
4:00 p.m. - Junior G.A., Intermediate and Sunbeams at Church
WEDNESDAY
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11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. - Training Union
6:30 p.m. - Training Union
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
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6:00 p.m. - Worship
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10:00 a.m. - Ladies' Bible Class
7:30 p.m. - Bible Study

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SUNDAY - 11:30 a.m.

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Lamoin Champ, Pastor
Charles Hardage
Minister of Music and Youth
SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. - Sunday School
10:40 a.m. - Morning Worship
5:30 p.m. - Training Union
6:30 p.m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Meeting
8:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

Cashion Baptist Church

Wichita Highway
Rev. Henry Ditmore, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship
TUESDAY
9:30 a.m. - WMU
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. - Hour of Prayer

Janlee Baptist Church

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FRIDAY
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Meeting

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WEDNESDAY
6:00 p.m. - Holy Communion

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R. B. Fitzgerald, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
6:15 p.m. - Young Peoples Service
6:15 p.m. - Junior Society
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. - Prayer Service

Assembly Of God Church

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Rev. J. W. Hocker, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
7:15 p.m. - Evening Worship
TUESDAY
2:00 p.m. - Women's Missionary Council
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Meeting

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WEDNESDAY
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5:00 p.m. - Walther League Meeting

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7:30 p.m. - Bible Study

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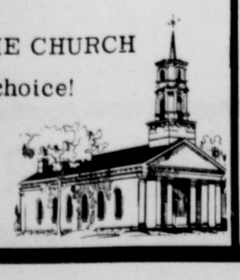
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6:45 - 7:30 p.m. - Weekly Church Visitation Program
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LOST -- FOUND

FOUND - New brown billfold in plastic case. Call 569-1377. 18-NC

LOST in Burkburnett Sunday, Dec. 28 - 17 jewel pocket watch on key chain. Has a lot of sentimental value for 11 year old boy. If found please call 592-5687 collect or return to Bobby Casburn at 119 Westview in Iowa Park after 5 PM for reward. 18-2tC

FOUND - Female Chihuahua. Call Sarah Zimmerman, 569-1576, after 8 PM. 700-A Ave. F. 18-NC

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VA Information

EDITOR'S NOTE: Veterans and their families are asking thousands of questions concerning the benefits their Government provides for them through the Verterans Administration. Below are some representative queries. Additional information may be obtained at any VA office.

Q -- The company retirement benefits I receive each month from my former employer are to be increased. If this increase makes me ineligible to receive my veterans pension, may I refuse to accept the increase in order to remain on VA pension rolls?

A -- No. Your refusal to accept the monthly increase on your retirement from your former employer would constitute an unauthorized waiver. However, the law provides that 10 per cent of all returement income is not counted as income for VA pension purposes.

Q -- How long will the VA pay training assistance allowance to a veteran who is in a four-year apprenticeship program?

A -- Training assistance allowance will be paid for 36 months, or to the expiration of the veteran's entitlement. The amount of the allowance is reduced at the end of the first three six-month periods.

Q -- I am a serviceman enrolled in a half-time course in a nearby school. Will the VA pay the full cost of tuition?

The amount you receive through the VA may not cover the complete cost of your schooling. You will be paid either the cost of the course, or at the rate of $60 a month for a half-time course, whichever is less.

Q -- I was released from the Army six months ago. Can I get dental care through the VA?

A -- A veteran has one year from the date of his release from active duty to apply for dental care from the VA. If he applies within the first six months, it is presumed that his dental condition is service-connected.

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VA's budget service cooperated with Treasury and Post Office Department officials recently in speeding VA checks to beneficiaries in the Hurricane Camille disaster areas of Mississippi and Louisiana.

LOST ! ! !

Six cows (1 black with white face & 5 Herefords). Have U-shaped cut out of top of right ear and bottom of left. FC brand on left hip with a number under FC. Numbers are 1,10,28,61,63 & 98. Should be in area of Red River.

Fred Hamill, Sr.
Pho 479-5679 Grandfield, Okla.
18-2tP

Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the food, cards, visits, prayers, the beautiful service, floral offerings and every act of kindness, we are deeply grateful. Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered.

Mrs. J. T. Brady
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Mrs. Margaret Steimel
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I wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the visits, beautiful cards, phone calls and other kindnesses shown us during my stay in the hospital and since my return home. A special thanks is extended to Dr. Carpenter for his kind and faithful service. The visits and prayers by Rev. Champ were also greatly appreciated. For all the thoughtfulness shown us, we shall always be grateful.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wood
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With deepest gratitude I extend this word of thanks for the thoughtfulness shown me during my stay in the hospital. Your cards, visits and prayers will always be remembered.

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Words can't express the "Thanks in my heart" to the Wesley Bible Class of the Methodist Church and friends and neighbors for the nice Thanksgiving and Christmas for me and my dear old bed-fast mother. Good Old Burk, my home town for 50 years, has so many good, thoughtful and wonderful people who are ready and willing to lend a helping hand to the lonely and shut-ins. I pray the dear Lord will bless each in a very special way.

Loretta (Rita) Paris
18-1tP

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Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the food, beautiful service, floral offerings and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful. A special thanks is extended to Pastor Otten for his words of comfort and other kindnesses, to Trudy Kinder, organist, and Doug Eastman, soloist. Your sympathy and thoughtfulness will always be remembered.

The brothers & sisters of Belvin Mills:

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1040 U.S. Individual... Taxpayers Ask IRS

(This column of questions and answers on federal tax matters is provided by the local office of the U. S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.)

Q - When will the new income tax forms to be ready and are you going to mail them to taxpayers as you have in the past?

A - The new 1040 tax forms and instructions for 1969 are being mailed to some 75 million taxpayers the last week in December. The forms will also be available at local IRS offices as well as many banks and post offices in January.

All taxpayers will use the new basic one-page Form 1040, adding schedules as needed to accurately report their income and expense situation. It is estimated that over 30 million taxpayers will need just the one-page Form 1040, while another 22 million will have to prepare only one schedule.

To make it more convenient for taxpayers to prepare their 1969 returns, copies of the most used schedules have been included in the tax package. Taxpayers should use only those they need.

Q - In a divorce, who gets to claim the children as dependents?

A - Generally, the parent who has custody of the child is entitled to claim the exemption. The other parent may be entitled to the exemption depending on the wording of the divorce decree and on how much he or she contributes to the child's support.

These rules apply in situations where the divorced or separated parents together provide more than half the child's support and have custody for more than half the year. For more details, send a post card to your IRS district director and ask for Publication 501, Your Exemptions and Exemptions for Dependents. It's free.

Q - If I file my 1969 return by the end of January, can I forget about the fourth installment of my estimated tax?

A - You do not need to make a January 15 estimated payment if you file your 1969 return by February 2 (January 31 is a Saturday), and pay any balance due at that time. But don't forget that 1970 declarations must be filed by April 15.

Q - I have to pay Social Security tax for a cleaning woman I hired this Fall. What is the deadline?

A - The next quarterly return on Form 942 and payment is due February 2 for the calendar quarter ending December 31, 1969, if you paid her $50 or more in wages during the quarter.

Also due by February 2 is a statement to her covering the total amount of wages paid and Social Security taxes withheld during 1969.

This statement should show your name and address as employer, her name, address and Social Security number, the total amount of wages paid, the total amount withheld for Social Security tax. The statement should also indicate that the employee's tax of 4.8 percent includes .6 percent to finance the cost of Hospital Insurance Benefits and 4.2 percent for old-age, survivors and disability insurance.

For your convenience, IRS has a form you can use to provide this information to household employees. Copies may be obtained by sending a post card to your District Director and asking for Form SS-14.

Q - When should I be getting my W-2 statement?

A - The law requires employers to issue withholding statements by January 31 (February 2 this year because the 31st is on a Saturday). Most companies try to issue them as soon as possible after January 1 so their employees may file tax returns early.

Q - Is the new Farmer's Tax Guide ready yet?

A - Yes, contact your local IRS office or county extension agent for a free copy.

Q - I was given some shares of stock this year as a gift. Will I have to pay tax on their value?

A - The person who receives a gift does not have to pay any Federal income tax on the value of the gift. Any income you earn on the gift, such as dividends on stock for instance, should be reported by you for income tax purposes.

The giver of a gift may have to file a Federal gift tax return depending on the value of the stock. This rule generally applies when a person makes gifts of more than $3,000 to any one person during a year.

Rh Vaccine Not Going To Women Who Need It

If the woman has become sensitized by a previous pregnancy or transfusion, the vaccine cannot alter the condition. Scientific techniques, such as exchange trasfusions at birth and intrauterine transfusions, offer great hope in these instances.

But if the Rh negative woman is given the vaccine within 72 hours of delivery of each Rh positive child, she does not produce antibodies which might damage the next child.

Problems in pregnancy occur only when a woman with Rh negative blood gives birth to a baby with Rh positive blood inherited from the father. If the mother becomes sensitized to the baby's blood during delivery, she may produce antibodies which attack the tissues of subsequent Rh positive babies. Usually there are no harmful effects to the baby in a first pregnancy.

Local chapters of the March of Dimes are working closely with public health departments and medical societies to help develop programs that meet local needs.

Projects include distribution of educational materials on Rh incompatibility through marriage license bureaus, schools, pharmacies, clubs and organizations, and other points of contact with prospective parents, and sponsorship of professional education on Rh disease prevention for obstetricians, general practitioners, public health nurses and hospital staffs.

Where possible, chapter grants are being made to supplement public funds for the vaccine or to meet the cost of inoculation for mothers unable to afford it.

The Rh factor is a substance found on the surface of red blood cells. People with this factor are Rh positive and those without it are Rh negative. Both types are equally healthy and there is no cause for concern until an Rh negative woman becomes pregnant or needs a transfusion.

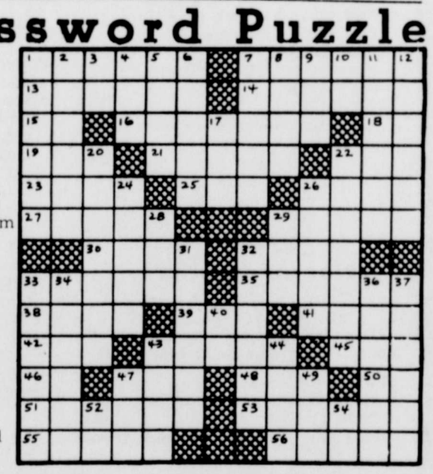
The news should be disturbing because the Rh immune globulin, licensed in April 1968 and popularly called Rh vaccine, can prevent death or permanent damage for tens of thousands of unborn and newborn babies each year in our country.

It comes as a shock to hear experts warn that about one out of every four women who needs the Rh vaccine to prevent possible blood disease in her children is not receiving it.

To increase public awareness of the seriousness of this problem, the March of Dimes has undertaken an intensive campaign for maximum use of the vaccine. Our mission is prevention of birth defects and it every woman who needs the vaccine gets it, Rh disease can be eliminated as a public health problem in a generation.



Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS
1. Candies
7. Totaling
13. Candle ingredient
14. Period of year
15. State: abbr.
16. Rapped
18. Molybdenum chem.
19. It is
21. Avarice
22. Male sheep
23. Seines
25. Boy's nickname
26. Transfer
27. Hominy —
29. Iron
30. House top
32. Actual
33. Conditional release
35. Complete
38. Old
39. Decay
41. Seth's son
42. Carmine
43. Deck
45. Obtained
46. Indium: chem.
47. Exist
48. Corded fabric
50. Pronoun
51. Habituate
53. Dasher
55. Greets
56. Booms

DOWN
1. Cord
2. Food server
3. Spanish "the"
4. Moose
5. Chinese society
6. Vowed
7. Inquired
8. Act
9. Parent
10. Subsists
11. Wanderers
12. Goblins
17. English letter
20. Agitated
22. Staggering
24. Was upright
26. Fruit box
28. The sun
29. Writing tool
31. Polecat
32. Make slow
33. Outcast
34. Things to be done
36. Lodger
37. Chemical compounds
40. Either
43. Bows
44. Time period
47. Be ill
49. For
52. Prefix: twice
54. Tantalum: chem.

Answer to Puzzle



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