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MORRIS WELL MAY BE BIGGEST IN POOL

Through the Editor's Spectacles
By GEORGE

Recognition of the Cisco college as an institution of the first class is now reality. Appropriately, perhaps, the announcement was as a very special Christmas present to the community and particularly Supt. R. N. Cluck, the members of the Cisco school and the faculty of the institution and to all those who have spent time and contributed to the fledgling institution. The criticisms which the examiner gave in his lengthy report were not, but their character indicates the close examination and attention to detail which he gave during his investigation. The college undoubtedly earned its recommended rating. It stood on a high bottom, so to speak, and received no credit which the opinion of the examiner was not justified. That is reassuring to every one who attends as well as a tribute to the planning and labor that went into the organization and equipment of the school.

Letters to Santa Claus

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl 2 months old. Please bring me a blue cap, a squeaky piggy and a rattle. Please remember my little cousins, Eolena and Dyanne Moad, and all the other little girls and boys.
Your friend,
Paula Claudette Sharp.

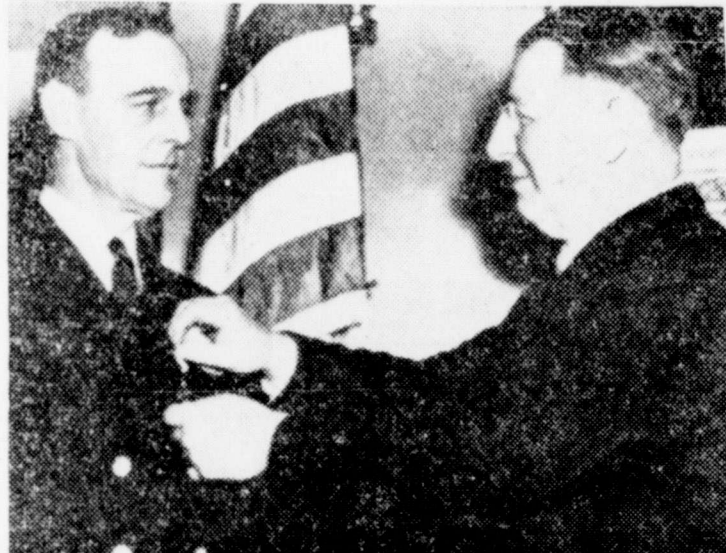
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl six years old. I have tried to be good, but my sister and I just have to fight a little bit. Please bring me a doll, a wagon, blackboard and dishes. My sister would like a doll, a car, books and games. We will try to be good next year. Bring us nuts and candy. And don't forget all the other little children.
Love,
LaDonna Lynn Skiles,
510 West 5th.

Dear Santa Claus:
My mother is teaching near Lubbock. Please bring her home for Christmas and tell her I want a doll and some candy.
Love,
Midget King.

Dear Santa Claus:
I'm a good boy when I'm asleep and not dreaming bad dreams. Would you bring me a set of Crazy Ikes and big red wagon? If you want to leave me anything else I'd appreciate it.
Love, Jimmie Dan Warren,
504 West Ninth, Cisco, Texas.

Dear St. Nick:
I haven't been the very best I could, but I'd surely like for you to bring me a wagon and a football. Don't forget to leave a load of nuts, candy and fruit, please.
Love, Harry Floyd Warren,
504 West Ninth, Cisco, Texas.

City of Flint Skipper Honored



Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox, right, pins the Navy cross on Capt. Joseph Gainard, commanding officer of the S. S. City of Flint for his heroic action when the ship was captured by a German pocket battleship in 1939. The award was made in Wash-

Christmas Is Theme Of Church Services

Cisco churches will observe Christmas in today's services at which time pageants, playlets, and white offerings will feature the worship period. Most of the churches are appropriately decorated for the season, and impressive and inspirational services will be held.

Stores Have Heavy Trade For Holiday

Santa Claus came to Cisco Saturday afternoon in more ways than one. The impersonation of the jolly, familiar patron saint of the Christmas season rode through the business district shortly after 2 o'clock to be greeted by one of the biggest crowds of grown-ups and children that Cisco has seen in years. Dressed in his customary furred costume and bearing over his big bush of whiskers, Santa sowed candy through the swarms of youngsters who followed his truck through Main street or stood massed on sidewalks to greet him, while a chorus of automobile horns and shouts followed his progress through the business district.

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Meanwhile, a more practical Santa was greeted by the merchants in the shape of crowds of customers, who thronged the stores. Ringing cash registers provided plenty of Christmas music of the sort that business delights to hear. Most of the merchants reported their biggest holiday sales in one day in years.

Draft Board Closes Office For Holidays

The office of the Eastland county selectee board for the current military training draft will be closed during the holidays, but those having business with the board may see the individual members, Leon McPherson, chief clerk, said Saturday. The office is at Eastland. Two members of the board, Chairman John W. Turner and J. H. Mitchell, live at Eastland. The third member, E. N. Howard, lives at Rising Star.

Nursery School Children Have Annual Party

The Cisco Nursery school held its annual Christmas party at the school Friday afternoon. The Yuletide theme was used in decorations throughout the house. One side of the large playroom was attractive with a nativity scene, a beautifully decorated Christmas tree, and a long table piled high with many gifts.

Leaves for School in Breckenridge

Miss Leila Latch expects to leave Monday for Breckenridge, where she will assume her duties as teacher in the high school on December 30. Miss Latch, who has taught in the Cisco grammar school for several years, will teach journalism, civics and American history at her new post.

Weather

West Texas—Fair Sunday, little change in temperature.
East Texas—Partly cloudy in the north portion, considerable cloudiness in south portion Sunday.

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College Affiliated; High School Gets Highest Rating

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Funeral Rites For Mrs. Mendenhall Saturday Morning

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Baptist YWA to Sing Xmas Carols

The YWA of the First Baptist church will meet at the church at 8:30 Monday evening to go caroling. Shut-ins will be visited. Every mother is urged to attend.

Presbyterians To Have Xmas Tree

At the Presbyterian church on Monday evening at 7 o'clock, a short program by the young members of the school will be given, after which will be the distribution of bags of candy and nuts, and presents for the younger children. The entire church is invited to be present.

Miss Edna Lou Prange of Texas Tech, Lubbock, is here to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Dorothy Prange.

Miss Myra Jean Tompkins of Texas Tech in Lubbock is the holiday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Tompkins.

Homes Opening to Orphans on Christmas



Gov. Lee O'Daniel's plan to have boys and girls of Texas orphan homes spend their Christmas in private homes with families is explained by Mrs. O'Daniel to the youngsters at the State Orphans' Home in Corsicana. As a result of the governor's appeal, more than 300 children have already been invited to private homes for Christmas week.

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PRESSURE IS HANDICAPPING COMPLETION

Blows Through One Bridge; Another Is Formed Saturday

Tremendous pressure in the R. C. Morris No. 1 of Gallagher and Lawson, newest and possibly the biggest producer in the new South Carbon pool was handicapping operators in cleaning out after a shot Wednesday. The well which blew tools up the hole Thursday while drilling out a seal over the shot and then bridged, later to blow out the bridge in a spectacular display early Saturday morning, bridged again Saturday afternoon when the master gate was opened about 3 o'clock.

More Pits Dug

At 2 o'clock Saturday morning the crew opened it to run in water when it started flowing through the bridge. It was closed in and Saturday additional pits to capture the oil were dug. It was opened again at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon when it bridged again.

CISCO JUNIOR COLLEGE GETS TOP LISTING

The Cisco Junior college last week was officially recognized as a first class institution. The state board of college examiners of Texas awarded it that rating after an exhaustive investigation by the chief examiner, Dr. E. H. Hereford, a copy of whose report has been received by Supt. of Schools R. N. Cluck.

All credits earned by students in the new college during the current semester and in subsequent semesters were thus assured of recognition in other colleges. Dr. Hereford made a lengthy report, in which he detailed the results of his investigation. The length of the report was due to the fact that the college is a new school, opened only this fall, and applying for affiliation for the first time. A number of suggestions for continuing the improvement and growth of the school were set out in Dr. Hereford's report, all of which will be adopted, Supt. Cluck said.

The high qualifications of teachers; the large enrollment, at which considerable surprise was expressed; the fact that the college has been housed in a separate plant; the laboratory and library equipment, and the unusually high character of the student body were among the conditions which Dr. Hereford praised.

The library has 4,050 volumes of which 480 are new, having been purchased at the beginning of the year. The system used by the college officials to check the library was approved.

The college was also complimented on its science department. "The authorities of the Cisco public school system and the citizenship of Cisco are to be congratulated upon the excellent progress made in opening an institution of higher learning in the city of Cisco," wrote Dr. Hereford. "It has taken long hours of work and planning, liberal donations and untiring effort to bring the school to its present status."

The faculty, he wrote, is well trained. The choice of departments (Continued on Page Six)



IS FOR YOU, AND IT'S YOU WE REMIND... THAT ALL BUT TWO DAYS ARE NOW LEFT BEHIND... SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

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National Steam Pressure Rises

THE fires of national effort having been
 fed for six months by the preparedness
 effort, steam pressure at last begins to rise
 in the national boiler.

The adjusted index of the Federal Reserve
 board now stands at 131 per cent of
 the 1935-39 average, an all-time peak.

Building permits in 215 cities reached
 the highest November figure in 10 years,
 Dun & Bradstreet report.

Retail sales of automobiles refuse to enter
 their usual mid-winter decline; demand
 holds up.

At the very least, 2,000,000 new jobs
 have been filled since last August. And not
 only in the defense industries—the boom in
 those has now begun to spread through other
 non-defense fields.

Christmas shopping is expected to be
 the best since the depression—perhaps to
 reach an all-time top.

THE machine is beginning to roll. It is
 like a great engine on a heavy freight
 train. When it tries to leave the station,
 there is first a lot of puffing, a lot of spinning

of the drive-wheels, and only a slow, stately
 roll forward. But speed increases gradually,
 faster and faster, and by the time the train
 leaves the yards it is getting up toward real
 speed.

The defense effort is a little like that. We
 are now, and will be, perhaps, until spring
 and early summer, in the stage where there
 is a great deal of puffing, and the train
 moves but slowly. Yet the year-end figures
 cited above show that she is beginning to
 pick up.

THAT is no time to stop stoking the fire-
 box. The United States must key itself
 for several years of unrelenting effort. The
 firemen must keep the fuel passing, and
 they must be well-nourished and work what-
 ever time is most effective. The engineers
 must keep their eyes unwaveringly on the
 road, day and night. The track must be
 kept free from obstructions, the bridges
 watched, signals carefully observed.

It is encouraging to see steam rise at
 last in the boilers, to feel the wheels move.
 But it's a long run ahead, and the orders
 read, "Faster, faster, faster!"

As long as the skiing season is all that
 gives this country the jumps, we're sitting
 pretty.

The lumber destroyed in a \$10,000 Mis-
 souri planing mill fire would make enough
 matches to light a real one.

Turkeys that really had cause for thanks
 on Thanksgiving probably will have all the
 merry taken out of their Christmas.

It would sort of even things up if we
 had to shovel either snow or coal in the sum-
 mer.

East Liverpool, O., couple's 2-year-old
 daughter fell down a 50-foot shaft and was
 but slightly injured. One of those bouncing
 baby girls.

Dr. Charles Gordon Heyd told a medical-
 dental session in New York that 99 per cent
 of neck ills were traceable to the mouth.
 Maybe he means necking ills.

Scientist says new drug may abolish
 habit of sleeping. We refuse, however, to
 substitute it for the baby.

It's time for dad to pick out a present for
 sonny that he'll enjoy himself.

NYA Helps Build Vocational Ag Shop Projects

AUSTIN, Dec. 21 (AP)—NYA youth
 employees have helped to
 construct 28 vocational agriculture
 shop buildings and ten home econo-
 mics cottages and are now
 building 13 agriculture shops in
 Texas. J. C. Kellam, state youth
 administrator, announced today
 under the sponsorship of local
 school systems Kellam pointed
 out.

Listed by town and county, the
 vocational agriculture shops al-
 ready completed by NYA youth

include the following: Smithville,
 Bastrop; Beeville, Bee; May,
 Brown; Evans, Coryell; Cuero, De-
 Witt; El Paso, El Paso; Teague,
 Freestone; Pearland, Frio; Goliad,
 Goliad; Isla (2) Grimes; Houston,
 Harris; Crockett (2), Houston,
 Fannett; Jefferson; Permott, Jim
 Wells; Buffalo, Leon; Bowie, Mon-
 tague; Corpus Christi, Nueces;
 Graded, Palo Pinto; Carthage and
 Cary, Panola; Norton, Runnels;
 Geneva, Sabine; Taft, San Patricio;
 Laven, Taylor; Floresville and
 Sutherland Springs, Wilson.

Other construction are agricul-
 ture shops at Potot, Atascosa;
 Beeville, Brewster; Henderson,
 Withnail; Hockley; George West;
 Morton, Lubbock; Corpus Christi,
 Ballinger, Runnels; Wylie, Taylor;
 Groveton (2), Trinity.

Home economics cottages com-
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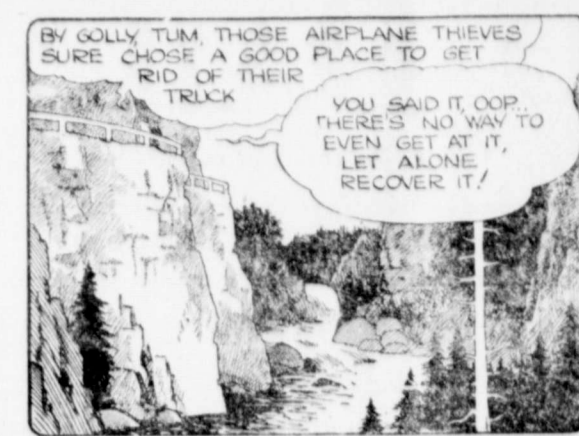
Payrolls in Texas Continue to Climb

AUSTIN, Dec. 21 (Sp)—While
 showing little change from Octo-
 ber's all-time peak, employment
 and payrolls in Texas industry
 continued during November their
 climb above 1939's trend, University
 of Texas business statisticians
 said today.

For the state as a whole, the
 number of workers employed in-
 creased 1.1 per cent over October,
 3.2 per cent over November a year
 ago. Weekly payrolls eased off
 .04 per cent from the preceding
 month, but jumped 7 per cent
 above November, 1939.

In manufacturing industries, a

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By Hamlin

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BRUCE CATTON'S AMERICAN ROUNDUP

WOODRUM HEADS CAPITOL HILL ECONOMY GROUP WHICH SEEKS TO CHECK ON ALL U. S. SPENDING

BY BRUCE CATTON
 SEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—A cloud no larger than a man's hand is beginning to rise in front of the administration's projected spending program at the next session of Congress.



Catton

Everybody agrees that defense appropriations will be as generous as they were last summer, if not more so. But lines are beginning to form for real opposition to other forms of spending. More important, there is going to be determined and effective resistance to even defense spending of the blank check type.

At the moment this opposition centers in the able person of Congressman Clifton Woodrum of Virginia, one of the most influential members of the appropriations committee and a long-standing leader of the economy bloc. Standing with him, in all probability, will be Senator Pat Harrison of Mississippi, boss of the Senate Finance Committee. Other important figures in both houses will also be lined up.

INFORMAL GROUP MEETING SET UP

STRATEGY will be to try to get members of the House Appropriations and Ways and Means Committee to agree on a general program for economy. Such a program, as Woodrum sees it, would have two principal points: 1—To prevent any unnecessary expansion or extension of regular government services or New Deal agencies under the guise of defense measures.

2—To keep appropriations down to budget estimates in all cases, making sure that all moneys appropriated go for specific purposes and are not lumped together to be spent at the ad-

ministration's discretion. If the House leadership could be brought to okay a program, a special committee could be set up by vote of the House to scrutinize all appropriation bills and see that they conformed to these two points. If that isn't possible—and it probably won't be, since the administration is already moving to fight the program—interested members probably will rally around Woodrum in a more or less informal committee or bloc to do the same sort of job.

Point is that if the bulk of the Appropriations and Ways and Means Committee members go along with this idea, as seems likely, such an informal committee would be almost as effective as one set up by action of the whole House.

CLAIMS CONGRESS CAN HURRY

WOODRUM is especially emphatic about the blank check matter.

"There's no need for that sort of appropriation, with Congress here all the time," he says. "They can get money quickly in any emergency through regular channels. This fall, for example, the defense commission people put in a hurry-up call for money for defense housing. They appeared before the Appropriations Committee at 10 one morning and explained that the matter was urgent, that each day counted. We took the item they were concerned about out of the deficiency bill and rushed it. By 6 the next evening it has passed both houses and been signed by the President."

Woodrum doubts any important savings can be made by cutting down on regular appropriations. As long as Congress keeps a given bureau or agency in existence and gives it a job to do, that agency must have money. Small sums may be whittled off here and there, perhaps, but the saving is insignificant.

His big objection to the blank check system is that a comparatively modest sum can be allocated to start a new program which, eventually, will cost a huge total.

Total of 49,302 workers were reported employed, 0.1 per cent more than in October, 5.6 per cent more than in November, 1939. Payrolls, estimated at \$2,709,146 weekly, dropped nearly 5 per cent under October, but remained 5.5

per cent higher than in November last year. The university's bureau of business research estimated the total number of employees in non-agricultural business and government establishments at approxi-

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mately one million. This figure, officials said, has been steadily climbing since July, when it was estimated 960,000 employees were at work.

Samuel Johnson wrote his celebrated "Rasselas" in a week's time to defray the funeral expenses of his mother.

There are three times as many cattle in India as in the United States.

Canada has a steadily growing radium industry on the edge of the arctic circle.

Fishing is Alaska's greatest industry.

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 —Fitted Bags
 —Dresser Sets
 —Toilet Goods Sets
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 —Razor Sets
 —Electric Shavers
 —Kodaks and Cameras
 —B'N' Folds and Sets

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Huffmyers Have Party for Sunday School Class

Honoring the Church of Christ Sunday school taught by N. C. Packer, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Huffmyer entertained with a delightful Christmas party in their home Friday evening.

The Christmas motif was artistically employed in all decorations. The dining table was centered with a yule log flanked by red and white candles, and the buffet bore an arrangement of holly and red candles on each bookcase was a small log bearing three red candles. Pine burs and mistletoe arrangements completed the theme.

Center of attraction was a beautiful silver Christmas tree with blue lights.

As the guests arrived, they were greeted by Christmas carols over a public address system. They registered at a Christmas book presided over by Mrs. Ted Hale, and were presented with small favors, bracelets of bells and red and green ribbons for the women and lapel pins of bells and ribbon for the men. These were presented by Mrs. Jack Anderson and Mrs. Packer.

Gifts were brought and all these were arranged effectively around the tree by Mrs. Roy G. Tuggle and Mrs. W. D. Johnston. Games and Christmas contests comprised the entertainment, after which gifts of toys were distributed by Mr. Packer. The gifts will be presented to the Welfare association for distribution among needy families in Cisco.

The lights were then turned out and Christmas carols were sung by candlelight. Mrs. Eroy Harris, Mrs. W. D. Johnston, Miss Noma King and Miss Melba Tuggle presented several selections, after which Roy Tuggle led the group in singing.

Pie and coffee was served to Messrs. and Mrs. N. C. Packer, W. W. Miller, J. A. Kiser, Clarence Phippen, Eroy Harris, Jack Anderson, D. Lee Hinkel, A. C. Kety, Roy Burman, Neal Moore, E. Owens, Roy G. Tuggle, A. Watson, Ted Hale, Cecil Show, W. D. Johnston, L. H. Qualls, Mrs. Wilma Hikel, Noma King, Verne Dill, Sharon Kay Gary, Anna Kay Burman, Melba Tuggle, Melba Tuggle, Mary Alice Hucker, and Dan Harris, Bob Harris, Bill Wallace, Clarence Lewis, Richard Burham, Graydon Tuggle, John Robert Watson, Karvon Kruell, John Huffmyer and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Huffmyer.

Methodist Young People Honored With Banquet

The Young People's department of the First Methodist church enjoyed a Christmas dinner in the banquet room of the church Wednesday evening. Mrs. John Shertzer, department superintendent, was hostess.

The rooms were beautifully decorated for the occasion. A nativity scene was placed on a raised platform, flanked on either side by lighted Christmas trees. Table decorations carried out the chosen theme.

The invocation was sung, after which Miss Betty Sue McCanillo, department president, welcomed the guests. A delicious turkey dinner was then served.

After dinner Miss Bilye Cole sang "The First Noel," accompanied at the piano by Miss Kathryn Langston. Miss Marilyn Shertzer told a Christmas story, and the Rev. Leslie Seymour made an interesting talk. Games, directed by the Rev. Seymour, concluded the festivities.

Approximately 65 members and guests attended.

Tom Jones of Houston is visiting his mother, Mrs. W. L. Jones.

Eugene Lankford
Lawyer
Office, Third Floor, Cisco State Bank Bldg.

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Raw Milk

Mrs. Joe Black will take your order.

Bride and Groom in Wedding Ceremony Sunday, Dec. 15



At left are Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Kleiner who were married in a beautiful and impressive ceremony at the Kleiner home, 1400 L avenue, Sunday morning, December 15. The Rev. Gary L. Smith, pastor of the First Presbyterian church officiated in a ritual witnessed by relatives and a few neighborhood friends, of the couple. The ceremony took place in the living room of the home and Mr. and Mrs. Kleiner are shown here as they were photographed immediately afterward. At right Mrs. Kleiner, the former Miss Vera Elder, is shown with the large wedding cake. Mr. Kleiner is a prominent oil operator and ranchman, and is a member of the Cisco city commission. The photographs were by Osborn Studio.

Music Club Has Party in Home Of President

The Cisco Music club was graciously entertained at the home of the president, Mrs. R. S. Cope recently, the occasion being the annual Christmas party.

Attractive decorations were

used in the rooms, and the morning was spent in playing games and singing Christmas carols.

The following members were present: Mmes. Lee Clark, E. P. San Antonio, and Miss Katherine Crawford, W. W. Fewell, S. E. Loftin of Baylor university in Hittson, Alex Spears, John Wallace, W. W. Wallace, Miss Ora Howell and the hostess, Mrs. Cope.



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Ruth Class Has Christmas Party Friday Night

The Ruth Class of the First Baptist church had its Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Bill Reynolds Friday night. Co-hostess for the meeting was Mrs. I. E. Lisenbee, class president.

Enjoyable games furnished the evening diversion, and they were directed by Mrs. Fred Scott. Gifts were distributed. Mrs. Haywood Cabaness, class teacher, was presented with a gift from the members.

Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the party to Mmes. Haywood Cabaness, C. C. Webb, Harry Schaefer, Amilie Richardson, Mart Agnew, James Huddleston, Pat Cartwright, B. B. Hurst, J. J. White, Paul M. Culp, J. Y. Culwell, James Lee, Raymond Richardson, H. L. Reese, A. C. Poe, Monte Stivers, Fred Scott, Harvey Thurman, C. K. Padgett, Joe Britain and the co-hostesses, Mmes. Lisenbee and Reynolds.

Double Octet Anniversary Club Has Party

Celebrating the birthday of Mrs. J. R. Burnett, the Double Octet Anniversary club met in her home for a luncheon Wednesday.

Christmas decorations prevailed throughout, and a delicious turkey dinner was served. Later gifts were exchanged from a gaily-decorated tree, and a program of music and games was enjoyed.

Guests were Mrs. Hattie Lewis, Miss Willie Frank Walker, and little Norman Lee Stivers, club mascot. Members present were Mmes. Kate Richardson, F. E. Shepard, W. I. Chermley, Leon McPherson, J. R. Burnett, C. H. Abbott, Mae Stephens, W. D. Brecheen, C. P. Cole, W. D. Hazel, Barton Philpott, Monte Stivers, W. F. Walker, Algie Skiles, W. Bogan Dunn and H. L. Kunkel.

Thimble Ten Has Meeting On Wednesday

Mrs. Frank Bond was hostess to the Thimble Ten Sewing club in her home on the Eastland highway Wednesday afternoon.

Clever Christmas decorations added to the gaiety of the occasion, and the guests exchanged gifts. It was decided to prepare a basket of food and gifts for the welfare association, to be given to a needy family.

At the conclusion of the social hour the hostess served refreshments to Mmes. Hershel Bassett, Cecil Adams, Lon Horn, Earl Francis, Don McEachern, Clarence Moon, Joe Britain, Bess Wynema Bond, and Ray McEachern.

Mrs. M. Hill Is Hostess to Class At Party Friday

The Loyal Women's Sunday school class of the First Christian church was honored with a Christmas party given in the home of the teacher, Mrs. Minnie Hill, Friday evening.

Clever decorations highlighted the entertaining rooms. The guests drew names and exchanged gifts from a Christmas tree, and later presented the teacher with a lovely gift.

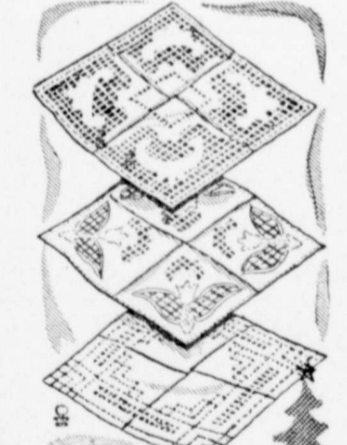
Mrs. Rex Moore, retiring class president, made a brief talk and presented each member with a picture. Mrs. Sam Kimmell is the new class president.

The hostess served refreshments at the close of the party to Mmes. J. R. Wright, Frances Little, H. C. Garrett, Graham Connally, L. C. Moore, Fred Steffy, Jack Elkins, Sam Kimmell, James Mobley, L. Smart, Rex Moore, George Atkins, and Miss Susan Hayes.

Miss Helen Crawford of Cameron is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Crawford.



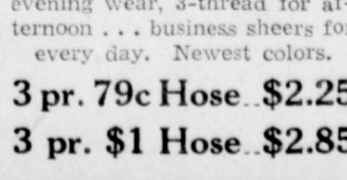
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SERIAL STORY

DUDE COLLEGE

BY OREN ARNOLD

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YESTERDAY: Flying south with Andre and Lona, Ronnie sees the Border Patrol atnigiro, moves to obey its signals to land. Lona turns on her in fury. Andre jerks her from the controls, flies the plane himself. Lona kicks Andre's Indian drum out of the plane. Unobserved, Ronnie seizes a parachute, fastens its straps, dives from the plane.

OFFICER STARR EXPLAINS CHAPTER XXX

"HER parachute opens, she's safe!" Wesley shouted frantically at the two officers in the autogiro plane. "Thank God!" "Use you rifle!" the pilot yelled. "Aim at the front of the cabin, the controls!"

But Officer Starr was already aiming, and he began firing with meticulous care. Crack! Crack! They just had to stop that monoplane now before it could outdistance the government ship!

"He's hit!" the pilot yelled. "He's got to land!"

There was no open field, no cleared spot. Obviously Girardeau was striving desperately. He did guide the crippled monoplane over huge boulders—then all at once it struck the earth, bounced twice and finally halted tall up against a thick yucca growth. The autogiro

was setting right near it. Girardeau jumped from his plane and started running. The moment the autogiro touched earth Wesley York leaped out in pursuit, carrying Officer Starr's gun.

"HALT!" Wesley yelled.

GIRARDEAU shot back twice, ran on. The chase continued half a mile, each man dodging east, greasewood, rocks. All at once Wesley saw they had been running at an angle toward the spot where Ronnie landed, saw her unstrapping her chute to be free. She saw them then and began shouting.

Birardeau stopped abruptly behind a rock and shot back again and again, and Wes in turn dropped prone to resume shooting. He saw Girardeau's head go out of sight, and so he quickly sprang up and ran again. When Girardeau's head next showed, only a few feet separated them.

He himself couldn't have said what strange fury drove him, but Wes was on the fleeing man with a peculiar exultation. Both guns had been emptied. Wes literally dived at Girardeau in the last few feet to make a flying tackle such as any man who has played football knows.

They fought there furiously. Ronnie came running toward them fast.

Girardeau suddenly gained his feet but Wesley straightened up, ward, swinging under Girardeau's guard. Splack! The man's head snapped back; he fell limp. In 60 seconds more Wesley had Girardeau's hands tied with his own necktie.

"Wesley!" Ronnie Bailey was shouting nearby now. "Oh-h, Wes!"

THE officers had found Lona Montoya dazed but not critically hurt, even though in the landing she had fared worse than Girardeau. Mr. Starr gave first aid. The Border Patrol pilot took to the air and when he saw that Girardeau was safely captured—with Wesley and Ronnie waving to him—he flew back a few miles, landed for a moment and promptly took off again for his return.

It was marvelous how he could set the autogiro down and lift it from small places. When he came to the crashed monoplane this time all the others had gathered there waiting, and he left the government ship carrying surprisingly — Girardeau's Indian drum.

Still panting, Wes York stepped forward. He tore off the padding around the drum, then with pocket knife cut the rawhide head and took out the parcel concealed within it.

"You had the right hunch, Dr. York," Officer Starr said, calmly. "That's the bomb sight."

THE others—Ronnie especially—just looked on, enthralled.

Lona and Girardeau had been handcuffed now.

"The U. S. Secret Service owes you a new hat, Dr. York," Starr went on. "You've lost yours. And there may be some points you and Miss Ronica want cleared up, eh?"

"Yes!" Ronnie could barely mutter it, nodding.

"Well," the officer looked with obvious respect at Ronnie and Wesley both, "to tell you the truth, Girardeau isn't French, and the Montoya girl isn't Mexican. Our federal under-cover force has been checking close for weeks, the Mexican government co-operating. He's German; she's some Asiatic mixup, probably part Japanese at least. And she was playing him for a sucker all along—ha! She and some Jap agents have a secret cache in Rainbow Canyon, with radio and everything."

"Oh-h-h!" murmured Ronnie, wide-eyed. "So that's—"

"Finally," the officer went on. "She made Girardeau take the actual risk of stealing the bomb sight, but she would have taken it from him."

Wesley turned toward Lona herself. "Did—you have it—when we were out riding horseback? You hid it then?"

Surly for a moment, Lona finally nodded and spoke slowly. "Except for the autogiro I would have taken it to my own countrymen then, on the desert. Have they not been near the bombing field all the while waiting to observe the army tests? Yanh!"

"Certainly," Mr. Starr agreed. "We kept a secret watch on that from the day Miss Ronica and I caught the five Japs. Watched you, too."

"Later to keep Andre from being suspicious I brought the bomb sight back. Anyhow, I wanted to take it from under his very nose!" Lona glared now at Girardeau in obvious contempt. "Engaged to these Ronica, and make the love with me!"

Ronnie gasped. "No! I have never been engaged! Never! Why I—"

Starr resumed talking. "We know a lot more than we told anybody. But Dr. York, you sure saved us! We could get nothing clinched either way. I see now this Lona was working her treachery in two directions. And they would have gotten out of the country with this bomb sight today as sure as sin! An Indian drum—ha! And Bailey's own daughter!"

So Long as the Christmas Story Lives, There Is Hope for Peace

Text: Luke 2:8-20

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D. Editor of Advance

THANKSGIVING DAY and Christmas, both coming close together, are often associated in the public mind, as they ought to be. It is the birth around which this lesson centers which constitutes our chief cause for thanksgiving.

As we contemplate a world at war, with strife and violence on almost every hand, we may thank God for the measure of democracy and peace that our country still enjoys. But with all that has broken loose in the rest of the world it would be blindness and folly to imagine the things we prize most are not imperilled.

The question is one of the extent and immediacy of any peril to us; but even if we were in no peril whatever, it would be a poor and shallow sort of thanksgiving that took no account of the tragedies and sorrows of the world at large.

When we view that world at large, what faith and hope can we have for the future and for mankind apart from the fact of Jesus, and the record of His gospel, His life, His teaching, and His example, as given for us in the New Testament?

THE quiet fields where shepherds watched their flocks by night is in strange contrast to blacked-out cities, and even villages and country regions today. Even in Palestine itself one does not know at what moment the mid danger from wild animals against which the shepherds guarded their flocks 1900 years ago may be changed for the dire terror of bomb-laden airplanes overhead. Not even a Holy Land is safe from the horror and devastation of a so-called civilization that has turned its finest products of skill and invention to destructive uses.

It is a dark and terrible picture, and the one bright, optimistic contrast is in this Savior, whose birth was announced to the shepherds in the field. Here was the song of Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, goodwill to men.

Here is something that has happened, and that cannot be undone. It is not a hope, or an expectation. It is real. And it is the one bright light that shines in spite of all the darkness of history and the black-out of today.

If the Christmas story could be destroyed; if the Jesus of history and the Christ of Christmas could cease to be; then, indeed, we might give up all hope and faith. We might cease to pray or struggle and let the world go down in gloom and ruin.

BUT the Christ is real. The Christmas story is as precious as ever. As long as it is read and cherished, so long will there be a future for men and a hope of brotherhood. It is a time to think of all the great company of people who are living out that faith and hope today. If there are teachings of hate and violence abroad and men who practice them, there are teachings of love and goodness and a holy army of those who follow them, in the name and in the spirit of Jesus.

Over in England, in the darkness and terror of a bomb-stricken land they are singing. "There'll always be an England." It is a people's song of courage, and of hope and of faith in their country and its ideals in a time of deepest trial when hearts might easily give over to despair.

But there is a possible song even greater than that, which we too can sing. In the gloom and darkness of the world let us catch the glory that shone around the shepherds, and sing, "There'll always be a Christmas!"

and the pilot take the prisoners in. He'll come right back for you. Snip won't hold all six of us."

THEY watched the autogiro soar off like the weird mechanical bird it was, and when Wesley

"I feel utterly flat," murmured Ronnie. "Wes, however did you know? You came—when I needed you most!" Inspector Starr grinned. "You two kids talk that out while me

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turned to Ronnie again he saw that she was still trembling and had slumped a bit as if tired. He put a comforting arm around her. "Ronnie," said he, ever so gently, "it's all over now, except that I simply must—I've got to—uh, you—"

"No, No, indeed, Ronnie! It wasn't what I—I—you—Ronnie, could you ever be engaged to a— a mere college professor? Ever? I—"

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Leveridge and son, Ronald, are the Christmas guests of Mr. Leveridge's mother, Mrs. E. O. Leveridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shook of Lubbock arrived Saturday evening for a holiday visit with Mrs. J. O. Shook and son, Tommy.

Ray Burnside of Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio is spending the holidays in the Guyle Greynolds home.

Mrs. W. Z. Latch expects to leave Sunday for Houston, where she will spend the holidays with Mr. Latch.

Mrs. Mary King of Lubbock and Miss Fay Latch of Levelland will spend the holidays in the W. Z. Latch home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lory Boyd and daughters, Patty and Emily Jo, of Odessa are holiday guests in Cisco.

Mrs. B. E. Morehart went to Dallas Thursday and was accompanied home Friday by her daughter, Miss June Morehart, student in SMU, who will spend the holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Duncan of Roscoe and Mr. and Mrs. R. Griffis of Aquilla are guests of Mrs. Joe Wilson over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Hagen McMahon are expected to spend Christmas with Mrs. McMahon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cliett.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Wilson of Ballinger are guests of Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coats.

Miss Catherine Draganis of NTSTC, Denton, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Draganis.

Mr. and Mrs. William Reagan have as their holiday guests Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vernon and

children, Billie Mae and Frank, Jr., of Dallas, and Mrs. T. H. Connor of Fort Worth.

Miss Jo Ann Qualls of McCamey is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Yarbrough and L. H. Qualls.

Miss Edleen Armstrong and Mrs. Ruth McKissick of TCU are guests of their parents here.

Bill Westfall of San Diego, California, with the U. S. Navy, is expected to arrive today to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Westfall.

Mrs. J. Willie Moore has gone to Highlands, where she will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. Jim Sauls and son will spend the holidays in Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hale have gone to Odom and Corpus Christi, where they will spend the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. A. J. Everton of McGregor and Jack and Catherine Hanks of Midland are spending today with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Johnston. They will all leave tonight for Midland, where they will spend the holidays.

Mrs. Garner Altom expects to leave Monday to spend the holidays with her parents at Chapman ranch, near Corpus Christi.

Miss Alice Spencer, student in Texas university, arrived Friday night to spend two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spencer.

Miss Louise Statham of Texas Tech in Lubbock is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Statham.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Qualls and daughter, Anne, of Odessa, are spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Yarbrough and L. H. Qualls.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shepard of Houston will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Shepard and Mr. and Mrs. James Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Russell, Jr., and son, Wendell Reed, of Vanderbilt, will spend the holidays here.

The solar system of which our earth is part is moving towards a point in the constellation Hercules with a velocity of about 12 miles a second.



CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible school, 10 a. m., preaching service, 10:50. Sermon subject, "In Business with the Lord." Young People's class, 6 p. m. evening preaching, 7 p. m. Senior subject, "Four Parts in God's Teaching." The midweek meeting and Ladies Bible class will be omitted this week.—D. Lee Hukel, minister.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., with classes for a large group, and a warm welcome for all who attend. Morning worship services at 10:50 a. m., at which time the pastor will preach. At the evening hour, 7:30 p. m., a very beautiful Christmas pageant will be presented by the children of the Sunday school, under the direction of Mrs. Lucretia Irby. White gifts are to be brought for the orphans home in Dallas, and a silver offering will also be received for the orphans home. The public is cordially invited to all services.—F. R. Wright, minister.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. There will be a Christmas service, with a special Christmas message by the pastor. Appropriate hymns and anthems by the choir will also be presented. At 7:15 will be presented the annual Christmas pageant. The playlet will be given by a group of adults and young people. This will be an impressive and inspiring message, depicting the birth of Christ and enforcing the spirit of Christmas. The public is cordially invited to attend.—Dr. Gary L. Smith, pastor.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:30, morning worship, 10:50. Sermon subject, "Good Tidings of Great Joy." The choir, under the direction of Miss Ella Andrews, will sing "Gesu Bambino" by Von. Hymns and carols in keeping with Christmas will be a feature of the worship. Evening worship, 7 p. m. James Moore will give Van Dyke's "The Other Wise Man." Young people will go caroling after the evening

Peggy Gallagher Entertains For Music Lovers

The Junior Music Lovers' club held its regular monthly business meeting in the form of a Christmas party at the home of the club president, Peggy Jean Gallagher, Wednesday evening.

The living room was gaily decorated in Christmas colors and highlighted by an attractively arranged tree.

After the business session the following program was presented by the members: Piano solo by Durward Smith; song, Mary and Helen Hay; accordion duet, Hope Starr and Mrs. Krauskopf; reading, Charles Cunningham; piano solo, Elizabeth Cope; a song by four girls, Pearla and Pearlene Farley, and Mary and Helen Hay; accordion solo by Peggy Jean Gallagher and piano duet by Dorot

services. Baskets for the needy will be brought at the evening services.—Leslie Seymour, pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:45. A. I. Skiles, superintendent. White Christmas service, 10:15. Decorations in the church are by Miss Cora Harris. Do not fail to see them, they are beautiful. Departments will bring their gifts of food, clothing and other things to be given to unfortunate and needy of Cisco and the Buckner Orphans' home in Dallas. There is a class for every member of the family. A well-organized, standardized Sunday school. A paid keeper for the nursery. A cordial welcome awaits you. Morning worship, 11. Sermon by the pastor on the subject, "The Song of the Angels." There will be special music at this time. BTU, 6:30 p. m., Felton Underwood, director. Evening worship, 7:30, sermon subject, "The Conqueror of Fear." Special music. A friendly welcome awaits you. For the blessings Christ has brought to our civilization we are grateful. Worship somewhere today. "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord."—Judson Prince, pastor.

with lighted candle. Those enjoying the occasion were Mmes. F. E. Shepard, W. F. Walker, Mac Stephens, W. R. Hazel, E. J. Poe, Vida Stephens,

M. W. Robbins, W. C. Clements, Ed Thurman, H. N. Lyle, W. M. Isenhower, H. J. McArdle, Ira (Continued on Page Six)

Alatheans Have Christmas Party On Friday Night

The Leon McPherson home was the scene of a lovely Christmas party Thursday night when the Alathean Sunday school class of the First Baptist church was entertained. The hostess was assisted by Mmes. Algie Skiles, Roy Judia, and Don McEachern.

In the entertaining rooms the decorations were in keeping with the Christmas season. The mantel was decorated with wintergreens, interspersed with tall red tapers and tiny reindeer peeped from out the greenery.

One side of the window seat represented a snow bank in the center of which was a softly-lighted Christmas tree. Christmas bells and cleverly arranged lights added charm to the room.

Each guest brought a gift and Mrs. H. J. McArdle arranged them on the tree. Mrs. McPherson, class president, conducted a brief business session and Mrs. Ira Robinson brought a devotional, the theme of which was the close brotherhood of man at the Yuletide.

The guests were in a merry mood and responded wholeheartedly to the games and contests. After the period of play the gifts were taken from the tree and distributed. Mrs. G. Pollard acted as Santa Claus and was assisted by Mrs. F. D. Wright. A lovely refreshment plate was served by candlelight, each plate bearing a miniature candle holder

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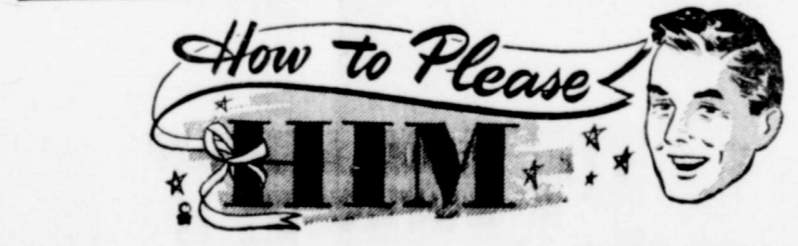
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