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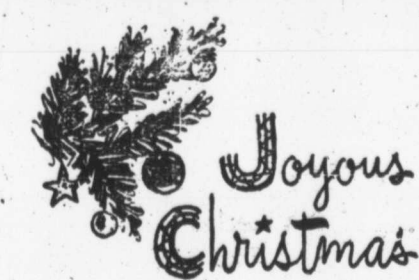
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Morning Worship 11 a. m.
Youth Fellowship 6:15 p. m.
Worship Service 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday night service.....8:00

Bethel Baptist Ch.

Rev. G. A. Magee of HSU, Abilene, has been called as pastor of the Bethel Baptist Church. Regular services are held on the second and fourth Sunday each month. Sunday School at 10 a. m. and preaching at 11 a. m. Evening services at 7:45.

Holiness Church

Services of the Pentecostal Church are held each Wednesday night and each Saturday night at the home of the pastor.

Church of Christ

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Sunday
10:00 a. m. Bible Study
10:45 a. m. Preaching, and Communion
6:00 p. m. Young People Meet
7:00 p. m. Preaching

Monday
2:30 p. m. Ladies Bible Class
Wednesday
7:00 p. m. Mid-Week Service
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Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church

R. F. Hampton, Pastor
Sunday School—10:00 AM
Preaching—11:00 AM
BTU Classes—7:00 PM
Preaching—3:00 PM

If you are a member of the Pleasant Ridge (Lone Wolf) Church, we are expecting you. If you are not a member of this church we welcome you next Lord's Day.

This is the Church where you are only a stranger one time.

Gospel Mission

Regular services will be held at the Lorraine Gospel Mission on Saturday night and Sunday night at 7 o'clock. Bible School will be at 10:30 Sunday morning. Rev. Fred H. Price of Midland, pastor, will preach at both services and teach the Bible class. Everyone is given an invitation to come and worship with us.

Baptist Church Notes

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Sunday Night Service 8:30 p. m.
Monday
W. M. U. 3 p. m.
R. A's. and G. A's. 4 p. m.
Prayer Meeting
Wednesday 8:00 p. m.

SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday School 9:45
Divine Services 10:45
Holy Communion will be celebrated at this service.
Sunday School Christmas program practice at 2 p. m.
Luther League Christmas party at 7 p. m.
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BIBLE CLASS
The ladies Bible Class of the Church of Christ met Monday at the church. Present were Mmes W. L. Weatherman, Kate Jones, Bill Atkins, Ada Crownover, D. E. Gunn, Myrtle Lee, Ralph Aisbrook, Alonzo Phillips, Tom Finley, Bill Barron, Paul Barron, W. F. James, Luke Shira, Jeff

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Parker, Sharon Adams.
The lesson was taught by the minister Luke Shira, on the subject, The Church at Work. All ladies are invited to this class.
Gayle Ford of Big Spring spent the weekend with Sarah Pratt.

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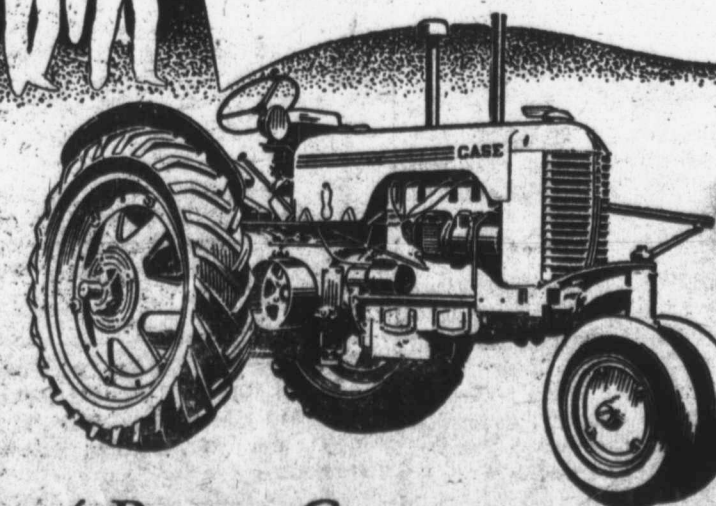
The Baptist W. M. U. met at the church in Mission program Monday afternoon. Theme of the program was, Where Advance. Mrs. D. E. Jones led in singing Silent Night. Prayer for peace was led by Mrs. Boyd. Mrs. B. B. Lee used as the devotional subject, Whatsoever Thou Shalt Lose. Advance We Must in the World was discussed by Mrs. Leach; Advance in the Nation, by Mrs. Tony Snyder; Advance in the Churches, Mrs. Boyd; Advance in Our Homes and Business, Mrs. Dee McCollum; Advance in the Heart and Life, Mrs. D. E. Jones. Closing prayer was by Mrs. B. B. Lee. Present were Mmes Jack Richey, D. E. Jones, N. L. Crow over, Wayland Boyd, D. W. Haralson, Ed Claxton, J. M. Meek, Wade Preston, Homer Wilson, A. R. Miles, Hal Bennett, Tom Ray, J. C. Hall, Sr., D. McCollum, H. L. Leach, W. D. Green, B. B. Lee, Tony Snyder, Henry Riden, Dottie Marshall and Henry Howell.

Pete McNally spent the week end with relatives in Odessa.

J. E. Gunnells of McCamey spent the weekend here with his family. Mrs. James Gunnells and children accompanied him and visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Jackson.

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Cotton Situation Uncertain Says Cox

AUSTIN. — Great uncertainty currently plagues the cotton situation said Dr. A. B. Cox, internationally distinguished authority

on cotton and University of Texas professor of cotton marketing. "The biggest single question," Dr. Cox stated, "concerns the imminent December estimate (of cotton production by the Department of Agriculture)."

"The decline in cotton production prospects in the U. S. and in foreign countries has been 3 million bales since August," he continued. "This has created a very bullish supply situation. Should the December estimate be decreased by 1 million bales from the November estimate, prices

would most certainly reach the ceiling of 45.39 cents for futures. "It must be recognized," Dr. Cox warned, "that present mill margins in this country will not support such a price."

"The strength in the market on the demand side lies in prospective exports paid for to a large extent by our own government," he explained. "It must also be recognized in this connection that as price advances, the number of bales exportable with government grants decreases. Mills in this country will assuredly seek limitations of exports to hold prices of cotton down in the U. S. in order to continue in full operation."

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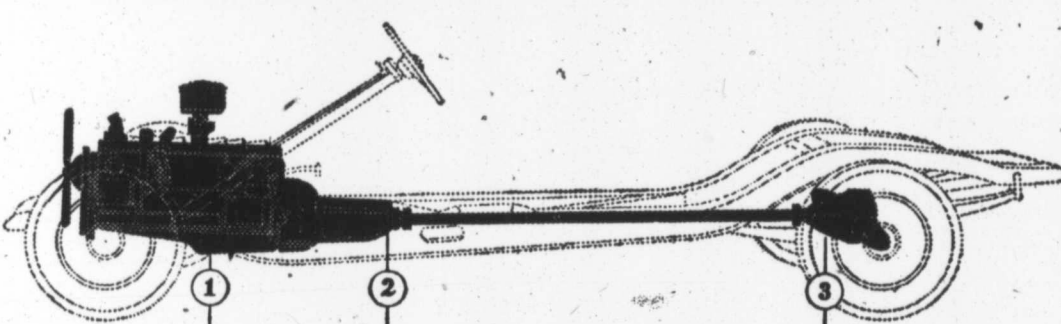
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Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gouldie and children visited in the E. O. Leggett home Thursday enroute to their home in Big Spring after visiting in Dallas.

Mrs. B. M. Williford of Odessa spent from Thursday until Sunday in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Mathis. The Williford children, Ronnie and Kay, returned with them after being here the past two weeks.

Nolan Barmore and Harry Cranfill made a business trip to Houston the first of the week.

Delbert Smith of Roscoe spent the weekend with Wesley Woods.

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Mrs. W. M. Mahoney spent Wednesday and Thursday in Big Spring visiting in the home of her son, C. W. Mahoney and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Loal Brown and children of Odessa spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. D. R. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Butler, Mrs. Harry Dockery and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hallmark were in San Angelo Monday and Mrs. Butler went through a medical clinic.

Mitchell County and Colorado City News

Santa Claus arrived in Colorado City at 4:30 Friday afternoon and made a brief parade through town on his sleigh drawn by four reindeer, and paused at the Christmas tree between Main and Second St. on Walnut to greet his young admirers. Jaycees distributed candy to the kiddies.

Colorado City postal receipts decreased in November of 1951 over the same month of the previous year, dropping from \$5,244.18 to \$4,574.84 in November 1951. Receipts for the first 11 months of the year showed only slightly more than a three per cent decrease, however, according to S. A. Palmer, postmaster. Records show a considerable drop in the volume of mail handled during the fall months as compared with the preceding fall. Cancellations for October and November show a 13 per cent drop when compared with those months in 1950.

In Saturday's auction of Chesney Hereford calves at Colorado City, Dell Barber, Colorado City attorney and ranchman, paid top price for a May calf, which brought \$217.50. This was the calf auctioned with a part of the proceeds to go to the 4H and FFA clubs in Mitchell County. The four clubs received \$118.50.

The eleven spring calves advertised brought a total of \$1,933.50 and were sold by Gus and Linda Chesney. Ray Lum of Vicksburg, Mississippi, bought six of the calves, Dell Barber, two, Jack Cox, one, Ray Henderson one, and S. C. McCowen one.

In other Hereford offerings, P. K. Mackey sold two, Ray Henderson four. The top price for the sale was \$286 on a Mackey fall calf, which sold to Cloven B. Walls of Blackwell.

L. A. Chapman of Colorado City has been elected as Executive Director of the U. S. 80 Association, Central Division, at a meeting of the officers in Odessa.

Chapman has been manager of the Colorado City Chamber of Commerce until his resignation Wednesday after a called meeting of the Board of Directors.

Little Frank Craddock, son of Bill Craddock, who was stricken with polio several days ago and carried to San Angelo Friday, is considerably improved, according to Jay Craddock, his uncle.

A run to a false alarm Tuesday morning at 8 put Colorado City's new fire truck in the body shop for repairs, as the truck and a Lone Star Gas Co. truck met at the intersection of 11th and Hickory.

Both drivers were shaken up but no serious injuries were reported. Damage to the gas truck was estimated at \$75, to the fire truck at about \$300.

On Friday, all the Home Demonstration Clubs in the county will meet at the REA building at 2 p. m. for their annual Christmas party and to install officers. Mrs. Virgil Moser will be installed as new council president, with Mrs. O. L. Simpson as installing officer. Mrs. Alva Bennett of Loraine will be the outgoing president.

Special guests will be the County Judge and County Commissioners and wives.

According to reports from the County Tax Assessor and Collector's office, tax receipts for October and November total \$154,870. Tax collections in October were 146,612 dollars, with the figure dropping to \$8,257 in November.

Another Richardson and Bass well is to be drilled 20 miles southeast of Colorado City, near the recently completed J. F. McCabe No. 1, a producer in the Pennsylvania. It is to go to 7,000 feet and will be called the Richardson and Bass No. 1 J. H. Nail estate. The Richardson and Bass No. 2 J. F. McCabe was a dry hole and was plugged and abandoned.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks for every act of kindness and words of sympathy extended to us at the passing of our loved one.

The family of Mrs. Maud Carr

CARD OF THANKS

The family of R. A. Edwards wishes to express appreciation to the friends and neighbors who offered sympathy and help during the illness and death of our husband and father.

We are grateful to those who brought food and flowers, and we particularly desire to express appreciation to those who sat up night during our time of trouble.

Sincerely,
Mrs. R. A. Edwards
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffee
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Edwards
Lt. and Mrs. Roy G. Edwards
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Johnson

Jack Holland of Hobbs, N. M., visited in the Owen Leggett home Tuesday.

Letters To Santa

Dear Santa: I have been a pretty good little girl. Will you please bring me a doll and some clothes and bed. My dishes are old and you might bring me some new ones. Be good to all the girls and boys and Mom and Dad. Barbara Doyle.

Dear Santa: My Mommy says I've been pretty good. So if you can, will you bring me a doll and clothes, blackboard and anything else. Be good to other children and Mom and Dad. Always, Beverley Doyle

Dear Santa: Please bring me a big baby doll, a blackboard and a suitcase. Janet Sue wants a Bonnie Braids doll, a suitcase and a doll buggy. Please remember all the little boys and girls. Joretta and Janet Sue Hall

Dear Santa Claus: I want a jump B. B. gun and a scalp knife, two toy pistols. That's all I want of the toys. I want two boxes of roman candles and I want two boxes of firecrackers.

Please bring my little brother a wagon and a toy gun. His name is Kim and he is two years old. Your friend, Lanny Hall

Dear Santa: Please bring me a doll, anything else you want to bring me. And please remember all the other boys and girls. Santa you may not know but I have moved this year to a new house right behind the Baptist Church. Please remember. Love, Faye Boyd

Dear Santa: I am a little girl four years old. I have been a good little girl. Will you please bring me a baby doll, doll high chair, doll house, dishes and table and chairs. Please remember all other little boys and girls. Merry Xmas and Happy New Year. Sincerely, Jerry Ann Montgomery

Dear Santa: Please bring me a new doll and doll house, a doctor kit, electric iron, a teddy bear, and anything else you will bring me. Don't forget the other little girls and boys. I will see you. Sue Wimberley.

Dear Santa: Please bring me a doll house, record player and table and chairs. I have been a good little girl. Love, Vicki Jean Baird

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Spikes of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Shannon and little son of Big Spring were guests of Mrs. J. E. Spikes Sunday.

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CAN A CHILD OF GOD FALL FROM GRACE? Part IV

1 John 3:9 "Whoever is born of God Cannot Sin."

From this passage those who believe it is impossible to fall draw their erroneous idea of the impossibility to fall. But we must rightly divide the Word of God—So let us see why John said he "doth not commit sin."

(1) "Because his seed remaineth in him"

BUT

(2) Luke 8:11—"Seed is the word of God" and in V. 12 the devil sometimes "Taketh away the Word out of their hearts"—"STEALS THE SEED."

(3) As long as the Word remains in the Christian's heart he cannot sin; but if he allows the devil to steal it out of his heart he can and will sin.

If 1 John 3:9 Teaches a child of God cannot sin under any circumstances, the apostle contradicts himself—and that within less than three chapters, 1 John 1:8-10.

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