

BY THE TIME THE MEEK INHERIT THE EARTH, TAXES WILL BE SO HIGH THEY WON'T WANT IT.

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Rain Shows Above Average Fall In Area During 1953

Normal rainfall was recorded during 1953, with a total of 20.43 inches for the year, records of Judge J. H. Penner reveal. The rainfall in the Perryton area for the year 1953 and the average for 1930 was 19.88 inches. The rainfall of 21.06 inches for the year 1953 was one of the driest years on record.

Month	Rainfall (inches)
January	.67
February	.73
March	.63
April	.26
May	1.59
June	1.84
July	5.55
August	3.87
September	1.78
October	3.27
November	.55
December	.32
Total	21.06

New Fords to Go On Display

The 1954 Ford passenger cars will be introduced at the A&B Motor Co. on Wednesday, January 6, featuring many improvements including an entirely different V-8 motor, new front end suspension, and two plastic roof models.

The new engine is an overhead valve, Y-block design with a horsepower of 130, up 20 horsepower over the 1953 engine. The 1954 models feature a new I-block 115-h. p. six cylinder engine which is 14 horsepower more powerful than the previous engines.

According to the company, the new ball-joint suspension makes the 1954 Ford the most comfortable and easiest handling Ford ever built. The new system, which replaces the king-pin type suspension, per its up and down movement of the front wheels through the ball-joints as the wheels travel over rough spots or directional movement as wheels turn right or left in steering.

In its 1954 passenger cars, Ford will feature many new features. See No. 6, Page 6

Plan County Heart Assn.

A meeting has been called for Sunday afternoon, Jan. 3, at 4:30 p. m. in the Harvester Room of the Hotel Coffee Shop for the purpose of organizing the Ochiltree County Heart Association.

Dr. Bluford Johnson will preside at the meeting, which is being held to interest local citizens in organizing an association to study ways of combating heart disease and to aid victims of the disease.

The county association will be affiliated with the state association and have access to the latest research data. Anyone that is interested is cordially invited to attend the initial meeting which is sponsored by several civic organizations.



HERALD MYSTERY FARM OF THE AIR NO. 26—Here is the Herald Mystery Farm of the Air for this week. Some person correctly identifying the farm will receive a free Herald subscription and the owner of the farm will receive a mounted photograph of their farm by calling at the Herald office for it. The picture last week was the D. H. Penner farm near Balco and the free Herald subscription went to Harry Jost of Boyd.

Small Crops and Dry Weather Noted In Annual Report

The drought, which was eased in late summer and fall by rains which came too late to aid 1953 crops, but made prospects bright for 1954, takes top spot in the annual report of county agent Delbert Timmons.

A small wheat crop was harvested, but a good crop of bundle feed and combine milo helped ease the feed situation for stockmen and there is wheat pasture for the first time since 1949.

Irrigation took a decided upswing during the year with 20 wells in operation as compared with 11 a year ago. Good results have been obtained from irrigation and more wells are planned this year.

Wheat improvement is one of the most important programs in Ochiltree county. The program includes planting desirable milling varieties and better storing and marketing facilities.

There were over 3,000 acres of certified wheat in the county in 1953. Comanche, Westar, Wichita and Triumph were the varieties certified. A premium of 25 cents to \$1 per bushel is received for this certified wheat.

More poor quality wheat has been planted in the county than in previous years. Ochiltree county still has over 95 per cent high quality wheat and farmers in the area receive about 5 cents per bushel premium on wheat due to its high quality.

Business Houses to Be Closed Friday

Perryton business houses will be closed Friday, January 1, for New Year's Day. This is a day set aside for general closing by the retail merchants committee of the Chamber of Commerce. Only those businesses whose closing would cause a serious inconvenience to the public, such as cafes, drug stores and service stations, will remain open Friday.

To Show New GMC Truck

The first of a shipment of 1954 GMC trucks combining functional styling and a 125-horsepower engine in the light line, has arrived at the Russell Motor Co. and will be on display Saturday. It is announced by Jess Russell.

The company will display two trucks and two pickups. One of the trucks is a 3 1/2-ton model with Hydramatic drive and the other is a 2 1/2-ton model, also with Hydramatic drive.

Both pickups are one-half ton models, one with standard transmission and the other with Hydramatic drive. The half-ton pickup now has a new body. See No. 5, Page 6

Beef Cattle

There are an estimated 15,000 cattle on wheat pasture at present and about 15,000 head of beef cattle carried the year around.

The North Plains Hereford Breeders association holds a show and sale each year, as does the North Plains Aberdeen-Angus Association.

Horn flies, lice, and grub control have become a regular practice with most beef cattle producers and a regular system of controlling these parasites is in force on most farms. Some trouble has been encountered from ear ticks.

A large number of good commercial cattle were sold last year due to a short feed supply. Most of the registered cattle are being kept and should be helpful in the future. See No. 10, Page 6

Drilling Activity Continues In New Texas County Field

Mrs. Belle Truax Dies Dec. 23 In Amarillo Home

Mrs. Lucretia Belle Truax, a long time resident of Perryton, died Dec. 23 at the Cunningham Convalescent Home in Amarillo where she had lived for the past two years. She was 83 years of age.

She had lived in Perryton since 1922.

Funeral services were conducted at the First Methodist church Saturday afternoon with Rev. A. B. Cockrell officiating. Pallbearers were Roy Hogland, Virgil Olmstead, Emil Hearn, Harold Simpson, Herman Hargrove and Pinkney Dear.

Mrs. Truax was a member of the Methodist church, the DAR and an honorary member of the American Legion Auxiliary.

She is survived by two sons, Glen Truax of Canyon and Omar Truax of Perryton, a brother, Walter L. Hart of Eversen, Wash., and three grandchildren.

Burial was made in the Ochiltree cemetery beside her husband. See No. 7, Page 6

Perryton Markets

December 31, 1953	
Wheat	\$2.14
Milo	2.08
Cream	.62
Large Eggs, No. 1	.45
Medium Eggs, No. 1	.38
Pullet Eggs, No. 1	.30
Light Hens	.14
Heavy Hens	.18
Stags	.11
Cocks	.08
Hides	.05

Another Test Started Near Flowers Well

The Parker Drilling Co. has moved in a rig for another test in the Flowers-Johnson Eldredge acreage in Section 22-19-Cm, in southeast Texas county, where a recent well gauged 22 barrels of high gravity oil per hour on test.

The Johnson-Flowers well, tested two weeks ago, has touched off a flurry of leasing activity since the good oil test.

The top two quarters of the section are the Eldredge on the northwest and the Johnson on the northeast. The south half of the section is owned by Oscar Flowers. It is reported that a well will go down on the Johnson quarter in the near future.

The Winfrey-Brown well, near the Johnson-Flowers test, has been held up while fishing for a lost packer. The well came in as a 10,000,000 cubic foot gasser and shortly thereafter the packer was lost.

In other activity in the area, the J. M. Huber No. 1 Loffland in Beaver county was completed for 8,300,000 cubic feet of gas from perforations in 6048-58 feet.

The Rip C. Underwood No. 1 Flowers near the Cook well was drilling below 6040 feet.

Ochiltree county's only test, the Barton and Black No. 1 Batman was drilling below 6,246 feet in lime. Contract depth on the well is 7,500 feet.

Four Rangers On Regional Team Of Daily News

Four Ranger football players received mention in the annual regional selections announced last week by Dick Collins of the Amarillo Globe-News. Ed Cummings tied for a second all-regional team spot with Doug Duncan of Wellington while Ronnie Witt, Bill Thrasher and Bill Drake received honorable mention on the all-star squad.

Cummings, Drake and Thrasher were chosen on the all-district

1-AA team a week earlier. The regional selections were taken from the class AA districts in the Panhandle and South Plains.

Cummings, fullback, captain and leading ground gainer for the Rangers last season is a senior. See No. 4, Page 6

Palmer Services Held Saturday at Baptist Church

Funeral services were held Saturday morning for Hollie T. Palmer, a resident of Perryton since 1929, who died at the Perryton Hospital Thursday, Dec. 24, following an illness of about two weeks. He was 51 years of age.

Rev. O. C. Curtis of Pampa, Rev. Keith McCormick and Arthur Golden officiated at the final rites, conducted at the First Baptist church.

Active pallbearers were Dean Blank, George Nies, W. C. Saunders, Bruce Johnson, H. P. Frier, Merton Smith, J. H. Jines, and W. S. Thomas.

Honorary pallbearers were Pete Wermske, V. W. Richardson, Philip Carroll, R. H. Holland, Carl Ellis, A. J. Kelly, Dwight Sims, Debs Riley, Rolland Shearer and John Daniels.

Palmer had farmed land north of Perryton since moving to this county from a ranch near Pampa in 1929.

Survivors include his wife, Lillian. See No. 8, Page 6

Fireman Halted By Wreck On Way to Blaze

Considerable excitement, but little damage was caused by a collision at the intersection of Main street and Brillhart avenue Monday afternoon between cars driven by Ray Barclay and T. F. Beard.

Barclay, a member of the Perryton fire department, was rushing to follow the fire truck when he ran through a red light and turned east on Brillhart. Beard was driving east on Brillhart and the two cars met at the intersection.

Barclay's car, a 1930 Model A Ford, was spun around by the impact and turned over. Beard, in a 1946 Chevrolet, lost a front bumper.

A large crowd of "fire followers" gathered at the scene of the accident and turned the Barclay car over. See No. 9, Page 6

News Roundup for 1953 Reveals Few Startling Events

The year of 1953 was not a big one for spot news events. There was nothing to compare with some of the former years, like the 1947 wheat harvest, the jewel burglary, fires and explosion of 1950, or even the big drought of last year.

But several events did stand out during the year just concluded. A new oil and gas field opened up a few miles to the northwest, the Rangers turned in a surprisingly good football season, the Rangettes won the district basketball crown, and the drought was finally broken by rains in August which continued

into the fall.

The top stories of 1953, with no particular order of importance, are listed by the Herald as follows:

The development of the new gas field, marked by the coming in of the Cook gas well in southeast Texas county.

The rains which fell in late summer, ending a two year drought.

The football season which saw the Rangers win 7, lose 2, tie 1.

The wind erosion in February which damaged thousands of acres of wheat land.

The sudden death of Herald publisher Van W. Stewart, one of Perryton's leading citizens for over 30 years.

The achieving of first class status by the Perryton post office.

The Oil Development

The Texas Co. staked a wildcat, the No. 1 Cook, in the southeast corner of Texas county in late summer and the well came in as one of the biggest gassers of the area in the middle of October. Tests showed a gas production of 25,000,000 cubic feet at two pay zones, 6812-46 and 6871-94 feet, and the oil and gas activity boomed.

Three more wells were staked in the vicinity of the Cook gasser in November and in December the Texas Co. Johnson-Flowers well came in with 500 barrels of

oil pre day, the biggest oil production for this part of the country.

About the same time, another of the new wells, the Winfrey-Brown tested 10,000,000 cubic feet of gas.

Still drilling are the No. 1 Batman in Ochiltree county, just south of the Cook well, the Flowers-Underwood and several new locations in the vicinity of the Cook and Johnson-Flowers wells.

Lease bonuses have ranged up to \$40 per acre in this area and prices up to \$100 per acre for royalty have been reported.

This new field promises to bring additional development and more activity into Perryton, than did the Lips field in 1949.

Summer Rains

The first soaking rains in two years fell in the area in July and when the month was ended, a total of 5.55 inches had fallen in Perryton, with varying amounts soaking the entire county.

Rains continued in August, September and October, giving the much-needed subsoil moisture which the fields had lacked for several years.

Because of these rains, fall wheat sowing proceeded on schedule and by October the county was furnishing wheat pasture for the first time since 1949.

As December drew to a close, the wheat crop, with deep root

system, was the most promising in years and with any sort of cooperation from the weather, the summer of 1954 will see a wheat harvest again.

Football Season

Coaches Pete Peterson and Duane Byars started the season with a squad that numbered only two regulars off the 1952 team, but with a scrapping bunch of boys up from the B team and A squad of last year.

Off to a slow start with a 20-20 tie against Panhandle, the Rangers won their next two starts, lost to Phillips and Dumas, then

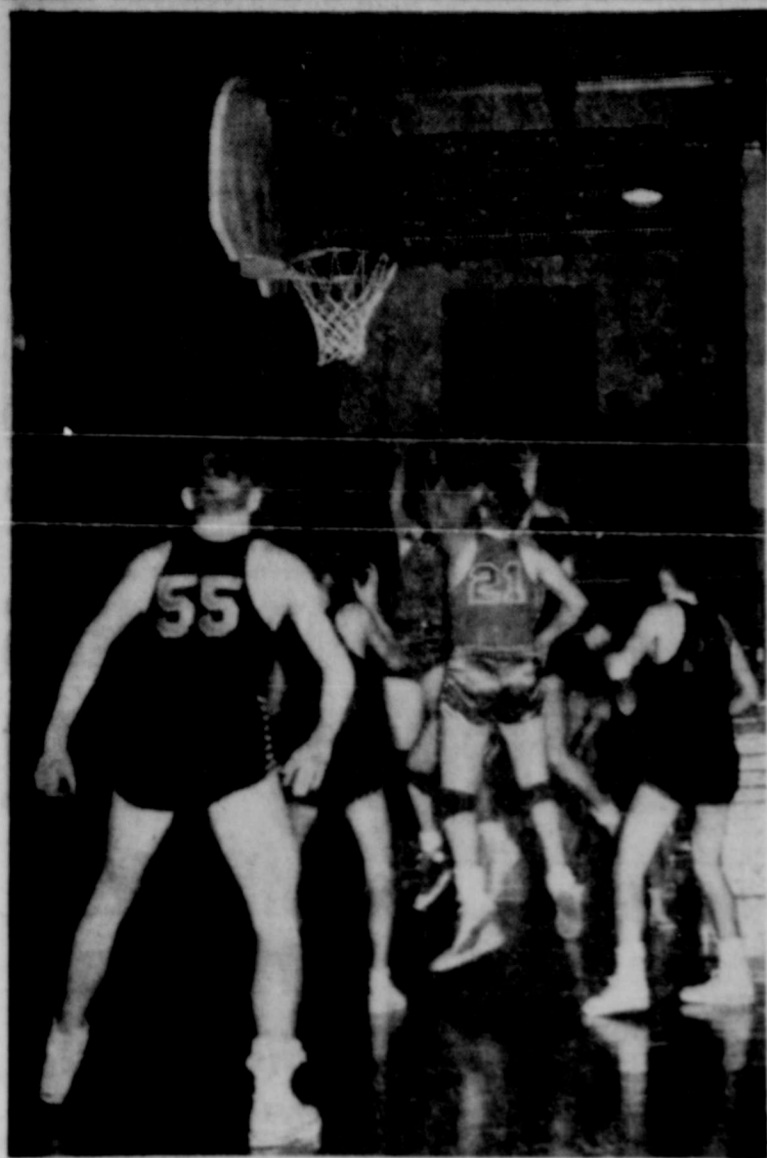
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SOME BLOWING DUST



AND A FEED CROP.



CAGE ACTION—Rangers Bill Thrasher and Bill Farrington scramble for the ball with two Canadian Wildcats in an action shot of the game last Tuesday which the Rangers won, 42-39.

Miss Glenda Foster, who attends Hardin-Simmons at Abilene, is visiting over the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Pauline Foster, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Combs and Marlene were guests Christmas of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Eason, in Dumas.

Hail and Sam Brillhart are guests of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Shrader.

It pays to use classified ads.

Building Permits Take Nose Dive In Past Year

Building activity in Perryton took a nose dive in 1953 with only \$27,920 recorded in building permits on city hall records. This compares with \$156,100 in 1952, \$106,760 in 1951 and \$680,230 in 1950.

During 1953, there were two houses built, at a cost of \$11,600 and the rest was for remodeling. Last year there was a church, a business house, 13 residences, 11 garages and 25 additions to homes.

March was the biggest building month of the year, with \$11,600 recorded in building permits.

Christian Science

Services 11 a. m. each Sunday. Public Cordially Invited

"God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble" (Ps. 46:1). This familiar Bible verse is included in the Lesson-Sermon entitled "God" which will be read at Christian Science church services on Sunday.

The brotherhood of man based upon the true knowledge of God will be brought out in this Lesson-Sermon.

Among the selections from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy to be read will be the following: "With one Father, even God, the whole family of man would be brethren; and with one Mind and that God, or good, the brotherhood of man would consist of Love and Truth, and have unity of Principle and spiritual power which constitute divine Science" (469:30).

The following verses from the Bible will also be read: "Is not God in the height of heaven? and behold the height of the stars, how high they are! . . . Acquaint now thyself with him, and be at peace; thereby good shall come unto thee" (Job 22:12, 21).

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hudson and sons Jimmy and Johnny spent Friday and Saturday in the home of his parents in Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Hudson. Also present for Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bartel and sons, Danny and Gary of Grand Prairie Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Bartel spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bartel of Balke.

Guests in the E. W. Hearn home during Christmas were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hearn and family of Austin, a daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown of Stillwater, Okla. and Mr. Hearn's mother, Mrs. Elsie Hearn of Marshal, Okla.

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This 1954 Ford Crestline Fordor sedan—new this year—has interior beauty and new power assists usually found only in costly limousines. Its smart new grille has a characteristic Ford center spinner, recessed parking lights and jet-type air scoop. Like all 1954 Ford passenger cars, it has new ball-joint front suspension for easier handling and the choice of either Ford's completely new 130-h.p. V-block V-8 engine or the new 115-h.p. I-block Mileage Maker Six. For ease and driving pleasure it has power steering, power brakes, power operated windows and front seat, plus Fordomatic or overdrive, available at extra cost.

No Thanks, Amigo

Local Man Receives Ancient 'Mystery Trunk' Letter

They say a sucker is born every minute, but Jerald Jones of Perryton resents having his name added to a "sucker list" out of Mexico working the ancient "lost trunk" racket. Jones received a letter from Mexico last week, pleading for his aid in securing a trunk "containing \$450,000 in U. S. currency."

This is an old racket which pops up every once in a while, designed to relieve the recipient of the letter from enough cash to bail out a fictitious suitcase.

Jones is having none of it. In fact, the main thing that puzzles him is how his name got on the mailing list.

Here is the text of the letter he received:

Mexico, D. F., December 17, '53
Dear Mr. Jones:

A person who knows you and who has spoken very highly about you, has made me trust you a very delicate matter of which depend the entire future of my dear daughter, as well as my very existence. I am in prison sentenced for bankruptcy, and I wish to know if you are willing to help me to save the sum of \$450,000.00 U. S. Cys, which I have in bank bills hidden in a secret compartment of a trunk that is now deposited in a Customhouse in the United States.

As soon as I send you undeniable evidence, it is necessary that you come here and pay the expenses incurred in connection with my process, so the embargo on my suitcases can be lifted one of which suitcases contains a baggage check that was given to me at the time of checking my trunk for North America, and which trunk contains the sum above said. To compensate you for all your troubles, I will give you the THIRD PART OF SAID SUM. Due to serious reasons which you will know later, please reply via AIR MAIL. I beg you to treat this matter with the utmost reserve and discretion. Fearing that this letter might have gone astray and not reach your hands,

I will not sign my name until I hear from you, and then I will entrust you with all my secret. For the time being I am only signing "F".

Due to the fact that I am in charge of the prison School I can write you like this and entirely at liberty. I cannot receive your reply directly in this prison, so in case you accept my proposition, please AIR MAIL your letter to a person of my entire trust who will deliver it to me safely and rapidly. This is his name and address:

Sr. Fernando Olaguibel
Basilio Badillo 34
Mexico 1, D. F.

—IN THE SERVICE—

Irvin Buchanan, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Buchanan, left Dec. 29 for Fort Bliss at El Paso to report for induction into the armed forces. Irvin has been executive manager of the Waco Junior Chamber of Commerce since his graduation from Baylor University last year. He holds the rank of sergeant in the National Guard and will be inducted in that rank.

Airman first class Jim Records arrived home this week for a 30-day leave. He has spent the past 29 months in Japan and will report to the Big Spring Air Force Base for assignment on Feb. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cluck and family of Gruver returned Sunday from Albuquerque, N. M. where they spent Christmas with their son and brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Tucker and children. Mrs. Tucker and children accompanied the group home. Mr. Tucker arrived Wednesday and the family will return to Albuquerque Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Brillhart spent Christmas in Lubbock with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Strong and Denise.

Boyd, Okla.

By Mrs. Aldeen Rodgers

The weather continues dry and cold most of the time.

Mrs. W. H. Williams went to Chicago to visit her son, Wyatt, who has been seriously ill. She will also visit her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Barton Lewis, Barty and Janet of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldeen Rodgers, James and Royce were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Kirton and children for a turkey dinner Christmas eve.

Mr. and Mrs. John Winter entertained a group of relatives from Beaver with a dinner on Christmas day.

John A. Beck and daughter Helen of Beaver, Okla. were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aldeen Rodgers and sons on Christmas day.

James Rodgers was a supper guest Christmas day in the Henry Meiler home near Logan, Oklahoma.

A card from Mrs. A. E. Vandevanter of Bakersfield, Calif. for

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merly Josephine Neufeld, states that all the family is well except her father, Pete Neufeld, who has been an invalid for several years following a stroke.

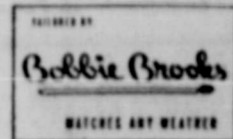
Aldeen Rodgers and Royce transacted business in Beaver, Okla., Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Klotz and family of Waka spent Christmas in Fredericksburg, Iowa, visiting with his mother Mrs. W. H. Klotz, his two brothers and a sister. They left on Monday of last week and plan to be gone about ten days.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. Truax wish to express appreciation to friends and neighbors for their many kindness and help in bereavement. For the floral offerings, the expressions of sympathy and the care of the body, they are deeply grateful.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray W. family spent Christmas sister and family, Mr. Myles Groseclose of Mexico.



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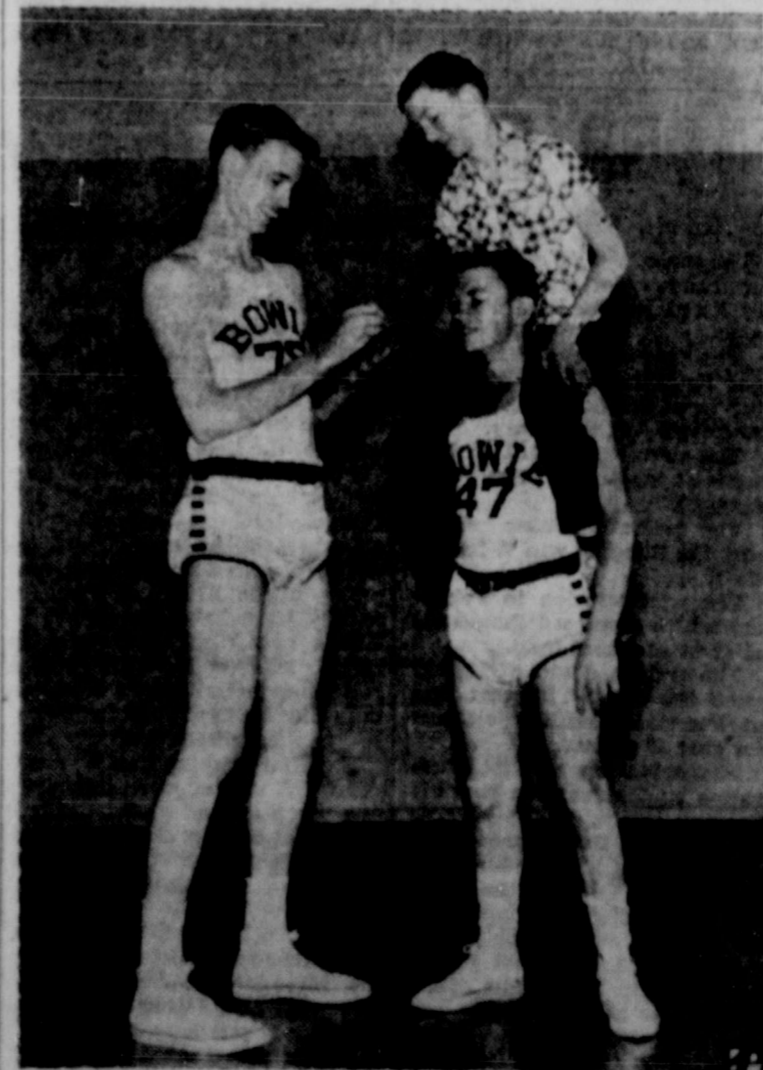
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LIGHT POWER



TALL TEXAN—Temple Tucker, Bowie high school's 6 foot 10 inch basketball star, is one of the most sought-after athletes in Texas, but he has indicated that Rice has the inside track for his college playing days. Here the high scorer of the three-times state champion Bowie team gives his autograph to Bill Wood, whose 5 feet 6 is held up by Johnnie Carver's 5 feet 8.



WON MAKES LONG GAIN FOR LAMAR—Walter Fondren, Lamar high school of Houston's top pitcher, picked up 23 yards for his team in game at Odesta high school at Houston. Lamar won the game by a 33 to 7 count to win the Texas high school title. (P Wirephoto)

Members of the Turpin, Okla. Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star met Monday night to elect officers who will be installed at a public ceremony Monday, December 28, at 8 o'clock. A party for those whose birthdays occurred during the last six months of the year was enjoyed.

For the party, the quartet tables were decorated for the months from July to December. The buffet table was centered with a Christmas arrangement of pine cones and greenery.

Officers elected for the coming year were Mr. and Mrs. John R. King, worthy matron and worthy patron; Mr. and Mrs. Hagen Gardner, associate matron and associate patron; Mrs. Olen Sharp, secretary; Mrs. Orville Houston, treasurer; Mrs. Warren Swan, conductress; Mrs. Marion Peters, associate conductress. The following persons were appointed by the worthy matron-elect: Adah, Mrs. Jim Pemberton; Ruth, Mrs. Hugh Dorman; Martha, Mrs. Wayne Peters; Electra, Mrs. Glen Myers; chaplain, Mrs. Wyatt Williams; marshal, Mrs. Roy Lewis; organist, Mrs. C. A. Fithian; warder, Mrs. Clifton Lynch; sentinel, Warren Swan.

Mrs. John King presented the worthy matron, Mrs. Naomi Cantrell, a beautiful quilt, which was made by her officers.

A skit was presented with Mrs. Lloyd Brown, mistress of ceremonies.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Francis Grove, Mrs. Olen Sharp, Mrs. Jim Pemberton and Mrs. Orville Houston.

Mrs. Naomi Cantrell, worthy matron and William Kulow, worthy patron, entertained their officers of the Turpin Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star and their husbands with a buffet supper Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Houston.

The invocation was given by John R. King.

Mrs. Cantrell presented her officers with a gift.

The entertaining rooms were beautifully decorated in keeping with the Christmas season. The

buffet table was centered with a Christmas tree, flanked by red and green candles. The smaller tables were centered with candles of the Star point colors decorated with poinsettias in star-shaped holders. Nut cups were small Christmas bells.

After supper games were played.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. John R. King, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Hagen Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Swan, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Pyle, Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pemberton and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Kinney.

William Kulow visited at the J. R. Kulow home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pirtle were dinner guests Sunday in the J. R. Kulow home. Mr. and Mrs. James Kulow and Terry were callers in the Kulow home during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Goss and son and Mrs. Goss' mother, Mrs. D. Ray Johnston, all of Berkeley, Calif., arrived last week to spend Christmas here.

Lt. and Mrs. Kenneth Johnston and baby arrived recently from Georgia to spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harrison called on Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Wednesday.

D. Ray Johnston is helping his brother Joe cut feed in the Greenough community.

Oscar Wilhoit is topping feed this week.

Daisy Cone is expecting her son, Elbert and family of Edmond, Okla., home for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. John King and Mr. and Mrs. Hagen Gardner visited Wednesday in Cimarron, Kans., with Mrs. King's son, Edsel Lee King and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Buxton entertained with a birthday dinner Sunday honoring Mr. Buxton's sister, Mrs. C. H. Wehmeier and Mr. Wehmeier, Arlene and Douglas, Clydena, Burnell and Darrel Bries and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Potter, Marlena and Jerry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kulow, Dana and Lynette of Amarillo were due to arrive Thursday for Christmas.



Myrtie Conley Gets Promotion

WAF Technical Sergeant Myrtie M. Conley, 746th AC&W Squadron, 33rd Air Division, Tinker Field, Oklahoma City, has been promoted to Master Sergeant to become the only woman Master Sergeant in the 33rd.

Sgt. Conley, who works in the Crypto Section of communications and Electronics, has 10 years continuous active service. She enlisted in the service in November 1943 and has had three years overseas duty in Germany. She is from Perryton, Texas.

• Palestine

By Mrs. L. C. Karber

Everyone has enjoyed the fine Christmas weather.

The community had a full house at their Christmas program Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leatherman and Ollie spent the Christmas holidays in Nebraska.

C. N. Crum spent several nights this week in the C. B. Gift home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester La Tour and sons of Liberal and Paul Leatherman were dinner guests Christmas in the Fred Cowan home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Karber worked Tuesday at the church papering the parsonage.

Mildred Cowan, Eloise Cowan, Lois Karber, Betty Ratzlaff, Mrs. E. Eiseaman, LaFaun Karber, Nellie Pierce and Eva Cowan attended the Christmas parties at the school Wednesday afternoon.

Christmas dinner guests in the C. B. Gift home were Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Karber and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gift and C. N. Crum.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Karber and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Karber and sons spent Christmas evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hutson of Elmwood.

The Bransgrove brothers spent Christmas day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bransgrove.

The Palestine Community sends their sympathy to the T. M. Cowan family in the death of their father.

C. B. Gift, Mrs. L. C. Karber and Garry, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cowan and Beryl attended the funeral of T. M. Cowan of Enid, Okla., Saturday morning.

Mrs. L. C. Karber and Garry and C. B. Gift spent Saturday night in Enid with relatives.

C. B. Gift and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Karber and sons attended the wedding of Floyd Dale Gift and Mary Lou Ross Sunday afternoon in Liberal, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Karber and boys called on Mr. and Mrs. Dale Peters and family Sunday evening.

Lions Club Meets Tuesday

After two weeks vacation the Perryton Lions Club will have their regular Tuesday meeting at Hotel Perryton Coffee Shop. Don Thurman is in charge of the noon program.

Money normally paid out for meals during the two weeks was sent to the Texas Lions Club Cripple Children's Camp at Kerrville, Texas.

Booker Soldier Gets Promotion

7TH DIV., KOREA—John R. Beagle, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Beagle of Booker, Texas, recently was promoted to corporal while serving in Korea with the 7th Infantry Division.

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A member of the 707th Ordnance Battalion, Corporal Beagle arrived in Korea last July. He entered the Army in December 1952 and completed basic training at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

Guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Johnson and Mrs. A. E. Johnson during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hale of Hutchinson, Kansas. Mrs. Hall is a daughter of Mrs. Johnson and a sister of Mr. Johnson.

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BALKO News

Carolyn McGlamery

Mr. and Mrs. Galen Sargent and Nakita Lynn, Stillwater, Okla., were home for the holidays, visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Saunders and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sargent. Galen is a senior at Oklahoma A&M this year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Renfrow of Oklahoma City, former residents of this community visited with friends and with their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Derrel Renfrow, during the Christmas vacation.

Rev. and Mrs. O. J. Welch, Cherrie and Jerrel went to Shamrock Friday morning to spend Christmas in the home of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Noe of Tulsa, Okla., visited during the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Noe of Gray and Mrs. Nachigall of Balko. Paul is employed at Douglas Aircraft Plant in Tulsa.

Leon Pugh, a student at Bob Jones University, is spending the Christmas vacation in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Pugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Neufeld from Denver, Colorado spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Neufeld.

Roy Kerns who has been working in California was home with his mother, Mrs. Virgie Kerns for the holidays.

Mrs. Rose Stull, Drummond, Oklahoma, is here visiting with her brother Charlie Zimmerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Miller and Samuel Leroy, Lubbock, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Don Miller and family from Perryton had Christmas dinner in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller.

Billie Jean Duff and Patsy McDonald, who are employed at the Telephone company in Guymon, were home for Christmas.

Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Goss and Ethel Marie of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Goss, Jr. and Jack Lynn of California visited with friends in this community Christmas Eve.

Norman Enterline, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Enterline, has been taken to Ft. Bliss, Texas for his basic training.

Betty Baker, Jo Rene Sargent, Rheta Faye Cates, Bennie Bob Kerns, Darrell Morris, Carolyn McGlamery and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Tice, students of Panhandle A&M College at Goodwell, are home for Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. K. W. McGlamery and sons, Keith and Bruce of Tulsa, Okla. visited in the McGlamery home from Thursday until Sunday.

J. F. Colwell who is working as a machinist for the Vickers Co., makers of hydraulic equipment in Inglewood, California, came home Tuesday, to be here for Christmas. He had to return Sunday.

A. J. Floyd Dean Enterline who is stationed on Motogarda Island is home on leave, visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Enterline.

Edward McDonald and Donald Pugh went to McPherson, Kansas Thursday to spend Christmas with Edward's uncle and to visit Tommy Scholtz. They returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Mattie Hibbs, Herb Hibbs' mother, suffered a light stroke last Wednesday, but has improved. Mr. and Mrs. Herb Hibbs spent Christmas day with her.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Swiger and family visited with her sister and family, the Kershmans at Booker, Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Neal Pierce and girls had Christmas dinner in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Law and family visited with her sister and family, the Kershmans at Booker, Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Swiger spent the week end at Liberal in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gray and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Blackweider spent Christmas Eve with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kinsey and Steve.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chisum, Perryton, visited with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Pugh, Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Speer and family went to Beaver Friday to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bandy, Jr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Robertson and Peggy spent Christmas with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Hoover of Liberal.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Neufeld, Borger, Texas, are visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Neufeld.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kinsey entertained with a Christmas party in their home Saturday night. Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Mitchell, Nacona, Texas, Mr. and Mrs.



WINS BATTLE OF THE CATS—Robin Powell of New York, Cape Cod, Mass., and Coconut Grove, Fla., poses in court at New Braunfels, Tex., with two of three cats she regained possession of. In a petition filed with the court Robin's father, J. B. Powell, said that Air Force Lt. John Farrar, stationed at nearby Gary Air Force Base, had kidnapped the cats and was holding them as "ransom" to regain the affections of Robin. Powell asked that the cats be returned. Dist. Judge Fuchs ruled "it shouldn't happen to a dog," and ordered the lieutenant to return the cats to Powell. (AP Photo)

Gene Westenhaver, Perryton, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bartel, and Mrs. Derrel Renfrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sanger and children, Liberal, Kansas, were Sunday visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Duff.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Morehead spent Christmas night in Beaver in the home of her mother, Mrs. Earl Phelps.

Spending Christmas day in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Pearson were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Westenhaver and Billy, Perryton, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendricks and Jimmy, Beaver, and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Harris, Hooker, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pugh and sons spent Christmas eve in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Pugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Palmer, Mark and Patti went to Eldorado, Okla. to spend Christmas with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Palmer.

The Young Married People's Class of the First Baptist Church and their teacher, Mrs. O. J. Welch entertained with a turkey supper last Thursday night honoring the Young People's Class and sponsor.

The tables were laid with white table cloths and decorated with Christmas centerpieces and tall white tapering candles trimmed with red and green tinsel.

The traditional grab box brought forth many strange gifts. Present to enjoy the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Don Eiland, Mrs. Duane Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Derrel Renfrow, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bartel, Rev. and Mrs. O. J. Welch, Mrs. Billy Cornell, Mrs. J. A. Kinsey, Dean Zimmerman, Robert Pearson, Johnny Lane, Joe Immerman, Barbara Bohling, Patsy Tregellas, Betty Clubb, Cherrie Welch, Jerrel Welch, Shirley Hawkins and Mrs. Marie McGlamery.

Mrs. Jack Bartel entertained her Young People's Sunday School Class with a Christmas party last Monday night at 7:30. Mrs. Jack Colwell assisted with the hostess duties.

The evening was spent playing games. Mrs. Bartel presented the boys with bow ties and the girls with necklaces. Refreshments of cake, ice cream, jello and peppermint sticks were served. At the close of the evening, the class gave their teacher a leather make-up kit.

Those attending were Patsy Tregellas, Barbara Bohling, Betty Clubb, Carolyn McGlamery, Johnny Lane, Dean Zimmerman, Joe Zimmerman, Robert Pearson, Jerrel Welch, David Boyer, Neal Clubb and Jack Bartel.

Wilma and Margie Pletcher, students at Goshen College, Goshen, Indiana, are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Pletcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Tallaferro and Sue of Vici, Okla. were guests of Mrs. Del Tallaferro overnight Christmas eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Worley Adair and J. T. of Rocky Ford, Colo. spent several days visiting relatives in and around Perryton during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Waller visited with relatives in Lawton and Oklahoma City over the holidays.

Political Announcements

The Ochiltree County Herald is authorized to announce the following as candidates for nomination, subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary to be held July 24, 1954:

For County Treasurer: MRS. LILLIAN WARREN

Veterans Forum

Q. I'm planning to train under the Korean GI Bill, and I want to claim my mother as a dependent. She earns a little money, but not enough to get along without my help. What are the requirements as to dependency of parents?

A. Dependency is held to exist if your mother does not have an income large enough to provide for her "reasonable maintenance." That term includes not only the bare necessities of life, but also a reasonable amount of the conveniences and comforts in keeping with her standard of living.

Q. I am the widow of a World War II veteran. In figuring out my yearly income for VA pension purposes, am I supposed to count the proceeds of my late husband's commercial insurance, which I receive each month? A. Yes. Commercial insurance proceeds must be included as income, in determining whether you meet the income ceiling requirements of the law for a VA pension.

Q. If I go to school under the Korean GI Bill, will I be allowed to earn money on the side, to supplement my GI allowances?

A. Yes. There are no restrictions on the amount of money a veteran may earn, to supplement his monthly GI education and training allowance. But there is a ceiling for on-the-job trainees only. If training pay plus allowances exceed \$310 a month, the VA allowances will be pared down accordingly.

Q. I understand that I'll need my original discharge paper, in order to get a GI home loan. I lost mine. What should I do?

Mrs. Del Tallaferro was a guest in the home of her father, W. W. Underwood of Wheeler, from Christmas day until Sunday.

Mrs. Claude Shearer, Otis, James Pat and Joe of Booker and Mary Bess Brillhart left last Saturday for Brady to spend a week with Mrs. Shearer's mother and other relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Showalter spent the Christmas holidays with their son, Carl and family of Denver, Colorado.

Jimmy Cameron, a senior student at West Texas State College at Canyon, is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Thelma Cameron.

Since 1950, the U. S. Census Bureau has printed enough books about the census of that year to fill a three foot shelf and more books are on the way.

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Mr. and Mrs. Garland Daley and Carol were guests over the Christmas holidays in the home of Mrs. Daley's mother, Mrs. Agnes Macy of Miami, Oklahoma. The Daleys returned home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sweigart, Randy and Cindy of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Yoder of Goshen, Indiana and Earl Sweigart of Pueblo, Colo., are guests in the Milton Sweigart home.

Pfc. Roy Devers, stationed with the army at Camp Carson, Colorado, is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Devers.

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OBITUARY

Thaddeus McKelvey Cowan was born May 29, 1871 in Dodsdsville, Illinois, the son of William and Rebecca Cowan, and departed this life, December 23, 1953 at the age of eighty-two years, six months and 24 days. He was educated at Bushnell Normal and Shattuck College, Quincy, Ill., and taught several terms in Illinois.

On Sept. 2, 1900 he was united in marriage to Christine A. Thompson at Lamar, Missouri. They established their home in Enid where he was employed in the post office during the administration of John Buckles and Frank Frantz.

In 1906 Mr. and Mrs. Cowan homesteaded in Beaver County, Oklahoma near his only brother, John. Here he farmed and taught school for seventeen years. In 1921 the family moved to Beaver City where he served two terms as County Treasurer. Then he engaged in the drygoods business until they moved to an acreage near Stillwater where the young or children attended college. When the youngest son, Calvin, entered the army, Mr. and Mrs. Cowan came to Enid where they have since resided.

He was preceded in death by his sister, Mrs. A. S. Parriott, Enid, an dhis brother John Cowan, a son, Sgt. John T. Cowan, and one grandchildren Avis Robinson.

He is survived by his wife of the home, and five sons and four daughters and sixteen grandchildren. His children are: Percy W. Cowan, Ted M. Cowan, Ashfork, Arizona, Robert B. Cowan, Ingalls, Kansas, Reverend Leonard Cowan, Wichita, Kansas, and Calvin E. Cowan, Great Bend, Kansas; Mrs. John A. Keller, Orlando, Okla., Miss Clarinda Cowan, Long Beach, Calif., Mrs. P. G. Robinson, Cleo Springs, Okla., and Mrs. Louis Winchester, Enid, Okla.

He lived a full and complete life and maintained an active interest in the good of all mankind his entire life. His loyalty was to his Church and family. He loved to read and had a great understanding of literature, having been affectionately known as Shakespeare at school because of his aptitude in the reading of that author's works. He had read it through the first time at the age of nine, and later served as teacher of the Mens Bible class for years. He would always give his children wise counsel, and he was willing and capable to help with school problems. He enjoyed his home life and friends until the day before he passed away.

Carol Dockum of Colorado Springs is visiting during the Christmas holidays with Jackie Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Underwood Jr. of Albuquerque, N. M. were guests of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. I. Buchanan, last Saturday.

Mrs. Mattie Hibbs, Herb Hibbs' mother, suffered a light stroke last Wednesday, but has improved. Mr. and Mrs. Herb Hibbs spent Christmas day with her.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Swiger and family visited with her sister and family, the Kershmans at Booker, Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Neal Pierce and girls had Christmas dinner in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Law and family visited with her sister and family, the Kershmans at Booker, Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chisum, Perryton, visited with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Pugh, Christmas day.

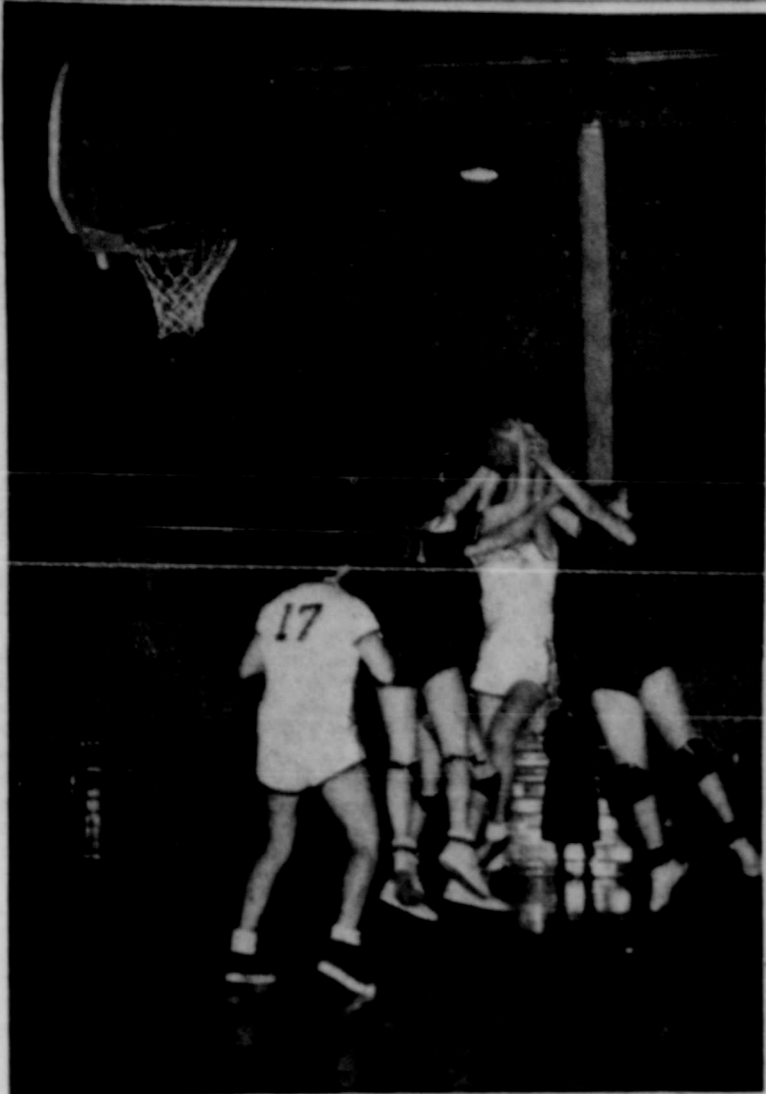
Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Speer and family went to Beaver Friday to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bandy, Jr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Tallaferro and Sue of Vici, Okla. were guests of Mrs. Del Tallaferro overnight Christmas eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Worley Adair and J. T. of Rocky Ford, Colo. spent several days visiting relatives in and around Perryton during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Waller visited with relatives in Lawton and Oklahoma City over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kinsey entertained with a Christmas party in their home Saturday night. Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Mitchell, Nacona, Texas, Mr. and Mrs.



TIE BALL—Rangerette forward Harriet Hale, in white, ties up the ball with two Canadian guards while Elaine Clack, 17, looks on. The Rangerettes won the contest, 36-33.

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scored triumphs against their next five foes, including four district victories, first since 1948. They ended the season with a 7-2-1 record and lost only four seniors off the team.

Wind Erosion
Things looked rough in February. After a dry fall with not a sprig of wheat appearing until after the first of the year, February came in with a series of dry northerly winds which stirred up the soil in all parts of the area, especially in the northwest part of Ochiltree county.

Farmers went to work with chisels to combat the blowing, but the dust filled bar pits and blotted visibility in dust storms that were as bad as those back in the 1930's.

An estimated 10 per cent of the wheat in Ochiltree county was lost to wind and dust during two weeks of February, but much of the wheat land recovered to produce a small yield by summer.

Stewart Death
Van W. Stewart, publisher of the Ochiltree County Herald since 1921, died May 10 of a sudden heart attack. He was one of the leading citizens of Perryton and one of the Plains most loyal boosters. He had worked and held office in most of Perryton's civic organizations and had achieved state and national fame as a publisher and for his work with the American Legion.

Post Office Status
The Perryton post office finally achieved first class status by having postal receipts in excess of \$40,000 for a calendar year. The Perryton office turned in receipts of \$41,984.92 during 1952, aided by a boost in parcel post rates.

Little change in operation resulted from the change, except a change in parcel post regulations and salary raises for the postmaster and assistant postmaster.

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125 horsepower engine, most powerful of any in the half-ton through one-ton field.

The 1954 GMCs have entirely new styling with such features as two-tone paints and two-tone upholstery, and a deluxe model that goes all-out for beauty.

Power steering is available and a new single curved windshield gives increased visibility. All models have a Silent Power muffler which takes out all the irritating noises without loss of engine power.

All along the 1954 line GMC has made more than 100 styling and engineering changes.

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lie; three sisters, Mrs. Frank Ferguson, Mrs. R. W. Haley and Mrs. R. W. Leatherman, all of Perryton; and two brothers, Marion and Jimmy Palmer, both of Perryton.

Interment was in the Fairview cemetery in Pampa. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Thomas of Hereford spent Monday and Tuesday in the Jim Anderson home visiting his sister, Mrs. Edna Watson.

Check the Want Ads this week.

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who was a regular for three years. Witt, senior tackle who missed the 1952 season with a back injury, was one of the mainstays in a stout Ranger line which carried the team to third place in district standings.

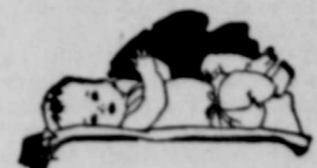
Drake, one of the better ball handlers and passers in the district, is also a senior with three letters.

Thrasher, a junior, led the Rangers in pass receiving and is being counted upon for a good year with the 1954 Rangers.

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clay car back on its wheels and it was later driven away.

The fire, a blaze in a parked pickup at the Collingsworth Motor Co., was extinguished before the fire department arrived.



NEW TAXPAYERS

Mr. and Mrs. Don Kunselman, a daughter, Karen Elizabeth, born December 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Karlpfeifer, a daughter, born December 25. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brewer, a daughter, Barbara Lynn, born December 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford S. Howard, a son, Clint Verlin, born December 25.

Mr. and Mrs. James K. Gross, a son, Curtis Paul, born Dec. 27.

Marriage Licenses

Dec. 22: Cloyd Marvin Koppel and Vivian Lois Lombard.

Reverend and Mrs. J. R. Russell and family visited relatives in Dallas during the Christmas holidays.

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keeping high quality cattle on the range.

4-H Club
There are 53 4-H Club boys in the county. Demonstrations include 25 baby beef calves, ten breeding cattle herds, nine wheat plots, three commercial calves, ten swine, one poultry, one garden, nine sheep and nine grain sorghum plots.

Jimmy Latham won second in the state Wheat Show.

Club boys exhibited calves, sheep, swine and rabbits at the North Plains Fair.

A grain sorghum contest is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and Perryton merchants.

Dairy
There are only five grade A dairy farms in the county. The poor feed crops have discouraged more dairying. A dairy association has been formed to encourage milk production and to aid in marketing milk in this area.

Swine
Ochiltree county has few hog producers and these have been in business for many years. Hogs increased last year with some feed grown and a good price for hogs on the market.

Poultry
Most of the work with poultry consists of culling, sanitation, housing problems, diseases and feeding. Most farms raise some poultry and have some poultry products for sale. However, poultry production has not reached a very high level.

Bindweed
Work on bindweed eradication continues, with various methods being used. Spraying with 2-4-D, continuous cropping and the use of concentrated Boracuse are the most common methods.

The Santa Fe railway, state highway department and county sprayed right-of-way for bindweed during the summer.

Grain Sorghums
About 30,000 acres of grain sorghums were planted this year. Yields ranged from failures to 60 bushels per acre and up to 100 bushels per acre on irrigated land.

About 30 farmers put in a total of about 12,000 tons of silage this year.

Gardens
Gardens were fair this year. A late freeze damaged early gardens then hot dry weather lowered the yields.

Windbreaks
Over 13,000 trees were planted in windbreaks on farms in the county. Several more have indicated they plan to plant windbreaks this year with trees available from Texas Forest Service.

Irrigation
Irrigation has increased during the year with 20 wells in operation. Most of the wells have been profitable, paying for themselves in 2 to 4 years. One well drilled last year paid for half the cost in one year.

Irrigation could do much to in the county. Irrigation this year stabilize the income of farmers has meant from \$10 to \$50 per acre more return from the land.

Soil Conservation
The two major problems in soil conservation is wind and water erosion. The most effective method of combating erosion on wheat and sorghum land is through crop residue management.

Most farmers use one-way plows which tend to turn under the crop residue. A few are using stubble mulch implements and find them satisfactory.

A stubble mulch field day was held this year and the implement dealers demonstrated their plows. About 200 people attended.

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again is offering three lines—Mainline, Customline and Crestline—with 14 body styles. Three new body types added this year are the Crestline Skyliner with the transparent roof and a Crestline Fordor Sedan, featuring interiors found only in more costly cars. A Customline Ranch Wagon has been added to the three Ford station wagons previously available.

An unusual feature has been added to the convertible top—a plastic insert placed in the top over the driving compartment. The new Skyliner has a transparent molded plastic top which covers the entire driving compartment.

Power steering, power brakes, 4-way power seat and power lift windows are optional on all models.

Obituary
Lucretia Belle Hart was born Jan. 14, 1870 at Waterloo, Ala., to Silas and Harriet Hart. The family moved to southeast Kansas in 1872.

She was educated at Baker University, Baldwin, Kansas and taught school for three years before her marriage to Abraham Lincoln Truax on November 10, 1895.

To this union was born three sons, Glen A., Omar R. and M. W.

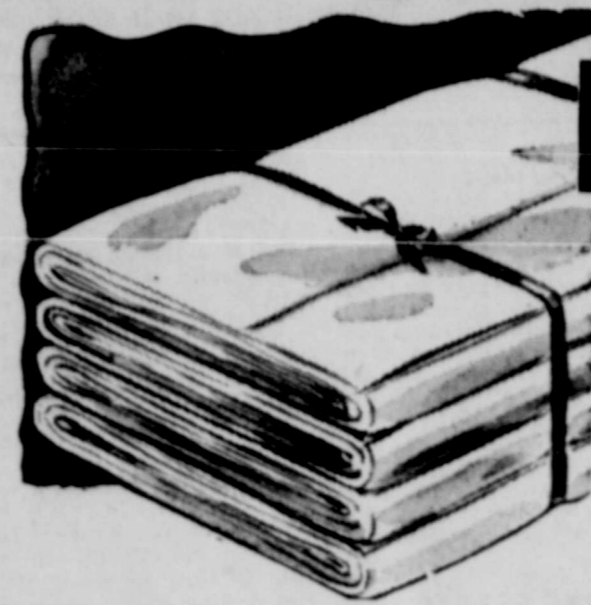
She was a member of the Methodist church since early childhood and was active in all phases of church work.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, and one son, M. W. "Beno" Truax who died in service during World War II.

Josephine Thomas of Pampa spent the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Edna Watson and with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Anderson and family.



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Class Enjoys Christmas Party

The Home Builders Class of the Nazarene Church enjoyed a Christmas party last Friday at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Haggard northwest of Perryton.

The home was decorated with a Christmas tree and other Yuletide decorations for the occasion. Gifts were exchanged by the group.

The centerpiece on the refreshment table was fashioned of a sleigh and reindeer and the wise men.

Sandwiches, pie and coffee were served.

Those present were Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McGarraugh and family, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Bolerjack and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Ferguson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tucker and family, Mrs. Lina Schweitzer and the host and hostess.

Group Entertained Christmas Eve

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Allen entertained their families and friends, Christmas eve, in the Dewey Allen home at 802 South Baylor.

Following the serving of refreshments games were played and Christmas carols sung. A gift exchange was enjoyed.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Howard Holt, Susie and Christy, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Brillhart and Joe Lynn, Mrs. G. D. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brillhart, Roz and Randy, Mrs. Johnny Carter, Mrs. Elsie Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Allen, Fred Lewis, Mrs. Luther Wade and the hosts and hostesses and their families.



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED . . . Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Parker of Jefferson City, Missouri announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Lou, to Gene Weldon Clack, son of Mrs. G. E. Murphy of Perryton. Both are students at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth. No date has been set for the wedding.

Couple Entertains December 23

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Edge were hosts for a buffet supper on December 23.

After supper a gift exchange

was enjoyed by Mrs. J. A. Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Pletcher and family, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wagner and family, Linda Edge and the host and hostess.

Read Want Ads Regularly!

Open House Held Saturday Evening

Fifty guests attended the open house Saturday evening, December 26, given by Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Herndon in their home at 822 South Grinnell.

Special guests for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Herndon Jr. and Blossom of Dallas and Joe Goddard of Austin.

Poinsettias, red carnations and Christmas candles decorated the entertaining rooms.

The serving table was decorated with an arrangement of red carnations and silver bells.

Entertains Friends Monday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Pletcher entertained a number of friends Monday evening.

Juanita and Margie Pletcher and Janice Miller entertained with several selections of piano, organ and vocal music.

A refreshment plate was served to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holde-man, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Miller and Janice, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tallafiero, Kathy and Royce, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lemon of Booker and the Pletcher family.

Couple Entertains At Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Jack M. Allen, 1010 South Amherst, entertained at dinner Saturday evening.

An arrangement of silver leaves and pink and silver Christmas balls flanked with pink tapers centered the dinner table which was laid with a white grass linen cloth.

Places were laid for Dr. and Mrs. Wendell Buchhaults of Savannah, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy LaMaster, Phil LaMaster and the host and hostess.

Miss Jeanine Barber of Albuquerque, N. M. arrived Wednesday to spend the week end in the L. T. Tucker home.



FORMAL CEREMONY—The First Methodist Church of Bartlesville, Oklahoma was the setting, Saturday evening, December 19, for the wedding of Miss Helaine Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wright of Bartlesville and Glen Edward Lemon, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lemon of Booker. The couple are on a wedding trip to points in Texas and will be in Dallas for the Cotton Bowl game on New Year's day. Mr. and Mrs. Lemon are students at Oklahoma A&M College.

House Guests

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bruce Bray, Miss Margaret Bray and Diana Bray, all of Fresno, California and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gunlund and sons of Caruthers, California were house guests of Mr. and

Mrs. S. P. Tevis during the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Bray is a sister of Mrs. Tevis and Mrs. Gunlund is a niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Tevis entertained with a dinner, December 22, for their guests and relatives.

READ DECEMBER 18—The marriage of Miss Wanda of Amarillo and Gene Stinson was read in Clovis, New Mexico, December 18, in the First Methodist Church. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. R. Craig Smith of Gorman, Texas and the late Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Stinson, 621 South Harvard, are parents of the groom. The couple will make their home at the Stinson property, Hardesty, Oklahoma.

Christmas Party Tuesday

Kayleen Schnell, 705 West, entertained members of the Sunday school class of the Baptist Church with a Christmas party and gift exchange Tuesday afternoon.

Presented the teaching of W. L. Good, with a gift exchange and games had been played, refreshments were served.

Present were Misses Ann Day, Sue Williams, Stone, Euella Wright, Flowers, Phyllis Verlan Mounts, Mrs. Good hostess.

Family Party Held Christmas Eve

Mrs. Del Tallafiero entertained her children and members of their families Christmas eve.

A delicious buffet supper was served to Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lemon of Booker, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Blau and Barton of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Wood Tallafiero and Sue of Vici, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Alex Barton Jr. and Mrs. A. S. Brillhart, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Pletcher, Wilma, Juanita, Margie and B. R. Jr. and the hostess.

A gift exchange and a visit from Santa Claus completed the evening.

festive Christmas Dinners Highlight Holiday Season

Every locale throughout the families in Perryton and surrounding communities gathered in groups during the Christmas season for family parties, reunions, and home decorated for the holiday and the traditional spirit of fellowship prevailed. The dinners this year were being:

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Todd had guests for a turkey dinner Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Garragh, Cliff and Scott and East Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Herrmann, Bobbie, Connie, Amy Jo and Jim Lamb and Pat; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Herrmann, Bobbie, Connie, Amy Jo and Jim Lamb and Pat; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Herrmann, Bobbie, Connie, Amy Jo and Jim Lamb and Pat; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Herrmann, Bobbie, Connie, Amy Jo and Jim Lamb and Pat.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Swink entertained with their annual family Christmas dinner, Christmas day.

Several members of the family were unable to be present. Unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Sollock of Kress, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Swink, Priscilla Ann and Larry Norman and H. T. Morrison of Hooker, Okla.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Swink of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Swink, Donna, Howard and Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Swink, Thomasene, Georgia Ann and Judith Kaye, Mr. and Mrs. Corky Swink, Corky Jean and Jo Ann of Childress, the host and hostess and their daughter Mary Belle.

The Barlow family Christmas dinner was held last Friday in the home of Mrs. H. C. Barlow Sr. 302 South Cedar.

Places were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cooper, Fairy and Betty of Gruver, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Barnes of Gruver, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gruver and Marlene of Gruver, Mr. and Mrs. Durward Bell, Karen and Gregg of Bovina, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dietrich and Don, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Barlow, Leona, D. C. Veta and Kelth, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barlow, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ragsdale, Craig and Tony, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reimer, Judy and Connie, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barlow, Alex Barlow and Mrs. Verdine Copeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Gurley and children called in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Juliusson, 210 South Amherst, entertained with their Christmas dinner, Christmas eve.

Places were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lanner and family of Sayre, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Gale Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Correll, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Seago and daughters of Spavino, Okla., Imel Seago and the host and hostess.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Trollinger and family of Fritch, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Trollinger and family of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ballard and family of Liberal, Kans., Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ballard and family of Liberal, Kans., Mr. and Mrs. Welland Spradlin of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Edwards and Connie, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Juliusson, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Mays and family and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster were hosts for a family dinner and gift exchange Christmas eve in their home at 722 South Baylor.

The serving table was centered with a large red candle, encircled with a silver metallic Christmas wreath, with red candles at either side.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Good, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Good and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Good and family, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Good and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McWilliams and Jennifer, Mrs. Opal Rucker of Wichita, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Good and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Phelps and Kenda, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wardle and Cindy of Wichita, Kansas, Mrs. Jerry Ferguson and Shari of Spearman and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Good were dinner hosts Christmas day in their home at 914 South Amherst.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Good and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Phelps and Kenda, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Galoway and family of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Good, Mrs. Opal Rucker of Wichita, Kans., Gene Good, Gail Good, Deanna Good and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gyger were hosts for a Christmas dinner in their home at 717 S. W. 3rd Avenue.

A traditional turkey dinner was served to Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Leatherman, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. LeMaster, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Witt and Danny, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Leatherman and Gaynelle, Mrs. Cook of Stratford, Okla. and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hearn, 1205 South Drake, were hosts at dinner Christmas day.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hearn and sons of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hearn and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown of Stillwater, Okla., Mrs. Elsie Hearn of Marshall, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Truax, Glen Truax of Amarillo and the host and hostess.

The Oren Gatewood home at 209 South Baylor was the scene of a family dinner, Christmas day.

Enjoying the day were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Fleming and Gregg of Canadian, Mr. and Mrs. Dean LaFever of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Atchison of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Deward Atchison and Diana, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Waggoner, I. H. Waggoner, Mr. and

Guests for dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Buchanan, 1502 South Colgate, Christmas day, were their daughter, Miss Betty Buchanan of Dallas and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Buchanan Jr. of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Debs Riley, 502 S. E. 2nd Ave., entertained with a Christmas dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Jim Anderson, Jimmy and Judy, Mrs. Edna Watson, Josephine Thomas of Pampa, Mrs. Furman Williams of Canadian, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Myer, Mrs. Dewey Taylor, Gene, Marion and Elbert Riley.

Mrs. F. C. Spencer and Grace entertained at dinner Christmas eve in their home at 821 Grinnell.

The table was laid with a white linen cloth and decorated with holly, red and white candles and silver Christmas balls. After dinner gifts were exchanged.

Those present were Mrs. L. M. Davis of Borger, Mrs. C. B. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hudson, Jimmy and Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Rogers and the hostesses.

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Mrs. Maryon Organ and the host and hostess.

A family Christmas dinner was enjoyed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Apple, 717 South Grinnell, Christmas day.

Places were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kent of Amarillo, Ensign and Cheryl of Pensacola, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rosenberg and Bonnie Jean Apple of Greenville, Mrs. Bess Apple of Fairview, Okla., Kara Bess Apple, Kent Apple and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Pletcher were hosts at dinner on Christmas day.

Places were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Wood Tallafiero and Sue, Vici, Okla., Wilma, Juanita, Margie and B. R. Jr. and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Whippo entertained members of their family with a Christmas dinner Christmas day in their home at 914 South Fordham.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Black and Klee of Oklahoma City, Mrs. C. H. Black of Siloam Springs, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Rex Clark, Wiley and Kelly, Mrs. Alfred Pittman and Marieta, Mrs. Irvin Lamb and Timmy of Spearman, Charles Whippo Sr., Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Correll and Randy Correll, Archie Correll and Jeannie Lou, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Whippie and Ruth, Mrs. Olive Black of Siloam Springs, Ark., Mrs. Ida Bell Halpain, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Wilson, Irvin Lynn, Tanya Rae and Rhonda Lea, Ogden Wilson, Virgie Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Wilson and David and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrel Kerns of Gray, Okla. entertained Christmas eve with a dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kerns, Kay and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kerns and Karen, Benny Bob Kerns, Mrs. Katherine Searcy of Iowa, Kansas and Mrs. Esther Daley of Los Angeles, California.

In the afternoon the group enjoyed a gift exchange.

A Christmas dinner was served in the A. E. Pittman home, 1009 S. Eton, Sunday, December 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Erilis Pittman and sons, Frank and Bill of Morse; Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Pittman of Beaver; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Albright and sons, Dale, Malvin and Eldon; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Pittman, Terrell and Kathy Ann of Gray, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Koehn; Mr. and Mrs. John

December 27 was the day the Whippo family had their annual Christmas dinner and party and gift exchange.

The party was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wilson southwest of town.

Christmas scenes and Christmas arrangements decorated the home for the occasion.

The serving table was laid with a white cloth decorated with Christmas stars and seals. The centerpiece was a large crystal ball filled with angel hair and Christmas balls, encircled with silver cones.

Following dinner the younger group enjoyed games of ping-pong. The others played pitch and other games.

In the afternoon a large box of candy, a gift of Mrs. E. L. Whippo of Dallas, was opened. The relatives in Georgia sent a box of assorted nuts.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McMillen, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Oxford and Jay Mac of Amarillo, Stewart Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Thurman, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Clark, Wiley and Kelly, Mrs. Alfred Pittman and Marieta, Mrs. Irvin Lamb and Timmy of Spearman, Charles Whippo Sr., Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Correll and Randy Correll, Archie Correll and Jeannie Lou, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Whippie and Ruth, Mrs. Olive Black of Siloam Springs, Ark., Mrs. Ida Bell Halpain, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Wilson, Irvin Lynn, Tanya Rae and Rhonda Lea, Ogden Wilson, Virgie Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Wilson and David and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Huston and Mickey were hosts for a Christmas dinner last Friday in their home northeast of Perryton.

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The dinner table was centered with Christmas candles encircled with holly and silver cones.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pribble of Gray, Oklahoma were hosts for a turkey dinner in their home Christmas day.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Potter of Las Animas, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Francis

Stubblefield; L. W. Jacobson; Mrs. Nellie Mounts and sons, Duane and Del Ray; Miss Norma Davis and the host and hostess.

The day was spent visiting and playing canasta and dominoes.

Judge and Mrs. Jack R. Allen, 610 South Baylor, were dinner hosts Christmas day.

The table was laid with a pink cloth and decorated with a red candle and holly.

Places were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Jack M. Allen, Kay Lou and Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen, Gregg and Mark, Rice Jones of Fort Worth, Ray Sickle of Amarillo and the host and hostess.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Rupprecht, 718 South Fordham, Christmas day, were Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Rupprecht, Al, Benny and Sharon and Mr. and Mrs. Don Eudy, Ricky and Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Cutter served a turkey dinner Christmas day to Miss Hulda Schmidt and A. F. Cutter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leon Shrader served the family Christmas dinner last Friday.

The home decorations were in keeping with Christmas.

Turkey and the trimmings were served to Mr. and Mrs. Otis Shearer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tarbox and Dan, Mr. and Mrs. James Brillhart, Kathryn, Mary Bess, James Hall, Sam and Shelley Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Shearer, Otis, Jim and Joe of Booker, J. H. Shearer, Paul Shrader, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Shrader, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Johnson, and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lackey served their Christmas dinner on Sunday, December 27.

Those present were Cpl. and Mrs. Eldon Dudley of El Reno, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davis of Waxahachie, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Perry of Borger and the host and hostess.

The Bill Herndon home on Wolf Creek was the scene of a turkey dinner Christmas day.

The serving table and quartet tables were centered with Christmas centerpieces.

Following dinner a gift exchange was enjoyed.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Biard of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Biard, Micky and Sandra of Pampa, Miss Helen Biard of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Herndon, Mrs. Mildred Wright, Mike and Jack Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Seedig and Sheri Jo, Mrs. T. W. Trussell, the host and hostess and their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Graves were hosts for a dinner Christmas day in their home at 605 South Grinnell.

The home was decorated with a Christmas tree and Christmas decorations.

Places were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Graves, Sgt. Donald Graves, Sgt. Ed Moore, Miss Elaine Graves and the host and hostess.

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CYF Group Entertains In Fellowship Hall

The Youth Fellowship of the First Christian Church entertained the college-age young people and their friends in Fellowship Hall Sunday afternoon at 5 p. m.

After enjoying sandwiches, potato chips, cakes and cake, Virgie Wilson and Glynanne Harmon directed games.

As the group sang "We are Climbing Jacob's Ladder," Gene Clack led the group to the candle-lighted CYF room where he directed an inspiring worship service.

Following the worship service, the group attended church.

Those attending were Gene Clack, B. R. Pletcher, Glynanne and Connie Harmon, Clifford Kauffman, Gene Reynolds, Ogden Wilson, Don Dietrich, Barbara LeMaster, Janice Miller, Elaine Clack, Helen Halpain, Joe Goss, Charlotte Flowers, Leota Morgan, Virgie Wilson, Gayla Fae Milledge, Virgil Case, Marieta Pittman, Kelley Clark, Joan Humphrey, Dempsey Gyger, W. J. Bryan, Wilborn Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Harmon, Mrs. Ida Belle Halpain, Mrs. Debs Riley and Mrs. C. L. Schell.



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Mr. Shearer Is Party Honoree

Mrs. O. C. Shearer entertained with a pitch party Monday evening, December 28, honoring her husband on his birthday.

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Graves, Liberal, Kansas; Claude Shearer of Booker; Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. Mart Wagner, Marlene and Donnie; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tarbox and Danny; Mr. and Mrs. Travis Baker; Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Shearer; Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Shradler; Paul Shradler; Mrs. Ruth Ann Brillhart; Kathryn, Shelley, Hall and Sam; J. H. Shearer, the honoree and the hostess.

At the close of the evening Mrs. Wilson held high score for ladies and Mrs. Graves held low. Paul Shradler held high for men and Mr. Wilson held low.

Mrs. Rogers Is Dinner Hostess

Mrs. C. B. Rogers, 622 South Grinnell, was hostess at dinner Tuesday evening.

The serving table was covered with a pastel green linen cloth and centered with a large red candle encircled with fruits.

Places were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Danny Ellis of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. Don Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Rogers and the hostess.

Card games were played during the evening.

Birthday Dinner Held Sunday

Mrs. Drew Ellis, 901 South Drake, entertained at dinner Sunday honoring her husband on his birthday.

The serving table was covered with a chartreuse cloth and centered with red candles encircled with poinsettias.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Ellis, Roxie and Patti, Mr. and Mrs. Don Stephenson, Stacy Ellis, Carl Wilson, Ellis, Linda Ellis, Ben D. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Gerard, the honoree and the hostess.

Week End Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ragsdale, 1109 South Colgate, had as their house guests last week end, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Schilling and Darwin of Raton, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Ragsdale entertained with a dinner party for their guests Saturday evening.

Sgt. Donald Graves, stationed with the Air Force at Smoky Air Force Base in Salina, Kansas, arrived home December 19 to spend the Christmas holidays in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Graves, 605 S. Grinnell.

Miss Grace Payne visited in Liberal, Kansas with Miss Vicki Morrison over the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. McGarraugh Entertains For Son Dec. 19

Mrs. Neil McGarraugh entertained with a party December 19 in the Harvester Room of Hotel Perryton honoring her son Cliff Perryton on his eighth birthday. Mrs. Joe Schollenbarger Jr. and Miss Essa Todd assisted with the hospitalities.

Paul Loftin took pictures of the group.

Bingo was played and each guest received a Christmas prize. Following the serving of refreshments Cliff and his guests attended the theatre matinee.

Those present were Sue Schollenbarger, Kay McClung, Judith Reimer, Karen Lewis, Janet Robinson, Mary Jane Macias, Dorothy McGarraugh, Kay Tandy Justice, Judith Lovett, Cheryl Palmer, June Pierce, Darlene O'Quinn, Grant Drake, Alfred Love, Billy Mack Miller, Bob McCutcheon, Larry Don McEntire, Danny Tarbox, Gariand Edwards, Jane McAnally, Joe Champion, Jerry Long, James Mooningham, Randall McLain, Jimmy Anderson, Bill Newman, Terry McCormick, Lynn and Glynn Pattison, the honoree and the hostesses.

Whippos Are Dinner Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Whippo, 914 South Fordham, were hosts at dinner, Monday evening, at 6 o'clock.

Places were laid for Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McMillen, Mrs. Olive Black of Siloam Springs, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wilson and Virgie Lou, John Black, Ruth Whippo, Randy Correll, Danny Thurman and the host and hostess.

Check the Want Ads this week.

Hergerts Are Supper Club Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hergert were hosts to their supper club Saturday evening, December 26, in their home at 701 Southwest Ninth Avenue.

The serving table was covered with a dark green cloth and centered with a holiday decoration with candelabra at either side. The quartet tables were decorated with holiday centerpieces and greenery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Richardson were guests for the evening.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Loftin, Mr. and Mrs. Joy Hergert, Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Lance, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor, and the host and hostess.

In the bridge games following dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Joy Hergert held high score and Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, second-high. Mrs. Loftin won the traveling prize.

Supper Club Entertained In Archer Home

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Archer, 317 Southwest Fifth Avenue, entertained their supper club, Tuesday evening.

A holiday centerpiece was used on the serving table.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Slack, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pletcher, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Herndon, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Holmes, Mrs. Mildred Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Welch of Monett, Mo., and the host and hostess.

Card games were enjoyed during the evening.

Mrs. Ruth Seitz spent Christmas in Durango, Colo. with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Mir and children.

Couple Entertains With Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Rogers entertained with an open house Wednesday evening, December 23, in their home at 805 South Amherst.

The living room was decorated for the holiday season.

The serving table was laid with a green cloth and decorated with white carnations centered with red balls. At either side were red candles.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Coke Harlow, Mr. and Mrs. Onas Littleton, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Sims, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bell, Mrs. Gene Lawrence, Mrs. Dorothy Caradine, Mrs. James Pitts, Mrs. O. W. Dunkle, Mrs. Paul Loftin, Mrs. Harold Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herndon, Mr. and Mrs. Don Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Ferguson, Phil LaMaster, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ragsdale and the host and hostess.

Club Organized At Anthony

The men of the Anthony neighborhood met last Wednesday evening at the recreation hall and discussed the possibilities of organizing a Sportsman's Club. Mr. Tomby of Laverne, a representative sent out by the Oklahoma Fish and Game, presented two films on deer hunting and bird life.

Bud Nelson, county agent, Ted Lehman, county soil conservation technician and Floyd Sumeral, state representative, were present to help with the organization. Merle Kykendal and Lewis Dureson of Turpin were present to obtain information prior to organizing such a club at Turpin.

The club was given the name, "Anthony Sportsman's Club." Officers elected were president, Glen Myers; vice president, Leon Morris; secretary-treasurer, Jay Pierce; directors, Wm. Wilson, Lem Vandeburgh and George Kirton.

Light refreshments were served by Glen Myers to the above guests and to Lem Vandeburgh, Wm. Wilson, Floyd Vandeburgh, Carl Carter, Floyd Myers, Vern Davis, George Kirton, James Rogers, Lewis Whittet, Ralph Bobbitt, Jay Pierce and Leon Morris.

Craig Ragsdale Has Birthday Party Dec. 23

Mrs. Clyde Ragsdale entertained with a party at the Harvester Room Wednesday afternoon, December 23, celebrating the fourth birthday of her son Craig.

Games were played and Craig's grandmother, Mrs. Harry Barlow, showed children's moving pictures and movies made at Craig's previous birthday parties.

Trains filled with candy were given as favors. Ice cream and birthday cake, topped with candles and "Happy Birthday Craig" were served.

Blue Mound Ladies Club Meets Dec. 15

BLUE MOUND — The Blue Mound Ladies Club met in the home of Mrs. Marie Blosser, December 15, for their Christmas party.

Gifts were exchanged. Unknown friends were revealed and officers for the coming year were elected.

Refreshments of apple sauce doughnuts, mince meat cookies, cocoa and pop corn balls were served.

Those present were Mrs. Louise Beckwith and sons, Mrs. Edna Mae Presnall and son, Mrs. Verna Ferguson and children, Mrs. Jo Rorabaugh, Mrs. Lola Rorabaugh, Mrs. Effie Morris, Mrs. Mable Beckwith, Mrs. Maxine Beck and sons, Mrs. Elizabeth Clenny, Mrs. Anna Buechner, Mrs. Marie Cramer, Mrs. Leona Padgett, Mrs. Margaret Pribble and daughter, Mrs. Opal Naylor and daughter, Mrs. Fannie Sager, Mrs. Vera Presnall, Mrs. A. C. Partridge and the hostess.

The next meeting will be January 12 in the club house with Mrs. Marie Cramer as hostess.

Those present were Ronnie Tregellas, Al and Benny Rupprecht, Kenda Phelps, Mike Hargrove, Jed and Tana Monroe, Pam and Don Williams, Joe Nelson, Joe Lynn Brillhart, Karen Palmer, Sandra Gidley, Butch Darnell, Vickie and Craig Lawrence, Scott Archer, Debbie Putman, Sandy and Judy Barnett, Kay Symons, Lynn Williams, Randy Tevis, Connie Jo Reimer, Billy Carpenter, Ricky and Davie Eudy, Bill Tandy, Tans Price, Brody Daniel, Tony Ragsdale, the honoree. Also Mrs. Don Eudy, Mrs. Bob Barnett, Mrs. Quinton Darnell, Mrs. Chellis Gidley, Mrs. Woodrow Brillhart, Mrs. Bill Tregellas, Mrs. Sammy Phelps, Mrs. Charles Price, Mrs. John Daniel, Mrs. Clair Brillhart, Mrs. Clint Ragsdale and the hostess.

Iron is about four per cent of the earth's crust.



REUNION—Mrs. Sam Jones of Lubbock, Tex., was re-united with her son, Nick W. Woods of Houston, after 20 years. Woods located his mother through a chance conversation by a long distance phone call. He is shown giving his mother of her two-year-old granddaughter, whom she has never seen.

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Formal Dance Held Wednesday In Harvester Room

A formal holiday dance was enjoyed by members of the younger set last Wednesday evening in the Harvester Room of Hotel Perryton.

Hostesses for the occasion were Misses Kathleen Jones, Charlotte Flowers, Pat Wood, Phyllis Vernon, Connie Edwards, Lois Beck and Jane Malone.

As the guests arrived they were presented holiday hats. Sandwiches, cookies and punch were served throughout the evening.

The serving table was centered with the punch bowl, encircled with mistletoe and holly, flanked with white candles in crystal candelabra.

Approximately 250 high school and college students attended the affair.

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and romance fill the "Forbidden," the picture comes to the Ellis Sunday-Monday, Jan. 1954. Joanne Dru and are starred in the

fire of underworld intrigue. For Tony Curtis, "Forbidden" marks a milestone in his career as he plays his strongest starring role, and the dexterity with which he handles his characterization adds tremendous dramatic stature to the reputation of Hollywood's popular young leading man. Joanne Dru made a vivid impression on yesterday's audience with her breathtaking allure. Coupled with her fine portrayal of the most glamorous woman of Macao, Joanne definitely asserts her rights to top future glamor assignments.

The first International Postal Congress was held in Switzerland in 1874.

The 19,344 foot Cotopaxi cone in Ecuador is the world's highest active volcano says the National Geographic Society.

News From ANTHONY

By Mrs. Ralph Bobbitt

Four members of the Anthony 4-H Club participated in the soil testing and judging at Beaver Wednesday. Eighty-five 4-H and FFA members participated in the judging. Members attending from Anthony were Jimmie and Ronnie Pierce, Lynn Bobbitt and Jack Morris.

The Anthony neighborhood had their annual Christmas program Saturday evening at the Sunday school building. A varied program of music and readings were furnished by the young people.

The 4-H Club presented a story as told in Luke 2:1-20 with a choral group singing Christmas hymns in the background. Mrs. Laverne Davis' class presented two short numbers.

After the program, Santa Claus passed out the gifts under the tree.

Approximately eighty people were present with visitors from Beaver, Okla., and Liberal, Kans.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Morris and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bobbitt and Leslie Bobbitt attended the basketball game at Turpin with Gate. The Gate girls and the Turpin boys won the games.

The children in this neighborhood participated in a Christmas program at Turpin Thursday evening.

Parents attending were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bobbitt, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Whittet, Mrs. Ralph Bobbitt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whittet, Leslie Bobbitt, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Davis, Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. Lester Janzen and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ratzlaff.

Kay and Ann Myers and Cleta Carter were presented in piano recital Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ezra Evans.

Following the recital, a Christmas party was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carter and Howard attended a football banquet at Beaver, Okla., Monday evening.

The principal speaker at the banquet was Norman McNabb, the only living person who has played in five bowl games.

Lem Vandeburgh and Carl Carter met with the Laverne Sportsman's Club Thursday evening to secure permission to obtain a trap for the trap shoot. Leon Morris and Glen Myers motored to Laverne Saturday and got the trap.

Carl Carter and Howard attended the basketball game at Gate with Beaver Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Oleene Vandeburgh and Mrs. Evelyn Ray and son Rob of Liberal spent Saturday evening in the Lem Vandeburgh home.

The Carl Carter family attended the basketball game between Beaver and Knowles at Friday evening.

Nina Beth and Judy Vandeburgh attended a birthday party in honor of Vicky and Linda Ottinger at Beaver Tuesday evening.

Cleta and Howard Carter attended a Baptist young people's skating party at Beaver Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Vandeburgh and Leslie Bobbitt were in Hooker for medical treatment Friday morning.

Cleta Carter marched with the Beaver band in the Santa Claus parade at Beaver Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Morris and children spent Sunday at the J. V. Morris home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Whittet and children and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carter spent Saturday evening in the Leon Morris home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Myers and children spent Sunday at the Clifford Beck home in Perryton and also attended the Cantata.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Morris attended the Alexander Hereford Sale near Canadian.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskel Holland of Perryton plan to show pictures taken abroad this past summer at the Recreation hall January 13 at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Myers and children spent Christmas day with Mrs. Kenna Myers. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Ross and children were also present.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carter, Cleta and Howard were dinner guests Christmas in the O. E. Carter home in Perryton.

Other guests present were Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Carter and Grandma Budock.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bobbitt and daughters were Christmas dinner guests in the Ralph Bobbitt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Morris and children spent Christmas day visiting with Mr. and Mrs. O'Dell Pugh and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon of Texhoma.

Mrs. Laverne Davis and children accompanied her sister, Mrs. Copenhagen of Meade, Kansas, to Odessa to spend the holidays.



MARK STEVENS and Dorothy Malone co-star in "Jack Slade" an unforgettable thriller that opens at the Ellis Theatre Tuesday. Screen reviewers say: "The most unforgettable man you've ever met!"

Robert, Marie Star In Picture Full of Laughs

A picture full of laughs, with no message, is brought to the Ellis Theatre on Friday and Saturday. It is "Marry Me Again," starring Robert Cummings and Marie Wilson.

Cummings portrays a jet air ace, who returns to America to receive a hero's welcome and announce proudly that he is returning to his mechanic's job with the full intention of supporting Marie, his bride-to-be, on his modest salary. The only trouble is that the prospective mechanic's wife unexpectedly inherits a million dollars and the hero's pride is such that he refuses to take unto himself so wealthy a bride.

Before the altar-march takes place, a psychiatrist, a pretty WAC, some scheming lawyers and a trio of crooks keep things in a constant laugh scramble.

days with Mr. and Mrs. Criswell and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Boston and children of Booker and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Durbin and sons of Beaver spent Christmas eve with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Peters and son of Turpin spent Friday evening in the Leon Morris home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Vandeburgh and daughters spent Christmas eve in Liberal with Mrs. Oleene Vandeburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson spent last Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McAdams in Beaver, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Morris and children spent Christmas eve with Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Morris near Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth S. Kutch and children and Ray Kutch of San Augustine, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bridges and Mrs. Lorena Kutch of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Kutch and children of Perryton were in the Carl Carter home during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Morris and children called in the Jim Lyle home in Beaver, Saturday evening.

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Dean Morgan Is Listed In 'Who's Who' at ACC

Dean Morgan of Perryton is among the 24 seniors at Abilene Christian College listed on the 1953 "Who's Who In American Colleges and Universities."

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morgan.

Morgan has been a cheerleader for two years, was sophomore class favorite, on the 1952 badminton team, on the 1953 tennis team, vice president of the Aggie Club, secretary of Frater Sodalis social club, secretary of Circle K, men's service organization and member of the "A" Club, men's honor organization.

Local Students Make Texas Tech Scholastic Roll

Dale Hoover and Myron McCarter of Perryton were among the 124 Texas Tech students qualifying for Alpha Chi, scholastic fraternity for upper classmen and graduate students.

For a senior to qualify for the national fraternity, he must have attended Tech the past two

years.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carter, Cleta and Howard were dinner guests Christmas in the O. E. Carter home in Perryton.

Other guests present were Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Carter and Grandma Budock.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bobbitt and daughters were Christmas dinner guests in the Ralph Bobbitt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Morris and children spent Christmas day visiting with Mr. and Mrs. O'Dell Pugh and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon of Texhoma.

Mrs. Laverne Davis and children accompanied her sister, Mrs. Copenhagen of Meade, Kansas, to Odessa to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth S. Kutch and children and Ray Kutch of San Augustine, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bridges and Mrs. Lorena Kutch of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Kutch and children of Perryton were in the Carl Carter home during the Christmas holidays.

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sessions, maintained an over-all grade-point average of 2.20 or better and be enrolled for 12 semester hours or more for the fall term of 1953.

Hoover had a grade point average of 2.62 and McCarter had an average of 2.34. Both are seniors.

The Sudan is about the size of the United States east of the Mississippi River.

Many zoologists rank the chimpanzee as the most intelligent animal with the orangutang second and the elephant third.

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A Better Outlook

As 1953 ends, it may be well to reflect upon conditions—and there is plenty to be thankful for in this Perryton area, although things of course are not as rosy as they once were.

Wheat crop prospects are the brightest in several years; with plenty of subsoil moisture to carry the wheat for some time yet. Given any kind of break from the weather, this area once again will harvest a wheat crop—basic ingredient in the prosperity stew.

Businessmen have ended the year with fair sales, despite the summer slump which will reflect in profits for the year.

Gas and oil development have brought in outside money and there is more development to come in the new field to the northwest.

Cattle prices, while still low, have steadied, and there were thousands of acres of good feed grown this summer to take the pinch off those who were caught last year with dropping cattle prices and no home-grown feed.

All in all, the general feeling is that the trend is upward in this area. After four wheat failures and huge cattle losses, it now appears that income is going to more than balance the outgo next year.

Buffalo and Gas

The natural gas industry has added six million customers in a year, more than doubling its business of a scant half-decade ago.

Kansas, that is, is being called upon to heat the nation's homes and fire its industrial furnaces. Faster and faster, the precious fuel is fizzing out the well-heads of the Hugoton field.

There is a parallel that some folks may have forgotten.

In the early days, Kansas prairies were overrun with buffalo. The buffalo provided food, shelter, clothing and fuel for the Indians and the early settlers. They were so heavily clustered over the landscape that it seemed the supply would never run out.

Great hunting parties were organized. The animals were shot down in the hills and valleys. In a merciless slaughter, hides were torn from the buffalos and shipped back east to a ravenous market.

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From the SIDELINE with HAROLD HUDSON

This year the Herald will have the rather unusual experience of publishing 53 issues. This comes about by the first edition coming off the press on Thursday, Jan. 1, 1953, and the final issue of today is dated Thursday, Dec. 31, 1953. A bargain for Herald subscribers—53 issues in 1953 for the price of 52.

There are those who are not in favor of sending Christmas cards—or so they say. This department is heartily in favor of sending more and more—the Herald office supply sells them—but we also enjoy getting them. Each year, we hear from old college friends or Army buddies who are silent the other months of the year. Most of our cards in past years have had notes written on them by former friends—but like the rest of World War II servicemen, we must admit that time flies. Only a few of our comrades in arms wrote notes this year. Could it be that ten years have passed since we've seen some of them and our interests have gone widely separated ways?

Aaron Fischer, editor of the Woods County Enterprise at Wayneska, has a different philosophy of life. "Years ago we attempted to try and satisfy everyone and succeeded in satisfying very few," he says. "Then we learned that if we satisfied ourselves we satisfied others and quit worrying. We quit worrying about what others thought and did and concentrated on pleasing ourselves. In so doing we've pleased others. Maybe it's the Golden Rule in reverse or maybe it is making the Golden Rule work both ways."

A woman guest at a recent Christmas party was overheard complaining, "Oh, dear, I'm miserable. I've got on my sitting-down shoes and my standing-up girdle."

We hate to admit being so far behind the times, but we had never watched a live telecast of a football game until Sunday, when we viewed the Detroit Lions-Cleveland Browns battle for the world pro title. We viewed the game in Amarillo and of course couldn't have picked a better football game to start our television career. The score was 17-16, of course, with the Lions, studded with Southwest Conference stars, coming from behind to defend their world's title.

Television is not new, of course but it's kinda new to us. We got to thinking about the progress the U. S. has made in the last

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Wolf Creek Philosopher Has Rosy View Of Coming Year



(Ed. note: The Wolf Creek Philosopher sizes up the new year this week, and he seems to be facing it with about the same attitude as he handled the last one.)

Dear editor: With the new year already on us, I know it's customary to take a look at what's coming up, review what's happened, and resolve to do better.

Personally, I don't take a very gloomy view of what happened this year or what's likely to happen in the new one.

I read the other day what you might call a gloomy outlook on things. According to this fellow, nothing seems to be going right,

generation or so. There are still plenty of people who were born before the automobile appeared on the roads, and to many the radio, telephone, refrigerator, washing machine, and other machines which everyone takes for granted were invented during their adulthood. Will the next 50 or 30 or 10 years see as much change?

With the development of the gas and oil field to the northwest of us, and the prospect of the play moving down into Ochiltree county, Perryton has a chance to benefit from the activity if people keep their heads. If rent prices and other prices are kept in line, the town will fill up with drilling crews and other personnel who put thousands of dollars into circulation. If much of a movement of "gouging" takes place, these people will move on—there are plenty of cities waiting with welcome arms for them.

One of the men with the Shell crew who was in here last week looking for rent houses pointed out that practically every dime his crew drew in salaries would be left in Perryton—which stands to reason. He also said he understood Perryton was a "little high" but found prices weren't out of line as far as he could tell. The word has gone around, apparently, among the oil fraternity, that things cost more in this city.

This probably stems from the fact that back in 1948, when the activity boomed at the new Lips field south of here, some intemperate house owners jacked rentals up so quick and so high that we actually had some people move out. Things haven't been that way for several years now, and rentals are reasonable. We hope they continue that way.

We have received the full text of a speech made by Governor Allan Shivers in Chicago recently, which perfectly outlines his political philosophy and which bears out a personal contention of ours—that Allan Shivers has such a following because his views more nearly express those of most Texans—not that Texans follow Shivers because he has such a power of persuasion among them.

One paragraph will illustrate: "I am leaving unanswered a question that bothers me, that bothers many Southern Democrats, and that ought to bother the leaders of the Democratic Party, left, right and center. I am not answering this question because I cannot. The question is: What if the reactionary 'Old Guard' marches the GOP off the road to the right, into the primeval swamps of the Dark Ages—and the Walter Reuther faction hustles the Democratic Party out of bounds on the left? Where, then, will the conservative Democrat—or for that matter, the liberal Republican—find a flag he can follow?"

We have the text of his speech if anyone cares to read it.

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high school graduates can't spell, politicians don't tell the truth, business is dropping off, atom bombs are gettin bigger, crop insects are gettin worse, crime is on the increase, mankind is gettin meaner, cattle prices will get lower, groceries will be higher, taxes will never come down, freedom is gettin scarcer.

The trouble with that fellow is that he knows too much and at the same time he doesn't know enough.

I never have seen a year yet that turned out as good as I wanted it to or as bad as I was afraid it would.

And I expect 1954 to be about in line with all the rest. The trouble with most people is that they are always figurin if they can just get through the present year the next one will be different, but it won't, not so you can tell it, and anybody who is waitin till next year to enjoy life is liable to wind up with a whole series of postponements and very little fun. I know I could work harder in 1954 than I did in 1953, but I don't intend to and I doubt if very many other people do either. Those that were workin hard this past year probably will work hard this year.

Understand, I have nothing against hard work, those that go in for it claim it's the most sat-

isfyin thing they've ever tried, but I can also report from personal experience that those that go in for loafin claim it has its satisfactions too, and a man shouldn't be narrow-minded about either side of the question.

The same applies to the world in general. There always have been people who could figure out how the world couldn't keep on goin much longer, and there never has been a time when the world didn't outsmart em. A lot of sad things are gonna happen in 1954, but a lot of funny things will too. The difference is, the sad ones aren't hard to find, but the funny ones you have to be on the look-out for. As for me, I intend to be on the look-out for em.

Yours faithfully,
 J. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herndon and Blossom of Dallas arrived last Tuesday to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Herndon.

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The people of Puerto Rico have been U. S. citizens since 1917 when the island attained territorial status.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Essa were in Enid, Okla. today to attend the home of Miss M. Cowan. Miss Cowan came home with the holidays.

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GRACIOUS BLESSING—Former Vice President Garner (left), who is usually silent in Texas political matters, is seen here with U. S. Sen. Lyndon Johnson in Garner's home in Uvalde on Nov. 4. During the interview, Garner said his friends Johnson should be re-elected next summer. (AP Photo)

BIG GAR MEETS MASTER



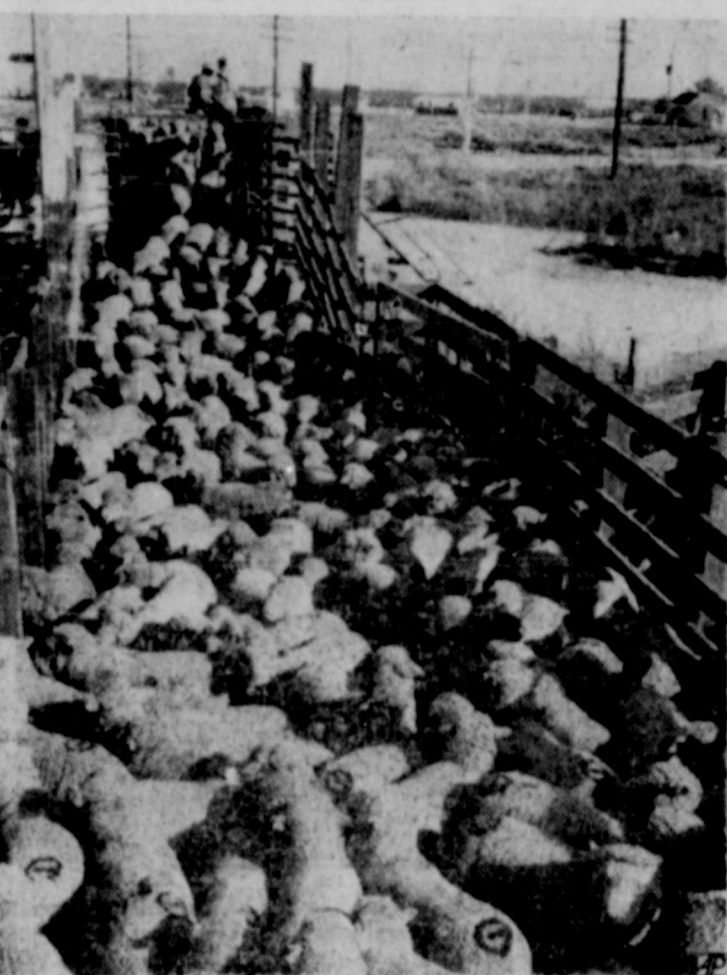
(AP) Newsfeatures
HOPE, Ark.—Catching the fierce alligator gar is no easy task. That's why anglers are mighty happy to display their catches. Above, L. B. Tooley (left) radio executive, and Frank Edwards, MBS commentator, proudly shows a 166-pounder caught by Edwards in the Little Missouri River. The fish, measuring six feet two inches in length, fought two hours and 10 minutes before being subdued. Alligator gar are sometimes called "fresh water wolves." Due to the savage disposition of the fish it must be shot before it gets close to the boat.



FIVE GENERATIONS—Walter W. Williams, 111-year-old veteran of the Confederate Army, poses with four of his descendants at his birthday party in his Central Texas farm home in Franklin. His oldest son, Bud Williams, 77, of Wheelock, Tex., is in left foreground. Bud's son, O. L. Williams, 48, of Norman, Tex., is in left background. Mrs. R. T. Jackson, 25, of Houston, right, is O. L.'s daughter. Her daughter is Linda Kay Jackson, 7. Williams is the oldest of five living Civil War veterans. (AP Photo)



3-D COURT—This jury used special glasses to see 3-Dimension pictures of rugged, oil-rich ranch in Claremont, Tex. The pictures were used in a complicated suit involving title to the land. Its value was estimated at from \$2 million to \$11 million. The special pictures were used to help jurors see the land. (AP Photo)

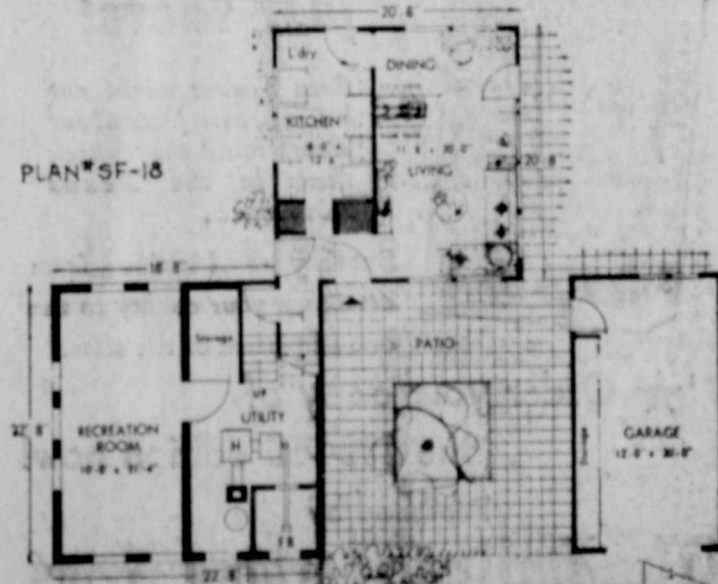


80-POUND LAMBS—Foster Rust of San Angelo, Tex., delivered 1,224 of these Corriedale crossbred mutton lambs to Russell Hays and Roy Jackson of San Angelo. The average weight was nearly 80 pounds. Hays said they were the best drought-area lambs he has seen delivered this year. (AP Photo)



SAFE IN SIGNS?—Chances are that Wichita Falls motorists will believe in this sign, at least for a while. S-Sgt. Robert E. Strough of Sheppard Air Force Base received serious injuries in this smash-up. The car rammed the guide-rail at an underpass in downtown Wichita Falls, scene of two fatal traffic accidents in two years. (AP Photo)

HOMES FOR AMERICANS



(AP) Newsfeatures
A MODERN house designed for solid fuel heat, this plan was drawn by Rudard A. Jones, architect, for the University of Illinois Small Homes Council. The use of an automatic anthracite stoker and ash removal unit is envisioned. Fuel delivery is through a hopper on the driveway turnaround. (Plans are available from the Anthracite Information Bureau, 122 E. 42 St., New York 17, N.Y.)
Sleeping level is over utility level.



TREED BY HOUNDS, SIGHTED FROM AIR—Three escapees from the Fisher County jail at Roby, Tex., are shown in the Taylor county jail at Sweetwater, Tex., after their capture. Left to right, they are Benny Bolton and Jack Pitts, both of Dallas, and John Tarlton of Snyder. They surrendered meekly after bloodhounds chased them up a tree near Sweetwater. (AP Photo)



NEW LUBBOCK GRID COACH—Pat Farris (right), assistant coach for the Lubbock high school West-ers for the past three years, signs a contract to become the new head grid mentor and athletic director replacing C. R. (Pat) Pattison, who resigned. With Farris is Supt. Nat Williams, who announced that Farris' three-year contract calls for a salary of \$7,500 annually.



COTTONSEED MOUNTAIN—This cottonseed mountain contains some 18 million pounds of seed in storage at the Wichita Falls Cotton Oil Co. W. C. Smith, manager, said the seed was stored in the open plant facilities became overloaded with more than 10 million pounds of cottonseed from a bumper crop in North Central Texas. (AP Photo)



BINION TAKES STAND—Benny Binion (left) takes the witness stand in district court in Dallas Dec. 17 to plead guilty to charges of operating a million dollar policy racket in Dallas. Judge Henry King (right) sentenced him to four years in prison, the sentence to be served concurrently with a five-year sentence Binion received in Federal court Dec. 14 for incometax evasion. (AP Photo)



To the People of the 18th District:

Debt Limit Raise
Most political forecasters, both in and out of the government, predict an early push to raise the debt limit from \$275,000,000.00 to \$290,000,000,000.00. You will remember that an attempt was made to do this during the closing days of the first session of this Congress. The Executive Department claims that their heads are bumping the \$275,000,000,000.00 debt ceiling, which is fixed by law, and that further borrowing can not be avoided.

If the move to raise this ceiling at \$290,000,000,000.00 is successful and additional securities are issued, it will mean more trouble in stopping deficit spending to \$290,000,000,000.00 is \$290,000,000,000.00 in additional securities are issued at an interest rate of three per cent. This means that the taxpayers must cough up \$450,000,000.00 every year in interest. Even though the principal of the securities may be payable in ten, twenty, or thirty years, the interest must be paid annually.

This means well over one million dollars every day for the taxpayers to pay in interest. Since the budget is out of balance and we are presently operating on a deficit, these interest payment requirements will add

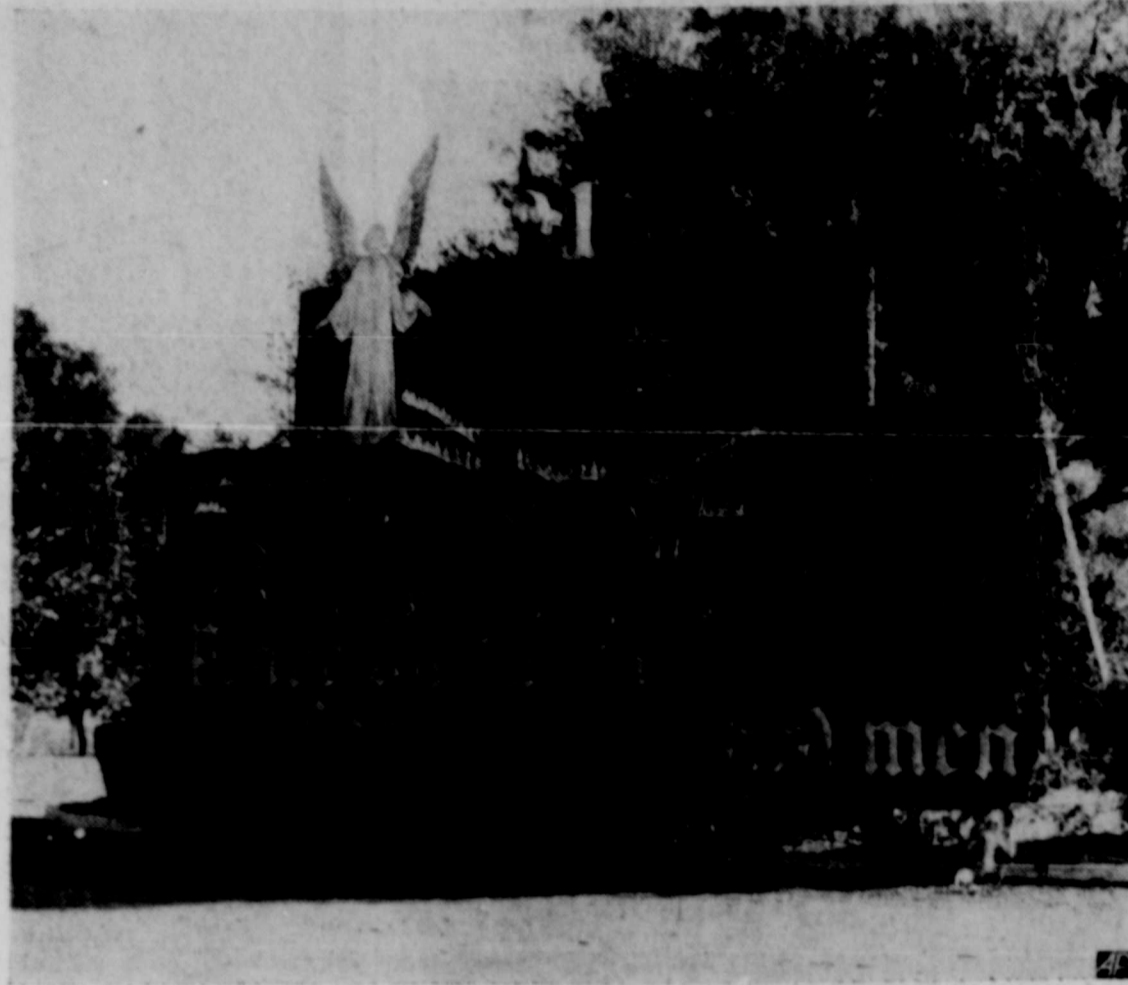
approximately half billion dollars each year to the deficit. If the interest is paid with borrowed money, as it will be if we continue to operate on a deficit, we can not escape the conclusion that in ten years we will owe an additional five billion dollars in interest alone.

These interest requirements, added to the general deficit, means that in the most favorable light, we will be operating for several years on at least a five billion dollar annual deficit. This simply means that in three years the fifteen billion dollar increase in the national debt will have been exhausted and further request can be expected for an increase in the ceiling so that more securities can be issued. All of this adds up to the fact that the upward debt spiral can not be checked unless the budget is balanced.

The Tax Cuts

Much has been said and written about the tax cuts to become effective January 1 on individual incomes. Everyone seems to be trying to get into the limelight and take credit for these cuts, as well as the termination of the excess profits tax. The truth is that these tax cuts take effect by operation of law. The executive branch of the government, as such, could not continue the collection of these taxes if it wanted to. The law says that they terminate and they will terminate. Whether or not they are revived and renewed is a matter that is wholly within the power of the Congress.

In order for the federal government to collect the 1950 increase in individual income taxes and the excise profits tax or either of them, it would be necessary for Congress to enact legislation to that effect, which would be tantamount to passing new tax legislation. This is so because these taxes terminate on January 1, 1954, and Congress does not meet until January 6, 1954. They could be revived and made retroactive to January 1, but they will not be. The truth is that these taxes are going to be permitted to terminate simply because Congress does not intend to revive them. It will mean a loss of revenue



PRISON DECORATIONS—This large scene depicting The Holy City was made by Texas prison inmates at the Central State Farm in Fort Bend County. O. B. Ellis, general manager of the Texas Prison System, suggested that Christmas programs this year include decorations with a religious background. This is one of many unusual and beautiful decorations designed and constructed by the prisoners through the cooperation of Elmer Frede, vocational director of the system. (AP Photo)



BACK WITH HUSBAND—Mrs. Naoma Crosswhite, 19, Clovis, N. M., holds hands with her husband, Zeno, shortly after her arraignment in Wichita Falls, Tex., on a federal complaint of harboring a fugitive from justice. She left Clovis with Norman Davenport, object of a three state manhunt centered at Wichita Falls, officers said. Davenport is wanted for escaping from the Oklahoma Penitentiary where he was serving time for robbery and kidnaping. (AP Photo)

to the federal government. Those in charge of fiscal matters don't like it, but there is very little that they can do about it. Congress was thoroughly polled, though rather indirectly, and it was most obvious that the taxes could not be revived. A number of excise taxes are due to expire in April of this year. Very little has been written or said about this, but it is presently anticipated that they will not be allowed to expire.

Jitters in Washington

The recent decision by Judge Keech in the Roth case has set many a federal employee to talking to himself. The effect of this decision was to say to the federal employees that they did not have the job security which they thought civil service guaranteed them; in other words, that by proper manipulations, civil service protection would be only a figure of speech and that government jobs could be handled on a political patronage or spoils basis.

This, of course, caused an epidemic of jitters. The real issue to be determined is whether or not government employees are to be civil servants or political appointees. Until this question is finally settled, the jitters will, no doubt, continue.

Federal Aid to Education

The recent hearings and investigations concerning juvenile delinquency have pointed up many suggestions as to causes and cures. Those who advocate federal aid to education have lost no time in injecting this into the hearings. The forces supporting federal aid to education will have much to say on the subject in the next few months.

Voting in the Next Congress

In baseball we hear of "switch hitters." This means a man who can bat either right or left-handed. In politics these are known as "switch voters." You can expect to see a lot of switch voting in the coming session of Congress. About the only ones you can expect to see continue right down the middle, as they have in the past, are the Southern

Democrats

The New Year

May 1954 bring each and every one of you great success and happiness. It is my prayer that 1954 will be the year that marks the change over from turbulence, strife and battle in the world to the peace that everyone wants and should be able to enjoy.

Three mountain ranges in North Carolina bear Indian names—the Unakas, Nantahalas and Cowees.

Randy Correll of Sayre, Oklahoma is spending the Christmas holidays with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Correll.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lanners and family of Sayre, Oklahoma were dinner guests in the R. T. Correll home Wednesday.

To handle record breaking auto traffic across the English channel, a terminal has been built at Dover which can handle 240 cars an hour.

Blue Mound

By MARIE BLOSSER

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Ferguson, Eric and O'Leen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Partridge.

Anesia Ferguson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Levi Blosser and attended the Christmas program at Baikoo Sunday night.

Mrs. Andy Caldwell and Mrs. Effie Christopher visited Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Cook Thursday afternoon.

Ervin Thompson spent Wednesday night with Audrey Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Cook visited Sunday afternoon in the Andy Caldwell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hampton and family of near Stinnett spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Morris.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Morris were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Morris and family of Boyd, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hampton and family of near Stinnett. Afternoon callers in the Morris home were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morris and sons.

Mrs. Andy Caldwell and Mrs. Effie Christopher called on Mrs. Archie Sager Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Levi Blosser called on Mrs. E. M. Padget Friday afternoon.

A family Christmas party was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Partridge in Perryton.

A potluck supper was served and gifts were exchanged.

Those enjoying the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Padget, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Ferguson and family, E. G. Pribble, Mr. and Mrs. Corwin Padget and family, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Blosser and Garry and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Partridge.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Padget, E. G. Pribble, Mrs. Carl Pribble and Larry called in the Levi Blosser home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Morris visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bartel and family visited Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morris and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morris called on Mr. and Mrs. Carl Morris Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Corwin Padget and family visited Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Partridge Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bergen and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Karber and family visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Buechner and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Welch and daughter and Carolyn Smith visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sager.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Sager called in the Archie Sager home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Caldwell called on Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sager Thursday evening.



MUD SPLATTERED HERO—Rodney LeBoeuf, Port Neches end, is carried off the football field in Port Neches by two happy spectators after the Indians conquered the Big Spring 24 to 13, in the AAA championship high school game. It was played on a muddy field and throughout the game rain fell, hampering the players. (AP Photo)



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