

# Burkburnett News

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## Shannon Darland Dies At Burk

Shannon Darland, 76, 113 N. Ave. C, died at his residence Sunday morning. He was born July 22, 1886 in McKinney in Collin County and came to Wichita County in 1903. Darland was married to Nora Lee Taylor July 31, 1910 in Iowa Park, Texas. He had lived in Electra for many years prior to moving to Burk Burnett in 1936. He was a retired oil field worker and a member of the First Baptist Church of Burk Burnett.

Darland is survived by his widow of the home; a son Shannon Darland Jr., of Mesquite, Texas; three daughters, Mary Helen Smith of Burk Burnett, Mrs. L. B. Boren of Archer City, Texas and Mrs. Pat Whitaker, Barstow, Texas; a sister, Mrs. J. M. Simmons of Wichita Falls; 16 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 2 p. m. Thursday from the First Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. Ellis Morris, officiating. Burial will be in Burk Burnett Cemetery under direction of Owens & Brumley Funeral Home of Burk Burnett.

Funeralbearers will be Charles Hofacker, John Devine, John Musick, Eugene Bingham, Monroe Priming, all of Burk Burnett, and Travis New of Wichita Falls.

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company is making arrangements to publish a Burk Burnett telephone directory, according to Dub Deuschle, manager for the company in Vernon.

The issue date for the Burk Burnett directory is scheduled for mid-February. Deuschle said. Decision for the move came when many residents here requested separate telephone books.

Southwestern Bell had been publishing a separate directory for Burk Burnett residents before Wichita Falls expanded its telephone service. After the change the listings in Burk Burnett, Henrietta, and Iowa Park were combined with the Wichita Falls directory.

Deuschle stated that in addition to printing a separate telephone book for Burk Burnett residents, the Wichita Falls directory will continue to carry the listings here.

"We believe that keeping the listings in both directories will provide more convenience for all our customers in this area," the manager said.

Modern Study Club To Present Story Hour at Youth Center

Beginning December 1st, the Modern Study Club will be presenting a Story Hour to the children of Burk Burnett. Plans are to hold the Story Hour in the Youth Center the first Saturday of each month throughout the year. Ages three thru five will meet from 9:30 to 10:00 and it is requested that the mothers accompany these younger children.

The First Grade through Fifth Grade will meet from 10:15 to 11:00. Admission is free and the Modern Study Club hopes thru these sessions to encourage more children to read and enjoy the benefits of reading.

Saturday, December 1st the preschoolers will hear the stories "Little Red Riding Hood," "Poke Along" and "Little Toot." The school age children will hear the stories "Nicomachus and His New Shoes," and several other selected short stories. The reading material for this is being furnished by the Kemp Public Library in Wichita Falls.



Above is shown the old hotel or Collier Building as it looked before work was begun for new offices, dining room and kitchen, and display space for Texas Electric Service.



The new building, which was occupied a few days ago, will be formally opened to the public for inspection Friday and Saturday, November 23-24. Every one is invited.

## Three Residents Of Burk Injured

A Burk Burnett man and his two sons were injured in a one vehicle accident late Sunday about 100 yards from the Wichita Falls City limits on Seymour Highway.

Being examined at Wichita General Hospital late Sunday were Jay R. Hendricks, 49, of Burk Burnett, and his sons, Ricky, 6, and Carroll, 4. Full extent of their injuries was not known, but they were not believed to be seriously injured.

According to Highway Patrol officers, Hendricks was driver of a pickup truck which went out of control and overturned about three times and ended up in a field near the highway.

## NOTICE

The Burk Burnett Council of Garden Clubs will have a Work Shop Tuesday at 1:00 p. m. at the Youth Center to finish making the Christmas wreaths to be sold at the Christmas Idea Show. All members are urged to be present.

The Holiday Idea Show will be December 6, 1962 at the Town Hall from noon until 8:00 p. m. All proceeds will go to the Park Beautification Fund.

Mrs. Jack Northcott and Nancy of Kilgore were Thanksgiving holiday guests of her mother, Mrs. Opal Gamblin.

Ronnie Evans of John Tarleton College spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Evans.

## BOYS and GIRLS - News and Notes

Dear Boys and Girls— My calendar says that winter begins the 22nd of December, but my feet think winter is already here. Just as soon as it gets just a little bit cold, they get cold and they stay that way until summer. Does your feet

ever get cold I bet your nose does when you play outside. Around Thanksgiving time you try to think of all the things for which you are thankful. Did you think of your warm wool coat and hat and gloves? Do you know where the wool came from to make your coat? Of course you do, because you know the nursery rhyme about wool.

"Baa, baa, black sheep. Have you any wool? Yes, sir, yes, sir, Three bags full. They put it in and washed it And span it into thread, To make coats and dresses And sweaters, blue and red." When it is hot during the summer the poor sheep cannot get cool in their thick wool coats. The farmer comes along and says, "I will get my long shears and cut off the long, thick wool." Shears are like scissors. The farmer washes the sheep in a cool stream, and then his big shears go snip, snip, snip until the thick wool is cut off. The sheep are, oh, so much cooler then.

Then the wool is combed and combed to get the tangles and bits of grass and other things out of it. Then it is taken to a big building where great big machines twist the pieces of wool into threads. Then it is colored into pretty colors. And then it is made into nice, warm things for us to wear in the wintertime. Have you ever seen anyone knit wool thread into hats or sweaters? Some of the wool thread is put into little

## Harvest Of Homes Tour Made Nov. 16 By Burk Women

Attending the Harvest of Homes Tour in Fort Worth on Friday, November 16th were Mesdames Carl Morrison, D. C. Dodson, Chloe Wiggins and J. C. Adams of the Burk Burnett Garden Club; Mrs. R. C. Gilbow, Unity Garden Club; and Mrs. Ralph White of the Mimosa Garden Club. Special guests on the tour were Mrs. Morrison's daughter, Mrs. Kay Henson, and Mrs. Adam's niece, Mrs. Bill Lucas.

The group joined other garden club members at the Woman's Forum in Wichita Falls and went by chartered bus to Ft. Worth, arriving at the garden center about ten o'clock. The agenda for the day included a tour of several business places, luncheon at the Cross Keys, a tour of seven beautiful homes of different types, and gardens, two in Westover Hills, two in Ridglea, two in Overton Park, one in Arlington Heights, a placement flower show, horticulture show, holiday table settings and food bazaar.

## Chatter Matter

Someone said that Charles Davey's car was called a Model A. Everyone agrees that it is quite a nice addition to Burk Burnett streets.

Speaking of cars, Max Crowley has a new Mercury.

Susie Green had a slumber party on her birthday. This time the cops weren't called to quiet them down.

Bertha Jean Huffman and David Arthur Noakes had a beautiful wedding Friday evening.

Sallie McLain is now Mrs. Bob Eugene Spraggins. They were married at Shepard Saturday night. They'll be living in Wichita Falls.

## W.S.C.S. Circle No. 2 Met Monday, Nov. 12

Circle No. 2 of the Women's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. O. E. Melton on Shady Lane for a morning coffee on Monday, November 12.

Mrs. Gilbert, the Circle leader presided. The minutes were read and approved. Mrs. Gilbert talked on "What the Revival Meeting Meant to Me" and most of the women gave testimony of the same thing.

Mrs. Scruggs led the women in prayer and then had charge of the lesson.

Mrs. Tuel was a guest for the morning from the Wesleyan Service Guild and helped with the program. The subject was "The Biblical Foundation of Missions. The hymn, 'Jesus Call Us' was sung and then Mrs. Scruggs introduced the program feature and brought the introduction. Then she introduced Mrs. Tuel who brought a review on the Old Testament briefly reviewing some of the human experiences in the Bible thru which God worked in Genesis. She gave a sketch of Moses, Abraham, Jeremiah, Isaiah, Nehemiah and she concluded with Jonah and called our attention to the many Nineveh's.

## Texas Electric Service Company To Hold Open House In New Office November 29-30-31st

### Transient Dies In Auto Mishap

A 50-year-old transient, Minor H. Kent, was killed near here late Sunday when struck by an automobile as he was attempting to hitchhike along the highway.

Kent, reportedly from Georgia, was pronounced dead on arrival at Wichita General Hospital. Dr. Eldo Jones, assistant Wichita Medical examiner, pronounced the man dead.

According to officials at the Texas Department of Public Safety headquarters, Kent was standing on an improved shoulder of the road and apparently became blinded by headlights in the dense fog which covered the area Sunday night.

Driver of the automobile was Harold Edward Oakley, 602 Star, Wichita Falls. He was uninjured.

### Forum Study Club Met In The Home Of Mrs. Edwin Green

The Forum Study Club met for its regular meeting in the home of Mrs. Edwin Green. The meeting was opened with each member saying the Club Prayer and answering roll call.

The President, Mrs. Joe Wolfe, and the members welcomed a new member, Mrs. Fern Bloodworth. During the business session, the club voted to sell tickets for the Holiday Ideas Show from which all proceeds go to the Hardin Park Project. Mrs. James Brockhaus gave a very interesting program on "Fresh Faith For Our Times."

Those members present were Mesdames: J. C. Adams, Jr., Don Holtzen, Raymond Scarbrough, Fern Bloodworth, Joe Wolfe, Gene Allen, Gene Bankhead, James Wickersham, James Brockhaus, Tom Burnett, Lonnie Taylor, Don Mills, T. M. Cornelius, and Edwin Green.

### Door Prizes Daily, Kiddies Movie And Favors For All

Everybody is invited to attend an open house to be held in Texas Electric Service Company's new office at Third Street and Avenue C Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week, Jim Ady, company manager, announced Monday.

"We want everybody to come," Ady said. "It will be a real celebration. We'll have drawings for door prizes each day, and there will be coffee, cold drinks and cookies."

"And be sure and bring the children," Ady said. "We'll have balloons and other favors for them, and a color cartoon film about Reddy Kilowatt and the discovery of electricity will be shown."

Three door prizes, consisting of portable electric appliances, will be awarded at the conclusion of each day's open house. It will not be required that the winner be present at the drawing, Ady said. The hours for the open house will be from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. on Thursday and Friday and from 8 a. m. to noon on Saturday.

Another attraction at the open house will be a 34-foot house trailer parked on Avenue C that will contain a display of various types of electric heating equipment for use in the home. Adjoining the trailer will be giant searchlights that will be sweeping the skies on Thursday and Friday evenings while the open house is in progress.

The new Texas Electric office occupies the site of an old landmark in Burk Burnett, a two-story red brick and sheet iron building that was demolished last summer to make way for the new one-story structure. The new building, 104 feet long and 50 feet wide, is one of the most modern in this area and includes many innovations.

It is heated and cooled entirely by electricity by the use of two heat pumps. The high intensity lighting in the building was planned both to provide proper illumination and also to demonstrate various types of commercial and residential lighting applications.

### Newcomers Welcomed to Burk Burnett

The Burk Burnett Chamber of Commerce and the Greeters Service wish to welcome the following newcomers to our city.

Wade, Horace  
Scott, D. F.  
Fowler, Robert  
Madl, Roy  
Crack, D. F.  
Davis, Elroy  
Tipton, Wayne  
Edgmon, Elmer  
Smith, Grayson  
Tooke, Richard  
Lantz, Lloyd  
Harper, Madonna

If you are a newcomer to Burk Burnett and have not been contacted, please call Mrs. Savage, 569-2180, or the Chamber of Commerce Office, 568-3393.

**BURKBURNETT NEWS**

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**TIMBER**

In Washington, come January 7, pretty much the same old crowd will reconvene on Capitol Hill. There will be another Kennedy in town, however, and the absence of Minneapolis' Dr. Walter Judd will be sadly noted in both sides of the House. Both of these changes may well be embarrassments to the White House.

Out around the country, nine governors are packing their things and their successors preparing to move in and take over the cherished perquisites of office. In New York Governor Rockefeller, whose half-million plurality disappointed his backers for the Presidency in 1964, is not expected to lower his sights, while Gubernatorial Candidate Richard Nixon, the man who was almost elected President, went down to tragic defeat—by his own bitter statement, to political oblivion—at the hands of his fellow Californians.

In Michigan, auto-maker and political novice George Romney, who will be the first Republican governor in 14 years, can now level his on the White House horizon. And Pennsylvania politics can hardly ignore the landslide that gave William W. Scranton a plurality that rivals Governor Rockefeller and has ended eight years of Democratic control in Harrisburg. Nor, just because he didn't happen to be running this year, should anyone forget the standard-bearer of conservatism, Barry Goldwater.

Thus, with the complexion of the Congress remaining virtually unchanged, and since the Democrats seem to have no Presidential candidate problem, the election just past would seem to have favored the Republicans. In addition to the Party's visible supply of Presidential timber, the GOP should now be able to generate some fresh enthusiasm and renewed confidence for the battle of 1964.

**CUBAN CENSORSHIP CRACKED**

Departure of newsmen and photographers for Guantanamo marks the first breakthrough by press and radio of the unprecedented blackout of on-the-spot news from Cuba. News service and network executives who were called to the White House the days after President Ken-

**GET THE MESSAGE**

nedy announced the Cuban blockade, have been seeking authority ever since to send reporters to Guantanamo and the "quarantine" fleet and now have won the first victory of the Caribbean crisis.

When the public knows more of what goes on, there may be more victories.

**GRASS ROOTS OPINION**

BARTOW, FLORIDA, DEMOCRAT: "Integration far from being the only problem which must be solved, the constant warring between labor and management, the friction between church and service groups, the trend toward corruption in high places, and the lack of harmony among multitude of groups and individuals, should give this nation plenty to do without our insistence upon reforming the rest of the world."

**IT'S UP TO YOU**

By Howard E. Kershner, L.H.D.

WHAT is right as distinguished from wrong? It is one of three things:

1. The will of God — alias, the Natural Law — alias, the moral law.

2. A man-made consensus of ethical standards such as might be formulated by the Ethical Culture Society, the Stoics or the Confucianists.

3. The will of the strongest — might makes right—the decree of the dictator as long as he can enforce it.

Number one is eternal and unchanging. It is, always has been and always will be wrong to kill, steal, covet, tell lies or violate any of the Ten Commandments. Everyone of them is essential. Standing together they are complete. To test that statement can you think of an Eleventh or a Twelfth Commandment that should be added to the Decalogue?

Number two, changes with the times and customs of the time. Number three, changes with the ebb and flow of power from one tyrant to another.

A stable, satisfying and prosperous society cannot be built on the shifting sands of two or three. Its only firm foundation is one—the will of the everlasting, unchanging, all-powerful, all-merciful God—the great I AM — "Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever thou hadst formed the earth and the world, even from everlasting to everlasting, thou art God." (Psalms 90:2)

Liberals tend to reject the doctrine of a perfect, unchangeable natural law or moral law of God, substituting therefor a legal positivism, relativism or pragmatism. But it is becoming apparent that the moral law of God is more than a vestigial superstition but is in very truth the immutable, everlasting will of God.

There is no other way to build a free, self-governing society than to worship and to serve the one true everlasting God. "Other foundation can no man lay." To attempt it is to build on shifting sands.

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**Family FINANCIAL PROTECTION**

Policyholder Questions Answered by the Institute of Life Insurance

Q. Can a man in the Army, Navy or Air Force get a policy from a life insurance company?

A. In peacetime (including the present "cold war" conditions), most life insurance companies offer policies to military personnel on exactly the same basis as civilians. Soldiers, sailors and airmen



receive the same policy benefits as civilians and pay the same premium rates. Of course, a person with a hazardous job, whether in the armed forces or in civilian life, may have to pay a higher premium. And, in cases of unusual hazards, there may be some restrictions on disability benefits or "double indemnity" protection against accidental death.

Q. I understand that I can reduce the federal taxes on my estate by "giving away" my life insurance before I die. How does this work?

A. The owner of a life insurance policy is normally the person whose life is insured. But you can assign a policy to someone else, or even to an institution or a corporation. If your taxable estate is large, it may be possible to reduce the impact of federal estate taxes by assigning or "giving away" a life insurance policy while you are still alive. For this purpose, you would normally assign it to the beneficiary who is to receive the proceeds of the policy when you die. This removes the policy from your taxable estate. However, any tax savings may be lost if you assign the policy "in contemplation of death," which is construed to mean within three years before your death. Also, when you assign it, you may have to pay a federal gift tax on the cash value of your policy. But the gift tax, if there is one, would likely be less than the estate tax that might have to be paid.

In some cases, taxes and other expenses in connection with a large estate can be reduced by setting up a life insurance trust. And, if you live in a "community property" state, you may have special possibilities for tax savings. For specific advice on estate planning, consult a lawyer as well as your life insurance agent.

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**BURKBURNETT . . . HISTORY**Revealed By The Star  
Files 20 Years Ago . . .

Loy Nichols who has been school tax accessor and collector for a number of years, was elected city manager by the commissioners at the special meeting called Tuesday.

A report from the three gins here Wednesday showed that 5,322 bales of cotton had been ginned here during the season.

Mrs. Marcus Truitt inspired a lovely shower and party given in the home of Mrs. Florence Gage on Tuesday night.

Pvt. A. J. Grace arrived in Burkburnett for a visit with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Grace. Jack is stationed in Colorado Springs, Colorado, and is a member of an infantry combat unit.

Oddfellows of Burkburnett

will be hosts to Troop 155, of the Boys Scouts at their next meeting on December 3. The boys of the troop will furnish the program.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rigby and Mrs. Laverne Rigby and Phyllis Jan, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives in Grandview, Texas.

Entertaining complimentary to Mrs. Jeff Lloyd, friends were hostesses to a shower and informal party on Monday evening in the home of Mrs. A. L. Scott.

Miss Louise McKinney was returned to the home of her aunt, Mrs. Artie Whitesides, from the Burkburnett Clinic and is improving from injuries sustained when she was struck by an automobile last Monday night.

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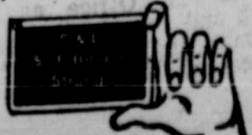
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## Sold Most Magazine Subscriptions



Mr. Carl Dixon, Principal of Junior High School, presented a beautiful clock radio to Miss Phillis Keisling, an eighth grader who sold the most magazine subscriptions in a recent money making project which the eighth graders sponsored.

WHAT IS AMERICANISM?  
By Harry Browne

One word explains how the people of America came to acquire half of the world's great wealth on their small section of the planet. That word is FREEDOM.

The history of the human race is a history of governments telling their subjects how to live their lives. Once a "reform" movement ousts a dictator, the temptation to abuse the newly won power generally turns the reform movement into another dictatorship, until it in turn is replaced by still another.

Our founding fathers recognized all this and determined to protect the God-given rights of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. They searched for a method by which government COULD have the means to protect us against foreign enemies, and yet NOT have the

means to enslave us.

## Government Is Force

Washington summed it up by saying: "Government is not reason, it is not eloquence—it is force. Like fire, it is a dangerous servant and a fearful master."

Jefferson expressed it: "That government is best which governs least." He also pointed out: "When government advances, liberty gives way."

And they actually found a way to give government the powers to protect lives and property, but restrained it from interfering with the economic and political affairs of its citizens.

They did it by a Constitution that placed ironclad restrictions on the powers of government. And they enforced those restrictions by the most elaborate check-and-balance system ever devised—making it virtually impossible for one element of the government to gain control of the whole system.

## Freedom From Government

Through this amazing plan, the founding fathers actually created the thing that man had dreamed about for thousands of years—the most precious commodity in the world—FREEDOM FROM GOVERNMENT. Not just freedom from Moscow, or Berlin, or London—but freedom as well from those who would enslave us from Washington. For the first time in history, man could live his daily life unafraid that he



Policyholder Questions Answered by the Institute of Life Insurance

Q. When I take out a life insurance policy, can I name anyone I want as beneficiary?

A. With a new policy, the only requirement is that the beneficiary must have an "insurable interest" in you. This means that the person or institution named as beneficiary would suffer a financial loss if you should die. Obviously, your parents, your wife or husband and your children would qualify. Any other relative who receives support from you would have an "insurable interest." Also, a business

concern (for example, your employer) which depends on your talents might suffer a financial loss in event of your death. A person or institution to which you owe money would have an "insurable interest," at least to the extent of your debt.

Since every one has an insurable interest in his own life, the question seldom arises when a person applies for a policy on himself. Evidence of "insurable interest" may be required, however, with applications for life insurance on someone else.

Q. How does a person go about getting a loan from a life insurance company?

A. Under the stringent state regulations governing life insurance investments, there are normally only two types of loans which life companies can make to individual borrowers: (1) A policy loan for no more than the cash value of a policyholder's life insurance. (2) A mortgage loan for which real estate is pledged as collateral (for example, a loan on a house, farm, apartment building or business property). Your life insurance agent can arrange for you to obtain a policy loan without delay. Most life companies make mortgage loans through a mortgage broker or banker, although some companies will make them directly with a property owner. Life companies are prohibited from making loans to individuals without collateral, although under certain conditions they can make loans for business purposes to corporations without collateral.

might be taken from his family by the arbitrary whim of a dictatorial government.

Americanism is described in many ways—as the freedom to vote, or the right to work, or love of country. But none of these things are the cause of our blessings, and none have been exclusively ours. The one factor that produced our great wealth, and every other treasure we hold dear, was freedom from government.

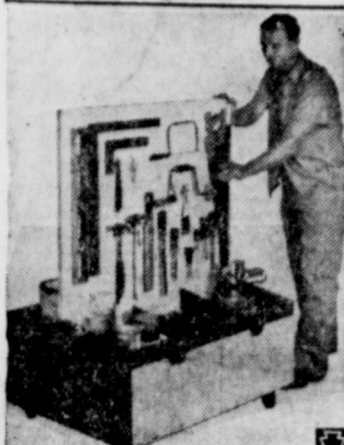
## Need For Restoration

We have certainly forsaken that heritage. We need desperately to become reacquainted with it, and to do what is necessary to restore it as our national principle.

Let us weigh every proposal, every piece of legislation, by its one vital ingredient: will it increase or decrease government? Whether the proposal's purpose is to fight communism, help the aged, inspire foreign citizens, or whatever, let that question be the yardstick. In this way, we will stay within the boundaries set by the Constitution. Let us restore as quickly as possible the lost spirit of Americanism to the greatest nation in all history.

The first residents of The White House were President and Mrs. John Adams in November, 1800.

The architect of the White House was James Hoban.

WHAT TO MAKE  
By Allan Carpenter  
Director, Service Bureau  
Popular Mechanics  
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## ROLLING TOOL CADDY

Your tools are always in order and always right on the job if you make this rolling tool caddy for them. To order send 75¢ for Shop Projects, 1963, to this newspaper, c/o Service Bureau, 740 N. Rush, Chicago 11, Ill. Or if you have another project in mind, plans for it may be listed in the free Service File available from the same address.

The official slogan of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police is "Maintain the Right."

## Big Payoff in Cash and Comfort Comes With Added Insulation

Insulating a house to meet recommended standards has proved over and over again to be a sound investment for home owners. The Jack J. Levin of Huntington Station, N. Y., recently proved this to their own satisfaction by insulating their home with mineral wool and then comparing "before" and "after" heating bills.

They found they had cut their heating bills by 36 per cent and

saved themselves \$81 the first year after the insulation was installed.

"The 36 per cent savings didn't surprise me at all," Levin said. "I've been in the plumbing and heating business for 26 years and I know how important insulation is in reducing heat loss. You can install the best heating system in the world, but if you don't have adequate insulation, the heat's going to pour out through the ceiling and walls. What's more, you'll still have drafts."

"Frankly, if I had saved only \$5 instead of more than \$80 last year," Mr. Levin said, "I'd have been satisfied because of the added comfort. The insulation eliminated all the drafts, including the one that used to blow down behind my favorite chair," Levin commented.

To make sure a house is adequately insulated for comfort as well as heating economy, authorities recommend following the Quality Home Requirements of the National Mineral Wool Insulation Association. These calls for batts or blankets of mineral wool labeled R-19 or R-24 for ceilings, R-11 for walls and R-13 for floors over



Mineral wool is being blown into walls of this house to form a tight blanket that will keep heat in, prevent drafts, and cut fuel bills, year after year.

unheated spaces. When blowing wool is used, as it was in the Levin home, it should be installed to provide the same resistance to heat loss.

|                    | 1960-61 | 1961-62 |
|--------------------|---------|---------|
| Total gas bill     | \$377   | \$296   |
| Cooking, hot water | —150    | —150    |
| Heating cost       | \$227   | \$146   |
| Heating saving     |         | \$ 81   |
| Percent of saving  |         | 36%     |

Table shows saving on heating bills resulting from installation of recommended amounts of mineral wool. Gas bills are adjusted to equalize degree days during the two heating seasons.

The world's largest cotton plantation is in Mississippi.

Nevada was the first state to use gas for capital punishment.

## Classifieds In The STAR Get Results

# AUCTION

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There are many, many, other items too numerous to mention. If you fail to attend this gigantic event, you will miss the best offerings of the year. There is bound to be something in this stock that you want. It can be auctioned at your request while you attend. Don't miss this opportunity to stock up for Christmas gifts at a big savings. This Hardware store has the most complete line of general Hardware and Appliances, and is being sold to vacate the building for remodeling.

# at AUCTION

TIME: Beginning 9 a m Friday, November 30-Saturday, December 1st 9 a m to 9 p m and we expect to continue Monday Night until sold.

J. R. RAY, Auctioneer

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Mrs. Al Lohofener, Mrs. F. G. Jeffers, Mrs. Ralph White and Mrs. C. M. Archer attended the observance of World Poetry Week as guests and members of the Writer's Department of the Woman's Forum. Dr. Van Chandler, poet laureate of the State of Texas from 1959-61, guest speaker, October 18th.

October 23, Mrs. Ralph White, Mrs. F. G. Jeffers, Mrs. W. W. Chambers and Mrs. F. M. McMurry attended Santa Rosa TFWC Work Shop in Crowell, Texas.

Mrs. Fred Hunt, Mrs. Al Lohofener, Mrs. F. M. McMurry, Mrs. Ralph White and Mrs. C. E. Lundberg assisted in the Po-lio Vaccine.

Mrs. F. G. Jeffers, Mrs. Roy Magers, Mrs. F. M. McMurry, Mrs. John Brookman, Mrs. J. L.

Coffee, Mrs. Hugh Jones, Mrs. Artie Whitesides, Mrs. W. W. Chambers, Mrs. Ralph White, and guests, Mrs. Lula Mathews, San Antonio; Mrs. Wayne Landrum, and Mrs. John C. Davidson, 3rd Vice President, Santa Rosa District, Wichita Falls, Texas; attended the Federated Clubs Banquet of the Burkburnett Study Clubs, held Monday, November 5th.

Mrs. F. G. Jeffers served as reception hostess at the Annual Awards Dinner of the Poetry Society of Texas meeting in Dallas, November 10th.

November 6th, Mrs. Al Lohofener and Mrs. C. M. Archer assisted in the General Election.

## VETERANS

## Questions &amp; Answers

Q—For whom does the VA provide guardian service?

A—During the past fiscal year, VA provided guardianship service for 104,469 veterans, 390,341 minors, and 16,163 adult dependents of veterans. At the end of the fiscal year their estates amounted to more than \$757 million.

Q—How do VA expenditures for compensation compare with amounts spent for pensions in a given year?

A—In fiscal year 1962, the VA paid an average payment of \$850.30 to 2,372,683 compensation cases for which the total expenditure was \$2,017,482,704. During the same period annual pension payments averaged \$880.05 to 1,854,881 pensioners whose total payments amounted to \$1,632,287,762.

Q—Where can I get information explaining the choice between the old VA pension plan and the new pension plan that went into effect July 1, 1960?

A—You may visit, write or telephone any VA office for this information. A choice of the two pension systems is open to those pensioners already on the rolls on June 30, 1960. Those coming on the pension rolls after that date automatically come under the new pension law.

## New Members of Brownie Scout Troop 50



Brownie Scout Troop 50 has invested thirteen girls this month. Brownies now in the troop are left to right, front row: Vicki Bowman, Susie Dennis, Sue Hayes, Delores Cools, Brenda Sue Goins and Donna Wilson. Second row: Sharon Wooten, Rebecca Hambleton, Marilyn Schnitker, Roxie Pfeifer, Debbie Osborne, and Becky Dark. Back row: Kathy Giddings, Pauline Giddings, Debbie Box, Marlene Meadors, Debbie Landrum, and Kathleen Sanders.

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Today's teenagers—who will make up tomorrow's buyers of furniture—say they like heirlooms, mahogany, period furniture and canopy beds. Contemporary styles, preferred by some, lay behind period furniture in popularity, according to a home furnishings survey. An interest in mixing contemporary and traditional styles also was expressed.

The teenagers have given home furnishings considerable thought, the agent points out. Quality furniture was preferred to quantity, according to the recent survey of young people. Many preferred Early American

and French provincial to modern.

Homemakers invariably get a "yen" to rearrange the furniture in the fall.

Keep these principles in mind:

\* Create a center of interest. It can be a fireplace or window, a sofa group on a long wall, a built-in bookcase or even a large secretary desk. Everything else in the room should radiate from this center of interest.

\* Balance the room. Arrange the furniture so that there is no "dead" space opposite important arrangements. For instance, you could place a sofa opposite a picture window or a piano opposite the sofa group.

\* Scale is important. Remember, big sofa demand big coffee tables. A tiny lamp appears silly next to a large club chair. Small furniture looks ridiculous in a large room.

\* Group your furniture to define the purposes of a room. This may call for "conversational groupings," a study or dining areas, etc.

\* Remember to keep "traffic lanes" open between doors.

The system also works well when you are planning to buy furniture needed for a new home or an extra room. Measure pieces before you buy, and try them on paper.

## DECA SPOTLIGHT

This week's spotlight features another student in the Distributive Education Class, Harrison Baldridge. Harrison is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baldridge, Jr. He is a Senior and has been active in FFA for two years. He was treasurer the

first year he was a member and parliamentarian the second year.

Harrison is employed by the Baldridge Sinclair Service Station. His father-in-law, Mr. Hearnberger, is teaching him many new ideas on how to run a successful service station. After he completes his high school education, Harrison will go into

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Next week's spotlight will be Joyce Byars, Reporter

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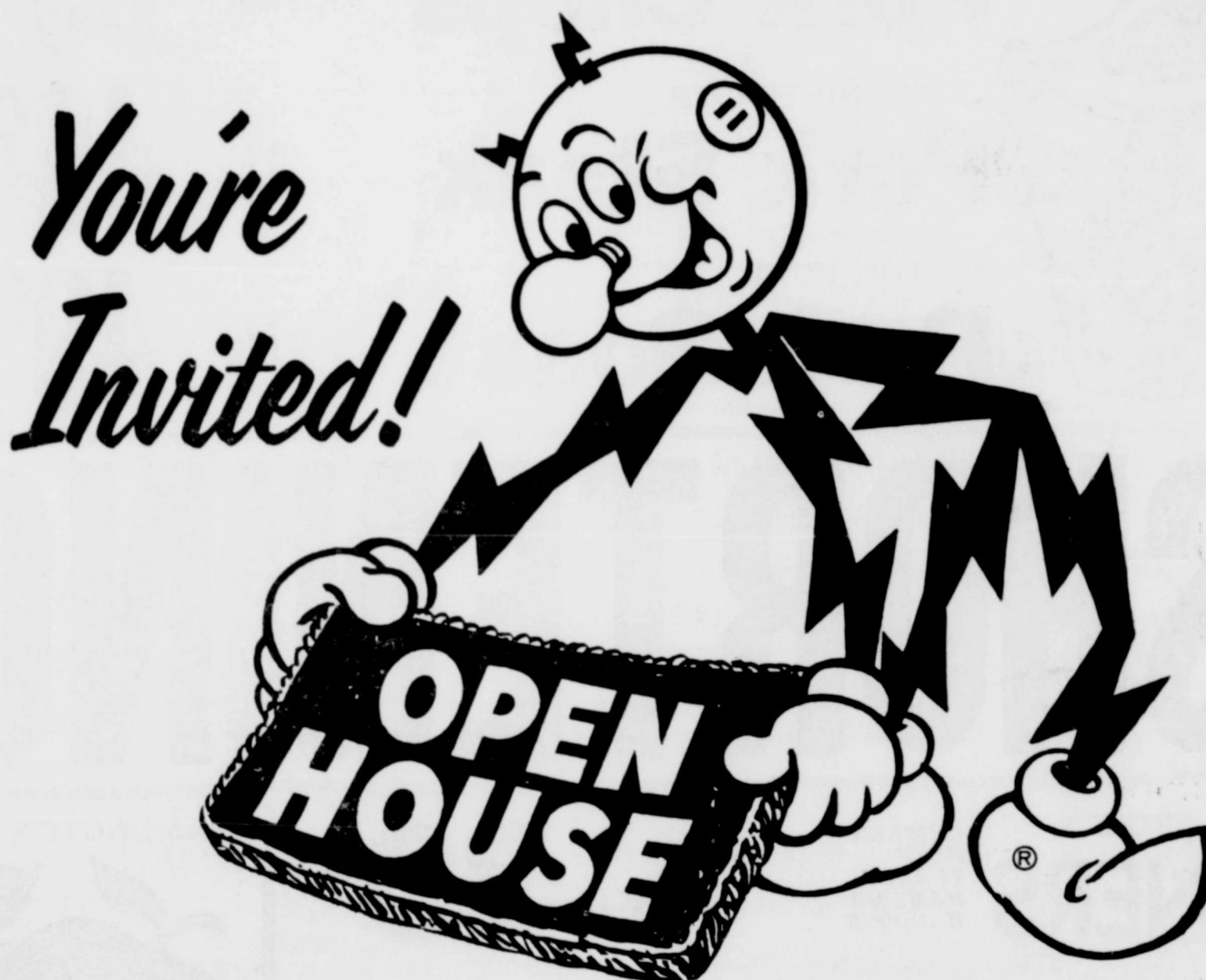
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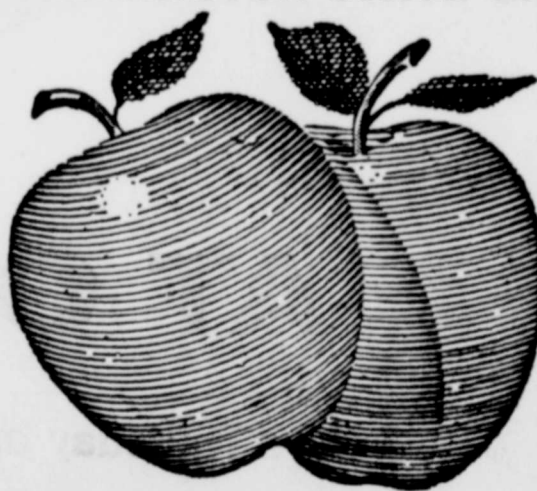
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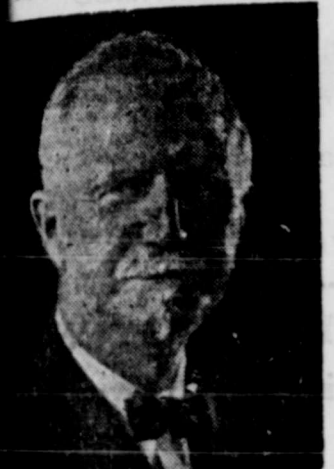
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The Cuban situation is featured in the news as a great crisis. I think, however, that news today must be discounted somewhat because of the competition between the various news media. The newspapers have to come out with an edition on schedule, while radio and television grind out material for eighteen hours daily. Owing to the fact that these newer methods of communication get tremendous income from advertising in connection with these newscasts, probably twenty per cent of the news has to be manufactured and certainly much of it is exaggerated. Therefore anything called a crisis today could be discounted.

### Struggle Between Those Who Have and Those Who Have Not

It seems as if this struggle started with Cain and Abel, and has continued throughout the ages. A reading of the Old Testament shows how crises constantly developed in Persian, Babylonian, Egyptian, and Roman history. Whatever change occurred in military warfare, there seems to have been change in human nature.

Furthermore, each nation has its cycle. Those who are at the bottom gradually come to the top; then power and wealth deteriorate and then back to the bottom again. Even the stock market has its cycles. Moody counts ten of these from the time our battleship Maine was sunk in the harbor of Havana, Cuba, in 1898 to President Eisenhower's heart attack in 1955.

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By Allan Carpenter, Director, Service Bureau  
Popular Mechanics Magazine



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### English History

During the past summer, I have been reading a most complete history of England. It consists of seven volumes and about six thousand pages. It is entitled THE PICTORIAL HISTORY OF ENGLAND, published by W. and R. Chambers of London, England, about 1850. The story consists of continual crises beginning with the year 56 B. C. As one reads these volumes, he thinks that England could not possibly last more than a hundred years. The serfs were continually fighting to get a little property and freedom while those who inherited their property lived in great castles. The conflict, however, was much the same as today.

From my reading of history I see no possibility of either Democracy or Communism being wiped out. Both will be suppressed at certain times in certain nations, but will rise up again in other nations. Whether, in the final analysis, it will be the same old struggle with each group alternately becoming stronger, or whether the two groups will gradually merge becoming more alike, no one can tell.

### East Versus West

At present, the Communist nations consist of Russia, China, and their satellites, with India more or less on the fence. These Communist countries are controlled by dictators and hence are more efficient in time of war (whether cold or hot) than are the Democratic



nations.

The dictators of these countries can control the news and actions of the people much better than can the President and the Congress of any Democratic country. Furthermore, I believe there will always be dictators, and there will always be Presidents, or other such heads of free states, and both will always have the above advantages and disadvantages. This even applies to a little country like Cuba, which is making headlines today.

### Word to Investors

Yet, I am not pessimistic. Conditions are far better today than in any of the two thousand years covered by the history of England which I have been reading supplemented by THE STORY OF MANKIND, written by Hendrik Van Loon, and similar books. There is today and always will be an opportunity for those with integrity, industry, scientific and in-

ventive curiosity. Opportunities may be more difficult for those who are living on inherited property without making a definite contribution to the welfare

of the world.

Human nature is the same—legislation is of only temporary value; while the conflict continues to be between those who "have" and those who "have not," whether of nations, political parties, families, or individuals. This also applies to industries and corporations in

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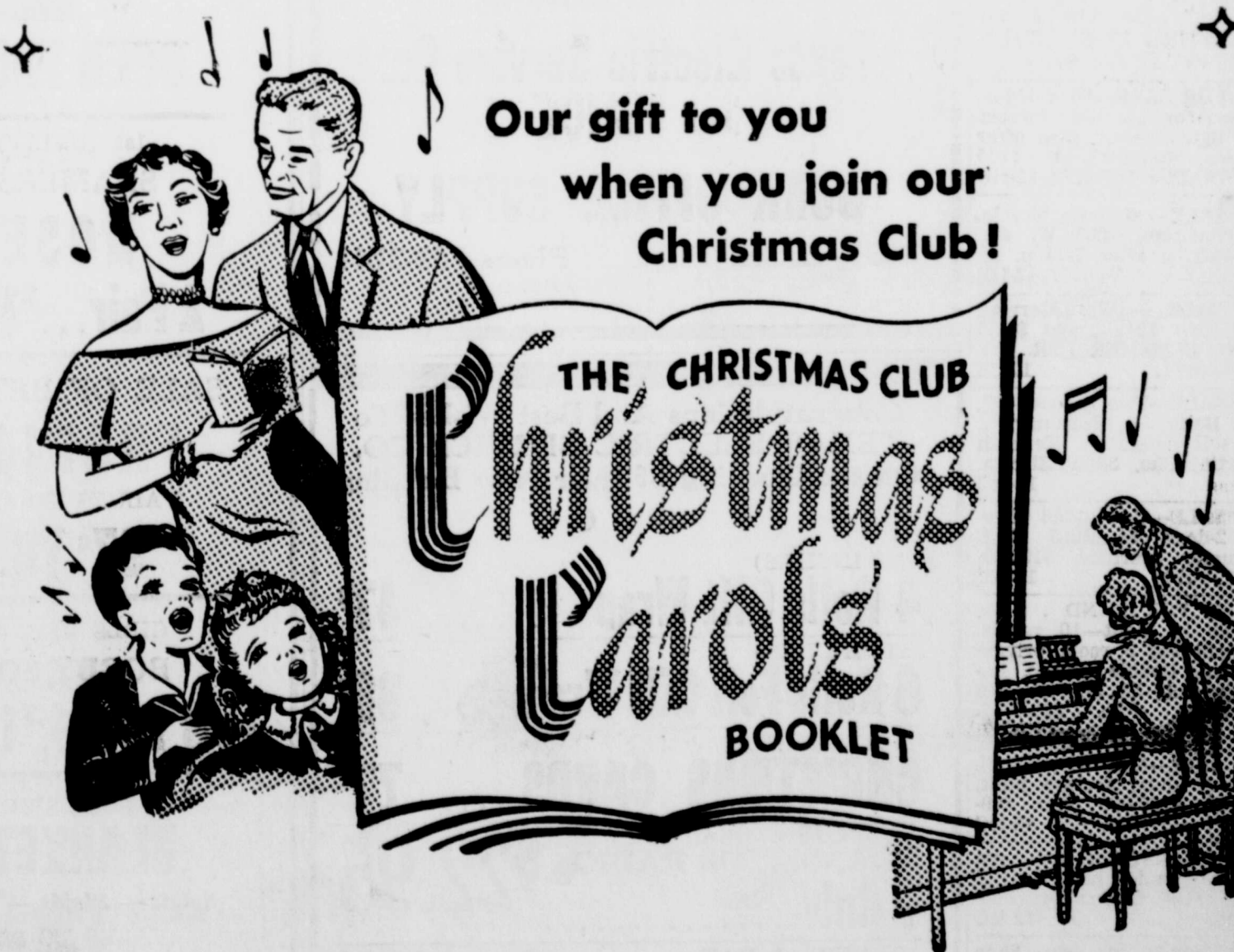
The roof rates special attention. Owners of older homes in particular should make a point of checking thoroughly for roof leaks by examining the attic after a heavy rain. Dark spots on rafters and decking probably mean leaks.

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