

Numerous Pleas Of Guilty Are Entered Here

The Christmas holidays yielded a large number of infractions of the law of various kinds, according to Sheriff Roland Clem.

In the county court Monday there were four pleas of guilty by as many different individuals to the offense of driving vehicles on the public highways while intoxicated—while the drivers were intoxicated, we mean. The offenders were Manuel Tonto, Marshos Trevina, Pete Anthony, and Gordon Brent. The Court— which was the county judge, Tom Garrard—saddled a fine of \$75 and costs on each one of them.

Leslie Bean, was arraigned in court for the offense of carrying a dagger. He did not explain why he needed one or upon whom he expected to use it, but the court showed his disapproval by sticking a fine of \$100.00 and costs on Leslie.

Bobby White evidently thought he needed some effective weapon of defense also, for he stole a pistol. At least he pleaded guilty to the charge of stealing one, and the court fined him \$50.00 and costs, total, \$73.10.

Down at O'Donnell, a Latin-American—we used to call them Mexicans—fell out with another member of his tribe and proceeded to appease his wrath by using the knife on his antagonist. Some flesh wounds resulted, and a charge of aggravated assault was filed against Ernest Zamorito. He fessed up and paid off to the tune of \$50.00 and costs.

Up at Wilson, a gentleman of color, Raymond Jefferson, had a little argument with his mother-in-law. So far as is known, she used only her tongue and her strong right arm, but her impudent foe was better armed. He used a little .22 pistol and shot her through the wrist, but no serious wounds were inflicted. She had to go to a hospital for treatment, however, and he had to go to court. \$50.00 and costs was the penalty.

But only his thick skull saved him from a much more severe punishment. For when he shot his mother-in-law, so the story goes, her 17-year-old son grabbed a shot-gun and fired at him. The buck-shot with which it was loaded, however, penetrated only the skin on the elder darky's head, hit the bone, and glanced off. A lucky Ethiopian!

In addition to all this, Sheriff Roland Clem says there have been numerous pleas of guilty to charges of drunkenness filed during these holidays.

Littlefield Wins State A Title

Littlefield Wildcats decisively defeated the Mexia Black Cats 13-0 for the Class A football championship of Texas before an overflow crowd of 11,500 at Fair Park Stadium in Abilene Monday.

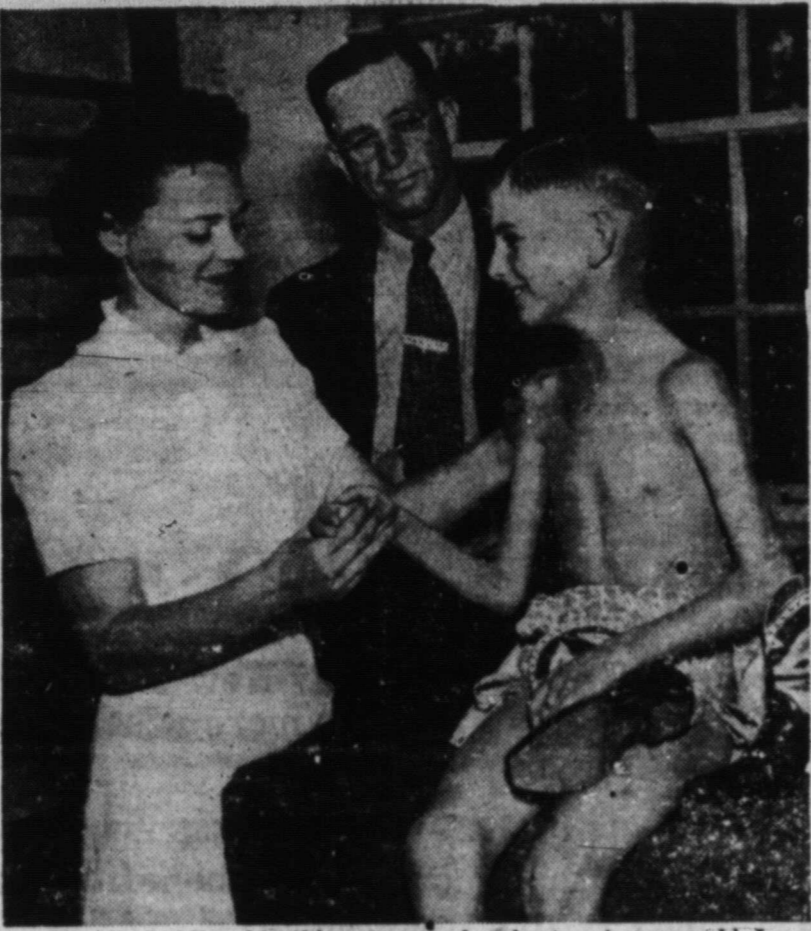
Though Littlefield was held to a closer score than in most of its other 14 games in advancing to the finals there was never any doubt, after the first quarter, as to the eventual winner.

Littlefield not only brought the State championship to West Texas, but also brought it to District 4-A, of which Tahoka is a member.

Tahoka Youth Enters Hospital

Harley Schulz, 14-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schulz of the Dixie community, was admitted to Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children in Dallas for treatment on Wednesday, December 14.

The Scottish Rite Hospital, which is supported by individual contributions, offers the best possible medical care and attention to Texas crippled children who are accepted for treatment.



Proudly holding his shiny new cowboy boots, nine-year-old Jerry Dan Swope of Wilson, Texas, undergoes treatment in his polio-ravaged right arm by Mrs. Mary Bass, physiotherapist at the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children in Dallas, while his father, Chester C. Swope, watches. One of the hospital's many clinical patients, Jerry has already been cured of the polio that struck his neck and hopes someday to regain some usefulness in his arm. He has been returning periodically to the hospital with his parents since October, 1947. Jerry Dan is one good reason why the Scottish Rite Hospital, supported by generous Texans everywhere, annually needs and solicits at Christmas time \$200,000 to carry out its operating expenses.

Pecan Show Is Planned Here

A Lynn County Pecan Show will be held Saturday, Jan. 7th, in the show windows of the Rutherford Department Store, according to Ben Moore of O'Donnell.

Pecan producers of this county are asked to bring in 12 to 20 specimens from their trees before 10 a. m. on January 7 to help make the show a success. The grower's name and the variety of nuts should be placed on a card with each individual's exhibit.

Mr. Moore says there are quite a few pecan raisers in this county.

Rotarians Hear School Chorus

Tahoka Rotarians were entertained Thursday noon of last week with a program of Christmas music by Director Bill Tregoe and his High School Chorus. The group of about twenty, accompanied at the piano by Miss Mary Louise Fenton, sang several numbers which were greatly enjoyed by the men.

Ernest West was in charge of the program.

Arrangement were made for sending clothing recently contributed by Tahoka Rotarians to Rotarians in need living in Continental Europe.

Local Lawyers Form Partnership

Calloway Huffaker and Sam Garrard, local lawyers last week announced the formation of a partnership for the practice of their profession. Both now are located at the Huffaker suite of offices in the Turner building at 1509 Sweet (J) Street, on the west side of the square.

Mr. Huffaker is former district attorney of this district, and Mr. Garrard, son of Judge Tom Garrard, a recent graduate of the University of Texas School of Law, opened up an office for the practice of law in the First National Bank building a few months ago.

MRS. OTTO CARTER HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Otto Carter was returned to her home here Sunday, after having been under treatment in Baylor Hospital in Dallas for almost three weeks. She entered the hospital on December 6, and soon thereafter underwent major surgery for a spinal trouble.

MERCHANTS SALES PAID at The News office.

Former Tahoka Resident Dies

Calloway and Maurice Huffaker and their families of Tahoka attended funeral services in Littlefield Tuesday afternoon for their sister, Mrs. Peyton Reece, 38, who died at her home in Littlefield at eight o'clock Sunday morning.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. L. Thurston of Brownfield, who had known the Huffaker family for many years and who had been pastor of the Wilson Methodist Church when deceased together with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Huffaker, were members of that church. The services were conducted at 2:00 p. m. Tuesday in the First Methodist Church of Littlefield, but the body was buried in Tech Memorial Park, Lubbock.

Survivors include the husband, Peyton Reece of Littlefield; an adopted son, Richard Reece, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Huffaker of Levelland, who were residents of this county many years; and three brothers, Lloyd Huffaker of Lubbock, and Maurice and Calloway Huffaker of Tahoka. Her maiden name was Chloe Huffaker.

She was born on August 27, 1911 at Avoca in Jones county, Texas. She came with her parents to Lynn county in 1919, and during most of her childhood and youth attended the public school at Wilson and graduated there as a girl. Later, she attended the Texas Technological College and graduated there with a B. S. degree. She taught school for a while at Lamesa and later served as home demonstration agent of Hale county. She was married to Peyton Reece on January 1, 1938, and had resided in this area ever since.

She was recognized as a very talented woman and was greatly loved for her queenly Christian character. Her friends in Lynn county would constitute a great host, and they are deeply disappointed and grieved that one so lovely and so fair should be called away so soon.

Lighting Contest Winners Named

Winners in the Christmas decoration contest were announced this week by the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce, sponsors of the annual event.

In the contest for the best decorated business-house, Lyntegar Electric Co-op was placed first. Robinson Ready-to-Wear second, and Rutherford's department store third. The Lyntegar decorations were among the most beautiful and elaborate of any ever erected here at Christmas time.

In the home decoration contest, Alton Cain won first place, Charles Stewart second, and H. W. Carter third.

A prize, in each case of \$15.00 was given for first, \$10.00 for second, and \$5.00 for third.

Many homes and business institutions were beautifully decorated in keeping with the season. Judging was held Friday night by a secret committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Medford Moore and two children of Wellston, Oklahoma, came Saturday and are still enjoying the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Moore of New Home.

Two Prominent Lynn County Couples Have Been Married For Sixty Years

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith of New Home celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary last Sunday. They were married on Christmas day, in 1889 at some place in Alabama. They came to Texas soon thereafter, however, and have been residents of Lynn county almost ever since the organization of the county.

All of the children were at home to help them celebrate the occasion, the children being Walter Smith of Slaton, Mrs. Ed McManis of New Home, Wayman, Wade, and Wilmer Smith of New Home, Mrs. Jack London of Carlsbad, N. M., and Mrs. Esther Lemons of Lubbock. A great feast was enjoyed at the noon hour, and their home was thrown open to their friends in the afternoon. Many called to pay their respects and to leave gifts, which were numerous and lovely.

Roy Finch, 38, Passes Away

Following a long period of ill health, Roy Finch, 38, passed away in the Tahoka Hospital at about six o'clock Wednesday evening.

Funeral services are to be conducted in the First Baptist Church of Tahoka, of which he was a member, at two o'clock Friday (today) afternoon, with the pastor, Rev. C. T. Aly, officiating.

Survivors include his wife and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Finch, a sister, Mrs. Lillian (Alvin) Shelton and her daughter Ljnda Maye of Slaton and a few more distant relatives living elsewhere.

Mr. Finch was born on March 7, 1911, at Rochester in Haskell county. He came with his parents from that county to Lynn county in 1916, and attended school at Edith and Tahoka.

He was married to Miss Linnie Tippit, a teacher in the Tahoka public schools, on June 6, 1939, a position which she still holds.

For five years after their marriage, Roy operated a suburban grocery store near the Santa Fe Railway tracks in Tahoka. For the past five years he has been farming out east of town. He had been critically ill for about ten days but did not enter the hospital till Wednesday morning.

Roy was still a young man when ill health overtook him. He was easy to deal with and got along well with everybody. Many friends are grieved at his untimely death.

Aims Of 1950 ACP Announced

Farmers of Lynn county who cooperate in the 1950 Agricultural Conservation Program will help to insure their own future while strengthening agriculture generally and thus contributing to a stronger nation, says Roy O. Nettles, chairman of the county P. M. A. Committee.

This is the foundation upon which the Agricultural Conservation Program rests, the chairman explains. The future of the nation—its health and strength—depends on the productivity of the land. Because the people of this country have such a vital interest in keeping our land productive, the ACP had been established. It provided the way for all the people to cooperate with the farmers of Lynn County and of Texas, and of all the States in carrying out conservation practices which assure continued abundant—but balanced—production.

For the welfare of the nation—the people—it is necessary that the soil from which all people depend upon for a living be protected from erosion and deterioration. Assistance to farmers through the ACP has proven the most effective and economical means of accomplishing this end.

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Texan Wins 4-H Sectional Honors In Dairy Production



E. P. Wicker, Jr., 19, of Wilson, had the honor of being judged one of 10 sectional winners in the 1949 National 4-H Dairy Production program. Despite loss of 11 calves through disease and loss of valuable feed when the barn burned three years ago, he developed a herd of 18 registered Jersey dairy cattle. During seven years in 4-H, young Wicker also did an excellent job with his meat animal and field crops programs. He has shown a number of prize cattle, including a grand champion which received the American Jersey Cattle Club award. He won a scholarship for being outstanding junior showman at the 1947 South Plains Fair. More than 350 persons saw his demonstrations on dairy production subjects. He was a member of judging teams which received high ratings, and was junior leader of his club. He also was active in the county 4-H Council.

As reward for a fine record, Wicker attended the National 4-H Club Congress, Chicago, as guest of the Kraft Foods Company.

This activity is conducted under the direction of the Cooperative Extension Service.

Fire Damages Farm House

Considerable damage was done to a cotton-pickers house out on the John Thomas Tippit farm two and a half miles east of Tahoka just before noon Monday. The house was occupied by Negro cotton pickers, and when the fire was discovered they got busy with buckets of water and had the fire just about extinguished when the Tahoka fire truck arrived.

Mr. Tippit thinks the fire caught from a defective flue. A high wind was blowing at the time and if the fire had not been discovered until just a few minutes later, it would have been impossible to save the building.

Japanese Bishop Will Speak Here

It will be an important occasion in Tahoka Friday evening of next week, January 6, when a Japanese Methodist Bishop makes an address in the Tahoka Methodist Church.

It would be an important meeting in religious circles in any case, for the meeting, to be held at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, is to be a part of the "Advance for Christ and His Church" program for the Lubbock District. Representatives from other churches in this section of the Lubbock District will also be present.

The principal speaker will be former Bishop Yoshimune Abe of Japan, according to announcement made by Rev. C. A. Holcomb, Jr., the pastor.

He is in this country, Brother Holcomb says, under the direction of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Church. He is now president of the Japan Peace Association.

Many people in this area other than Methodists will doubtless avail themselves of this opportunity to hear a distinguished Japanese Divine.

GARRARD HONORED

County Judge Tom Garrard has been named an honorary director of the Texas Safety Council, he was informed recently by Pierce P. Brooks, president of the council.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Balch of Fort Worth were holiday visitors here the past week.

James Connolly Holiday Accident Death Victim

James "Skinner" Connolly of Tahoka met his death on the highway near Clairemont Friday night while on his way to Hill county to spend Christmas with relatives. His death resulted from the collision of his car with a cotton trailer attached to a pickup at a point three to five miles on this side of the little county seat town of Kent county.

Others in the car at the time of the accident were Mrs. Connolly and Frank Brown, also of Tahoka. Mrs. Connolly was seriously but not critically hurt, while Frank Brown—sustained only a few bruises and abrasions, principally on the face. Brown lifted Mr. Connolly out of the car and realizing that the latter was seriously injured he had an ambulance ordered from Jayton. Mr. Connolly died before the ambulance arrived. Mrs. Connolly, who was only semi-conscious at the time, was not told of Mr. Connolly's death until just before reaching Post. Frank stated (Cont'd. on Back Page)

Conference Cage Season Opens

With the opening of the new year, Tahoka High School's basketball season will get under way in earnest.

The highly rated Abernathy Antelopes will come here Monday night for three games, with both A and B boys teams and the girls team participating in non-conference tilts. Abernathy has one of the better basketball aggregations of West Texas. No local fan has hopes of victory, but the rapidly improving Tahoka squads are certain to furnish local lovers of this sport plenty of entertainment.

Tuesday night, the A and B boys teams will go to Brownfield for a tilt with that excellent Class AA aggregation.

Then, on Friday night, Coach Jake Jacobs' team will open its 1950 4-A conference season with Seagraves in the Tahoka gymnasium. Tahoka edged out the Seagraves boys the only time they have met this season in a non-conference game in the Levelland tournament. The B teams will likewise play.

January 10 Tahoka girls and boys will play in Slaton, the boys' game being a conference affair.

The remainder of the schedule follows:

Jan. 12, 13, and 14. Abernathy tournament. GA.

*Jan. 17. O'Donnell here. BA.

Jan. 19, 20, and 21. Tulla tournament.

*Jan. 24. Post there. GA.

*Jan. 27. Seagraves there. BA.

Feb. 3. Open date.

*Feb. 7. O'Donnell there. BA.

*Feb. 10. Post here. BGA.

*Denotes conference game; A, boys' first team; B, boys' second team; G, girls team.

They That Dance Must Pay Fiddler

Sheriff "Slick" Clem didn't tell us how many motorists paid fines through the sheriff's office in Lynn county this year but he did tell the amount of fines collected, \$23,010.33.

That's enough to buy corn bread and Bull Durham for all the county officers for quite a while. Of course the ladies in the courtroom will not spend theirs that way; they'll take theirs out in cold drinks and cosmetics.

But "Slick" is right proud of the record he has made. And Judge Garrard and County Attorney P. P. Maddox have done their part. They are not hard-hearted men—quite the contrary; but they believe in making the dancers pay the fiddler and the whiskey-runner pay the freight.

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Odds & Ends

(By E. I. The Elder)
We didn't intend, when we started out, to make this column just a Bible study, but we guess it wouldn't hurt the folks to become a little more Bible-minded, so here we go with another shot. We didn't quite finish up on Saul of Tarsus. The last thing we had heard about Saul, he was sitting at the feet of Gamaliel. We know nothing of his whereabouts or his life for the next few years.

Then came John the Baptist, preaching the baptism of repentance, and holding a sort of camp meeting down on the banks of the Jordan.

If Saul was in Jerusalem at that time, he must have ignored John and his message altogether. A lot of the common people of the city and of the country about went down to Jordan and heard John, and they repented and believed, and many hundreds of them, we may be sure, were baptized by him. Also, crowds of Pharisees and Sadducees, through mere curiosity, went down to hear him and through some unworthy motive asked to be baptized, but John discerned their insincerity and he gruffly drove them away. If Saul was in that number, the writers of the New Testament failed to mention it. We doubt if Saul ever heard John preach. Saul probably felt that he knew in a minute more than John would ever know. He was too sophisticated to listen to an "ignoramus" like John. Or, maybe he never had opportunity to hear him.

But Jesus did. And he went down to the Jordan, and was baptized of him in that historic stream. And after his temptation in the wilderness, he began his three years work of preaching, teaching and healing.

Did Saul ever hear him preach? We think not. If so, he

must have regarded him as an imposter. Did he ever come in contact with Jesus? We doubt it. There was a great stir in Jerusalem in those days—a stir when Jesus made his entry into the city; a great stir on the day of the crucifixion; a great stir when rumors and reports were circulation that he had arisen from the dead; a great stir on the day of Pentecost, when strange things happened in the old city, as many thousands of people could personally testify. It is not reasonable to believe that Saul witnessed any of these events. He doubtless scoffed at them when he heard about them. They were too absurd for him to waste any breath on. It was a mere "craze" that would soon die out of its own absurdity. He ignored it.

But instead of dying out the "craze" spread. Three thousand had been baptized on Pentecost, but soon thereafter, in one day, about 5,000 were converted. Peter and John were cast into prison but were miraculously released. They preached on and on in spite of orders from the Sanhedrin not to do so, and declared that Jesus had arisen from the dead, and multitudes had believed. The Sadducees, irked by the preaching of this doctrine of the resurrection, had them haled before the Sanhedrin again, but Gamaliel, a Sadducee, counseled moderation, and his counsel prevailed. All they did to Peter and the other Apostles was to call them before the council, beat them up, and command them not to speak in the name of Jesus any more, and then let them go.

How well did the apostles obey this order?
Well, "daily, in the temple, and in every house, they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ."

And Stephen, a newly ordained deacon, was one of the disciples who joined in with the Apostles to do the preaching.
By this time Saul had become alarmed. He decided the whole world was going off on this crazy crusade. In spite of the moderation counseled by his old teacher, Gamaliel, he decided to join in with the persecutors. A big gang of Jewish fanatics, including some from Saul's native Cilicia and probably his acquaintances, framed up on Stephen. They hired men to testify what they had heard Stephen speak blasphemous words against Moses and against God, which was a capital offense under Jewish law. And then they got out and stirred up the people and the officials against him and organized a posse to take him before the Council for trial. Stephen spoke bravely in his own defense and in condemnation of the crooks who had condemned Christ to death. Of course they convicted him. And Saul was right

there commending the squad that should stone Stephen to death, and he kept the clothes of those who did so.

Having gotten the taste of blood, Saul went about dragging others from their homes and haling them into court; and nearly all of the members of the great first Church at Jerusalem were riven out and were scattered through Judea and Samaria. And Saul, suppressing whatever pangs of conscience he may have suffered for his part in the murder of Stephen, and "yet breathing out threatenings and slaughter against the disciples of the Lord," went to the high priest and asked for letters to the synagogues at Damascus, so that if he found any disciples there, either men or women, he might bring them bound to Jerusalem. The letters were granted.

So, Saul and his little gang of murderous bigots were on their way. And then a strange thing happened. As they were nearing the city of Damascus, a strange light from heaven suddenly flashed about him and he fell to the ground, blinded. And a voice spake to him saying, "Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?"

And Saul asked, "Who are you, Lord?"

And the Lord answered, "I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting."

And from that very moment on, Saul was the servile and devoted follower and worshiper of Jesus as the Christ.

If any critic ventures to say, "That story of Saul's conversion sounds fishy, I don't believe it; the best answer is that Paul's experience on that Damascus

road, whatever it was, revolutionized his whole life. It changed him from a hater of Jesus to his most devoted friend and defender; it caused him to abandon his erstwhile powerful Jewish friends and incur their bitter wrath and enmity; it opened his eyes to the folly of supposing that men are saved by reason of the faith and righteousness of their ancestry and their race, without regard to their own personal attitude toward God; it caused him to abandon all hope of attaining honor and fame as a great and good man among his own people, and to stake his entire future in this world and the next upon the personage his people had disowned and rejected and crucified as an outlaw and a criminal.

It caused him to abandon a life of comfort and ease and to undergo every kind and degree of hardship. Enumerating some of these sufferings, he says: "Of the Jews five times I received forty stripes save one. Thrice was I beaten with rods, once was I stoned, thrice I suffered shipwreck, a night and a day I have been in the deep; in journeyings often, in perils of waters, in perils of robbers, in perils by mine own countrymen, in perils by the heathen, in perils in the city, in perils in the wilderness, in perils in the sea; in perils among false brethren; in weariness and painfulness, in watchings often, in hunger and thirst, in fasting often, in cold and nakedness. And one thing he could not mention, and that was death finally at the hands of a wicked pagan Roman emperor.

Saul, known in most of his adult life as Paul, proved his faith in Jesus by his works.

If Saul experienced no miracle on the Damascus road, his whole life thereafter was a miracle.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION WILL GIVE EXAMINATIONS

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Proud Of Your Pecan Trees?

(By Ben Moore, Sr.)

The last pecan tree west, and of course the first one to be seen going east from the Texas plains is on the north side of the high-

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way near the approach to Bull Creek bridge, five miles east of Gail, Texas. Strangely, it is one of the largest pecan trees to be seen in Texas—about 18 feet in circumference at shoulder-height. There are men living who have caught fish beneath it's spreading branches. Bull Creek changed it's course long ago, and remains dry, except during very wet periods. But the great tree is

anchored in good soil, and probably has been so for four hundred or more years. Climate has nothing to do with the fact that no wild pecans ever have appeared in natural state on the plains of Texas. With neither rocks nor real clay lying beneath the rich soils of the plains, there is nothing to hold moisture for a great length of time. With caliche encountered at a relatively shallow depth throughout the plains, it's easy to see why the lack of trees has always been so noticeable. Caliche doesn't hold moisture, and there has hardly been a year of record in which all moisture did not escape from the richer top soil at some time, during each season.

So it is that we found only mesquite and a few scraggly bushes here at the coming of the white man. Mesquites have enormously long lateral roots as well as a taproot, and have a way of storing moisture sufficient for their narrow leaves. Hackberry was found in such localities as the sandhills, northeast of Tahoka, where all moisture seldom vanishes between rains. Also, these trees were able to do pretty well at the brink of buffalo wallows. Among the rocks about alkali lakes, hackberry and wild china were much in evidence when the plains was yet open country. A few men yet live who have seen wild turkeys roosting in such trees on the plains of Texas.

It is practically certain that the first pecans ever produced in Lynn county were from a seedling tree in the yard of the late H. C. Crie, early Tahoka publisher of The News—about 1919. Since pecan trees seldom die, we think this one may have been destroyed along with the residence in a disastrous fire. Certainly, the first bred-up pecan trees were put out by M. F. Ballew, 4 miles northeast of O'Donnell in 1925. A grueling trip in a Model-T to near San Saba was made by Ballew for twelve trees, eleven of which grew, and are much admired 25 years later. In 1928 a few nuts were produced. They have not failed once. We believe that the late A. L. Lockwood set three trees the following year at his Tahoka residence. They have borne con-

sistently, we believe every year, since their beginning. No Texas locality can show such a record. The Ballew trees probably long ago sent their taproots to the water which is forty feet below, but they were watered for some years.

To set pecan trees haphazardly, means a waste of time and money. If set too near to other trees or stayed for water over long periods, they may stand for years without perceptible growth. But, if set in a depression, much of the battle is won. Then there should be a section of tile, two or three feet in length sunk within about two feet of the tree. A mere trickle of water into the receptacle overnight should water nicely the region about the taproot. After the first season's growth, a coating of well rotted barnyard manure may be placed within the "square" depression. Only top soil should be used in filling hole about the roots when setting.

We are of the opinion that any pecan grown in the lower regions of Texas will mature here. The Mahan is largest of all, but has never been too popular anywhere because of it's failure to fill perfectly at it's rear end. However, J. K. Applewhite of Tahoka and others have produced them, both larger and better filled than those grown in central Texas the same season. Western Schley is the peculiar cut which is smaller at the large end, a long nut very thin shelled and does well here. Stuart has been thoroughly tried and is very meaty. Burkett is popular everywhere, a fine round nut with finest flavor and very thin shelled. Success is oblong, and is going to become popular. We gave it a very thorough trial, and

this year it began cracking almost two weeks ahead of the Burkett and others.

Black walnuts are certainly well worth planting, and probably do well much farther north than does the pecan. The best known is the Thomas, largest of all, and should bear the second year from planting. C. E. Woodworth, of Tahoka has pioneered in nut culture in Tahoka, having

proved beyond a doubt the feasibility of planting pecans, black and English walnuts. Other growers include L. C. Haney, J. K. Applewhite, Walter Slaton, Mrs. A. L. Lockwood, and probably a dozen others. Mr. Knight has also been diligent in his experiments with pecans in Tahoka.

May there be a good array of nuts brought in for the Lynn

county show, January 7th—15th YOUR Show.

M. S. Reese, professor of Journalism at Southern Methodist University and Carna Reese, a Ministerial student in Southwestern Baptist Seminary, together with the latter's wife and baby, visited their parents here, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reese on Christmas day.

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Hagoods Moving To Junction Ranch

Luke Hagood, a well known Lynn county farmer, who last year became a member of the board of trustees of the Tahoka school district, and family are preparing to move to Junction in a few days, The News is informed.

Mr. Hagood will operate a ranch near that city. They will be back in familiar country, since Mrs. Hagood was reared there and he formerly lived in that town.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Unfred and children of New Home spent the Christmas holiday visiting relatives at Hamlin.

Two New Men At Wharton Motor

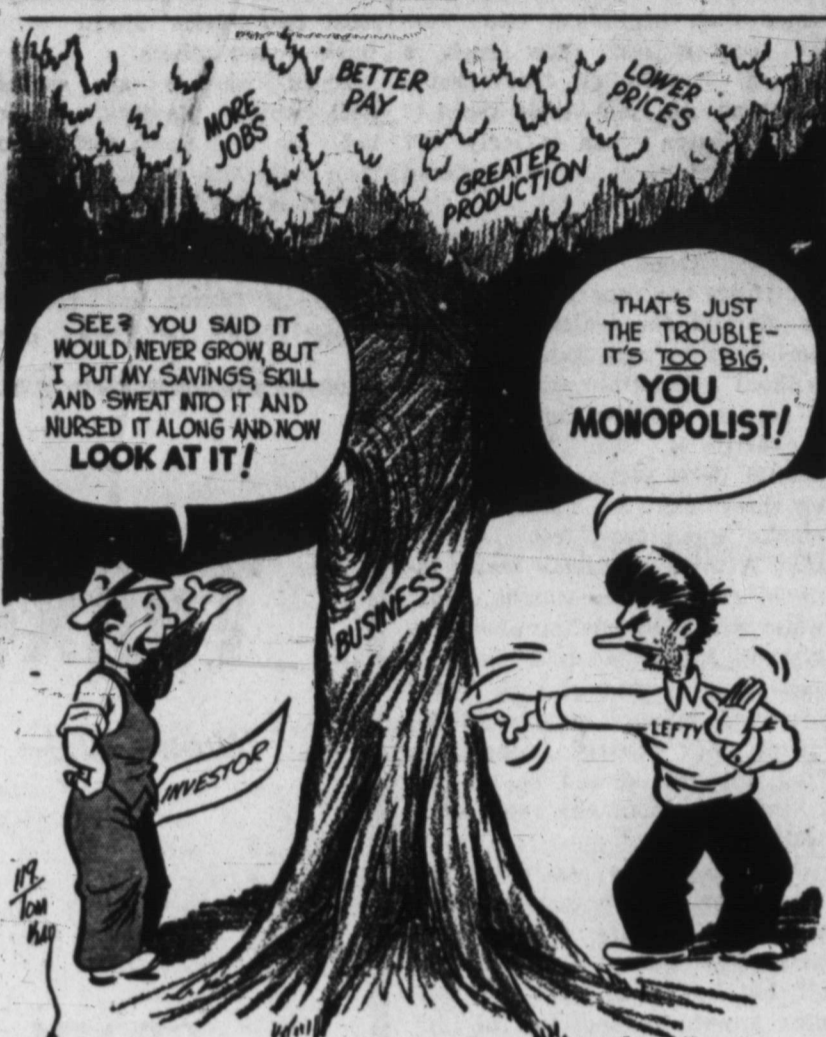
Wharton Motor Company has secured the services of two experienced mechanics, one well known here, who have moved to Tahoka from Denver City.

Jim Ward, former Tahokan, is the new service manager at the Wharton Motor company, and Dennis Dunlap, also an experienced mechanic, will operate the visualizer alignment equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lawrence and children visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lawrence, at Chico during the Christmas holidays.

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COOPER CHILDREN HERE FOR CHRISTMAS

The sons and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cooper gathered in the parental home here Monday and enjoyed a great feast together at the noon hour.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cooper of Brownfield; Captain and Mrs. George T. Cooper of Lawton, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith of Dallas, Mrs. Smith being the former Myrtle Cooper; Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Nowlin and children, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Cain and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hamilton, all of Tahoka.

Noel Cooper of Lamesa, and Mrs. Mildred Cooper Harris of Compton, California, were the only two children not present.

COMPLETES TOUR

With The Eighth U. S. Army in Tokyo, Japan—Sergeant First Class Lonnie D. Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Moore, Tahoka, as completed a thirty months tour of duty with Headquarters & Headquarters Company, 15th Medical Battalion, 1st Cavalry Division, Camp Drake, Tokyo, Japan.

MAKES A ROUND OF VISITS

Mrs. Maude Bledsoe and Mrs. Jewell Johnson took about three weeks off recently to visit around among relatives and friends. Places visited included Lubbock, Morton, Petty, Dallas, and Richardson.

Among others, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cromer at Richardson. They returned home on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oliver and baby of Odessa spent Christmas here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Oliver, and with her mother, Mrs. Tom Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Garvin, who moved from this city to Channing about a year ago, spent the Christmas holidays here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anglin and their son Roy Anglin and his wife visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Charles Nelms and family, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Lamb and daughter Magann were over from Clayton, New Mexico, spending Christmas with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Singleton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hutchison and son Raxton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Luck during the Christmas holidays at Minden, Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Edwards of Springer, New Mexico, where they are engaged in ranching, visited relatives and friends here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Sharpe were up from Hondo spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. H. McCoy, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Borden C. Davis visited her mother, Mrs. Curry, and other members of the family in Haskell county during the holidays.

ADDING MACHINE ROLLS at The News office.

CHILDREN ENTERTAINED WITH TURKEY DINNER

The children of Mrs. Maude Bledsoe and their families gathered in her home on Christmas day and were served a great turkey dinner.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bledsoe and family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bledsoe of Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cromer and Noah Lee of Petty, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nolan and Nell of Tahoka, and Mrs. Jewell Johnson, Tahoka.

Gifts from a tree were exchanged after dinner had been served to sixteen people.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Evans had as holiday guests their two sons, Rev. Boyce Evans and his wife and their two children from Fort Wort, and C. B. Evans Jr., and his wife and their twin sons of Morton, and also their daughter, Mrs. A. D. Rogers and her husband and their son Allen Don of Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin (Tiny) Jolly of Dallas spent the holiday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jolly. Edwin is still on crutches as a result of burns suffered several weeks ago when a pot of molten metal blew up.

Miss Margaret Hutchison, Executive Secretary of the Baptist W. M. U. of Oklahoma City during the holidays visiting her father J. S. Hutchison and her sister, Mrs. K. R. Durham and the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lisemby Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lisemby Jr. visited the formers' daughter and the latter's sister, Mrs. Wendell Gilbert, and family at Atascosa, near San Antonio, Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garner Jr. and baby spent the Christmas holidays at Wichita, Kansas, visiting Mrs. Garner's parents. They expected to return home about January 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Scott and son of Abilene spent Christmas day and night here with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Haney and Miss Frances Marion. Mrs. Scott is Mr. Haney's sister.

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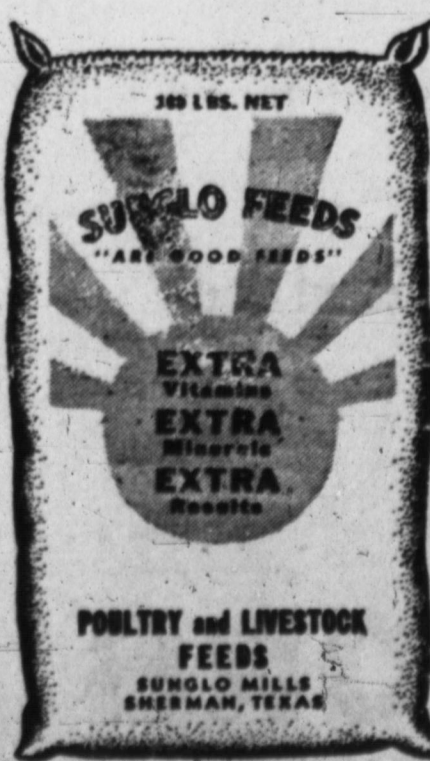
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L. H. Moore of New Home came to The News office Wednesday to look after his reading matter for the coming year and incidentally mentioned a five-week vacation which he took not long ago, spending the time on his old stomping ground down in Blanco county. While there he put a large part of his time hunting and triumphantly brought down a deer.

SAM REIDS RETURN FROM VISIT WITH CHILDREN

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Reid returned Wednesday night from a visit with their son Kenoth and family in San Antonio and their daughter and family Mrs. W. D. Smith in Fort. Worth. Mrs. Smith was the former Lilla Mae Reid. She and Mr. Smith have one child.

Visiting in San Antonio first, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Reid were accompanied from that city to Fort Worth by Kenoth and his family and back to San Antonio, from which place the Sam Reids came home Wednesday.

Kenoth is a Government inspector for this area, his headquarters being in Philadelphia. His job is to inspect all property in his territory bought by the Government, and approve it before the deal is closed. Sam says that it is a dandy good job. Kenoth and his wife have three children.

THE W. L. KNIGHTS HAVE CHRISTMAS VISITORS

It was not exactly a family reunion that held forth in the W. L. Knight home here on Christmas day but it was near to it.

In addition to the head of the clan and his amiable life companion, were their son, K. F. (Buddy) Knigt and his wife and their daughter, Irma Beth, of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Knight's daughter, Mrs. J. E. Nance and family of Borden county.

Also, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Boyd, who live near by, had as their holiday guest their son, Bobby Boyd, who is a student in Texas A. & M. College, and of course he, too, was a guest of the Knights for a part of the day.

H. J. BINGHAM FAMILY ENJOY REUNION

The family of H. J. Bingham enjoyed a reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Bingham on Monday December 26.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Bingham, Bobbie and Nancy of Tahoka; Mr. H. J. Bingham; Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Bingham and Margaret; Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Keeton; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gray, J. W. and Junior; Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Perkins, Edwin and Pauline; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rogers, Wanda, Kenneth and Delta; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Keeton, Barbara and Patricia all of Poet; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Justice, Avie and Kenny of Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Rogers and Nova of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Keeton of Corpus Christi.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown us since sudden death and great sorrow came into our home last Friday night. We can not adequately express our gratitude; we can only say, "We thank you." —Mrs. James Connolly, Bob Connolly, Keith Connolly, Mrs. Maxine Brower, and Mrs. Doris Parker.

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Former Citizen Goes To Germany

Relatives here have been informed that Mrs. Jewell Wells arrived at Bavaria, Germany on December 23 to join her son-in-law and daughter, Lt. and Mrs. James Reego and their two children. Mrs. Reego and children went to Germany about a year ago and Mrs. Wells continued to live in Temple until December of this year.

Explorers of Himalayas Bag Rare Spiny Babblers

A new specimen of Nepal's rare spiny babbler, the first obtained for science in 106 years, has reached the United States as a prize of an American expedition returning from an extensive safari of exploration in that remote Himalayan kingdom.

The trophy is historic, for this is the first time the babbler was ever taken by a non-native, reports the National Geographic society, sponsor of the expedition with Yale university and the Smithsonian institution. The bird was bagged in the highlands of western Nepal, 5,000 feet above the steaming tropical valley of Karnali.

There are in existence only four other specimens of the spiny babbler (*Acanthopelia nepalensis*). The youngest is 106 years old. Three of the specimens are in the British museum. The fourth is in the New York museum of natural history, where it was received in an exchange with the British museum. The ravages of time have dealt harshly with those original specimens, reports Dr. Dillon Ripley, Yale zoologist, and expedition leader, who shot the bird.

Visiting the British museum en route home to compare his new prize with those taken a century ago, he found the originals so deteriorated that they looked as if they might belong to a different species.

Gathering of Eggs

Eggs must be protected during the summer months to protect egg quality, according to M. E. Jackson, extension poultry specialist at Kansas state college in Manhattan. Producers should gather eggs at least twice a day and three times a day when possible. A cool basement, fruit cellar, or storm cellar makes an ideal holding and cooling room for eggs on the farm. Proper gathering and cooling of eggs will increase the quality of eggs marketed. Improper handling of eggs is one of the most expensive programs in poultry profits.

Puzzling Question Explained

If an iron ring of three feet outside diameter and 2.5 feet inside diameter is heated, does the inside diameter increase, decrease or remain the same? It will increase, according to G.E. research laboratory scientists. Imagine a solid cylinder, three feet in diameter. When heated, the inner 2.5 feet does not pull inward nor press outward on the rest, but it all expands together. Hence, even if the inner 2.5 feet is not there, the hole will increase in size.

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Father Marquette

Father Marquette, a trained Jesuit missionary, departed the ancient home of his ancestors at Laon, France, at the age of 29. Sailing for Canada, he reached Quebec in mid-September, 1606. Within three weeks, he moved farther along the St. Lawrence to Three Rivers. There, until April, 1608, he studied Algonquin, Montagnais, and other key languages of the Indian tribes.

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Fryers Pound— **63c**

PIGGLY WIGGLY

H. B. McCord, Jr. Weds St. Louis Girl

Miss Corintha Jeanne Powell and H. B. McCord, Jr., were married at 1:00 p. m., Saturday, December 24, in a single ring ceremony read before an altar decorated with white mums, by Bro. H. M. Walker at Kingshiway Baptist Church in St. Louis. The bride is the daughter of

Mrs. Frances E. Powell of 310 Pennsylvania Ave., and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McCord, Sr. of Tahoka. The traditional wedding march was played by the organist who also accompanied the soloist as she sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer." Miss Peggy Powell, sister of the bride was her maid of honor and wore a blue net gown with

a coral satin bonnet. The bride-maid was Mrs. Flo Rug's, friend of the bride, and was attired in coral net with matching bonnet. Both carried bouquets of pink carnations. The best man was the groom's father, H. B. McCord. John Rugh of St. Louis and T/Sgt. Arthur Pederson of Scott field, Illinois were groomsmen. The bride wore a white satin gown made with a fitted bodice and long sleeves pointed at the hand. Her finger tip length veil was caught with a halo of orange blossoms. She carried a cascade bouquet of white roses centered with a white orchid.

A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride's mother where a huge wedding cake was cut and served to about forty guests. After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home at 2717 36th St. in Lubbock. The groom is a student in Texas Technological college.

CARD OF THANKS

I take this means of thanking my neighbors and friends for the flowers and cards and visits made while I was in the hospital. Also I sincerely thank Dr. Prohl and Dr. Thomas and the staff of nurses. —Mrs. R. W. Allen and family.

Visiting here during the Christmas holidays were Mrs. Carl Sherrod of La Habra, California, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burgett of Galveston, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Liles, Mrs. Liles being the former Bernice Hatchett, their three sons and a daughter, all of Texas City, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Barnett, Mrs. Barnett being the former Donnie Hatchett, and their daughter Lois Jean of Galveston. Mrs. Sherrod and Mrs. Burgett are daughters of J. E. Kettner and sisters of Mrs. Happy Smith and Mrs. Sam Price, and both were practically reared here, as well as were Mrs. Burgett's daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Short of Port Arthur arrived about noon Christmas day and remained here until Monday at noon visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Short, and her parents, Judge and Mrs. P. D. Server, her sister and children, Mrs. Florine Best, and numerous friends.

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 Preaching on 1st and 3rd Lord's Day 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
 Bible Study every Lord's Day 10:00 a. m.
 Communion 11:00 a. m.
 Thursday 8:00 p. m.

STUDIES IN ACTS
 The First Baptist Church will conduct a Bible Study Week beginning Monday, January 2, at 7:00 p. m., using "Studies in Acts" by Wm. J. Fallis, as the outline.

This is an appropriate study since the First Quarter of the International Sunday School Lessons are to be on the Book of Acts. Every teacher and officer of the Sunday School and all others who wish, should participate in this study. The pastor is to be the teacher. Books are available at the church office now.

WATCH NIGHT SERVICE AT BAPTIST CHURCH
 A unique program for the Watch Night service has been planned at the First Baptist Church for Saturday night, December 31, beginning at 8:30 o'clock.

A period of singspiration, under the direction of Rev. Sheldon Russell, will be followed by a brief time of recreation, after which an inspirational message will be given and greetings of the New Year will be expressed.

Dr. and Mrs. George Heather of Tallahassee, Florida, and their two children spent the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Stewart. Dr. Heather has accepted a position in Texas Tech and will become Dean of Commerce here on January 15, and the family will be at home in Lubbock. Mrs. Heather will be remembered as the former Mary Stewart and is a Tech graduate.

MRS. E. S. DAVIS HAS GUESTS FOR CHRISTMAS
 Mrs. E. S. Davis reports that she had three of her children and their families home for Christmas. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Davis and baby of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert C. Davis of Marlin and their sons, Hubert Edward, a student in Texas Tech, and Joe Bob, a student in West Texas State at Canyon; and Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Davis of Lubbock. Daniel and Sherman are her sons, and Mrs. H. C. Davis her daughter. Ottis of Tahoka was also present. Mrs. Ruby Fields of Vista, Calif., and Mrs. Mildred Schooler of South Gate, Calif., could not come home for Christmas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Akin of Muleshoe visited relatives and friends here during the Christmas holidays. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Loyd of Midland visited his mother, Mrs. J. A. Loyd, and other relatives here during the holidays.

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Miscellaneous

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Knights

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ed with her parents to Texas in 1863. Her maiden name was Pauline Brunette.

Mr. and Mrs. Knight lived in Omaha, Texas, until 1898, when they moved to Eastland, where he worked for a lumber company for six years. Then he bought an interest in the Roper Mercantile Co., who operated a general merchandise store. Later he and J. A. Brashear acquired the entire business, known at that time as Roper, Knight & Company, and they changed the firm name to Knight & Brashear. They sold the Eastland business in 1916 and moved to Tahoka, where the firm of Knight & Brashear continued to operate a general mercantile business. For several years they were located in the two houses, then under a single roof, now occupied by the Piggly-Wiggly Grocery, and the Gaignat automobile business to the east of it.

Then the partnership was dissolved. Mr. Knight continuing to operate a grocery store in the west half and Mr. Brashear operating a clothing and dry goods store in the east half.

Mr. Knight retired from business several years ago.

Miss Mary Seroyer of San Angelo was here this week visiting her sisters, Mrs. D. V. Smith and Mrs. C. T. Oliver.

Wells

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Mrs. Cornelia Kelley, who lives with the family, her husband, R. C. Wells, four sons, R. C. Wells, Jr., James Elton, John William, and Glenn Darrell Wells; one daughter, Miss Valerie Wells; two brothers, W. A. Galloway of Dallas and J. T. Galloway of Wichita Falls; two half-sisters, Mrs. Rossie Roberts of Dallas and Mrs. Letha Wylie of Snyder; two step-sisters, Mrs. Ida Elliott of Amarillo and Mrs. Pearl Beck of Dimmitt; and one step-brother, T. F. Kelley of Dalhart, practically all of whom are expected to be here for the funeral services. Mrs. Jim Burleson of this city is a cousin.

Mrs. Wells had been a resident of Tahoka for 33 years. She was born on August 4, 1892, twelve miles east of Lockhart in Caldwell county. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Galloway, her maiden name being Ollie Lee Galloway. Moving away from Caldwell county when Mrs. Wells was yet a child, the family came from Throckmorton county to Tahoka in 1916. She was married to R. C. Wells here on May 1, 1917, and the couple had resided here practically ever since, rearing their family here.

Mrs. Wells united with a Baptist Church when she was 13 years of age and had been a member of the local church ever since her removal to Tahoka in 1916. She was a faithful and devoted member of the church, a member of the choir for many years, and otherwise active in church work. She will be greatly missed in her home and her church and by numerous friends in the town generally.

The senior editor and Mrs. Hill have had as guests this week the former's children, Miss Berta Hill of Seguin; Mrs. Myrtle Rochelle and her two children, Anita Jo and Sara Sue of Lubbock; and Billy and Mildred Hill and their daughter Marion Lee of Muleshoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Kennedy of Fort Worth spent the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Nordyke, and at Hobbs, New Mexico, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kennedy. Charles is a Ministerial student in Southwestern Theological Seminary in Fort Worth.

Connolly

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that he had intended to see a doctor at Post for Mrs. Connolly but she expressed a wish to stop there and have a doctor to treat Mr. Connolly. It was then that Mrs. Connolly was told that Mr. Connolly was dead. She then desired to come on to Tahoka without stopping in Post, and they did so.

In addition to the terrible shock, Mrs. Connolly sustained the fracture of the collar bone and a rib together with many severe bruises. She is said to be recovering as well as could be expected under the circumstances. Mr. Connolly is believed to have suffered the possible fracture of the bones of the chest, causing his death.

Funeral services were conducted at 3:00 o'clock Monday afternoon in the First Baptist Church here followed by burial in the Tahoka cemetery. Rev. C. T. Aly was the officiating Minister.

Survivors include the wife; two sons, Bob (Finis) Connolly of Tahoka and Keith Connolly of Denver, Colorado; two daughters, Mrs. Maxine Brower of Richmond, California, and Mrs. Doris (Reid) Parker of Tahoka; four grandchildren; two brothers, Jeff and Clyde Connolly of Whitney; one sister, Mrs. Myrtle Frank of Whitney.

Mr. Connolly was a native of Hill county, having been born near Whitney on May 2, 1888. Early in life he united with a Baptist church in that county. On December 24, 1910, he was married to Miss Myrtle Clark in Hill county and he continued to reside there until 1922, when he and his family removed to Tahoka.

Here, he and his brother Jeff were associated with their brother, the late Judge Chester Connolly, in the automobile and garage business, for many years, Chester Connolly being agent for the Ford cars for a number of years and then for the Chevrolet for several years. James Connolly, during a large part of that time, was in charge of the parts department.

Frank Brown, who was riding in the Connolly car which was involved in the collision, was unable to state whether Mr. Connolly was blinded by the lights of the vehicle and did not see the trailer, or whether it swung over into his pathway, causing the collision, or just what happened, but he says that Connolly's car cleared the pick-up as it passed but struck the side of the trailer.

Whatever the cause of the collision, many warm friends here greatly deplore the accident and have evinced the deepest sympathy for Mrs. Connolly and the other members of the family.

WELLS H. D. CLUB NEWS

The Wells Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. T. B. Barton December 13 for a Christmas party.

As members arrived they handed gifts to Miss Myrtle Ledbetter who registered them and placed them around a lovely Christmas tree.

After games were played and carols were sung the hostess served refreshments of pops, Christmas cookies, and candy to eleven members, two lady visitors, and six small children.—Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Wyatt of Snyder spent Christmas here with his parents and also visited her relatives at O'Donnell.

Roberts Move To New Ranch Home

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Roberts recently have moved to their new home on the ranch out on the Lynn-Terry county line north of West Point.

The new home is a triangular ranch style home and is built on a promontory overlooking the scenic Mound Lake, as it now is called. This lake, about three miles or more long and having a large island near its center, has also been known as Salt Lake, and back in the early days as Laguna Ombigo by the Spanish explorers, sheepherders, and the buffalo hunters, and is so listed on official maps in Washington.

JARRELL BROWNS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Jarrell E. Brown of Louise, down the Texas Gulf coast, were here this week visiting old friends. Mr. Brown formerly was local manager of Samburger-Gee Lumber Co., but now is raising rice in the South Texas country.

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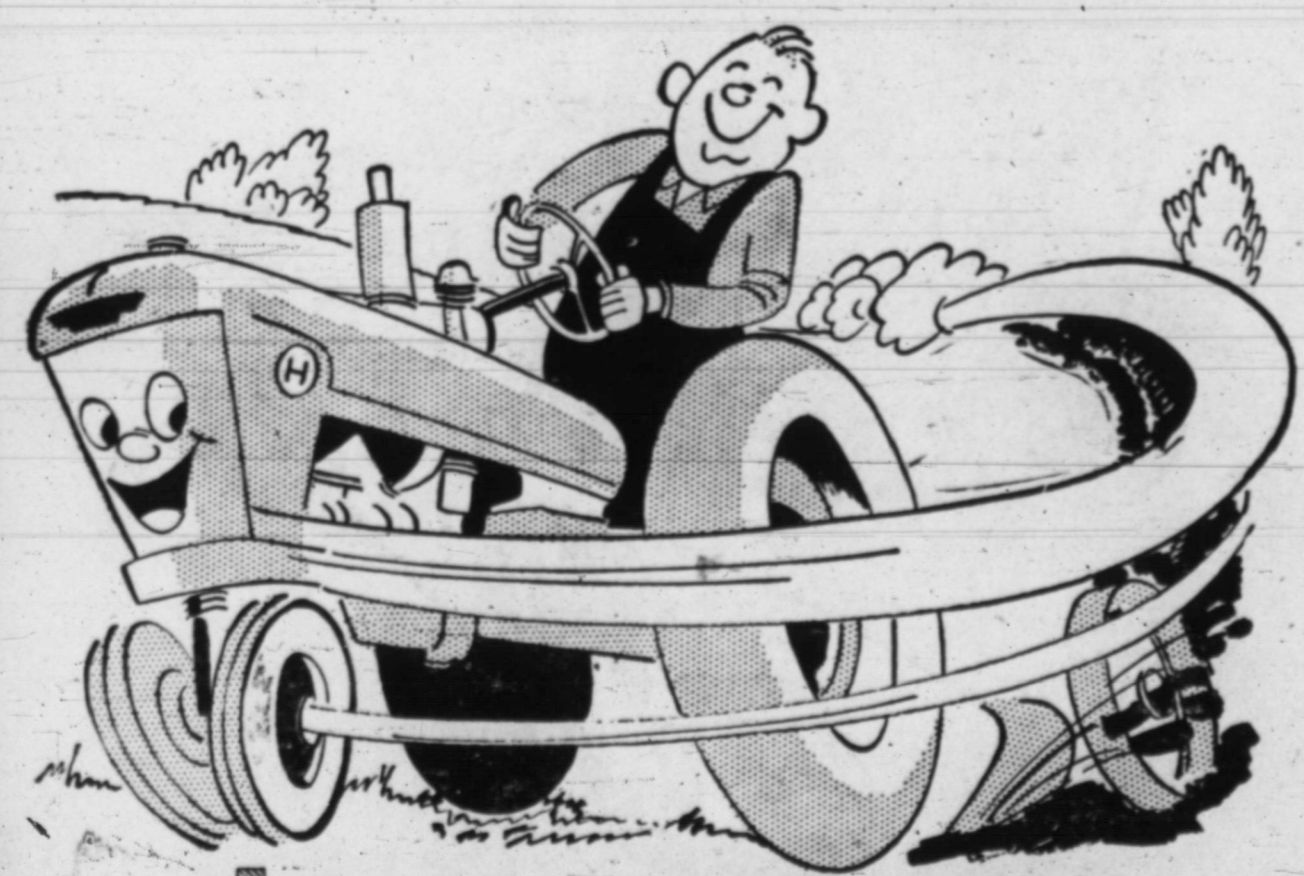
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