

## 1960 One of Wettest Years in County History

Collingsworth county ended one of the wettest years in its history, with 1960 moisture totaling 33.11 inches, according to Weather Bureau records kept by the State Highway Department office.

Due to changes in the weather bureau reporters here through the years, a complete record of annual rainfall is not available locally, but 1960 can be considered one of the wettest years in the county's history.

The wettest month was October, when 8.93 inches was recorded in Wellington.

It is to be pointed out, however, that rainfall varies over the county, and in some parts as much as 45 inches is the unofficial estimate.

There were two months in which no moisture at all fell, April and November.

The final moisture of the year came Friday night, Dec. 30, when a slow rain was recorded at .54 inch.

At the same time, Dodson received .70 inch of rain and snow covered the ground to give what was estimated at an inch of moisture.

Clyde Drake, resident highway engineer, has compiled the following 1960 record for The Wellington Leader.

January—1.23.  
February—1.24.  
March—1.26.  
April—0.  
May—4.39.  
June—6.40.  
July—1.37.  
August—3.15.  
September—2.13.  
October—8.93.  
November—0.  
December—2.65.  
Total—33.11.

## No Holiday DWI Arrests

Collingsworth county went through the Christmas and New Year holidays without an arrest for drunk driving, Police Chief Troy Marsh reported.

This record is considerably above that of most surrounding counties.

## Negro Cut in Affray Sunday

Johnny McCoy, Wellington Negro, received a cut on the left arm in an affray with two other Negroes in the Flats Sunday, Jan. 1 about 2:30 a. m., Police Chief Troy Marsh reported.

Sought in connection with the incident is Lee Arvis Culpepper. Also in the affray was the latter's father, Jessie Culpepper, Chief Marsh said.

## Statewide

# Quail Church Enters Achievement Program

The Quail Baptist Church has entered the 1961 Texas Baptist Achievement program, the Rev. Joe Hawn, pastor, said this week. The program is sponsored by the Baptist General Convention of Texas, and is designed to stimulate interest in small churches. Recognition is given the achievements of pastors and churches on both a local and state-wide basis.

A tentative program has been approved by the Quail church and sent to the district missions department in Dallas.

Members of the general program committee in the church are Herman Moseley, Mrs. N. E. Childs, Mrs. Jim Lowe, Mrs. Pete Lester, Mrs. Charley Starkey, Mrs. Loyd Vines and Frank Kennedy.

Mrs. Herman Moseley and Mrs. Roy Pegram will prepare the "Report of Progress" scrapbook.

The Rev. Mr. Hawn pointed

# County Questions Validity of 30¢ Tax, Write-in Votes

New and re-elected county officials were sworn into office Tuesday, Jan. 3, and immediately the new commissioners court found itself faced with three problems on which it requested the attorney general's opinion or the opinion of the county attorney.

First of these is whether 7 write-in votes in the Quail box at the November general elec-

tion legally elected Claude McKinney constable of Precinct 3. The question then arose if the 30 cent ad valorem tax voted by citizens of Collingsworth county four years ago is legal, and whether it expires as was intended after 1960, or whether it will run indefinitely.

The third problem on which an opinion was asked concern-

## Safe Empty

# Burglary Not Very Profitable in County

Three county business firms were burglarized Sunday night and Monday night, Jan. 1 and 2, and in one an empty safe was taken, while the other two places lost small amounts of change.

Entry was gained into the Gilmore Locker Plant Sunday night as the burglars pushed a narrow tool through a crack in the door and raised an inside bar holding it, Deputy Sheriff Kenneth Hodge reported.

The owners, L. A. Gilmore and Elmer Hiatt, estimate between \$150 and \$200 taken from the cash register.

Brown Service Station, owned by Millard Brown, Jr., was entered Monday night through a window between the office and grease rack, and change amounting to \$2 or \$3 and a small amount of candy and pop was taken, according to the sheriff's department.

An empty safe was taken from the inner office of the

Lutie Gin some time Monday night. The office door is left unlocked, but the locked door to the inner office was pried open with a tire tool, according to Hodge.

The burglary was discovered Tuesday morning and reported to Sheriff John Rainey by Alfred Knoll, manager.

Working with the sheriff's department on the Wellington burglaries was Police Chief Troy Marsh.

## Funeral Here Sunday for Former Resident

Mrs. Stephen Powell, who will be remembered here as Miss Polly Ratliff, died in a Salina, Kan., hospital Thursday, Dec. 29 following an illness of several months.

Mrs. Powell was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Ratliff and spent her girlhood here. After moving away, she operated a dress shop in Fort Worth and later worked in Kansas City.

She was born Oct. 27, 1911 in Glen Rose. She attended school in this county.

Mr. and Mrs. Powell were married in October 1958, in Carson City, Nevada.

She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Funeral services were conducted at Kelso Chapel Sunday at 2 p.m. by the Rev. Frank Weir, pastor of First Methodist Church. Following the service here, her body was taken to Goodlett for burial in the family plot. Kelso Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Pall bearers were Gladwin Gillispie, Gary West, Dale Ratliff, Hugh Burchett, Rod Ratliff and Larry Ratliff.

Surviving Mrs. Powell are her husband, Stephen Powell of Salina, Kan.; three brothers and two sisters: Arthur Ratliff of Bowie, Percy Ratliff of Goodlett, Ben Ratliff of Wellington, Miss Mai Ratliff of Fort Worth and Mrs. Frank Cook of Kingsville.

## Trades Day Winners Listed

Collingsworth County Good Will trades day winners were announced this week by N. M. Higdon, chamber of commerce manager.

Winning \$50 in script were Mrs. Jack Needham and Lewis Brinkley.

Thirty-five dollar winners were Johnny Barnett, Mrs. Marilyn Plucket, Mrs. Loyd Branch, Mrs. Wayne Martin, and Mrs. W. H. Vaughan. E. V. McClendon received \$25.

## Pie Supper Date Jan. 23

The annual Quail pie supper and coronation of the school queen, which was postponed by the big snow, is now scheduled for Monday night, Jan. 23, Supt. Herman Moseley announced.

## Ruffin Cocke, County Pioneer Dies Monday

Ruffin Cocke, retired business man and ranch employee, and a member of one of the pioneer families that contributed much toward the development of Collingsworth county, died at his home Monday evening at 7:30 p.m. He was 74 years of age.

Mr. Cocke had been ill for several months, but only two days before his death he visited downtown with friends, and the next day went to the home of a relative to be with other members of the family.

Noel Ruffin Cocke was born Dec. 9, 1886, in Denton county, and he was only four years old when his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cocke brought him to Wellington, then just established. The important events of the county's early history were interwoven with his own family and he witnessed their happening as few remaining men were privileged to do.

Mr. Cocke completed the work offered by the Wellington schools and then attended Polytechnic College in Fort Worth, the forerunner of Texas Christian University.

For many years he operated a meat market in Wellington, which grew to be one of the largest in this area. He also bought livestock. More recently, he was associated with the Mill Iron Ranches for a number of years.

On Oct. 24, 1912, he was married to Miss Betty Sledge, a member of another prominent pioneer family.

Mr. Cocke had been a member of the Methodist Church since childhood.

He was an enthusiastic sportsman, and a skilled hunter. (Continued on back page)

## Junior Quails Win Two Over Holiday Period

Quail junior boys started the new year right by defeating Lakeview 41-14 in a game at Lakeview.

Joel Harris was high point man for the junior Quails with 11 points, and Dale Morris had 10. Gibson was high for Lakeview with 8.

Earlier in the holiday season, the young Quails defeated Wellington Firecrackers 36 to 9 at Wellington.

Again, Harris was high with 12 points. The Firecrackers divided scoring evenly: Ronnie Hurst, Roger Weems, Bill Estes and Mike Wolf scored two points each and Stanley Bratten got one.

## One of Four

# Former Dodson Man Dies in Air Crash

Don Tabor, of Dimmitt, one of four plains men who died when their private plane crashed three miles southwest of Ft. Sumner, N.M., on a hunting trip, was born in Dodson and spent his early childhood there.

Mr. Tabor, 28 years of age, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Tabor, who now live at Bovina. His father was a barber at Dodson for a number of years but the family left there while Don Tabor was a small child. His grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tabor, and three uncles, Raymond Tabor, Robert Tabor and Herschel Tabor, still live at Dodson.

Funeral services for Tabor, along with Scott Berggren, 26, of Farwell, and D. C. Looney, 31, of Bovina, were conducted at 3 p.m. Wednesday in Bovina high school auditorium.

Officiating were the Rev. John Ferguson, pastor of Bovina Baptist Church; the Rev. M. A. Smith, pastor of Dim-

mitt Baptist Church; and the Rev. Davis Edens, pastor of Bovina Methodist Church. Burial was in Bovina.

The four men had been on a hunting trip to Hatch, N.M., and were going from Truth or Consequences to Clovis when the plane crashed.

The plane was owned by Tabor and Charles Edward Burks, 25, of Dimmitt, and was believed to be piloted by Tabor.

Mr. Tabor, a Korean war veteran, was with the highway patrol in the Dalhart area for several years. He moved to Dimmitt two years ago, and six months ago left the highway patrol to enter the insurance business.

He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth Ann of Dimmitt; two sons and a daughter, Michael Don 7, James Lee 5 and Melinda Ann 4; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Tabor of Bovina; and a brother, John Tabor of Richardson.

# Heavy Vote Needed in Water Election Tues.

Three directors of the Collingsworth County Water Control and Improvement District will be picked in the election Tuesday, Jan. 10, with voting slated in five boxes.

Four candidates are on the

ballot in this order: John Coleman, Charles Allen, J. T. Slay and Louis Patterson. Allen is asking a place on the board for the first time, the other three seek re-election.

The five voting precincts and

the area covered by each were announced by John Coleman, chairman of the board of directors. Voting Box 1 will include the areas served by North and South Wellington boxes, with Mrs. Joe Terry as election judge and Mrs. Irene Allen and Mrs. Hubert Leach clerks. The place of election will be the county court room.

Box 2 will include the Dodson voting precinct, with Lee White as judge and Mrs. Howard Hunt and Mrs. Lee White as clerks. The election will be held at the Farmers Co-op gin office.

Box 3 will cover the Quail, Marella and Buck Creek boxes, with Wren Hartman as election judge and Carl Wischkaemper and Warren Carter as clerks. Voting will be in the office of Quail gin.

Box 4 will include Lutie voting precinct, with Jess Deger as judge and Mrs. Jess Deger and Mrs. J. L. Alexander as clerks. The election will be in the Lutie gin office.

Box 5 will consist of the Samnorwood and Dozier voting precincts. James Murry will be the judge and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gooch clerks. Voting will be at the Church of Christ in Dozier.

The polls will open at 8 a.m. and close at 6 p.m.

The water district board is urging that all eligible voters participate. There is no property requirement for voting.

"We need a good show of interest in this election. If we don't get it, the other work we do toward trying to get a dam across Salt Fork in Collingsworth will be seriously hampered," Coleman declared.

## At Armory

# Organize Gun Club Here Monday Night

Organization of a gun club for Wellington sportsmen is set for Monday, Jan. 9 at 8 p.m. The meeting, and membership in the club, is open to anyone interested, both men and women, according to Police Chief Troy Marsh, one of the group working to organize

the club.

The meeting will be in the National Guard Armory.

Jerry Nix will be in charge.

Marsh said that tentative permission has been granted for the proposed club to use the Armory, and tentative plans are to set up an indoor range there. Others helping with the organization are Mike Glenn, Sheriff John Rainey and Deputy Kenneth Hodge.

Officers were contacted recently by 4-H Club boys in regard to a gun club. Riftery (Continued on back page)

## Funeral Rites Wednesday for Henry A. Taylor

Henry A. Taylor, 83, who had lived in the Dozier community 40 years, died in a Shamrock hospital Monday, Jan. 2 at 7:55 p.m. He was a retired farmer.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Lone Mound Baptist church with the Rev. Pete Thomas officiating. Burial was in Dozier cemetery.

Mr. Taylor was born Jan. 15, 1877 and came to the Dozier area from Independence county, Arkansas.

He was a member of the Lone Mound Baptist Church and the Woodmen of the World.

Surviving are a daughter and three sons: Mrs. Johnnie Sublett of McLean; Arthur Taylor and Willy Taylor of Dozier; and Adolphus Taylor of Amarillo. Other survivors are two sisters and a brother: Mrs. Maude Poole of Batesville, Ark.; Mrs. Ernest Pool of Aztec, N. M., and Cleve Taylor of Los Angeles. There are 13 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

## Wisconsin U Man Visits Family During Holidays

Here during the holiday season were Dr. and Mrs. Frazier Dameron and their four children, Duan, D'Lynn, Darie and Daloha, of Madison, Wis. They were guests of his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Dameron, and his sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Elliott. Another sister, Mrs. J. C. Ward of Canyon, joined them here.

Dr. Dameron is in administrative work with the physical education department of the University of Wisconsin.

At present he is doing considerable amount of lecturing before groups over Wisconsin in his field of work.

## Lt. Coleman to Ft. Rucker, Ala.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Coleman during the holidays were their two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Mario Coleman of Amarillo, and Lt. and Mrs. John Coleman and Carol.

Lt. and Mrs. John Coleman left soon after Christmas for Fort Rucker, Ala., where he will be stationed for the next year. Carol remained here with her grandparents.

After a few weeks visit at Fort Rucker, Mrs. Coleman will pick up Carol here and return to Denton where she makes her home while Lt. Coleman is in the army.

## Church Group to Conference

A group of church leaders from First Baptist Church are planning to attend the annual Evangelism Conference of the denomination, to be held in Ft. Worth Jan. 9 to 11, the Rev. Glenn E. Hickey, pastor, announced.

A tentative list of those to attend includes: the Rev. and Mrs. Hickey, the Rev. Moses Sol, pastor of the Mt. Sinai Mexican mission, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cason Sr., Elmer Carter, Woodrow Wood, Elmer Feemster and Gary West.

## Singing Sunday at Trinity

The regular Second Sunday Singing will be at the Trinity Methodist Church Sunday afternoon, Jan. 8.

The new song books, which were ordered earlier, have come and will be used for the first time Sunday, Mrs. W. A. Morrow, president, said.

Singing will begin at 2 o'clock and many singers from out of town are expected. Everyone enjoying good singing is invited to attend.

## Rockets Fall

# Quails Tally Win and Loss in Week

The Quail Quails in two holiday games, downed Wellington 71 to 42 Tuesday night, Dec. 27, then, minus one of the team's top scorers, dropped a game to Clarendon 57 to 34 on Friday, Dec. 30, Coach Richard Gilbreth reported.

In the Wellington game, Bobby Boyce was the top scorer with 30 points and Ernest Maxwell got 20. The high scorer for the Skyrockets was Butch White with 12 points.

The Rockets had defeated the Quails in an earlier game, and the Quail team, on its own court, was in high spirits and took an early lead that Wellington never could overcome.

The score at the end of the first period was 12-6 for Quail; 25 to 17 at the half; and 42-30 at the third quarter. During the final period the Quails scored 25 points to Wellington's 12 to set the final figure at 71-42.

It was another story against Clarendon. Although Maxwell was ill, the Quails played a good game during the first half, and led until just before the second quarter ended 34-25

in favor of the Bronchos.

Then, in the third, something happened and during that entire period, the Quails made only 3 points—and not a single field goal. Clarendon picked up 15 points.

Coach Gilbreth pulled the first string and played the fourth quarter with his B team and then Clarendon did the same.

The Quails played Wheeler Tuesday night and will be in the Wellington tournament this week end. Their next matched game is with Mobeetie, Tuesday, Jan. 10.

## Temperatures

	High	Low
Wed., Dec. 28	51	29
Thurs., Dec. 29	36	33
Fri., Dec. 30	44	28
Sat., Dec. 31	45	28
Sun., Jan. 1	48	32
Mon., Jan. 2	52	26
Tues., Jan. 3	47	26
Wed., Jan. 4	48	28

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## Vote! In This Race for Water, It's Root Hog or Die

This is an off year politically, but before another week has passed, we will have voted in our first local election, naming three directors of the Collingsworth County Water Control and Improvement District.

It has been a quiet election. No issues are at stake as far as the candidates, all fine men, are concerned. But that is not the point. The interest we show as voters on January 10 is going to indicate to our representatives and senators in Congress, to the federal bureaus concerned with dam building, and to the State Board of Water Engineers how much we really want a dam on Salt Fork. If just a handful of voters out of the nearly 2,000 eligible cast ballots, Washington and Austin will not be particularly impressed when Water District men go back to talk Salt Fork dam.

We know by now, or should know, how much of the county's future is at stake in getting a dam on Salt Fork. Briefly, we repeat what has been said many times: It will offer us irrigation, recreation and wildlife improvement. Anyone who has bucked bumper to bumper traffic on a hot day to Lugert knows what a lake in Collingsworth would mean.

We have long craved industry. It is a cold, hard fact that industry, big or little, goes only where there is an adequate water supply.

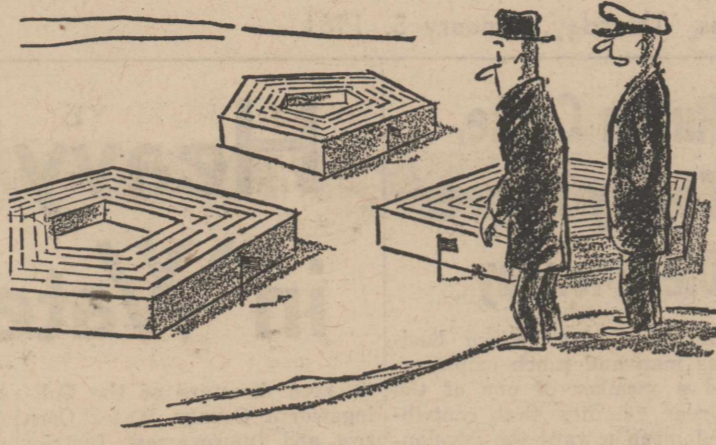
Immediately to the west of us and to the east are people who want the waters of Salt Fork River just as bad as we do—perhaps worse. In this race for water, it is root hog or die.

Will every voter of you give a few minutes, or even an hour, on January 10 to vote in this water election? That may be what it takes to get the dam.

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Inventions in this old world are coming so fast that the ladder to success may soon be replaced by an escalator.

"It began innocently enough — each service thought it could do each thing best."



## From the Files of The Wellington Leader . . . Other Days and Familiar Names

**10 Years Ago—1951**  
Burglars entered the First State Bank at Dodson, cut through the vault door with a torch and took \$838.93 in silver.

Bob Barnett has been named the new deputy sheriff. 150 voices of the Quail music students presented an outstanding Christmas program.

Silas Henry, veteran Katy agent left Friday for the company hospital at Denison.

Duward Scott, chamber of commerce president, announced that banquet tickets are selling at a rapid rate.

V. K. Orr has filed a damage suit against M-K-T railway. It is the outgrowth of a collision between his truck and the train.

Leon Coleman has accepted a position as bookkeeper for Castleberry Motor Co.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Terry of Loco have gone to Dallas to spend the winter with their daughter.

**20 Years Ago—1941**  
The first new baby of the

year was a daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Z. E. Chaudoin.

Mrs. S. G. Henry was called to Dallas during the holidays by the death of her brother.

Houselog will be host to the county singers Sunday, when new books will be issued.

A wholesale grocery truck broke through the pavement in front of the Mish Dukeminier feed store. One wheel dropped into an old well which 50 years ago served the O'Neil hotel.

Joy Reeves, 14-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Reeves died in Amarillo of the flu this week.

Miss Rose Erisman, home demonstration agent, spoke to Kiwanis Club Friday and outlined plans for women and girls work in the county.

Mary Aubrey was installed as Noble Grand of the local Rebekah Lodge Monday night.

**40 Years Ago—1921**  
The 3-inch snow Tuesday will benefit the wheat farmers. The Commercial Club is helping raise money for much needed sidewalks.

Jack Jones, breeder of fine Poland China hogs, is having a sale at his farm this week.

Wellington Boy Scouts honored the commissioners court with a banquet recently.

J. M. Duckworth is building a new home two miles north of Wellington.

Lost—Pair of child's shoes on the street Saturday. J. C.



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## CROSSROADS REPORT

I see where Mr. Kennedy writes in a sports magazine to the effect that Americans are physical weaklings and he is going to appoint a committee to do something about it. But my inertiated neighbor says it is going to take more than another general-welfare edict from the Supreme Court to make him take up exercise. Says the only way he can think of to make compulsory physical training a success would be to give folks deductions on their income tax according to how many push-ups they can do.

I note that Washington is real upset on account of U.S. industry investing billions of dollars in foreign factories, etc., right when we are running low on money to give away.

My tolerable bright neighbor says likely these defecting capitalists don't mean any harm, but just noticed that labor and politicians are cheaper in some other countries, and easier to get along with.

Says even some dogs are smart enough to leave home if somebody there is always twisting their tails.

I see where the people-keepers are talking about we have got to get on the ball and equalize opportunity for all citizens.

My equalized neighbor says this is going to be considerable of a job, on account of Nature won't cooperate.

Like, for instance, you can run all children through the same kind of schools, and feed them on the same federal school lunches, but some will still have better opportunities, on account of you can't make everybody Mr. Kennedy's brother.

I see where the University of Illinois has decided to get

Skaggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis LaHue entertained with a fruit supper on New Years Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Montague had a candy breaking in their home recently. All enjoyed a good time and departed at a late hour.

out of the elementary education business.

Seems that one-fourth of their prospective freshmen show up needing a booster shot of reading and writing, and too many of them turn out allergic to same.

My debtful dad neighbor says likely the University found it was too big a job to get these students literated by the time they need to write home for more money.

I note that nowadays when a man gets out of a job, it is sometimes called labor surplus instead of unemployment.

My word-watcher neighbor says this positive expression sounds better and is better psychopolitics than just coming right out and saying people are being taxed and foreign-aided and priced out of work.

But says he reckons this will be known to future historians as the Surplus Age in the U.S. on account of besides surplus labor we have got surplus food, surplus debt, surplus experts and surplus Harvard men.

I see where a Labor Department prophet says our American standard of living will be 25% higher by 1970.

My stem-wound brain neighbor says he guesses this amount of uppage in living style would figure out to raise a two-break citizen to 2½ coffee breaks a day.

But he says even so, he don't know if he can stand a 25% higher living rate, on account of it seems like the more privileged a man gets, the more he is out for aspirin.

### HEAVY MEAL

The winning 87-pound pumpkin in a pumpkin contest held in Letchworth, England, would not make a very tasty pie. A suspicious judge ordered it cut open and found it contained 30 pounds of lead and half a bucket of wet sand.

### DON'T GET UP NIGHTS

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### ELECTRIC SITUATION

A Swedish fisherman was fined recently for beating his wife with an eel. The charge was cruelty to animals.

### EQUIPMENT BETTER

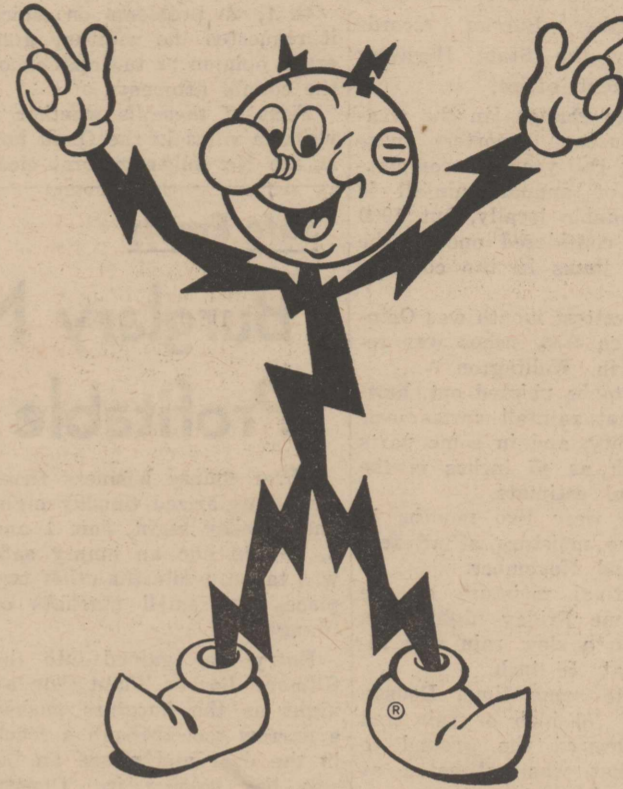
A farmer with a modern tractor can cultivate as much corn in 2 hours as he could with a team of horses in an entire day.

### HIGH PRODUCERS

One dairyman, alone, today can milk 50 cows and produce 500,000 pounds of milk per year; one hog raiser can handle 1,000 hogs a year, and one broiler raiser 160,000 broilers.

The Andes Mountains extend in an unbroken chain through South America for 4,000 miles.

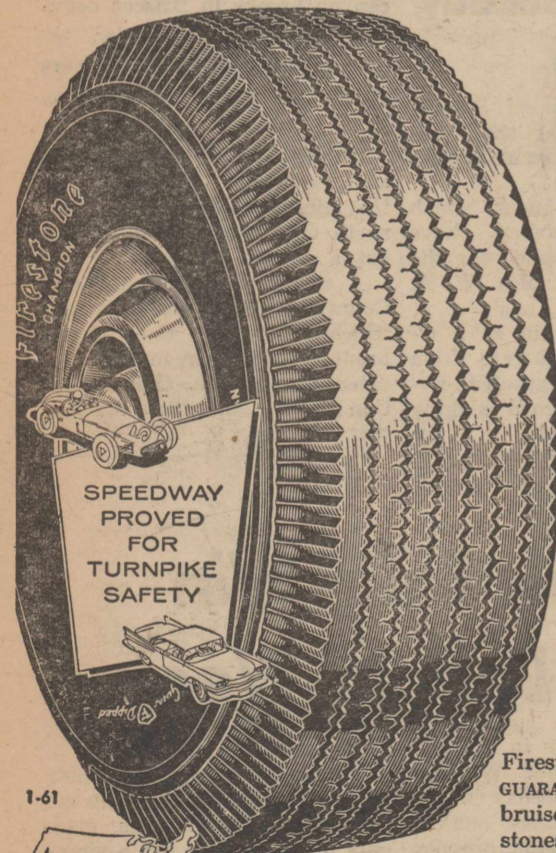
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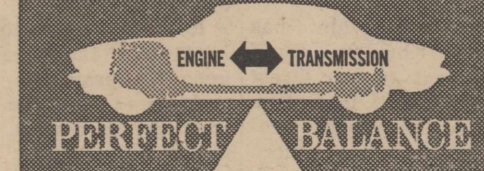
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# Greenbelt Interests Red River Authority

(Editor's Note: This article is reprinted from The Childrens Index and concerns a recent meeting of the Red River Water Authority in that city. Collingsworth county is one of those included in the Authority, although no local representative attended the Childrens meeting.)

The Red River Authority is interested and most concerned with the development of the Greenbelt Project and has confidence that it will become a reality in the near future with the cooperation of interested cities," so stated a comment from Tom C. Foley of Wichita Falls, president of the Red River Authority.

The regional meeting of the Red River Authority was held in Childress Thursday at the request of that body. Purpose of the request was to gain information on the interest in the Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Authority which is an important part of the Red River Authority plan.

Among items discussed during the meeting here were the need for controlled water quality and quantity; work being done by the Interstate Water Pact Commission; progress that has been made on the completion of the basin water master plan as required by the law that created the Red River Authority.

The statement issued to The Index from Foley continued as follows:

"... these water projects are especially important at this time because their progress will be a major consideration in the negotiations now being conducted by the Interstate water Compact Commissioners of the states of Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Louisiana, to determine the allocation of the water rights in the Red River between the various states. "We are urging all interested municipalities and water authorities to keep their water use permits in force and proceed with all reasonable speed to implement their water development programs so that we in Texas will retain the use of our proper share of this most important natural resource."

Red River Authority was created by the 56th Legislature and is given the power to control man-made pollution of the Red River and its tributaries. It employs pollution officers who have the power to enforce the pollution program as it has been worked out.

Chief goal of the Red River Authority is the allocation of Texas rights to the damming and use of Red River.

The Red River Authority covers a drainage area of 24,000 square miles in 24 counties, including Childress. Members of the Authority represent ten towns and cities that will be vitally affected by the conservation of Red River resources.

In discussion of the interest in the further development of the Greenbelt Authority plan, it was pointed out that arduous work on the Greenbelt Authority (although its actual existence as an authority spans only two years) had been underway over a longer length of time than any other proposed authority in the wide area.

Those here for the Red River Authority meeting and showing intense interest in the Greenbelt plan were Red River Authority Secretary Fred Parkey of Wichita Falls, William A. Bond of Vernon, and Jerome W. Johnson of Amarillo, Authority President Tom Foley of Wichita Falls, Dick Fowler of Memphis, Harry Frye, Shamrock, C. O. Glenn of Nocona, and V. E. Dodson of Hereford.

DOZIER NEWS  
By Mrs. Alex Coleman

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Coleman had as their guests Sunday their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bell and Janette, Marqueta, Guy Herman, Alex, Byron and Juda of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coleman and Anne of Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ray, Teresa and Altha of Dozier; Mrs. Juda Bell of Quail; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Coleman, Brenda, Bettie and Linna of Samnorwood; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Thompson of Hedley, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bentley and Rickey of Lefors. Turkey with all the trimmings was served to this group.

Monday Mr. and Mrs. Coleman served cake and coffee to Mrs. Austin O'Neil, Mrs. Guy Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Coleman, Mrs. Dudley Coleman of Mineral Wells, and Mrs. Wood Coleman.

Mrs. C. H. Caperton visited her son and family, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Caperton at Brownfield over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Turner of Amarillo visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Massey, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Massey of Slaton also visited in the Frank Massey home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Amon and girls of Houston visited over the holidays with their sister and brothers, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Breeding, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ray, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ray of Samnorwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ray of Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bentley had as their guests Mrs. Bentley's sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rogers of Ulysses, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Bentley had their son, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Bentley and children of Pampa for the holidays.

Mrs. Jennie Montgomery and her daughters, Mrs. F. H. King of Hereford, Mrs. Carol Favors of Childress, and Mrs. Shirley Zedlitz of Dallas visited with their husband and father, Jake Montgomery, who is hospitalized at Vernon. Mr. and Mrs. King also visited his parents, the Glen King family near Twitty over the holidays.

### Holiday Visitors from Four States in Sweat Home

Visitors from four states were in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sweat during the holidays. Dwane Young of Artesia, N.M., a student in Wayland College, Plainview, is a nephew of Mrs. Sweat and the son of Henry Young, who formerly lived here.

Their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lowrie and children came from Lawton, Okla., where he is an instructor at Fort Sill; and their younger daughter, Miss VaRue Sweat was home from Baylor University, bringing with her a classmate, Miss Judy McGee, whose home is San Diego, Cal.

Their other guest was Jim Coley, who is attending officers navigation school at the Air Force Base at Waco. He was a roommate of John Alvin Horton three years at North Texas State College, Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Woodman and children of Amarillo visited Sunday in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Spear. Also visiting in the Spear home during the week end were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spear of Amarillo.



### Bond Sales Less Than One Per Cent from Goal

Savings bonds sales in Collingsworth county were \$7,605 during November. Purchases for the first eleven months of 1960 totaled \$128,861, or 99.1% of the yearly goal, John Forbis, chairman of the Collingsworth County savings bond committee, said today.

Percentage wise, the county ranks second in District 2, made up of eight counties. Roberts county has bought 214.5% of its quota. However, that county had a quota of only \$20,000 and bond purchases amounted to \$42,890. Dollar wise, Collingsworth ranked 6th in the amount of bonds bought.

E and H 1960 sales in Texas amounted to \$139,283,903. This represents 84.2% of the Texas 1960 goal of \$165.5 million.

Rudy Tate, senior in Texas Tech, returned to Lubbock during the week end after the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tate and Elaine of Lutie.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Carter of Kelley were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Horn and Susan of Waco.

### Mrs. Bell New WTU Economist

Mrs. Katherine Ball has been employed as home economist for the Childress district of West Texas Utilities Company according to an announcement by Allen Shahan, district manager.

She succeeds Mrs. Luther Gribble who is resigning, and began work Jan. 1. Plans are for her to attend schools at Fort Worth and Abilene, in connection with her new work.

Towns in which she will work are Wellington, Childress, Paducah, Matador, Roaring Springs, Quitaque, Turkey, Clarendon, Hedley, Memphis and Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tate, Rudy and Elaine, had as Christmas guests, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tate and daughter of Irving, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Freeman and Mark of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carson and boys of Marella were supper guests during the holidays of his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Amerson of Hollis. His brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carson, Susan and Terry, of Borger joined them there. The Bill Carson family also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tate of the McKnight community.

### SCD Supervisors to State Meet

Representatives from the Salt Fork Soil Conservation District will attend the 20th Annual Meeting of the Association of Texas Soil Conservation Districts Jan. 11-13 in Dallas.

This convention is the regular get-together of representatives from all 181 soil conservation districts in Texas. These districts contain within their boundaries 99% of the area of the state.

During the three-day meeting, those attending will work on problems confronting their districts, planning their 1961 program of action and taking part in panel discussions, business sessions and other activities. In addition, outstanding speakers will discuss the convention theme "Conservation Benefits Everyone" as it applies to all parts of the state's economy.

Ben Carpenter, chairman of the board of Southland Life Insurance Company and president of the Trinity River Improvement Association, will disband up of 8 counties, Rob-industry in conservation.

Jerry Holleman, president of the Texas Council of the AFL-CIO and native of Harmon county, Okla., will speak for labor; and Dolph Briscoe, rancher and former state representative, will discuss the problem from the standpoint of the farmer and rancher.

John Vandertulip, state water engineer, will outline the coming water situation; and Ty Timm, head of the Department of Economics of Texas A&M College, will discuss the importance of conservation to the economy. Representative Bob Poage, U.S. Congressman from

the 11th Congressional District and second-ranking member of the House Agriculture Committee, will be speaker at the Friday night banquet. A program is also being planned for wives during the convention.

Members of the Salt Fork SCD board of supervisors, part of whom will attend the meeting, are John R. Henard, W. O. Vaughan, Pat Bradley, Zook Thomas and Frank Coleman.

### Group Here for Rankin Rites

Here for the funeral of E. L. Rankin last week were Mr. and Mrs. Vince Thompson and Jimmie of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Womack of Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Womack of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Goodnight Jr. of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Goodnight Sr. of Mobeetie; Mrs. Raymond Hooker of Farmington, N.M.; Hayden Goodnight of Amarillo, his daughter, Mrs. Don Worsham of Chicago and a son-in-law, Tom Clayton of North Carolina.

Others were Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Tibbets and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Guisler, Betty and Martina of McLean; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Luce and Jeannie of Hollis; and Mr. and Mrs. Logan Wayne Lacy of College Station.

Mrs. Ray Richards and sons, Barry and Kirk of Amarillo visited with her mother, Mrs. Doshia Dix and other relatives over the week end.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Roberts for New Year's were her daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Blanchard and Mr. and Mrs. J. Solomon Donnie and Sondra, all of Fort Worth.

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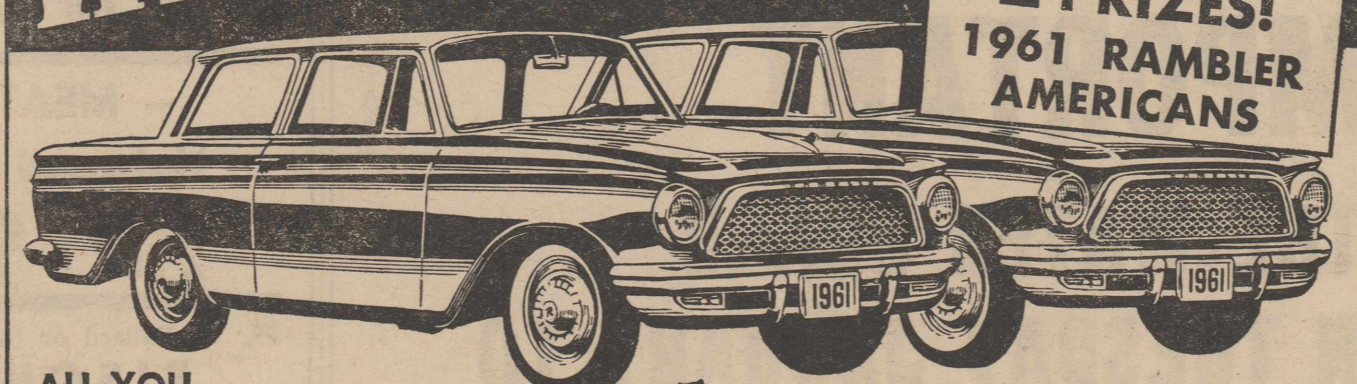
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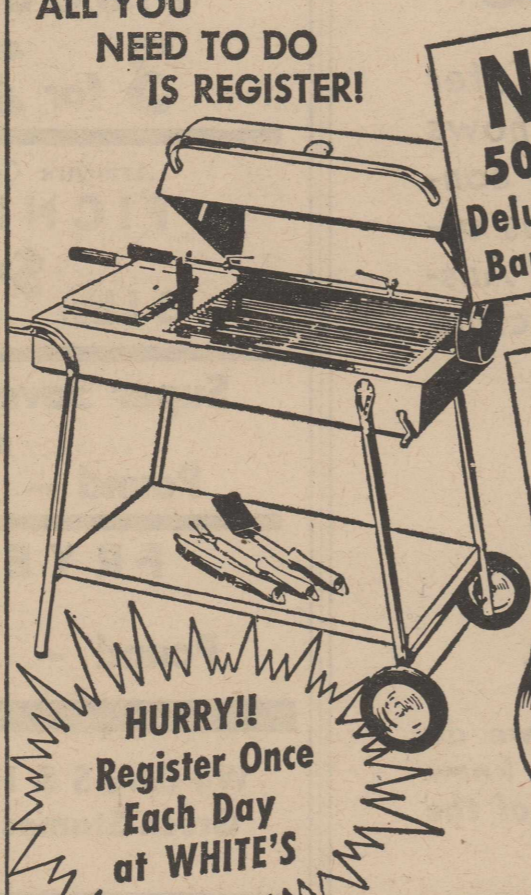
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## Vinson News

(For Christmas)

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kromer, Lynn and Monte, went by train Thursday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Kromer's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Smith and Kent, of Manteca, Calif.

Mrs. K. M. Talkington received word Christmas day that her sister's husband, Conrad Graff of Stockton, Calif., passed away Saturday, Dec. 24. Mrs. Graff was the former Eva Hodges and lived here several years ago.

Guests in the Clarence Lanning home Sunday were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lanning and boys of Mangum, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Beal and son of Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Davidson and sons of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Galen Woodruff and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Red Atwood and daughter of Vinson.

J. R. Davidson of Vinson had his children home for the holiday. They were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Reno and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Davidson, all of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lovel of Hereford, and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Davidson of Vinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hart, Cheryl, Jackie and Ike, joined the family group Christmas day at the home of his mother, Mrs. Jewel Hart, in Mangum for Christmas dinner. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Barney Duffey and daughter, Hope, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Garland Motley and family of Hollis; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wade and son, Larry, of Elk City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hart Sr. who also live in Mangum, had an open house for the family group during the day. Mr. Hart has been seriously ill but is better at this time.

Albert Shumaker, pastor of First Methodist Church, Duke, visited Sunday evening with the Rev. and Mrs. French and also with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burnett and Mike were guests Christmas day of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Barnett and family at Tulsa.

The Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Richardson and Tim and Curtis spent Christmas holidays in Buffalo, Mo., with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mallory.

Mrs. Maudie Maddox Simmons of Amarillo and her aunt, Miss Mattie Maddox of Wellington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Roach Sunday afternoon. They had been dinner guests of an uncle and brother, John Maddox, at Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bailey had Christmas dinner with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Bailey, Sharon and Lanelda. Sharon, freshman at Southwestern State, was home for the Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur (Jim) Shipp and son came Monday to stay a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Shipp.

Mr. and Mrs. Winnie Shipp spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Disheroon of Reed.

This past week several churches had Christmas trees and treats and a program for the youth. The Methodist Church met Christmas Eve for their service and program. The Nazarene Church had services Wednesday night and the Baptist Church met Sunday night, Dec. 18 for tree, program and treats.

Mr. and Mrs. Williford, Betty, Margaret, Leon and Curtis visited relatives this week near Oklahoma City.

Supt. Jack Sanders invited the parents and general public to eat Christmas dinner at the school Wednesday with the student body and teachers. There was a nominal charge for the meal.

Mr. and Mrs. Armand Pittman and three children were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pittman through the holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Merritt and David had Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Merritt.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brunson and Freda of Kermit arrived before the holidays to be with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCain and Kay, and mother, Mrs. Dean McCain of Mangum. All the relatives met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dub Mitchell for Christmas dinner. Also present were Mrs. Minnette Hodges and Leon Foely. Sunday afternoon visitors were the Rev. French and Lloyd, also Mrs. Grover Smith and Mrs. Jack Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Skaggs went to spend Christmas with a daughter, Janell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Flinn

joined the three Flinn children and their families in Oklahoma City for the holiday season. They will visit Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Flinn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Flinn and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Dayle Shiplett and family, all of Oklahoma City.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Odom through the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Odom of California, M. A. Odom of Altus, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Odom and family of Nashville, Tenn. Ed Odom has been doing graduate work at Scarritt College and also Peabody College in Nashville. He and his family will move soon to Champaign, Ill., where he will resume his work in sociology.

Mr. and Mrs. Ledell Casey, Jimmy and Ronnie, visited Christmas eve with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Darrow of Willow. Also in for the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Tine Darrow of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Darrow, Don and Denny of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor and children spent Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Williams of Mangum. Four brothers and two sisters of Mrs. Taylor were also present.

W. F. Taylor, who has been ill in the Southwest Hospital, Mangum, was able to come home Sunday morning to be with his family. Joining them for Christmas dinner were Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Taylor and family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Taylor and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Taylor and son of Gruver.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tom Howerton, Allan and Robin of Oklahoma City were here for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Casey.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith and Carl Wayne and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper, Larue and Curtis, who are visiting from Chino, Calif., joined others at Mangum to have Christmas dinner with the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lum Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pucket of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hilly and daughters of Oklahoma City joined the group.

Joy and Jack Cooper and boys of California are having an extended visit here with

## County Pioneer Dies Sunday

Mrs. Willie Light Walters, who lived in the Aberdeen community more than 30 years ago, died in a Salina, Kan., hospital Sunday night, Jan. 1. Her home was in Mangum, Okla., and she was visiting a daughter at Salina at the time she became ill.

Mrs. Walters was the wife of the late Willie Light, who died here 52 years ago. Later she was married to O. T. Walters of Mangum. She was the mother of Mrs. Oliver J. Ables of Clarendon, whose husband is dean of Clarendon College.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Mangum.

Attending from here were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Light and Mrs. Jim Light.

relatives and friends. They went to Tecumseh, Okla., recently to see his father, Lonnie Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones of Pecossett, Okla., visited here through the holidays with parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Brown, and with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brown.

Haskell McDonald of the State Board of Education joined friends here recently to hunt Quail.

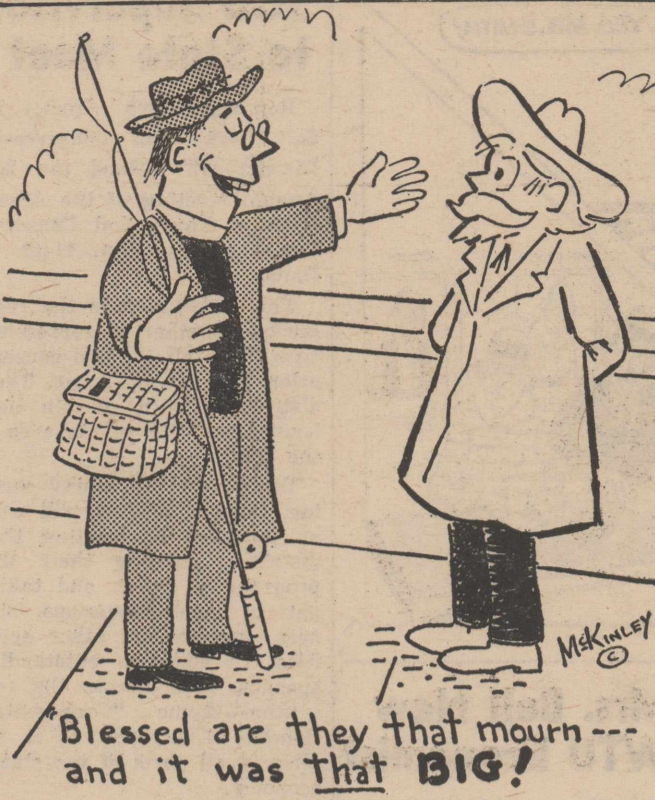
Oscar Keese and grandson, Ronnie Tyson, of Amarillo, returned from Muskogee Monday where they had Christmas with his son, R. B. Keese and family. They are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Roach at present. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roach and Jimmy and Mrs. Mary Belew of Amarillo are also visiting in the home.

Mrs. Virgie Stallings went to Amarillo before the holidays to be with her daughter, Marguerite, and children. Her son-in-law, Edd Smith, was hospitalized for several days in Amarillo.

Here for the New Year week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Taylor were two of his sisters and two brothers: Mr. and Mrs. Allen Taylor and Rita of Crowell; Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Hopkins and children of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fox and children of Pampa, and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Taylor of Amarillo.

THE WELLINGTON (TEXAS) LEADER  
Thursday, January 5, 1961

LITTLE COLONEL By Bob McKinley



## Federal Land Bank Reduces Interest Rate

The board of directors of the Federal Land Bank of Houston has approved a reduction of 1/2 of 1% in the interest rate which the bank will charge on its new loans beginning on Jan. 1, 1961. In making the announcement Hal Weatherford, president of the bank, stated that the board also authorized a reduction of 1/2 of 1% beginning January 1 and until further notice on some \$24,000,000 of loans.

According to Weatherford, this is the third time the Houston bank has been able to voluntarily reduce interest on loans already on the books. The Federal Land Bank makes its loans through 73 Federal Land Bank Associations located throughout Texas. It has over \$235 million of loans in force and obtains funds to make loans through the sale of bonds to the investing pub-

lic. This reduction in interest rate will mean substantial savings each year to many farm and ranch owners in Texas.

Land bank loans in this area are made and serviced through the Federal Land Bank Association of Shamrock, which services Wheeler and Collingsworth counties. According to its manager, Rayburn L. Smith there are 401 loans in force for about \$1,800,000.

The officers and directors, other than the manager and Mrs. Rosalie Seeds, office assistant, are J. C. Emmert, president; Robert Terry, vice president; and Tom Cunningham, Woodrow Wood, C. F. Waters, and H. J. Finsterwald, directors.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harper and family spent part of the holidays in Fort Worth visiting with his mother, Mrs. Martha Harper and in Cisco with her mother, Mrs. Bobby Tatum.

Mr. and Mrs. Tubal Cain and family spent the holidays in Lubbock visiting with his mother, Mrs. W. L. Tindall and Mr. Tindall and in Floydada visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Berry.

# YOUR VOTE IS IMPORTANT IN THE WATER BOARD ELECTION TUESDAY JANUARY 10

*It is highly important that a heavy vote be cast in the Water Board election that will be held January 10. If the vote shows that the people of the county are really interested in the construction of a dam on Salt Fork, it will be of tremendous assistance to the members of the Board when they go to Austin and to Washington to ask for assistance in constructing the dam.*

**In fact The State Board of Water Engineers has asked more than once about the public interest and the number who voted.**

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*We are not urging the election of any particular individual, but we do urge a strong representative vote in order that all officials may know that we have an intense interest in and desire for the construction of the dam on Salt Fork.*

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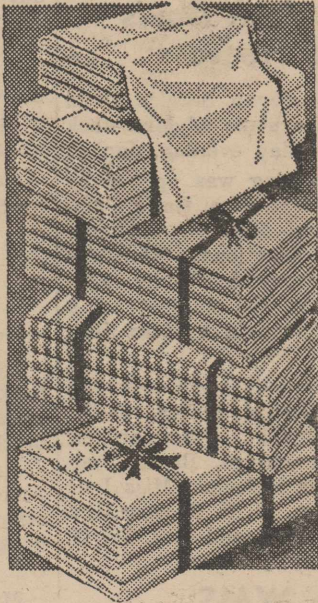
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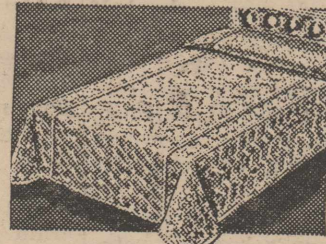
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## Install 1961 HD Council

Home Demonstration Club Council officers for 1961 will be installed in the council meeting Monday, Jan. 9 at 1:30 p.m., Miss Kathryn Potter, home demonstration agent, announced.

The meeting will be in the county court room and all old and new council members are asked to attend.

During the business session, appointment of standing council committees will be completed. Committees will work on plans for the District I Texas Home Demonstration Association District training meeting to be held here Jan. 31. Miss Potter said the council will serve the noon meal and coffee for the morning get-together.

All county clubs are encouraged to have representatives present.

## New Year's Eve Party Given

Barbara Sherman and Henry Wells were hosts at a New Year's Eve party in the home of the latter from 8 to 10:30 p.m., Saturday evening, Dec. 31. Assisting them were their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sherman and Mr. and Mrs. Deskins Wells.

Games were played and the traditional noise makers were given as favors.

Guests were Becky Brewer, Nancy Holton, Nell Tarver, Charlotte Allen, Peggy Crawford, Ann Duncan, Vickie Sherman, Mickey Ann Kendrick, James Roy Fulcher, Lynn Derryberry, Louis Watkins, Joe Wood, Jimmy Campbell, Neal Roberts, and Gary Killian.

## Mack Saied Home Scene of Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied Sr. had five of their six children with them during the Christmas holidays.

These were Mr. and Mrs. George Farris and son of Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Taylor, Debbie and Becky of Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Massad, Jenny Lynn and Pat of Spearman; Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied Jr. and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Saied and Allan.

One son, Dr. V. C. Saied and family of Houston, were unable to be here.

## Kindergarten Gives Christmas Program

Children in Mrs. G. W. Lane's kindergarten presented a Christmas program Dec. 21 for the parents.

The program consisted of readings and carols.

Taking part were Janet Kay Ward, Ricky Robinson, Michael Belew, Stevie Gibson, Carol Cochran, Donnie Judd, Zanna Jenkins, Janet Simmons, Stevie Hunter, Gary Don Wright, Mary Saied, Cynthia Harrison, Dan Crawford, Sharon Clark, Harold Maxwell, and Pam Goodloe.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hatch Jr. and daughter of Eldorado, Okla., were here Tuesday visiting his parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hatch Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hatch.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McQuary and Sylvia were in Houston during the holidays visiting in the home of their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Roger McQuary. Roger is a student at Rice University and they attended part of a basketball tournament there during their stay.

## Who's New in the Wellington Area

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stansbury of Lubbock are the parents of a son, Jeffrey Neal, born there Dec. 29, weighing six pounds and fourteen ounces. Mrs. Stansbury is the former Linda Singley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jones Singley.

Wellington's New Year Baby for 1961 is Vanessa Gayle Ingram, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ingram. She was born Jan. 1 in St. Joseph's Hospital and weighed seven pounds and two ounces. St. Joseph's made its traditional gift to the first baby—free hospitalization.

# Society News

THE WELLINGTON (TEXAS) LEADER  
Thursday, January 5, 1961

## Holiday Bride Honored With Shower in Fred Bourland Home at Quail

The ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bourland was the scene of a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Benton Wauer, the former Ann Messer, on Wednesday, Dec. 28.

Sharing hostess duties with Mrs. Bourland and her daughters, Beth, Fredda and Lynn, were Meses. M. T. White, Delbert White, C. A. Wright, Jerry DePauw, T. C. Crabtree, Bill Clay, Carroll Eblevins, Warren Carter, G. T. Stephens, Horace Holliman, Homer Ingram and George Henry.

In the receiving line were the bride, her mother, Mrs. C.

D. Messer, and the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Paul Wauer.

Beth Bourland registered the guests.

The serving table was laid with a white linen cutwork cloth centered with an arrangement of blue carnations and sapphire candles surrounding a miniature bride and groom, which stood in a large wedding bell. Appointments were of crystal and silver. Mrs. Delbert White served the cakes and Janis Marie, Mrs. D. D. Miller, Jerrie, Dale and Maxine, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barefoot, Frances Elois and Dian, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Langford and Stevie, all of Amarillo;

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Buster Barnett, Tommie, Ronnie and Donnie of California; Mr. and Mrs. James Underwood, James Harden, Joe Bob and Janis Marie, Mrs. D. D. Miller, Jerrie, Dale and Maxine, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barefoot, Frances Elois and Dian, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Langford and Stevie, all of Amarillo;

Guests called between the hours of two and four-thirty o'clock.

## St. Joseph's Hospital Notes

Joe Paul Belew, 6-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Belew, medical, Dec. 27 and 28.

Billy Joe Henard, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Henard, tonsillectomy, Dec. 28 and 29.

Mary Saied, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied Jr. tonsillectomy, Dec. 28 and 29.

Mary Katherine Finley, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Finley, surgical, Dec. 28 to Jan. 3.

Mr. John B. Trew, medical, has been a patient since Dec. 29.

Mary Young, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Young of Shamrock, medical, Dec. 29 to 31.

Mrs. Geo. W. Thompson of the Aberdeen community, medical, Dec. 30 to Jan. 1.

Harley Kenneth Smith, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith of Gold, Okla., surgical, Dec. 30 to Jan. 3.

Mrs. Clyde Ingram, obstetrical, Dec. 1 to 3.

Mrs. Casimiro Rodriguez, obstetrical, admitted Jan. 2.

Patients admitted earlier and discharged during the past week were:  
Dec. 28: Mrs. R. H. Young, Mrs. James O. Miller of Sweetwater, Dale Vickers Goodloe.  
Dec. 29: Earl Mitchell, Mrs. Odas Benson and Bernadine Benson.

Dec. 30: Mrs. Frank Jones and Sherril Anne, Mrs. Charles F. Ketter and William Charles.  
Jan. 2: Mrs. Jewell Hightower.

## Simpsons Have Anniversary

Mrs. Leon Roberts and her daughter, Mrs. Ronny Ford, were in Hereford during the week end to visit with relatives. They were New Year's dinner guests Sunday in the home of a niece of Mrs. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gene Cotten.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Simpson, parents of Mrs. Roberts, and two brothers, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Simpson and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson, also a sister, Mrs. Sam Lindley and son Lloyd of Brownwood.

The Simpson family lived in this county many years before moving to Hereford about 11 years ago, and Mr. and Mrs. Simpson had just returned to their home Christmas day after a two months visit in California with her mother, Mrs. Watkins, and other relatives.

They celebrated their golden wedding anniversary while in California, when a sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Guynn of Oceanside, also former county residents, were hosts at a dinner bringing together many relatives including seven sisters of Mrs. Simpson. They also visited in Portersville, Calif., with Henry Simpson, also a former resident here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clubb spent the Christmas holidays in Los Angeles, Calif., in the home of a son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Clubb. They stopped at El Paso and visited with a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robertson and family. Here to spend the New Year week end in their home was another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. McLane and James of Albuquerque.

## Leeper Family Gathers Here

Gathering in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Verrill Leeper for the New Year week end were her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gibson and family of Long Island, N.Y., a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leeper and family of Amarillo, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Leeper of Hedley.

Other relatives present were Mr. and Mrs. Reben Corrigill of Olney; Mr. and Mrs. Maddox and Beverly of Childress; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Saunders and Mike, and Mrs. Bourland and family of Amarillo, and A/2c Steve Malange of Lynbrook, N.Y., who is stationed at Amarillo Air Force Base.

## Mrs. Jack Davis Guild Hostess

The Wesleyan Service Guild met in the home of Mrs. Jack Davis Monday evening, Jan. 2.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Katie Cummings, and Mrs. N. C. Beam gave the devotional. "Heritage and Horizons in Home Missions" was the subject of a new study taught by Mrs. Jack Davis.

Refreshments were served to Meses. Richard Bailey, R. H. Ball, David Baumgardner, Beam, Cummings, Bryan Denley, Jennie Holcomb, Miss Inez Leach, Mrs. W. C. Reeves, Mrs. Joe Thompson and Mrs. Davis.

## Faith WMS Studies Indians

The WMS of Faith Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon Jan. 3 for Royal Service program.

Mrs. R. B. Lucas, president was in charge of the meeting. Opening prayer was given by Mrs. Lorene Motesbocker and the devotional by Mrs. Walter Needham. Following the study title of which was "Indians in the Southwest," Mrs. M. J. Lowe gave the dismissal prayer.

Present were Meses. W. H. Ward, Lowe, Needham, Motesbocker, Norma Needham, Dayle Needham, Lucas, Ruby Williams, and a visitor, Mrs. Kennedy.

## Thompson Family Gathering Held

The family of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Thompson of Samnorwood spent Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Daniel and daughters, Debbie, Diana and Dana at 1323 Parr. The group enjoyed a turkey dinner with all the trimmings and the opening of Christmas gifts.

Families present were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clement and their two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Davis and Jerry Don, and Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Brashears, James and Cynthia of Amarillo; Luther Thompson of Wellington, and his son, Mr. and Mrs. Luther O. Thompson, Larry, Owen and Gary of Hedley; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Pulum of Amarillo; also

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Thompson and Bennie Jo, Mr. and Mrs. John K. Sallinger, Kim, Karla and Jay, and Mrs. Rena W. Sallinger of Oklahoma City.

## School Lunchroom MENU

Monday, Jan. 9: Corn dog, scalloped tomatoes, cut green beans, bread, raw apple, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Tuesday, Jan. 10: Pinto beans, buttered cornbread, cabbage, carrot and apple salad, sweet sour greens, brownies, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Wednesday, Jan. 11: Ground beef patty on a bun, hot potato salad, onion and pickle, mustard, sliced tomatoes, plum cobbler, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Thursday, Jan. 12: Beef and gravy, green pea salad, mashed potatoes, peach half, hot rolls and butter, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Friday, Jan. 13: Cheese sandwich, open face, beef-vegetable soup, crackers, cole slaw, pumpkin pie, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lowe during the holidays were their daughter and son-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Squires of La Puente, Calif.; also two grandsons and their families: the Rev. and Mrs. Gerald Squires and children of Lancaster, Calif.; and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Squires and children of Oklahoma City.

## I Saw...

by Virginia Robey

The close of the deer hunting season Saturday reminds of a complaint Henry Sullivan registered with this paper a while back, after he went to New Mexico with a group. "You said I went d-e-e-r hunting. I did not. I went d-e-a-r hunting." It should be pointed out, however, that Henry brought back no proof that he had any luck.

Happy Birthday Department, from several months back: Dr. Carter and Chris Holcomb's twins were born on the birthday of their grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Holcomb. . . . About that time, too, Luanne Berg had a birthday. Next day, beaming proudly, she told some of her mother's friends "You should see all the junk I got."

If you've been reading the publicity for the National Finals Rodeo in Dallas, you might like to know it's handled by Sue Anderson Heneger (Mrs. Jimmy) of Dallas, a Wellington girl who did her first publicity work on The Wellington Leader. She's Frank and Mary's daughter.

Austia Vaughan had the Wellington Federated Music Club out to her country home for its Christmas meeting. The members listened first to Lennie Lou Sims program a recording of the Christmas opera "Amal and the Night Visitors," then gathered in front of the open fire in the new family room, and no one wanted to go home. Orville had brought in plenty of wood before he took the dog, Smokey, and went visiting for the evening.

## Personal

Lynn Courtney was in Lubbock two days during the last week where he met two of his brothers, Leonard Watson and Joe Ray Courtney, both of Los Angeles. He also visited with other relatives living at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ingram had two sons and their families visiting them in the holiday season: Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Ingram and Terry of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ingram, Joy Ann, Cynthia, Teresa and Chris of Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Edgar of Munday were here Friday to visit his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Warrick.

The Rev. and Mrs. Frank Weir and Robert were in Amarillo during the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Ruth James.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wood had with them for the entire holiday period their daughter, Miss Joyce Wood, who teaches at Midland. Their younger daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Enlow, Barry, Brad and Ben of Wichita Falls joined them for Christmas day at Mrs. Wood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Crawley of Leveland. The Enlow family also spent the New Year's week end here.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Drake through the Christmas vacation were their children, Miss Francis Drake, a student in the University of Texas, Austin, and their son, Pvt. Gus Drake of Ft. Dix, New Jersey. He had as a guest Don Robinson of Poughkeepsie, N.Y., whose home town is Plainview. Other guests in the Drake home were Reggie Smith of Lubbock, who formerly lived here, and Miss Carla Cox of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones and son, Coy, of Kingston, Okla.; visited last week end with Mrs. R. S. Fisher.

Two brothers coming with their families to visit relatives in the Christmas-New Year week end were Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Watson and girls, Lynn and Terri of Canyon, whose parents are Mrs. Vesta Watson and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Escoc; and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack Watson, Tanya and Audie, who visited Mrs. Watson and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ople White of Quail.

Both visiting families were also guests of their aunt, Mrs. R. S. Fisher.

Mrs. Pearl Caldwell of Amarillo visited here during Christmas with her sister, Mrs. W. R. Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morrow of Amarillo visited Sunday with relatives and friends here. Their little daughter, Janice, returned home with them after spending the past week visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Morrow, and in the home of an aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Toots Breedlove and Mickey.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bearfield of Clarendon were visitors during the holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alexander.

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Christmas visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Godbey of Quail were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Godbey, Jo Helen and Margaret of Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Rigdon, Doug, Ronnie and Gary; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tipton, Patsy and Nancy, all of Amarillo, and Jerry Godbey of Texas Tech, Lubbock. Also visiting were two of Mr. Godbey's sisters, Mrs. Ethel Britton of Odell and Mr. and Mrs. Coy Vaughan of Altus.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Henry have visiting them their small granddaughter, Becky Branum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Blayne Branum of Lubbock. She returned with them after Mr. and Mrs. Henry had spent Christmas in the Branum home.

Mr. and Mrs. Les White were in Bovina for Christmas with their son and family, Minister and Mrs. Alfred White and children. Meeting them there was their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. John Tribble and children of Albuquerque.

Mrs. A. L. Cochran spent the Christmas holidays in Madill, Okla., with members of her family.

Karon Breeding, student in West Texas State College had the holiday period with her parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Breeding and Larson of Abilene.

C. R. Preuit of Shamrock and Sid Johnson of Cordell, Okla., visited the former's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Gulley and Gary Mike Wednesday, Dec. 28. This was Mr. Preuit's first trip to Wellington since his recent surgery in Oklahoma City. His condition is reported as good.

Here to visit Mrs. Estella Coker over Christmas were her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Swift of Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Holley and children, Dennis, Dena and Brenda, were in Ballinger for the holiday week end with her parents and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hughes and children, Mike and Connie, had Christmas in Lubbock with their older daughter, Miss Patti Huughs. She is now employed at Mahaney, Inc., in that city.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Elliott during the holidays were their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Don Crawford of Kansas City and Miss Nancy Elliott of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Marsh of Bakersfield, Calif., returned here for the holidays with their son and family, Police Chief and Mrs. Troy Marsh and children. They are former county residents, moving to California about 9 years ago.

Miss Anita Moody, freshman in Texas Wesleyan College, of Fort Worth, had the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lester and children of Quail spent the Christmas holidays in Eldon, Mo., with his mother, Mrs. Ellis Cartee and Mr. Cartee.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Capps during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Capps, Dicky, Nancy and Joe, from Deport; and Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Vest and Steve from Texarkana, Ark.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Thompson during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. John O. Thompson of Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee of Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wood of Claude, and Mr. and Mrs. Norville Miller of Albuquerque, N.M. They also visited with their aunt, Mrs. Mayme Somerville.

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James H. Groner and others to Henry Lee Brown—Lots 3 and 4, block 184, Wellington.

Sarah Johnson and husband to J. I. Morgan—East 70 acres of the N/2 section 28, block 21.

A. L. Cartwright and others to Marvin Manuel—One acre out of the NE/4 section 98, block 14.

Lewis Green and wife to Rufus T. Jameson and wife—Lot 5, block 2, Lewis Green Addition, Wellington.

Harry H. Leonhardt to John Coffee—NW/4 and NE/4 of the SW/4 of section 95, block 10.

Gladys Ferguson Glenn and others to R. L. Templeton—N/2 of NE/4 section 71, block 15.

W. W. Kittrell and wife to

Russell Marsh—Six acres out of the NW/4 section 83, block 14.

W. C. Harwell and wife to Jack D. Harwell—E/2 of the SE/4 section 52, block 15.

## New Cars and Trucks

C. E. Hightower, Dodson—GMC pickup.

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J. H. Harris—Ford pickup. Kelso Funeral Home—Chevrolet 4-door station wagon.

N. L. Browning—Chevrolet pickup.

R. L. Maberry—GMC pickup. Boyd Derryberry—Ford Fordor.

Barney Glenn—Chevrolet pickup. Mill Iron Ranches—Chevrolet pickup.

Dennis Cudd—Ford Tudor. Ernest Nunnelley—Buick 4-door sedan.

Jack M. Davis—Ford pickup. Bill Lackey—Ford Tudor.

Wanda Holland—Ford Tudor. Mrs. Charley Hill—Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

## OIL AND GAS NEWS

Release of oil and gas lease: D. D. Harrington to J. A. Coleman and wife—E/2 section 26, block 16.

Release: D. D. Harrington to Orville W. Cunningham—tract out of section 26, block 16.

Release: British American Oil Producing Co. to Nona Nelson and husband—S/110 acres out of the E/2 section 13, and all of the E/30 acres of the S/119 acres of SW/4 section 13, block 11.

Release: British American Oil Producing Co. to W. L. White and wife—S/2 of SW/4 section 12, block 11.

Release: British American Oil Producing Co. to Vera Beard and husband—E/90 acres of the N/100 acres of the E/2 section 13, and the SE/4 section 12, block 11, containing 250 acres.

Release: British American Oil Producing Co. to Fred Capps and wife—S/2 and NE/4 section 12, block 11.

Release: British American Oil Producing Co. to J. C. Casson and wife—S/2 of NW/4 and all of the N/2 of SW/4 section 12, block 11.

Release: British American Oil Producing Co. to Homer S. Ingram and wife—S/110 acres of W/2 section 13, less 30 acres of the S/110 acres of SW/4 section 13, block 11.

Release: British American Oil Producing Co. to A. R. Nelson and wife—E/306.6 acres out of section 11, block 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Kersten and children, Vicki and Mark, of Dumas, visited here over Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kersten and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bennett. The children remained until Saturday, when Mr. and Mrs. Kersten returned them home. Mrs. Calvin Kersten no longer has to use crutches from her water skiing accident in the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lowry of Spokane, Wash., who are spending the winter months here with her mother, Mrs. M. E. Rountree, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam White were visitors in Dallas and Oklahoma City last week. In Dallas they visited with a son of the Whites, Rarburn White and family, and in Oklahoma City they visited with Mrs. Grace Duncum and other members of her family. Mrs. Duncum is a sister of Mrs. Lowry and Mrs. White.

## Personal

Holiday visitors in the home of Mrs. Mattie Lindsey were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tiffin young Jr. and Irene, also a son, Sam Lindsey, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Birchfield, all of Corpus Christi; and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smart of Pampa.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claude Groves and David during the Christmas holidays were their son and daughter, Pvt. Barton Groves of Fort Ord, Calif., and Miss Jolene Groves, a student in Baylor University, Waco. Groves entered the army about Nov. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson and family were guests in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Johnson, during the holidays.

Visiting recently with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fourmentin were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones and sons of Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr of Plaska were here for Christmas with their son and family, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Orr and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Nowlin have returned from a Christmas vacation to Dallas. They were Christmas dinner guests in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hoskins, and also visited with a son,

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack A. Nowlin and Randy, and with a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Olan N. Bryant and Carol Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Strickland and Tonya of Orange, and E. M. Strickland of Seminole were here for the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Strickland Sr. E. M. Strickland Jr. remained here with his parents until after the New Year week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Taylor and children spent the Christmas holidays in Vernon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hall of the Frio community near Hereford, were here recently to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hall and other relatives. They went to Stuart, Okla., where Mrs. Hall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Tipton, live, and where a large number of relatives gathered. En route home, they stopped in Wellington again.

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**FORT GRANITE & MARBLE CO.**  
Pampa 22-tfc

### Lost and Found

STRAYED—Near Lutie, 2-year old whiteface heifer, 9 on right hip. Ray Peoples. 22-tfc

### For Rent

FOR RENT — Small office. \$5.00 per month. Phone 447-2546, Mrs. C. W. Roberts. 20-tfc

### Services

For **Deep Plowing** up to 17 inches, see **Albert Fulcher**  
Phone 447-5597  
Two miles south, half east of Lucky Corner. 21-7c

**RUBBER STAMPS**—Fast delivery. Prices 80c and up. The Wellington Leader.

**FEDERAL LAND BANK LOANS**  
for Details see Rayburn L. Smith, Manager 111 N. Main St., Shamrock Wellington Office on Tuesday and Friday 13-tfc

### NOTICE

The Rag Shop has in a new shipment of new materials.

**The Rag Shop**  
24-1p

### Wanted

WANTED—Carpenter work of all kinds, also painting and varnishing. L. D. Cleveland, 101 9th St. Phone 447-5526. 24-tfc

WANT TO BUY anything of value that don't eat. Call 447-5681 or see Tom Wilkins at Tom's Red Top Cafe. 24-1p

WANTED—To live in and do nursing and housekeeping. Call 447-5673. 24-1p

YOU CAN ADD \$35 to \$50 a week to your present income. Part-time Rawleigh's business now open in Collingsworth county or Wellington. See or write at once for full particulars. Rawleigh's, Dept. TXL-200-185, Memphis, Tenn. 24-3c

### Services

**BULLDOZER WORK** — A. C. (Skeet) Pendergrass is now operating my Bulldozer in county. Please contact him at home, 709 Ennis St., Wellington, or phone 447-5607, if you have work. Mrs. Walter Starr. 40 tfc.

FOR TYPEWRITERS—Repair, Rebuilt Machines and new Smith-Corona Typewriters, ribbons for most machines, see Roy M. Horn. 25-tfc

HOUSE MOVING, also houses for sale to be moved. Allen Graves. Bonded and insured house mover. 42-tfc

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**Harold Elbert**

Phone 447-2390 or 447-5858 48-tfc

**SIX DRYERS To Serve You**

**Bring Your Quarters Do Your Laundry at Your Convenience**

We also do the customary Wet Wash—Dry Wash or you can do it yourself.

**Duncan Laundry 9th at Ennis**

**Guaranteed Appliance Service**

on all makes of

- Refrigerators
- Air Conditioners
- Dryers
- Washers
- Stoves

**Tyler Electric**  
17-tfc

### Announcements

#### Western Union

Now located in **Graves Jewelry**  
South Side Square  
Phone 447-2333  
24-tfc

Stated meeting of Wellington Lodge No. 763; A.F. & A.M., second Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

OCIE SCOTT, W. M.

JOHN T. FORBIS, Secy.

**BUSINESS MEETING**—1st Thursday each month  
**SOCIAL MEETING**—3rd Thursday each month  
**American Legion**

### Notice

Mrs. A. V. Green's **DONUT SHOP** on 8th Street will be open Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday  
24-1p

### Card Of Thanks

We take this means of expressing our sincere appreciation for the sympathy extended us at the death of our wife and sister, Polly Ratliff Powell (Mrs. Stephen Powell). The words of consolation extended by friends of many years, and the many other thoughtful and kindly acts have been a source of strength in our grief.  
May God bless each of you.  
The family of Polly Ratliff Powell

Dear friends and neighbors, we take this means of thanking each of you for the many kindnesses you have shown us during my convalescence. We appreciate the many gifts of lovely flowers, the beautiful cards and everything you did, but above all do we thank each one for the many prayers. I am slowly improving.  
May God bless each of you.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Brewer

We want to thank everyone who was so kind and helpful to us during the long illness and death of our loved one. Your words of sympathy meant much to us. The cards you sent, the food and the flowers were deeply appreciated.  
Mrs. Elbert Rankin  
The Rankin and Goodnight families

### WHERE MONEY WENT

Of the \$14 billion increase in food marketing costs from 1948 to 1958, \$6.7 billion went for increased labor costs; \$4.7 billion for supplies, taxes, equipment; \$1.8 billion for increased transportation costs; and \$0.8 billion to increased corporate profits before taxes.

# Step Out . . .

## . . . and get the best buys!

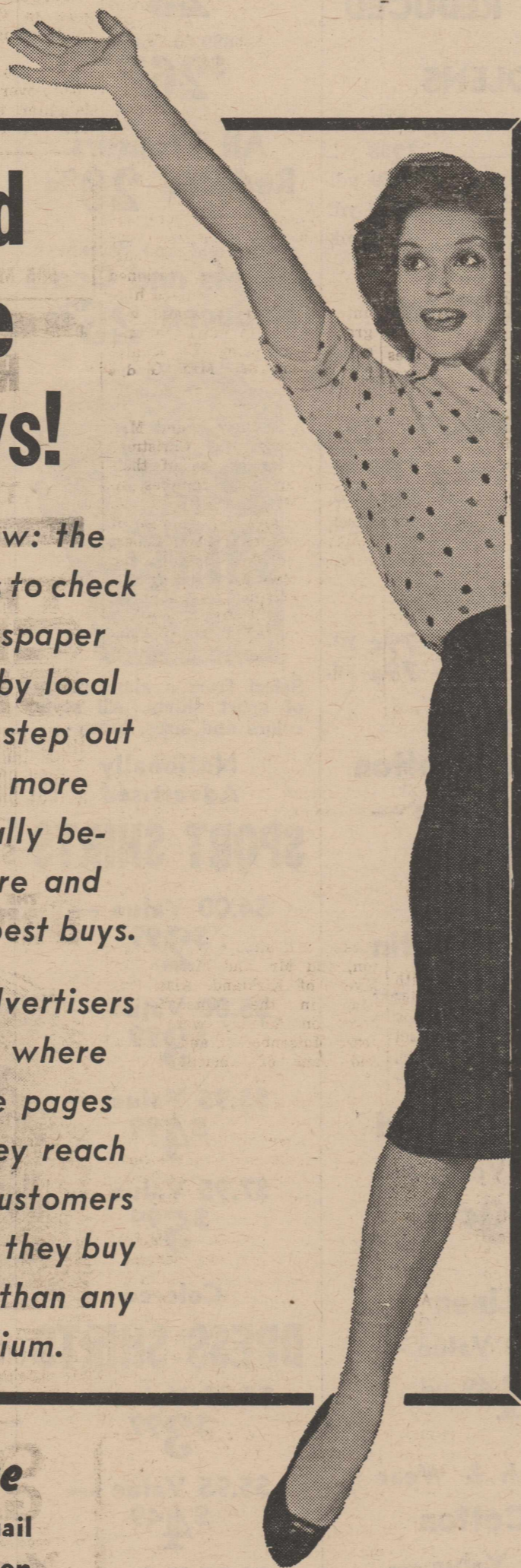
Smart people know: the first step in shopping is to check the pages of this newspaper for values advertised by local merchants. Then they step out and buy . . . shopping more quickly and economically because they know where and how they can get the best buys.

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**Complete Coverage** of Wellington, Dodson, Quail Samnorwood, Arnett, Vinson  
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# CLEARANCE THE SALE IS ON

Beginning Thursday January 5



reductions on  
**SUITS**

Shop today . . . choose your favorite style, color at tremendous savings!

Stylemart  
**Suits**

\$49.50 Value ----- **\$39<sup>99</sup>**

\$60.00 Value ----- **\$44<sup>99</sup>**

Mens Belts

\$1.50 Value ----- **99¢**

\$2.00 Value ----- **\$1<sup>49</sup>**

\$2.50 Value ----- **\$1<sup>79</sup>**

Stylemart  
**TOP COATS**

\$39.50 Value - **\$24<sup>99</sup>**

\$45.00 Value - **\$26<sup>99</sup>**



Boys Tom Sawyer Shirts

\$1.98 Value ----- **\$1<sup>39</sup>**

\$2.98 Value ----- **\$1<sup>99</sup>**

## HATS

\$25.00 Value —  
**\$14<sup>99</sup>**

\$15.00 Value —  
**\$11<sup>99</sup>**

\$11.95 Value —  
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\$12.50 Value —  
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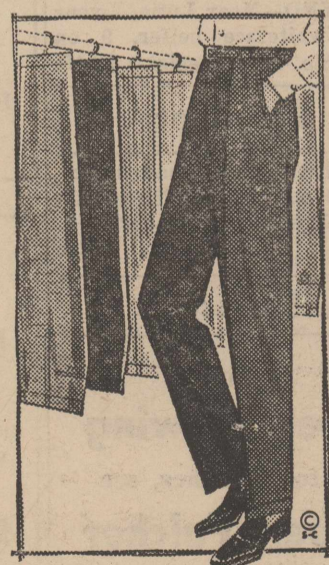
Mens  
**SWEATERS**

\$7.95 Value —  
**\$5<sup>99</sup>**

\$8.95 Value —  
**\$6<sup>99</sup>**

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**BIG SAVINGS ON SLACKS**

Reduced for this sale only! Many styles, superb tailoring and fine fabrics.

Ivy League Pants

\$4.98 Value  
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\$6.98 Value  
**\$4<sup>99</sup>**

Here it is folks — our store wide sale on high quality mens and boys wear and piece goods. You know that when we have a sale it is your choice to make real savings. You know of the quality and variety of our fabrics so come early and get your pick. We especially call your attention to the outstanding values in woolens. Remember everything is on sale.



## Fabrics

GREATLY REDUCED

### WOOLENS

\$2.98 Value ----- \$1<sup>98</sup> yd.  
\$3.98 Value ----- \$2<sup>98</sup> yd.  
\$4.49 Value ----- \$3<sup>29</sup> yd.  
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### SILK-COTTON

\$2.98 Value ----- \$1<sup>79</sup> yd.

### CORDUROY

\$1.98 Value ----- \$1<sup>29</sup> yd.  
\$1.69 Value ----- \$1<sup>19</sup> yd.  
\$1.79 Value ----- \$1<sup>19</sup> yd.

### GINGHAMS

98c Value ----- 79¢ yd.  
\$1.19 Value ----- 79¢ yd.

One Group  
Material

\$1.79 Value —  
**98¢ yd.**

\$1.98 Value —  
**\$1<sup>29</sup> yd.**

\$2.49 Value —  
**\$1<sup>49</sup> yd.**

Velveteen

\$2.98 Value —  
**\$1<sup>98</sup> yd.**

Bates

\$1.19 Value —  
**98¢ yd.**

\$1.39 Value —  
**89¢ yd.**

Quilted Cotton

\$1.98 Value —  
**\$1<sup>29</sup> yd.**

Cotton Satin

\$1.39 Value —  
**89¢ yd.**

Indian Head

89c Value —  
**69¢ yd.**

Linen

\$1.98 Value —  
**\$1<sup>49</sup> yd.**

Wash & Wear

Cotton  
98c Value —  
**69¢ yd.**



Sport Coats

\$29.50 Value  
**\$19<sup>99</sup>**

\$32.50 Value  
**\$21<sup>99</sup>**

\$35.00 Value  
**\$23<sup>99</sup>**

\$39.50 Value  
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All Trousers  
Reduced **20%**

All Field and Stream  
Jackets and Coats  
Reduced **25%**



Select from a giant group of sport shirts. All style colors and sizes, hurry-

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**SPORT SHIRTS**

\$4.00 Value —  
**\$2<sup>99</sup>**

\$5.00 Value —  
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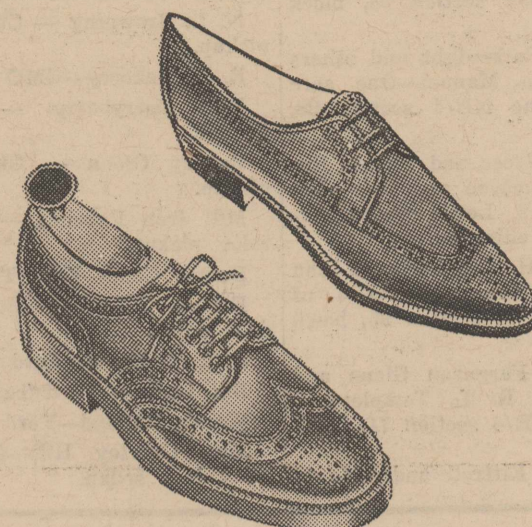
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**DRESS SHIRTS**

\$5.00 Value —  
**\$3<sup>99</sup>**

\$5.95 Value —  
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\$6.95 Value —  
**\$4<sup>99</sup>**



All Jarman, Fortune and Nunn-Bush

## Shoes

Reduced —

**20%**

All Boys

Jackets & Coats & Trousers

**20% OFF**

**MENS SOX**

\$1.00 Value ----- **69¢**

65c Value ----- **39¢**



**HANES UNDERWEAR**

\$1.00 Value ----- **69¢**

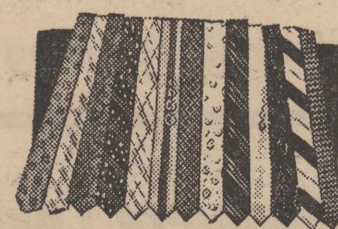
Undershirts ----- **59¢**

Nationally Advertised

**UNDERWEAR**

\$1.50 Value ----- **99¢**

\$1.00 Value ----- **69¢**



**BOYS TIES**

\$1.00 Value ----- **69¢**

**MENS TIES**

\$1.50 Value ----- **99¢**

\$2.50 Value ----- **\$1<sup>99</sup>**

**LOWELL WELLS** *Clothier*

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Bishop visited during the holidays in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Welch and family at Claude. The group all went on to Sunray where they visited with Mrs. Bishop's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waller.

Miss Josephine Scott of Turlock, Calif., her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scott of Empire, Calif., and a cousin, Audrey Stokes of River Bank, Calif., all visited here during the holidays in the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Ella Scott and Miss Gladys Scott at Dodson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Marsh of Shafter, Calif., spent the Christmas holidays here in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Marsh and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hitt had as their guests over the New Year week end their three children, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hiett and son of Albuquerque; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hiett and daughter of Big Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Jenkins of Stinnett. Also Mrs. Hiett's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Coleman and Mark and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Coleman and daughter, all of Oklahoma City.

Mrs. E. S. Hale had all of her children with her for the Christmas holidays: Mr. and Mrs. Lester Scott of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Hall and two daughters of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. George Hale and family of Childress, and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Hale and family who live in the Aberdeen community. Judy Hall spent the week here with her grandmother and her parents came for the New Years week end and returned her home.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Buske and Nora Mae were Mr. and Mrs. Gaynell Davis of Cone, and A/2c Jerry Buske and Miss Bonnie Panzer of Sweetwater. Mike and Keith Davis, who had been visiting here with their grandparents all week returned home with their parents.

Miss Judy Glenn of Amarillo spent the New Year week end here with her mother, Mrs. Tommy Glenn.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. F. O. Masten the last two weeks has been her sister, Mrs. E. L. Lewis from Quanah. During the Christmas week end they visited in Ely City, Okla., with another sister, Mrs. Jess O'Hair.

Here to spend the New Year week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Spear were their three children: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Boykin and family of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Reavis and son of Boise City, Okla.; and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spear and two children of Borger.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bowling of Dodson during the Christmas holidays were their daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owens and Tommy of Paris, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bowling of Garland.

Ronald Teutsch, student in the University of Texas, Austin, had the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Teutsch of Dodson.

Visiting with Mrs. Kate Smith of Dodson Christmas was her cousin, Goldwyn Milner, en route to spend the holidays with members of Mrs. Milner's family.

The daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Phipps visited them and the younger children during the holiday vacation: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Daugherty and family of Amarillo and Miss Glenda Phipps, who teaches at Pyote.

Mr. and Mrs. Red McGill and three children were here Christmas and New Years week ends with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caldwell and Mr. and Mrs. John McGill.

Dean Maxwell, student in West Texas State College, has returned to Canyon after visiting his mother, Mrs. Lela Maxwell of Quail, and with other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thompson of Borger spent the holidays with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Lindsey, another sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Campbell of Temple joined them here.

Mr. and Mrs. Felton Lane and family of Childress were here during the holidays with his mother, Mrs. G. W. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lindsey and children, Drenda and Dickey, were on both the high plains and in southwest Texas during the holiday period. They went first to Dalhart to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wood. Then Saturday, the entire group went to Junction for Christmas day with other relatives, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilson and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Tiffin Young and daughter, Irene, and Sam Lindsey of Corpus Christi were here for Christmas with their mother, Mrs. S. L. Lindsey, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Coleman and Anne. The Youngs then joined his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tiffin Young Sr. for Christmas dinner with their sister and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fike and girls in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Lindsey had as Christmas guests his son, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lindsey and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lindsey, all of Lubbock.

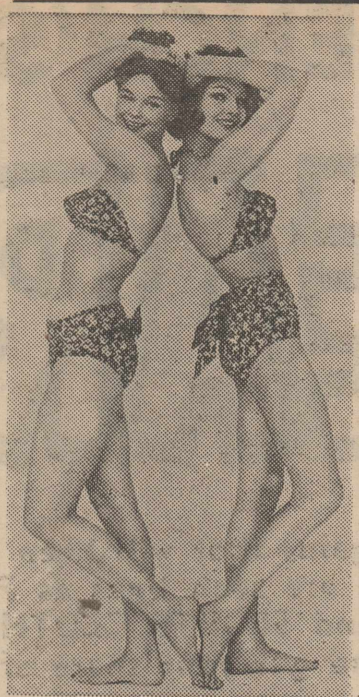
Mr. and Mrs. Darryl Morris and baby of Canyon were here over the school vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Al Bettis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lowe of Shamrock and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Williams of Wellington attended the National Finals Rodeo at Dallas Sunday.

Coming to Dodson for the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wynn were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wynn and children and Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Gilbert and children of Childress; their granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ed Thompson of Tarleton College, Stephenville; and Mrs. Wynn's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Skully Doolen and daughter, Christi, of Hobbs, N.M. Mrs. Thompson will be remembered here as Paulette Birchfield.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dick Pendleton and children Christmas were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Moore, Eileen and Nancy, of Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Milner, Becky and Kim, went to Lubbock Christmas for a holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Milner, then on to Lovington, N. M., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McCoy.



DOUBLE EXPOSURE — The bikini goes convertible in this new model for next year's surf set. Sashed cuff can be rolled down, as at left, for Riviera bathing, or rolled up American style.

Mrs. Louise Templeton is visiting in Dalhart with her daughter and family.

Guests Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ratliff were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ray Ratliff and Brent of Lubbock, and his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook and family of Kingsville. The latter family also visited his mother, Mrs. Jess Cook. Mrs. Cook is the former Dorothy Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Mid Scott and Tommy of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scott, Harold and Kenneth of Wichita Falls had Christmas with the men's parents and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Scott and Jack Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Long were Christmas day visitors in Borger with his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole.

Mrs. Mayme Somerville spent the Christmas holidays in Chickasha, Okla., visiting in the home of two of her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Jones and Mrs. J. C. Peck.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Groves, Miss Jolene Groves, Barton Groves and David Groves, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stephenson and Miss Karen Stephenson of Claude on Sunday. Jolene and Karen are roommates at Baylor University.

Supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Millsap Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brown of Shamrock.

Mrs. Z. T. Lowrie returned just before Christmas after visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Henry and children of Floydada. Mrs. Lowrie's other children joined them for a pre-Christmas dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kassahn and Jimmie and Janet of Hereford. On Thursday night, Dec. 29, her youngest daughter, Miss Rita Lowrie, teacher in Itazuke, Japan, phoned to tell her mother of her Christmas trip to Hong Kong, and also of visiting by telephone with Major and Mrs. Haynes Baumgardner on a recent trip to Tokyo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Young Jr and children of Paris were here during Christmas to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Young, her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Cooper, and other relatives.

The daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Riggs have returned to their homes after the holidays here. They were Mrs. Charles Holman and three daughters of Denton, and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Wildman and two sons of Dallas.

Mrs. Irvin West of San Antonio was here for several days following Christmas to visit her sisters and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Deskins Wells and Henry, Miss Bonnie Willis and Mack Willis.

Mrs. Frank Light and her daughter, Mrs. Wayne Cudd, and son Jim Frank, are in Corpus Christi for several days visit with two other daughters of Mrs. Light and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Cudd and Phyllis, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Strickland and Mark.

Those visiting in the home of Mrs. J. L. Hays and Miss Larlu Hays during the New Year week end were Miss Myra Hays of Plainview, Miss Merle Hays and Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Biter and children of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Pollard and children of Odessa.

Miss Nancy Williams went to Amarillo Monday, where she entered St. Anthony's Hospital for eye surgery performed Wednesday of this week.

Kenneth McNabb of Perryton spent last week with David Groves and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Groves. Kenneth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George McNabb who formerly lived here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Melker of Fairview, Okla., visited Monday in the homes of her aunts, Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Bowen and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lowe.

Announcing  
**Reduction Of Interest Rates**

on  
**Federal Land Bank Loans**

Effective January 1, 1961

The board of directors of the Federal Land Bank of Houston has approved the reduction of interest rates after January 1, 1961.

All new loans made after January 1, 1961, will bear 5 1/2% interest.

All loans now bearing 6% interest will until further notice bear 5 1/2% interest after January 1, 1961.

This is the third time the Federal Land Bank has been able to voluntarily reduce interest on loans already on its books, helping directly the farmers and ranchers served by the Federal Land Bank Association of Shamrock in Collingsworth and Wheeler counties.

We invite you to come to our office to discuss the Federal Land Bank Program that has helped so many in this area become landowners.

**Federal Land Bank Association of Shamrock**

- Raburn L. Smith, Manager
- Mr. Rosalie Seeds, office asst.
- J. C. Emmert, president
- Robert Terry, vice president
- Tom R. Cunningham
- C. F. Waters
- Woodrow Wood
- H. J. Finsterwald.

**2<sup>ND</sup> ANNIVERSARY sale**

**of the Fashion Shop**

"Thanks a million" for the very fine business that we have enjoyed the past two years. We pledge to you in the new year our continuing efforts to bring to you the latest in style and quality.

**Infant Crochet**

Hand made booties  
All colors

**\$1.00** each

Childrens

**Cotton Pants**

Size 1 to 14  
Your choice

**3 for \$1.00**

Infants Corduroy and Seersucker

**Overalls**

Size S-M-XL  
Your choice while they last

**\$2.00** each

**White Skyrocket COVERALLS**

Size 1-6x. Regular \$3.98 value for only.

**\$2.75**

**Girls LONG COATS and CAR COATS. Size 1-14. These are of fine material, some leather and fur trimmed. Must sell AT COST.**

**Coats**

All winter long coats and short coats. Marce Brand.

**1/2 price & below**

Girls white Fur Chubies,  
Only 3 left  
Your choice at cost —

**\$1.675**

**Dress Sale**

One Rack — \$14.95 value ..... **\$5.00**

One Rack — \$19.95 value ..... **\$7.95**

All other dresses cost and below

These are Parkland, Jo-Juniors, Herman Marcus, Ike Clark, Julie Clark, Nelly Don. Reg. and 1/2 size.

**All Hats \$2.00 Each**

All Ladies Bags — 1/2 Price

Your opportunity to SAVE!  
**peter pan**

ANNUAL FRIENDSHIP SALE!

December 27 through  
January 28 only



**TREASURETTE**  
with amazing  
Plenium®

Hidden Treasure® cups of soft, light Plenium® shape you and shape to you— adding fullness where needed! And Plenium may be machine washed, won't shred, dries fast! All cotton exclusive of decoration. Regular 2.50

**now 1.99**

\*Aerated, purified polyurethane

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**Sweaters**

1 Group ..... **\$3.98**

1 Group ..... **\$5.98**

1 Group ..... **\$7.98**

These are of fine wool and — Lampel

**Skirts**

In all colors and sizes  
Your choice \$12.95 value

for only —  
**\$7.98**

One Group  
Ladies Ship 'n Shore

**Blouses**

Your Choice —  
**\$2.50**

Sizes 30 - 44

**Sale Starts Thursday Morning 8:30**

FREE COFFEE AND DOUGHNUTS SATURDAY

Reg. \$19.95 Dress to be Given Away Saturday afternoon at 4:00

**The Fashion Shop**

Mrs. T. J. Buske

Mrs. Herman Belew

## SCS Employees Get Civil Defense Training

Local soil conservation service personnel attended a Civil Defense radiological monitoring training session at Pampa on Dec. 13-14 and 15-16. Fred Squyres and Harry McEwen attended the first session and Tommy Hays and Lynn Courtney attended the Dec. 15-16 session. Two sessions were held so that work unit offices could be kept open.

The Wellington work unit is one of nine Panhandle units that received this training. It was given so that local SCS employees could monitor fallout in case of atomic attack or a peacetime atomic accident. Other nearby soil conservation service monitoring locations are Spearman, Follett, Pampa, and Dumas.

Radiological monitoring instruments are to be delivered to the local work units within the next few months. These will consist of a low range survey meter, the Geiger counter, to monitor food, water, personnel, vehicles and utilities. A medium range survey meter and a high range survey meter to monitor fallout will also be delivered. Radiological fallout can only be detected with instruments as it cannot be seen, felt, heard, smelled or tasted.

Some of the subjects studied at the training session were nuclear weapons, nuclear physics, fallout and fallout plotting, personnel protection, effects of radiation on the body, decontamination, and instrument operation. Practice exercises using the Geiger counter and medium range survey meter were participated in to familiarize everyone with the use of the instruments. A source of radioactive Cobalt-60 was used in these exercises.

Another practical demonstration using radioactive phosphorus was given to show how food can be decontaminated. Fruits and vegetables can be decontaminated by washing and peeling. Canned and packaged foods can be washed to remove the contamination then opened and eaten. Fallout, although dangerous, especially if

eaten, can be removed as dust can be removed. Things will not become radioactive from the fallout. Induced radiation, when an object itself becomes radioactive, only occurs in the immediate blast area.

The Wellington work unit is one of 3000 Federal fixed monitoring stations set up throughout the nation. In case of an atomic attack or peacetime atomic accident monitored information is to be forwarded to the Regional Civil Defense office at Denton, Texas. The regional and National Civil Defense centers will use this information to plot fallout patterns and to make a national damage assessment study. The Regional Civil Defense office can then recommend local evacuations, if practical, to uncontaminated or less contaminated areas. With the monitored information, the length of time necessary to stay in fallout shelters until radioactivity has decayed to a safe level can also be predicted.

Other Federal agencies besides the soil conservation service that have local monitoring stations such as this are the Federal Aviation Agency, the Weather Bureau, the Air Weather Service, Department of the Interior, and the Forest Service.

Miss Jocelyn Wells of Houston had a Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wells. Christmas day was spent in Lubbock with their older daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cartwright and three daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Singley have visiting them their two small grandsons, Alex and Mike Stansbury of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Sue Sisk and children of Camby, Ind., came for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Singley, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jones Singley and children. Her older son, Bobby Sisk, in the Air Force at Houston, joined them here.

## Visitors Frequent Jack Davis Home During Holidays

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis during the holidays were their children, A/2c Joe Davis and his friend, A/3c Leonard Vierra, both stationed at Chanute Air Force Base, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas of College Station, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Prichard of Alamogordo, N.M.

Other relatives and friends visiting them were Miss Sue Ward of Ada, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Nichols of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis of Lefors; Miss Annie Davis, Mrs. Woodson Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davis, all of Hollis;

Mrs. Lefty Thomas and Jack of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Don Rummel and daughter of El Paso; Miss Melanie Clark of College Station; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lindsey and family of Hereford, and Miss Mary Ruth Stall of Pampa.

## Mrs. C. E. Roberts Family Gather

Visiting in the home of Mrs. C. E. Roberts during the Christmas and New Year holidays were part of her children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hudson, Donnie and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Leverett and boys, all of Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Roberts and girls of Beeville, who also visited her mother, Mrs. A. T. Smith; also

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ward and family of Grand Saline, who also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ward; Mr. and Mrs. Virrill Roberts of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Simpson of Hereford and a granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Pollard and children of Dumas, and Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Cotten and children of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Rogers and daughter, Clea, of Sundown, were here for Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Popwell, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Popwell and family.

## G. W. Jolly Dies Friday

G. W. Jolly, 50, of Dumas, who lived here until about the time of World War II, was found dead about 6 a.m. Friday, Dec. 30 at Spearman where he was working. His death was attributed to a heart attack.

Mr. Jolly had been a driller for Shamrock Oil and Gas Co. for a number of years.

Funeral services were conducted at the First Methodist Church in Dumas Monday at 10 a.m. by the Rev. Clifford Trotter, pastor, and burial was in the Dumas cemetery.

Attending the services from Wellington were Mr. and Mrs. Olan Cook, brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Jolly, and Mr. and Mrs. George Brewer who were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Trimble of Memphis.

George Wright Jolly was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jolly, and his father served as jailer here a number of years. He was born at Ardmore, Okla., and came here as a child.

He was married to Miss Mellie Cook about 30 years ago and they had made their home in Dumas for 16 years.

He was a veteran of Navy service during World War II. Surviving Mr. Jolly are his wife and four children: Miss Torchy Jolly of Amarillo; Vester Lee Jolly, G. W. Jolly and Helen Kay Jolly of Dumas. Other survivors are three sisters and two brothers: Mrs. Vada Willis of Amarillo; Mrs. L. R. Irwen of Dalhart; Mrs. J. L. Hall of Dumas; Glenn Jolly of Spearman and Durwood Jolly of Bellflower, Calif.

## Group Here for Powell Rites

Out of town relatives and friends who were here for the funeral of Mrs. Stephen Powell, the former Miss Polly Ratliff, included the following, part of whom have lived here:

Mr. and Mrs. Rot Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Matthews of Claude; Miss Mai Ratliff of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ratliff, Larry and Roddy Ratliff of Goodlet; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook, Karen, Nikki and Carl of Kingsville; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Burchett of Childress; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ray Ratliff and Brent of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edmonds, Mrs. Gladston Gillispie and Gladmon Gillispie of Goodlet.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Bowen had their entire family home for Christmas day; Von Bowen of Bovina, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bowen of Plataview, and the four children living here, Messrs. and Mmes. Hubert Bowen, Earl Bowen, King Bowen and Melvin Seale and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Melker of Oklahoma City visited her aunts, Mrs. V. J. Simpson, Mrs. J. A. Lowe and Mrs. S. B. Bowen over the New Year holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Russell, Muffett, Sammy and Danny, of Carrollton, were here during the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Russell and Leo.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwane Scott and Gary were holiday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Easter in Chickasha, Okla., over Christmas.

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\$20.00 Value     **\$15<sup>00</sup>**

\$17.95 Value     **\$12<sup>95</sup>**

**SPORT COATS**

\$35 values     **\$24<sup>95</sup>**

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\$42.95 Value     **\$29<sup>95</sup>**

\$40.00 Value     **\$29<sup>95</sup>**


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3.95 Value     **2.95**

4.95 Value     **3.50**

5.95 Value     **3.95**


6.95 Value     **4.95**



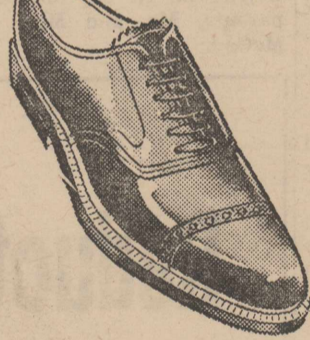
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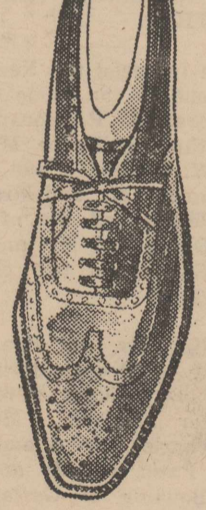
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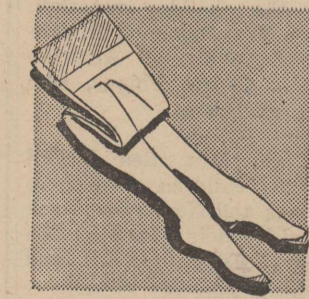
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ONE HOUR SPECIAL  
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24 x 48 — Extra Heavy

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No phone orders, please

ONE HOUR SPECIAL  
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EXTRA SPECIAL  
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**Sheets**

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**Boys Dickies  
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\$1.99 to \$2.49 values

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Friday and Saturday Only

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**Ladies Nylon  
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\$1.99 and \$2.29 values ----- **\$149**  
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1 Group — \$3.99 value

**\$279 each -- 2 for \$500**

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\$14.98 value ----- **\$899**

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\$3.99 value ----- **\$299**  
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Mens and Boys

**Shoes and Boots**  
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One Table

**Mens Dress Shoes**  
Values to \$12.98  
**\$599**

EXTRA SPECIAL

**Double  
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5% wool — \$3.98 value

**\$339**

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**Ladies Fall Hats — \$100**

**LADIES KNIT SUITS**  
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# Deck's DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

As the New Year starts in the Texas Legislature is faced with as many problems proportionately as the members of Congress. The state already has a huge deficit and is faced with commitments of even greater spending. We seem to want all the "good" things California now has such as higher teacher pay, better roads, etc. But we might remember that California has a 4% general sales tax as well as a state income tax to help them keep their budget balanced. Oil and other natural resources are taxed heavily, but these were not nearly enough to meet the huge budget and a sales tax was the only way out.

There is wide dissatisfaction with Gov. Daniels' proposed payroll tax and Senator Rogers and Representative McIlhenny might as well be advised of that fact. Besides penalizing the workers and wage earners, many of whom make less than the teachers, such a tax would mean a lot more trouble for the average business man both large and small. Even the teachers oppose such a tax. They say it will not even begin to raise the required money.

President-elect John F. Kennedy's razor-thin margin of victory was no mandate from the people, but there was one man who did receive a mandate if we know what the word means. That was Congressman Walter Rogers whose constituents voted almost two to one against Kennedy. By no stretch of the imagination can it be conceived that they were voting for "me too" Nixon. This will cause no radical change in Rogers' thinking and voting, for he has been more or less in the conservative constitutional camp all along. It could be the sign he needs for a more aggressive stand for his beliefs.

The Chamber of Commerce is urging a heavy vote in the Water Board election next Tuesday as a means of showing our interest in the construction of a dam on Salt Fork. It is pointed out that a real show of interest will be of great assistance to the members of the board when they go to Austin and Washington to press their claims. Voting will be in Lutie, Dozier, Quail, Dodson and Wellington. You do not have to be a landowner to vote—just a taxpayer. Take a few minutes off and exercise your right as a citizen.

The official rainfall at the weather station at the State Highway Department building is slightly over 33 inches, but Clyde Drake says he is sure it may have measured as much as 45 inches in some parts of the county. For instance, the Rolla-Quail section received 8 inches in one flood at a time when the Wellington gauge measured only a little over 2 inches.

Murray Dodson says he never saw such a year for grass and crops. Last fall he sold some yearling steers that averaged \$20 whereas in ordinary years he would have been pleased with a 600 to 700 pound average in steers of that age. Cotton farmers also reported some remarkable

## Sixteen Teams

# WHS Teams Hosts at Tourney Opening Thursday Night

The first ball will be tossed in the Wellington Invitational Basketball Tournament Thursday morning, Jan. 5 and play will continue through Saturday night, Jan. 7, when champions in both boys and girls brackets and the consolation winners will be named.

Sixteen teams, eight boys and eight girls, are entered, Coach E. W. Clement said.

Handsome trophies will be awarded first and second place winners and the winner of the consolation bracket at the end

of the tournament Saturday night.

Teams entered are from Dodson, Shamrock, Altus, Panhandle, Memphis, Quail, Lakeview and Wellington.

The entire first round will be played Thursday, with Dodson and Shamrock girls opening the tournament at 9:30 a. m. Dodson and Shamrock boys play the other morning game.

The afternoon session starts at 1 p. m. with Lakeview girls meeting Quail girls. Altus and Panhandle boys play at 2:15

p. m. and Memphis and Panhandle girls at 3:30.

Memphis and Quail boys will open the night session at 6 p. m. Altus and Wellington girls will meet at 7:15 and Lakeview and Wellington boys at 8:30.

The Friday sessions will be at the same hours, 9:30 a. m. and 6 p. m.

The Saturday session will begin at 5:30 p. m. when the consolation finals are played, to be followed by the boys and girls championship games.

## An Editorial

### There Are Civic Resolutions to Be Made at New Year's

The new year is now five days old and there has been plenty of time to break a good many of the resolutions we made.

But what of our civic resolutions, those we should make—and keep—that concern our work for and with our town and county in 1961.

There are projects that call for the voluntary work of interested and intelligent citizens during every month of the coming year. A few people will work on them, but not enough. The future of our county hinges on some of these and we know it—the Salt Fork dam, for example. Why, then, can't all of us put as our stake in the county, some time and thought and good hard work? The touch on our pocketbook will be light.

There is transportation. Motor freight is doing a good job of getting our materials into Wellington. But when it comes to getting ourselves into and out of town, we are high and dry. There are practical problems to be met, and there are good reasons why no one wants to extend a bus route through Wellington. We will come much nearer getting bus service if all of us are working on it.

We say we want industry, just as we have said in many years. We can acquaint ourselves with what we need to get industry, and the benefit we may expect from it.

We can advertise our town and county. Two of our best advertisements now are the beauty and the brains of our young people who move away.

There is perhaps our biggest challenge, providing something that will enable our young men and women to put down the roots of their adult life here. This is not work for 1961 alone nor for the decade of the 60's but for all time ahead.

We can do something about Civil Defense. From being an area that was "safest in time of war" when we entered the decade of the 50's, we are, in the 60's within a prime enemy target area. There is no time and there is no place for complacency.

An agricultural county that we are, the government program has forced us into the heavy production of milo. Car load after car load of Collingsworth grain now follows our steers to the California feed lots. Other Panhandle counties have set the pattern for commercial feed lot operations in this area. Is this an opportunity for us?

These are a few things taken at random. Is it too much to ask that each of us make and keep a new year's resolution to do some definite, specific work for our community?

yields. It was one year that the dry land farmers did better than the irrigation farmers from a profit standpoint, but that won't happen again very soon. John Sherman was not very pleased with his irrigated cotton to put it mildly—he had to plant over too many times and the cotton was late.

Dr. Ansel McDowell is a resident surgeon at the Kern County General Hospital in Bakersfield. It costs the tax payers of the county \$6,000,000 a year to operate the hospital. It serves charity patients as required by state law. The only exceptions are people whose insurance is not enough to cover the expenses at other hospitals, but who can pay part at the county hospital. However it should be remembered that Bakersfield is about the size of Amarillo and Kern county is about the size in area as the

Panhandle or the State of Massachusetts.

We had a wonderful Christmas holiday visiting in Bakersfield. It is a great feeling to have all of your children under one roof at Christmas. We were able to appreciate the varied personalities of the three grandchildren so much more in their own home. We may have left them a little bit spoiled, but undoubtedly their parents have them back in line by this time.

## POOR PECANS

Unusually heavy moisture is blamed by Texas A&M experts for the state's generally poor pecan crop this year. Horticulture Professor Dr. Benton J. Store says why wet weather makes bad pecans is not fully understood. Most growers just call it "blight."

## Consumption of Food Averages 1,488 Pounds

College Station.—Americans ate well in 1960. Year-end estimates indicate plentiful supplies of food for 1961. The U.S. Department of Agriculture said food consumption for 1960 averaged 1,488 pounds per person based on retail weights of all food products of farms, ranches and fisheries.

Consumption of dairy products led, with 414 pounds per person—the equivalent of about 250 quarts of milk. The total includes fluid milk and all other forms of foods made from milk except butter. It is included in fats and oils.

The fruit and vegetable group—excluding potatoes—was a close second at 409 pounds per person. Potato consumption was 108 pounds per capita.

The third ranking group was meats. The average was 178 pounds per person and included poultry and fish as well as red meats, beef, pork and lamb.

Consumption of other food groups included 146 pounds of flour and cereal products per capita, 108 pounds of sugar and sirup, 67 pounds of fats and oils, 41 pounds of eggs (about 26 dozen), and 17 pounds of coffee, tea and cocoa.

The department said estimates of consumption per person are based on the disappearance of food products. The quantity of each group is divided by the total population.

## Gun Club

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is part of the 4-H program for boys. Marsh said that after the club is organized, a program will be set up where by youth groups such as 4-H boys and Scouts can receive training in the use of firearms and gun safety.

All persons interested in becoming members of the gun club or who would like to know more about its program are invited to the Monday meeting.

## Mr. Cocke

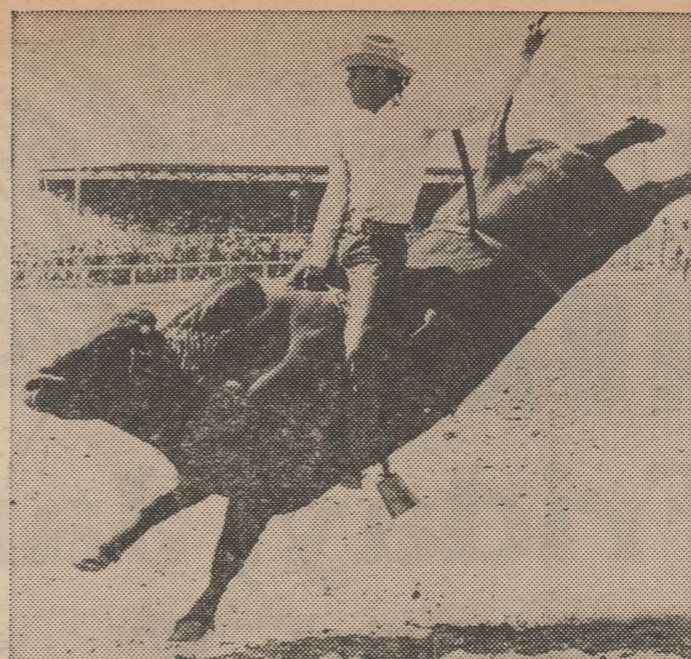
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er and fisherman. His generosity extended to numberless people through the years, but these he preferred to be known only by himself and the recipient.

Funeral services were conducted at First Methodist Church Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. by the Rev. Frank Weir, pastor. Pall bearers were Tim Campbell, Rip Elms, Sandy Parsons Jr., Harris Royal, L. C. Hill, Cliff Campbell, A. J. Fires and Phillip Cobb.

Burial was in West Wellington Cemetery under the direction of Kelson Funeral Home.

Mr. Cocke is survived by his wife and one son, N. R. Cocke, Jr., of the home, and one brother, Henry Cocke, of Oklahoma City.



TOP MAN IN NAT'L FINALS SHOWS WHY

Harry Tompkins of Dublin, Texas, gives an exhibition of bull riding that shows why he is rodeo's top money-winner of the year and the leading contender for All-Around Cowboy Championship honors going into the 1960 National Finals Rodeo, Dec. 26-Jan. 1. This mean ol' bull is named simply "Number 4." The National Finals Rodeo is a feature of Cotton Bowl Week in Dallas.



## LOOKING AHEAD

by Dr. George S. Benson

### WE ARE LOSING

General Carlos P. Romulo, journalist, soldier, statesman, former President of the United Nations General Assembly, has said, in a Reader's Digest article (November issue), something that needs to be said by the United States president-elect, by every official of our government, and by every citizen, every parent and teacher and school child in America—over and over again until the fact is drummed into the intelligence of the nation.

"At its rate of growth since World War II," General Romulo says, "the universal Communist police state could come into being in our own lifetime." He means that the facts show that Communism can engulf the human race not just within the lifetime of our children but in OUR lifetime. He means that within a relatively few years, unless we change our tactics, Communism can actually take over what Lenin called "the last bastion of Capitalism, the United States of America."

### Communism Advancing

This article by General Romulo is one of the important statements of our times. "Who would have thought it possible barely a generation ago," he asks, "that Communism would soon stand astride two continents, from the Baltic to the Pacific, with extensions of its power in places as far apart as Africa and the Caribbean? Surely it must be plain to all that Russia is bent on world domination. It must be equally plain that her leaders cannot be trusted."

"We rush from one crisis to another, each plainly labeled 'Made in Soviet Russia.' We scramble from one segment of the globe to another, always at times and places of Soviet choosing. When we negotiate, it is invariably about some issue the Communists deliberately create for propaganda purposes and to keep us off balance: The Matsu-Quemoy islands, West Berlin, nuclear tests, disarmament. Never once have we aggressively raised issues to put them on the defensive."

### Flabby Statesmanship

"When will the flabby statesmanship of the Western world come to realize that the cold war is a real war and that, as with all wars, we are certain to lose it if we don't take the offensive. . . . The unfortunate truth is that the free-world leaders are dealing with a sinister global conspiracy by international gangsters as if it were an old-style dispute between civilized nations which respect the diplomatic niceties and the sanctity of treaties. We continue to hope for progress in phony 'negotiations' which, on the Communists' side are just a part of the cold war that we are losing piecemeal. "And worst of all, the democratic coalition has been acting in the vain hope of 'relieving tensions,' 'stabilizing situations,' 'keeping the boat from rocking,' of 'containing Communism,' instead of striving ultimately to eliminate the scourge. Meanwhile the Red offensive remains intense, planned and persistent."

American citizens who are awakening to the realities of this terrible situation so graphically described by General Romulo can begin to help their nation in its grave crisis by ordering and widely distributing reprints of the Reader's Digest article. Or you can rent or purchase our shocking new filmstrip, "Communism on the Map."

### Appeasement Fatal

General Romulo sets forth in the article a series of logical steps which the United States (and the West) should take in a planned, aggressive offensive in every area of the conflict.

Then he concludes: "Appeasement is as futile in a cold war as it has proved to be, throughout the ages, in hot war. Continued apathy, or half measures, in the struggle now under way will only encourage the Communists to underrate our will to resist, thus eventually crowding us into a corner where we will have to choose between nuclear war and surrender."

"The only possible solution is to wage this protracted conflict twice as hard, twice as effectively, as the Communists

are now waging it. We must embark on a massive offensive turning every Communist trick and stratagem—from propaganda to information—against our mortal enemy. This is the one and only way to win the struggle for survival."

It is the cold war we must win.

## Profit from Business Record

College Station.—Extra income can come from well kept farm or ranch business records. Some errors in business decisions are unavoidable, C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist points out, but adequate records can often help farmers and ranchmen to reduce the chance of wrong decisions.

Records of 1960 operations may prove very helpful by showing the amount of income from various enterprises and total gross receipts; indicating the total cash expenses and reflecting items of greatest outlay; aiding in determining depreciation deductions for tax purposes, and reflecting the amount of net profit or loss for the year.

Profit and loss, says Bates, should be given attention before the end of the tax year, for taxes may be saved or full benefit gained from allowed deductions resulting from tax planning decisions. Records are very useful when these decisions are made. Calendar year operators are reminded that a checkup is now in order. Farmers tend to omit items

of business expense during seasons when little profit is being made. This should not be done, says Bates. It is important to show the entire loss. If a "net operating loss" occurs, the farmer or other taxpayer may be able to obtain a tax refund on operations for previous years. Complete records are needed to verify the loss.

Decisions covering the sale of livestock and other commodities in the current tax year may affect the amount of tax paid. Bates says if an alternative will permit full benefit of this year's tax exemptions, the taxpayer may wish to use it. A summary of records will help clarify the decisions which can mean tax savings, points out the specialist.

Bates adds that local county extension agents have publications on record keeping which should prove helpful to farmers or ranchmen. He says the 1961 Farmers Tax Guide, provided by the Internal Revenue Service, should be available soon and recommends it as a valuable reference on tax questions. But, he concludes, good records make the entire job of farm or ranch management a lot easier.

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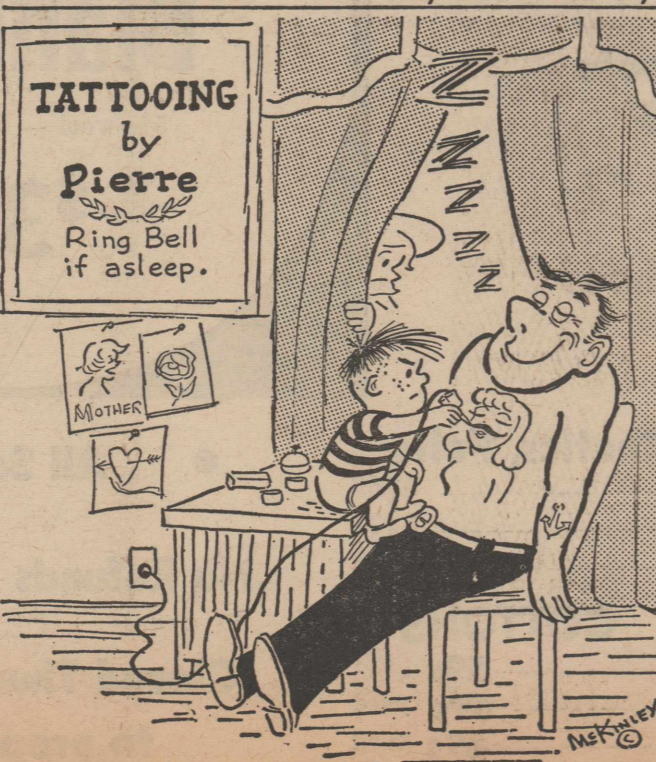
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