

Population Recheck Shows Error In Figures

A recheck of the figures used in the population story carried in the December 28 issue of the Olton Enterprise shows that the decline in Olton's population last year was only 294 persons rather than 611. Total population at the close of 1967 is estimated at 2,042, instead of 1,725 as stated, in comparison with the 1966 figure of 2,336 persons.

The figures on the number of water meter services and the electric meters were accidentally reversed. The figure of 850, previously stated as water connections, was the number of electric meters, but a check January 2 with Southwestern Public Service Company showed that figure to be wrong as it should have been 882.

The Olton water meter report showed 699 connections in the city limits, instead of the 850 earlier stated. Gas meters listed as 628 were correct. All figures were based on November reports.

Multiplying each of these figures by the respective persons per meter according to the official census in 1960—2.09 persons per electric meter, 3.66 persons per gas meter, and 2.84 persons per water connection—an approximate population of 1843.38 is found according to electric meters; 2,298.48 persons for the number of gas meters; and 1985.16 persons judging from the water connections.

Adding these population estimates together and dividing by three produces the figure of 2,042 persons.

Jack Fears To Lead In Revival

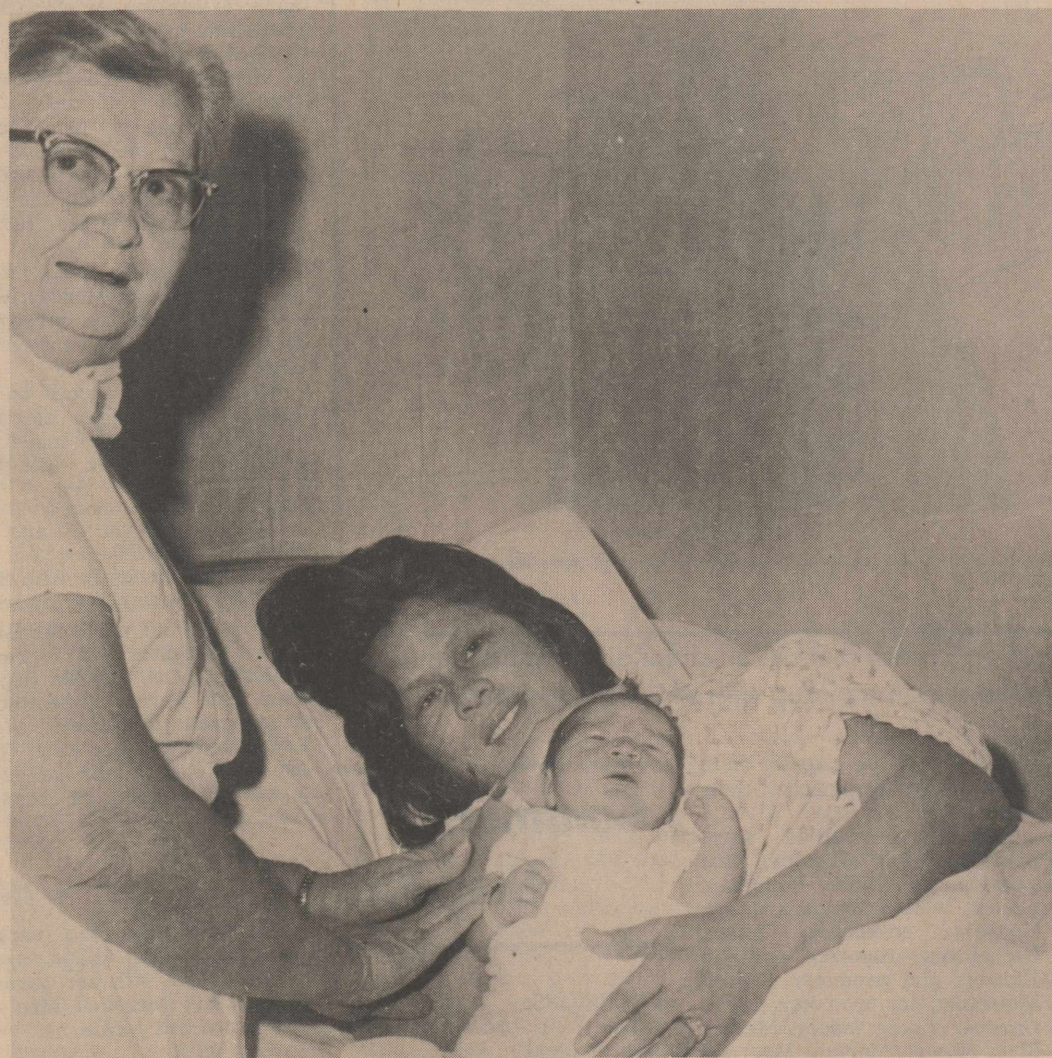
Jack Fears of Lubbock, missionary of the Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints will begin a two weeks series of messages at the local church Sunday, Jan. 7.

Bro. Fears will be preaching at the church on Sundays and Wednesdays. Cottage meetings are scheduled throughout the week.

C-CA Directors To Meet Jan. 8 To Plan Banquet

Directors of the Olton Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture will meet at 7:30 p. m. Monday, Jan. 8, in the chamber office to discuss plans for the forthcoming annual banquet.

Work plans for the coming year of the various committees will be set up, according to Charles Polk, chamber manager.



FIRST BABY OF 1968—This little fella was the first baby of the new year, born in the Olton area. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Jaloma of Hart. He was born January 3 at the Olton Community Hospital and Clinic and weighed nine pounds.

Prospecting

Attracting New Industry Is A Community Project

If you have read the first four "Points" in this series, you will understand why vigorous prospecting for new industries should begin in earnest only after these four concepts have been given full consideration and at least partially implemented.

Community Betterment programs must be underway, ideally with a long range plan and set of goals for the community. Research and Analysis must have been carried out, resulting in the identification of "candidate" industries.

All available means of financing must have been examined and, preferably, an Industrial Foundation formed. Sites and buildings must have been inventoried and evaluated in terms of your "candidate" industries.

These four points are on-going processes and should be well underway before concerted prospecting will be worthwhile. However, because industrial development is a very long-term, continuous process, every community that has a program must inevitably get out and beat the bushes for prospects.

Where are your best prospects? The answer is surprising to some.

Your first best prospects are found in the industry you already have. It may be the least glamorous, but research shows that 80% of all industrial growth is due to expansion of existing industry. And, after all, the industry that you already have will be the easiest and most

economical to work on. They need the help of your I.D. Committee just like outside industry does—help and encouragement in the forms of research and financing and securing a new building. The entire program that we have been outlining can apply right in your own backyard.

Your second best prospect is "the man with an idea". Inventiveness combined with enthusiasm is very valuable. The man with a sound idea for a new business, or a new way to expand an existing business may be the springboard your community needs. Encourage such a man, and work to develop and display an atmosphere that will encourage the emergence of many such men. When you are seeking industrial development, there should be no such thing as too many new ideas.

Your third best prospects will come from your allies. These are the utility company serving your community, the railroad, or a state agency such as the Texas Industrial Commission. All of these allies are as anxious for industrial and economic growth in your area as you are, and they can offer a wealth of experience, data, and actual prospects.

Your fourth best prospects are manufacturers in Texas. Our state has more multi-plant operations than any other state in the nation. And Texas industry is growing rapidly. No industrial prospector should be without a current copy of The Directory of Texas Manufac-

turers, a valuable reference book.

Your fifth best prospects will come from making the best of the inside information that can be gathered in your own community when all of your citizens are aware of the program and helping. Get every one looking for tips, get them interested... get them involved.

In a certain Texas town, a group of young businessmen with industrial development in mind hold a weekly breakfast for all the salesmen who happen to be in town. Imagine what information might be passed on at such a gathering.

If Mrs. Smith's brother is purchasing agent for a big plant in the mid-West, and she hears that his company is considering a Texas location... well, that's a prospect.

All this is not to say that prospecting is easy. It's not. But it is intended to show you that there are more types of prospects than you perhaps thought, and closer to home.

At some stage in prospecting, you will want to promote your community. A colorful, informative brochure is a good way to do this. A campaign of direct mail to your "candidate" industries is another good means of promotion. If your town has developed any tourist attractions, these can be used for promotion relating to industrial development.

Prospecting for new industry is never easy, but it will be a lot easier when the first four points of industrial development have been initiated.

Co. Livestock Show Underway Jan. 12

Entry Deadline Set Jan. 8



DATE	HIGH	LOW	PREC.
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JAN. 1	31	15	T.
JAN. 2	55	25	--
JAN. 3	59	17	--

The Lamb County Jr. Livestock Show will be held Jan. 12 and 13 at the County Show Barns in Littlefield. All bonafide 4-H and FFA members in the county are eligible to enter their animals. Ribbons and trophies as well as premium money will be awarded to the placing animals. The County Livestock Show is sponsored by each community in the county.

Entry deadline is Jan. 8. Any entries received later than

12 noon Jan. 9 will not be accepted. Entry blanks are available at the County Agents office in Littlefield or at the local 4-H organizational leaders home or the Vocational Ag. teacher in each community. Entries should be mailed to the County Livestock Show, Box 432, Littlefield. Entry fees are: Steers, \$2.50; lambs, \$1.50; Barrows, \$1.50; Heifers, no fee.

New Licenses To Require Vision Test, Color Photograph

Col. Homer Garrison Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety reminded Texans today that a color photograph becomes a standard part of all drivers' license issued after January 1, 1968.

"The change makes it necessary for all drivers to renew licenses in person at one of our Department offices," Garrison said, "and we have been working toward setting up a procedure that will not cause excessive delay when a person comes to us to renew a license."

Garrison explained that the change in license was incorporated into law by the last legislature.

"Renewal notices will be mailed to each driver, just as always," Garrison said. "However, under the new procedure, each driver must take the renewal notice to the nearest DPS office. There he will be given a standard vision test, sign the renewal notice and step in front of our camera. The picture will be snapped and a receipt will be issued to enable the person to drive until he receives his new license in the mail."

Garrison explained that about 250 full-time license offices would be in operation over the state to service license renewals. Issuance of new licenses will also be conducted in many of these new offices as well as at offices already established.

There are currently over 5,800,000 licensed drivers in

Texas and about 2,500,000 licenses are renewed annually. To facilitate the process all licenses after January 1 will be renewed to expire on the birthdate of the licensee. If the person holds a license ending in an even number, it will be renewed for a four year term; if the license ends in an odd number, it will be renewed for two years the first time then for four years each time thereafter. The cost to the driver remains the same per year.

The new license will be approximately 2 1/8 inches wide by 3 3/8 inches long, or about the same size as a standard credit card.

"We anticipate fairly large crowds at many of our offices," said Garrison, "and we hope to be able to give each person completely satisfactory service. We look forward to making many new friends among the millions of persons we have been serving by mail before now."

1967 Building Permits Top Last Year's By \$104,936

Building permits issued in Olton during 1967 topped those granted the year before by \$104,936.

Valuation of construction of both new and moved in buildings to be repaired amounted to \$180,586 as compared to \$75,650 in 1966.

Construction here was highlighted by the erection of the new Northside Church of Christ for \$15,000 and a new addition to St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church and improvement of its present building for a

total of \$40,000. Work on the Church of Christ began last March on the 34 by 60 foot brick and tile structure at 202 Avenue G. Located on 11th Street, the Catholic church was slated to start construction about Nov. 24. The old building at the site will be rebricked and re-roofed to match the new section.

Of the \$180,586 figure, \$172,866 was for new houses, garages, storage, business building, and the two churches, 786 was for new houses,

while \$7800 was for structures moved in and improved.

The majority of permits issued were for residential construction, move-ins, and repairs in the amount of \$120,105 while only \$5,480 was spent for business building. In 1966 residential construction figured \$65,150 and business building, \$10,500.

The total of 22 permits issued is the same number issued in 1966. Of this number, 12 were for new structures, five of which were for new residences and one for a new business, a real estate office costing \$3000. The new homes ranged in price from \$14,000 to \$35,000 with the total spent for construction on them being \$107,136.

Of the 22 permits, ten were for move-ins and repairs. Included in the ten were seven residences amounting to \$4,850. In the ten move-in permits one was for the addition of a beauty shop at a residence, one for a garage, and one for a cafe or dance business.

Included in the permits for new erection were the following residential additions: storage house, new garage, new den and garage, and new garage and basement.

Citizens Are Reminded To Register To Vote

Citizens were reminded that the deadline for registering to vote is January 31.

All citizens, 20 to 100, must register in order to be eligible to vote in this year's elections. Registration is free.

Persons may register at the city hall, Monday through Fridays.

Persons over 60 who formerly did not have to pay poll

tax are now required to register before they are eligible to vote.

Those who are 20 may register in the event that some will reach 21 before this year's elections.

Remember, this is an important election year and to vote EVERYONE must have registered --- Before Jan. 31.

Bookmobile To Visit Here

The High Plains Bookmobile will be in our area Jan. 12 and 13.

Scheduling stops Friday in Hart Camp from 1:45 until 2:30 p. m. and in Fieldon 2:45 to 3:30 p. m., the library will be in Olton Saturday from 9:15 until 11:45 a. m.

At Levelland

George Mahon To Speak To Young FHA Farmers

George Mahon, Chairman of Committee on Appropriations US Congress will be honored guest Jan. 5, for a banquet of the Young Borrowers of Farmers Home Administration of Congressional District 19.

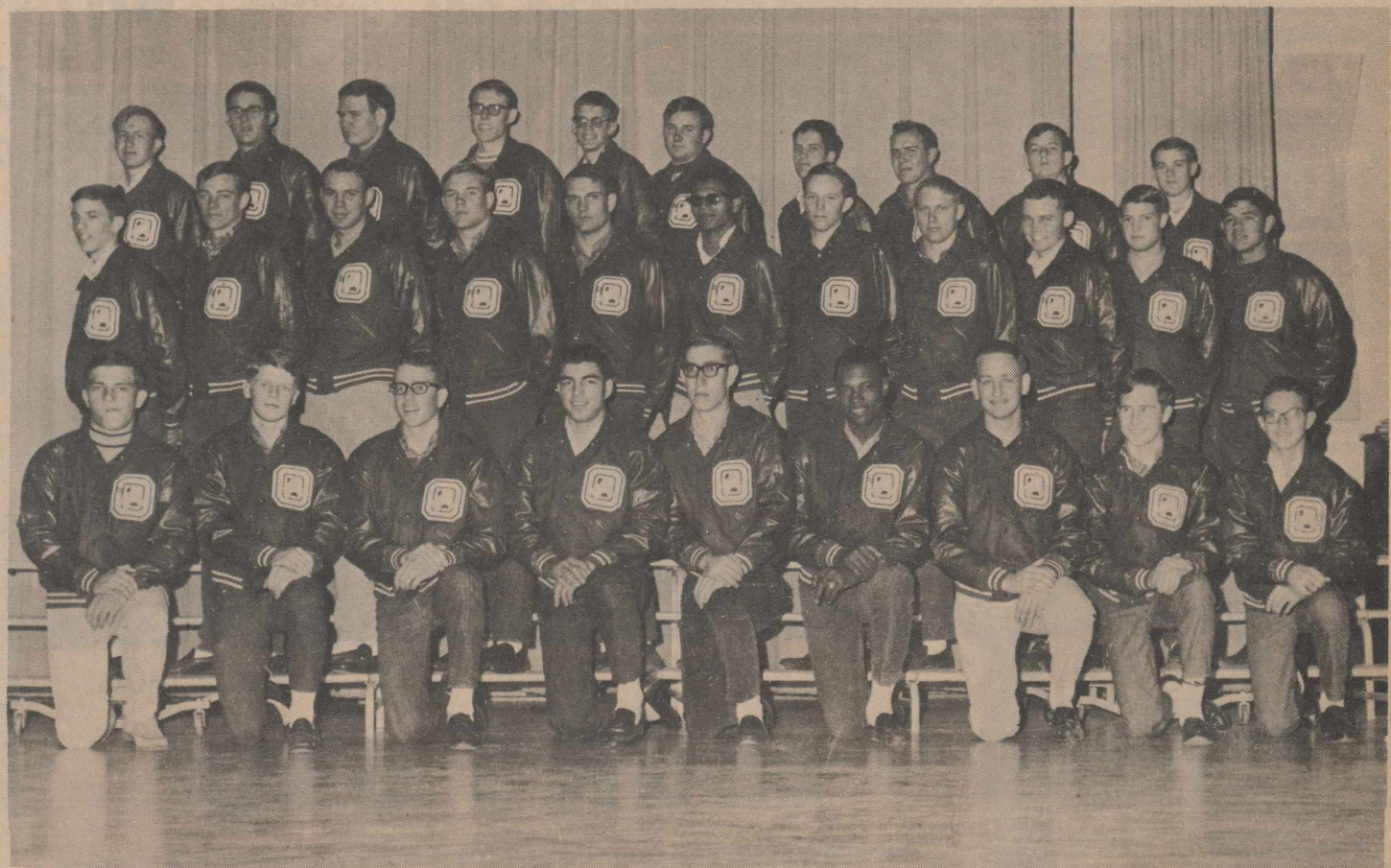
Hockley County will serve as hosts for the banquet set at 6:30 p. m. Jan. 5, in South Plains College Cafeteria or Gym. Young FHA farmers and their wives from more than 20 counties throughout the South Plains have been invited to attend. In charge of the banquet will be members of the Young FHA Borrowers, Truman J. Jones County Supervisor said today.

Mahon will be present in order to discuss common problems of farmers with the group. Jones said that members of the Farmers Home Administration personnel as well as Farmers Home Administration com-

mitteemen and their wives from this district will be present. Also in attendance will be FHA personnel from National and State level, Mr. Howard Bertsch, National Administrator from Washington, D. C. and Mr. L. J. Cappelman, State Director, Temple, Texas will be present.

Milton Marrow will serve as master of ceremony. Joe Don Phillips will be in charge of registration. Dr. Marvin L. Baker, president of South Plains College will give the welcoming address.

Discussion sessions on Operating Loan will be led by Gaylon Baldwin of Cochran County; Farm Ownership Loan by Eddie Wallace of Lamb County; and Economic Opportunity Loan by Roy Ogerly of Lamb County. Other speakers will be set at a later date. Congressman George Mahon will be the main speaker for the evening.



OLTON MUSTANGS RECEIVE JACKETS--A mighty proud bunch of boys show off their new Mustang Jackets which the

coaches presented to them in a special assembly of high school students Wednesday at 1 p. m.



DISTRICT 3AA Championship blanket is shown off by the coaches of the Olton Mustangs. Left to right is Coach Campbell, Coach Miller, Coach Beck, Coach Splawn and Coach Sharp.

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Dear Editor

Rotten Deal

To Editor of The Olton Enterprise
I don't know if you all will have the guts to print this letter or not. I'll know when the paper comes out.
To Whom it may Concern!
And it should concern EACH AND EVER PERSON IN THE CITY OF OLTON
It is getting pretty bad when our law enforcement is allowed to go into our hospital at 2:00 a. m. and raise such a fuss that it disturbs all the patients til they can't sleep the rest of the night. I happen to know this took place because my husband is in the hospital with a heart attack. And I'm talking about the Chief of Police. The

accident that happen that night was witness by two persons. And the man that was on night duty was given a rotten deal. These two persons will swear that this man was not drinking. And they can be brought forward at any time.
The City of Olton can thank their lucky stars that my husband didn't have another attack from all of it. He had to be put back on sleeping pills, that's bad enough.
I hope that you will print this and that each and ever person that reads it will STOP and THINK.
I don't care who knows that I, Mrs. Cleo Shipley wrote this letter because I am no COWARD I don't try to keep with the Jones or Smiths or who it might be, I'm just me and I don't like to see any one get a rotten deal like this is.

Post Office Workers Are Commended

Now that the Christmas rush is over let's stop and give one big thanks to our local post office workers for the fine service they have given during this rushing time.
Where, but in Olton, would a post office worker take his own time to deliver a late package to a little boy or girl?
Sure, we gave a personal "Thank You" to Bub Holt for making a delivery to our house Christmas Morning, but let us, as a community give a public thanks to the entire staff at the post office for all the courtesies they have shown throughout the year, and especially at this their busiest season of the year.

Sincerely,
Ivin and Essie Lee Wozencraft

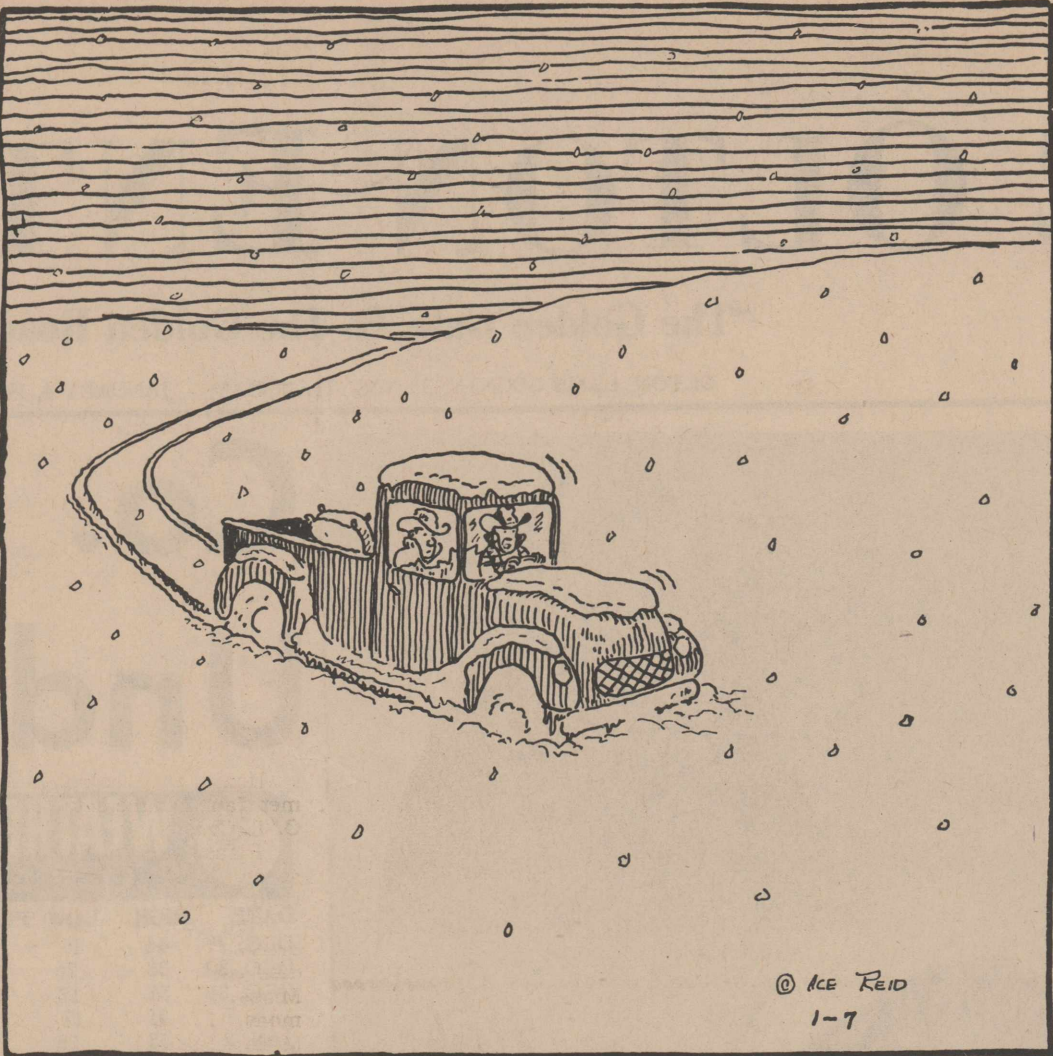
Merry Christmas From Viet Nam

Dear Sue,
My name is Eddie Reed and I am in Viet Nam. I lived between Hart and Olton before I came over here. I am stationed in the same place with one of the boys from Olton. We are in Dong Ha on the DMZ. I am writing this just to let the people know that two of their boys wish them a very Merry Christmas.
We will be home again in March. So take care of that town for us till we come home.

Your Men in Nam
Eddie Reed and Larry Neinst

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"I hope some day to work on a ranch that has an airconditioned bunkhouse in the summer and in the winter, a pickup with all the windows in it."

4-H Officers Installed

The Olton 4-H Club met Dec. 14 in the American Legion building. The meeting was called to order by President Jimmy Overman. Bryan Allcorn led the 4-H motto and Pledge.
Ted Wheeler read a Christmas parable. The group sang Christmas carols. They were led by Chesna Dickenson.
Perfect attendance pins were presented to Kathy Hulsey, Andy Costello, Gale Long, Marlos May, Marlana May, Ted Wheeler and Alan Wheeler.
Small flashlights with the 4-H emblem were presented to those with only one absence.
Mrs. Ruth Holladay was installation officer. She presented

each officer with a key to their office and explained their duties.
Officers installed were president, Ted Wheeler; vice president, Jimmy Overman; second vice president, Mark Hodges; secretary, Chesna Dickenson; reporter, Kevin Britton; girl promoter, Sherree Meinecke; boy promoter, Danis Gardner; song leader, Marlos May; pianist, Marlana May; and county council delegate, Janice Long.
Russell Tanner led the group in recreation. Refreshments were served by Mrs. T. E. Wheeler and Mrs. Leslie Kennedy.
SON VISITS
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Bennett of Dallas spent the holidays with Bennett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennett.
VISIT MOTHER
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hysinger have recently visited Mrs. Hysinger's mother, Mrs. W. R. McCurley of Margaret.

Community Hospital

ADMISSIONS:
Dec. 27 - Mrs. Billy Pittillo, medical
Dec. 28 - Beulah Lawson, medical, V. O. Harrod, medical, Allie Hall, medical.
Dec. 31 - Coy Bartlett, Springlake, medical.
Jan. 2 - R. R. Daniel, medical, Jesse Gambrel, Earth, medical, Mrs. Charlie Jones, medical
DISMISSED:
Dec. 28 - Epifania Quiroz
Dec. 30 - Annie Moore, Beulah Lawson
Jan. 2 - Eddie Moore, V. O. Harrod, Mrs. Billy Pittillo, Jesse Gambrel

Sue's Views

TV Commercials

BY SUE CANNON

Did you breathe a sigh of relief this Tuesday morning as the kids were hustled off to school?
Well, you probably weren't alone. I'm sure there were quite a number of other mothers who joined you.
And I'm not so sure, but I think the kids probably breathed a sigh of relief too!
If you had as much television over the holidays as we did and saw as many football games as we did, then the set probably hasn't been turned back on yet.
The football games were great until about Monday night -- then I had the strangest feeling -- like I'd seen one too many.
But the commercials on TV are what is such a scream!
My kids sit and make fun of nearly all of them while they

are in progress.
There's this one about a tooth paste that puts 'sex appeal' in your smile and a kiss goes sailing over to the boy from the girl.
Well, the kids were discussing it once and one of them remarked, "Look at that guy -- he looks like a nut when he turns his head and comes up with lipstick on his face."
So cutting back at them, I said, "Well, what would you do if you saw a kiss coming through the air at you?" To which my twelve-year-old promptly replied, "Notify the UFO office!"
These modern kids!
Then there's this one about a man and his stomach. He is on one chair and his stomach is in another, and they are sitting there arguing about what this guy has been eating, and this announcer breaks in and tells them what the solution to their problem is and ends his speech with, "you take care of him and he won't bother you!"
Now every other thing around the house is "You take care of him and he won't bother you." Then giggles, giggles, giggles.
When my kiddos were real young, (just toddlers), they wouldn't watch television EXCEPT when certain commercials were on. They might be in the other room, but when they heard the music to one of the commercials that they liked, here they'd come running.

CHILDREN VISIT

Visiting recently with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Worley were their son Paul of Houston, and their daughter and grandchildren, Mrs. Claude Roper, Pam and Renee of Seminole. Other guests were Mrs. Worley's mother, Mrs. Zona Guffey of Lubbock and her son, James D. Guffey of Bossier City, La.

FROM KANSAS

Betty Harrod who teaches in Kansas City, Kans. spent the holidays with her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Harrod and Jackie.

SISTER VISITS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ross of Flomot spent Saturday night in the home of Mrs. Ross's sister, Mrs. Freddie Mae Hysinger.

PARENTS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Johns of Neosho, Mo. were guests from Thursday Dec. 21 through Wednesday Dec. 27, of their son and family, Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Johns, Eben, Jeri, Josi, Lisa and Nina.

I've decided that kids watching television affects the buying of the parents. During the holidays my little boys and I went to the grocery store and they wanted cereal. But they didn't see what kind of cereal it was, they looked to see what was in the package or what they could get with box tops!
I commented once to my sister on the fact that I didn't think they should put all that junk in cereal or on the box, because it made the kids want it all-- and you know what she told me?
"That was put there so some mothers would learn to say 'NO'."
I never said a word!

LIBBY'S CANNED GOODS SALE

GREEN BEANS CUT OR FRENCH STYLE 303 CAN

GARDEN VEGETABLES 303 CAN

SWEET PEAS 303 CAN

PEAS & CARROTS 303 CAN

DEEP BROWN BEANS NO. 2 CAN

NEW POTATOES WHOLE 300 CAN

CORN WHOLE KERNAL OR CREAM STYLE GOLDEN 303 CAN

FRUIT COCKTAIL 303 CAN

VIENNA SAUSAGE

CORN WHOLE KERNAL BUTTERED OR WHOLE KERNAL GOLDEN 12 OZ.

RED SALMON TALL CAN

PEARS 303 CAN

TOMATOES WHOLE 303 CAN

BEEF STEW 24 OZ. CAN

PEARS 2 1/2 CAN

FRUIT COCKTAIL 2 1/2 CAN

TOMATO JUICE 46 OZ. CAN

CUT BEETS

303 CAN

6 FOR \$1

GALA TOWELS

BIG ROLL

4 ROLLS \$1

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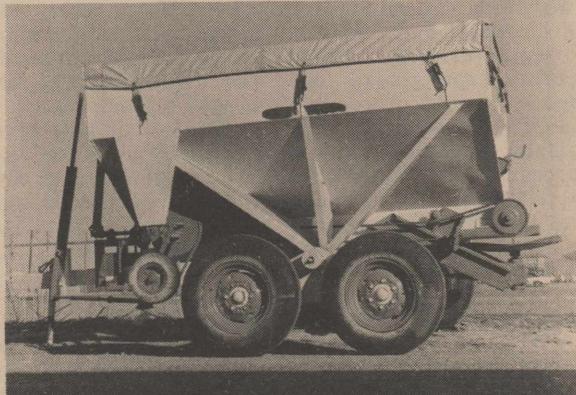
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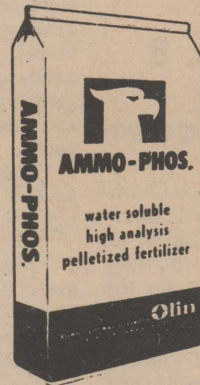
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Bublis-Hooper Vows Read In Plainview Church

Miss Rosemary Bublis became the bride of Kenneth Bailey Hooper Wednesday, Dec. 27, in St. Alice Catholic Church in Plainview. Vows were directed by the Rev. James Sonderman.

Drs. Norbert J. and Mary D. Bublis are parents of the bride. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hooper.

The bride was presented in marriage by her father. She wore a formal length gown of silk peau de soie fashioned with a Sabrina neckline, long tapered sleeves and Empire bodice. Appliques of peau d'ange lace adorned the bodice and cascaded down the A-line skirt. A bouffant train was caught at the center back and fell chapel length. Her veil of silk illusion fell from a cluster of lace petals enhanced with seed pearls. The bridal bouquet was white roses encircling a white orchid.

Miss Pam Wieber of Edmonson was maid of honor. Misses Nancy and Cathy Lou Bublis, sisters of the bride, and Miss Terry Gail Hooper, sister of the bridegroom, were bridesmaids. They wore formal length gowns of princess blue velvet, fashioned with Empire bodices, long tapered sleeves and A-line skirts. Waistlines were accented with bands of blue satin. Blue satin roses with matching tulle formed their headpieces. They carried nosegays of white chrysanthemums.

Debbie Marshall of O'Fallon, Ill., was flower girl. Christopher Bicking of Columbia, Mo., was ring bearer.

Altar boys were David Servatius and Chris Braden.

Elbert Hooper served his son as best man. Groomsman were brothers of the bride, Norbert C., James and Paul Bublis. Ushers were Jim Davenport of Plainview, Fred Gordon and Roger Thompson.

The altar was decorated with candelabra, white chrysanthemums and greenery. Christ-

mas trees and poinsettias. Bill Deardorf presented nuptial organ selections.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was given in the Parish Hall. White flocked Christmas trees hung with blue balls and ribbons, greenery and white poinsettias formed a background. The bride's table was laid with a white organdy cloth and highlighted with a centerpiece surrounding a silver candelabrum. The groom's table was appointed with silver coffee service.

Assisting with the reception were Mrs. A. H. Wieber, Misses Janet Wilson, Marilyn Krogerus, Dayla Vaughan, Mrs. Wayne Kuykendall, and Mrs. Jerry Wadzeck.

For a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N. M. the bride wore a yellow wool knit suit with matching accessories and black patent shoes.

The couple are at home in Austin where both are students at the University of Texas. The bride is a junior, her husband is a senior law student at the University Law School and member of Delta Theta Phi legal fraternity.

A rehearsal dinner was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hooper at Wayne's Lamp-lighter.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Julia Bicking of St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Dave Meister of Los Angeles, Calif.; aunts of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Marshall of O'Fallon, Ill. and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bicking of Columbia, Mo., cousins of the bride.

Mrs. Jarrett

To Be Honored

Mrs. Mickel Jarrett, the former Vicki Neinast, will be honored with a bridal courtesy Friday Jan. 12, in the home of Mrs. G. L. Peterson. Calling hours are from 2:30 to 5 p. m.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend.



CARMEN ROBERTSON

Recipe Of The Week

Carmen Robertson, fifteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robertson, gives us our recipe this week. Carmen has lived in Olton since she was a year old. She is a sophomore at Olton High.

Carmen is a member of the Mustang Band and Future Homemakers. She enjoys cooking but despairs over learning to sew.

A member of the Methodist Church, Carmen is active in Methodist Youth Fellowship. She was a teen-aid at Vacation Church School last summer.

TEXAS HASH

3 large onions
1 large green pepper (minced)
1 lb. ground beef
2 c. cooked tomatoes (1 lb. tall can)
1/2 c. washed uncooked rice (or 2 c. uncooked noodles)
1 tsp. chili powder
2 tsp. salt
1/8 tsp. pepper

Cook onions and pepper in 2 tablespoons shortening until onions are yellow. Add beef and fry until mixture falls apart. Stir in other ingredients. Pour into greased two-quart casserole (8 inch), cover, and bake removing cover last 15 minutes. Serve hot. Temp. 350. Bake one hour. Serves 6.

QUICKIE PIE

1 c. flour
1 c. sugar
1 c. milk
1 tsp. baking powder
1 tsp. salt
1 stick margarine
1 no 2 1/2 can berries

Melt margarine in 10x4 inch pan. Mix together flour, sugar, milk, baking powder, and salt. Pour into pan. Sweeten berries to taste and add to batter. Bake in oven at 475 deg. Any kind of fruit may be substituted for berries.

Bob Daughertys Honored On Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Daugherty were honored with a dinner in observance of their 44th wedding anniversary Saturday, Dec. 23 in Hamill's Restaurant. Hosts for the occasion were the couple's children, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lee Daugherty and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wartchow of Stroud, Okla. and by Daugherty's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Carson.

The table was laid with a ruby red cloth decorated with white streamers bearing the names "Bob and Cassie 1923-1967". The centerpiece was formed of white bells with ruby trimming. Mrs. Bobby Lee Daugherty and Mrs. Lewis Wartchow presided at the serving table.

Mrs. C. C. Graef presided at the gift table which was decorated in white and ruby. Gifts were a money tree, china and various other gifts.

Bob Daugherty married Miss Cassie Carlton at Olton Dec. 23, 1923. They have resided in Olton their entire married life.

Attending the festivities were Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jeter of Lubbock, a sister of Mrs. Daugherty; Mr. and Mrs. Buford Carlton of Plainview, a brother of Mrs. Daugherty; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Daugherty and Steve of Anthony, N. M. and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daugherty, brothers of Daugherty. Also attending were Mrs. R. E. Price and Billy Don of Clovis, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Carlisle; Mrs. Shelby Polk, and sons; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Graef of Friona; Mr. and Mrs. John Carson of Dalhart; Mr. and Mrs. James Carson of Hugoton, Kan.; Billy Carson of Graceland College at Lamoni, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. John Arthur Daugherty, Debra and John Jr. of Artesia, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. O. B. LaFrance and Mrs. Sallie Copeland.

CHRISTMAS IN OKLAHOMA

Mrs. J. C. Ogletree and Mrs. Pearl Cooper spent Christmas in Lawton, Okla. with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ogletree and Children.

Halfway Church Holds Program

The annual Christmas program was held at the Halfway Methodist Church. James and Rhonda Pinkerton presented special music on the piano. J. S. Bell gave the scripture reading.

Mrs. W. A. Pinkerton read "No Room in the Inn."

Roger Pinkerton gave a special Christmas reading.

The M.Y.F. sang Christmas carols and Gladys Pinkerton gave a chalk talk about "The Wise Men".

Group singing was led by Hubert Kayler.

Santa Claus arrived and gifts from under the tree were distributed.

H.D. Club Meets Tuesday

Home Demonstration Club met Jan. 2 in the home of Mrs. O. T. Crosby.

Plans were made to serve at the Fat Stock Show in Littlefield, Friday, Jan. 12.

Refreshments of cold drinks, coffee, fruit cake, candies and nuts were served to Mmes. Alfred Allen, Lee Simmons, L. O. Langley, Z. D. Miller, Ross Carty, Jack Kirby, Leon May and Miss Ann Warren.

Next meeting of the club will be Jan. 16 with Mrs. Alfred Allen.

DAUGHTER VISITS

Guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stansell were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Joiner Jr. of Dimmitt.

CHRISTMAS GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gibson had as guests in their home Sunday evening, Dec. 24 Mrs. Gibson's sister, Mrs. Fay Granbery of Austin and Mrs. Granbery's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Finley of Washington, D. C. Also attending the party were Mrs. Granbery's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Granbery, Jan and Sydney of Big Spring. Other guests were two other sisters of Mrs. Gibson and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Thomas. Also present were the Gibson's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cain Jr. and Kathy, Mrs. Hazel Davison of Plainview and Mrs. Jim Finley of Temple were other out of town guests.

Woman's Page

Vicki Joyce Neinast Weds Mickel Jarrett Wednesday

Miss Vicki Joyce Neinast became the bride of Mickel Jarrett Wednesday, Dec. 27. The double ring ceremony was read by the Rev. R. H. Campbell, retired Methodist minister, in the minister's home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Neinast are parents of the bride. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jarrett of Floydada.

The bride wore a white wool suit with white accessories. She wore the traditional blue garter.

The couple is home in Floydada.

VISITS DAUGHTER

Mrs. L. P. Fisher has recently been visiting in Littlefield with her son-in-law, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Haynes.

VISITS MOTHER

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Parrish spent Christmas at Rangish visiting Parrish's mother, Mrs. Edith Parrish.

The bride is a senior and will graduate from Floydada High School. She attended Mc Bride's School of Hair Dressing in Plainview. The bridegroom attended Floydada High School.

1959 Graduates Have Reunion

Mrs. Lyman Hull was hostess to get-together for members of the graduating class of 1959 in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sluder Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 27.

Spiced tea and cookies were served.

Those present were Mrs. Charla Beth (Granbery) Stiegers, of Littleton, Colo.; Mrs. Ellen (Jones) Gregory of Dimmitt; Mrs. Nell (Smith) Patchin of Amarillo; Miss Judy Ogletree of Babylon, New York; Mrs. Peggy (Sluder) Hull of Kimball, Neb.; Mrs. Maenette (Dennis) Houston and Mrs. Gayland (Graham) McGill, both of Olton.

Cards Of Thanks

I would like to thank everyone for the beautiful cards, flowers, prayers, food and the good people who visited me following my accident.

Mrs. E. E. Givens

LUNCHEON GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Miller recently hosted a luncheon in their home.

Relatives attending were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Parsons of Amarillo, Millers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ratliff, and Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Henson, all of Olton, Miller's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gibbs and Scotty of Hale Center and Mrs. Miller's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Henson of San Antonio, were other guests.

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Double Ring Vows Pledged In Levelland Church

Miss Sandra Kay Dalton of Levelland became the bride of Kenneth Eugene Spawn Saturday, Dec. 23 at 7 p. m. in Wesley Methodist Church in Levelland.

Officiating in the double ring ceremony was the Rev. Keith Wiseman, pastor.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Kyle O. Dalton of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Howard K. Spawn of Muleshoe are the parents of the bridegroom.

Vows were exchanged before an archway of candelabra entwined with greenery and crystal votive cups flanked by large palm trees.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal length gown of white peau de soie fashioned with an A-line skirt and empire bodice of French imported lace with scalloped neckline and bell sleeves. The neckline was enhanced with clusters of seed pearls, outlined with sequins fastened with crystal beads. Lace scallops encircled her full length chapel train, complimented with clusters of seed pearls. Her veil of imported silk illusion fell chapel length, highlighted with a shoulder length veil edged with imported silk lace. It was caught to a head piece of white satin leaves outlined with seed pearls and crystals. She carried a cascade bouquet of white orchids and stephanotis entwined with English Ivy.

Miss Gloria Dalton was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Pam Calvert of Clovis, N. M., sister of the groom, and Miss Wanda Dalton, sister of the bride, Miss Rachelle Meadow of Amarillo, cousin of the bride, was flower girl. Attendants wore identical formal length gowns of royal blue velveteen fashioned with empire bodices and long sleeves. They carried colonial bouquets of white feathered mums with touches of royal blue. Royal blue satin roses formed their headpieces and held their floor length veils.

Bill Gilbreath of Muleshoe

Class of 1957 Holds Reunion

A reunion of the graduating class of 1957 was held Dec. 23 in the clubhouse at O.R.C.

Music popular in 1957 had been taped and was played for background by Alvin Wallace of Independence, Mo.

Dips, chips, coffee and cokes were served to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wallace, Dan Wallace of Independence, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Boyd (Brookie Johnson) Mears of Plano, Mr. and Mrs. Krueger (Betty Jane Bryant) Johnson of Security, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Jon (Carolyn Lawson) Little of Center, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Don (Janice Ford) Shephard of Odessa, Jimmy Stone of Clovis, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Danny Cure, Mr. and Mrs. Royce McFadden, and Mrs. Leah (Eby) Cross.

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MRS. BESSIE COWART

Attended Arbor Meetings

Memories of attending protracted meetings held in brush arbors and of helping her father make sorghum syrup in his mill come to Bessie Cowart when she talks of her childhood. When meeting time came, after the crops were laid by, usually about the first week in July, Bessie Fuller and her three sisters and four brothers would load in the wagon, their mother would put in a tub of "vittles" and off they would go, with father in the driver's seat, to spend the day. Her father, who was a farmer-preacher sometimes conducted services in the arbor meetings. Although the family was Cumberland Presbyterian, meetings of other religious faiths were attended also.

In the fall everyone in the family would pick cotton, gather corn, strip the cane and cut it and take it to Mr. Fulfer's mill to be made into sorghum syrup. "My daddy knew exactly when to cut the cane to keep it from being so dark", said Bessie in relating the process of syrup making.

The slow, steady pacing of a horse round and round turned the rollers that pressed the juice out of the cane in the old fashioned mill. The juice would run off into vats to cook and then the syrup was put in wooden barrels. Mrs. Cowart's father made syrup for everyone in the community who brought in their cane.

The vigorous, brightly-alert Mrs. Cowart, who says she has walked and worked all over Olton, was born in Erath County, Texas, in the Exray Community. She observed her 81st birthday December 21.

Back in the early days her father used oxen to pull a plow to clear fields of tree stumps so the ground could be cultivated.

In the winter Bessie went to a country school and in the summer and fall worked in the fields. She also shared in the household duties and milked the cows beginning when she was seven years old, but first dishwashing experiences came even earlier.

In the summer one of Bessie's favorite pastimes was swimming and playing in the earthen stock tanks built on ravines to catch and hold water, and in the winter she and her brothers and sisters and friends would ice skate on the same tanks. Her mother used the soft, tank water for more practical purposes as she would take her big wash pot down to the tanks and wash in the cool shade of the trees.

Two of Mrs. Cowart's four sisters are living. They are Mrs. May Crain of Abilene and Mrs. Lillie Anglin of Mountaintain, N. M.

On the first day of December in 1901 when she was nearly 15, Mrs. Cowart moved with her family to Knox County. They made the trek by covered wagon herding cattle and extra horses along with them. Cold weather forced them to stop at Seymour where the women spent a week in the wagon yard while Bessie's father and brothers went to find a place for them in Knox County.

When she was 20, Bessie was married to Elbert Edwards in Knox County where they continued to live for a year or two. Expecting her first child, Bessie was taken to her parents home in Motley County. For the trip, her father had fixed his spring wagon with an over-jet and placed a mattress on it. Bows and sheets covered the top of the wagon. An overnight stop was made at Guthrie before they finally reached her parents home where the baby was born. Later Mr. Edwards came in a double buggy pulled by two horses to take his wife and daughter home.

Shortly afterward the couple moved to Motley county and then to Paducah for awhile before going on to Wichita Falls. They had six children, three of whom are living—Leona Martin and Irene Souter, both of Olton, and Buster Edwards of Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Cowart has another son, Edward Burris of Coos Bay, Ore., by a second marriage. After his death, she moved to Olton in 1928, coming here with an uncle. She and her children all worked at various jobs. Later she married Elmer Cowart who is now deceased.

Still a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Mrs. Cowart attends Sunday School when she feels well enough and when the weather permits. The church does not have a pastor at the present to conduct services. She has been active in the missionary society of the church and belongs to a sewing club.

Although she used to work in the yard and raise flowers, she is no longer able to do such strenuous work but still occupies herself making attractive aprons and crossstitch and other fancy trims, and crochets articles such as rugs. She has made a number of chenille and assorted colorful pillows.

Mrs. Cowart watches TV whenever there is a program she likes, but she prefers to lie on her bed equipped with a good light and a telephone beside it, and read.

The longtime Olton resident has 12 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Britton, David, Kevin, Pat and Nancy returned Saturday from California where at Alameda they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Britton. They also visited relatives at San Diego, Fresno, and Bakersfield.

TUESDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Konce of El Paso were guests Tuesday in the home of Bro. and Mrs. Raymon Carson. Mrs. Konce is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brice, former residents of Olton. Mrs. Brice taught second grade here.

E. D. "Dub" McNeese Seeks Sheriff's Office

E. D. "Dub" McNeese, lifetime resident of Littlefield, has announced his candidacy for sheriff of Lamb County.

McNeese, 40 years old, was born and reared six miles southwest of Littlefield. He became a member of Littlefield city police July 1, 1952 working in that capacity until Jan. 1, 1955 when he became deputy sheriff.

McNeese is married to the former Joelen Thompson. They have three children, Douglas, serving with the Army, who will leave for Viet Nam Jan. 24; Scott, 14, and Pamela Ann, 12, both students at Littlefield Junior High School.

The McNeese family attends the Baptist Church.

I will try to see each and everyone personally, was the message that McNeese had for area residents. "Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated."

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E. D. "DUB" MCNEESE

VISIT SON

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Worley spent a few days of the Christmas vacation with their son Bennett who is in Officers Training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio.

The Worleys also visited friends and relatives at Lueders, Hillsboro, Seymour and Crosbyton.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Elkins and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Elkins. Cynthia and Chris returned the first of the week from Tucson, Ariz. where they were guests of the elder Elkin's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Stockham Jr., Twyla and Drew, and Mrs. LaVelle Elkins.

IN GAINESVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bryant and Mark spent Christmas in Gainesville with Mrs. Bryant's sister and brother-in-law. Mr. and Mrs. Ike Walker. Other guests in the Walker home were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Samples, Becca, Brad and Melissa of McAllen. The Samples formerly taught in Olton.

CHILDREN VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mathis and Steve of Tulsa, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Dan Williams, Cheryl, Tony and Dana of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Baker, Danny and Lynn of Wolfroth and Jerry Mathis of Farwell, N. M. spent the Christmas holidays with their mother, Mrs. Henry Mathis. Steve Mathis remained with his grandmother until New Year's Day when he flew from Amarillo to his home in Tulsa.

SUNDAY LUNCHEON

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lively, James and Paul hosted a luncheon Sunday with guests being Lively's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Lively of Dimmitt and Mrs. Lively's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Zeiss of Hale Center. Other guests were Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Patton of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lively, Terry, Teresa and Todd of Earth.

VISITS SISTERS

Mrs. Mabel Mathis visited with her sisters, Mrs. L. R. Reynolds and Mrs. Bill Kiser, in Amarillo Monday.

TUESDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Mathis visited in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Mabel Mathis, last Tuesday.



FTA STUDENT OF THE MONTH—Jeanie Gardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gardner, has been chosen as the FTA Student of the Month for December. Jeanie, a junior, has held various offices in both her class and FTA. She is also active in NHS and FTA, and was chosen as Junior Best Citizen the second six weeks.

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Cristel Salinas Funeral Held

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a. m. Saturday Dec. 30, in St Peter the Apostle Catholic Church of Olton for Cristel Salinas, 55, a lifetime resident of this area. Officiating was the Rev. Bill Hammond, pastor of St. Teresa Catholic Church of Hale Center. Burial was in the Springlake Cemetery. Parsons Funeral Home of Olton was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Salinas, a member of St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, died in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock Tuesday, Dec. 26. He lived four and one-half miles south of Springlake.

He is survived by five sons, five daughters, six brothers and five sisters.

SONS VISIT

Visiting with Mrs. Ruby Smith during the holidays were her sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Smith and family of Portales, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Smith and family of Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Smith of Dallas.

ALABAMA VISITOR

Miss Emma Lou Downey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Downey, of Bayou La Batre, Alabama visited several days in the home of Bro. and Mrs. Raymon Carson.

G.H. Day Rites Held Sunday

Funeral services for George Harlan Day, 78, of Floydada, grandfather of Tommy O'Neal, were held Sunday, Dec. 31, in the First Baptist Church of Floydada with the Rev. F. C. Bradley, pastor, and the Rev. Hershel Thurston, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating. Day died Dec. 29 in Caprock Hospital following a long illness.

Mr. Day was born in Indian Territory in Oklahoma. He moved to the Estacado community in 1907. He farmed in the McCoy community near Floydada from 1916 until 1965 when he moved into Floydada.

Survivors include his wife, Maude Elizabeth; three daughters, Mrs. Wanda O'Neal, Mrs. M. J. McNeill and Mrs. J. W. Day Jr., all of Floydada; four brothers, Robert Day of Floydada, Roy Day of Sudan, Earl Day of Portland, Ore., and Herbert Day of Amarillo; a sister, Mrs. Ruby Fletcher of Portland, Ore.; three grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Mr. Talamantez Buried Tuesday

Last rites for Galvan Talamantez, 58, were held at 10 a. m. Tuesday, Jan. 2, in the St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church of Olton, with the Rev. Bill Hammond, pastor of St. Teresa Catholic Church of Hale Center, officiating.

Mr. Talamantez died of an apparent heart attack at his home in Olton Friday. He had been a resident here 16 years.

Interment was in Olton Cemetery under direction of Parsons Funeral Home.

A rosary service was conducted at 8 p. m. Sunday in Parsons Funeral Chapel.

Survivors are his father, Cecilio Talamantez of Amherst; two brothers, Chris of Olton and Cecil of San Jose, Calif.; and one sister, Mrs. Sophia Funetez of Olton.

News Of Our Service Men

Jerry LaFrance, talked with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest LaFrance, Saturday, Dec. 23, at 3:45 p. m. He called from Lia Khe, Viet Nam and it was Christmas Eve there.

Word has been received of the death of Captain Richard W. Budka, brother-in-law of Mrs. Marcus Breland.

Captain Budka, of the Army Air Force, was killed Dec. 25 in Viet Nam. He was a jet bomber pilot of a U2. His wife, Mrs. Dorothy Budka, of Gainesville, was notified and at present the family await further information. Interment will be in Arlington National Cemetery.

Other survivors include a stepson, a Marine, who returned from Viet Nam last April and was with his mother, when the news was received.



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CHRISTMAS PARTY

Attending a Christmas party Sunday evening, Dec. 24, in the home of Mrs. L. A. George and Mrs. Bernice Smith and Jim were Mr. and Mrs. Leon George and Tony, Mr. and Mrs. Daryl Glover of Lubbock, and Gerry George, also of Lubbock.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Neeley and daughters, Wanice and Teresa, left on Saturday for Oglesby, Texas to spend Christmas with Mrs. Neeley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brewer. From there they went to Arlington on Friday to attend funeral services for Mr. Neeley's cousin, Mrs. Beverly Saul, who was killed Wednesday Dec. 27, in a car wreck. The Neeleys returned home on Friday night. All of Mrs. Neeley's brothers and sisters were at the J.W. Brewer's except one sister who lives out of state.

Guests in the L. A. Smith home Christmas Day were Mr. Smith's father, H. C. Smith of Muleshoe, Mrs. Smith's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Heath of Lubbock. Also Mr. George Gushwa and Opal Terry of Dora, N. M. On Saturday Mr. Smith's sister, Mrs. Josephine McWilliams of Wichita Falls spent the day in the Smith home.

Mary Bess and Helen Smith entertained a group of friends in their home with a party on Saturday night, Dec. 23. Guests attended from Olton and Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson and daughter, Laura Kay, spent the holidays in Texarkana with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson and children. Accompanying the Johnsons to Texarkana were Mr. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Elma Burleson carried the Intermediate G. A. girls of the Hart Camp Baptist Church to Lubbock Thursday night to see the Christmas lights and to eat out. Girls attending were Sharon Hendrick, Lesa Nelson, Brenda Leonard, La juana Burleson, Debbie Oliver, and guests, Pam and Kimmie Foster. Mrs. Burleson is the leader of this group of G. A. girls and this was a Christmas treat for the girls.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart and daughters, Diana and Cheryl, spent the Christmas holidays in Roswell with Mrs. Stewart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McCleod. They also visited in Ruidoso with Mr. Stewart's relatives. While there the girls rode their first snow sled.

Visitors in the George Stewart home before Christmas were Mrs. Stewart's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wimberly of Marysville, Calif.

Friday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Martin were Rev. and Mrs. Jack Moore and daughters of Melrose, N. M. They were enroute home from Herne, Texas where they had visited Mrs. Moore's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Martin and Suzanne attended a Christmas tree party Christmas Eve evening in the home of Mrs. Martin's sister, Mrs. Jo Spikes in Lubbock. They went on to Southland and spent the night with Mr. Martin's mother, Mrs. S. D. Martin and they spent Christmas Day with her.

On Tuesday evening the Martins went to Slaton to attend the wedding of Mr. Martin's niece, Miss Brenda Dabbs of Southland, Suzanne Martin and Tyra Martin were candle-lighters in the wedding ceremony. The Martins attended and assisted with the wedding reception which was held in Southland in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dabbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hukill left Friday morning for El Paso to visit her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Abb Johnston. They returned home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark spent the holidays in El Paso with relatives. She had a check-up from her doctor this week and he gave her a good report. She had surgery in the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock recently.

Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Vanlandingham of Carlsbad, N. M. visited in the community during the holidays. They were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Martin on Tuesday. The Vanlandingham's son, Gene is in the Air Force stationed in North Dakota. Another son, Gerald, got out of the army in

July and is now working in Carlsbad, Trevis and Clayton, two other sons are living in Wyoming. The two younger children, Janet, a senior in high school and Chuck were visiting here with their parents. The Vanlandingham's lived here for several years while he was pastor of the Baptist Church. He now pastors a church in Carlsbad.

Visitors in the Dewey Parkey home during the holidays were Mrs. Jack Parkey of Floydada, Bernie Parkey of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Lynch. Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jarrett of Floydada spent the night in the Parkey home. Mr. Jarrett is the father of Mrs. Parkey.

Christmas Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wells were their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wells and children of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. David Metcalf of Springlake. Also Mrs. Wells parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Neinast of Littlefield and a brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Neinast and children. In the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCowen of San Antonio visited in the Wells home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells were guests on Christmas Day in the Luther Metcalf home in Clovis, N. M. The Luther Metcalfs are the parents of David Metcalf.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Puckett went to Dallas on Saturday before Christmas for a family get-together in the home of Mr. Puckett's aunts, Mrs. Mary Allen and Mrs. Suzy Farmer. They returned home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerwin Oliver of Spade were supper guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Oliver and Debbie on Thursday night before the Edwin Olivers left Friday morning for Newcastle to spend the holidays.

On Dec. 22, Mrs. Wesley Neinast's father, Erwin Rinn, became suddenly ill and was rushed by ambulance to Medical Arts Hospital in Littlefield. He has had a weak heart for several years. He was in the hospital until Thursday and is now recuperating in the Wesley Neinast home. The Rinn's moved here from Spur three weeks ago.

College students spending the holidays with their parents are Mark Neinast, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Neinast, a student at W. T. S. U. in Canyon, Shirley Leonard, daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. D. R. Leonard, a student at Women's College in Denton and Suzanne Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Martin, a student at Wayland in Plainview. Shirley and Mark will return to college Tuesday to resume classes on Wednesday. Suzanne will return to Wayland Sunday to resume classes on Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Nelson and daughter, Lesa, left Sunday afternoon for Alvord to visit Mrs. Nelson's mother, Mrs. W. D. Taylor. They returned home on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Oliver and Debbie left on Friday morning for Newcastle to spend Christmas with Mrs. Oliver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Mitchell. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell have four daughters and two sons and they were all there for Christmas except one son, who lives at Victoria. Most of the grand children and great-grandchildren were there also. The Olivers returned home Tuesday evening.

On Wednesday night before Christmas a Christmas party was held at the Baptist Church. The party was followed by a tree and refreshments. Gary Parkey played a solo on his cornet and Mrs. Ed Kinsky read the Christmas story from the book of St. Luke in the Bible. Approximately 35 attended the party.

Holiday guests in the Paul Hukill home were their sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hukill and children of West Camp and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hukill and children of Olton. Also Mrs. Hukill's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Barnett of Littlefield. On Wednesday following Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hukill of Clovis visited in their home.

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BY SANDEE GREGORY
AND JANE ANN DUNCAN

1968 could be the happiest and most prosperous year that one has ever experienced—that is, if he has the right kind of luck! And what brings about this good luck? Horseshoes, four-leaf clovers, rabbit's foot, black-eyed peas, or any good luck charm.

For women, though, there is an extra bit of luck—1968 is also Leap Year, the name given to the year containing 366 days, and that year which gives women the privilege of pursuing the man of her choice. But what do the students and teachers think of this? You are about to find out for we asked several what they thought about women's "extra privilege" and here's what they said.

Ronnie Yandell: Why not? It seems to me that boys have accumulated enough mileage chasing after their choice. A switch would be very interesting and the girls might find that it would be fun. I suggest that this switch not be for the entire year, however, but just for part of it—like a month.

Cheri Dorris: Yes, I think girls should have this "extra privilege," but I think the girl

should make the boy chase her until she catches him. It's a great sport!

Mrs. Armstrong: Doesn't a woman always pursue the man of her choice?

Lajuana Burleson: Since Leap Year comes only once every four years, that gives the boys three years for pursuing and us only one year. I think we should have an extra privilege during this one year to pursue the men of our choice. Of course, we pursue whether it is Leap Year or not!

Mr. Murphy: If the male can run fast enough, the female's pursuit shouldn't bother him too much!

Jeana Chester: It's time to get that boy you've always wanted. But, the boy should chase the girl.

Joe Schultz: Yes, girls should pursue the men of their choice. Then they would get to spend the money and use their cars, and the boys wouldn't have to spend their money. Of course, I think the girls ought to get a chance every other

year, also.

December 21 the Varsity played the Friona Varsity here. The Fillies fell to the Squaws 54-49. Leslie Norfleet was leading point maker with 19. Connie Kendall was close behind with 18 and Myrle Givens netted 10. Pam Foster rebounded defensively for 6 and Connie Kendall rebounded offensively for four.

Another victory for the Mustangs was marked down by their defeat of the Chiefs 54-47. Joe Schultz netted 15 and Charles A. McClain and Kenneth Johnson sunk 14 each. This made their district standings read 3-0.

During the holidays the Varsity squad traveled to Slaton. The Fillies fell to the girls' squad 53-23. Lynn McGill was high point with 13 and Kathline Carson followed with six. Diana Malone rebounded three times and Robbie Langford and Lynn McGill rebounded for two each. The Mustangs also fell to Slaton 49-47. Kenneth Johnson scored 12 points and Charles A. McClain scored 10. Lannie McClain rebounded for 13 and Pat Bodkin rebounded for 10.

The Mustangs and Fillies added another district victory to their statistics when they upset the Memphis Cyclones (once again!) Tuesday night. The Mustangs scored 59 and the Cyclones netted 31. Charles A. McClain dropped 19 and Pat Bodkin sunk 11. Lannie McClain rebounded for nine and Bodkin jumped for 14. Now Olton and Dimmitt are the only unbeaten teams in the district so far and they stand 4-0.

Kathline Carson raked up 25 points against the Cyclones.

ettes and Lynn McGill was close behind with 23. Lynn also led in the offensive rebound department with eight and Sherry Moss jumped for six in the defensive bracket.

The junior varsity will travel to Dimmitt tonight. They will play at 6:00 p. m. Everyone who is able is urged to attend the junior varsity game.

Our freshmen teams are entered in the Springlake Tournament January 4, 5, and 6. The first game will begin Let's support our freshmen! Good Luck teams! We hope you bring home a couple of first place trophies!

Wanice : You mean it's a secret?!!

Art Tollett: It's just that there's only supposed to be one per locker!??

Barbara Cowart: Nothing like an open invitation.??

FOR THOSE WHO CARE: The name, Leap Year, is derived from the fact that the astronomers of Julius Caesar, 46 B. C., settled the solar year at 365 days and 6 hours. These hours at the end of four years make a day which was added to the fourth year; thus, a date "leaps over" a day of the week.

After the FTA meeting on December 20, the committee met and elected Jeanie Gardner Student of the Month for December.

CORAL??!!??!!

Teresa: And how many Leap Years have you had!??

ALL FOR FUN

Steve Exter, reading facts and figures from his dad's insurance tables: "Do you know that every time I breathe, a man dies?"

Dale Gabehart: "Why don't you use a little mouth wash now and then?"

Barry Cowart: "Ugh! What's worse than finding a worm when you bite into an apple?"

Cecil Oursbourn: "Finding half a worm!"

Dad, looking suspiciously at the dessert his daughter has whipped up: "What's this?"

Sharon Hendrick: "It's cottage pudding. We learned how to make it at school today."

Dad: "Well, I think I got a piece of shingle in my mouth."

Then there's the little boy whose mother did not believe in rewarding him for being good. So he grew up to be a good-for-nothing.

ATTENTION: Mark your calendars for there will be no school Friday, January 19, which follows final exams!

RETURN HOME

Mrs. Estes Bartlett, Debbie and Monty returned recently to their home at Foraker, Okla. after visiting Mrs. Bartlett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stiles.

BROTHER VISITS

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Kennedy of Yuma, Ariz. visited during the holidays with Kennedy's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kennedy.

School Menu

Jan. 8 through Jan. 12, 1968 Subject to change.

MONDAY - Char burger, vegetable beef soup, peanut butter and crackers, grapefruit and orange sections, candy bar, and milk.

TUESDAY - Ham and Cheese on toast, broccoli, buttered potatoes, orange juice, doughnut and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Turkey pot pie, french fries and catsup, green beans, raisin sauce, strawberry shortcake, rolls, butter, and milk.

THURSDAY - Burritos, chili, mashed potatoes, lettuce and tomato salad, peaches, cookie, rolls, butter and milk.

FRIDAY - Fried chicken, cream gravy, steamed rice, green peas, cole slaw, banana pudding, rolls and milk.

MONDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Graef of Clovis, N. M., Mrs. Hazel Myers and Mrs. Marie Lanford and Linda all of Dimmitt were guests in the Raymon Carson home Monday.

Friona And Slaton Holiday Opponents Of Olton Teams

In basketball games with Friona here Thursday night, Dec. 21, the Olton Fillies lost to the Friona girls, 49 to 54, while the Mustangs, with a score of 54, were victors over Friona which racked up 47 points.

High point girl was Leslie Norfleet with 19 points. Connie Kendall was second with 18, and Myrle Givens, third, with 10. Pam Foster came in with 6 rebounds and Connie Kendall, 4. Joe Schultz, with 15, was high point man for the boys team. Charles A. McClain and Kenneth Johnson each scored 14 points. Leading in rebounds was Kenneth Johnson with 11 and Pat Bodkin with 12.

Slaton boys barely nosed out the Mustangs in games at Slaton Saturday, Dec. 30, while the Fillies were soundly trounced

by the Slaton girls in a 53-23 tally. Score of the boys battle was Slaton 49 and Olton 47. Kenneth Johnson made 12 of the points for his team, while Charles A. McClain made 10. Coming in with 13 rebounds was Lannie McClain. Pat Bodkin was credited with 10 rebounds.

In action here Tuesday night, the Mustangs and Fillies added another victory over the Memphis Cyclones and Cyclonettes.

The Mustangs scored 59 and the Cyclones were able to only net 31. Charles A. McClain was high scorer with 19 and Pat Bodkin sunk 11. Lannie McClain rebounded for nine and Bodkin jumped for 14.

Olton and Dimmitt remain the only unbeaten teams in the district, standing 4-0.

For the Fillies, Kathline Carson racked up 25 points, while Lynn McGill followed closely with 23. Lynn also led in the offensive rebounds with eight and Sherry Moss jumped for six in defensive play. Final score was 55-44.

VISIT WITH FRIENDS

Elmer McGill, Wallace and Leroy Hackler visited with Jim Hysinger while he was in Olton.

RECENT GUEST

Guest of Perry Lee was Scott Jones of Las Animas, Colo.

CHILDREN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Alexander Jr., Scott and Kevin of Earth; Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Marr, Debbie, Theresa, Tony, Sue and Donetta of Quinlan and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Baugh and John of San Jose, Calif. spent the Christmas holidays in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Alexander.

FISHING TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bundick and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Snider left Thursday for Fort Isabel where they will fish.

RETURNS TO SCHOOL

Billy Lee Carson left Monday to return to Lamoni, Iowa where he is attending Grace-land College.

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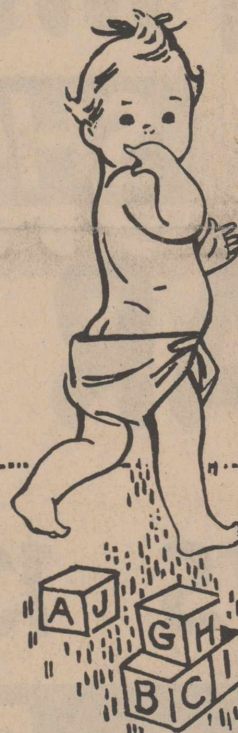
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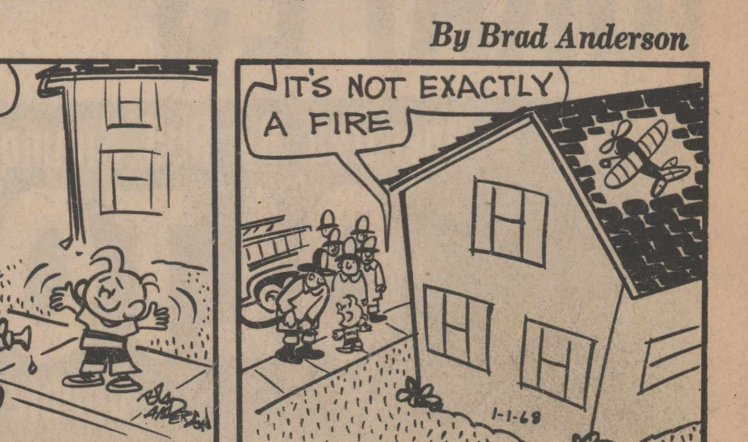
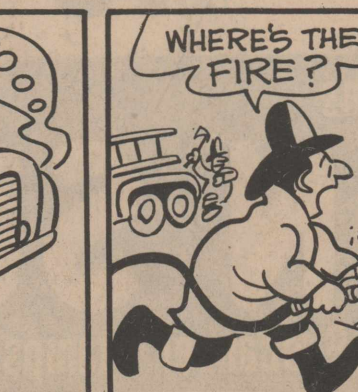
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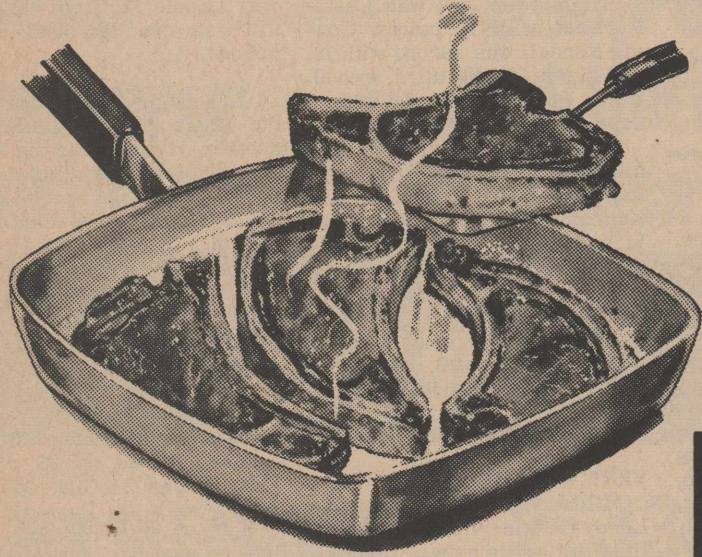
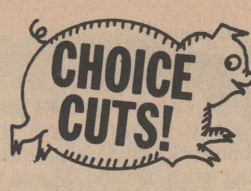
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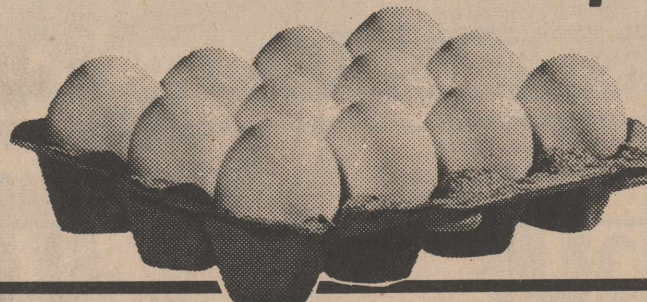
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Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Harmel attended the funeral of a relative, Otto Kruger in Lubbock.

Marcus Breland flew David Howton home from Gainesville, Dec. 26.

Sherrill Alexander's car that was stolen in Lubbock Dec. 1 was reported found in Albuquerque, N. M. Dec. 29.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Tanner attended the funeral of her uncle, George A. Hughes, in Vera.

James and Gary Rodgers of Nevada visited with Rickey Smith during the Christmas holidays.

Guests in the home of Mrs. S. M. Breland Christmas were her children and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Breland, Marcella, and Darrell; the Rev. and Mrs. Bill Curry and boys of Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brothers, Dereatha and Ronny of Clovis, N. M.; and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Breland and girls of Lubbock.

Mrs. O. O. Breland of Lubbock visited Mrs. Cassie Copeland and the Roy Roberts family Friday and was an overnight guest of Mrs. S. M. Breland Friday night, also visiting Mrs. Breland Saturday.

New Years Day guests in the Marcus Breland home were their son, Darrell and his friend Miss Cheyenne Reynolds of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Witten flew to Houston Friday morning for a weekend visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lon Stern. They also visited Kondi Carson and her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Breland were in Gainesville from Thursday until Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Dorothy Budka, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Watts.

A watch night service was held at the Valley View Church Sunday night with good attendance.

Flu is invading many homes of the Halfway Community. Monday all members of the Eddie Pruitt family were admitted to the Hale Center Hospital.

Mrs. Melvin Schwab of Plainview, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson, underwent surgery at the Plainview Hospital and Clinic Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Strunk and girls have moved from Halfway to the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Copeland joined by her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Malone of Artesia, N. M., were dinner guests of A. J. Malone and daughter, Mrs. Nora Hash, Christmas Eve day.

For supper the group were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Thomas and children. They were joined here by Mrs. Thomas' twin sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Landon Smith, Rodney and Kelli.

Sunday afternoon, Dec. 31, guests of Mrs. Cassie Copeland in the Roy Roberts home were seven of her children and their mates, Mr. and Mrs. Derwood Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weathers, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberts, all of this community, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bell of Plainview.

The group visited, took pictures and had refreshments of coffee and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Derwood Copeland spent the Christmas weekend in Sunray with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Winford Rousser, and in Guymon, with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mandrell where they joined their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Devern Mandrell, Jimmy and Jana, for part of the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Derwood Copeland ended the old year and began the new as guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Chandler of Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. David Parson of San Antonio visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rob-

erts and Carl, over the Christmas weekend.

Miss Carol Ann Bostic came Dec. 22 and she and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bostic, drove to Levelland and visited Mrs. Bostic's nephew, Ernest D. Neal, who is home on 30-day leave from Viet Nam.

Neal is stationed at the same hospital in Viet Nam as Bill Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hall of Olton. He will leave Jan. 11 to rejoin his group there.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bostic, Carol Ann, and Mrs. Tom Bostic spent Christmas with Mrs. Tom Bostic's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Zan Burrough of Lewisville.

Carol Ann Bostic is now working in Dallas and staying with her aunt and uncle, the Burroughs.

Throughout the Christmas weekend Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Jones visited his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hicks and children of Snyder. They were joined there by another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Newlan Rowland and children of Hart.

On Sunday the Joneses visited her sister, Mrs. Esther Wolf of Coahoma. Then accompanied by Mrs. Wolf, they visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Walker and children of Big Springs, Christmas Day.

Mrs. Wolf came home with Mr. and Mrs. Jones on Tuesday and visited for a week. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest LaFrance and Jack Christmas Eve Day and New Years Day were Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hukill, Kregg, and Kelli, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pierson, Debbie, Sammy and Cynthia of Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest LaFrance and Jack were dinner guests of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King of Plainview, Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Johnson of Tishomingo, Okla. arrived Dec. 22 and visited until Jan. 2 with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Johnson, and other relatives in this region.

Nine of the eleven children of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Cowan of Littlefield were present for the Christmas dinner in the Cowan home Christmas Day. This included Mr. and Mrs. James A. Johnson of Olton.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Johnson on Christmas Eve Day were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson and boys of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Oris Lambeth and Danny of Anton, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cowan of Fieldton, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Johnson of Tishomingo, Okla.

CHILDREN VISIT

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Britton during Christmas were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Byrl Hardy, Donna, Jerry and Deane of Perryton, and another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ellis and Charlie Hawkins and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mackey, Lloyd, Jalynn and Eric of Plainview. Other guests were the Britton's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Britton, Susan, Beverly, Janet and Brian of Earth.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

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