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HAPPY NEW YEAR GREETINGS TO ALL

Funeral Sunday For A. C. Nixon

Funeral services for A. C. Nixon, 89, who died December 26 at DePort Nursing Home, were held at the Church of Christ, Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m., the minister, Roy White, officiating, and Grant Funeral Home making burial in Highland Cemetery. Bearers were Kenneth Gifford, Hermon Phillee, Thurman Singleton, Gary Nixon, Glynn Harbison and Delbert Norman.

Born at DePort, April 5, 1880, Mr. Nixon was the son of J. B. and Martha Westbrook Nixon. He married Rhoda Pearl Ball of Quannah June 16, 1909. She survives, and one son, Jackson B. Nixon; another son, John Farar, died several years ago; a brother, R. D. Nixon and sister, Mrs. A. G. Singleton.

Mr. Nixon, a CPA, was employed at Womack General Merchandise store in Blossom before going to Quannah to work. Later returning to DePort, he worked for the Swenson Dry Goods Store, then bought the Famous Confectionary and Ice business. He sold out and went to work as station agent for the Paris & Mt. Pleasant Railroad until his retirement a few years ago.

Out of town relatives attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Phillips of Bossier City, La., John Phillips of Fort Towson, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Phillee of Whitewright, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Singleton of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nixon of Jackson, Miss., Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gifford of Bogata, Mrs. W. M. Robinson of Houston, Mrs. Ora Leak, Dan Leak and Mrs. Vernon Bingham of Dallas.

Holiday Party For TEL Class

TEL Class of Calvary Baptist Church held its annual Christmas dinner in the home of Mrs. J. H. Weatherall, 13 members and one visitor, Mrs. J. C. Stewart of Palestine attending. Mrs. B. L. Cain gave the invocation.

Seasonal decorations were used throughout the house, including a large green tree with blinking colored lights in the living room. Mrs. O. J. Holland directed games in which Mrs. W. R. Swarts, Mrs. M. E. Jones and Mrs. R. W. Weisinger were awarded prizes.

The devotion on the missionary, Lottie Moon, was given by Mrs. R. L. Prestidge who also read the Christmas story from Matthew.

Gifts were exchanged from the tree and the teacher and assistant teacher, Mrs. Swarts and Mrs. Cain, and Mrs. Stewart, a former member of the class, each received a gift from the class. The teacher, Mrs. Swarts, gave each class member a gift.

Entertain For Baptist Youth

Mrs. Bob Fitch, Mrs. B. B. Hindman, Mrs. Charlie Roberts and Mrs. Wayman Alexander were hostesses to the Junior and Senior classes of First Baptist Church Tuesday evening.

The hall was beautifully decorated in keeping with the Yuletide season. Gifts were exchanged from a pink and white tree. Refreshments of sandwiches, chips, pickles and a decorated tree cake, with red punch were served buffet style. The table was covered with a gay Christmas cloth centered with a Christmas arrangement.

Bible games and bingo were played with Randy Carroll and Brenda Carroll winning prizes. Nineteen attended.

Craig Lewis is the name given the son born Dec. 16 at L. P. McCuiston Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Michael R. Blackburn, Blossom. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blackburn of Blossom and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lewis, Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Gipson and son of Wylie, visited during the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Mankins and Mr. and Mrs. Carthel Gipson and Robby Joe. They also visited Mrs. Gipson's sister, Mrs. Jerry Russell and son.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Gertrude Temples visited from Thursday until Sunday in Paris with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Temples.

Mrs. Etta Graf visited during Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. Pauline Smith of Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Eberts and family of Houston visited his mother, Mrs. Martha Eberts during Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Daley Brown of Midland, visited his sister, Mrs. Jess Blackmon and their niece, Mrs. Lester Watts, during the Christmas holidays.

E-2 Clarence Watts of Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., spent Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Watts and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Stephens and Patricia of Lawton, Okla., spent Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Goffrey Gieger.

Tech Sgt. Charles Graf returned to Petersonville, Colo., after spending Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Virgie Graf and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Smith visited in Garland during Christmas with their sons, Floyd Smith, Vernon Smith and their daughter, Mrs. Billy Albright and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neely spent Christmas in Longview visiting their daughters, Mrs. Bill Watkins, Mrs. Mickey Brewer and Mrs. Joe Simpson and their families.

Visiting during Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hood were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wesson of Mesquite and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ray Hood and children of Longview.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Taylor and daughter of Kirksville, Mo., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Love and her sister, Mrs. Handy Stansell, Mr. Stansell and daughter, during Christmas holidays.

Christmas holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Miller and Angela of Henderson. Mr. Miller's brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller of New Orleans and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller of Muskogee, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Parker and family spent Christmas in Dallas visiting their children, Rev. and Mrs. Billy Mangrum and family, Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Mangrum and family and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Johnson and family.

Visiting the Troy Lewises during the Christmas holidays were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lilley and children of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Blackburn and children of Brenda Lewis of Dallas.

Visiting the J. M. Fussells during the Christmas holidays were their grandsons, Rickey and Mike Fussell of Houston, their daughter, Mrs. Ikie Hart and Terri Hart of Naples.

Rev. and Mrs. B. B. Hindman and family spent the Christmas holidays in Edgewood visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Hindman, her father, Mr. Perkenson and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hindman and family.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frye Sr. were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frye Jr., Tony and Tracy of Nacogdoches, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frye, Kelly, Kasey and Robert Paul Jr. of Arlington.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Gray and Jimmy Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Biles, Talco, Mrs. Farlie Gray, Mrs. H. B. Thacker, all of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Mel Talley of Memphis, Tenn.

Political Announcements

The following announcements for public office are made subject to the action of voters at the Democratic primaries in 1970:

For District Clerk:

LOUISE BROCK

(Re-election Second Term)

For County Clerk:

ALLEN LAPRADE

(Re-election Second Term)

Lunch Room Menu

Bogata, Talco and Rivercrest School, Jan. 5-9.

MONDAY

Ground meat - spaghetti casserole, seasoned pinto beans, tossed salad - french dressing, corn bread, plain cookies, ½ pt. milk.

TUESDAY

Bar-b-q TV steaks, green bean casserole, mashed potatoes, corn bread, fruit cobbler, ½ pt. milk.

WEDNESDAY

3-oz. fish portion/tartar sauce, French fries - catsup, blackeyed peas, plain white bread, sweet rolls, ½ pt. milk.

THURSDAY

Hot dogs/grated onion chili, great northern beans, cabbage, carrot, and pineapple salad, assorted fruit, ½ pt. milk.

FRIDAY

Hamburgers, mustard and/or mayonnaise, potato chips, chili beans, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles and onions, ice cream, ½ pt. milk.

Visiting during Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Hanks were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Newman and girls of Fort Worth, Sammy Hanks of Camp Pendleton, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Oren Hanks and family of Mt. Pleasant.

days with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Sikes were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Orrill of Carrollton, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Sikes and children of Garland and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sikes and children of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lynn Whitney and family of Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Van Hooser and family of Palestine and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Whitney and daughter visited their mother, Mrs. Lula Whitney and Dumas during Christmas.

Here to visit during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jones and to attend the wedding of Donald Ray Jones to Miss Janice Goss were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carlisle of Pasadena, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Carlisle and children of Little Rock and Jerry Carlisle, Little Rock, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wesson, Mesquite.

Visiting Mrs. Minnie Swarts and Richard Swarts during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Skippy Holliman, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Holliman of Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Bennett of Antlers, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Baird of Baytown, Mrs. Wanda Smith and children of Dallas.

J. W. Via honored his wife, Lottie with a birthday dinner at the Continental in Greenville on Dec. 18. Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Via joined them there and the J. W. Vias returned to Dallas with them, where they flew by jet to Odessa and visited from Friday until Sunday with Mrs. Via's brother, W. A. Hawthorne and family, and with a niece and her husband who were home from Venezuela.

With the C. W. Pittmans for Christmas dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Austin of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Hulen Westerman and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Barsevex and son of Buras, La., Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pittman, Terry and Jerry of Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. Don Eudy and Chris of Joliet, Mrs. Etta Bialick of Wilkinston, Mr. and Mrs. Duke Wyatt and children of Mesquite, Bobby Pittman of Redrock, Okla., Mrs. Verbeth Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Perdue and children, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Black and Danny, all of Talco.



Austin. — Here's a happy thought to start the New Year! As an auto owner you'll have an easier time than ever before getting your new license tags in 1970. This, thanks to a revised registration system which becomes effective in January.

Texas Highway Department, which devised the new system, predicts that registrations will pass the seven million mark.

For the first time, registration renewal applications will be mailed to every vehicle owner in the state. This will be done during the month of January. However, the registration period does not begin until Feb. 1.

At the start of the registration period, you may take your application and fee to your county tax office—or order by mail.

It no longer will be necessary to present certificates of title or last year's registration receipt when you have the application.

This new system is the result of extensive computerization of highway department vehicle records. It gives Texas one of the most efficient methods of registration. And even the color scheme is new — light blue on a reflective white background.

NARCOTICS CHECKS — Student involvement and elimination of "misinformation" about drugs and drug usage were factors discussed at the organizational meeting of the interim House Narcotics Investigating Committee.

A final decision on the specific areas of investigation by the committee will wait until Committee Chairman Tom Bass of Houston has a chance to meet with the Governor. Lieutenant Governor and Speaker. Each of those three is conducting a study of his own.

Bass said that "Everyone has his ideas about drugs, but very few people know, in reality, what drug do what." He suggested that other members of the committee establish contacts with students in their areas.

"If nothing else," said Bass, "I hope this Committee will separate fact from fiction, and will deal with the intelligence and intellect rather than emotion, and will come up with recommendations on the basis of reasoned research rather than popular politics." If research indicates that present penalties for drug use are too stiff, he added, they should be reduced or eliminated.

REAPPORTIONMENT ORDERED — Texas' 21-member State Board of Education must be reapportioned says the three-judge federal court.

However, judges set June 1, 1971, as the deadline, thus averting the need for a special legislative session on the issue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Swope and their granddaughter, Tracy Walker, spent Christmas in Melvern, Kans, with their daughter, Mrs. Clint Fredicks. Mr. Fredicks and two children. Another daughter, Mrs. Judy Walker and her friend, Jim Lodwick of Dallas, joined her parents there for the holidays. Upon their return home Mr. Swope became ill with a virus.

Christmas Day guests of Mrs. Virgie Graf were her mother, Mrs. Gertrude Temples of Maple Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Temples of Longview, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Temples and Jeff of Paris, Mrs. Zonetta Cline and children of Mt. Pleasant, Tech. Sgt. Charles Graf of Petersonville, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Brown of Maple Springs.

Visiting the Gordon Simmons during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simmons of Denison, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Stephens and Patricia of Lawton, Okla., Ralph Simmons and daughter, Elizabeth of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Casey Watts, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Simmons and Mrs. Jesse Simmons, all of Bogata, Jerry Dee Simmons of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dale Simmons of Alpine.

C. P. Allen Rites Denton Monday

Funeral services for Charles P. Allen, 78, a former Bogata resident, were held at 10 a. m. Monday in Jack Schmitz and Son funeral chapel in Denton, with burial at 11:30 in Grove Hill Cemetery, Dallas.

Allen was a groceryman for Cabell Enterprises in Dallas from 1947 to 1963. He was a veteran of World War I.

Among survivors are his wife of Denton, and three daughters, Mrs. Charlotte Alt of Denton, Mrs. Barbara Drennen of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Ellen Varner of Arlington; a brother and two sisters, Gordon Allen and Mrs. Roy Gullion of Bogata, Mrs. Neva Weete of DePort.

Allen LaPrade Seeks 2nd Term

To the citizens and voters of Titus County who elected me to the office of County Clerk, may I again express my deep gratitude.

I now take this means of soliciting your continued support for a second term, and I again pledge if elected, my very best to the duties of my office.

ALLEN LAPRADE
Candidate for County Clerk,
2nd Term
(Pd. Pol. Adv.)

REP. JIM SLIDER NAMED ON INTERIM COMMITTEE

Austin. — State Representative Jim Slider of Naples has been named by House Speaker G. F. (Gus) Mutscher to serve on a joint interim committee studying attraction of new industry to the state.

Mutscher said Texas ranks among the leading states in the rate of population growth causing a need for new industry to provide new jobs and new markets.

Christmas holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelso and David of Galveston, Mr. Reid's brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reid of Hedley, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reid of Mt. Pleasant and a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. James Reid of Amarillo.

Three Injured Auto Accident

Mike Sparks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Sparks of Pattonville, who was injured in an automobile accident last Tuesday night in Paris, has been dismissed from a Paris hospital.

Fred VanCurler of Ashland, Ore., driver of the vehicle, was more seriously injured and remains in St. Joseph's Hospital in Paris. He is the son of Mrs. Mary VanCurler, the former Mary Opal Fendley, who attended DePort School. They were here on a holiday visit with her relatives. Fred is expected to be hospitalized four months with broken legs and shoulder. Miss Dianne Gardner of Paris was also injured in the accident.

Mrs. VanCurler and family returned to their home in Oregon Thursday (today) and as soon as his condition permits, Fred will return home by plane, hopefully in six weeks.

Roy White Home Burglarized

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy White of Blossom was burglarized Christmas Day. Mr. White is principal of DePort High School and minister of the DePort Church of Christ. The Whites were reported to have left their home for a visit at 11:30 a. m. on Christmas Day and returned at 8:50 p. m. to find the following items stolen during their absence: a Motorola TV, 410 shotgun, 12 gauge shotgun, fishing rods and reels, camera, Remington typewriter, \$35 in silver coins, a woman's coat.

Officers reported that this was the largest holiday crime incident in Paris and Lamar County.

Col. and Mrs. Jerry Dismukes and son, Bill of Atlanta, Ga., spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cato.

Guest speaker at First Baptist Church Sunday was Rev. Jim Silsbury of Sulphur Springs. Rev. and Mrs. Silsbury were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Alexander, Berenda and Beverly. Mrs. Silsbury was a former room mate of Beverly at Jacksonville Baptist College.

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RUGBY

By MRS. VERA GROGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ford were Tuesday to Sunday guests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Foster and Duane of Fredericksburg.

David and Lee Ann Bull went to Dallas Friday to visit their father and sister, Kenneth Bull and Mr. and Mrs. Arvis Butler and baby.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin and family were Mrs. Rebecca Massingill and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Griffin, Susanne and Marc of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Bartlett, Judy and Sharon Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Stevens and James Hannah of Fulbright, Mr. and Mrs. George Munday of Richardson, James Dunagan of Blossom, Gene Ray Duffey of Joliet and Mrs. Aleck Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Westbrook had as guests during the holidays their children, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Westbrook and family of Irving and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Barton of Longview, and his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bridges of Garden City, Kans.

Mrs. Earl Grogan and Lloyd were Tuesday until Friday guests of her son, Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Grogan, Kimberly and Russell of Tulsa, Okla.

Mrs. Francis Bailey had as visitors during the holidays her daughters, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Williams and Stacy of Atlanta, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Rogers and family of Idabel, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adeock and family of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bailey of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thornton and Paula of Odessa, were holiday visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thornton. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Randall Hunt of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Denny and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Stanley and family and Mrs. Ed Hunt of Bogata.

Holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen and family were their children, Spec. 4 and Mrs. Jerry Dockray and baby of Ft. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Huddleston and son of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Harold Allen and family and his sisters, Mrs. Silas Howell of Ft. Worth and Rev. and Mrs. Edwin Davis of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Alsbrook and sons spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Polk Alsbrook.

Mrs. Emma Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Alsbrook had as Christmas guests, Mrs. Francis Franklin and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Norwood and family of De-

WILKINSON

By MRS. MORRIS BLALOCK

Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cass of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Crabtree, Miss Dorothy Blalock of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. James DeLaughter and daughter of Irving spent Christmas Eve night and Christmas Day. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Robertson of Maud, spent Christmas Eve night.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blalock were Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gaston and daughter of Krum, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Blalock of Mt. Pleasant. Mr. and Mrs. Elder Mills of Bagwell visited Friday night.

Mrs. Margaret Mangrum of Mt. Pleasant and Joe Riddle of California, visited in the home of Mrs. Winnie Bragg. Mrs. Marcus Dyke and boys of Texarkana spent Friday night.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Zelle Blalock Christmas holidays were her sister, Mrs. Varue Hood and family of Dallas. They also visited in Red River and Bowie Counties Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Tuck and family of Omaha, spent Christmas Day with her mother, Mrs. Christine Harris. Sunday visitors of Mrs. Harrie were her brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Martin and Carol Martin of Mt. Pleasant. Mrs. Harris was Christmas Eve supper guest of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Berton Harris and family of Mt. Pleasant.

Christmas Day visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anschutz were Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Slone and family of Redwater, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blalock and family of Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nixon of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin McGee and children of Maple Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Anschutz and children of Talco.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock were Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Blalock and children of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Riddle and family, Mrs. Don Ernst and children and her mother, Mrs. Rose Riddle of Irving, Mrs. Grace Riddle of Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Riddle and children of Irving, Mrs. Maxine Hobbs of Dallas.

Mrs. Ada Duron returned home Thursday after a week's visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock and other relatives.

Mrs. Jennie Belcher of Maple Springs, visited in the home of Mrs. Winnie Bragg, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Blalock spent Christmas Day with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holcomb and family of Wagner, Okla. Their grandchildren, Brenda, Jerrel and Roger, returned home with them for a few days visit through the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Riddle and daughters in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris visited in the homes of Mrs. Dean Brownlee and Mrs. Cecil Ship in Mt. Pleasant, Saturday.

Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Moles were

port. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stevens were Christmas guests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Barker and David of Longview.

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JANUARY 2, 1970, Sale at 7:00 o'clock, Cunningham, Texas, Horse and what pertains to horses, commission 5% of sale, plus 3/4 without exemption. Each buyer will pay man for his horse. Come prepared. Trades Day every Saturday all day and junk auction. Sale every Saturday night. Junk auction 10%. One bull, 5 springing heifers, registered Angus, \$1500.00. d48t47b3p

NOTICE MASONS

A regular meeting of Talco Lodge 1134 AF&AM, will be held Monday night, Jan. 5, at 7:30 p. m. for any business to come before the lodge. Members are asked to be present and visiting Masons welcome. W. H. HAMMOND, W. M. F. A. BLALOCK, Sec.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Riddle and family of Houston, Mrs. Grace Riddle of Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Clark and family of Sulphur Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Blalock, Md. and Mrs. Charlie Blalock and boys, Charlie Paul and John David, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Preddy, all of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Riddle of Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Crook of Midway.

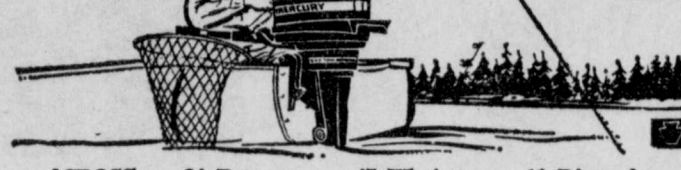
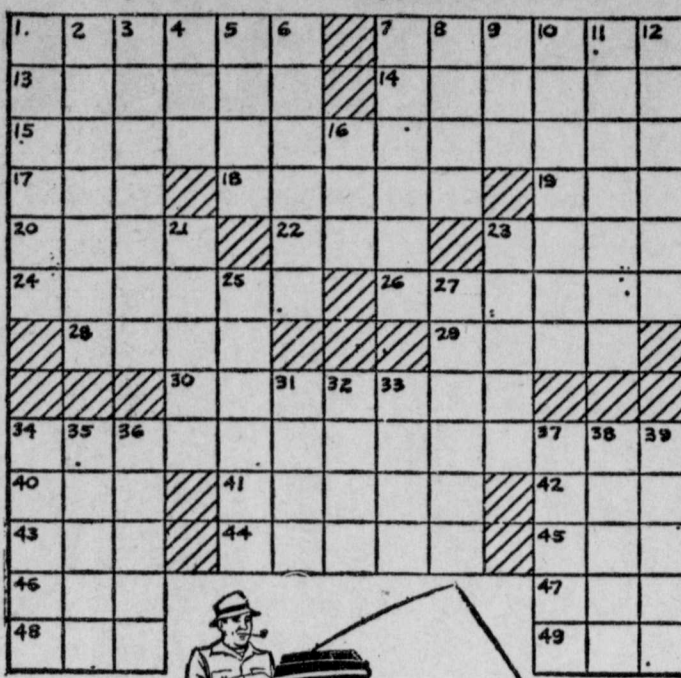
Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dyke and children, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Robertson and children of Mt. Pleasant, were supper guests Christmas Eve night of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke. Mrs. Dyke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, were also present for supper.

Mrs. Joe Thompson is a patient in the Mt. Pleasant Hospital and Clinic, where she was scheduled to undergo surgery Monday, Dec. 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Andrews and children of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Brown and children, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Cabell and children, all of Talco, were dinner guests Christmas Day of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, also Tommie Smith of Dallas.

Kelton Smith of Monticello, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke

Sportsword Puzzle By Jack Luzzatto



ACROSS
1. Shoot your catch with it.
7. Containers to bail water.
13. Soap plants.
14. Brass-band instrument.
15. He says: "Don't make forest fires!"
17. Feminine pronoun.
18. High tide.
19. Feminine garment.
20. And others: Abbr.
22. One, in Spanish.
23. Surrealist artist.
24. Remove seed from wheat.
26. Relax a knot.
28. Make over.
29. Wharf to fish off.
30. Twelve — and true (jury).
34. Uncle Sam's woodsmen (2 wds.).
40. Regret.
41. In that place.
42. Bawl like a cow.
43. Impersonal possessive.
44. Planted seeds.
45. Small cake.
46. Cool drink.
47. What roe is.
48. Decay.
49. Thing, in law.
DOWN
1. Converted one's chips.
2. Amperage meter.
3. Anchoring in a marina.
4. Big deer.
5. Line of rocks off shore.
6. Orphan age.
7. Group of fish.
8. Girl in a mixed school.
9. Globe.
10. Ballpark single (2 wds.).
11. Diver for valuable oysters.
12. Put stress on.
16. Big weight.
21. Reef.
23. Performing.
25. Perches.
27. Started the game.
31. Holy Rom-an emperor.
32. Towed.
33. Big filly.
34. Monk.
36. Read-justed.
37. Campfire coal to extinguish.
38. Cosmetic red.
39. Tunes.

Mrs. W. E. Anschutz and Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Randles and boys. Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Hughes and children of Mt. Pleasant, were Sunday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Anschutz.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Moody Belcher through holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Price and children of Denison, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hornbuckle and daughter, Austin Tutt, Miss Francie Tutt and a friend of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Dud Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Griffin, Owen Tutt, Mrs. Mavis Brown and daughters of Midway, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Tutt and Sharon and Nell of Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. Jene Taylor and children, Mrs. Earnestine Garson and daughter of Dallas, Mrs. James Dillard and son of Monticello.

Mrs. L. D. Randles is ill in Mt. Pleasant Hospital.

Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nokey Blalock were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Parish, Mr. and Mrs. Carter Parish and daughter of Talco, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dyke and children of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Sally Williams of Maple Springs.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Jay Garretson during the Christmas holidays were her son, Durward and his wife, Irene, and their two children, Debbie and Gary Ray of Gadsden, Ala., also Mr. and Mrs. James Narramore and three children, Dow, Pattie and Mike of Atlanta.

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- 1 — 30 FERGUSON — Rebuilt, Repainted, New Rubber
- 1 — 35 FERGUSON — live PTO, Good Condition, Good Rubber
- 2 — 3000-FORD DIESEL, 8 Speed, Live P.T.O., Excellent Condition

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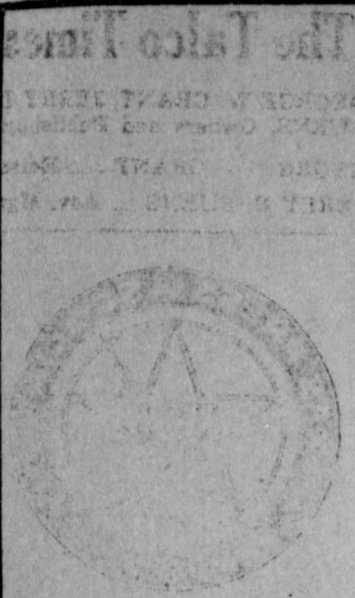
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LOCAL NEWS

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MRS. WAYMAN ALEXANDER
Local Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leake spent Christmas Day with his brother, Wess Leake and family of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. E. W. Burks returned home Saturday after spending Christmas in Irving visiting her son, Gilbert Burks and family.

Visiting Mrs. Myrtle Keener Friday night were her nieces, Mrs. Bernice Fowler and daughter, Sharon of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Lillie Phillips of Dallas.

Misses Berenda and Beverly Alexander attended the wedding of Miss Judy Broach to John Carl Morris in Mt. Pleasant, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Stephenson and children visited her brother, John David Wright, Mrs. Wright and family of Morecraft, Wyo., during Christmas.

Clark Allen Burleson of Grand Prairie, returned with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clark to spend the remainder of the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonham and Peggy spent Christmas Day in Dallas visiting Mrs. Bonham's brother, Emil Jones and Mrs. Jones of San Francisco, Calif.

Christmas holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kelley were their children. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelley and children of Plano and Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Fuller and children of Houston.

Visiting the J. R. Gables Christmas were their daughters, Mrs. Preston Cady and Mr. Cady of Dallas and Mrs. Bobby Brown and Mr. Brown of Mt. Pleasant, and Mrs. Gable's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Frugia, Talco.

Visitors in the H. E. Easterling home during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dollahite Jr. and son of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bramlett and children of Diana, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walton Gentry of Diana, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Easterling, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Godfrey of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Easterling and Johnny Paul Griffith of Talco and Mr. and Mrs. David Carpenter and Greg of Sulphur Springs.

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Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lewis during Christmas holidays were their son, Charles Lewis and his friend, Norma Chandler of Carthage and their daughter, Mrs. Mickey Via, Mr. Via, Mandy and Mike of Carrollton. The Vias also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Via during the holidays.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Jagers were Mr. and Mrs. Elgie Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Seay and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Seay of Mt. Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Buck and sons of Naples Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jagers and sons of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Jagers and son of Mt. Pleasant.

Christmas Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Alexander were Mr. and Mrs. Durward Garretson, Debbie and Gary Ray of Gadsden, Ala., Berenda Alexander of ETSU, Commerce, Beverly Alexander of SFA, Nacogdoches, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mills and Randy, Mrs. Jay Garretson, Mrs. Myrtle Kener and Rev. and Mrs. B. B. Hindman and Sharon, all of Talco.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Foster during the holidays were their children, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Foster, Chris and Jim of Carrollton, Mr. and Mrs. Brack McDonald, Damon, Darren of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kent, Patrick and Michelle of Paris. All were guests of another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McDonald and family of Arlington for Christmas dinner.

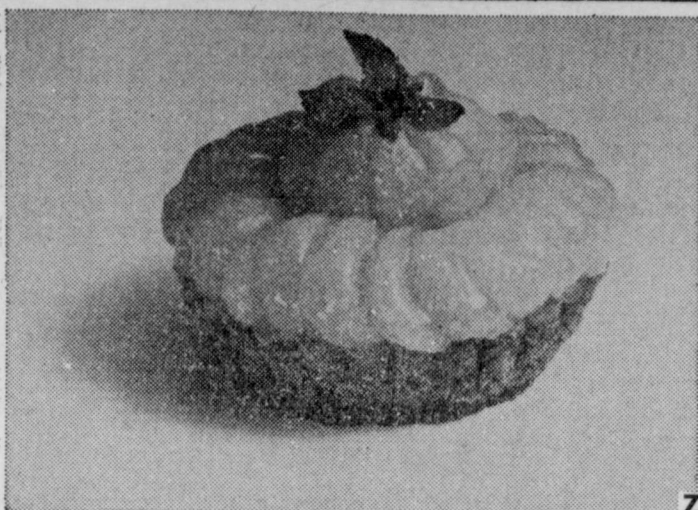
Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stockton were their sons, Darrell Stockton and Mrs. Stockton of Cleveland, Donald Stockton of Ft. Hood, Mrs. Stockton's brother, Aubrey Harris and Mrs. Harris of Jal, N. M., her father, Benjamin Harris and another brother, Glenn Harris, Mrs. Harris and Mark, all of Talco, Mrs. Bessie Rideout and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Parham and Bill of Mt. Pleasant.

Visiting during Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Black and Danny were Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Harrell and Carla Joe of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. John Kirkland of Commerce, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Perdue and children of Talco, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Knowles and Slim Rushing of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Graham of Killeen.

Christmas Day visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Easterling were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hendricks, Joel Ray, Kathy Ann, Ellen Rose and Cecelia Lynn of Greenville, Mrs. Vira Elliott, Mrs. Fay Gieger, Addie and Melissa Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. Don Edgar, Donya, Stacey, Mike Walker, all of Hagsport. Monday night guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Joice, Mrs. Ann Barnes of Bryan, Mrs. Ruthie Pearce and Mrs. Richard Sistrunk of Talco.

Christmas Eve supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wright were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Martin and family of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Don Logan and son of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wesson of Mesquite, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ray Hood and children of Longview, Donald Ray Jones and Janice Goss of

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Crumb Crust	Filling
1/3 cup graham cracker crumbs	1 11 oz. can Japanese Mandarin Oranges
2 tsp. granulated sugar	1 16 oz. container low fat cottage cheese
1/2 tsp. cinnamon	3 eggs
	2 tsp. lemon juice
	1 tsp. lemon rind
	2 tsp. granulated sugar
	1 tsp. vanilla

Mix together crumb crust ingredients. Press mixture in bottom of 8 cupcake tins. Make filling by beating cottage cheese in electric mixer or blender until smooth; beat in eggs, lemon juice, lemon rind, sugar and vanilla. Pour into tins; bake in preheated (350°F.) oven for 25 minutes. Cool; turn out. Drain can of Japanese Mandarin Oranges. Use Orange segments and mint to garnish tarts.

JOHNTOWN

By RUBY PIRTLE

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Vaughan Morris and daughters, Windell and Charlene of Talco, were supper guests Christmas night of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Baxter.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Height of Corpus Christi and Mrs. John Parker of Bogata nursing home, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jean.

Henry Kidd was admitted to Clarksville hospital, Saturday.

Lawrence (Tan) Vaughan and daughter, Susan of Angleton, visited his sister, Mrs. Elanor Thomas and children, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Drue Pirtle, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jean, Donald, Dana and Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Pirtle, Mike, David Lynn and Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Pirtle and Vance and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Parker were dinner guests Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs. Don Calquhoun of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Brock of

Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hood and son and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hood, all of Talco.

George Elliott was admitted to Mt. Pleasant Hospital and Clinic Monday.

Houston, visited her mother, Mrs. Lucy Hervey in the Bogata nursing home, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Hinson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhodes during Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Lucille Hawkins met her children in Ore City at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Combest for dinner Christmas Day: Mr. and Mrs. Spanky Hawkins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hawkins and family of Longview, Mr. and Mrs. Mack McCuller and family of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Wilkerson and Sammie Joe of Whitewright.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pirtle and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Cecil and Steve of Talco, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Murl Simms and family and Mrs. Iona Sifms of Argo, Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Leffell of Tyler, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Hinson, during the holidays.

Miss Dana Jean and her grandmother, Mrs. John Parker, visited in Irving from Thursday until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mauldin. Mrs. Mauldin accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Thomas and Larry were visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Green of Talco, Christmas Day.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Pirtle and Vance for supper

BOGATA NEWS

Mrs. Mon Ward was hospitalized at Clarksville Friday for medical treatment.

Mrs. Jewell Summers spent Christmas in Mt. Pleasant with Mrs. Peggy Hopkins.

Rev. and Mrs. James Barnes and children of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Choate were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Lee.

Kathy Clifton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Clifton of Daingerfield, underwent an emergency appendectomy at Hospital O' the Pines Dec. 24. Attending her from here were Lee King, Misses May and Ruth King.

mas were their children, Billy Kyle of Dallas and Miss Johnnie Kyle of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Lee spent Christmas in Carrollton with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edd Lee and daughters.

Mrs. Henry Hudson entertained December 20 at her home, honoring 87th birthday of Mrs. Walter McDavid. Ice cream and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Gray ordered The Bogata News sent to their daughter, Mrs. Sarah McGill at Jal, N. M., as a Christmas gift.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hudson had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Hudson and children of Mesquite, Mr. and Mrs. David Lee Hudson and children of Talco, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pender and daughters of Carrollton, Mrs. Sam Taylor Jones of Paris, was a recent visitor with Mrs. Hudson.

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