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January Term of District Court To Open Monday

The 1950 term of District Court will begin full operation on Tuesday morning, Jan. 3, according to Judge Sam Williams, who stated this week that the court is scheduled to open on Monday, but since that day will be observed as a New Year holiday, nothing can be expected to be accomplished until the following day.

In making the announcement of court opening, names of men selected on the grand jury panel for the term were also released. The panel is as follows:

David Brogoitti, Charlie Driggers, Morris S. White, Dewey Blackstone, Frank M. Caldwell, Jack Taylor, J. B. Thomas, J. L. Montgomery, Charlie Ford, I. B. Shumate, Clay Thomas, Alford T. Blalock, W. L. Garrettson, Harold Bonham, D. C. Myers, S. H. Callaway.

No petit jury panel has been summoned for the first week of the term, but a panel was selected for the second week. Those summoned for appearance on Monday, Jan. 9, at 9 a. m. are:

D. E. Minor, Marcus Crooks, D. R. Owens, Joe Heath, Clarence Spruill, R. E. Hartley, R. T. Payne, L. C. Owens, B. F. Stogner, Neal Owsley, John W. Mason, W. V. Garrison, Alvin Hinson, E. Y. Cody, C. M. Phillips, Albert Reid, A. L. Daughtry, Morris Stevens, T. C. Johnson Jr., D. A. Talley.

J. E. Goates, O. W. Moore, T. C. Hutchings, Neal Fleming, F. H. Anschutz, H. R. Ricks, Marvin Crow, O. M. Homer, C. M. Davis, George Daniels, B. D. Brown, Leroy Boozer, Marvin Hazlewood, Leonard Justiss, H. D. Crain, E. E. McNatt, O. C. Capel, W. T. Foster, C. N. Franklin, and H. O. Houseworth.

Old-Age Pension Rolls Increase

Austin. — Old-age assistance rolls in Texas increased more than 10,000 during 1949.

John H. Winters, director of public welfare, announced last week that checks averaging \$34.14 went this month to 220,580 Texans sixty-five or older. In December a year ago 210,216 got checks averaging \$33.91.

Texas Tops States With 76 Deaths During Holidays

The long holiday period—Friday to Monday midnight—counted 76 violent deaths in Texas, which led the nation. It was one of the heaviest tolls on record.

Traffic deaths alone mounted to 38. Twenty-one died violently from miscellaneous causes such as fires and plane crashes and 17 were homicides or suicides.

Black crepe replaced the green holly in the homes of more than 500 persons killed in violent accidents across the nation.

Nearly 400 of the deaths resulted from traffic accidents. The traffic toll—387—was under the estimated 435 made by the National Safety Council for the period from 6 p. m. last Friday to midnight Monday.

But the total soared far above 500 with other violent deaths. Sixty-five persons were killed in fires and 92 others lost their lives in accidents of miscellaneous causes. This included shootings, falls, electrocutions, plane crashes, exposure and asphyxiation.

Highway accidents took the heaviest toll. The safety council's records show that the toll over the three day holiday was above the average. The council said that in the first 10 months of 1949 auto accidents killed an average of 83 persons every 24 hours, the average covers deaths occurring long after the accidents in which the victims were injured. There were 396 accidental deaths over the 1948 two-day Christmas holiday, including 277 traffic fatalities.

Paris Has Lab For Blood Tests

Laboratory at the Sanitarium of Paris has been approved for making blood tests required for the issuance of marriage licenses.

A new law makes it necessary for both man and woman to have their blood tested before a marriage license can be issued to them.

With the approval of a laboratory for this purpose, considerable time may be saved by the persons desiring licenses.

Application for approval of a laboratory at St. Joseph's Hospital has also been made.

Highway Contract On 37 Will Be Let in January

Right of way deeds for the proposed new highway from Bogata north to connect with the recently completed Clarksville-Fulbright road have been received from all property owners except four or five who have not accepted offers made by the county in connection with negotiations that have been under way several weeks. Since the procurement of this land has become a matter of urgency, County Attorney Robert Gooding has been requested by the commissioners' court to institute condemnation proceedings.

Contract for this four-mile link in what is planned as a part of Highway 37 between Bogata and Clarksville is due to be let at a January session of the State Highway Commission. The Commission will proceed with such action, it is understood, even though the right of way deeds have not all been received provided condemnation proceedings have been instituted.

A request for this right of way was made back in the summer when Engineer Davis let it be known he desired to make this one of his early 1950 projects in Red River County. Completion of the road into Bogata will mean a new route for No. 37 between Bogata and Clarksville.

15 Moonshine Stills Seized Last Month

AUSTIN. — Seizure of 15 illicit stills in 10 Texas counties last month was reported by the State Liquor Control Board.

With the stills, inspectors took 15 gallons of moonshine liquor and 1,730 gallons of mash, and made four arrests.

Four of the stills were in Red River County, two each in Wood and Harrison Counties, and one each in Titus, Fannin, Smith, Marion, Jack, Nacogdoches and Freestone Counties.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Roberts during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sullivan and two children of Gladewater, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Zott, Jerry and Jimmy of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Allison and two small sons of Greggton.

Weekly Report Talco Clinic

Neal Waddell was treated for a broken arm which he received while playing at school Dec. 19. Rodney Hearron, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Hearron, broke his arm while skating on Dec. 20.

Michael Tower, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tower, was burned badly on the face Dec. 21.

Mrs. L. M. Gandy was treated for injuries received when the car in which she was riding turned almost over, Dec. 19.

Aubrey Harris received a bruised finger, while working Dec. 25.

Anderson Smith Buried at Enon

Funeral service for Anderson Smith, 83, who died in the Martin Clinic Wednesday morning at 3:30, was held at the Enon church Thursday evening, Dec. 22, with the Rev. Hershell Wall, pastor, conducting, assisted by Rev. Donald Brown. Burial was in the Enon cemetery.

Mr. Smith was a native of Miller County, Ark., where he was a blacksmith and gunsmith. He and Mrs. Smith came to Talco two years ago to make their home with their niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Walton.

He is survived by his wife, Alice Smith, a daughter, Mrs. Euna McQuaid of Texas City, three grandsons and one brother, Posy Smith of Daddridge, Ark.

Mt. Pleasant Hires New C. C. Manager

Bob Boyd of Natchitoches, La., is the new manager of the chamber of commerce, replacing Rex Jennings, who has accepted a position with Cabell's, Inc., with headquarters in Longview.

Boyd will come to Mt. Pleasant Jan. 15. He is a graduate of the Southwestern Chamber of Commerce Institute, Dallas, and is a member of the board of managers of the institute. Boyd has been manager of the chamber at Natchitoches and previously served as manager of the Many, La., chamber.

The children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Morgan spent Christmas day with them. They live in Dallas.

W. L. Crossland Dies in Dallas

Will L. Crossland, lifetime resident of Titus County, passed away in Methodist hospital, Dallas on Wednesday of last week. His death followed an illness that has extended over a period of years.

Mr. Crossland was 71 years of age and at the time of his passing was a resident of the Bridges Chapel community, where he was held in the highest esteem by a wide circle of friends.

Surviving Mr. Crossland are his wife; one son, Aubrey Crossland of Canyon, and two daughters, Mrs. Rudy Buie, San Marcos, and Mrs. Gladys Floyd, San Antonio.

Funeral services were held at Bridges Chapel church Thursday afternoon, under direction of Rev. R. M. House and Rev. S. Burton Smith. Burial was in the Bridges Chapel cemetery.

Many Subscriptions Expire January 1st

Many subscriptions to this newspaper expire on January 1st, and most of them have been renewed. The publisher appreciates the promptness with which they have been received.

There are a few who have not yet attended to the little yearly matter of renewing. High price newsprint makes it necessary to discontinue subscriptions promptly upon expiration. We would like to continue all names on our list.

MRS. MAE MASTERS WEDS HAL MILAM

Mrs. Mae Masters, Mt. Pleasant, and Hal Milam, Greenville, were married Monday, Dec. 26, in the study of the First Methodist Church at Texarkana.

Following their wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Milam will be at home to their many friends at 302 North Johnson Ave., Mt. Pleasant.

ALFORD TO EXHIBIT ANGUS AT HOUSTON

Jess B. Alford of Paris, will be an exhibitor at the 1950 Houston Fat Stock and Livestock Exposition, Feb. 1 through 12. The entry, one of the first from Lamar County consists of 10 head of Mr. Alford's Aberdeen-Angus breeding show herd.

Lamar Boy Killed While Hunting

Twelve-year-old James Archie Hutchings of Atlas, was accidentally shot and killed by an older brother while duck hunting at Ambia Wednesday morning.

The younger boy jumped up directly in the line of fire from his brother's gun as the ducks rose from a pool. The charge from the 12-gauge single-barreled shotgun struck the side of the boy's head from the back.

The youth and his 19-year-old brother, Lewis Hutchings, sons of Mr. and Mrs. N. I. Hutchings, with two other boys had gone to Mrs. Ralph Wilson's farm at Ambia to hunt. One of the boys, Charles Grooms, 15, was with the brothers at the pool, while the fourth boy was some distance from them.

About 10:30 a. m. the three crawled up the banked rim of the pool. As the ducks took flight, the boys rose to fire at them. James Archie being just in front of his brother's gun as it was fired.

COTTONSEED PURCHASE PERIOD IS EXTENDED

The period in which the government will purchase 1949 crop cottonseed under its price support program has been extended to Feb. 15.

The extension of the period from the original deadline of Dec. 31 was announced Wednesday.

No Holiday Deaths In Titus County

Despite the fact that Texas led the nation in violent deaths over the recent Christmas holiday period, no traffic death was reported here in any of the four-county area assigned to Patrolmen Jay Mays and Travis De Castro, of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

No violent deaths of any nature, and no deaths from natural causes, were reported in Titus County during that period.

Several traffic accidents were reported here, however, but none of them resulted in critical injuries.

The quietest Christmas was one of the quietest ever recorded in Titus County.

Wayne Anderson of Glory community is having trouble with wild dogs on his farm again. The other night they caught one of his nice whiteface calves killed his cattle. He called Ray Watson, the government trapper, to son, to kill them and do something come do. Ray can get the job about it. He caught 11 wolves during November. Anyone having trouble with wolves should call Ray at 271-12 and he will do the rest.

Season's Greetings



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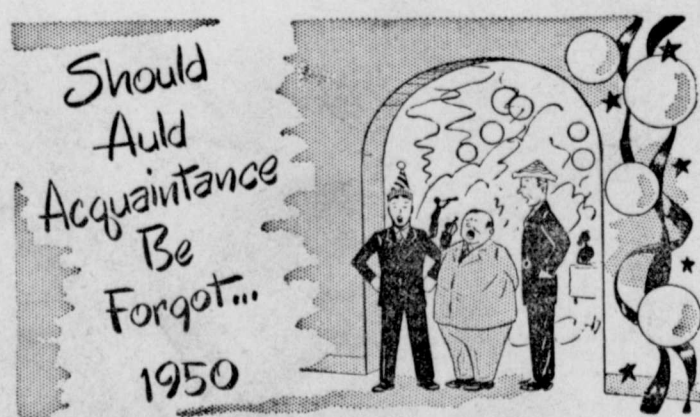
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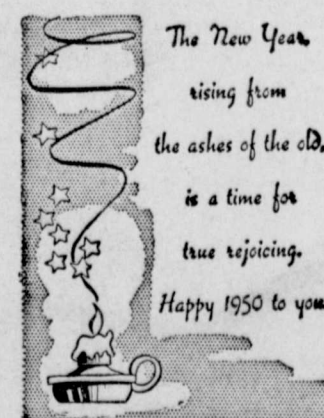


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Alcorn Resolves Not to Do Any Better in 1950 Than He Did in 1949

Editor's note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur, seems to be starting the new year off about like he finished the old one, his letter this week reveals.

Dear Editor: I was out here yesterday tryin to get over Christmas and collect my thoughts

for the comin year, lots of folks I know spend a lot of time gettin their farmin equipment ready for a new year, get their planters ready, overhaul their plows, get their tractor tuned up, but neglect tunin up their minds, although a man that relies on his brain as much as I do to keep from relyin on a cultivator needs to get his

Another Well on Pewitt Ranch

Another completion has been made in the Pewitt Ranch pool east of Talco. Paul Pewitt No. 4-A Pewitt, Dundas survey, rated 375 barrels daily on pump from perforations at 4,526-29 and 4-535-50 in the Paluxy.

mind in shape, let the other equipment look out for itself, and I got to thinkin.

With 1950 nearly on us, a man who is broad-gauged and looks beyond the immediate future needs not only some resolutions for the new year but also some for the new half-century, unless he's plannin on usin the same ones.

As for me, I figured out the resolution business a long time ago, and under my system a man don't have no trouble at all keepin in his word.

For example, in 1950 I don't expect to plant no more cotton than I did in 1949 and I blamed sure ain't gonna work it any harder, and if the government is settin up a acreage control program for me, it can save its time. It doesn't take an act of Congress to get me to work less.

Moreover, I don't expect to have any less Johnson grass at the end of the year than I started with and I got Johnson grass in every direction now. I know when I'm whipped and Johnson grass and me buried our differences long ago when I seen which one had the most energy and as far as I'm concerned there's room for both of us out here. Don't know whether capitalism and communism can live together in the same world, but me and Johnson grass can.

Also, I don't expect 1950 to be any better than 1949. People are always excusin themselves and sayin next year will be better, but it generally ain't and besides I ain't got many complaints against last year anyway. Pretty good year. Started out nip-and-tuck, wound up nip-and-tuck, and my observation is that most people find most years the same way, and my policy has always been to enjoy the situation at hand, regardless of the economic index.

In short, I don't expect to do no better in 1950 than I did in 1949, and I expect to enjoy not doin it. Yours faithfully, A. A.

It Pays to Advertise.

Users Big Losers In 'Manipulation' Of Coffee Market

Washington. — Senator Gillette of Iowa says that "manipulation of the coffee market" during October and November cost American consumers \$650,000,000.

Gillette is chairman of a Senate agriculture subcommittee that has been taking testimony on the sharp increase in coffee prices.

Talking with reporters, Gillette said that in his opinion there was "definite manipulation" but that it "apparently was not illegal or in violation of the law so there is little we can do about it but talk."

"The skyrocketing of prices has been stopped," Gillette added.

He suspended public hearings on both coffee prices and supplies.

Possibly it was an old bachelor editor who wrote: "Don't think that every sad-eyed woman has loved and lost—perhaps she got him."

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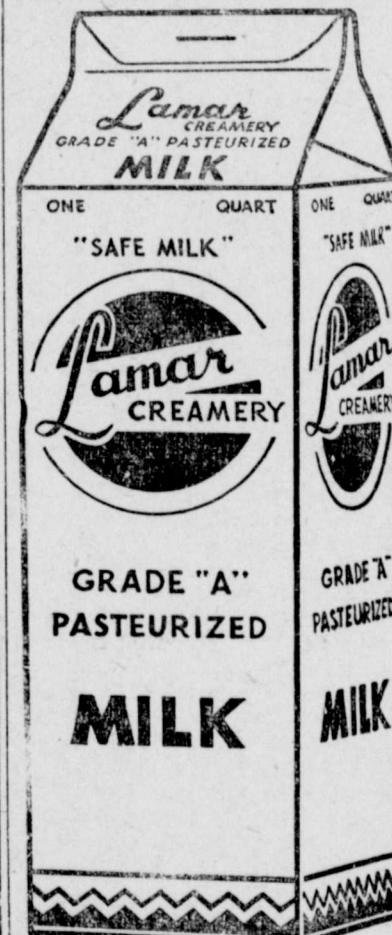
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Deadline on GI Insurance Jan. 1

A Jan. 1, 1950, deadline on GI insurance for disabled War II veterans is being stressed by veterans administration officials.

The deadline, they said, is for reinstatement of lapsed policies, or for taking out new National Service Life Insurance.

The service-incurred disability must be less than total, they said. It must have been incurred between Oct. 8, 1940 and Sept. 2, 1945.

Because of the physical exam, it may be impossible for many such veterans to take out or reinstate such insurance later, they said.

Lacked Time, So Two Got Away

Denver. — "I done the best I could. You ain't got much time to look around at a time like that."

With that little speech, Chas. Pundt, 24, of Denver handed over to police three of five men he caught attacking a passerby.

Pondt, who is a cowpuncher, heard the passerby scream for help, found him knocked to the ground by five assailants. He literally jumped into the fray, using both fists and cowboy boots.

Pundt knocked out one assailant, injured another and dragged a third out of a car in which the others fled. He apologized to police for letting two men get away.

Pet Alligator Goes Back to Swamp

Miami, Fla. — The alligator population of the Everglades went up by one in a reversal of the usual swamp of civilization movement.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Perrine of Miami saw their pet 'gator, Alley, off to the hinterlands because he had grown too big in his 23 years of captivity.

From a squirming infant only a few inches long, he had grown to a seven-foot 'gator who frightened callers and might some day have harmed one of them.

The Perrines adopted Alley after his mother was killed. He had a private mud hole in their back yard.

Thief Does Blind Vendor a Good Deed

Chicago. — The knife-wielding thief who stole \$100 from a blind newspaper vendor a week ago did an unintentional good deed.

For the cowardly act began a lesson for the blind man, Frank Marchetti, 35—a lesson which demonstrated the extremes of human nature.

Monday, Marchetti said he has received nearly twice the amount he lost to the thief. Almost every

mail delivery during the last few days has contained one or more gifts of money from well wishers who read the Associated Press account of his misfortune.

Most of the gifts were in one or two dollar amounts, some enclosed in Christmas cards, some signed, some anonymous.

Those teen-agers who started a near-panic in a crowded Ft. Worth theatre by crying fire, need a thorough goin-over with a stiff shingle in the hands of their parents.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

A Tonic For The Missus

The missus came marching in with a new hat yesterday. She was as happy as a circus poster.

I've learned one thing about the hats she buys. A hat is a tonic to her. If she's feeling blue, nothing gives her a lift like a new hat. Now, I could trade in my old grey fedora without raising my blood pressure a notch. But I'll admit that more than once I've bought a new briar pipe I didn't need—just because life was getting a little bit monotonous.

With Buck Howell it's something else again. When Buck is feeling

low, he gets over it by blowing on a broken-down clarinet he hasn't mastered in twenty years.

From where I sit, different people are *always* going to respond to different things in different ways. So let's keep a friendly understanding of what other folks get out of a new hat, an old clarinet, a chocolate soda or a temperate glass of sparkling beer or ale now and then.

Joe Marsh

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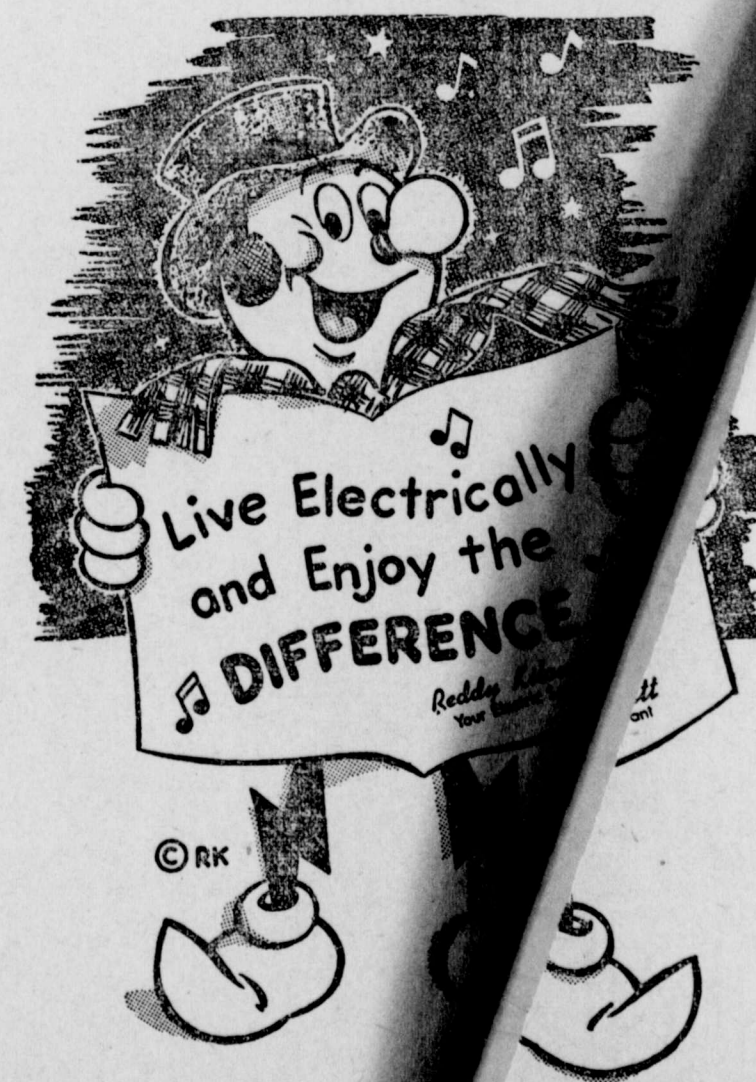
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LOCAL NEWS

By MRS. O. B. HOPWOOD
PHONE 1608 or 79

Mrs. Walter Murphy of Paris, visited her niece, Mrs. Louise, and family Tuesday.

Robert Harper of SMU, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hughie Harper.

J. P. Gillen spent Sunday and Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Gillen in Levelland.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hargrove in a Mt. Pleasant hospital on Saturday, Dec. 24.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sosbee visited his sister, Mrs. Gordon Hill and family in Dallas Christmas day.

Duane Welch, employed in Irving, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welch.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Kelley, Noel and Connell of Paris, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Kelley, Saturday through Monday.

Clyde Wright, employed in Paris, visited his father, J. U. Wright and Mrs. Wright the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Lightsey of Shreveport, La., visited Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lightsey and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Barger Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stevens, Bill and Mike spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnston, in Palestine.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Moon and Bobby spent Sunday in Greenville with Mr. Moon's aunt, Mrs. J. H. Harrison, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Roberts and baby daughter have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gandy in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Brock and baby son spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brock, in Kilgore.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fritts of Texarkana, spent Friday of last week with their daughter, Mrs. Joe B. Hopwood, and Mr. Hopwood.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gieger, Loren Glen and Gayla Sue of Oklahoma City, spent the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gieger.

Mrs. W. H. Colley visited Mrs. J. L. Colley, who is critically ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bertha Denison, in Paris Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Swope of Bryan, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Swope and Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Haynes.

Miss Julia Etta Biles, nurse student in Dallas, arrived Tuesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Biles, and Miss Nora Lee Biles.

Miss Mary Olive Walker, student nurse in a Dallas school of nursing, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Walker, during the holidays.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Trawick this week were their daughter, Mrs. J. W. France and Mr. France of Overton, Mr. and Mrs. K. O. France of Picton, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Young of Norman, Ok., and S. C. Irwin of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Griffith spent a very happy Christmas at home. They had their eight children at home for the first time in several years. The children are Mr. and Mrs. John Prater and son, Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Griffith, all of Clarksville, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Griffith and children, John and Jean of Halls, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Prater, Mr. and Mrs. David Miller and children, Butch and Linda of Fayetteville, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Darling and son, Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Malinak and children, Jan and Jody, all of Houston; also a granddaughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, and great-grandson, James Walker Jr. of Houston.

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned in this newspaper. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visit through these pages whenever you go away. The publisher will consider it a courtesy whenever you give us an item of any kind.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Franklin spent the week end with relatives in Texarkana.

Mrs. Maud Clow of Paris, was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Osborn of Naples, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Kelley.

Faye Dell Stevenson visited his father, C. A. Stevenson and family in Glenrose from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Sallie Wages of Commerce, visited her daughter, Mrs. Elwood Jones and Mr. Jones during the holidays.

Mrs. J. M. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas of Kilgore, spent Christmas day with her and family.

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TALCO

Thursday-Friday, Dec. 29-30

"I WAS A MALE WAR BRIDE"with CARY GRANT
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JACK CARSON
EDWARD ARNOLD

Mrs. N. H. Elliott and two daughters of Mt. Pleasant, visited her cousin, Mrs. A. C. Jones and family Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lightsey and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Barger visited Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Lightsey of Daisetta Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. Holder of Emory, arrived Saturday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Holder and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Welborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stevens of Houston, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Neugent Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Little, Jane and Tommy visited Mr. Little's relatives in Hughes Springs Sunday and Mrs. Little's relatives in Marshall Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Reed and two children of Nacogdoches, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Reed and Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Haynes, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eunice Case of Pittsburg, Calif., are visiting Mr. Case's sister, Mrs. Pat Duffel and family and his brothers, Coye and Irvin Case and families.

Christmas day guests of Rev. and Mrs. C. D. King were their two daughters, Mrs. B. H. Gregg, Mr. Gregg and Margaret Sue of Jackson and Miss Margaret King of Dallas.

Mrs. Harvey Edgerton of Kenley, N. C., arrived Wednesday of last week to visit her brother, J. W. Price and Mrs. Price. She accompanied them to Dallas to visit their daughter.

Mrs. Rhoda McCoy of Douglasville, accompanied by two daughters, Miss Ruth McCoy of Glade-water and Mrs. Grady Betts of Cornett, visited her sister, Mrs. F. A. Jones, Tuesday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dickinson during the holidays were their daughter, Mrs. Jimmy White and Mr. White of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bailey of Alice.

Bob McClung, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson and Joe Bob of Athens, returned Tuesday after spending Christmas with Mrs. McClung and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Caldwell and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodroe Blalock and family of Boles, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Griffith of Clarksville, Tenn., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blalock, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Parker and Bobby accompanied by Miss Joy Parker of Palestine, attended the Parker family Christmas reunion in Dallas from Thursday until Saturday of last week.

Hubert Jackson of Waco, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jackson, during the holidays.

Eugene Davis of NTSC, Denton, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Davis.

Lyndon Ray Reed, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Reed of Pampa, entered Griffith's Hospital in Paris Monday for treatment. His parents visited relatives here during the holidays.

Owen Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller, returned to Henderson, Tenn., Tuesday to resume his school work in Freed-Hardeman College after spending the Christmas vacation here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Adams and Bobby visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilson in Hughes Springs from Sunday until Tuesday. They left Wednesday to visit his mother in Waxahachie.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smelley Jr., Miss Juanita and Wayne visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smelley Sr. in Nacogdoches Saturday. Christmas day they visited her sister, Mrs. S. N. Boykin and family in Grapeland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Love of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hall and children of Daphne community and Gene Pinkston, student of a Jacksonville college, spent Christmas day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Pinkston.

Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Colley were his mother, Mrs. Minnie Colley of Paris, his sister, Mrs. W. H. Pound and two sons, Billy and Jerry, and Mrs. Colley's aunt, Mrs. Carl Condray and Mr. Condray of Dallas. Their friends, Rev. and Mrs. S. C. Irvin of Houston.

Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Mauldin were her daughter, Mrs. T. J. Cunningham and Mr. Cunningham, her sister, Mrs. Ray Snodgrass and Mr. Snodgrass and daughter, Judy Gray of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Leatherwood of Clarksville, Don Hopkins, student of Texas A. & M. College, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Whitney and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Sikes, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sikes and Mrs. George Allen and children of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henry, their children and Mr. Henry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Henry of Palestine, visited Mrs. J. D. Henry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hawthorne and her sister, Mrs. Buck Thomas and Mr. Thomas during the holidays.

Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Howard were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Sims and children of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stewart of Olney and Mr. and Mrs. Marion McAfee, their daughter and Dean of Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel J. Thompson and daughter, Mrs. Horace Whitten of Idabel, Ok., spent the Christmas holidays with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Marvin Hazlewood and Mr. Hazlewood.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Watson during the holidays were Mrs. Claudia Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Stearns of Houston; Mrs. B. C. Cook, Frank and Harry Mathews, Miss Clyde Holland, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Vowell and three sons, W. R., Gene and James of Waco.

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Progress Shown Soil Conservation Work in Red River County in 1949

The Red River County Soil Conservation District shows much progress during 1949 in soil conservation work, as reported by Robert J. Owin, Work Unit Conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service, assisting the district.

Soil Conservation Service personnel, assisting the Red River County District worked out, during 1949, coordinated conservation plans on 71 farms comprising some 14,527 acres. The Soil Conservation District has now been in operation almost nine years and the Soil Conservation Service has worked out during this time coordinated plans on 710 farms covering 131,135 acres.

Much conservation work has been done on these farms cooperating with the district. During 1949 there were 90 miles of terraces constructed on 1640 acres of cropland. Thus making a total of 861 miles of field terraces built on 16,200 acres of cropland since the beginning of the Red River County Soil Conservation District.

During 1949 an additional 1974 acres was farmed on the contour making a total of, since the beginning of the District, 1,164 acres of cropland being planted on the contour.

Diversion terraces and during 1949 there were 68,400 feet 2949 making a total of 294,900 feet having been constructed to date. Most of these diversion terraces are constructed on land bottom of slopes on water from to prevent outside erosion.

Going across the soil improving crops, such as vetch, Austrian winter peas, singletary peas and hubam clover were planted on 7783 acres during 1949. Since the organization of the Red River County Soil Conservation District, cover crops have been planted at least once on approximately 23,578 acres.

Mrs. W. N. Dennie Dies Following Long Illness

Mrs. W. N. Dennie, 68, of Pattonville, died Saturday afternoon at 1:30 at her home following an illness of several months duration. Funeral service, conducted by the Rev. C. H. Hoover of Bogata, was held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at the Baptist Church at Pattonville, of which she was a member. Burial was in Highland cemetery at Deport.

Deceased, the former Elsie O. Chamness, daughter of L. B. and Rebecca Chamness, was born on March 28, 1881 at Clarendon, Ark. She had resided at Pattonville since 1903.

Surviving besides her husband are three sons, and a daughter, Willie Dennie of Fulbright, Jack Dennie of Salinas, Calif., Joe Travis Dennie, and Mrs. John Cason of Pattonville, four grandchildren.

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Interest in soil conservation work, of the last few years, has continued through 1949 as evidenced by the number of applications received for technical assistance and by the large amount of conservation practices established. Should present interest continue and weather conditions be favorable, much soil conservation work is expected to be accomplished in 1950.

and a brother, A. H. Chamness of Paris. Pallbearers were Mutt Pettit, Barney Scott, Barney Wilson, Bob McDowra, Johnnie Carter, and Dempsey Floyd. J. M. Grant Funeral Home had charge of interment.

METHODIST CHURCH

C. D. KING JR. Pastor
Church School—9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship—11:00 a. m.
Evening worship—7 p. m.
WCS—Wednesday, 2 p. m.
Mid-week prayer service and choir practice—Wednesday, 7 p. m.

TALCO TIMES ON SALE AT CITY DRUG STORE

Current issues of The Talco Times are on sale at 5 cents each at the City Drug Store in Talco. You may subscribe for or renew your subscription there.

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LOCAL NEWS AROUND TALCO

T. L. Belcher is a patient in a Mt. Pleasant hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Howeth spent Sunday with his parents in Klondike.

N. A. Stephenson, who has been ill for the past two months, is able to be up.

F. M. Clemmons, employed in Wichita Falls, spent the week end with his family here.

Mrs. S. O. Loving is in a satisfactory condition in a Dallas hospital after surgery last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hawkins and son left Tuesday to visit Mr. Hawkins' relatives in DeKalb.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Murphy of Van, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McAfee, Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Welch spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Presley, in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mathews of Dallas, spent Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sullivan.

Nelda Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones, is in a Paris hospital following an appendectomy Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Prestidge have returned from visiting his mother in Ft. Worth and Mrs. Prestidge's relatives in Cleburne.

Mrs. Nora Williams, Richard, Alice and Wanda, visited Mrs. C. A. Williams and other relatives in Holly Springs, Ark., the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watkins and two sons of Longview, returned home Monday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Neeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Donohoe and Jack Clement spent Christmas day with their parents in Denison. Jack remained for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beasley visited last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beasley, and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Brewer at McNeil, Ark.

Bobby Brazil who is attending Tech-Hi school in Little Rock, Ark., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Brazil.

Delbert Dillard of the Merchant Marines, stationed in Manhattan, left Thursday after a visit with his aunts, Mrs. Chas. Roberts and Mrs. A. Dyson and families. Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Dyson accompanied him to Texarkana.

Miss Hinton Davis of Dallas, returned home Tuesday after visiting her mother, Mrs. Minnie Coker, and her sister, Mrs. Hughie Harper and Mr. Harper.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Duke during the week were Mrs. Duke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. French of Gilmer and her cousin, Herbert Marsh of Marshal, Kans.

Mrs. Kenyon Eaton and two children of Conroe, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Perdue, and her sister, Mrs. Jack Winn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Keeling and two daughters of Dallas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Keeling and his sister, Mrs. Howard Sullivan and family during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whitney and two children of Dallas, have returned home after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Whitney and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Alsbrook.

Mrs. Mary Turner of Kennett, Mo., arrived Sunday to visit her daughter, Mrs. F. M. Hall and family. Wednesday Mrs. Turner and Mrs. Hall left for San Angelo to visit Mrs. Hall's daughter, Mrs. Gene Gandy and Mr. Gandy.



Here's success in doing what you have to do and a sincere wish for a Happy New Year.

FELIX JONES GENERAL INSURANCE

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitney and two children of Marshall, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Whitney and her sister, Mrs. E. G. Harris and Mr. Harris during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Frye, Edward, Robert Paul and Shirley Lewis visited Mr. Frye's father, W. A. Frye and family in Wister, Ok., and Mrs. Frye's uncle, Walter Lewis and family in Howe, Ok., during the holidays.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones were Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Jones and Charles of Longview, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Jones and Phil of Winnsboro, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blackard, Kirby, Doug, Donna and Diane of Greenhill, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nichols II, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nichols I, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nichols III and Linda, Jerry L. Jones and John Paul Jones of Ft. Worth and Billy Gene Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cato and David, Dallas, and Lon Jones, student of Abilene Christian College.

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Sunday School—9:45. C. H. Parsons, superintendent.
Morning worship—11:00.
Training Union—6:30 p. m.
James Gandy, director.
Evening worship—7:30.
Bible study and prayer service—7:30 Wednesday evening.

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REV. I. T. HARPER, Pastor
Sunday services:
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
Morning worship—11:00 a. m.
Evangelistic services—7:45 p. m.
Mid-Week Services:
Tuesday—7:45 p. m.
Young people—Thursday, 7:45 p. m. Saturday, 7:45 p. m.
A hearty welcome to all.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

BRO. MARK WELLS, Pastor
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.
Charlie Russell, supt.
11:00 a. m.—Morning service.
6:30 p. m.—BTU—Eddy Auld, supt.
7:30 p. m.—Evening service.
2:00 p. m. Thursday—WMU.
6:30 p. m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting.
6:30 p. m. Thursday—Brotherhood.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible study—Sunday, 9:45 a. m.
Worship service—10:50 a. m.
Young people's classes—6:45 p. m.
Worship service—7:30 p. m.
Ladies' Bible Class—Wednesday afternoon, 2:30.
Singing, prayer, Bible study—Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
We welcome you to any of our services.

Federal Grand Jury Indicts Four Former Paris Bank Employees

A federal grand jury in Sherman has indicted four former members of the staff of the First National Bank of Paris.

They were accused of conspiracy to violate U.S. banking laws, misapplication of funds, and making false entries over a period from Dec. 21, 1942 until Aug. 6, 1949.

Indicted were Morris Fleming, vice president and trust officer of the bank; Alfred Kidd, assistant trust officer; William H. Snow, assistant trust officer, and Ann Marshall, bank employee.

Federal District Attorney Warren G. Moore said the government alleges approximately \$70,000 was misapplied.

The 20 counts in the indictment other than the conspiracy count include five for false entries and 15 charging embezzlement and misapplication of funds.

The indictment charged the setting up of fictitious accounts

to be used to conceal and carry out conspiracy, and transfer of trust funds to these accounts.

Fleming was indicted on 21 counts; Kidd on 15; Snow on 20, and Ann Marshall on 19.

Under the count charging conspiracy to violate federal banking laws, 17 overt acts were listed as being committed by the four in furtherance of the conspiracy.

Charges against the four were filed by the Federal Bureau of Investigation September 26 before the U. S. Commissioner in Paris, Mrs. Clara Faust. At that time Fleming, in a statement to The Associated Press, said he was innocent of any wrong-doing.

The case against the four is expected to be called during the next term of Federal District Court in Paris, criminal docket of which has been set for January 2, 1950. Bonds which they made on September 28 are returnable on January 2.



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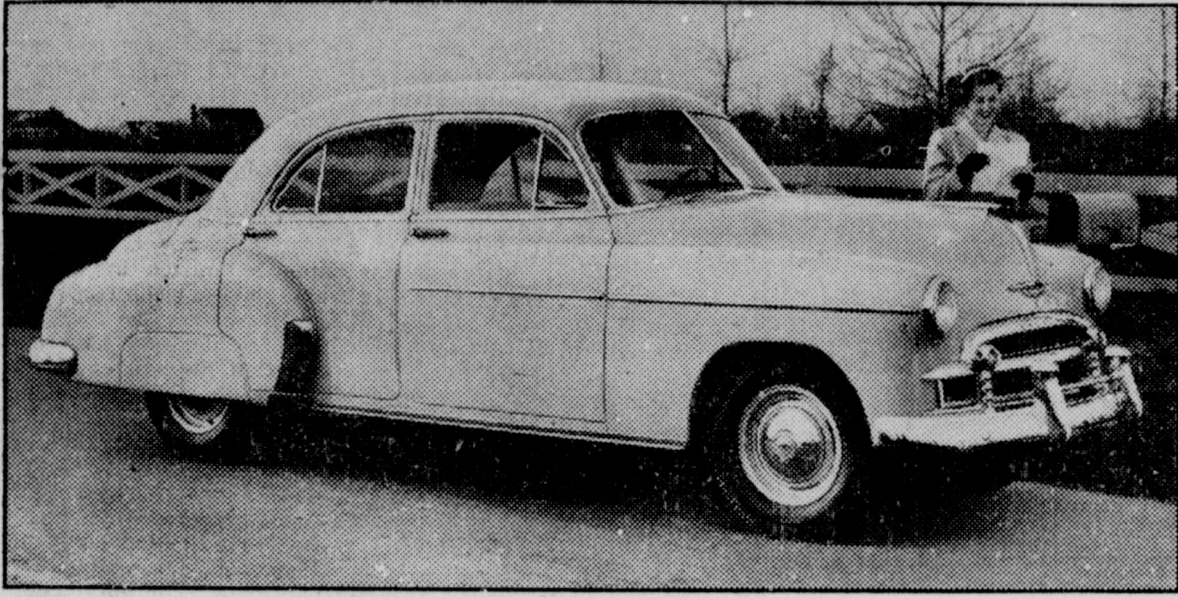
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The Styleline, one of two individually designed sedans which have achieved immense popularity with Chevrolet owners, will have new beauty in 1950. Improved grille work, sturdier bumper guards and more tasteful ornamentation are some of the exterior improvements. New Chevrolets also offer increased power and comfort with the Powerglide automatic transmission as optional equipment on De Luxe models.

LOCAL NEWS ABOUT BOGATA

Pleas Turner is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. H. E. Cook spent Christmas with relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. Walter McDavid has been confined to her bed by illness this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Branson of Paris, were Bogata visitors Friday.

Bob Puckett of Bidor, visited his father, Lee Puckett, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beck of Ada, Okla., spent Tuesday with Mrs. Virginia Bishop.

Ennis Stogner, ill in a Paris hospital for several days is reported improving.

John M. Howison left Tuesday for a two day business trip to Washington, D. C.

L. L. Jones is visiting in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Horace Poole at Odessa.

Miss Faye Coats of Dallas, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Coats.

Mrs. Nora Everhart of Ft. Worth, spent the holiday week end with relatives at Bogata.

Mrs. Bert Bell ordered The Bogata News sent to her sister, Mrs. Price Call, as a Christmas gift.

Miss Majorie Hancock of Dallas spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drew Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Harvey of Lubbock and Dallas, are spending the holidays at their home here.

W. C. Barnard, employed at Hull, spent the Christmas holidays with his family in Bogata.

Ned Miller of Clovis, N. M., spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Betty Miller, and other relatives.

Gerald Howard of Stephenville, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Turner spent Christmas day with his mother, Mrs. C. E. Turner, at Mt. Vernon.

Stanford Powell of New Boston, spent Christmas in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Skidmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Presswood spent the week end in the home of their son, Garvin Presswood, at Dallas.

Mrs. Vannie Seaman and daughter, Dixie Van of Dallas visited relatives at Bogata during the holidays.

Bob Athans Jr. of Ft. Worth, spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Athans.

Mrs. Homer Brunette of Austin, spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Dunn.

Mrs. Tom Kieth, who has been a patient at a Paris hospital several weeks was able to return to her home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Kinsey had as their guests Christmas, his mother, Mrs. Sam Kinsey, Paris; Mr. and Rodney Grayson and son of Snyder and Miss Erin Willis of Ft. Worth.

Miss Betty J. Hudson, stationed at Camp Lee, Va., with the WACS and Mrs. Mary Ripley of Dallas spent the Christmas holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ona Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Summers of Greggton, spent the Christmas holidays at their home here and with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Kelley of Dallas, arrived Saturday for a Christmas visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walker and daughter of Tyler, are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. R. Wilson, and other relatives.

Miss Ruth Wharton, student at ETSTC, is spending the holidays with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Albert DeBerry.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Waggoner and son, Eddie of Dallas, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Reese and children of Winters, are visiting relatives at Bogata and Deport during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Topping and family of Levelland, spent Sunday with his brother, Johnnie Topping and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stogner of Odessa spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Stogner at McCrury.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Harville and daughter of Paris, spent the week end with relatives at Bogata and Halesboro.

Mrs. J. R. Rutland is spending several weeks in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ira Dozier and family, at New Boston.

Philip Harold Hobbs Jr. of Midland, came Saturday for a week end visit with his mother, Mrs. Paul Williams, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Garrett and sons of Dallas, spent part of the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Garrett at Rugby.

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Bailey and son, Bobby Dean of Sherman, were Monday guests in the Jim Garrett home at Rugby.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hudson and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lawson visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Jones at Paris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Flipppo and son of Grand Prairie, are spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Chesshire.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lowry left Thursday night for Odessa to spend Christmas with their son, Jack Lowry, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Gray of Houston, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Morgan and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry and children of Dallas, are visiting in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Denny, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fortner of Dallas, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fortner and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones.

Graham Howison, student of A. & M. College, is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. W. C. Howison, and other relatives.

Mrs. Dave Franklin, with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hurt and son of Clarksdale, Miss., are spending the holidays with relatives at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Mitchell and daughter, Alice Ann, spent Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Selmon at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Martin and children of Paris, visited during the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Blankenship.

Dale Craddock of Austin, is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Amy Craddock, and other relatives at Paris and Gladewater.

Mrs. L. G. Ferris and children of Gilmer, visited during the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilkinson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Green of Dallas, spent the week end with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Curtis Hoover and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ray and daughters of Webber Falls, Okla. spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ray and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Seaman and children of Austin visited relatives at Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Later at Talco during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Adams of Memphis, Tenn. returned home Wednesday after a week end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Roberts.

Arche Building Brooder House

Construction of an all-aluminum poultry broiler house to measure 20 by 40 feet in width and length on the Wayne Archer place in the Cushing community has been started. Bill Murphy has the contract for the structure.

The building will start Mr. Archer in the broiler business and is expected to launch the construction of scores of similar broiler houses that may ultimately mean a million-dollar annual

business for farmers in this section. Interest in a broiler deal for this area was whetted when several Lamar County people went to Kaufman County and inspected a mammoth poultry project in that county. They learned from growers there that broilers on a year-round production basis are a profitable sideline on farms, especially dairy and beef cattle farms.

The national debt has increased another billion dollars, making the grand total 234 billions. Congress and the president seem determined to make it another Pike's Peak or Bust.

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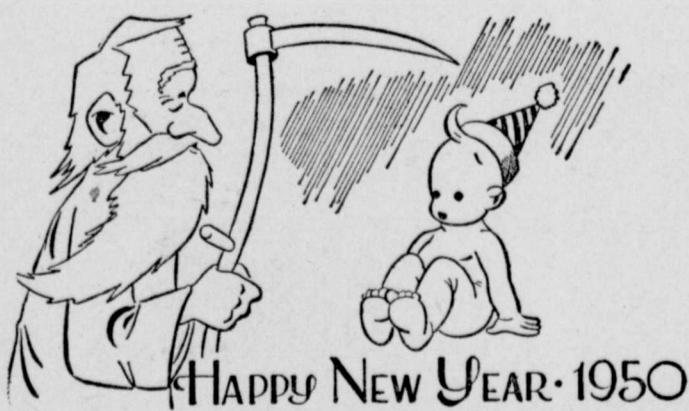
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An erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any individual, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of The Talco Times will be corrected upon being brought to the attention of the Publisher.

Our Christmas edition of last week brought expressions of appreciation from many readers. It was a beautiful newspaper, containing many pretty engravings, well-printed and a whole passel of Local News. Many visitors were here at the holidays and we learned out as many as was possible.

The Old Year with his long whiskers and flowing robe will step from the stage of 1949 next Saturday at midnight. Taking his place will be young Mr. 1950 with ambitions for a fruitful year ahead. All of us are hopeful that the next twelve months will be better—and it generally is. Our best wishes for a Happy, Prosperous New Year and grateful appreciation for your patronage in 1949.

HELP WANTED—MALE

The school teacher was conducting a class in English. "Now children," she began, "notice this sentence I have written on the blackboard: 'I didn't have no fun New Year's.' 'Willie how can I correct that?'" "Get yerself a feller, teacher," said Willie.

KNOWS HIS BUSINESS

First Pickpocket: "Why are you reading a fashion paper, Bill?"
Second Pickpocket: "Well, if we are to do well in our profession, we must know where pockets are worn."

Rockefeller Center's R. C. A. building in New York is 70 stories high.

EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCHART
in Pittsburgh Gazette

If you want to live dangerously, disregard traffic rules.

Congress is putting some fire under the coffee pot, as if the pot is not boiling over already.

Don't worry over the cost of Christmas. You'll have a whole year to prepare for another.

Maybe if we would suspend our suspended sentence law awhile the crime wave would lose some of its fury.

Uncle Sam plays Santa Claus to the whole world. The only naughty child in the whole family of nations is Russia.

Little Johnnie says that what the world needs at Thanksgiving is larger tummies and at Christmas time longer stockings.

So much congressional investigation would not be necessary if voters took time to do some investigating before they voted.

Only a short time now until you will bring forth those old moth-eaten New Year resolutions and give them another chance to make good.

What is it all about—that hurrying and scurrying and feverish activity? Nothing but a desire to make somebody happy about December 25.

Gen. Eisenhower says if it's security you want you can get it by going to jail, where food, clothes and shelter will be provided. From the amount of crime committed in the state, plenty of scollared security is in sight for the law-breakers.

Political magicians are at work on a new trick. They want to provide \$100 a month pension to everybody. They know the idea will get votes. At the same time everybody knows that when a rabbit is pulled from the tax bag the bag is owned by Johnny Q. Public.

With ex-Congressman May in prison for aiding others in securing war contracts, Congressman Thomas sentenced to prison for defrauding the government, and Hopkins and Wallace suspected for revealing atom bomb secrets to Russia, many are curious to know how many more trusted government men are guilty, but haven't been found out.

NOTICE

The discharge or firing or use of fireworks, firecrackers, rockets, torpedoes, Roman candles or any other fireworks is prohibited within the city limits of Talco and any person caught violating the above will be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, fined and dealt with according to law.

CITY OF TALCO.

Thousands of Rats Have Been Killed

Thousands of rats have been killed and thousands of dollars saved on several hundred farms as a result of the rural rat control program operating in Red River County. Six operators trained by a representative of the Rodent Control Service, cooperating with Texas A. & M. College, are using 1080 poison in the program.

By continued use of the service farmers have been able to eliminate damage caused by rats to buildings, stored grain, equipment, and food for human use. Rats are also known to spread several serious human diseases.

During the past month treated wooden blocks have been used for bait cups. Each block has in it a piece of blotter that has been saturated with a concentrate 1080 solution, then dried. Upon request an operator will treat a farm for rat control using the blocks. Each block contains enough poison to be used three times. They are filled with water at the time of treatment and the rats either drink the solution or the water evaporates.

If rats show up again a month or six weeks later the blocks may be refilled with water and again the pests will be destroyed. After the third filling the operator may be contacted and he can replace the 1080 charged blotter. In this manner rats can be held under control at a minimum cost to the farmer.

The six operators in Red River County are Joe Gibbs, Rt. 2, Detroit, James Benningfield, Rt. 3, Clarksville, Billy Rice, Rt. 6, Clarksville, Dorcas Emory, Rt. 2, Clarksville, Raymond Damron, Bogata, and Greely Gilliam, Rt. 1, Annona.

The program is sponsored in the county by the commissioners court, and is operated on a non-profit basis. The cost for treating farm premises is \$1.75. The 1080 poison may not be used in a farm dwelling.

TALCO TIMES ON SALE AT CITY DRUG STORE

Current issues of The Talco Times are on sale at 5 cents each at the City Drug Store in Talco. You may subscribe for or renew your subscription there.

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It troubles us again as dust.

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FOR SALE—Five room house on leased land. See G. E. Burks. 47-c

FOR new and good used cars, see us and save money. Connor-Clay Motor Co. used car lot on N. Jefferson, Mt. Pleasant. 46-c

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FOR SALE—Ford tractor in good condition. Would trade for truck or pickup. D. M. Thomas, Phone 80, Talco. 46-p

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FOR new and good used cars, see us and save money. 1949 DeSoto club coupe, 1949 Special Deluxe 4-door, 1949 DeSoto Deluxe coupe, 1948 Plymouth. A number of older low priced cars for your selection at bargain prices. Connor-Clay Motor Co., Used Car Lot on N. Jefferson, Mt. Pleasant.

REPOSSESSED PIANOS — We have a spinet piano and an upright piano in this vicinity we are having to repossess. Large amounts have been paid. Will transfer either piano to your home and let you take up balance of payments. Call or write before we send truck. Crabbie Music Co., 211 West Tyler St., Phone 563, Longview, Texas. 46-c

Ted Tompkins Weds Muriel Hancock

Miss Muriel Jean Hancock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hancock, became the bride of Ted Tompkins, son of Mrs. Callie Tompkins, Saturday, Dec. 17 at 6:15 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mays at Dallas. The Rev. Peveto, pastor of the Emmanuel Baptist Church, read the vows.

The bride wore a navy blue suit with black and white accessories and carried a white Bible topped with white carnations.

Miss Majorie Hancock, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a brown suit with black accessories. Her corsage was yellow mums. Bob Hancock, brother of the bride, was best man.

Attending the wedding were Florence Harmon, Leroy Voight, Mary McDonald, Mrs. Cleo Norris, Mr. and Mrs. Mays and Mrs. Bob Hancock, all of Dallas. The couple will make their home in Bogata.

Tree Poisoning Dem. Jan. 5-6

Two tree poisoning demonstrations will be conducted in Red River County on Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 4th and 5th. Don Munger, technical representative of the Du Pont Company, will be present to demonstrate and discuss the methods of using ammate in eradicating brush, sprouts, and scrub timber.

At 2:00 p. m. on Wednesday, Jan. 4, the group will meet at Dr. R. W. Payne's farm on Highway 82 between Annona and Avery. The demonstration will be carried out near his new barn.

At 10:00 a. m. on Thursday, Jan. 5 the demonstration will be held on the R. L. Jones dairy farm 1½ miles north of Detroit on the Woodland road.

Brush and scrub timber cover many thousands of acres of potentially good pasture and meadow land. Anyone planning to carry out a brush control program is urged to attend one of the meetings. A considerable amount of eradication work has already been completed on both farms that will be visited.

On the Payne farm brush saws, a bulldozer, and a number of chemicals have been used in different tests. Ammate has been used on the Jones farm.

AND YOU TOO

"I was about 20, and very romantic, and we were walking home on a date. He was not proposing, but he did ask me what I would expect to find in the man I would marry."

"It was all the prompting I needed. Douglas Fairbanks was then the top screen Romeo, but my specifications made even Doug seem like a dime-store diamond. He must have a family, poise, money, looks, ambitions, a good job. I went on like that for about three blocks. Sir Galahad himself would have flunked the specifications."

"The young man never said a word all that time. When at last I finished, he said just one short sentence, but it flattened me out like a steam roller."

"And what, may I ask, do you have to offer in return?"

San Jacinto Monument, near Houston, is the tallest stone monument in the world.

DETROIT COUPLE OBSERVE 60TH WEDDING SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hollander, of Detroit, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on Christmas day with a dinner at their home.

children, Mrs. David C. Hollander, Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell, Texarkana, and of Detroit, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on Christmas day with a dinner at their home. Several grandchildren and great-grandchildren attended.

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½ Insulation	\$6.50

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Sheetiron	\$8.25 per square
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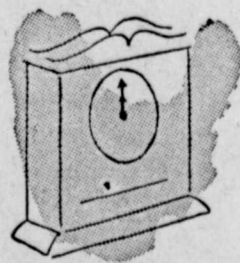


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A Good New Year Resolution for The People of These United States

By GEORGE S. BENSON

Pres. Hardin College, Searcy, Ark. If the next session of Congress is not the time to balance the national budget, then for sure I do not know when that time will ever come. In fact, indications are that unless we can bring spending and taxes into line in 1950, we may never be able to get back our sanity in government money matters. If we are unable to balance the budget in good times, just when shall we hope to? The time to balance is now!

Senator Byrd, that hard-working expert on problems of federal spending, says the budget can be balanced. But he says Congress has three possible choices to make this coming year. It's up to Congress, he says, to decide whether to balance or not balance. It can choose a tax boost of more than \$7 billion—it can hold the spending budget to \$36 billion—or it can allow more than \$7 billion of spending in excess of revenue, and add it to our huge national debt.

Primrose Trail This latter course, the Senator so well says, would lead the nation "gaily along the economic primrose path of indefinite deficit financing." This is the route that to many of our people have become accustomed to, yet it is the path that may well lead to economic ruin. That so few citizens are aware of these dangers is a fact hard to understand. That so few of those who understand are doing anything about it is even more amazing.

President Truman apparently has chosen the first course. He wants to keep government spending at a high level. He reasons that this can be done by loading business and industry with heavy burdens. (These taxes cost money, no matter whether your bracket is high or low!) The President has shown some willingness to avoid deficit spending next year, after letting expenditures run \$5½ billion over income this year. But he says he can't do it without more taxes.

It Is Your Problem

Even Budget Director Pace has said that a tax raise will be needed to balance the budget. He has also promised that the budget to be presented in January by President Truman will not be more than \$45 billion! Revenue under present laws is only \$33 billion. This leaves \$7 billion needed to balance that kind of spending. That kind of money doesn't grow on trees in Arkansas. (Arkansas could use part of that we'd have to pay, right here in the state!)

But where would this \$7 billion come from? It is obvious that spending is another way of saying the word taxes. Just like it would be in your own personal affairs, spending more than you've got calls for more income—or else bankruptcy. But the nation is yours, too. That's a lesson that every American must learn, before it is too late. More government spending means less take-home pay, higher living costs, and greater risk of depression.

How to Get a Surplus But that \$7 billion need not come from anywhere! Senator Byrd proposes that \$7½ billion be peeled off the present rate of spending. This would bring the budget for next fiscal year down to \$36 billion. Even this, he says, is \$2 billion more than the President's own budget for 1948. And with present tax laws, a \$36 billion budget would provide a \$2 billion surplus that could be applied to our dangerously big national debt!

Now is the time to balance the budget, not add to it. Yet we are going along, spending this year more than we did in the first year of the war. All this in peacetime, when business is good and employment high. If we cannot balance the budget when tax revenue is so high, just when can it be balanced? When the government insists on spending more billions on added millions of persons, naturally there will be no balance of the budget. The future demands economy, not more taxes.

Gaylord McCluer of Dallas, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McCluer.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Bogie and son, Harold Dean, spent the holidays with relatives at Lone Star.

Mr. and Mrs. John Van Coats and children of Grand Prairie, visited during the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Coats, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barnwell of Longview, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barnwell at Humble Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. W. V. (Bunch) Humphrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Griffin and daughter, Ann of Dallas, were holiday visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McCluer and other relatives at Deport and Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Weddle and family and Mrs. John Ray Vickers and son of Durant, Ok., are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Puckett.

Irvin Kidd of Denver City, Mrs. Anne Hancock and Roy Perry of Clarksville, visited in the home of their sister and aunt, Mrs. J. C. Williams during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Reno Mancino and son, Ronnie of Philadelphia, Pa., are spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Roberts, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Garrett had as their guests Monday night her brother, Lee Bailey of Negley, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Bailey of Deport and Miss Patsy Beers of Clarksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fleming of Odessa, arrived Friday for a holiday visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scarborough at Johnstown, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fleming at Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dozier and children of Grand Prairie, spent Sunday and Monday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Dozier and Mr. and Mrs. W. V. (Bunch) Humphrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morris and family of Huntsville, spent the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Morris at Morris Chapel, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Green at Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. John K. Ford had as their holiday guests their daughters, Janice and Justine of Dallas, Genevieve of Port Neches, Jean of Denton and son, George of Del Rio City.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Jones and son, Lynn of Commerce, and Labon Earl Jones of Houston, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pinson and Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Jones at Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. John Newton Kieth of Houston, spent the holidays with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Shows, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Thompson spent the holidays in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Harrell at Longview.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mauldin of Houston, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Laura Stephenson, and other relatives.

Mrs. Dora Reynolds, a patient at the Grant Hospital for three weeks, was able to be moved Tuesday to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Legate at Fulbright.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fortner have returned home after a visit in the home of their son, Dean Fortner, at Yorktown. Gary Fortner who had been visiting his grandparents, returned to his home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Brown and children have returned to their home at Odessa, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Mathena, and other relatives here and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown at Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Skidmore and sons, Eddie and Mike of Dallas, are spending their holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Skidmore at Pattonville, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Fennell at Bogata.

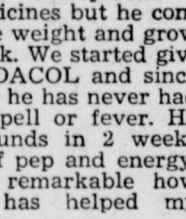
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Athons entertained with a Christmas dance at the Community House Friday night in honor of their son, Bob Jr. of Ft. Worth, who is home for the holidays. About one hundred guests enjoyed the event.

Paris Automatic Gas Co. at Paris was burglarized Tuesday night and \$40 is reported missing. What we would like to know is how come those boys with \$40 just after Christmas? Police said that a filing cabinet, containing the cash and several checks, had been forced open.

4 YEAR OLD BOY WAS WASTING AWAY

My son Bobby Jean, 4, had been suffering from vomiting spells. Each attack sent him to bed with fever for 2 or 3 days. We tried all kinds of medicines but he continued to lose weight and grow pale and weak. We started giving him HADACOL and since the first dose he has never had a vomiting spell or fever. He gained 4 pounds in 2 weeks and is full of pep and energy. It is really remarkable how HADACOL has helped my child.

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LOCAL NEWS ABOUT BOGATA

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Childers returned Saturday after a visit in the home of their son, Don Childers, and wife at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sims and daughter of Shreveport, La., are spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Houston Roberts, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ois Swaim and daughter, Carol of Talco, spent Monday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Garrett, at Rugby.

On Sunday night Bogata Presbyterians dismissed their service to meet with the Baptists to honor the Rev. Hoover in his farewell service.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wilson of Corpus Christi, arrived Saturday for a holiday visit with his mother, Mrs. Willie Wilson, and other relatives.

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New Year's Greetings

As the New Year is ushered in, we wish to pause for a moment or two and look back on the past twelve months.

In doing so we can see innumerable instances where our friends have been very considerate—where favors have come our way, and friendships have been proven in more ways than one.

Consequently, it is with genuine enthusiasm that we stop at the threshold of the New Year to wish each of you all the good things we can think of for the next twelve months. We are grateful for all you have done for us and take this means of expressing our thanks to each of you.

May the New Year be one of Health, Happiness and Success to all.



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Our New Year's wish is that we may continue to merit the goodwill of our friends who have been so loyal to us in the past.

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CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. "Judge Roy Bean" (right) a 1240 pound Hereford steer from Texas, and "Chino 8062" an 850 pound junior calf of the same State College as "Grand and Reserve Grand Champion fat of Kansas Steers," of the 50th Anniversary International Livestock Show, respectively, it is unusual for a junior calf to win one of the Show held at as big a steer show as the International — more unusual top honors — best of the same breed.

A new ten the "Grand Champ" sold to the highest bidder. He returned to the County 4-H Club, the group by whom he was fed and shown, to the Per \$15,155 including \$1,555 in prizes awarded by the International Association of the American Hereford Association of Kansas City.

"Judge Roy Bean" is a grade Hereford from the 500 cow herd of a "Judge" rancher, Jack Allison, who has used top registered Hereford bulls for years. A specially built trailer house served as transportation, to make the trip from Fort Stockton to Chicago with their County boys W. T. Posey.

Agentive Champion "Chino 8062" sold for \$3.75 per pound. He was resited by the China Farms of Church Hill, Md., and was fed and exhibed by Arthur McArthur, who fitted the grand champion steers of show the 1936 and 1937 International Shows.

Ginings Larger Than Last Year

Comparative figures on ginings prior to December 1 for Northeast Texas counties as reported by the Department of Commerce follow:

County	1949	1948
Titus	3,585	3,311
Red River	19,286	19,074
Lamar	39,445	37,028
Bowie	8,898	11,145
Cass	10,578	7,084
Delta	28,480	25,703
Fannin	55,199	37,791
Harrison	12,430	6,825
Hopkins	18,473	16,591
Hunt	64,190	58,037
Morris	1,684	1,983
Upshur	2,059	1,934
Wood	5,146	5,428

PHONE APPLICATIONS BEING PRINTED

Claude Wickard told a Temple audience that application forms for loans for extension of telephone service in rural areas were being printed.

He predicted the Rural Electrification Administration may be able to start processing such loans by the end of February. Wickard is REA administrator. He spoke at a breakfast given by directors of the Temple Chamber of Commerce.

Don't keep telling the lady you are unworthy of her. Let it be a complete surprise. — Catskill Mountain News, Margaretville, New York.

Discount on Taxes Expires Dec. 31

Only Friday and Saturday of this week remain for those who want to save one per cent on city, county and state taxes. Dec. 31 is the deadline. If taxes are paid in January there is no discount, and after Jan. 31 there will be penalty and interest to pay.

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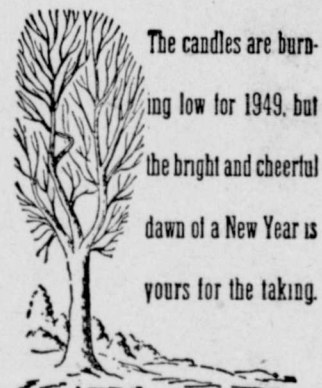
If China expects Communistic Russia to help her 400 million half-starved people she will be disappointed. Russia was never known to hand out bread to a starved people. If the U. S. will feed China, Russia might find a way to supply her with arms to fight us.

Celebrate 70th Wed. Anniversary

An event of interest to older residents of Talco and Deport is the celebration of the seventieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William V. Lambeth of Loma Linda, Calif., last week. Mr. and Mrs. Lambeth were married in Deport in 1879 at the ages of 28 and 21. They lived in the Lavada community for several years.

With Mr. and Mrs. Lambeth on their anniversary were six children: R. R. Lambeth, Quartsite, Ariz., J. B. Lambeth, Oakland, Calif., Mrs. H. A. Grube, Lemoore, Calif., Mrs. G. Page, Bolton, Cal., and Mrs. Pearl Crossland and Miss Ellen Lambeth, Loma Linda. Grandchildren and great-grandchildren present were Drs. Jacob and Ernestine Jantzen and three daughters of Glendale, Cal., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Page, San Diego, Cal., William Lambeth, Palm Springs, Cal., Richard Lambeth, Banning, Cal., Lydell and Robert Lambeth, Colton, Calif., George Page and Lyman Lambeth, San Bernardino, Calif., and James Lambeth of Loma Linda.

No allowance a man gives his wife compares with the one she makes.



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Southeast Lamar Seeks Telephones

People from Milton and Cunningham gathered at Minter on Thursday night of last week to see what could be done about securing telephone service in those communities.

They got assurance of an investigation into their needs from Jerome McKinney, district manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

Mr. McKinney told the group that a survey would be made shortly after the first of the year to get an estimate of the cost of a line from Pattonville down the farm-to-market road to their communities. It would connect at Pattonville with a line from Paris.

He pointed out, however, that it would require time after the survey was completed to get the service they want. Materials would have to be ordered and other necessary business settled before the work could begin. This would take time, it was emphasized.

Joe Ridgeway, manager of the Paris office of Southwestern Bell, was on hand and assisted Mr. McKinney in answering questions pertaining to the problems involved in establishing a new service line.

TCPT Managers To Meet Jan. 16-18

The Board of Managers of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers will hold its annual mid-winter session in Austin Jan. 16-18 in the recently completed addition to the State Office. Among matters to be discussed will be field service, district spring conferences, selection of delegates to the national convention in Long Beach, Cal., in May, choosing of a program outline for the following year and other parent-teacher business.

Mrs. J. H. Moore of Deport, state president, will preside.

THANK YOU

We wish to thank our many friends for the kindness and sympathy extended to us and for the beautiful flowers sent us in the recent illness and death of our beloved husband and uncle, A. D. Smith.

Especially are we grateful to Dr. Miller and Dr. Kennedy and to the nice nurses at the hospital for your thoughtful attention. May the richest blessings be yours, is our prayers.

Alice Smith
Mrs. O. B. Walton.

Baylor University, now in Waco, was originally located at Independence, Texas.

Talco Happenings Ten Years Ago

Week of December 29, 1939

Glen Cowan, 21, of Talco, had been killed in an automobile accident which occurred near Mineola.

Mrs. Ami Sue Cato had returned home after an operation at Paris.

Bird Old Jr. had entered the race for County Attorney of Titus County.

Mrs. Mattie E. Horn, native of Titus County, had died suddenly at her home in the Liberty Hill community.

John H. Mason, 75, had died at his home in the Bridges Chapel community.

Application for a county-wide road improvement project had been approved by the Work Project Administration for Titus County.

First production sale of acreage was reported that the Sklar Oil Co. had paid \$125,000 cash to L. S. Flannery of Longview for 66.36 acres, Hendrick lease in the Franklin portion of the Talco field.

Constable Arthur M. Jackson of the Blossom Precinct in Lamar County had been charged with reckless driving in Choctaw County, Ok.

New bids for construction and repair work on the Titus County court house had been ordered by the commissioners court.

Henry S., five-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Sweeden, had returned to his home after treatment at a Paris hospital.

C. A. Jones of New Boston, had been seriously injured in a car wreck on Highway 271 between Talco and Mt. Pleasant.

R. C. Walker had returned home after surgical treatment at a Paris hospital.

Funeral services had been conducted at Omaha for James Coffey Cherry, 50-year-old farmer of that community.

FROM BAD TO VERSE

"Father is pleased that you are a poet," said she to her new heart interest.

"I'm glad," retorted the boy friend. "Is he a lover of poetry?"

"No," confessed the sweet young thing, "but my last boy friends he tried to throw out was a wrestler."

New Chevrolet Out January 7

DETROIT. — A new series of Chevrolet passenger cars, reportedly one of the most important ever developed by the company, will be unveiled Saturday, Jan. 7.

"The public has come to expect something unique in automotive progress. This year will be no exception. We are introducing an advance that has been a subject of research and test throughout the postwar period. The cars carry a development that we believe will have a revolutionary influence on automobiles of the future," said W. E. Fish, sales manager.

Polo pony raising is one of the chief industries around Brownwood, Texas.

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