



Delegates

Alton Raschke, left, and Murrell Blassingame were Mitchell County's delegates to the Farm Bureau's 41st annual state convention, held Dec. 1-4 in the Dallas Convention Center. They are pictured as they registered Sunday, Texas Farm Bureau President J. T. (Red) Woodson and governor Dolph Briscoe addressed delegates during Monday's meeting.

## Ex-Pro Speaker For Banquet

Former Chicago Bears defensive end Joe James will be guest speaker for the annual Football Banquet honoring Wolves football players. The Wolverines-sponsored banquet will be held Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. Deadline for making reservations for the banquet was Monday. James is now representing

## CHS Band Students Win Places

Thirteen of 15 Colorado High School band students who participated in regional band tryouts in Iraan Saturday placed in the individual competitions, said band director Kent Holder.

Eight of the regional winners will compete Monday in Odessa in area tryouts, he said. They are: Debbie Walding and Donna Wyrosdick, clarinet; Nancy Bird, contra bass clarinet; Brent Hardegree, flute; Cindy Holder, trombone; Leslie Greenlee, French horn; Dennis Ledbetter, cornet and Danny Edwards, tympani.

## County To Sell Trucks

Mitchell County commissioners met Tuesday morning, dispensing with business quickly because of the short agenda. They did decide to advertise taking bids to sell five used dump trucks. Bids may be sent to the county Auditor's office. They will be opened 10 a.m. Dec. 30.

Commissioner-elect Johnny Shackelford, Precinct Two, was present for the meeting, along with County Judge Bill Carter and County Auditor Dwayne Feaster and commissioners Marcus Vest, Paul Hunter, Drue Cawthron and Moody Richardson. Both Richardson of Loraine and Cawthron of Westbrook will be replaced on the commissioners' court when Shackelford and Robert Bruce of Loraine take over in January.

Commissioners officially appointed Dr. J. Melvin Crymes as county health officer, a requirement of the State Department of Health. Dr. Crymes has been county health officer for many years. Judge Carter said, but the state requires official appointment every two years.

In a final item of business, the commissioners approved entering into contract with McCreey and Huey of Austin for delinquent tax collection.

Oshman's Sporting Goods firm of Houston following years of coaching high school ball at Vega High School and serving as athletic director and head coach at Howard Payne University in Brownwood.

Special guests of honor at the banquet will be Wolves football players and coaches. The team members will announce their selection for Football Sweetheart following presentation of a number of special awards.

- Awards include:
- The E Award, presented annually to an outstanding football player by the Colorado City Record.
- The Heart Award, annual award made by Radio Station KVMC to an outstanding Wolf.
- The Hustlingest Wolf Award, presented annually by the coaching staff.

The football banquet honors the football team and coaches each year but everyone in the community is invited to attend.

## Coles Sees Changes In County's Schools

"There were only two school buses in the county--one at Hyman and one at Conaway, serving the local districts only, when I first started as county school superintendent," Roy Davis Coles said this week. "Because of isolation and lack of transportation, only ten per cent of students living in the county could attend an accredited high school," Coles added.

There were 25 rural schools under his jurisdiction in 1935 when he took office in January, plus the accredited high schools in Colorado City, Loraine and Westbrook.

- Valley View.
- Shepherd.
- North Champion.
- Lowe.
- Horn's Chapel.
- McKenzie.
- Conaway.
- Little Sulphur.
- Baumann.
- Landers.
- Silver.
- Hyman.

Coles said that China Grove, Longfellow, Horn's Chapel and Little Sulphur consolidated with Buford school district and had a lunchroom and six teachers before joining the Colorado Independent School District.

Between 1949 and 1950, Westbrook Independent School District called an election and voters decided to become a common school district, with the co-

Retiring Roy Davis Coles

# City Attorney Quits Three More Applicants For Manager's Job

Dell Barber, attorney for the city of Colorado City, Monday night quit his post after the city council refused to give him the authority he requested in dealing with police arrests. Barber told the council that he was quitting and he left the council chambers near the end of a 3 1/2 hour closed door session that was called for the council to interview three applicants for the job of city manager and to discuss personnel matters.

After Barber quit, the council called in Police Chief Jesse Brown and officers Pat Fuller and Bill Franklin and talked to them behind closed doors. When the council meeting was opened to the public again, Mayor Pro-Tem J. Lee Jones Jr., explained that Barber had resigned and his resignation ac-

cepted by the council. Jones said Barber didn't care to hold the office any longer.

Jones, who presided in the absence of Mayor C. C. (Mike) Burt who was out of town, also noted that the council talked to the policemen regarding several cases and the council believed the policemen should be commended for their actions in 2 recent cases. Jones said the council had also interviewed three applicants for city manager to succeed J. A. Sadler Jr. who gave notice in September that he was resigning effective Jan. 2.

No action was taken on the applications as there are three other applicants who will be interviewed Dec. 16. The three applicants interviewed Monday night were promised they would

be notified of the council's desires by Dec. 18.

The three applicants interviewed were Dennis Moore of Ada, Okla., Jack Key of Fort Worth and Mike Burr of Belaire, Tex. (near Houston). Council members said they were impressed by all the applicants.

Barber told the Record that he quit his post because he needed more control over police investigations in order to prosecute city cases and the council would not give him the authority to have a say in police investigations.

The subject came up for discussion after the police refused to take steps that Barber deemed necessary in several cases, the attorney pointed out. Barber pointed out that the council in September after a stormy debate, granted him the

authority to have a say in police investigations but apparently the police chief was not told of this action and the police refused to follow his directives.

In other action, the council also discussed changing the meeting date of the council from the second Monday of the month to the second Tuesday of the month in order to avoid having the meeting on the same day as the Colorado Independent School Board meeting. The idea, suggested by Council Woman Jody Neff, received favorable response from other members of the council and it is to be put on the agenda and acted on at a later date.

The council also delayed a wage increase for city workers, saying they hadn't had time to study city income figures to

determine where money for a wage increase could come from. A 25¢ an hour increase is being considered and if such an increase is granted, it will be made retroactive to Dec. 1, council members told city employees present for the meeting. The wage increase is to be discussed again soon, possibly at next week's meeting.

The council also accepted the annual report from the Colorado City housing authority, which was accompanied by a check in the amount of \$1,948.69 for taxes to the city, county and school.

The council also gave city employees a two-day Christmas holiday of Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 24-25, and tabled several items including purchase of water pipe and buying a gutter for the civic center.

Fire Chief Kent Gentry was present for the meeting which lasted till after midnight, and heard the council accept a bid of \$1,465 from Fire Appliance Co., of Wichita Falls for new fire hose. The council also discussed purchasing papers for the fire department, which was recommended by Civil Defense inspectors. Gentry suggested that instead of buying \$350 papers, that the city buy FM papers at \$150 each to be installed in the homes or cars of firemen. Gentry suggested that the city buy eight FM papers this year and possibly eight next year. He pointed out that Roscoe uses this system. The council agreed that the purchase would be a good idea and they wanted to make the purchase but need time to find the money in the city's budget. Gentry pointed out there are a number of fire hydrants in the

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## Board Opens Bids Approves Textbook Committee

consecutive calendar days after receiving notification to proceed.

Three bids were submitted for food service equipment: --Angelo Refrigeration and Restaurant Supply of San Angelo, \$17,700 in 60 consecutive calendar days.

--General Food Equipment and Supply of San Antonio, \$21,242 in 90 consecutive days.

--West Texas Coffee and Equipment Company of Abilene, \$17,324 in 60 consecutive days.

After studying the bids submitted and finding that they all met specifications, the board approved entering into contract with the firm submitting the lowest bid, West Texas Co-

ffee and Equipment Co. of Abilene.

Following the contract approvals, Huckabee told the board that progress on construction of the new high school was going according to schedule and would continue on schedule if weather permits. He said that the superintendent in charge of the building project was making up time lost to bad weather and labor problems and was presently having no difficulty in getting supplies.

Superintendent Lloyd McKee and board members discussed with Huckabee landscaping and laying out practice fields, two for athletics and one for the band's use. Huckabee advised the board that construction would delay seeding the fields until late summer but he would work with a surveyor and construction crews on the laying out of the fields.

Next item on the short agenda was official approval by the board of a textbook committee to study new texts and make recommendations. According to state law, McKee is chairman of the textbook committee and the board gave approval to the following:

- Carl Moore, Speech, H.S.
- Lonnice Ellis, Fundamentals of Math, Analytical Geometry and Elementary Analysis.

## Lions Report On Chili Day

Colorado City Noon Lions fed more than 850 people last Saturday as they held Chili Day in the Civic Center.

Lions served noon luncheon and supper, raising about \$200 to use in their projects. They are presently helping to buy glasses for three people in the community, one of the Lions said.

- Kathy Wilson, Spanish, Levels I & II, H.S.
- Surrey Gillum, Choral Music, Levels I & II, H.S.
- Christine Moseley, Elementary Science 6.
- Donna Burnam, Language and Grammar, 6-7-8.
- Ena Pattillo, Basal Reading, 7-8.
- Carolyn Weayer, Handwriting, Language and Grammar 3.
- Adele Wilkinson, Language and Grammar, 4-5.
- Betty Holder, Elementary Science, 3-4-5.
- Mary Furlow, Handwriting, Language and Grammar, 1-2.
- Kathy Stevenson, Elementary Science, 1-2.
- Rita Naredo, Bilingual Instruction 1.
- Juan Espinoza, Bilingual Instruction 2.

McKee also said that copies for public inspection of textbooks will be kept in the school administration office for anyone wishing to see them.

## Awards Banquet Saturday

Members and guests of the Western Riding Club will have an Awards Banquet Saturday in the Medallion Room of Lone Wolf Electric.

Serving time is 7:30 p.m. for the covered dish supper. Belt buckles worth \$100 each will be awarded the boy and girl who amassed highest point totals in each age group in the Playdays sponsored by the club each month of the past year.

Besides the high point buckles, runner-up buckles will be awarded and some surprise awards will be made.

Out of towners who have participated in the Playdays during the year have been invited to attend the banquet, and members are asked to bring enough food for themselves and guests.



Only 11 Shopping Days 'Til Christmas

Charges were filed November 24 in Justice of the Peace court against Jim Hearin, Colorado City, charging him with indecent exposure. He is currently free on \$1,000 bond.

In addition to the coaches stationed at strategic spots throughout the gym, McKee also said that two Colorado City police officers will be on hand for every varsity game and a police car will escort the visitors' bus out of town. Coaches will assume watch around the following stations: --Southeast Door leading from the visitors' side to the concession area, making sure no CHS students are sitting on the visitors' side. --Northeast Door leading from the home side to the restrooms and concession area in the foyer, checking restrooms frequently. --Northwest Stands, also helping to control the home side and checking the visitors' bus. --Rover Area, supervising the entire gym area including outside grounds, dressing rooms and bus area. There will also be two coaches on the gym floor, keeping the clock and excluding people from the gym floor following games and Everett will attend all games, keeping watch over the crowd and stands.



Happy winners of Santa's Dollars pictured above are Mrs. Roy Barker, \$100 winner, and E. E. Alberts, \$50 winner. Also winning the \$25 was Mrs. Landon Dorn, not pictured. Winners in last Saturday's drawing, held at 3 p.m. on City National Bank parking lot, presented their winning ticket stubs to Chamber of Commerce office before closing Wednesday, but the final drawing Saturday for \$175 will continue until all the cash has been given away. The following Saturday, Dec. 21, a drawing combining all tickets for each week's drawings will be held to give away over \$400 in merchandise to a lucky ticket holder.



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**TOPS Club Meets**

TOPS TX 691 met in the Texas Electric Reddy Room Monday night for their regular meeting and to plan the Christmas party, which will be held Monday night, Dec. 16, following the weekly meeting. The party will be at the home of Teresa Lewis, 944 Cedar. Each member will bring a covered dish and a gift to be exchanged.

The meeting was called to order by leader, Janie Lou Brady. The pledge was given and the song was sung. Roll was called by Hope Reyes, weight recorder, and Teresa Lewis was best loser of the week.

Members attending the meeting were: Mildred Dean, Louise Sweat, Teresa Lewis, Juanita Schafer, Linda Marion, Randy Schafer, Shirley Swinney, Louise Logston, Pauline Schafer, Jean Vest, Hope Reyes, Janie Lou Brady, Linda Perkins and Andrea Swinney.

**Selecting Gifts**

These residents of Claxton Lodge are shown as they do their Christmas shopping for friends and relatives. Ladies of the First Baptist Church brought various items for their selection Monday, as a convenience for those unable to shop in town. Shown in picture at left is Mrs. Clara Lankford, seated, assisted by nurses, Maybelle Hope and Jerry Wood-ell, right. In center picture, Mrs. Fanny Cooper, left, shows gift items to Mrs. Winnie Combs. Shown in right picture is Alfred Richey, left, with his purchases, assisted by Mrs. Jolene Blankenship.

**Mrs. Hall Hosts Dunn Canasta Club**

The Dunn Canasta Club met Thursday afternoon in the Dunn Community, with Mrs. N. F. Hall as hostess. Those attending were a guest Ida Chitsey of Hermleigh, Eileen West, Mae White, Bertha Ellis, Bertha Cotton, Nora Os-

**China Grove News**

By MRS. N. F. HALL  
Record Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Lucky Merket and family of Hamlin recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. Merket.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Berglund and family of Lubbock recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brown.

Mrs. Jess Brown spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Merket of Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Allen and family of Big Spring recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Allen.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Webb were Mrs. Annie Beezley of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rainey of Colorado City.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete White were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Jones, Regina and Sarah of Garland, Mrs. Bill Buckley and Laurie, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Clark all of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn White of Abilene.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Hall were, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Mize, Naomi and Brandy of Plainview, Mrs. Joe Bond of Maryneal, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Griggs, Junior Davidson, of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rainey and Charles Ray Dunn all of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Taylor of Dunn and Miss Janet West.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Hall visited Mrs. Lyda Shipp of Snyder Saturday afternoon.

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## News From Root Hospital

PATIENTS ADMITTED	PATIENTS DISMISSED
December 5 O. C. Palmer, City, medical; Mrs. Carol Louise Foust, Robert Lee, medical; Elic B. Hair, Loraine, medical.	December 5 Mrs. Hazel Jordan, Loraine, medical.
December 6 Mrs. Sharon Fay Hamilton, Roscoe, medical; Mrs. Velma Sheppard, City, medical; Avan Ceballos, City, medical.	December 6 Teri Lynne Groff, City, medical; Aaron Reedy, Merkel, accident; Mrs. Fletta Davis, City, accident.
December 7 Herbie Ned Lane, Roscoe, medical; Homer White, City, medical.	December 7 A. C. Benson, City, medical; Mrs. Sharon Fay Hamilton, Roscoe, medical; Mrs. Lindley Webb, City, medical.
December 8 Mrs. Mary Jewel Howard, City, accident; Harold Hamer, City, medical; Mrs. Dianna Tammen, City, medical; Glenn D. Madison, Roscoe, medical.	December 8 Mrs. Elaine Fugate, City, medical; Sarah L. Klas, Sweetwater, medical; Harold M. Hamer, City, medical; Mrs. Mary Howard, City, accident.
December 9 R. C. Johnson, City, medical; Mrs. Estelle Webb, Andrews, medical.	December 9 Elic B. Hair, Loraine, medical.

## HELLO WORLD

Tammy Rene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Lelek, of 904 Cedar, Colorado City, was born in Root Memorial Hospital December 4 weighing 7 lbs. 9 ozs.

Rhonda Joenell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dunlap of Colorado City, was born in Root Memorial Hospital December 7 weighing 6 lbs. 2 1/2 ozs.

## Ready Sunday School Class Has Christmas Party

Mrs. Kenneth Butler and Mrs. Loyd Wiggins were host for the Christmas party for members of the Ready Sunday School Class of Loraine First Baptist Church, in the Butler home Monday night.

Party rooms were decorated with yuletide motifs and a lighted Christmas tree.

Mrs. Butler played the organ as the group sang Silent Night to open the meeting.

Mrs. Roy Little read from Luke 2 in bringing the Bible story, and also read a Christmas story showing how one can

give sacrificially. Mrs. Tony Snyder said a prayer.

After the program all took part in singing Christmas carols and gifts were exchanged from the tree.

A refreshments plate of holiday goodies with coffee and hot punch was served by the two hostesses to Mes. Ed Small, Price Hall, Virgil Pardell, Top Lucas, Tom Graham, Roy Little, Billie Ruth Tartt, Tony Snyder, E. J. Schroeder, Jack Richey, Rosa Hamrick and Elwood Graham.



## Mass For Garcia Today

Cecil Garcia, 61, of Hermleigh, was dead on arrival at Root Memorial Hospital at 5:20 p.m. Monday. Justice of the Peace Mary Lee Moore ruled death by natural causes.

Mass will be said at 10 a.m. today, at St. Ann's Catholic Church. Father Tony Moran of Snyder, will officiate. Burial will be in Mitchell County Cemetery, directed by Kiker-Sale Funeral Home.

Born Feb. 1, 1913, in Beeville, Garcia married Andrea De La Paz in 1950 in Beeville. They moved to Hermleigh in 1951. A retired farmer, he was a Catholic.

Survivors are his wife; eight daughters, Mrs. Teresa Pena and Mrs. Lena Pena, both of Hermleigh, Mrs. Pauline Pena of Waxahachie, Mrs. Catarina Martinez of Oregon, Mrs. Minnie Moya of Corpus Christi and Miss Anita Garcia and Miss Carmen Garcia, both of the home; five sons, Joe, Pete and Cecil Jr., all of Hermleigh, Manuel of Colorado City and Alex of Norman; one sister, Mrs. Camilla Abridgo of Loraine; three brothers, Gabriel of Sweetwater, Frank of Hermleigh and Eusebio of Loraine; and five grandchildren.



## "The Children's Hour"

Greg Patterson of Snyder (left), Kay Whitman of Abilene and Marsha Moore of Colorado City are shown in a scene from "The Children's Hour" now being presented by the Western Texas College drama department in the campus Fine Arts Theatre in Snyder. Mrs. Moore plays the part of a teacher in a boarding school where the drama is set. Her husband, Carl Moore, is serving as make-up artist for the show. The play will continue through Dec. 14 with performances at 8 p.m. nightly. Admission prices are \$2 for adults and \$1 for students.

## Visit In Odessa

Mr. and Mrs. George Dawson and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Dawson and children, Larry and Lynn, spent Saturday, November 30, in Odessa, guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dawson.

Visiting in the George Dawson home Saturday were her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. George Delh of Grand Junction, Colo. who were enroute to San Antonio. Delh is a retired army captain.

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## Christmas Shopping

Residents of Root Valley Fair Lodge spent some time Tuesday in selecting Christmas gifts from the array of items displayed by women of the First Baptist Church. Shown with her gift selections in top picture is Mrs. Myrtle Pritchett (in chair). Assisting her with shopping is her sister Mrs. Bronson Gregory. In bottom picture Mrs. Mary Ezell shows her purchases from the various gift items which the church ladies made and brought to the lodge.

## Buford HD Club Has Christmas Party

A Christmas party highlighted the meeting of Buford Home Demonstration Club, Monday in the home of Mrs. Mack Ritchey.

The hostess served refreshments of Christmas cookies, candy, punch and coffee.

Those attending were: Mrs. Don Blassingame, Mrs. Hubert Feaster, Mrs. W. W. Cooper, Mrs. W. H. Fulton, Mrs. Allen R. Loving, Mrs. John Palmer, Mrs. Cecil Sneed, Mrs. Jim Nunn and the hostess Mrs. Mack Ritchey.

Mrs. Allen Loving was in charge of the day's program. Treasurer's report was given by Mrs. J. P. Nunn, during the business session.

Mrs. W. H. Fulton presented the program, "The Three Meanings of Christmas," followed by group singing of Christmas carols.

A book was signed by all club members and given to Mrs. Lindley Webb, the club president, who has been ill.

The Ritchey home was decorated for Christmas, and the white flocked tree was hung with pink and blue Christmas balls. Each member brought a gift for the tree and drew a number to match the numbers on the gifts.

## Historical Society To Meet Wednesday

The Mitchell County Historical Society will meet Wednesday December 18, at 3 p.m. in the Hesperian Room of Mitchell County Library.

Program for the meeting will be a report by Tom Goss on the State Convention, which he attended recently.

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Thursday	Runnells	Here	9th Grade Boys	7 P.M.
Monday	Hermleigh	Here	8th Grade B	3:30 P.M.
Monday	Sweetwater	Here	7th Grade A	5 P.M.
Monday	Ozona	There	9th Grade Girls	5:30 P.M.
Monday	Sweetwater	Here	8th Grade A	6 P.M.
Monday	Ozona	There	J.V. Girls	7 P.M.
Monday	Sweetwater	Here	9th Grade Boys	7:30 P.M.
Tuesday	Ozona	There	J.V. Boys	6:15 P.M.
Tuesday	Westbrook	Here	J.V. Girls	6:30 P.M.
Tuesday	Ozona	There	Varsity Boys	7:30 P.M.
Tuesday	Westbrook	Here	Varsity Girls	8 P.M.



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## COLORADO JR. HIGH CHATTER

The eighth grade students at Colorado Junior High are getting ready for the school Christmas play this year.

The name of the play is "The Innocent." The cast is as follows: Mary, Julie Fuller; Joseph, Joe Franco; Deborah, Deborah Bowen; Esther, Lisa Bobo; Rachel, Anita Rivera; the Shepherd Boy, Kerry Culbertson; the Innkeeper, Elmer Ward.

The director is Mr. Moore, the speech teacher, and the assistant director is Buddy Allison.

The technical staff includes: Stage Manager, David Rivera; Stage Crew, Travis Crenshaw, John Alvidrez, John Garcia, and Jerry Vann; Properties Organizer, Terry Massingill; Properties Crew, Frank Hernandez; Costume Organizer, Cynthia Owens; and Sound Technician, Robert Quiroz.

This is not the traditional Christmas play. It takes place two or three days after the birth of Jesus. King Herod has sent the troops to slaughter all the male babies under two years of age.

The play will be followed by a choral reading called "The Judgement Day" by James Weldon Johnson.

Mr. Jack White from the Texas Highway Department in Big Spring came and talked to the eighth grade science class Monday of this week.

He talked over some of the safety rules of bicycles and motorcycles. He talked about turning signals, and what size and kind of bikes you should buy. You should always give a car the right of way. If we will use these a bicycle or motorcycle a lot more fun.

Jr. High had another exciting game last Monday. It was in Sweetwater. A lot of parents and about 10 Jamborees were there helping the cheerleaders get our boys fired up.

We had another game Thursday here at the High School gym. Most of the Jamborees were there helping in getting the boys and the fans fired up.

We hope more people will come out to help us back our Wolves.

C-City 7th grade took on Ballinger's undefeated 7th grade Thursday night, Dec. 5, and played a good second half despite a cold first half. The score at half time was 17-8 in Ballinger's favor. C-City came back in the final quarter scoring 8 points to Ballinger's 2 points. The loss was the second for C-City compared to four wins. Michael Johnson did the scoring duties for C-City with 16 points. Jerry Lunceford did a good job on defense along with Russell Noel and Kirk Williams. C-City travels to Coahoma Monday with A and B games.

### Special Services To Be Held

The First Christian Church will hold a special Christmas service Sunday, December 15 at 11 a.m.

Mrs. Trena Taylor, who was one of the stars of the stage play "The Sound of Music," will sing "What Child Is This" and "O, Holy Night," as a special feature of the morning worship service.

The Rev. Lloyd Kincaid, pastor of First Christian Church invites everyone to attend the special Christmas service.

the Pupples! In the "B" game Lupe Luera and Clay Sayer led all scoring with 6 points each. C-City won the "B" game 18-12.

In the "A" game C-City won a close game 21-19. After being down 12-12 the 1st quarter C-City came back to trail 13-9 at half-time. C-City continued to play well to win by the narrow margin. Charles Jackson led scoring with 10 points. Jerry Lunceford was next with 4 points.

C-City 7th, now at 6-2, play Sweetwater Dec. 16 here.

The C-City 8th grade basketball team lost to the Big Spring Goliad team by a score of 37 to 31. This was quite an improvement since they played them before.

Leading the way on offense were: Johnny Garcia 12 points, Ricky Sanchez 7 points, Ruben Garcia, Joe Franco, Johnny Garcia and David Rivera. Come see us play Runnels Jr. High of Big Spring here today. WE'RE GONNA BEAT'EM!

### Rites For Jameson Today

Creed Jameson, 67, died Dec. 10 in Mercy Hospital in Slaton after a lengthy illness.

He is the father of George Jameson of Colorado City, manager of Anthony's. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. today in Slaton Church of Christ, with the preacher Grandol Forehand officiating. Interment will follow in Slaton's Englewood Cemetery.

Born Dec. 26, 1906, Jameson moved to Slaton in 1956 from Matador. He was a painter by occupation. Survivors include his wife, Susie; two sons, James of Slaton and George of Colorado City; a daughter, Mrs. Clara Martin of Slaton; one brother, Raymond of Long Beach, Calif.; one sister, Mrs. Alma Maxwell of Batesville, Ark.; and five grandchildren.

### Westbrook Area News

By MRS. W. A. BELL, Record Correspondent

daughter of Mrs. Jewell Smith, all of Westbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Wood of Okinawa announce the birth of a son, Dennis Allen, born December 1 and weighing 5 lbs. 11 ozs. Mrs. Wood is the former Donna Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Taylor of Houston; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Taylor and great-grand-

The Rev. and Mrs. Frank Hodnett and children, Frank Jr., Kristy and John, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Conaway. The Rev. Hodnett is a former pastor of Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bell, accompanied by Mrs. A. K. McCarley, Sr. of Colorado City, visited during the weekend in the home of Mrs. A. J. Holtkott in Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell and sons, Bradley and Corey, of San Antonio spent Sunday night with his parents, the W. A. Bells.

Mrs. Jewell Smith received word Tuesday of the death of her sister, Mrs. Edna McArthur of Spur.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Dec. 11 at 2 p.m. in the Church of Christ in Spur. Mrs. McArthur was the aunt of Mrs. C. E. Taylor, also of Westbrook.

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<b>Top Sirloin Steak</b> 1.25 <small>Boneless. USDA Choice Grade Heavy Beef Loin —Lb.</small>	<b>Sliced Bologna</b> 89¢ <small>Safeway Large Size. Regular or 1/2" Thick. 1-lb. Pkg.</small>
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	<b>Pork Loin Chops</b> 89¢ <small>Assorted. Family Pack —Lb.</small>
	<b>Beef Short Ribs</b> 49¢ <small>USDA Choice Grade Heavy Beef Plate —Lb.</small>
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<b>Brown &amp; Rolls</b> 35¢ <small>Serve Slightly. Safeway Special! —12-Ct. Pkg.</small>	<b>Sourdough</b> 49¢ <small>Broad. Skyloak. 24-oz. Loaf.</small>
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## Chrismon Tree Decorates First Methodist Church Sanctuary

Ladies of First United Methodist Church have recently completed decorations for their Chrismon tree which stands in the sanctuary of the church. They have made all the decorations from white styrofoam and trimmed them with gold sequins, beads, and braid. The project has taken several months to complete as the large tree is covered with hundreds of decorations.

The Chrismons are made up of various combinations of these monograms, symbols, and crosses. They are made of gold and white. The white refers to the Lord's purity and perfection; the gold to His majesty and glory. The green evergreen tree is itself a symbol for Jesus and is a visual reminder of the eternal life. The white lights are symbolic of God's all-encompassing love through Christ as the Light of the World. The earliest monograms of our Lord are in Greek letters. Originally much of the New Testament was written in Greek because many of the first missionary churches were Greek.

X--Chi, the first letter of Christ in Greek  
 XP--Chi Rho, the first letters for Christ in the Greek alphabet. Another interpretation is based on the Latin, Christus Rex, Christ the King.  
 IHS--The first three letters of Jesus in Greek.  
 IX--Monogram of the first letters of Jesus and Christ.  
 A--Alpha and Omega, the first and last letters of the Greek alphabet, Rev. 22:13. Since only God is before and after all, a symbol of divinity.  
 INRI--The first letters of the words in the Latin inscription "Jesus of Nazareth, King of the Jews." John 19:19.

IXOYC ICHTHUS--The Greek word for fish. The Greek letters are the initial letters for "Jesus Christ, Son of God, Saviour."  
 While no one really knows the shape of the cross on which our Lord died, it is always a reminder of our Lord's saving work of redeeming mankind through His sacrifice for our sins, thereby bringing forgiveness and salvation.

LATIN CROSS--Long upright. The most widely used form of the cross among Christians.  
 GREEK CROSS--All extensions of equal length.  
 CROSS OVER THE WORLD--"Go ye into all the World..." The world united in Christ.

JERUSALEM CROSS--Has four Tau crosses joined together at their bases and represent the Old Testament prophecies of a Savior. The four small crosses represent the carrying of the Gospel to the four corners of the world by those who took up the Cross and followed Him.

CELTIC CROSS--The circle around the center of the Latin cross is variously interpreted as symbolizing the sun or eternity.  
 TAU CROSS--Old Testament, Anticipatory, Advent. Salvation promised but not accomplished. Numbers 21:9, John 3:14. With the serpent symbolizes the victory of Christ over sin.

ANCHOR CROSS--The Cross of Hope. Christ, our sure anchor, the hope of the world. Dates from the persecutions when it was used as a secret sign of Christian Hope. Examples found in the catacombs. A cross rises out of a crescent moon, symbol for Mary. Hebrews 6:19.

CROSS OF CONSTANTINE--The Chi Rho with the X turned to form a cross. This also forms a shepherd's crook or staff which refers to Jesus, the Good Shepherd. Matthew 18:12, John 10:11.

EPIPHANY (5 point) STAR--Epiphany is from a Greek word meaning the appearance or revelation of a god. This star then refers specifically to the revelations or showing of Jesus as the Son of God. Matthew 1:2.

STYLIZED FISH AND FISH IN CIRCLE--Used by the very early Christians as an easily made and recognized secret sign. During the early persecutions it was a password to the Christian, a mere decoration to the outsider.

CROWN--Symbol of the Kingship of our Lord. KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORDS. Also his victory over sin and death. 1 Tim. 6:15, Rev. 1:18, Romans 8:34.

HARP OR LYRE--A symbol of praise or worship and signifies heavenly joy and the music of David. 1 Samuel 16:23.

ANGEL--Greek "Messenger" is a spiritual being created by God to be His agent and do His will. As God sent messengers, angels told men of the Annunciation, Birth, Resurrection, and Ascension of His Son. The Gospel's tell how they ministered directly to our Lord during His life on earth.

CHRIST-CHILD IN THE MANGER--The circle represents the child (God, the Son); the X forms the manger bed, that later became the Cross.

ROSE--The Nativity of our Lord. The rose bud symbolizes the Child and the open rose His Mother. Isaiah 35:1 (King James)

DOVE--The descending dove is a symbol of the Holy Spirit and represents peace and purity. Also signifies new life through the Holy Spirit in Baptism. Matthew 3:16; Mark 1:10; Luke 3:22; John 1:32.

WHEAT AND GRAPES--Bread and Wine; the body and blood of our Lord. Matthew 26:26-29; Mark 14:22-25; Luke 22:17-20.

CHALICE--Latin "cup"; representative of the cup used at the Last Supper. Matthew 26:26-29; Mark 14:22-25; Luke 22:17-20.

BUTTERFLY--Although not found in the scriptures, the butterfly expresses so well the explosive quality of the Resurrection. The stages of development in the life of a butterfly suggest an amazing and interesting parallel to the various stages in the life of a Christian, from mortal man to eternal life through faith in Jesus Christ.

EGG--Traditional symbol for Life and Resurrection.  
 SEVEN-TONGUED FLAME--Represents the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost as recorded in Acts 2:1-4.

The CIRCLE symbolizes eternity, God who is the only eternal One, or eternal life.  
 The TRIANGLE any 3-part figure, or 3 of anything symbolizes The Trinity--God, the Father, the Son, the Holy Spirit.

A fish refers to Jesus's teachings, and even when a number of small fish were used, represented the followers of Jesus, the Christian community. Use of the fish and is a strong confession of faith and an affirmation of the basic doctrine of Christianity.

## Registration To Open For Mini-Session

Three business courses are being planned for Western Texas College's first mini-session scheduled from Dec. 31-Jan. 11.

"This will be an excellent opportunity for a student to relieve a heavy load during the spring semester by completing a required course or to explore an area of interest he may not have time for in his degree program," Bill Halbert, Assistant Professor of Business Administration, pointed out.

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Business 232 (Business Law) is required on most degree plans and certificate programs in the business area and is transferable toward a BA degree.

Tuition for the mini-session is \$25 plus fees if required. Registration opens Dec. 13 and continues Dec. 16-20 and Dec. 30-31. Students enrolled in other colleges will not be required to present transcripts from those colleges.

I expect to pass through this world but once. Any good therefore that I can do, or any kindness I can show to any Human being, let me not defer or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again.  
 Stephen Grellet



Shower Honoree

A gift shower honoring Miss Marsha Brownfield, bride-elect of Eddie Lee Nixon, was held Saturday in Fellowship Hall of First Presbyterian Church. Shown at the refreshment table are from left, Mrs. Frank Brownfield, mother of the

bride-to-be, Miss Marsha Brownfield; Mrs. Lee Nixon, mother of the prospective bridegroom; Mrs. Maurice Brownfield and Mrs. D. M. Pogue, grandmothers of the bride-elect.

## Marsha Brownfield Honored At Bridal Gift Shower

A gift shower honored Miss Marsha Diane Brownfield, bride-elect of Eddie Lee Nixon, Saturday evening in the Fellowship Hall of the First Presbyterian Church.

Guests were introduced by Mrs. Charles Stevens and were registered by Mrs. Bedford Dulin.

The refreshment table was laid with a dark green cloth edged in lace. The centerpiece was a gold compote of gold, yellow rust spider mums, the brides chosen colors, crystal appointments were used.

Mrs. Roy Davis Coles, Mrs. Willis A. Jones and Mrs. Walter C. Kennedy served refreshments.

Attending were the honoree's mother, Mrs. Frank Brownfield, and her fiancé's mother Mrs. Lee Nixon; and the groom's mother, Mrs. Maurice Brownfield and Mrs. D. M. Pogue from Snyder.

Gifts were displayed and shown by Mrs. S. T. Pond Jr., Mrs. H. J. Barnett, Mrs. F. E. Lee Sr., Mrs. G. S. Thomas, Mrs. Ira Williamson, Mrs. Orin Feaster, Mrs. Eleanor

H. Jefferies, Mrs. Adolph Wood, Mrs. Ed M. Owen, Mrs. A. D. Baker, Mrs. F. E. Lee Jr. Mrs. J. P. Nunn and Mrs. Arlene Morris.

Miss Brownfield and Nixon will be married Dec. 28, 4 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church.

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Chrismon Tree

Shown in the picture above is the Chrismon Tree which was decorated by the ladies of First United Methodist Church. Each decoration is handmade and each has a symbolic meaning, in Christian history. The tree is green and all letters and symbols are white and gold. Members of the church invite everyone to attend an open house to be held Sunday afternoon from 2-4 p.m., and see the Chrismon Tree which is in the sanctuary of the church.

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**Loraine Nursing Home News**

The young people from the Junior and Intermediate classes of the First Baptist Church with their teachers, Mrs. Calvin Forbus and Mrs. Stella Ellington visited the Loraine Nursing Home patients Monday and brought a program of Christmas carols and a Bible story.

one evening of entertainment by this group for December, which will be on December 20, at 6 p.m. You are invited.

**Wesleyan Class Dinner**

Sherry Hackfeld played the piano as the group sang. Jana Britton gave the Christmas story. After the program they each presented a gift to the patients.

The Wesleyan Couples Class of the First United Methodist Church met for their Christmas party Saturday night in the home of Mrs. James Watkins, their teacher.

Presenting the program were Jennifer Hackfeld, Carla Banks, Jana Britton, LeAnn Dunn, Sheila Hill, Debbie Brown, Tommy Brown and James Meadows.

A traditional Christmas dinner of turkey and dressing and all the trimmings was served from a buffet table decorated in the holiday theme.

The annual Christmas tree party for the patients will be held on December 18 at 6:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

Foursome tables were set up in the living room where members ate by candlelight.

A correction is being made regarding the musicals at the Home. It was announced there would be a musical by the Loraine and Colorado City musicians on Dec. 13, and Dec. 27. This has been changed to only

After the meal, each member told of the Christmas they remember most. Games and white elephant gifts were enjoyed by all.

Those attending were Messrs. and Mmes. Billy Cornutt, Ronald Bruce, Linton Ray Webb, Ed Newton, Tommy Linam, George Martin, Raymond Wheeler and hostess Mrs. Watkins.

**Community Calendar**

**THURSDAY**

- 2 p.m. - Root Valley Fair Lodge will have their domino party.
- 2:30 p.m. - Fairview Home Demonstration Club will meet.
- 5:30 p.m. - Colorado City 8th grade "A" basketball team will play Big Spring Runnells in Wolf Gym.
- 7 p.m. - Colorado City 9th grade boys basketball team will play Big Spring Runnells in Wolf Gym.
- 7:30 p.m. - Veterans of Foreign Wars and Ladies Auxiliary will meet in the post home.
- 7:30 p.m. - Mitchell County Unit of Association for Retarded Citizens will meet in the Hutchinson School music room.

Colorado City girls varsity basketball team will be playing in the Hardin-Simmons tournament.

Westbrook basketball teams will play in Sands Tournament.

**FRIDAY**

- 10 a.m. - Hospital Auxiliary will meet to decorate the hospital and Root Valley Fair Lodge.
- 12 noon - The Noon Lions Club will meet at the Civic Center.
- 7 p.m. - The Domino and 42 Club will meet in the Community Center.

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Westbrook basketball teams will play in Sands tournament.

**SATURDAY**

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Westbrook basketball teams will play in Sands tournament.

**SUNDAY**

**ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE**

2-4 p.m. - Open House at First United Methodist Church.

**MONDAY**

3:30 p.m. - Colorado City 8th grade "B" basketball teams will play Hermleigh in Jr. High Gym.

5 p.m. - Colorado City 7th grade "A" basketball team will play Sweetwater in Wolf Gym.

5:30 p.m. - Colorado City 9th grade girls basketball team will play Ozona, there.

6 p.m. - Colorado City 8th grade "A" basketball team will play Sweetwater in Wolf Gym.

7 p.m. - Colorado City junior varsity girls basketball team will play Ozona, there.

7 p.m. - TOPS TX 691 will meet in the Texas Electric Reddy Room.

7 p.m. - The Evening Lions Club will meet in the Civic Center.

7:30 p.m. - Colorado City 9th grade boys basketball team will play Sweetwater in Wolf Gym.

7:30 p.m. - Open Duplicate Bridge games will be played in the Community Center.

7:30 p.m. - The Lone Wolf 4-H Club will meet in Lone Wolf Electric Medallion Room.

**TUESDAY**

12 noon - The Kiwanis Club will meet at the Civic Center.

6 p.m. - Loraine basketball teams will play Ira, there.

6:15 p.m. - Colorado City boys junior varsity basketball team will play Ozona, there.

6:30 p.m. - Colorado City junior varsity girls basketball team will play Westbrook in Wolf Gym.

7 p.m. - Oak Street Baptist Church will have their weekly singing at Root Valley Fair Lodge.

7:30 p.m. - Colorado City Wolves basketball team will play Ozona, there.

7:30 p.m. - Wolves Booster Club will meet in Colorado High School Cafeteria.

8 p.m. - Loraine Sports Boosters Club will meet at Loraine School cafeteria.

8 p.m. - Colorado City girls varsity basketball team will play Westbrook in Wolf Gym.

**WEDNESDAY**

12 noon - The Circuit Riders will meet at the Mental Health Building for their trip to Big Spring State Hospital.

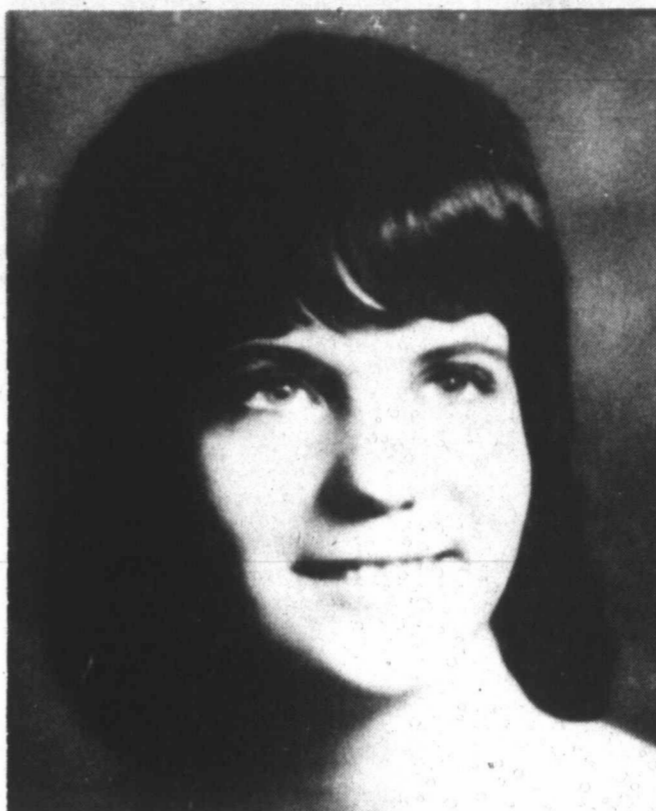
12 noon - The Jaycees will meet at the Civic Center.

1 p.m. - Dr. Marvin E. Grice, Odessa psychiatrist will be at the Mitchell County Mental Health Clinic on E. 3rd St. until 4 p.m.

2 p.m. - The Baumann Home Demonstration Club will meet.

2:30 p.m. - The North Loraine Home Demonstration Club meets.

3 p.m. - The Mitchell County Historical Society will meet in the Hesperian Room of Mitchell County Library.



Mrs. Jon D. Honea, the former Miss Earnest

**Earnest, Honea Wed In Church Ceremony**

Danita Gayle Earnest, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Earnest of Big Spring, and Jon D. Honea, son of Rev. and Mrs. Roy E. Honea of Big Spring, were married Wednesday Dec. 4, in Plainview Baptist Church, Colorado City.

The Rev. Caddo Matthews, pastor of Plainview Baptist Church, read the double ring ceremony.

**Atheneum Study Club Has Christmas Program**

Refreshments were served to 13 members by the hostess.

Mrs. C. H. Martin was hostess to the Atheneum Study Club on Dec. 3.

The topic for study was "The Light of Christmas." Christmas carols were sung by the group and a Christmas prayer was given by Mrs. Woodrow Pratt.

Mrs. Jim Johnson told the story of "Lights of Christmas," which concerned a small church high in the Alps of Switzerland. This church had no artificial lighting. Each worshiper brought his lighted candle as he climbed the hillside to the little church to worship or to celebrate Christmas. Christmas may well be called a Festival of Lights. The birth of Christ was announced by angels in a shining light.

Mrs. Thomas Riden brought stories of historic churches in America, some having been organized as early as 1663. These laid the foundation that brought religious liberty to our new nation.

In June 1964, Mrs. Riden had the privilege of visiting one of these historic churches in Rhode Island.

**Musical Held At Claxton Lodge**

A group of musicians entertained residents and guests of Claxton Lodge at their monthly musical Friday night.

Musicians included Billie Joe Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hayes, Gipp Harmon, Mrs. Maggie Hamrick, Dub Woodall, Bill Claxton, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harris and Dual Blair.

They played several selections and everyone joined in singing Christmas carols. About 40 residents and guests attended the musical.

**Bairds Have Baby Daughter**

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Baird of Austin, announce the birth of a daughter, Amanda Carol, born November 28, weighing 6 lbs. 8 1/2 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Merket of 1439 Watson St. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Baird of Temple. Mrs. Baird is the former Gloria Merket. Maternal grandparents are

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Loraine Future Farmers of America NEWS

The Loraine FFA Chapter was well represented at the Lone Wolf District Banquet Monday night, Dec. 9 at Sweetwater.

There were 14 members present including the talent team that won first place honors in the talent contest. Members of the talent team were: Kris Hudson, Tommy Doyle, Jay Sanford,

David Taylor, David Galvan, Manuel Deleon, and J. D. Sheffield. Other members attending were Chapter president, Kent Boyd, voting delegates, Don Graham and Mike Lee, Lone Star Farmer recipient, Wayne Barron and other members Thomas Roney, Joe Dunn and Mike Vallejo.

The Loraine Chapter was also pleased to have ten guests attending. They were Supt. of Loraine, L. R. Dunn, principal, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Hudson, Band director, Eddy Hankins, Vo Ag teacher, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Mayfield, Mrs. Lonnie Williams and Mrs. Frank Sanford.



At District Banquet

Pictured above are left to right Brenda Oliver, Chapter plowgirl, Kent Boyd, Chapter president, and Vickie Sanford District Chapter Sweetheart. These students represented Loraine at the District Banquet.

Long's Return From Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Long returned recently from the funeral services of her sister, Josephine Knowles Williamson, in Atwater, Calif.

Mrs. Knowles was born and grew up in Colorado City. Survivors include three children and seven grandchildren as well as three sisters, Florence Long of Colorado City, Mary Moulton and Virginia Trout, both of Calif., and a brother, Jack Knowles, also of Calif.

The other two guests were Miss Vicki Sanford, Chapter sweetheart, and Miss Brenda Oliver, chapter plowgirl.

During the banquet, the Loraine Livestock judging team received their banner for winning district last spring. Miss Vickie Sanford competed in the district sweetheart competition.

The Loraine talent team will represent the Lone Wolf district at the Area contest in San Angelo next May.



Talent Winners

Pictured above is the talent team that won First in District competition. Left to right front, Tommy Doyle, Mamel Deleon, J. D. Sheffield and David Galvan. Back row left to right, are Kris Hudson, Jay Sanford and David Taylor.



Livestock Team

Shown in the picture above is the Loraine Livestock Team, Tommy Doyle, Kent Boyd, and Don Graham after they had received the First place District Banner.

Baumann Club Has Christmas Luncheon

The annual Christmas luncheon for members of the Baumann Home Demonstration Club was hosted by Mrs. Mable Givens Tuesday, Dec. 3.

Mrs. H. L. Leach gave the blessing before the meal of baked turkey and trimmings was served.

After the luncheon Mrs. Givens presided over the meeting and welcomed guests.

Mrs. Lester Webb read the minutes of the last meeting and called the roll which was answered with "a Christmas tradition in our family."

Mrs. L. E. Crutcher gave the Council report, the Mrs. Pauline Griffing gave the treasurer's report.

Plans were made to make pies and brownies for the County Stock show. Plans were discussed for the County-wide club Christmas luncheon to be held at the Medallion Room December 12.

All those present signed a card to send to a member, Mrs. Lynne Compton who was ill.

"Secret pal" names were drawn for the new year 1975, and all tried to guess who their Pal was for the past year which were revealed when gifts were exchanged from the Christmas tree. Mrs. Pierce Givens acted as Santa. Mrs. Fay McCollum of Snyder, a former member brought a gift to each member.

The home was decorated with Christmas arrangements and candles.

Guests were Mrs. McCollum, Mrs. Burr Brown and Gladys Spikes, Snyder, Mrs. Pierce Givens and members, Mmes. Thomas Vest, M.D. Cheek, Cullen Payne, Pauline Smiley, Clara Butler, Willis Cornutt, Vada Preston, Lester Webb, Harvey Leach, Floyd Griffin, L. E. Crutcher and Fern Coon.

Mrs. Land To Observe 90th Birthday

Mrs. C. A. Land, a pioneer resident of Loraine is being honored with a reception on her 90th birthday, Sunday, Dec. 15.

Hosting the reception will be her children, Mrs. Lorene Mills, Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. V. H. Lich, Tulsa, Oklahoma, Mrs. Harold Homan and Garland Land, Big Spring, Mrs. J. J. Hall, Ira and Mrs. Henry Doss Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Land came to Loraine in 1907, and she has lived here since. Mr. Land died in 1968.

Mrs. Land was born in Arcadia, La., December 11, 1884. She married C. A. Land there December 23, 1903, and they

moved to Loraine four years later.

Friends are invited to call as the home on Main Street in Loraine from 3 to 5 p.m. They request no gifts, please.

Send Your Letters To Santa In Care Of The Colorado City Record, P. O. Box 92, Colorado City, Texas 79512

Loraine NEWS by Ida Baird

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davidson of Crane spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Harvey Leach as they were enroute home after visiting in Plainview and Breckenridge.

Franklin in the Payne Community.

Also visiting in the Graham home during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Moser, Johnny and Jay, Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Fortenberry, Jamie, Tommy and Stevie, Colorado City and Sgt. and Mrs. Carl E. Graham and Crystal of Austin, who remained until Wednesday.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Butler Friday were Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Hart of Lubbock. Weekend visitors of the Walkers were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hart of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Franklin III and children, Angel and Patty from Picaune, Miss., arrived Friday night for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Graham in Loraine and his father, Charles C. Franklin and Mrs.

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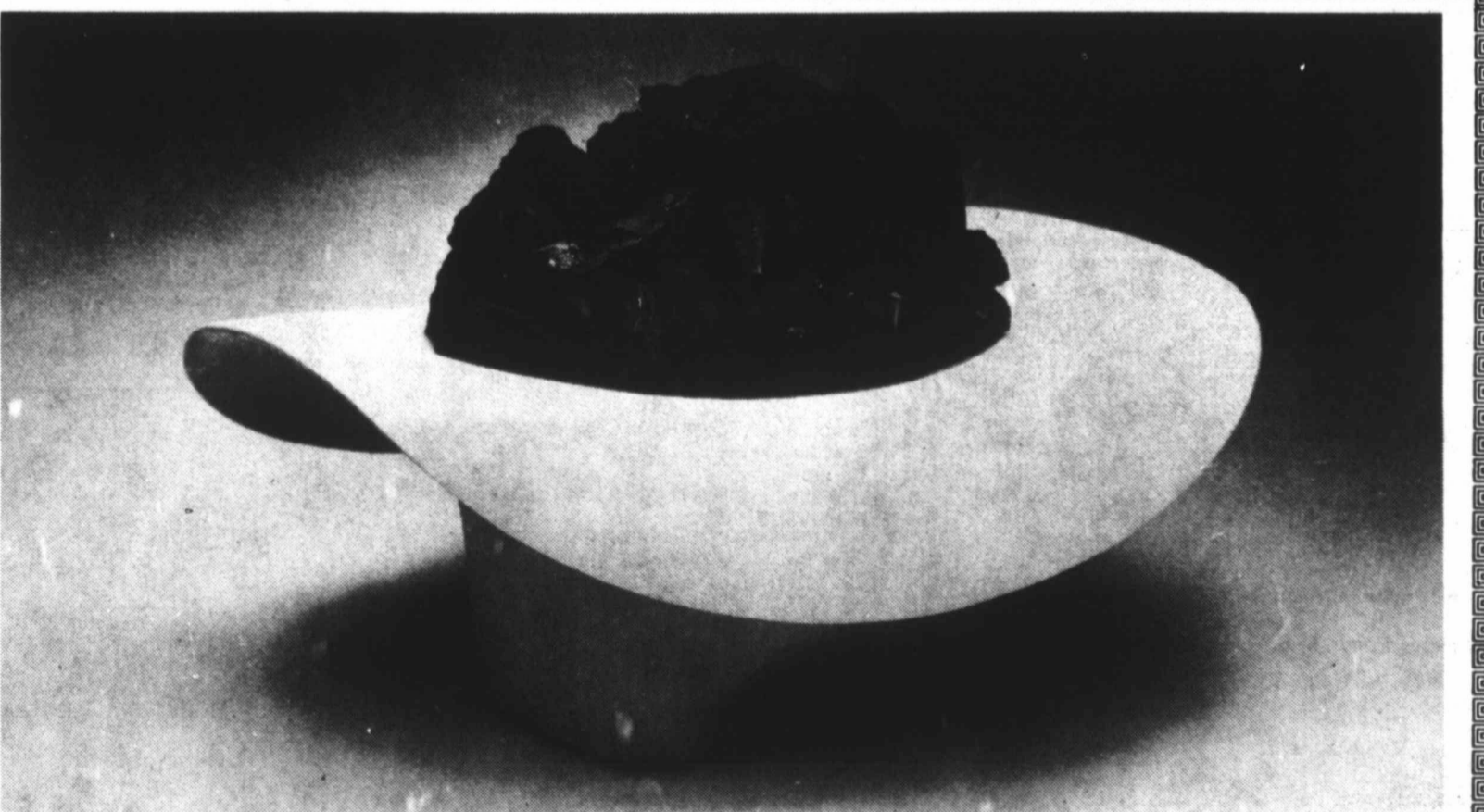
Reception To Honor Mrs. Crutcher

Children of Mrs. L. E. (Frances) Crutcher are hosting a reception at the First Baptist Church fellowship hall on December 15, a compliment to her on her 90th birthday.

Her children are Mrs. Camille Alford, Abilene, Louis Grigsby, Longview, and Mrs. A. G. Thompson of Shreveport, La.

Also assisting will be her grandchildren.

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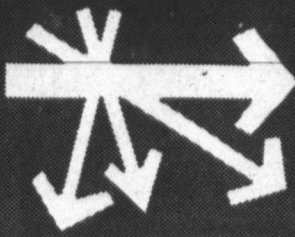
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## Fire Department Christmas Party

Members of the Colorado City Volunteer Fire Department met for their annual Christmas party last Friday evening in the Civic Center, exchanging gifts and enjoying a Christmas supper.

About 100 members and their families attended the party. Entertainment was provided by a local musical group, "The Firecrackers," consisting of Delores Woods, Coleen Palmer, Kenneth Wilson and Joe Vincent. Both Vincent and Wilson are volunteer firemen and Mrs. Woods and Mrs. Palmer are members of the Women's Auxiliary.

James Poague, district captain in the Abilene Fire Department, in charge of the training division, was guest speaker. He showed a training film for the benefit of wives and children of firemen, showing the rigors firemen must undergo in training schools in order to be competent, well-qualified firemen.



### Outstanding Fireman

Mel Palmer was recognized as Outstanding Fireman of the Year in Colorado City. Palmer received a plaque in appreciation of his continuous work with the firemen's group, presented by last year's recipient of the award, Tom Connor.

### CHS Girls Enter Tourney

Colorado City girls are entered in the Hardin Simmons Tournament this weekend and will play Comanche at 1:45 this afternoon.

Coach Carol Dakan said that, depending on whether they win or lose, their next game will be either the winner or loser of the Hamlin vs. Cisco game, Comanche is defending champion of the tourney.

The girls lost their first district basketball game to Hamlin Monday night, played in Wolves Gym.

The 82-34 score was made by Leslie Greenlee, 16; Beverly Fuller, 14 and Ginger Noel, 4.

Girls Junior Varsity also lost to Hamlin, 58-31, with Karen Thomas scoring 20 points for high point honors.

Both Varsity and Junior Varsity went to Coahoma for games Tuesday and lost. Varsity score was 60-7, with Leslie Greenlee fouling out in the last quarter, Beverly Fuller scored 5 points and Sharon Prince added 2 points in the loss.

Junior Varsity score was 40-17, with Vickie Lewis making 6 points and Karen Thomas adding 5 points for top scoring efforts.

The Junior Varsity team was entered in Coahoma Junior Varsity Tournament last weekend but lost both games. They were defeated by teams from McCamey and Stanton, with Karen Thomas scoring 20 points in the 61-37 loss to Stanton.

## Title Insurance Program Topic

Suppose a citizen has owned a house four or five years when suddenly someone took him to court with a valid claim against his house and land. He is not protected by an owners title insurance policy. He could possibly lose title to his property or suffer financial loss.

This possible situation will be dealt with in the half hour television program, "Real Estate Today," Sunday on KXTX-TV, Channel 4 at 12 noon.

Three title company presidents will explain title insurance, its purpose, what it covers, and its rates on the program sponsored jointly as a public service by KXTX and the Real Estate Department of the School of Business Administration of Southern Methodist University.

Panel members will be Jack Rattikin, Jr., president of Rattikin Title Company, Fort Worth; Larry G. Wood, president of Guardian Title Company, Fort Worth; and Phillip D. McCulloch, president of Heister-Fair Title Co., Dallas.

"When protected by an owners title policy, if a homeowner is adverse claim on his title; the title insurance company, at their cost, will defend him in court and pay for any loss, as insured," according to Rattikin, who is also currently serving as president of the Texas Land Title Association.

Sunday's program will be moderated by Ken Ellis, SMU real estate graduate student.

### 8th Loses Close Game

Colorado Junior High 8th grade lost a close one with Big Spring Goliad Monday, 37-31, in Big Spring.

Coach Mel Gierhart said that the really exciting part of the game was a 15 second scoring flurry just before the half when the 8th graders closed a 20-10 gap by scoring 8 points in the last 15 seconds, going into the dressing room with a 20-18 score.

The offense faced a full court press put up by Goliad, making 24 per cent of their shots, Johnny Garcia scoring 12 points; Ricky Sanchez, 7; Ruben Garcia and Jay Feaster, 4 each; Robert Parker and Gene Carter, 2 points each. They also made 5 of 7 free throws, Gierhart said.

The team nabbed a total of 24 rebounds, controlling the boards, Gierhart said, with Ricky Sanchez, 6 rebounds and Johnny Garcia and Jay Feaster each getting 5 rebounds.

He also commended defensive efforts of Ruben and Johnny Garcia, Ricky Sanchez and Jay Feaster, as well as Joe Franco and Mitch Hamer.

The 8th graders play Rannels here in a 5:30 p.m. game today.

### Westbrook Girls Win

Westbrook girls won their first game of the season Tuesday night, playing in Westbrook and taking a 64-54 win. It was also their first district game.

Coach Charles Parnell said that good rebounding by the guards helped the offense to score high in the game. Brenda Matlock came up with 10 rebounds during the game and the team totaled 29 rebounders.

Scoring for the Wildcats were Pandora Moore, 20; Mary Alaniz, 19; Dana Dorn, 13; Julie King, 10 and Alice Lopez, 2. Junior High girls also won, 35-34 over Hobbs. Rosemary Lopez scored the winning basket in the last 13 seconds of the game. She also had a total of 26 points for the game, Tracy Brookover added 5 and Teresa Dorn, 4.

Girls Varsity entered in the Sands Tournament in Ackerly this weekend, playing O'Donnell tonight for their first game.

The junior high girls next play Ira in Westbrook, Dec. 19.

### JV Action At CHS

Last action by the Junior Varsity was during the Coahoma Junior Varsity Tournament, as they won their first game in the tourney but lost out in the second.

They beat McCamey 63-58, overcoming a 20-point deficit in the third quarter to take the win, but in the second game with Stanton, 67 points were not enough to win, as Stanton took the game with an 81-67 win.

Coach Lonnie Ellis said that rebounding told the difference in the two games, as Jim Jordan had 15 and Alan Marcom, 10, in the first game but the second game was by Jim Jordan, as he came out with only 9 against a much taller team.

Scoring in the winning game were Jim Jordan, 17; Alan Marcom, 11; Benny Arispe, 9; Craig Carter, 8; Drex Grisham, 7; Peñ Parham and Kevin Herrm, 4 each; Steve Belvin and Scott Gassiot, 2 each.

Scoring in the losing game were Carter, 22; Jordan, 17; Manuel Arellano, 7; Grisham and Marcom, 4 each; Parham, Belvin and Arispe, 3 each; Leo Molina and Gassiot, 2 each.

The next Junior Varsity game will be Monday in Wolves Gym as they take on Sweetwater team. Only the A team will play.

### 7th Grade Wins Two

Colorado Junior High 7th graders traveled to Coahoma Monday for two games and won them both.

The B team played first and won, 18-14, with Lupe Luera scoring 6 points and Clay Sawyer making 6 points for the win.

7A also won, 21-19, with Charles Jackson high point man with 10 points and Jerry Lunceford second high with 4 points.

Coach William Lepard said that good defensive play was made by Russell Noel and Kirk Williams.

Next game for the 7th graders will be Monday in Wolves Gym as they take on Sweetwater team. Only the A team will play.

### ★ Council From Page 1

city that don't work, some have the tops twisted off, some can't be opened and some don't have water. These need to be painted so that in the event of a fire, hose won't be dropped at an inoperable fire plug. Gentry noted.

The city in recent weeks has undertaken a project to flush all fire hydrants to see if they are operable as well as get rust out of city water mains. This project has now been completed and Jones said the council would see about fixing the hydrants or marking the ones that aren't operable.

Councilman Larry Hamner pointed out when it came time for the council to approve payment of bills that the council hadn't authorized or advertised for buying 75 speed limit signs to go around hospitals, schools and churches. The signs cost \$1,927.67. There's nothing that can be done now but pay the bill, Hamner pointed out, but the council didn't authorize the purchase which was done illegally without taking bids.

It was also pointed out that most of the signs were not necessary as a new ordinance requires that signs be placed in the middle of the street when school and churches are in session and some members of the council said they understood that the schools and churches would furnish the signs.

### ★ Coles From Page 1

fore Coles himself took office, a total of 41 years, as Coles has served as county school superintendent for the past 40 years.

Coles said that he is working on moving things from his office in the courthouse since he is retiring after his 40 years in the office. He did not run for re-election this year, causing quite a race on the local political scene when Caddo Matthews waged a successful write-in campaign against primary election winner Olson Sweat after Sweat's announcement that he would initiate steps to close the office.

Coles said that he is in excellent health, planning to open a tax service office at 168 East Third and keep busy, "since that's what I'm used to," he said.

### Holiday Buffet Suggestions

Buffet meals are always a popular form of holiday entertaining, but since the food may stay unrefrigerated longer than usual, some precautions are necessary, one food and nutrition specialist reminded this week.

She's Marilyn Haggard, with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"If cold cuts are part of the holiday party fare, using several trays of food instead of only one keeps them from standing at room temperature too long.

"Bring out a fresh tray frequently to replace those partly used. The meats stay cold and bacteria do not have a chance to grow," she said.

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Win Game

Westbrook Wildcats played Grady in Westbrook Tuesday night, taking the win even though only three Wildcats played during most of the last quarter.

Five Wildcats suited out for the game and won by a score of 83-71. Bobby Matlock, Steve Rollins and Bobby Moody were the only three Wildcats on the court for the final six minutes of play, said coach Dale Byrd.

Scoring were Bobby Matlock, 28; Rodney Moore, 18; Steve Rollins, 20; Glenn Rich, 16 and Bobby Moody, 2.

Next game for the boys is 5:30 p.m. today as they take on O'Donnell in the first round of the Sands Tournament.

Westbrook's boys lost out in the final game for Consolation in the Roscoe Tournament last weekend, losing to Jayton 59-52.

Wildcat Glenn Rich was named to All-Tournament Team.

Coach Dale Byrd said that the team came from behind, closing a 15 point halftime deficit to come within three points of the lead in the last three minutes of the game, when one of the leading Wildcat scorers, Bobby Matlock, fouled out.

Scoring points were Glenn Rich, 28; Rodney Moore, 10; Bobby Matlock, 8; Steve Rollins, 4 and Jim Anderson, 2. Girl Wildcats lost to Roscoe in the second tourney round, 58-41.

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