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Local News In Brief

Mrs. O. A. Mangum returned home Saturday from the Eastland hospital where she is recovering from major surgery she underwent several days ago. Visitors in the home this week and during Christmas include her daughters, Miss Ann Mangum, student at McMurtry College, Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott and daughters of Tyler, Mrs. Sue Lindsey and children of Eastland, also Mr. and Mrs. Noel of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Tidy Eaves of Kokomo and Mrs. Lela Leach of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Morgan visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Evans in Fort Worth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Gooch and Mr. and Mrs. Seth Gilbert of Corsicana and Elmer Gilbert of Roscoe were guests of the H. R. Gilberts Christmas Day.

Visiting Mrs. C. M. Burnett and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Stubblefield and family this week were Maurice Burnett and family and Don Baxter and family of Corsicana, Rev. Milton Burnett and family of Odem, Rev. and Mrs. Cullen Hawkins of Pasadena and Glenn Ford and family of Austin. Harold Higgins of Corsicana.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. Duna and D. D. Sandlin and family during Christmas were Carroll Sandlin, student of Texas Tech, Lubbock, Jimmy Sandlin and family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McCracken and Mrs. C. C. McCracken of Trinidad.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ussery spent Christmas with her brother, Roy Blissard, and wife of Mansfield.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Morgan were Charles Morgan and family of Abilene, Ray Morgan and family of Big Spring and J. E. McDaniel and family.

Visitors in the A. S. Jackson home during the holidays included A. L. Jackson and family of Hobbs, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sims of Graham, B. J. Jackson of Odessa and Betty Jackson of Dallas.

Joe Craddock and family of Colorado City and Truett Guy and family of Oklahoma City visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard Gilbert, during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines spent the Christmas holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Adair, and family of Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stubblefield and daughters of Bartlesville, Okla., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stubblefield, during the holidays. Also her mother, Mrs. Arbelles Underwood of Eastland.

J. D. Lee and family of Graham, B. F. Carrell and family of Morton Valley, Lee Sloan, Jr., of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Albrecht McKinnerney of Romney and Roy McCollum of Corpus Christi visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sloan during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fitzhugh spent Christmas Day with his mother and other relatives in Stephenville.

Visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odis Guy, during the holidays were Weldon Guy of Fort Ord, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. James Guy of Artesia, New Mexico, and Truett Guy and family of Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Crabtree of Dallas and Mrs. Jim Mangum and little daughter of Port Neches visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tucker, last week.

John Kent Gilbert and family of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert, during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wright and family of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Guy, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Hall of Fredericksburg and Atbol Claiborn and family of Trent spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall.

C. A. Leach and family of Fort Worth and Buster Parker and family of Oklahoma spent the holidays with their mother, Mrs. R. V. Arnold, and Danny.

Children and grandchildren visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wade White this week were Edgar White and family of Odessa, Basil White and family of Abilene, Bud Clark and family of Cisco, Jim Everett and family of Olden, Rev. Jack Clark and family of Lometa, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Everett of Nashville, Tenn., and Mrs. Matlock of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Weaver of Graham, Jimmy Weaver and family, and Kelly Bockman and family of Fort Worth, and J. A. Cates and family of San Angelo spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weaver.

Bernard Campbell and family of Morenci, Ariz., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Campbell, this week.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryant and Truman Bryant and family during the holidays were Eddie Bryant and family of Lubbock, Troy Bryant and family of Granbury, Adrian Bryant and family of Gorman, Sam Walker and family of Fort Worth, J. C. Donaldson and family of Andrews and Danny Donaldson of Monahans.

Two Deputies Are Named By Sheriff For Coming Term

L. E. Sublett of Cisco and John Willingham of Eastland will be two of the three deputy sheriffs who will take office with Sheriff Lee Horn on January 1, according to information here today.

Mr. Sublett, an employee of the City of Cisco, some eight years, will be the county jailer, Mr. Horn told The Press. Mr. Willingham will be the chief deputy. Mr. Horn said he would name an office deputy before his term begins.

Mr. Sublett, a native of this area, is well known here, having lived in Cisco some 30 years. As the jailer, he will live in special quarters at the county jail, Mr. Horn added.

Mr. Horn, formerly chief of police here, has moved to his old home at 611 Mulberry Street in Eastland. The Horns lived there before he became connected with the city.

Wade Earl Clark, wife and daughter of Plainview visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Clark, during the holidays and they accompanied them to Eastland for Christmas dinner with J. T. Clark and family. They also visited Mrs. Clark's brother, J. T. Hamlet, of Rising Star who is ill in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Weathersby, of Eastland.

Kenneth Enider and family and Jerry Bell and family of Abilene spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell.

Spending Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholas, were Tommy Nicholas and family and Kenneth Mayhall and family of Abilene, Lester Nicholas and family, Burl Nicholas and family and Junior Nicholas and family of Odessa.

B. L. Leathers, wife and son, Larry, of Canyon City, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Spence of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Travis Spence and daughters during the holidays and all enjoyed Christmas dinner with Mrs. Spence's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Turner, of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Barnett and son of San Leandro, Calif., spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnett and Mr. and Mrs. Verlon Ables.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dunn and Mrs. Georgia Davis had Christmas dinner with the A. N. Mahans and Rev. B. C. Clement of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jan Egan of Purnell, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Delman and daughter Arlene of Fort Worth visited the Gen. Butler family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reese spent Christmas with their children in Leander and Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tutty of Midland, Mr. Jack Smith and Truman of Big Spring, Harold and sons of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fox of Olden were weekend visitors with their mother, Mrs. Pearl Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Curle of Wichita Falls visited Roy Lewis and family and other friends here last week end.

S. J. Herrell and wife spent Christmas with the sons, Maurice Herrell, and family in Dallas.

NOTE -- We realize a number of holiday visitors have been overlooked this week. If you had visitors or went visiting during the Christmas-New Year holidays and would like to have it in next week's Messenger, give us a ring at 3042 or bring it in by Monday noon. We are always glad to print your local news.

WORK OF PRODUCTION CREDIT AGENCY BEGAN 27 YEARS AGO

In 1933 American agriculture was deep in the clutches of the nation's longest and most severe economic depression and one of the worst and most widespread droughts on record. Many of the nation's farmers and ranchers were being forced out of business because there simply was no place he could go to receive sufficient financial aid to continue operations in the face of the continued plagues of depression and drought.

It was during this dark and critical period of distress that the Farm Credit Act of 1933 — its provision to establish an adequate source of agricultural credit — the Production Credit Association, was born.

Today, 27 years later, the Production Credit Associations are thriving and integral portions of the business life of America, with more than 600 associations providing short and intermediate-term agricultural credit for farmers, ranchers and dairymen across the United States.

The 36 associations which serve all 254 Texas counties are prime examples of how the farmers and ranchers of America have provided for and by themselves a source of agricultural credit. Beginning with a handful of members and an infinitesimal amount of capital, the associations today are healthy, progressive financial institutions, owned and operated in entirety by their borrower-stockholders.

Although the federal government — out of necessity — provided initial loan funds when the associations were organized, the initial concept was to place the operation in each association in the hands of the local farmers and ranchers themselves, and for each association to become fully home-owned and operated at the

earliest time possible.

It actually took the 36 associations in Texas only 16 short years to retire all federal capital. In 1949, each association had repaid in full all government money from assets accumulated during intervening years through solid growth, astute management and the innate desire of the Texas farmer and rancher to guide his own financial destinies.

Since that humble and somewhat shaky beginning in December, 1933, the 36 PCA organizations in Texas have provided more than \$2.8 billion in agricultural credit. Today, more than 30,000 Texas farmers, ranchers and dairymen are Production Credit stockholders.

The Texas associations are currently involved in the purchase of all stock in the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston, the discount agency for the 36 associations. The FICB each month sells debentures on the commercial money market to provide loan funds for the associations.

"Because our association is owned and operated by farmers and ranchers in this area," explained W. M. Irwin, general manager of the Stephenville PCA, "we have an intimate acquaintance with the problems, needs and conditions in our area. We have only one purpose for being in business and that is to provide adequate financial credit for the farmers, ranchers and dairymen in our area. It has been a distinct privilege and pleasure to provide this service for the past 27 years, and we look forward to providing these services as specialists in agricultural credit in the future."

The Stephenville PCA serves an area composed of Eastland, Erath, Hamilton, Comanche, Hood, Somervell, Johnson, Parker, Tarrant and Wise counties. Central office is in Stephenville and field offices are located in Eastland, Comanche, Decatur, Fort Worth and Cleburne.

Notice Of Public Hearing

All interested persons are advised that the construction of State Highway 6 between Carbon and Eastland is being planned by the Texas Highway Commission. The contemplated location will pass through the towns of Eastland and Carbon.

Preliminary drawings showing the proposed location are on file at the Resident Engineer's office in Dallas, Texas. A public hearing regarding this proposed development will be held at 1:00 p. m. January 10, 1961 in the District Court room of the Court house in Eastland and at 4:00 p. m. January 11, 1961 in the High School Auditorium in Carbon, Texas.

Budget Increase Seen For College In Coming Years

The Budget board of the Texas Education Agency has recommended the sum of \$97,200 for Cisco Junior College in the 1962 appropriation. President Grady Hogue of the local school has been advised. The local school was included for \$75,350 in the 1961 appropriation.

The state agency requested the same sum (\$97,200) for the local school in 1963. Local officials had asked for \$105,619 for 1962 and \$116,099 in 1963, based on expected growth.

Public supported junior colleges are given funds by the state on the basis of their enrollment.

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COUNTY COURTHOUSE PICTURED IN COUNTY PROGRESS MAGAZINE

A picture of the Eastland County Courthouse appears on the front cover of the "County Progress," a business magazine for county officials and the official publication of the County Judges and Commissioners' Association of Texas, this month.

The inside pages of the "County Progress" include a picture of Carl Lamb of Cisco, precinct 4 commissioner, who appears in a scene with the bronze dedication tablet located in the lobby of the courthouse. The courthouse was dedicated to the men of Eastland County who served in World War I and the tablet bears the inscription of their names. The publication also ran a picture of the last resting place of "Old Rip," the horned frog that spent 30 years in the cornerstone of the 1897 Eastland County courthouse.

A story under the headline "Eastland County Courthouse Paid For Ahead of Time" appeared in the magazine as follows:

"Final payment on Eastland County's beautiful courthouse, located in the city of Eastland, was made last year and for the first time in 60 years the county was doing business in a courthouse that was debt free.

Eastland County Commissioners Court in March, 1959, voted to make the final payment of \$15,241.89, two years ahead of the maturity date. This alone saved \$600 in interest payments.

County Judge John S. Hart said that \$150,000 was paid on the courthouse indebtedness since 1951, which made the early retirement of the total indebtedness possible.

At the same time these payments were being made, Commissioners Court has been energetic in keeping the building in tip-top condition and in beautifying the courthouse square. Several thousand dollars have been spent during the past three or four years on interior remodeling and improvements. This included work on the fifth floor quarters of the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District, where a foyer was converted into office space and new fluorescent light fixtures were installed. In fact, modern light fixtures have been installed in most of the offices in the courthouse.

Recent work on the courthouse lawn included the planting of ten pecan and two Persian walnut trees, under the direction of County Agent J. M. Coper.

An engineer's estimate two or three years ago stated that it would cost at least \$1,250,000 to replace the five-story brick and stone courthouse at present day prices. The original cost of the building was \$313,298.

On May 16, 1927, the order was signed to hold an election to determine if Eastland County citizens wanted a new courthouse. Voters favored the courthouse in the election held July 9, 1927. Bonds in the amount of \$300,000 were issued with maturity dates set at March 15, 1928, to March 15, 1967, with interest rate of 5 per cent.

In 1944, Commissioners Court refunded \$211,000 of the courthouse bonds and dropped the interest rate to 3.50 per cent. Then, in March, 1954, the Court voted to pay \$25,000 on the indebtedness and refund the remaining \$92,000 in bonds, this time reducing the interest rate to 2.2 per cent and advancing the final ma-

turity date to 1961. By these acts the Court saved the taxpayers thousands of dollars in interest payments.

The old courthouse, built in 1897, still had an indebtedness of \$16,000 on it in 1927 when it was decided to build the new courthouse.

The present courthouse is the fourth for the county. The first built on the square in 1883, burned in 1896. A building used temporarily following the fire was the second, and the building erected in 1897 was the third.

Serving with Judge Hart on the Commissioners Court are Commissioners J. B. Arther of Precinct 1, B. M. Bennett of precinct 2, R. L. Carter of Precinct 3 and Carl Lamb of Precinct 4. Mr. Lamb is the member of the Court designated to see that the courthouse is kept in good condition.

Judge Hart is in his 22nd year of public service for Eastland County. He served six years as tax collector, six years as sheriff and is now in his tenth year as County Judge.

The courthouse is dedicated to the Eastland County men who served in World War I. A bronze plaque, listing 761 names of these men, is the focal point of the lobby, which also displays "Old Rip," the horned frog which spent 30 years in the cornerstone of the 1897 structure and lived to tell the world about it. The frog is displayed in a miniature coffin inside a glass case and is a drawing card for tourists. There are many in Eastland County who vouch for the truth of the frog story.

At the time the bonds were voted in 1927 for the new courthouse, Ed S. Pritchard was serving as County Judge. Serving with him were Commissioners V. V. Cooper, W. M. Burns, J. T. Poe and Burt Brittain.

When the new courthouse was built, the fifth floor was designed for use by the 11th Court of Civil Appeals and the court has occupied these quarters ever since. The court serves 23 counties. Present justices are Clyde Grisom, chief justice; Cecil C. Collings, associate justice; and Esco Walter, associate justice.

Other justices who have served on the court are John B. Littler, 1925-27; William Pannill, 1925-28; T. B. Ridgell, 1928-45; J. E. Hickman, 1927-35; W. P. Leslie, 1927-45; Courtney Gray, 1945-48 and Milburn S. Long, 1944-57.

Notice

For Sale or Trade for Cattle - 3 cows with pigs, one registered boar and 10 piglets. See O. A. Jordan, Rt. 1, Carbon. Phone 2154, Carbon.

Bundled Feed

Have bundled Hygeri and cane for sale. See O. A. Jordan, Rt. 1, Carbon.

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Burleson Advised Of Opposition To Federal Gas Tax

ABILENE — Congressman Omar Burleson Tuesday was sent the names of more than 13,000 persons from his district who advocate scheduled expiration next June 30 of the "temporary" 1-cent per gallon federal tax on gasoline.

Petitions bearing the names were mailed to Rep. Burleson by Robert J. Hayes, Abilene, West Central Texas area chairman, Oil Information Committee of Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Assn.

A one-week petition drive that afforded Texas motorists a chance to express their desire on expiration of the 1-cent federal levy and end their gasoline bill nearly \$36 million a year was sponsored last October by the Texas petroleum industry through OIC. Statewide, some 268,725 Texans signed petitions and were joined by 5.5 million motorists nationwide.

"Keno" came from the gambling game of the same name, and cowboys often use the word to mean everything is all right.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO:

Arthur James and Roy W. Swanson

defendants,

vs. YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 91st District Court of Eastland County at the Courthouse thereof, in Eastland, Texas, by filing a written answer as to before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this Citation, same being the 9th day of January A. D. 1961 to plaintiff's petition filed in said court, on the 25th day of November A. D. 1960, in this cause, numbered 23,299 on the docket of said court and styled Anderson Chevrolet Company, plaintiff, vs. Arthur James and Roy W. Swanson defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: This is a suit for debt and foreclosure of lien on Pontiac automobile.

as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this 25th day of November A. D. 1960.

Attest: Roy L. Lane, Clerk, 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas.
By Nelda Rutherford, Deputy

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Ham Steak	55c lb.
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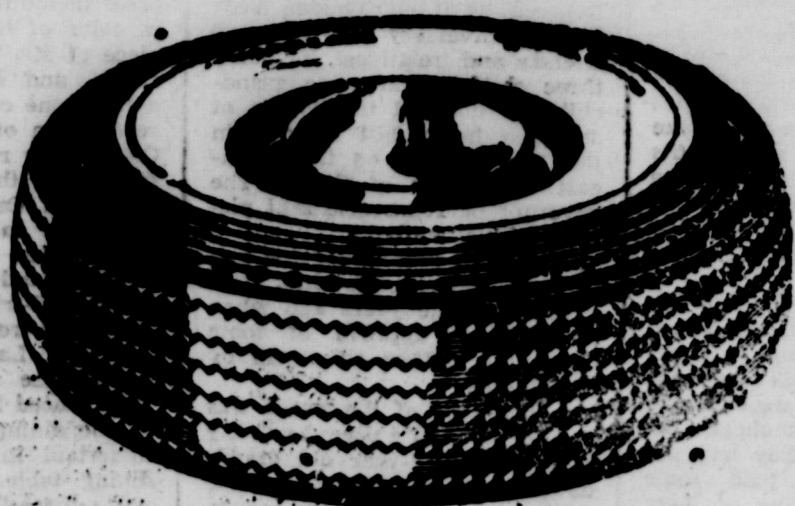
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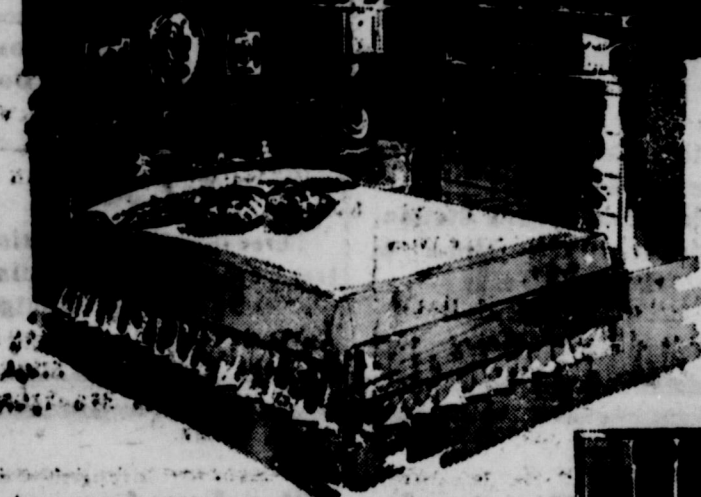
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Vets Questions And Answers

Q -- I am a Korea veteran who never held a GI insurance policy. The VA has just decided a disability of mine is service-connected, and this makes me eligible to take out insurance now. How soon do I have to apply?

A -- You must make application within one year from the date VA found your disability service-connected.

Q -- May a veteran change his Korean GI Bill program of training if his progress in his present course has not been satisfactory?

A -- He may, providing he

shows that the lack of progress was not due to his own misconduct, neglect or lack of application and if he has not changed his program prior to that time.

Issue Dates For Surplus Food Given

The next issue date for the surplus foods for Rising Star, Okla, Carbon, Gorman and Desdemona is Tuesday, Jan 10, according to an announcement by J. J. Porter, administrator.

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Two Ciscoans Are Among Winners At Nimrod Coon Hunt

Two Cisco men were winners at a recent coon hunt held in conjunction with a meeting of the Battle Creek Coon Hunters Club on Monday, Dec. 19, at 7:30 p. m. at the Nimrod Neighbor's Clubhouse, according to an announcement.

Hounds owned by Vernon (Pee-wee) Cozart and Les Threet won ribbons for their owners by finishing first in east runs of four dogs. Mr. Cozart also won the grand trophy as his hound finish-

ed first in the hunt. Mr. Threet, president of the club, won second place in the hunt. The other winner was Jack Whitten of Eastland, whose hound ran first in its east to place third in the hunt.

Some 25 hunters from several area towns attended the meeting.

The next meeting of the Battle Creek Coon Hunters Club will be held at 7:30 p. m. Friday in the Nimrod Neighbors Progressive Club's Clubhouse. Hunters from Eastland will be in charge of the program, it was stated. Members were urged to attend.

Buster Hastings of Cisco, a director of the club, said that Bonnie, his black and tan hound that won the Texas State Hunt Show held in Mexia earlier this year, is beginning to recover from dis-



Rice Coon Hunters Club, Inc.

Raisin-Pecan Timbales With Hot Lemon Sauce

You'll want to show off these dessert timbales because they look so clever with the bits of toasted pecans and plump raisins in beautiful color contrast to the snowy white timbales. The lemon sauce is easy to make and oh, so pretty, served hot over the Raisin-Pecan Timbales.

Minute Steaks
Buttered Carrots
Lima Beans
Biscuits

RAISIN-PECAN TIMBALES WITH HOT LEMON SAUCE

Ingredients for Timbales:

2 cups water
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup uncooked white rice
1/2 cup beet or cane sugar
1/2 cup cooked raisins
1/2 cup coarsely chopped toasted pecans
1/2 pt. (1 cup) chilled whipping cream
1/2 teaspoon vanilla

Ingredients for Lemon Sauce:

1 cup beet or cane sugar
2 tablespoons cornstarch
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 1/2 cups boiling water
3 tablespoons lemon juice
2 teaspoons grated lemon rind

METHOD FOR MAKING TIMBALES: Put the water, salt and rice into a 2-quart saucepan and bring to a vigorous boil. Turn the heat as low as possible.

Cover and leave over this low heat for 14 minutes. Turn the heat off. Leave lid on for 10 minutes. Stir the sugar into the hot rice. Chill the rice. Fold in the raisins and the pecans. It is important that the pecans are toasted. Do this by placing the pecans on a greased shallow pan in a 350° oven for 10 minutes, or until browned. Whip the cream and stir in the vanilla. Fold the whipped cream into the chilled rice mixture.

Use a wet custard cup for molding the timbales. Press the rice into the custard cup and then unmold by running a knife around the edge of the custard cup and shaking out the timbales. Cover and store in the refrigerator until time to serve. To serve, garnish the top of each timbale with a toasted pecan and serve with the hot lemon sauce.

This recipe makes 6 timbales if a custard cup holding 2/3 of a cup is used for molding.

METHOD FOR MAKING THE LEMON SAUCE: Mix together the sugar, cornstarch and salt in a saucepan. Slowly stir in the boiling water. Cook over a medium heat stirring constantly, until clear and thick. Stir in the lemon juice and lemon rind. If desired, color with yellow food coloring. Serve hot over the Raisin-Pecan Timbales.

Retirement Age People Asked To File For SS Aid

Every person past retirement age (62 for women, 65 for men), who has not yet filed a claim has been invited to get in touch with his social security office before January 4, 1961. This is to make certain that no possible benefits are lost for 1960 or 1961 because of failure to file a formal claim, according to R. R. Tuley, Jr., district manager, Social Security Office, Abilene.

The 1960 Amendments to the Social Security Act liberalized the earnings restrictions on beneficiaries, and hundreds of persons in this district who were unable to collect retirement checks before 1961 because they had not "retired," can be paid some checks in 1961. Many of them are also due some checks for 1960, but have not realized it.

Use the coupon below and mail it to Social Security Administration, Box 5168, Abilene, Texas, for accurate information on your rights:

"I am _____ years old. My Social Security Number is _____ I expect to earn \$ _____ in 1961. My wife is _____ years old. I have _____ children either unmarried and under age 18 or severely disabled since before age 18. How much could I collect from Social Security in 1961 and keep on working?"

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J. H. TAYLORS GET MESSAGE OF GREETINGS FROM GOV. DANIEL

Governor Price Daniel sent a special congratulatory telegram to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor on the occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary as some 60 friends and relatives, including three children and nine grandchildren, honored the couple at an open house last Sunday in the Taylor home on the north-east city limits of Cisco. The governor of Texas also sent pictures of his family.

Mr. Taylor said he began a correspondence with the chief state executive some years ago when he wrote to approve of some legislative matters advocated by Mr. Daniel.

A highlight of the event was the recitation of a poem by Cathy McDaniel, a 12-year old granddaughter of the honorees, who paid special tribute to the couple, as follows:

"My grandad and grandmother are lots of fun,
They play with me and tease me and call me honeybun.
They live in Cisco, Texas in the heart of the Lone Star State
Where the scenery and climate are lovely and the people are first rate.

I love to go to their house.
They've goodies there for you — nuts and candies, pies and cakes and they're delicious too!
They help me play splendid games and go on hikes and things.
We go swimming in the lake 'till we're happier than Kings.
But now we come to celebrate their Golden Wedding Day.
They've lived together 50 years —

A long time, I would say.
They love each other very much as we can plainly see.
They tease and argue just enough to make it fun for me.

I guess they must be very old, but they don't seem that way.
I want to help them make it nice —

on their Golden Wedding Day."
Cathy and her sisters — 20-year old Charlotte and 18-year old Carolyn — sang love songs and Christmas carols at appropriate times during the celebration.

Many gifts and anniversary cards were presented to the honorees including a framed picture in color of the family tree. A niece of Mr. Taylor, Mrs. Elbert Lewis, and her husband made a telephone call from Quana in recognition of the special event. Cards were received from many points over the country including Oklahoma, Oregon, Colorado and California in addition to many Texas cities.

A two and a half foot bronze and gold-trimmed metallic Christmas tree decorated the living room. Large and small candles and bronze and yellow candles were placed in picturesque array on the dining table. Lace cloth, underlaid in pink, covered the dining table. The centerpiece was a three-tiered cake decorated in gold with the numerals "50" appearing on top of the cake.

Gold and silver bells and a gold wreath with anniversary cards attached adorned the wall next to the dining table. Between the wreath and the bells was a Christmas scene with figurines of the wise men appearing in bas-relief.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor have lived in Eastland County most of their life. For 19 years they lived at Hollis and Bethany in Oklahoma. Also ex-residents of Lake Worth and Snyder, the couple moved to Cisco in 1953 from Lake Worth.

A retired carpenter, Mr. Taylor enjoys fishing with his wife. From May until October of this year they lived at Lake Cisco where they could pursue their favorite hobby.

It was 50 years ago last Sunday that the couple was united in marriage at Oak Grove near Carbon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wilson.

Discussing their future plans, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor said, "Now that we've celebrated our Golden Wedding maybe we will get a chance to enjoy a long-delayed honeymoon."

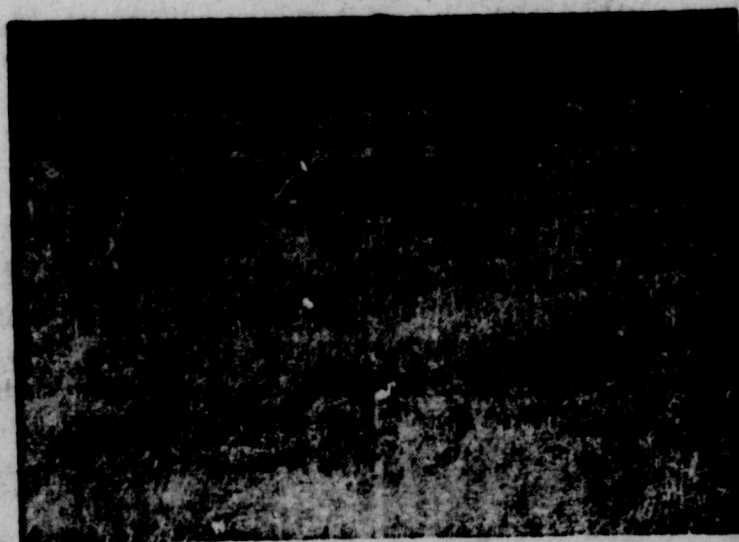
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