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State Capital NEWS

By Vern Sanford

Austin. — Working out federal medicare insurance benefits in Texas may take a while. According to state officials, the Texas plan for those 241,819 persons on old age assistance rolls will require "some time" to develop. This because complexities in the act require further study.

Problem arises out of Title 19. It provides a $3-a-month voluntary medical insurance program for the elderly.

This would supplement medical care available both to social security recipients and elderly persons who receive medical aid through state welfare programs.

Problem is whether old age assistance payments should be raised $3 to take care of the premium, or whether the state should pay the premium separately. Either way, it will cost welfare recipients nothing.

Medicare is effective July 1, but a March 31 deadline has been set for voluntary enrollment in the basic hospital insurance for the elderly.

According to Commissioner John Winters of the Department of Public Welfare, it is not mandatory for everyone to sign up for the voluntary insurance feature of the program. However, all who participate in the medicare program do have to sign in. It's the only way those who receive Social Security can get the medical benefits. "But," says the Commissioner, "they can choose to do so without the insurance coverage."

ANTI-TRUST SUITS VIEWED —Texas officials are viewing with interest a $30,000,000 damage suit filed in Oklahoma. It is for alleged price-fixing. Sued by the State of Oklahoma are 10 firms that have been selling the state asphaltic oil for highway construction.

Accountants for the Texas Highway Department now are checking records in Austin pertaining to the $1,700,000 worth of asphaltic oil purchased annually by the State of Texas.

In the Sooner State's suit, it is charged that the State of Oklahoma has been overcharged $10,000,000 on asphaltic road oil purchases as a result of price-fixing by the ten firms over a five-year period.

Says Texas' attorney general Waggoner Carr, "We're interested in this suit. If we find anything here, we will take appropriate action."

RETAIL SALES UP — November retail sales in Texas brought the year's total figures up six per cent above the first 11 months of last year, says the UT Bureau of Business Research. November sales were down two per cent from October. But there was 14 per cent gain over November of 1964.

CONNALLY TO STUMP STATE Gov. John Connally says that regardless of whether he has an opponent in the Democratic primary he plans to travel over Texas next year discussing problems and laying out a "broad and imaginative" program for the future.

His proposals will "encompass almost all areas of state government." They will include a $1,000,000-bond-financed water development program, advances in education, tuberculosis control and mental retardation work. Also "expansive and ambitious programs" for "woefully inadequate" state parks and recreation.

In commenting on the number of terms a governor may serve, Connally stated that he does not favor any limitation because the office is "weak enough" already. One of the "few strengths" a governor has, said Connally, is that he just may be around for another term.

HEART-FUND RIDE — Eddie Snell, a cowboy who is riding horseback from California to Washington, D. C., on behalf of the Heart Fund, was presented with an Honorary Texan Citation at the State Capitol by Governor Connally.

Snell, who lost an 18-month-old daughter with congenital heart disease a few years ago, does not accept money for the Fund. But he encourages people to mail contributions addressed to Heart Fund, c/o Local Postmaster.

SEEK CANDIDATES — Texas Republicans will begin their serious talk of fielding 1966 candidates for state office at a meeting of their executive committee here January 7-8.

In addition to hearing a report from candidates' committee, the SREC also will adopt its budget for 1966 and hear a report from Sen. John Tower on his recent tour of Vietnam.

AGING AID NEARS — Funds Funds totaling $156,500 will be available to Texas after January 1 from the U. S. Administration on Aging.

Bulk of money, according to Walter H. Richter, chairman of the Committee on Aging, will be disbursed to local communities, counties and groups for expanded programs to benefit the aging.

Applications for grants must indicate at least 25 per cent participation from local sources for the first year. Only 10 per cent of the sum may be used for administration of statewide programs.

LIBRARIES TO RECEIVE AID In an attempt to upgrade the quality of the nation's libraries, the federal government has appropriated $5,345,745 for Texas to distrbute among its school districts.

Texas Education Agency already has approved 443 programs under the act, and $2,341,941 has been allocated to date.

Money is to help school districts make library resources, textbooks and other printed and published matter available to pupils and students in public and private schools.

In a companion program, 18 Texas school districts have applied for -4,153,945 with which to stimulate educational innovation.

Allen LaPrade Announces For County Clerk

To the citizens and voters of Titus County:

I wish to take this method of announcing myself as a candidate for the office of County Clerk and in so doing may I express to you again my heartfelt appreciation for your loyal support in previous elections which enabled me to be elected as your District Clerk for two terms.

As you know, on February 1,1965, County Clerk, Homer L. Bowden tendered his resignation and on this date your Commissioners Court appointed me to fill Mr. Bowden's unexpired term. I am grateful to the Court in honoring me with this appointment; I have, since said appointment, sincerely tried to perform the duties of this office with dignity and in a business like manner. I respectfully request that you check my record and my conduct as a public official and if you feel that my record merits this promotion I will be very grateful to you and trust you will accept this as my personal appeal for your continued support in my campaign for my first elected term as County Clerk.

Sincerely yours,
ALLEN LaPRADE, Candidate for County Clerk, Titus County
(Paid Pol. Adv.)

To the Citizens Of Titus County:

I take this opportunity to announce my candidacy for County Superintendent of Titus County second term. Your continued support and cooperation will be sincerely appreciated. My first term in this office has been a very pleasant one, thanks to your friendliness and many courtesies.

If honored with this position again, I will continue to do my best for the schools of Titus County. This office will continue to assist you in every way possible, and invite you to come to see us at any time, whether on business or for a social visit.

PAUL BLACKARD
Candidate for re-election to 2nd term as County Superintendent, Titus County, Texas.
(Paid Pol. Adv.)

Bethany Class Is Feted At Party

Tuesday night the Bethany Sunday School Class of Calvary Baptist Church met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Prestidge for their annual Christmas banquet. Thanks was voiced by Tim Clark. After a bounteous supper, served buffet style, all sang Christmas songs. Mrs. Swope read a Christmas story, and scripture was read by Mr. Lemay. A Bible quiz, Who Am I? by Mrs. Easterling. Gifts from under a beautiful Christmas tree were passed out by Mrs. Lemay and Mrs. Luttrell.

Members present with their husbands as guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lemay, Mr. and Mrs. Luttrell, Mr. and Mrs. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Teague, Mrs. Stella Taylor, Mrs. ewel Easterling, Mrs. Nora Swope and Miss Alma Cornelius and the host and hosetss, Mr. and Mrs. Prestidge.

Political Announcements

The following announcements for public office are made subject to the action of voters at the Democratic primaries in 1966:

For County Judge:
CECIL FRANKLIN
(Re-Election, 2nd Term)

For County Superintendent:
PAUL BLACKARD
(Re-Election, 2nd Term)

For County Clerk:
ALLEN LaPRADE

Mrs. John Dugger Dies After Illness

Mrs. John Dugger, 84, of Bogata pased away Friday at Red River Haven Nursing Home following a long illness. Funeral service was held Sunday at 2 p. m. in the First Baptist Church in Bogata, of which she was a member. Interment, under direction of Bogata Funeral Home, was made in Highland Cemetery at Deport. Rev. L. J. Stotts of Pineville, La., former Fulbright Baptist pastor, officiated.

Surviving are three children, Raymond Dugger Sr. of Fulbright Charlie R. Dugger of Charlotte, N. C., and Mrs. Horace Lawler of Lovington, N. M.; four grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Three sisters and a brother, Miss Cora Jarvis of Bogata, Mrs. Tom Hargus of Stamford, Mrs. A. M. Francis and Milton Jarvis of Bonham, also survive.

Deceased the former Martha Jane Lillie Reed, daughter of James and Rowena (Parchman) Reed, was born near Deport on May 8, 1881. She was married to John Dugger on Feb. 3, 1902 and he passed away on Jan. 18, 1932. She owned and operated a grocery store in Deport for several years prior to moving back to Fulbright and Bogata a number of years ago.

Pallbearers were Ward Baker, Ben Warren, Paul Hill, Clyde Mitchell, George Hancock and Newt Bryson.

Relatives and friends here for the funeral were from Lovington, N. M., Abilene, Bonham, Leonard, Dallas, Clarksville, Paris, Blossom, Pineville, La., Texarkana.

Funeral Monday For C. T. Johnson

Funeral of Charles Thomas Johnson, 27, of Wilkinson community, fatally shot Friday night, reportedly during an attempted arrest, was set Monday at 2 p. m. at Greenhill Baptist Church, with burial in the cemetery there.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. Alvin Blalock, Smith-Bates Funeral Home of Mt. Pleasant arranging the services.

Titus County Atty. Tully Florey has filed a murder complaint against the Talco city marshal, E. R. Grayson. Johnson was shot reportedly after the officer stopped the car in which the man was riding, about a mile east of Talco.

Johnson leaves his wife, the former Mary Ann Milner; three children, Charlie, Jeanette and Gerald Johnson, and his barents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnson, all of Wilkinson, on Rt. 4, Mt. Pleasant.

TALCO NEWS 10-20 Years Ago

Week of December 28, 1945

Released from military services were Jack Roberts, G. G. Ryan, Gene Jeffus and Kenneth Westbrook.

Sgt. Harold Bonham had returned from two years service in the Pacific, and was spending a 28 day furlough with relatives.

A double funeral had ben held at Johntown for William David Monroe of Johntown and for his son, Oscar L. Monroe of Santa Maria, Calif. The younger Monroe had been killed in a car wreck enroute to attend his father's funeral.

Mrs. Mary Cunningham, 79, had died.

A son had ben born to the W. S. Taylors of Talco.

Week of December 30, 1955

Mrs. C. H. (Dick) Dickinson was buried at Pittsburg after rites at Calvary Baptist Church.

Andrew J. Henry, son of Mrs. Clara I. Swarts, R1, Talco, was commissioned a second lieutenant after graduation from OCS, Ft. Sill, Okla.

Carolyn Ryan and Jerry Worden were married at Calvary Baptist Church in Talco.

A son was born to the Elton Belchers of Talco.

Need Poll Tax To Vote Texas Election

To be sure of voting in Texas elections for 1966, at the present time it is necessary to have a Poll Tax. You may purchase a Poll Tax for $1.75 each for all elections or a Poll Tax Not Paid, at no charge, for Federal Elections only, according to Assessor-Collector John W. Mason.

These Poll Taxes may be purchased at the County Tax Office in Mt. Pleasant or the City Tax Office in Talco. These are to be acquired on or before January 31, 1966—the deadline.

Ann Cato Bride Of Asher Cohen

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Goodroe, John Delbert and Melea and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holmes and Kelli went to Mineral Wells Saturday to attend the wedding of Mrs. Goodroe's niece, Miss Ann Cato.

The Saturday evening ceremony united Miss Ann Cato and Asher Cohen in marriage at the First Christian Church. The Rev. Cuppett read the marriage vows. The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Lee Bassinger as matron of honor, Miss Harriet Opanawitz, the groom's sister, was maid of honor; six bridesmaids ,and Miss Melea Goodroe, cousin of the bride, was junior bridesmaid. Lee Bassinger, brother-in-law of the bride, served the groom as best man.

Mrs. Legrand Cato is mother of the bride and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Opanawitz.

They will make their home in Mineral Wells. The groom will continue his course of study in ETSU in Commerce.

Alcorn Has Trouble Seeing Into Next Year % This Year Was No Big Help

Edito[illegible]r'hin Alcorn, philos[illegible]pli Johnson [illegible]ass [illegible]e fa[illegible]ur takes look [illegible]a we're not [illegible]ure he has his glasses on.

Dear Editar: A couple of days after Christmas, when I was figuring up how much it cost, you know some people are always referring to Washington as Santa Claus and they're right— the government has cut income taxes and raised Social Security taxes, just the way the Christmas-gift business works—at any rate, a neighbor of mine out here stopped me and said, "Well, how does the new year look to you?

"I can't see it from here," I told him.

Anybody who claims he can see over into next week, not to mention next year, has already forgotten what happened last month. I don't know wha tit was, but it didn't happen like he figured it would.

Predicting next year is like predicting next month's weather, and I have a notion that if man, and it's possible, ever gets control of the weather and can make it rain when he wants to, stay dry when he wants it to, there will still be jobs for weather forecasters, this time predicting whether the Bureal will have rain here or sunshine there. What I mean is, man is no more predictable than the elements, which is the reason nobody knows what's going to happen in 1966. In fact, there are times when I prefer the elements.

As for me, my theory is the best way to handle a year is one day at a time, and the best way to handle a day is one hour t a time. Any man who can't handle one hour, there's not much hope for him. Although there have been hours I'd just as soon have skipped.

In 1966, I figure things will be about like they were in 1965, and if me and Congress can figure what happened then, we'll have normal sailing. But watch out for the sand bars.

Yours faithfully, A. A.

Additional Locals

Mrs. Jewel Haynes is a patient in Titus County Memorial Hospital in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bowman visited her mother, Mrs. J. O. Moore in Lufkin the week end.

Mrs. Marshall E. Jones, a Talco teacher, received the car given away by local merchants, Dec. 24.

Mrs. Maudie Martin visited her daughter, Mrs. T. J. Jones and Mr. Jones in Ft. Worth the week end.

Mrs. Roy Roach of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mrs. Lucy Walls, Wednesday.

Mrs. Sallie Barbato of Houston, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones, Rusty and Tracey were dinner guests of her mother, Mrs. Earl Shaddix, in Daingerfield, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Earnshaw of Wickenburg, Ariz., were here during the holidays with her sister, Mrs. E. W. Duncan and family.

Mrs. Nancy Hazlewood visited her daughter, Mrs. Coye Blassengame and family in Palestine during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lawyer and Susan left Monday for Knoxville, Ark., to attend his father, who is seriously ill. They will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart at Batesville, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Felton and Miss Janice Kirl of Amarillo, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kirl, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morse, Barbara and Judy spent Christmas Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morse in Sulphur Bluff.

Mrs. Eliabeth Tapp went to Henderson Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Ed Paxton and Mr. Paxton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harrison visited his parents in Searcy, Ark., and her parents in Pangburn, Ark., the week end.

D. J. Smelley Jr. of Richland, sends The Talco Times to Wayne Smelley and Jack Byrd of Houston as Christmas gifts.

Home for the Christmas holidays with their mother were Miss Patricia Presley, student of U. of T., Austin, and Jimmy Presley, Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Pittman, Karen and Marla spent Christmas Day with his sister, Mrs. J. W. Woolsey and family in Longview.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Wyatt and three children of Dallas, spent Sunday yith his mother, Mrs. Verbeth Wyatt and other relatives.

Miss Alice Ruth Tidwell is visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. A. Tate and other relatives in Kountz, during the holidays.

Mrs. Geraldine Riley and son of Dallas, visited her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Watson, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Scarborough and baby of Tyler, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Muriel Bean, Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Riley visited her mother, Mrs. Estelle Ferguson and other relatives in Dallas, Saturday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen King of Houston and Edwin King of Dallas, visited their mother, Mrs. W. M. King the week end.

Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Hanks were her nephews, Billy Joe Smith and family of Dickerson and Gene Smith and family of Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Smith returned home Saturday after visiting their children, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Bernon Smith in Dallas.

Clevie Wages of Ft. Worth, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Sallie Wages and his sister, Mrs. Marshal E. Jones and Mr. Jones.

Miss Myrtle Brummett of El Dorado, Ark., visited her sister, Mrs. Buck Stansell and family during the holidays. She returned home Sunday.

Mrs. O. D. Welch visited her mother, Mrs. W. R. Presley and her brother, Gus Presley and family in Mt. Pleasant, Christmas afternoon.

Admitted to Talco Hospital and Clinic Monday and Tuesday: Orin Williams, G. G. Harper, S. C. Simmons, Charles James and Tina Marie Dyer and Mrs. Georgia Jones.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Grayson were their daughters, Mrs. Charles Lewis, Mr. Lewis and two children and Miss Mary Ann Grayson of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Taylor of Dallas, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Jaggers, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lilley and son, Jon of Cleburne, were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lewis and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Funderburk and Lynette of Hawkins and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Funderburk of Stillwater, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Funderburk. Mrs. Funderburk's sister, Mrs. W. V. Beton and family of Dallas, were also guests during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John David Wright and two small daughters of Abilene, were visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Wright and other relatives this week.

A daughter, who has been named Jean Mac, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bradshaw. Dec. 22 in a Mt. Pleasant hospital. She weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Goode of Valliant, Okla., arrived Friday for a short visit with her father, Tom Bean and her brother, Muriel Bean and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Welch and three children of Houston, were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welch and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hanson of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parsons and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dickerson returned Thursday from Hendersonville, S. C., where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Dickerson's and Mrs. Parson's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ramsey and Wayne spent Christmas Day with their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Humphries and family in Longview. Mrs. Humphries and baby accompanied them home for a short visit.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Stevenson were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Westbrook and her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. John Blackwell of Vivian, La.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weatherall during the holidays were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Maywald of Gilmer and her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Maywald of Navasota.

R. T. Fuller Jr. of LaMarque, Mrs. Runette Gray of Longview, Terry Gray and Linda Miller of Marshall Baptist College, were out of town guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Fuller here for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis spen the week with their daughter, Mrs Dan Cotten and family in Burkburnett. They were joined there by another daughter, Miss Janice Davis of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Lowry of Longview, was here this week and sold his sister's residence to Mr. and Mrs. Tex Lee. His sister, Mrs. C. W. Jasper, passed away a few weks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clark visited their daughter, Mrs. George Burleson and family and Mrs. Al Cargile and family in Dallas during the week end. James Paul Clark of Mesquite, met them there.

Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson of Texarkana, visited their mother, Mrs. Emily Johnson, during the week. Her brother-in-law, M. Johnson and Mrs. Johnson of Dallas, were here for Christmas Day.

DOLLS FOR GIRLS AT DENTON STATE SCHOOL

Mrs. James Hearron went to Denton Friday of last week to bring her daughter, Linda, home for the Christmas holiday. Linda is in a dormitory with twenty-nine other little girls in Denton State School.

Mrs. Hearron made thirty dolls for these children and they were distributed to them Christmas week. The heads, hands and feet were molded and kiln baked, bodies were made of Muslin and stuffed with cototn. They were fully dressed. Mrs. Sidney Frugia and several of her friends helped Mrs. Hearron in this project.

Christmas week guests of Mr and Mrs. Odell Belcher were two of their daughters, Mrs. Neil Hahn Mr. Hahn, Debra and Beckie of Freer and Mrs. Bruce Laird and Mr. Laird, Bruce and Steven of Victoria.

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RUGBY

By MRS. EARL GROGAN

Mrs. Aleck Griffin was a Christmas guest of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Griffin and family of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ford left Friday to spend Christmas with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Foster and family of Abilene. They were accompanied by their son, Gary of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lemens spent Christmas Day with Mrs. Will Daniels and Willie May of Paris.

Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Alsobrook and Mrs. Emma Wood were the latter's children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wood of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wood of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Gray and family of Cross Roads, Mr. and Mrs. Conard Norwood and family of Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rheingans and family of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Skippy Clayton of Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wood.

Friday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Slaton and family were his mother, Mrs. Lily Slaton of Deport and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Slaton of Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thornton were Christmas guests of her niece, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Denny and family and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Kidd, all of Bogata.

Johnny Handley of Irving, was a week end guest of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Polk Alsobrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Slaton and family were in Dallas for the week end, guests of her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Leeds and Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Wilson and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lawler of Abilene, were guests Saturday and Sunday of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lemens. They were called here by the death of his grandmother, Mrs. Lilly Dugger of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wright were Christmas guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McMikel of Paris. Mr. and Mrs. Wright had as Sunday visitors their son, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wright of Paris and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright of Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stevens were Christmas dinner guests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Barker and sons of Longview. Steve Barker, a student at A&M University, spent the first of the week with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Merl Roach and sons had as week end guests their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Screws and family of Paris. Mr. and Mrs. Roach were in Cunningham Sunday to visit her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fowler and family of Dallas, who are visiting there.

Mrs. Francis Bailey spent Friday night with her sister, Mrs. Merl Simpson of Clarksville and accompanied her to DeKalb for Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. George Simpson and family. Mrs. Bailey had as guests Saturday night her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Williams and Jodie Alexander of Dallas and on Sunday another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adcock and family of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McDonald and family of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bailey, Mrs. Earl Harville and Billy Manning of Paris and Mrs. Carmen Maddox and James of Ft. Towson, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Allen and Janet had as Christmas guests their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wolf and family and her sister, Mrs. Opal Cutbirth of Greenville. Sunday the Allens were visitors of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Parker of Ida.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Westbrook and Nelda had as holiday visitors the ladies' sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reece of Lubbock, and their grandmother, Mrs. O. S. Roberts of Avery. They all visited their mother, Mrs. Tom Benningfield of Rosalie Saturday and a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Francis and family of Deport, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Alsobrook had as Christmas dinner guests their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bell and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vaughan and families of Clarksville and Richardson and his brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Alsobrook and Mr .and Mrs. Doug Alsobrook of Bogata, and Walter of Deport, and his nieces, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Williams and daughter of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Don Jones and sons of Poteau, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McDonald of Clarksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen were Christmas guests of her mother, Mrs. W. J. Abbott of Taylortown and Sunday guests of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Warren of Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin and daughters had as a week end guest, her mother, Mrs. Rebecca Massingill of Paris, and on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Stevens of Fulbright, Sharon Bridges of Deport and James Hannah and daughter of Dallas.

FULBRIGHT

By MRS. A. H. STEVENS

Holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cremeen were Mr. and Mrs. Delford Cremeen and Nita Ann of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cremeen, Carla Jane and Russell Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Chesshir and Dennis Hackler of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Giddens, Laura Ann and Cheryl Lynn of Monroe, La., Mr. and Mrs. John Towns, Gary, Gerald and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Chesshir and Glynda of Clarksville, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Hackler and grandson, Jeff Partridge of Paris.

Funeral services for Mrs. James David Isabell of Reno, Nev., were held at the Baptist Church Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Isabell was killed in a car wreck in California Dec. 18. Rev. Kris Stengel of Ft. Worth, pastor of the Baptist Church, conducted services with interment in Detroit Cemetery. Our sympathy is extended to the family.

Mrs. Leo Ridens entered Clarksville hospital Monday to undergo minor surgery Tuesday.

Bill Baker Jr., Mrs. Beverlee Anderson and son, Ralph of Oklahoma City, spent Christmas holidays with his parntes, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baker Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lawler of Abilene, visited a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Clyde Mitchell and Mr. Mitchell after being called here by the death of his grandmother, Mrs. Lillie Dugger.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ridens had their children and grandchillren, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kenner, Kathy, Judy and Jack Walton of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reddell and Tacey Lee of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Ridens of Denton, home for Christmas holidays.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Blake Reynolds during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Carol Harkrider, Louann, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Johnson and Jeffrey Wayne of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Al Garrett of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reynolds of Longview, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swilnt Jr., Fred III, Susan and Mark of Deport.

Our community was saddened again Friday by the passing of Mrs. Lillie Dugger of Bogata at Red River Haven Nursing Home. Mrs. Dugger was a former resident of Fulbright and her many friends extend sympathy to her family.

Visitors over the holidays of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Van Deaver were Clovis Van Deaver and family of Hempstead, Alvin Van Deaver and family of Denison, Charley Van Deaver and family, Mrs. Bonnie Rogers of Clarksville, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Van Deaver and Charlotte of Deport, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Van Deaver of Paris, Mrs. Bessie Gasway, Dixie Lee and Onus of Clarksville, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Baker.

Holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Stevens were Mr. and Mrs. Horace Matlock of Las Cruces, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Van Deaver and children of Hempstead, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pate, Carol and Vickie of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Reaves of Mt. Pleasant were dinner guests of Mr .and Mrs. Luther Rozell Christmas Eve.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Stevens were Mrs. Ella Hannah of Deport, Mrs. Rebecca Massingill of Paris, James L. Hannah of New Orleans, La., and his daughter, Linda Hannah of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin, Vickie, Thomas and Shelia of Rugby, Mr .and Mrs. Vern Bartlett, Sharon and Judy of Deport.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Matlock of Las Cruces, N. M., left Monday for their home after visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Stevens and other relatives since Dec. 10.

Wiley Gifford entered Clarksville hospital Friday, after suffering a stroke at his home earlier in the day. He is reporetd doing as well as could be expected. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hughes and other relatives of Dallas, are attending him.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rozell Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morehead and Patti of Longview, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Duke of Shreveport, Lr., Mr. and Mrs. Ward Baker and Mrs. Selma Baker of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dooley of Paris.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Kelley during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kelley of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey D. Brown and children of Paris, Miss DeeAnn Brown who attends Texas U., Donald Kelley of Arlington, Bill Kelley, Jimmie and Pam of Houston, Kent Lee of Dallas and J. P. Lee of Bogata. Mrs. Dennis D. Temple of Pasadena called to wish a Merry Christmas.

Mrs. Perry Smith of Ft. Worth, who suffered a severe stroke recently, was moved to Deport Nursing Home Monday. Mrs. Smith is sister of Morris and Arthur Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. David Anderson had their sons and families with them for the holidays: Mr. and Mrs. James R. Anderson of Garland, John Anderson of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson, Stan and David of Bogata.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Posey and family Christmas Day were Mrs. Jake Nite and children, J. R. Fuller of Gilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Norwood, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Frieson, Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Musgrove, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson, were in Paris Christmas Eve night to have dinner with Mrs. Elsie Roddy and Mrs. M. T. Norman.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Watson Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bankhead of Tulia, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Norman and family of Edmond, Okla., Mrs. M. T. Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Frieson of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Elmer Bankhead of Taylortown, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Norwood, Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Musgrove, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson of Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Yancey were in Paris Christmas Day with her mother, Mrs. David Wright.

Those home to spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Baker, were these children: Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn Byers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Baker, Mrs. Paul Pitman and girls, all of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pynes and family of Cunningham.

Visiting their parents for the holidays were these children: Mr. and Mrs. Paul O'Neal of Grants, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Bud Archibald and family of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McBride of Bogata.

These children were with Mr. and Mrs. Almer Norwood Friday night: Mr. and Mrs. Gene Norwood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carnard Norwood and children, Mr. and Mrs. James Norwood and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Darold Norwood and girls of Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Norwood and Clint of Taylortown.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Norwood over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Drake of North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Smith and Mona, Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper and family had Christmas dinner with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Cooper. Visiting in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Bledsoe spent Christmas Day in Paris with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Conroe Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Slusher, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Burl Parks and family of Paris, spent the Christmas holidays in Burkburnett with their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slusher and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Hatcher of Bowie, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Slusher. Mr. Hatcher is a cousin of Mr. Slusher.

The wedding of Miss Sue Pynes and Dennis Bazhaw was performed Sunday afternoon in the Baptist Church. A large crowd attended the wedding and reception.

Albert Roach was in Cunningham Monday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Jones of Paris, visited Mrs. Berniece Wyatt Sunday evening. The Jones also attended the wedding of Miss Sue Pynes and Dennis Bazhaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker and Mrs. Berniece Wyatt were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Smith Monday night for a weiner roast.

Mrs. Cassie Bledsoe of Cooper, is with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes, for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Page and family of Dumas, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Norwood, Monday.

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Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Hanks were their daughter, Mrs. Donald Newman, Mr. Newman and children of Ft. Worth and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Hanks and children of Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clark visited their daughters, Mrs. George Burleson and family and Mrs. Al Cargile and family in Dallas during the holidays. They were joined there by their son, James Paul Clark of Mesquite.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Roberts spent Christmas Day with their daughter, Mrs. Tommy Rolf and family in Mt. Pleasant. Mrs. Roberts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Puckett of Gilmer, joined them there for the day.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Tennison were their son, Freddy Owings and family of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Smith and children of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. Tennison's mother, Mrs. Alice Tennison of Longview.

Mrs. Jack Thompson and daughters, Lisa and Marjorie, have returned to Hawaii, after a month here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Belcher, while her husband, Airman 1C Jackson Thompson was in school in Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Herring and Cindy of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Via of Baton Rouge, La. and Charles Lewis of Three Rivers were holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lewis and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rodgers left Monday to visit her mother and sister, Mrs. A. L. Smart and Miss Emmagene Smart in Garland, their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Rodgers of Ft. Worth and relatives in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Rodgers of Dallas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rodgers and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mayo during the week end. Mrs. Rodgers remained with her mother for another ten days.

Out of town guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pittman during the hoildays were their son, Carl Pittman, Mrs. Pittman, Becky, Bobby and Carla of Gillings, Okla., and their daughter, Mrs. W. M. Austin and Mr. Austin of Dallas

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Lyan were their daughters and their families: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Worden and three children of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keesee and three children of Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. James Marquess of Tyler.

Guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown were their daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pavlat of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Adler of Commerce, his borther, Frank Brown, Mrs. Brown and Cindy of Odessa and Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. Claudia Lowry of Bogata.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cecil and Steve at Sunday dinner were his daughter, Mrs. Johnny Shaw, Mr. Shaw and Cindy of Mesquite, Mr. Shaw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Shaw of Greenville and Mrs. Cecil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pirtle of Johntown.

Mrs. R. R. Kelley, with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Osborn of Naples, were Christmas Day guests of their son and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Kelley in Paris. Miss Connelle spent Tuesday here with her grandmother before returning to school in Austin.

Mrs. O. D. Welch entertained her Sunday School class with a dinner at the Country Kitchen Tuesday evening at 6:00. Gifts were exchanged. The following attended: Mayra, Marta and Todd Wright, Terry McGonagill, Mark Hudson, Troy Elliott and the hostess.

Christmas holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Calloway were their daughters, Mrs. Larry Price, Mr. Price, Randy, Rhodney and Gary of Dallas, Mrs. Bill Sinclair, Mr. Sinclair and Shawn of Hughes Springs; Mrs. Calloway's sister, Mrs. P. O. Gwinn and Ronnie of Natchitoches, La.

Mrs. Robin Slaughter Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Robin Slauhter Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Carthal Gipson attended the funeral of Mrs. Jess Cowley Wednesday morning at Smith-Bates Funeral Home in Mt. Pleasant. Interment was in Greenhill Cemetery. Mrs. Cowley died at her home Monday.

Mrs. Legrand Cato and Mr. and Mrs. Asher Cohen of Mineral Wells were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Autrey Sikes and Sherry, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Goodroe, John Delbert and Melea and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holmes and Keii. The group had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holmes Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Reed, Mike and Lyndon spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Spruell in Vivian, La. Mrs. Reed's brothers, Jerry and Don with their families met them there. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Spruell and children of Amsterdam, Mo., visited Mr. and Mrs. Reed here before returning home.

Here for the holiday festivities were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Brown and family of Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Mack Brown and family of Rt. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Evans and family of Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Goss and children of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Brown and children of Hooks, with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Brown.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones were all present at their home on Christmas Eve for dinner, except one son, Lon Jones and family, who are in Holland. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Farris Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones and family and Mr. and Mrs. Cato Jones and family, Talco; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blackard of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Jones and children of Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Jones and sons of Shreveport, La., Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gene Jones and son of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. James Kelso and daughters of Hurst and Virgil Jones of Abilene.

WILKINSON

By MRS. MORRIS BLALOCK

Visitors of Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Blalock for Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holcomb and chidren of Eufaula, Ok. Roger Holcomb returned home with them after three weeks visit here.

Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock were Mr. and Mrs. Elton Crabtree, Mr. and Mrs. James DeLaughter and daughter, Tracy and Miss Dorothy Blalock, all of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock, Miss Dorothy, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Crabtree of Dallas, were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Crabtree of Cooper's Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blalock and son spent Christmas Eve with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Winkle of Bagwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gaston of Denton, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blalock and her brother, Wayne, returned home wtih them for a week's visit.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blaock were Mr. and Mrs. Don Ernst and son, Albert Taylor, Mrs. Rose Riddle and son, Jerry and a friend, George Nair, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Riddle and girls, all of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Blalock and sons of Mt. Pleasant, Miss Dorothy Blalock, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Crabtree of Dallas, E. E. Blalock.

Christmas supper guests of Mrs. Christine Harris were Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Tuck and children of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. Berton Harris and family, Clyde Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Martin and boys of Mt. Pleasant.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Haren for the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Leland Haren, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Haren, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Paul Allen, all of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Carpenter of Vidor. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Woodham of Decatur, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Taylor and children of Cookville, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Carpenter and girls of Argo and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Haren and son, Lydon, spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Carpenter and girls of Argo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Elder spent Christmas with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Criswell of Mt. Pleasant.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Elder Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Criswell and children of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hensley and sons of Sapulpa, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Goets of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dyke spent Christmas Day in Dallas wiht Mr. and Mrs. James Buchanan.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Kelton Smith and children of Maple Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Cabell and children of Talco.

Rose Marie and Gary Phillips of Dallas, are here spending the holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dyke and children, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Robertson and children were dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke. Mrs. Fayrene Davis and a friend, Mrs. Rus Simmons of Dallas, Lee Lilly and son of Ft. Worth, Will Lilly of Mt. Pleasant, visited Sunday evening, and Mr. and Mrs. James Burgin and baby of Gladewater, visited Sautrday night .

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anschutz and children and H. G. Blalock had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blalock and family of Marshall.

Christmas visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris were Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Huddleston of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Riddle and sons of Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brownlee and son, Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Riddle and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Brownlee and daughter, Deanna, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shipp and son, Jim Bob, all of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Riddle and girls of Mt. Pleasant Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hensley and sons of Sapulpa, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Akin Fain and daughters of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. James Logan and family of Talco, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Logan were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Logan.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Easterling were Mr .and Mrs. Milton Eatserling, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wayne Smith and children of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bramlett and children and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gentry of Diana, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dollahite Jr., Claudette and Patrick Nelson of Hallsville, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith of Denton and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Houk, Plano.

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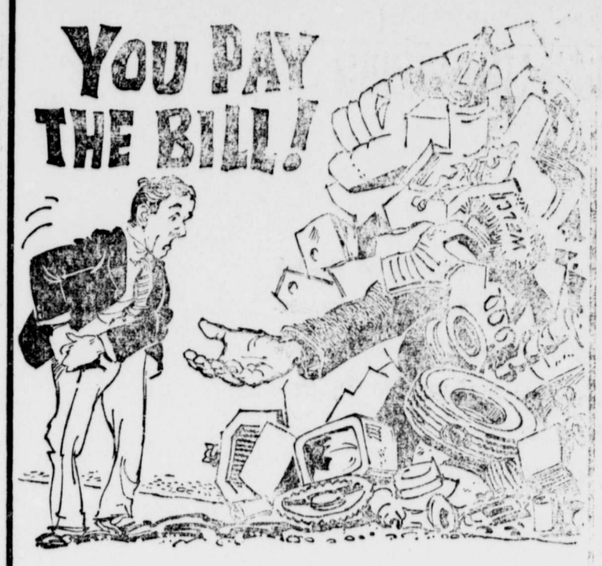

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By MRS. IRENE PEW

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hawkins and son, Roger of Corpus Christi, spent from Tuesday until Friday in the homes of their sisters and brother, Mrs. Irene Pew, Earl Hawkins, Mrs. Jess Morris and children and Mrs. Bill Ward and Mr. Ward at Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Vaughan and children, Steve, Debbie and Susan of Angleton, spent from Sunday until Tuesday in the home of his fatehr, G. A. Vaughan.

Mrs. Pelman Watts of Dallas, spent from Sunday until Tuesday in the Travis Watts home and with other friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Calquhoun of Dallas, spent the holidays in the homes of her brother and sister, E. V. Pirtle, Mrs. Morris Parker and Mr. Parker.

Friends of Jess Morris, who is a heart patient in the Veterans Hospital in Bonham, wish for him a speedy recovery and a Happy New Year

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhodes were Christmas Day dinner guests in the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. T. Rogers, Mr. Rogers and children of Bogata.

Mrs. Aleck Griffin of Rugby, visited Miss Verah Cotten and Mrs. Maggie Chesshire in the W. A. Cotten home Tuesday.

Mrs. M. H. Dryden of Odessa and her daughter, Mrs. Frederick Stahl and three children of Longview, spent Monday and Tuesday in the home of their sister and aunt, Mrs. Irene Pew and brother, Earl Hawkins and with Mrs. Bill Ward of Bogata.

These children of G. A. Vaughan had their holiday dinner at his house Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Vaughan and three children of Angleton, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vaughan and wto children of Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas and children of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Avret Lynn Vaughan and children of Cooper.

Gus Ward of Bogata and his daughter, Mrs. Gene Shaver and two children of Jacksonville, were dinner guests of Mrs. Irene Pew and Mrs. Lucy Hervey, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conway Brock and son, Johnny of Houston, spent Christmas Day and night with her mother, Mrs. Lucy Hervey in the home of Mrs. Irene Pew.

Mr. and Mrs. Drue Pirtle of Longview, spent the holiday week end at their home here and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Roach at Bogata.

Children of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hawkins were all here for the holiday week end. They were Mr. and Mrs. Spanky Hawkins and children of Shreveport, La., Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hawkins and children, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Combest and children of Longview, Mrs. Robbie McCunllar and children of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Wilkerson of Whitewright.

Mrs. Levi Chesshire of Bogata and her daughter, Laverne of Gladewater, visited Miss Verah Cotten and Maggie Chesshire in the W. A. Cotten home Sunday. Other visitors in the Cotten home during the holidays were Mr. Cotten's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Whitby of Houston and Rev. Paul Grundy of Paris.

Mrs. Jess Morris and her sister, Mrs. Gene Hawkins of Corpus Christi, visited her husband, Jess Morris, who is a patient in the Veterans Hospital in Bonham, Wednesday afternoon. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Morris, accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Whitaker and children of Clarksville, visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. R. C. Hinson, Mr. Hinson and children, Christmas Day.

Stephen Morris was in Sulphur Springs Wednesday on business.

Starla Beth Morris spent Thursday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Morris, in Bogata.

Bobby Butler of Clarksville, visited Setve Morris and J. C. Setzer during Christmas. Mr. Butler worked on a job in Colorado this past summer with the men.

LOCAL NEWS ABOUT BOGATA

Truman Lassiter of Fort Worth, was a Christmas guest of the Lassiter families.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Burns and children left Monday for home in New Iberia, La., after holiday visit with relatives here. His mother, Mrs. Madge Burns, accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Wright of Anson, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stratton during holidays.

Miss Kathy Francis of Deport, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Tom Benningfield.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Mullins of Uvalde, Kans., were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Holt renew a subscription to The News for their daughter, Mrs. Wayne Martin in Bellevue, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Greger and family visited his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Fred Greger in Texarkana during week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Davenport and children have reutrned to their home here from Gasco, Kans., where he was employed.

Mrs. Charlie Gray spent Christmas Day with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gray and Chloe Ann at Deport.

Lt. Col and Mrs. A. D. Stephenson and Mark of Iowa Park, were here with Mrs. T. T. Kinsey and the Stephenson family for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Schneckenburger and children of New Orleans, La., spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Askins of Odessa, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Whitten Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitten Jr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Turner, Dereca Joe Choate, Mrs. Verna Becton were in Winnsboro for a Christmas Day dinner with Mrs. Mattie Lou Smith and children.

John Paul Cooper, a student at Southwestern State College, Norman, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morris and family of Mendota, Ill., are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Cooper.

Forrest Lynn Whitten left Tuesday for Fort Polk, La., after a six day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitten Jr. and other relaitves. Bruce Whitten also visited during holidays with the Whittens.

Mr. and Mrs. Salathiel Stewart visited in Dallas Christmas Eve. Their son, Jimmy Stewart and family of Dallas, visited them here during the holidays. Other guests were his uncle, Lewis Bush, Mrs. Bush and Kenneth of Applegate, Mich., Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mathis of Baroda, Mich., Mrs. Izora Pappas of South Bend, Ind., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Lee, Mrs. Hattie Butler at Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Rodgers at Deport, and other relatives during holidays.

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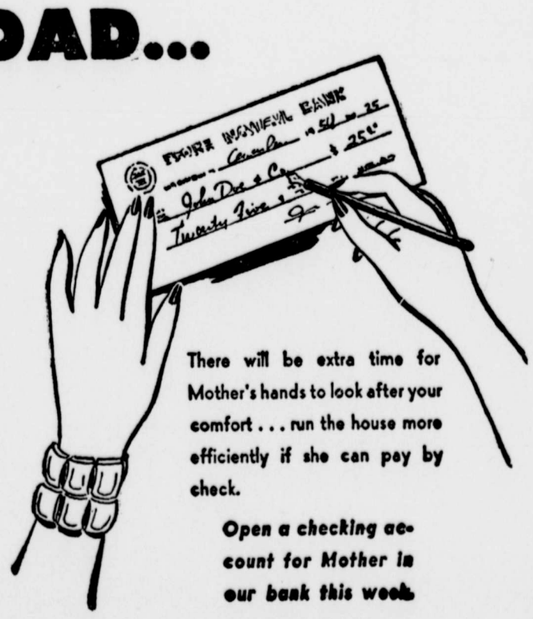

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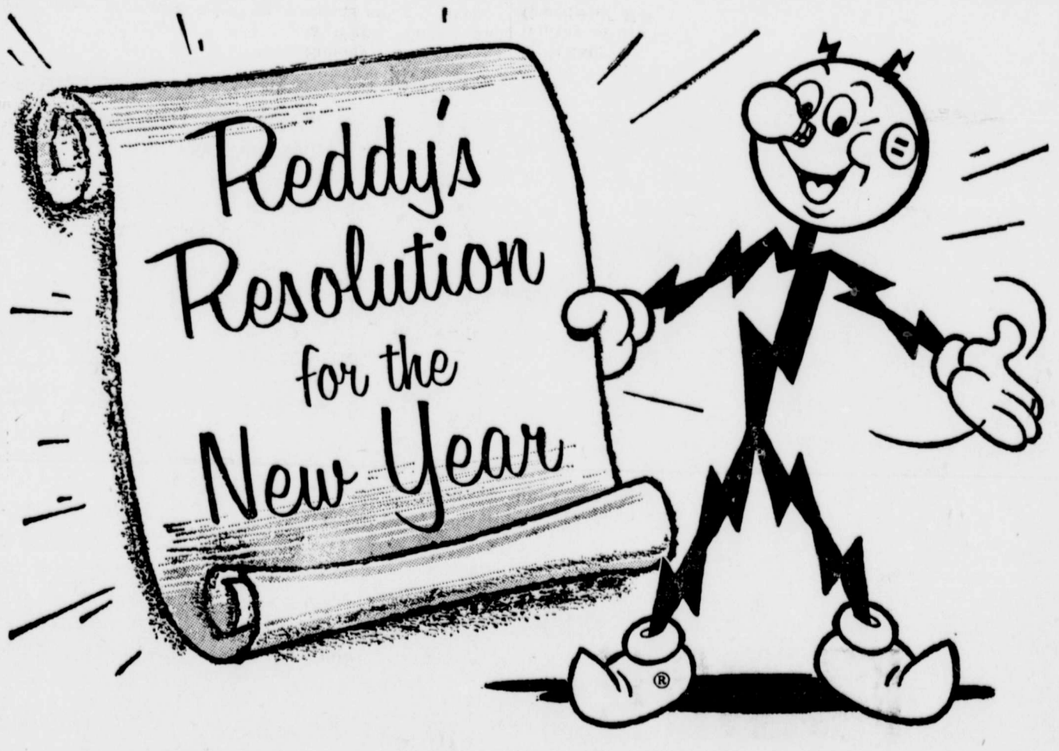

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