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Courier Bargain Rates Close Friday, Dec. 24

Many Take Advantage Of Big Saving Rates—Now In Effect

Christmas Eve, Friday, December 24 will ring down the curtain on the Dawson County Courier bargain rates of fifty cents a year, marking the close of one of the most successful subscription campaigns ever staged by the Courier.

Never before have the people of this territory responded more wholeheartedly to the Courier's HALF-PRICE SALE than has been the case this time. Hundreds of new and renewal subscriptions have already been received and the short time that is left in which to take advantage of the sensational bargain rate is expected to set an all-time record in the number of people responding to the bargain rate offer.

The large amount of local news to be found each week in the Courier together with huge advertising patronage enjoyed, affords the people of this territory one of the biggest newspaper bargains ever offered in West Texas.

Shop "The Courier Way"

"SHOPPING THE COURIER WAY" is fast becoming a habit with Courier subscribers and when we say Courier subscribers we mean that by far the largest majority of families in the Lamesa trade territory are Courier subscribers and really enjoy the quick convenient plan of shopping "THE COURIER WAY," saving money as well as time. A number of subscribers have complimented the Courier plan of obtaining subscribers without the use of solicitors. According to reports the majority of families prefer to subscribe for their "Home Town" paper, The Dawson County Courier, at their leisure, without the bother and boredom of having solicitors call on them.

Delinquent Subscribers Will Be Plowed Under

Believe it or not, all delinquent subscribers who have failed to take advantage of the Courier bargain rate will be plowed under. Subscribers are urged to take a look at the expiration date on their paper and renew their subscriptions while the fifty-cent-rate is in effect. Remember that the subscription price will be advanced to \$1.00 a year immediately after Friday, December 24.

Courier Opens New Booth On Square

In order to make it more convenient for those who wish to subscribe for the Courier, a location on the north side of the square has been secured. The subscription booth will be located in front of the new Morris-Cleveland Drug Store location, or the Garland building, about the center of the north side of the square. The new booth in addition to the one on the west side and the Courier office located on North First Street, will give patrons three places in town where subscriptions may be obtained.

Again patrons are warned against subscribing for the Courier from solicitors or peddlers as the Courier has no authorized representatives and all subscriptions must be purchased at the above mentioned places.

100,000 Bales of Cotton Ginned in Dawson County

The government report prior to December 1, reveals that 91,527 bales of cotton had been ginned in Dawson county as compared with 40,928 up to the same period last year.

It is estimated that more than 100,000 bales have been ginned up to the present time. About 43,000 bales have been ginned in Lamesa and with the figure running well over 40,000 bales in rural sections the combined ginnings is estimated to exceed 100,000 bales at this time. There is still some cotton to be harvested and the total ginning for Dawson county for the 1937 season is expected to be in the neighborhood of 110,000 bales.

According to the most reliable figures obtainable some 15,000 bales of Dawson county cotton has been ginned in O'Donnell and Big Spring, Lynn and Howard counties get credit for this cotton and in the opinion of many Dawson county citizens, accounts for the fact that Lynn county leads Dawson in ginning this year.

FAKE SALESMEN REPORTED IN THIS TERRITORY

With the usual Christmas rush of fakirs, swindlers and "hot check artists" Lamesa is reported to have a man posing as the son of a former U. S. Secretary of War who is passing out checks on his father, after investigation, he and his reputed father is found to be "phony."

During the last few weeks, other bogus checkers, and many other fraudulent practices, have been active in Lamesa, and the merchants are urged and cautioned to be extremely careful in accepting out-of-town checks.

Extreme caution should be observed in accepting checks of large denomination of the printed type drawn on legitimate companies and banks over the country. The Better Business Bureau of Dallas reports that never before has there been so much activity in passing bogus checks throughout the state.

Warning has been issued against forged checks, purported to have been issued by the Crazy Water Co., and drawn on a bank in Mineral Wells. The checks are marked pay-roll account and are good imitations of the genuine check.

A number of people in Dawson county have recently received through the mail a collection proposition offered by the Advertisers Association of Milwaukee, information from a Milwaukee Credit Association shows this not to be a legitimate firm and advises people not to be duped by the proposition.

Be ware, also of the house-to-house salesman selling supposedly new vacuum sweepers of a popular make at reduced prices. Investigation reveals that these machines have been reworked and are of very little value.

Lamesa merchants and business men are urged to call the Retail Merchants Association for information on these cases, when approached by any of the above mentioned racketeers.

Mrs. Katie Austin On Sunday, Dec. 12

Mrs. Katie Austin, passed away at a local hospital on last Sunday evening, December 12, following an illness of about three weeks.

Mrs. Austin, a pioneer of this county and the wife of the late S. D. Austin was 65 years of age at the time of her death. She was born on November 2, 1872 in Clark county, Arkansas, and with her husband and family moved to Dawson county thirty years ago. She was a devoted member of the Baptist church, having joined that union when she was eleven years old and was always active in all church affairs.

Funeral services were conducted on Wednesday morning, December 15, at the First Baptist church, at 10 a. m. with her pastor, Rev. E. F. Cole officiating. Interment was made in the Lamesa cemetery.

Pillbearers were: W. W. Perway, J. T. Oats, E. C. Nix, T. A. Harris, Roy Hunt, W. B. McWhorter, O. D. Holloway, J. L. Sperry and W. L. Marr. Survivors are the following children: Mrs. Ross Gibson, Mrs. Eugenia W. Cox, Cleve Austin and Rupert Austin all of Lamesa; Mrs. B. N. Graham Farwell; Howard H. Austin, Amarillo; Mrs. E. R. Coburn, Eagle Lake, Fla.; and Mrs. L. M. Crook, Long Beach, California. All were present for the funeral services except Mrs. Crook and one brother, Henry L. Ross, Hagium, Washington.

R. M. Porter Dies At Weatherford

R. M. Porter, a former citizen of Pride died last week at Weatherford. The funeral services were held there Sunday at 2 p. m., in addition to numerous friends, the funeral was attended by seventy-eight direct descendants.

New Salesman At Yates Hardware

I. M. Edmonson, a former resident of Lamesa and lately of Abilene has returned, with his wife, to Lamesa to be employed as salesman at the E. R. Yates Hardware and Implement.

Mr. Edmonson has had many years experience as a salesman, for the past 14 years he has been employed with different automobile houses in Abilene. Mr. Edmonson will have charge of the Tractor, International Trucks and Pick-up sales at the Yates Hardware.

J. C. Hunt Bags Deer And Turkey

J. C. Hunt returned from a successful hunt in Prio county with a party of friends. The bag for the crowd was eight deer, six turkeys and two javalinas.

Mr. Hunt brought down one deer and one turkey.

COMMUNITY PROGRAM MONDAY NIGHT WITH CHRISTMAS TREE

On Monday evening, December 20, the Lamesa Recreational Department and the citizens of Lamesa will sponsor a community Christmas tree at the Lamesa Grammar school auditorium. Santa Claus will be present to distribute the gifts to the children.

Previous to the Christmas tree ceremonies, two Christmas plays are to be presented, the first play, "When the Little Angel Sang," contains the following cast:

Dorothy Kennedy Little Angel
Dale Forrest Little Shepherd
Thomas Woody Lost Old Man
Roberta Vestal Thiel
Roberta Thurman Mary, Mother of Jesus.

The second play, "The Candle in the Window," depicts a group of young people gathered together in a modern home to sing Christmas Carols, and to light a candle and place in the window (See Community, Page 7)

Mrs. Sallie Smith Killed In Accident Near McLean Mon.

Mrs. Sallie Smith, mother of Gene Smith and Mrs. George Yates of this city was fatally injured late Monday afternoon when hit by an automobile on the highway near McLean, Texas.

Mrs. Smith was returning home from a day of shopping in Pampa, and stopping to assist other motorists, she was struck down by an approaching car that she was endeavoring to stop for further aid.

She was rushed to the Pampa hospital where she passed away, before members of her family from here could reach her bedside. Funeral services were held in McLean Wednesday afternoon.

City League Basketball Teams Organized

Sponsors and managers for City League Basketball team, met in the Recreation office Tuesday night and discussed the 1938 rules and regulations and made definite plans towards beginning City League play. The following points were agreed upon. The men's league shall be limited to six teams, five of which were represented at the meeting Tuesday night, allowing a place for only one more team, which will probably be filled within the next day or so.

The basketball squads will be limited to the number of players which they may use, ten being the maximum. It was agreed by the team representatives to conduct a round-robin tournament with the two winning teams playing a two out of three series for the championship at the completion of the round-robin. It was agreed that the Athletic council, composed of team sponsors and managers, would have their next meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 28, in the Recreation office.

Campbell's Dress Shop Selling Out

Mrs. Truman Campbell announces the complete selling out of her stock known as Campbell's Dress Shop in an advertisement in this issue of the Courier.

Mrs. Jack Ladd and Mrs. Carl Peterson have purchased the store and will operate it after January first.

Courier to Publish Christmas Edition

The Courier office began work this week on the special Christmas edition to be published Thursday of next week. Due to the short time left, in which to contact Lamesa business firms and compile copy, it has been found necessary by the management to employ two special solicitors to assist with this issue.

Mrs. L. D. Neal, who will be remembered, was one of the assistants of the Courier staff in the publishing of the Historical-Fair edition in October, and Mrs. Martha Stephens, will assist in calling on advertisers.

Both of these ladies are high class in every respect and come to the Courier well recommended. The special edition will consist principally of Christmas Greeting advertising and news copy pertaining to Christmas. Advertisers who contemplate taking advantage of the medium offered by the Courier, in expressing

appreciation of the wonderful business enjoyed the past year, are urged to cooperate in every way possible in speeding up the publication of this issue.

With the large circulation offered by the Courier, the merchants of Lamesa will find this method of expressing the Christmas spirit, one of the most effective, as well as economical available.

Every facility of the Courier advertising staff will be at the disposal of Lamesa merchants and solicitors will call on each and everyone to see that they have an opportunity to take part. Those having news items for next week's paper are urged to send their copy in, at the earliest possible time.

The Courier will publish Santa Claus letters for the kiddies in this issue and each and every child in this territory have a special invitation to send in their letters.

Hi-Jacker Slays Lamesa Man Saturday Night

HOWARD COUNTY VOTES OUT ALL LIQUOR TRAFFIC

Prohibitionists blotted out legal liquor in all forms for Howard county at the ballot boxes last Saturday by a margin of 118 votes. The count was 1,147 against liquor, and 1,029 for, the total of 2,176 being considered a good representation of the county's voting strength in an "off" year.

All of Big Spring's four boxes went wet, the vote in the city being 886 to 665. On the other hand, the ten boxes outside of Big Spring were unanimously dry.

Beer was legalized in Big Spring in September 1933, and stronger beverages in March 1936.

Saturday's vote will affect 87 establishments in Howard county 22 of which are package stores. Prohibition is to become effective about the middle of February, a month after the returns are canvassed.

Lamesa Postoffice To Remain Open Next Saturday Afternoon

According to Postmaster Owen C. Taylor, the Lamesa office will be open Saturday afternoon, December 18, in order that people served by this office might speed up the mailing of Christmas packages.

The mailing this Christmas is expected to be unusually heavy and the postoffice remaining open Saturday afternoon before Christmas will no doubt be beneficial to the public.

After Christmas the postoffice will be closed on Saturday afternoons as usual.

Local Citizens Raise \$1,000 Reward Money

Hopes for a quick capture of the hijacker and slayer of Maxie Woodroof here last Saturday night, had faded Wednesday when no clues of his whereabouts were known.

A posse of South Plains officers, headed by Sheriff Gus White, are continuing their hunt for the killer, but so far have been unable to uncover a tangible clue as to his identity.

A reward of \$1000.00 was raised on Sunday and Monday by the citizens of Lamesa and Dawson county for the arrest and conviction of the slayer. With Governor Alfred stating that the State would likewise offer a \$250.00 reward, bringing the total reward to \$1250.00.

Woodroof clerk at Hurts Haberdashery was shot down after he had chased the hijacker nearly a block and overtaken him. The robbery occurred about 7:30 p. m. when a poorly dressed man came into the store and asked for a tie. Young Woodroof waiting on the prospective customer, went to the cash register to make change, when a gun was jabbed into his ribs, the robber reaching into the drawer, scooping up the bills.

The hijacker backing to the front door with his gun drawn, was attacked by Woodroof, but broke away, running up North Austin Street. Woodroof pursued for a block, catching the running man at North Austin and North Second Streets. In the scuffle with the robber, trying to disarm and capture him Woodroof was shot in the chest, the shot ranging downward through the abdomen.

A bystander at the front of the store was quoted this week as saying he heard the hijacker threaten Woodroof with, "Lock out, fellow, or you'll get shot." Only one shot was reported to have been fired. Hubert Watkins another clerk at the store, joined in the chase, but was about "30 steps" behind when the shot was fired.

Swanson Hunt, owner of the store stated that \$387.00 was taken by the robber.

RAIN AND SNOW GREATLY BENEFIT WHEAT IN COUNTY

Beginning Tuesday of this week considerable moisture has been received in this section by the combined action of rain and snowfall. Snow began falling Tuesday night, this was preceded by rain during the day, the snowfall was light, but sufficient to cover the ground with a white blanket. It is estimated that approximately one-half inch of moisture has been recorded by gauges since the rain started. As far as it has been possible to ascertain, the precipitation has been general over the Plains country.

Farmers in this section report the wheat crops materially benefited and that moisture this time of the year is always welcomed.

The cotton crop in Dawson county has been practically all harvested, and no damage is expected to result from the rainfall.

AMONG THE YOUNGER SET



CLARAENE AND BERTHENE MCKINNEY
Photo By Rogers' Studio
The two little ladies above are Claraene and Berthene McKinney, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. McKinney, who reside at 406 North Third Street. These attractive little girls will be one-year-old on January 12. Claraene has brown hair and brown eyes, and Berthene has blonde hair and brown eyes.

East-West Highway Gets Additional Aid

Richardson Gives News Of Interest to County On Trans-State Hi-Way

Sam Richardson, president of the East-West Highway Association is in receipt of a letter from Harry Hines, state highway commissioner, containing the following information of interest to Dawson county.

"With reference to our highway, No. 15, the Highway Commission has just placed in our new Federal Aid Program, the following projects:

Gaines county-Seminole to the Dawson county line, a distance of 24 miles grading and drainage structures at an approximate cost of \$154,000.00.

Borden county, from Dawson county line to Gall, a distance of 16.5 miles grading and drainage structures, at an approximate cost of \$165,000.00.

Further consideration is being given to that part of Highway No. 15, in Scurry county from Snyder to the Fisher county line, a distance of 13.1 miles, grading and drainage structures at an approximate cost of \$95,000.00.

These three projects alone amount to almost one-half million dollars, together with projects now active on Highway No. 15, it looks like we will soon have a completed highway across the state and which will prove of such benefit to the people of Texas."

Toys, Clothing Wanted By Charity Workers In County

W. P. Witt, general chairman of the Christmas Charity program sponsored by the Dawson County Recreational department, reports a liberal response to their request for donations.

Clothing, food, toys or any item that might be useful will be accepted.

Rural Correspondence

FAIRVIEW

Georgia Mae Gibson, corres.

Sunday school and preaching services were fairly well attended Sunday morn-

"Leto's" For The Gums

Gums that itch or burn can become mighty trying. Druggists will return your money if the first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy. Morris-Cleveland Drug Co.

Eyes Examined - Glasses Fitted

DR. J. M.

HARRINGTON

Optometrist

Lamesa, Texas

Gilbert & Kilgore

506 South First Street

Real Estate
Farm & Ranch
Loans

Low Interest

V. O. KEY

Lawyer

Owner and Manager

SOUTH PLAINS
ABSTRACT CO.

Titles Insured

North Side Square

FORT WORTH
STAR TELEGRAM

\$6.45 and \$7.45

Claud F. Gowen

Agent at Boone's Drug



Higginbotham
Funeral
Home

Lamesa, Texas

AMBULANCE SER-
VICE

Phone 75

NIGHT PHONE

Clyde Branon 223
Geo. D. Norman 51

ing and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Harp spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Holt.

Mr. Louis Atterbury has purchased a new Plymouth.

Mrs. Milton Gibson and daughter spent Sunday afternoon visiting in Welch.

Miss Lillie Mackleson became the bride of Mr. J. O. Bankhead last Thursday in Huntsville, Texas. We hope for them a happy married life.

Everyone reported a nice time at the party given by Mr. and Mrs. Hero Mitchell.

Mr. Fred O'Brien has purchased a new Chevrolet.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs. Connie O'Brien spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cleo O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Hero Mitchell.

Miss Lometa Bankhead, Miss Clodine Pagley spent Saturday night with Miss Winnie Kelly.

Mr. W. E. Womack has purchased another car.

Mr. Caudle and family spent Sunday afternoon visiting in O. K.

HIGHWAY

Audrey Whitmire, corres.

We were very glad to have a large attendance both Sunday morning and night.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baucum of Sweetwater are visiting in the Tom Baucum home last week.

We were very glad to have several to visit Sunday school and church Sunday and we urge them to come back.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Boyd of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Beachie Barron and family Sunday.

Mervin Tennyson who has been visiting relatives in Eastland returned home last week.

Mrs. Grady Phillips, who has been sick for several weeks, is slightly improved.

Olena Shillingsburg spent the weekend with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Shillingsburg of O. K. community.

Mr. and Mrs. Peacock of Lindale visited Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hoffman last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Green left Sunday for Los Angeles, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baucum visited in O'Donnell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Weir and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Speck of Lamesa Sunday.

KLONDIKE SENIORS

ELECT OFFICERS

The Senior class of the Klondike high school had a call meeting Monday in a.m. and elected Edith Tuckness as vice-president, taking the place of Cora Turnbow, who has withdrawn from school.

The class also chose as its motto: "If the clouds be success is not running take the stars." The laurel was chosen as their flower. The class colors are blue and gold.

Edward Tuckness, who was elected same time and is the class president. The class will busy with its different activities.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST

WORSHIP IN GOSPEL SONGS

A group of 100 people lovers of Jesus will be holding our good friend, Roy Lee, will be held with him on Sunday night, December 22 at 8:30 o'clock to sing ourselves merry and a Christmas spirit of old time hand-making and real enjoyment.

A radio will be installed in the church and we will listen to KRLD Dallas. Don't fail to come. A prize is offered in the largest audience list.

We hope this will be a beginning of singing interest in Dawson county.

Don't forget the place. Missionary Baptist church, one block north of the high school, K. pastor.

You can save money by "Shopping The Christian Way."

Mr. W. O. Smith and Miss Oma Smith were Lubbock visitors last Friday.

Mr. T. B. Moore and daughter were Lubbock visitors last Saturday.

DON'T GET UP NIGHTS

When you would the best of health. Make this 25c test if passage is easy. Burns have frequent desire, get up nights or if kidneys are sluggish causing excess acids. Use juniper oil bichu leaves, etc. made into green tablets. Just say Bukets (25c) to any druggist. Locally at Bryant's Drug Co.

See US For Christmas Specials



THE NEW ZENITH FARM RADIO

TRADE MARK REG. +LONG DISTANCE+

WORKS ON EITHER STORAGE BATTERY OR HIGH LINE!



ZENITH 7J259—Operates either from a 6-volt Storage Battery or 110-volt A. C. Line. American and Foreign Broadcasts, 10" Permanent Magnet Speaker, "Robot" Dial, Spinner Tuning, Tell-Tale Controls, (540-18,400 K. C.), 41 in. high. Complete with Zenith All Wave Antenna.....



ZENITH 5J255—Operates either from a 6-volt Storage Battery or a 110-volt A. C. Line. American and Foreign Broadcasts, 8" Permanent Magnet Speaker, Tone Control, Local Station Indicators, 4 1/2" Airplane Dial, (545-18,200 K. C.), 38 in. high.....

INSTANTLY CONVERTED from 6 VOLTS to 110 VOLTS at the Flick of a Switch

The Hi-Line Switch is built into your Zenith. When you get your radio it is all ready to hook up to a 6-volt automobile-type storage battery. But, if you are expecting a power line, or if you move into a high-line district, the SAME radio works EQUALLY well on the 110-volt power line. You have nothing to buy or install!



ZENITH 7J232—Operates either from a 6-volt Storage Battery or a 110-volt A. C. Line. American and Foreign Broadcasts, 8" Permanent Magnet Speaker, "Robot" Dial, Spinner Tuning, Tell-Tale Controls, (540-18,400 K. C.), 24 in. high. Complete with Zenith All Wave Antenna.....



ZENITH 4F227—American Broadcasts, 6" Permanent Magnet Speaker, 4" Square Dial, may be used with an Air Cell or 2-volt Storage Cell, (540-1,752 K. C.), 15 in. high.

USE GENUINE ZENITH TUBES



ZENITH 4B231—American Broadcasts, 5" Speaker, 4" Square Dial, operates entirely from a 6-volt Storage Battery, (540-1,752 K. C.), 14 in. high.



ZENITH FARM ARM CHAIR RADIO 5J247—Operates either from a 6-volt Storage Battery or 110-volt A. C. Line. American and Foreign Broadcasts, 6" Permanent Magnet Speaker, Tone Control, Local Station Indicators, 4 1/2" Airplane Dial, (545-18,200 K. C.), 20 in. high.

OSCAR McKINNEY
First Door East of Courier Office



AMERICA'S MOST COPIED RADIO... AGAIN A YEAR AHEAD

TROUBLE with Your Radio?

Give us a phone-call, and we'll promptly send an experienced man. Guaranteed low cost. Reliable one-time repair service on all makes.

HEADQUARTERS FOR ZENITH

NEW 1938 COME IN AND SEE THEM

LIBERAL ALLOWANCE ON YOUR OLD SET For Best Results Use ZENITH Tubes

Oscar McKenney

First Door East of Courier Office

CLARENCE H. MOSLEY, Service Mgr.

SOCIETY

Delphian Club Members Enjoy Turkey Dinner

The Delphian club met in regular session Tuesday evening with the following hostesses: Mesdames R. E. Simpson, Hardy Morgan, A. H. Smith, Cecil Dement, J. W. McDonald, T. W. Bass, Misses Commie Zell Barnes, Pinkie Brack, Janita Dunn and Janette Townsend, serving a bountiful turkey dinner to thirty-five members and guests.

The club room was beautifully decorated with holly and moss, with red candles glowing through the greenery making a holiday picture that warmed the hearts of the guests. Place cards were hand made snow Santas, holding hand painted cards in silver and red.

Mrs. Jack McLaughlin was the leader for the evening and presented a charming program.

Piano duet of Christmas melodies with Mrs. Carl Rountree and Mrs. Matt McCall at the piano. A highly amusing play was presented, with Mrs. O. E. Dunlop and Mrs. Eldrid Travis in the leading roles, ably assisted by three performing canines.

A happy evening was closed with group singing of Christmas carols led by Mrs. Weldon Lindsay.

Bridge Party Honors Miss Ruby Randals

Miss Ruby Randals, bride-elect of Mr. Darwin Sprawls, was again honored last Thursday afternoon, when Mesdames Guy Simpson, Elzie Burleson and F. T. McCollum, entertained with bridge at the McCollum home.

Holiday decorations were used

throughout the entertaining room, climaxing on the refreshment trays which held burning Christmas tapers.

The guest list included Mesdames J. F. Garland, Roscoe Holton, Gordon McGuire, J. L. Sybert, Frank Rose, W. A. Wallace, L. B. Reed, W. B. Collins, Lee Randle, A. N. Randle, T. F. Vaughn, M. Q. Martin, Audrey Cox, Gus Ragsdale, Cecil Bryant, E. A. Conley, N. H. Price, Ed Haynes, Miss Joyce Redwine of Austin.

Tea guests were: Mrs. J. D. Fisher of El Paso, Mrs. Mac Lindsey, Mrs. Weldon Lindsey, Mrs. Matt McCall, Mrs. Ed Hatch, Mrs. W. H. Bennett and Miss Florence Lawson.

W. M. U. To Meet At Church, Monday, December 20

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist church will have their monthly Missionary program at the church at 3 p. m. Monday, December 20.

There will be some important business attended to and a Christmas program of "Good Tidings to all People" will be given.

All women of the church are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Margaret Morris Paul Stanley Married

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Morris are this week announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret to Mr. Paul Stanley, the wedding taking place on September 5 in Lovington, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley are making their home here where Mr. Stanley is employed at a filling station and tire store.

Mrs. L. M. Pratt To Present One-Act Plays Monday Eve.

On Monday evening, December 20 Mrs. L. M. Pratt is presenting a group of one act plays at the high school auditorium with members of the speech department taking part. The plays will start at 7:30 p. m.

The plays to be presented are: "In the Lingerie Shop," cast made up of freshmen and sophomore students; "Betty's Butler," senior and junior pupils; "Crystal Gazers," by senior students, and "Oswald's Christmas."

Mrs. O. Lambeth Hostess To 42 Club

Mrs. O. Lambeth was hostess to members of the Thursday 42 club last Thursday afternoon at her home.

At the conclusion of the games a delicious refreshment plate was served to the following members and guests: Mesdames A. M. Burnett, R. E. Simpson, A. H. Smith, R. J. Boardman, Lee Billingsley, Dixie Kilore, Gus White, D. S. Day, Walter Jones, Ross Gibson, David Murray and Ray Williams.

A business meeting was held and it was decided that a Christmas tree would be held at the home of Mrs. Ross Simpson the first of next week.

W. H. Frith Celebrates 58th Birthday

W. H. Frith, of Hancock, celebrated his 58th birthday Sunday in the midst of his friends and family. Holding to the family custom established early in his married life of inviting a host of friends and neighbors to his birthday dinner, thirty-two guests helped him celebrate this year. The feast consisted of baked chickens and ham, vegetables and potato salads, English peas, carded sweet potatoes, tomatoes, pickles, cheese and macaroni, three varieties of both pie and cake, congealed fruit desert, coffee and hot chocolate.

Special guests for the occasion were a son, Woodrow Frith and wife of Rails, and Mrs. Robert Smith of Shubert, District M. Many friends of the family were present and Mrs. Roy Frith of Okmulgee.

Miss Marguerite Knox Bride-Elect Honored

Complimenting Miss Marguerite Knox bride-elect of Mr. Tom Barron, Mesdames Edna Merrick, Jimmy McClintock, Edna B. Howell, Evelyn Barron and Mrs. Edna B. Howell, entertained with a miscellaneous shower on Monday evening at the Barron home.

Bouquets of cut flowers were used as

decorations in the entertaining suite. Miss Edna Bedwell presided at the brides' book.

The guests enjoyed a program rendered by Mrs. Jeff Dean and Misses Melvin Norris, Wilda Boldin and Edna Merrick.

At the conclusion of the program many beautiful gifts were presented to the honoree, after which a delicious refreshment plate of mince pies, with whipped cream and Coca-Colas were served. Plate favor were small bales of cotton with the inscription, "Marguerite" and Tom, December 24.

The guest list included: Misses Betty Bratcher, Della Dean, Myrtle Henderson, Francis Knox, Christine Knox, Madge McClendon, Ethel Barron, Lois Thorp, Thelma Lee Norman, Agnes McLendon, Jessie Norris, Melvin Norris, Wilda Boldin, Lenora Barron, Mesdames Elaine Higgins, W. A. McClintock, E. H. Lee, W. H. Collins, Hugh Lott, J. E. Barron, Jeff Dean, Ed Knox, Beasley Barron.

Christmas Party Given For Sunday School Class

It was real "Christmassy" weather last Tuesday and twenty-seven children of the Beginners Department of the First Baptist Sunday school came through whirling snow flakes to their annual Christmas party, given by their teacher and officers.

They were cordially greeted by Mesdames E. R. Yates and L. Berry. Interesting games were directed by Mesdames Elmer Ireton, Essie Moore and Helen Jo Hudson. After which, the children enjoyed singing Christmas songs and receiving gifts from a beautiful snow white tree, all ablaze with light shining through a layer of "angel hair."

The children brought fruit to be given to others and their real Christmas joy came when their tree, with gifts, was taken to a friend, a former teacher in the department, whom they love and wanted to share abbit of their Christmas cheer with her. As they departed, one could see their joy was overflowing and no doubt in their little hearts, each felt "Christmas is a glad, glad time."

Children To Have Party At Country Club

All children under twelve years of age whose parents are members of the Country Club are cordially invited to attend a Christmas party at the Country Club house next Wednesday afternoon, December 22, from four until six o'clock. Santa Claus will be in with candy and toys for the children. Don't forget next Wednesday afternoon, December 22, four o'clock at the Country Club house.

Billy Nix, son of Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Nix, is ill this week at his home.

Mrs. Pratt's Pupils Give Interesting Recital

The woman's club house was the scene of a very interesting recital Monday evening, December 13, when the small pupils of Mrs. L. M. Pratt's speech class entertained their mothers and friends with a miscellaneous program.

The club house was decorated with evergreens, carrying out the Christmas motif and the program was of that nature. The ever beautiful story of "The Babe of Bethlehem" was given in verse and song and Christmas customs of other lands, were related by various pupils.

Twenty-five elementary pupils took part and everyone showed painstaking study. Refreshments of hot chocolate and wafers were served to about sixty guests.

Mr. & Mrs. Blackstock Honored With Shower

Mrs. Tolbert Blackstock, who before her recent marriage was Miss Juanita Wyatt, was honoree at a lovely bridal shower given Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Debnam in the Union community.

The home was beautifully decorated for Christmas. After several games were enjoyed the gifts were presented by Old Santa. At the conclusion, sacks containing apples, candy and nuts were served to the guests.

Ernest Gambill, Mrs. Arthur Billingsley and Miss Mildred Medlin were San Angelo visitors Sunday.

Dick Collins and Stanley Wilkes were Snyder visitors Sunday.

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Anne West...Fort Worth
Janet E. Croom...Fort Worth
Charles Collet...Handley
Dorothy Hatre...Fort Worth
Thelma Willis...Arlington
Donald Christian...Fort Worth
Bettie M. Spain...Fort Worth

General Prize Winners

Gwendolyn Edwards...Graham
Gordon R. Richards...Seymour
Gene Stout...Wichita Falls
Betty A. Pace...Wichita Falls
Joe Burks Ligon...Electra
Geraldine Moore...Desdemona
Martha Jean Cook...Eastland
Lera McClenny...Big Spring
Mary C. Bradley...Odessa
LaRue Autry...Snyder
Virginia L. Frizzell...Graham
Catherine Bulin...Kennedale
Martha J. McCarter...Crowley
Monica Ford...Eastland
Betty Lee Phenix...Colorado
Dorothy Young...Sweetwater
Java M. Bonner...Sweetwater
Dovie A. Cannon...Sweetwater
Vera Mae Couch...Sweetwater
Naomi Denman...Roscoe
Alvin Brymer...Colorado
Lawrence Bonner...Sweetwater
Betty Lou Whipkey...Colorado
Jack Faver...Sweetwater
Billy M. Young...Sweetwater
Roberta Couch...Sweetwater
Dorothy Campbell...Wichita F.
Helene L. Lovett...Wichita F.
Naomi Stehlik...Wichita Falls
Helen Hickey...Electra
Dorothy Norton...Wichita F.
Mike Summerrow...Wichita F.
Lorena M. Colt...Wichita Falls
Granville Steed...Wichita F.

Edlyn Shelton...Fort Worth
Marjorie Standlee...Handley
Bob McKemie...Wichita Falls
Virginia James...Wichita F.
Joe H. Jones, Jr...Wichita F.
Lorraine Waddill...Wichita F.
Richard Perry...Wichita Falls
H. A. Collins, Jr...Eastland
Charles H. Atkinson...Graham

Dorothy McLemore...Ea. Pass
Bobby Rathiff...Colorado
Willis Shaddix...Sweetwater
Fred Bonner...Sweetwater
Billy Barron...Midland
Paul Young...Midland
Chet Cluck...Big Spring
Billy Hill...Big Spring
Grace Plants...Seymour

Evelyn J. Perkins...Wichita F.
Mary Jo Yeager...Wichita F.
Elizabeth Tredaway...W. Falls
E. B. Stonecipher, Jr...W. Falls
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Billy M. Brogdon...Gorman
Frances Flynn...Breckenridge
Ralph Spencer...Breckenridge
Rosa Lee Jobe...Gorman
Stewart Phillips...Graham
Jackie Whitmire...Graham
Lane Dixon...Gorman
Peggy Dixon...Gorman
Dewey R. Parsons...DeLeon
Lou W. Childress...Graham
Ruby Jean Love...Gorman
Wilda Ruth Fehl...Monahans
Patsy Ann Charlton...Midland
Betty J. Redden...Grand Falls
Jacqueline Campbell...Midland
Ray Stilwell...Royalty
Bob Ball...Monahans
Marjorie Griggs...Wink
Sharon L. Cornelius...Midland
Bobby Christian...Fort Worth
Emalyn Sumner...Fort Worth
Raymond Stewart...Handley
Isabel Weaver...Fort Worth
Betty L. Halcomb...Ft. Worth
Mary A. Keith...Grand Prairie
Eugene Duncan...Fort Worth
Ruth Hardin...Fort Worth
Virginia Turner...Fort Worth
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LaVerne Elgin...Fort Worth
Nancy Cameron...Fort Worth
Teddie Hendelman...Ft. Worth
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Marion F. Laughlin...Wink
Madge Plants...Seymour
Nelida L. Neathery...Seymour
Lillie Mae Confal...Seymour
Lucile Plunkett...Seymour
Frank Confal, Jr...Seymour
Betty Jean Ray...Seymour
Billie Jo Crouch...Bomarton
Heard Crouch...Bomarton
Jimmy Crouch...Bomarton
Herschel Campbell...Seymour
Ralph Culner...Seymour
Anita Gilbert...Seymour
Patsy R. Rosson...Big Spring
Clara S. Vastine...Big Spring
Billy D. Hancock...Big Spring
Julian B. Fisher...Big Spring
Elizabeth Burrell...Big Spr'g
Patsy R. Spencer...Big Spring
Alva M. Powell...Big Spring
Billie Grace Webb...Lamesa
Lottie L. Starnes...Big Spring
Bennett Petty...Big Spring
Terry A. Carter...Big Spring
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Rural Correspondence

SPARENBERG

(By Mable Parchman)

There was not so many at at Sunday school Sunday because there was no preaching Sunday morning. But Brother Phillips of Wilson community preached at the Baptist church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne and daughter Lanier are spending a few days with relatives in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Broom and children of Welford are here visiting in W. A. Burdine home.

The play and style show put on by the Home Economics Girls last Friday was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mr. Fisher and daughter, Melba, are visiting in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tyler and family visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Burish of Mesquite last Sunday.

There will be a pie supper at the

school house next Friday night, December 17. Everybody be sure and come.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and children of Flower Grove visited in W. A. Burdine home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Parchman and children visited his brother, W. T. Parchman and family of Justicesburg last Thursday and Friday.

Several from here attended the working conference at New Home last Thursday.

J. R. Parchman and Lois and Lesie Parchman and T. M. Crow and Nannie Mae and Beatrice Crow made a business trip to Lubbock last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Copeland and children went to Lubbock Saturday.

We had a real good crowd out at Sunday school Sunday. Rev. Kendall

filed his regular appointment at the Methodist church. A good crowd of young people were present at League Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jobb has returned to their home at Roseco after a weeks visit with his parents.

Mrs. Floyd Higgins parents from Mexico are spending a few days with her this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gaby have moved to Fort Worth this week. We hated to loose these good people.

Julia Mosler of the Brown community

visited Geraldine Ward Saturday night.

The following have been on the sick list this week. Mozelle Rhea, Ruth Jobb Wanelle Ward, Miss Carter and Mrs. Marcus Smith.

Doyle Chiles, a student of Tech spent the weekend with his parents, Mr and Mrs. J. L. Chiles.

Ovannah Gene Pendergrass entertained the eight grade with a party at her home Friday night. Refreshments were served to a large crowd. All reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean are in Odessa visiting friends this week.

The Methodist people gave their new pastor, Rev. Kendall, a pouncing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Criswell, refreshments were served to a large crowd. A pleasant evening was had by all who attended.

Mrs. Willie Witts of Big Spring spent

Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. W. Coleman.

Luther Coleman from Wilson spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives here.

Union News

By Edna Pounds

The boys and girls basketball team went to Garner to play ball Thursday night but didn't get to play on account of not having lights.

Miss Leona Talbert and Leo Nichols were married Monday. We wish them a long and happy married life.

There will be a Christmas tree at the school house Wednesday afternoon December 22.

Those on the sick list are Iva Jordan and Mrs. I. E. Swafford, but they are better at this writing.

Dorothy Bankhead spent Thursday night with Eunora Boyd.

Miss Wanda Thomas and Mr. Dawson Wolf were married Saturday. We wish them a long and happy married life.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Tolbert has got a new V-8.

Mr. Thomas has got a new car.

Miss Katie Swafford spent Sunday with Inez Talbert.

Mr. Joe Booth of Florida spent Wednesday night with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pounds and family.

Miss Pauline Bulsterbaum visited at school Tuesday.

Mr. Joe Booth, Mr. I. E. Swafford and Mr. J. W. Pounds visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Debnam of Higginbotham Thursday.

Several from this community attended the shower given for Mr. and Mrs. Talbert Blackstock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Debnam of Higginbotham.

Mr. O. W. Paris spent the weekend with Willie Huddleston of Higginbotham.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleane Wilson and children and Inez Mundell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Seagraves.

Delmer Wilson spent Sunday with Jack Mundell.

Jewel Carlton spent Sunday with Jana Ruth Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Croumper visited Mr. and Mrs. Cleane Wilcox Sunday night.

These visiting school Monday were Bobbie Lou Carlton, Audine Summerline, Lucille Priddy of Ballard and Edward Davis of Liberty.

HIGGINBOTHAM

Marv Smith, corres.

Sunday school and church services were well attended. Everyone come back next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford are the proud parents of twin girls, born Thursday night. We are glad to report that the mother is better at this writing. The babies are doing just fine.

John Stanford spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clearman.

The Brock girls of Lamesa, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Overstreet of Anson visited in the Lee Smith home last weekend.

KLONDIKE

Louise Foster, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Eoff visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ward of Big Spring Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Moss visited her Grandmother of O'Donnell Sunday.

Mr. Ferman Thorn returned Saturday from a trip to Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Duff of Wienert visited L. A. Duff and family over the weekend.

J. H. Foster and family attended the funeral of Mrs. W. W. Pearce of Anson Sunday.

Dick Bailey and Orvell Davison spent the weekend in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Duke went to Big Spring Thursday night.

Betty McKenzie and Buddy Foster are on the sick list at this time.

The Klondike school will dismiss Friday for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Goen spent Sunday visiting in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Campbell and son spent the weekend in Lubbock visiting her mother, Mrs. Lois Tate.

Your Entertainment Guide

Evening Show 7 o'clock Sunday
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Dec. 21-22
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Dec. 17-18
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Rural Correspondence

BARTLETT

(By Lillie Lowrey)

The attendance at Sunday school Sunday was not so good. We are sorry to report that Jack Temple has the measles. We hope he will soon be able to be back in school soon.

Marvin Wallace and Miss Ann Gray

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of Sylvester spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wallace and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Mitchell and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Moreland and family. Mrs. Belle Lowrey and family visited in the T. L. Wallace and T. E. Temple homes Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Smith who have been visiting in the J. D. Moreland home returned to their home in Vaughn N. M. last Thursday.

Fred Damron and Miss Eollis Thomas visited in Seagraves Sunday.

Miss Thresa Hudson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Povedo and family.

Mrs. J. V. Chapman is sick with flu. We hope she will soon be well again. Mrs. Chapman of Wilson, the mother of J. V. Chapman is staying in the Chapman home during Mrs. Chapman's illness.

Mrs. J. C. Stewart is visiting in Brownwood.

You can save money by "Shopping The Courier Way."

SAND

Julia Grayson, Corres.

We had good crowds for all services Sunday and hope all will be on time next Sunday as Rev. Burns will be with us. All who failed to attend the Workers meeting missed hearing some fine sermons.

Doris Lee of Seminole spent Saturday with Gladys Camp. Mrs. Marguerite Knox of Lamesa spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Knox.

Vasco, Kenneth, Eugene, and Cleon Payton were in Brownfield Sunday after Mrs. Payton, who had spent several weeks with her daughter and family.

Mrs. Othel Welty and son of Hobbs spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Welty.

The Young Folks enjoyed a party at Mrs. Camp's Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Anderson were calling on friends in Lamesa Sunday afternoon.

Mammie Welty spent Saturday night with Hattie Pearl Lee of Lamesa. Dawson Jeter of Seminole spent Saturday with his parents.

Earl Camp of the CCC Camp of Lamesa spent Sunday with his mother

PATRICIA

Eudora Bruce, Corres.

Pro. Whatley filled his regular appointment here Sunday morning and night.

Bro. Curry will preach at the Methodist church Sunday (third Sunday of each month).

Marshall Williams is recovering nicely from an appendicitis operation. Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Bruce and Eudora Bruce made a trip to Big Spring Tuesday.

Rev. Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Dean are visiting friends and relatives at P. Kalb.

Parsy Shook, who has spent the fall with her brother has returned to her home at DeKalb.

Mr. and Mrs. George Teague were Big Spring visitors Thursday.

Johnnie McGregor has been quite ill with the flu, but is better at this writing.

Earle Vernon Hightower and J. W. Bohem made a trip to Big Spring Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lewis of Klondike visited Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Bruce Sunday afternoon.

S. P. Bruce and Sidney went to Big Spring Saturday.

RICHARDSON

Ira Jo Kirkland, Corres.

Sunday school and preaching Sunday was well attended Sunday morning and night. Rev. House filled his regular appointment.

Mrs. P. E. York visited in the Shaifer home Sunday afternoon.

J. T. Williams of Hobbs, spent the weekend with his parents of this com-

munity. Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Williams. On the sick list this week is Ramona Helms. We hope her speedy recovery. Miss Dorothy Kirkland of Lamesa spent Saturday night with her mother Mr. J. D. Kirkland.

Thelma Turner spent Sunday with Wilma Phillips.

Teto and Jack Warren, Floyd McGee visited in the Kirkland home Wednesday night.

Emma Wood and Lucy Amos visited in the Kirkland home Wednesday night. All the young folks of this community enjoyed the dance at Mr. and Mrs. Caymon Weeks Saturday night. Mr. Eugene and J. L. Suter visited in the Weeks home Thursday night.

FIVE MILE

Eudora Bruce, Corres.

Sunday school B. T. U. and preaching were well attended Sunday morning and night. Brother J. J. Gentry filled his regular appointment Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sharp and daughter spent Saturday and Sunday at Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Duke and daughter of Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Gathor and family of Tahoka spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Foster and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Brown of Woody spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Carnett and family.

Mr. Olen Earnest and Mr. Howard Wright returned Saturday from a deer hunt in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tredaway and family of Welch, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rickman of Weaver spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Olen Roswell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Cowager and family made a business trip to Big Springs Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Peteway spent Wednesday at Woody.

The P. T. A. meeting was a fair success Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pillion and family made business trip to Big Spring Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Greaves and Katherine Greaves went to Carlsbad Cavern this weekend.

MT. OLIVE

Viola Stovall, Corres.

Bro. Wheeler preached here Sunday. Mrs. Hugh Greer, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Lillian Dyer returned to her home at Crystal City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Nix and Ernestine made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

Conley Esmond, J. D. and Olin Nix, Prete Carmichael and Sterling Stovall spent the weekend on business in Fort Worth.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Wheeler, Mrs. Dyer took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Wid Stanfield of the Mullins community Sunday.

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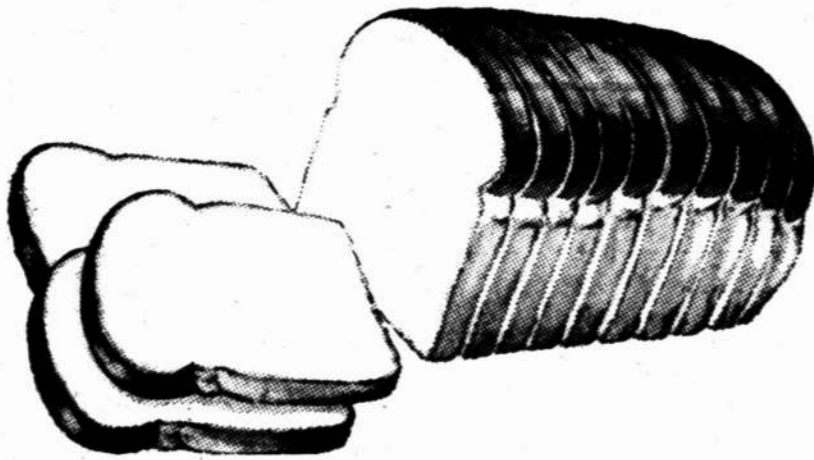
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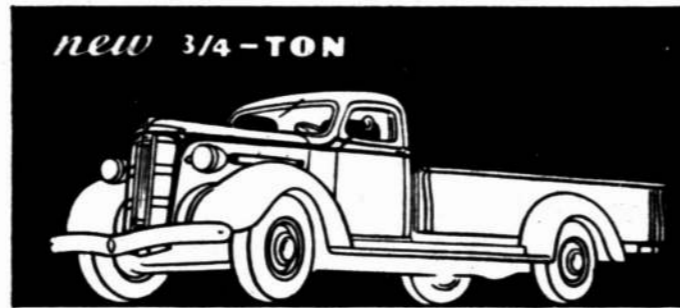


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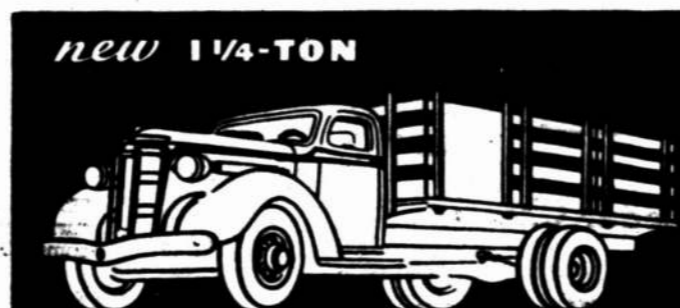
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MISCELLANEOUS
MEN'S SUITS—Overcoats. Shoes etc. Bought and sold. Pruitt Shoe Shop. 21p

H. D. Council To Have Xmas Party

The Home Demonstration Council is giving a Christmas party for the council members and their husbands, the commissioners and wives and Miss Mattie Phenix in the office of Miss Phenix, Monday night, December 20. Each couple is to bring a gift for a man and a gift for a woman, gifts costing not more than 25 cents. There will be gifts, games, refreshments and there will be fun for all.

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We wish to express our thanks for the many kind acts and expressions of sympathy on our recent loss of husband and father.
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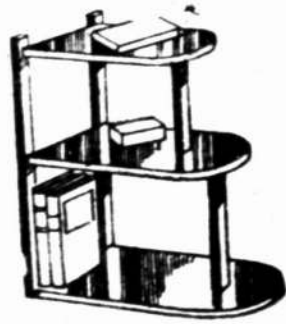
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HIJACKER—

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 as being six feet tall, weighing approximately 190 pounds, having a three or four days growth of whiskers, being between 30 and 35 years old. He was wearing blue overalls and jacket. According to reports the man was wearing adhesive tape on his nose and the left side of his face.
 The man escaped after the shooting in a 1929 Chevrolet coupe, according to several bystanders.
 Other stores in town report that a man fitting the description of the hijacker, had been hanging around the streets for several days, and the night of the robbery he was reported to have been seen in several other business houses.
 Immediately after the shooting Woodroof was rushed to a local sanitarium where he underwent emergency surgery the slug from a .38 calibre pistol being removed from his chest. He passed away about 5 o'clock Sunday morning.
 The body was carried to Grand Prairie where burial was made.
 Woodroof had been employed here by Mr. Hurt for about 18 months coming here from Abilene. He is survived by one brother, Garland Woodroof and two uncles at Ballinger.
 The reward offered for the arrest and conviction of the slayer was raised Sunday afternoon when a group of citizens met in the office of Carl

Rountree. Those in the meeting were emphatic in their expressions that lawlessness in Lamesa and Dawson county must be stopped, and were of the opinion that a reward such as the one offered in this case would serve notice to criminals that Lamesa and Dawson county stood for law enforcement and were determined that crime should be stamped out in this section.
 Lamesa is growing and business interests are becoming larger, handling more money, and thereby becoming more tempting to big-time criminals. For that reason, it is necessary that we let the world know how we stand against crime. A number of people who subscribe to the reward stated that we must not only interest ourselves in the arrest and conviction of murderers and major criminals, but must give our attention to the arrest and conviction of smaller criminals as well. All who made any statement on the matter said they wanted the law enforcement officers in our State, County, and City Governments to know that they were 100 per cent behind them in carrying out the duties of their respective offices.
 The raising of this reward is a noble gesture on the part of our citizenship and proves beyond a doubt that our people want to help in stamping out crime. We must have law enforcement in Lamesa and Dawson county and every citizen in the county should cooperate with the officers in apprehending and convicting any criminal, whether big or small, who comes into our territory.

First and second place, main bracket and first place consolation. The playing will start on Friday afternoon at 4 p. m. Finals will be Saturday night.
 The Klondike gym and corridors will be well heated for the event, therefore teams and spectators will be able to enjoy the games regardless of the weather.
 F. E. Berryman of Winters, Texas will referee the tournament.
 According to Superintendent McKenzie and Coach Davidson, Klondike is planning on a very good tournament and are anxious to have some good clubs and a good turn-out of spectators.

Mrs. J. E. Hardesty To Have Recital

Mrs. J. E. Hardesty will present her violin pupils in a recital on Friday evening, December 17, at the high school auditorium. The recital to start at 7 o'clock.
 The public is cordially invited to attend. There will be no admission charge.

Lamesa Is Lighted For Christmas Season

A beautiful arrangement of Christmas lights was turned on Saturday night, centering in the court house and spreading to streets around the entire square.
 Nearly two hundred and fifty light have been added to the colored lighting arrangement, each tree on the corner of the square has been decorated. Two large stars on top of the court house can be seen for miles on the approaching highways into Lamesa.
 The lighting arrangement is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and the service clubs of Lamesa. A total of \$90 was donated by business men to install the lights.
 More lights will be added every year with the goal in view of the best lighted town on the South Plains.

Lumber Official Dies In Fort Worth

Ed Haynes, local manager of the Cicero Smith Lumber Company, returned Wednesday evening from Fort Worth, where he attended funeral services for J. Lee Johnson, Sr., chairman of the board of the company.
 Mr. Johnson has long been associated with West Texas interests, having come west when young, with his parents. Up until 1934 he was president and general manager of the Cicero Smith Lumber Company, relinquishing that position to his son to be chairman of the board.
 He was stricken with a heart attack last Thursday at his home in Fort Worth and died Sunday in a Fort Worth hospital.
 Funeral services were held Tuesday

Philathea S. S. Class Enjoys Social At Lindsey Home

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lindsey entertained the Philathea Sunday school class of the First Baptist church on Tuesday evening at their home.
 The guests arrived at 8 o'clock and enjoyed playing Christmas games. Santa Claus was present and presented each guest with a gift. Members of the class gave Mrs. Lindsey, their teacher a coffee table.
 Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mesdames Clay Howell, Durwin Echols, Guy Wilmon, Benton Ewing, Millard McDonnell, Gladys Donham, Maurice Snell, E. J. Bradley, J. W. Howell, A. L. Odum, Lucy Tunnell, Lois Cates, Carol Davis, Butler McGee, Jack Ladd, L. B. McGary, Glenn Jones, A. B. Cross, Bland Taylor, Walter Taylor, O. C. Richardson.

Miss Evelyn Barron Entertains With Bridge

Miss Evelyn Barron entertained on last Friday evening with a 42 party at the home of her parents on North First Street.
 Three tables of players enjoyed the games, at the conclusion winning couples at each table receiving gifts.

has accepted a position at the J. C. Loveless hospital as Laboratory and X-Ray technician.
 Miss Nelva Joy Bockman spent the weekend in Lubbock with an aunt, Mrs. Oran Neaves.
 Mesdames Henry J. Price, A. S. Alsobrook, Marvin Morris and Jesse Paulk spent Saturday in Lubbock.
 Mrs. A. H. Smith and daughter Elizabeth were Lubbock visitors last Saturday.
 You can save money by "Shopping The Courier Way."
 Mrs. Owen Taylor, and son Owen Jr., Mrs. A. J. McDaniel and A. J. Jr. went to Segovia, Monday to attend the funeral of Marion DePriest, a relative of Mrs. Taylor.
 Robert Koser and Bill Creighton, with a party from Lubbock left the first of this week on a hunting trip near Marfa.
 Mr. and Mrs. Murray McWhorter of Brownfield spent the weekend here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McWhorter.
 You can save money by "Shopping The Courier Way."
 Dr. R. P. Nix spent several days of this week transacting business in Houston.
 Miss Jewel Tomlin of Brownfield spent the weekend here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Conrad of Chickasha, Oklahoma, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pierce this week.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reed of Ralls spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Farley. Mr. and Mrs. Reed were enroute to Phoenix, Arizona, for several months stay.
 Mr. and Mrs. Quitman Collins spent the weekend with Mr. Collin's mother in Merkel.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Elliott and sons visited in Big Spring Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Raggsdale spent the weekend with their daughter in McCamey.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cox spent Saturday night here visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tarleton, Jr.
 Mr. and Mrs. Amoral Payne and son of Lubbock spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Kennedy.
 Mrs. Letcher D. King of Abilene is a guest here this week of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burnside.

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 Bruce Taggart Harry
 Louise Harp Amy
 Cade Quinn John
 Audrey Williams Kat
 Wilmer Edwards James
 Mural Fenley Fannie
 Carl Kiefer Paul
 Dorothy Skinner Sarah
 Opal Little Miss Angelica

Klondike Boys Tournament To Start January 7

The annual Klondike invitation boys basketball tournament will be held this year on Friday and Saturday, January 7 and 8, the tournament to be limited to ten games, according to Coach Phil Davidson, the first ten teams entering will be accepted.
 All teams in Dawson county are invited, but should not fail to get their entries in at once, as the out of county teams were mailed invitations this week.
 Three trophies will be given and basketballs for the all-tournament team



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Rural Correspondence

HANCOCK
Mary Bob Harrell

Announcement was made Tuesday morning after a call meeting of the school board Monday night, that school would be dismissed Thursday, December 23, for the Christmas holidays and that classes would be resumed Monday January 3. Principal Ralph Ranson announced that the school's Christmas program would be presented Thursday night, December 23. The Sunday school is sponsoring a community Christmas tree in connection with this program. The Women's Missionary Union met in an all-day meeting Tuesday with Mrs. W. J. Beckham, in observance of the Prayer Week for Foreign Missions. The annual Lottie Moon Christmas offering was made in connection with the program. A covered dish luncheon was served to Mrs. Bill Miller, W. T. Williams, W. F. Lisenbee, Walter Evans, Jack Mrares, Julia Chapman, Elsworth Lisenbee, W. H. Frith, Robert Smith of Shumake, and Miss Rhoda Lisenbee and the hostess Mrs. Beckham.

The Pals and the Climbers Sunday school classes were entertained with a party in the club room of the school building, Friday night, by their teachers, Mrs. Ralph Ranson and A. E. Hale. Hot Chocolate and cake were served to the young people.

The Sunbeam Band was honored with a party Wednesday from two-thirty until four in the home of the sponsor, Mrs. W. J. Beckham. Spiced tea, cookies and apples were served to the children upon their arrival, and after Christmas carols had been sung Mrs. Beckham told a Christmas story. Then the children assembled and arranged the gifts they had brought for Buckner's Orphan Home. Twenty-five children took part in the activities and three mothers, Mrs. Harold Duncan, Mrs. Tommy Hamilton and Mrs. L. S. Edwards were present.

The Junior Poy basketball team added two more victories to its credit over the weekend. Friday afternoon the boys had scored 26 to O. K.'s 2 at the half, and the visiting team forfeited the rest of the game. Monday afternoon the Hancock boys handed the Key team a 24 to 7 defeat on some Monday afternoon with Mullins the Key court. The next scheduled at Mullins.

The Hancock girls lost their game with the O. K. girls Friday 18-4.

School was dismissed early Monday afternoon because of the death of Mr. Carnes. Principal Ralph Ranson's uncle, and also the father of one of Hancock's former teachers, R. B. Carnes. Mr. and Mrs. John Hardesty who were here for the funeral services were guests in the Ranson home Tuesday evening. Then Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ranson attended the reunion of the Hardesty family at Lommy Wilkes ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Center of Flag who came for the Carnes funeral visited their daughter, Mrs. Buster Davis Monday. Two daughters, Mrs. Glover Frazier, and Ms. Wade Childers came also. Mr. and Mrs. Davis were at the reunion at Wilkes ranch Sunday.

Hassie Lisenbee, Melvin Miller and H. B. Harvick went to Rocksprings deer hunting last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McLendon left Thursday to visit in Hamilton and Cisco until after the holidays.

Mrs. Matt Harshes and Paul Edgmon Webb Weaver and Mr. and Mrs. Will Edgmon went to Levelland Thursday where Luther Wilcher, Mrs. Hughes' son-in-law is dangerously ill. Mr. and Mrs. Edgmon and Paul returned Sunday evening and reported Luther slightly improved. Luther made his home here for several years before moving to Levelland.

W. J. Beckham went to Fort Worth Monday on a business trip. Mrs. Earl Houston spent last week visiting relatives in Jones county.

O'Dell Light of Lubbock visited his sister, Mrs. Oscar McLendon the first of the week.

Herman Buchanan has remodeled his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Depson have returned from a trip to San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ranson, W. R. Miller and son, Lowell went to Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Filpot and family have moved to Bowie last week.

Mrs. Hassie Lisenbee visited her

mother, Mrs. H. G. Phillips of Plainview all last week.

Willie Lisenbee of Andrews visited relatives here over the weekend, and completed plans to erect a new home on his place.

On the sick list this week are: A. E. Hale, Mrs. Harvey Rials, Mrs. Elsworth Lisenbee, and the baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Webb Weaver.

Fred and Roy Hughes of Tahoka visited F. W. Hughes and family Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Teague and two daughters of Hobbs, N. M., visited Mrs. G. F. Ward Sunday. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ward of Ballard and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rials.

R. L. Butcher and family visited in Porsan Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Chapman and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fisher of Five Mile went to Big Spring Sunday.

Mr. Stephens with his brother, John Stephens of Big Spring came home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Syd Coffman and family visited Raymond Wiggins of Patricia Sunday.

FLOWER GROVE

Katie Dyer, corres.

Sunday school and prayer meeting were well attended. Bro. Don Robinson filled his regular appointment.

Scott Mitchell of Portales, N. M. spent a few days in the home of M. T. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Cauffman of Quemada are visiting in the home of her mother Mrs. Dan Jeffcoat.

Don Sullivan and family spent the weekend in the home of J. King of Lubbock.

Mrs. Ray Mayfield of Ackerly and Mrs. W. G. Lillard of Brown spent Sunday in the home of M. T. Mitchell.

Mrs. Stella Fuller of Lamesa was visiting in our community Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. M. Trice of Sparenberg spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. A. J. Beckmeyer.

Mrs. Dan Jeffcoat, Mrs. Tom Mitchell O. T. Cauffman and Mrs. Fred Beckmeyer spent Sunday evening with Mrs. A. F. Bearden of Ackerly.

Ralph Mullins and family were visitors in the P. E. Peterson home of Midway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayfield of Ackerly spent Sunday with R. P. Mayfield.

Arthur Carpenter made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Misses Francis and Nell Bearden of Ackerly spent Sunday with Kay Dyer.

Miss Betty Jo and Little Billy Davis of Stanton are spending the week in the home of J. I. Brown.

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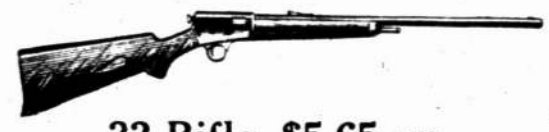
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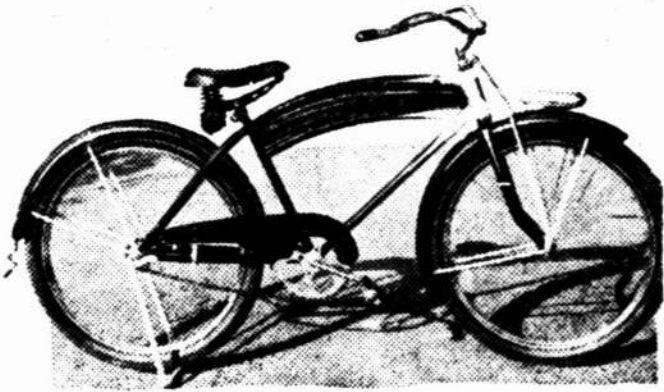


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 W. S. McNew, Chevrolet deluxe coupe
 C. S. Latham, Chevrolet deluxe town sedan
 F. R. Barkowski, Chevrolet Master town sedan
 E. W. Grisson, Chevrolet deluxe town sedan
 J. I. O'Brien, Chevrolet deluxe town sedan
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 Lewis Aterbury, Plymouth deluxe sedan
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the proud parents of a little daughter, Shirley Kindness.

Miss Etta Burkee of DeKalb visited her aunt, Mrs. A. R. Duke Sunday.

Mrs. C. L. Cyfert was ill for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Corbett visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris of Brownfield Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bertram of Lamesa also Mrs. Ed Summer of Monahan and Mr. and Mrs. Granham visited in the W. E. Bertram home Sunday.
 Mr. C. L. Adams and family visited the former's sister, Mrs. C. L. Painter of Patricia Sunday.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Elfrid Travis were Lubbock visitors Sunday.
 Thomas Hurt of Chapel Hill, Tenn. has accepted a position at the Hurt Haberdashery. He is a brother of Swan-on Hurt.
 Jake Hardin went to Grand Prairie Monday where he attended the funeral services of Maxie Woodroof, who was killed in a hold up here Saturday night.
 Mrs. Odie Winborn and Miss Idona Smith were Lubbock visitors Monday.
 Mrs. Truman Campbell was a visitor in Lubbock Wednesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Troy Noe of Lubbock spent Sunday here visiting her mother Mrs. Carl Marshall.
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith visited in Big Spring Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Turner of Seagraves were shopping in Lamesa Monday.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Hart and sons spent Sunday in Seagraves visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Babe Simpson.
 Mr. and Mrs. Waller Ayers and Miss Lucene Umphreys were Lubbock visitors Tuesday.
 Miss Evelyn Barron has accepted a position at Vaughn Chevrolet Company.

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LOYOLA

MRS. H. A. DUKE, Corres.

Loyola received about one-half inch of rain Monday night, and this was followed by a good snow.
 Mr. H. H. Corbett is building a real nice house on his farm. They will move into their new home before Christmas.
 Mr. F. L. Wade is very sick and we hope for him a speedy recovery.
 Walter Brown of Klondike has purchased a home in our community and will move here soon.
 The community of Loyola will have a school program Friday night, December 17. At which time they will also have their Christmas tree.
 Mrs. Skret Phelan visited her parents of Stanton the past week.
 Mr. Frank House and family were called to the bed side of their grandfather.
 Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lee also Mr. and Mrs. George Lee attended church at Ackerly Sunday.
 Dorothy Lee Corbett visited Mattie Lee Wiggins Saturday afternoon.
 Leo Sullivan of Flower Grove will preach at Loyola Sunday.
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Jerral Cox of Tahoka is here this week carrying the mail in the place of Ross Gibson.

Mesdames J. H. Clark, J. E. Garland, Bill Creighton, Gilbert Watson and

Miss Van Clark spent Monday in Lubbock.

Jerry Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phillips is seriously ill this week

Recipes Given For Use Of Pumpkins

PUMPKIN RECIPES
(By GLADYS WRIGHT)
Farm Security Administration
Since fruit is not grown in this section of the country to any great extent, a home grown product—pumpkin may serve as a substitute in some measures. Below are some helpful suggestions for families over the county that have a quantity of pumpkins on hand.

JAMAICA PUMPKIN PIE
1-2 cups cooked pumpkin.
1-4 cup brown sugar, firmly packed
1 teaspoon cinnamon.
3-4 teaspoon salt.
2 eggs, slightly beaten.
1-2 cups milk and 1-2 cup cream or 2 cups rich milk, scalded.
1-2 cup ginger marmalade.
Combine pumpkin, sugar, cinnamon and eggs. Add hot milk and marmalade. Line a deep 9-inch pie plate with pastry, rolled to 1-8-inch thickness, brush with unbeaten egg white pour in warm filling, and bake at once in hot oven (450 degrees Fahrenheit) 10 minutes. Then decrease heat to slow (300 degrees Fahrenheit) and bake 40 minutes longer, or until custard is set. Chill!

Mock Orange Marmalade
1 lb oranges or dried apricots.
2-1/2 lbs sugar.
3-1/2 pumpkin, squash, pie-melon or nutmeg.
Soak apricots overnight, cook with 1-2 pound sugar, mix remainder of sugar with pumpkin and cook, add both mixtures and cook to jam consistency.

Pumpkin Preserves
5 pints pumpkin.
7 lemons.
8 cups sugar.
1/2 teaspoon salt.

Cut pumpkin into slices 1-4 inch thick and from 1 to 2 inches long. Peel the sugar and let stand overnight. Drain and boil the liquid in threads. Add the pumpkin, thinly sliced lemons and salt. Cook mixture until it is thick and clear. Seal while hot, in clean, hot jars.

Pumpkin Custard
2 eggs.
1 cup brown sugar.
1-2 teaspoon cinnamon.
1-1/2 cup pumpkin.
1-2 cup marmalade.
1-1/2 cup cream.
1/2 cup nutmeg.
1-3 cup boiling water.
1-2 cup cooked pumpkin.
1-2-3 cups milk.
Beat eggs and sugar. Add pumpkin, water slowly to blend well. Beat again. Add sugar, apricot mixture, pumpkin and oil. Pour into a buttered baking dish or custard cups. Set in a pan of hot water. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees Fahrenheit) until custard is set. Yield: 6 servings. This mixture may be used as pumpkin pie filling. It will make 1 large deep pie.

Achievement Day At Shumake, Dec. 4

The Shumake Home Demonstration club will have their Achievement Day program: December 21, from 2:30 to 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. M.

Ballard. Members of other clubs are invited to be present.—Reporter.

Mrs. and Mrs. Emmett Ragsdale of Shumake spent Sunday here visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. W. McDonald and Miss Marie McDonald spent Monday in Lubbock



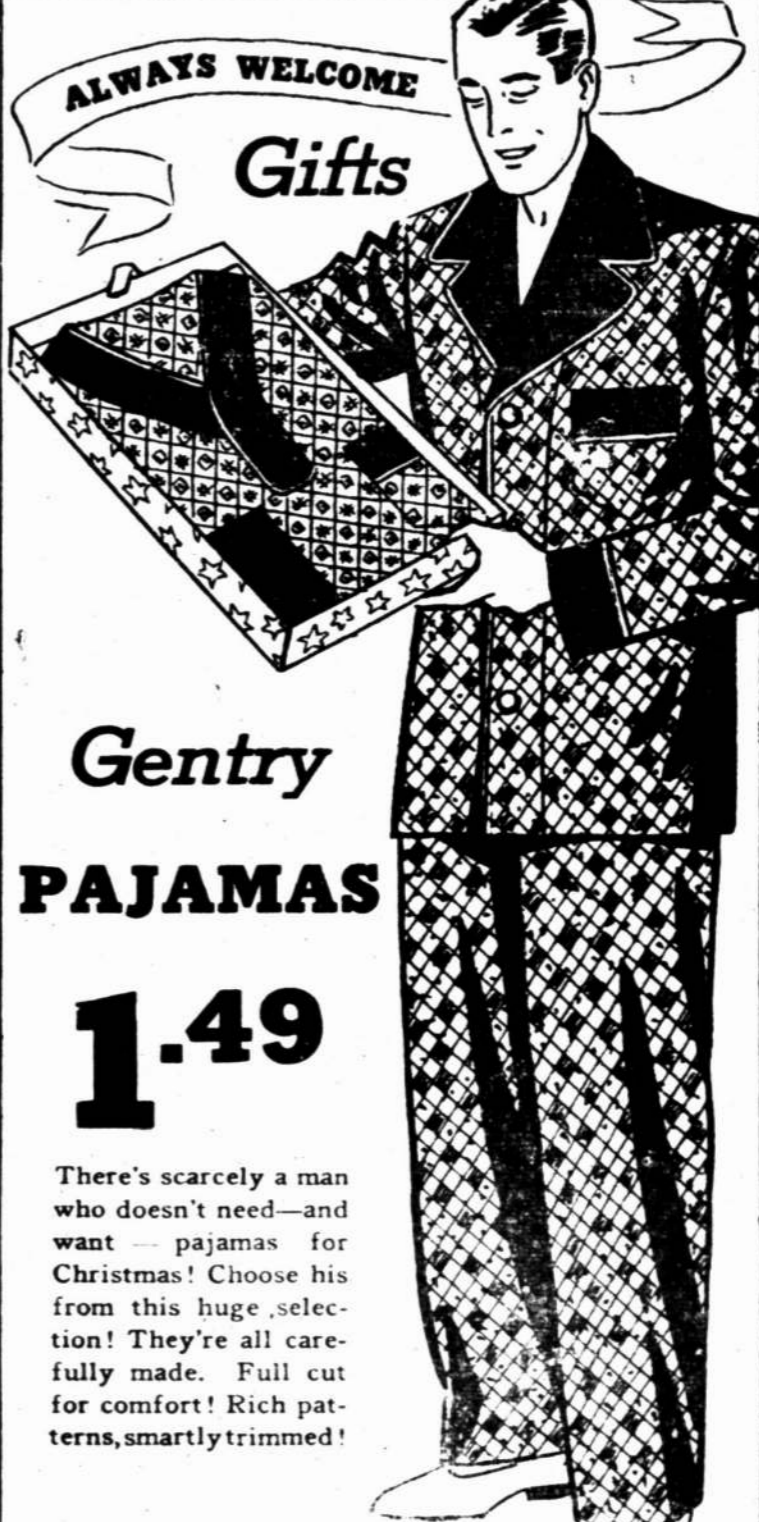
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DAWSON COUNTY HOME DEMONSTRATION COUNCIL

Miss Marie Phoenix met with the Dawson County Home Demonstration Council when it met in her office Saturday, December 11. The council members were very glad to have Miss Phoenix back with them again to help carry on the demonstration work.

Several clubs reported they had organized and elected officers and are ready to start on the New Year's Work.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brock spent the weekend in Past visiting Mr. Brock's mother.

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Oil and Gas Leases and Assignments

M. C. Lindsey to Texas and Pacific Coal and Oil Company, oil and gas lease, east half of section 133, block M. E. L. & R. R. Survey, Dec. 4.
Federal Life Insurance Company to C. L. Griffin, oil and gas lease, north one-half section 6, block 2, township 6 north, Dec. 4.

M. C. Kidd to C. L. Griffin, oil, gas and mineral lease, north one-half section 13, block 3, township 5 north, T. & P. survey, Dec. 4.
Paul P. Steed to Thornton Lomax Jr., Ratification, north one-half section 18, block C-38, Public School land, Dec. 4.
E. L. Moore to Cities Service Oil Company, oil and gas lease, north one-half section 21, block M. E. L. & R. R. survey, Dec. 7.

J. Hudson Smart to John W. Rettig, oil and gas lease, northeast one-fourth section 111, block M. E. L. & R. R. survey, Dec. 7.
E. C. Nix to Humble Oil and Refining Co., oil and gas lease, 80 acres off tract 13, tracts 14, 14, 22, League 4 Munger subdivision, Dec. 8.
N. F. Peterson to T. N. Sloan, oil, gas and mineral lease, northeast one-fourth section 11, block 35, township 5 north, T. & P. survey, Dec. 8.
N. F. Peterson to T. N. Sloan, oil & gas and mineral lease, southeast one-fourth section 11, block 34, township 5 north, T. & P. survey, Dec. 8.
Mrs. Mary E. Costin to T. N. Sloan, oil, gas and mineral lease, northwest one-fourth section 11, block 35, township 5 north, T. & P. survey, Dec. 8.
C. L. Lawrence to T. N. Sloan, oil, gas and mineral lease, southwest one-fourth section 19, block 34, township 5 north, T. & P. survey, Dec. 8.
J. V. Gline to J. E. Davant, assignment of oil and gas lease, west one-half section 35, block 36, township 5 north, T. & P. survey, Dec. 10.
Dacia Bain to W. J. Reeves, oil, gas and mineral lease, east one-half of southeast one-fourth section 74, block 35, township 6 north, Dec. 11.

Lloyd G. Fincher to E. C. Nix, south one-half of tracts 3, 4, section 6, Munger subdivision of surveys 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, block 3, D. L. Cunningham surveys and Leagues 3, 7, 4, Taylor county school land, Dec. 8.
Gus White to Dixie Kilgore, Sheriff's deed, lots 1 to 12, block 13, C. L. Lee addition, lots 1 to 22, block 10, Lindsey addition, lots in Morning addition, Dec. 9.
Joseph W. Allen to L. A. Montgomery, warranty deed, tract 13, League 273, Loving county school land in Dawson county, Dec. 9.
Nina Jewell Elliott to W. A. McClenock, warranty deed, lot 12, block 14, Lee Addition, Dec. 10.
A. D. Brown to Grace E. Brown, warranty deed, north one-half, section 2, block 34, township 3 north, T. & P. survey, Dec. 10.
H. C. Glenn to W. O. Robinson, warranty deed, lot 4, block 45, Lamesa, Dec. 11.
T. S. Bradford to O. C. Mauls, warranty deed, east one-half of section one-half, southeast one-fourth section 22, block 35, township 4 north, Dec. 11.
Edward A. Noret to W. L. Wright, warranty deed, lot 10, block 2, J. N. Watson addition, Dec. 13.

Hope to meet all who attended last year with many other. Subject for morning and evening will be "What Kind of Preacher Does Bartlett Need?" By coming you will help us to help you.
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Warranty Deeds

Walter O. Byrd to Arlie M. Pettit, warranty deed, lot 4, block 2, I. M. Bolton, subdivision, Dec. 6.
Thad Reeves to Glenn Cassidy, warranty deed, 2.45 acres out of north one-half survey No. 1, block 36, township 5 north, Dec. 6.
Irmia Spawis to Earnest Mitchell, warranty deed, southeast one-fourth section 22, block 36, township 4 north, T. & P. survey, Dec. 6.
C. M. Burton to H. A. Shipp, warranty deed, section 16, block 34, township 5 north, T. & P. survey, Dec. 6.
W. E. Brown to Luther E. Page, warranty deed, north one-half of south west one fourth, section 21, block 34 township 5 north, T. & P. survey, Dec. 6.
H. C. Glenn to R. E. Jones, warranty deed, north one-half, lots 4, 5, 6, block A, Miller addition, Dec. 7.
J. E. Garland to Edward B. Garland, warranty deed, lot 9, of Phillip Vongc addition, Lamesa, Dec. 7.
Mrs. Gertrude Patton to Amicable Life Insurance Company, quit claim certificate, section 97, 106, 107, block M W. C. McBride to J. O. Goodson, warranty deed, south one-half section 17, block 36, township 4 north T. & P. survey, Dec. 7.
The Goodwill Cemetery Association to J. B. Hancock, lot 1 to 4, block 105 of the Goodwill Cemetery Association town, Dec. 8.

Marriage License

Jno. Glover and Miss Annie Owens, Dec. 9.
Valentin Flores and Julia Contle, Dec. 10.
Warner Marion Lee and Miss Vera Seely, Dec. 11.
Alvis Lisenbee and Miss Geneva Hancock, Dec. 11.
Shelby Mitchell and Miss Corine Phillips, Dec. 11.
L. D. Wolf and Miss Iva Wanda Thomas, Dec. 11.
O. D. Burnett and Miss Winnie Irene Kidd, Dec. 11.
Mike Acosta and Miss Clara Garcia, Dec. 12.
Raymond Alva and Miss Jane Elopaz, Dec. 13.
John Dickens and Miss Durelle Callis, Dec. 13.

METHODIST NOTES

(Welch Charge)
Sunday school at Welch looked mighty good Sunday. Looked like like Christmas might be coming soon. Had two good services. Will have preparation Christmas program next Sunday at close of Sunday school. Will have Christmas tree Christmas Eve night with program. Will have Missionary program December 26. Come we promise to make all these interesting.
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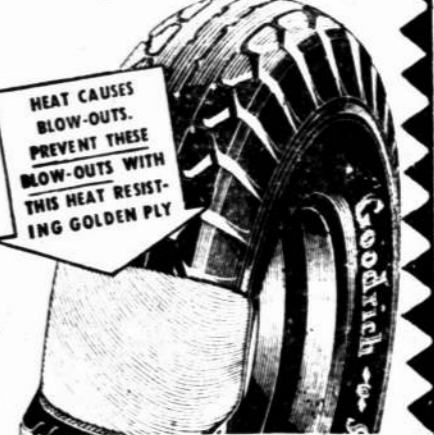
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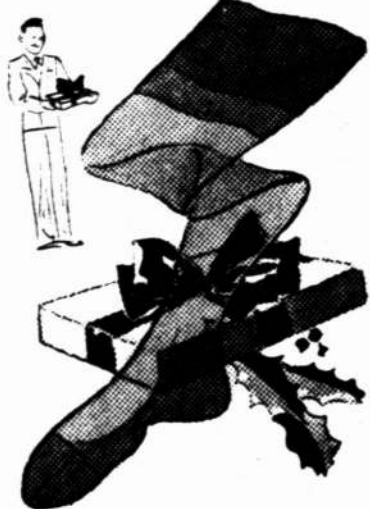
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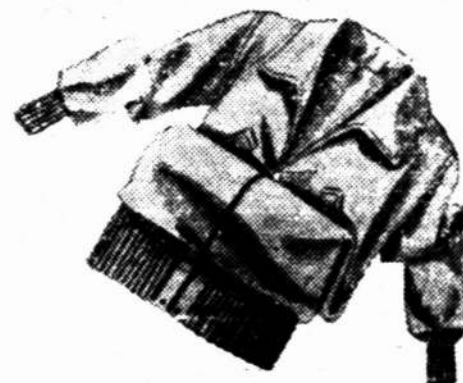


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