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D. A. Parker Named All-District Captain And End; Freeman & Brown Get Berths On Second Team In Voting Of Coaches

Davidson of Ozona On Honorable Mention List of Players

First string captain and end, second string guard and left half-back and one honorable mention were honors accorded members of Ozona High School's 1935 football team on the coaches' all-district selections announced last week.

D. A. Parker, for the second successive year, was chosen on the all-district first team by vote of coaches of the district. Parker also shared honors with Earwood of Rocksprings as captains of the mythical eleven. The Ozona end, who made all-district despite his handicap in receiving a fractured vertebra in the first play of the Junction game which put him out of the game for three weeks, was also the recipient of the Ozona Lions Club cup as the team's most valuable player.

Freeman, Brown Named
Leonard Freeman was selected for the second team left guard position by vote of the coaches, Fred of Rocksprings beating him for the place on the first team. Vaughan Brown, ground-gaining back-field man for the Lions, took a halfback position on the all-district second team, Hubbell of Junction outvoting him for first team honors. Joe Thomas Davidson, Ozona center, was among those receiving honorable mention in the all-district voting. F. Susen of Eldorado was selected

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Santa Pays Visit To Stockman With New, Renewal Checks

The Stockman feels that Santa has been good with the recent addition of seven new subscribers to its rolls and a number of subscription renewals since the last acknowledgement. Recent new Stockman readers include Dr. W. D. Coates of San Jose, Calif., sent by Mrs. Chas. E. Davidson, Sr., W. E. Friend, Jr., B. C. Harrison and Mrs. Pauline Mullins of Mineral Wells, sent by Babe Phillips, Sam Houston of Ozona, Warren W. Hillis, United States Marine aboard the U.S.S. Saratoga, now in Pacific waters, and Stephen Perner of Ozona, whose name was added as a gift from his mother, Mrs. Mary Perner.

Recent additional renewals are for Mrs. Bob Murchison of Fort Stockton and Ross Perner of Snowflake, Ariz., as Christmas gifts from their mother, Mrs. Mary Perner, John Bailey, W. E. Lucas, H. A. Moore, Babe Phillips Ray Dunlap, Clyde Newberry, Ben Robertson, Miss Elizabeth Fussell and Guinn Carruthers.

GREETINGS!

The Stockman reaches its readers a day early this week. That the force might take off for the Christmas holidays and that the greetings of Ozona merchants might be brought to their friends and customers Christmas morning, the paper is being placed in the mail Tuesday night. This early publication necessarily cuts down on the news coverage for the week and many happenings that might have been recorded with publication on the regular day are not included. We trust that this license may be granted at this season and promise more complete coverage next week.

And now, may your Christmas be a happy one and the future hold only happiness, peace and prosperity for you, is the sincere wish of The Stockman for all its readers and friends.

From the President to Shirley

Shirley Temple, petite movie star, wears a big dimpled smile, caused by a letter which she received from President Roosevelt, appointing her his special messenger to deliver his autographed photograph to Bill Robinson, colored dancer, who appears with her in a current release. The President also included a personally signed photograph for Shirley.



Students Flock Home To Spend Holiday Period

Ozona Youths Gather From Far-Flung Area For Christmas

The annual inrush of students who have been away at various colleges and universities over the country the past three months to their homes here to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives is on.

From the University of Texas, five of the six Ozona students attending are home for the holidays. They are Pleas Childress, Jr., Miss Louise Henderson, Joe Rape, Aubrey Fussell and Gene Montgomery Marvin Rape, who is also a student of the University, underwent an operation for appendicitis last week and will spend Christmas in an Austin hospital.

Miss Helen Montgomery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Montgomery, is back from C.I.A. at Denton. Miss Lela Mae Phillips, student at San Marcos, is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. S. E. Phillips. Miss Margaret Butler, who is attending Baylor University at Waco, is here for the period with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Butler.

Miss Alberta Kay, student at Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kay, is another Ozona student here for the Christmas holidays. Miss Vicky Pierce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vic Pierce, arrived the week-end from Nashville, Tenn., where she is a student at Ward-Belmont, and Miss Esther Kate Pierce, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pierce, has arrived from Gulf Park School at Gulf Port, Miss., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sellers Pierce met her in Del Rio and brought her by car from there to Ozona.

Miss Ernestine Watts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Watts and member of last year's graduating class of the Ozona High School, is home from Sanford Brown Business College in St. Louis. Miss Watts is making her home with an aunt in St. Louis while attending school.

Miss Bernice Bailey arrived the

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Local Men Are Employed With Highway Office

Resident Engineer Pittman To Move Office Here Jan. 1

Three Ozonans have been given employment in the local offices of the resident engineer of the State Highway Department, recently established here in quarters in the Smith No. 2 building.

N. E. Rendall, who was attached to the office of the resident engineer during the initial state road building project in this county two years ago, Frank Russell and Walter Kyle are temporarily in charge of the work of the local office pending the transfer of headquarters of E. E. Pittman, resident engineer, from Sonora to Ozona.

Mr. Pittman will remain in the Sonora office until after the award of contract for paving the first section of Highway 27 west from Ozona, advertising for bids on this project designating the Sonora office to receive the bids. Mr. Pittman will establish headquarters here about January 1. Meanwhile, the local force is on the job ready to take prospective bidders for an inspection of the project and to take care of routine work of the office.

Brisk Christmas Trade Is Enjoyed By Business Firms

Ozona merchants report a brisk holiday trade during the past week as gift givers milled through the stores selecting purchases from the well-filled counters.

Local stores offered their trade full stocks of carefully selected merchandise for the Christmas trade and were rewarded with liberal patronage. Their appreciation to those who did their Christmas shopping at home as far as possible and gave their trade to home town business firms is expressed in this issue of The Stockman, which contains sincere Yuletide greetings and good wishes from nearly every business house in the city.

Honors Recent Bride At Contract Bridge

Mrs. R. L. Flowers was hostess to members of her contract club and a few guests at the ranch home of her mother, Mrs. Will Baggett, Friday afternoon, honoring Mrs. Alvin O'Fields, who was Miss Mildred Davis before her recent marriage here.

Mrs. Bill Littleton held club high score and Miss Hester Bunker guest high. Mrs. O'Fields was presented with a gift. Other guests of the afternoon were Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., Mrs. Jerry Pace Mrs. Mahlon Robertson, Miss Blanche Robison, Miss Totsy Robison, Miss Carolyn Montgomery, Mrs. Bill Conklin, Mrs. Ele Hagelstein, Mrs. Marshall Montgomery, Miss Wanda Watson, Miss Helen Henderson, Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mrs. Miller Robison, Mrs. Sellers Pierce Miss Mildred North, Mrs. Bill Allison, Mrs. Doug Kirby and Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr.

Miss Ethel Childress is spending the week in Dallas where she is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jester.

V. A. Class In Local School Is Considered

Fredericksburg Teacher of Agriculture Outlines Work

After hearing an enthusiastic discussion of the nature of work undertaken and results obtained in vocational agriculture classes as presented by Harper Rawlings, teacher of vocational agriculture in the Fredericksburg schools, the Ozona school board took under advisement the proposed establishment of such a department here at a special meeting in the High School auditorium Monday afternoon.

Mr. Rawlings and his father spent the week-end on the Joe Blakeney ranch south of Ozona and seized on the opportunity of his visit to this area to present for the school board's consideration the plan of the vocational agriculture departments for whatever action local authorities might care to take.

The Fredericksburg V. A. teacher has had marked success with his class of Future Farmers Club members at Fredericksburg during the time he has been there, producing a number of champion calves, sheep, goats, hogs and chickens at various livestock shows over the state. The Fredericksburg unit has received nationwide publicity as a result of its accomplishments, Mr. Rawlings exhibiting a number of magazines and newspaper pictures and accounts of the successes of the Fredericksburg Future Farmers.

Mr. Rawlings explained his visit to Ozona as being for the primary purpose of promoting the vocational agriculture program. "I am not trying to create a job for myself," he explained, "for I have one that satisfies me now."

The federal and state governments participate in financing of vocational agriculture work in high schools of this state, local schools contributing to the three-way split in the teacher's salary.

Empty Stockings Of Ozona Filled By Scout Troop

Boys Distribute Toys To Children of Needy Families Here

Empty stockings among children of needy families of Ozona were filled on Christmas eve in real Santa Claus fashion by Scouts of Ozona Troop No. 53.

A large number of toys that the Scouts have been collecting through donations by interested citizens of the town the past several weeks were reconditioned, repainted and brightened up like new again by the Scouts and distributed to a selected list of families here on Christmas eve.

The toys were repaired and refinished in the manual training rooms at the school and many a child who perhaps would not otherwise have enjoyed a visit from Santa Claus were thrilled by the visit of the toy-laden Scout Troop heads expressed their appreciation for the co-operation of citizens of Ozona and school authorities in the successful conclusion of this project.

APPENDIX OPERATION

Marvin Rape, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Rape of Ozona and a student in the University of Texas, underwent an operation for appendicitis in an Austin hospital Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Rape went down to be with him. Mr. Rape and another son, Joe, also a student in the University, have returned for the holidays. Mrs. Rape remaining in Austin with Marvin.

Stockman to Go Aboard U.S.S. Saratoga, Giant Navy Airplane Carrier, Each Week To Former Cow Hand, Now Leatherneck

This week The Stockman goes navy—joins the Marines, so to speak.

Beginning with this issue and for the next year, The Stockman will go aboard the U.S.S. Saratoga, giant airplane carrier vessel of the United States Navy now steaming out over the Pacific headed for the Panama Canal from Bremerton, Washington, dry docks where it recently underwent a cleaning and

overhauling.

A subscription order has been entered for Warren W. Hillis, U. S. Marine Corps, Marine detachment, U.S.S. Saratoga, to receive The Stockman each week. "Before joining the service I was just a ranch hand," Hillis wrote in a letter ordering The Stockman sent to him for the coming year. "I worked on the Henderson Estate ranch last

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MERRY CHRISTMAS



"Now! What did I tell you?"

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Notices of church entertainments where admission is charged, cards of thanks, resolutions of respect and all matter not news, will be charged for at regular advertising rates.

Any erroneous reflection upon the character of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon calling the attention of the management to the article in question.

THURSDAY DECEMBER 26, 1935

Clarksville Times: Of course, as one old brother told us the other day, automobiles have ruined lots of our nice young people, but you must remember that our young people have ruined lots of nice automobiles.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Clayton were shopping in San Angelo Friday.

**Iraan Theatre
 Operator Opens
 Show House Here**

**Scott Family Operat-
 ing Old Palace As
 "DeLuxe"**

Equipment and lease of the old Palace Theatre in the Bert Couch building here has been purchased by C. W. Scott of Iraan, who has operated a theatre there for the past eight years, and the show has been reopened under the name of the Paramount DeLuxe Theatre.

Miss Winnie Scott, daughter of Mr. Scott and, a son, Lawrence Scott and wife, are here in charge of operation of the show. Arthur Nails is machine operator for the show.

The show is operating each day, showing matinee each afternoon and regular shows at night.

C. C. Doty, father of Mrs. Stephen Perner of Ozona, who has been seriously ill in Eldorado for several weeks is reported much improved. Mr. and Mrs. Perner went to Eldorado last week and brought Mr. Doty back home with them. He is now recuperating on the Perner ranch near here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Littleton are spending Christmas in Lubbock.

**EPWORTH HI LEAGUE
 December 29th**

Subject: "Universal Fatherhood of God."
 Leader—Ele Bright Baggett.
 Song—No. 155.
 Jesus Taught Us to Say, "Our Father"—Ele Bright Baggett.
 Reading—"Christ's Love"—Athleen Dudley.
 Piano Solo—Mary Alyce Smith.
 Do Our Words and Deeds Agree—Lurrine Townsend.
 Scripture, Cor. 8:6—W. B. Robertson.
 Trio—Athleen Dudley, Dorothy and Margaret Drake.
 If God is our Father We Must Be Brothers—Miles Pierce.
 Song—No. 71.
 Benediction.
 Reporter, Elizabeth Coose.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. John Bowers entertained last week in honor of her daughter, Barbara Ann, on her seventh birthday. Little friends present for the occasion were Benny Gail Phillips, Buddy Russell, Muggins Davidson, Alleane Hokit, Doris Nell Smith, Dorothy Nell Garrison, Ruth Townsend, Stella Marie

Callison, Dick Lee McDonald, Clyde Newberry, Jr., Alvin McCaleb, Ralph McCaleb, Doris Bean, Doris Busby, Norma Lee Young, Mary Elizabeth Gray, John Fustell, Lois Williams, Billy Rose Schwalbe and Jo Nell Coose.

**Friday Bridge Club
 Enjoys Xmas Party**

Members of the Friday Bridge Club enjoyed the annual club Christmas party at the Hotel Ozona Thursday night, with eleven tables of players present. A big Christmas tree held gifts for all the members and old Santa himself distributed the gifts. A dinner preceded the games.

Cut prizes for the evening went to Bryan McDonald and Mrs. J. C. Montgomery. Guests of the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Early Baggett, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Childress, Jr. and Mrs. W. B. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Max Schneemann, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne West, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Denham, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Friend, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Littleton, Mr.

and Mrs. J. B. Pace, Mr. and Mrs. Strick Harvick, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Montgomery, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Tandy, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baggett, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oberkamp, Mrs. J. W. Henderson, Mrs. Neal Hannah, Dr. Sellers Moore and Bill Buttery.

ENTERTAINS CHOIR

Mrs. Joe Oberkamp entertained last week with a buffet supper at her home for members of the choir singing the recent Christmas cantata at the Methodist church, their husbands and wives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jones spent Christmas day as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wren Jackson on the Jackson ranch near Best. Mrs. Jackson is Mr. Jones' sister.

There's something to be said for old Doc, Townsend. He proposes to soak the common man as well as the rich.—Yakima Republic.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Clayton visited Mr. Clayton's parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Clayton, in San Angelo Christmas day.

MEN WANTED for Rawleigh Routes of 800 families in Schleicher and Val Verde counties. Reliable hustler should start earning \$25 weekly and increase rapidly. Write today. Rawleigh, Dept. TX L-572-S, Memphis, Tenn. 35 4tp

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from
SAN ANTONIO
 To
OZONA

Ozona Headquarters:
Flowers Grocery—Phone 3
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MERRY

 XMAS

With these simple words we
 hope to convey to you our
 appreciation for your loyalty
 for the past twelve months.
 May we forever merit
 your support.

CLYDE NEWBERRY

AGENT
 Humble Oil & Refining Company
 Phone 257



Happiness, health and prosperity to you all—our loyal friends and patrons! May the day be full to over-flowing with real Christmas Joy!

MIKE and MAUDIE
 "BUTCH" and All the GANG

M. C. COUCH

Grocery — Meat Market

CONTRACTORS NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 9.135 miles of Dr. Strs., Cal. Bs. Crs. Crusher Run Rr. St. Bs. Crs., & Tri. Asph. Surf. Trt. from a point 9 miles west of Ozona to Ozona on Highway No. 27, covered by Regular Federal Aid Project No. 619-E, in Crockett County, will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, Texas, until 9:00 A. M., Dec. 31, 1935, and then publicly opened and read.

The attention of the bidders is directed to the required special provisions covering subletting or assigning the contract, the selection of labor, and hours and conditions of employment.

Type of Laborer *Prevailing Minimum Prevailing Minimum
 Workman, or Per Diem Wage Hourly Wage Rate
 Mechanic (Based on an Eight (8) Hour Working Day)

Skilled Labor	\$6.00	\$.75
Intermediate Grade Labor	3.60	.45
Unskilled Labor	2.40	.30

For the classification of particular positions under the above types of Laborers, Workmen, or Mechanics, see the Required Special Provisions.

*The above prevailing minimum wage rates shall govern on this contract. Overtime and legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

A local employment agency

Except as otherwise specified, the minimum wages paid to all laborers, workmen or mechanics employed on this contract shall be Seventy-Five (75c) Cents per hour for "Skilled Labor," Forty-Five (45c) Cents per hour for "Intermediate Grade Labor," and Thirty (30c) Cents per hour for "Unskilled Labor."

Attention is directed to the special provisions, included in the proposal to insure compliance with the requirement of House Bill No. 54 of the Forty-Third Legislature of the State of Texas.

from which the Contractor shall obtain employment list will be designated prior to the award of contract. Plans and specifications available at the office of E. E. Pittman, Resident Engineer, Sonora, Texas, and State Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. 3-35-1115 "R"



To the chorus of Yuletide greetings we add our voice of felicitations. May the spirit of the holidays find you as jolly and joyous as Santa Claus.

In the gay spirit of Christmas—we wish you all the happiness that he can bring you—and may the New Year be a happy one for you.

J. H. WILLIAMS & SONS
 Groceries

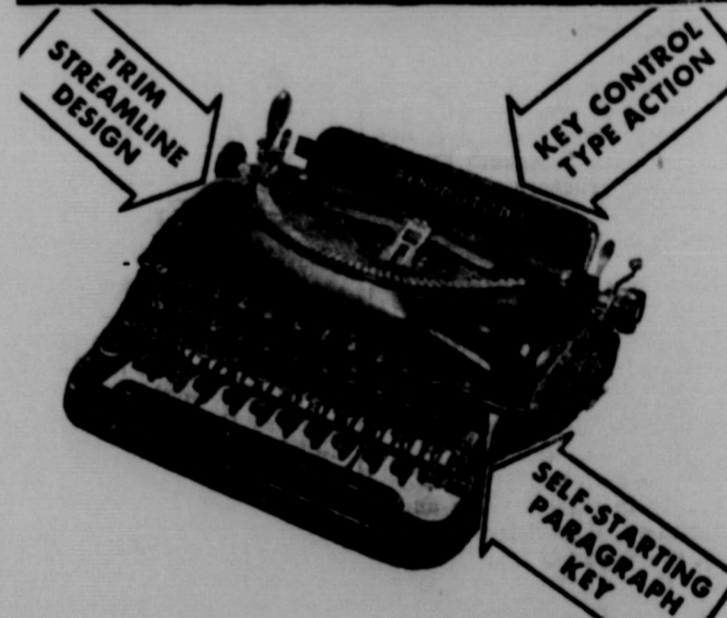


To You and Yours—

This year has given us abundant reason for being happy and every reason for extending to you our best wishes for a happy Christmas season.

NORTH MOTOR COMPANY
 Chevrolet Sales and Service

JUST OUT!
 the new REMINGTON
STREAMLINE PORTABLE



Thrilling beauty in a new portable typewriter by Remington. Handsome new STREAMLINE model has every essential feature of big machines including famous Remington Key-Control type action, handy self-starting paragraph key, speedy new lines. An attractive addition to home or small office... built to take punishment, and come back smiling. Try it and see!

Carrying case . . . typing course . . . FREE

Handy carrying case is sturdy, attractive. Touch method instruction book teaches you how to type faster than writing by hand in just a few days. Both come free with every new Remington STREAMLINE Portable. Get yours while this offer and present low terms last. Come in today.

Come in . . . and try it for yourself
The OZONA STOCKMAN

All Employables To Be Transferred From Relief to WPA

AUSTIN, Dec. 24—Names of all employables were being eliminated from rolls of the Texas Relief Commission this week as officials prepared to close all district administrative offices January 1, it was announced today by Adam R. Johnson, state director.

Johnson said relief grants will be made after January 1 only to families of unemployables—those who will not, for various reasons, be employed by the Works Progress Administration and other federal agencies operating public works projects.

Limited relief funds will be available, it was estimated, until April 1, at which time it is expected all money will have been granted and the relief organization discontinued.

Counties were requested to submit by December 20 lists of unemployables to be used as the basis for distribution of the remaining relief funds, estimated to total \$2,500,000. Checks will be mailed directly to recipients from the state relief office, Johnson said.

The state director said closing district offices and other retrenchment steps will reduce administrative personnel for the final quarter's operations by 3,000 persons and costs from \$375,000 to \$150,000 per month.

Unemployables include mothers unable to take jobs because of children at home, and persons unable to work because of old age or other interfering factors such as mental or physical handicaps. Relief officials have estimated that there are 50,000 households in the state within this classification. An inflexible budget of an average of \$15 per household for unemployables only will be allocated to the counties through March, 1936, after which unemployables will become the responsibility of the communities in which they live, Johnson said, unless unforeseen public grants are made for them between now and April 1.

quently have their victims in their power long before they are even aware of their presence.

"It can therefore be urgently recommended that on New Year's 1935 those who sincerely wish to live throughout the year and for other years to come as healthily and happily as possible, could with profit resolve to become devotees of the public health examination. In truth no better resolution could be made."

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF CROCKETT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 119th District Court of Tom Green County, on the 5 day of December 1935, by C. W. Barnett, Clerk of said 119th District Court for the sum of One thousand eight hundred ten & 18/100 (\$1810.18) Dollars with interest and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Byron Gardner in a certain cause in said Court, No. 8706-B and styled Byron Gardner vs. G. F. Taylor, placed in my hands for service, I W. S. Willis as Sheriff of Crockett County, Texas, did, on the 6th day of December 1935, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Crockett County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of lot No. one (1) and all of lot No. two (2) in block 90, situated in the town of Ozona, Crockett County, Texas.

and levied upon as the property of G. F. Taylor and that on the first Tuesday in January 1936, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court House door of Crockett County, in the town of Ozona, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said G. F. Taylor

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks im-

mediately preceding said day of sale, in the Ozona Stockman a newspaper published in Crockett County.

Witness my hand, this 6th day of December 1935.

W. S. WILLIS, Sheriff Crockett County, Texas.

TOM CASBEER, Deputy. 37-3tc

A. P. Curry Pioneer Texan Buried Tues.

From Eldorado Success:

A. P. Curry, 78, West Texas pioneer died Monday at his home here after an illness of several weeks. Funeral services were held at the home Tuesday, Rev. J. L. Ratliff officiating. Burial was in the Eldorado Cemetery with Ratliff Funeral Service in charge.

Those surviving him besides his wife are three sons and three daughters: Clifton Curry, Westbrook, Texas; Donovan Curry, Eldorado; and W. H. Curry, Ran-

dolph Field; Mrs. Geo. Williams, Mrs. Zida Williams and Mrs. W. T. Green of Eldorado. Fifteen grandchildren and one great grandchildren also survive him.

Pallbearers were Ray Jones, John R. Jones, Clyde Keeney, Jud Nicks, Palmer West, and Jim Williams.

Mr. Curry was a native of Texas, born in Navarro County, March 16, 1857. He came to West Texas 40 years ago, settling at Ozona, where he lived until 20 years ago, when he came to Schleicher County.

He was married to Miss Priscilla Schwartz in 1887. To this union were born eight children, six of whom are still living.

He was a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church and lived a Christian life in words and deeds.

Out-of-town friends attending the funeral were: Dal Puckett, Sonora; Jones Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miller, Ozona; and Mr. and Mrs. Cox, Rankin.

Fort Worth Star-Telegram: Haile Selassie, according to the news dispatches, goes without his regular meals one day a week. One would think that a queen would

belong to more than one bridge club.

Credit and debit pads at The Stockman.



TO YOU ...

One and All

We are overflowing with joy after many, many Christmases in Ozona, due to the fact that our many friends and customers have expressed their confidence in us throughout these years by their loyalty and patronage.

May the Yuletide season bring you joy, peace and prosperity be yours through the years to come.

JOE OBERKAMPF

FURNITURE—HARDWARE—PLUMBING—RANCHO GAS

May the day bring you much joy and happiness is the fervent Yuletide wish of

DONAHO GARAGE
PHONE 266

Annual Check-Up Of Human Machine Urged As Resolve

AU—STIN, Dec. 24—"The time to make resolutions will soon be here. And while few persons will openly declare their purpose to resolve either to do or not to do this, that, and the other, it is safe to say that many thousands will secretly conclude to establish certain rules hitherto broken or eliminate some habits which they perfectly well know are doing them harm. New Year's, common sense and conscience are thus annually united. And though it is scarcely likely that the majority of these reconstructive ideas will do much more than outlast January 1st, there is one resolution that it perhaps might be well to make and keep, namely, to have an annual physical examination," stated Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer.

"Perhaps it is lack of persistently emphatic education, but it seems to be downright carelessness that permits one of the greatest lifesavers yet devolved by science to be scorned by the majority. For, in spite of repeated statements concerning the advantages of early discovery and treatment of conditions which are only possible by way of a physical examination at a time when one still feels and looks quite well, the antiquated idea of snubbing the doctor until pain and illness overtake one, still rules.

"Cancer, nephritis, diabetes, and heart ailments are below-the-belt hitters. Being master criminals they attack silently and fre-



A Greeting in the Christmas Spirit . . .

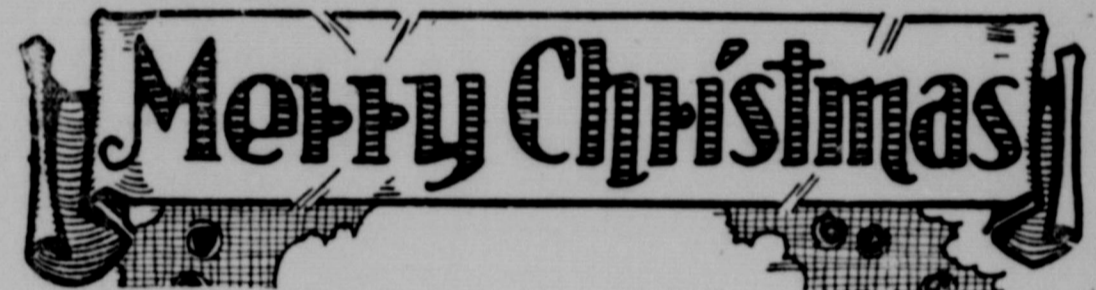
How nice it would be to shake you all by the hand and express our good wishes personally.

Instead, may we take this means of extending seasonal greetings and wishing you a very merry Yuletide.

THE RAPES — BILLY — JACK and ELE

OZONA DRUG STORE

'A Home-Owned Drug Store' 'Just a Little Better Service'



To a Christmas of Health and Happiness

It is our wish that Christmas mark the beginning of every happiness for you and your dear ones. May the season be a delightful one.

DIXIE — 'MACK' — 'SPARKY' — GEORGE

Ozona Water Works

Texas History Movies

IN 1762 FRANCE CEDED LOUISIANA TO SPAIN, WHO TOOK POSSESSION SEVEN YEARS LATER.

1794 SPAIN MADE NEW ORLEANS A FREE PORT.

GIVE ME LOUISIANA AND I'LL MAKE YOUR DUKE OF PARMA, KING OF ETRURIA.

WE'LL GIVE IT TO YOU, IF YOU WANT SELL IT TO THE UNITED STATES.

NAPOLEON BONAPARTE TOOK LOUISIANA BACK FROM SPAIN.

BUT IN 1803 THE UNITED STATES HAD BOUGHT LOUISIANA.

NAPOLEON DOUBLE-CROSSED US. BUT WE CAN'T DO ANYTHING ABOUT IT.

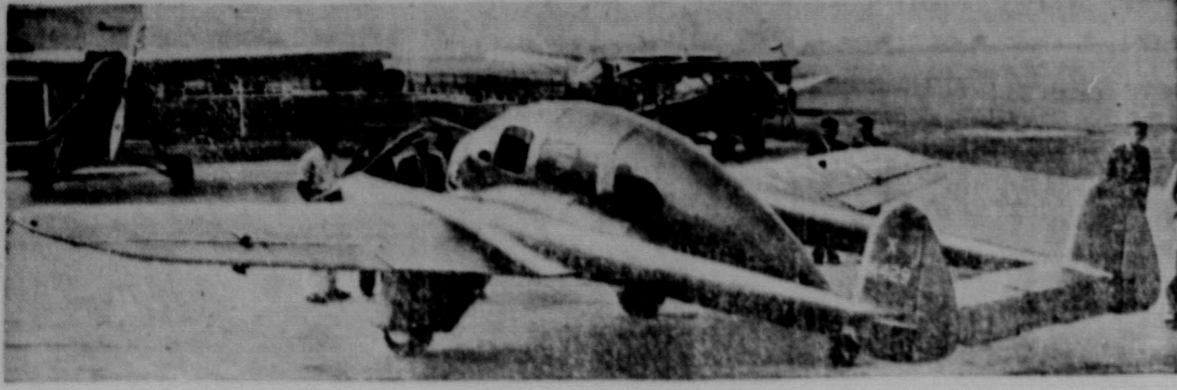
WE HAVE ORDERS TO KILL ANY AMERICANS WHO CROSS THE SABINE OR RED RIVERS.

PORT NACOGDOCHES SPAIN WITHDREW INTO TEXAS.

ENERGY UP

Dr. Pepper

"Crusader" Is a New Type of Light Plane



Pictured at Union Air terminal in Burbank, Calif., a new type small plane, radically different from anything yet designed. The little monoplane, known as the "Crusader," is a veritable flying wing, having a short fuselage, all of which is utilized for cabin space. The cabin is of "teardrop" shape, built to accommodate four persons, and on either side, mounted in the wing, is a supercharged Monasco engine with a horsepower of 150 at 2,300 feet.

Mexican Independence Added To Misery Of Colonists Forgotten Texas Province

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 18—The story of the Anglo-American colonies in Texas under Stephen F. Austin's leadership is a more or less familiar one to native Texans. Less well known though equally important in the fate of Texas is the story of the Mexican habitants of the province of Texas. It was about the time of Austin's coming, with his little band of three hundred settlers, that Mexico threw off the yoke of Spain and set up an independent government. The ignorance of statesmanship and political strategy on the part of the Mexican authorities is revealed in the Bexar Archives of the University of

Texas Library, and through these documents may be traced the underlying reasons for the fall of Mexican independence in the province of Texas.

The year 1822 ushered the new Mexican system of government in its characteristic form. Don Agustín Iturbide, who had proclaimed the independence of Mexico the previous year, had created the empire of Mexico out of the old dominion of New Spain. On May 18, 1822, Iturbide was proclaimed emperor, and a few days later he was crowned. His Imperial Majesty, however, did not sit on the throne very long. On October 31, of the same year, he dissolved

Congress because they were opposing him.

In December, Santa Anna—a character well known in Texas history—started a revolution. As the result of this revolution, Iturbide was deposed and commenced his exile in May, 1823. As so many other Mexican revolutions, this one did not settle an argument; it merely initiated a glorious era of strife and misrule. The bitter contest between Federalists and Centralists followed the deposition of Iturbide. Eventually, however, Federalism won out, and late in 1823 a constitution, patterned after one presented by Stephen F. Austin, was formulated. On October 4, 1824, the constitution was promulgated.

In the meantime, the province of Texas was still there, but the fact was known only to a few unfortunate people who had to live on Texas soil. The Mexican system invaded Texas in full force in 1822. Early in December, 1822 Governor Antonio Martínez, the last Spanish officer, was replaced by Don Félix Trespalacios, the new Mexican governor. From that late forward Texas experienced many changes in commanders. Rather than improving conditions in Texas, Mexican independence had made them worse. Texas seldom collected any taxes because the people were too poor to contribute anything to the government. The troops were paid with corn and beans, for currency was scarce; and merchants refused to accept the paper money issued by Emperor Iturbide and the subsequent revolutionary governments. Troops sent to Texas from the interior for protection from the Indians had to be withdrawn for lack of supplies.

In the midst of all this misery a dependable old Spaniard arose to save the day for Texas. Don Erasmo Seguin, a postmaster during Spanish regime, the man who, along with Bastrop, welcomed Moses Austin and his plan for the colonization of Texas, now as the representative of Bexar journeyed to Mexico City. He presented his claim for relief for his beloved province in such eloquent terms that the revolutionary heads of the Mexican government had to listen to his demands. The extent of his success may be judged from a letter he wrote to his wife from Mexico City on January 26, 1825. This original letter is now in the Bexar Archives of The University of Texas. A translation of it follows:

"Dona María Josefa Agustina Becerra.

"Mexico, January 26, 1825.

"My Dear Wife:

"This is to inform you that within a week at the most—and I shall not change the date again—I shall set out from here. I had not left sooner because I have been suffering an attack of fever, and because they had not given me any funds for the trip. Now, I am waiting until I can send the officer and troops who are to garrison that province ahead of me.

"Tell my friend Gaspar to plant a crop and to make others do the same so that they may have plenty of corn and beans to sell the troops, and so that the soldiers may have something to live on; otherwise they will again leave the province as so many others that have been there before. Tell him that these troops must not fail to receive their salary, and that all vacancies in the companies now stationed there must be filled with men either from Coahuila or from Nuevo Leon. None of these troops can fail to be given supplies.

"Do not plant a crop. Do not make any plans until I get there. I may decide to do something else this year until I devise some system to follow in my farm.

"Give my love to the children. Tell Juan Nepomuceno that I am taking him all the things he wanted except the violin. I don't want to have to carry it all the way

from here, when I can take other things that are more valuable. Tell him that as soon as I get to Bexar I will ask Austin to bring him one from New Orleans.

"Give my regards to Juan Angel, to Sosa and his family, and to all our acquaintances, friends, and relatives. Tell them that I will soon be there to bore them and to make them laugh.

"Take care of yourself, and don't be afraid of 'beatings' by father Zambrano, for I received the news of his death from Saltillo; he died in a noble manner. May God receive him into His holy kingdom. Good-bye, my beloved wife, good-bye until I see you again.

Erasmo Seguin.

"P.S. Tell Fabina that if she

has to become civilized will bring her something to wear."

POSTED—All my pastures in Crockett County. Hunting and trapping and all trespassing positively forbidden. Floyd Henderson. 11-1-35

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A Merry Christmas!

A wish to you, our customers! May the Holiday Season bring you a wealth of joy and good fellowship. May the New Year bring you Health, Happiness and Prosperity in full measure. For ourselves, we also have a wish: That we may continue to serve you faithfully and well, making life easier by this service and rendering it in a more personal manner than ever before.

Progress is our watchword, so we hope this year may bring new developments in Electric Service which will further seek to simplify labor, save time, and do both at the lowest possible cost to you.

We cordially extend Season's Greetings to all, and add the hope for a better acquaintance and the privilege of rendering to you a more liberal service, which our past experiences and achievements make possible.

West Texas Utilities Company

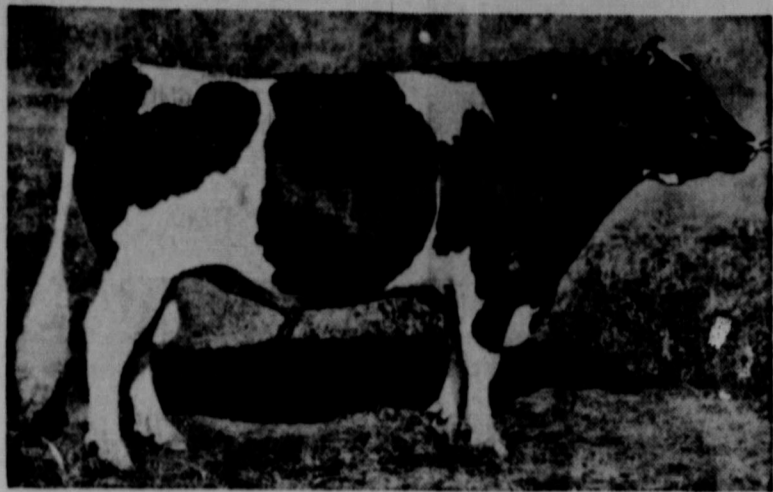
Friends Are Hosts At Christmas Party

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., were hosts to members of their contract club and a number of guests at the annual club Christmas party at the Hotel Ozona Monday night. There were ten tables of players.

Mrs. Hillery Phillips and Lowell Littleton took high score prizes for the club and Mrs. Worth Odam and Alton Holland of Big Lake held guest high scores. At the conclusion of the games, gifts were distributed from a Christmas tree, Massie West, low score holder, acting as Santa Claus.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Al Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Friend, Mrs. Eddie Johnston and Mrs. Pat Friend, all of Big Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Marbury Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. Arthur Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Short, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. North, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Evert White, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. Worth

West Gives Another Grand Champion



Carnation Matador Masterpiece, exhibited by Carnation Farms at Carnation, Wash., a two-year-old Holstein bull, was declared the grand champion at the National Dairy show in St. Louis, Mo.

Odam, Mr. and Mrs. Massie West, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Littleton, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Tandy, Mrs. Gertrude Perry, J. O. Lusby, Miss Wayne Augustine, Miss Heaster Bunger and Jake Young.

Typewriter ribbons at the Stockman office.

Christmas Party Enjoyed By Club

Miss Mildred North entertained for members of Las Amigas Club and a number of guests with the club's annual Christmas party Saturday night.

Mrs. Beeler Brown and Ralph Jones were awarded high score prizes for the club and Mrs. Lowell Littleton and Billie Childress held guest high. Gifts were distributed from a big Christmas tree at the conclusion of the games.

Guests present included Misses Tommy Smith, Carolyn Montgomery, Wayne Augustine, Wanda Watson, Blanche Robison, Totsy Robison, Helen Henderson, Vicky Pierce, Esther Kate Pierce, Bernice Bailey, Louise Henderson, Ada Moss and Hester Bunger, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Miller Robison, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Beeler Brown, Mrs. Alvin O'Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pace, Mr. and Mrs. Sellers Pierce, J. O. Lusby, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Littleton, Mr. and Mrs. Ted White, Mr. and Mrs. John White of Grandfalls, Billie Childress, Jake Miller, Dempster Jones, Carl North, Jake Young, and Mrs. Gertrude Perry.

Important Points Of Qualifications For Pensioners Outlined

AUSTIN, Dec. 24.—"Many provisions of the Texas Old Age Assistance Law were taken directly from laws previously existing in other states or from the Social Security Act, which President Roosevelt sponsored," State Auditor Orville S. Carpenter, appointed pension chief, said this week. "Major provisions are the following:

1. A qualified applicant must be 65 years of age and a citizen of the United States.
2. He must have lived in Texas five out of the last nine years, and have lived in the State continuously one year preceding application.
3. He must not at time of receiving aid be an inmate of a public or private institution.
4. He must not have made a voluntary transfer or assignment of property to qualify for aid.
5. He must not be a habitual criminal or habitual drunkard.
6. He or she is not eligible if he or she has a husband or wife able to furnish him or her adequate support.

"The property restriction," Mr. Carpenter continued, "as well as that of cash or security ownership, must be clearly understood." "A qualified old-age pension applicant—

"Does not own property, real, personal, or mixed, the fair value of which, taking into consideration assessed valuations for State and county tax purposes less all incumbrances and liens, exceeds, if the applicant is single, \$5,000, or if married, \$7,500.

"Does not have or own cash or marketable securities, the fair value of which exceeds \$500 if the applicant is single, or if married, \$1,000," Mr. Carpenter stated.

"An important restriction concerns incomes of qualified applicants. Incomes of applicants must not exceed, from any and all sources, \$360 yearly, if single; and the combined incomes of both spouses, from any and all sources, must not exceed \$720 yearly, if applicant is married," Mr. Carpenter explained. "A sworn statement of all income during the preceding two years must accompany the application."

"All applications will be handled through local agents after the new law goes into effect February 14," he added.

Father Charged With Assault On 6-Year-Old Child

Charged with one of the most sensationally atrocious crimes in the history of Kerr County, Thurman D. Eason, Kerrville resident, white and about 30 years old, Wednesday was being held in the county jail on a complaint alleging rape, the victim being his own 6-year-old daughter.

Eason, who has been employed as a clerk in a store near Legion, has been in jail since last Friday evening when the offense is said to have been committed. He was taken into custody by Sheriff Frank Moore and Deputies Emil Habecker and Elwyn Sublett, after Rev. A. R. Vetter, superintendent of the Methodist Kerrville Assembly, had called the officers to a point on the Assembly grounds two miles west of the city.

Reverend Vetter told the officers a shocking story of an occurrence he had witnessed while walking over the encampment grounds in connection with his supervisory duties. Eason, who had been held in custody by the minister until the officers arrived, was lodged in jail and Saturday he made a statement to County Attorney Walter Petsch admitting his guilt.

Tuesday morning the defendant was brought into the court of Justice Joe Burkett, Jr., to answer a charge of rape. Through his attorneys, Dent Taylor of Kerrville and Egbert Schewepe of San Antonio, examination was waived. Bond was set at \$15,000 and the defendant was remanded to jail to await action of the grand jury which convenes next March 30.

According to reports, Eason is married; but his present wife is not the mother of the child victim of the criminal attack.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

Credit and debit pads at The Stockman.

TIGERS' SOLE OWNER



Walter O. Briggs, a well known manufacturer, is now sole owner of the Detroit Tigers, having bought the half interest in the ball club held by the late Frank Navin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Adams are here from the ranch near Pumpville to spend Christmas with Mrs. Adams mother, Mrs. S. B. Phillips, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pace and their little daughter are here from Austin the guests of Mrs. Pace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baggett.

Morris Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller, is here from the Miller ranch near Snyder to spend the Christmas holidays with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Odam are here from their ranch near Sheffield spending the holidays with Mrs. Odam's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey.

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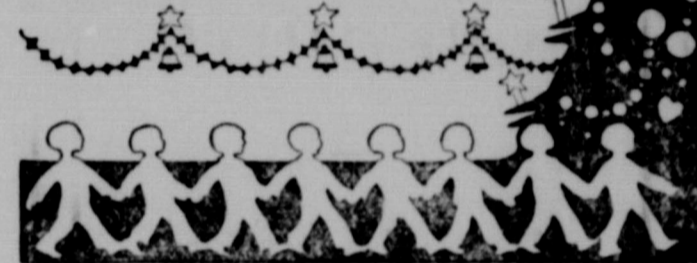


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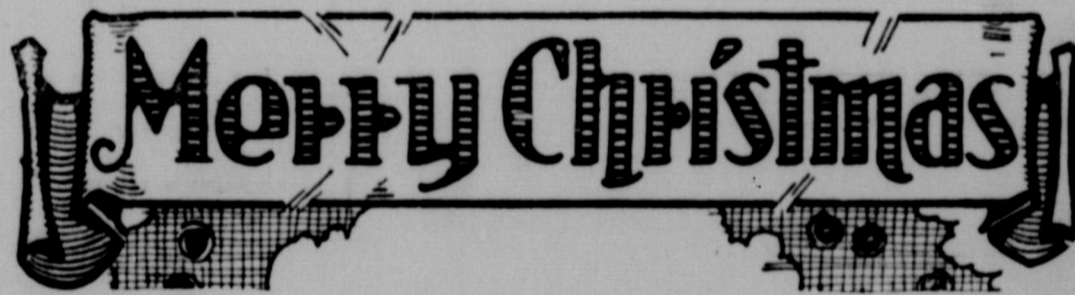
As we come to this our first Christmas in Ozona we want to express our appreciation for the fine spirit of friendliness we have encountered here and to thank the people of Crockett County for the patronage they have given us.

May This Be the Merriest Christmas of All

Ozona Feed Co.

J. S. STAHL, Manager

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Another Christmas is here, and the entire personnel of the West Texas Lumber Co. joins in wishing you happiness and Christmas joy.

Christmas comes but once a year . . . and what a joy it is to sit by the glow of your fireside and look back through the joys of the past twelve months.

On the anniversary of another Christmas we extend you this wish: That you may look back on many more Happy Christmas days . . . and look forward with realization that those to come will be just as joyful.

WEST TEXAS LUMBER CO.

J. H. MILLER

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BOB WEAVER

METHODIST CHURCH NOTICE

The pastor will preach the New Year's Sermon, Sunday morning, on "A Backward Glimpse and a Forward Look." The Sunday evening service is at 7:30, and the subject will be "Jesus Our Only Refuge."

The Sunday School is at 9:45, and there are classes for everybody. The young people's meeting is at 6:30.

This is the last Sunday of 1935. There are many people, who, if they do not attend Church today, will not have attended Church once during the year.

R. A. Taylor.

OZONA THEATER

Thursday: Chas. Buddy Rogers
'Old Man Rhythm'
Another rousing musical from the producers of "Roberta"

Friday and Saturday
George O'Brien in
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The screen's ace outdoor man plunges into society whirl and tames the big town

Sunday and Monday
Clark Gable, Loretta Young in
'Call of the Wild'
Jack London's famous story that thrilled millions now a super screen thrill

Tuesday and Wednesday
'The Wedding Night'
Gary Cooper, Anna Sten in a tense drama, with the Rangel Lancer in another great role

Students Flock—

end of the week from Dallas, where she is attending Southern Methodist University, to spend the holiday period with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Bailey. Vick Montgomery, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Montgomery and a member of the successful T.C.U. Horned Frog football team that plays in the Sugar Bowl classic at New Orleans New Year's Day, will no doubt continue football training through Christmas week in preparation for that important event.

Bill Baggett, student at the A. & M. College, is here to spend the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baggett. Miss Annie Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Lee, is home for the holidays from Del Rio, where she is attending a business college.

MRS. JONES RESUMES CLASSES JANUARY 8

Mrs. A. W. Jones announces that her physical culture class will be resumed Wednesday, January 8.

Miss Dixie Davidson returned the first of the week from Austin where she spent a few days visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Garver. Mr. Garver is now connected with the state highway department at Austin as bridge designer. They will spend the Christmas holidays with his family in Little Rock, Ark. Mrs. Garver paid a brief visit last week with her parents here, Judge and Mrs. Charles E. Davidson.

See "I saw it in the Stockman."

D. A Parker—

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the most valuable lineman of the district, and Peppers of Junction the most valuable backfield man. Spurgers of Eldorado was second for most valuable backfield man.

The complete list of first and second team players and of those receiving honorable mention is: Left End—Parker, Ozona; second, Sweeten, Rocksprings.

Left Tackle—F. Susen, Eldorado; second, Pearl, Junction.

Left Guard—Fred, Rocksprings; second, Freeman, Ozona.

Center—H. Susen, Eldorado; second, tie, Simmons, Sonora, Smelser, Junction.

Right Guard—Baylor, Junction; second, tie, Gentry, Junction, Walston, Menard.

Right Tackle—Knox, Rocksprings; second, tie, Roueche, Sonora, Page, Eldorado.

Right End—tie, Trainer, Sonora, Coffey, Junction, Kerr, Eldorado; second, tie, Epperson, Rocksprings, Reeves, Menard, Hext, Eldorado.

Quarterback—Earwood, Rocksprings; second, Spurgers, Eldorado.

Left Halfback—F. Archer, Sonora; second, Davis, Eldorado.

Right Halfback—Hubbell, Junction; second, Brown, Ozona.

Fullback—Peppers, Junction; second, tie, C. Winans, Rocksprings, Brantley, Sonora.

Honorable mention was given the following:

Tackle—Lacey, Rocksprings; Stewart, Junction; Matthews, Menard.

Guard—Elms, Rocksprings. Center—Davidson, Ozona; Brown, Rocksprings.

Backs—Taylor, Sonora; M. Gentry, Rocksprings; Wilson, Menard. Brown, Rocksprings; Martin, Menard; Phillips, Junction.

Stockman To Go—

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winter and liked the country and people in Crockett County fine."

Hillis joined the Marines last spring in Seattle, Wash., and was sent from there to San Diego, Calif., for training, he writes.

"I was in San Diego eight weeks in training," his letter said. "Three weeks were on the rifle range, shooting every day. On record day I shot 304 out of a possible 350. Only seven in our outfit shot over 300."

"I was assigned for duty on this ship for a period of two years. We are the ship's guard—the Marines and four anti-aircraft guns. I am a loader on one of these.

"There are 75 planes on the ship. The ship is 800 feet long and 106 feet wide and has a speed of 34 knots an hour. It takes a good pilot to land on the ship's deck."

In a postscript to the letter, Hillis wrote, "We are leaving for Panama soon."

The paper will be addressed to the Marine in care of the U. S. S. Saratoga, at San Pedro, Calif., Marine base, from where it will be dispatched to the Navy's airplane carrier ship wherever it may be located at the time.

Hillis enclosed in his letter to The Stockman a copy of "Plane Talk," a weekly tabloid size newspaper published aboard the big ship. The four-page paper is attractively printed and interestingly edited. It contains sections devoted to news of the ship's crew, columns called "Leatherneck Hangovers," news of the Marine detachment aboard, "Among the J. O.'s," "Eyes of the Ship" editorial and general news sections. On the front page is a three column picture of the "Eagle's Aerie" in dry dock.

SENDS STOCKMAN AS CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

A year's subscription to The Stockman for each of three of her children is this year's Christmas gift sent by Mrs. Mary Perner, Ozona's beloved "Mother" Perner. Ross Perner of Snowflake, Ariz., a son, a daughter, Mrs. Bob Murchison of Fort Stockton, and another son, Stephen Perner, of Ozona, are to be recipients of the year-long gift. The first two names children have received The Stockman the last several years, the gift of their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., and Miss Hester Bunger are spending Christmas day in San Antonio.

MUCK CROPS QUEEN



Competing with 20 other girls, Miss Evelyn Edwards was crowned "queen of the muck crops show" during the annual northern Indiana muck crops show held in North Judson, Ind. A beautiful fur coat as well as the beauty crown went to the fair winner.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Buck of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Boggess and son of Waco, are holiday guests of Mrs. Buck's and Mrs. Boggess' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Montgomery.



To each and every one of you, we send holiday greetings laden with the wish that your Christmas may be both beautiful and happy and the New Year bring you peace, happiness and prosperity.

Joe Patrick
Electrical Shop

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Smith were here the first of the week for a Christmas visit with relatives. They will spend a part of the week in Eldorado visiting Mrs. Smith's parents. Mr. Smith is connected with the district relief office in Alpine and was formerly relief administrator for this county.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lusby are visiting relatives and friends in Abilene and Merkel this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Wilse Owens visited last week with Mrs. Miller's sister in Archer City. Mr. and Mrs. Owens spent a part of the time in Wichita Falls.



To All of You and Yours

For a Most Happy and Pleasant Yuletide Season

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May the Yuletide Season be laden with the fruits of friendship and goodwill for all of you. We wish you the heartiest of Merry Christmases

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PEACE On Earth

During this most kindly of all seasons we send our greetings, wishing you the merriest of Christmases and may your New Year have nothing but the sunshine of happiness.

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Drug Store



May your cup of gladness be filled to overflowing at this glad season and may the New Year bring you a full measure of success and contentment

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Greetings

May the candles of your tree be bright with the promise of a Happy Year to come—and may you have all of the delightful things that go to make this holiday the most joyous of all the year.

We would like to extend personally our greetings to each of our customers and friends, as it is your loyalty and patronage that we are most thankful for, but this being impossible we have taken this method of greeting you.

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