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Income Tax Reduction Now Approved By Rogers

States Congressman Rogers told local Lions members, their ladies and other guests "that when a nation reaches the 10 percent of the entire income, you are in an extraordinary bracket and the saturation has been reached." Rogers in Memphis Tuesday representative Rogers paid to the teachers of this well as the nation in telling their job of giving and facts to the students is for the future of the country.

CYCLONES ENTER HEDLEY TOURNEY THIS WEEK END

Memphis High School basketball cagers kept their slate undefeated this week, though only by a mistake in the scorekeeper's pencil. Monday night the local squad played host to the Lelia Lake basketball team and at the end of the game Lelia Lake cagers were ahead by one point. After the players left the floor and changed clothes, scorekeepers compared records and found that the score was really tied instead of Lelia Lake ahead by one point. Coach John Hansard and the Lelia Lake coach got together and re-scheduled the game sometime in February so the Cyclones will enter the Hedley tournament today with a record of two victories and one tie. After the Hedley tournament this week, the Cyclones have two games before Christmas, both away from home. They journey to Estelline next Tuesday night and to Clarendon next Thursday evening. Their next home game will be with Lakeview, January 1. The girls also will play the same nights as the Cyclones.

County Grand Jury Returns Eleven Indictments

Members of the September session of the Hall County Grand Jury met Monday for the second session and returned 11 indictments according to District Attorney Allan Harp. Indictments consisted of four charges of passing a forged instrument, one driving while intoxicated charge, one theft by bailee, one burglary and four felony theft charges. Most of the persons charged are now out on bond. Date of trials have not been announced.

Vaccination Record Needed By Jan. 10

Superintendent W. C. Davis announced this week that all school children in the first three grades without successful vaccinations in diphtheria, small pox or whooping cough, should have certificates of vaccinations on file in the school principal's office by January 10. "This is a step to safe guard not only the health of your own child but the health of all the other children in school," Supt. Davis said.

Services Today

J. L. Smith
Services for James L. Smith, a resident of Hall county more than 14 years, who died in the Amarillo Veterans Hospital, were held this afternoon at the Church of Christ in direction of B. M. Litton.

McMickin Honored As Local Weatherman

Local weather recorder J. McMickin was honored last week along with several other Texas weather men for his long job as official weather recorder for Memphis and this area. McMickin, who has been the official weather recorder for this area since 1919, about 32 years, was honored by the federal government through the Secretary of Commerce Charles Sawyer and the Chief of the U. S. Weather Bureau, Dr. F. W. Reichelderfer. McMickin officially took notice of his weathermen serving the area by issuing a special certificate of appreciation to their long and dedicated service to the nation. "The Cooperative Weather Observer," the book lists the names of 102 observers in the state who have served voluntarily as cooperative weather men for more than 10 years. Of this group, 47 have given the government more than 20 years' service and more than 40 years and some more than 50 years. For each year served over 20 years, the government carries a short biography. A copy of the book and a certificate of appreciation will be sent to those who have served over 40 years.

Cooperative weather observers operate one of two general types of observing stations; the precipitation station, at which they record rainfall only; and the full climatological station at which they record high and low temperatures and rainfall. Operating with simple standard gages and thermometers provided by the Weather Bureau, the cooperative weather observer, regardless of the severity of the weather which he is to record, each day makes his reading and records them on a special form which he mails to Weather Bureau Section offices once a month. In paying tribute to the cooperative weather observer, Secretary Sawyer said: "The volunteer weather man represents the highest type of American citizen, who unselfishly devotes his time and exposes himself to the severest of weather in the service of his government, and who is content to do so for the general good he performs. The weather observation so gathered in out-of-the-way stations throughout the breadth of the country cumulatively add up to an invaluable body of information of importance to the commerce and industry, agriculture and defense of the nation."



SWEETHEART CANDIDATES—Twelve girls from high schools throughout this area recently competed for honors as the Future Farmers of America elected the girl to represent this district as the annual FFA Sweetheart. Tanya Smith, center, first row, Wellington was selected as Greenbelt FFA Sweetheart.

Local Gas System Included In Lone Star Gas Purchase

Holiday Death Toll Expected To Pass 200

Department of Public Safety statistical division estimates that more than 220 persons will meet violent deaths during the eleven day Christmas Holiday season this year, according to Director Homer Garrison Jr. Of these 220 some persons to die, 115 will die in Texas traffic accidents, 42 will be suicide or homicide victims and another 65 will be claimed by miscellaneous accidents such as fires, drowning and so forth. Director Garrison pointed out that these predictions for holiday periods and even for complete years have been consistently accurate. (Continued on Page 8)

Boy Scouts Fix Toys And Plan To Help Santa

Boy Scouts of Troop 35 are busy these days painting and repairing the toys they have already collected from local citizens in preparation for distribution before Christmas, Scoutmaster Ted Myers stated. Myers added that the Scouts are still collecting toys from persons they missed the first time around or other who have more toys. Anyone who has toys that the Scouts may have for their Christmas program should contact them either by mailing a postcard to the Scouts, Troop 35 or by phoning one of the Scouts in your neighborhood. After the Scouts repair the toys they will be given to Santa Claus and he will distribute them to persons needing them for Christmas. Memphis local lumber companies have supplied the Scouts with enough paint and brushes to fix-up the toys they have collected. Scouts taking part in the Christmas program include Jerry Hill, Sandy Smith, Bobby Scott, Bobby Morris, Monty Monzingo, Danny Lee, Jerry Hickey, Dudley Gillespie, Wayne Edmondson, Billy Cheek, Dwight Hawkins, James Brown and Henry Seale.

First Xmas Card Arrives From Korea

The first Christmas Card of the season to arrive at The Democrat office came this week from a local boy serving in the armed forces somewhere in Korea. Cpl. James W. Orand sent The Democrat staff a Christmas card from his Calvary regiment in Korea. The Agricultural Department of the Federal Government made an estimate of the cotton crop, and Texas' part of the estimate was five million bales. This estimate caused the market to drop from 5 to 10 cents a pound. The prices stayed below ceiling until November, when a revised estimate caused the price to rise. In the meantime, farmers of Texas took a beating to the tune of \$100 million, because many had sold at (Continued on Page 8)



ONE OF TEXAS' hundreds of cotton gins is checked for fire hazards by an inspector (center) for the Fire Prevention and Engineering Bureau of Texas. Bureau inspectors visit more than 2,000 gins, industrial plants, warehouses and other large buildings annually in their never-ending effort to reduce Texas' mounting fire losses. The Bureau, which is owned by the fire insurance companies, makes no charge for its services.

Lakeview Cage Games Released

Basketball coach E. J. McKnight this week released the 1951-52 cage schedule of the Lakeview Eagles. The Eagles opened their season this week with games at Quitaque and in the Hedley tournament. Other games scheduled include: Dec. 18, Lalia Lake, there; Dec. 21, Estelline, Here* Jan. 1, Memphis, There Jan. 4, Turkey, Here Jan. 8, Memphis, Here Jan. 10, Wellington, Here Jan. 11-12, Memphis Tour, There Jan. 15, Carey, There* Jan. 17, Hedley, There Jan. 18, Quitaque, Here Jan. 22, Wellington, There Jan. 24, Open Jan. 25, Estelline, There* Jan. 29, Lelia Lake, Here Feb. 1, Kirkland, Here* Feb. 5, Hedley, Here* Feb. 8, Carey, Here* Feb. 12, Kirkland, There* Feb. 13-14-15, District Tournament * Conference Games.

Santa Claus Here Monday Afternoon

AUTO INSPECTION LAW EFFECTIVE SAT. DEC. 15

Automobile inspection requirements as set by the last legislature will go into effect for enforcement purposes Saturday, J. W. Coppedge, Hall County Tax Collector-Assessor announced this week. Coppedge revealed that a bulletin from State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer set the enforcement date for December 15. After that date a certificate of inspection from an official checking station must be presented before transfer of title or registration can be made. The bulletin also pointed out that Texans living outside of the state who wished to continue registering their vehicles in the state would have to have their cars inspected by checking stations in Texas. Automobiles must be inspected and declared safe before titles or licenses can be issued. A check of garages and automotive dealers this week indicated that Sisk Buick Co., Foxhall Motor Co., and Potts Chevrolet will give the inspections when equipment was set up however none indicated they could be ready by Saturday.

Preparations for the biggest Santa Claus Day ever to be held in Memphis scheduled for next Monday were near completion this week as Chamber of Commerce members, and other organizations making plans completed work. Fifteen hundred gifts prepared by members of the West Ward and Stephen F. Austin Parent Teachers Associations and Volunteer Fire Department members will be distributed to the children at the big holiday party. Plans call for Santa Claus to be at the Courthouse at 1 p. m. to talk to all the children of Memphis and Hall county. Children of pre-school age will see Santa right after he appears at one o'clock and other school children will be dismissed from school at periodic intervals to see Santa Claus. Each child will receive a gift from one of Santa's helpers and also receive Santa Claus's name stamped on his hand before he or she talks to old St. Nick. In the event of bad weather the gifts and Santa Claus will be inside the courthouse. Santa Claus is scheduled to be at the courthouse from one until three o'clock. Christmas decorations throughout the city were in the final phase this week as the star atop the courthouse was turned on Tuesday night and workmen finished putting up the Christmas greenery and lights. Home decorations began to pop out around the town this week and various churches finished decorations commemorating the Holy season. Merchants indicated that this yuletide season was on the way to being another record spending Christmas nation wide. Local merchants report Christmas business picking up each day which indicates everyone didn't do their Christmas shopping early. A check of local stores will find an array of Christmas gifts for everyone on anybody's Christmas list. Many of the merchants are now remaining open in the evening for Christmas shoppers.

CLAUDE'S COMMENTS

By J. C. W.
The Agricultural Department of the Federal Government made an estimate of the cotton crop, and Texas' part of the estimate was five million bales. This estimate caused the market to drop from 5 to 10 cents a pound. The prices stayed below ceiling until November, when a revised estimate caused the price to rise. In the meantime, farmers of Texas took a beating to the tune of \$100 million, because many had sold at (Continued on Page 8)

Korean Veteran Home On Leave

Sgt. Vernon Hawthorne, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hawthorne of Eli, recently returned after spending more than 21 months in Korea. Sgt. Hawthorne, home on a 36-day leave, wears three battle stars and occupational ribbons of Korea and Japan. Sgt. Hawthorne's brother, Cpl. Charles Hawthorne is serving with the armed forces in Germany.

Korean Vets Eligible For Special Insurance

(Editor's Note: This is the second of a series of four special articles, prepared by Veterans Administration, explaining the rights of newly discharged veterans to Government life insurance.) A special type of Government life insurance is available to veterans of the U. S. Armed Forces who were disabled in active military service anywhere in the world since June 27, 1950, the start of the Korean Campaign. These veterans must meet two requirements (under Section 620 of the National Service Life Insurance Act.) 1. They must have been released or separated from active service on or after April 25, 1951, under other than dishonorable conditions; and 2. They must be found by Veterans Administration to be suffering from a service-connected disability or disabilities for which VA compensation would be payable, if 10 percent or more in degree. Further, they must not be suffering from a non-service-connected disability or disabilities that make them uninsurable. These veterans must apply for the special NSLI to Veterans Administration within one year from the date that VA finds their disability or disabilities to be service connected. Applications, with medical examinations and the required premium, should be mailed to Veterans Administration, Washington 25, D. C. If the necessary requirements are met, totally disabled veterans may apply for a waiver of premium at the time they file application for the insurance. However, all such applicants should include the required premium with their applications and continue to pay this premium on time until they are notified by VA that waiver has been granted. Premiums paid under waiver will be refunded. This special insurance for the disabled is a form of National Service Life Insurance, and several types of policies are available—term, ordinary life, 20-pay life, 30-pay life, and endowments. For the totally disabled, no endowment plans may be issued; however, all others may be issued. The amount of any policy may range from \$1,000 to \$10,000, less any other Government life insurance in force at the time of application. These policies, in general, are the same as regular NSLI policies, except that the premium rates are (Continued on page 8)

Texas Junior Vegetable Growers Win Four Awards in National Competition

TEXAS junior vegetable growers were named winners of one sectional and three state awards in the 1951 production-marketing contest of the National Junior Vegetable Growers Association as the NJVGA concluded its seventh annual four-day convention at Cleveland, O., today.



Joe A. Brunson

son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brunson, Dialville. He received a \$100 prize from the \$6,000 scholarship fund provided each year by A & P Food Stores as part of its nationwide program to encourage better production and marketing of vegetables by farm youth.



Lawanda Vinson

Texas A & M College, College Station, and state NJVGA leader, was the awarding of the national championship and the top \$500 scholarship to Albert B. Bishop, 20-year-old grower of Gulfport, Conn.

Joe Brunson has been a 4-H Club member for five years and

1951 marks his third consecutive garden project. His two-acre NJVGA entry netted him a profit of \$176. This high school senior is vice president of his class and active in church and community affairs. In the 1950 Cherokee County fair his beef heifer won fifth place honors and his garden produce claimed the county vegetable production medal.

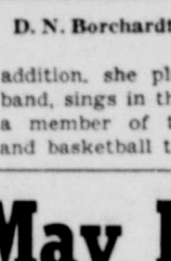


Syble J. Wall

student, she is active in school sports and choral activities.

Syble Wall is a five-year veteran of 4-H Club work and has been gardening for the past four years. She realized \$239 profit from her one-acre NJVGA plot in 1951. She has won honors for her skill as a cook and needleworker as well as a gardener.

Gardening, cooking and sewing do not interfere with Dorothy Borchardt's high scholastic standing as a high school sophomore. In addition, she plays in the school band, sings in the glee club and is a member of the girls' softball and basketball teams.



D. N. Borchardt

tions of Lion Oil No. 1 were used after the cotton came up, the cost for hand labor was \$3.78 per acre. Flame cultivation was used for late weed control.

The hand labor cost was \$6.90 per acre where only Premerge was used before the cotton came up.

Where machine thinning, rotary hoeing, high-speed tractor cultivation and late season flame cultivation were used, the cost for hand labor was \$8.75 per acre. The rotary hoe weeder attachment was used twice in this system, and the cotton was hand-hoed three times.

Use of Premerge before the cotton came up, supplemented by delayed rotary hoeing and high-speed tractor cultivation followed by late season flame cultivation, resulted in a hand labor cost of \$10.33 per acre. The rotary hoe was used once and the cotton was hand-hoed three times.

In this experiment, two pounds of Permerge in 10 gallons of water were applied per acre in a 10-inch band over the drill immediately behind the press wheels. This treatment was used to control shallow-seeded annual weeds and grasses until time for the first cultivation.

Lion Oil No. 1 at the rate of five gallons per acre was applied to a 10-inch band in the drill below the cotton leaves. The two applications were made seven days apart. These applications gave from 94 to 99 percent control of the annual and Johnson grass seedlings. All treated young grass seedlings were killed by the first application of Lion Oil No. 1.

In another test, a chemical sold under the trade name Esso Weed-killer No. 38 was just as effective as Lion Oil No. 1.

Rea said, "Except for the burning of an occasional leaf that was killed accidentally, there was no evident injury to the cotton plant from any of the chemical treatments."

The results of this experiment was given in Progress Report 1412, available from the Publications Office, College Station, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Sheppard and daughter of Amarillo spent the weekend here with their parents, Mrs. Bess Crump and Mrs. W. E. Sheppard. Their daughter Susan, stayed with her grandmother, Mrs. Crump until Wednesday morning.

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Soil Test Shows Value of Plant Food, Fertilizer

A cotton fertilizer demonstration conducted last year by B. B. Ashley of Millsap, Parker county, shows the value of having soil tested for plant food and applying fertilizer on the basis of the analysis.

According to Parker county H.

G. Law, the demonstration was located on deep sandy loam soil in the Brazos River Valley. Cotton, corn and peanuts had been grown on the land for many years—with no soil building crops and little, if any, fertilizer used.

Soil tests showed the soil to be slightly acid and low in organic matter, nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium. Four hundred pounds of 8-8 fertilizer per acre were recommended on the basis of the test.

Ashley set up 10 plots of cotton and used a different fertilizer treatment on each. These

ranged from a check plot with no fertilizer applied to 400 pounds of 8-8-8 plus 100 pounds of ammonium nitrate as a sidedressing. Best returns were obtained from 400 pounds of 5-10-5 and 400 pounds of 8-8-8. Both of these treatments returned nearly four dollars for each dollar spent for fertilizer, reports Law.

A soil testing laboratory is operated at College Station by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Directions for taking and mailing soil samples can be obtained from local county agricultural agents.

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Chemicals May Halt Cotton Grass, Weeds

Seedling grass in cotton may be controlled more economically by using chemicals than by hand-thinning and hand-hoeing alone, according to Homer E. Rea, associate professor of agronomy for the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Six systems for controlling weeds in cotton were tested at College Station last spring. The main weeds to be controlled were annual grasses, Johnson grass and trumpet vines.

Commercial chemicals sold under the trade names Premerge and Lion Oil No. 1 were used in this experiment. Costs of the chemicals were \$2.62 per acre for

one application of Premerge and \$2.50 per acre for two applications of Lion Oil No. 1.

Rea reported that the costs for hand labor was \$13.30 per acre where the cotton was hand-thinned, hand-hoed and given regular cultivation—no chemical being applied. The cotton was hoed six times.

The cost for hand labor was only \$3.29 per acre where Premerge was applied before the cotton came up and two applications of Lion Oil No. 1 were made for early weed control after the cotton was up. For late weed control, flame cultivation was used. Where only the two applica-

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FOR SALE—baby calves, angus and holstein. Srygley Dairy, 5 mi. S. W. Memphis. 27-2p

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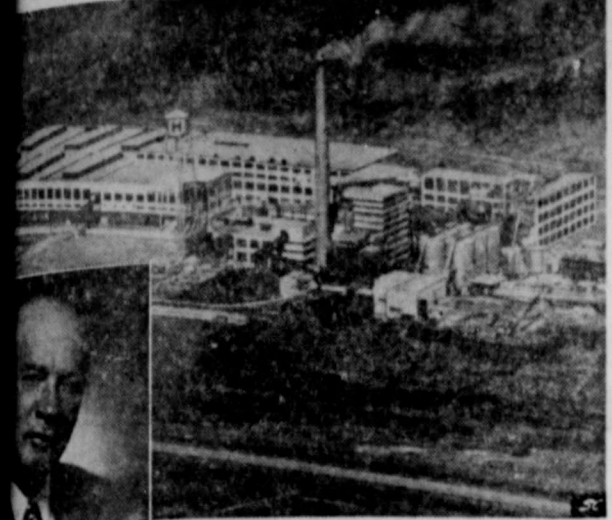
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Southern Industrial March Continues Opening Of New Florida Paper Mill



Latest expression of Southern industrial progress is this new kraft paper mill of the Hudson Pulp & Paper corporation at Palatka, Fla. Paper is now one of South's largest industries, according to William Mazer, Hudson's executive vice president.

Palatka, Fla. (Special) — The juggernaut of Southern industrial progress is moving irresistibly forward, will leave in its wake some 600 new jobs and an annual payroll in excess of \$2,500,000 with the opening of a \$10,000,000 addition to the Hudson Pulp & Paper Co.'s big kraft mill here.

The new mill, the largest ever in the South, is not only a major producer of kraft paper but also one of the nation's largest producers of paper. Its production capacity is 70,000 tons annually, according to William Mazer, Hudson's executive vice president. Total employment at the mill will be approximately 600 people, with annual payroll estimated at nearly \$3,000,000.

The mill will plant 85,000 tons of kraft production products — gummed paper, grocery bags, wrapping paper, and multi-wall bags.

cently amended so as to eliminate the ad valorem tax for general revenue purposes and as one result the big hotels and department stores do not at present have to pay any state tax. So far the legislature hasn't been thanked for submitting the amendment.

The state government spends about \$4,000,000 annually for food, medicine and clothing for its thousands of wards, and yet some have complained these wards are not well taken care of.

The University of Texas has about \$130,000,000 accrued from land leases and royalties under an act of the legislature.

While last week's release pointed out the huge increase in the scholastic apportionment for schools, now standing at \$62, whereas 20 years ago it was only \$5 a comparison of teachers' salaries for the past few years shows a remarkable increase also. Back in 1920 the average teacher pay in Texas was \$875, in 1925 it was \$1,182, which went to \$1,274 in 1930. By 1940 the average pay for teachers was \$1,305, in 1951 it stood at \$3,224. Few states can equal this increase, which all came about through the Gilmer-Aiken Act under which about \$380,000,000 is provided for the biennial period. The money comes from taxes.

As stated last week Texas has 222,000 on old assistance rolls, more than any other state except California and the Texas pensioners receive an average of about \$34 a month. When you compare this figure with pensions of some of the other states evidently Texas is doing a good job. For the average old age pension payment in Alabama is only \$20.49; in Arkansas \$25.88; in Delaware \$28.70; in Georgia \$23.40; in Kentucky \$22.41; in Mississippi, \$21.52; in North Carolina, \$22.27 in South Carolina \$24.86; in Virginia \$21.60.

Officials figures prove the extent of the Texas state government's liberality, although all the funds came from one source only — taxes. And now the United States government has added about \$16,000,000,000 new taxes since the outbreak of the Korean War or as they call it in Washington, "police action". And in the meantime total states taxes over the country have mounted to \$16,000,000,000.

And it must not be forgotten that the Texas state government also has established pension or retirement funds for the judiciary

state employees and school teachers. The entire galaxy of state costs have gone up to almost \$600,000,000 annually.

Bob Hanna and Herby Shahan visited here this past weekend from school at Hardin-Simmons in Abilene

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Financial Benefits An Higher Taxes

Byron C. Utecht
In last week's report we disclosed how the government through its various agencies has been more than generous in its financial benefits to schools, colleges, universities, school teachers and other branches of our social structure in spite of claims to the contrary.

The entire story of financial benefits by the legislature is related in one brief report. There are plenty of other reports, with the result that the legislature in granting relief from state ad valorem taxes to 60 counties did so to the amount of about \$80,000,000. The Galveston disaster, the general revenue was \$100,000,000 of this fund.

The legislature enacted a law which the state government is paying for county and city bonds, and this is more than \$200,000,000. Otherwise would have the state for road purposes the legislature doesn't care for them, in spite of the outright gifts of \$280,000,000.

The legislature through appropriation devotes \$15,000,000 a year to the construction of farm-to-market roads, while the primary road program has been somewhat neglected.

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State Official Clears Quail Limit Question

The Executive Secretary of the Texas Game and Fish Commission issued a clarifying statement on quail hunting limits because, he said, the varied regulations "naturally have confused some sportsmen."

He reported a number of Panhandle hunters "were understandably mixed up because of belated action liberalizing limits in the 28-county Panhandle area over which the Commission has regulatory power."

The Commission, pursuant to Panhandle reports of a fine bobwhite quail crop, increased the daily bag and possession limits slightly after the regular Game Law Digest had been issued.

The limits in the Panhandle originally were ten quail per day and twenty in possession. The Commission increased the bag limit to twelve quail per day and twenty-four in possession.

The Executive Secretary pointed out that, under the general state quail law, the daily bag limit for most of the state is

twelve per day and the possession limit 36.

Meanwhile, the Executive Secretary reported "good sportsmen response" to an appeal for cooperation with the quail wing project.

The Wildlife Restoration Division needs the wings for studies of the birds in connection with routine game management activity.

Hunters who can help out may obtain instructions and supplies by writing the Commission in Austin.

CHURCHES

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SUNDAY—
Bible Study 9:45 a. m.
Morning Service 10:45 a. m.
Evening Service 6:00 p. m.
Young People's Meeting 7:00 p. m.

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WEDNESDAY—
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6:00 p. m. Sunday C. E. Meeting.

7:00 Sunday evening worship. Sermon by minister.
8:00 p. m. Sunday Meeting official board.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday Bible Study.

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Early Morning prayer service 9:10 a. m.
Bible School 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship 10:50 a. m.
Sermon Subject, "Which—Dominate or Permeate?"
Training service 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.
Sermon text, "What Think Ye Of Christ?" Matt. 22:42

MONDAY—
W. M. S. Meets at 3:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY—
Departmental Superintendents meet at 6:45 p. m.
All officers and teachers meet 7:00 p. m.
Sunday School lesson taught 7:20 p. m.
Prayer service and Bible study 8:00 p. m.

A welcome is extended to all who are not in attendance elsewhere, to worship with us.

Sale of Defense Bonds to Increase During Christmas

The banks of Texas will sell about \$5,000,000 worth of Christmas "merchandise" during December.

This is the estimate of Nathan Adams of Dallas, who said that while banks are not ordinarily thought of as "Santa Claus headquarters", about one third of their sales of U. S. Defense Bonds this month will be used as Christmas presents or year-end bonuses.

Adams said that parents are probably the principal buyers of bonds as gifts, with grandparents and aunts and uncles not far behind. Business concerns also are heavy buyers at this time of year, with many of them preferring to give bonds instead of cash or merchandise as bonuses to employees, he added.

Normal sales of Defense Bonds in December would be \$8,000,000 or \$10,000,000 for the state, but gift buying will raise the total to a possible \$15,000,000, he said.

Dr. Fisch Moves To Gainesville

Dr. Ben R. Fisch who has been associated with Dr. O. R. Goodall at Goodall hospital left Monday for Gainesville where he will move his practice.

Dr. Fisch who has been practicing medicine here in Memphis about two years expressed his appreciation and thanks to the many friends and patients he leaves here.

He said that both he and his wife regretted to leave their friends here.



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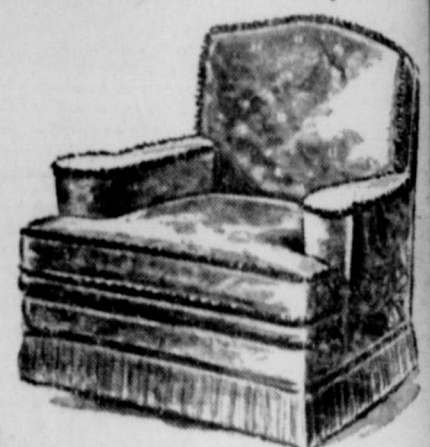
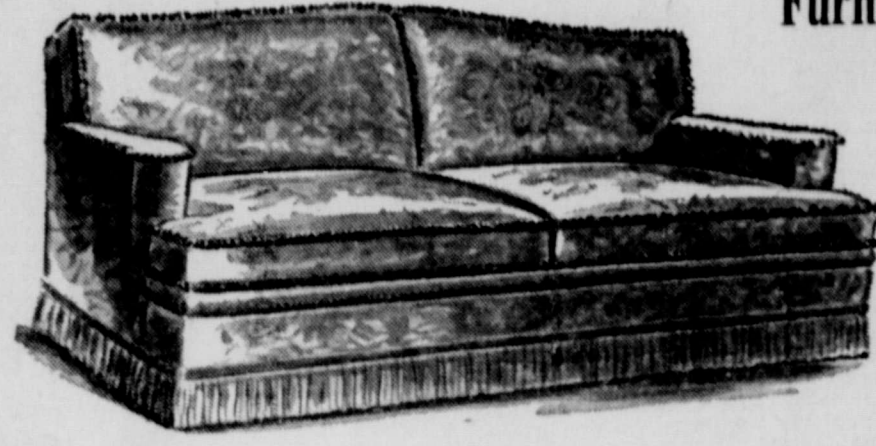


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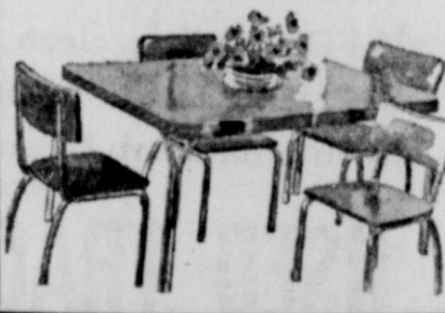
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Cyclone Cagers in 2nd Straight

Memphis Cyclone cagers defeated the Hollis cagers 42-29 in the district battle here Friday.

The Cyclones lost to the Hollis team for the boys was high school Smith who was high school with Duke Frisbie, Stevens, Jimmie Morrison, Miller, and Rayford Hutter, who did an excellent job of the ball to Smith.

The starting lineup was Spencer, Mickey Murphree, Norma Townsend at Katherine Wright, Car- go and Billie Hartman.

that Wright did an outstanding job as guard and Murdock was outstanding at her forward position being high point girl.

Others who played were Janice Clayton, Della Jo Kennedy, and Jessie Faye Hammonds.

Barbara Bradley, John Winters, Betty Robbins and Marshall Walker, spent the weekend with Barbara's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Bradley. All are students at Wayland College, Plainview. The attended services at Peden Memorial Church Sunday, where Rev. Walker brought the message both Morning and evening.

Carl A. Hornbeck stated

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Locals and Personals

Mrs. Lee Skinner and Mrs. Leon Robertson were Childress shoppers Thursday of last week.

Cleva Mae Tiner, student at Midwestern University in Wichita Falls has been named as song leader of the Wesley Foundation it was reported this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Reed and Mrs. Keith Saye and children of Drumwright, Okla., are visitors here with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gurley.

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Texas Farm Income 27 Percent Higher 1st Nine Months

Farm income in Texas during the first 10 months of 1951 averaged 27 percent more than the same period last year, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

The October index was 29 per cent above that of September, statistics reveal. Research indicates inflation rather than a good crop year was responsible for the greater farm income.

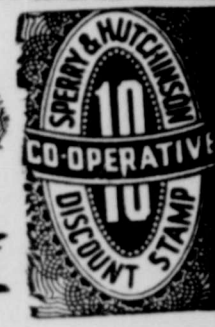
During January-October, 1951, cumulative income from marketings of calves, as compared to the same 1950 period, was up 128 per cent; cattle, 57 per cent; wool

56 per cent; eggs, 41 per cent; grain sorghum and poultry, each 39 per cent; hogs, 29 per cent; cottonseed, 28 per cent; and cotton 24 per cent.

In the same comparison, rice income was down 11 per cent; flaxseed, 95 per cent; wheat, 51



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Plains Hunters Send in Quail Information

Panhandle and Lower Plains Sportsmen contributed almost half of the total information to the Texas Bobwhite Quail study carried out by the Game and Fish Commission during the 1950 hunting season.

Hemphill County, with a total of 498 quail wings turned in, led the State. It is believed that almost this many wings are needed from each county each year if the effects of local weather and other factors controlling quail populations are to be properly measured. The wing analysis last season reflected a good hatch and a healthy outlook for the coming season opening December 1st.

Game technicians need to know the rate of quail turnover or what the life span is for a given generation of quail. When and only when these things are known about a quail crop can the relative importance of hunting as a limiting influence be measured.

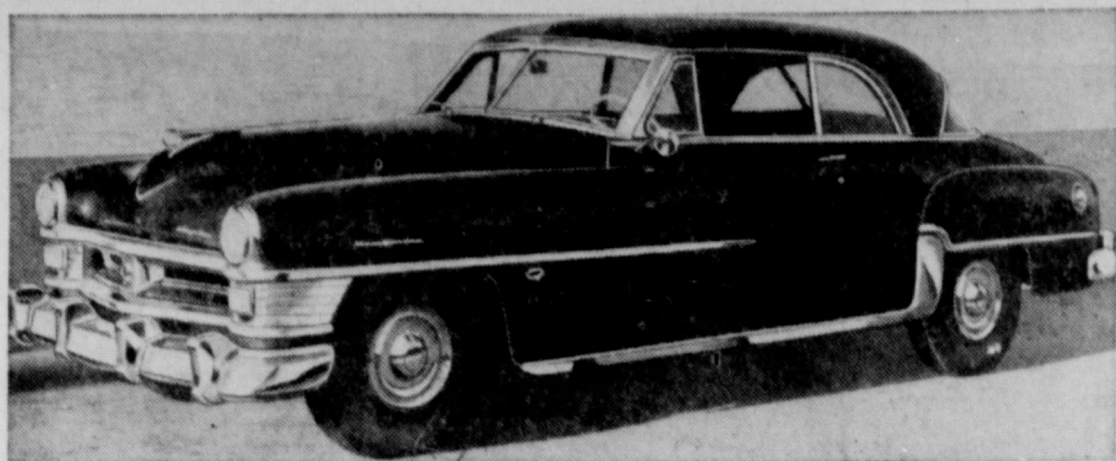
What hunters need is a sustained yield with fair to good hunting every season. To provide this kind of hunting is the purpose of game management.

Bobwhites hatched the preceding spring and summer carry their age within ten day limits on certain feather patterns found on their wings. The sex is of course easily determined by the different color markings on the head and neck of males and females. By use of these indicators, the quail biologist can determine the make-up of fall quail populations as surely as the rancher knows the make-up of his range herds.

Last hunting season, for the first time, hunters throughout Texas were asked to help in a State-wide inventory of the quail population. Panhandle and Lower Plains Counties were the source of almost half the wings turned in. Even so, many counties in good quail range were not represented at all, and others could not be treated separately because of insufficient information.

Among 1,964 quail from the hunter kill in the Lower Plains Counties last year, 85.6 percent were young birds hatched the preceding spring and summer. Among 1,663 quail from the Panhandle counties, 85.2 percent were young birds. In both cases, the percent of adult cocks bagged was almost twice the percent of adult or parent hens. It is plain, therefore,

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that the incubating or brooding hen is subject to heavy losses during the nesting season. The result is shown in the ratio of young quail to old hens in the winter population. By December first last year, there were approximately 14 young quail to each adult hen.

Panhandle and Lower Plains hunters reported finding four-tenths of a covey per man-hour of hunting. They killed one quail per man hour, and took an average of 2.7 quail for each covey flushed. These are averages and include of course many beginners at quail hunting.

In every region of the State, the bulk of the 1950 bobwhite hatch came off prior to August 15th.

The study confirms that the bobwhite quail ordinarily has a short life span—off-set by a high rate of replacement when things go well with the breeding season. When the breeding season is poor, the population of bobwhites falls off rapidly. And, this happens whether or not hunting has been allowed. Thus, the hunter is always dependent on young birds each year for his sport.

The assistance of hunters is again solicited in carrying on this study. Postage paid envelopes for use in collecting quail wings can be had from the local State Game Warden or by writing direct to the Texas Game and Fish Commission in Austin, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hodnett and Carolyn and George Hancock visited wi Mrs. R. V. Messer Sunday.

Safety Measures Should Be Taken With Xmas Trees

The center of attraction in most homes from now until after Christmas will be the family Christmas tree. Most families, says C. W. Simmons, Extension farm forester of Texas A. & M. College, fail to realize that this

tree is actually a fire hazard in the home. Every effort should be made, he adds, to cut down on the possibilities of a fire starting from the tree.

First try to buy a tree that is in good condition. Simmons points out that this means one with fresh leaves or needles. If the tree is placed aside for a few days before the decorating job can be done, Simmons says make a new cut above the original and place the butt of the tree in a container

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of water. This will keep it fresh. When the tree is moved into the house it should be left with the trunk in water. There is less danger from fire when the leaves or needles contain moisture. The water container will need an additional water just about every day. This will also help prevent leaf or needle shedding, says Simmons. Next he warns against decorating the tree with flammable material. Check the electric light cords that connect the tree lights and be sure that all poor connections are repaired. If cotton is used around the base of the tree, get that which has been treated for fire control. Candles should never be used to light a tree, says Simmons.

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Visitors in the George Hancock and Scott Hancock home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Heath and family, Mrs. Hill and family, Mrs. W. S. Carlile all of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Yeager and daughter of Little-

It is up to each individual family to make the holiday season a safe one, warns Simmons and those who fail to take into account fire and accident hazards may find their holidays marred by a serious fire or accident.

field, Mrs. Ruby Hancock Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. Clark and children of Lakeview. Visitors in the Willie Ray Opelia and daughter of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. pard were dinner guests of and Mrs. W. F. Hodnett. Grandma Mitchell returned home from the hospital this week and she is reported as much improved.

Mrs. W. F. Hodnett, Mrs. lie Smith and Mrs. A. C. and daughter Verma, made a trip to Memphis Tuesday afternoon.

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The Memphis Democrat

Society News

Thompson Home Is Scene For Annual UDC Christmas Party Tuesday

The home of Mrs. Glynn Thompson was the scene of a delightful Christmas party given for the members of the United Daughters of the Confederacy on Tuesday afternoon, December 11, at 3:30 p. m.

Decorative appointments about the entertaining room and the holiday motif. The party was centered with a tree under which was displayed appropriately wrapped gifts which were exchanged among the members.

Review Pupils Mrs. Rasco Give Recital

L. G. Rasco will present his review music class in recital on Thursday evening, Dec. 20, at 8 o'clock in the Lakeview church.

WC President Speaks in Amarillo, Memphians Attend

General Memphis Federation women were in Amarillo Tuesday of last week to hear H. C. Houghton, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, who spoke that day at the Amarillo college gymnasium.

Luncheon honoring Mrs. Thompson was held at the Country Club at 12:30. During the luncheon, Mrs. Tom Dunbar and Mrs. Brown Smith of the 1913 Club; Mrs. J. A. Odom, Charles Webster, Mrs. Peter of the Atlanetan Club, Mrs. Ed Monzingo of the Har-

Mrs. Billie Nase and son Mike, Mrs. Weldon Gable and son Terry and Mr. and Mrs. James Skinner. Mrs. A. L. Hall visited with her niece, Mrs. Raymond Martin Friday night.

Retha June Kennard visited with Patsy Nabers Thursday night.

Mrs. Joe Melton visited her sisters, Mrs. Sam Melton and Mrs. Fred Schillinger last weekend. She also visited with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Melton.

Those visiting in the Paul Smith home Friday night were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. James Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Seale and children of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hillhouse and Amy, and Mrs. M. L. Smith.

Mrs. Lance Leggett and Mrs. Mac McQueen were Amarillo shoppers last Thursday.

James Skinner was a business visitor in Amarillo last Thursday.

LAKEVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Nabers and son visited his mother, Mrs. Emerlee Nabers and family, Sunday.

MyReta Byers visited with June Payne Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Saunders and children visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Burrell Bevers Sunday. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bevers visited Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Oleta Brister and children of Shamrock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Favors over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Long's daughters and families visited with them over the weekend. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Whitfield and Sandra of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Curry and son of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Leggett of Lefors, and they also visited in the Lee Blanks and Lance Leggett homes.

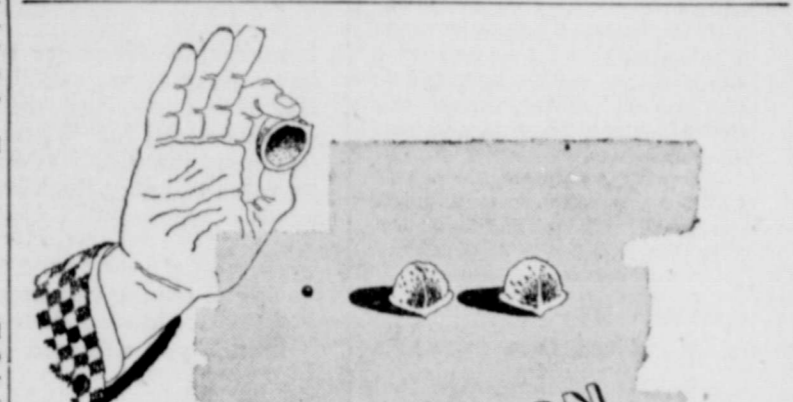
Those visiting in the home of the Paul McCannes Sunday were:

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Livestock shipments in Texas during October increased 24 per cent over September primarily because of the expected seasonal upturn, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

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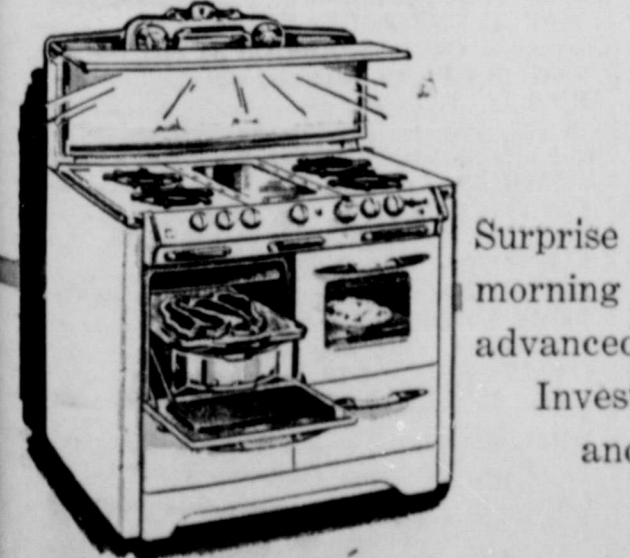
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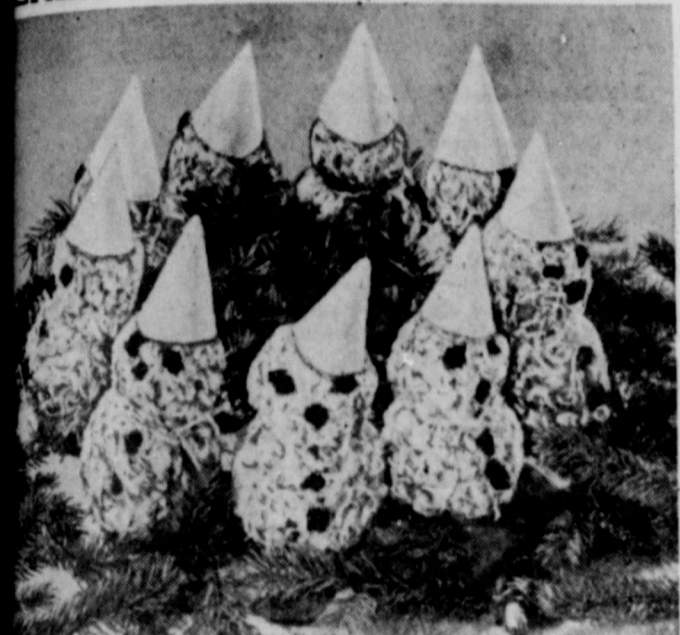
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CEREAL-COCONUT SNOWMEN



CEREAL SNOWBALLS—Covered with coconut form little snowmen; currants or raisins are used to make faces and buttons. Snip off paper cups for pointed caps.

Delphian Club To Sponsor Girl Scouts Federation of Women's Club Contest

One of the five federated clubs in Memphis, the Delphian Club, entered the "Build Freedom Youth Contest" which is being sponsored by the General Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. McKown, president, said.

The purpose of the contest is to develop in young people deep devotion to America and a better understanding of the democratic way of life; to provide an opportunity for them to express themselves, their community and their country.

Osborn's Childless Rites

An early morning ceremony was held December 5 in Childless Rites, Mrs. Othel Baskin, daughter of Mrs. A. J. Baskin, Alfred Lee Osborn, son of H. M. Osborn, all of Estelville, were united in marriage.

Estelville Shower Honors Mrs. Osborn Recent Bride

Mrs. Alfred Lee Osborn, the former Miss Othel Baskin, was complimented with a lovely bride shower Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 5, in the home of Mrs. Burnett.

Society News

Memphis Woman Works With Group Officers Wives' Club Prepares Xmas Gifts for German Families

WIESBADEN, Germany.—Mrs. Charles N. Penix, the former Billie G. Salmon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Salmon, of Brice, Tex., recently attended the coffee hour for newcomers of the officers wives' club in Wiesbaden.

Women's Council of Christian Church Holds Annual Christmas Party Monday

Members of the Women's Council of the First Christian Church enjoyed the annual Christmas party Monday afternoon.

Mrs. L. G. Rasco To Present Pupils In Recital Sunday

Mrs. L. G. Rasco will present her piano pupils in recital at 3 p. m. Sunday, December 16, in the First Baptist Church.

Daughters of Wesley Class and Guests Enjoy Christmas Dinner Party Thursday

Following a long established custom, members of the Daughters of Wesley Sunday School Class and invited guests gathered for their annual Christmas dinner last Thursday evening at the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. L. B. Madden To Present Pupils In Recital Sunday

Piano and pipe organ pupils of Mrs. L. B. Madden will be presented in recital Sunday afternoon, December 16, at 3:30 o'clock at the Methodist Church.

Mrs. L. B. Madden To Present Pupils In Recital Sunday

A program in keeping with the approach of the yuletide season has been arranged. Mrs. Madden extends a cordial invitation to interested friends to attend.

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B. E. Davenport Home In Lakeview Is Scene For Lovely Bridal Shower Tues.

The attractive home of Mrs. B. E. Davenport of Lakeview was the scene Tuesday evening, Dec. 4, for a lovely bridal shower given to honor Mrs. Burl Bevers, the former Miss Grace Sanders.

Margaret Massey Is President Of Sub-Deb Club

The Sub-Deb Club met in the home of Margaret Ann Massey, Dec. 11, at 7 p. m. Officers were elected. They are as follows: President, Margaret Ann Massey; Vice President, Jo Anne Webster; Secretary, Patsy Jarrell; Treasurer, Donna Webb; Reporter, Barbara Myers; and Gereta Graham, Anita Murphy and Anne Shankle are on the social committee.

Estelville Club Hears Review At Tuesday Meet

Mrs. Walter Whaley gave a most interesting review of "Tribled Air" by Shaw before members of the 1932 Culture Club of Estelville at a meeting held Tuesday afternoon, December 4, in the home of Mrs. Albert Bailey.

Mrs. John Capps Has Returned Home After 10 Day Visit In Oklahoma City With Her Daughter and Family

Mrs. John Capps has returned home after a 10 day visit in Oklahoma City with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Kenyon and daughter.



A new basic cookie mix makes Chocolate Crunch Cookies ready for the oven as quickly as adding a half cup of water and a pinch of salt. The mix also makes other cookies such as Brownies, Peanut Butter Cookies, Orange Cookies, Oatmeal Cookies, Coconut Cookies, Date Nut Cookies, Cereal Crisps, Spice Cookies, Raisin Cookies, rolled and refrigerator cookies. The directions for each of these variations are on the package of basic cookie mix.

Annual Pie Sale Fri. To Determine Queen

The annual pie supper to elect the MHS Queen for this year will be held Friday night in the high school auditorium at 7:30.

This affair is sponsored by the yearbook staff each year and the money brought in by the selling of the pies and the queen's cake will go to the yearbook fund.

First event scheduled for the evening is the presentation of the queens candidates, followed by the pie-eating contest. Points are gained for the candidates by placing in the contest. O. R. (Doc) Saye will then auction the pies. After the last pie has been sold, the bidding on the cake will be held and the total number of

points for each candidate tallied. The Queen will be announced and the coronation held.

Queen candidates and their escorts are Senior, Margaret Massey and Jacky Gilbert; Junior, Sylvia Lee Wedell and Charles Hartman; Sophomore, Peggy Evans and Paul Hancock; Freshman, Bobbie Nell Long and Jackie Ben Boone; Pre-Freshman, Vada Briscoe and Lee Waddill; and 7th grade, candidate Wanda Widener.

Candidates and escorts for Stephen F. Austin School are First Grade, Sarah Foxhall and Rex Grisham; Second Grade, Leslie Helm and Allyn Harrison; Third Grade, Shari Gentry and Jimmy Dunn; Fourth, Section I, Jan Mitchell and Jeff Jeffers; Section II, Lera Hutcherson and Don Deaver; Fifth, Section I, Virginia Chappell and Vance Grisham; Section II, Joyce Hull and Monty Monzingo; and Sixth, Audrey Beth Burnett and Van Gayle Howard.

Candidates and escorts for West Ward are not available at the present time.

Kidney Slow-Down May Bring Restless Nights

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DOAN'S PILLS

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The Cyclone News

MHS Twirlers Present Different Exhibitions

Twirlers, Donna Webb, Anne Shankle, Johnnie McDaniel, Barbara Myers, Gereta Graham and Yvonne Sturdevant, who have fronted the MHS Cyclone Band this year, have presented some excellent performances throughout the season.

They have demonstrated some of the various struts majorettes use in different sections of the United States. These steps were taught at the drmp majors and majorettes school at Huntsville this summer.

One of the most popular struts the majorettes chose to use while marching was the "Texas Strut". Moving in opposite directions and swinging their batons in changing positions, the twirlers enjoyed doing this strut as well as the fans liked to watch them do it.

LOOKING AHEAD

- Dec. 14—Pie Supper
- Dec. 17—Cue and Curtain Club
- Dec. 18—Basketball game at Estelline
- Dec. 18—7th Grade Christmas Party
- Dec. 18—FHA Social Night
- Dec. 20—Clarendon vs. Memphis Here
- Dec. 21—Christmas Holidays begin.

Juniors Sponsor Skating Party

The Junior girls were honored Monday night, December 8 at a party given by the boys of the Junior class who lost a contest within the class.

The class voted to have skating the last hour. Mr. Roy Guthrie and Mrs. Jeannette Irons helped the Juniors with their dancing.

The young people present were: Barbara Myers, Jo Ann Shankle, Davey Corley, John Foster, Monte Clark, Charles Hartman, Billie Hartman, Rayford Hutcherson, Vance Adams, Omer Johnsey, Billy Roden, Johnnie Harrell, Frankye Strygley, Anita Murphy, Beverly Snell, Troy Taylor, Betty Burnett, Mackie Allen, Sylvia Weddell, Bobby Burnett, Betty Leslie, Donald Moore, Duane Miller and Donna Web.

Miss Mary Sue Foreman, sponsor, Mrs. Elsie Guthrie and Denny Irons also were present.

Band Members Go To Regional Band Clinic At Lubbock

Six Cyclone Band Members attended the Tech Regional Band Clinic December 7-8 at Lubbock with director Perry Keyser and one of the band mothers, Mrs. Rex Snell.

The group left at 4:30 Friday morning and arrived in Lubbock at 8:30 and got rooms for the night in the Lubbock Hotel. From 9:30 till 12:00 the band held its practise. It was made up of band members from the Region.

At 1:00 the Tech band gave a concert playing all the required contest numbers from classes C-B-A-AA. Saturday morning the band practice was again held from 9:30 to 12:00.

At two o'clock Saturday the students left, arriving home that evening at six o'clock.

Those attending were Mrs. Snell, Mr. Keyser; Seniors, Clinton Jones, Margaret Massey and Jacky Gilbert. Juniors, Beverly Snell. Sophomores, Billy Combs and Phillip Patrick.]

Speech Club Attends Play at Clarendon

The Memphis Cue and Curtain Club, by a special invitation from Mrs. Larry Grundy, sponsor of the Cue and Curtain Club of Clarendon, attended their meeting December 11 where they presented "The Doctor of Lonsome Folk." The play was held in the College Auditorium.

Last year the Lights and Shadows Club of Memphis presented the same play for the School and Lion's Club.

Another attractive strut they presented was the "Cajan Strut". Only one other school in the Union, Baytown High School of Baytown, Texas is known to have used it. Having practiced diligently during marching season, the majorettes presented each show in a favorable manner. Many more struts were used and each one was met with approval from each audience.

When contest time arrives in April, Memphis will be proud of these twirlers who are already working on their routines for presentation. An ensemble composed of the majorettes and drum major, Jacky Gilbert, will be entered, along with a duet by the drum major and one of the majorettes. Each twirler and the drum major will enter solo competition.

In recent years the MHS majorettes have gained recognition in numerous towns in Texas with their fine performances wherever they may go.

Although the weather was not too favorable at times, the twirlers did not miss a football game this year. They marched at every half-time and the fans from each community commented on the excellent shows they presented. One of the comments frequently overheard was that "Memphis can sincerely be proud of their excellent band front."

Sophomore Miss

Sensational—Johnnie McDaniel
Optimistic—Nancy Brewer
Pep—Mickey Murdock
Hosuitable—Marthlyn Burnett
Observative—Sue Miller
Majestic—Peggy Evans
Ornery—Joan Huggins
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Enthusiastic—Shirley Miller
Mischievous—Elizabeth Grundy
Intelligent—Janice Anthony
Sincere—Yvonne Sturdevant
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C. H. Browning Speaks Wednesday To MHS Students

The Weekly Assembly was held December 5. C. H. Browning, Pastor of the Assembly of God Church brought the message.

Perry Keyser, head of the music department introduced Beverly Snell who led the students in the Hymn of the Republic accompanied by Betty Stewart. Mary Frank Garrett and Billie Jean Stroehle played two saxophone duets. "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" and "First Noel."

Brother Browning then brought the message, a parable taken from Luke 8:4. He said that we should pull these weeds out of our lives—criticism, touchiness, unthoughtfulness, suspicion, tale bearer and jealousy.

Following the message Beverly led the students in "For God So Loved the World," "Gone, Gone, Gone," and "God Be With You Till We Meet Again." Then Brother Browning gave the benediction.

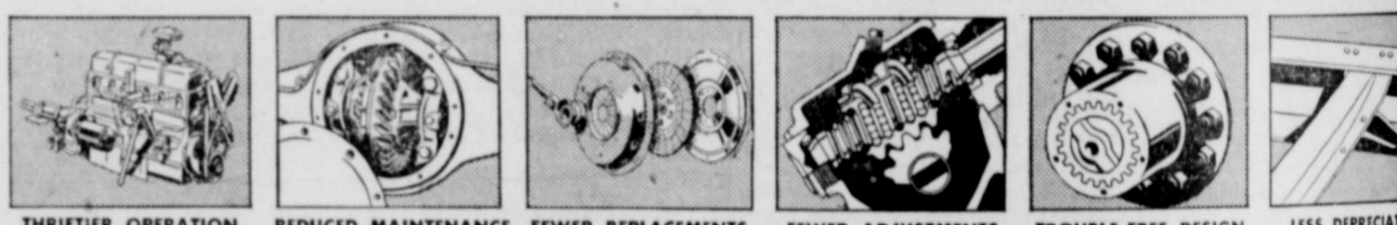
FIRST SECTION OF
Sighs of relief could be heard from the Yearbook Staff after their first 55 pages of the 1952 Cyclone Annual were mailed. The section was in the mail December 5, in plenty of time to meet the first deadline, Mrs. L. L. sponsor, announced Monday.

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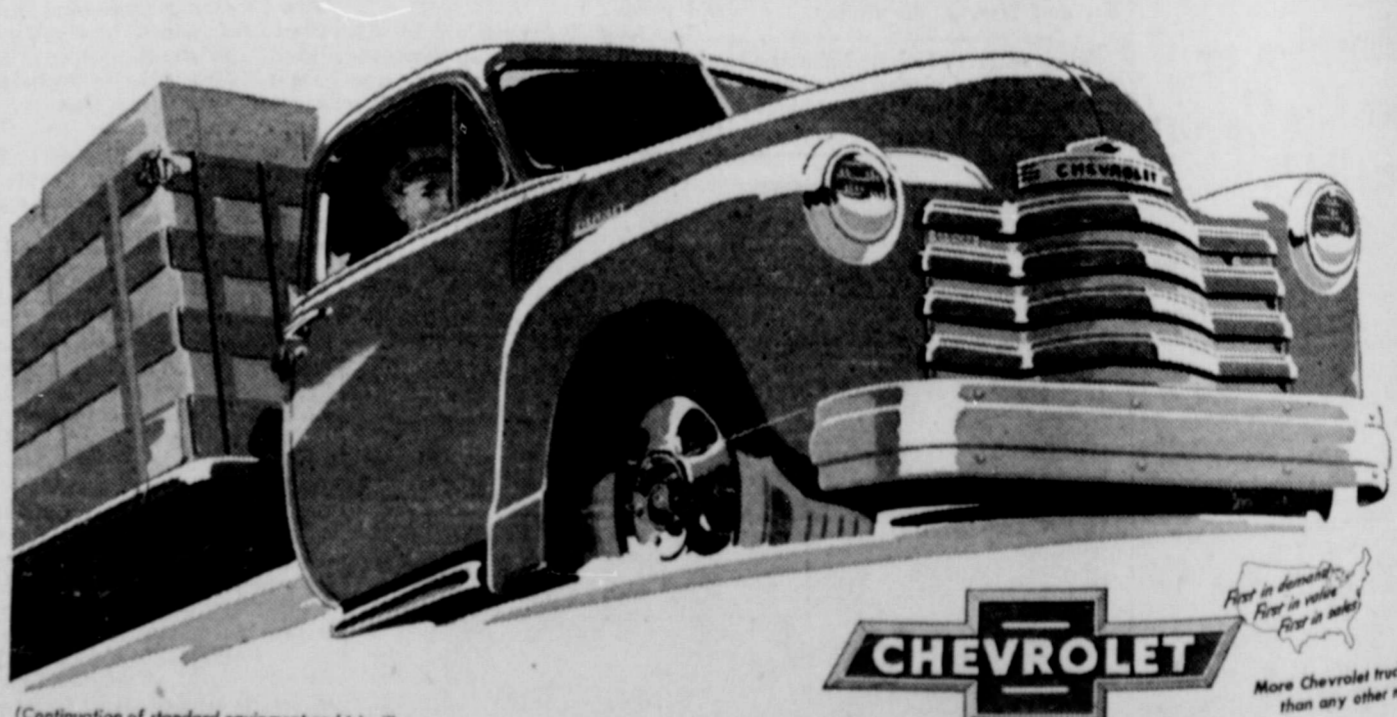
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2 Chrysler Ready For Following December 14

throughout the than revolutionary innovations, characterizing Chrysler's 1952 models, will be on display Friday afternoon at Kermit Monzingo's official explained that two fundamental changes are less than generally when a new line is introduced. Demands of the rearmament program have created a machine tool industry that would preclude the tooling program entailed in model changes," and Chrysler introduced certain new features in the 1952 line that have not been available in any other year. These included the V-8 FirePower

engine, Hydraguide power steering, Oriflow shock absorbers and Fluid-torque Drive torque converter. "The tremendous public reception of the 1951 cars, plus the shortage of materials, prevented our coming anywhere near filling the demand for them this year and we carry into 1952 a bank of orders that will be augmented by the improvements in our new line. We believe that our current vehicles are far ahead of the times."

The refinements available in the 1952 cars are contributors to performance, appearance, safety, economy and comfort. Certain features heretofore available only in certain models have been extended to cover the entire line. Dimensionally, all body styles are

the same as corresponding models of the 1951 line. The number of body styles offered by Chrysler has been considerably reduced by eliminating those of smaller production and those that are approximated by others retained in the line. Despite this reduction, however, there remain 18 body styles, so that the customer has a wide selection. All models save those in the Windsor and Windsor DeLux lines are powered by the 180-horsepower V-8 FirePower engine. The Windsor and Windsor DeLux have an improved version of the Chrysler six-cylinder "Spitfire" engine, higher powered and designed for improved performance and longer life. The torque available from this engine is higher at all speeds than that obtainable in the one it supersedes. The torque curve is much flatter at the peak and indicates an improved performance at normal driving speeds.

The bore remains unchanged at 3 7/16 inches but the stroke has been increased from 4 1/2 to 4 3/4 increasing cubic displacement from 250.6 to 264.5. The engine produces 119 horsepower with a compression ratio of 7 to 1. Longer life, improved economy and greater scuff resistance result from the use of the new chromium-plated top piston rings and new wide-slot oil rings. Improved cooling in the six-cylinder models is accomplished by a seven pound pressure release vent radiator cap which lessens the possibility of coolant loss due to boiling.

Hydraguide steering, which proved to be one of the most popular engineering advances ever offered by Chrysler, will be available also on the 1952 Windsor and Windsor DeLux lines, instead of only on the eight-cylinder models, as was the case in 1951. It will be optional at extra cost, except in the Crown Imperial where it remains standard.

New interior styling lends a high-fashion distinctiveness to the interior of the 1952 line. Seat backs for all models save the Imperial and Crown Imperial are styled with seven-inch pleats. A new interior styling is used



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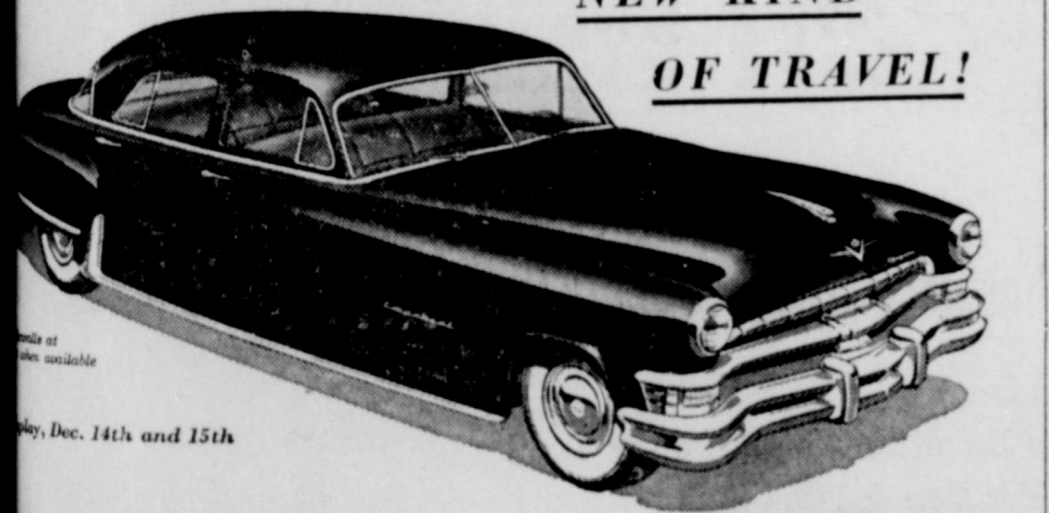
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for Imperial models. A three-pillow bolster at the front edge of the seats and the top of the backs is combined with 2 3-8 inch pleats. The door panel and front seat back each carries a band of vertical 2 3-8 inch pleats across the center of the panel. A chrome molding is used both above and below. Thirteen solid colors and six-tone paint combinations are offered.

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 - 3—1949 Ford Tractors and Equipment
 - 3—1950 Ford Tractors and Equipment
 - 1—1946 Ford Tractor and Equipment
 - 1—1945 Ford Tractor and Equipment
 - 1—1947 Ford Tractor and Equipment
 - 1—1940 Model D John Deere, wheat type
 - 1—1946 H Farmall Tractor and Equipment
 - 1—1948 Massey-Harris 101 Jr. and Equipment
 - 1—Used Wallace Boll Puller, good condition
 - 1—14 Ft. International Deep Furrow Wheat Drill
 - 1—12 Ft. Hoeme Plow, good condition
 - 1—12 Ft. Krause One-Way, good condition
 - 4—1939 F-20 Farmalls and Equipment
 - 1—1938 Allis-Chalmers and Equipment
 - 2—Used Ford Blades
 - 1—Used Ford One-Way and Seeder
 - 1—1948 model Ford Combine
 - 1—1947 model 6 ft. John Deere Combine
 - 1—1950 model 12 ft. M-M Combine
 - 1—Used 8 ft. M-M Tandem
 - 1—Used 6 ft. John Deere Tandem
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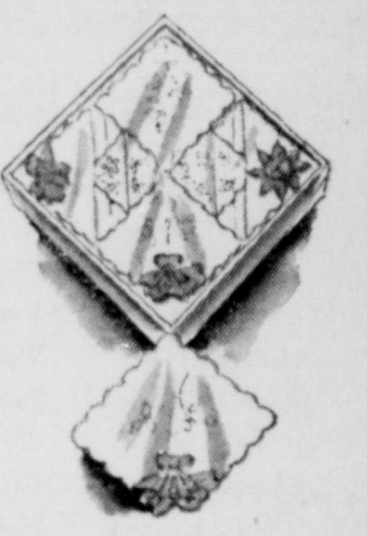
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REPORT FROM WASHINGTON

By Walter Rogers
Congressman, 18th District



(Since I am visiting in the district, the newsletter for this week is being written by Dee C. Dodson my administrative assistant. Dodson was formerly court reporter for the 31st Judicial District. During World War II, as a sergeant in the Army, he was assigned to the United States Military Mission at Budapest, Hungary and viewed many of the activities of communism at first-hand. —Walter Rogers.)

Washington, D. C. December 7, 1951
I was assigned to the U. S. Military Mission for Hungary from January of 1945, the time of its organization, until January of 1946. Lawrence Hagy, of Amarillo, among other capacities, served as our Executive Officer. We moved from Debrecen, in the eastern part of Hungary, to Budapest in April of 1945, about six weeks after the Russians had taken the latter city. Just as soon as the Hungarian Provisional Government was formed it began receiving its orders from Moscow. Hungary was to be behind the Iron Curtain.

The communists immediately seized control of the police and key positions in the government. Large numbers of people were arrested and held as political prisoners because of their former activities with the Nyilas Keresztes (Arrow Cross), the Hungarian Nazi Party. The new government had been in existence only a short time when people were being arrested and accused of plotting against this same government. Some who had been swinging the axe only a few days before were now getting the axe. The accused were being tried before the "People's Court", and public hangings were being held regularly. I recall a trial which was conducted by the "People's Court" in November of 1945. The accused was an actor who had been the president of an actors' association in Budapest. He was on trial because of his alleged Nyilas connections. The following account of an incident which happened during the trial was given to me by a Hungarian friend who was interpreting for me.

After the testimony had been concluded, the defense counsel asked that the Court show mercy for the defendant in assessing the penalty. While making such plea, the attorney stated that his client had been forced to conduct himself as he did in order to hold his position. He said the accused had always shown himself to be a good, honest man. His plea was interrupted at this point by a large volume of hems and haws from the crowd witnessing the trial. Then the speaker, no doubt thinking that he might be getting a little far out on the limb, shouted into the microphone, "I have known him three days." The accused was given eight years of hard labor.

A certain person who was employed in one of the departments of the Hungarian Government had been visiting our mission regularly for several months. Then suddenly his visits stopped and we did not see him again for about three or four weeks. When finally he again called on us, he was hardly recognizable. He told us the story which follows. One day he was arrested by the "Political Police" and placed in solitary confinement, where he remained for several days with scarcely any food. Then he was taken before the authorities and handed a sheet of paper on which a "confession" was typed. He was told that he would be released when he signed the paper.

The "confession" contained an account of specific acts of conspiracy against the government allegedly committed by the head of the department in which our friend was employed. He refused to sign the "confession", stating that there was not a word of truth in it. He was sent back to solitary confinement for a few more days and then brought before the authorities. He again refused to sign the paper.

What's Good for Acne

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SUBMITTED BY B.M. NELSON CASTRO COUNTY NEWS

THE ATHLETIC HISTORY OF SCHOOLS IN THE PANHANDLE WILL BE CARTOONED IN THIS FEATURE SOON -----

NOT NOTION BY HARRY GILSTRAP DEC 12 1951

lections by a large majority. The elections were held on Sunday. The following Monday afternoon a large crowd Smallholders, proud of their victory, formed a parade in front of our establishment and marched up and down the street chanting in Hungarian, "Budapest will not be Red."

By evening the Communist had formed several large parades and were marching all over the city. Their chant was "Budapest will be Red." About a month later the national elections were held. The Smallholders were again victorious. As far as we could observe, these elections were free except for quite a bit of intimidation on the part of the Communists during the campaign. People familiar with Hungarian history told me that these were the first, and only, free, secret-ballot elections ever held in that country. However, the communists took over the government by force and nullified those elections only a few months after they were ruled by a communist dictatorship.

Mrs. Simon has returned home after a visit in Stephenville.

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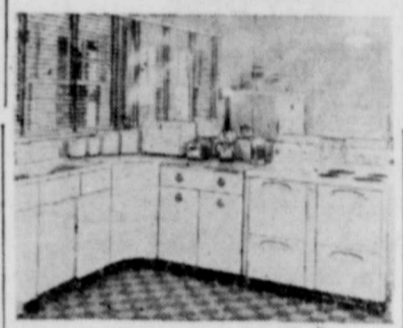
MHS Halls, Rooms To Be Decorated

President of the MHS Student Council, Max Kennedy, called a general assembly for 10 last Thursday morning to present a new policy for making up work missed by necessary absences. Heretofore this year there has been no time for this and it is a much needed and appreciated privilege.

Also, committees were announced who will be in charge of decorating the halls and rooms for the Christmas holiday. Rayford Hutcherson, chairman of the group to decorate the third floor, chose Duane Miller, Charles Hartman, Davey Corley, and Jimmy Morrison. Ann May is chairman for the second floor and her committee consists of Jackie Boone, Jack Montgomery, and Carol Ann Menzinger. The committee for the first floor is Peggy Evans, chairman, and Elizabeth Grundy, Roy May and Ronnie Mac Smith.

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By MILLARD CALDWELL
Federal Civil Defense Administrator

Civil defense is set up by Federal and State law. But no law will work unless you back it up with action. That's why, in the end, the responsibility for civil defense is yours.

Bombs from enemy planes ever fall on your city or town, they will not fall on an organization, or a system of government. They will fall on you and your family and your neighborhood.

Every citizen is trained to take care of himself and to keep on fighting. The responsibility of your home front, your neighborhood, your city, is yours to learn to protect yourself and your family.

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OPERA STAR GETS HOT . . . In Chicago, following a dinner to honor 30 Korean war veterans from 19 nations, Lauritz Melchior (at traps), famed tenor, entertained some of the boys with a jam session on the drums.

Blewer were Memphis visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Davenport were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gatlin for a shrimp supper last Thursday night.

Bill Curren of the Air Force in Wichita Falls was here over the weekend visiting with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Roy Currin.

Mrs. Leroy Stephenson of Quannah and Mrs. J. B. McBee visited here last Wednesday night with Miss Petty Paschall.

Mrs. Frank Monzingo, Mrs. Clifton Burnett, Mrs. D. A. Neely, and Mrs. Myrtis Phelan were Childress visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dieball of

Binger, Okla., spent the weekend here with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Brode Hoover and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Keck of Lubbock, Calif., visited here last week with friends. They were honored with a dinner given by Mes-

James R. C. Lemons, Carl Harrison and L. W. Stanford.

Mrs. Elmer Prater, Mrs. Coy Davis and Mrs. J. H. Barbee Jr.

Cletus Lewis of Texas Tech in Lubbock was home over the

were Amarillo visitors last Tuesday.

Mrs. Willie Benton, J. D. Evans, W. H. Reed, Benton, and Myrtle Dennis were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Srygley and family of Plainview visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clint Srygley Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Kulp, District 13 President of the Ladies Auxiliary VFW, Mrs. Lynn Jones, District Chaplain, and Mrs. H. E. Trent attended the District B Meeting in Floydada Sunday.

Patsy Nell and Adrian Combs of Texas Tech in Lubbock were home over the weekend visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCanne have been in McLean the past week where Paul has been supervising the Paymaster Gin.

Miss Elizabeth Rollins returned this week from Dallas where she has been visiting with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Odell McCollum.

Huey Crowder of Lubbock visited here over the weekend and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Crowder, returned home with him for a few days visit.

Cletus Lewis of Texas Tech in Lubbock was home over the

weekend for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lewis.

Roddy Stargel of Texas Tech in Lubbock was home over the weekend for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stargel.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris P. Hodson and daughter, Claudia Kay of Lubbock, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goffinet and children over the weekend.

Mrs. Frank Goffinet and children and Bobby Nell Long were Childress visitors Saturday.

Tommye Davis and J. O. Dixon were business visitors in Wichita Falls Monday.

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Mrs. Ansil Adamson visited in the home of Mrs. Bill Kilpatrick Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Davis and children, Rod and Randy of Paducah, visited here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gardner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Gardenhire of Borger visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phaeton Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gardenhire, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Morgan Salmon and Bill Salmon visited in Memphis Monday.

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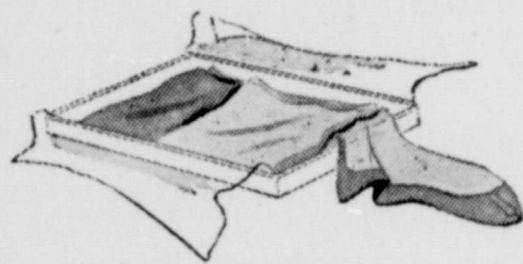
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Editorial

About Communism

Recently an employee magazine in Ohio published an article listing some of the important things persons should know about Communism in the U.S.A.

It was prepared by the Committee on Un-American Activities, U. S. House of Representatives.

- 1. What is Communism?
A system by which one small group seeks to rule the world.
2. Has and nation ever gone Communist in a free election?
No.
3. What would happen if Communism should come into power in this country?
Our capital would move from Washington to Moscow. Every man, woman and child would come under Communist discipline.
4. Could I belong to a union?
Under Communism, all labor unions are run by the Government and the Communists run the Government. Unions couldn't help you get higher pay, shorter hours or better working conditions.
5. Could I change my job?
No, you would work where you are told, at what you are told, for wages fixed by the Government.
6. Could I go to school?
You could go to the kind of school the Communists tell you, AND NO WHERE ELSE. You could go as long as they let you AND NO LONGER.
7. Could I own my home?
No. Under Communism, all real estate in the city as well as the country belongs to the Government, which in turn is run by the Communists.
8. What would happen to my insurance?
The Communists would take it over.
9. What would happen to my bank account?
All above a small sum would be confiscated. The rest would be controlled for you.
10. Could I leave any property to my family when I die?
No, because you wouldn't have any to leave. It would all belong to the government.
11. Could I travel around the country as I please?
No. You would have to get police permission for every move you make, if you could get it.
12. Could I belong to a church?
In Russia, the Communists have for 30 years tried every way they could to destroy religion. Having failed that, they are now trying to USE religion from the inside and the same Party strategy is now operating in the United States.
13. Could I start a business and hire people to work for me?
To do so would be a crime for which you would be severely punished.
14. Could I have friends of my own choice as I do now?
No, except those approved by the Communists in charge of your life from cradle to grave.
15. Yes, but don't the Communists promise an end to racial and religious intolerance? Yes, but in practise they have murdered millions for being religious and for belonging to a particular class. Your race would be no help to you under Communism.
16. How many Communists are there in the world?
There are 20,000,000 Communists, more or less, in a world of 2,295,125,000 people. In other words, about one person in 115 is a Communist on a world basis.
17. How many people are ruled by Communism?
About 200,000,000 directly; 200,000,000 more indirectly and an additional 250,000,000 are under daily Communist pressure to surrender.
18. How many Communists are there in the United States?
Approximately 80,000 out of a population of 145,340,000 people.
19. Where can a Communist be found in everyday American life?
Look for him in your school, your labor union, your church, or your civic club. Communists themselves say that they can be found "on almost any conceivable battlefield for the human mind."
20. What should I do about all this?
Know all the facts. Stay on the alert. Work as hard against the Communists and forces of evil as they work against you.



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Press Paragraphs— QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

'We have been reading this week of the prospect that first class postage is to be increased from three to four cents, and the venerable postal go up from a penny to two cents. Then we go to the post office and get a couple of pieces of mail from the Price Stabilization organization. Both are news releases. One, a single lettersized sheet in a ten inch envelope; the other two small single sheets of paper come in a big catalogue envelope that would cost at least \$10 a thousand at wholesale. This at a time when every newspaper is learning to its sorrow that all paper products are going up in price by leaps and bounds. Won't some one please page the Hoover Economy-in-Government committee?'

FARMERS LOOK AT THE CANDIDATES

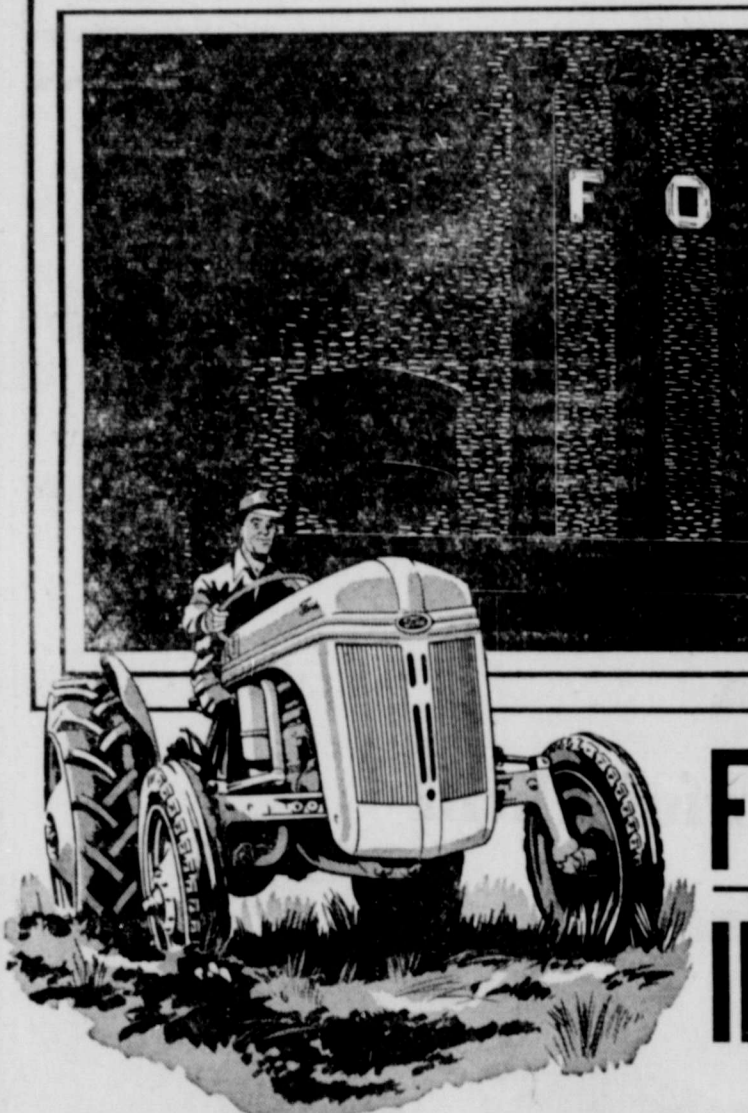
Only 21.3 per cent of farmers and farm women said they would vote for President Truman if he were running for re-election today, according to a spot check made by Country Gentleman magazine. The national farm magazine reports that 71.4 per cent said they would not vote for President Truman and 7.3 per cent were undecided. The magazine's check was made by field correspondents in 23 states. The question asked was, "Would you vote for President Truman if he were up for re-election today?" In the 1948 presidential election the farm vote was generally regarded as playing a decisive role in President Truman's victory. "General Eisenhower was most frequently mentioned as the man farmers would like to see on the Republican ticket, followed closely by Taft, both being suggested several times as often as MacArthur, Dewey, Warren and Stassen," the magazine says. None of those questioned, it added, expressed doubt that Truman would run in 1952, and there was a widespread feeling that "he'll be hard to beat."

COURTESY PAYS

A short time ago the chief of the Miami, Fla., police department announced an interesting innovation. Posters and placards reading "Courtesy wins friends for Miami, the department, and YOU!" were placed where every member of the force would see them constantly—on desks, phones, motorcycles and patrol cars. The material was supplied by a local power company which had won widespread notice for the courtesy campaign conducted among its employees during the past year. This campaign brought compliments and requests for samples of the material from business concerns all over the nation and in many foreign countries. Making courtesy a guiding principle in the conduct of a police

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nor regulations as if they were on the FBI's "most wanted" list of criminals. Miami's move in this direction could well be emulated in every community which has a police organization—whether it consists of one constable or thousands of officers.



Memories
Turning Back Time
25 Years
From
The Democrat Files
25 Years Ago

Friday, February 10, 1927
DISTRICT COURT IN SESSION: TO HEAR FELONY CASE—District court opened Monday with Judge R. L. Templeton, District Attorney Jas. C. Mahan, Sheriff Sid Christian, District Clerk D. H. Arnold, and Court Reporter T. R. Easterling in attendance. The grand jury was empaneled with J. L. Dargy of Estelline as foreman. LIQUOR STILL FOUND; NEGRO IS ARRESTED—A still made of an old five gallon oil can, and three quarts of whiskey were confiscated by county officers at the home of Anderson Sneed last Saturday. Sneed and Dick Wright, both were arrested in town after having sold part of the whiskey made in the still. ATTEMPTED JAIL BREAK FRUSTRATED—The sheriff's department was advised of an attempted jail break of the inmates of the county jail last week, when a county officer of confidence of one of the prisoners, Many crade, but the weapons were found in the jail. HEADLINES IN THE DEMOCRAT—High School Varsity Bed—Dr. V. R. Jones Remedy By Unknown Car—City Mayor New Automatic Phones—Miss Willie Guinn's Ford Car Stolen—Fire Destroys Several Hundred Pounds of Honey—Key Sextette Defeats Quaker Basketball Team—Cobb Leased To Mr. and Mrs. Roberts.

20 Years Ago

Friday, December 18, 1931
EMPTY STOCKING FUND PLANNED—The various clubs of the city will begin a drive Friday to raise an Empty Stocking Fund for the benefit of the children of Memphis. CLARENDON MAN NEW MEDICAL BODY PREXY—Dr. Oscar Jenkins of Clarendon was elected president of the Four County Medical Society at a meeting held here last Friday at the local hotel. TWO HIGHWAY PATROLMEN ARE STATIONED HERE—G. A. Freese and E. C. White, state highway patrolmen, have been assigned to this territory with Memphis as their permanent headquarters. OFFICERS CATCH TWO FIVE ESCAPEES—Two of five men who escaped from county jail on Monday have been arrested and jailed according to Sheriff John Alford. Willie Hammond and Pa. Kennedy are back in the lockup. Kennedy was caught here in a net and Hammond in Wauka. HEADLINES IN THE DEMOCRAT—Greene Dry Goods Store at Estelline, Robber—Fugitive Arrested Sunday Charged with Gambling—Baldwin Dry Goods Store Closes After 20 Years—Health Officers Try to Work Here.

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Notes-

Memphis, Hall County

Christmas cards have started in . . . I always think of the best seasons of Christmas, but Christmas is nice, you get them and so who they are from and so some you are so surprised someone has thought to send you a Christmas card.

At our office we received two cards from outside the county. Both came from the Wilson farm. One from Korea and one from a friend of ours now in Europe.

The hunting season really seems to be full swing now, heard from the Wilson farm someone already shot one of the birds and killed it while the other was still in the air.

It is reported that several of the shooting and investigations are in progress. It seems like such foolishness when you hear of a hunting party, easy-to-see animal like a calf or cow. Only think that the hunters are very careful.

One may have to take to the hills like the farmer in New Mexico who painted the letters on his big white on his cat-ear preparation for the coming season.

Dr. E. H. [Name] has been here in the county.

visiting and hunting and he reported that he got his limit each time he went quail hunting.

Claude Ferrel told me one day last week that he was sure sore from running blue quail the day before, but said he got his limit.

Saturday is the last day that letters to Santa Claus can be received and still get printed in the Christmas edition, December 20. If your youngster hasn't written, help him out so he can get it in, before Saturday night.

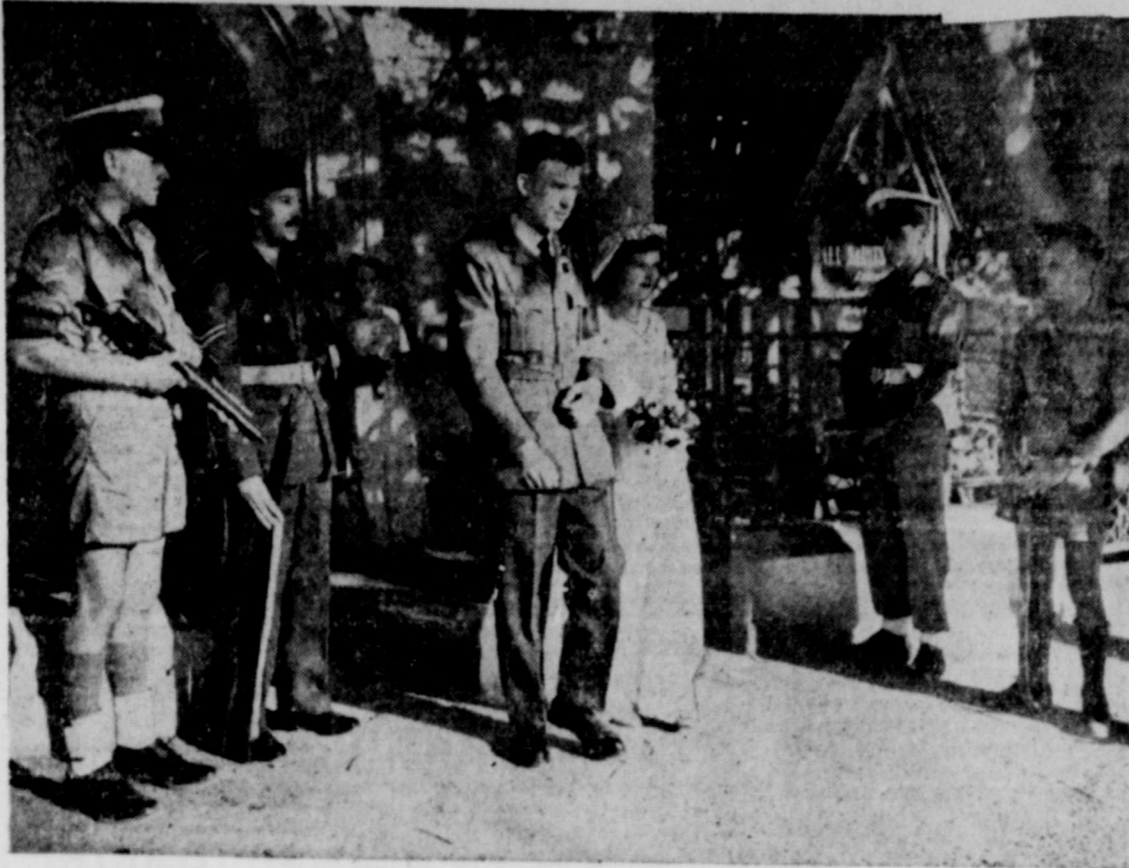
The pretty Christmas decorations in the window of The Democrat was put up last week by Mrs. Combs and Don Wright. I think they did a fine job . . . improved the looks a 100 percent besides making it seem more like Christmas.

It is sure strange the reception you get going into certain stores and businesses around this town. If they don't think you are coming in to buy something, but maybe to sell something . . . boy look-out!

Oh well, maybe they'll get the Christmas spirit this week!

If we could have a snow for Christmas like the one they had up in the Panhandle this last week sure would be nice. Drove to Amarillo the past weekend and the snow, about 7 inches, had drifted and with the Christmas lights on at night, it sure looked like an old-fashioned Christmas.

Wondered by the high school last Friday night where the Cyclones and Cyclonettes played hosts to the Hollis High School boys and girls basketball teams.



GUN WEDDING . . . R. J. Jordan of the RAF and his bride, the former Gladys MacDonald, also of the RAF, leave Saints' church in Ismailia, Egypt, after their wedding. A heavily armed guard attended their wedding because of the anti-British sentiment in Egypt.

The girls cage teams are going to play nearly every time the boys do this year, a big improvement in the school athletic program.

The girls dropped their game to the Hollis girl basketballers but the Cyclones won. They showed surprisingly good team work and played good basketball. The Hollis game was only the second basketball game they've played this year.

A fact someone pointed out also, that out of the 30 some odd boys out for basketball only one or two are seniors!

So far this bunch of underclassmen already have two cage victories to their credit against no defeats.

We can offer no proof that this is true, but here's the way we heard it: Of all the labor-saving devices invented for women none has ever been so popular as a husband with money.

Christmas Problem
They stood beneath the mistletoe.
He knew not what to do—
For he was only five feet tall,
And she was six feet two!

Since we wrote that little item about sidewalks last week, notice where several merchants have had sidewalks repaired. Think this is a good thing and am glad the business people took care of the job.

The treasurer of the Ladies' Aid Society in a small town went to the bank to deposit. She told the banker, "some Aid money." However the banker understood her to say "egg money," and he replied, "Remarkable, isn't it, how well the old hens are doing these days?"

And he couldn't understand why the lady coldly snatched up her passbook and swept from the bank.

Texas Secretary of State John

Ben Shepperd stopped in Memphis last week and at Childress where he spoke at a ladies night meeting of the Lions Club, he said "Moral indifference affects all phases of our national life and the time has come to stop thinking about our privileges and start thinking of our obligations."

If we had more men in our government who thought of things like that than the ones who paraded around the globe on taxpayer's money . . . we wouldn't have the moral corruption and

bad government we do have.

I get so mad I could bite nails everything I think of the audacity of the Congressmen who are now running around Europe and elsewhere on money that they withhold from my paycheck every week for taxes. No wonder the taxbill is so high for the American worker. If the voters aren't getting fed up with this sort of work from their representatives . . . then I'm wrong . . . but I think this next election will see a lot of changes in these do-nothing Representatives and Senators.

Well, looks like during the Christmas season we could close on a happier note, so:

Sam: "Wonder which is more satisfied—a man with a million dollars or a man with six kids?"
Sarah: "A man with six kids."

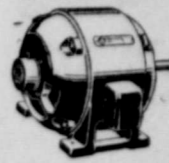
Sam: "How do you know?"

Sarah: "Well, a man with a million dollars wants more."

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And he said, still talking to himself, when I do that I'm going to size up the field—give 'em all a real going over.

You see him here at the wheel of a Buick. He hasn't bought it—yet. It's a demonstrator, and he's trying it out.

But the more he tries it, the more he knows he's been wasting a lot of time.

From the moment he looked inside, he said: Here's the room—and the comfort—and the style I've been looking for.

Then he nudged its Fireball Engine into action. It's a high-compression valve-in-head, as you probably know.

He eased out into traffic. Stopped and started for a couple of traffic lights, and said something to the effect that this Dynaflo Drive* is a honey. Why don't they all build 'em this way?

He saw a bump ahead. Place where the pavement

had been torn up. Other cars were braking down to a creep to cross it. He held back—rolled right across at regular speed with barely a bobble.

It's hard to believe, he said, but what they say about Buick's ride is right.

Ten minutes later he was out on an open stretch of road. Tried an experimental push on the gas treadle. Boy—what a take-off! You couldn't want more power than that.

Ten minutes more—and he knew something else. You don't really steer a Buick. It just about steers itself. Stays right on the beam on the straightaway. Even straightens itself out after a curve.

To make a long story short—he's found out that nothing else he's tried out can hold a candle—not even a little Christmas candle—to this bonnie beauty.

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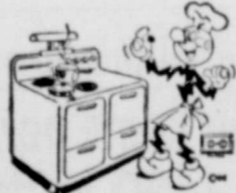
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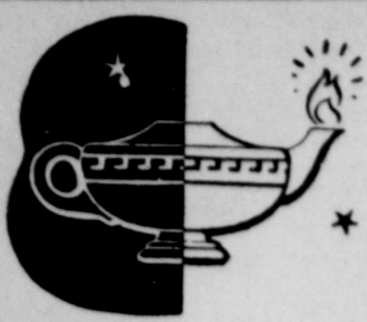
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Pearls of Wisdom

Strung by J. H. R.

The Christmas Circus
From a ring-side spectator's box, I should say that Christmas of this super-sonic, atom-bombed, Hadacolled Twentieth Century era can be quite favorable compared to a three-ringed circus in full swing. Like Ringling Bros. Barnum & Bailey we spare no expense to make ours the most colossal, the most stupendous show on earth.

Predictions are that this year's Christmas spending is to set an all-time, all-time high record. The Smiths will out-do the Joneses who have already out-stripped the Browns and everyone is running around like crazy, no knowing whether they are going or whence coming.

For this Christmas Circus, there is a brief period of rehearsal beginning the middle of November when the big question of where to spend Christmas starts to buzz in folks bonnets. Shall Mary and John take the kids and go to Mama's or stay home and let the "old folks" come and ruin their Christmas. At the same time, Mom and Dad (the old folks) are hoping against their better judgment that Mary and John will come even if they do have to bring the kids from which menace it will be necessary to store the bric-a-brac, lock the piano and hide the guns.

The early shoppers are abroad with a vengeance, ferreting out "just the right gift" so they can astound their friends with the proclamation that they have all their Christmas shopping done, even though the gifts bought

weeks in advance will never do when the time comes and a new stint of last minute scurrying will befall them. One doesn't have to be crazy to endure the Christmas seige but it helps.

The main show opens about the first of December and with Christmas lights shining, evergreen, tinsel, and silver foil in profusion, the Big Parade of shoppers gets underway. Pandemonium reigns supreme with folks begging, borrowing, and stealing to buy trinkets the merchants are vending at "giveaway" prices.

We are the performers in this three-ring extravaganza. And as such, we find ourselves teetering on the poles of indecision (whether to give Dad another tie or something else he doesn't want). We walk the tight wire of budget limitations, juggle names at the family drawing so we can get the one we want.

And, as a grand finale, we "clubby" women do the death-defying act of attending at least five six-course dinner parties. So when it is all over and the smoke has cleared away, we are as stuffed as the Christmas turkey only our legs aren't tied together which is just as well since we will have fifty last minute sprints to make to the stores before they close Christmas Eve.

Time was when a youngster got an orange in his sack if he had a sock and some red and white-striped peppermint candy with maybe one real present that he had his heart set on and that could be had for a nominal fee. Now folks need to build an ex-



PRISONERS OF REDS . . . A Hungarian Red correspondent says this photo shows American prisoners of the North Koreans at a camp near Pyongyang.

tra room on the house to hold the gifts lavished on the young hopefuls.

The good thing about Christmas is that close on its heels comes the New Year and one can always resolve to be sensible next Christmas and not a jibbering idiot as in the past. After all, I guess people are crazier and have more fun than anybody.

CALIFORNIANS VISIT IN SISK HOME

Mrs. William Buchenau and son Billy and Mrs. John Buchenau Jr. of San Bernardino, Calif., arrived this week for a visit with their sister-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Sisk and Susan.

Mrs. John Buchenau Jr., returned to California Wednesday Dec. 12, but Mrs. William Buchenau and son will remain here until after the Christmas holidays. They were joined this past weekend by Major William Buchenau of Tinker Field, Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Henry Scott returned last week after a week's visit in Wichita Falls with her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Tension and family.

INSPECTION

Announcement was made this week that the Canton Memphis No. 37 IOOF will hold their annual inspection Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the local lodge hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ode Gibson, Murita Gibson and Betty Paschall visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leake in Shamrock Sunday.

BIRTHS

Audrey Gayle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Allison of Amarillo was born Nov. 29 and weighed 4 lbs. and 5 and one-half ozs. She is the grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Webster.

Anita Gynn Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards was born December 5 and weighed 7 lbs. and 12 ozs.

Noah Tinner Melton Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Melton of Estelline was born December 6 and weighed in at 7 lbs. and 14 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Morgensen of Oklahoma City announce the birth of daughter, Martha Kathleen, born Dec. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert E. Crump of Friona announce the birth of a daughter born Dec. 12.

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