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NEIGHBORHOOD HARVEST—Pictured above are a few of the 16 cotton strippers and crews along with a few of the trailer haulers who pitched in an harvested the 70-acre irrigated cotton field of Lee Skinner located between Lakeview and Lesley Monday afternoon. Over 50 bales were harvested in one and a half hours. Mr. Skinner has been in ill health for the past six months.

1964 Cotton Harvest Hits Snag At 24,278 Bales

Hall County Farmers Vote For '65 Quotas

Tuesday, cotton farmers in Hall County went to the polls and voted in the 1965 cotton referendum on Cotton Marketing Quotas. When final figures were tabulated one percent voted against the program.

Six boxes were set up and recorded the following votes: Lesley, 55 for and 4 against; Lakeview, 45 for and 1 against; Plaskka, 77 for, 0 against; Estelline, 103 for and 0 against; Turkey, 110 for and 0 against.

The 1964 cotton harvest continues to roll along with the 14 county gins reporting that 24,278 bales have been harvested so far this season which could prove to be about 50 percent of the final total.

Last Wednesday's rains held up harvest until the weekend when sufficient drying occurred to allow farmers to get underway again. The first days of the week the harvest was in full swing.

A low temperature of 8.25 degrees was reported this morning, and until a warming trend occurs, harvest will be stopped due to freezing conditions.

It is interesting to note that last year on Dec. 19, 46,817 bales had been harvested, which proved (Continued on Page 12)

January Date Set For County's Annual 4-H, FFA Livestock Show

The date for the Annual Hall County 4-H and FFA Livestock Show was set for Saturday, Jan. 9, 1965 at a meeting of the Livestock Planning committee in the District Courtroom, Saturday, Dec. 12.

The group voted to show all hogs and sheep in the morning of the 9th starting at 9 a. m.

The group voted to show the steers as follows: light weight (up to and including 880 lbs.) first, medium weight (801 to 900 lbs.) second, and heavy weight (901 and over) third.

The meeting was called to order by O. R. "Doc" Saye, Chairman of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce Livestock Committee.

In the cattle division of the show, the group voted to show the breeding beef cattle first starting at 1:30 p. m. A bull class will be shown for ribbons only but no prize money. The junior heifer class will be shown first.

Mr. Bert Beerwinkle, Animal Husbandry teacher at West Texas State University in Canyon will judge the hogs, sheep and cattle.

It was decided that all animals are to be in place, in the old VFW barn where the show will be held, by 5 p. m. Friday, Jan. 8. All animals are supposed to be weighed at Omer Hill's Elevator in order to place them in their respective classes. Gilts will be shown and classes will be set up for all breeds of gilts and barrows.

This class includes a female calving in January, February, and March of 1964. The senior heifer calf class will be shown second. This class is a female calving in September, October, November and December 1963. After the single class of females the groups will be shown.

Clifford Farmer, manager of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and Hall County Board of Development, also, met with the Vocational Agriculture teachers, exhibitors and the County Agent to represent the Memphis Chamber of Commerce committee at the Livestock Show planning committee meeting.

School Bus Is Hit By Car Here Monday

The Lakeview School bus transporting children to Morningside School was struck in the right side at 9:05 a. m. Monday morning as it was proceeding east crossing the intersection of Highway 287 on State 256 by a car driven by Henry R. Knowlton of Sarasota, Fla.

Local School Board Hears Preliminary Report From Accreditation Team Visit

The Memphis School Board of Trustees at their regular monthly meeting Monday evening, handled several matters of public interest.

Schools Shannon Doss to notify the Estelline and Lakeview School Districts and inform them that Memphis will not be able to accept transfer students next year due to crowded conditions in Morningside Schools.

Damage was heavy to both vehicles, especially to the 1961 Plymouth driven by Knowlton.

After this, the board passed a motion that the superintendent be authorized to begin making definite plans to fulfill the needs of the school system regarding items criticized by the Accreditation team.

Facilities Inspected
Lyman Ellis, consultant for School Plant Section, Texas Education Agency, visited the M-structured Superintendent of

Chief of Police Bob Anderson, investigating officer, stated a ticket was issued to Mr. Knowlton for running a stop sign and he was fined in Municipal Court by Judge Tracy Davis.

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Many of the children in the school bus, driven by Alfred Jones, were taken to Hall County Hospital and examined for possible injuries but none were hospitalized.

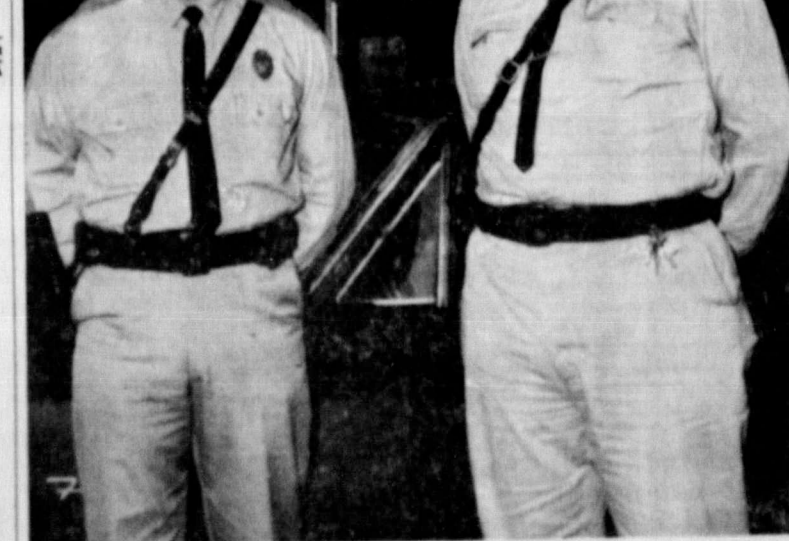
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Santa Says: HURRY!
THERE'S ONLY 6 SHOPPING DAYS
Until Christmas

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NEW POLICEMEN—Pictured above are Chief of Police Bob Anderson (right) and Policeman Tommie M. Tucker, who was sworn in last week to fill the vacancy on the police force when Anderson was promoted. Policeman Tucker is on duty during the early night shift while Chief Anderson is on duty during the daytime. Policeman Ben Spears has the late night shift

Lakeview Seniors To Present Annual Play December 22

A three-act comedy, "The Cannibal Queen", will be presented by the Lakeview Senior Class on Tuesday evening, Dec. 22, at 7:30 o'clock in the grade school auditorium.

Injuries Light In Wreck Near Lesley Gin Thursday

A cotton classer and his family, en route from Memphis to Lubbock, were involved in a car-pickup-trailer accident on Highway 256 near the Lesley Gin Thursday morning.

L. W. Stanford Receives Injuries In Wreck Tuesday

L. W. Stanford, retired pharmacist, was injured at 10:10 a. m. Tuesday in a car-pickup accident at the intersection of 7th Street and Robertson.

J. U. DeDear and his wife received painful cuts and bruises in the accident which caused considerable damage to their 1964 Chevrolet.

He was treated for one broken and two cracked ribs and was in Hall County Hospital until his release Wednesday. He is at home now.

The pickup, pulling a cotton trailer, was driven by Bill Montgomery.

The accident involved Stanford's 1952 Studebaker pickup and a 1964 Chevrolet traveling east on Robertson being driven by Miss Mary E. Hubbard.

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The investigating officer, Chief of Police Bob Anderson, stated a failure to yield right-of-way ticket was issued, and damage was heavy to both vehicles.

Presbyterians To Have Christmas Musicale Sun.

The First Presbyterian Church will present its annual Christmas Musicale Sunday afternoon, Dec. 20, at 5 p. m., Rev. Richard Avery, pastor, announced this week.

and Shepherds."

Presented by the Presbyterian Choir under the direction of Mrs. Robert Sexauer, the program is open to the public. Accompanist will be Suzanne Sexauer and Billy Cosby and readings will be given throughout the program by Rev. Avery and Virginia Browder.

From Germany: "O Ye Joyful People."
From Brazil: "Lullaby for Baby Jesus."
From Mexico: "The Search for Lodging."

The theme of the musicale this season is "Christmas Around the World."

Mrs. Robert Sexauer will sing a solo entitled "Lovely Voices of the Sky."

The choir will sing the following selections:

Ernest C. Houdashell, 52, Hedley mechanic, died Tuesday, Dec. 15, in Groom Memorial Hospital. Mr. Houdashell had lived in Hedley for the past 24 years.

From England: "Oh Christmas Night", "The Coventry Carol", "What Child Is This?", "The Bells of Paradise", "Masters in This Hall", "God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen" and "The Friendly Beasts."

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Lesley-Lakeview Farmers Harvest Cotton Crop For Lee Skinner Monday

Friends and neighbors of Lee Skinner gathered at his farm Monday afternoon to harvest his 1964 cotton crop. Mr. Skinner has been ill for the past six months.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. today (Thursday) in the Baptist Church in Hedley with the Rev. Gene Grace, the Rev. Robert Estes and the Rev. Dan Wright officiating.

Those furnishing tractors and strippers were Mack Cofer, Doyle Miller, Mutt Wansley, E. S. Byars, Kent Byars, Carroll Fowler, J. P. Fowler, Otho Garden-

Burial was in Rowe Cemetery with services under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Other friends who hauled the cotton and helped were G. D. Hall, John Capps, Loyd Robertson, Dell Wells, Wayne Grimsley, Foy Young, Tommy Proffitt, Zebb Sanders, Lane Spear, Dean Beavers, Jim Gowdy, Woodrow Floyd, Collins Craighead, John Tuttle, Mose Davis, Linton Dale Gardenhire, C. L. Anderson, Morris Robertson and W. M. Hughs.

A native of Donley County, Mr. Houdashell was born May 23, 1912, at Clarendon. He was united in marriage to Miss Della Lee McLaughlin Sept. 28, 1940, in Memphis.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Clarendon.

Surviving are his wife of the home, two daughters, Mrs. Sherwood Anderson of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Mrs. Bobby Stephens of Amarillo; one son, Ernest Lee of Hedley; three grandchildren, his father, William Tildon Houdashell of Amarillo; three brothers, Frank, Henry and Floyd, all of Amarillo, and one sister, Mrs. Bertha Crisp of Oklahoma City, Okla.

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EDITORIAL

Faith Is Important

By some strange quirk of our minds, we embrace faith as a part of our every day life as applied to business or social matters. However, most of us have a dim understanding of its real meaning as applied to our spiritual existence.

In business we have faith in our fellowmen and trust them with credit. Or if we are buyers we have faith in the quality of service or of the product we purchase—simply because we have learned to trust those with whom we deal.

Faith is vital to any individual and to any society and we use it constantly.

We ride a plane, having faith in the men who maintain the craft, in the skill of the man who pilots it and the men who supplied the fuel and material for the craft. We trust the man operating the signal towers giving the pilot information which will bring the plane to the airport safely.

We walk across a busy street with the green light in our favor, trusting the good sense of the drivers of cars who hold back in obedience to the red light.

We hire men and women to do a job for us, trusting in their skill and integrity. We place our lives in the hands of a physician with the confidence he will use his greatest skill and that his nurses and assistants are competent.

It would be hard for us to live sanely for a day without this basic instinct we have to trust those with whom we must live.

Yet by what ever religious system we build our lives in the face of the eternal, we fall short of complete trust in those virtues which should be basic foundation of all our spiritual concepts.

Western civilization which reached its apex in the United States is based on the belief of men in an orderly world and universe managed by an eternal intelligence.

Based on this faith the world has made a great leap forward in scientific understanding of the cosmos. This understanding has at times become the basic of the challenge of faith in the eternal, in spite of the fact that very is the foundation of the knowledge.

Wouldn't it be appropriate that part of our celebration of Christmas this year be a personal pledge to renew that element of faith which has created our very society.

—Wichita Falls Record News

Signal Failure

(From the Arlington Journal)

Neither speeding nor slow driving is the greatest error noticed by one group who ought to know. Professional drivers, with a safety record unequalled by the average passenger-car driver, say in a report issued this month that it's failure to signal properly.

The driving error in second place is failure to dim lights and just behind this is close following, or "tailgating." The driving pros reporting in this month's "Changing Times" are today's typical truck drivers—men whose jobs depend on their safety records.

Today's average passenger-car driver has an accident every 40,000 miles. The average trucker goes at least three times, and on some truck lines more than four times, farther per accident, according to the Kiplinger Magazine report. Now that these drivers have been asked about the driving blunders they observe, the tabulation holds some surprises.

Errors previously thought to be among the most commonly committed (ignoring stop signs, crossing center line, ignoring traffic lights) were at the bottom of the list. The slow driver was in eighth place as a menace. Ignoring solid "do not pass" lines on hills and curves tied for sixth place with drifting between lanes on expressways.

Excessive speed took fifth place. Failure to pass a slow-moving car ahead just barely nosed out excessive speed for fourth place.



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What Other Editors Say

Patriotism Isn't Old Hat

It's sort of "old hat" to be patriotic, according to some people. But to our way of thinking, there are few things more important to instill in the hearts and minds of our children than patriotism.

Some groups from time to time go off the deep end in their patriotic fervor, just as some groups tinge on being religious "fanatics," but this should not deter us as good solid American citizens from having and expressing a love of country and a respect for the flag.

It is un-American to be called "controversial," or to fear bringing up controversial subjects. This country was founded by some of the most controversial people of their time—so controversial in fact that they had to leave their European homeland and seek safety elsewhere.

But it sort of makes us have a queasy stomach to see the assault that is mounted from time to time by some groups who would challenge the foundations on which this nation was built. Their demand for a turn toward collectivism or atheism makes them scoff at patriotism, for patriotism isn't very popular where group action and group control is advocated.

Now we do not mean to infer that all who advocate collectivism are traitors, but collectivism does

demand more power and more power to operate. American patriotism, which is based on the ideal of personal freedom, is as hostile to organized power now as it was in 1776.

We are grateful that our local schools have not shied from their responsibility in teaching basic Americanism. We are grateful for organizations such as Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and others and their leaders who have not lost their patriotic zeal and purpose.

There are many who give lip service to free expression and free debate, but when the chips are down, they'll run from both. This includes many who don't want to become "controversial"—who fail to see that if one occasionally doesn't become controversial, opposing ideologies will walk off with the prize.

So without being ashamed that we are proud to be Americans, let's stand up for freedom. It really isn't old-fashioned to have a chill run up and down your spine when the Stars and Stripes pass by or the band strikes up "The Star Spangled Banner." —The Arlington Journal.

Within a radius of 50 miles in the southwest section of Maine are towns named China, Norway, Naples, Athens, Peru, Denmark, Belgrade, Detroit, Poland, Dresden, Palermo, Belfast, Mexico, Paris, Lisbon, and Frankfurt.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express our sentiments to the many people who gave us financial and material aid after our home burned last Monday morning, also our thanks to the Memphis Volunteer Fire Department. We have been made to realize many times this past week the generosity of those who helped us and made our loss easier to bear.

Sincerely,
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stewart.

Air Mattress Handy

On small boats, the soft spot for sleeping is atop an air mattress. It offers considerable comfort. Furthermore, when deflated and rolled up, it doesn't require much storage space.

Before leaving on a cruise, check the mattress for leaks. There's nothing more disgusting than a mattress that runs out of air in the middle of the night.

Memories

Turning Back Time

From
The Democrat Files



50 YEARS AGO

December 16, 1914

L. P. Alexander of Lakeview was looking after business in Memphis Thursday.

A teachers institute will be held in Memphis commencing Friday and continuing for about one week. School will be dismissed Thursday evening until after the holidays.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCullough, living on the Mrs. M. C. Howell place south of town, a pretty baby boy. All interested parties getting along all right.

W. C. Milam and C. D. Denny made a business trip to Amarillo last week.

Mrs. C. R. Lemons left this morning for Garner, Texas, where she will visit with her mother during the holidays.

Mrs. W. D. Morgan invited about twenty little ones to her home last Friday afternoon to assist Billy to celebrate his 5th birthday.

The Electric Co. are pushing their work on the new lighting system and it is only a short time, weather permitting, until we will have light scattered all over the city.

40 YEARS AGO

December 18, 1924

Two representatives of a spark plug, tire and tube manufacturing company have approached the Memphis Chamber of Commerce with a proposition, which will, if carried through, bring to Memphis a \$200,000 manufacturing plant.

The place of meeting of the Consolidated Institute in 1925, in which the teachers of Childress, Collingsworth, Donley and Hall counties are interested, will be decided in a business meeting to be called this afternoon.

According to the report issued by the Department of Commerce, Dec. 8, on cotton ginned prior to December 1, Hall County has forged ahead and is leading the counties of the "Green Belt" by more than 3,000 bales.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wherry and daughter, Florence, visited their farm in Childress County Sunday.

Mrs. H. H. Newman and Miss Ira Hammond were Dallas visitors the first of the week.

According to information giv-

passed to Memphis mer-
cently, some of them
large as \$25.00.

A deal was consummated
day, whereby the Walker
Grocery, of Memphis, sold
lance Bros. of Piaka.

20 YEARS AGO

December 14, 1944

Mrs. Pauline Knight, Jack, Mrs. W. H. Goodnight, Goodnight visited in Wichita Falls with Mrs. Davitt. They also visited Goodnight's son, Cpl. W. night of Camp Horze, visiting his sister.

M. J. Draper, home chairman of the Red Cross, a lot of time free to aiding various people who trouble and soldiers who service.

Lakeview was the first Hall County to over the Sixth War Bond drive. It was \$32,300 and \$75.70 been raised.

Sgt. Carl W. Messer, and Mrs. J. W. Messer, phis, is now in England ing German prisoners of

Mrs. Kedron Ward and Willie Boyd of Amarillo Wednesday for a visit Ward's daughter, Mrs. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. C. left Tuesday for Abbeville visit with their daughter, L. Gaitley, and their son Kinard, and families.

10 YEARS AGO

December 16, 1954

Property owners in this phis Independent School paid a total of \$80,256.4 es during the first year.

Sept. 1, the annual school tax office disclosure. An essay by Harold has been judged the best test concerning "What Town Do To Have More try," sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

Tommy Spry, who returned to the states after with the U. S. Air Force rope, visited here last with his grandparents, Mr. and J. Spry.

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Around and About

By HELEN COMBS

Even though it is a little tiring, we love the hustle and bustle of the holiday season . . . and we marvel each year at the patience and courtesy of the local clerks. Despite "tired feet" and "weary minds", they are at the job with smiling faces and ever ready to make suggestions that are helpful in choosing the right gift for a member of your family.

We have found all sorts of lovely gifts in town this year. As we have mentioned in the past, there are many advantages to trading in your home town. First, you save yourself the price of at least one gift on travel expenses if you go out of town . . . your hometown merchants stand behind their merchandise . . . and you help your community on a whole when you spend your money in your home county.

A statement made in Wes Izard's column the next day after the announcement of the closing of Amarillo Air Force Base focused attention on just how much money some folks are spending in Amarillo. He stated that losing the base, representing some 15,000 people, could be compared to a crop failure in two counties of their trade area. Folks, if we are spending that much money in Amarillo, we could be a thriving little county if we would spend our money in Memphis, Lakeview, Estelline and Turkey. Money is just a medium of exchange . . . and when spent locally has a habit of passing around. But how much Amarillo money ever came back our way?

Christmas is starting early for the John Capp of Lakeview this year. Their son-in-law, Dr. Rex Kenyon of Oklahoma City is taking them on an 18-day trip to Hawaii. They will leave on December 19. In the party will be Dr. and Mrs. Kenyon and their two daughters, Karlie and Kelly; Dr. Kenyon's mother, Mrs. Charlie Kenyon of Cleveland, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Capp. Mrs. Kenyon will be remembered by friend here as the former Frances Joye Capp.

Christmas parties highlight the week's activities as hardly a social club, church class or civic organization doesn't hold an annual social . . . many have dinners with gift exchanges later. The Christmas decoration, both in-



CHILDHOOD HOME—Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Roark purchased the home built by Mrs. Roark's late parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Browder, when they moved to Memphis several years ago, and recently have re-decorated the home for the Christmas tour this year. Mrs. Roark kept the decorations much like the ones her parents used when she was a child. Their many pieces of lovely antique furniture and collector's items added to the setting for an "old-fashioned Christmas." Mrs. Roark is shown in the background.

doors and out, are beautiful about town this year. If you have not driven around, be sure and do so before the holiday is over.

Five homes were opened on the Delphian Christmas tour Sunday. We enjoyed the tour immensely and all of the homes were beautifully decorated. Of equal interest to the beautiful Christmas decor were the furnishings found in the homes chosen for the tour this year . . . such an interesting variety

With much ado, we rushed around Tuesday getting our packages in the mail to our son and family in El Paso . . . a couple of hours later our telephone rang and it was Adrain saying they would be able to make it to Memphis for Christmas after all! Needless to say, we were overjoyed and now we will look forward to having all our children and grand-

children here for the holiday.

Temple Deaver, Sr., was all smiles Monday morning . . . and with good reason. His two grandsons, Scotty and Mark, along with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Deaver had arrived over the week-end from Glen Cove, N. Y. Mrs. Deaver and boys are visiting here this week while Jim is attending a 727 School in Fort Worth. Note: a 727 is an airplane. Mrs. Deaver told us and Jim, who is a pilot for American Airlines, will take training in flying the plane.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my appreciation to Dr. Stevenson and the entire staff of the Hall County Hospital for the very attentive care I received while there and many thanks to my friends for the visits, cards, flowers and prayers. God bless each of you.

Claude DeBerry

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I want to express my appreciation to Dr. Goodall, Mrs. D. C. Messick and the entire staff of the Hall County Hospital for the good care I received while there, and many thanks to my friends for the visits, cards, flowers and prayers. May God bless each of you.

Felix Jarrell

Harmony Club Enjoys Annual Xmas Party Sat.

Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard was hostess to the Harmony Club which met in her home on Saturday evening, December 12, for the annual Christmas party. Serving as co-hostess were Mrs. Clifford Farmer and Mrs. Robert Sexauer. After enjoying a delicious salad plate, club members were entertained with a short musical program. Mrs. Carl Smith played an organ solo, "What Child Is This?" The second number was an organ-piano arrangement of "O Little Town of Bethlehem", played by Mrs. Kinard and Mrs. T. L. Rouse. Following this, they played "Ave Maria" by Bach. Mrs. Robert Sexauer, accompanied by Mrs. Rouse, concluded the program by singing "A Savior Is Born," a musical setting of Luke 2:8-11 by Mrs. Rouse.

After the program, club members enjoyed exchanging gifts. Those attending the party were Miss Esta McElrath, Mmes. T. L. Rouse, R. S. Greene, Gordon Gilliam, Richard Avery, Bray Cook, L. G. DeBerry, Carl Smith, Ronnie Wells, Dick Fowler, Bob Fowler, Miss Gertrude Rasco, and the hostesses, Mmes. D. L. C. Kinard Clifford Farmer, and Robert Sexauer.

Newlin Mother's Club Enjoys Yuletide Party

The Newlin Mother's Club met in the home of Mrs. Louis Hamilton on December 10 at 2 p. m. No business was held. After a short game, the afternoon was spent visiting and having the Christmas tree. The club also revealed their secret pals.

A decorated Christmas plate consisting of chicken salad on lettuce, red spiced crabapples, small Santa Clauses, decorated muffins, stuffed celery, coffee and punch was served to the following: Mmes. O. S. Misenhimer, P. E. Gardenhire, J. O. Cobb, Leo Koeninger, Ted Barnes, Frank Ellis and J. L. Hamilton.

The next meeting of the Mother's Club will be on January 14 at 2 p. m.



The excitement begins with gifts of

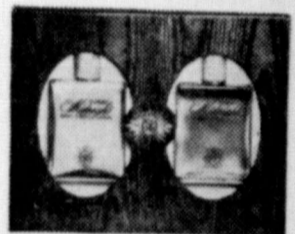
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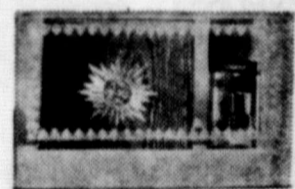
Midnight Hand and Body Lotion With Dispenser—gives her skin luxurious smoothness and fragrance. 12 oz. home size. \$2.00



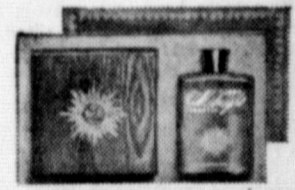
Midnight Glamour Set—Hand and Body Lotion pampers her skin. Cologne scents her all over. 1 1/2 oz. Lotion, 1 1/2 oz. Cologne in gift box. \$1.00



Midnight Bath Oil—softens her skin and scents her bath. Elegant, gold-tone topped bottle in see-through gift wrap. 4 oz. \$2.50



Midnight Set of Three—Precious Perfume in 1 dr. flacon, 2 oz. Spray Mist and 5 oz. Dusting Powder in see-through gift box. \$6.00



Midnight Set of Two—4 oz. Cologne in clear glass bottle and 5 oz. Dusting Powder with zephyr-soft puff in moire box. Both in see-through gift wrap. \$4.50



Midnight Bubble Bath—for a bath of fragrant beauty, 12 individual envelopes in a blue moire box. \$1.25



Midnight Dusting Powder—Finely sifted powder with a soft, luxurious puff in a blue moire box decorated with gold tone. 5 oz. \$2.00



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MR. AND MRS. J. A. BURK

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burk Of Parnell Observe 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burk will observe their Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday, December 27, at their home at 2564 S. G. to 5 p. m. The couple's son will act as hosts and hostesses.

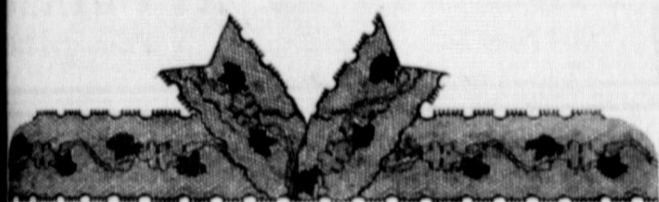
Former Miss Nellie Jouett and Mr. Burk were married on December 24, 1914, at the Church of Christ minister, Kimbell. Mrs. Burk, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jouett, was born in Oklahoma Territory on November 30, 1896. Mr. Burk was born in Moran, Okla., on March 14, 1896. He came to Hall County in 1912.

The couple have seven children, thirteen grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

CARD OF THANKS

Our recent sad loss leaves us with grateful hearts towards neighbors and friends. Your comforting expressions of sympathy and thoughtfulness will always be remembered.

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Per pound

SAUSAGE

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49¢

Per pound

FRYERS

28¢

Per pound

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Xmas Cards To Out-Of-Town Folks Should Be Mailed Today At Latest

To be absolutely sure of on-time delivery, out-of-town Christmas cards should be put in the mail today at the latest, Asst. Postmaster Glynn Thompson warned.

The Memphis Post Office will be open from 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. tomorrow, so that patrons may purchase stamps and mail cards and packages.

The postmaster also noted that there is more to the four new Christmas stamps than just a pretty design.

"Each of the gaily colored holiday messengers can trigger a vast amount of postal service for you," he said.

"The five-cent postage provides first-class mail privileges for Christmas cards. This means they may be forwarded or returned if undeliverable and they receive the normal first-class priority in handling and delivery."

"Of course, the stamps will be good for all mailing purposes for which postage stamps are used."

The Post Office Department predicts another record volume of mail this Christmas, with seven billion pieces moving through the system during the pre-Christmas peak.

Highest volumes of outgoing mail in Memphis so far this year was on Monday, Dec. 14, and Friday, Dec. 11. Incoming peak is expected on Dec. 21st. Postmaster Thompson estimated that mail volume to date is running about 15 percent below last year during the same period.

So far 6,000 Christmas stamps have been purchased by Memphis citizens. Four-cent stamp sales have been running 4,000 per day and five-cent stamps about 3,500 per day.

The postmaster is suggesting that all outgoing mail include the local ZIP Code in return addresses.

"People should keep Christmas mailing list current. They should check the return addresses of all incoming cards, make sure they have the correct addresses in their 'little black book' and then add ZIP Codes to their listings," he said.

ZIP Coded mail generally moves in a more direct route and is handled fewer times before reaching its destination. This not only speeds handling of the mails, but saves the Post Office Department a considerable sum of money, thereby enabling the postal service to maintain the present low postal rates.

Postmaster Thompson noted that the Christmas rush is the biggest season for the Post Office, but that the country is in the midst of a mail explosion. The 72 billions pieces of mail handled during the year is six billion more than the number of pieces delivered only three years ago.

"The post office needs your cooperation," he concluded.

Schedule For Social Security Man Is Given

Field Representative Curtis Watts of the Amarillo Social Security District office will be in Memphis at the American Legion Hall on the Mondays of January 11 and 25, February 1 and 14, and March 8 and 22, between the hours of 9:30 and 11 a. m., H. S. Geldon, District Manager, announced this week.

Mr. Watts will be available to conduct any business relating to social security.

"However, because of the crowds that often are waiting to meet Mr. Watts, we suggest that you may want to visit our office in Amarillo for service; if you should do so, please visit between the hours of 8:15 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. on Monday through Friday," Geldon said.

"Our objective is to provide you with the best social security service possible. We will be happy to hear from you if you have any social security matter you need to discuss," he concluded.

Guantanamo Bay, Cuba is the United States oldest overseas naval base, acquired through a lease agreement with Cuba in 1903.

The U. S. Coast Guard maintains long range aids to navigation stations throughout the world, providing trans-oceanic ships and aircraft with navigational checkpoints.

CANDY by Tom Dorr



Newlin News

Oops! Christmas is almost here. Can't tell to save my soul who is the busiest; the dad trying to get the cotton harvested or the moms getting ready for the holidays. It is a time to remember; also it is a time to look ahead to the New Year. May the Lord bless and keep each of my readers is my Christmas wish.

Lewis Harper of Sudan and Felton Harper of Muleshoe were in Newlin one day last week looking after business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. James Misenhimer and boys of Odessa are spending some of the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Misenhimer.

Mrs. Robert Sweatt of Fort Worth has been here visiting her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hughes and children. She also visited some of her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Henry and Steve and Sherill of Amarillo visited here and in Memphis with home folks.

Miss Agnes Nelson of Memphis visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. N.

Helm, Sr., Monday afternoon. Monday night visitors of the Helms were Mrs. Helen Parker and Judy Chandler of Memphis. They also visited Mrs. Ruby Evans.

Bob Crow of Washburn was a Newlin visitor Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smallwood and Judy of Liberal, Kan., are to be here Saturday to go with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Helm on Sunday to Fort Worth. They will visit Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Helm and son. Monday the Helms and Smallwoods are going to Dallas where Mrs. Helm will get a medical check-up.

Mrs. G. E. Nelson is still in the hospital at Childress, but the last report is that she is coming along nicely and is wanting to come home.

One of the important, but less known duties of the Coast Guard is to screen all personnel working on U. S. merchant ships or certain cargoes to assure their loyalty to the American government.

Accident Kills Mrs. Pat Moore In Friona Wreck

Mrs. Henry (Pat) Moore was killed instantly Tuesday night, Dec. 8, in a car wreck near Friona, according to information received here this week. She was riding beside her husband, who received multiple injuries, and was rushed to St. Anthony's Hospital immediately.

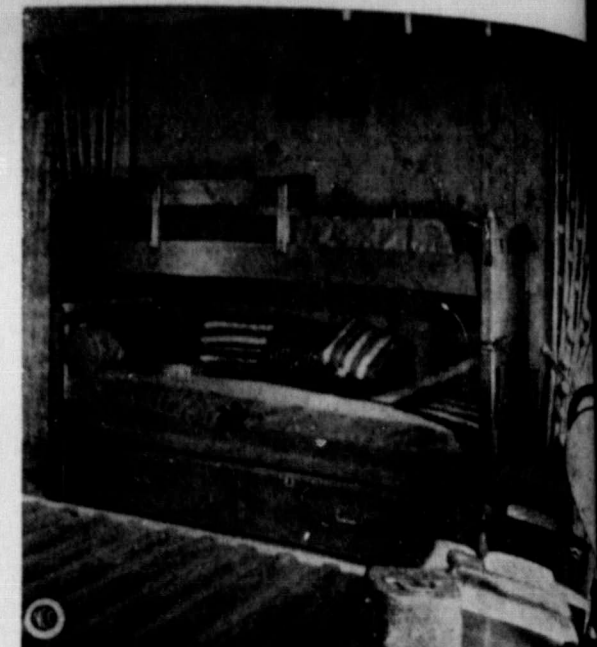
Mrs. Moore is a sister-in-law of Mrs. L. G. Yarbrough of Memphis. They resided here until two years ago, at which time they moved to Clarksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore were en route to Memphis from Clovis at the time the accident occurred.

Mr. Moore has been a patient at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo, and was removed from intensive care last Sunday. He will recuperate at the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo.

Funeral services for Mrs. Moore were held Saturday morning in Ashdown, Ark., and burial was in the cemetery there.

Mrs. Yarbrough returned from Amarillo Monday afternoon after checking upon the condition of Mr. Moore.



BOY'S ROOM—Cotton suede sets a rugged mood for the boy's room by W. & J. Sloane. The red suede spread are complemented by red bandana valances at the windows which are draped with beige cotton suede trim with ball fringe.

Brice News

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Martin and baby of Rockville, Md., came Sunday for a visit with his parents, the Aubry Martins, and her parents, the Loyd Bensons of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Salmon visited over the weekend in Amarillo with their daughter, Mrs. Mike Goodwin and Mr. Goodwin.

Mr. Joe Wood spent Monday night in Memphis with her daughter, Mrs. Terry Bailey.

Nick Lowry of Clarendon spent the weekend here with his grandparents, the J. C. Johnsons.

Mrs. Z. L. Salmon visited Sunday evening in Memphis with Miss Starr Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Henry of San Diego, Calif., came Saturday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Vira Floyd of Lakeview, and with her sister, Mrs. Aubry Martin and Mr. Martin.

Mrs. G. W. Selmon was a business visitor in Amarillo Friday. Jeff Carille of Canyon spent the weekend here with his grandparents, the G. W. Selmons.

Approximately one fifth of the patients treated at the U. S. Naval Hospital, Great Lakes, are Army and Air Force personnel.

NORGE Double Value HOLIDAY SPECIAL

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1/2 gal. **39c**

2 lbs. **35c**

6 cans 4

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MARKET CUDAHY'S NUTWOOD BACON, 2 lb. pkg. ... 8

HAMBURGER, lb. 3

BEEF RIBS, lb. 3

PORK CHOPS, lb. ... 4

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Locals & Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cheek and family and Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Gregory and family of Amarillo spent the weekend here with their mother, Mrs. Elmer Cheek.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Magness spent the weekend visiting in Sand Springs, Okla., with Mrs. Magness' mother, Mrs. Olive Bradley and other relatives and in Kingfisher with their daughter, Mrs. Ray Panter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Jones vacationed and transacted business in Clovis, N. M., Hartley and other points last week.

Mrs. Betty Shahan returned Sunday after visiting in Corpus Christi and in Waco with her aunt, Mrs. Geneva Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Craft of Brice had as their guests over the weekend four grandchildren, Cathy, Willie, Chris and Jack Craft, all of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvis Davis had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Davis and Danny of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. James Davis and family of Lelia Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Davis and family and Mr. and

Mrs. Monty Rogers and Bill of Memphis.

Mrs. W. W. Dunn and Billie Kay of Amarillo visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jarrell and Patsy.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs visited in Wellington Sunday evening with her mother, Mrs. L. A. Dickey.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bradshaw were in Lubbock Saturday to attend the "Make It With Wool" contest at Texas Technological College. Their daughter, Carol, was one of the students from Hall County who entered the contest.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kennedy visited recently in Albuquerque, N.

M. with their son, Norman Kennedy and family.

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 BORDEN'S HOT CHOCOLATE WILL BE SERVED FREE SATURDAY AT SUPER SAVE		

SEASON'S GREETINGS TO OUR FRIENDS

As the Christmas season approaches, we say in all sincerity that it has been a real pleasure for us to have served you in the past. Our greetings come from the heart... you have our best wishes for a glorious holiday.

CHUCK ROAST 45c	Pinkey's BACON 2 pound pkg. 98c	FRYERS Grade "A" 29c lb.
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WHITE SWAN APRICOT or PINEAPPLE PRESERVES 3 8 oz. jars **\$1.00**

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Pkg. **29c**

BANANAS
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SPECIAL DEC. 19th & 19th

WHITE SWAN CRANBERRY SAUCE
16-Oz. Can **19c**

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10-Oz. Package **79c**

4c-Off Label **CRISCO**
3-Pound Can **79c**

WHITE SWAN or FOLGER'S COFFEE
Pound Can **79c**



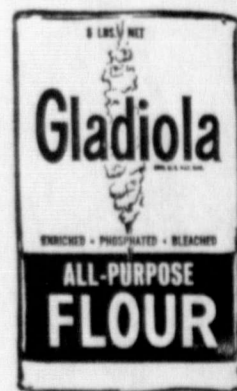


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5 lb. sack

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N. G. Kadingo Executive Director

N. G. Kadingo of Pampa appointed Executive Director of the Quivira Girl Scout Council's Board of Directors, according to Mrs. J. ...

Kadingo served as Executive Director for the Top o' Texas Girl Scout Council from January 1959 to August 1959, and was named as special public relations director for the Quivira Girl Scout Council in October 1961 to 1962. In addition to her professional training, Mrs. Kadingo has taken the following Girl Scout courses: Day camp, director's course, camping workshop on the principles of finance and fund raising, institute on personnel and office management, institute on the organization of committees, a public relations institute, institute on the organization of neighborhood services and administration of training program.

Mrs. Kadingo has served as volunteer chairman for the Top O' Texas Council and for the Quivira Girl Scout Council as public relations chairman, day camp visiting chairman, personnel training director and as center trainer.

Mrs. Kadingo, a graduate of the University of Oxford, Ohio, has been active in civic work during her 11 years' residence in Pampa. She has served in varying capacities for the American Cancer Society, Altrusa Club, Pampa Council of Women's Clubs, Pampa Club and the American Association of University Women Pampa branch, is a team captain of the Community Concert membership drive and representative to the Pampa Council.

Quivira Girl Scout Council covers the ten counties of Hutchinson, Hemphill, Carson, Wheeler, Armstrong, Donnell, and Hall; and the communities of Stinnett, Buna Vista, Phillips, Miami, Canadian, Skelly, White Deer, Groom, Claude, Lefors, McLean, Clarendon, Shamrock, Memphrey, Estelline and Well-

CARD OF THANKS

I take this means to thank wonderful friends for your love and care for me during my stay in the Hall County Hospital. I appreciate the beautiful flowers, cards, visits, telephone calls, and your thoughtful care. I also want to thank the entire staff of nurses for their acts of kindness to me. Bless each of you.
Mrs. Charlene Gable.

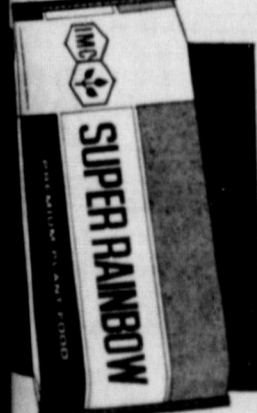
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Lakeview School Releases Honor Roll For Grades Seven Through Twelve

The Lakeview School District Supt. Allen P. Jones released the list of students in grades 7 through 12 who made the Honor Roll the first two six weeks, having an average of 90 or more.

The list contained the names of 20 students of which four are seniors, two are juniors, seven are sophomores, two are freshmen, two eighth graders and three seventh graders.

Those named included: Seniors,

Dana Gibson, Jodena Pate, Tommie Payne and Nancy Fowler.

Juniors: Rodney Sams and Maurice Walls. Sophomores, Kirk Anderson, Brenda Driver, Cathy Gibson, Trudy Reed, Joyce Richburg, Linda Whitten and Chris Clements.

Freshmen: Landa Berry and Mary Hughes. Eighth Graders: Raymond Jones and Jimmy Fowler. Seventh Graders: Brenda Durrett, Richard Gilbreth and Terry Wansley.

State Draft For January Is Set At 229 Men

The state draft quota for January calls for 229 men, compared to 280 for December, Colonel Morris S. Schwartz, state Selective Service director, said Tuesday.

The state quota of 229 for January is the Texas share of a national call for 5,400 men, all for the Army.

The state Selective Service director also announced pre-induction physical and mental examinations for around 3,370 men in January.

Local board quotas for the January call already have been figured and sent to the state's 137 local boards.

The January quota will be filled mostly with men who are volunteers under 26 years old and nonvolunteers ages 19 through 25. Most of them will be 22 years old.

No man whose draft board file reflects that he is maintaining a bona fide family relationship with a wife or a child or children will be selected in response to this call.

All males are required to register under the draft law on their 18th birthday or within five days thereafter.

Sarabell Houston Named President Of MHS Choir

The MHS Choir elected officers at a meeting held Tuesday, Dec. 15.

Sarabell Houston was named president. Other officers selected were Paul Durham, vice president; Linda Myers, secretary-treasurer; Suzan Moreman, reporter; Hoot Jones, sergeant-at-arms, and Jackie Beavers, student conductor.

Students Present Xmas Program At Travis PTA

The Austin PTA held its annual Christmas program on Tuesday, Dec. 8, in the Travis Cafetorium.

Mrs. Eddie Foxhall, president, introduced the program. Mrs. Hiram Crawford's kindergarten group presented a skit on Santa's Workshop and the first and second grade students sang Christmas songs.

The boys and girls did an excellent job performing, making it an enjoyable evening for those who attended.

UDC Chapter Enjoys Party In Cook Home

The United Daughters of the Confederacy held their annual Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Bray Cook Tuesday, Dec. 8, at 3 p. m.

Members were welcomed into the beautifully decorated home by a jolly Santa Claus on the front door.

The focal point of interest in the living room was a beautiful white tree decorated in red and green. This same color scheme was featured throughout the lovely home. A huge Santa Claus boot of red felt decorated the fireplace.

Following the ritual and pledge to the flag, each member answered roll call, "What do you want in your 'stocking'?", with appropriate sentiments.

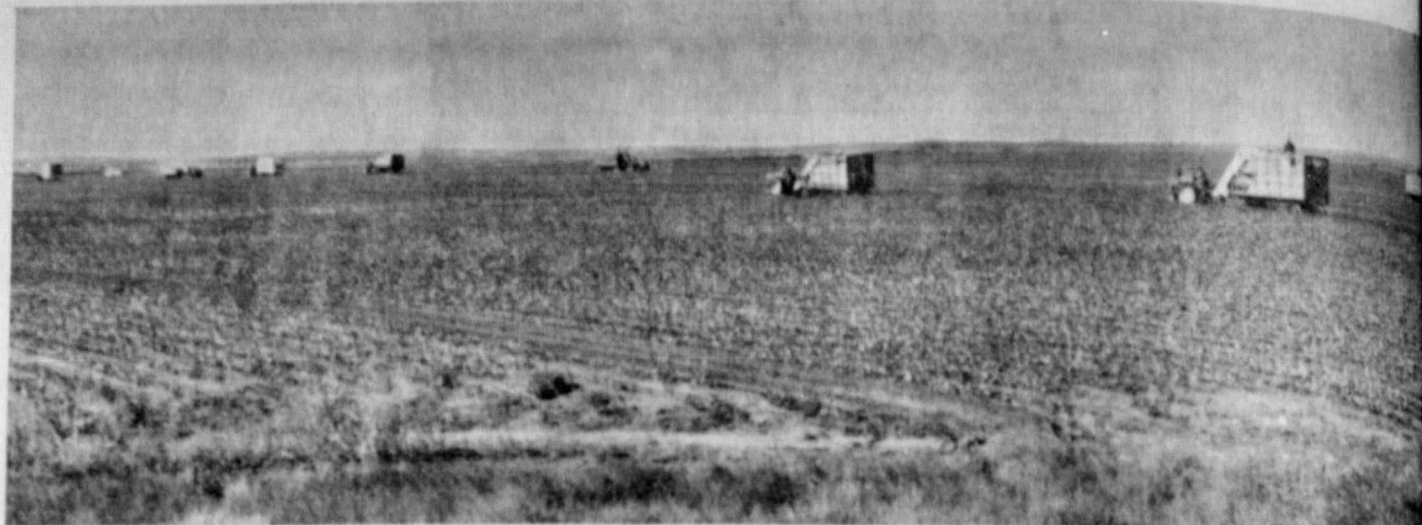
"Keeping Christmas" by Henry Van Dyke, and "Let's Keep Christmas" by Peter Marshall, were beautifully given by Miss Sybil Gurley. A piano solo, "Star of the East", was played by Mrs. Emma Baskerville. Mrs. Betty Shaban rendered Christmas carols at the organ and accompanied the group as they sang Christmas songs.

Christmas gifts were presented members from the large Santa Claus boot.

Lovely refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Cook, during the social hour to the following: Mmes. Emma Baskerville, O. R. Goodall, Verna DeBerry, Irene Bradley, R. E. Clark, Herlie Moreman, T. J. Hampton, and Miss Sybil Gurley.

Mrs. Dutch Vallance and Johnny Crawford visited in San Antonio last weekend with Cecil Adcock. Also in Mineral Wells with Bruce Adcock.

Gem diamonds are being dredged from the ocean bottom near South African shores.



FAST HARVEST—Pictured above are nine of the 16 cotton strippers and trailers which helped to harvest Lee Skinner acre cotton field in one and a half hours Monday afternoon. A large number of volunteers gathered at the field shortly one p. m. and the harvest went off without a hitch. Other workers unhitched trailers and carried them to the cotton gin.

Funeral Services Held In Turkey For Mrs. W. L. Lacy

Funeral services for Mrs. W. L. Lacy, 74, a resident of Turkey since 1910, were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday in the First Baptist Church in Turkey with Rev. R. F. Petter, retired minister, officiating.

Burial was in Dreamland Cemetery in Turkey.

Born in Comanche County, Okla., Mrs. Lacy died Monday night in her home near Turkey.

She was married to W. L. Lacy in 1910 at Turkey.

Surviving are her sons, I. J. of Tulsa and Robert of Wellington; her daughters, Mrs. Bessie Parker of Casey, N. M., Mrs. Bernice Walker of Brownfield, Mrs. Oline Dumont of Paducah, Mrs. Lorene Collins and Mrs. Florence Winn of San Luis Obispo, Calif., Mrs. Mardell Eazes of Pacifica, Calif., Mrs. Evelyn Lyles of Turkey, Mrs. Joyce Plaster of Amarillo, Mrs. Jean Brantley of Dallas and Mrs. Sue George of Hereford.



LOS CREDOS CLUB—Los Credos Club at South Plains College, Levelland, is one religious organizations on campus. It is composed of a group of members of Church of who are attending SPC. From left to right, front row—Benny Longbine, Estelline; Col Tokio; A. B. Lyles, Turkey; Bob Haynes, Post; Ernest Hinsley, Jim Conaster, Le Don St. Clair, Lubbock; back row, from left—Bill Robinson, Sponsor; Jim Pyburn, Vral; James Epperson, Linda Cole, Phillip Fietz, Deana Cathy, all of Levelland; Bererts, Longview; Linda Galloway, Levelland; Keitha Keever, Fluvanna; Kay Gage, Parker, Levelland; Tim Kirby, Littlefield; Terry Darling, Muleshoe.

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Soil Test Will Show Fertilizer Need For Lawns

Properly fertilized lawns and gardens get off to a good start in the spring, and a soil test is just the thing to determine what fertilizer to use.

Soils must be fertilized to keep lawn grasses green and growing and to keep gardens producing good quality fresh vegetables. Soil fertility and the right kind and amount of fertilizer to add can be determined by laboratory tests, with due consideration being given to the plant or crop, soil properties and past treatment.

It's simple process to take a soil sample for testing, according to W. B. Hooser, County Agricultural Agent.

To take a lawn sample, scrape off the surface litter and dig up a small slice of the top two or three inches of soil. Repeat at 10 different places, mix the portions together in a clean bucket and remove about a pint to be used for testing.

Use the same procedure in a garden, says Hooser, but remove a slice to plow depth, or about the top six inches of soil. Normally, one sample is enough for each lawn or garden area. However, if a problem exists, separate composite samples from good and bad areas may supply information that will help in the diagnosis.

A soil test will not determine the presence of plant diseases, soil insects or causes for poor growth not due to a lack of fertility. When samples are taken, however, to help determine if plant growth is poor, a complete description of appearance of the plants and disease symptoms should be included on an information sheet submitted with the samples.

This information sheet, which includes instructions for samples, is available along with soil cartons at the County Extension office. It should be completed and sent with the sample to the Soil Testing Laboratory at Texas A&M University along with the \$2.00 per sample testing fee. Results from the test will usually be available in about two weeks.

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CHRISTMAS TOUR—The Delphian Club's Christmas tour began this year at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith, 803 South 6th Street. A lovely array of Christmas decorations featuring a pink and red color scheme greeted the guests. A focal point of interest in the living room, in addition to the Christmas tree which was trimmed with pink velvet roses, rose buds and streamers, was the beautiful Christmas table. Mr. and Mrs. Smith are shown standing behind the table. The pleated pink satin cloth is topped with a swag of red satin caught up with pink velvet bows. Centering the table were red and pink poinsettias.

Don't Use Any Insecticide Unless Needed

"Cotton growers invite trouble when they use insecticides that are not needed," W. B. Hooser, Hall County agricultural agent, said this week.

Strong mixtures to control flea-hopper and overwintering boll weevils can reduce numbers of beneficial insects and thereby make it easier for bollworms and budworms to develop, the county agent said. But, he added, should fleahoppers and overwintered boll weevils develop to damaging numbers, as indicated by insect counts, insecticides must be used to protect the crop.

However, Hooser pointed out, in many instances these insects do not increase to damaging numbers during the 30-day period prior to the appearance of bollworms; thus, applications of insecticides are not necessary.

In addition to the wiping out of beneficial insects, Hooser pointed out other hazards connected with the use of excessive applications of poisonous insecticides. Many soils can be contaminated and certain crops cannot be safely planted. Carrots in at least two areas of the state during the past year were found to be contaminated with endrin. This contamination is the result of several factors including insecticidal drift. Drift, he said, may also be responsible for the destruction of populations of beneficial insects and a build up of destructive pests. Drifts may also result in harmful residues on food and feed crops.

The county agent said that research information indicates that the best recommendations are to apply insecticides only when needed to control injurious insects, except when systemic insecticides are applied as a seed or soil treatment for the control of thrips. The 1965 recommendations will be available soon in the form of the well known "Guide for Controlling Cotton Insects in Texas."

Educational program over the past several years have given many cotton growers a good working knowledge of cotton insects. It is believed, he said, that most can by visual inspection, determine the proper time to apply insecticides. The county agent will continue his work in this field and survey information on the cotton insect situation will be released to the news media each week during the growing season.

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plan, says County Agent W. B. Hooser, can be both simple and effective. He suggests the following as important parts:

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2. Train your family so that all know their responsibilities, where to go and what to do in time of disasters.
3. Provide supplies and equipment in place and ready for use in an emergency.

4. Plan for communications to receive or inform others of the situation.

5. Have an emergency headquarters such as your family fallout shelter. This is your family's central control point for gathering in case of any emergency.

Further information and special courses are available from the Civil Defense organization. You can find out more about them from W. B. Hooser, county agricultural agent, or J. T. Clayton, the county Civil Defense director.

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Hooser said.

Hooser concluded that insecticides are necessary for the economic production of cotton in many areas of the state, but that an integrated program making maximum use of natural and cultural controls is necessary to obtain the greatest benefits from an insect control program. The immediate results as well as the long range effects must be carefully considered in developing profitable and effective insect control recommendations, he said.

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Disasters Point To Definite Need For Early Plans

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MISS SUSAN DALY ROGERS

Miss Susan Daly Rogers To Marry James C. Healey, Jr., In February

Congressman and Mrs. Walter E. Rogers of Pampa, Texas and Kenwood, Maryland announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan Daly, to Mr. James Christopher Healey, Jr., the son of Congressman James C. Healey of New York City and Southampton, Long Island, and the late Mrs. Healey.

Miss Rogers is a graduate of Georgetown Visitation Preparatory School and Mary Mount College of Virginia. Mr. Healey was graduated from Georgetown University and is presently studying for his Masters degree in political science at American University.

Miss Rogers is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John A. Daly of Tulsa, Okla., and Pampa, Texas and the late Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Rogers of Sherman. Mr. Healey's grandparents are Judge Joseph M. Callahan, Justice of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of New York (retired) and the late Mrs. Callahan, and Mr. John W. Healey of New York City and the late Mrs. Healey.

Miss Rogers was presented to society by her parents at a dinner dance in 1959 and was the Texas Cherry Blossom Princess of that year. She is a member of the Junior League of Washington.

A February wedding is planned.

Jones Home Is Scene For Bethel Class Party

The Bethel Class of the First Baptist Church was entertained with a Christmas Party in the beautifully decorated home of Mrs. Otis Jones on the evening of Tuesday, December 8. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Theodore Swift and Mrs. Larry Simpson.

The meeting was opened with prayer led by Mrs. Grace Foxhall. Mrs. R. E. Clark then brought an inspiring devotion on "A Look at Christmas" after which Mrs. Omer Hill offered prayer.

Miss Sybil Gurley told a beautiful Christmas story and then gifts were exchanged from a decorated Christmas tree.

The meeting closed with the singing of the class song, "Bless Be the Tie". The closing prayer was led by Mrs. Sim Reeves.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following members and guests: Allie Caviness, Katie Clark, Grace Foxhall, Nona Henders, Effie Hutchens, Hucie Lindsey, Sallie Reeves, Mrs. Louis Richards, Johnny Saunders, Osie Scott, Larry Simpson, Mamie Smith, Iva Smith, Lorene Swift, May Bownds, Emma Baskerville, Sybil Gurley, Mamie Lou Rouse, Pauline Wilson, Henry Hays, Emma Hill and the hostess, Mrs. Otis Jones.

Mrs. Lillian Kermode of Napa, Calif., is visiting here with her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dennis, and aunts, Mrs. T. J. Hampton and Mrs. Pearl Massey and other relatives. She is also visiting in Childress with her sister.

Julia Smith was in Plainview Friday, December 4, to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Carl Hutcherson.

Wesleyan Guild Members Enjoy Christmas Dinner

The Wesleyan Service Guild annual Christmas party and dinner was held in the home of Ira Hammond on Wednesday night, December 9.

A delicious dinner was served buffet style. Guests were seated at foursome tables attractively decorated in the Christmas motif. The Christmas tree was the highlight of the evening with the exchanging of gifts.

Those enjoying the occasion were the following: Ola Gowan, Lillie Messer, Ruby Compton, Mazine Phillips, Lenora Greenhaw, Viola Morris, Mildred Spicer, Bernice Coursey, Sophia Stillwell, Neville Wrenn, Mable Lavender, Dorothy Gowan, Beth Lemons, Elsie Gidden, Mildred Stephens, Mildred Gidden, Pauline Wynn, Ethel Driver, Ruth Fowler, Hester Bownds, Lucille Burnett, Betty Johnson, Mrs. J. B. Thompson, Verna DeBerry, Mildred Hutcherson, and Loraine Tarver.

Lone Star Gas Employees Enjoy Christmas Party

Employees of Lone Star Gas Company, Childress District, and their families enjoyed the annual Christmas party on Friday night at the American Legion Building in Childress.

Attending the party were Lone Star Gas personnel from Wellington, Memphis and Childress.

The group enjoyed a delicious turkey dinner with all the trimmings and a gift exchange.

Attending the party from here were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Philpot, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Don Springer.

Womans Council Features Xmas Program Monday

The Woman's Council of the Christian Church met in the church dining room on December 14 at 3 p. m. Mrs. Grover Kesterson and Mrs. Jeff Aduddell were co-hostesses.

The meeting opened with the group singing "O Come All Ye Faithful." After the group was led in prayer by Mrs. Kesterson, the devotional, which came from Luke 2:8-14, was given. The "Christian Story" was read by Mrs. Roberts, followed by the song, "O Little Town of Bethlehem." Mrs. Howard Randal then gave a Christmas story, "Let's Keep Christmas from the Book." A special Christmas offering was taken to send to Cookens Hills Children's Home. The meeting was concluded with the singing of "Silent Night, Holy Night."

Coffee with fruit cake topped with whipped cream was served to the following: Mmes. J. A. Odom, Harry Aspgrun, A. A. Odoms, Elmer Murdock, Howard Randall, E. E. Roberts, Bill Maddox and the hostesses, Mrs. Kesterson and Mrs. Aduddell.

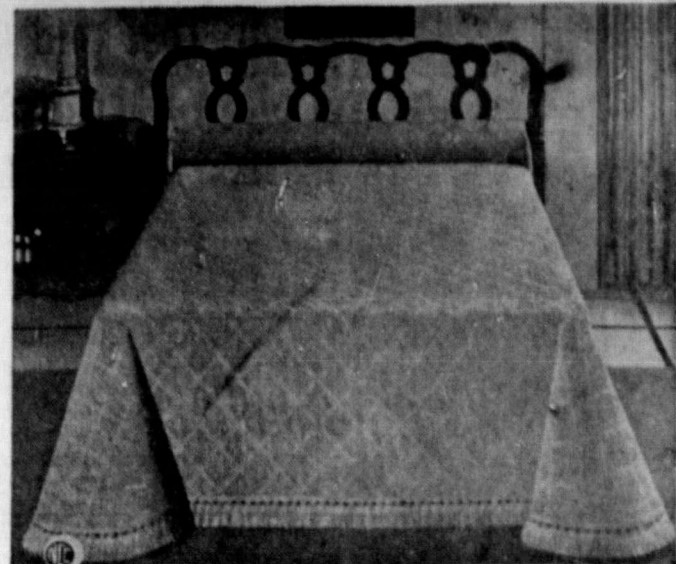
The next meeting of the Woman's Council will be on January 18 at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Howard Randall.

Gleaners Class Enjoys Annual Yuletide Party

The Gleaners Sunday School Class of Travis Baptist Church held its Christmas social Thursday night, December 10, in the home of Mrs. Ruth Durham.

After the opening prayer was led by Mrs. L. G. Rasco, Mrs. Mary Bell Patterson brought the devotional. Several games were enjoyed, then gifts were exchanged.

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Mary Martha Class Has Annual Christmas Party

Members of the Mary Martha Sunday School Class were entertained with the annual Christmas party on Thursday evening, Dec. 10, in the home of Mrs. L. O. Dennis.

Mrs. Dennis' home was beautifully decorated in the Christmas motif and featured a beautiful Christmas tree.

The meeting opened with prayer led by Mrs. Frank Ellis. Mrs. Betty Goodrum gave a very inspiring devotional, "The Light of the Star." A Christmas story, "The Gift of the Wise Men," was read by Mrs. Fern Miller. Mrs. A. J. Fowler was in charge of the program.

Following the program, the class members and guests enjoyed exchanging gifts.

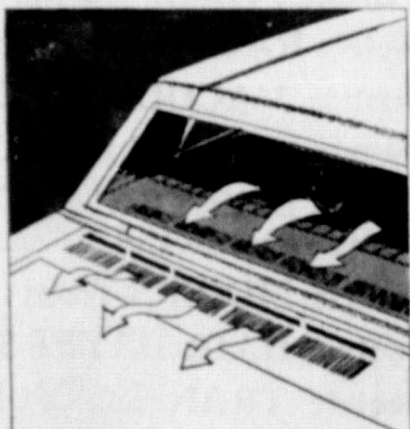
The hostesses, Mrs. L. O. Dennis and Mrs. E. G. Archer, served

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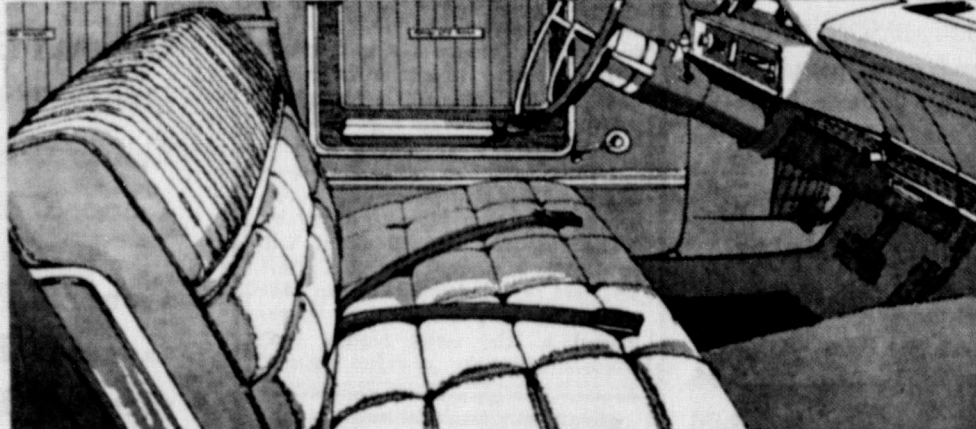
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Ophelia Club Enjoys Holiday Dinner Party

Members of the Ophelia Club Estelline met in the home of Mrs. Gerald Fowler Monday evening, Dec. 14, for a Christmas evening. Mrs. Rabb Holland, co-hostess, served a delicious dinner of ham, potatoes, green beans, salad, hot rolls, and apple cake.

Mrs. Royce Denton presented an interesting program, "The Everyone Wanted," illustrated with pictures shown on an overhead projector.

Following a short business session by president, Mrs. Boney, gifts were exchanged. The following members: Mrs. Abram, Mrs. DeAlysa Wood, George Helm, Mrs. Joe Bob Kent Eddins, Mrs. J. N. E. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Abram, Billy Joe Rothwell, Mrs. G. Fowler, Mrs. Jack Kinard, Joe B. Allen, Mrs. Glennon son, Mrs. Frank Kedrick, Jimmy Gibson, Mrs. JoEd pell, Mrs. Bob Askey, Mrs. Boney, Mrs. Royce Denton, Rabb Holland, and the hostess.

delicious refreshments to the following: Mmes. Edna Merrell, Pauline Willson, Ida Hutcherson, Christian Hays, Leta Ellis, Carrie Dennis, E. G. Archer, Enod Godfrey, Mona Robertson, Ethel Fowler, and three guests, Mmes. Marjorie Miller, Julia Howard and Betty Goodrum.

O. M. (Bill) Cosby, Jr., returned home Tuesday from Dallas where he attended an Internal Revenue Seminar. New tax laws were discussed at the one-day meeting which was held on Monday. Mr. Cosby went to Dallas on Sunday.

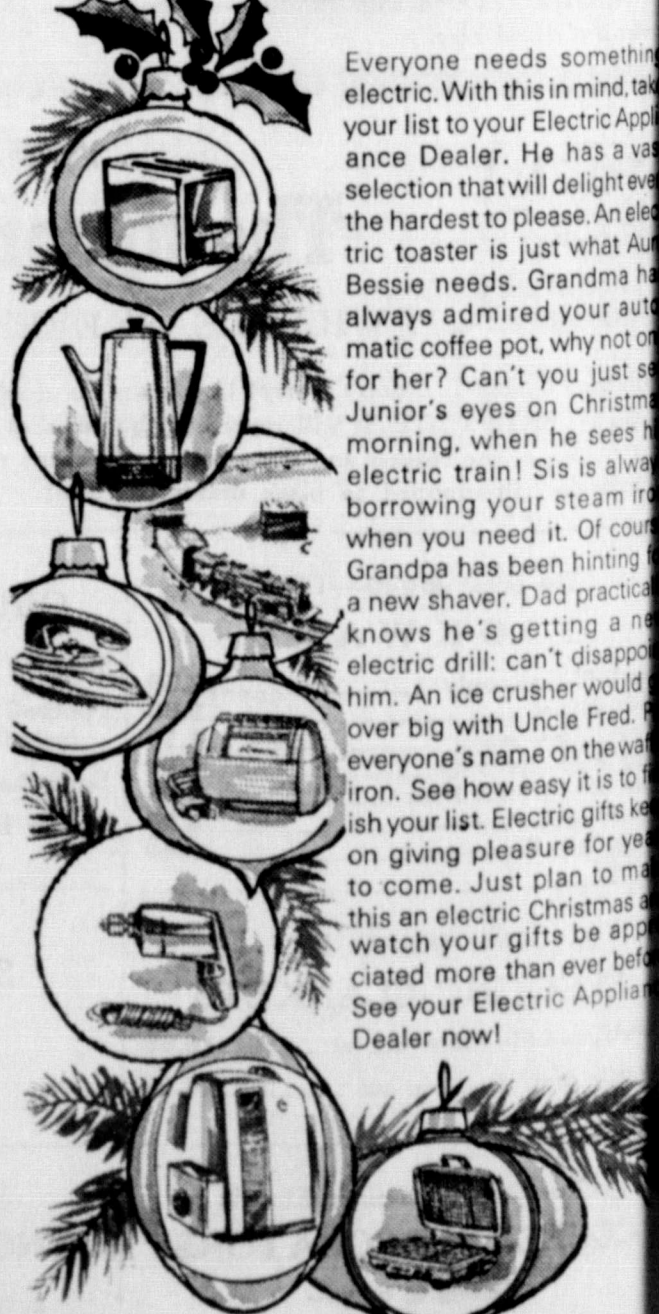
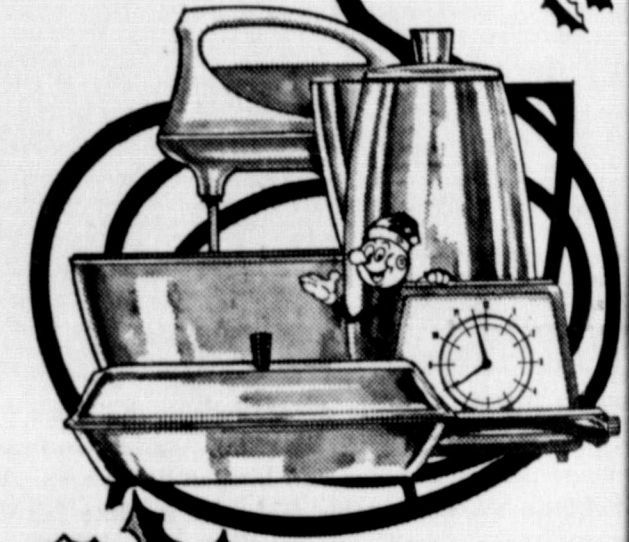
Mrs. Bryan Adams accompanied her daughter, Mrs. A. Nilo, to visit in Tucson for about a month.

Mrs. Stella Phillips visited in Amarillo Wednesday.

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Estelline Cager Teams Leave Today First Rounds In Paducah Meet

Estelline basketball teams will leave this afternoon for Paducah to enter the first rounds of the 1964-65 tournament. Sixteen teams will participate in the tournament.

Estelline girls begin tournament play at 2 p. m. today against the Springs girls, following the Estelline-Roaring Springs boys game at 3:30 p. m. from Wellington, Paducah.

Estelline girls defeated the Springs girls 53 to 46 and Jane Helm led her team in scoring with 22 points.

In the boys game, the Paducah Dragons took an early lead and increased it a 52 to 44 victory over Estelline. Jodie Rapp scored 14 points for Estelline while Gary Moman scored 17 for Paducah.

Estelline's squads are scheduled to host the Hedley Owls and auxiliary squad, the Owlettes, next Tuesday night, Dec. 22, which will close out Estelline's schedule until after Christmas holidays. This will be the last non-district encounters for Estelline.

to 32, and were awarded the third place or consolation trophy.

Tuesday night, the two Estelline teams played hosts to the two teams from Paducah. In the first game (girls), Estelline took a two-point lead at the end of the first period, and held a slight lead until the final buzzer sounded, winning the game 44 to 40. Jane Helm led her team in scoring with 22 points.

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Hospital News

Patients

Dianna Carpenter, Ruby Lacy, W. E. Chandler, Eunice Sweatt, Florence Perkins, Dr. J. W. Fitzjarrald, J. M. Ferrell, Sr., Landrum Stanford, Frank Finch, J. L. Barnes, Ernest Lemons, H. G. Hartwell, Elizabeth Ray, Myrtle Wood, Edelia Anglin, Bertha Gay, Sallie Edmondson, Lillious Howard, C. C. Fowler.

Dismissals

G. S. Ariola, Carolyn Hightower, George Williams, Colie George, Elmer Kirkland, Sam Bruce, Phyllis Cheatam, Cletis Hansard, Creed Lamb, Betty Lou Brock, Claude DeBerry, Hattie Hartzog, Tommy Hughes, Rodney Jones, Wyvon Ponder, Lavilla Stotts, W. C. Wolf, Alma Bruce, Weldon Couch, Pearl McCanne, Julia Smith, Charlie Williams, Carol Gardenhire, Mary Byars, Juanita Medina, A. J. Pace, Margie Scott, T. J. Cope, Sharon Dunlap, Arnetta Cornish, Alinda Johnson, James Richburg.

Jim Deaver And Family Visit Here From N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Deaver and two sons, Scotty and Mark, of Glen Cove, N. Y., arrived here over the weekend for a visit with Mr. Deaver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Temple Deaver, Sr., and other relatives.

Mrs. Deaver and sons will remain in Memphis for several days while Mr. Deaver is attending a school in Fort Worth. They have been living in New York for several years where Mr. Deaver is associated with a commercial airline as a pilot.

In addition to their two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Deaver also have a small daughter, who remained at home.

Most thunderstorms generate in the daytime.

HALF-PAST TEEN



YOUR COUNTY AGENT SAYS

Keeping Christmas Trees Fresh
Sugar may be good for coffee, but it doesn't help keep a Christmas tree fresh and green, says County Agent W. B. Hooser.

It is just a myth, he said, that sugar or even aspirin added to the water container in a Christmas tree stand will help keep the tree fresh. Although they won't harm the tree, they won't help it, either.

There are some things that can be done to safely keep the tree bright and unwilted longer, Hooser says.

If the tree isn't to be put up right away, it should be kept in a shady, cool location and frequently sprinkled with water.

When the tree is put up, the tip of the lower trunk should be cut off at an angle, exposing the new wood. The base of the tree should

be placed in water when it is set up in the house. A new tree may absorb as much as a quart of water in a day, so the water container should be checked daily. This helps keep the needles full of water and reduces the fire hazard.

Here are other tips from Hooser.

The tree should be kept away from heating units, fireplaces, and television sets. Heat dries out the tree and creates a greater fire hazard.

Lights should be carefully hung on the tree. Each light puts out heat. If needles from the tree touch a bulb, it will dry them out.

Most important, place the tree so that if it accidentally topples, it won't touch something that could set it on fire nor block a passageway.

"Closing time," as it refers to 1964 farm records, is close at hand says W. B. Hooser, county agricultural agent. This means totaling the balance sheets on all farm

and home enterprises and taking a look at what happened during the year.

A close look should point up problems that must be met in planning for 1965 and on into the future. A good set of farm records will reveal problems that are of vital concern to every member of the family, points out Hooser. Records often reflect whether a management change cut costs and raised profits or whether a minor farm enterprise should be dropped or expanded.

Furthermore, a complete set of records is a must at income tax figuring time. Regularly kept records can save dollars at tax paying time, for deductible expenses are often overlooked, especially if paid in cash. With tax rates as they are now, failure to claim \$25 deductible expenses adds about \$3.50 to the tax bill and even more in the case of higher tax brackets.

Hooser adds that complete farm records are an asset when money must be borrowed for production or operating expenses. Knowing what the business is doing makes a strong talking point in effecting credit arrangements. Too, farm families need facts on which to base their decisions, and none are more reliable than those obtained from well-kept records.

Visit your county agent if assistance is needed on record keeping. Get into the habit of keeping up-to-date records, urges Hooser, and you'll come out ahead in 1965.

The moon is a quarter of a million miles distant.

Methodist WSCS Meets In Hutcherson Home for Annual Christmas Observance

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met Monday, Dec. 14, for the Christmas observance in the home of Mrs. Ed Hutcherson with Mmes. J. B. Thompson and W. J. McMaster as co-hostesses.

During the brief business session, two special memberships were presented—one by Mrs. Ed Hutcherson to her daughter, Mrs. Powell of Amarillo and one by the society to Mrs. Ben Parks, secretary of Campus Ministry. This represents a sum of money sent through the regular channels in their names to further the work of the Woman's Division. Each one received a pin and certificate.

A Christmas offering was taken for Joyce Hull, one of the Conference daughters, who is in the states studying and will soon leave for Santiago, Chili, to carry on her work as a missionary.

Mrs. M. G. Tarver presented an inspiring meditation stating that the mystery and the meaning of Christmas well serve as well if we treat it as an introduction, not a conclusion to the duty and privilege of Christian discipleship. She concluded with prayerful thoughts from Joyce Hull's recent letter to the society.

Mrs. J. B. Thompson told an excellent Christmas story, "The Journey", recently written by Rev. Thompson. As Mary and Joseph journeyed toward Bethlehem

to pay taxes, they stopped along the way at historical Christian landmarks of their ancestors, Jacob's well and Rachel's tomb. These called to mind the teachings of the prophets of old and their repeated Biblical sayings. The group sang "O Little Town of Bethlehem" and "Joy to the World" at the first and last of the story.

Mrs. Hutcherson's home was beautifully decorated. Especially appropriate for the occasion was a cherche on the buffet, each of many figures as well as the holy family which Mrs. Hutcherson had artistically made and painted of ceramics.

The hostesses served delicious refreshments to the above mentioned and the following: Mmes. T. J. Dunbar, R. E. Greene, L. G. DeBerry, Kermit Voelkel, Bob Hutcherson, Lee Brown, Bess Crump, O. M. Gunstream, Sarah Hill, J. J. McDaniel, D. A. Neeley, Baker Jones, J. W. Oliver, N. A. Hightower, Louis Goffinet, Ben Parks, Myrtis Phelan, L. G. Cox and F. W. Foxhall.

In 1899, the USS New York and the USS Massachusetts were the first Navy ships to use Marconi's wireless telegraph.

The U. S. Naval Training Center at San Diego, Calif., trains 68,000 men yearly.

Lulu Sager, Former Memphis Resident, Dies

Funeral services for Mrs. Lulu Sager, 89, were held at 10 a. m. Saturday in Kelson Funeral Chapel in Wellington with Rev. Leslie Ellison, First Presbyterian minister of Childress, officiating.

The body was taken to Belvidere, Ill., for burial beside her husband, who preceded her in death about 20 years ago.

Mrs. Sager died Friday in the Nursing Home in Wellington where she had lived nine years after moving from Childress. She was a charter member of the 1913 Study Club and a member of the First Presbyterian Church. She also was in the Carnegie Library.

Mrs. Sager moved to Memphis in 1909 and Mr. Sager was secretary of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce for many years. They left Memphis in the 1920s after Mr. Sager accepted a position as secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. They moved to Childress.

Survivors include two nieces, Tom Bugbee of Goodnight and two nephews, Bill Sager of Childress and G. H. Ink of Belvidere, Ill.

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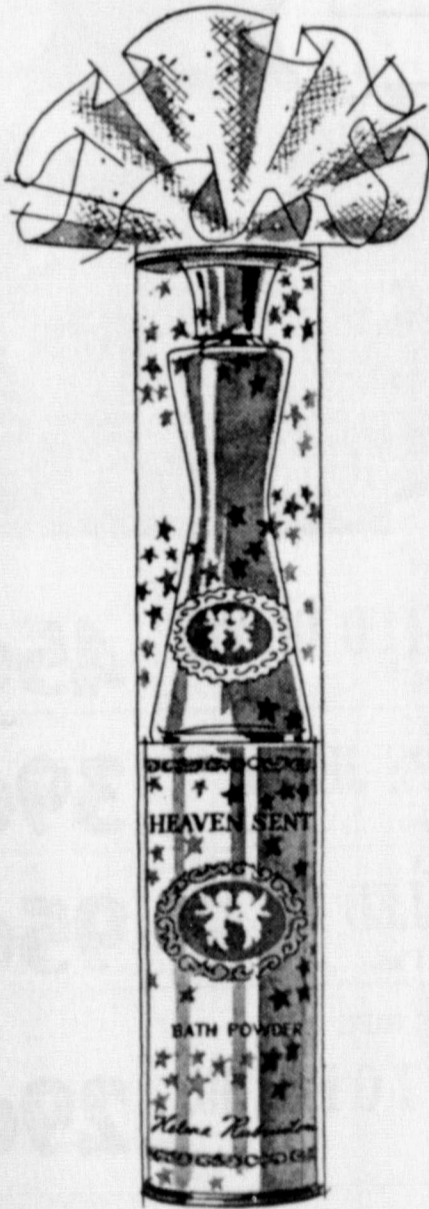
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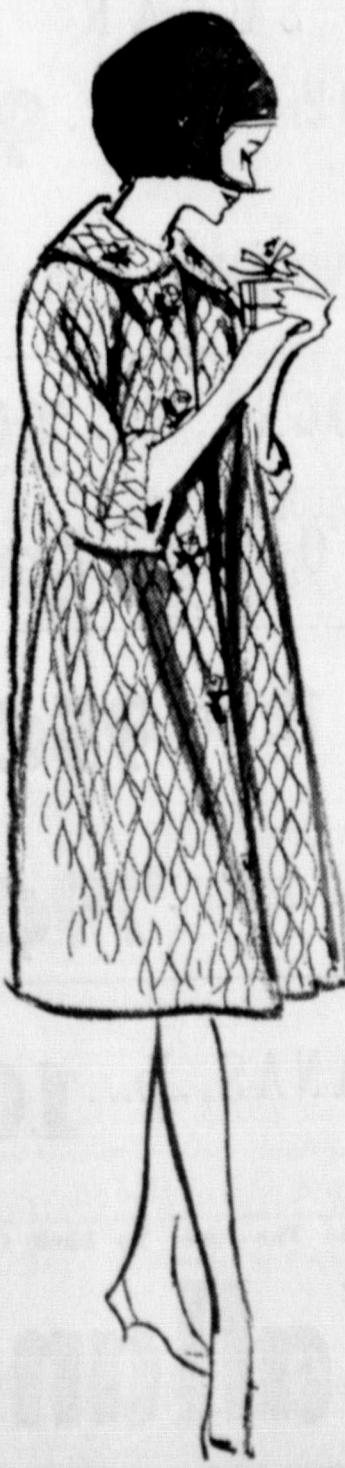
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The U. S. Coast Guard maintains ships and shore installations overseas as well as in the States.

One of the highlights of the Christmas season was the annual tour of homes held Sunday afternoon. Sponsored by the Delphian Club, the tour of decorated homes has been featured as an annual event for several years and has proven to be a very popular project of the holiday season.

Sunday tour was well attended and included three homes in Memphis and two in Lakeview. A social hour concluded the tour with refreshments served at the R. C. Clements home in Lakeview.

The five homes open Sunday featured various types and decors, each depicting the personality and originality of the members of the family. Different centers of interest and different color schemes were featured in each home. The first home on the tour, that of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith, expressed their interest in ranching with a door arrangement of greenery surrounding a wicker cow head. Just inside stood a beautiful green tree adorned with pink velvet roses, rose buds and streamers. A lighted planter flanked the wood burning fireplace, with its arrangement of Christmas greenery. One bedroom featured gold arrangements throughout, and the kitchen held an arrangement of miniature Santas, red candles, and red ornamental balls. The focal point of this lovely home was the formal dining table, with its rose, pleated satin cloth, topped with a swag of red satin caught up with pink velvet bows. A centerpiece of red and pink poinsettia completed this setting.

Roark Home
The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Roark was of particular interest. It was built by Mrs. Roark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Browder, and was the childhood home of Mrs. Roark. Through the years it has had several owners, but came back into the Browder family a few years ago when it was purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Roark. For Christmas this year,

Mrs. Roark kept the decorations much like the ones her parents used when she was a child. A green tree, decorated in red, stood just inside the dining room. On the table was a decorated cake on an old fashioned cake stand. Enhancing the charm of this home were the antique furnishings in each room. A grandfather clock in one corner marked the time of day. An old fashioned music box chimed Christmas carols. This lovely old home reflected the dignity and charm of days gone by.

Bruce Home
The spacious new home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bruce extended a gay welcome from the very moment of arrival. A row of red hurricane lamps, festooned with red streamers, lined each side of the front walk. A Santa Claus bade entry through the silver covered front door. Inside, a very modern silver tree with red ornaments filled the huge front windows. A beautiful creche emphasized the real meaning of Christmas. Colors of red were used throughout the living room. The table, covered with a white cloth, held a red crystal ball, "kissing balls" were in other parts of the house. In the den, a floor size Santa and Frosty, The Snow Man, dominated the scene. Christmas decorations in different color schemes were in each bedroom and bathroom.

Fowler Home
The entrance to the lovely new home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fowler in Lakeview, was through a blue covered door with a red and green Christmas wreath. A Nativity scene, lighted by blue candelabra, filled one end of the living room. A very modern tree stood in front of the picture window. It was flocked in blue and trimmed with pink velvet balls. Other arrangements carried out the blue and pink theme. The dining table was covered with a white felt cloth and held traditional green and red arrangements. Apples, piled high on an epergne,

marked the entrance to the den, where glowing firelogs lighted the beautiful mantel. A really festive touch was added in the utility room which held a miniature Christmas tree and a huge Santa Claus.

Clements Home
Santa on the roof and gay choral singers in the front yard designated the last home on the list, that of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Clements, where a color scheme of gold, avocado, and orange was carried out. The lovely double doors opened on a scene of beauty and gaiety. The huge front window held a white flocked tree with gold ornaments. Lighted sprays of gold leaves were scattered above the mantel. In the play room was a gold and white piano and other gold arrangements. A Christmas mural marked the stairway to the upper floor, where each bedroom carried out a different color theme: gold and white, red and green, and all blue.

In the dining room, a scenic mural on one wall enhanced the beauty of the tea table which was covered with an avocado linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of white carnations. Crystal appointments were used on the tea table, with touches of orange and white. Members of the Delphian Club were stationed in each home to assist conducting the tour.



New Arrivals
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bradshaw of Portland, Ore., announce the birth of twin daughters, born on Nov. 25. They weighed 2 pounds, 15 ounces each and have been named Dorenda and Doretta. Mrs. Bradshaw is the former Quida Massey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.



TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS TREE—Mrs. R. C. Clements of Lakeview pauses for a moment beside the lovely flocked tree trimmed with gold ornaments that greeted guests as they arrived at the Clements home Sunday afternoon. The tree stood before the large picture window in the living room and the end of the room lighted sprays of gold leaves were scattered above the mantel. Tasty refreshments were served in the dining room from a table laid with an avocado linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of white carnations.

Alvin Massey, now of Dumas but formerly of Memphis.
The house cat is believed to be a cross between the sacred cat of Egypt and the European wildcat.
Mr. and Mrs. William W. Cheatham of Turkey are the parents of a son, Verlas Brett. He was born on December 12 and weighed eleven pounds and eight ounces.
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By **WALTER ROGERS**
Representative, 18th
Congressional District



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The greatest weapons for mankind's developing are the telephone and radio. Just as neighbors must be able to communicate with each other in order to understand each other, so must the peoples of the world. In the dramatic advances being made in world-wide communications systems lies one of the best hopes for future progress and understanding.

The efforts of American enterprise we are making to lead in linking the world more closely together. Our genius made possible the transatlantic cables now in space, providing relays for transoceanic signals of every kind. The "Comsat" program, which has led to similar developments in undersea communications, is now being extended to Hawaii, to Puerto Rico. Recent developments in the Bell System have made its own private agreements with foreign nations involved. Our government is not a party to these agreements. Our taxpayers do not subsidize the system. As new communications nets reach out to bind the world together, to developed and underdeveloped countries and continents, all Americans and all peoples are the beneficiaries.

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Meanwhile, Bell scientists are perfecting other remarkable communications products. Undersea transistORIZED cable now being developed will provide capacity not only for 720 simultaneous voice transmissions but also for television signals. Our imagination also is challenged by experiments to develop high-speed data transmission at rates close to one-and-a-half million words per minute—a rate so fast that the King James Version of the Holy Bible could be transmitted in less than one minute. Western Electric Company scientists estimate that by 1969 fully 81 percent of communications products being manufactured will be entirely new as compared with those being made 10 years earlier. Such is the pace of development.

It is important to remember that these advances are being made by private American business—not by government. The Bell System in its transoceanic cable operations has made its own private agreements with foreign nations involved. Our government is not a party to these agreements. Our taxpayers do not subsidize the system. As new communications nets reach out to bind the world together, to developed and underdeveloped countries and continents, all Americans and all peoples are the beneficiaries.

Farm Outlook For 1965 Shows Little Change

The overall agricultural outlook for 1965 takes on a complexion pointing to an increase in demand as well as an increase in supply of farm products. Farm prices and incomes, however, are expected to remain relatively stable.

Markets for farm products on the home front will continue to expand due to economic growth, rising consumer incomes and population growth, reports John McHaney, Extension economist, Texas A&M University.

Looking to the foreign market, agricultural exports in fiscal 1964-65 are anticipated to continue at a high level, though somewhat below the record-setting total of \$6.1 billion last year. This total was 20 percent above the previous two years.

Producers of agricultural commodities, however, will still be confronted with large supplies of farm and ranch products, says the economist. Both livestock and crop production are expected to increase slightly, while carryover stocks remain large, particularly for grains and cotton.

With the large supply of farm products, little hope prevails for an increase in average prices received by farmers. While little change is foreseen in livestock product prices, crop prices will probably be slightly lower in 1965.

McHaney estimates the total gross income realized by all farmers and ranchers will maintain the level of the past two years. This income includes cash receipts, government payments and non-money income. Furthermore, only small increases in production expenses are in prospect as compared with increases in recent years.

Farm assets during 1964 are anticipated to increase more than

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Christmas Season Puts More Fire Hazards in the Home

The Christmas season is indeed a happy one, but few people realize the added fire hazards their home contains during this time of the year.

The Christmas tree, center of all the pretty decorations and the main attraction can be one of the principal hazards if certain precautions are not taken, warns W. B. Hooser, Hall County Agent.

A freshly cut tree should be selected just a few days before Christmas. Cut the base of the tree diagonally and keep it submerged in water or wet sand. Locate it away from fireplaces, powerful electric lights, radiators or other sources of heat.

Use only Underwriters Laboratories approved lights for the tree. Inspect lights which have been used for frayed cords and damaged sockets, advises the County Agent. Avoid overloading electrical circuits with additional lights, toys and appliances.

Using non-flammable decorations greatly reduces the fire hazard. Turn off the tree lights when retiring or leaving the house. Discard the tree when its foliage begins to dry and shed. And don't allow package wrappings to accumulate under the tree.

This is also a time for smokers to take special precautions, Hooser points out. Extra care should be taken with cigarettes, cigars and pipes around all flammable materials.

Observance of these few rules can result in a safer and happier holiday season for the whole family.

three percent, due mainly to rising land values. Farmers' debts, though, continue to rise, says McHaney and there will be a greater need for farm credit for acquiring land and capital goods in the coming year.

For the U. S. as a whole, farmers' liabilities are likely to increase to about 16.4 cents per dollar of total assets on January 1. This compares with a rate of 15.7 cents a year earlier and 9.5 cents in 1950.

Mrs. Sarah Kilgore New Noble Grand Of Rebekah Lodge

Mrs. Sarah Kilgore has been named Noble Grand of the Memphis Rebekah Lodge No. 346. Others elected to serve with her to make up the official staff for 1964-65 include Mrs. Emma Stevens, vice grand; Estelle Barber, secretary; Marguerite Smith, treasurer; Mona Robertson, secretary.

Mrs. Edna Merrill was selected as a representative to the Assembly to be held in Dallas in March and Mrs. Marguerite Smith was named as the alternate.

Other officers will be appointed at the next meeting, Mrs. Kilgore stated.

Plans were made to hold the annual Christmas party and tree on December 21. Gifts will be exchanged.

Mrs. L. V. Hood Dies In Abilene

Mrs. L. V. Hood, 84, sister of Mrs. Julia Smith, died unexpectedly at her home in Abilene at 1 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 6, after an apparent heart attack. She had not been in ill health.

Mrs. Hood had lived in Abilene since 1930. The former Mamie Helen Hutchenson, she was born Aug. 7, 1880 and was married to Mr. Hood at Gail in 1904.

She was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

Surviving, other than her sister here, are her husband of Abilene; three daughters, Mrs. Alma Lane and Mrs. Opal Warren, both of Abilene, and Mrs. Winnie Lee of Corona, Calif.; one son, Roscoe of Raton, N. M.; and three sisters, Mrs. Irene Clark of Cleburne, Mrs. Lola Miller of Snyder, Mrs. Ellen Cox of Hart; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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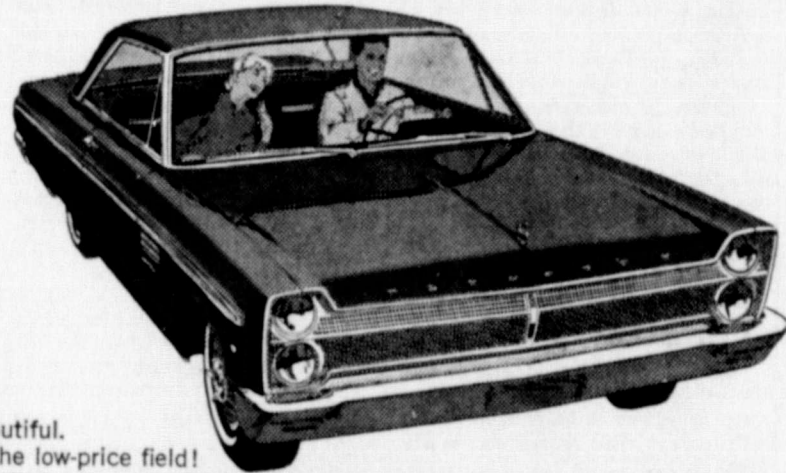
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MEMPHIS DEMOCRAT



HENRY STONEHAM

Henry Stoneham Moves Here To Work With SCS

Henry Stoneham, a native of Killeen, is the new soil conservationist presently employed with the Hall County SCS here, Bob Gordon announced this week. He moved to Memphis this week.

Stoneham, who is married and his wife, Becky, have two children, Trey, 4, and Tommy, 2, resides at 202 N. 10th Street. They are members of the Baptist Church.

He went to work for the Soil Conservation Service in June 1958 and has served at Lockhart, Sinton and Rotan. He received his B. S. degree from Southwest Texas State College at San Marcos.

Stoneham is a graduate of Killeen High School.

Gordon stated that Stoneham is recognized as an outstanding conservationist. He was presented a cash service award from SCS for his outstanding performance in soil and water conservation in 1962 for his work with the San Patricia SCD during the 1961-62 year, Gordon explained.

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Memphis Cagers Compete In Childress Meet

The Memphis Cyclone leaves tonight for the toughest tournament in many years, and opens action against the Childress Bobcats at 9:30 p. m. The Bobcats are just one of many tough teams in the Childress tournament.

In conjunction with the A squad tournament, a B team tournament is being held, with Memphis B playing the Childress junior varsity at 8:40 this afternoon.

If the Cyclone defeats Childress, it will play the winner of the Quannah-Vernon junior varsity game at 9:20 Friday night. If the Cyclone loses tonight, then their next game will be at 12:30 Saturday.

The other four teams competing in the tournament include: Burk Burnett, Hollis, Quail and Shamrock, all good teams.

If the Memphis B team wins the first game, they will play the winner of the Hollis B and Childress B at 4:50 p. m. Friday. If they lose this afternoon, they play at 9 a. m. Saturday.

Coach Milton Miller said the tournament is one of the toughest he has seen, but the Memphis lads will do their best.

Next Monday night, the MHS teams travel to Sanford-Fritch for a return match. Then, Tuesday night, Memphis plays host to two teams from Paducah. First game begins at 6:30 p. m., it was announced.

Samnorwood Meet

After the Cyclone was defeated in the first round of the Samnorwood tournament, by Clarendon, 77 to 63, the Cyclone came back and won the consolation trophy, which is on display at Fowlers Drug.

Although Jim Odom hit 17 points and Hoot Jones hit 16 in the Memphis-Clarendon game, the local lads could not match the effort of Clarendon's Odell Smith who racked up 27 points and led his team to victory.

In the next game, against Shamrock B, the Cyclone rolled to an easy 89 to 59 victory. Four local lads hit in the double figures: Jim Odom 26, Hoot Jones 20, Larry Helm 14 and James Waites 14. Shamrock's Danny Taylor hit 21 points for his team.

In the consolation finals, Memphis downed Samnorwood 54 to 47. Odom led in scoring with 14, tying Kendrick of Samnorwood for high scorer. Jones hit 12 points and Waites 10. Winning the tournament was Shamrock, defeating Quail in the finals by six points.

Memphis-Turkey

The Turkey Turks battled Memphis to a 56 to 53 ball game at Turkey gym Tuesday night. Harvey Case was high point man in the game. The Turkey lad hit 19 points, while Jacky Young hit 11 for Turkey. Jim Odom scored 16 for Memphis while Larry Helm was second high with 10 points.

Although Memphis had a substantial lead in the first half, Turkey came back in the third quarter and made a ball game of the contest.

Graveside Rites To Be Held Friday For Hanvey Infant

Mary Jo Hanvey, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hanvey, Jr., died at 6:15 a. m. today (Thursday). She was born on December 16.

Graveside services will be conducted at 10:30 a. m. Friday at Fairview Cemetery with the Rev. Leroy Gaston, pastor of the Travis Baptist Church, officiating.

Cotton Harvest—

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to be 75 percent of the year's harvest total.

K. E. Voelkel, in charge of the Memphis Classing Office, stated that through Wednesday night, 79,000 samples had been classed compared with 138,000 samples on the same date a year ago.

"We are running all eight tables and two micronaire crews, and carried over about 5,000 samples, approximately one day's classing," Mr. Voelkel said.

When asked what percentage of the expected total had been classed, he stated that he estimates the office will class 180,000 samples this season and that approximately 45 percent has been received. "We're about half through is my estimation," he said.

Voelkel stated that as more machine harvested cotton is received the grade, staple, and micronaire readings get lower. The only bright picture is the Pressley instrument reflected that our cotton's fiber strength is still the highest of any in any active cotton harvesting area.

Last Week's Report

The USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service in Memphis reported that as stripper harvesting increased, the quality of cotton classed this week was lower than for any week this season.

Mr. Voelkel stated that 20,000 samples were classed during the week ending Friday, Dec. 11. This is the largest volume classed any week this season.

Based on samples classed this week, White grades decreased to 20 percent and Light Spotted and Spotted grades increased to 80 percent. Strict Low Middling was the predominate grade in the White cotton with 10 percent, and Middling Light Spotted prevailed in the Colored cotton with 36 percent.

The significant change in the staple length was the increase percentage-wise, in the lengths 29/32 inch and shorter. The predominant length was 15/16 inch with 74 percent. Other lengths were 29/32 inch and shorter—20 percent; 31/32 inch—5 percent; and 1 inch and longer—1 percent. A negligible amount of samples were classed as wasty.

The micronaire readings continued to decrease from the previous week, with 81 percent in the 3.5-4.9 category compared with 86 percent. Other readings were: percent; and, 5.0 and above, 4 percent. The increased harvesting of immature cotton attributed to the lower readings.

The fiber strength of the cotton tested by the Pressley instrument reflected the cotton of the Memphis classing office territory to rank higher than any other active harvesting section in the state. The most recently released Pressley results showed 51 percent of the cotton tested 85,000 and above (strong and very strong); 47 percent was 75,000-84,000 (average); and only 2 percent was 70,000-74,000 (fair).

Although prices declined somewhat from last week, the market was more active. The average prices paid for cotton mostly selling and having a mike reading of 3.5-4.9 were: Strict Low Middling, 15/16—27.25; Middling Light Spotted, 15/16—27.70; and Strict Low Middling Light Spotted, 15/16—26.65. These prices were based on uncompressed, mixed lots in warehouses.

Cottonseed prices advanced \$2.00 per ton at most gin points, and the farmer was receiving \$49 per ton during most of the week.

Arrangements are under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Surviving, other than the parents, are one sister, Robin Ann; and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Eppers of Hedley and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hanvey, Sr., of Memphis.

Turkey Miss—

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Memphis was Chapter President Durwood Wilkinson, Vice President and Dist. officer, Robert Maddox. Miss Gailley was escorted by Jerry Hall. Voting delegates from the local chapter were Mark Phillips and Jimmy Srygley. Other members attending were Neal Hughes and Lanny Crow. Mr. and Mrs. Neal Hindman also attended the banquet.

Doug Burgess received the honorary member degree from the District.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Patrick were in Dallas last week where Mrs. Patrick underwent a medical checkup.

Mrs. Grady Worthington underwent surgery in Baylor Hospital in Dallas last week. She returned home Sunday.

Local School—

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phs School System Tuesday after a request for his services was made by school officials. Mr. Ellis

is a qualified architect employed by the state to assist School Districts in evaluating facilities and for consultation.

After his inspection, an informal, unofficial meeting was held by those board members who could make it at noon Tuesday in the De Ville Restaurant. Mr. Ellis' official report is expected to arrive next month.

Mr. Doss stated that primarily the board was interested in the structural soundness of the present junior high and high school facilities, however, Mr. Ellis inspected all the buildings in the district and his report will cover them.

Textbook Committee

The board Monday night appointed a textbook committee which will recommend for adoption, books to be used in the Memphis Schools for the 1965-66 school year. New grade school books to be selected are: readers, grades 7 and 8; arithmetic, grades, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6; science, grades 7 and 8, and civil government, grade 8. Mrs. R. C. Lemons, Mrs. C. D. Morris, Mrs. Carrie B. King, Mrs. Linda Estes, Mrs. Clifford Farmer, Miss Zady Belle

Walker, Mrs. Wendell Harrison, Bert Glascock and Hubert Dennis were named to the committee.

High school books to be replaced included: biology, civil government, general business, driver education and safety, mathematics and Spanish III. Teachers named to the committee in high school were: James L. Lange, Milton Miller, Mrs. Homer Tribble, C. L. Chambliss, C. D. Bradshaw, Jr., and Mrs. Emily Hillhouse.

The committee will select a textbook from five recommendations by the state textbook committee.

The board, in other business, appointed a committee consisting of Supt. Doss, Board President Lawrence Kennon and Secretary Jack L. Rose, to look into the possible replacement of custodian living quarters at high school.

The board handled other routine matters before adjournment.



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