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## Judging To Be Held Fri., Sat., In Lighting Contest



Memphis citizens were asked to take note that judging in the Chamber of Commerce Christmas Lighting contest will be held this weekend, members of the committee said today. Judging for homes and businesses will be on Friday and Saturday night, Dec. 16 and 17.

All citizens are urged to keep their lights burning those two nights. Persons who have not yet decorated, but plan to enter the contest must have their decorations finished by Friday.

Prizes for the best decorated yard will be \$10.00 for first prize; \$5.00 for second and \$2.50 for third prize.

Prizes for the best decorated picture window will be the same as those for yards.

Business houses will receive red, white and blue ribbons. There will also be a number who will receive honorable mention.

Judges will be from out-of-town, members of the committee said.

Members of the committee include Mrs. Lottie Kinard, chairman; Dr. Roddy Rice, Dr. Jack Rose, E. E. Roberts, Minister Tom Anderson, Mrs. Bray Cook and Mrs. George Greenhaw; President Byron Baldwin and Secretary Clifford Farmer.



MISS GAYLE LANE

## Gayle Lane Is New FFA District Sweetheart

Miss Gayle Lane, 17-year-old Turkey High School senior, was elected Greenbelt Sweetheart over 11 other contestants at the Greenbelt District FFA banquet Monday night, Dec. 12, in Wellington.

Miss Lane will represent the Greenbelt District at the Area I convention to be held in Amarillo May 16. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lane of Turkey, Gayle takes an active part in all school affairs. She has been a cheerleader, a member and officer of the F. H. A. and was elected football sweetheart and F. F. A. sweetheart her senior year. She also was selected as the most popular girl during her junior year.

Also taking first place at the district banquet was the talent team from Turkey consisting of Rod Setliff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arville Setliff, Rod Adamson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Adamson, Jr., Rickey Moseley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Moseley, and Russell Barnhill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barnhill. This talent team will also compete at the Area I convention in May.

Others attending the banquet from Turkey were Roy Russell, J. R. Adamson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Lane and Jay Eudy.

Members attending were John Maxwell, Charles Lyles, District Sentinel Steve Guest and Chapter President David Fuston.

## Estelline Tax Bodies To Join In 10 Tax Suits

In a joint meeting, Monday, Dec. 5, the Estelline Independent School District and the City of Estelline voted to join in 10 tax suits in the amount of \$3,638.68.

According to attorney Marshall Sherwood, these suits will come up for trial in late January or early February. All property involved will then be placed on sale to the public after judgments are obtained.

Estelline cast 174 votes; 169

## County Hospital's Request For \$125,000 Is Granted

### Christmas Edition Will Be Published Dec. 22; Will Feature Santa Letters

On Thursday, Dec. 22, the annual Christmas Edition of The Memphis Democrat will be published.

In this issue will appear Christmas Greeting advertisements from business firms and individuals. The messages will be timely, and will show the sentiment of the advertisers at this season of the year, and many will convey a word of thanks for patronage during the past year.

Advertisers are requested to get their copy in early, as printing of the edition will be starting Saturday, Dec. 17.

Another feature of the edition will be the publication of Letters to Santa Claus. All boys and girls are urged to mail their letters, care of The Democrat, Box 190, Memphis. Remember: write the letters early. Late arrivals may not be published due to lack of space.

## Farmers Favor Quotas, Disapprove Check-Off

When the votes of the 1054 persons voting in the two referendums were counted Wednesday morning, Dec. 14, the final results were Hall County farmers approved the continuation of controls and the present program on cotton by 95.4 per cent.

Only 58.6 per cent approved the Research and Promotion, and was 79 votes short of the 66.7 per cent required for approval and 80 votes were improperly executed and could not be included in the total, Lynn L. McKown, office manager, Hall County ASCS, announced today.

The final vote by communities were as follows:

Lesley cast 179 votes: 164 for quotas and 15 against; 95 for research and 65 against; 10 M. Q. votes and 20 R. & P. votes disallowed.

Lakeview cast 172 votes: 163 for quotas, 9 against; 78 for research and 80 against; 12 M. Q. and 24 R. & P. were disallowed.

Plaska cast 89 votes: 85 for quotas and 4 against; 85 for research and 49 against; 12 M. Q. and 14 R. & P. votes disallowed.

Memphis cast 232 votes: 219 for quotas and 13 against; 97 for research and 118 against; 14 M. Q. and 27 R. & P. votes disallowed.

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Ben Parks, president of the Hall County Hospital Board, received notification early Monday from State Representative W. S. (Bill) Hearty of Paducah, that local hospital's application for \$125,000 allocation of Hill-Burton funds had been approved by the Texas State Department of Health.

The Hill-Burton funds will be matched by an additional \$125,000 which is money the hospital has received from donations and earnings since it opened its doors on Feb. 10, 1964.

The principal donation was given to Hall County Hospital by the late J. Claude Wells in memory of his wife, Pearl Wells, of \$50,000, for the purpose of building an additional wing.

President Parks said in making the announcement public, that citizens of Memphis and Hall County are indebted to Rep. Hearty and State Senator Jack Hightower of Vernon for their help in securing the state board's approval to the application.

"We made the application two years ago, and it had been passed over several times," Parks said.

**20 New Beds**  
Hospital Administrator Don Curl announced that plans are being made for the addition of 20 beds to the hospital during this enlargement program.

"We hope to have things ready so we can let the contract next March," Administrator Curl said. Being planned is a circular wing with 16 private patient rooms in it for general patient care. Also, an extension will be built on to the O. B. wing which will contain a delivery room, nursery and three additional rooms and beds.

Plans also call for the establishment of a two-bed intensive care unit in the hospital. Administrator Curl said the (Continued on Page 12)

**MEMPHIS**—Pictured above (right) is Congressman Bob Price as he visits the Memphis Cotton Classing office. Officer in charge, K. E. Voelkel, conducted a tour of the office for the Pampa Congressman and his party. Mr. Price spoke at the noon luncheon meeting of the Memphis Cotton Club. A coffee was held at 10:30 a. m. and he also visited the Postex Mills here after the meeting.

## Local Sponsors Of Watershed Meet Here Wednesday

The sponsors of the Lakeview Watershed project met last night at 7 p. m. in the Soil Conservation Service office in the courthouse in Memphis.

Paul Montgomery, chairman, explained that the purpose of the meeting was to review and approve eight new locations for flood water retarding structures in the Lakeview Watershed.

Henry Gregory, work unit conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service, explained to the group these possible locations for the structures and the conservation benefits.

James Abbott, assistant state conservationist from Temple and Wayne Chapman, area conservationist from Vernon, were present at the meeting.

Abbott told the sponsors that the Lakeview Watershed was one of the most needed projects in the State of Texas. He also informed the sponsors that the Soil Conservation Service would give priority to the Watershed for land treatment through the Great Plains Conservation Program.

The Lakeview Watershed is being sponsored by Soil and Water Conservation Districts of Hall and Donley Counties along with the Commissioners Courts and Water Control and Improvement District.

## Cotton Harvest Hits 32,567-Bale Mark This Week

Light snow, cold weather Friday of last week, halted the harvest of the 1966 cotton crop for a few days but more favorable weather this week allowed harvesting to get underway again.

As of this morning, Hall County has harvested 32,567 bales of cotton with the harvest continuing at a slower pace.

Ginners feel that the harvest is in the final stages with a predicted 35,000-bale crop almost a certainty. This is one of the lightest harvests since 1957.

K. E. Voelkel at the Memphis Cotton Classing office announced that cotton classed the week of Dec. 8 was lower in grade, staple length and micronaire. Late scrapping and the method of harvesting coupled with the damage done to late planted cotton and top crop by the hard freeze in early Nov. accounted for the lower quality, he said.

Voelkel is estimating the office will class in the neighborhood of 100,000 samples this season as compared with over 200,000 last year.



**FOOTBALL SWEETHEART**—Pictured above (center) is the Cyclone's 1966 Football Sweetheart Suzan Moreman, a MHS junior. She was crowned by Captain Bobby Carroll. Runners-up are (left) Suzette Smithee and (right) Lometa Pate. Miss Moreman was crowned at the Father-Son Banquet given by the mothers of the football players Monday night. The sweetheart was presented a crown, an autographed football and a gift. The runners-up were also given gifts.

## Suzan Moreman Is Football Sweetheart

The mothers of the 1966 football team honored their husbands and sons at a Father-Son banquet in the Community Center Monday night.

The banquet was well attended and one of the highlights of the year for the athletes of Memphis High for it is at this banquet

that the Football Sweetheart is crowned.

In special ceremonies Captain Bobby Carroll crowned Miss Suzan Moreman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moreman, 1966 Football Sweetheart. She was presented a crown, a kiss, a gift and a special autographed football to remember the occasion.

Runners-up for the honor are Miss Suzette Smithee and Miss Lometa Pate. Miss Smithee is a senior, while the Sweetheart and Miss Pate are both seniors.

Bill Combs, editor of The Democrat, presented three special awards to members of the team. These awards are Democrat selections of outstanding players on each year's team.

Receiving the "Outstanding Back" award was FB Kenneth Cornish who was cited for his fine running in the Post game and for his fine season average.

Cyclone Captain Willie Devorce who won all-district honors both ways, was awarded the "Outstanding Lineman" award by Editor Combs.

Possibly the most meaningful award given is the "Fighting Heart" award which goes to any player on the team regardless of position on offense or defense. HB Gary Rea who was the team's leading scorer and a real running and pass receiving threat on the squad received the "Fighting Heart" award. Rea, a 140-lb. fire ball on the field, is a junior and a fine athlete.

Everyone attending enjoyed a 30-minute film entitled "Southwest Conference Highlights for 1965," narrated by Kern Tipps which was in color and put out by Humble Company.

Supt. of Schools A. E. Greer (Continued on Page 12)

## Cyclone Wins Dist. Opener Here Tues.

Underdog Memphis Cyclone team under Coach Travis staged a beautiful quarter rally to upset the favored Abernathy Antelopes in first round of the District action in Memphis Gym.

The Cyclone rallied to a 63 to 57 victory over the Antelopes after the earlier leads slip and the third period end the score 41 to 41.

That impressed local fans so much in the final quarter was the hustle and desire of Memphis lads to gain and the lead with some real fine shooting by Tony Pounds Junior Graves and under the net play by Bobby Carroll and Wilson. Dwaine Jones did the job of ball handling throughout the game.

Bobby Carroll hit 19 points in game and made several fine plays, in leading the Cyclone. Outstanding for the visiting Antelopes was Tommy Hans who hit a high percentage of shots and scored 32 points in the game. The six-foot three-Hanley was also outstanding rebounds under both backboards.

The Cyclone will have its major test Friday night at Dimmitt when the Cyclone will go all out to try and upset the favored Bobcats.

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## Emil Schattel Named Supervisor Of Welfare Office

Emil Schattel of Estelline was recently assigned as the Hall County Supervisor of Public Welfare office here. Mr. Schattel replaces Mrs. Cleo Grimes who was transferred to the Childress office.

Schattel and his father, Walter P. Schattel of Irving, own and operate a ranch 5 miles southwest of Estelline. Mr. Schattel makes his home on the ranch. He moved from Dallas to Estelline about two years ago.

Employed as secretary with the office is Lois Pate, who has been with the local office for the past eight years.

Santa Claus says:  
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## EDITORIAL

### Crime Continues To Increase

The FBI Uniform Crime Reports disclosed this month that crime in the United States rose 10 per cent during the first nine months of 1966 when compared to the corresponding period in 1965.

Surprising as it might be to rural residents, crime in rural America increased just as much as crime in the large cities, a figure of nine per cent, while crime in the suburban areas continued to lead the upward trend in serious crimes with a 12 per cent rise.

In making the report, FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover stated the crime reports submitted voluntarily by law enforcement agencies nationwide disclosed violent crimes increased 11 per cent as a group. Individually, these crimes showed increases of eight per cent in murder, and 11 per cent each in forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault. The more voluminous property crimes of burglary, larceny \$50 and over in value and auto theft registered a 10 per cent increase as a group with burglary up seven per cent, auto theft 10 per cent, and larceny 12 per cent.

The United States has always had the criminal element to contend with and the citizens of our nation have, in past decades, conducted many wars on crime. Is there anything our citizens can do today to help check this tide of rising crime rates?

As citizens in a democracy, each of us have certain duties to perform. These duties are spelled out in our laws and serve as the instruments of our system of justice. As citizens, we are required to report all crimes, regardless of their seriousness, that we are eye witnesses to, and can be able to appear in court to tell the "truth". This takes real courage at times, because of the serious nature of the offense and the consequences. Just as important as crime reporting, is each citizen's responsibility to serve on juries, either grand or petit. Our legal system and system of justice is based on the belief that one accused of crime is to be tried by those of the same peer, who will decide the guilt or innocence.

One of the problems facing our nation today is the reluctance of many of its citizens to fulfill these duties and responsibilities. Many times, due to the reluctance of one individual to appear upon a witness stand, a criminal has gone free.

This, along with jurors who refuse to execute the duties of their offices, bringing about costly mistrials and other hindrances to the due process of law.

We read in our newspapers far too often of citizens standing aside while someone is killed, or a store is robbed, etc., and when the store owners will not testify. These actions weaken our nation and given encouragement to the criminal elements.

We are firm in the belief that a man is innocent until proven guilty, the right of trial by jury, and all the other rights. A solution to the rising crime rate will be found in greater co-operation between our law enforcement officials and the general public. If we, as citizens, do not tolerate crime, we will cooperate by reporting and serving.

### Holiday Safety Effort

Texas motorists are warned in advance by the Texas Department of Public Safety that one of the most intensive traffic safety efforts ever to be expended will occur during the Christmas holiday weekend. Making this promise is Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., DPS Director.

The DPS will be concentrating its efforts more than ever in an attempt to make sure that the indicated death toll of 47 persons is not reached. He said, "This year has been the most terrible in Texas history in terms of lives lost and property damage, and we are working with other state agencies and organizations interested in safety in order to hold down this toll as much as possible."

"Operation Deathwatch" will begin at 6 p. m. Friday, Dec. 23, and will continue through 11:59 p. m. Monday, Jan. 2. Indications for the New Year's period are that 36 persons will die in traffic accident. About 150 extra men from other services will be on highway patrol duty during this period.

This newspaper wants to join with all the agencies of the state government and safety agencies in urging driver to obey the traffic laws, drive carefully and defensively. Because in almost every accident one driver was in the right while the other was in the wrong.

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## ACROSS the DESK

What Other Editors Say

### Monday Holidays

What kind of Thanksgiving did you have this year? Was it leisurely and enjoyable? Did it give you an opportunity for calm reflection of the things you have to be thankful for?

Or were you hurried by the rush of a done-day trip to visit relatives and friends? Did the thought of returning to work the next day bother your digestion?

If you wished the holiday adjoined a week end, so as to provide a three-day holiday, you were not alone.

The U. S. Chamber of Commerce is plumping for a national standard for holidays, making all of them, except Christmas and New Year's Day come on a Monday so as to make a three day weekend out of it.

A national survey by the USCC showed that 85 per cent of the members responding to the query favored the general idea of observing Memorial Day, Thanksgiving, Independence Day, Veterans Day and Washington's Birthday on Mondays.

And as might be expected, more than 90 per cent of the business men said they thought the employees would like the change.

This newspaper would get a long better with Monday holidays, and that's for sure. When a holiday comes in the middle of the week, it is a tight fit to get the news gathered and the advertising sold and the paper produced in what is in most cases just one working day.

Changing the July 4 holiday so that falls on Monday may require some change in attitude, as well as changing May 30 Memorial Day to another date that comes on Monday.

But we feel that with a three day holiday hanging in the balance, enlightened people everywhere will go for it.

We will just have to wait and see what Congress does about it. —Ochiltree County Herald.

### Opposition To Ruling

Cotton producers of the Rolling Plains area appear to be gaining support for their right to plant in skip rows without being penalized.

Sen. Ralph Yarborough has taken a strong stand against the USDA order. So has Congressman Omar Burleson and George Mahon and Graham Purcell. This week, Bob Poage, who will likely become chairman of the House Agriculture Committee, leveled a strong blast at the ruling of the department which would penalize skip row planters not only for 1967 but also would reach back

two years to determine the penalty.

At their state convention last week, the Texas Farm Bureau adopted a resolution opposing the USDA order.

Despite all this opposition, the Department seems determined to go along with its announced plan. Cotton producers are being asked to appeal their allotments on an individual basis, the reasoning behind this being that maybe an overwhelming amount of opposition might bring a rescinding of the order.—Stamford American.

### YOUR COUNTY AGENT SAYS

December is a good month for collecting and submitting soil samples for testing, reminds County Agent W. B. Hooser.

At the present time, samples are processed as soon as they arrive at the laboratory and test reports are mailed within ten days. This schedule should benefit you since prompt service is an important requirement for an effective soil testing service, Hooser points out.

Sampling well in advance of planting offers the advantage of allowing time to obtain the fertilizers needed. In many instances, wet soil may be encountered during the winter and cause a delay in sampling, therefore, sampling now is advisable.

Shipping weight can be reduced by allowing the sample to dry a day or two at air temperature. Samples should not be heated since high temperatures cause potassium to be fixed in some soils in such a way that it cannot be removed by chemical procedures, Hooser advises.

"If reliable information is to be obtained from a soil test, it is necessary for the sample to be as nearly representative of the field on which information is desired as possible. To obtain a representative sample, a composite is made by obtaining a core or slice of earth from 10-15 spots in fields from 20 to 40 acres in size," Hooser says.

Pint boxes, mailing cartons, history sheets, and instructions are available from the county agent's office. Instructions for sampling should be studied and followed as closely as possible.

It is a good idea to go over these instructions with the county agent, especially if this is your first experience in collecting samples, Hooser advises.

### The Tax And The Cow

Farmers and ranchers who are having to liquidate or sell breeding livestock should remember the following tax regulations:

1. Drought Sales — If breeding herds are reduced below the usual number kept—because of drought—and a gain is realized on the sale, the income tax may be post-

poned or avoided on such "involuntary conversions" provided the amount received is re-invested in replacement breeding stock within one year of the close of the tax year in which the sale occurred. For example, if a herd was sold prior to December 31, 1966, replacements would have to be purchased on or before December 31, 1967.

2. Purchased Breeding Stock—Only one-half of the gain (sale price minus depreciable balance) realized from the sale of breeding stock held at least twelve months is taxed. Selling expense must also be covered before a gain is established.

3. Raised Breeding Stock—The entire sale price minus selling expense is subject to capital gains for raised breeding stock. That is to say, only half of the sale price, less any selling expense, is taxable.

4. Cow and Calf—The cow and calf sold as a pair must be assigned individual values. The sale of the calf produces ordinary income and the entire sale price is taxable. The cow is subject to capital gains treatment as discussed above.

Failure to keep accurate records on the sale of breeding livestock may mean a farmer will be paying twice the amount of taxes due. Time devoted to these records often reaps the farm or ranch manager his greatest returns per time invested of any of his activity.

### Rear View Mirror Is Safety Factor For Tractors

A rear view mirror on a tractor can save lives on the highway and will help the operator do more and better work in the field. Most motorists have at one time or another found themselves in a difficult situation because of a tractor driver who had no way of knowing about cars or trucks approaching from the rear except to turn at intervals and check the situation. The addition of a rear view mirror can change this situation so that the operator, by glancing at the mirror, knows what is behind him and can take corrective measures.

County Agent W. B. Hooser believes every tractor should be equipped with a rear view mirror, not only for safety purposes, but also as an aid to field work. And, he suggests, that one of the slow moving vehicle sign also be included on all tractors or equipment used on the highways.

A rear view mirror aids in viewing the operation of a trailing machine or equipment in the field. It makes the work easier and permits the driver to face forward at all times. This makes for a better job and greater safety.

It is rather difficult, concludes the county agent, to do a good job of driving while looking backwards. The addition of a rear view mirror can correct this situation and it could save a life—maybe your own.

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## Memories

### Turning Back Time

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**40 YEARS AGO**  
December 16, 1926  
While coffee drinking marathons hold the spot light Memphis is to share in the honors of attempting to produce the world's champion coffee guzzler, when Saturday, a coffee drinking contest will be held at the Draper Grocery in Memphis. . . .  
Memphis will have a business college soon, if the plans of Mr. H. F. Cook meet with the proper fulfillment. He is anxious to start the school early in January. . . .  
The telephone company is hanging cables over town to the new set of poles that have recently been put up. This work is being done preparatory to the installing the new system in Memphis. . . .  
Dear Santa Claus: I have been a good boy and I want a bicycle, a gun, a tool chest with twenty seven tools and a train. Arthur Gidden, Pliska, Texas. . . .  
Little Miss Ione Ballew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ballew of Memphis, is spending the week with her grandparents at Childress. . . .  
Deaf Smith county won first, Hall county second and Tarrant County third in the fifth annual poultry show at Amarillo which close Monday night. . . .  
The annual election of officers of the Estelline Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night, R. H. Whaley was re-elected president and R. L. Erwin secretary-treasurer; Dr. A. M. Shelton was elected vice president. . . .  
Miss Pauline Goodnight, who is teaching at Lakeview, spent the last week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goodnight. . . .  
Albert Ponder of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Jett Fore in this city Sunday. . . .

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Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stout Charlie Stout visited in Oklahoma City over the weekend with Stout's brother, H. J. Howell, with friends. . . .  
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Marine Lt. Col. H. E. B. son of Mr. and Mrs. Zach E. Estelline, conducted his inspection tour recently after command of the Air Support Squadron No. 2, a unit of the Marine Aircraft Wing at Kuni, Japan. . . .

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brock Thanksgiving with their daughter, Mrs. O. N. Dollar in Worth and their granddaughters, Mrs. George Feagles, Dallas and Mrs. Brock's twin sister, Mrs. Seth Cox in Kaufman. . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Wyley were in Frederick, Okla., to attend funeral services for Whitley's niece, Mrs. Snelling. . . .

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stout Charlie Stout visited in Oklahoma City over the weekend with Stout's brother, H. J. Howell, with friends. . . .

Connie Wooten was born with a surprise birthday party her 4th birthday given in home of her grandparents, and Mrs. S. M. Zeigler. . . .

Mrs. D. A. Neely recently returned from Denver, Colo., spending more than two weeks that city. She was called to her because of the death of sister, Mrs. Ethel Haase. . . .

20 YEARS AGO  
December 17, 1946

Among those from Memphis attending the Wellington-Phillips football game at Wellington Friday were M. C. Allen, Frank Foxhall, Ed Cudd, Chester Grimes, Dr. O. R. Goodall, Russell McClure, Gene Lindsey, Bobby Lindsep, O. M. Cosby, H. H. Montgomery, Myrtle Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Red Ward, Red Williams, O. B. Smith, Louis Saied, Irvin Johnson. . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Gene McBees of Pittsburg, Calif., arrived in Memphis Monday for a 12-day visit in the Panhandle with relatives and friends. They are visiting here with his father, Dr. J. A. McBees. . . .

Miss Barbara Wilson, student of Southwestern University at Georgetown, returned home last week to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson of Quail, until after the Christmas holidays. . . .

Dr. R. Ernest Clark, local physician, returned Wednesday, December 11, to resume his practice after a prolonged absence. . . .

Bryan Boone Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adams, who is employed as a civilian technician picture film technician the U. S. Navy photographic science laboratory, Washington, D. C. . . .

Mrs. Cecil Guthrie of Mahans arrived here yesterday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dennis. . . .

A reception for Rev. and C. R. Tension was held Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the First Baptist Church in the form of an old-fashioned "opnuding". . . .

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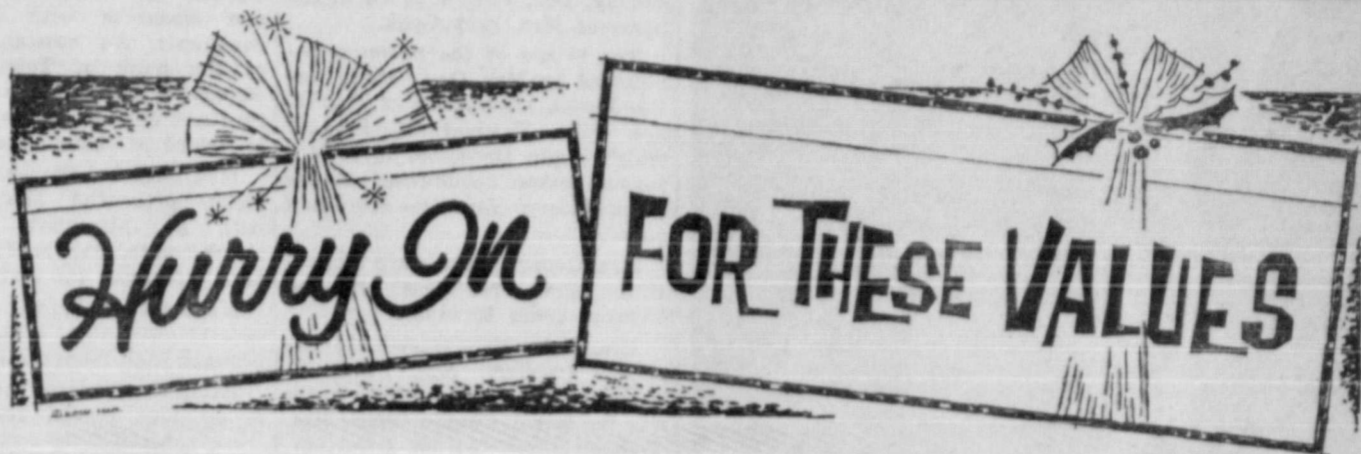


### Friendly Sewing Club Meets With Estelle Barber

The Friendly Sewing Club met in the home of Mrs. Estelle Barber Tuesday, Dec. 13, at 3 p. m. for its annual Christmas program and tree. Lina Young assisted with hostess duties. Mrs. Ruby Randolph was program chairman. Mrs. Katherine Hooks led the opening prayer. The Christmas Story from Luke 2 was read by Mrs. Sabra Rice following Mrs. Randolph who told the story "The Unexpected Christmas". Mrs. A. B. Jones then read "A Christmas Wish." The program was closed by Mrs. Larry Simpson who presented a reading "Our Prayer for the New Year." Gifts were exchanged from a beautifully decorated Christmas tree.

Lovely refreshments carrying out the Christmas colors were served to the following: Mrs. Alia Boswell, Katherine Hook, Jauline Wilson, Eula Moreland, Gladys Anthony, Amanda Simpson, Lucy Phillips, Ruby Randolph, Florene Yarbrough, Sabra Rice, Mrs. A. B. Jones, Mrs. W. E. Beckham, Mrs. W. W. Richards and the hostesses, Lina Young and Estella Barber.

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**ENJOYS CHRISTMAS PARTY**—Monday afternoon, after office hours, employees of the ADA Cotton Classing office enjoyed the annual Christmas party. Shown above standing in front of the refreshment bar are local women employed this season at the office. Shown left to right, Beverly Hutcherson, Joyce Crooks, Marilyn Whitten, Wanda Phillips, Sharon Wheatley, Louise Hatley, Franke Howard, Neil Rita Godfrey, Mildred Gidden, Nancy Studstill, Flo Henderson and Janice Davis.

### Holiday Pageant Present At Austin PTA Meet

The Christmas Heritage' was a holiday pageant presented by Russell's fifth grade at the meeting of Austin P-TA held Monday, Dec. 13, at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium.

Mr. R. H. Martini, unit president, welcomed the large crowd of members and guests. The invocation was given by the Rev. Jorgenson, pastor of the Baptist Church.

Mr. Clarence Morris, school principal, also welcomed the audience and invited them to tour the classrooms, where a lovely display of Christmas decorations was on display following the pageant.

Mr. Morris explained that the entire pageant, under the supervision of Mrs. A. L. Gailey, the work of the fifth grade students, including mimeographing, costumes, staging, and music.

The first scene of the pageant featured Mary and Joseph with Christ Child, and the announcement of the glad tidings to the shepherds by the angels. In the second scene, the Wise Men and King Herod of the birth and to present gifts to Baby Jesus.

The history of Christmas on

down through the years and the various dates on which it was observed were explained in the third scene. Various time periods were represented by students portraying Columbus, an Indian, General Washington, a Pilgrim, and a modern soldier.

The traditional Christmas that we know today was shown in the fourth scene. A lovely lighted Christmas tree by a fireplace created the setting for a group of carolers singing a medley of favorite carols. The closing song was "We Wish You a Merry Christmas."

Each scene was explained by readers and accompanied by appropriate Christmas music by the red-robed choir. Mrs. Ace Gailey played the piano.

Refreshments were served in the cafeteria following the program.

### Estelline Young Farmers To Meet Monday Night

The Estelline Young Farmers will meet Monday, Dec. 19, at 7 p. m. in the Estelline Vo-Ag building, it was announced this week.

A program will be given on Shur-Gro liquid cow feed and grinding and mixing grains and feed.

All persons who are interested in hearing the program are cordially invited to attend.

### Mrs. E. H. Stanford Cooks 69th Annual Christmas Dinner

Mrs. E. H. Stanford cooked and served her 69th consecutive Christmas dinner to members of her family on Friday night at her home, 503 North 14th Street.

Mrs. Stanford served the annual dinner on Friday night; however, her children who live in Abilene remained to spend the weekend.

The dinner menu this year included baked turkey and baked ham with all the traditional trimmings. The home was attractively decorated for the holidays and red candles were used to center the table.

Children enjoying the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tomlinson and Mrs. Helen McMurry of Abilene, L. W. Stanford and Mrs. Alvis Gerlach of Memphis. One guest, Mrs. B. D. Frisbie, was also present.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Bagley of Anchorage, Alaska, are enjoying a visit in Texas and have been recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Moore. The Bagleys are former residents of the Harrel Chapel community.

They moved to Alaska in 1952 and this is their second trip back to Texas since they moved.

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## Mrs. Erwin C. Oschner Is Guest Speaker At 1913 Study Club Meeting Wednesday

The 1913 Study Club met Wednesday, Dec. 7, at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Bray Cook.

The theme of the program announced by Mrs. O. L. Helm was the Jewish observance of Hanukkah (the Festival of Lights) which began December 8. It is a joyous season celebrating an ancient victory for freedom and peace.

Mrs. George Ferris gave a beautiful piano rendition of the "Theme from Exodus".

Mrs. Helm then introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Erwin C. Oschner of Amarillo, whose uncle was the late J. Claude Wells. Mrs. Oschner presented an entertaining and informative program on "Bringing the Desert to Flower." This included film and narration of two trips to the Holy Land, Syria and Iran made by her and her husband.

Mrs. Oschner told of the ill feeling between Israel and Jordan with each race having a reason for grievance. One of the outstanding landmarks shown was the dome of the Rock built over the place where Solomon's temple stood. Most of the Biblical places, as well as those connected with Jesus' life have been built many years ago on the site of the original building, according to Mrs. Oschner.

Her slides included the Garden tomb, the Wailing Wall, the

Church of the Holy Sepulchre, the Garden of Gethsemane, Jericho and Nazareth with interesting comments. An outstanding slide of the bank of Teheran, Iran, displayed fabulous jewels, furniture and chandeliers and contains one third of that nation's wealth.

Mrs. Herschel Combs, club president, presented Mrs. Oschner with an attractive Christmas sleigh containing artificial fruit, as a gift from the club.

Members enjoyed inspecting several mementos Mrs. Oschner brought back from the Holy Land.

After the business meeting, the group was served refreshments from a beautifully appointed tea table with Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard and Guy Smith presiding at the tea and coffee services. The table was centered with the Menorah, a candelabra used for the "Festival of Lights". Each day of the holiday one candle is lighted by the ninth or "lighter" candle.

Those present, other than the above mentioned, were Meses. Byron Baldwin, Virginia Browder, Ralph Williams, L. G. DeBerry, T. M. Harrison, Ed Hutcherson, D. L. C. Kinard, Joe Montgomery, Paul Montgomery, R. E. Roark, Gup Smith, M. G. Tarver, Gayle Greene, Carl Yancey, F. W. Foxhall, Miss Neville Wrenn and one guest, Mrs. B. M. Durrett.

## Delphian Club Meets Tuesday At Cousins Home

The Delphian Club met Tuesday, Dec. 6, at Cousins Home.

The "Unity of Faith" was the program topic. Mrs. Clara Barnes gave the meditation "Why Can't It Always Be Christmas?" This is the question of a small child who is thrilled by the fun and excitement, but grownups, thinking of all the preparation felt relieved that Christmas comes but once a year. The spirit of Christmas can be kept alive throughout the year. Should there be a reason for giving and receiving or not to always have a song of praise? We should keep aware of the reborn Christ within us by giving expression to His spirit of love, forgiveness, compassion and joy.

Five Stories from Five Faiths were presented by Meses. Abe Anisman, R. C. Clements, Clyde Smith, Mary Lockhart and Miss Maud Milam.

Mrs. Cyril Keith told of the Cheerful Holly Tree. It brightens the home with boughs, twigs and wreaths and is one of the oldest and happiest Christmas traditions. Holly is more than a decoration; it is a working tree. Its leaves, bark and wood serve useful purposes.

After distributing gifts to each presents to each resident of the resident of the home, the members adjourned to the home of Mrs. Mildred Stephens where they were served refreshments.

Those attending in addition to the above mentioned were Meses. C. C. Hodges, Sim Reeves, Jimmy Roden, F. A. Finch, Roddy Bice, Gaylen Ariola, one guest, Mrs. Etha Johnson, and the hostess, Mrs. Mildred Stephens.

## Shari Posey Is Party Honoree On 10th Birthday

A birthday party and hamburger feast was held on Saturday, Dec. 3, at noon at Odom's Restaurant honoring the tenth birthday of Miss Shari LaRae Posey.

Games of bingo were played by all. Those winning prizes were Diane Clayton, Debbie Collins, Lynnann Studstill and Patty Hamblin.

Delicious hamburgers, French fries and Cokes were served. Shari opened an array of lovely gifts. "Happy Birthday" was sung, candles blown out and a beautiful cake was served.

Party favors were given to the following who attended: Shari Davis, Debbie Collins, Patty Hamblin, Sally Brown Debbie Roden, Kathy Hall, Sheryl Greer, Diane Clayton, Connie Miller, Dana Coldiron, Debbie Gilbert, Jacqueline Tally, Caron Chambliss and Lynnann Studstill. Also attending were Shari's parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Marion E. Posey, MariAnn and Kari.

## Kathleen Beck Is Bride Of Steve Ray Farley

Miss Kathleen Beck and Steve Farley, both of Turkey, exchanged wedding vows November 26 at 8 p. m. in the home of the groom's parents in Turkey. Jess Brown officiated.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Beck of Turkey. Mr. and Mrs. Bun Farley are the groom's parents.

Both the bride and groom attended Turkey School. He is employed at a hardware wholesale in Amarillo.

## Fire Department To Hold Annual Xmas Party Monday

The Memphis Volunteer Fire Department will hold its annual Christmas party at 7 p. m. Monday, Dec. 19, in the Community Building. It was announced last week.

The party is for members of the department, their families and special guests. All members urged to attend.

## Mrs. Steve Farley Is Honoree At Bridal Shower

The home of Mrs. Claud W. in Turkey was the scene of a bridal shower for Mrs. Steve Farley Saturday, December 10.

Guests who called between 10 and 5 p. m. were greeted by hostess and presented to the ceiling line which consisted of honoree, Mrs. Bun Farley, Pat Beck and Mrs. Everett Beck.

The serving table was decorated in the Christmas motif. It laid with a white cloth which featured red and green bows, silver and red canes. An arrangement of poinsettias centered the table. Presiding at the table were Meses. C. M. Conner, B. Holcomb, Floyd Gilmore, and E. D. Richmond.

Hostesses for the occasion were Meses. Mick Maupin, Floyd more, E. D. Richmond, C. M. ner, Claude Wilson, H. E. lin, Jr., Reona Holcomb, Lane, John Lane, Jack Preston Mosley, Roy Genard, Leroy Stone, and Woods.



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## Barbara Carpenter Becomes Bride Of Lynn Hancock In Pasadena Ceremony

Miss Barbara Carpenter became the bride of Lynn Hancock in a candlelight ceremony Nov. 25 at the Sunset Methodist Church in Pasadena. Rev. Grady W. Earl performed the ceremony before an altar banked with candles and white roses.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Howard Carpenter, Sr., of Pasadena. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Hancock of Pasadena and he is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde E. Morris and Mrs. Isaac P. Hancock, all of Memphis.

Nuptial music was provided by Mrs. Martha Williams and Peggy Kincannon, soloist.

### The Bride

Escorted down the candlelit aisle by her father, the bride wore an exquisite gown of white de-lustered satin and French chantilly lace, an original by Marie. It was created with a portrait neckline of scalloped lace and long traditional sleeves ending in petal points over the hands. The sculptured bodice was overlaid in lace, and a self fabric bow accented the waistline in the back.

The soft A-line skirt was elaborately applied in lace, reaching to the hemline, and a beautiful formal train repeated the lace motif and was attached at the waistline. Her veil of silk illusion was held in place by a crown of scalloped lace, with the lace design traced in seed pearls. The bridal bouquet was a cascade formed of Phalaenopsis orchids.

### Attendants

Susan Lee attended the bride as maid of honor, and Sheryl Carpenter, Sandra Kinney and Jeri Taylor were bridesmaids. The at-

tendants wore formal gowns in shades of American beauty and pink, fashioned with an empire bodice of American beauty brocades. The soft slender crepe skirt was in a soft shade of pink. Fashion interest was achieved by a coat effect, accented with a self fabric brocade bow at the shoulder.

Their accessories were in matching shades, and they carried bouquets of long stemmed roses. Stephanie Carpenter was flower girl and Kirk Lowe was ring-bearer.

The groom was attended by Bobby Morris as best man, and Bobby Brown, Mike Smyri and Donald Carpenter as groomsmen. Ushers for the ceremony were Eldon Bagget, Fred Raby, Leslie Hancock and Earl Carpenter.

### Reception

The reception that followed the ceremony was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

The tables were covered with floor length lace clothes and the groom's table was laid with a brown cloth and decorated with a black silk top hat and cane.

The bride's cake was of four tiers, decorated with the traditional bride and groom. The guest book was on a table adorned with a rice tree covered with small bags of rice.

Punch was served from a silver bowl on a table decorated with silver candelabra. The bride's bouquet and her attendant's flowers rested on this table during the reception.

Denita Logan, Pat Stevens, Pattie Ryan, Marsha Brittan, Judy Liles and Deborah Carpenter served in the house party.



GUEST SPEAKER—Mrs. Erwin Oschner of Amarillo, shown above at the left, and Mrs. Herschel Combs, president of the 1913 Study Club, are inspecting the Cross of the Crusades which is one of the mementos Mrs. Oschner brought home from a tour of the Holy Lands. Mrs. Oschner showed colorful slides of the Holy Lands and gave an interesting narration at the 1913 Study Club meeting last Wednesday, Dec. 7. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Bray Cook.

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## Atalantean Club Enjoys Xmas Tea Wednesday, Dec. 7

The Atalantean Club members enjoyed a Christmas Tea Dec. 7 in the home of Mrs. J. W. Caspedge with Miss Gertrude Rasco serving as co-hostess.

Yuletide decorations were noted throughout the entertaining rooms. The beautifully appointed tea table featured a Santa in a sleigh which held favors for the group.

Mrs. Milton Beasley, Jr., president, presided at the tea service. She also presided during the meeting and introduced Mrs. W. R. Scott, program chairman.

Following the invocation led by Mrs. K. B. Chick, Mrs. Scott introduced the program, "The Christmas Pearl of Charity" by reading Matthew 13:46: "Who, when he found one pearl of great price, went and sold all he had and bought it."

Mrs. Scott introduced Miss Imogene King, who gave the program for the afternoon, "Pearl of Great Price."

Mrs. Bryan Adams, stocking project chairman, stated the club members had donated food which will be given to needy families.

An exchange of gifts from a beautifully decorated tree highlighted the social hour.

Members present other than those mentioned above were Mmes. Earl Allen, Morris Davis, W. C. Dickey, Bob Douthit, H. B. Estes, N. A. Hightower, Roy Jewel, Cecil McCollum, Glynn Thompson, C. W. Kinslow, and Myrtis Phelan.

Refreshments of sandwiches, fruit cake and coffee were served to the following members: Mmes. E. L. Moore, Stella Phillips, Bessie Shackelford, Wilda Trent, Viola Hodges, Lucille Jarrell, Jewel Carter, Mary Elkins, J. J. Palmer, Amy Scott, the teacher, Mrs. Johnny Myers, and one guest, Mrs. L. G. Rasco.

Miss Jone Ward is visiting in Dallas this week with her uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brumley.

## Club 51 Celebrates Christmas Supper In Hutcherson Home

Club 51 celebrated their Christmas supper Thursday night in the beautifully decorated home of Sue Hutcherson.

Gifts were exchanged and a delicious supper of turkey with all the trimmings was served.

The following members were present: Dixie Wynn, Bess Yarbrough, Mary Johnson, Flo Branigan, Jancie Lockhart, Ollie Simmons, Betty Rose, Nelrita Godfrey, Ann Richards, Kathryn Jones, Owen Lindsey, Cleon Burlison, Gladys Grice, Lenora Woods, Jo Carmen and the hostess, Sue Hutcherson.

## Gleaners SS Class Has Annual Christmas Party

The Gleaners Sunday School Class met Thursday, December 8, in Fellowship Hall at the Travis Baptist Church for their annual Christmas party.

The president, Viola Hodges, welcomed the members and one guest. The opening prayer was led by Mrs. John Myers.

Mrs. L. G. Rasco then presented a musical program which included "Christmas Prelude", "The Angel That Spoke", "The Rebirth of Christmas Joy", and "Christmas Fantasy".

Before opening the gifts from the tree, the class sang Christmas carols. Each member also brought a gift for a needy family to be given at Christmas.

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## Around and About

By HELEN COMBS

Holiday parties are becoming more numerous this week as the Christmas season draws near. Most church classes, and clubs and organizations, hold annual Christmas parties with gift exchanges. It's always interesting to see the many gifts that can be purchased in Memphis for \$1.00 or \$2.00. We are actually amazed each year at the attractive gifts when the packages are opened at the parties we attend.

A delightful social of Friday evening was the Christmas open house given by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis at their new home. Their home was beautifully decorated for the Christmas season. Holiday "goodies" along with coffee and punch were served from attractively laid tea tables.

Most everyone was there it seemed and all the gentlemen looked handsome and the women pretty in their new Christmas dresses. But none more attractive than our charming hostess, LaVoy. The open house was a nice beginning for the holiday season.

Sunday afternoon, employees of Postex Mills enjoyed their annual Christmas party at the Community Center. Children of em-

ployees were delighted with their gifts, we heard down town Monday. Seemed the boys all received footballs and the girls fitted overnight cases. Of course, there were bags of other toys for the smaller children.

Monday afternoon, employees of the USDA Cotton Classing Office paused from their work long enough to enjoy a gift exchange form their decorated thistle weed Christmas tree . . . yes, you'd be surprised what the girls turned out with a little spray and decorations. The tree was beautiful and the party fun. Lee Voelkel, wife of the manager, Kermit Voelkel, furnished the delicious refreshments which included three kinds of home-made candy and cookies.

Speaking of Christmas, we are sure Mrs. E. H. Stanford must hold the record for the most Christmas dinners cooked in this whole area. When she served her family a Christmas dinner Friday night this made her 69th consecutive year to cooked a Christmas dinner for her family. All the food this year, as in the past, was cooked by Mrs. Stanford without any assistance.

Due to an invitation from our friend Tomie Potts, we were privileged to attend Rotary Club Tuesday and enjoy the program brought by Kermit Voelkel, man-

ager of the USDA Cotton Classing office in Memphis, Frankly, we decided the cotton industry has advanced a long way since we lived on the farm a few short years ago—well, they do seem short to us! Seems farming has progressed along with the times and it really takes some know-how in order to be an efficient farmer today. Recently when we spoke of sledding cotton, our husband pointed out that we'd better be careful . . . today they strip cotton and sledding has been out-moded years ago.

Glenn Shelton, in his column in the Wichita Falls Record News, related an intriguing Christmas legend from South of the Border which we thought interesting. It pertains to the beautiful Christmas flower, the poinsettia. The story goes that a small girl was weeping at the door of an adobe but when an angel appeared to her. "Why are you crying little girl?" asked the visitor. "Because I have nothing to take to the Christ Child on Christmas eve to show Him my love," sobbed the maiden. "Gather an armful of these weeds growing by the roadside," instructed the angel, "and when you come to the altar, place them by the crib." The legend says the church was ablaze with lights on Christmas eve when the girl arrived with her armful of weeds. When she placed the weeds among the flowers, she bowed her head in silent adoration.

As her head was bowed, the little girl heard a gasp of delight from all parts of the great church, and as she raised her eyes she saw, to her astonishment, the weeds she had placed at the altar had become a bower of the most beautiful scarlet flowers. Since then, according to the legend, the poinsettia has been the Christmas flower, and the green and the red of this flower, the Christmas colors.

## Lakeview PTA To Meet Monday

The Lakeview Parent-Teacher Association will meet Monday, Dec. 19, at 7:30 p. m. in the Grade School Auditorium.

Mrs. Payne's first grade class will present the program. Parents and other interested friends are cordially invited to attend the program.

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# Bearettes Win Silverton Tour.

The Estelline Bearettes kept their winning streak going by defeating the girls team from Quitaque in the finals of the Silverton Basketball tournament 43 to 41 in an exciting contest decided in the closing minute of play.

The Bearettes, led by Cherri Rapp with 18 points, found the Quitaque girls a real threat, which shows a real race shaping up in the district girls race next week when district play gets underway.

This is the second tournament trophy for the Estelline girls as they make plans this week to enter the toughest tournament on their schedule, the Clarendon Invitational.

In capturing the Silverton championship, the Estelline girls defeated Matador girls 59 to 27 in the opening round. Anne Rapp

scored 27 points to lead the Bearettes scoring while Matador's Carol King and Shelley Stevens had 11 points each.

In the second round, the Bearettes defeated the Turkey Turkettes 55 to 40. Cherri Rapp had 40 points while Karen Arnold had 21 points for Turkey.

In other opening action, the Turkey girls defeated the Kress girls 44 to 39 with Turkey's Kathy Wedge hitting 23 points to lead the Turkettes to victory.

Estelline's boys lost to Matador in the opening round 67 to 28. Jimmy Adcock hit 14 points for Estelline.

The Turkey boys defeated Hedley boys 42 to 39 in the opening round. Rod Mullins had 15 points while Hedley's David Spiers and Tony Winn had 10 points each.

In the second round, the Silverton Owls defeated the Turkey Turks 56 to 52 in a hard fought contest. Turkey led at halftime 31 to 23. Rod Mullins had 17 points.



**HIGH YIELD** — Pictured above are Cap Orcutt of Childress, Elam Orcutt of Estelline and Gus Orcutt of the Deep Lake area, as they harvest the Cap Orcutt farm near Parnell. This farm had eight and one half acres of dry land cotton which yielded 11 bales when harvested last week. Elam and Gus operate the farm. In a season of poor yields in many areas, this was one of the best that has been reported this season.

## Harmony Club To Present Noted Pianist In Feb.

George Eason, pianist with the faculty of West Texas State University, will give a benefit program for the Harmony Club Scholarship fund on February 3 at 3 p. m. in the Community Center. Mrs. John Chamberlain, publicity chairman, announced this week.

Tickets are now on sale and can be purchased from all Harmony Club members. Admission is \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for students.

The program scheduled to be given in Memphis is one of a series of cultural programs being sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in its Panhandle Culture movement, according to John Ben Shepherd, president of the organization.

Mrs. Chamberlain said Memphis is fortunate to have such a talented musician as Mr. Eason to come to Memphis.

## Mrs. Jimmy Hartsell Signs Contract With Banner Record Co.

Mrs. Jimmy Hartsell has signed a seven year contract with Banner Records company of Lubbock, her mother, Mrs. Dutch Wheeler, said this week.

Mrs. Hartsell has been signed under the name of Wendy Dawn with Bill Crawford as her manager. Immediate plans call for Mrs. Hartsell to appear on a Lubbock TV program each Sunday morning. She was also in Lubbock recently to sing at a company banquet.

Mr. Crawford feels that Mrs. Hartsell has a promising in the music field, especially in religious hymns and country music, her mother said.

Mrs. Hartsell is the former Dorothy Wheeler. She began her singing career while still attending Memphis High School. She was signed with Banner Records after a talent scout heard her sing in Memphis a few weeks ago.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Wheeler, Mrs. Hartsell and her husband have three small children.

## BRICE

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Burgess and children went Sunday to Shamrock where they visited her mother, Mrs. Parish.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Paschall and Pam visited Sunday in Amarillo with the Bill Paschalls.

J. C. Johnson, who has been hospitalized after having his hand caught in a cotton stripper, returned home Tuesday and is reported to be doing fine.

Mrs. C. V. Murff, Mrs. T. H. Gattis, Mrs. J. C. Johnson and Mrs. Ralph Grady, Jr., were Amarillo visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Max Johnson and children shopped Saturday in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Salmon are visiting their daughter, Gay Lynn and husband in Los Angeles, Calif.

Wayne Rexrode and Everett Anglin of Clarendon visited here Tuesday with Starr Johnson.

We are sorry to report that Merle Lemons is at the Memphis hospital.

The Earl Thomases had a weekend guests their son, Johnnie, and his friend, Wes Waylon, both students at West Texas State.

Mrs. Z. L. Salmon, Mrs. O. B. Rapp and Mona Churchman of Clarendon were Amarillo business visitors Thursday.

## Congressman-Elect Bob Price Speaks Here Wednesday To Local Lions Club

Congressman-elect Bob Price of Pampa was guest speaker at the weekly meeting of the Memphis Lions Club Wednesday. Approximately 100 members and guests were present.

Prior to the noon luncheon, Price was a guest of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and local friends at 10:30 in the Community Center at a coffee in his honor. He spoke briefly to about 50 men and women who attended the gathering.

At 11:30 o'clock, he visited the Memphis Cotton Classing Office, where Kermit E. Voelkel, officer in charge, conducted a tour of the laboratory for Price and his party, and explained the method of classing and grading cotton which the crew is doing for this 12-county area.

As part of the Lions Club program, President Dick Fowler introduced Voelkel, who spoke briefly about the operation of his office here, and named for the benefit of Price 15 to 20 men who were present as being vitally interested in cotton as farmers, ginners, etc.

Price was introduced by Wayne Goodrum, district manager of General Telephone Company and is serving as program chairman for the club during December. Goodrum said that the congressman-elect will assume his duties in Washington early in January.

The guest speaker immediately pointed to the problem facing the nation, saying, "We have an obligation in Viet Nam. It is our No. 1 problem. If we are there to win, why haven't we destroyed the industries in North Viet Nam? Russian and Chinese ships are steaming through the U. S. Navy, delivering supplies to the communist. Why should we continue to permit this?"

He criticized the Supreme Court, in a recent decision which he cited, for allowing the communist of this nation to be a political party. He then asked his audience, "What does the future hold in Thailand? Will American soldiers be fighting there in the near future? Let's realize that the war in Viet Nam is costing our nation two billion dollars a month."

Price then commented on domestic problems, and asked the question, "How are we going to manage our huge national debt? Who is going to pay it off? A change must be made in Washington. We must bring more stability to our spending programs."

The congressman-elect blasted the Foreign Aid program, pointing specifically to counterpart funds which remain in the nations where billions have gone.

"We need to eliminate the Job Corps program," he said, adding facts and figures to substantiate his statement. He then made a plea for a balanced budget for the nation.

He charged his audience with exerting more leadership in helping to bring more industries to the Panhandle. "We need to get more industries in our district. The future may well depend upon these added payrolls," he said.

The speaker placed special emphasis upon water conservation, saying, "We must do more in this area. The time is now. We need to start planning the construction of more dams to keep our water in the Panhandle. We are behind in this as compared to our neighboring state of Oklahoma and others. Water is important. We need to start moving forward on this immediately."

He then turned to farming and discussed for several minutes the

problems, as he saw them, which is facing agriculture today. "We have lost our world markets for our cotton. The government program in past years has given much of our production to the manufacturers of synthetic fibers. Something must be done. We have shown other countries, like Mexico, South America and others, how to grow cotton. They can produce it cheaper than we can, and we must face this problem. In my opinion, the administration is out to destroy the American farmer. They want to bring this about to make this a complete socialistic country. We must wake up and 'go to bat' for ourselves if we are to survive as farmers. The farmers are losing out in lobbying at Washington. Their voice is not as loud as it once was. This should receive your attention," Price said.

In conclusion he stated, "political parties come second in my thinking. There are too many things which must be done. We must join and do something to check the tide. Our taxes are too high. As long as we stand for it, our taxes will increase."

## FW&D Railway To Discontinue Passenger Trains

Following approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission last week, the Fort Worth and Denver Railroad has announced discontinuance of passenger trains Nos. 1 and 8 between Dallas-Ft. Worth and Denver, effective with the trains leaving these terminals on Dec. 15.

The trains are operated jointly by the FW&D and its Denver-based affiliate, the Colorado and Southern.

This change will leave one passenger train in each direction daily between Dallas-Fort Worth and Denver, designated as the Texas Zephyr. The Northbound train will leave Dallas at 1:35 p. m., Fort Worth at 2:50 p. m., and arrive Denver at 7 a. m. Southbound, the train will leave Denver at 8 p. m. and arrive Fort Worth at 3:55 p. m. and Dallas 5 p. m.

In announcing the cut in service, FW&D officials emphasized that the remaining trains will be operated with modern stainless steel equipment, providing chair car, Pullman and dining car service.

**Local Depot**  
Station Agent E. Chavez of Memphis announced this week that effective Dec. 17, new office hours will be observed at the Memphis Depot.

Because of discontinuance of Trains 1 and 8, new office hours for Memphis Depot will be 9:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m., Monday through Friday, 7 p. m. to 3 a. m. Monday through Friday. Saturday hours will be 9:30 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. to 9 p. m.

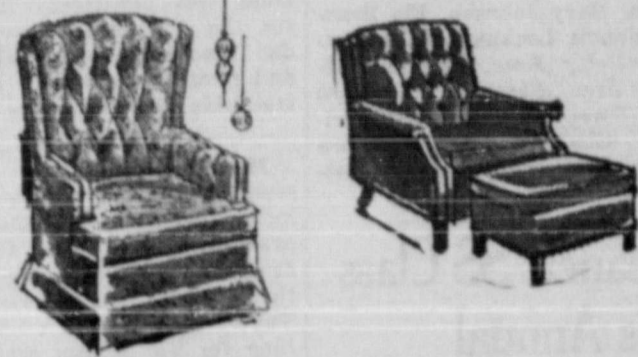
The depot will be closed on Sundays.

Train schedules for Trains 7 and 2 will remain the same, Mr. Chavez said.

Train No. 2 from Fort Worth to Denver will depart at 7:21 p. m. Train No. 7 from Denver to Dallas will run at 10:54 a. m. Agent Chavez said.

In recent hearings held by the Interstate Commerce Commission, railroad witnesses testified that trains 1 and 8 lost \$266,758 during the first six months of 1966.

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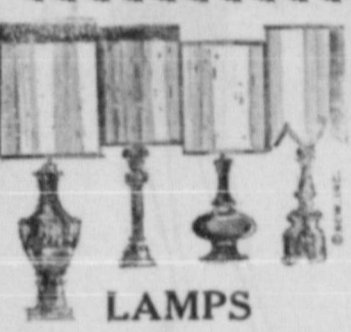
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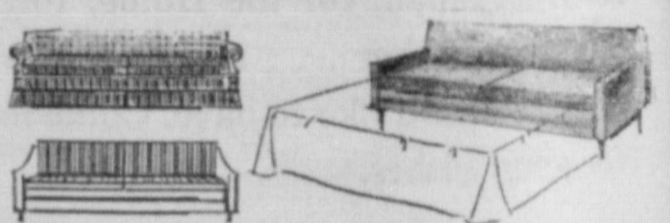
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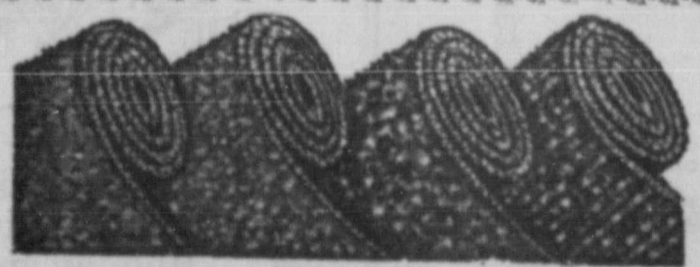
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### Clarendon Invitational Basketball Tourney Attracts Estelline Teams

The Estelline Bears and Bearettes will participate in the Clarendon tournament this week, with first games scheduled for this morning at Clarendon.

The Bearettes are to play the Hedley girls at 8:45 a. m. this morning and the Bears are to play the Hedley Owls at 10:05 a. m.

If the Estelline girls win the first game they will play at 8:45 a. m. Friday, and if they lose, they will see action at 11:25 a. m. Friday. Winners of Friday morning's games play at 8:40 p. m. Friday.

The boys winner plays at 10:05 a. m. Friday while the loser between Estelline and Hedley plays at 3:25 p. m. Friday.

There are 10 girls teams and 10 boys teams entered in the tournament. Teams competing in both brackets include: Wellington, Clarendon, Samnorwood, Silverton, White Deer, Claude, Quitaque, Hedley, groom and Estelline.

Favorites in the girls division probably will be White Deer and Claude, with Estelline and Quitaque in top contention.

Boys favorites are Clarendon and Wellington, with White Deer also in top contention.

Next Tuesday night, the Estelline Bearettes will travel to Tulia for a rematch with the fine girls team there. Tulia was defeated at Estelline gym early in the season, but the game promises to be a tough one for the Bearettes, Coach Jimmy Adams said. The game is a girls only affair, he said.

### Turkey Teams Win Two Games At Silverton

The Turkey cage teams played Silverton Tuesday night and won both encounters.

In the boys game, David Majors scored 18 points to lead his team to a 62 to 48 victory over the Silverton Owls. The Turkey team trailed 11 to 6 at the end of the first period, but led at halftime 23 to 21.

Dale Sisney of Silverton had 15 points to lead his team.

In the girls game, the Turkettes came from a two-point deficit at halftime to win a 37 to 30 victory over the Owlettes. Karen Arnold had 19 points for Turkey while Silverton's Connie Dudley had 22 points.

Samnorwood

The Estelline and Samnorwood teams tangled Tuesday night and ended up splitting games.

The Estelline girls eked out a 30 to 27 victory over the Samnorwood girls in a low scoring, defensive contest. Cherri Rapp had 15 points to lead the Bearettes while Karen Waters had 18 for Samnorwood.

In the boys game, the Samnorwood boys took a 68 to 27 victory. Estelline's Jimmy Adcock had 12 points while Acie Boyd had 19 for Samnorwood.



**THISTLE WEED TREE** — Kermit Voelkel, manager of the USDA Cotton Classing office here, inspects a gift displayed beneath the Christmas tree prior to the party which was held Monday afternoon. The tree, decorated by office employees, is a good example of what can be done with a little Christmas decor and ingenuity. The tree is a thistle weed which has been sprayed and decorated with ornaments.

The only way we can expect to get better legislation is to elect better legislators — which places the responsibility squarely in the hands of the nation's voters.

ability sometimes loses, but the man who underestimates his ability never starts.

Strong military forces are a necessity today, as never before, but education will always be our nation's best defense.

A man who overestimates his

**TON CLASSERS**—A bit of Texas hospitality was revealed to southern cotton classers at the annual after-office Christmas party held Monday at the USDA Cotton Classing office. The classers, all from Mississippi and Tennessee, joined in the gift exchange and Christmas merriment with other company employees. Shown, left to right, are William H. Melton of Bruce, Miss.; D. C. Melton of Tillatoba, Miss.; Richard Whitley, Abilene; John S. Ewell of Greenwood, Miss.; and John S. Ewell of Memphis, Tenn. One classer, John Wilcox, was absent.

### MEMPHIS AND COUNTY COMMENTS —By HAC

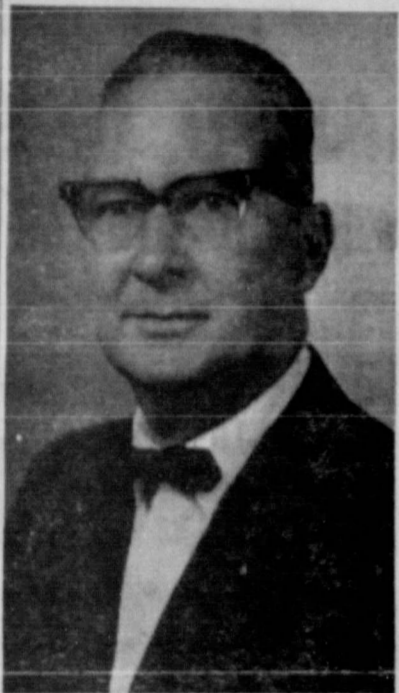
As we go into the Christmas season during these last eight days, I again bemoan the fact that too many families are spending their money elsewhere than the stores in Hall County. Gifts which they will be buying could be busier—if gift buying would only go in and look at the stores in Memphis. Hundreds of suggestions are offered in the advertising section of this issue of your newspaper.

Don't wait to mothers; Don't wait those letters written by Santa Claus to the Democrat. They will be published in next Thursday's issue—and the printers are making press runs the part of this week.

You will immediately see the spirit of Christmas. Generations at many homes are making much effort to get into them. This reminds me of a paragraph in "Deck's" column written by Wells, editor and publisher of the Wellington Leader. He has done much in shaping my career in the years before I came to Memphis. Deck's "People who deary comma at this holiday season not impress me greatly; part of our American season could be a dull if all the frills and ornaments were eliminated from the stores and the homes." I disagree!

Recently read a front page article in The Castro County captioned, "Letters to Editor . . . Jeweler Why School Buy Class Out of Town." A jeweler emphatically expressed his point, and I am sure readers of that newspaper will appreciate the message.

The Rotary Club program featuring a lecture by Kermit Voelkel about the Cotton Classing office here and what the classers meant to producers, was held Wednesday and his visit to the Lions Club members' luncheon, emphasis was made on the fiber which is the life of Hall County's economy. Along comes Pratt Foard as care of our court house. He left him a handful of seed last spring—and he put them in a flower bed in the building. Naturally, he recognized the plants as Pratt's. But Pratt had his fun, and he put a few bolls from his own field in the flower bed. The Democrat last week was immature, and my cottoning friends tell me that it is too short here for this long staple American cotton. Then I found a variety called Del Celso grown in Lower Rio



### Varner Stevens Is Dist. Deputy Grand Master

Varner Stevens of Childress has been named District Deputy Grand Master of Masons for Masonic District No. 95, which includes five lodges in Childress and Hall counties.

Stevens, who is postmaster in Childress is a Past Master of Childress Lodge 695. He is a member of the First Methodist Church in Childress. Stevens is president of the Childress Lions Club and an executive board member of the Boy Scouts of America. He is a past president of the school board of Childress Independent School District.

The appointment was made by the newly elected Grand Master of Masons in Texas, J. D. Tomme, Jr., of Fort Worth, as the 131st Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge in Texas was concluded in Waco Dec. 8.

District Deputy Grand Masters are appointed for each of the 132 Masonic Districts in Texas. They are the personal representatives of the Grand Master head of the state's largest fraternal organization with nearly 250,000 members.

Grande Valley with staple length averaging 1 and 3-16 inch. Also heard about some long staple cotton grown in valley south of El Paso; then read in paper that growers of this long staple stuff were getting nearly 50 cents per pound for it! Anyway, the experts say it will not grow in Hall County. Pratt's bolls are on display.

Beginning this date, two of the four passenger trains through Memphis each day will be eliminated. Elsewhere in this issue are news stories explaining the details. Just remember that Trains Nos. 1 and 8 will be riding the rails no more.

From that grand old former Memphis pastor, E. C. Cargill, who now resides in Atlanta, Georgia, comes the following short poem, captioned, "Christmas 1966":

Never a Christmas morning, Never the old year ends; but Someone thinks of someone, Old days, old times, old friends. In his message to friends here he added, "I wish I could see you face to face." Also he quoted Luke's message: "And the angel said unto them, Fear not; for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the City of David a Savior, which is Christ the Lord." A timely reminder from Rev. Cargill as we are nearing Christmas.

### Memphis Schools To Let Out For Holidays Friday

The Memphis School Board voted Tuesday evening to let local schools out for the Christmas holidays at the end of school day Friday, Dec. 16, Supt. A. E. Greer announced this week.

The last period Friday, will be a joint High School, Junior High Band concert in the High School auditorium.

The Junior High band will play "Americans We" by Fillmore, "Beceuse from Jocelyn" by Godard and "Christmas Festival" by DeLamaster.

The Cyclone Band will play: "Christmas Suite" by Walters, "Yesterday" by Lennon, "Christmas Song" by Torme-Wells, and "March and Procession of Bacchus" by DeLibes.

The public is invited to this 3 p. m. concert, Director Darryl Phillips said.

The local board in its meeting approved the purchase of four or five Singer school tables or equal at a price of approximately \$190 each. Also, Supt. Greer was authorized to purchase office furniture, library tables and an adequate number of chairs as required for the library.

The board also approved the purchase of a 48-passenger school bus.

Mrs. John Bailey was granted a leave of absence beginning Jan. 15, 1967, or at the discretion of the superintendent.

The board set the reconvening date for school to take up after the holidays on Jan. 3, 1967.

It was announced that members of the board will meet on Jan. 9 and Jan 16 for their next sessions.

Also approved was the purchase of 25 music stands and one Bundy bass clarinet for approximately \$460 before adjournment.

### Reapers SS Class Met Monday, Dec. 5 For Xmas Party

The Reapers Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Edna Gilreath Dec. 5 at 4 p. m. Serving as co-hostesses were Mmes. Nettie Adams, Alla Boswell, Grace Duke, Margaret Holcomb, Hulda Wilson, and R. H. Wherry.

The home was beautifully decorated for the Christmas season. Mrs. Grace Duke welcomed the members to the Christmas party. The prayer was led by Mrs. Wherry. A number of Christmas carols were then sung by the group.

"The Gift of the Magi" by O. Henry was read by Mrs. Grace Foxhall. Karen Jorgenson then distributed gifts from a beautiful white and red Christmas tree.

Delicious refreshments of Christmas salad, pie and coffee were served to the following: Mmes. Addie Wherry, Maude Chaudoin, Hattie Mabry, Mary Bownds, Margaret Holcomb, Emma Calhoun, Stella Jones, Edna Adams, Hulda Wilson, Myrtle Crabb, Alla Boswell, Grace Duke, Texas Scott, Ethel Smith, Ora McMurry, Bessie Graham, Edna Gilreath, and guests, Blanche Jorgenson and Karen, Grace Foxhall, and Mrs. Lee Thornton.

The next meeting will be January 2, 1967, at 3 p. m. in the home of Hulda Wilson.

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# Cyclone, Eaglettes Win Trophies In Tournament

Memphis boys and the Lakeview girls brought home trophies from the Samnorwood invitational basketball tournament last weekend even though both teams lost games.

The Cyclone from Memphis lost a hard fought heart-breaker to the Wellington Skyrockets 43 to 31 in a top defensive battle in the finals of the tournament and the local lads had to settle for second place.

Wellington's Steve Trapp had 13 points to lead his team to victory while Memphis' Clyde Wilson had 11 points to lead Cyclone scoring.

The Cyclone had to play catch-up basketball all night as the Rockets led 14 to 9 and 25 to 21 at the end of the first quarter and half respectively. The Cyclone trailed by five points at the three-quarter mark but closed hard on the Rockets in the final stanza.

"I feel our boys out played Wellington in most departments but we couldn't seem to get ahead on the scoreboard," Coach Travis Gilliland said. Considering the local squad lost to Wellington by 17 points in an earlier game this season, the action at the tournament was creditable.

The Cyclone gained the finals by downing the Lakeview Eagles 81 to 46 in the opening round. Lakeview's Kirby Hatley had 30 points while Tony Pounds had 31 for Memphis. Clyde Wilson scored 27 points for the local cagers to be another high point man.

The Wheeler boys got revenge over their long-time rivals, Sham-

rock, in the opener, but the Wheeler team caught the Cyclone hot in the second round and lost the game 77 to 59.

Bobby Carroll scored 20 points and Clyde Wilson scored 19 points, with Dwaine Jones and Tony Pounds also hitting in double figures. Wheeler's Villard had 21 points.

The second place trophy is described as being "nice"; however, the local squad wanted a revenge win over the Rockets.

**Lakeview Girls**  
The Lakeview Eaglettes defeated the Quail girls 58 to 30 in the consolation finals of the girls division of the tournament. Tonda Hatley scored 19 points for Lakeview while Quail's Paula Langley scored 12 points. Lakeview took a first quarter lead and increased it as the game progressed.

In the second round, Memphis and Lakeview girls tangled but after a hot second half it was Lakeview with a 54 to 42 victory. Actually, the Memphis girls led 15 to 13 at the end of the first half in a real defensive battle between long-time rivals.

Lakeview's Tonda Hatley had 23 points and Landa Berry 21 points to lead the winners while Memphis' Cynthia Evans had 16 points.

In the first game, Shamrock girls defeated the Lakeview girls by a 55 to 39 score. Tonda Hatley scored 32 points for Lakeview in this game. Lakeview led 12 to 4 in the first quarter but the score was 20 to 20 at halftime.

The Memphis girls took on the Wheeler girls the first game and lost the contest 60 to 29. Cynthia Evans led the local team in scoring with 20 points.

The Lakeview Eaglettes were also awarded the "Sportsmanship" trophy as well as the consolation trophy at the tournament.

The Lakeview boys team, in the second round (consolation) lost to the Shamrock Irishmen 75 to 59.

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### Legion, Auxiliary To Hold Annual Dinner Party

A Christmas dinner party for the American Legion and Auxiliary, Simmons-Noel Post No. 175, will be held at 7:30 p. m. tonight (Thursday) at the Legion Hall.

Santa Claus will make an early holiday appearance to distribute gifts to all the children present.

All members and their families are urged to attend.

Members of the Auxiliary wish to remind the public that a bake sale will be held Saturday in front of Parsons-Lockhart Pharmacy, beginning at 8 a. m. Everyone is invited to come by and select from a wide variety of home-baked goods.

Visiting here last week with Lela Richards and Arthur were her nieces, Icy Pierce of Oregon and niece, Juanita and husband Edgar Roach of Amarillo and Bertie Harrison of Amarillo, a sister of Mrs. Richards.

### Cpl. Stanley Enjoys Leave From U. S. Marines

L/Cpl. Ralph Stanley of the U. S. Marines, son of Mrs. Marie Stephens of Memphis and M/ Sgt A. E. Stephens of Cam Rahn Bay in Vietnam, has returned to his ship, the USS Oriskany, in California.

Cpl. Stanley has just completed a two weeks leave from the U. S. Marines during which time he visited in Memphis with his mother.

### Jerry Lowe Is Enjoying Leave From U. S. Army

Jerry Lowe, who has completed basic training at Fort Bliss, El Paso, with the U. S. Army is enjoying a two week's leave here with his wife and other relatives.

He is scheduled to report to Fort Dixon, N. J., at the end of his leave, which is December 25.

Visiting in the home of the C. A. Grices the past weekend was Fred Wayne Davis of Ft. Worth.

## Turkey News

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Christian and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Christian of Amarillo visited over the weekend with relatives and did some quail hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Bun Farley, accompanied by Mrs. Farley's mother, Mrs. Leona Brewer, spent the weekend in Amarillo with relatives. Mrs. Brewer was taken ill and is now a patient in St. Anthony's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christian and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christian and Jay of Amarillo spent the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Guest.

Mrs. Rubie Cowart spent the weekend in Lubbock with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Christian, Cynthia and Nick of Hereford spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Christian and other relatives.

Mrs. Leo Stewart is a patient in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

If all the midwife kits shipped UNICEF were stacked end to end, they would reach a height four times that of Mt. Everest (a total of 116,112 ft. or 21.9 miles).

## Mr., Mrs. Cosby Attend Dallas Tax Institute

O. M. (Bill) Cosby, Jr., tax consultant, accompanied by Mrs. Cosby, attended the annual tax institute conducted by the Internal Revenue Service in Dallas on Dec. 12.

Mr. Cosby has attended the clinic for the past several years. Registration for the clinic is limited and approximately 500 persons throughout Texas attended.

Discussions of filing requirements and various technical matters was conducted by Internal Revenue Service personnel. Mr. Cosby stated the institute was well received by tax practitioners and will enable them to properly apply new changes to current income tax returns.



## Mrs. Koeninger Attends Funeral Services For Sister

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Koeninger were in Decatur last week attending funeral services on Wednesday for Mrs. Koeninger's sister, Mrs. Eunice Deaton.

While in Decatur, Mrs. Koeninger also received word of the death of a sister-in-law, who died in Wichita Falls.

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# Turkey Turks Place On All-Dist Team

Football District 6-B announced the list of All-District recently and the Turkey had three boys named on All-District defensive team.

Defensively, End Steve Guest, 155-lb. junior, was a lineman while Linebacker Rod Mullin, a 190-lb. senior and Defensive Halfback Alton Setliff, a 155-lb. senior were named on the top defensive squad, All-District.

Offensively, the Turks had none on the top squad although four boys were given honorable mention from the Turks squad. These included HB Johnny King, QB Alton Setliff, End Harvey Case and Tackle Rod Mullin.

Turkey's honorable mention defensive players were Guard Joe Farley and Tackle Harvey Case. Chillicothe, the district championship team, placed four boys on the offensive team and two boys on the defensive team. Offensively they were End Baker, Tackle Davenport, QB Bivins and HB Hunter. Defensively they were HB Hunter and Tackle Davenport.

Matader's All-District boys were: offensively Center Cox, Guard Thomas, End Moss, and Back Meador; defensively End Borton and Guard Thomas.

Lockett's Guard Williams and HB Lewis were offensive choices while defensively Lockett named one player, Guard Carr.

Rochester placed Tackle Robertson and Linebacker LeFevre on the defensive All-District squad.

Newcastle placed Back Pitts and Linebacker Mitchell on the two top squads.

Rule had no one on the offensive squad but placed one player on the defensive team, Halfback Lott.



## New Arrivals

and Mrs. William O'Rear of Huntington are the parents of Richard Glenn. He was born December 6 and weighed 7 3/8 ounces.

Lynn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tinsley Mullins of Hedon. He was born December 7 and weighed 5 pounds, 5 ounces.

and Mrs. Jimmy Lee of Huntington announce the birth of Jeffrey Lee, born December 6 and weighed 6 pounds, 1 ounce.

James Anthony, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert DeWitt on December 12. He weighed 10 pounds, 1 ounce.

and Mrs. James Ingram of Huntington announce the arrival of a son, born December 13. He has been named Lonnie Heath and weighed 10 pounds, 7 1/2 ounces.

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### Patients

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### Dismissals

Oscar Mashack, Sue Allen, Juan Vargas, Daphne LaVarta, Audry Neeley, Ann Quisenberry, Linda Shawhart, Irma O'Rear, Audrey Garland, Christine Hays, Jean Lamb, Thelma McFalls, Nancy Mullins, Mary Blevins, Annie Dennis, Frankie Garza, Helen Neal, Mae Summerland, Leta Gerlach, Jno. C. Johnson.



**TRAVIS BAPTIST CHOIR**—The Travis Baptist Church Choir presented the Cantata "Night of Miracles" by John W. Peterson, at the first Baptist Church of Lakeview last night. This Sunday, Dec. 18, the Choir will present the Cantata at the Travis Baptist Church and will also present it at Estelline First Baptist Church Tuesday night, Dec. 20, at 7:30 p. m. The Choir is under the direction of Leon Meyer, music director at the Travis Church. The Choir is composed of 20 members. Those who will have solo parts in the Cantata are: Dotty Hartsell, Shirley Hansard, Billie Waites, Charlie Johnson and Vernon Fowler.

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### Greenbelt FFA Holds Annual Banquet In Wellington Saturday

Miss Gayle Lane, Turkey High School student, was chosen district sweetheart of the Greenbelt Future Farmers of America at the annual banquet held in Wellington Monday night.

All four Hall County Chapters including Memphis, Estelline, Lakeview and Turkey, sent nominees to the contest, Miss Sandra Smith, Lakeview Chapter Sweetheart was Miss Judy Bruce, daughter of 12 contestants. Memphis sweetheart was Miss Judy Brice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Bruce. Miss Jenne Bruce was the Estelline FFA Sweetheart. She is the daughter of Ann Bruce and Ted Bruce.

The Lakeview Chapter received second place in Junior Skill banner. Members of the team were Richard Gilbreth, Terry Wansley,

ton wage employees, too. Vacation bonus checks will be distributed prior to the Christmas Holidays, bringing to \$6.8 million the total vacation bonuses paid company-wide this year by Burlington.

Jease Wright, and Johnny Cisneros.

They also receive third place in the Senior Farm Skill Banner. Members of the team are Norman Miller, Don Proffitt, Cecil Wright and Jimmy Carl Fowler.

Turkey took first place in the talent contest with a combo featuring Rod Adamson, Rod Setliff, Russell Barnhill and Rickey Mosley.

The Estelline chapter won second place in the talent contest. The number was a piano solo played by Mike Hughs.

Attending the banquet from the Memphis Chapter were Neal Hughs, Bobby Richerson, Sammy Houston, and Otis Jones. Voting delegates were Gaylon Clark, Bob Tribble and Carl Houston, who is Area 1 secretary; Danny Clark, who is Greenbelt District Secretary, and Neal Hindman, who is chapter advisor. Special guests were the Chapter Sweetheart Judy Bruce; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Bruce, and Miss Donna Sims.

Attending the banquet from Lakeview were Miss Sandra

### Turkey Students Initiated Into WTSU Society December 2

Two Turkey students, Jay Stone and Gary Tunnell, were among 24 new members to be initiated into Beta Beta Beta, international biological society at West Texas State University, when the society met for a banquet Friday, Dec. 2.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Stone, Jay is a junior majoring in biology.

A senior biology major, Gary is the son of Curtis Tunnell.

Speaker for the banquet which was held in the American Legion

Smith, chapter sweetheart; her mother, Mrs. Bud Smith; Miss Landa Berry, Don Proffitt, district treasurer; Cecil Wright, Jimmy Carl Fowler, voting delegate; Norman Miller, sweetheart escort; Chapter President Jimmy E. Duke, Richard Gilbreth, Terry Wansley, Raymond Jones, and Advisor Barney Joe Bever.

Attending from Estelline were James McMickin, Mike Hughs, Lynn Knox, Jenne Bruce, chapter sweetheart; her parents, Ann Bruce and Ted Bruce; and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Seay. Mr. Seay is the Chapter advisor.

Hall in Canyon was A. S. Jackson, wildlife biologist and naturalist at Canadian.

A. J. Daye, Roaring Springs senior, conducted the initiation at 6 p. m. as president of the WTSU Delta Xi chapter.

Membership is granted undergraduates with at least four courses completed in biology and with a high scholastic average in both biology and with a high scholastic average in both biology work and overall university work.

the weekend with her parents and Mrs. W. D. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Seaton attended the funeral of her father in Hollis, Okla., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Walden visited her parents and Mrs. Wyman Davis, Sa

### NEWLIN

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cobb have been attending Grand Lodge in Waco the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Misener are spending the next few weeks in California with their son, James and family, and daughter, Jennette and family.

J. N. Helm, Sr., spent one day last week in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Helm and family and two days in Lubbock with his sisters, Mrs. Chas. Read and Mrs. Annie Marg. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Smith of Happy visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Angell and children of Saint Jo visited over



EMPLOYEES—Don McElreath, supervisor of laborers, center, is holding one of the gifts at the annual Christmas party enjoyed by employees of the USDA Cotton Cladding Office Monday afternoon. Shown with Don are two other employees, George Armstrong, left, and Jackie Bridges.

### Postex Employees And Families Enjoy Annual Yuletide Party Sunday

The Postex-Hall plant of Burlington's Erwin Sheeting Division, held the annual Christmas party on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 11, with more than 200 children and their parents attending. The social was held at the Community Center.

Burlington Industries is again observing the Christmas season by playing Santa Claus to over 65,000 children of employees in 15 states.

The more than 100 Burlington plants are scheduling Christmas parties over the next two weeks,

while the type of programs will be determined by local management, all employees' children through the age of 12 will receive gifts of toys, fruit and candy and will enjoy entertainment sponsored by the local plants.

Charles A. McLendon, vice president for personnel, said: "The Children's Christmas Party has become a Burlington tradition. It's our way of saying 'Merry Christmas to employees and their families.'"

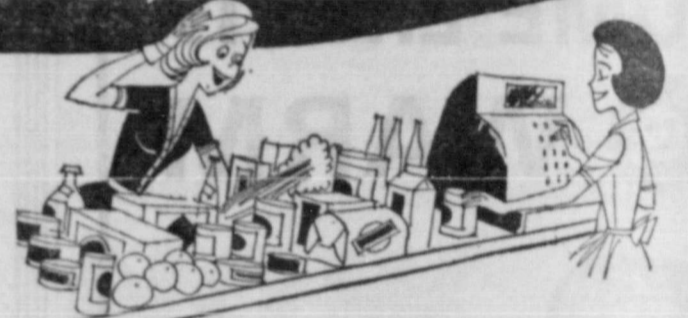
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according to Depart-  
ment of Public Safety Director  
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DPS will be concentrat-  
efforts more than ever in  
to make sure that the  
death toll of 47 per-  
not reached," said Garri-  
This year has been the  
terrible in Texas history in  
of lives lost and property  
and we are working with  
state agencies and organi-  
interested in safety in or-  
down this toll as much  
possible.  
are issuing a personal in-  
to each motorist, asking  
individual to join the bat-  
it must be considered a  
for traffic has claimed  
more than have been lost  
wars in which we have  
engaged."  
"Deathwatch" will  
be conducted from 6 p. m., Fri-  
December 13, through 11:59  
Monday, December 26, to  
attention on dangers in-  
in holiday travel. The pres-  
trend indicates that  
men will die in traffic dur-  
period.  
"Deathwatch" will resume  
New Year's weekend, be-  
at 6 p. m., Friday, De-  
30, and continuing  
11:59 p. m., Monday,  
2. Indications for the  
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will die in traffic acci-  
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# CANDY

BY TOM DORR

## Hedley Farmers Improving Swine Breeding Herds

Residents of the Hedley area have started a program to build and improve breeding herds, according to a new story in last week's issue of the Hedley Informer.

Herlie Horeman recently purchased the breed champion boar of the Louisiana state fair and the Albuquerque, N. Mex., fair and two Poland gilts from the Bernard McClellan herd of McLean.

Curtis Mullins secured a Poland China greening gilt from Wayman Bros. of Galtry, Okla. This is one of the leading Poland breeding herds in the nation. Mullins also has some of the McClellan gilts.

R. H. Couch bought a young Duroc boar from the Herb Bryan herd of Seminole, Texas. He also bought several purebred Duroc gilts from Wendell Hansard.

Himon and Wayland Fronterhouse recently purchased three purebred Berkshire gilts from Earth, Texas.

Several other farmers of the Hedley area have already begun or have plans for starting swine enterprises.

Mrs. Lucille Godfrey and L. Nell Weddell were in Amarillo Wednesday.

## LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Phaeton Alexander visited over the weekend with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Gardenhire and girls in Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kilgore visited in Lubbock Sunday with their son, Dale Kilgore and Mrs. Kilgore.

Dr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Orr of Littlefield, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Orr of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Orr of Plaska visited their father, M. N. Orr, and Mrs. R. T. Tiner over the weekend.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Blum during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Merrill of Amarillo.

Henry Ashford and Peggy visited in Crowell and Knox City Sunday. In Crowell they visited their sister and aunt, Madge Johnson, and in Knox City they visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dunbar were Dallas visitors over the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. James O. Miller and Mylina visited in Clovis, N. M., over the weekend with Mr. Miller's sister, Mrs. Erwin Brewer and family. Accompanying

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them to Clovis was Mr. Miller's mother, Mrs. Bert Miller of Wellington.

Steve Miller spent the weekend visiting in Canyon with his uncle, Clyde Miller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Burks of Tulia visited here Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Effie McElreath, and friends.

Mrs. J. R. Mitchell visited in Hereford last week with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Lee Solomon and family and in Dimmitt with another daughter, Mrs. William Moss and family. While in

Hereford she enjoyed attending a concert presented by the West Texas State University choir. Her grandson, Gary Moss, is a member of the brass section.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Koeninger are visiting in Lubbock this week with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Scarborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brumley of Austin are visiting here this week with her mother, Mrs. A. B. Jones, and sisters, Mrs. Mildred Stephens and Mrs. Lloyd Ward.

## Memphians Attend Band Concert In Shamrock Saturday

Several parents of members of the Cyclone Band were in Shamrock Saturday night to attend the All-Region Band concert.

Students from Memphis playing in the concert were Carol Greene, Dayna Hickey, Sport Weddell, Janie Watson, Lewis Foxhall, David Douthit, Susan Goodnight, Carolyn Hutcherson, Sandy McQueen, Sandy Saye, Alvie White, Tommp Greene, Kay Coppedge, Vickie Rose, Lometa Pate, Fred Snowdon, Randy Driver and Sherri Cleveland.

Among parents who attended the concert were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coppedge, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hickey, Mrs. Gayle Greene, Mrs. E. D. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Saye, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Douthit, Mrs. Amos Weddell, Mr. and Mrs. Larry McQueen, Mrs. Ira McQueen, Mrs. J. P. Godfrey and LuGay and Carolyn Sparks, and Dr. and Mrs. Jack Rose.

## Gayle Widener Completes Beauty School In Lubbock

Gayle Widener, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Widener, has completed her course at Jessie Lee's Beauty School in Lubbock and is now at home. She plans to begin work after the first of the year, she stated.

Miss Widener was one of four students from her class who received an award in hair design at the school. Serving as a model for her sister was Mrs. Gordon D. Maddox of Memphis.

The students who won awards and their models were later featured on a TV show in Lubbock.

## Pvt. Jessie Murdock Completes Basic Training At Ft. Hood

Pvt. Jessie W. Murdock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer J. Murdock of Memphis, completed his army basic December 2 at Fort Hood.

Murdock's troop was Troop of the Cycle and also Honor Troop. The troop was assigned to scouting and started their advanced training last week at Ft. Hood.

## CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this means to thank everyone for the beautiful flowers, food and all other deeds of kindness during the time of our bereavement.

We also thank Bro. Jorgenson for the beautiful message and the choir for the lovely songs.

Thanks to Dr. Clark and staff of Hall County Hospital for their care.

May God's blessings be with each of you is our prayer.

The Family of Mrs. Roy Sneed.

Mrs. R. S. Greene enjoyed visiting in Cleburne last week with her daughter, Mrs. Ingram Walker and Mr. Walker.

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### City Council Hears Library Report Tuesday

The Memphis City Council met last Tuesday and handled several items of public interest, with the most important matter being a report in the Memphis Public Library.

Alderman Allen Dunbar, chairman of the library committee, conveyed to the council a request for renovation of the library building from the Atalantean Club which has launched a project of working toward a goal of \$500 pledge toward this goal. Other clubs also have expressed an interest in this, Alderman Dunbar said.

An improvement to the library is being contemplated which would include basic improvements such as new metal and glass entrance, new plaster interior, new windows, new heating system, new ceiling, new floor coverings, and rewiring of the electrical system.

In other business, Bob Anderson was given a taxi franchise for Memphis subject to the rules of the existing ordinance.

The council voted to vote yes on both the cotton marketing quotas and the research and promotion in the referendums conducted last week. The City of Memphis has a cotton allotment on the airport property and the ballots were mailed to the city secretary.

The council stated they voted yes on both issues for they felt

### Cotton Harvest—

(Continued from Page 1) present delivery room will be used as another surgery room. With the 20-bed increase, this will give the Hall County Hospital a 52-bed capacity.

The hospital has been operating at about 80 per cent occupancy during the past year. During peak seasons, such as the fall months, rooms have not been available, Curl said.

President Parks said that the hospital board has seen for some time the need of additional beds. It was indicated that the 20-bed addition should be able to meet present needs.

### Cyclone Wins—

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The local boys want to duplicate their football feats and get the district title, although competition is still tough in the big district. The girls game begins at 6:30 p. m. the schedule shows.

Then, next Tuesday, the Cyclone and Cyclonettes go on the road to Hale Center in the third district contests of the season. This will wind up district play until Jan. 3 when Olton teams will come to Memphis. Over the Christmas holidays, the Cyclone teams will play Quail, Silverton and Clarendon on Dec. 23, 29 and 30 respectively. All of these games are home games for the local players.

It was to the economic advantage of this area to vote that way.

### County Hospital—

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000 last season. The classes are about 11,000 samples behind at the present time.

Based on samples classed last week, White grades represented only two per cent of the classing. Light spotted grades amounted to 32 per cent. Spotted grades showed 52 per cent, and Tinged grades made up 14 per cent. There were a number of samples classified as Yellow Stained. The predominant grade was Middling Spotted with 25 per cent.

The most significant change in the staple length was the increase, percentage-wise, of 29-32 inch and shorter and the almost absence of staple length one inch and longer. The staple distribution was as follows: 7-8 inch and shorter, one per cent; 29-32 inch, 18 per cent; 15-16 inch, 74 per cent; and 31-32 inch, 7 per cent. Mike readings in the premium range of 3.5-4.9 decreased from 36 per cent last week to 25 per cent. Seventy-five per cent read 3.4 and below, and a negligible amount read 5.0 and above.

The harvesting of cotton with an immature fiber was reflected in the large amount of Wasty cotton, which showed 23 per cent. This meant a 300-point or 3 cents per pound discount based on the CCC loan.

Pressley strength tests conducted in cooperation with the Cotton Research Committee of Texas showed slightly weaker fiber than the week earlier. Twenty-three (23) per cent tested 80,000 pounds per square inch and above compared with 24 per cent the previous week. Other groupings were: 75,000-79,000, 26 per cent; 70,000-74,000, 28 per cent;

and 69,000 and below, 23 per cent.

Cotton sold this week was mainly low grades and the lower mike ranges. The average prices for qualities moving into trade channels, with mike readings 3.4 and below, brought from even with the CCC loan to as much as 70 points above.

Cottonseed prices ranged from \$63 to \$70 per ton. During the week the price advanced at some gin points from \$67 to \$70.

### Suzan Moreman—

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was master of ceremonies for the banquet. Willie Devorce gave the invocation. Mrs. A. L. Carroll gave the welcome address and the response was given by Coach Bert Glascock.

Special guests were introduced by Supt. Greer including Editor Combs, Carl Yancey, John Lemons and Hubert Dennis. Coach Glascock introduced the members of the team who in turn introduced their dads or special guests.

Large pictures were used in the decorations, which were of football and Christmas design, and these were given to the boys as gifts from their mothers.

The decorations and food, consisting of steak and all the trimmings, made the banquet an excellent affair. Throughout the evening the athletes were honored for their fine season.

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### Assembly Of God Church To Present Yuletide Program

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The program is under the direction of Mrs. Virgil Sparks, L-Nelle Weddel and Maggie Waller.

The program will include a short program by the children entitled "Why Do The Bells Ring on Christmas?" This will be followed by a play "His Birth—A Path to Calvary" and will depict seven scenes from the manger and including the cross.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

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