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THURSDAY, DEC. 23, 1971

Urges All Motorists To Help Reduce Holiday Traffic Accidents

Colonel Wilson F. ... Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, today urged a plea for Texas motorists to join law enforcement officials in a conscious effort to reduce holiday traffic accidents.

Wilson said the DPS expects 100 traffic accidents during the Christmas-New Year holiday season. He said that 52 persons will be killed during the Christmas season from 6 p. m. Thursday, December 23 through midnight December 26. An additional 44 deaths are expected during the New Year holiday season from 6 p. m. Thursday, December 30 and ends at 11 p. m. Monday, January 2.

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Also, in cooperation with local agencies and the news media of Texas, the DPS will conduct its "Operation Motorcade" during both the Christmas and New Year holidays. Special tabulations on fatal accidents will be prepared and issued three times daily in an effort to focus maximum attention on the accident and traffic problems.

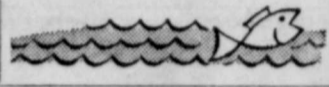
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Water Under The Bridge

by G.F.B.



Christmas time is here again ... The days of joy and happiness for most of us. In the inner circle of our families, spell-bound by the beauty of the traditional Christmas Tree and the many gifts placed thereunder, we will relax from the toils of the year now nearing its end, and express to our loved ones our feelings of love and our appreciation of togetherness, which makes our families what they are.

The clear sound of bells will open the doors of churches to welcome the worshipers to pay homage to the birth of Christ the Savior; whose teachings of Love and understanding are the mainstay of their daily life. With true Christian feeling we will again express our annual and age-old wishes: Peace on earth, good will toward man!

New Year's Day Holiday Saturday Of Next Week

Next week Saturday, January 1, 1972 will be observed as a holiday by Goldthwaite business firms and most retail establishments will remain closed for the day.

New Year's Day is one of the regular holidays approved by retail stores to be observed by closing during the year.

The Post Office will be on regular holiday schedule with no rural route deliveries on New Year's Day.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY IS THIS SATURDAY

Saturday of this week, December 25, stores will be closed for Christmas Day, holiday.

BANK TO CLOSE FOR CHRISTMAS EVE.

Mills County State Bank will close on Friday, December 24 and remain closed until Monday, December 27, for the Christmas Holiday.

The bank will do the same on New Year's. They will close on December 31 and remain closed until Monday, January 3, 1972.



Mr. and Mrs. Randy Wilson of Mullin announce the arrival of a baby boy, Teddy Scott. The little fellow arrived Thursday, December 16, 1971 at 7:45 p. m. at the Brownwood Community Hospital. He tipped the scales at five pounds and four ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith, maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Wasserman, maternal great-great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Warren, and maternal great-grandfather is Mr. J. E. Smith, all of Mullin.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hyatt of Brownwood. Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nips of Goldthwaite and paternal great-great grandmother is Mrs. Mamie Crane of Goldthwaite.

SINGINGS—

The regular fourth Sunday singing at Center City will be held Sunday, December 26 at the Baptist Church from 2 p. m. until 4 p. m.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Mullin Stock Show Held After Absence Of Several Years

The grand champion of the horse show at the Mullin Livestock Show which was held this past weekend was exhibited by Bud Minica while Jenny Smith exhibited the reserve champion horse.

The grand champion lamb was exhibited by Tony King and the reserve champion lamb was shown by Craig Smith.

Grand champion steer was exhibited by Diann Whisenhunt and reserve champion was exhibited by Pam Lindsey.

The detailed list of winners in the different divisions are as follows:

HORSE SHOW

1971 Colts—1, Bud Minica
1970 Colts—1 and 2, Jenny Smith
1969 Colts—1, Gary Bearden;
2, Collin Barrow; 3, Bud Minica
3 Year and Older Horses—1 and 2, Bud Minica; 3, Jenny Smith.

SHEEP

Corridale Breeding Lambs—Sammy Smith won in all categories.
Hampshire Breeding Lambs—Danny Whisenhunt won in all categories.
Suffolk Breeding Lambs—1, 2, 3 and 4, Whisenhunt; 5, Bruce Lethco.
Suffolk Ewe Lambs—1, 2 and 3, Whisenhunt; 4 and 5, Bruce Lethco.
Fine Wool—1, Tommy Steen; 2, Danny Whisenhunt; 3, Ben Grigg; 4, Jimmy King; 5, Terry Alldredge.
Fine Wool Cross—1, Tommy

Green; 2, Gary Harris; 3, Medrono; 4, Terry Alldredge; Jimmy King; 5, Terry Alldredge.
Hampshire and Medium Wool—1, Tony King; 2, Craig Smith; 3, Diann Whisenhunt; 4, Sammy Smith; 5, Steve King.
Southdowns—1, 3, and 4, Danny Whisenhunt; 2, Gary Harris; 5, Sammy Smith.

STEERS

Angus—1, Phil Hickman; 2,

Tony King.
Hereford—1, Pam Lindsey; 2, Debbie Lindsey.
Shorthorns—1, Becky Lindsey; 2, Randy Lindsey.
Charloaise Cross—1, Diann Whisenhunt; 2, Ricky Shelton; 3, Clint Shelton.
Western Pleasure Steers—1 and 2, Bud Minica; 3, Jenny Smith; 4, Bruce Lethco; 5, Diann Whisenhunt.



ALL-TOURNAMENT PLAYERS—Barbara Davis (top photo) and Johnny Johnson accept all tournament trophies at the end of the tourney Saturday night. Presenting the awards is Gilbert Davis, superintendent of GHS.
Barbara is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Davis and Johnny is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Y. B. Johnson.

Boy Scouts To Meet January 10

Goldthwaite Boy Scouts will hold a re-organizational meeting at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall on Monday, January 10, 1972.

All boys interested in Scouting and their parents are urged to attend the 7:30 p. m. meeting. Whys and Wherefores of Scouting will be discussed.

Scouting is open to all boys age eleven and up.

Fireworks Display To Be Held At Hill Country Store Friday

A fireworks display will be held at the Hill Country Store Friday, December 24, at 8 p. m.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Eddie Thornton Candidate For Business Degree

Eddie Thornton is one of the 380 tentative candidates for a Bachelor of Business Administration degree at the University of Texas at the end of the fall semester, according to announcement by Dean George Kozmetsky.

No public graduation exercises will be held.

Eddie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thornton of Goldthwaite.



GOLDTHWAITE TAKES HONORS—Pictured above are the Goldthwaite High School Girls' (top photo) and boys' Basketball as they receive their trophies at the end of the tournament which was held here the second weekend in December.
The Eagles were first place winner in the tourney while the girls were runners-up. Supt. Gilbert Davis is presenting trophies.

ONE SOLITARY LIFE . . .

He was born in an obscure village, the child of a peasant woman. He was not attended at birth by a doctor. He and his mother never saw a hospital.

He grew up in still another village, where he worked in a carpenter shop, like his stepfather before him. When he was thirty he left home and became an itinerant preacher.

He never had a family or owned a house.

He never wrote a book. He

never held an office. He never visited a big city. He saw neither the highest mountain nor the largest ocean.

He never traveled two hundred miles from the place where he was born. He did none of the things one usually associates with greatness. He had no credentials but himself.

He was only thirty-three when the tide of public opinion turned against him. His friends ran away. Some even denied hav-

ing known him. He was turned over to his enemies for a price and went through the mockery of a trial. False witnesses testified against him.

He was nailed to a cross between two thieves. He asked for water and he was given vinegar to drink. While he was dying, his executioners gambled for his clothing, the only property he had on earth. When he was dead, he was laid in a borrowed grave,

the gift of a friend's pity.

Nineteen centuries have come and gone, and today he is the central figure of the human race and the leader of mankind's progress. All the armies that ever marched, all the navies that ever sailed, all the parliaments that ever sat, all the kings that ever reigned, put together, have not affected the life of man as much as that . . .

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NORTH SIDE OF SQUARE GOLDTHWAITE



MRS. JAMES LEROY GREEN

Double Ring Ceremony Unites Jackie Fry And Jimmy Green

In a Saturday evening ceremony in the First Baptist Church of Gatesville, Miss Jackie Delores Fry became the bride of James LaRoy Green. Rev. Stewart Sims performed the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jack L. Fry of Gatesville and Mr. and Mrs. James M. Green of Lampasas.

The bridal couple stood beneath an arch garlanded with greenery. An arrangement of white stock and chrysanthemums centered behind the arch, on each side were arrangements of votive cup candles with seven white tapers on each side in front of the arch.

Wedding music was presented by Miss Orpa Mayo, organist, and Miss Gayla Green, soloist, who sang, "The Twelfth of Never" and "The Wedding Prayer".

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a gown fashioned in a slender silhouette of peau de soie with Alencon lace applique sprinkled with

pearls and iridescent sequins. Enhancing the silhouette was an attached voluminous chapel length train. Her head piece consisted of three rosebuds of pleated organza placed on a scollaped disc with a veil of imported silk illusion. Her cascade bouquet consisted of white rose buds, carnations, and baby's breath, centered with her going away corsage.

Maid of honor was Miss Donna Fry, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Bobby Bowers of San Angelo, Mrs. Richard Fry of Gatesville, and Mrs. Mike Mirrick of Austin. They wore royal blue formal gowns and carried a single American Beauty Rose.

Mike Jones of Stephenville served as best man. Groomsmen were Kenneth Black of Gustine, Richard Fry of Gatesville and Bobby Bowers of San Angelo. Junior groomsman was Monty Carlisle and flower girl was Patricia Fry, sister of the bride.

Ushers were Jim Saunders, Cappy Schwartz and Randy Green.

Tommy Davidson and Davis Saunders lit the candles.

Following the ceremony, the bride's parents were hosts for a reception in the church parlor. The bride's table was laid with a white cloth featuring a wide band of lace. The centerpiece was an arrangement of white and blue carnations, baby's breath, and votive cup candles.

The four-tiered bride's cake was decorated with sugar bells, icing roses, and blue tulle puffs between the two separations. The cake was topped with a musical wedding bell ornament.

The groom's table was laid with a beige cloth edged with matching fringe. The two-tiered groom's cake was chocolate, decorated with marzipane fruit.

Members of the house party were Mrs. Susan Carothers, Mrs. Valorie Thedford and Misses Susan Martin, Paula Martin, Debbie Hairston, Cherry Braziel, Syble Balize, Cynthia Uzzell, and Ginger Henson. Also Mmes. Frances Saunders, Oma Lee Coward, Claudine Morgan, Latrelle Comer, Doretha Thomas, and Larue Sullivan.

After a wedding trip to Oklahoma City, the couple is making their home in Lampasas.

REHEARSAL DINNER

The rehearsal dinner was held Saturday noon at Dyers Restaurant hosted by Mr. and Mrs. James M. Green. The bridal couple presented gifts to their attendants.

The head table held an arrangement of carnations flanked on each side by large white candles set in gold holders. Smaller arrangements were on each of the other tables.

The menu consisted of fried chicken, baked potatoes, green beans, salad, hot rolls, tea and coffee and peach cobbler.

COUNTY HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENCY

By Weedon Wash

A correction on last week's report on Home Demonstration Council: the Council will pay half the cost of a slide projector and screen rather than all of it as stated in the report.

Those adults who plan to enter the crafts division may bring their entries in anytime during the afternoon of January 6. The Home Demonstration women will set up the craft exhibit as they come in.

All girls who plan to enter the Style Show must turn their cards in by tomorrow, December 17. These can be turned in to Mrs. Wallace Johnson at Goldthwaite High School or to me at the Extension office. Information on the commentary card should be listed as follows: Name, grade, fabric, style, description, accessories, occasion. Card MUST be 3" x 5". No entries will be accepted after Fri. December 17. Garments will be turned in to Goldthwaite High School Homemaking room by 4 p.m. January 5, 1972.

Those entering the foods division may get their recipes from the homemaking teachers or from the Extension office. Entries should be brought in between 6 and 8 p.m. on Thursday, January 6.

The Style Show will be held on Wednesday, January 5, 1972 at 2:00 p.m. in the Goldthwaite High School Auditorium. Everyone is invited to attend.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Crouch of Bertram and Mr. and Mrs. Boots Boykin visited with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Miles Saturday night. Brother and Mrs. Scooter McCurdy had lunch with the Miles family Sunday.

SALE Every Friday

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News
NEZ GILBREATH
There, been so long since
rotten around to any
I thought I would let
now that Star is still
up.
Mizzi is in bed today
flu bug, I had to stay
with her so will try to
little news or such.
is so much sickness
this time of year, and
looking forward to
holidays. Our marri-
and their children
get to come down, but
well and working hard
takes care of that.
with Mrs. Lenis Lee
ning a short time at

the store. She seems to be do-
ing fine.
Frances Goode is in the Gold-
thwaite hospital; also Treb
Weddell is in the hospital.
Alvin Kemp is getting around
pretty good in his wheel chair
with his broken ankle.
We sure have had the good
rain lately. A lot of green still
around. Guess it will freeze it
all soon.
Our Star School kids have
been playing basketball 3 or 4
nights a week lately, at Zephyr,
Goldthwaite, Evant and around.
Jr. High plays at Goldthwaite
tonight. Both high school games
are here Tuesday and Thursday
nights. Good luck, boys & girls.
Will try to do better on the
news next time.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

U. S. Soldier's Home
Wash., D. C. 20315
December 8, 1971
Mr. G. Frank Bridges,
Enclosed is a check for \$7.00
for the Eagle. I get the paper
every week and enjoy it very
much. The news from home is
fine for me.
Thank you.
Yours truly,
Alvin J. 'Doc' Lee

Dear Editor,
I am sending you a check for
\$6.24 to renew my subscription
to the Eagle. Luther and I look
ahead to our home town paper.
We wish you and everyone in
Mills County a Merry Christmas
and a Happy New Year.
Mrs. Luther Ellis
321 Avenue K
Hereford, Texas 79045

News From Your COUNTY HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT



By WEEDON WASH
A Home Furnishings home
study course is available to local
homemakers. Furnishing a
home today involves some of
the most costly and important
decisions a homemaker must
make. As one means of provid-
ing Mills County homemakers
with current information on
home furnishings, the County
Extension Service and Family
Living Committee have an-
nounced plans for a six-lesson
home study series in home fur-
nishings. The series will be
conducted during the months of
January and February.

The series will provide valu-
able information on interior
design and furnishings for
those interested in home study,
particularly the working home-
maker, homemakers with pre-
school children, and others who
find being away from home in-
convenient.

"Consumers today must know
more than ever before to make
the right home furnishings se-
lections. Improved fibers, use of
new materials, innovative fur-
nishing designs and other ad-
vancements are available to
satisfy almost every taste and
pocketbook," according to Mrs.
Weedon Wash, County Home
Demonstration Agent. This, she
adds, has made consumer de-
cision-making more and more
complex.

Lessons in the home study
series will include planning and
budgeting for furnishings, se-
lecting, and using furniture,
floor coverings, window treat-
ments and decorative accesso-
ries. Lessons will be evaluated by
a trained home economist and
certificates of recognition will
be awarded those completing
the series. Pre-enrollment will
be conducted during the month
of January. For additional in-
formation call the County Ex-
tension Office, 648-2650.

FOOD SHOW REMINDER
4-H and FHA members who

BROWNWOOD CATTLE AUCTION
WAYNE MAY
Brownwood, Texas
December 15, 1971

MARKET: Buyer attendance
normal. Slaughter cows steady
to \$1.00 higher. Slaughter bulls
steady to 50c higher. Cows and
calves and stocker cows fully
steady. Stocker and feeder
calves steady to weaker. Stocker
and feeder steers and yearlings
fully steady. Weakness due to
major buyers closing out their
accounts for the year.

Estimated Receipts: 1,080

Stocker Steer Calves,	
Wts. 250-425-lbs.	39.25-55.00
Stocker Heifer Calves,	
Wts. 250-425-lbs.	34.50-42.75
Steer Yearlings,	
Wts. 500-700-lbs.	35.75-40.50
Bull yearlings	36.00-38.75
Heifer yearlings	34.00-36.25
Plain fdr. str.	34.50-38.00
Plain fdr. hfrs.	27.00-34.25
Cows & Calves, Pair:	
Good	\$255.00-\$327.00
Plain	\$210.00-\$319.00
Stocker cows	210.00-245.00
Stocker cows, lb.	23.40-25.00
Slaughter Cattle	
Fat calves	33.00-34.75
Fat cows	22.60-25.20
Utility and	
Cutter cows	21.10-23.25
Canners	19.25-22.00
Shells	11.00-18.50
Stocker bulls	28.00-30.50
Slaughter bulls	23.80-31.00

Representative Sales

Charlie Sowell, Cross Plains,	
525-lb. red str	40.25
Jernigan Bros., Goldthwaite,	
1970-lb. Char. bull	31.10
Ralph Duren, Mullin, 1185-lb.	
wf. cow and calf	\$328.00
Ima Lou Nabers, Brownwood,	
945-lb. blk. str.	32.80
McInnis Cattle Co., May,	
340-lb. wf. str.	50.50; and
12 blk. hfrs., avg. 403-lbs.,	37.10
Olive Brooks, Blanket,	
530-lb. wf. hfrs.	38.60
Henry Wilks, Cross Plains,	
375-lb. blk. wf. str.	24.50
Joe Reeves, Mullin,	
425-lb. wf. str.	42.50
B&E Dairy, Comanche,	
1310-lb. HMoIs. cow	24.30
E. J. Drucekhammer, Mullin,	
13 wf. str., avg. 544-lbs.	38.50
Bill Sanders, Richland Sung.,	
14 Char. str., avg. 639-lbs.,	36.80
and 13 Char. steers, avg. weight	
703-lbs.	35.75
Oliver Burk, Zephyr,	
255-lb. blk. wf.str.	55.00

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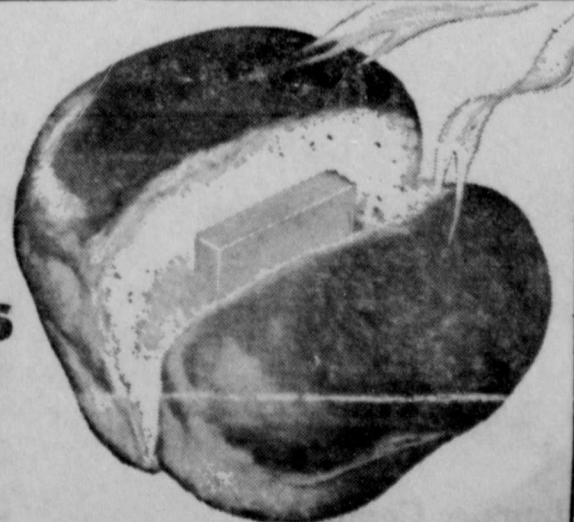
Funeral Services Conducted For Tom Carvin Emdy Of Star Dec. 8

Funeral rites for Tom Carvin Emdy of Star were conducted Saturday, December 18, 1971, at 3:30 p.m. at the Star Baptist Church. Interment was in the Hurst Ranch Cemetery at Star. Rev. Scooter McCurdy officiated and Wilkins Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.
Mr. Emdy passed away Thurs-
day, December 16, 1971 at 12:13 p.m. in the Childress Hospital in Goldthwaite. Born March 10, 1880 in Waco he was the son of the late Phillip Emdy and Annie Curtis Emdy. He was married to Kate Harper on Decem-
ber 7, 1902 in her father's home in Star, Texas. Mr. Emdy was a Charter Deacon of the Star Baptist Church.
He is preceded in death by one daughter, Lorene Emdy. Pallbearers were Johnny Boykin, Charles Boykin, Culver Emdy, Michael Emdy, Sammie Harper, and LeRoy Harper.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Kate Emdy, Star; two sons, Charles C. Emdy, North Holly-
wood, California and Rubin R. Emdy, Chickasha, Oklahoma; two daughters, Mrs. Ozella Emdy Hunter, and Mrs. Margaret Cox both of Star; five grand-
sons, two grand daughters and 12 great grand children.

SHORT LENGTH ANSWER
A school teacher was explain-
ing how heat makes things ex-
pand and cold makes them con-
tract.
"Give me an example, Jones?"
he asked.
"Yes, sir. In summer the days
grow longer and in winter they
grow shorter."

The macadamia nut, a hard-
shelled nut somewhat resemb-
ling a filbert, is Hawaii's third
largest crop and ranks directly
behind sugar and pineapple.



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**Funeral Services Held For Moore
Eubank Of Mercury Friday, Dec. 17**

Funeral rites for Moore Eubank of Mercury, Texas were conducted Friday, December 17, 1971 at 2 p.m. in the East Side Church of Christ. Interment was in the Oakview Cemetery in Mullin. Minister Joe Duke of Allison, Texas officiated and Wilkins Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Moore passed away Wednesday, December 15, 1971 at San Saba Memorial Hospital in San Saba.

Born in McCullough County, Texas he was married to Dana May Simpson on September 7, 1919, in Mercury, Texas. He was

a Minister of the Church of Christ and had served this central Texas area for many years. He was the son of the late Jessie Eubank and Allie Henderson Eubank.

Mr. Moore was preceded in death by two sons, Ray in 1956 and an infant son in 1923.

Pallbearers were Mack Newson, Elgin Dennis, Burlie Edwards, W. H. McKinney, Junior Evans, Doyle Slaughter, E. B. Dunn, Charles R. Beakley and A. D. McKinney.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Dana May Eubank, Mercury; one sister, Mrs. J. E. Edmiston, Volca, Texas; three grandchildren, Maria, Wayne, and Anita Joy; and one great grandchild, Melanie.

**Brenda Davis
Member Of Tarleton
Basketball Team**

STEPHENVILLE — Tarleton TexAnn's coach Sue Baker put 18 candidates for the girls basketball team through rigorous drills this week in preparation for their season opener January 28, against Texas Wesleyan College in Wisdom Gymnasium on the T. S. C. campus.

The TexAnn's will be idle during the holidays and will have only 10 days to prepare for their first game after returning to the campus January 18.

Back from last season's 12-10 team will be All-State sophomore Judy Gleaton of Comanche with an 18.3 average, Vicki Jo Neff, Santa Anna, averaging 12.3, and Brenda Davis of Goldthwaite with a 9.3 average.

Brenda is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Davis of here.

**WHEN THE OLD BIRD
WAS YOUNGER**

10 YEARS AGO —

(Taken from The Eagle Files December 21, 1961)

Cary Owens, a native of Mills County, has been named the Brown-Mills Soil Conservation District's "Conservation Rancher of the Month."

Col. M. Y. Stokes Jr., was guest speaker at the Self Culture Club December 14.

Two Goldthwaite school buildings, one store room and the school bus garage, were destroyed by fire Monday afternoon.

The Goldthwaite High School Eaglettes made their fourth victory of the season when they beat San Saba, 62-19 Tuesday night, December 19, here in the local gym. Arnette Sears made the high score for the Eaglettes.

James Morgan, a student at Tarleton State College, Stephenville, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ance Morgan.

The Mullin Community Improvement Organization will have a Christmas Party at the Ernest L. Fisher home Friday night.

Mrs. Dorothy Yarborough of Georgetown visited friends and relatives here this past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryant and daughter, Camille, visited relatives in Lampasas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mosier visited last Sunday afternoon in the Johnnie Holland home.

Mrs. Vesta McCormick is in Fort Worth where she will spend the holidays visiting with relatives.

25 YEARS AGO —

(Taken from The Eagle Files December 20, 1946)

The Goldthwaite Parents and Teachers Association met in the Grammar School Auditorium, December 11. Christmas Carols led by Mr. Faith were sung by the audience.

F. R. Hines and Greta Sue visited in Mullin Sunday with the Henry family.

Mr. and Mrs. DeAlbert Trent of Beverly Hills, California, arrived Friday of last week for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Sam Sullivan, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Green of Pecan Wells spent Sunday in the home of her mother, Mrs. Bert Ball.—Star News.

Miss Delpha Reece Blackburn of Goldthwaite visited through the weekend with Betty Jean Featherston. Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Turbiville were his parents of South Bennett.—Scallorn News.

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Mrs. R. M. Thompson returned home last Friday after visiting her grandson, Rev. and Mrs. Will Harris, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bohannon of Dallas spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John W. Roberts.

40 YEARS AGO —

(Taken from The Eagle Files of December 18, 1931)

The Self Culture Club lesson on Edward Arlington Robinson was led by Mrs. J. M. Campbell. The next meeting of the club will be January 14 with Mrs. W. K. Marshall leading the program.

Some of the good women of the Valley met at Mrs. W. T. Kerby's Tuesday afternoon and quilting for the Methodist orphanage at Waco.—Big Valley News.

Rex Tullos spent Saturday

night with his grandparents near Mullin.

Misses Elizabeth Mills and Julia Dee Fallon spent Friday night in the Smith home in Big Valley.—Center Point News.

Judge and Mrs. Roy Simpson and children spent last Sunday in the C. C. Featherston home. Bro. and Mrs. Ramsay of Mullin visited several places in our community Tuesday afternoon.—Liveoak News Letter.

Mrs. Eula Nickols and Philip dined with Homer Doggett and wife Saturday. Goldthwaite will be well decorated with Christmas trees from this part of the world from the way they are hauling them in.—Rock Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Conway Evans of Houston are expected in today to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. J. C. Evans.

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BY MRS. JOHNNIE HOLLAND

Funeral services were conducted last Friday afternoon at 2 p. m. from the East Side Church of Christ in Mullin for Mr. Moore Eubanks. Mr. Eubanks was a Minister of the Church of Christ, and was well known over a large area of Texas. He passed away in the San Saba Hospital after having a stroke. Wilkins of Goldthwaite were in charge of arrangements, and interment was in the cemetery at Mullin.

Members of the United Methodist Church in Mullin met

Thursday night at 7 p. m. at the church for a business meeting. Also following the meeting an hour of fellowship was held, with refreshments of coffee and cookies. The members of the church also gave the pastor and his wife a pounding. They received quite a nice supply of foods, etc., which will be quite handy for the Christmas holidays.

The Christmas Program at Ridge was well attended Friday night. Following the program they had a turkey supper

with all the trimmings.

The Senior Citizens will meet Monday at the Community Center for a Christmas dinner. They will also exchange Christmas gifts in the afternoon.

Mrs. Cleo Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Roberts and Marilyn of Goldthwaite and Mrs. Jim Tullos all visited last weekend in Waco with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Tullos and Sam; also they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Rex Tullos and Natalie.

John Hart remains in the hospital at Brownwood, and his condition is critical. Also J. T. Hart is still in the hospital in Gatesville and he also is very ill.

This is a funny old world we are living in. When someone can drive up to your home in broad open daylight and take

Funeral Services For Harry W. Palmer Held Sunday, December 19

Last rites for Harry W. Palmer of Goldthwaite were con-

ducted Sunday, December 19, 1971 at 2 p. m. at the First United Methodist Church. Interment was in the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery. Rev. Gordon Talk officiated and Wilkins Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Palmer passed away Thursday, December 16, 1971 at his home. Born July 27, 1890 in Mills County, he was the son of the late P. G. Palmer and Carrie McAlexander Palmer. He was married to Alma Allen on June 10, 1928 in Norton, Texas. He was a member of the Methodist Church. Mr. Palmer lived

in Fort Worth for about 15 years before he returned to Goldthwaite about 6 years ago. Pallbearers were Lee Roy Stacy, Horace G. Brooks, Wayne Wilcox, Raymond Wilcox, Lewis T. Hudson and LeRoy Miller. Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Mary Conn, Aledo; one

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Morning Worship, 2nd, 4th & 5th Sundays, 11:00 a. m.

Big Valley

BAPTIST CHURCH

Ronnie Horton, Pastor

Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m.

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Wed. Bible Study, 7:30 p. m.

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Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 8:00 p. m.

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Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship, 6:30 p. m.

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Wednesday, Prayer Meeting
7:30 p. m.
Men's meeting, 1st Thursday
each month, 7:00 p. m.

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Last Rites For Oscar C. Gatlin Held Wednesday, December 15

Final rites for Oscar C. Gatlin of Goldthwaite were conducted on Wednesday, December 15, 1971, at 2 p. m. in the Wilkins Funeral Chapel. Interment was in the Rock Springs Cemetery. Rev. Gordon Talk officiated and Wilkins Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Gatlin passed away Tuesday, December 14, 1971 at 12:12 p. m. in the Childress Hospital in Goldthwaite. Born May 11, 1885, in Mills County, he was the son of the late Asa Jackson Gatlin and Lula L. Gatlin. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Serene Montie Slaughter Services Held Saturday, December 11

Funeral rites for Mrs. Serene Montie Slaughter of Goldthwaite were conducted Saturday, December 18, 1971 at 2 p. m. at the Church of Christ in Goldthwaite. Interment was in the Goldthwaite Memorial Cemetery. Minister Joe Woodrum officiated. Wilkins Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Slaughter passed away Thursday, December 16, 1971, at 12:05 a. m. in the Childress Hospital in Goldthwaite.

Born August 15, 1882, in Bandera County, Texas, she was the daughter of the late Alex Besse and Annie Roberts Besse. She was married to Louie Jessie Slaughter December 26, 1904 in Kerr County. They moved to Goldthwaite from Bandera in March of 1931. Mrs. Slaughter was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband, Leon Sutherland, Larry McGary, Cary Taylor, Danny Sutherland, Shurman Robertson, Jr., and Billy Slaughter.

She is preceded in death by three sons, Bill, Lonnie and Henry Slaughter. Survivors include her husband, L. J. Slaughter, Goldthwaite; two sons, Louie Slaughter, Tow, Texas, and Fred Slaughter, Goldthwaite; daughters, Mrs. Lizzie McGary, Austin, Mrs. Rosa Robinson, Abilene; three sisters, Lizzie Sutherland, Goldthwaite, Mrs. May Jeffcoat, Brady, Mrs. Minnie Hawkins, Goldthwaite, and sixteen grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

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FDA Checks Christmas Toys To Ensure Children's Well Being

With Christmas so near, now is a good time for parents of young children to be thinking about the safety of the toys they are going to buy. Toys are tokens of love, and it is important that they be chosen with care. It is tragic when a toy, meant to bring happiness, seriously injures a child.

Children's products with electrical, mechanical, and thermal hazards. The law is aimed at reducing the estimated 700,000 injuries from toys that occur in and around the home annually. Bicycles were involved in the majority of the toy-associated injury cases. Other vehicle-type toys, such as roller skates, sleds, and tricycles were linked with most of the rest of these injuries. Dolls, homemaker items such as toy stoves and irons, stuffed animals, chemistry sets, and colding equipment accounted for less than 1 per cent of the reported cases.

No law can protect a child completely from all dangers. With approximately 12,000 toy firms in the country resulting in estimated sales of \$3 billion in toys each year and approximately 83,000 entries of imported toys each year, complete surveillance of the toy market is impossible.

With limited money and manpower resources diverted from other product safety programs to toy safety activities, FDA has obtained voluntary modifications of approximately 74 types of toys identified as having potential mechanical hazards. Since December 1970 approximately 200 individual toy products have been banned. In most cases, these toys have been redesigned or production ended.

Protecting children from unsafe toys is a parental as well as a governmental responsibility. Consideration should be given to the age and size of the child, his ability, and the area in which he plays with his toys. A toy that is safe for one child may be dangerous in the hands of an unsupervised and less skillful younger brother or sister.

Toy buyers in the family should reject those with obvious hazards — sharp points; rough or unfinished surfaces; small, detachable parts that may be swallowed; brittle plastic or glass that breaks easily and leaves sharp edges that may cut; poorly constructed toys with sharp spikes or pins that are exposed when the toy is pulled apart by a curious child; toys with triggers, gears, or other parts activated by a spring or motor that may pinch fingers or catch hair.

Chemistry sets, rocket kits, and similar toys should be bought only for children old enough to handle them wisely. Any minimum age recommended by the manufacturers of such toys should be heeded.

Since wires can wear through electric toys such as trains and "home appliances" for little girls should be checked periodically. Such toys should not be purchased for the very young. If an electrical toy must be bought, the child should be shown how to insert a plug safely into an electric outlet and how to remove the plug.

Special care must be taken with toys that have trailing loops and cords. A child should be taught never to put these loops or cords around him in such a way that they may trip or choke him. Toy arrows should be tipped with some soft substance that cannot be removed. Care must be taken with suction tips. They can come off and expose dangerously sharp ends.

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Natural Beauty Seen In Mills County

By CHARLES F. STUDER
District Conservationist
"I lift mine eyes unto the hills from which cometh my strength," as stated in the Old Testament, might well reflect present conditions in the Brown-Mills Soil and Water Conservation District. This condition is a result of resource conservation measures being applied through the Great Plains Conservation Program, watershed protection, and flood prevention programs of the Soil Conservation Service. These things have happened because land users have applied conservation measures to their land. They believe that beside being profitable, these measures enhance the land for beauty, recreation, and wildlife.

The words of the son "America The Beautiful" comes to mind as you pass through this Soil and Water Conservation District. Natural springs are flowing, oak leaves are turning red on the trees, and deer are running in the draws and along the streams.

District Director Hubert Meyer produced a "Sea of Grass" on his farm this year even under unfavorable moisture conditions present earlier in the year. This beautiful countryside is five miles north of Goldthwaite. Meyer obtained the "Sea of Grass" by converting an old needlegrass pasture to an improved Kleingrass pasture. Large oak trees were left for beauty and shade.

Eddie Dryman, who stock farms northeast of Goldthwaite, has observed several deer on his farm this year grazing on Wintergreen Harding grass. Prior to the planting of this improved cool season bunchgrass, deer were seen only occasionally as they passed through his place. Dryman planted 19 acres in September of this year. Now, deer are coming out of the adjacent wooded areas to graze this grass.

Resource conservation touches the life of every person. For this reason, the agriculturally-oriented people of the District are accepting the unique challenge and responsibilities of managing their resources for preservation and continued use.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Harris were visitors at Hamilton Friday.

W. W. Ratliff and Andy J. Wells attended funeral services

for their aunt at San Saba. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nowell visited Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Porter. They also visited Treb Waddell at the local hospital. Mrs. C. V. Whatley spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Bertie White.

W. P. Oxford visited recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Oxford Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ratliff of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs.

Randal Ratliff and Troy Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. W. W. Ratliff. Billy Oxford of Fort spent the weekend with family. Ray Evans of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl and his grandparents, Mr. Mrs. Albert Evans Sr. I wish all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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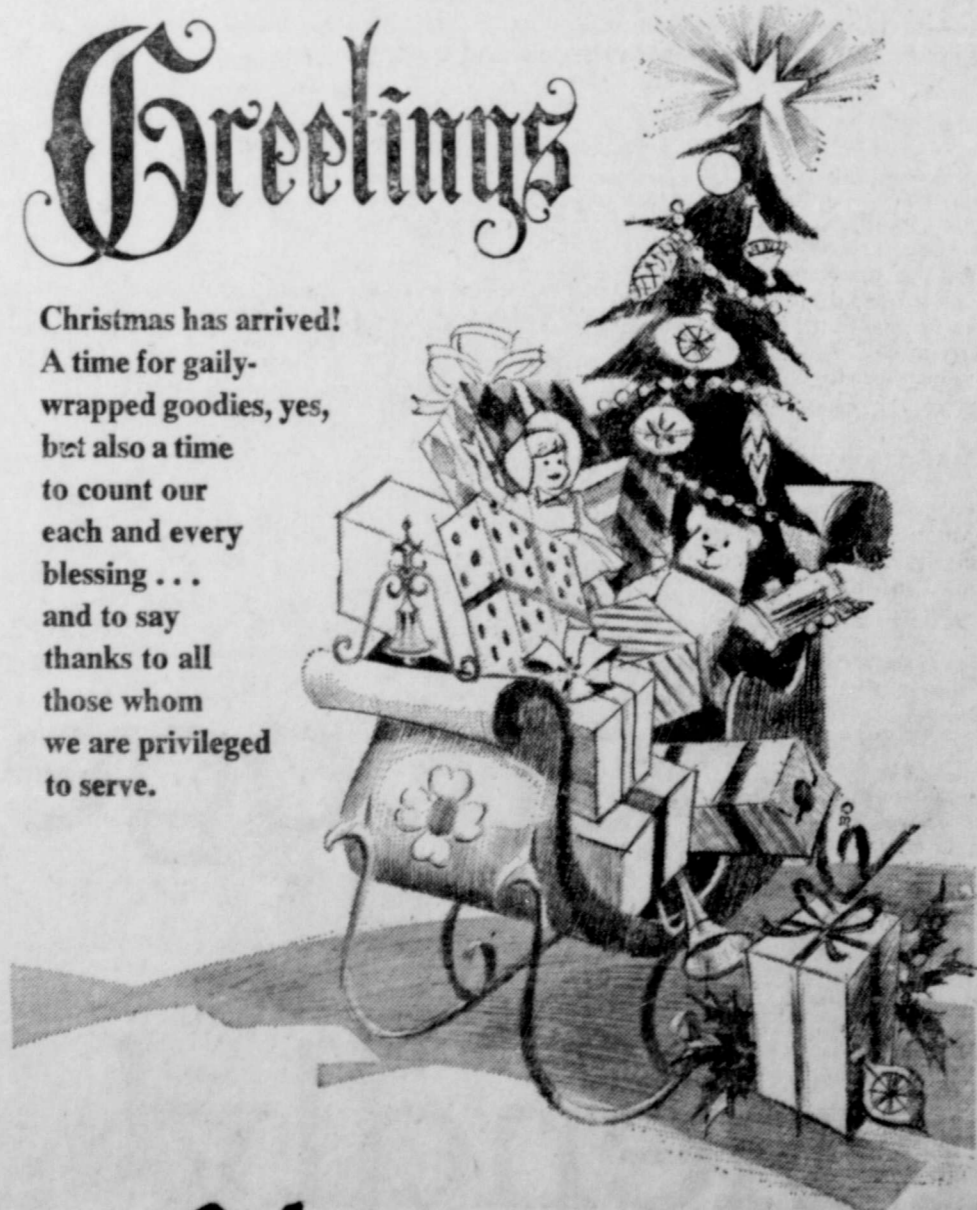
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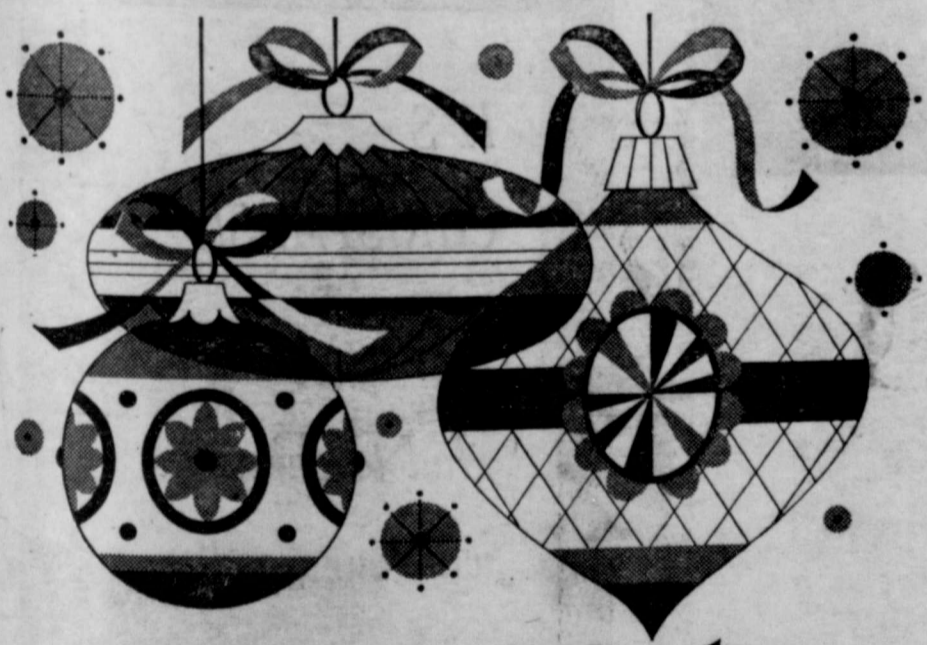
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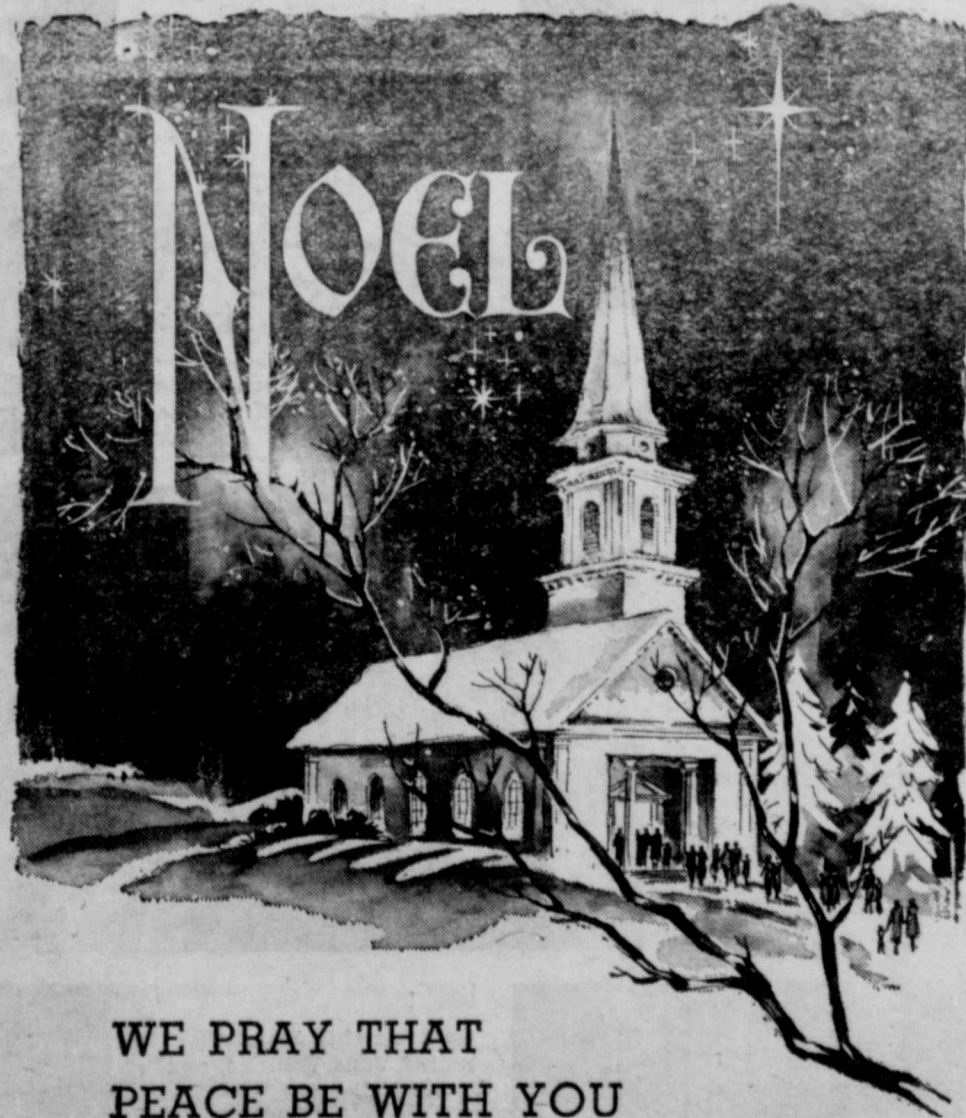
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Asst. cashier.



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Sue Boykin and Cynthia
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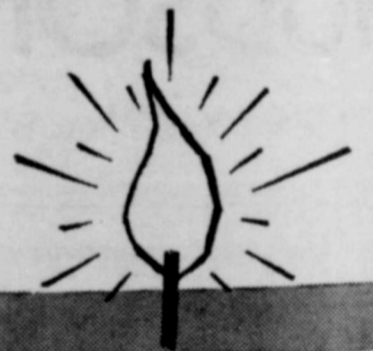
center:
(left to right) Carolyn
Cornelius, Warren Duren,
President, and Charlotte
Cagle



left:
(left to right) Jeannie
Ratliff, June Williams, and
Gayle Hall



right:
(left to right) Glynn
Collier, vice president; Vicki
Rudd, June Roberts, and
Houston Duren, vice
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and lasting
serenity.

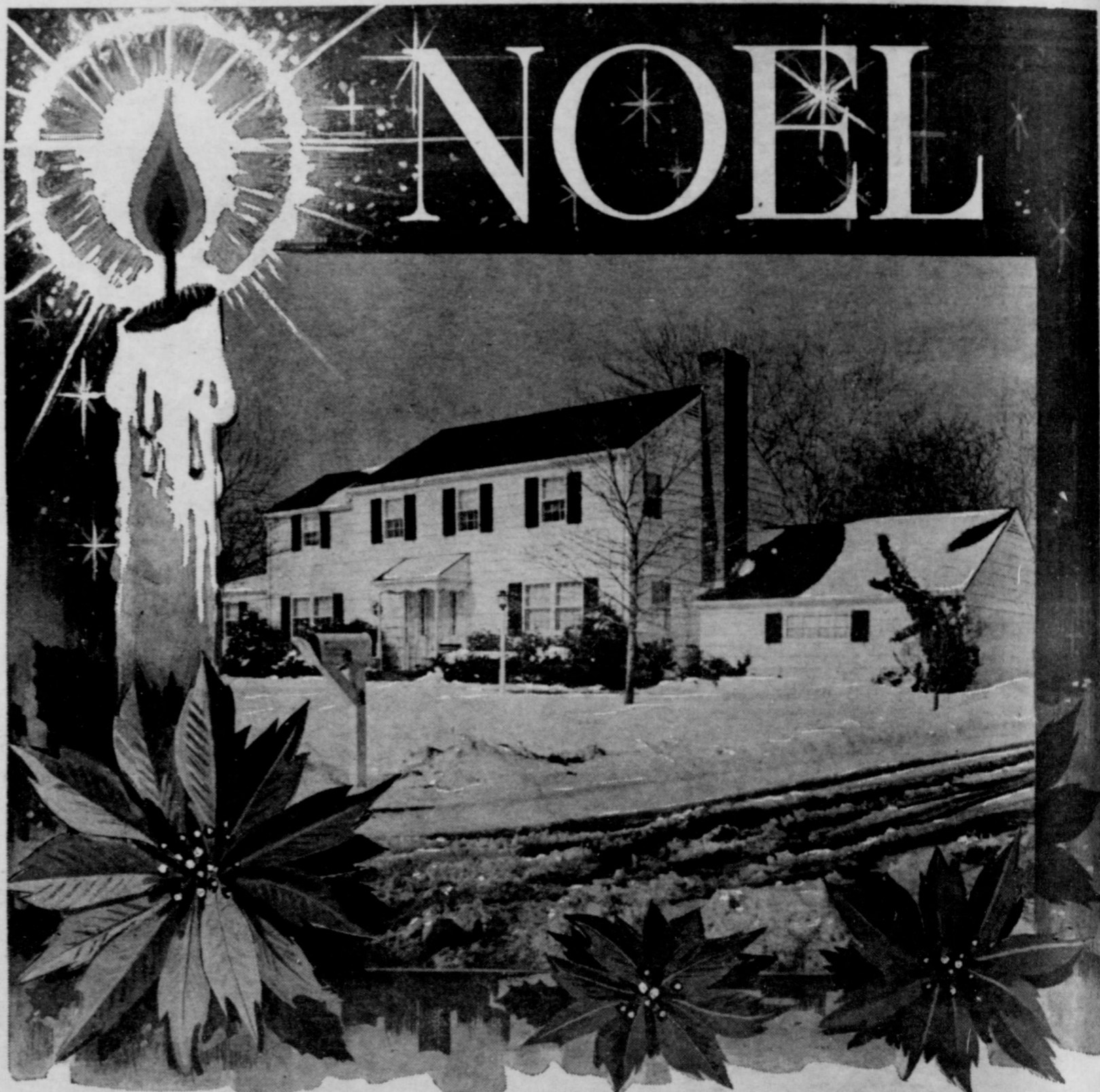
To all our
faithful and
steadfast pa-
trons, we wish
the very best
at the holiday
season.



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for you and your loved
ones. We hope your holidays
are truly joyful, and
marked with harmony in
every way. Merry
Christmas to all!



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CHEER
TO ALL



A happy
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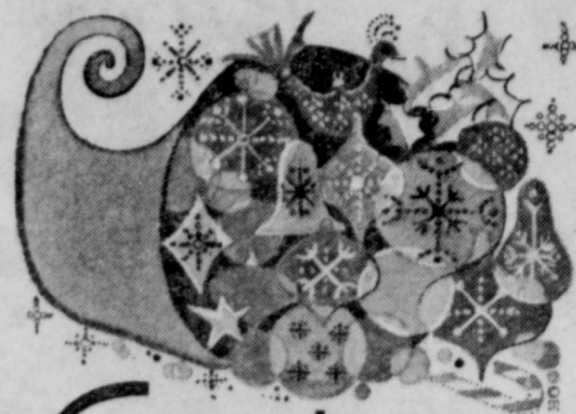
MERRY CHRISTMAS

As joy and laughter fill the air during the Christmas season, we wish to take a moment to add our best wishes and thanks.

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Greetings
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To All...

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Peace on Earth

O, Holy Night, when all the world was still
There, in the distance, shone a mighty star
with a luster that burns brightly now in the
hearts of all men of good will. May thoughts of
that first Christmas bring peace to all

Thank you for your generous consideration.

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Greetings



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Cheers



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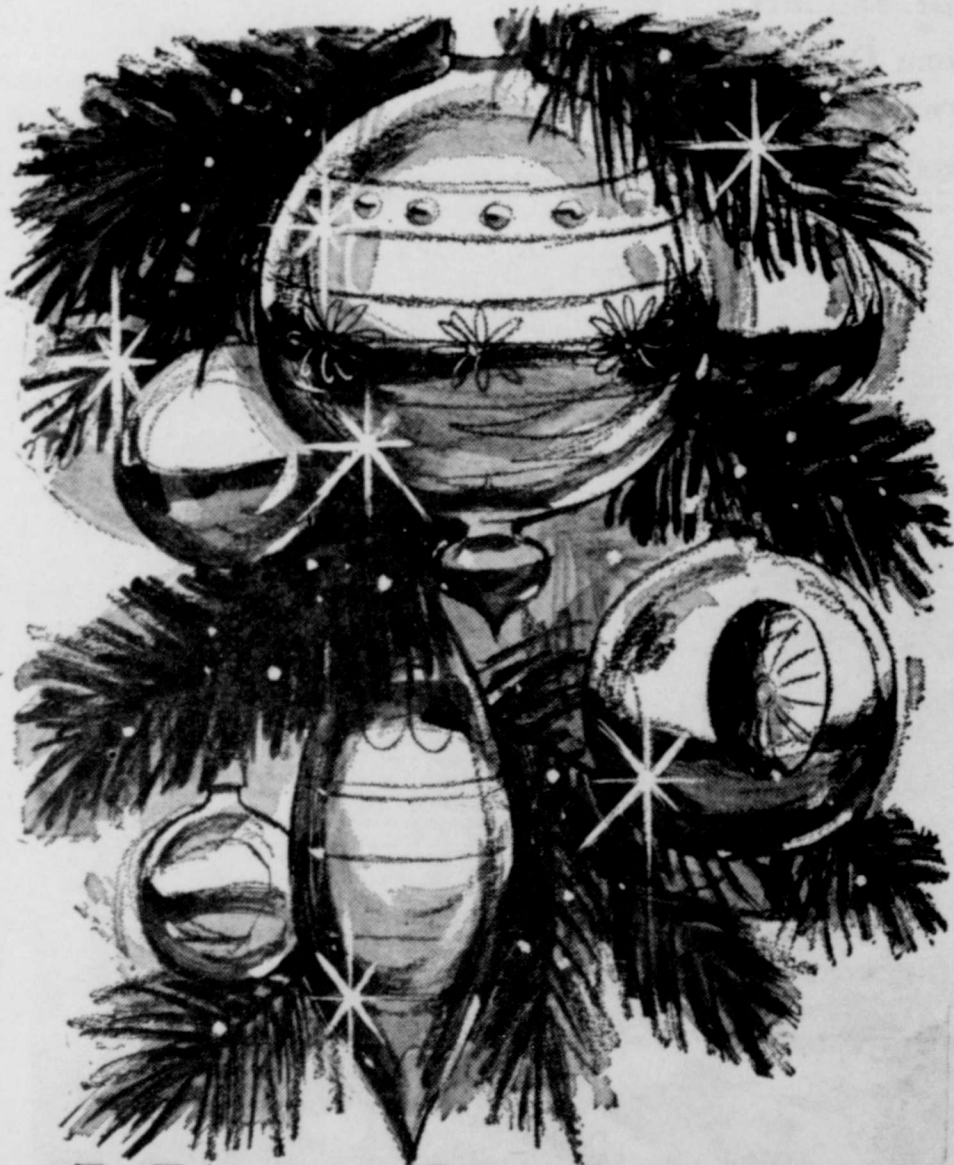
Holy Night



Each year at Christmas, the sacred story of the first Holy Night lives anew. Now may the Miracle of Bethlehem bestow its blessings upon each of us. Sountiful thanks to our customers for your many favors.

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TO ALL AT CHRISTMAS

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Season's Greetings

May the beauty of the Season brighten your life, not only at Christmas, but always.

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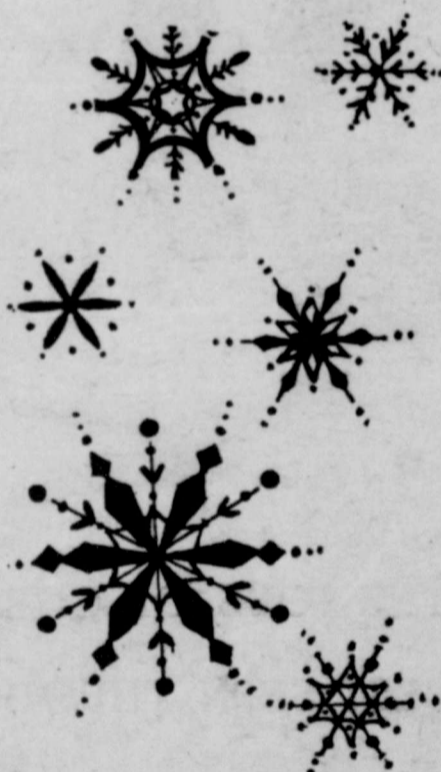
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BEST SEEN THROUGH CHILDREN'S EYES...
FOR THEM, IT'S A TIME OF WONDER AND DELIGHT
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Season's Greetings



FROM ALL OF US TO ALL OF YOU,
THOUGH IT'S BEEN SAID OFTEN BEFORE,
COMES A WISH THAT'S OLD YET EVER NEW —
"MERRY CHRISTMAS, FRIENDS . . . MANY, MANY MORE!"

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And Staff



good times

good cheer at Christmas!

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May the season be truly joyous to you
Thank you for all of your patronage

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We bring to you the good cheer
of the Yuletide, wishing you
Christmas that will be merry
and bright.

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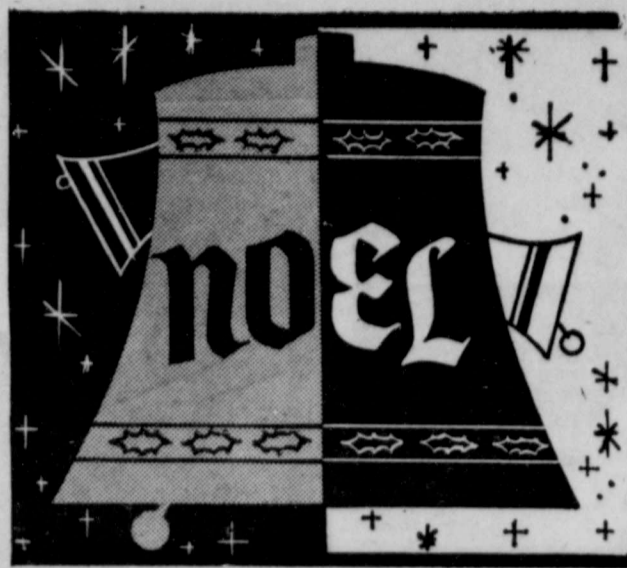
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**MERRY
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BLESSINGS OF
 THE YULETIDE
 TO EVERYONE

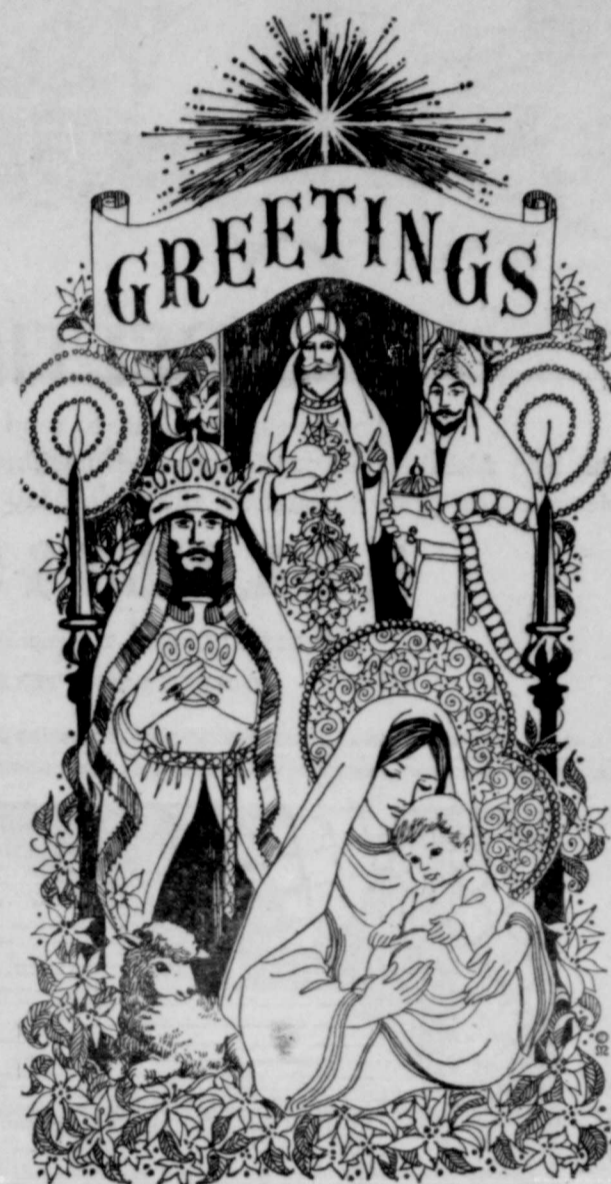
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 TEXAS



May we extend our best
 wishes to one and all
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 BEST THIS SEASON HAS TO GIVE.
 AND TO ALL OUR PATRONS WE
 EXTEND OUR HEARTIEST GRATITUDE
 FOR THEIR LOYAL SUPPORT.

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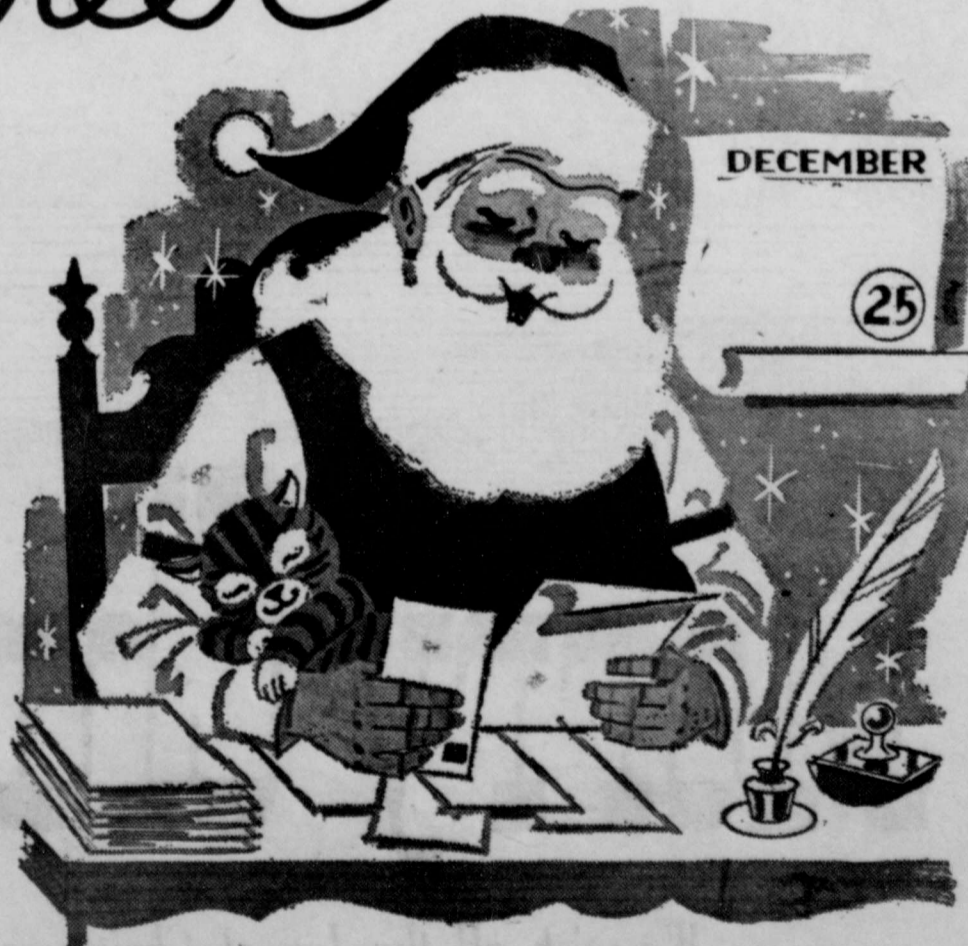


A bright Christmas
 to our many friends!

J. D. Kight

MOBIL DEALER
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**Christmas
 Cheer**



We're sending our best wishes along with
 Santa's to all our wonderful friends and patrons!
 Thanks so much for letting us serve you at

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Allow us this moment, to send our sincere and hearty thanks and best wishes to all our friends and neighbors, whom we have served with pleasure and pride throughout the year. May the best of holidays be yours.

A. & A. PAINT & SUPPLY

TRUETT AULDRIDGE, General Contractor
GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS



... and Joy to the World. May this Beautiful Christmas Message Be With You and Yours. Thanks to All.

DAIRY CUP

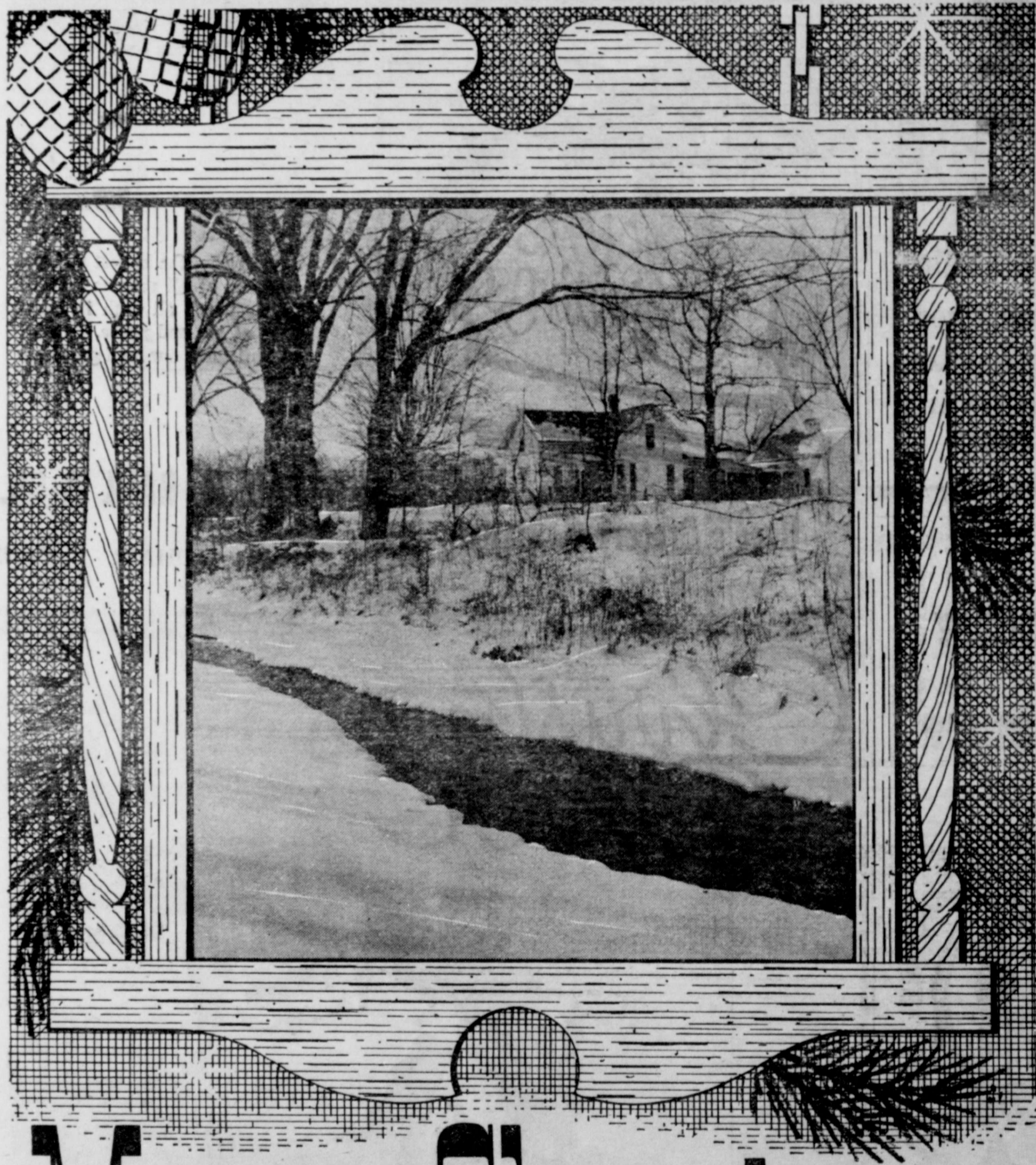
Johnny Duncan - Hollis Wiggins



To you and yours, sincere wishes for happiness and prosperity throughout the holiday season from everyone at

Bosse Grocery

Gene and Dorothy
Priddy, Texas



Merry Christmas

We wish all the Joy of Christmas to each one of you!

G. C. HEAD INSURANCE

Gerry Head
Billie Lee

Gerald and Wilma
Peggy Nowell
Mrs. Garth Wall



An old-fashioned wish from us to you, dear friends. May your joys be many. And, special thanks.

Norman G. Duren
Postmaster



From all of us to all of you
best wishes for a happy Yuletide!

Mills County Farm Bureau

DAVID WATTERS
General Service Agent