

West Texas can promise less and give more than any other section in America. Sixty days ago this whole area was as dry as a powder house and growing crops were conspicuous because of their absence. There just were not any. Tanks and lakes were dry and about the only activity noted was that group of water trucks. The ground was dry and great cracks resembled those made by an earthquake.

But we had not had an earthquake, but rather a drought of many months duration.

Today there is a different story. People seem to be happy and contented. Green stuff is popping out of the soil despite the cold weather, and new life is noted on every turn. And all because of just a little rain. Give West Texas water and West Texans will take care of themselves.

Our drought has not been completely broken, but recent rains have given Eastland county farmers and ranchers new courage. Their faith has not been shattered, and they have an abundance of "hope."

If these rains continue, and we get a good crop next year, people will be denying that we ever had a drought here.

Our Monday morning mail brought this card: "We read of our best known murderers on the occasion of her 6th escape, that her mother is also a patient in the institution from which she escaped. One generation of insanity is enough." This writer may have some thing.

Ordinarily we do not hear from this column, but the squib last week concerning the "talking woman" in a busy line of bank depositors has caused a sensation. The first woman who called us gave us the scare of our life. We thought she was the "talking woman" and had called to collect some of our hide. However, this was not so. She had read the item and liked it very much, and had called to "thank" rather than to "cuss" us. Since her call we have had many others, and all were in perfect agreement. Thanks ladies!

Tom High seems to be about the best shot in this neck of the woods. He came in a day or so ago and reported he had just knocked off an 8-point buck. Shot him right through the heart, he said, and he brought the heart along as evidence. That's even better than we could do.

We have always limited our hunting to smaller game, and the smaller the better. Haven't shot a gun in 15 years or more, and as we remember didn't hit anything then, other than air and sunshine. But that old shot gun hit our shoulder with the impact of what a government mule might do. It was blue for a week.

But right now we are planning a hunting trip. It won't amount to much, and if you have any squirrels, rabbits or birds on your place they will be perfectly safe. It's like this: We have a nephew who is coming down from Abilene in a few days, and he wants to go hunting. We told him it would be o.k., and for him to come on. Now it dawns upon us that we don't own a pasture—so where will we hunt?

We can't let this nephew down, and so we now send out an SOS call. What kind hearted farmer or rancher will volunteer to let us use a pasture for a few hours some afternoon? The nephew wants quail, and we will set a trap for a good jackrabbit if he will stand still long enough for us to shoot him. This is no joke—we really want to go hunting. Don't all volunteer at once.

P. S.—In all probability your game will be perfectly safe, and we'll try not to shoot your cows and pigs.

**Social Security Cards Necessary**

A representative of the Abilene office of the Social Security Administration will be at the City Hall in Eastland on Thursday, Dec. 4 at 10:00 a.m.

Persons wishing assistance in connection with retirement or death claims under the Social Security Act should call at that time. This announcement was made today by Ralph T. Fisher, Manager of the Abilene office who stated that the next visit will be at the same time and place or December 18.

Fisher called attention to the fact that students, housewives, and others who expect to work during the Christmas holidays will need social security account numbers. Persons who are self employed should also see that their social security cards are available, as they will be needed when income tax returns are filed.

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PRICE FIVE CENTS

**Fair And Mild Weather Seen For County Area**

You can hang up those heavier garments—needed at intervals the past week—but don't pack 'em away.

Old Sol was beaming brightly this morning, and the weatherman forecast "continued fair with little change in temperature for Tuesday and Wednesday."

There was a hint, however, that tomorrow—Wednesday—may be cloudy. But no rain appears imminent at this time.

The mercury is due to soar up to 65 before today ends, and tonight's lowest level probably will be around the 40-degree mark, a considerable margin over freezing.

Fair, mild weather is seen for Wednesday, too, with a high of 65 forecast for Wednesday afternoon.

Mace is not a true spice, but is derived from the dried covering of the seed of the nutmeg.

**Yung Promoted In TCU Corps**

William E. Yung of Ranger, has been promoted to cadet corporal in the Transportation Corps ROTC at Texas Christian University, L. Col. John W. Murray, professor of military science and tactics, announced today.

Yung, who is a sophomore at the University, is majoring in liberal arts. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Yung of Ranger.

**Nazarene Zone Rally Planned**

There will be a zone rally at the Church of the Nazarene in Eastland this afternoon at 2:30 and 7:30. This will be in the interest of Home Missions and youth. An interesting program will be presented featuring such speakers as Orville Jenkins of Plainview, district superintendent and W. H. Dorrough of Amarillo, district NYPS president, and Robert Anderson, pastor at Lubbock.

The public is welcome.

**Last Rites For W. S. Maxwell Are Held Today**

Walter Scott Maxwell, 77, of Carbon, died in a Gorman hospital Monday morning, following a severe heart attack. He broke camp early yesterday when members of the family found him in the floor and unconscious. He was rushed to the Gorman hospital, but passed away three hours later.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Church of Christ in Carbon, at 3 p.m. today, with W. E. Moore, Church of Christ minister in charge. Interment in Carbon cemetery.

Survivors include the widow; three daughters, Meses. W. D. Vencil of Jayton, L. P. Barnett of Durant, Okla., and W. L. Fite, of San Angelo; three brothers, D. Maxwell of Carbon, Ernest of Lometa and John of Houston; one sister, Mrs. Lulu Crumley of Lampasas and four grandchildren.

Palbearers are Leroy Farks, Joe Barnett, Floyd Rice, Dulan Sandlin, Nick Duggans and Jim Jackson.

**Did You Know?**



By Marene Johnson-Johnson

Two of the big companies that have a good pay roll for Eastland are doing more than just that. The Texas Electric Service Company and the Community Natural Gas Company are the two industries referred to.

Each of these companies have three Home Economic Experts on their payroll to serve the public, that means Mrs. Housewife! They conduct cooking schools and they may be had with proper arrangements made with the companies, and they will show you the latest tricks with Electricity or Gas cooking.

They may be found unexpectedly in the high school cafeteria or in the college kitchens checking the equipment to see if they are getting the most out of the appliance and if there are any questions that need to be answered. If an appliance needs a little adjusting they report it and out comes another expert to add more service to your investment. Did you know that these good people are not only selling the equipment to "soup up" the kitchen but are willing to put more "broth" in the kettle free of charge just to see that we get our moneys' worth.

This is like the old adage, "If your boy ever asks you to walk a mile with him, walk two!"

A new motto for the wall arched the other day, it read like this, "So long as you are green you grow—When you are ripe you are rotten!" It was illustrated with the appropriate tomatoes.

**Funeral Rites For Mrs. Tibbs Held Monday**

Funeral services for Mrs. Emma Tibbs, 83-year-old Mingus resident, were held at the First Baptist Church in Strawn Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The Rev. W. H. Rucker, Baptist minister, officiated during the final rites and interment was in Mt. Marion Cemetery, Strawn.

Morris Funeral Home, Ranger, was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Tibbs, who was born in Hill County on Feb. 18, 1869, died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Rosa McAlester, at Mingus on Sunday. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Her survivors include one son, Tom Tibbs of California; two daughters, Mrs. Rosa McAlester of Mingus and Mrs. Ida Tibbs of Arizona; three sisters, Mrs. Sue Cunningham, Mrs. Little Lamineck and Mrs. Lee McElyea; two brothers, Fred McClung and John McClung; 11 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and three great-great grandchildren.

**County Officer Arrests State Officer At Breck**

Deputy Sheriff A. Ramsey of Breckenridge literally "took the law into his own hands" on Thanksgiving Day—last Thursday.

The Stephens County officer arrested Texas Ranger John T. Cope, also of Breckenridge, and charged the state law enforcement officer with driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated.

Cope, who has been stationed in Breckenridge for some time, pleaded not guilty and bond was set at \$500.

Judge Floyd Jones of 91st District Court said the case was passed with the appearance bond still in effect.

**Last Rites For Rising Star Man, Drowning Victim, Held Monday; State Holiday Toll Totals 42**

Funeral rites for Roy Lee Little, 36-year-old Eastland County man who was one of Texas' 42 casualties of the long four-day Thanksgiving weekend, were held at the Methodist Church in Rising Star Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. Little was drowned about 6:15 p.m. Saturday while on a pleasure boat ride on the waters of Lake Brownwood. His body was recovered a short time later at 8 p.m.

Interment following the Monday afternoon funeral rites was in Cross Plains cemetery.

The Rev. R. B. Twitty, pastor of Sherman Presbyterian Church officiated assisted by Rev. Butler, Methodist minister of Cross Plains.

Mr. Little's sister-in-law, Miss Ruth McAdams, 25, and her husband, Mr. McAdams, 28, were also present.

**Methodists Will Continue Their Layman Revival**

Revival services will continue at the First Methodist Church tonight and tomorrow night, according to announcement made by Grady Pipkin, chairman of the committee directing the Stewardship revival.

George Steinman, teacher in McMurtry College of Abilene, will be the speaker this evening at the 7:30 service. Homer Smith will preside at the service.

Wednesday evening at 7:30 the closing service will be held with Frank Bell, insurance representative of Abilene and member of the Presbyterian Church, giving the talk on Christian Stewardship. N. P. McCarney will be in charge of the Wednesday evening service.

In this stewardship revival with laymen speakers Alex Bickley, attorney and Methodist laymen from Abilene, spoke on Sunday evening. Pat Cooper, business man and member of the Christian Church in Abilene, was the speaker Monday evening.

In inviting every one to attend the two remaining services of the revival at the First Methodist Church Pipkin said, "We are glad to present these outstanding Christian laymen who are bringing challenging messages. It will help every one who comes to hear these men share their experience."

**A&M Club Will Show Picture In Rising Star, Wed.**

The Eastland County A&M Club will have a meeting and show in Rising Star on Wednesday evening, Dec. 3. The meeting will be held at the high school and will begin at 8:00 p.m.

Among other things will be a picture film depicting the football clash between Arkansas and SMU. A large attendance is urged.

**WTCC DISTRICT 4 WILL ELECT VICE PRESIDENT WEDNESDAY**

A district vice president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be elected at the annual meeting of District IV of the regional chamber to be held at Decatur Wednesday morning.

Another matter before the meeting will be approval of the budget and work program of the WTCC for 1952-1953.

Represented in District IV are Arlington, Bowie, Cleburne, Decatur, Denton, Fort Worth, Gainesville, Granbury, Jacksboro, Mineral Wells, Nocona, Pilot Point, Strawn and Weatherford.

R. Wright Armstrong of Fort Worth, WTCC president, and Fred H. Hubbs, general manager, will discuss the work program. Departmental managers of the WTCC staff also will attend.

Places and dates of seven district membership sessions of the WTCC have been announced as follows: December 15: 10 a.m., district 7, El Paso; 7 p.m., district 8, Albia.

December 16: 10 a.m., district 6, Odessa; 7 p.m., district 2, Lubbock.

December 17: 7:30 p.m., district 1, Pampa.

December 19: 10 a.m., Brownwood, district 10; 7 p.m., San Angelo, District 9.

The meetings of districts 5 and 3 were held in Albany and Vernon today and the district 4 meeting in Decatur tomorrow.

**Deer Hunters Successful As 6 Bucks Taken**

Seems as though every man in Eastland who is large enough to "tote" a gun, is out gunning for a buck this season.

The latest group of hunters was led by Tom High, and he was high man in the shooting contest. Others were Jim Drake, Bob Richardson, Curtin Kivick, Richardson and Joe Eastland.

**Rotarians To Collect Clothes, Food For Korea**

**Mother Of Two Rangerites Laid To Rest Today**

Funeral services for Mrs. Arthur L. Gilman, 61, mother of two Ranger women, were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Harrell Funeral Chapel in Dublin. Following the rites, interment was in a Dublin cemetery.

Mrs. Gilman, mother of Mrs. Nicol Crawford and Mrs. S. B. Zuccaro, both of Ranger, died Monday in a Dublin hospital following a long illness.

Mrs. Gilman, born on Jan. 9, 1891 at Pontiac, Texas, had been a Dublin resident for about 56 years, relatives said. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include the husband, A. L. Gilman of Dublin; two daughters, Mrs. Nicol Crawford and Mrs. S. B. Zuccaro, both of Ranger; one son, Conrad G. Gilman of Fort Worth; three brothers and three sisters and a number of nieces and nephews.

**Pioneer Cisco Woman Buried**

Services for Mrs. Millie F. Whitehead, 77, and a resident of Eastland county for 55 years, were conducted in the Thomas Funeral Chapel in Cisco, Friday at 2 p.m. She died in an Abilene hospital, after a lingering illness.

She was born in Fayette, Ala., Oct. 4, 1875, but moved to Cisco 55 years ago.

Survivors include four sons, A. B. Pelton, and D. Whitehead all of Cisco, and L. R. Whitehead, Jr., of Odessa; two daughters, Mrs. J. O. Brown of Abilene, and Mrs. Elsie Perry of Augusta, Ga.; three brothers, F. Coddell, J. Coddell and Josh Coddell of Petrolia. Twenty-seven grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren.

Eastland Rotary club will accept gifts and see that they arrive at the proper destination. Or if it is more convenient, leave your gifts at the Daily Telegram office. Good news or used clothing, shoes, etc., are in demand.

Ransack that closet and see what you can find, and then bring your gifts down. You may never need these items, but the cold and hungry Koreans will receive them with great delight.

The demand for products from the farms and ranches of Texas is expected to continue high during 1953—especially the first half. Farm costs are expected to edge upward in the months ahead continuing the cost-price squeeze on farm operators.

**Cisco UT Co-ed Aids In Quest For New Drug**

Will the next great "wonder drug" be found in the soil of Texas?

That's an interesting and intriguing question.

And should the acres of the vast Lone Star state be tapped for a valuable contribution to medicine, a young Eastland County co-ed, a student at the University of Texas, will share in credit for such a discovery.

Miss Betty Lennen, pharmacy student from Cisco, was given considerable publicity today in a dispatch from Austin. Her picture, showing her gathering a soil sample from the campus of the University of Texas, appeared in the Tuesday morning edition of the Abilene reporter-News and several area newspapers. Looking on in the news photo were Dr. Nestor Bohonos, Lederle Laboratories scientist, and Dr. C. C. Albers of the College of Pharmacy of the university.

This week samples of soil from the campus of the University of Texas were on the way to Pearl River, N. Y., for assay by scientists of Lederle Laboratories. There it will be determined if they contain molds from which a new life saving antibiotic, such as aureomycin, may be produced.

The samples of campus soil were prepared by Betty Lennen of Cisco, a pharmacy student at the university and presented to Dr. Nestor Bohonos, director of Mycology research at Lederle.

While there are no reliable soils for predicting whether soils are, or from any other source, are likely to produce molds, scientists are in the samples from the campus because they're a distinct type. And all soils are being tested in a wide search for new drugs. Certain soils not

recently tilled or disturbed are regarded as most apt to produce antibiotics.

Only a few years ago, another tiny sample of earth from Missouri was received by the Pearl River scientists, who processed it just as they had tested thousands of earlier samples in their search for a new antibiotic.

**AUREOMYCIN FOUND**  
But from this soil an interesting golden mold appeared. Test tube experiments produced startling results. The new mold effectively prevented the growth of staphylococci, streptococci, and a variety of rod-shaped germs called bacilli. The latter property was most significant, for it acted against a



BETTY LENNON, pharmacy student, gathers a soil sample from the campus of the University of Texas. Dr. Nestor Bohonos, right, Lederle Laboratories scientist, and Dr. C. C. Albers, of the College of Pharmacy faculty, look on. The soil sample will be tested to see if it contains a new antibiotic mold, such as produced aureomycin.

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### Adult Delinquents Outnumber Youth

There are two adult delinquents for every juvenile delinquent in a community, a vocational education

coordinator said at Racine, Wis., recently.

J. E. TePoorten said today's youth are "the challenge of our land. Don't sell them short. They are living and growing up in times of great discovery and change. They face more temptations in a short walk to school than did many of their forbears in a month."

TePoorten said education cannot be overemphasized in preparing youth for the struggle to keep America great. He added that the education system must be con-

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### Nation's Fire Losses for 1951—

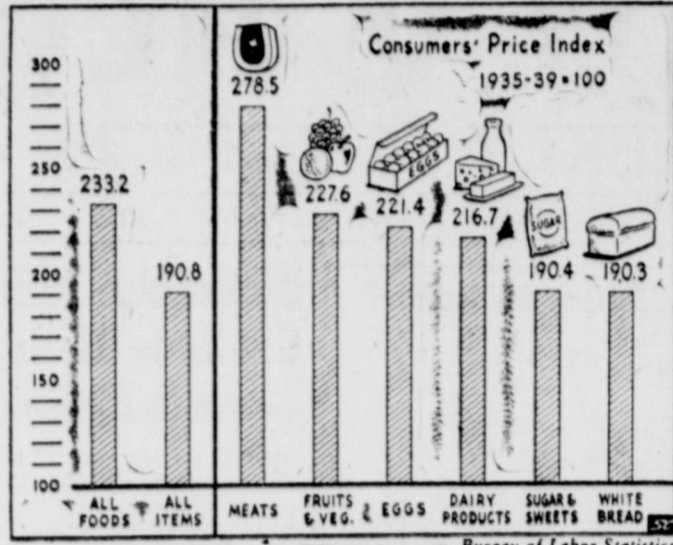
... are way up according to report of National Board of Fire Underwriters just released. Three quarter billion dollars went up in smoke, an increase of 12.3%, and more than 11,000 persons lost their lives. The causes are listed as about the same as previous years with careless use of matches and smoking accounting for 27%. Misuse of electricity, overheated chimneys and flues, lightning, spontaneous combustion and explosions are others in order.

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### Food Price Index Shows Slight Drop



Bread and sugar and sweets are having a neck-and-neck race for low position among the major food items which are used in the Bureau of Labor Statistics consumers' price index. The latest monthly report from the BLS showed a slight reduction in the "all foods" index as compared with the previous month. Among the major items in the index, bread has advanced less than any of the others, when compared with the 1935-39 average which the BLS uses as 100. Bakers say this points up even more sharply their statement that "penny for penny, bread is your best food buy."

cerned with all of the nation's people.

"Only 20 out of every 100 high school graduates go on to college," TePoorten said. "The 80 that stay behind must still be trained to become part of a great civilization."

He quoted Egyptian and Greek historians to show that people of 4000 B. C. thought their youth was demoralized and immoral, had

### Dangers Carbon Monoxide Bared By Health Head

"You can't see it... you can't smell it... you can't taste it and yet it can kill you," said Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, referring to carbon monoxide. A silent enemy, it strikes its victims in closed rooms, garages and cars where wood, coal, gasoline, or natural gas is burning.

Some victims of this silent poisoner never knew their life was in danger. As others died, they may have realized that the killer was at hand, but were helpless to do anything about it. They were so benumbed that they could not get

little respect for their elders and authority.

### SHOP OPEN

I have just returned from Lubbock and have reopened my shop.

SAWS AND LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED

**E. E. HEAD**  
1011 West Main

out into the fresh air; they couldn't walk or even stand up. Those who escape death, once this silent killer permeates a closed room, garage or automobile, are rescued by someone who discovers their plight.

Carbon monoxide is given off when wood, coal, gasoline or natural gas is burned, but not all the gas is burned. Its danger is greatest in cold weather because people tend to close their houses and cars so tight that no fresh air can circulate. When this happens, carbon monoxide accumulates to a dangerous concentration. It kills because it prevents the victim from getting enough oxygen.

To help prevent such deaths all stoves should be vented, keep heated rooms ventilated, do not leave gas heaters burning while you and your family are asleep, do not entirely close all the windows in your car and do not run your car in a closed garage.

Whether your stoves, heaters and your car serve you and family usefully, capably and safely, or whether they become agencies of death depend upon how wisely you use them. Remember, ventilate at all times.

Reid had to locate old work orders of the Abbott Downing Co. of Concord, N. H., original manufacturer of the stagecoach and then find craftsmen capable of fixing the vehicle.

The Concord was used throughout the world from 1827 to 1900. A coach cost about \$870 in 1870, but it is believed the refurbished one sold for at least three times that.

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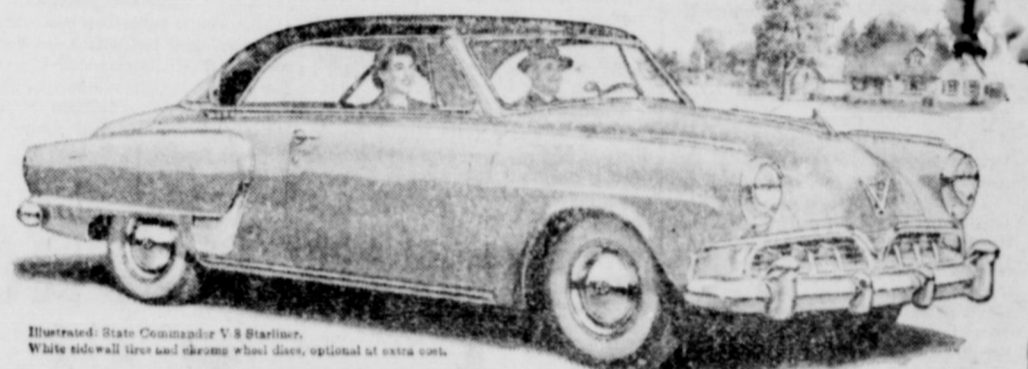
BY THE CARTON

### Concord Stage To Roll In Big Bowl Parade

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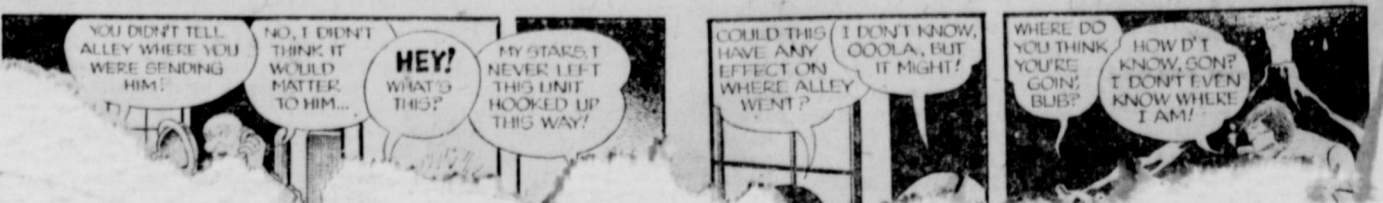
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Social Calendar

TUESDAY, DEC. 2—Lions Club, Methodist Church—Bruce Pipkin Pres. Lamplighter's Circle with Mrs. W. P. Leslie, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 3—Music Study Club Woman's Club, 3:30 p.m., Mrs. Donald Kinnaid president. Mrs. E. H. Culbertson, Chrmn.

THURSDAY, DEC. 4—Thursday Club, Woman's Club, 3 p.m. Mrs. Arthur Murrell president.

FRI.-SAT., December 5-6—Music Club bake and rummage sale. West side of square, Mrs. Louie Corbell, chairman.

SATURDAY, December 6—Library Story Hour, Woman's Club, 10-11 a.m. Mrs. Arthur Murrell in charge.

MONDAY, DEC. 8—Rotary Club, 12:15 Hotel Roof, Bill White Pres. Zeta Pi, Beta Sigma Phi, Mrs. Bob King president. Pythian Sisters, 7:30 Castle Hall.

TUESDAY, DEC. 9—Lions Club, 12 noon Methodist Church Bruce Pipkin, Pres. Xi Alpha Zeta—Beta Sigma Phi, Pres. Frances Estes, hostess. Home Makers Class Party 7 p.m. Baptist Church. Mrs. O. L. Hooper, chairman.

WEDNESDAY, DEC 10—Civic League and Garden Club. 3 p.m. Woman's Club, Mrs. Buda Butler, Pres. Rev. Otto Marshall speaker.

THURSDAY, DEC. 11—Delphian Christmas Party—Womans Club 7:30 p.m. Mrs. R. L. Carpenter Chairman. Mrs. Geo. Lane Pres.

MONDAY, DEC. 15—Las Leales Christmas Party. Mrs. Horace Horton, Chrmn. Mrs. H. L. Hassell President. Rotary Club, Hotel Roof, 12:15 noon, Bill White Pres. Pythian Sisters—7:30 p.m. Castle Hall, Mrs. J. C. Poe Most Excellent Chief.

TUESDAY, DEC. 16—Music Study Club, Woman's Club, Husbands Party. Mrs. H. M. Hart Chairman, Mrs. Donald Kinnaid Pres.

Lions Club, Methodist Church 12 noon, Bruce Pipkin Pres.

Morton Valley Dem. Club Christmas party with Mrs. D. D. Franklin, 2 p.m.

THURSDAY, DEC. 18—Thursday Club Annual Christmas Dinner Honoring Husbands. Mrs. Arthur Murrell President.

FRIDAY, DEC. 19—Winter Wonderland Party for Beta Sigma Phi's & Husbands, 7:30 p.m. Art Johnson's host, 414 Hillcrest. School closes for holiday until Jan. 5th, 1953.

SUNDAY, DEC. 21—Annual Co-Ed Tea for friends and mothers. Art Johnson residence, 414 Hillcrest.

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SAFETY COUNCIL LAUNCHES DRIVE TO SLASH ACCIDENTS DURING CHRISTMAS SEASON

The National Safety Council today announced a nationwide Christmas savings plan to stop accidents. "If every American will join this savings plan before the Christmas holidays, a real yuletide bonus—human life—will be paid," said Ned H. Dearborn, Council president.

The campaign has been joined by more than 140 national organizations, and by city and state public officials and civic leaders. They will unite in creating an awareness of the special holiday hazards, and will enlist voluntary cooperation from every American to hold accidents to a minimum this Christmas.

The year-end holiday season is the most dangerous period of the year, Mr. Dearborn said, and accidents in thousands of homes, traffic accident deaths on both Christmas eve and Christmas day are about twice as high as the annual daily average.

This year, with the holiday consisting of four days for many persons, the toll could be even higher than the 551 traffic deaths reported during the four-day Christmas weekend last year, Mr. Dearborn warned.

"Travel is especially heavy over long holidays, which encourage traditional family get-togethers even when the members must drive considerable distance," he said. "The festive spirit of the season, plus the normal winter hazards of bad weather, slippery roads and longer periods of darkness create added danger."

For a safe and merry Christmas, the National Safety Council suggests these precautions:

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Such support, Mr. Murray's letter said, "will contribute to the research and prevention of this disease, which, like all other diseases of the human mind and body, must be attacked boldly by the joint efforts of both public and voluntary agencies."

Mr. Green urged support of the "battle against tuberculosis," which, he said, "is being waged on four broad fronts—education, case finding, rehabilitation, and medical research"—by the NTA and its affiliated state and local associations.

In behalf of the CIO, the late Philip Murray, in a letter written before his death Nov. 9, urged support of the Christmas Seal Sale. Such support, Mr. Murray's letter said, "will contribute to the research and prevention of this disease, which, like all other diseases of the human mind and body, must be attacked boldly by the joint efforts of both public and voluntary agencies."

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Leon Stefton of Schreiner was the league's second best scorer with seven touchdowns and 18 conversions for 60 points.

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Season Standings (Final)

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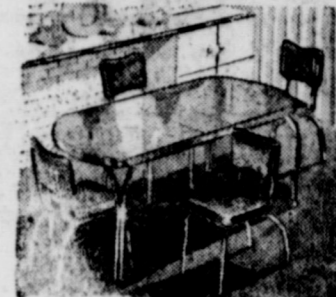
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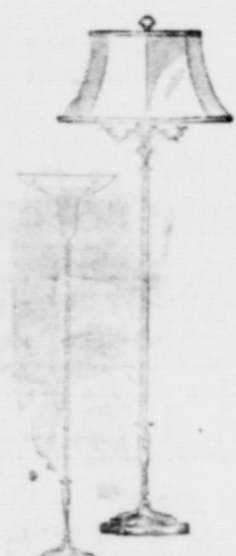
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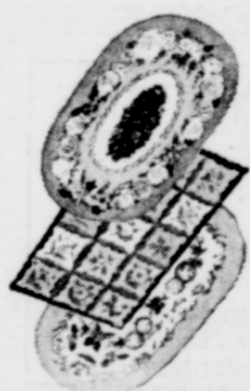


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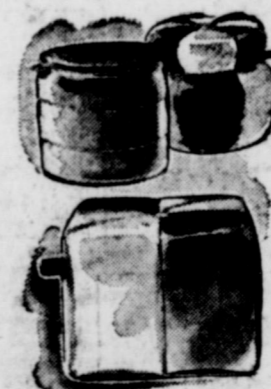
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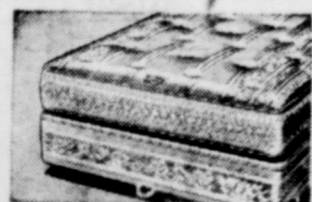
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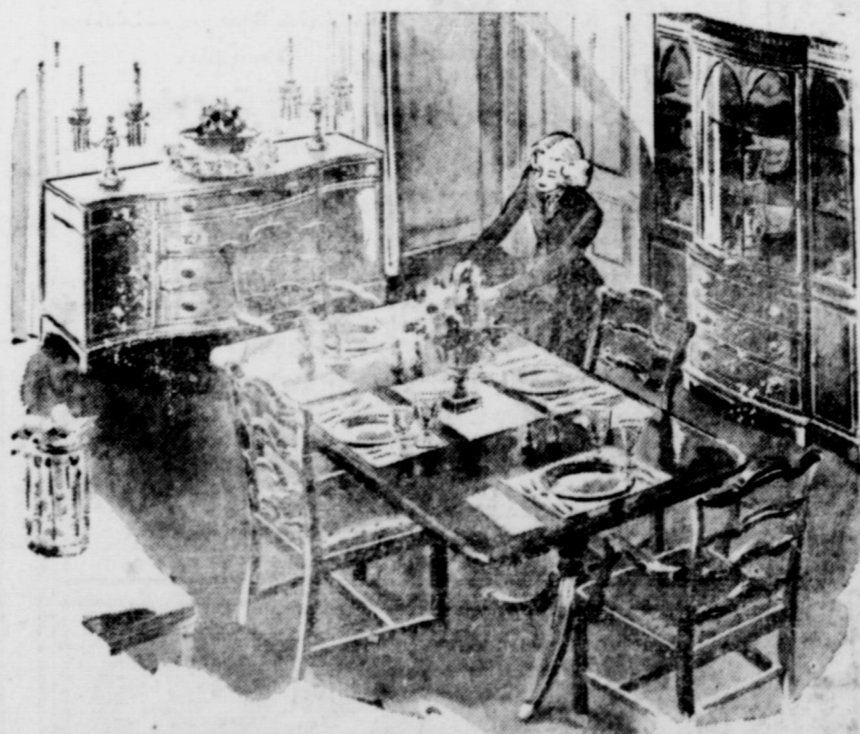
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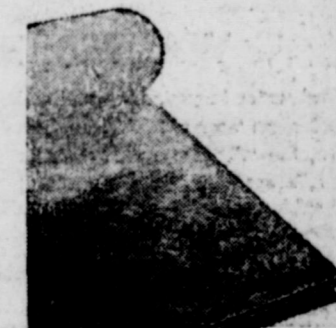
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