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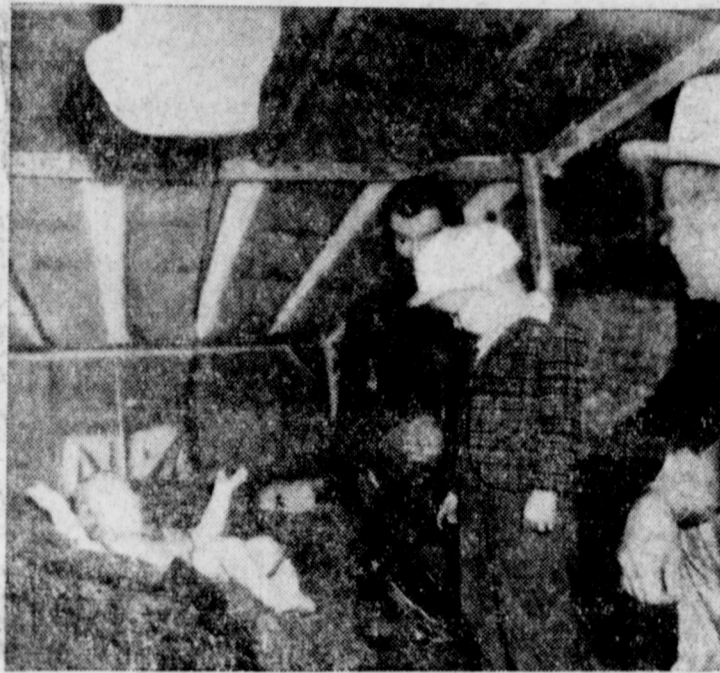
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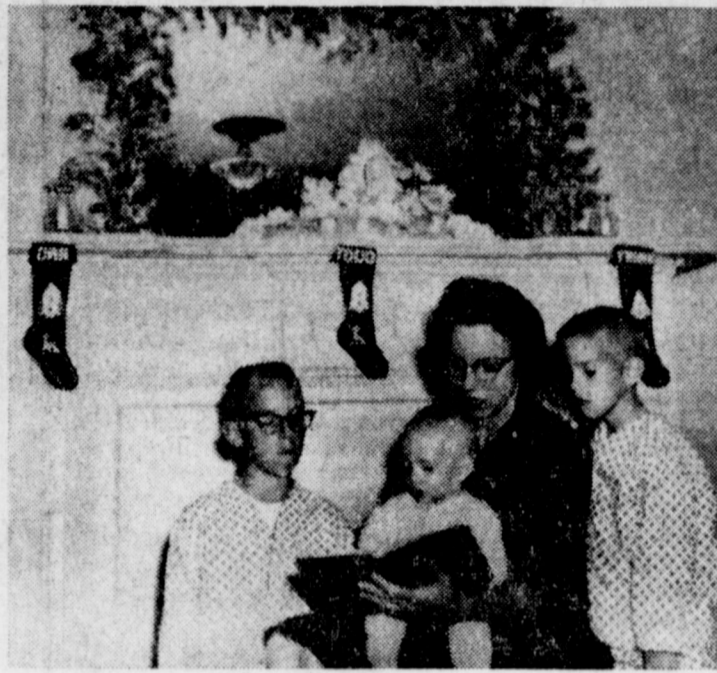
## 'Twas the Night Before Christmas, and All Through Bailey County . . .



**READYING FOR CHRISTMAS**—Throughout Bailey county, as well as the rest of the world, folks are making ready for Christmas, and here are four pictures showing the young getting ready for the event. In the picture at the left



Jackie Williams puts a present on the tree as his mother, Mrs. Jack Williams, and Robbin look on. Apparently the young miss is getting considerably worked up over the season. Mrs. Frank Ellis reads the age-old Christmas story from



the Bible to her three sons, Frank, Jr., Todd and Dan. David and Tammy Macha, children of Mr. and Mrs. James Macha watch eagerly for Santa Claus to come down the chimney, obviously a good trick if he can do it. Every time



Derrell Peel comes to town from his home at West Camp, he asks his father (shown at far right) to take him to "see the baby Jesus," the Chamber of Commerce's life-sized Nativity scene. (All pictures and engv. by Journal)

### Ray's 'Ritin'

By RAY MARTIN  
It's Christmas again — or, rather, as the little picture up in the right-hand corner of this page says, there are only three more shopping days until Christmas. Which reminds this department that in two more days, I'm going to have to do my Christmas shopping. (I always like to do my Christmas shopping early — early Christmas, eve, that is.) So, this is my wish for a Merry Christmas to you.

This business of Christmas seems to become more complicated each year. It was much more simple back in the days when I was young — when I bought my mother a pair of kid gloves and my dad a white shirt and called my Christmas shopping completed. No Christmas wrapping, no nothing. And that shopping was done on Christmas eve.

There were no Christmas cards, no frills. A few days before Christmas, Dad and I went out and cut the Christmas tree live off the side of the hill in Dameron's pasture. We didn't put it up the day after Thanksgiving, as instead we picked out a cedar that looked promising and we lugged it home. It didn't have a blue tag on it that showed what size it was and thus how much it cost. It didn't cost anything, in fact Dameron rather liked to have the cedars cut off; they interfered with his pasture.

We built a base, set it in the corner of the sitting room beside the base burner and then began the job of trimming it. That, too, was home-grown. Of course, as I said recently in the Amarillo News-Globe, if you are old enough to remember stringing popcorn for Christmas tree decorations, you are old enough not to have to worry about the draft. I am and I don't.

Cranberries, too, turned out pretty good. That was in the days before cranberries came in a can, already jellied and ready to cut into slabs. The cranberries came in their native style. We would sit down after supper and string up a mess of them (making a mess, too, I might add), and then weave the berry-beads around the tree. Paper chains were part of the kid's regular pre-Christmas activities. I must have taken home a jillion strings in those days.

And, of course, there were the popcorn strings. They were pretty tedious to string: lots of the corn broke, and you ate more than you strung, but it was fun at that. And mixed with the cranberries, they added color to the tree.

There was the rich family down the street that imported gaudy angels from St. Louis. These decorations were the envy of the neighborhood and especially the super angel that topped the tree. Old Mrs. Massey looked them over and exclaimed clackingly: "My, my, what will they think of next for Christmas trees?"

There were candles, too—live tapers that you burned only on Christmas eve — and sometimes burned up the whole house, too. But the candles lent further color. (See RAY'S, page 7)

# 120,000-Bale Cotton Crop Seen

## Sugar Beet Industry Boosted; Area Gets '64 Allotments

### 4 Counties Listed in New Quota

Bailey county could be included in a new 24,739-acre USDA allotment for sugar beets in 1964. It was learned today after the Department of Agriculture's committee for West Texas and eastern New Mexico.

Four counties — three in Texas and one in New Mexico — were definitely included in the new allotment, but Don Martin, vice-president of Holly Sugar Corp. in Colorado Springs, Colo., told the Journal that Bailey county "might be included in the final allotment."

He said the department is trying to allocate the new acreages for sugar beets to areas "within feasible hauling distance of our proposed refineries."

The four counties definitely included in the new allotment are Castro, Deaf Smith and Parker counties in West Texas and Curry county, New Mexico. Martin said in a telephone conversation that the new allotment does not set out definite acreages for the counties, explaining that this phase of the program will be worked out later. (See BEETS, page 7)

### Yule Trade Here Picking up Speed

By CAROLL PONCEY, Manager, C. of C.

The long expected upswing in retail business hit Muleshoe hard two weeks ago, and despite a long, slow fall, it now appears that business conditions are at their peak. Merchants up and down main street are generally well pleased with the volume they've been doing in the face of the usual "out of town and catalog competition." Several stores have been taking advantage of the situation and are remaining open late every evening to accommodate their out-of-city customers.

Optimism seems to be the keyword as you talk with busy retailers. Optimism not only for the holiday season business, but also for the first quarter of 1962. Almost perfect weather has delayed the harvest of cotton in point of time, but it is generally agreed that the delay will mean greater yields, higher turnout and consequently more profit for farmer and business man alike. In the long run, observers say this has been the best harvest season, weather-wise, on these plains in a long, long time.

And chin yard alleys bear out this statement. Still on a round-the-clock basis, gins in the area are getting the cotton out with

no more than usual delays for impatient farmers, some of whom are still waiting on empty trailers.

Coffee shop experts believe that the cotton crop is about 99 per cent stripped in the area adjacent to Muleshoe. However, to be north of Muleshoe, most of the cotton is still in the fields. Gins around Friona and in that direction are not generally allowed under as are the gins nearer here.

In retrospect, the year has generally been a good one for business, with the usual summer lull not dipping quite as deep as in some past years. Fall business failed to take as quick an upturn as had been looked for, due primarily to the weather cutting the harvest of both grain and cotton somewhat short.

Another factor that cannot be ignored is the almost total absence of Braceros. The decline in Bracero customers has been felt keenly by practically every type of business in Muleshoe and throughout the high plains. The gloomy labor picture is that there seems little hope for any change for the better. In fact, most farm observers agree that the days of the Braceros in any great number are long gone.

Despite the rather small segment of gloom, the general outlook is a happy one, with no parking places, busy stores, and happy shoppers. All signs of a better than normal holiday buying season in Muleshoe.

### Bishop Named to Area Post

Dean Bishop, manager of the National Alfalfa Dehydrating and Milling Company plant in Muleshoe for the past six years has been promoted to Area Manager of the Texas plants which includes Plainview, Muleshoe and Leelney and will be stationed at Plainview.

B. C. Vinson will be Superintendent in charge of the Muleshoe plant.

### Stores Plan Yule Closing

Muleshoe will close shop for Christmas, some institutions stretching the holiday period over a weekend and through the following Wednesday.

The courthouse, for instance, will close at noon on Saturday (as usual) and will not reopen until December 27. The sheriff's office, however, will be closed only on Christmas day, and the Social Security office will be open in the courthouse the day after Christmas.

Schools will close Friday afternoon and will reopen on January 3. Business houses will close at 6 p.m. Monday, Christmas eve, and most will reopen Wednesday morning. One or two businesses also will be closed on the day after Christmas, a survey revealed. Lang Transit will close Monday and Tuesday.

Both Muleshoe banks will close only on Christmas Day.

Utility offices will close Tuesday. The Muleshoe Journal will (See CLOSING, page 7)

### 14 Cases Slated For County Court

Fourteen cases have been set for trial in the new term of county court, slated to open January 7, a check of the records revealed Thursday.

Judge Glen Williams announced the term last week, saying that a new jury panel was to pick prospective jurors for the court term.

Although more than 14 cases were listed on the "cases pending" list, some can not be tried at the January term, it was explained, for various reasons. Some of the defendants have not been located, it was explained. Many of the cases on the original list have been pending for

some time. County Attorney Karl Lovelady will represent the State in the trials.

Cases listed for trial include:

with liquor violation.

Dessie Anders, charged with aggravated assault.

Charles E. Flippen, charged with giving a worthless check.

Benny Pena, charged in two cases with driving while intoxicated.

Mattie Mae Richardson, charged with aggravated assault.

Coy Morris, charged with driving while intoxicated.

Archie Young and Jewel Elizabeth Falkner, charged with adultery.

Leslie Smith, charged with giving a worthless check.

Irene Williams, charged with aggravated assault.

Dick Willman, charged in two cases with driving while intoxicated.

Martha Myers, charged with giving a worthless check.

Elmer Lovel Whitmore, charged with driving while intoxicated.

J. H. Livingston, charged in two cases with giving worthless checks.

Neil Ray Arnold, charged with driving while intoxicated.

(See GINNINGS, page 7)

### Ginnings Already Past '61

Bailey County will produce a 120,000-bale cotton crop this year.

This was indicated Thursday after a check of gins revealed that more cotton already has poured into gins in this area than last season's entire production.

Without exception, gins checked said their ginnings so far have exceeded the total for 1961.

One Muleshoe gin, for example, said 12,470 bales had been tagged up to Wednesday noon, while last year's entire output was only slightly above 10,000 bales. That gin saw prospects of at least 3,000 more bales.

Another gin said it had turned out 4,500 bales as compared with its last year's total of 4,300 bales. That gin manager said another 1,100 to 1,500 bales are due.

Last year's total production for the county was 103,000 bales, and with the crop estimated at around 90 percent complete, ginnings already are crowding the 100,000 mark.

J. K. Adams, Bailey county farm agent, said "we should produce at least 20,000 more bales than in 1961, and A. S. Stovall, longtime Muleshoe cotton buyer, said the year "is a bright one for the cotton producer." He also saw prospects of exceeding the

(See GINNINGS, page 7)

## 'Rustled' Sheep Found 20 Miles from M'shoe

Ba-Ba, the white sheep, is back on the courthouse lawn, and thus a public Christmas-day hanging for "livestock" rustling probably will not take place.

Sheriff Dee Clements said the sheep showed up 20 miles out in the country. "Guess it had strayed," was his comment.

The sheep is part of the elaborate Chamber of Commerce Nativity Scene display on the courthouse lawn. Ba-Ba disappeared last week, had a general alarm was sounded, with the promise that if the sheep were returned no questions would be asked, despite the fact that Texas has some ancient laws still on the statute books which set severe penalties for rustling.

The sheriff said the sheep apparently had taken a considerable jaunt — all around the county, "pert near." It was seen, the sheriff said, in several locations, but where it finally ended up was on a farm 20 miles out of Muleshoe.

The sheriff said he didn't know "whether any charges will be filed" or not against the "rustlers."

The sheep was part of the elaborate display, but was one of (See SHEEP, page 7)



**SANTA AT HOME** — On one of his trips to Muleshoe in preparation for the long night's work on Christmas Eve, Santa was photographed with hammer in hand building a doll house.

### GREETINGS FROM BELGIUM

## Helene Recalls Her U.S. Christmas, But it's Christmas in Gent, Too.

Editor's Note: Last year's exchange student, Helene Bekert, who was literally "adopted" by all Muleshoe, is now back in her native Gent, but she evidently misses her American Christmas. The following letter was sent by Helene to the Journal as a Christmas greeting to all the folk in Muleshoe who made her year here so pleasant.

Dearst Friends:

Here it is Christmas again! I remember my American Christmas so well: it seems like it happened only a month ago. Gosh, why does it go so fast! So many things have happened since I've been home.

College is going on again, and I really do like it. I study Romance (languages) pilotage, studies which prepare for teaching of Romance languages.

I have 24 hours of school a week, divided over 12 subjects. We have a college in Gent, so I did not have to leave home

again.

We had our first snow about a month ago. It snowed early in the morning, but very soon it was gone. The only thing left was the mud. Having frost, it is fairly cold by now.

I still know everything about Muleshoe. I know the general things through The Journal, and the particular ones through Mr. and Mrs. Henderson. (Her "parents" while in Muleshoe.) They sure do write me a lot, and I am always so happy when I get one of their lovely letters.

Congratulations with your football team. The Mules sure did well this year. You know it is really interesting to read The Muleshoe Journal. Each time, by reading names of persons, I remember some special things.

I got my school annual letter and it was a joy to read it over; it was like I experienced the whole year again. I sure spent a wonderful year, and when I say I would like to go back, I

(See GREETINGS, page 7)

### Pay Now, Die Later is New Sale Racket

One of the less merry aspects of the Christmas season is the shady scheme merchant, the promoter of the fast, buck swindle. These unpleasant people seem to come out of the woodwork during the holiday season to take advantage of the good nature of people during the yuletide.

A scheme has been uncovered recently by the solicitation control section of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce, which passes the information on to the public interest.

This latest offer is a questionable so-called "pre-need" purchase of funeral services. Details of the scheme may be obtained by calling the Chamber of Commerce office.

This promotion is another good reason why the Chamber of Commerce operates its solicitation control program, and issues identification cards to legitimate business concerns and their representatives, Carroll Pouncey, manager, explained.

### Seven Enter Yule Contest

Seven persons had entered their homes in the Christmas Home Lighting contest up to Thursday morning, the Chamber of Commerce reported.

The contest is sponsored by the chamber's home decoration committee. Deadline is tonight. All lights must be on tonight (Thursday).

Homes entered are: Bill Hunt, 222 West Avenue F; Gil Herndon, 1420 West Avenue B; Walter Chambliss, 213 West 11th; Letha West, 909 Fig Avenue; Corliss and Glenn Timmons, 1528 West Avenue B; Mrs. Eugene English, 322 West Avenue B; and Tommy Gattis, 310 Chicago Avenue.

## Population Boosted, 4,945 Is New Count

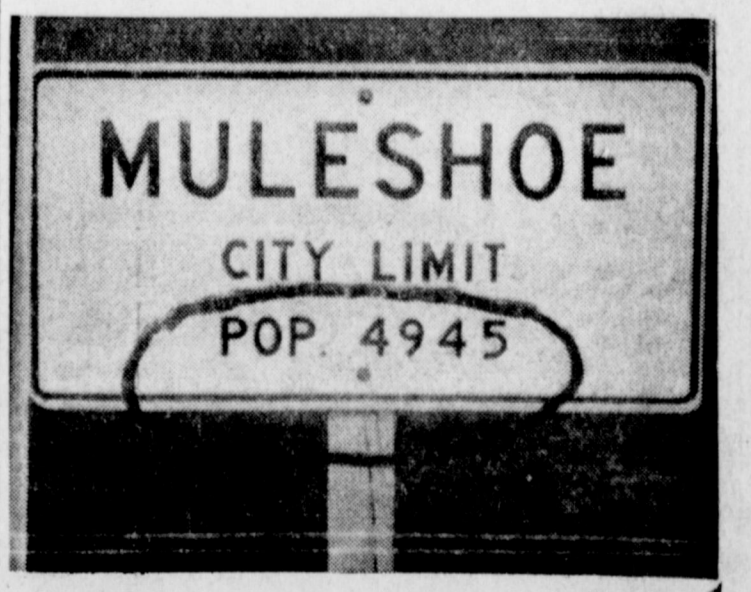
Now it's official: Muleshoe has a population of 4,945. City Manager Albert Field said Thursday.

Highway markers have been changed — as of this week — to the new figure, replacing the 1960 census mark of 3,870.

A check made by the Chamber of Commerce two months ago showed the population had climbed to just under the 5,000 mark. The Chamber asked the city council to request a change in the figure. The request was sent and the signs have been changed.

The city council will meet Friday when they will discuss bids for an addition to the fire station, and the possible purchase of a motor grader. The council has been considering enlarging the present fire station, but no bids were received when first called for. Now Field says a bid has been received, and he is asking the council members to pass on the matter.

The council also will discuss possible group hospitalization insurance for City employees.





**CARNATIONS AND CANDLE** — Mrs. Odell Logan is standing behind the table in the dining room of her lovely home where she was hostess for the third home on tour. Before her the table is draped with a white fringed red cloth centered with a vivid red carnation arrangement with a large white candle. (Journal Photo & Engv.)



**HOST AND HOSTESS** — Mr. and Mrs. Thurman White were host and hostess at a reception in their home, the final stop on the tour. Happily beaming, the couple pose before the den fireplace. A mantle piece with red hobnail candle cups flanked by graceful reindeers on a bed of pine greens and cones formed the background for the setting. Floor-to-ceiling streamers of evergreen branches entwined with brown velvet ribbon, framed the outer edge of the fireplace. (Journal Photo & Engv.)



**ONLY THE BEGINNING** — White deers placed in a planter in the entrance of the J. G. Arnn home, the third stop, was only the beginning of the various Christmas decoration blending with the color scheme of the large red brick home. Each room was decorated with centerpieces and hanging ornaments. (Journal Photo & Engv.)

**Bank Community Room Scene of Yule Party**

The annual Christmas party for the Progressive Home Club was held in the Community room of the First National Bank on Friday, December 14.

Following the dinner, gifts were drawn and games of forty-two

were played. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Felton Harper, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Embry, Mr. and Mrs. Art Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Strong, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Norwood, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nieman, Mrs. Lola Bryant and Vera Engleking.

**Holiday Tour of New Homes**

Approximately 150 toured four new homes which were decorated throughout with traditional ornamental piece of holly, mistletoe, lighted candles, angels, and Christmas trees to herald the holiday season.

The tour, sponsored by the Muleshoe Study Club, began at 2 p.m. Sunday, at the M. D. Gunstream home where guests were greeted by Mrs. R. O. Gregory and Mrs. Gunstream.

Ushered into the spacious home, the living room was decorated with white and soft blue with hints of gold to match the decor of the room. A spiraling, blue-based arrangement adorned the coffee table and was centered with clusters of white and blue Christmas balls with five golden candle sticks extending from the center, containing light-

ed candles under clear glass globes. Smaller decorative pieces carried out the same motif.

The red carpeted den of the home was perhaps the focal point. A bar divider between the kitchen and den was beautified with a brilliant red and green arrangement of evergreen, red berries and lighted candles inside globes of red and green.

A replica of the olden-day coal bucket filled with holly was placed beside the fireplace.

Grazing white deer amid the greenery of an indoor planter box was fascinating to those calling at the J. G. Arnn home. A white flocked Christmas tree stood before the wide windows in the living room. In the dining room, an arrangement of golden Christmas balls, white grapes with white and gold leaves were illuminated with a low, cut glass chandelier. The face wall of the family dining room, just off the kitchen, was decorated with a green felt Christmas tree bearing cards from treasured friends and relatives.

The rumpus room featured a mantle piece depicting the stockings of the expectant children and was flanked by the satisfied look on the face of Santa's helper elf on the nearby T.V.

In the center of the entrance hall of the Odell Logan home hung the age-old "kissing ball" made from mistletoe and holly with an elf perched atop as if knowingly casting a downward glance at those passing underneath.

A pine cone miniature Christmas tree surrounded with evergreen branches was on the living room coffee table, with a similar arrangement on a mirror-reflecting table nearby.

A deep red flocked tree could have enticed the hunter as well as the youngster looking for Rudolph the Red-nosed Reindeer. Antlers of miniature deer protruded through the branches. The den was decorated with an Oaken bucket bearing a gnarled tree trunk decorated with white, blue and silver.

Double doors of the Thurman White home bore wreaths of pine greenery and pine cones clasp with wide brown velvet bows and bells. Mr. and Mrs. White and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pat Wagon alternated as greeters in the entrance hallway, which is done in showy red and white. A seasonal arrangement of holly and red berries in a red stemmed vase was placed on a hall chest backed by a large mirror reflecting red figurines. The powder room off the entrance hall also red and white, had a white, red and gold candle piece.

Guests were shown through the colorful bedrooms of the home. The orchid guest room was decorated with a large decanter and a pair of pheasants, all of Venetian glass of orchid placed on the dresser.

The master bedroom done in blue with matching drapes and bedspread, is carpeted with harmonizing blue. A miniature tree with tiny flashing lights set atop a wrought iron table. Lighted blue and white bells and mistletoe hung from above the doorway.

The combination living room and dining room, carpeted with plush, all white carpet, highlighted with the white and red furnishings was decorated with blue and white candles and reindeer centerpieces on the two matching coffee tables. Centerpiece on the dining room table was a glowing red and green arrangement with lighted candles.

Mrs. Gilbert Lamb presided at the silver coffee service, and Mrs. Ramon Martin at the crystal punch bowl. Guests were seated in the sunken den which featured a greenery bedecked fireplace opposite sliding glass door opening onto the patio.

Proceeds will be used by the club for scholarships on Civic Projects.

**Society**  
Doris Kinser, Society Editor Phone 5400



**A LOT TO SEE** — Mrs. Pat Bobo and Mrs. Sam Fox are pictured looking at the many things of beauty in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Gunstream, the first stop on the Muleshoe Study Club's tour of new home Sunday afternoon. They are pictured in the den before a beautiful brick fireplace. (Journal Photo & Engv.)

**Caseys Host Club Yuletide Dinner**

Amid the glitter and beauty of a Christmas tree with the different colors of the rainbow being thrown upon it, and the glory of Madonnas in decoration, the Muleshoe Study Club members and their husbands enjoyed their yuletide Christmas dinner and party in the home of the W. Q. Casey's.

In presenting the program, the president Mrs. J. G. Arnn, showed colored slides of the different types of Madonnas and the Prophecies of the Coming of The Christ Child — as portrayed by Flemish and Italian artists. These pictures hang in the art gallery in our nation's capital.

Mrs. W. T. Andrews accompanied the group at the piano, as they sang Christmas carols, led by Gilbert Lamb.

This is an annual affair and the husbands are the guests of the club at this particular time of the year.

Members brought gifts to be shared with those who are in "Girl's Town" near Whiteface.

Those in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim White, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Arnn, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Glibbreath, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brown, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Benefield, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman White, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Martin, Mrs. Carroll Pouncy and Mrs. R. O. Gregory.

**Texas Division of American Cancer Society Meets in Dallas**

The seventeenth annual meeting of the Texas division of the American Cancer Society was held in the Adolphus Hotel, Dallas recently.

District three, south, was well represented with 17 volunteer members and their field representatives from Lubbock, attending.

Eva Alsop, president of the Bailey County chapter represented this county at the meeting.

Approximately 300 members attended the two-day educational meeting. The phenomenal growth in numbers of volunteers and effective program during the past year were credited to the success of the Society.

Dr. James P. Cooney, vice-president for medical affairs for American Cancer Society gave an interesting history on the advancement of medicine and medical practices through the years.

Laryngectomees "Back at Work" for A.C.S. case histories were presented. L. E. Ross, Quanah, D. H. Casper, San Antonio, and Mrs. Connie Vogel, San Antonio were the cases presented.

Other highlights of the meeting was the evening address by Ralph Edwards, TV star of "This Is Your Life" as the 1963 National Crusade chairman and Nan Wynn T V and movie star's special presentation of songs and personal testimony as a cured cancer patient.

Other officers of the local chapter are Dr. Charles Lewis, vice-president, Mrs. Virginia Wyer, secretary, and Mrs. Dean Sprayberry, treasurer.

The only helium-producing plant in the United States is near Amarillo, Texas.



**WHITE CHRISTMAS** — Organist Ramon Martin provided background music for the reception playing Christmas selections and many popular numbers on his antique white and gold organ. Here, Martin is playing Stardust, one that requires much concentration.

**Sincere Good Wishes**

We wish everyone a holiday with joy and pleasure.

**WEST'S DINER**  
Theron and Leatha

**Sorority Hosts Yuletide Ball**

Approximately 116 persons attended the Epsilon Sigma Alphas Yuletide Ball at the Muleshoe Country Club Friday evening.

Andy Beamon's combo furnished the music for dancing. Silver foil-covered balloons floated from the clubroom's ceiling, highlighted by revolving lights. A red foil and greenery Christmas greeting was placed behind the orchestra stand. Tables were covered with white clothes, greenery and red candles.

In charge of decorations for the Christmas social event were Mrs. Bo Bryant, Mrs. Jim Small, Mrs. Houston Bartlett, Mrs. Elvon DeVaney and Mrs. Robert Alford.

**Open House Piano Recital Of Yule Music Presented In Gilbert Home**

Mr. and Mrs. Don B. Gilbert were hosts in their home, 723 West Avenue E., Saturday evening to her twenty piano and organ students, their parents and friends.

Each student presented Christmas selections during the unique come-and-go open house party. Receiving hours were from seven until ten in the evening.

Decor in the receiving rooms carried out the Yuletide theme, with a white net over a red table cloth trimmed with red and green holly. An arrangement of red poinsettias and white candles centered the serving table. Punch and coffee were served from silver and crystal services, in addition to the Christmas cookies.

The piano and organ, courtesy of Stratton Music Company, Lubbock, were decorated with white reindeer.

Assisting with the serving were Tammy Jennings, Vanita Harkey, and Beckye Mason.

Students and parents attending were Greta with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bamert; Chester with Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Beavers; Darla and Jeanine with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Freeman; Perry with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hall; Karen and Rickey with Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hamilton; Vanita Harkey with Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Stockard; Gary with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hooten.

Kathleen with Mr. and Mrs. James R. Jennings; Tammy with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jennings; Beckye and Sheryl with Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Mason, Allison, Cassie and Melanice with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Precure; Brenda with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Scott; Rickie Lou with Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Stockard; Vickie with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Street, Jr.

Tammy Jennings and Mrs. Gilbert presented organ selections, in addition to the piano pieces of the other students.

Thomas Edison was fired from a job as a young man for sleeping while on duty.

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**Joyous Christmas Wishes To All**

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**TO BE HONORED** — Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bruns will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, December 30, from two until 5 p.m., when their daughter and son will have open house in their home two miles north of Muleshoe. Their children are Mrs. Ruth Briscoe, Don and Jack Bruns, Muleshoe, and Leslie Bruns, Friona. Assisting

ing hospitalities are to be daughters-in-laws and granddaughters of the couple. They have seventeen grandchildren and one great grandchild. The couple were married on December 25, 1912 in Snyder, Okla. Mrs. Bruns was the former Edith Bracken of Snyder.

(Journal Photo & Engv.)

### Timmons Heads Business Club

Announcement of the appointments of T. L. Timmons of the Brown Supply Co., at Muleshoe as chairman of the Muleshoe Chapter of the National Federation of Independent Business, was made today by Jack Downing, District manager of the Federation in this area.

Each business and professional man member of this organization maintains a voting membership, and is polled regularly throughout the year on bills and issues that affect independent enterprise at the national and state levels.

In an effort to do everything possible to maintain the American way of life, and keep the free competitive system of business, the businessmen express their own personal opinion on the ballots each month and turn them over to Timmons, who makes tabulations of the total number and the manner in which they voted.

These tabulations are sent, with the underlying signed ballots, directly to the desk of Congressman George Mahon, at Washington, D. C., and to State Senator Andy Rogers. They are the only means whereby independent business and professional people can keep in continuing, organized, personal, direct contact with their national and state legislators on measures that affect, locally and nationally, free enterprise opportunities.

The National Federation of Independent Business is a non-profit organization that has the largest individual membership in the United States and independent business and professional men of every vocation participate with voting memberships, regardless of the other civic or trade affiliations.

### Afternoon Program of Christmas Music Given By Piano Students

Members of the Hi-Lo Piano Club presented the piano students of Mrs. Sam McKinstry in an annual Christmas program of music in the lobby of the First National Bank at 4 p.m. Sunday. A record crowd attended.

The room, decorated in white and gold highlighted with a beautiful white flocked Christmas tree created a delightful setting for such a program. Pianos were provided by Phillips House of Music, Clovis.

Announcements were made by Mrs. John Gammon, Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Osborn sang the hymn, "Love Is Supreme", as a special.



Student vocal soloists on the program were Terri Mabry, Jewellene Brackman and Bevely Anderson. The three girls also lead singing of Christmas songs with the audience joining in. Hostess who helped to arrange for the program were Mrs. Herbert Griffiths, Mrs. Don Bryant, Mrs. James Glaze, Mrs. Bill Jim St. Clair, Mrs. J. A. Nickels, Mrs. Jack Lane, Mrs. Connie Dale Gupton, Mrs. Harold Allison, Mrs. R. F. Parkinson, Mrs. Leon Lewis, Mrs. J. J. Brackman and Mrs. Ernest Kerr. The hostesses served refreshments at the close of the presentations from beautifully appointed table carrying out the Christmas motif.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bryant served as ushers.

Students of Mrs. McKinstry's who participated in the program were: Marianna Gammon, Charlotte and Theresa Seaton, Ellen Lewis, Jenda and Kerma Nickels, Carolyn and Gail Morris, Vickie and Georgia Ray, Linda and Pam Kerr, Karen and Janis St. Clair, Terri Mabry, Doris King, Terry, Treena and Stephanie Bryont, Janna Lane, Lorene Williams, Donna Anderson, Wonnah Williams, Patty Murray, Monica Griffith, Lana Moore, Mark Edwards, Harriet and Sondra Glaze, Frank Hinkson, Marsha Parkinson, David Gupton, Deborah Elliott, Stephanie Peery, Jewellene Brackman, and Veta and Carolyn Allison.

Chairs were furnished courtesy of Muleshoe schools.

### ENGAGED—Mr. and Mrs. James E. Fowler have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Donna Sue, to Erwin B. Gralla, Clovis. The future bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Rose Gralla, Norwalk, Calif., and the late Edward Gralla. The wedding date has been set for December 29 at 8 p.m. in the Methodist Church Chapel, Muleshoe.

### Journal Staff Are Yule Party Guests

The Muleshoe Journal staff was entertained with a Christmas dinner party last Friday night in the Melvin Malone home. Assisting the Malones with the host and hostess duties were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spain.

Dinner was served on long tables centered with candles, mistletoe and miniature Santas. The white table cloths were highlighted with gathered overskirts of red net attached at the edge with green holly.

After dinner, gifts were exchanged underneath a tall white flocked Christmas tree trimmed with blue and gold. Musical entertainment was provided by recording.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell Otwell, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Kinser and son, Sp-4 Jimmy Kinser, on leave from Ft. Gordon, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Brockett, Joella Lovvorn, Susan Milsap, Buddy Black, Carolyn Holmes, Harold Maxwell Coy Gabbert, Alva Stone, and the host and hostesses, Mmes. and Mesers. Malone and Spain.

### Clements Family Observes Birthday

The family of A. A. Clements gathered in Paducah last Sunday for a family reunion and to celebrate the 81st birthday of Clements.

Attending were his children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Clements, Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. Garlan Trout and Mrs. June Leach, Graham and the host and hostess for the celebration, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Stennett, Paducah.

Clements returned to Muleshoe with the Dee Clements for a week's visit and to attend the Rural Electric Cooperation's annual Christmas party. He was a former long-time employe of the firm.

### Lola Bryant Hostess For Progressive Club

Lola Bryant was hostess for the Thursday meeting of the Progressive Home Club. Seven members attended the event.

Lois Norwood presided over the business meeting. The hostess gift was drawn by Noreen Thomas.

Mabel Ryan displayed antic embroidery and crocheted pieces. She also showed fine needle baskets made by her late mother.

Lola Bryant had crocheted pot holders to show and Vera Engleking hobby vases made from plastic bleach bottles which were sprayed and glittered.

Refreshments were served by the hostess and it was announced that Noreen Thomas would be hostess for the January 14 meeting.

A new \$420,000 public library has been built in the heart of the Miami Beach night club strip.

### Birthday Party Fetes Sisters

Christmas is a good time for two little girls to celebrate their birthdays too.

Four-year-old Kim and three-year-old Jaime Small, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Small, were honored at their birthday party at the Muleshoe Country Club

### Alpha Sunday School Class Observes Yule

The Alpha Sunday School class of the Trinity Baptist Church met Monday night at the church dining hall for their Christmas dinner and party.

After dinner Christmas games were played and the class teacher, Mrs. W.R. Bowers was presented a sweater from the group. Instead of exchanging gifts, they contributed money toward the purchase of a rug for the nursery.

A devotional was given by Maude Speck and Wylie Bowers lead in prayer.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Speck, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Roloff, Mr. and Mrs. Don Teague, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hardaway, Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Bowers, Evelyn Smith, Mrs. Willie Reeder and special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Burden and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bynum, Friona.

### Bank Dinner Party Given

Employees of the First National Bank held a Christmas dinner party at Paul's Restaurant last Thursday evening.

Attending the Christmas festivities were the M. D. Gunstreams, Harmon Elliotts, Robert Alford, Jake Diels, Delbert Sprayberrys, Doyle Trapps, James Warrens, Franklin Manns, Warner Lawsons, Elton Stephensons, Miss Janie Oliver, Miss Carolyn Hicks and Joe Dean Jarman.

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### MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

The marriage of Sharon Diane Parham and John Neil Agee has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eulan Parham. Agee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Agee, Lubbock where he is attending Texas Tech.

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### Club Expresses Thanks for Help In Polio Drive

By MRS. C. A. WATSON  
**LAZBUDDIE** — The women of the Lazbuddie H. D. Club wish to thank all who helped them make the giving of the oral vaccine recently a success. They especially thank the newspapers, KMUL, Clays Corner, Lazbuddie School, Lazbuddie Grocery and all the gins.  
 Visiting the Leon Smith Sr. home this week is an old friend Cedar Edge, Colo.  
 Mrs. L. H. Hall is in Dallas by the bedside of her brother,

Mr. Wilcoxon, who is seriously ill.  
 Wyle Bullock is said to be recuperating after having had surgery in Temple last week. Bullock is due to be dismissed the last of this week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peterson celebrated their 26th anniversary Sunday.  
 Birthday greetings to: Lynn Cox, John Neal Agee, Annie Corgile, Larry Morris, Mark Harris, Ronnie Davis, Jauniata Pierce, Rene Flores and Roy Don Coker.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Littlefield were in Petit Monday visiting her sister, Mrs. Wayne Wesley.  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Greaif and Mr. and Mrs. James Welch and children visited the Gene Phillips

family Sunday in Clovis and attended the district conference of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ.  
 In the FHA meeting December 10 the business consisted of plans for the club to help the needy. Mrs. Leon Smith Sr., Mrs. L. M. Smith, Pat Peterson and Marianna Gammon made up the panel that discussed the club's theme for the month of December, family relations.  
 James Carpenter spent the weekend in Odessa visiting his sister, Mrs. Shirley Howard. Dany Howard came back with Carpenter for a visit with his grandparents, the J. D. Carpenters.  
 The Lazbuddie H. D. Club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Robert Ivys for their annual Christmas party. Secret pals were revealed. A special party was

given for the children.  
 The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Joe Briggs on January 12.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zahn, accompanied by the John Zahns, Farwell were in Santa Rosa, Sunday visiting the Zahns' niece, Ethel Franklin.  
**Mid-Winter Meet Set in Lubbock**  
 Jehovah's Witnesses' mid-winter assembly for Texas Circuit No. 9 will be held in Lubbock, January 11-13.  
 Each of the 16 congregations, from Wichita Falls to Hobbs and from Lamesa to Plainview, will make a report of their ministerial activity for the past six months. An analysis will be made of the circuit's weaknesses and ways considered to bring the weaknesses up to circuit and national levels.  
 The presiding minister, Boyd Lowery, of the Muleshoe Congregation, said, "According to the 1962 annual service report ending last August, the 4,564 congregations of Jehovah's Witnesses in the United States had an eight per cent increase in the number of Witnesses preaching and teaching the good news of the kingdom."  
 In the 189 lands where the ministry work is done by Jehovah's Witnesses, Lowery said, there was a 4.1 per cent increase over last year in the number of those preaching "publicly and from house to house." He said this included 12 Communist dominated countries and troubled areas where reports were incomplete.  
 The semi-annual circuit assembly carries the theme, "Copy the Master's Zeal."

## Melvin McCoy, Former Muleshoe Man Named Morton's 'Outstanding Citizen'

**MORTON** — Melvin McCoy, retiring president of the City Board of Development, was named as Morton's "Outstanding Citizen of the Year" as the organization held its first annual banquet recently in the County Activities Building.  
 The surprise announcement of the recipient of the award was one of the highlights of the event, which drew an excellent crowd of more than 150.  
 D. E. Benham ably served as master of ceremonies after Judge M. C. Ledbetter had been matters. His wit and humor added sparkle to the evening.  
 The award to McCoy, a suitably engraved plaque, was presented by Benham on behalf of the CBD, as he cited the honoree for his active participation in local church and community affairs, as well as for his constant efforts on behalf of the City Board of Development.  
 Guest speaker for the program was John Logan, general manager and executive vice president of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, whose tonic was free enterprise, a way of living in which the individual is important. "It is the elbow room in which we work daily," he said.  
 Logan, in enlarging on his topic, took the group on a verbal tour of Main Street USA, and then reflected on the three contributing factors to the free enterprise system as freedom, profit and cooperation.  
 "We have found that as a community improves, so does business; as business improves, so does the community," Logan declared. "That is where a chamber of Commerce comes in. Businessmen unselfishly plan for improvement through time, effort and money, to build their com-



**OUTSTANDING CITIZEN** — Melvin McCoy and Mrs. McCoy are shown admiring the plaque which was presented to him recently at the City Board of Development banquet in Morton. McCoy was named to the honor for his many contributions made to city and community betterment. (Photo Morton Tribune, Journal Engraving)

*Christmas Greetings*

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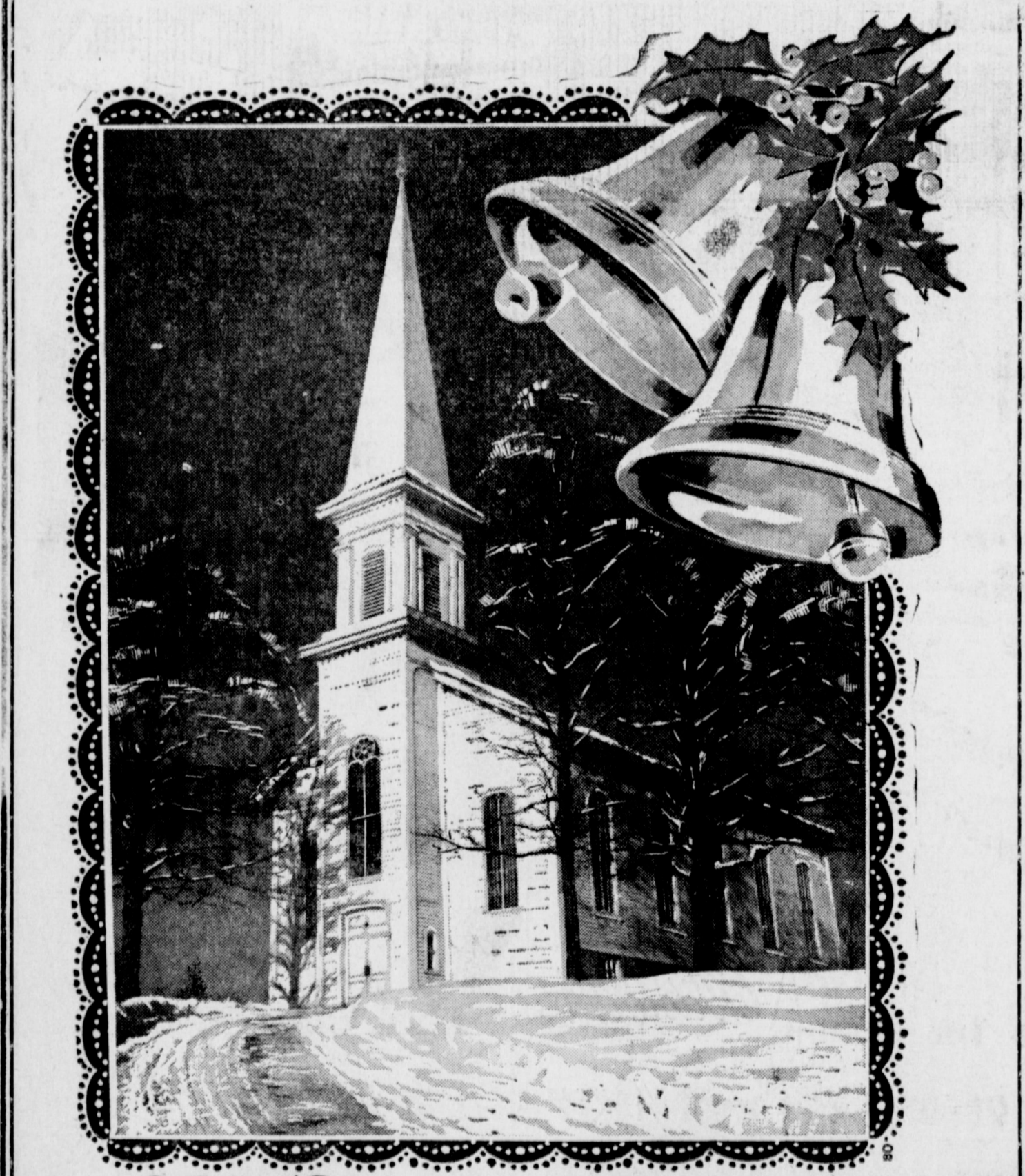
By DAVY JEAN ANDERSON  
 The junior and senior members of the Future Teachers of America taught in the Muleshoe schools Friday, December 14. Each teacher was given a criticism sheet to fill out on their student teacher. Every student benefited greatly from their experiences and here to be able to teach again next semester.  
 The Christmas party was held Monday night, December 17, at 7:30 p.m. All members brought decorations and gifts and met in the study hall of the Junior High School. A tree was decorated and then taken, along with the gifts, to a needy family.  
 Afterwards the group went caroling, and then returned to the junior high for a Christmas program.  
 The FTA joined the student council in sponsoring a "door decorating" contest. The doors were judged Tuesday, and the winning class will be treated to a coke party Friday during activity period.  
 Those on the 1963 board were also introduced, including Boring, Savarano, manager, who credited them with the outstanding record of achievements compiled since the CBD was organized. They included, in addition to McCoy, Trust McMaister, vice-president, Mrs. Art Wall, secretary-treasurer, Judge M. C. Ledbetter, Reeve Hanna, James Hunter and Wanda Anglin, the latter two retiring.  
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Dear Santa: I want a seven-teen barrel shotgun, and a Dino, and a real skunk that has no smell. Do you like me? I like you. My sister wants a tricycle.



*A Joyous Christmas*  
During this season let us remember the joy of that first Christmas.

County Treasurer  
Edith Wilt

She is four years old. I am nine years old and I want 100 models. My name is Johnny Charles Bickel. I want a flying carpet to go away on, and a helicopter that Gene and I can fly in. It will have to be 50 feet long, and a Gay Lord. My brother wants a B.B. gun, and a Dino. And I want a Fred Flintstone town with barns, and some boxing gloves.  
Johnny Bickel

Dear Santa: I want a Susie Smart doll, and a suitcase. I also want some clothes for myself.  
—Cathy Wilson.

Dear Santa Claus: I want a bike and a flying carpet, too. I play telephone, and a Barbie and Ken, a transistor radio, beauty shop doll, black board, and that's all.  
—Connie Peruit

Dear Santa Claus: I would like to have a bicycle. I want my bicycle to be brand new. I want a basket on it. And I want a headlight on my bicycle. I would like my stocking to be filled well. I want more clothes for my Barbie doll. I would like a Ken doll, too. Counting my Christmas party presents, I'll have lots of Christmas presents. I want a starline baton, and would like a transistor, too.  
—Karen Locker

Dear Santa Claus: Would you please bring me a little more track to our train? And I want a dart board with six darts, and a lone Ranger set, and a Paladin set. And a shooten shell rifle, and a dart gun, and 3 pairs of six-one pair blue, black, and brown.  
—Stephen Burris

Dear Santa Claus: I would like a Tostler doll, and a camera and a ma'crette suit, and a starliner baton.  
—Judy Lynn Calvert

Dear Santa Claus: Will you come to my house? If you do bring me a bicycle and lots of

things, too. I want a Chatty Cathy and a Susie Smart and a Tiny Tears doll, and a little car.  
—Sherria Ann Cooper

Dear Santa Claus: I will tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a bicycle, and a haunted house game for my brother and me, and a Ken and Ken clothes and Barbie Clothes and all the things they have for Barbie, and be sure to bring me Barbie's closet for Christmas and before I close this letter I want a baton and every thing Ken has. I have tried to be good this Christmas  
—Sherril Minkler

Dear Santa Claus: I want a chemistry set for Christmas. And I want a transistor radio and a bicycle, and send my brother a new report card. And I want a B-B gun that is almost like a thirty thirty and I want a twenty-two, so that when I run out of B-B's I will have a twenty-two to shoot.  
—Mike Morri

Dear Santa Claus: I want a BB gun and double-barrel shotgun. And I want a twenty-two. And I want a pea-shooter. And I want a chemistry set, too.  
—Jimmy Lambert

Dear Santa Claus: I want some clothes and a truck with a house with some horses, and a pair of boxing gloves, and an electric train. My sister wants a transistor radio for Christmas and my father wants a suit and my mother wants a pair of houseshoe and a new iron.  
—Garry William

bring me a telescope. I have tried to be a good boy, and I think I have been. But you know very body can't be perfect. And

**Legal Notice**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF BAILEY  
NOTICE OF EXECUTION SAID  
By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of Bailey County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 30th day of May, A. D. 1962, in favor of Farmers Cooperative Elevator as plaintiff, against V. V. Cawthron, in the case of Farmers Cooperative Elevator vs. V. V. Cawthron, No. 2598 in said court, I did, on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1962, at 1:00 o'clock P.M. levy upon the following described tracts or parcels of land situated in the County of Bailey, State of Texas, as the property of the said V. V. Cawthron, to-wit:  
All of Lot 6, Block 3, Highland Addition to the Town of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas, as shown by map on plat of said Addition of Record in the Deed Records of Bailey County, Texas, and on the 5th day of February, 1962, being the first Tuesday of said month between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock p.m. on said day at the Court House door of said Bailey County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all of the right, title and interest of the said V. V. Cawthron in and to the above described realty.  
DATED at Muleshoe, Texas, this 29th day of November A. D. 1962.  
Doe Clement  
Sheriff of Bailey County, Texas  
51-31c

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NOTICE  
All interested persons are advised that the improvement of U. S. Hwy. 84 in the town of Progress is being planned by the Texas Highway Commission. Preliminary plans showing the proposed work are on file at the office of Rhoad E. Beall, Sr. Resident Engineer, Texas Highway Department, Littlefield, Texas. Any interested citizen may request that a public hearing be held concerning such proposed work and the economic effect of such improvement by delivering a written request to the Resident Engineer on or before January 10, 1963. In the event such a request is received, a public hearing will be scheduled and adequate notice will be given as to its time and place.  
51-21c

I hope you have a Merry Christmas. Please bring my brother, Kim, a King Zor. I am in the third grade.  
—Gene Callan

Dear Santa: I want a go-cart I hope I will be good so I can get one. Is it cold where you are? Is it snowing right now?  
—Tommy Glass

Dear Santa Claus: I want a BB gun for Christmas, and a bean shooter and a Ken doll for Christmas. Also I want a twenty-two, but I really want a motor scooter that runs with a motor. If my mother knew that I was asking for a motor scooter, I would get a busting, so I don't want her to know that I am asking for a motor scooter. I want a transistor radio, too.  
—Bryan Stacy

Dear Santa: I am 5 years old and Tracy is 4 years old. We would like a dump truck and a fire engine

and a filling station. We have been pretty good.  
—Max and Tracy

Dear Santa: I am a seven-year-old boy and have been pretty good. Please bring me just anything you want to bring me Christmas morning. I want them to be surprises. Remember all the other good boys and girls all over the world.  
—Perry B. Hall

Dear Santa Claus: I'm 7 years old. I would very much like to have a doll nurse with like clothes so I can dress her. Don't forget my 3 brothers and 2 sisters. Their names and I thank you. Juanita. Their names are Anulfo, Antonio, Johnnie, Maria Ellena, Maria Jr., Rosales.

Perfect garnish for winter-holiday roast poultry or meat: clusters of grapes with preserved kumquats.

**Donald Harrisons Are Parents Of Son**

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Harrison are the proud parents of a son. The young man was born on Dec. 4 and weighed 8 pounds and 10 ounces. He has been named Gregory Dean. The Harrison's have one other son, Glen, who is 7 1/2 years.  
Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collins, all of Muleshoe.

**RETURN FROM OZONA HUNTING TRIP**

Roy Dyer and Red Simmons returned Friday from three day's deer hunting near Ozona. The two local men were among nine guests of Baldrige Bakery Co. for the hunt.

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YES, VIRGINIA

# There is a Santa Claus

(Editor's Note: In 1897, Virginia O'Hanlin wrote a letter to Charles Dana, editor of the New York Sun in which she said: "I am 8 years old. Some of my friends say there is no

Santa Claus. Papa says if you see it in the Sun, it is so. Please tell me the truth: Is there a Santa Claus?" The writer is now Mrs. Edward Douglas, and recently retired as assistant

principal of Public School No. 31, in New York City. Below is Editor Dana's reply. "Yes, Virginia there is a Santa Claus" which has become an editorial classic.)

Dear Virginia:  
Your little friends are wrong. They have been affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age. They do not believe except what they see. They think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their minds. All minds, Virginia, whether they be men's or children's are little.

In this great universe of ours, man is a mere insect, an ant in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole of truth and knowledge.

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! How dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus! It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginias. There would be no child-like faith then, no poetry, no romance, to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

Not believe in Santa Claus? You might get your papa to hire men to watch in chimneys on Christmas evening to catch Santa

Claus, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that's no sign that there is no Santa Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor man can see.

Did you ever see Fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there. Nobody can conceive or imagine the wonders that there are unseen and unseeable in the world.

You may tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, nor even the united strength of all the strongest men that ever lived, could tear apart. Only faith, can push aside that curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond.

It is real? Ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding.

No Santa Claus?  
Thank God, he lives and he lives forever. A thousand years from now, Virginia, nay, 10 times 10,000 years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood.

## Baptist Church Plans Program

PROGRESS — The Progress Baptist Church will have their Christmas program Friday night. Santa will be there to see all the children and give out presents.

Gene Stovall and children visited Sunday in the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Findley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Shipp and daughter are here from California visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Shipp.

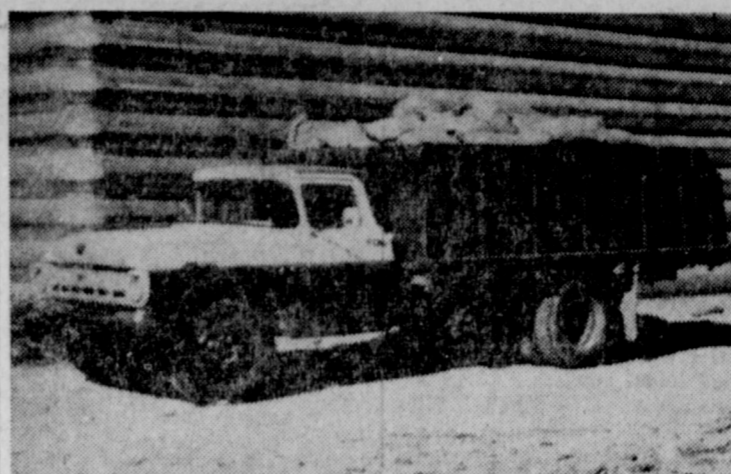
Mrs. D. O. Smith went to Plainview three days last week for x-rays and examinations.

C. (Bud) McMahon was released from the Green Hospital and Clinic Saturday after nearly two weeks' stay in the hospital.

Leroy and O. Z. Franks spent where they attended the funeral of their mother who passed away with a heart attack.

WCS women of the Progress Methodist church will have their Christmas party Thursday night at the parsonage.

Wilt Chamberlain and Wayne Hightower of the San Francisco Warriors played college basketball at Kansas.



FOR BOYS RANCH — This load of feed was donated as a Christmas gift for Boy's Ranch and was presented Sunday at the annual Christmas Party which was televised from the scene. Contributing the load were First National Bank, Muleshoe State Bank, Sam E. Fox, Pool Insurance, Texas Sesame, and John's Custom Mills, where the feed was manufactured.

(Journal Photo & Engraving)

## Muleshoe Residents Attend Boy's Ranch Christmas Party

Attending the annual Boy's ranch Christmas Party last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Fried, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bates and Mr. and Mrs. Don Layman. The group represented Muleshoe firms in presenting a truck load of ground feed to the ranch and

a handkerchief for each of the 300 boys. The handkerchief were given by Cobbs, Anthony's, St. Clair and John's Custom Mill.

The celebration began with a buffet supper at 5 p.m. and was followed with an hour-long worship service. At 7 p.m., Santa Claus arrived and those present and viewing on TV saw the reaction of the Ranchers as they received their individual gifts for some it was their first real Christmas entertainment was provided by the boys.

The Ranchers and the staff spent many hours decorating the hall for the big event. All members of the staff wrap the hundreds of gifts sent each year.

This annual party is the biggest event of the year at Boy's Ranch.



## COMMUNITY LEAGUE Standings

KMUL	36 8
First National Bank	34 10
Piggly Wiggly	31 13
Western Drug	26 18
North Lazbudd's Gin	24 20
Baker Farm Supply	20 24
Farmers Union Ins.	19 25
Progress Gin	19 21
Gateway Motor	15 29
Patzner Clinic	11 33
Inkspots	5 39

High individual game totals are Mildred Howell with 226; Ann Little, 201; Ada Murrain and Lavonia Dairs tied for third with 200 pins.

High individual series was won by Ada Murrain with 569; Mildred Howell with 540; and Doris Macha with 517.

High team game play shows First National Bank holding a roundin in the top three positions with 830, 864, and 816. Also high team series, the First National Bank has a total of 2560 pins; Lazbuddie Gin with 2293; KMUL with 2250.

## 'Counts' to Play At Youth Party

The Five Counts, Clovis, will furnish the entertainment for the first of two holiday parties planned by the Youth Center, Scotty Aylesworth, youth center president for the youths announced Wednesday.

Earlier Tootie Middlebrooks, adult president of the organization had said that the parties will be held on December 21 and on December 31 at the American Legion building on West Avenue B.

Admission will be 75 cents for members, \$1 for non-members. The parties are slated for 8:30 to 12:30.

SHOP MULESHOE FIRST!

## Mrs. Carlisle Hostess to WMS

By MRS. ORAN REAVES

MAPLE — The WMS of the Maple Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Paul Carlisle December 10, for their Christmas party. Mrs. Milton Kresse opened the meeting by reading the story of Christ from Luke, followed by a prayer by Mrs. A. E. Robinson.

Plans were digested for the community mission project for December.

Cake and coffee were served to the following: Mrs. Milton Kresse, Mrs. A. E. Robinson, Mrs. C. A. Petree, Mrs. E. M. Lowe, Mrs. D. L. Tucker, Mrs. Doyle Davis, Mrs. Robert Reagan of Morton and the hostess, Mrs. Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert of Rogers, N.M., visited Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smyer, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Smyer and children visited Sunday in Lubbock with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cash.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Dunlap and baby of Enoch, visited Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hightower.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moody and Cecil of Muleshoe visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Phillips.

Guests in the Hugh Yeates home last week were her cou-

sin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Pressley of Calif.

Little Sherrill Hunt is in the Hospital suffering from pneumonia. She is reported as slightly improved.

Guests in the Ed Hunt home are his Mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, of Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Middleton and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jones of Levelland, Saturday.

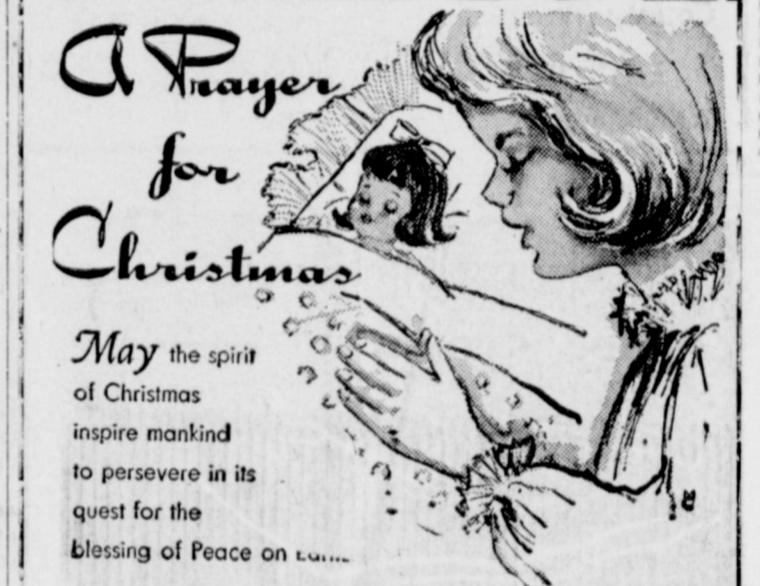
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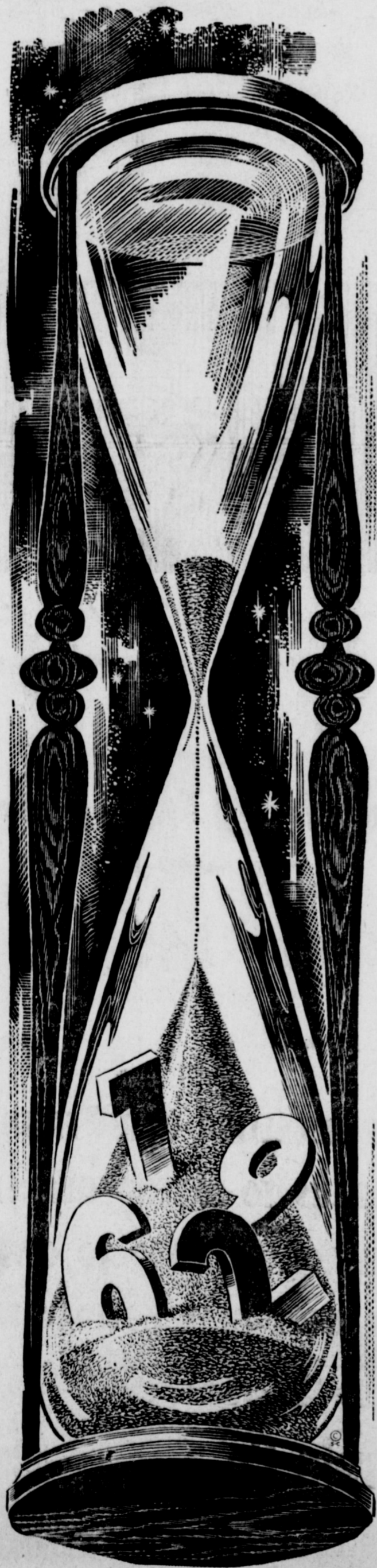
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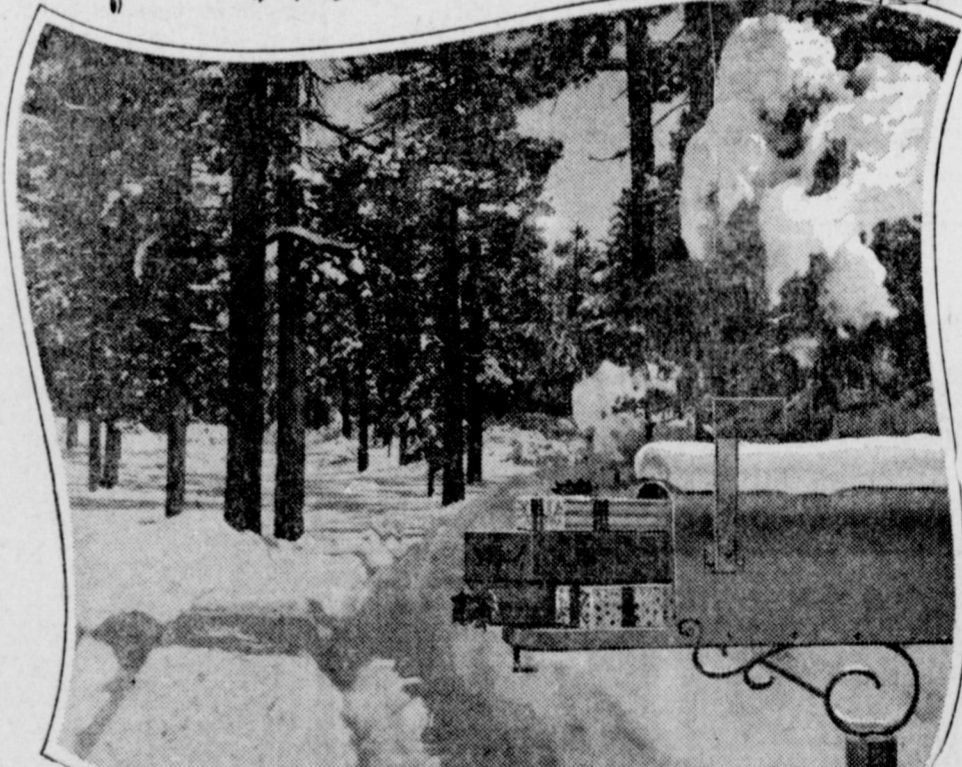


Peace on Earth

May the wondrous peace and joy of the newborn King abide with you and your family throughout this Christmas and forever after!

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# Gifts of Joy



to you this Christmas Season

It wouldn't seem like Christmas if we didn't get in touch, and wish the Season's happiness to those we like so much. Merry Christmas to our friends!

LANE FURNITURE

Ray's--  
(Continued from page 1)

Just to be on the safe side to see that the tree had sufficient decorations, you added anything you could find in a decorative nature, such as a Japanese fan, a scrap of red paper or maybe a few peacock feathers. (By the way, what's become of the peacock feathers, without which no home in the old days was considered properly decorated. I remember a batch of these gaudy feathers which we used to have.

They sat in a slate green jardiniere in the hall as the main decorative scheme of that barny entranceway.) The completed ensemble was gaudy if nothing else. It was homemade and corny — but cheap! We didn't spend more than 25 cents on the entire deal, and that went for candles and candleholders. And thus you were ready for Christmas!

There is one old-time Christmas custom, however, that I am glad has gone into limbo; that's the community Christmas tree, which was the town's display of the caste system. Upper caste kids got lots of presents; middle class several presents; and the lower caste merely enjoyed the free popcorn balls and hot chocolate served afterward.

Being in the lower middle class financially, I usually fared fairly well — a toy gun, a sailor suit and a pair of ear muffs being my usual take-home pay from the community Christmas tree. A few of my richer friends usually did much better, the number of presents being the badge of wealth which their fathers possessed. It was an inexpensive means of advertising for the old man.

But I'll never forget the community Christmas tree back there when I was around 8 years old. Somebody brought a little boy of about 5 who had no presents on the tree. I've often wondered why his father ever brought him in the first place since he had not made previous arrangements with Santa Claus to include the lad's name on the present list. It was a huge tree and was covered with presents from top to bottom for boy and girl in the town — except the lad I mentioned. There was the usual Christmas program presented by the children who more or less carried the tunes of the Christmas songs.

And Santa arrived via the back door with his usual Ho-Ho-Ho! routine.

The little lad in question screamed in delight, and urged his dad to hold him up high "so Santa can see me." After a moment Santa began clipping the presents off the tree and distributing them via the caste system. "Held me higher," the little boy screamed again. "Maybe Santa can't see me." And that went on for a half-hour or so as the tedious job of clipping and distributing the presents continued. "Higher, daddy," the boy kept yelling.

Finally some of the good women of the Community could stand it no longer. They found out the little fellow's name and then began changing a few name tags. I learned years afterward that I gave up a pair of mittens, and other boys never did get their toys that they were originally scheduled to have received.

After that the community Christmas tree was discontinued. And thus died a cruel custom! Oh, yes, I got so wrapped up in Christmases — past that I almost forgot what I set out to say. It was simply this: Merry Christmas!

Ginnings--

(Continued from page 1) 100,000 mark. Meantime, grain sorghum also is turning out well, even in the dryland areas where fear had earlier been expressed for a good yield. A late freeze — several days' later than the first freeze here — was cited as the reason for a much better grain sorghum yield in the south part of the county than had first been predicted.

Around the Maple area, which is largely dryland grain sorghum territory, the yield is running from 1,000 to 1,500 pounds to the acre.

One elevator man put it this way: "Late planting of grain sorghum in the dryland area had dimmed the prospect of heavy yields in that area. However, we have been very agreeably surprised at the yield which that late-planted crop is making. I attribute much of it to the lateness of the frost which permitted the 'green' sorghum to mature before it was killed." The prospects of peak cotton and grain sorghum yields has brightened the business picture considerably for this region.

Greetings--

(Continued from page 1) mean it! Last Week it was St. Nicholas day — children's day. We, like your Father Christmas, bring toys to all the children. In all the department stores, St. Nicholas sat on his throne, waiting to receive all the children. In town Christmas shopping is going on. The town - Gent - each year receives a Christmas tree from Finland. It will soon be planted in the center of the town and be illuminated with all colored lamps. Also a Nativity scene is placed in Gent.

I hope, with Christmas, God will send his blessings over the whole town. I (and so does my family) sincerely wish you a very merry Christmas and a real Happy New Year.

Sincerely,  
Helene

Closing--

(Continued from page 1) close Monday noon through Tuesday. City offices will be closed only on Tuesday unless the city council votes at its meeting Friday night to close for a longer period.

Most grocery stores will be closed on Tuesday only.

Sheep--

(Continued from page 1) the less expensive statues; the Chamber said its value was \$33. While the rustling of the sheep was considered a prank, many were not included to view it in that light, feeling that pilfering an emblem depicting the sacred beginnings of Christianity was a sacrilegious act.

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Beets--

(Continued from page 1) The order by USDA, however, definitely includes the four counties mentioned.

Asked if the plant definitely will be built near Hereford, he said the company had it under consideration, although the government granted only 50,000 tons for the area where 65,000 tons had been asked.

"I can only say," he told the Journal, "that the plant will be given consideration in the light of newest developments. In fact, I point to the original statement made by our president, Merrell E. Shoup, when first asked whether the plant would be built if our tonnage were cut. He said if this occurred, that we would have to take another hard look at the program before making a decision."

Martin was optimistic, however, saying that the matter of the plant was by no means closed simply because Holly's allotment was reduced by 15,000 tons. The acreage set up — 24,730 acres — would yield a potential of only 50,000 tons; Holly wanted sufficient acreage to yield 65,000 tons.

The Holly firm had backed sugar allocations for West Texas-Eastern New Mexico area in hopes of establishing a mill at Hereford. Martin said the company operates 10 plants, "but none of them is in the southwest." The plants are located in Montana, California, and Colorado.

The movement by Holly to secure acreage for this area had been backed by area Sugar Beet associations. Curry county and Deaf Smith counties have been especially active in efforts to push the industry.

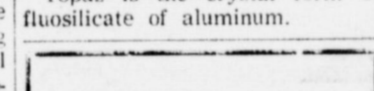
The setting aside of acreage in this area for sugar beet growing brightened the prospects greatly. The figures as announced this week by Under Secretary Charles S. Murphy, are not final. Additional acreage may be granted later before the final figures are set up.

Sugar beets already are being grown in the High Plains, but the allotments set up this week are for farmers who have not grown sugar beets during the crop years of 1961, 1962 or 1963.

Curry county figures its share of the 24,730-acre total will be 2,500 acres which also must be shared with adjoining New Mexico counties.

Several farmers in this area, including a number around Lubbock, are expected to apply for acreages under the new program.

Topaz is the crystal form of fluosilicate of aluminum.



Cheers!

We're brimming with good wishes and thanks to all our wonderful friends.

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Christmas Story Read At Social

American Association for University Women attended a Christmas party Friday night at the home of Mrs. R. E. Everett. Mrs. Jack Beddingfield presided over the short business meeting.

Carols were sung, games were played and Mrs. John Watson read a Christmas story, "The Gift of The Magi" by O'Henry, which was enjoyed by all. Gifts were exchanged.

Hostesses for the party were Mrs. Ola B. Jones and Mrs. R. E. Everett.

There were eleven members present.

Muleshoe Rebekahs Holds Annual Party

The Muleshoe Rebekah Lodge met for its regular meeting Tuesday night. A Christmas Party was enjoyed by the members following the meeting. Gifts were exchanged and all enjoyed singing Christmas carols. Refreshments were served. There were twelve members present and one visitor.

Fellowship Class Luncheon Held

A Christmas luncheon for the Fellowship Class of the First Baptist Church was held in the dining hall last Thursday.

Mrs. Eddie Lane gave the story entitled "The Unexpected Christmas Guest" by Mrs. Carter Wright.

Gifts were exchanged and the class members presented their teacher, Mrs. Lane, with a large black board for the room.

Gifts and food were brought for a needy family.

Luncheon Held In Lenau Home

The women of St. Phillip's Episcopal Church held a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Charles L. Lenau recently.

Christmas decorations were in order for the event.

Business included the planning of the Christmas services and Altar Guild work.

Mrs. Bowers Hosts Club Yule Party

Muleshoe Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. W. R. Bowers, the incoming president, on Tuesday for their Christmas party.

Christmas games were played and a tray consisting of leaves, ribbon, net, string and numerous other small items were passed and each present took three articles from the tray and made a corsage which they wore for the remainder of the party.

Attendig were Dorothy Bowers, Donna Teague and son, Mike Opal Roberson, Jewel Griffiths, Willie Reeder and children, Lenora Evans and Mrs. O. Thomas who was welcomed as a new member.

Theodore Roosevelt discovered the Teodoro river in Brazil which newspapers called the River of Doubt until its existence was confirmed.

The first legislative body in America assembled at Jamestown, Va., in 1619.

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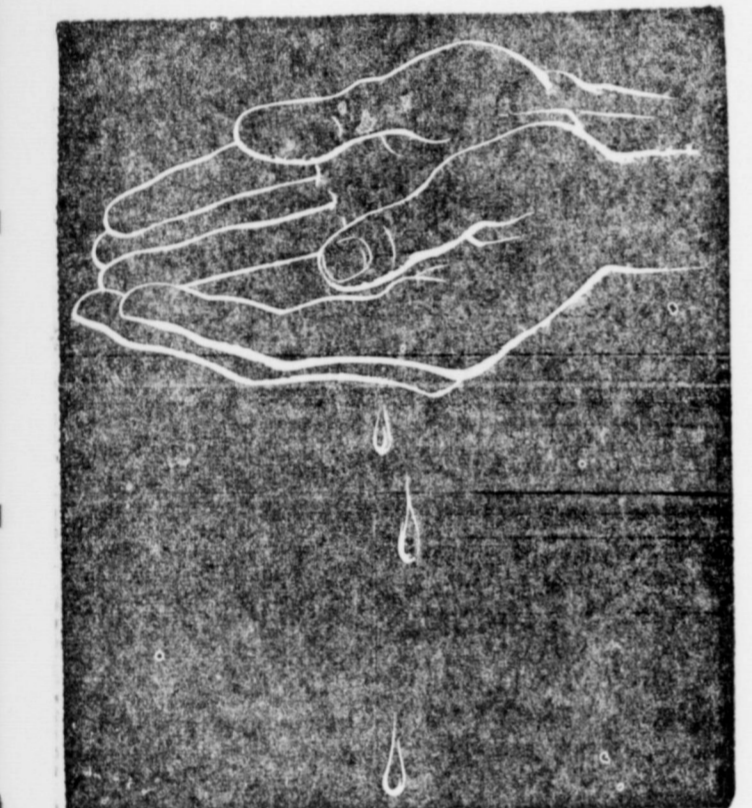
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Cheers

Christmas joys to girls and boys... to all their Moms and Daddies, too!

Muleshoe Shamrock Service  
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### Group to Hear What's New in Cotton Farming

DALLAS — Grandpa and his long-eared mule probably would shake their heads in disbelief if they could hear some of the new-fangled ways of growing cotton which will be discussed at a conference here, January 10-11.

The occasion will be the 1963 Beltwide Cotton Production Mechanization Conference sponsored by the National Cotton Council and other groups. Some 800 persons are expected from across the Belt and the nation.

From leading authorities grandpa could hear such things as: How a Mississippi farmer has farmed his land for better moisture control, timing of operations, plant growth, and weed and

insect control.

New approaches to fighting the boll weevil, including poisoning pest just before he goes into and sterilizing males to reduce the number of offspring.

Importance of row and bed shapes in mechanized cotton production.

Latest methods and equipment for controlling weeds with chemicals and flame.

Ways to get the best possible yields with the least amount of water.

New fertilizers which are being investigated by various groups.

An evaluation of the use of moistening agents on the spindles of mechanical pickers.

How research is investigating the possibility of putting an electrical charge on insecticide particles so more of them will stick to the leaves of cotton plants.

Production expenses of U. S. farmers in 1960 were 26.4 billion dollars - nearly four times as much as in 1940.



### Firemen, Guests Visited by Santa At Annual Party

Santa Claus came to town again Saturday night — this time as the personal guest of the Muleshoe Volunteer Fire Department at their annual Christmas dinner party.

The firemen's — and their guests' — children were visited by old Santa who distributed bags of candy, fruit, and nuts around the Christmas tree at the American Legion Hall Saturday.

Members of the Ladies Auxiliary prepared the traditional excellent Christmas dinner buffet. Mrs. Owen Jones headed the food committee.

Fire Chief Earl Ladd, master of ceremonies, introduced guests present as well as the new members of the department. New members are Eugene Maxwell, John Black, and Claude Holmes.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Couch, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin St. Clair, Mr. and Mrs. John Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. John Moore, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Neely, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Gil Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hall, and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Clements.

The praises of the local fire department and its personnel and their fine record for the past year were given by the guests in impromptu speeches.

Mrs. Opal Booth accepted the

department's gift for her daughter LaNell. Firemen's Sweetheart Members of the Ladies Auxiliary received white chiffon scarves, while each fireman received a pair of heavy fire socks. The Booths presented the department a special gift to the department of a pan.

"Little" Chief Fred Clements made a gift for the department to Chief and Mrs. Ladd of a out-of-doors gas light for their home.

Mrs. Melvin Mackey closed the evening's program with the singing of "Silent Night". She was accompanied by Mrs. John Moore, pianist.

### Elmer Walters' Rites Conducted

Funeral services for Elmer Lonnie Walters, Amarillo, who died Monday, were held at Trinity Baptist Church here Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, followed by burial in Enterprise cemetery near Tishomingo, Okla., Friday. He had moved from Muleshoe two and a half months ago.

Conducting the rites was Rev. Troy Walker, pastor, Singleton Funeral Home, in Muleshoe.

Walters, who was born at Caddo, Okla., Feb. 23, 1910, is survived by his wife, Etta Walters; three sons, Charles, Ben, and William Walters, Amarillo; two daughters, Carol Walters, Amarillo; and Mrs. Buster Wolfe, Lariat; and three sisters, Mrs. John Couthen, Tulsa; Mrs. Ed

### Rites Held For Jimmy Bryand, 4

Funeral services for Jimmy Bryand, 4, 111 E. 4th Muleshoe, were held at the Baptist Mission last Saturday, followed by burial in Muleshoe cemetery with Singleton Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements. Rev. Roque Puente conducted the rites.

The child died in McKnight State tubercular hospital, Dec. 4, was born Aug. 11, 1958 at Conroy. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Bryand.

The pallbearers were: Tony Puente, Andrew Gonzales, Jr., Lewis Flores, and Balatazar Assevedo.

**HENRIETTA VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. Don Parish and three sons of Henrietta were recent weekend guests of his sister and her family, the Robert Affords.

### W. C. Langham's Rites Conducted

Funeral services for Willie Clyde Langham of the West Camp community, who died December 13 at West Plains Hospital, were held last Saturday at West Camp Baptist church, conducted by the Rev. Raymond Quick, West Camp, and Rev. T. L. Pond, Sedan, N.M. Burial was in Bailey County Memorial Park with Singleton Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Survivors are his wife, Addie Langham, whom he married in Lamesa, Dec. 24, 1924; three sons: L. D. Langham, Clovis; Norman Langham, Abilene, and Ross Langham, Amarillo; three brothers, Omer Langham, Raton, N.M.; Curtis Lanham, Lubbock; J.C. Langham, Claypool, Ariz.; a sister, Mrs. Bessie Gregory, Lamesa, and seven grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Dalton Harris, Guy Austin, Willie Flowers, Doug Avery, Jake Saylor, Lloyd Vaughn, Hubert Gammons and Woodrow Couch.

Langham was born March 9, 1900 in Durant, Okla.



"LAND OF POWER" AIRLIFT — Among the more than 7,000 persons taking part in Allis-Chalmers airlift to the Land of Power on the three-day, expense paid trip to Milwaukee and Chicago were (from left) farm equipment dealer C. O. La Rue, Jr., Salesman, Muleshoe Implement & Supply Co., in Muleshoe; and his customer-guests, Mr. L. V. Kolar, Mr. Edmond Kitten, Mr. George Gress, Mr. Aubrey Heathington, Mr. Bob Gable and Mr. Wylie Baker. (Journal Photo & Engraving)

### Goodfellows Seek Food for Needy

Goodfellows of Muleshoe are gathering toys and food for needy families here, and boxes have been placed downtown for contributions.

Bill Moore, chairman of the drive, said the organization is appealing especially for food this year, although clothing and toys

also are needed.

Contributions will be taken to the city hall just before Christmas when the boxes for the needy will be prepared.

One agricultural commodity for which demand generally exceeds supply is the agricultural college graduate. Two or three good jobs are available to every graduate.

### Bovina Baby's Rites Conducted

Rites for baby boy Ramirez Bovina, who died at West Plains Hospital Tuesday, were held at the graveside in the Bovina cemetery that day.

Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramirez; one brother, Paul and a sister, Yelanda, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Ramirez and Mr. and Mrs. Seberiano Diaz, all of Bovina.

Singleton Funeral Home of Muleshoe was in charge of arrangements.

Garrison, Tishomingo, and Mrs. John Orr, Buttonwillow, Calif. He was elevator superintendent for Pulman Elevator in Amarillo.

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# Candles Gleam, Bells Ring, St. Nick Arrives, And Then It's Merry Christmas Once Again!

Christmas comes but once a year — and into that magic "once" are packed years and years of well-loved traditions. Candles gleam brightly, bells ring merrily, glad carols fill the air.

Up goes the tree and on go the ornaments and lights, in many a home and in many other places, too, both in and out of doors. Evergreen branches, holly and mistletoe decorate the season.

Children eagerly await Santa Claus, his sleigh and his reindeer. Stockings are hung, and greetings and gifts, gaily wrapped, spread the spirit of Christmas.

How did it all begin? The manger scene, in churches and homes, testifies to the religious meaning and real beginning of Christmas. To be glad and grateful, to give and to help others are expressions of that meaning.

The legends and customs of the holiday season, however, come from scores of sources, and many ancient festivals have con-

tributed their part to Christmas as a time of merry-making.

## GIVING GIFTS

First of all Christmas gifts were gold, frankincense and myrrh, the wise men's gifts to the Infant Jesus. Gift giving at the season of the year now celebrated as Christmas can also be traced back to pre-Christmas times.

The ancient Romans exchanged gifts during their Saturnalia, a festival honoring Saturn, the pagan god of agriculture. Hanging gifts on trees figured in Druid tree worship in early Britain.

## HELPING POOR

Principles of Christianity are reflected in Christmas giving to the poor and unfortunate. An old legend says that on Christmas Eve the Christ Child roams the earth, dressed as a beggar, in search of food and shelter. People believed that any kindness shown a beggar expressed a love for Jesus.

## SOURCE OF SANTA

Origin of Santa Claus as a gift

giver is usually traced to a real St. Nicholas, bishop of Myra, in Asia Minor, in the fourth century A.D. St. Nicholas was renowned for his generosity, and he still retains his role as a gift giver in many countries, arriving on January 6 — traditionally the date of the visit of the wise men.

## YULE GREENS

Evergreens at Christmas are an emblem of life eternal. An-

cient peoples believed that the greenness of evergreens in winter was a promise of the creator that spring would come again.

## SINGING CAROLS

Caroling at Christmas may be a carryover from the Roman songs of the Saturnalia, or so some researchers believe. Early Christian songs were solemn and somewhat forbidding. One simple, touching carol best liked today didn't gain widespread popularity until the 14th and 15th centuries.

## DECORATING TREES

In ancient feasts of the winter equinox, trees were adorned with trinkets. Like many pagan customs, the evergreen tree became associated with Christmas observances, and legends link it to the birth of Christ. One story says that on Christmas Eve, all the trees of the forest bloomed and bore fruit.

## LIGHTING CANDLES

Candles at Christmas symbolize the coming of Christ as the Light of the World. Since earliest times, man has used lights — torches, watchfires, beacons — on occasions of joyous celebration.

Custom of placing a candle in the window on Christmas Eve is usually attributed to the Irish. It was thought that Christ wandered the earth on that night, and a candle would show Him a home where He was welcome, or help to light Him on his way.

## BERRIES BRIGHTEN

The bright red berries of the Christmas-berry, an evergreen shrub native to California, are widely used as Christmas decorations.

This shrub, with its thick, dark green leaves, can grow to a height of 15 feet. The Encyclopedia Americana says:

Its flowers are white, its berries yellow or bright red. The Christmas-berry of often known as the toyon.

Seven presidents have died in office. They were Harrison, Taylor, Lincoln, Garfield, McKinley, Harding and Franklin D. Roosevelt.

## Yule Road Toll May Hit 92 Mark

AUSTIN — The director of the Texas Department of Public Safety reported today it is estimated 180 persons will meet violent death during 11-day Christmas-New Year holiday season—92 of them in traffic crashes.

Col. Homer Garrison Jr. said the estimate is based on past experience over many years and compiled by DPS Statistical Services Manager N. K. Woerner. Purpose of the estimate, Garrison said, is to focus public attention on the dangers that accompany the holiday season.

He said that past statistics indicate that in addition to 92 "motoricides," 42 persons will be victims of suicide and homicide, 46 will die violently in various accidents other than traffic.

The public safety director announced that "Operation Deathwatch," will be in effect starting at 12:01 a. m. Saturday, December 22 through 11:59 p. m. Tuesday, January 1, 1963. During this period, he explained, the Department of Public Safety will tabulate violent deaths by cate-

gory and make releases to the new media three times daily.

"In addition to our appeals to the driving public to observe the traffic laws and rules of safety, our department will put some 150 extra patrolmen from our license and weight and motor vehicle inspection services on highway patrol duty," Garrison said.

"We believe this will help to remove some of the dangerous drivers from the road, we know that in most cases only the individual behind the wheel can make sure that he and his loved ones are not among the 92 expected traffic victims. He can do this only by driving carefully and lawfully—and by driving defensively against those who don't."

"We urge every driver to be especially alert during this period and enjoy safe holiday travel over our fine highway system."

Garrison noted that the DPS motorcide estimates for the past 17 Christmas-New Year periods totaled 1,592, and that the actual number killed was 1,567. Thus he said, the combined estimate was 25 or 1.57 per cent above the actual total.

"But we always hope we are too high," he said, "and we are calling upon the driving public to help us bring the toll of death

and suffering far below the estimate during the coming holiday season."

A review of the factors involved in fatal traffic crashes during last Christmas-New Year period indicates excessive speed figured in 29.8 per cent of them, at least one driver had been drinking in 26.9 per cent, and a pedestrian violation was involved in 11.5 per cent.

December 24, Christmas Eve, was the most deadly day, with 23.7 per cent of holiday motorcides occurring on that day.

## DECKING THE HALLS

Decorating with red and green, traditional at Christmas, traces back to the early use of red-berried green holly to "deck the halls."

Efficiency of U. S. farmers has released people from farming to make the many machines used not only by agriculture but by industry and in the home.

The Liberty Bell was cast at Thomas Lester's foundry at Whitechapel, London. It arrived in Philadelphia safely but cracked when it was tried out for

## Read More, Bishop Tells Ministers

Texas Methodists will be listening to improved preaching if Bishop Paul V. Galloway's efforts to promote deeper study bear fruit.

The San Antonio Area Bishop who serves this West Texas area, told the Methodist Council of Bishops that the sale of books in his two conferences had increased 50 per cent since the beginning of his emphasis on deeper study.

"I have spent much time in visiting with pastors about their habits of study and the quality of their pulpit messages," Bishop Galloway reported to his 60 colleagues in their semi-annual meeting in St. Louis, Mo. "I have examined preacher's libraries and have suggested the purchase of works on contemporary theology and fresh, new commentaries."

The Bishop added that he had opened each day's sessions at the last annual conferences with book talks.

During the last 25 years, the cost of food has increased less than the cost of housing, transportation and rent.

## Stock Show Sets 'Muleshoe Day'

FORT WORTH. The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce has received an invitation to be honored on a special day at the 1963 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, January 25 - February 3.

W. R. Watt, Stock Show president-manager, said by selecting a "day" at Fort Worth's 67-year-old exposition the city would receive special recognition both at the show and over a wide area of Texas.

The invitation provides a block reservation of Rodeo seats, for advance sale locally. The delegations would be presented to the Rodeo crowd in a spotlighted introduction during the performance. The local band is invited to play a concert on the Stock Show grounds and be the show's guests at the Rodeo.

The 1963 Fort Worth Rodeo will feature the unique arrangement of three major producers combining to furnish roughest bucking

stock in America—so voted by the cowboys themselves. Minnie Pearl, comedy star of "Grand Ole Opry" fame, will entertain Rodeo audiences along with three other comedy, trick riding and precision riding attractions.

There also will be cutting horse, show horse and ranch girl barrel racing competition in the Fort Worth Rodeo. More than 10,000 entries are expected in the live stock division, which includes a new class for Galcon horses.

The city is invited as well to name a cowboy sweetheart to ride in the Rodeo grand entry on the special day, and be introduced to the audience. Area riding clubs also are invited to ride in the opening day parade, in the Rodeo grand entry on the special day, or both.

The Southwestern Exposition is the nation's oldest major livestock show, and its Rodeo is the world's original indoor Rodeo.

# Greetings for Christmas

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December 15 is observed each year as "Bill of Rights Day" throughout the United States. What does this important "document" mean to us?

The American "Bill of Rights," consisting of the first ten amendments to our Federal Constitution, all adopted at one time in 1791, specifies in some detail a number of basic civil rights of the individual citizen. Unaltered by subsequent amendments and jealously guarded by our courts, these privileges must still be respected by our governing bodies today.

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those relating to freedom of religion, speech, and of the press. The same article protects the rights of peaceable assembly and the privilege of petitioning the government for redress of grievances.

Another amendment secures our persons, houses, paper and effects against unreasonable searches and seizures, and specifies that no warrant shall issue but upon probable cause, and unless supported by oath or affirmation.

The due process of law amendment encompasses not one but several guarantees. Every American is secured against being placed twice in legal jeopardy for the same offense; against being compelled to be a witness against himself in a criminal case; and against having his private property taken for public use without just compensation.

He is also secured against being held for trial for a capital (death penalty) or other infamous crime, unless upon a presentment or indictment of a grand jury. And, of course, no person may be deprived of life, liberty or property without orderly court procedures, or due process of law.

The right to a speedy and public trial, by an impartial jury, in the locality where the crime was committed, the right to be informed of the nature and cause of the accusation, and the rights to compel attendance of defense witnesses and to have the assistance of defense counsel in all criminal prosecutions are secured by another section of the "Bill of Rights."

Excessive bail and fines, and cruel and unusual punishments, are prohibited in Amendment VIII. Other articles insure the right to bear arms and ban quartering of soldiers in private homes during peace time.

Then, to make quite clear to our governing bodies the underlying intent of the preceding provisions, the Ninth Amendment states: The enumeration in the Constitution, of certain rights shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by the people.

The Tenth Amendment further emphasizes this basic theory by providing: "The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people."

Thus, that fundamental philosophy expressed in the Declaration of Independence, that men are endowed with certain inalienable rights, and that "to secure these rights, governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed," has been carried forward into the highest law of our land.

(This newfeature, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform — not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advise concerning the

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**THE SANDHILLS PHILOSOPHER**

**It's Greetings Again From Our Johnson Grass Farm Correspondent**

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** The Sandhills Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm has some Christmas thoughts this week.

Dear editor:  
Along about this time every year people used to say, "What, you mean Christmas is here again. Why it doesn't seem like any time since the last one."

But you don't hear that anymore, and anybody who claims Christmas has slipped up on him obviously has a busted television tube and hasn't seen a newspaper since before Thanksgiving.

I was talking with a prominent man in town the other day and he said he'd noticed that Christmas cards have started arriving a lot earlier than they used to; he'd already gotten 75 two weeks before Christmas.

Another man chimed in and said, "Yeah, but isn't it a shame some people wait twelve months and let you hear from them only at Christmas time."

Well, now, I'll tell you. Hearing from some people once a year is just about right. But I won't go into that. Congress will never get around to handling the problem of kinfolks and in-laws. That's one area you haven't got anything to worry about when it comes to Washington's stepping in with Federal control. Congressmen are human beings too, they've got relatives too, and they'll never tamper with system whereby a Christmas card is a substitute for a visit.

I know some people say that Christmas has been commercialized, but all I've got to say to that is I wish I could say as much for this Johnson grass farm.

There's nothing wrong with giving gifts at Christmas, and there's nothing wrong with receiving them. I'm in favor of both, and if you know anybody who's opposed to the latter, put me in touch with him. I'll be glad to relieve him of his burden.

I like Christmas, and I'll come right out in the open and say it: Merry Christmas, Mr. Martin.

Yours faithfully,  
J. A.



**POWDER PUFF LEAGUE**

Standings

Muleshoe Coop Gin	36 12
Harvey Bass Appliance	33 15
Muleshoe State Bank	22 26
West Plains Pharmacy	20 28
Paul's Cafe	18 30
Wiedebush & Childers	15 33

Mulshoe Coop Gin won high team series with 2117; Muleshoe State Bank was second with 2145; and Harvey Bass Appliance in third with 1895.

High Individual Series was rolled by Dorothy Vinson with 486 pins; Ozell Higginbotham with 475; and Jerri Howell with 469.

Muleshoe Coop Gin was high in individual game with 738 pins followed by Muleshoe State Bank in second and third place with 730 pins and 729.

In high individual game Jerri Howell rolled 201; Virginia Belter, 194; and Ozell Higginbotham 192.

Jerri Howell is a new member of the 200 club.

A tiny East African frog lays its eggs among wild banana leaves, which retain small amounts of water. The resulting tad-poles are adapted to survive in this environment.

Chopped walnuts and raisins are good added to gingerbread that is to be served for dessert with applesauce or lemon sauce.

Most cheers indicate approval or acclaim, but at least one is derogatory — the famous Bronx cheer.

**Old-Fashioned Best Wishes**



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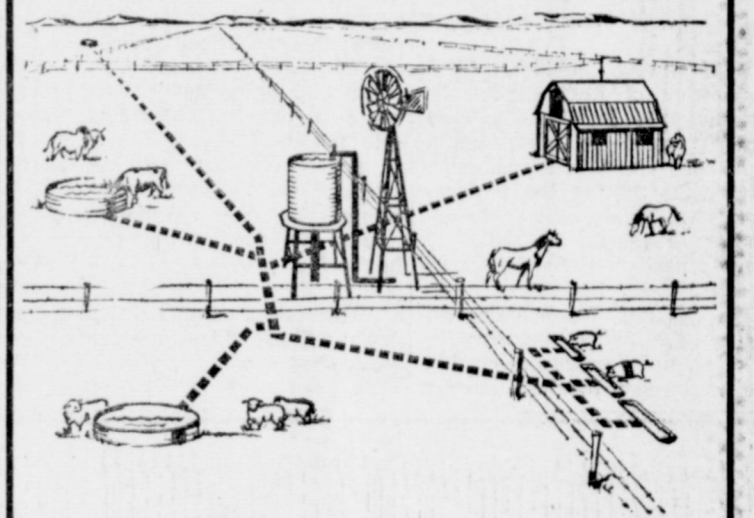
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## Pagan Hawaiians Now Accept Christ

By JACK SCHREIBMAN  
HONOLULU (AP)—The pagan Hawaiians could not have known that 45 years after killing Capt. James Cook they could embark on the road to the white man's Christ.

Today, the Hawaiian celebration of Christmas is not very different from the way Christians celebrate it elsewhere in America.

Hawaii businessmen hang their Christmas decorations too early, just as is done from California

to Maine.

Before Christmas, white-wheeled, jolly, fat men, ho, ho, ho, hanging in the accepted fashion, distribute from candy to good little kids (children) in all sections of the city.

Super markets are awash in turkeys, as are newspapers in way to cook them. Salvation Army suddenly finds itself in the spot light for feeding the poor, anonymously done the rest of the year.

The department stores are fur-

iously cashing in on the holiday spirit of giving, while churches toll to intersperse the heavy eavy commerce with the light of Christ Child.

They go to the beach in Hawaii on Christmas Day, as temperatures flirt in the mid-80's. Tourists from the north stare glassy-eyed at the sand and sparkling surf, suddenly homesick for the accustomed snowy signs of Christmas.

Jack Frost is forever banned here at 21st degree of latitude.

Hawaii residents delight in their special place in the American community of states. Their four counties are separated by many miles of open ocean. The 9th state is the most isolated in the union, 2,300 miles from California and at least 4,000 miles from other major land masses.

They are most proud of the intermingled bloods that built Hawaii. They say "Merry Christmas" in many ways in the beautiful green islands:

You're likely to hear "Skuku Uelimasu" from the Japanese; "Gung Ho Sen Dan" from the Filipino; "Ku Ju Sung Tun Meng" from the Korean, the Hawaiian.

Their festive Yule boards groan from the usual pebbles—but also an elee, bucuayo, laulau, sukuyaki and mow goo gai.

And when you jump in the slush holiday shopping crush, in there pitching with you you'll find the Lees, Gimas, Matsumotos, Hans, Kealohas, Smiths, Mayers and Saguitans Americans all.

The dawn of Christianity in Hawaii was monumental and wrenching experience for a Hawaiian savage of 1824.

This naked Polynesian child of the sun lived in a world of kapus (taboos), which to break meant death. He lived in a whirl of mana gods—Lono of fertility, Ananui of rainbows; Ku-ula of fishermen; Kane of living water; Kanaloa of the sea.

He lived in constant fear of the wrathful goddess Pele, woman of fire and volcano, womb of all the island.

Legend and history say it was in this time that high chiefess Kapiolani of Kauwaloa felt moved by white man's learning to lead her people out of the dark ages into the light of Christianity.

On Dec. 22, 1824, four years after the arrival of the first missionaries from Massachusetts, Kapiolani defied the terrible Pele on the rim of the boiling cauldron of Kihuea Volcano on Hawaii Island.

She camped there all night, determined to prove that the god of the missionaries was stronger than Pele. Kapiolani's subjects trembled, their anguished faces reflecting the glowing red liquid rock that boiled beneath them.

They waited, certain that an enraged Pele would snuff out their lives with one terrible convulsion of blazing lava. But nothing happened. In the morning, Kapiolani hurled this challenge:

"Jehovah is my God. I fear not Pele. Should I perish by her anger, then you may fear her powers. But if Jehovah saves me, then you must fear and serve Jehovah."

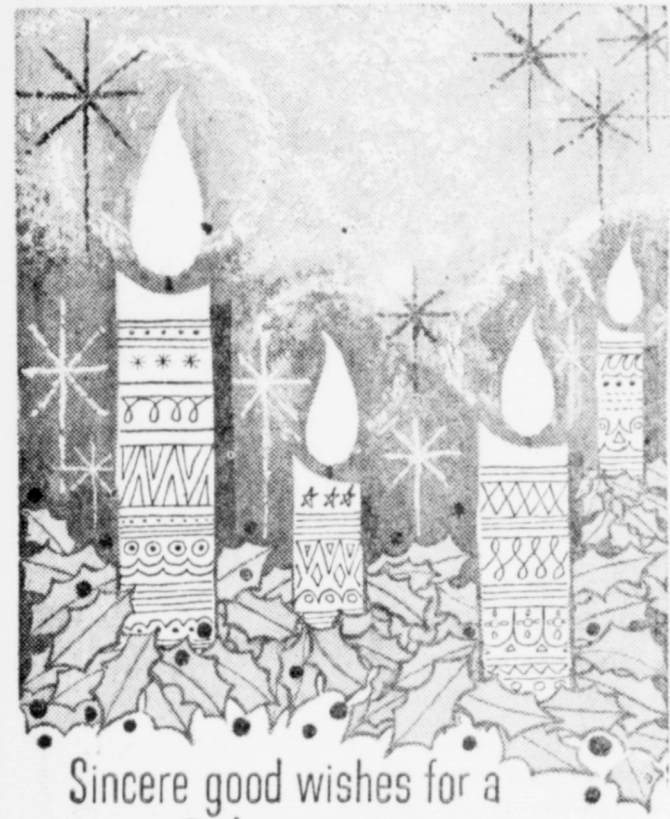
The Popocatepetl is a volcanic mountain in Mexico.



CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

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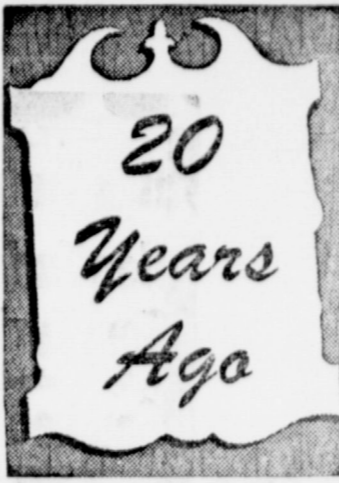


## GREETINGS

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From a list of firms placing greeting in the Christmas edition of the Muleshoe Journal 20 years ago memories of those long since gone will be refreshed along with the visual comparison of growth of those remaining.

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ers, Howard Elliott, owner; Southwestern Public Service, Southwestern Associated Telephone Company, St. Clair's Variety, Arnold Morris Auto, S. E. Cone Grain, West Texas Gas Company, R. L. Brown Land Co., Muleshoe Elevator, Muleshoe Coffee Shop, Muleshoe Hatchery, M'shoe Locker, Muleshoe Motor Co., Santa Fe Jennings Food Store, R.L. Brooks Jr. Little Auto Store, Layne Welding Shop, Muleshoe Implement & Supply, Damron Drug, Triple O Beauty Shop, Muleshoe State Bank, Phillips Petroleum Co., Harold Wyer, Cecil H. Tate, Wagon's, and Higginbotham Bartlett Co.

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College students at home for Christmas were Ross Glaze, Connie Dale Gupton, Marshall and Barbara Mae Morris, Billy Beavers, Rosa Renrow, C. C. Griffiths and Gloria Gowdy.

-1962-  
Some of the letters to Santa Clyde Holt, David Taylor, Aline White, Jim Sybert, Junior Thomas, Donnie Cox, J. Ann Weyer, Charles Lewis, Babby Paul, Robert Waggoner, Billy Greer, Ernest Ware, Ray and Gene West, Lavelle Bellar, Billy Lambert, were from Wayne Bristow, Jim Donald Wayne Harmon, Jim Briscoe and Hollyann Cox.

A jolly Christmas to all good friends

### CITY CLEANERS

**HOLIDAY GUESTS HERE**  
Guests for the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Lenau and the Julian Lenaus are his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Lenau and Miss Myrtle Lenau, Hobart, Okla.

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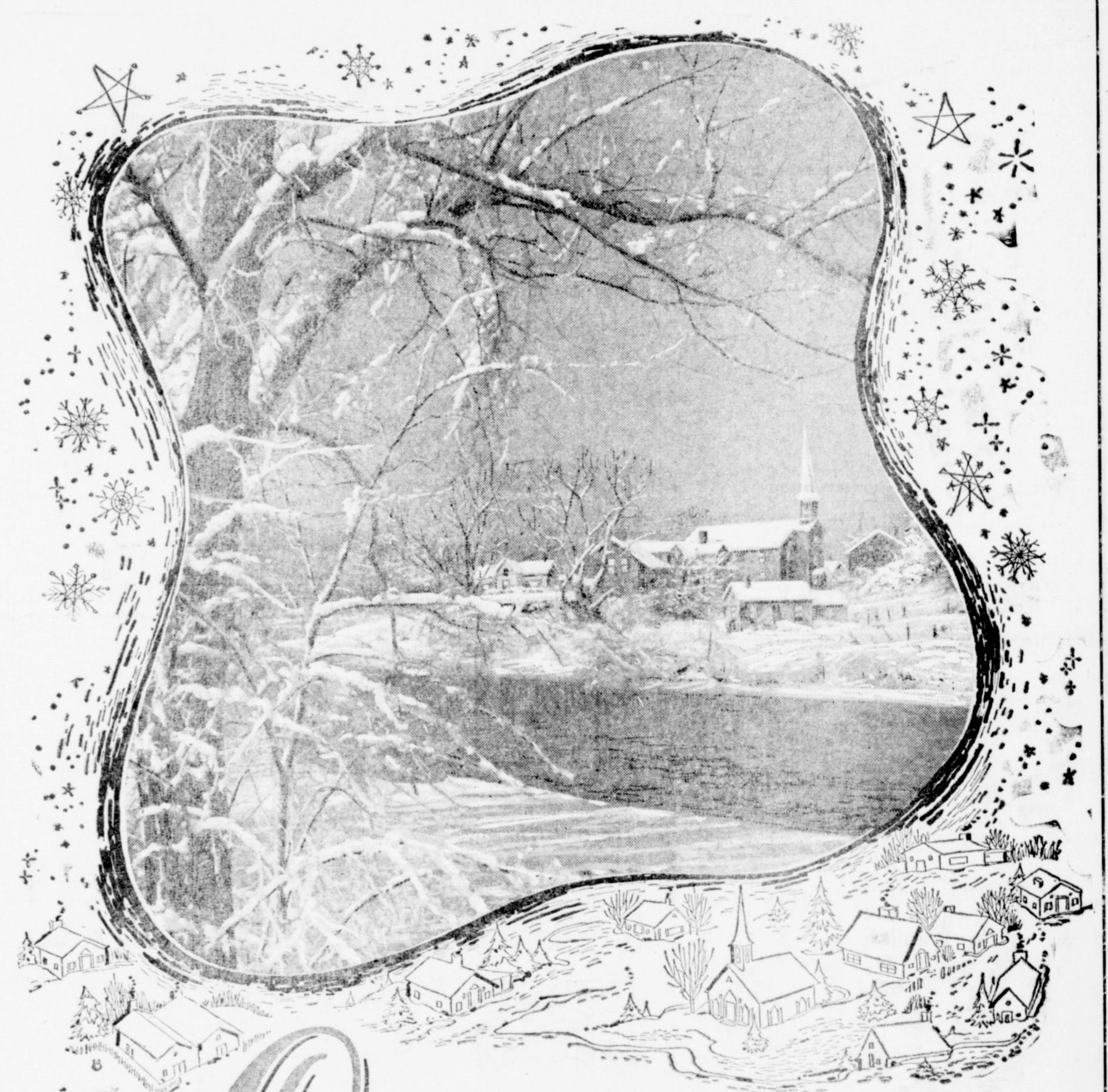
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# Greetings of the Season

The Holidays are here...with all their flurry, hurry, fun and frolic! In the midst of all the merriment and bustle, we want to make a special point of pausing in the day's occupation to wish every one of our friends and their families all the joys of the Holiday. Serving you all has indeed made our Season bright and happy.

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**Off The Runways**



**By DORIS KINSER  
PRIVATE LICENSE**

Ray Daniel received his private license Wednesday after taking his flight test at Lubbock airport.

Daniel has been training regularly for the past few weeks.

Two Lubbock men, Delbert Hightower and R. Casey chartered the Comanche last Wednesday for a business flight to Dallas.

Both are in pilot training and one was given dual instruction on the flight down and the other on the return trip.

**JENNINGS FLOWN HOME**  
Morgan Locker and Joe Bates Jennings flew to Temple last Friday to pick up Ophel Jennings who has been a patient in the hospital for ten days. Jennings underwent surgery on Friday, December 7.

Most of the flight to Temple was made in instrument weather and the landing there was an instrument landing.

Joe Jennings remained in Tem-

ple and returned in the Ophel Jennings car while Locker and Jennings returned in the plane; a Comanche belonging to Guy Nickels.

**MRS. ELLIOTT HOME**  
H. C. Elliott flew to Lubbock Friday in the Cherokee and return Mrs. Elliott home. She has been in a Lubbock hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Griffiths and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bryant took a pleasure ride Sunday afternoon. The flight was Mrs. Bryants first in a light aircraft. Griffiths piloted the plane.

**SOLOED**  
Delbert Garner made his solo flight last week. He recently began flying at the airport.

Garner is a Farwell resident.

**TO OKLAHOMA**  
Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Watson, Leon Watson and Mrs. Chuck Stallings flew to Cache, Okla. Sunday where they attended the funeral services of their grandmother, Mrs. Victoria Bates.

They reported smooth flying there and back. They returned late Sunday.

**SUNDAY FLIGHT**  
Flying over the country Sunday afternoon in the Cherokee were Sp-4 Jimmy Kinser, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Kinser, and Morgan Locker.

The air was extremely smooth and it was a beautiful day aloft. Settling smoke from area gins created a low, billowing horizon all around, which was not visible from the ground.

**172 CESSNA**  
Kenneth Briscoe, Kenneth George, and Jacque Baker purchased a 172 Cessna last week.

The men flew the plane in from Plainview where they bought it from a dealer.

They had been flying an Aeronca Champ.

**Explorer Post  
To Get Charter**

Explorer Post 620, BSA, will meet Friday evening at 7:15 p.m. for the presentation of the post's new charter, according to Bill Wimberly, institutional representative.

Explorer Post 620 was recently organized with nine members. Gary Farr is president of the Post. Carroll Pounery is post advisor.

Presentation of the charter will be made by Owen Jones, representing George White district of the South Plains Council of Boy Scouts of America. The presentation ceremony will be held in the Scout Hut. All boys between 14 and 18 years of age and who are still in high school, are invited to join the Explorer post here.

**BEST WISHES FOR Christmas**

**HARVEY BASS APPLIANCE Muleshoe**

**OUR FRIENDLIEST YULETIDE WISHES**

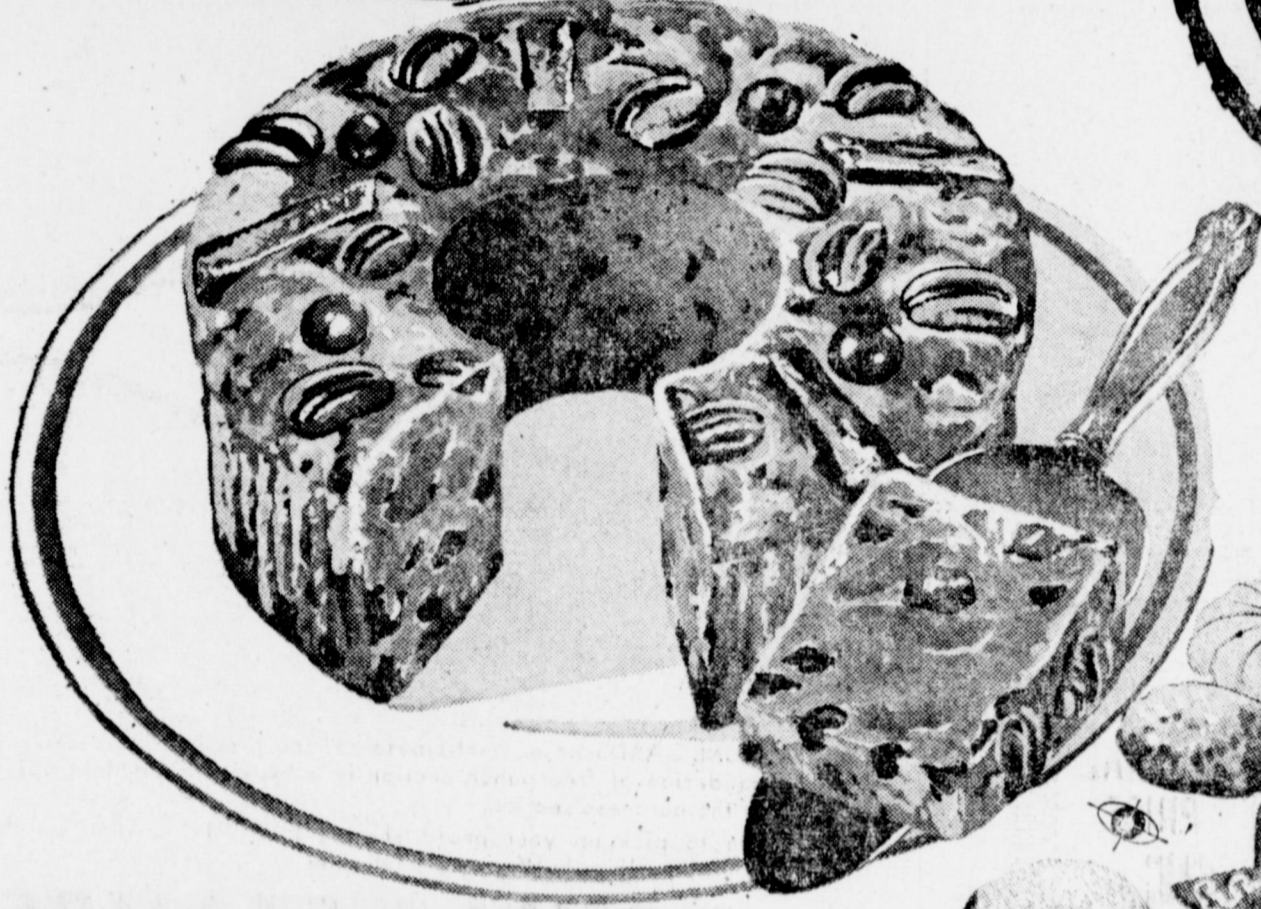
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<b>EGGS</b> IDEAL, Grade A, Medium, Dozen		<b>39¢</b>	<b>FLOUR</b> Pillsbury's Best 5 Lb. Bag	5
Fresh Frozen Foods at Piggly Wiggly			<b>BUTTER</b> Bonnebell, Sweet Cream Quarters	6
<b>MINCE PIES</b> Banquet Family Size		<b>29¢</b>	<b>MILK</b> Goodhope, Evaporated Tall Can	12
Family Size <b>Fruit Pies</b> Banquet, Apple, Peach, Cherry or Pumpkin		<b>29¢</b>	<b>OLIVES</b> Tovic, Manzanilla, Stuffed 7 1/4 oz. Jar	3
<b>Broccoli Spears</b> Seabrook 10 oz. Pkg.		<b>23¢</b>	<b>OYSTERS</b> Blue Plate 8 oz. Can	1
<b>Asparagus Spears</b> Seabrook 10 oz. Pkg.		<b>43¢</b>	<b>Chocolate Dainties</b> Hershey's 5c off label 12 oz. Pkg.	1
<b>Parkerhouse Rolls</b> Holsom, 24 Ct. Pkg.		<b>19¢</b>	<b>OLEO</b> Blue Seal Quarters	2 1 Lb. pkgs.
			<b>MINCEMEAT</b> None Such 9 oz. Pkg.	1
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Dear Santa: I am 8 years old and I think I am a good boy. Please bring me a football suit and telescope. My little brother is five years old and bring him a football suit and a tool box. —Ricky and Randy Hardage.

Dear Santa: Please bring me a Suzy Smart doll, and a transistor radio, and my brother wants a deer gun like daddy's and a tractor and some plows. —Debbie & Davey Engkeling

Dear Santa: Please bring me a play dog that walks, a bicycle and a doll, please make Daddy well so he can come home for Christmas. I am 6 years old and in the first grade. —Darlene Henderson

Dear Santa Claus: My name is Joe Bob Owen. I am 4 years old. I have been a good boy. I have twin brothers, Danny and Donny, they are 2 1/2 years old. They are nice little brothers. Would you please bring me a Tonka pickup and trailer and 2 horses and a bulldozer. Bring Dannie and Donnie a little truck and cement mixer, and tractor. Bring Tom Tom and Randy something nice.

Dear Santa,  
I would like to have a snow cone machine.  
Peggy Carter

Dear Santa:  
I am a little boy 5 years old. I am having my mother write for me. I would like for you to bring me a toy rifle with a scope and a apache. Also, a bio toy cannon. My sisters would like a record player and radio combination. My stocking will be hung on the fireplace. Hope you can bring all the little

boys' and girls, nuts and candy. I have been a pretty good boy.  
Lynn Broyles

Dear Santa: I have been a nice girl, some times this year. Please don't forget any little boy or girl this year. Please bring me a Shirley Temple Doll with some clothes, and "Casper the ghost, and a stuffed toy to sleep with.  
—Gay Rundell, 8.

Dear Santa:—I am 9 years old and in the 4 grade. I would like a Cuddly "Kitten" that cries, 19 inch doll, and a Popeye the Sailor Punch-me, 51 inches tall. And a Bulldog with wired front legs; cotton filled. Wears snug cotton sweater. Glassene eyes cotton felt tongue 14 inches tall.  
—Sherrel Rundell

Tom Thumb's real name was Charles Sherwood Stratton.

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## In Alaska It's Christmas Time, too,

By WARD SIMS  
 BARROW, Alaska (AP) — The round, brown face of Alaska's native children shine just as brightly with anticipation as those of youngsters in the South 48 when Santa Claus time rolls around.

In Barrow, the world's largest Eskimo village, Christmas is the third great feast on the Eskimo calendar. The other two are the spring feast of Nalukatak, the celebration of whale catching, and the feast of Thanksgiving.

Last year's Christmas feast, held the afternoon of Christmas Day, after church services, drew some 700 to 750 persons to Utkeagvik Presbyterian Church alone. As the Rev. Edward G. Holborow, interim pastor, describes the feast:

"There was much whale meat and muktuk. There was frozen fish, hot caribou stew with rice and a rice dish with raisins. There were also breads, rolls, cakes, tea, coffee and cocoa for the children."

Each year, the church also has a Christmas party for the young people and many gifts, received from churches throughout the nation, are passed out.

The school, too, has a Christmas party for the youngsters and the children participate with adults of the village in portraying the story of the Nativity, in native Eskimo dress.

Sometimes, Santa Claus, using only Dancer and Prancer—he is close to his North Pole home and there is little need for additional reindeer power—drives his sled in Barrow across the ice of Elson Lagoon.

Christmas in the other Eskimo villages which ring the Arctic Ocean, the Chukchi Sea and the Bering Sea is celebrated in much the same way.

Artificial trees are substituted

for the real item in many areas, of the Arctic, where there are no trees to break the broad expanse of the Northern tundra country.

**ON YUKON DELTA**  
 The Rev. Segundo Llorente, a Jesuit missionary at Alakanuk, near the mouth of the Yukon River on the bleak coast of the Bering Sea, describes a Yukon Delta Christmas this way:

"Yes there is a Santa Claus, of course!"

"In the mission schools as well as in the government schools there is a Christmas program complete with a fat and jolly Santa Claus, who dances and carries a heavy sack of prizes, toys and candy."

"There is also a Christmas tree, either real or artificial. "A Catholic Eskimo will go to any extreme or sacrifice to attend the midnight Mass on Christmas Day, some traveling a good many miles by dogteam. The Protestants would not miss services on Christmas for anything."

"In some villages, after the midnight Mass the men fire volleys with their rifles after wild handshaking and greetings of 'Merry Christmas.'"

In the mission church at St. Mary's devout Eskimos, dressed in traditional church robes, act out the story of the birth of the Savior and celebrate His birth in song and prayer.

In Alaska's metropolitan areas it is in any large American city. Store windows and streets are beautifully decorated and the silver bells of song tinkle merrily away while shoppers hurry along the streets.

**MILITARY MEN 'ADOPT' VILLAGES**  
 To the Indians along the Yukon and the Kuskokwim rivers, Christmas means to many a visit from men of military units stationed in Alaska.

A number of military units have made it a custom, over the years, to adopt a village and, on Christmas and other holidays, share their bounty with the villagers.

Such was the relationship last year between the men of Co. D, First Battle Group, 23rd Infantry, Ft. Richardson, and the people of Quinhagak, on Kuskokwim Bay.

On Nov. 29, a huge Army helicopter set out from Ft. Richardson on a 440-mile flight to Quinhagak. The big whirly bird was loaded with toys, school supplies & other presents for Quinhagak's young people.

Christmas in Alaska, then is a season of happiness and of thankful prayer—celebrated in parkas and mukluks.

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<b>Monday Thru Friday</b> Daytime Viewing 6:00 - Classroom 7:00 - Today Show 8:00 - Capt. Kidd 9:00 - Say When 9:25 - NBC News 9:30 - Play Hunch 10:00 - Price Is Right 10:30 - Concentration 11:00 - 1st Impression 11:20 - T. or C. 11:55 - NBC News 12:00 - News 12:10 - Weather 12:20 - Ruth Brent 12:35 - Burns and Allen 1:00 - Merv Griffin 1:55 - News 2:00 - Loretta Young 2:30 - Dr. Malone 3:00 - Room For Daddy 3:30 - Here's Hollywood 3:55 - NBC News 4:00 - Capt. Kidd 5:30 - Window on World 5:45 - Hunt-Brink.	<b>Monday Thru Friday</b> 9:00 - Early Show 10:30 - J. LaRanne 11:00 - Jane Wyman 11:30 - For A Song 12:00 - Ernie Ford 12:37 - Father Knows Best 1:00 - Texas News 1:10 - Betty Mac Sh 1:30 - Bat Materson 2:00 - Day In Court 2:25 - Mid Day Rept 2:30 - Seven Keys 3:00 - Q. For Day 3:30 - Do U Trust 4:00 - Bandstand 4:30 - Big Show	<b>Monday Thru Friday</b> Daytime Viewing 6:15 - Rural Minister 6:00 - CBS College 6:30 - Happened Last 7:00 - Farm News 7:20 - World of Sports 7:30 - Enco Reporter 7:45 - Freddie 8:00 - Capt. Kangaroo 9:00 - Freddie 9:30 - I Love Lucy 10:00 - The McCoy's 10:30 - Pete & Gladys 11:00 - Love of Life 11:25 - News 11:30 - Pioneers 12:00 - W'ther, News 12:20 - Farm & Ranch 12:30 - The World Turns 1:00 - Passport 1:30 - Art Linkletter 2:00 - Millionaire 2:30 - To Tell Truth 2:55 - CBS News 3:00 - Secret Storm 3:30 - Edge of Night 4:00 - Kids Matinee 5:15 - Superman 5:45 - Cronkite News	<b>Monday Thru Friday</b> Daytime Viewing 7:00 - Today's News 7:05 - Farm Report 7:25 - W'ther w/Bernie 7:30 - Today 8:25 - News, Weather 8:30 - Today 9:00 - Say When 9:25 - News Report 9:30 - Play Hunch 10:00 - Price is Right 10:30 - Concentration 11:00 - 1st Impression 11:30 - Truth, Consequenc 11:55 - News Today 12:00 - Mkts, W'ther 12:15 - Closeup 12:30 - Groucho Marx 1:00 - Merv Griffin 1:55 - News 2:00 - Loretta Young 2:30 - Dr. Malone 3:00 - Room for Daddy 3:30 - Here's Hollywood 4:00 - Child's World 4:30 - Circus boy 5:00 - Comedy Carousel 5:30 - Quick Draw 6:00 - News, W'ther 6:15 - Hunt, Brinkley	<b>Monday Thru Friday</b> Daytime Viewing 6:20 - Sign on 6:25 - Farm Report 6:30 - College of Air 7:00 - Cartoons 8:00 - Capt. Kangaroo 8:45 - Debbie Drake 9:00 - Calendar 9:30 - I Love Lucy 10:00 - The McCoy's 10:30 - Pete & Gladys 11:00 - Love of Life 11:20 - W. Texas News 12:00 - Names in News 12:30 - The World Turns 1:00 - Passport 1:20 - Houseparty 2:00 - The Millionaire 2:30 - To Tell The Tru 2:55 - CBS News 3:00 - Secret Storm 3:30 - Edge of Night 4:00 - Sugarfoot 5:00 - Bowery boys
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## Rites Conducted For Watsons' Kin

Funeral services were conducted for Mrs. Victoria Bates at 2:30 Sunday afternoon in the Assembly of God Church, Cache, Okla. Interment was in Lawton Cemetery.

Attending services were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Watson, Mrs. Chuck Stallings, Leon Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Watson.

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 but in irrigation belt. Off setting  
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 vations indicate that Venus's sur-  
 face temperature may be as high  
 as 575 degrees.

Alexander Graham Bell was a  
 Scotsman who went to Boston to  
 teach and lecture in the Boston  
 Day School for the Deaf.

## Trade at Home For Christmas Too, Writer Says

(Editor's Note: The fol-  
 lowing article appeared in a re-  
 cent issue of the Plainview  
 Herald. It would apply equally  
 as well in Muleshoe; thus it  
 is reproduced in the Journal.)

By **JIM SERVATIUS**  
 Plainview enjoys center posi-  
 tion in a rich and wide trade  
 area in an actual "buying" as  
 well as geographic sense.

During the year farmers and  
 residents from throughout that  
 area come to Plainview to shop.  
 Everyone will agree that's good.  
 But at Christmas time, more than  
 any other time of the year, many  
 local residents go out of town to  
 the larger cities to buy and may-  
 be that's not so good, but every-  
 one won't agree.

We're just giving a personal  
 opinion, of course, and maybe  
 it's going a little strong because  
 we realize there are times when  
 out-of-town buying is necessary  
 —times when something is want-  
 ed or needed that just cannot be  
 purchased in Plainview. But  
 these times, at most, aren't often.

When we shop in Plainview  
 we're doing business with people  
 we know and like.

Repairs and exchanges of mer-  
 chandise if needed, and we have  
 to realize that sometimes they  
 are, are faster and more con-  
 venient when they are made by  
 "the man downtown."

Besides that, purchases locally  
 keep money circulating where it  
 will do the most good for each  
 of us—in our own town.

In a community everyone helps  
 everyone else, whether we re-  
 alize it or not. It's all relative—  
 by helping keep local firms in  
 business, we're not only helping

## Yuletide Customs Different Abroad

There was a time when  
 Christmas was celebrated  
 differently in various parts  
 of the world. However, in  
 this atomic-jet age, dis-  
 tances have shrunk and the  
 symbols of the Yuletide  
 Season have become for the  
 most part, international.

Germany, for example, is  
 credited with establishing  
 the custom of decorating  
 the evergreen tree. St. Nich-  
 olas (Nikolaus) makes his  
 rounds with candy and nuts  
 for the children on Decem-  
 ber 6 with the more per-  
 sonal gifts arriving on  
 Christmas Eve, delivered by  
 his majesty Kriskindl.

England hangs on to her  
 customs, and the small-fry  
 pin their stockings to the  
 fireplace on Christmas Eve  
 much as American young-  
 sters do. Then it is that  
 "Father Christmas" fills  
 them in time-honored tradi-  
 tion.

Mexico focuses its atten-  
 tion on the Christmas sea-  
 son with ten "posadas" co-  
 memorating the Nativity

from December 16 to De-  
 cember 26th. During this  
 period nearly everyone acts  
 out the Nativity scene, or  
 at least sets up a creche in  
 miniature, as well as on a  
 grand scale. On the tenth  
 day, the Christ Child is  
 added.

"Posada" means inn or  
 lodging and carries with it  
 Joseph's request for lodging  
 for himself and Mary. In  
 many regions, an actual  
 procession is enacted—with  
 a "Joseph" and a "Mary"  
 mounted on burros seeking  
 shelter, asking for help  
 through a song entitled  
 "Letania." Despite all this  
 tradition which is clung to,  
 Santa Clans and the U.S.  
 style Christmas tree are  
 fast making inroads on cus-  
 tom.

Holland has a word for it  
 — "Strooivand" — literally  
 meaning "strewn night."  
 Actually, it's sort of a bribe-  
 game the children of the  
 Netherlands play on Decem-  
 ber 5th. They simply place  
 their shoes in front of the

fireplace filling them with  
 hay and carrots for good old  
 St. Nick's horse. It is ex-  
 pected that the old boy will  
 fill the children's shoes with  
 goodies and toys.

Brazil makes the punish-  
 ment fit the crime, so to  
 speak, and Papa Noel makes  
 his Christmas rounds trim-  
 ming the traditional trees  
 with cotton and bits of pop-  
 corn in lieu of the snow they  
 never have in this tropical  
 country. No sleigh-rides  
 here, so the order of the day  
 is picnics and excursions.

Scotland has some unusual  
 delicacies for the holiday  
 season, with New Year's  
 Day the signal for the giv-  
 ing of gifts. Haggis is a fa-  
 vorite dish and this is what  
 it consists of: the heart,  
 liver and lungs of a sheep or  
 a calf, minced with suet,  
 onions, oatmeal and season-  
 ing and boiled in the stom-  
 ach of the animal. New  
 Year's calling is traditional  
 and it is expected that the  
 visitor bring with him a  
 handful of coal

the merchant himself. We're also  
 helping the community that de-  
 pends on the business and the  
 people who are paid by it.

It's been said somewhere down  
 the line that \$1 spent in a com-  
 munity will change hands at  
 least 10 times and make \$30 in  
 profits along the way before it  
 finally comes to rest in savings  
 or eventually goes out of town.

As for general shopping "bar-  
 gains" in larger cities, we often  
 wonder if somewhat lower prices,  
 granted in some cases, really  
 save us money when we consid-

er the expenses of getting to and  
 from the big city—whether it be  
 the gas, the time or the baby-  
 sitter.

**FLYING HOME FOR YULE**  
 Cadet J. S. Smith, son of Mr.  
 and Mrs. John Smith, will be  
 home during the Yule-tide hol-  
 idays Thursday, Sam Damron and  
 Herbert Griffith planned to fly  
 Cherokee today to Roswell to fly  
 Gary home. A student at New  
 Mexico Military Institute, Gary  
 will return to N.M.M.I. January  
 6.

### Midnight Mass, Services Set

The Immaculate Conception of  
 Mary Catholic Church, Muleshoe,  
 will have Christmas Masses Tues-  
 day, December 24, at midnight  
 and 12:15 p.m. on Christmas Day.

In Earth, Christmas Mass will  
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To the modern world there is no mystery about the value of a gift of gold. Yet in ancient times, this precious metal was only possessed by kings and very rich men. Thus, the gift was especially precious — one fit for a King.

The other gifts were rare and precious as well. However in today's world, little

is known of these substances even though they are still in use.

Since St. Matthew says that the Three Wise Men were from the east, it is assumed that the gold they brought with them for the infant Jesus came from the mines of Indian Mysore.

Frankincense, or olibanum, is a resin obtained from the bark of trees which grow on bare rock in the mountains of southern Asia and north-east Africa. Once upon a time it was used as a medicine. Today it is principally used as incense in Catholic

churches, Indian and Chinese temples.

Myrrh is a gum resin also obtained from the bark of trees which grow in Africa and Arabia. Since early times it has been used as a base for perfume and incense — and is still so used commercially today.

Thus it is the same today as it was in Biblical times when gifts of gold or perfume are made to loved ones. The gold perhaps isn't as precious nor as rare as it was when the Three Wise Men travelled to Bethlehem, but the idea behind the gift of gold, as well as perfume based with frankincense or myrrh, is the same.

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## Cotton Research Grants Approved

Research grants to find answers to three key problems of cotton growers were announced today by the Cotton Producers Institute.

Grants are for projects aimed at developing effective systemic insecticides, a way to control verticillium wilt, and a rapid method of measuring fiber strength, according to Roy Forkner of Lubbock, Plainview, Institute trustee in West Texas.

Russell Giffen, Fresno, Calif., cotton grower who is chairman of the Institute's trustees, said direct support of research on cotton is one prong of the Institute's drive to increase markets and profits. It also has a consumer advertising program under way to sell cotton products.

Basic and applied research on systemic insecticides is being done at the University of California, Riverside. Aim is to get facts that will make it possible for an insecticide, placed in the plant's sap stream, to join forces with predatory insects in destroying the insects that attack cotton. The grant is for \$50,000 with matching funds from the University.

The verticillium wilt research will be conducted under a \$10,000 grant to New Mexico State University Agricultural Experiment Station and a \$20,000 grant to New Mexico State University Agricultural Experiment Station. The work is seeking basic information that will lead to a systemic method to control the disease. The cooperating agency will expend \$21,000 on the project.

A \$35,000 grant was made to Stanford Research Institution to design and construct a laboratory prototype of a high-speed, fully mechanized instrument for measuring cotton fiber strength. This is a vital step in determining the spinning and performance value of cotton and in improving the fibers competitive position at the market place.

An Institution agreement with the Board of Directors of the National Cotton Council makes the Council staff available without charge for developing supervising research and promotion projects.

Icelanders enjoy winter swimming in open-air pools fed by hot springs. Icicles often form in a swimmer's hair.

## YOUR HEALTH

### Texas Studies Air Pollution; 'Samplers' Used

AUSTIN — Every 24 hours, as an average man or woman, you inhale 30 to 35 pounds of air. You have no choice of quality. Pure, foul or questionable—you take it as it comes.

In London recently the air was fouled to the point that it killed 165 persons. That tragic incident heightens interest in Texas' own methods of detecting and controlling atmospheric contaminants which might be injurious to public health.

The situation in Texas, when compared to most other states, is far from critical. But State Department of Health engineers feel that Texas' growth within recent years is a valid reason for staying alert.

Twenty air sampling stations now operate on a regular schedule across the state. Nine of them are part of a gigantic coast-to-coast network designed to measure the type and extent of air pollution in American cities and towns. The other 11 stations com-

prise a separate state network.

The stations work like this: Each is equipped with a small device resembling a vacuum cleaner. It draws great quantities of air through a special glass fiber filter which can be easily removed for analysis.

As air rushes through the filter, tiny particles of atmospheric matter adhere to it. After a specified period of operation, filter contents are analyzed.

By keeping a running record of what is being trapped by the air samplers, it is possible to keep both state and local officials informed so as to give them a clear picture of air pollution at collection points in their areas. In this way, conditions can be population densities, and industrial development.

Sampling stations are also capable of detecting radioactive fallout. "Fallout!" is the name given earth, building materials, rocks — atomized and made radioactive by nuclear explosions and sucked skyward by updrafts. The particles eventually settle back to earth as "fallout," sometimes after travelling great distances at tremendous heights.

Texas air sampling stations also provide valuable information on background radiation to which the whole earth is constantly subjected. Normal background radiation must be known before in-

creases in radioactivity can be recognized.

But the stations serve primarily as indicators of man-made pollution against which controls will continue to be applied.

(From the Division of Public Health Education, Texas State Department of Health.)

John Law's scheme for exploiting the resources of French Louisiana was known as the Mississippi Bubble.

Between 40 and 50 per cent of America's farmers produce less than \$1,000 worth of food each year.



## Panel Features Lazbuddie FHA

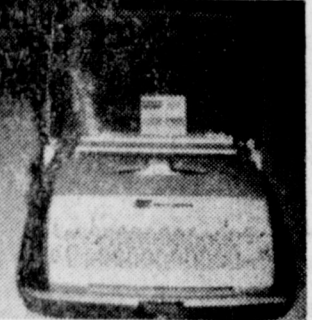
The Lazbuddie Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America held their monthly meeting recently when Mrs. L.M. Smith and Mrs. Leon Smith Sr. were guests on a panel discussion of "Family Relations," the theme of the December program.

Peterson asked questions, and later, club members also asked questions. After the discussion, gifts were presented both Mrs.

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The regular meeting then followed. One of the highlights of the meeting was the discussion of the project for December, aiding a needy family in the community.

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# Christmas Challenge

As we come to this season of the year our thoughts turn toward the "spirit of Christmas"? What do we mean by the "spirit of Christmas"? It seems to mean all things to all people. How quickly we accept the Christ Child and forget the Christmas. As we go about in the fast moving pace of the holidays, let us examine ourselves more closely about the "spirit of Christmas."

Each year we hear the carols as they are sung about joy, cheer, love and peace. As we hear these words and look toward our own Christian life, how do they differ?

The greatest hope of the world

is said to be the hope of peace. The realization of this hope does not lie in arms or in might or political scheming; but in the Christ Child, Jesus the man. The poet expressed it well in these words:

Come, rest you merry, o my friends,  
When dawns the Christmas Day!  
Our storm-tossed world needs joy and cheer!  
Let us in glad array,  
Proclaim our faith that in the Christ Child  
Who lay on Mary's knee  
Rests all the hope for this our age  
And ones yet to be!

Contributed by Tommy Gleaton  
Progress Methodist Church

Chilling combed mush for breakfast "scramble?" Mold it in a small loaf pan, but be sure to rinse the pan with cold water before pouring in the mush.

# Sentimental Bit About A Father and His Son

Parents, who remember an article "The Shrine of Sleeping Childhood" from its frequent appearance in The Herald, have invited it to the attention of their children, now parents, as little ones arrive in the new homes. It was first printed in The Herald about thirty years ago, used several times and was last printed March 3, 1959. It is worth preserving and passing along.



### LISTEN SON:

AM saying this to you as you lie asleep, one little paw rumped under your cheek and the blond curls sticky wet on your damp forehead. I have stolen into your room alone. Just a few minutes ago, as I sat reading my paper in the library, a hot, stifling wave of remorse swept over me. I could not resist it. Guiltily I came to your bedside.

"These are the things I was thinking son: I had been cross to you. I scolded you as you were dressing for school because you gave your face merely a dab with a towel. I took you to task for not cleaning your shoes. I called out angrily when I found you had thrown some of your things on the floor.

"At breakfast I found fault, too. You spilt things. You gulped down your food. You put your elbows on the table. You spread butter too thick on your bread. And as you started off to play and I made ready for my train, you turned and waved a little hand and called, 'Good-by, Daddy!' and I frowned and said in reply, 'Hold your shoulders back.'

"Then it began all over again in the late afternoon. As I came up the hill road I spied you down on your knees laying marbles. There were holes in your stockings. I humiliated you before your

boy friends by making you march ahead of me back to the house. Stockings were expensive—and if you had to buy them you would be more careful! Imagine that, son, from a father! It was such stupid, silly logic.

### THE GOOD-NIGHT KISS

"Do you remember, later, when I was reading in the library, how you came in, softly, timidly, with a sort of hurt, hunted look in your eyes? When I glanced up over my paper, impatient at the interruption, you hesitated at the door. What is it you want? I snapped.

"You said nothing, but ran across, in one tempestuous plunge, and threw your arms around my neck and kissed me, again and again, and your small arms tightened with an affection that God had set blooming in your heart and which even neglect could not wither. And then you were gone, pattering up the stairs.

"Well, son, it was shortly afterward that my paper slipped from my hands and a terrible sickening fear came over me. Suddenly I saw myself as I really was, in all my horrible selfishness, and I felt sick at heart.

"What has habit been doing to me? The habit of complaining, of finding fault, of reprimanding—all of these were my rewards to you for being a boy. It was not that I did not love you; it was that I expected so much of youth. I was measuring you by the yardstick of my own years.

"And there was so much that was good, and fine, and true in your character. You did not deserve my treatment of you, son. The little heart of you was as big as the dawn itself over the wide hills. All this was shown by your spontaneous impulse to rush in and kiss me good night. Nothing else matters tonight, son. I have come to your bedside in the darkness, and I have knelt there, 'holding with emotion, and so ashamed! It is a feeble atonement. I know you would not understand these things if I told them to you during your waking hours, yet I must say what I am saying. I must burn sacrificial fires, alone, here in your bedroom, and make free confession. And I have prayed God to strengthen me in my new resolve. Tomorrow I will be a real daddy! I will chum with you, and suffer when you suffer and laugh when you laugh. I will bite my tongue when impatient words come. I will keep saying as if it were a ritual: 'He is nothing but a boy—a little boy!'

"I am afraid I have visualized you as a man. Yet as I see you now, son, crumpled and weary in

your cot, I see that you are still a baby. Yesterday you were in your mother's arms, your head on her shoulder. I have asked too much, too much.

"Dear boy! Dear little son! A penitent kneels at your infant shrine, here in the moonlight. I kiss the little fingers, and I damp forehead, and the yellow curl.

"Tears came, and heartache and remorse, and also a greater, deeper love, when you ran through the library door and wanted to kiss me!"

### THE SHRINE OF SLEEPING CHILDHOOD

I do not know of a better shrine before which a father or mother may kneel or stand than that of a sleeping child. I do not know of a holier place, a temple where one is more likely to come into closer touch with all that is infinitely good, where one may come nearer to seeing and feeling God. From that shrine come matins of love and laughter, trust and cheer to bless the new day; and before that shrine should fall our soft vespers, our grateful benedictions for the night. At the cot of a sleeping babe all man-made ranks and inequalities are ironed out, and all mankind kneels reverently before the living image of the Creator. To understand a child, to go back and grow up sympathetically with it, to hold its love and confidences, to be accepted by it, without fear or restraint, as a companion and playmate, is just about the greatest good fortune that can come to any man or woman in this world—and, perhaps, in any other world, for all we know.

And I am passing this "confession" along to the fathers who may be privileged to read it, and for the benefit of the "little fellows"—the growing, earth-blessing little "Jimmies" and "Billies" and "Marys" and "Janes" of this very good world of ours.

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# Joy and Reverence Mark Holy Season

Candlelight and music, pagans and prayers fill churches everywhere as Christians celebrate, at special services, the birth of Christ. The joy and wonder of Christmas, with its message of new life, hope and promise of "Peace on Earth, Good Will toward Men," find expression many ways.

In choirs singing the praise of the Babe of Bethlehem, in scenes symbolizing the birth of a Child in a manger, in the gleam of candles reflecting the light of a Star, in the sound of voices raised in carols gathered from around the world and showing the true brother-hood of man, Christmas in all its beauty and glory goes out to hearts young and old.

### "CHRISTES MASSE"

To Western Christian believers, December 25 carries all the deep religious meaning appropriate to the anniversary of the birth of Christ. As the date for the celebration of "Christes Masse," the Mass of Christ, it was selected some centuries after the Nativity—selected from a number of possible dates, among them January 6, March 21, March 29, April 9, May 20, September 29 and November 17.

In some Eastern Orthodox churches, Holy Night comes on January 6, Christmas Day on January 7. The Armenian church celebrates Christmas on January 19. Generally, researchers are agreed that the correct date and year of Christ's birth are lost in the past, although some tentative conclusions can be drawn. Since it is the meaning of the day that counts, the date that has for centuries symbolized the coming of the Saviour will undoubtedly continue its holy significance in Christendom.

To those who like to ponder on the world as it was when the Infant Jesus was born, and on the growth of Christianity, some delving into the researches about

Christmas can be a rewarding experience. Any tendency to take Christmas for granted disappears in the fascinating study of the early Christian church and its growth in the face of resistance.

A comparison of Biblical references with archaeological and that Christ was probably born before 4 B.C. — in other words, the present year is not 1962 of the Christian era but at least 1966.

Evidence to support this relates to the reign and death of Herod. An eclipse of the moon in 4 B.C., which coincided with a Jewish religious festival, has helped historians to fix the death of Herod at about this time — and when he died, according to the New Testament, the young Jesus, Joseph and Mary were living in Egypt.

### Date For Taxes

That the birth of Christ may have occurred as early as 7 B.C. is deduced from archaeological discoveries indicating that one of three major tax collections in the reign of Augustus Caesar may have taken place then.

Selection of December 25 as

# Christmas Cards More Religious

Greeting cards for Christmas show, each season, an increase in the number of religious subjects — but this has not always been true. In fact, the earliest Christmas cards often had designs that seemed to have no connection with the holiday.

Instead of Nativity scenes or symbols of holly and mistletoe, early American Christmas cards of the 19th century were decorated with roses and portraits of young ladies, according to The Encyclopedia Americana. Often, plump robins were pictured sitting on tree branches dripping with icicles.

In this early stage pin-up girls were not unusual. Kate Greenaway drawings were frequently used, some cards picturing single figures from her drawings, others portraying dancing girls with garlands of flowers.

About 1870, cards were frosted and fringed with heavy silk.

The birth date of Christ may have been an effort on the part of early Christian leaders to counteract the pagan appeal of the Roman Saturnalia, a festival held at the turning of the year.

**Silent Night**

May all be calm and bright for you and your loved ones... now, at this happy time of Christmas!

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## Christmas Story Borrows Legends From Ancients

In establishing the date by which Christmas is celebrated commemorating the birth of Christ, it is interesting to note that Christendom did not begin its calendar computations until almost 550 years after the birth of Christ.

Much of the Christmas story is still unknown and untold; but legend and story has traced its history since the beginning when Christ preached among the people, "Love thy neighbor as thyself."

Christ was thirty years of age when the people of His time recognized Him as the Messiah of God. In face of the shepherds and Three Wise Men, it wasn't until the Holy Spirit descended upon Him at the baptism in the Jordan that His teachings were accepted by the Christian world.

Strangely enough, many influences have had their effect on the festival of Christmas as it is practiced today, and none of them "Christian" in the true sense of the word. Yet, with them lies the true, romantic, rich beginnings of the Christmas Story.

History tells us that from every epoch of history, from the old, old Babylonian Festivals, to the Druid Mysteries, from the Roman Saturnalia, to the Egyptian Midwinter Festival of Foods and finally to Christ Himself, has come segments of the whole of the Christmas Story.

But there is more to the Christmas Story. Much of what the Christian world in this twentieth century observes, stems from a time long years and even centuries before Christ.

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## Times Have Changed But Shepherds Still Watch Over Sheep at Night

Sheep and shepherding are closely linked with the Christmas story, and they also serve as a symbol of the kindness and loving care that was part of Christ's message to mankind.

When darkness falls on Christ watching his flocks by night and, probably, looking at the stars in the heavens, just as the shepherds of old did.

For instance, the shepherd on the Western ranges of the U.S. has changed the shepherd's robes for levis, and the flocks he watches are much larger, numbering sheep by the thousands. But herd, guard, lead, says a die-d.

Sheep still must be watched by night, because, for some reason known only to the sheep, night is the time they are most likely to decide to roam to faraway places. In sudden storms, the shepherd, his horse and dog must guide the flock to shelter.

The ailing sheep or the new-born lamb are sure of the herder's gentle care, and when part

of the flock has strayed, he searches with a diligence that recalls the parable of Jesus:

"What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he loses one of them, doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness, and go after that which is lost, until he finds it?" (Luke 15:4)

### Here's Legend About Tinsel

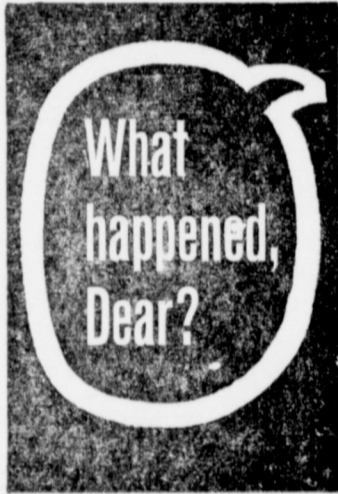
Tinsel on the Christmas tree began, so legend says, when spiders covered with webs a tree that had been decorated by a mother for her many children.

To reward the woman for her goodness to her children, the Christ Child changed the spider webs to gleaming silver.

There are 79 different varieties of bananas.

The strait connecting the upper and lower New York bays is called the Narrows.

The first Olympic Game recorded occurred in 766 B.C. in Greece.



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## Christmas Card Traced to 1843

"Who sent the first Christmas card? is a question for which, it seems likely, a completely accurate and satisfactory answer may never be found. Probably, the earliest cards were 'do-it-yourself' project — Handwritten holiday greetings on hand-decorated nctpaper. Popular claimant for first Christmas card honors Cole-Horsley card, designed in Britain in 1843 by John Calcott Horsley, an artist, for Sir Henry Cole, director of the Victorian and Albert Museum.

Since the card showed a family group toasting the holiday with glasses of wine, the card supposedly stirred criticism by temperance adherents — even though the card also depicted clothing the needy and 'feeding the hungry.' However, another story has it that Sir Henry gained his knighthood as the result of the acclaim he received for sending the first Christmas card.

After the United States purchased the Danish West Indies in 1917, the name was changed to Virgin Islands.

John Law's scheme for exploiting the resources of French Louisiana was known as the Mississippi Bubble.

HMS "Victory", Lord Nelson's ship is in dry dock at Portsmouth, England, and can be inspected daily til sundown.

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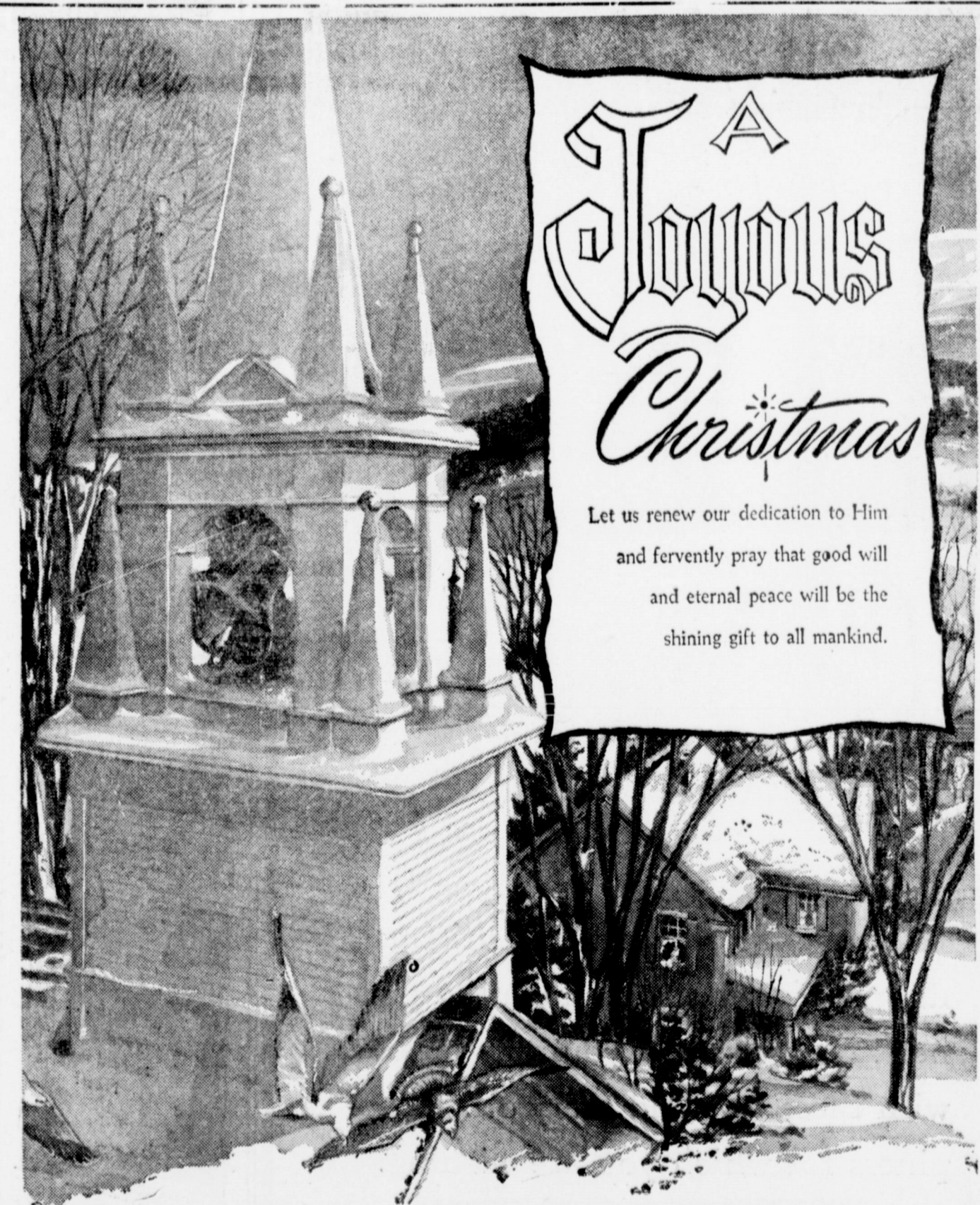
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# Beasts and Birds Share in Yule Legends

In the lore and legends of Christmas, the beasts of the fields and the birds of the air play their part and appropriately so, for the oldest and holiest Christmas story of all tells of shepherds with their flocks—shepherds who went to seek and find a Holy Babe lying in a manger.

Animals of the manger in the time of Christ were likely to be the sheep and goats, cattle, horses, donkeys and pigs. All of these figure in Yuletide songs and stories—even the pig, who has held the place of honor at many a Christmas feast.

Telling of the First Christmas Eve, the famous carol, 'Away in a Manger,' says, 'The cattle were lowing,' and religious paintings through the ages have depicted both the cattle and the other animals in the manger, as well as the flocks of the shepherds.

In Scandinavian countries people place sheaves of grain and bits of suet on trees and rooftops, so birds can feast.

Because an ancient tradition holds that animals helped to spread the glad tidings of the birth of Christ, barnyard animals in

many countries are still served a special supper on Christmas Eve.

An old German legend has it that cattle kneel in their stalls at midnight on Christmas Eve. Then, for a moment, they have the power of speech.

Other legends broaden this to include all animals.

On the first Christmas, says a Spanish legend, a cow in the manger breathed on the Baby

Jesus to warm him.

Early French-Canadian settlers in Quebec bewildered the Huron Indians by their strange—to the Indians—preparations for the celebration of Christmas. As a result, many legends about the Day developed among the Indians.

On Christmas Eve, the Indians believed, the deer knelt to the 'Great Spirit.' In the hope of seeing this wondrous sight, the Hurons would hide in the cold winter night of the forests for hours.

## Evergreen Still Favorite Tree

Nowadays Christmas trees are made out of almost everything, from aluminum to plastic—but the world's favorite Christmas tree is still the evergreen.

Many legends explain how the evergreen became associated with Christianity and Christmas. One is the story of St. Wilfred, according to The Book of Knowledge.

Speaking to a group of converts, the saint sought to illustrate how they had broken away from the heathen worship of the Druids.

He chopped down a giant tree—an oak, since this kind of tree was one of the chief objects of Druid worship. As it fell with a crash, it split into four pieces. From the center a young fir tree sprouted.

St. Wilfred told the converts that the fir should from then on serve as their 'holy tree.'

'It is the sign of an endless life,' he said, 'for all its leaves are evergreen, and it points toward heaven.'

'It is the wood of peace, for all of your houses are built of the fir. Let this be called the tree of the Christ Child; gather about it, not in the wildwood, but in your homes.'

## Dowries Filled Early Stockings

St. Nicholas, the early bishop who was the first Santa Claus, is also credited with originating the custom of hanging up Christmas stockings.

According to legend, he wished to provide dowries for the three daughters of a bankrupt merchant. Since he wanted the gifts to be anonymous, he tossed bags of gold down the merchant's chimney. Accidentally, the gold fell into stockings the girls had hung by the fireplace to dry.

Factual handicap is that, though St. Nicholas lived in the fourth century, stockings weren't made with feet until the 11th century but the Christmas stocking story is still a happy legend.

## Yuletide Spirit Lasts All Year

Nearly every community has its special way of observing Christmas—and in some towns and cities, the spirit of Christmas prevails, literally, the year around.

In Waterbury, Conn., an all-year reminder of the first Noel is the re-creation of the Town of Bethlehem on nearby Pine Hill.

This non-sectarian 'Bethlehem' was constructed to scale after research and study of photos showing the Biblical country. The cave or manger where Christ was born, inns like the one where there was no room, and the Roman legion where the tax collector decreed by Augustus Caesar was to be paid are among the buildings represented.

'Poetic license' has been used to include some buildings which were not, or may not have been, located in Bethlehem, such as 'David's Home' and Herod's Grand Palace.

Crowned by a Cross, Pine Hill has proved an ideal location for the project, since its shape is similar to the limestone cliff where Bethlehem in Judea was built.

OTHER 'Bethlehems' Well-known 'Bethlehems' in the United States include Bethlehem, Pa., and Bethlehem, Ind.

The Pennsylvania Bethlehem emphasizes the religious meaning of Christmas during its annual celebration. A star erected on a nearby mountain top is lighted throughout the holiday season.

**STAR IS BEACON** Near Palmer Lake, Colo., an electrically lighted star on a mountain top is a Christmas-season beacon for motorists on highways many miles away.

**LIGHTING DISPLAYS** Beautiful lighting displays for Christmas are famous in many U. S. cities.

In Altadena, a suburb of Pasadena, Calif., a mile-long avenue bordered by cedar cedars becomes 'Christmas Tree Lane' at the holiday season. The cedars are illuminated by thousands of multi-colored bulbs for the annual spectacle.

Colored lights outline the buildings of the Country Club Plaza district in Kansas City, Mo., at Christmas time.

Denver, Colo., illuminates its civic center during the holidays with many thousands of lights.

**YULE TOWNS** Yule-named towns have a special interest in Christmas, Arizona, Florida and Kentucky actually have towns named 'Christmas.' Then there are Christmas Cove, Me.; Nazareth, Pa.; Bright

Star, Holly Grove and Holly Springs, Ark.; as well as Noel, Mo.; Noel, Va.; Mistletoe, Ky.; Claus Ind.

**YULE SERENADE** Serenading their neighbors with carols is a community enterprise in St. Louis, Mo. More than 50,000 carolers participate, under the guidance of the St. Louis Christmas Carols association, established half a century ago. Voluntary contributions to the carolers are used to help handicapped and underprivileged children.

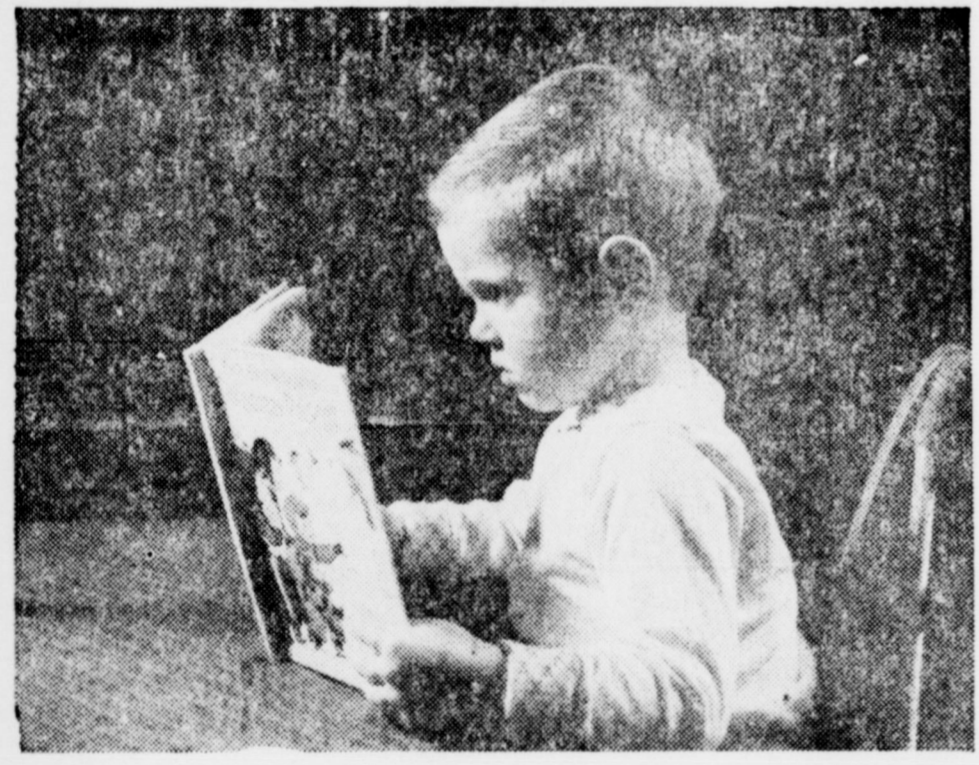
Nevada is the driest and least populated state in the U. S.



*Blessings at Christmas*

*All of us wish all of you good health, good cheer and a very happy holiday.*

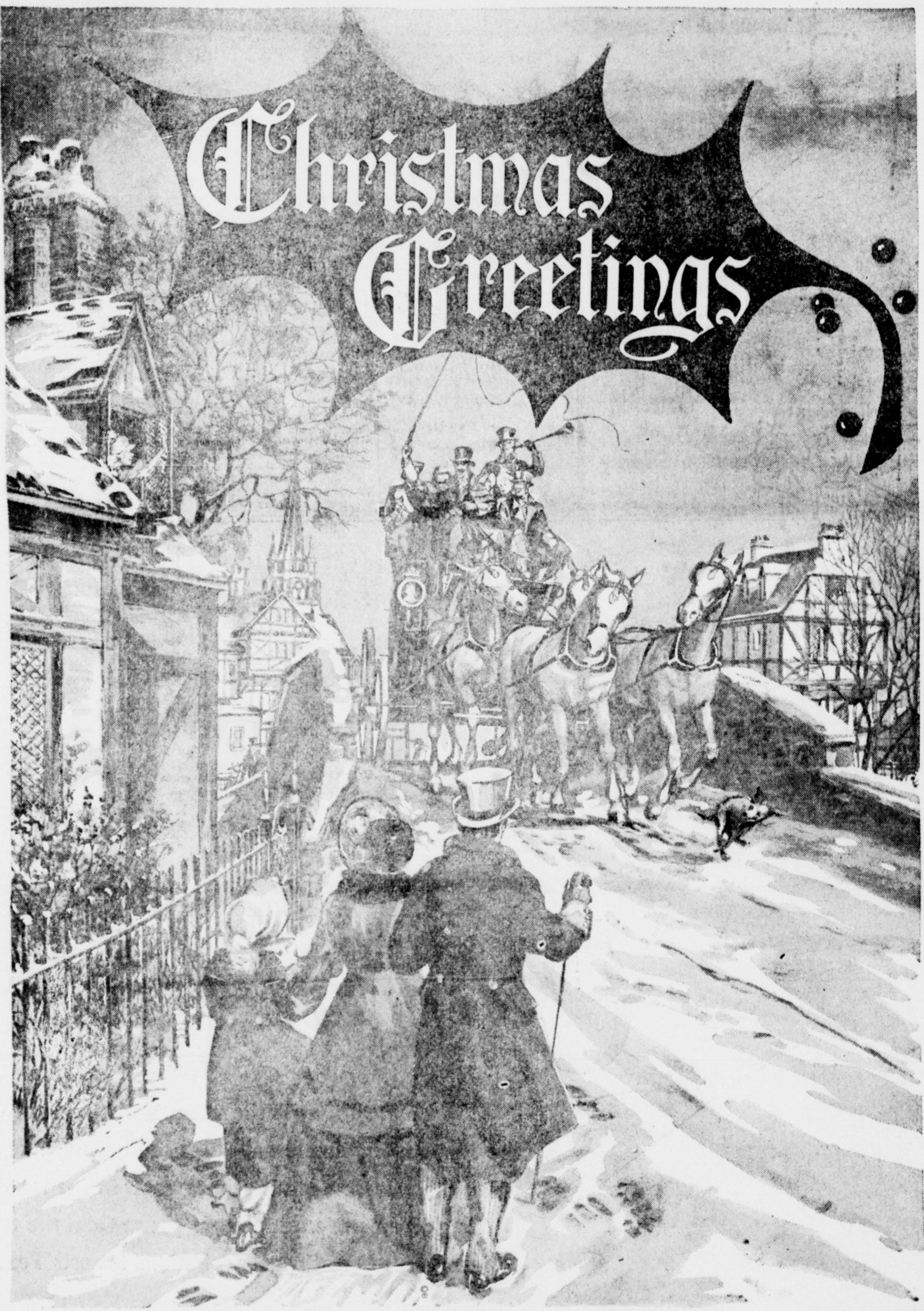
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# Christmas Prayer

Almighty God, Who hast given us Thy only-begotten Son to take our nature upon Him, and as at this time to be born of a pure virgin; Grant that we being regenerate, and made Thy Children by adoption and grace, may daily be renewed by Thy Holy Spirit; through the same our Lord Jesus Christ, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the same Spirit ever, one God, world without end. Amen.

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**Peace Be With You**

We're sending you this message with all best wishes for the Holiday.

**MAY YOURS BE A MERRY CHRISTMAS!**

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### World Customs for Christmas

As the world grows smaller, Christmas observances in different countries grow more similar. Santa Claus in red suit and white beard drives his reindeer-drawn sleigh to North, Central and South America and to many other countries as well.

In fact, when the first explorer lands on Mars, he shouldn't be too surprised to discover that Santa, and even Rudolph, got there first.

Sharing of Christmas customs, however, only serves to point up the fact that this is a holiday for everyone, and a holiday which draws ideas from all lands and times, uniting them in both religious and secular observances of the season.

**IN MEXICO**  
Celebrating the posada is a Mexican custom focused on the Nativity.

"Posada" means "lodging" or "inn" and for the nine "posada" days from December 16 to 25, churches, hotels, social groups and families throughout Mexico act out the story of the Nativity.

A procession of pilgrims comes to the place where the celebra-

tion is scheduled. They carry clay figures of Mary and Joseph, and they seek shelter from the "innkeepers" within.

At first the innkeepers refuse, then they admit the pilgrims to feast and rejoice. Figures representing Mary and Joseph are placed in a replica of the manger. On Christmas Eve, the figure representing Jesus is added.

**IN HOLLAND**  
Gifting season in Holland traditionally begins on December 5 and is called "Strooivand" or "strewing night." Children place their shoes by the fireplace, fill ed with carrots and hay for St. Nicholas' horse — in the expectation that on the morning the shoes will contain candy, fruits and toys.

**IN SCOTLAND**  
Christmas feast favorites in Scotland include shortbread, a rich cake or cookie, and haggis, a kind of pudding. New Year's Eve, or Hogmanay, is the principal day for gifts and greetings when children go singing from house to house in hopes of a treat. New Year's visits are paid — and it's customary for the visitor to bring along a pocketful of coal.

**IN PORTUGAL**  
Christmas is the occasion for a family celebration among the Portuguese. Families gather on Christmas Eve for dinner at the home of the oldest living relative. After the children have gone to bed, a crib or crèche is placed before the fireplace, and around it are grouped the children's shoes, which serve the same function as Christmas stockings.

**IN BRAZIL**  
Papa Noel makes the Christmas Eve rounds in Brazil in a reindeer-drawn sleigh. He trims the trees with popcorn and bits of cotton — to make up for the snow that never falls. Since Christmas weather in Brazil is excursions are part of the celebration.

**IN GERMANY**  
Many modern Christmas customs came from Germany, including the fabled evergreen tree. Appropriately, gift-giving season in West Germany today starts after Christmas houses are distributed on December 1.

### Santa's Shop -- At Northpole

Thousands of children actually get to see Santa at work every year. And they don't even travel to the North Pole!

The lucky youngsters are visitors to two "outposts" of Santa's workshop, located in Wilmington, N.Y., and Torrington, Conn. In either location, visitors may view Santa and his helpers as they make toys and other gifts.

"Santa's Workshop" or "North Pole," on the side of Whiteface Mountain at Wilmington, opens in June and continues operations until November. Fifth reindeer are among the live animals present in the village.

"Santa's Workshop" is open or two weeks before Christmas. Here, elves help Santa, and reindeer-replicas include the red nosed Rudolph.

In both villages the religious meaning of Christmas is well remembered and represented, with beautiful Nativity scenes illuminated by a lighted star.

**WHERE "XMAS" BEGAN**  
The "X" before mas is considered poor usage; an abbreviation for Christmas, was often used as a holy symbol in the early Christian church. "X" in Greek, is the first letter of Christ's name.

### Not Only Gold, but Frankincense, Myrrh Were Precious Gifts, Too

"And when they had opened their treasures, they presented unto Him gifts; gold, and frankincense, and myrrh."

Thus St. Matthew describes the first Christmas gifts of all, brought to the Christ Child by "Wise men from the East." Each of the gifts was rare and, especially in Biblical times, truly a treasure.

Among the gifts, the value and beauty of gold is most readily apparent to modern readers. Then, however, its worth was even greater, for it was still more rare and precious than it is today. Archaeological digging at an ancient Troy, Crete and Egypt have revealed that articles of gold were usually royal treasures.

Since St. Matthew says the Wise men were from the East, their gold may have come from the mines of India, Mysore, Frankincense and myrrh, which are familiar today, have modern uses.

Frankincense, or "Olibanum" is a gum resin which flows from a tree growing on bare rocks in the mountains of southern Asia and northeastern Africa. It was

formerly used in medicine but is now chiefly employed as incense in Catholic churches and Indian and Chinese temples.

Myrrh is the popular name for a gum resin obtained from a small gray-barked tree which grows in Arabia and adjacent Africa. From earliest times it has been used for making incense and other perfumes. The Encyclopedia Americana says:

### Sea Inspires Yule Custom

Ships arrive on Christmas morning, carrying Jesus, Mary and Joseph, says the English adage, "I Saw Three Ships Come a-bling." This is one of many legends developed by seafaring peoples to connect Christmas and ships.

Stories of the first St. Nicholas were carried from Asia Minor to northern Europe by sailors, and children in Holland long believed that St. Nicholas arrived by ship from Spain. In Greece, St. Basil comes on January 1 to deliver gifts, and he too is transported by ship.

### First Nativity Scene Dates to 1223

Re-creating the Nativity Scene at Christmas, with Mary, Joseph, the Infant Jesus and the animals of the manger, originated, many scholars believe, with St. Francis of Greccio, Italy.

Wishing to dramatize the birth of Christ for his parishioners, St. Francis and his helpers set up a realistic representation of the manger scene.

### WRITING CAROLS

Men from many walks of life have contributed to the Christmas chorus or carols. Francis Scott Key was not only a lawyer and the author of the Star Spangled Banner; he also wrote carols. And the comedian, Harpo Marx, authored a carol now sung in many churches, "Guardian Angels."



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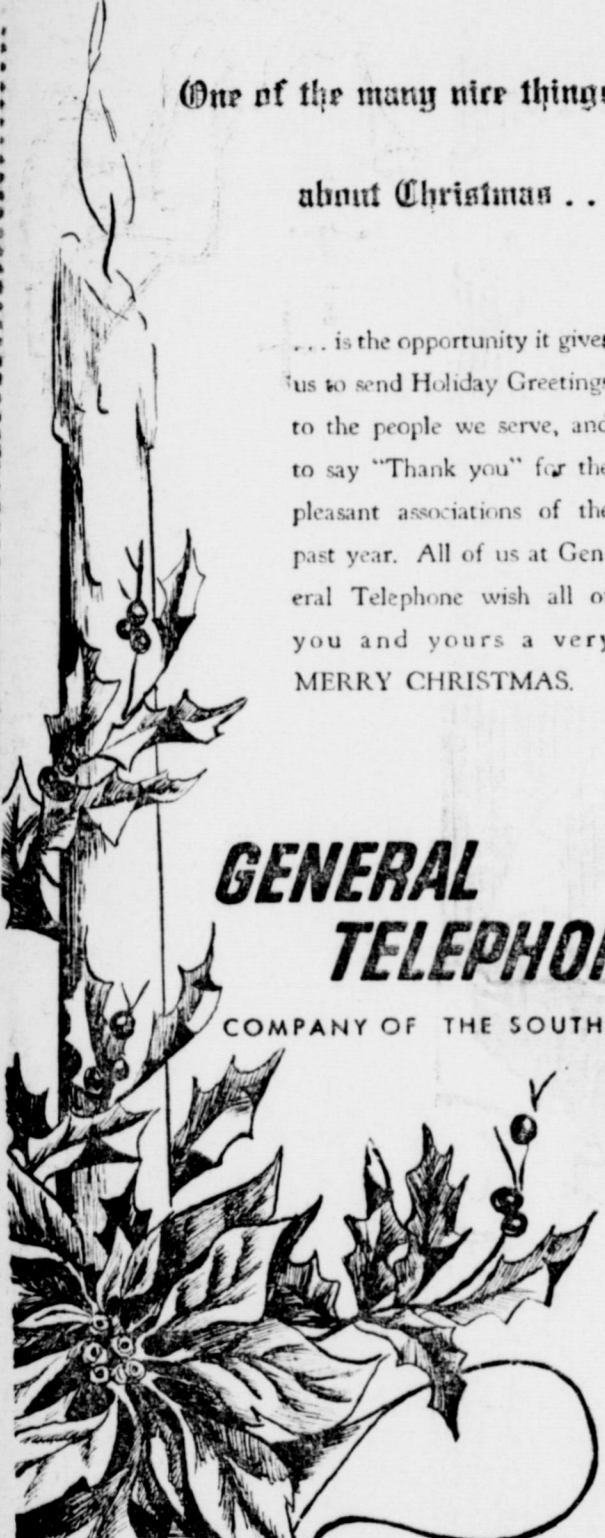
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**SHOE TREATS**  
Spanish children, at Epiphany expect the Three Kings to bring them gifts, and they set out shoes filled with straw or grain for the horses the Kings ride.

**FROM QUEBEC?**  
"Angels We Have Heard on High" is a French carol, although some sources say that it originated not in France but in Quebec, Canada.

**Kisses Numbered By Mistletoe Berries**

Mistletoe figures in many legends from pre-Christian times. Druid tree-worshippers believed it had magical powers of healing. Romans thought that enemies who met beneath the mistletoe must kiss and declare a day's truce.  
Today, kissing beneath the mistletoe remains a happy holiday custom. Correct procedure is that a berry must be removed for every kiss taken, and when all the berries are gone, there are no more kisses available.

**Greetings**

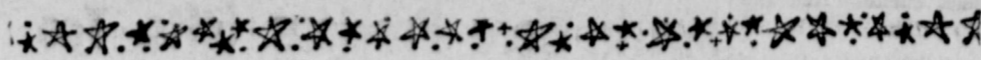
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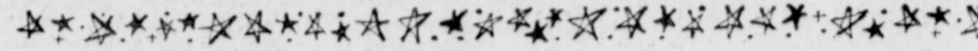
**Italy's Santa**

Santa Claus is gaining favor with Italian children, but the trisouth of Rome, is Befana. Usually represented as a gray-haired witch who rides a broomstick, she brings toys for good children, but a stocking full of coals or ashes for naughty ones.  
Legends say, variously, that she misdirected the Magi or that she refused shelter to the Holy world on Christmas Eve, seeking the Christ Child and doing good to children.



**"and on earth peace, good will toward men"**

**"Let us pray that strength and courage abundant be given to all who work for a world of reason and understanding — that the good that lies in every man's heart may day by day be magnified — that men will come to see more clearly not that which divides them, but that which unites them — that each hour may bring us closer to final victory, not of nation over nation, but of man over his own evils and weaknesses — that the true Spirit of this Christmas Season, its joys, its beauty, its hope, and above all its abiding faith, may live among us — that the blessings of peace be ours, the peace to build and grow, to live in harmony and sympathy with others, and to plan for the future with confidence"**



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SEASON'S GREETINGS

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**Today's Meditation**

**HAPPY NEW YEAR**  
Somewhere in the dark of night a Tower Clock - A clock for all clocks and time peals forth with twelve sonorous chimes. — 1963 is here. — As if it were a signal eagerly awaited bells, horns, fire works, shouts of sirens give forth with exuberance, "Happy New Year! Happy New Year!"  
However, is 1963 truly a New Year? Can it be called a "New" Year when the same joys, sins, worries, and sorrows of 1962 are carried over the threshold from December 31 to January 1. If the person makes no change, anything basic actually changed? When does a "New" Year actually begin? Just because the calendar changes, No.  
When one truly repents and receives the Lord Jesus Christ as personal Savior does a brand New Year begin. Thus a New Year may have its beginning at any time.  
Let this "New" Year 1963 be a real "New" Year. Forget not the Lord Jesus Christ and the ageless truth of new Life that comes from Him. Happy New Year.  
Rev. J. Frank Perry, First Methodist Church, pastor

**Little Known About Wise Men**

Many legends have developed around the visit of the three wise men to adore the Infant Jesus. Even their number is legendary. St. Matthew, the only book in the New Testament that refers to the visit, reports that wise men came from the east, without stating how many there were. It was not until later, in a legend which can be traced back to the second century, that they were called "kings," according to The Encyclopedia Americana.  
In even later times, they were distinguished as Melchior, Gaspar or Caspar, and Balhasar.  
The magi originally stood for the priestly caste of the ancient Persian Zoroastrian religion. As the religion moved westward, it came in contact with Babylonian beliefs and practices and derived a strong interest in astrology, geomancy and magic.  
By the time it reached the Graeco-Roman world, it was practically identical in the popular view, with astrology and magic. This explains the use of the term "wise men" by St. Matthew, since they were astrologers.

**'Night Before' Pastor's Song**

"Up on the Housetops" is a happy Christmas song written by a happy Christmas song written by an Ohio pastor, Benjamin Hanby, in 1891.  
Believing that music was a part of religion, he held weekly songfests for children in New Paris, Ohio. Since he was short of money, when the children needed a new song, he wrote it himself.

The song, which tells the joys of going "up on the housetops" and "down through the chimney with good Saint Nick" to the "click, click, click" of reindeer hooves, gained early popularity. Its origin, however, was lost when the Chicago publishing house of Franz burned. Credit for the authorship was not restored until after Hanby's death.

**Manger Once Pagan Site**

Gathered in the Church of the Nativity, thousands of Christians from around the world will worship in Bethlehem this Christmas. A highlight of their pilgrimage is, for most, a visit to the Grotto of the Nativity — traditionally, at least, the manger where Christ was born.  
Opposition to Christianity in the first years of the new religion actually led to the preservation of the manger — an improvised stable in a cave hewn out of rock, near the center of the hill town of Bethlehem.  
The Roman emperor Hadrian, who ruled from 117 to 138 A.D., sought to halt the fast spread of Christianity, and he had the cave converted to a gratto for the worship of the pagan god Apollo. The very fact that the cave was marked, though for pagan purposes, helped to preserve knowledge of the site of the Nativity.  
Later a silver star was set in the stone floor of the cave, and since 1873 each regime to rule Bethlehem — now a part of Jordan — has posted night and day guard over the star.

Alfonso X, Spanish king of Castile and Leon from 1252 - 84, was known as Alfonso the Wise. He was credited with promoting the cultural life of his time.

The United States consumes about 16 pounds of coffee per person per year as compared to six pounds in coffee-producing Brazil.  
The Mekong River splits into three great arms in South Viet Nam to form a delta that is one of the world's foremost rice-producing regions.

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**Dickens' Christmas Carol Still Among World's Most Popular Yarns**

"A Christmas Carol in Prose, Being a Ghost Story of Christmas" was first published at Christmas 1843, and since that time its popularity has never waned.

Generation after generation has laughed and cried over the story of the miserly Scrooge, who through the revelations of three spirits—Christmas Past, Present and Yet to Come—became a man who "knew how to keep Christmas well, if any man alive possessed the knowledge."

Charles Dickens, creator of the "Carol," loved it as well or perhaps even better than it's many readers did. He told of crying and laughing again and again as, captivated by his story, he wrote the 30,000-word book in six weeks.

When Dickens gave readings from his works in England and America, the story of Scrooge was always the prime favorite with his audiences.

Perhaps the best known part of the story is Christmas dinner at the Cratchits, where Scrooge

**Caprock Tourney Carol Singing Sources Traced**

LUBBOCK — The fourth annual Caprock Holiday basketball tournament will open at the Lubbock Municipal Coliseum on December 26 for a four-day-and-night contest among South Plains area teams.

Teams participating in the 3-A and 4-A division are Monterey of Lubbock, Lubbock High, Lamesa, Vernon, Midland, San Angelo, Seminole and Snyder. Those participating from 1-A and 2-A schools are McAdoo, Lockney, City, Floydada, O'Donnell and Tahoka.

There will be a total of 20 games with trophies going to the champion and runner-up in each division. Trophies will also be awarded to the consolation winner in each division; individual trophy for each man selected on the "All Tournament Team;" and a trophy for the outstanding player of the tournament.

Last year's tournament ended with Monterey of Lubbock the winner in the 3-A and 4-A division and Lamesa and McAdoo was consolation winner in the 1-A and 2-A division.

This tournament is sponsored by the Caprock American Business Club of Lubbock.

**Carol Singing Sources Traced**

Boughs of Holly" is an English carol set to an old Welsh air. It refers to such ancient traditions as the "blazing Yule" log.

"FIRST NOWELL"  
First published in English, "The First Nowell" is believed to be primarily a French carol. The French word "Noel" comes from the Latin word meaning birth; "Nowell" is the anglicized version. Both mean Christmas or a "shout of joy" for the birth of Christ. Tune is a medieval shepherd song.

"ADESTE FIDELIS"  
"O Come, All Ye Faithful" or "Adeste Fideles" may have been written by the 13th century writer and teacher, Saint Bonaventure, but its exact origin is a mystery. There's no secret about its popularity today. It has been translated into 120 languages, and there are more than 40 English versions.

"O TANNENBAUM"  
Most familiar of many Christmas carols originating in Germany, "O Tannenbaum," or "O Christmas Tree," celebrates the

evergreen as an emblem of immortality. It has added familiarity in the U. S., since the tune is used for several college songs and for the state song, "Maryland, My Maryland."

"MERRY, GENTLEMEN"  
An old English carol that sometimes suffers from a comma out of place is "God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen." The meaning is not "God rest you, merry gentlemen," but "God keep you merry, gentlemen."

"HERALD ANGELS SING"  
Charles Wesley, who during his lifetime (1707-1788) wrote hundreds of hymns, was inspired to write "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing" as he walked to church on Christmas day and heard the London church bells chime.



**Christmas Greetings**  
May your heart be filled with peace and happiness this Christmas.

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**Christmas Candy 'Sweet' History**

Sweet is the history of marzipan, a confection that is usually thought of as a Christmas candy. Today, it is still being made with the same kind of ingredients as those used hundreds of years ago.

It consists of freshly ground almonds made into a paste, whole eggs or whites of eggs, sugar, syrup and flavoring. Sometimes honey is added.

There are many legends concerning the word, "marzipan," says the Candy, Chocolate and Confectionery institute.

One old tale attributes it to the bread eaten by St. Mark in the desert — "Marci panis," the bread of Marcus.

Records show that Bartolomeo Scappi, secret cook to Pope Pius V, made marzipan with the ingredients now found in modern recipes for the candy.

**Dane Suggested TB Stickers**

Inspiration for the first Christmas seals came to Einar Holboell, a Danish postal clerk, as he was sorting packages one Christmas season. He envisioned all the packages bearing a special stamp, with the proceeds spent to aid people who suffered from tuberculosis.

The King and many of Denmark's leading citizens endorsed the idea, in 1904. Later, the plan spread to Norway and Sweden, and in 1907 was adopted in the U. S. More than 50 countries now use the seal.

**Christmas Feasts Vary by Countries**

Many foods for Christmas feasting have been traditional since early days of Yule merrymaking, although roast peacock, the feature of the feast in medieval England, is rarely, if ever, seen today!

Mince pie, with its spices and fruits, is said to symbolize the riches of the East, from which the wise men came.

Legend says plum pudding began when an English king and his men were lost in a forest on Christmas Eve. The cook used foods he had on hand, including part of a stag, plums, eggs, flour, to make a single dish all could share.

**Bells' Customs Dates to 7 a.d.**

Ringling bells in churches, for solemn and glad ceremonial occasions, goes back to about 7 A.D.

In early Britain church bells tolled for an hour on Christmas Eve, announcing to Satan the coming of Christ. At midnight, joyous peals heralded Christ's birth.

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In Northern Europe, where Santa Claus arrives on a white horse, boys and girls put out food for the horse.



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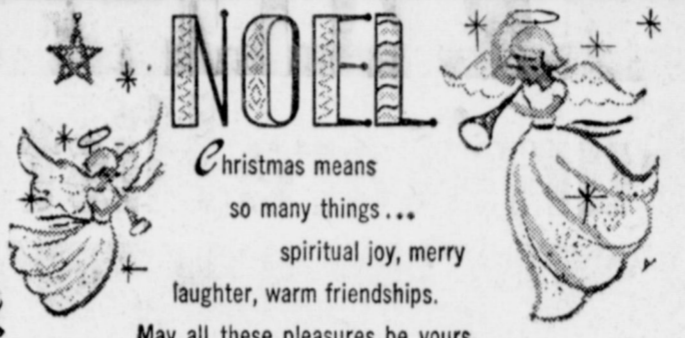


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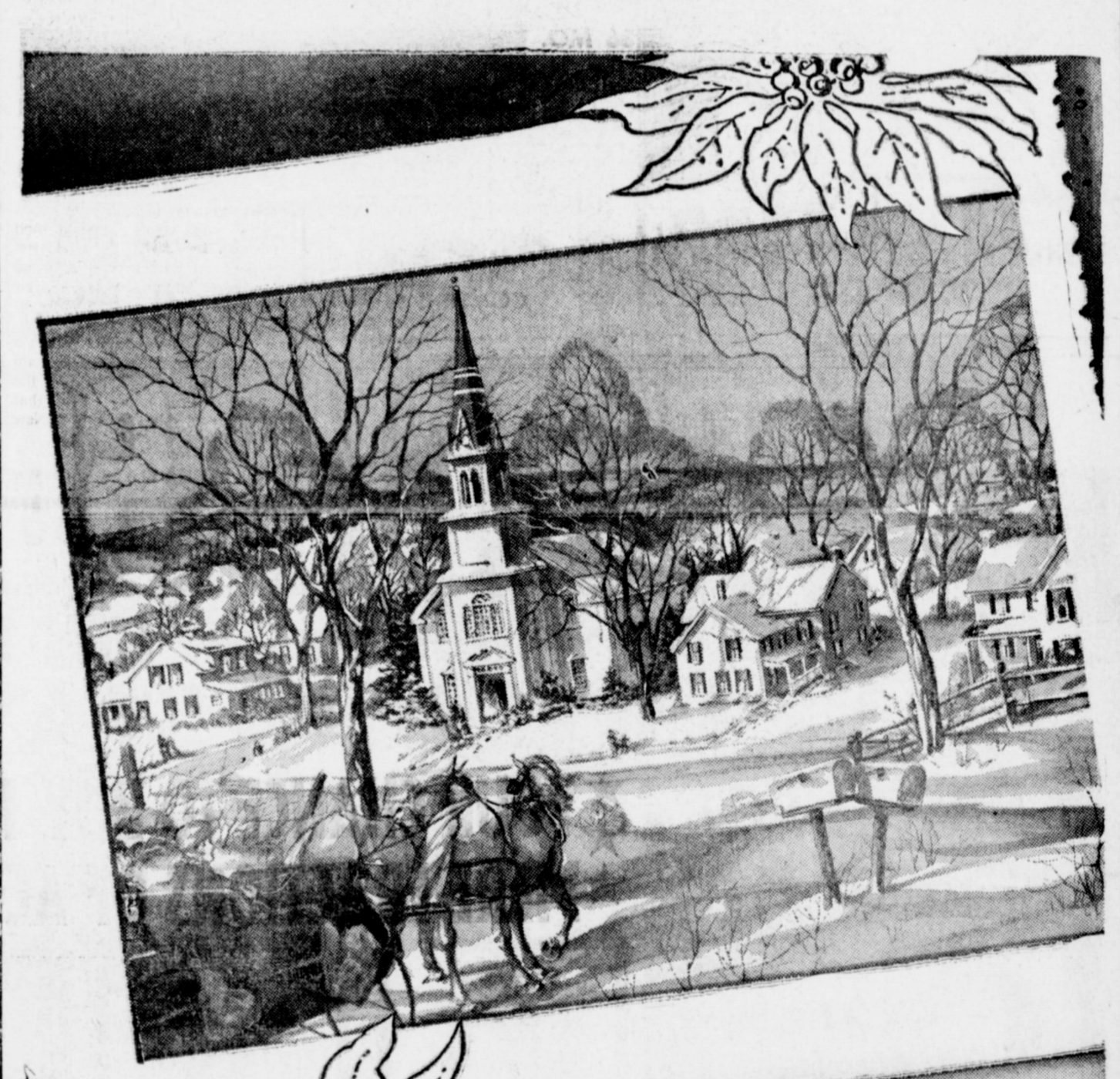
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# Three Way FHA Stages Party

**By MRS. JACK LANE**

THREE WAY — Members of the FHA Chapter of Three Way School held their Christmas party Thursday night, December 13, in the homemaking room.

The girls sang Christmas carols and exchanged gifts. Refreshments were served to the group; also to the FFA boys who held an Ag. meeting.

Mrs. and Mrs. Louis Henderson attended the Henderson family Christmas dinner Sunday at New Home in the clubhouse. This was the first time that all the family had been together in several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Fort, Midland, spent the weekend in the home of his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Perry Fort, Garland has been Midlands Veterans county service officer for the past two years.

The annual trustee Christmas supper was held Monday night, December 10, in the school cafeteria.

James Courtney, high school principal, gave the invocation. The junior homemaking group prepared and served the meal. All trustees and their wives,

Archie Sims, Mr. and Mrs. James Courtney and Mr. and Mrs. Corkery attended the supper.

Mrs. Ed Neutzler, Mrs. D. P. Brinker and Mrs. Jerry Haley were in Lubbock Thursday. Mrs. Brinker visited her mother, Mrs. Manning of Idalou who has been ill for several weeks but is doing better now.

Rev. and Mrs. Jerry Haley and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bardick were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lane Saturday night.

Mrs. Frank Mooney and son, Muleshoe; Mrs. Don Lamar and boys, Morton; visited in the home of Mrs. J. M. Phillips and boys Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Long and Marvin visited in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller, Canyon, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard London and family, Friona, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lane Sunday. Mrs. Lane, Janna, and Mrs. London attended the Hi-Lo Piano Club annual Christmas program Sunday evening in the First National Bank lobby.

A-2c Kenneth Fox left Clovis Sunday for Vietnam where he will serve with the airforce there.

Mrs. Fox and Janet moved back home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Garvin, while Kenneth is away.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Weaver, Lovington, N.M., spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Fort.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffith visited in the home of Frank's uncle, Jack Wittingham, Hobbs, N.M., Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Henderson H. A. Booher, Lubbock, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carpenter are the parents of a boy, born December 9, at the Littlefield Hospital and clinic. The young man weighed 6 pounds and 1 ounce and was named Joseph Doyle. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Pierce, Bula, and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Carpenter, Stegall.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Carpenter, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bradley, Lazbuddie; Eva Dell and Bonnie Carpenter, Muleshoe; and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carpenter and family, Stegall.

Jack Lane and Herman Lack were in Lubbock Monday on business for Conrad Williams.

Sheryl Hunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hunt, spent Saturday and Sunday in the hospital at Morton.

Mrs. Louis Henderson spent Tuesday night in the home of her sister, Mrs. R. L. Cook, Idalou. Mrs. Henderson and Mrs. Cook attended the funeral of Vernon Lewis, Big Spring, Wednesday.

Mrs. Mickey Sowder, Mrs. Wayland Altman, Mrs. Ruel Kirby, Mrs. Arlin Simpson, Mrs. Pete Tarlton, Mrs. Buck Ragsdale and Mrs. Frank Griffith were among those who toured the open houses in Muleshoe Sunday.

District Superintendent and Mrs. D. D. Denison, Brownfield, were visitors at the Three Way Methodist church Sunday.

Doris Cooper, South Plains College, Levelland, was home over the weekend visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cooper.

The Three Way Methodist church has a Nativity scene in front of the church. This was a project of the WSCS.

The WMU of the Three Way Baptist church met at the church Monday for Bible study lead by Mrs. D. P. Brinker. The study was on "Observance of the Lord's Day."



**DIRECTOR HONORED** — Muleshoe's "Mighty M" band was honored by some of the band parents Tuesday night, and as a climax, Kathy Phillips, director of the award-winning band, was presented a watch. She's shown here receiving it from Tootie Middlebrooks, who was toastmaster at the dinner. The head table centerpiece at left also was given to the director. Superintendent Neal Dillman in a short talk, congratulated the band on its outstanding record so far this year. (Journal Photo & Engv.)

## Last Month's Automobile Accident Record: One Killed, Two Injured

The Highway Patrol investigated nine rural accidents in Bailey County during the month of November according to Sergeant D. S. Lawson, Patrol Supervisor of this area.

These wrecks accounted for one person killed, two persons injured and an estimated property damage of \$12,660.

The rural traffic accident summary for Bailey County from January through November of 1962 shows a total of 56 crashes. As a result of these crashes there were 2 persons killed and 13 persons injured. The estimated property damage to \$55,940.

Traffic wise, December is traditionally the most dangerous month of the year. Just what makes it so dangerous? It is a time of goodwill, cheer and celebration. Why should it be so dangerous?

The Sergeant stated there can be many reasons for this. The month of December has fewer hours of daylight than any other month. We usually have some bad weather. People insist on celebrating the holidays with intoxicating beverages. Many are preoccupied with holiday activities and do not apply their full attention to their driving and walking. There will be some traveling at excessive speed to reach their destination. Others will be fatigued because of not stopping for rest along the way.

Facing the prospect of 92 traffic deaths during the holidays, our patrolmen will be working overtime hours, and they will remain especially alert for those serious law violations which are responsible for most fatal accidents — such as excessive speed and driving while drinking," he said.

"In other words, we will be doing everything within our power to prove the statistics, which are so often right, are wrong for the holiday season. And we trust that holiday motorists will help by heeding the traffic laws and rules of safety."

## 16 Squads Enter Caprock Tourney

LUBBOCK — Basketball fans of the Panhandle-Plains area will have the opportunity of seeing plenty of basketball action in the fourth annual Caprock Holiday tournament in Lubbock Municipal Coliseum, December 26, 27, 28, and 29.

For 16 top high school teams of West Texas will compete in a total of 20 games during the four-day tournament sponsored by the Caprock American Business Club of Lubbock.

Class 3-A and 4-A schools will compete in one division and Class A and 2-A teams in the other bracket, with games in the two brackets and consolation games alternating through each day of the tournament.

Opening game will be at 4 p.m. Wednesday, December 26, with Floydada meeting Abernathy. Other games during the first round are: Vernon and Seminole 5:30; San Angelo and Lamesa, 7 p.m.; Lubbock high and Midland high, 8:30 p.m.; and Monterey and Snyder, 10 p.m.

Tahoka and Dimmit meet in the second day's opening game at 4 p.m.; McAdoo and O'Donnell will follow at 5:30 p.m.; and Denver City and Lockney at 7 p.m.

Winners of the Lubbock-Midland and Vernon-Seminole games will play a second round game at 8:30 p.m. and San Angelo-Lamesa and Monterey-Snyder victors will meet at 10 p.m.

Winners of these two games will play in the 4-A and 3-A Championship game Saturday night, December 29 at 9:30 p.m.

Second round games in the Class A and 2-A games are scheduled Friday, December 28, with Abernathy - Floydada and Tahoka - Dimmit winners playing at 2:30 p.m. and victors of the McAdoo - O'Donnell and Denver City - Lockney games meeting at 4 p.m. Championship game in this bracket will be played at 8 p.m. Saturday. Consolation games in both brackets will be played Friday and Saturday.

No games are scheduled Friday night, December 28, but fans attending the tournament will get a chance to see the Texas Tech Red Raiders in action against Phillips "66" Oilers at 8 p.m. Trophies will go to champions, runners-up and consolation winners and individual team members, the all-tournament teams and outstanding players in each division.

Tickets for the tournament are on sale at the Coliseum box office each day. Admission will be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students.

In 1626 Peter Minuit purchased Manhattan Island from the Indians for trinkets worth about \$24.00.

## Rodeo Features Nation's Best

Rodeo's top champions will be seen in action at the first annual Cotton Bowl Rodeo at the State Fair Livestock Coliseum in Dallas, Dec. 27-31.

Tom Nesmith of Bethel, Okla., world champion all-around cowboy for 1962, is among those who will compete in the Cotton Bowl Rodeo. Nesmith, 27, has won a total of \$32,611 in steer wrestling and calf roping so far this year. He is also the steer wrestling champion.

Other world champions who will be contestants in Dallas are Dean Oliver of Boise, Idaho, the top calf roper who earned \$29,989 in this event in 1962, and Ralph Buell of Sheridan, Wyo., who holds the bareback riding title. Freckles Brown, the bull riding champion, will be a judge at the rodeo but will not be able to compete because of injuries.

Some 300 cowboys are expected to enter the Cotton Bowl Rodeo. The bucking stock will be furnished by Beutler Bros. and Harry Knight & Co., two of the most famous names in rodeo. Bucking horses owned by these two stock contractors won high honors at the recent National Finals Rodeo in Los Angeles. "Snappy John," owned by Beutler Bros., was chosen as the outstanding bareback bronc at the NFR, and "Big John," a Knight horse, was selected as the top saddle bronc by the cowboys competing at Los Angeles. An additional event at the

Cotton Bowl Rodeo will be the girls barrel racing national finals, in which the fifteen top-ranking girl barrel racers in the nation will compete at each performance. Sherry Combs of Checotah, Okla., is ranked No. 1 in the barrel race championship standings, with winnings of \$7,696 so far this year.



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**THIS COULD BE YOU** — We hasten to explain that this is a posed picture showing Patrolman James Freeman and an automobile accident "victim." It's an attempt to warn the public of what could happen during the Yule holidays. Department of Public Safety says 92 may die during the Christmas-to-New Year's holiday. Don't be one of those 92 victims. The cars shown were involved in accidents this year; two died in the automobile at the left. (Journal Photo & Engraving)

**DEAR SANTA**

Dear Santa Claus: I want a Fort Apache Calvary set, and a Blue and Gray set, and a Helicopter and a Ken doll, and a king zor. —Bobby Dodd

Dear Santa Claus: I want a baton and a new pair of skates and a Kissy doll. —Deanna Mick

Dear Santa: I have wanted some skates and a baton. I want to see if you have some children. I want for you to answer a letter to me. Please do that. —Teresa Sanchez

Dear Santa: For Christmas I would like to have a Barbie doll's canopy bed, and sport car. And her closet that is white, and a stuffed poodle. Have a Merry Merry Christmas. —Marsha Parkinson

Dear Santa Claus: I want an electric train for Christmas, and I want a seventeen double barrel shot gun, and a 22 pistol. I have been a good boy. I have a little brother. He wants a go-cart for Christmas. I wish I could come up to the North Pole and see you. I would like to see the

elves make the toys for the next Christmas. —Gerald Fender

Dear Santa: I want a telescope, a BB gun, a bicycle to ride, a stuffed wolf, a stuffed lamb, and a camera. And if you will you get me a transistor radio, a Chemistry set, a Gay lord dog, a pair of skates. Is it cold at the North Pole? Tell me if it is or not in the paper. —Tommy Gene Burris

Dear Santa Claus: I want a transistor radio, and a sword knife and a gun. I also want a yankee hat and some spears and cowboy hat and a mask. I also want a dog brush for my dog, and a chain, too. And some clay and some tinkler toys, and I want a rope. —Johnny Ray Watson

Dear Santa Claus: I want a talking doll and a bicycle too, and a horse. My brother wants a pony. I want a Barbie doll. I want a transistor radio. I want a Susie Smart. —Bonnie Harden

Dear Santa Claus: I would like to have a Polly Pose doll and a baton. I also would like a game of Fascination. I would like to have a pair of pajamas. That's all I would like for Christmas this year. I am going to hand up a stocking maybe. At school we are making a lot of decorations. I have been as good

as I can. My home teacher is Mrs. Peugh. My future teacher is Miss Sharon Milten. She is teaching today. I hope everyone has a happy Christmas. Merry Christmas. —Geraldine Gray

Dear Santa Claus: I want a transistor radio. I want a beauty shop dolly, and I want some new clothes. My brother wants a BB gun, and some art supplies. But I don't think he wants any clothes. I forgot to say that my brother wants a transistor radio, too. But please don't forget the other boys and girls. —Monica Griffiths

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a new doll called Barbi. And a new pair of skates for Christmas. —Renee Caldwell

Dear Santa Claus: I would like a watch and a three speed record player and a horse; and some Barbie clothes. And I would like a Barbie bed and a Barbie sports car. And I would like a puppy too. —Nanette

Dear Santa Claus: For Christmas I want a Barbie doll case, and a Puppet. And that is all. —Mitzi Bass

Dear Santa Claus: I want a big toy truck for Christmas. I am coming to Milams toyland to see you. You are best friend in the whole world. Is it very cold at the north pole? Please write me back soon. Will you.

Good by Santa Claus.—Tommy

Dear Santa Claus: Will you bring me a Bicycle for Christmas. I would like you to come and see me. Can you come and see my brothers. —Rose Miller

Dear Santa: I would like to have a Barbie and Ken and my brother would like to have a bicycle and a coat. —Andra

Dear Santa: Please bring me a red football suit and a football and Dick Tracy puppet and bulldog tank and king zon and Pop the ball. —David McVicker

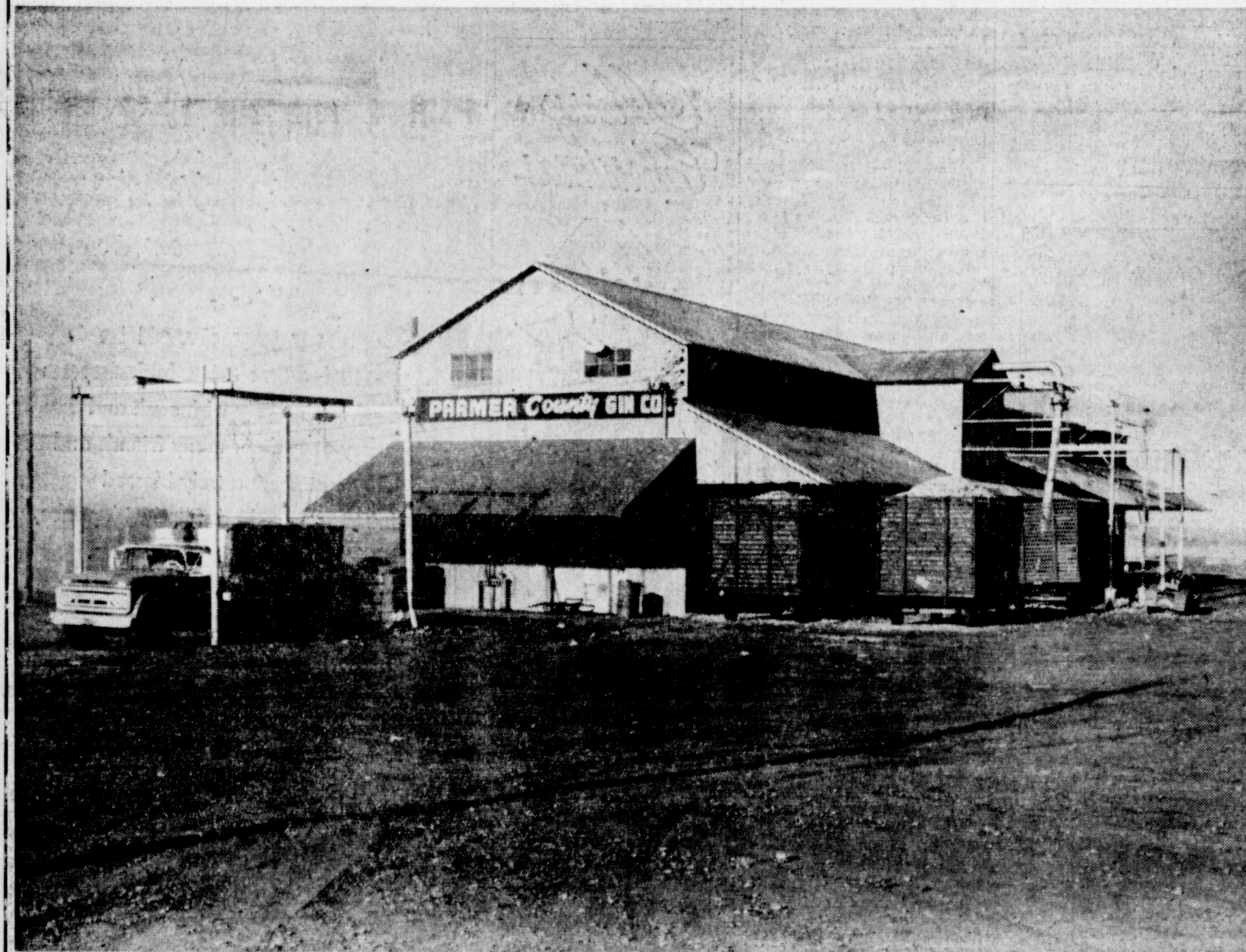
Dear Santa: I want a Barbie

doll for Christmas and some clothes for her. And I want an eight ball. —Connie Redwine

Dear Santa Claus: For Christmas I want a bicycle, and a super boys, outfit, and a Jimmy Jet. —Bruce Chapman

Dear Santa: I want a football suit. Also I want a transistor. I want a dog house. And a tines table. —Nickels

Dear Santa: Santa this is what I want for Christmas, I want a big army set, and some trucks. I want and electric train. —Mike



**CHRISTMAS REFLECTIONS...**

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**DEAR SANTA**

Dear Santa Claus: I hope you will get my letter that I wrote you. And this is what I want for Christmas. I want dolls and dolls. —Renee Caldwell

Dear Santa Claus: I wish I had a Barbie and Ken doll for Christmas. I will come and see you this Saturday. —Mary B.

Dear Santa Claus: I have not gone to see you on Saturday. But I might go this Saturday. I am eight years old. And my

name is Margarita. But I still haven't told you what I want for Christmas. I hope this is not so much. But I want a Barbie doll and Kissy doll and a bicycle and a record player. —Margarita

Dear Santa: I want a bicycle for Christmas. I love you, my little sister likes you. And I do to. We all love you. I hope you are not sick. I Love you too. —Karen.

Dear Santa Claus: I hope you will send me a truck and a bicycle and a car and some clothes and some blue jeans and more toys and I hope that you will

bring me a boat and some toys and some toy horses. And lots of others things.—Earnest

Dear Santa: I want something for Christmas I want a BB gun and a fourteen and a shotgun. —Allert

Dear Santa: How do you like Muleshoe. I want a rod for Christmas and my sister she wants a doll for Christmas and my other sister want a doll buge for Christmas and my brother want a wag for Christmas. —Randy

Dear Santa Claus: I want a football for Christmas. I was bad two or three weeks. Maybe longer. But I am going to be good now. I hope you will get me a football. —Billy

Think you for things you give us. —Bobby

Dear Santa Claus: I want you set of dishes for Christmas. My sister wants a barbie doll to. Dear Santa Claus please bring me some records and a record player too. —Laqueta

Dear Santa: I am a boy of 8 I want a BB gun and bicycle. —Randy Rush

**Longview YWA Enjoys Party**

By GAIL KITCHENS  
LONGVIEW — The YWAs of the Longview Baptist Church held their Christmas party Monday night at the church. The group enjoyed a short program, carols, and several games.

Those attending were: Hattie Joe Dawson, Sharon Tiller, Clea Obenhaus, Gail Kitchens, Mrs. J. U. Dawson, and Rev. Bobby Lacey.

Visiting in the O. G. Killingsworth home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moss and Vicki Farwell, and Rosetta O'Nann, Muleshoe.

Visiting over the weekend with the I. L. Kitchens were their grandchildren, Ronnie and Gayla Heathington, Muleshoe.

Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Lacey of the First National Bank, Muleshoe. The public is invited to attend.

attended the dedication services of the Forest Heights Baptist Church. Clovis. Rev. Lacey is a former pastor of that church.

Von Ross was home from Amarillo College over the weekend visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Lackey.

Vicki and Comie Griffin small daughters of the Horton Griffins, had several guests visiting with them Sunday. They were Sue Ross, Mark Slayden, and Ronnie Heathington.

The Shafer Christmas party was held Sunday in the home of W. A. Shafer. Approximately 40 guests attended. Mr. and Mrs. Don Marlow attended from this community.

Those attending the youth rally at the First Baptist Church in Amherst Thursday night were: Jean Killingsworth, Hattie Joe Dawson, Carolyn and Lois Hollis, Clea Obenhaus, Gail Kitchens, Linda Warren, Kay Tiller, Billy Oates, Donna and Carroll Kelton, and Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Lacey.

Mrs. A. J. Shafer and Mrs. Don Marlow were in Clovis Monday on business. The late Franklin D. Roosevelt's hobby was stamp collecting.



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Dear Santa Claus, I'm a little boy that will be 4 years old next month. I try to be a good boy and mind my Mommie and daddy. My name is Mark.

Please bring me a fire truck that has a siren, some more track for my electric train, a "Rifleman's gun, and "Etch-N-Sketch" board and some games. I will leave a coke and some cookies under my Christmas tree for you. Please, Santa, remember all the other little boys and girls. —Mark Benedict

Dear Santa: I want a Jimmy jet for Christmas. How are you Santa? I am not going to be here Christmas day. I would like to come and see you. We have made some Santa's and angles. We put up some pictures about Christmas. Our Christmas tree isn't up yet at school. In town they got up strings of lights. —David K.

Dear Santa: How do you like to stay up all night long? I feel better each day. I would like to have a basketball game and a rabbit hunt. —Rand Baker

Dear Santa Claus: I am Gary Don Cooper. I will write you a fue lang to you Santa Claus. I will see you in Richland Hill Santa Claus: Will you be there Santa Claus if you will I will come to see you Santa Claus?

Dear Santa: I am a girl of 5 and want a talking doll, some dishes and some bows for my hair. —Darlene Rush

Dear Santa: I am a boy of 4 and I want a big truck and a choo choo train. —Dave Rush

Dear Santa: I am a boy of 3 and want a big ball and car. —Carol Rush

Dear Santa: I want a new doll for Christmas. Please sent me one. I don't care what kind it is. I like you. You are very nice.

**GREETINGS**

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**Christmas Octave Services Slated**

Christmas octave services at St. Phillip's Episcopal Church Muleshoe, have been scheduled, Don Taylor, senior warden announced.

Morning services will be held Sunday at 10 a.m., and the Christmas day morning family service at 10:30 a.m., December 25.

On Sunday, December 30, Holy Communion will be celebrated by the Reverend James M. Mock, Plainview, at 7:30 p.m.

All three of the services will be held at the Community Room

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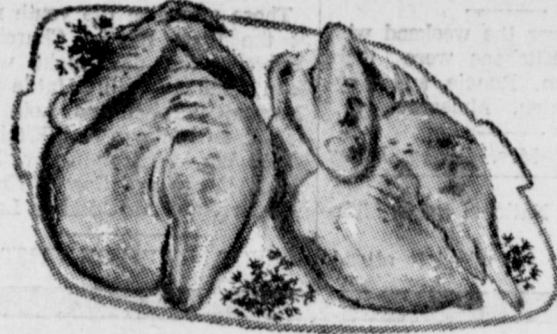
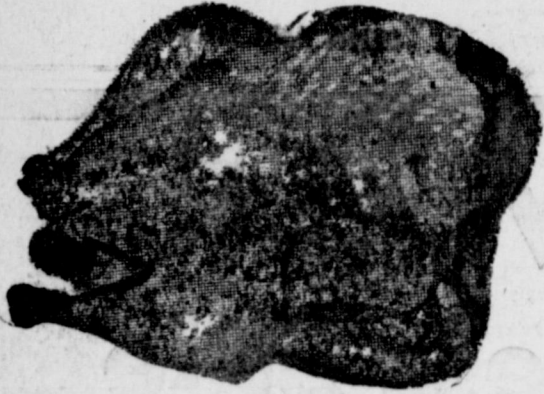
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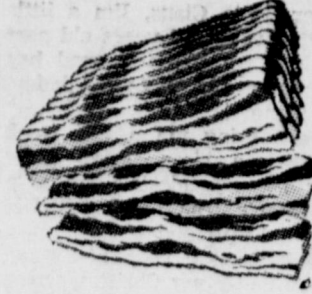


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Hormels  
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Pure Pork  
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**Hams** Pinkney's  
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**GLADIOLA FLOUR** 5 lb. bag **39<sup>c</sup>**

**PINEAPPLE** Diamond Crushed  
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**CHEESE** Clearfield  
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2 Lb. Box **59<sup>c</sup>** **SUGAR** Imperial  
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10 Lb. Bag **98<sup>c</sup>**

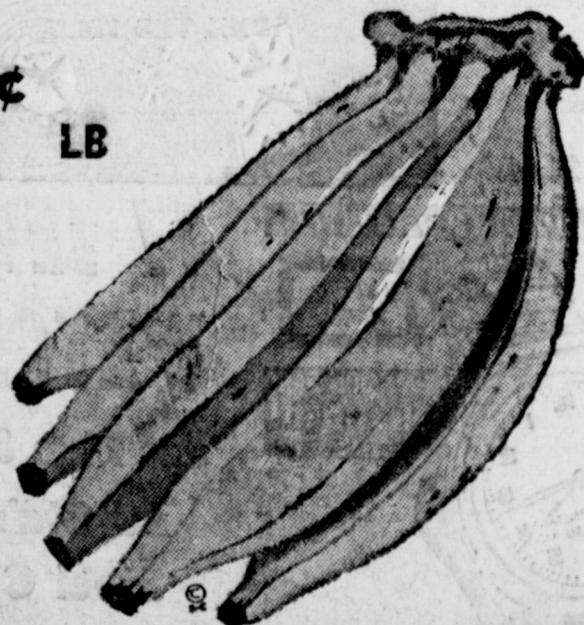
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1 Lb. Tin **59<sup>c</sup>** **JELL-O** Assorted  
Flavors **2 for 15<sup>c</sup>**

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