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## NEW MICROFILM EVIDENCE SPURS SPY PROBERS



WASHINGTON, D. C.—Soundphoto—House Un-American investigators are shown examining microfilm records found hidden in a pumpkin on the farm of Whittaker Chambers at Westminster, Md. Left to right are Lewis Russell, Robert Stripling (seated, front) and standing rear left to right are C. E. McKillips, William Heeler, Robert Gaston, D. Appell.

## SGT. DAVID HALL RITES HELD SUNDAY

Funeral services for Sgt. David F. Hall, who was killed March 21, 1944 in Italy, were held Sunday afternoon at the local Church of Christ. He was a son of Mrs. Mamie Vera Hall Williams of Amarillo.

Military rites were conducted at the graveside by the American Legion and VFW.

Sgt. Hall was killed when a bomb exploded in an ammunition dump near where he was standing. He was 20 years old at the time of his death. He was an aerial gunner with the 15th Air Force.

He was holder of the Air Medal and an oak leaf cluster. His mother received documents signed by President Franklin D. Roosevelt specifically citing her son.

Sgt. Hall was born at Clarendon Dec. 1, 1923. He attended Clarendon public schools, and left high school to enter the Army Air Corps in October of 1942.

He trained at Lubbock and Laredo and went to an operational training unit in Nebraska before going overseas.

Survivors, other than the mother, include five sisters, Mrs. Carl Weller, Mrs. Lloyd Marshall and Miss Dorothy Hall, all of Amarillo, and Mrs. W. F. Wardlow of Cooper and Mrs. R. M. Clark of Houston; and a brother, Wayne Hall of Amarillo.

Burial was in Citizens Cemetery here under direction of the Womack Funeral Home.

Mrs. J. D. Swift, Mrs. Emmett Simmons and Miss Anna Moores were Amarillo shoppers Friday. They also visited the museum at Canyon.

## IT IS NOW COLONEL MARY A. HALLAREN



WASHINGTON, D. C.—Soundphoto—Col. Mary A. Hallaren, director of the Women's Army Corps, took the oath of office as the first woman officer in the regular army except for those in the medical department. Left to right at the Pentagon ceremony are Maj. Gen. Edward F. Witsell, Army Adjutant General, General Omar N. Bradley and Col. Hallaren.

## Leader Full Of Gift Suggestions This Week

This larger edition of your Leader this week has been brought about by your local merchants who are offering exceptional gift prices and suggestions to help you decide what to give and to help you save part of the leather on your pocketbook or keep the bank balance in better condition.

The advertising in this issue of the Leader shows the interest of your local merchants in offering popular prices on quality merchandise so that you have an opportunity to trade here at home and save money all the way around - - - and practically every business firm in town has donated their Christmas dress giving everyone that real old Christmas spirit while they shop.

Practically all wanted gift items are available this year and the majority are priced whereby you can afford to buy them. Look through the ads in this issue of the Leader and see if they won't help you a great deal in solving your gift problems.

## LOCAL HUNTERS RETURN WITH TEN POINT BUCK

Mrs. T. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Sprinkles returned from a two weeks hunting trip in the San Mateo Mountains in New Mexico. Mr. Sprinkles got his 10-point black tail buck, but failed to get a bear.

Mrs. Jones was unable to hunt, but she enjoyed every minute of the time, as that is the place where she and Mr. Jones went for 17 consecutive years until his death in 1933. They always went fishing at Elephant Butte Lake at Hot Springs, N. Mex., then hunting and trapping in the mountains. As you recall, Mr. and Mrs. Jones had gotten 2 big brown bear, mountain Lions, and other big game. But things are a little different now. It's either more hunters or the game is more educated, as Mrs. Sprinkles puts it. She loves the mountains and hunting almost as well as her sister, Mrs. Jones.

Miss Cora Ferris and sister, Mrs. Allie Pounds, of Newcastle, held the ranch down while the hunters were away.

Mrs. Allen Bryan will present a number of her music pupils in recitals over the weekend. The first will be Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. and the next will be Monday night at 7:30. Both will be presented at the College Auditorium.

Those playing Sunday afternoon: Joyce Crutchfield, Bertha Mae Reed, Janice Bullock, Shirlene Durham, Wanda Sibley, Janice Benson, Paula Sue Skelton, Bobbie Sartain, Carolyn Thomas, George Thompson, Loretta Mooney, Marilyn Matheson, Kay Mosely and Frank White III.

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## BERLIN CASTS RECORD VOTE AGAINST REDS



BERLIN, Germany—Radio—Soundphoto—Balloting in the split city was heavy despite the boycott by the communists, and the rump government set up in the Soviet sector.

## PART OF SANTA LETTERS IN THIS ISSUE

Those letters to dear old Santa certainly have been pouring in here at the Leader office the past two weeks. In fact, so many have arrived that we have room for only a portion in this issue of the Leader but the remainder, now in our office, will be published next week and all others arriving after today will be published between now and Christmas if we have the space to spare. It is our desire to publish all the youngsters' letters so Santa will be sure to see them in time to visit each and every home on Christmas Eve. Look through this issue of the Leader and read the Santa letters, for we know everyone will enjoy reading them as much as we are enjoying putting them into print.

## M. H. HENEXSON, CHIROPRACTOR, OPENS OFFICE HERE

M. H. Henexson, formerly of Rochester, Texas, has opened offices here for Chiropractic practice at the Slick Naylor home one block South of the Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Henexson have moved their family here and he will be open for practice this Saturday. They have three daughters, Sandra Kay age 6, Adria age 5 and Patsy age 3. Henexson stated that he had never received a warmer reception than he had received here at Clarendon and knew that they would enjoy making Clarendon their home.

## COMMUNITY CHOIR TO SING DEC. 21

The Community Choir, conducted by Rev. Bolton, plans to sing the Christmas cantata, "Chimes of the Holy Night", on Tuesday night, Dec. 21st.

They will rehearse again this Sunday at 2 p. m. at the Christian Church and need more voices badly. So don't forget the time and place. Come and do your part to make this a success.

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## "Brothers of Belinda", 3-Act Comedy, To Be Presented December 9-10th At The College Auditorium

### TWO FAMILIES IN NEED OF AID

Mrs. Allen Jeffries was advised early this week that two families living in or near Clarendon were in need of assistance and Mrs. Jeffries is asking for donations of clothing and household effects to help these families out. She pointed out that they need the assistance soon.

One family consists of an ex-GI, his wife and two daughters, age 2 & 4 years. They formerly lived at Anson, Texas where their home burned, taking all their personal and household effects. He is now working on a farm near Clarendon and certainly would appreciate any help in the way of clothing or household effects. In fact they need anything that could be used around a home.

Another family that has moved here from Georgia consisting of man and wife and four children ranging in age from 3 to 10 and an invalid father-in-law, need help mostly in the way of clothing, food or any other articles along that line.

Mrs. Jeffries stated that if anyone has any of the above articles that they would like to give, just to bring them to her home and she would see that these needy families received the goods.

### POST OFFICE CHRISTMAS RUSH BEGINS EARLY

Those who want to be sure that their packages and cards will reach their destination by Christmas are already mailing out their items.

The past three days of mailing have kept the clerks rushing. Most of the folks mail between the hours of 10 and 11 a. m. or from 4 to 6 p. m. Just why, no one seems to know.

This bids fair to be the heaviest Christmas mail of all time at your local post office, postmaster J. C. Estlack stated today.

All over the nation mailings have begun. Plans have been made to use army trucks at the larger offices. Dallas will have sixty extra army trucks to transport packages to keep up this season.

Buy your stamps early. Mail your packages as soon as possible and mail your Christmas cards right now while you can do so without waiting at the window. The line will begin to form next week. In fact there was a line between 4 and 6 Wednesday afternoon with plenty of Christmas mailing.

Mrs. Bill Todd and Mrs. Dewie Hendrix were business visitors in Amarillo Saturday.

"Brothers of Belinda" is the three act play to be presented by the Clarendon Junior College Thursday and Friday nights, December 9-10th at 7:30 o'clock at the College Auditorium. The play is a delightful comedy with many humorous situations and laughable lines.

The cast includes Jane Johnson as Belinda, a notorious flirt; Juanelle Stevenson as Sarah Bassett, Belinda's aunt; Ray Morris as Barton Bassett, Belinda's father; Naoma Mooring as Annie, the maid in the Bassett household; Bill Armstrong as Brooks Eaton, a guest at Broadacres; Delene Blair as Arlene Niles who is rather fond of Brooks; Gene Bryan as Gordon Ellis, another guest; Betty Wilson as Janice Royce who is fond of Gordon; Darrell Proctor as Wilmot Barnes to whom life is a dreary waste; Pat Pittman as Sally Clifford, Wilmot's woe; Junior Day as Alvin Jones, the mysterious stranger.

Everyone is invited to attend and enjoy a very entertaining production.

## Aviation Club To Sponsor Dance

The Donley County Aviation Club will sponsor its third monthly dance in the lounge room at the Clarendon Municipal Airport on Saturday, Dec. 11, 1948, from 8:30 p. m. until 7 p. m.

The two previous dances have proven to be extremely popular, and it is now planned to hold one each month, usually about the second week of each month, stated William S. Greene, head of the dance committee.

The usual cokes, coffee and doughnuts will be available and cards and dominoes for those not caring to dance. Two plane rides will be awarded the lucky winners of a drawing to be held sometime during the dance. Every person who has won one of these rides have been first timers and all have agreed that it is one of their most interesting experiences. This time the weather man has promised a clear night with almost a full moon which should make it more interesting than ever.

The admission prices for this dance have been set at \$1 per couple and 75c a stag with small children and dogs free, Greene added.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wales and her mother, Mrs. Frazier of Wichita Falls, who are enroute to San Diego, Calif. to spend the winter, stopped over Monday night with friends, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Sprinkles.

## 'OPERATION VITTLES' TRAINER BURNS AFTER CRASH



GREAT FALLS, Mont. newsreel and picture syndicate the Great Falls air base training plane crashed on burst into flames but the escaped with minor injuries.

## D. M. COOK GIVEN CHRISTMAS GIFT EXTRAORDINARY

The forthcoming holiday season should be festive for at least one Donley resident, D. M. Cook, of Lelia Lake. As a Christmas present, Mr. Cook was presented with half a Hereford steer by E. J. Juett, retired Amarillo dairyman.

At the price of beef these days, the gift could hardly be greater, especially when the size of said steer is considered. The four-year old animal weighed near 1800 lbs. Mr. Cook estimated that it will dress out at least a thousand pounds, of which 500 are his.

"The meat should be tender as any," said Cook, "because the steer is just as fat and sleek as could be."

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Chamberlain and family of Claude visited relatives in Clarendon the weekend.

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NOTICE: Obituaries and poetry are published in this paper at the rate of 1 cent per word. A charge of \$1.00 is made on cards of thanks. Stories of deaths and funerals published in time to retain the news value are not rated as obituaries.

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CITY-COUNTY LIBRARY NOTES

By May L. Prewitt
Various necessary Library duties have taken so much time that Library notes were neglected, but so much good fortune has come our way that the patrons must share my pleasure.

the garden club section. Then for the science shelf is "The Rise of American Oil" by Leonard M. Fanning.
The gifts for our shelves are generous and valuable recent editions. Mr. Jesse H. Jones recognized our Library by sending a copy of "Garner of Texas" by Bascom N. Timmons.

Anya Seton has created her most memorable heroine. The scope of the novel is the whole of New England History, but the theme is the simple security of the enduring hearth of the home.

From the magazine rack do not miss this issue of the "Cattle Man" as it has two interestingly related stories, "The Colliers," "The Post" and "Digest" are other periodicals that appear immediately on the rack after being read by those who contribute them, also the "American Home" which has some attractive Christmas decorating suggestions for the interior of the home.

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DEAR DAD:

Do you remember the time you and I dressed as tramps and was goin' to scare ma and all the dogs took out after us and we had to call to ma for help? We were plenty scared, weren't we? Well, I had that same ole sick feelin' when I read your letter last week and realized how little Insurance we had.

Dad, I took your advice and saw this man, Ray Burns, at his office in the Womack Funeral Home. Then that night he came out to our house and went over the few policies I had. I liked the guy, for he certainly had our interest at heart. He was very careful not to overload us, but gave me some intelligent tips on how to invest in Insurance that no one else had ever brought out. I ended up by increasing my own LIFE INSURANCE, and taking out a HOSPITALIZATION POLICY that will cover the whole family.

Give my regards to ma, and thanks a million for the tip, Dad. As always,

YOUR SON (Adv.)

Mrs. Lee Bell is at Childress with her mother, Mrs. Thigpen who is quite ill.

LELIA LAKE

Mrs. H. R. King

Mrs. Maude McCracken of Houston visited with Mrs. Myrtle Christal and other relatives last week.

Mrs. J. P. Reynolds of Clovis, N. M. visited relatives here last week. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reynolds for a weekend visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Myers and children of Wellington spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Wood and family shopped in Amarillo Sat.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lee Scott and Glenda of Amarillo spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Aten and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Aten spent Sunday in Memphis visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mooring of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cook.

Sam King, spent Sunday here with his parents, enroute to Amarillo from Vernon where he purchased a new Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Butler had business in Amarillo last Friday.

Barbara Darnell spent Saturday night with Wanda Lou Saunders of Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Wiggins and boys of Hedley spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Phelan.

The basketball teams played at Quail last Friday evening. The boys won their game, but the girls lost.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford King and children of Texola, Okla. visited Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Phillely and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McIlroy and children of McLean spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Mace.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stotts of Sudan left Monday after a short visit with her father, Mr. Evans, and her sister, Mrs. Eula Lowe.

Mrs. M. L. Allen and son Mikey of Tucumcari spent several days here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lewis had business in Amarillo Monday.

NOTICE FARMERS AND RANCHERS

Please remember that your Income Tax Reports are due on or before January 15th, 1949, (not March 15th) unless before January 15th you file an Estimated Report and pay your taxes, then and in that event, you would have until March 15th to file your final report. We are anxious to assist you in every way in this matter, so if you desire to file an estimate, we have the forms and will assist our clients without additional charge. By doing this you will have more time and greatly assist this office.

Come by the office and get one of our Information Forms that we always furnish, which tells you exactly the figures that will be needed in filing your 1948 report. We will appreciate your cooperation in this matter. Also bring your copies of form 1040 furnished you by the Dallas office

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Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McMurtry left Tuesday for two weeks trip to New York City and Washington, D. C. They will return December 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cross of Goodnight visited Sunday in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Lemons and family.

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**More Meat Coming**

Next year, it is forecast, half a billion pounds more meat will be produced than in 1948—and the increase for 1950 will run to several billions.

The basic reason for this is interesting. It lies in the fact that livestock growers have decided to raise more meat animals. According to reliable authorities, these decisions by livestock producers, which will give consumers more meat in the future, are the result of present favorable livestock prices in relation to the price of food. Thus it is seen that prices established in a competitive market serve to encourage increased

production when demand is strong and there is an adequate food supply.

Moreover, competition also aids in the equitable distribution of meat to consumers. For example, if the price of meat were arbitrarily lowered by some sort of government price control scheme, supplies in retail stores would be cut quickly and late comers would face the "No Meat Today" signs common during the period of OPA controls. Such arbitrary price fixing also would tend to discourage production, for the producer cannot afford to sell at controlled prices when things he must buy are uncontrolled.

What it all adds up to is that nobody is going to work for nothing—or produce meat or anything else unless there is a chance to pay the costs and make some profit. That is why the competitive, supply and demand system is the only economy that makes for abundance—and why every controlled economy makes for scarcity.

**Christmas In Wheelchairs Is Gonzales Event**

**GONZALES** — A big Thanksgiving dinner behind them, a bunch of bright-eyed kids down here are already talking about an even bigger celebration planned for Christmas.

There'll be only one discordant note in the whole proceedings as a jolly St. Nick, a tall bespangled Christmas tree and excitingly wrapped packages signalize the Yule season—the kids won't be hopping around with glee. They'll be sitting in wheel chairs or walking with the aid of crutches or skillfully-fitted braces. But in every young mind there will flame the hope that they'll be walking again by the time another Christmas rolls around.

These kids down at Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation have already licked polio in its original

**Planes Muster at 'Annapolis of the Air'**



The busy flight line of the Naval Air Station at Pensacola will roar into action shortly as Naval Aviation Cadets jump into their fast, sturdy SNJ trainers and taxi out for a practice hop. Pensacola Naval Air Station, the "Annapolis of the Air," is the focus of the recently reactivated Naval Aviation Cadet training program, which is open to healthy, single young men between 18 and 25, with at least two years of college. Upon graduation they are commissioned ensigns in the Naval Reserve, or second lieutenants in the Marine Corps Reserve, are awarded their wings and assigned to two years' active duty. (Official Navy Photograph)

Warm Springs Foundation which now has a capacity of 110 crippled children.

State Chairman of the drive designed to throw the support of all Texans behind the institution which is helping crippled children to walk again is Dana X. Bible, director of athletics at the University of Texas. And when Mr. Bible makes his final report on Christmas Day to Ross Boothe, president of the Gonzales founda-

tion, he hopes that it will make this Christmas the brightest ever for the wheel chair brigade.

Mrs. Steve Matthews and son of Pampa are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taylor.

Mrs. Allie Pounds of Newcastle returned home Saturday after a 3 weeks visit with her sisters, Mrs. T. Jones, Miss Cora Ferris, and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Sprinkles.

Nick & Nora Charles' New 1949 Frazer Manhattan "stolen"...

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onslaught—and now they've engaged in a grim battle, aided by the warm buoyant waters of Gonzales plus skilled medical treatment, to wipe out the crippling aftermath of the disease.

Christmas will be important to the youngsters at Gonzales for another season, too, for it marks the end of the campaign, started on Thanksgiving Day, to raise funds throughout Texas to maintain Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation on an expanded basis to care for young Texas victims of crippling diseases.

All funds contributed during the drive, in which this newspaper is cooperating will be utilized for expansion and operation of the 11-year-old Gonzales

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## CUE AND CURTAIN CLUB HOLDS GUEST NIGHT

Highlighting the early holiday programs which the Cue and Curtain has planned was the Guest Night that was held Monday night in the Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church.

Guest were received by Mae Morris, president, and Jane Johnson. Patsy Blair presided over the guest book. Wilson Lane and Jackie Brooks served as ushers. Presiding at the silver service was Ladelle Cox. Other members of the club acted as hostesses during the evening. All girls were gowned in attractive formal.

Decorative appointments featured a blue and silver color scheme, the club colors. The artistic serving table, draped with a lace cloth, was centered with an arrangement of silver leaves, blue carnations, and tiny blue Christmas balls, flanked with white tapers. On the piano and registration table were also harmonizing decorative arrangements.

Mrs. Jolly Johnson, club sponsor, very graciously expressed words of welcome to the guests and announced the various programs that the club will present for the public during the Christmas holidays. Then she introduced the two guest speakers, Mrs. Oma Link Rowley, Director of Amarillo Little Theater, and Mrs. Gibson, Charter member of the organization. Mrs. Rowley spoke on stage production, emphasizing some "behind the scenes" work necessary before the opening night. Also she reviewed the

play, "The Heiress", a leading Broadway production and one that is soon going on a tour with a professional troupe. Mrs. Gibson recalled some of the humorous incidents that had happened while rehearsing and presenting the plays during the twenty-one years of the life of the Amarillo Little Theater.

Approximately one hundred members and guests were present.

## BRIDAL SHOWER

Mrs. L. B. Mauldin, Jr., the former Miss Helen Rhoades of Clarendon, was honored with a bridal shower at the Ashtola club room Friday afternoon, with Mrs. Van Knox, Mrs. Hubert Rhoades, and Mrs. L. P. Moore as hostesses.

A brightly decorated Christmas tree surrounded by the many beautiful gifts formed the centerpiece on a long linen-covered table, on which red, green and white candles nestled in beds of cedar and holly at intervals. The Christmas theme was repeated over the room.

A short program consisted of several poems read by Mrs. L. P. Moore, including one written by Mrs. Millard Word of Ashtola especially for the new bride; and piano selections by Mrs. Doyce Graham. Mrs. Harold Green registered the guests.

Individual cakes, tea and coffee were served to the many friends and relatives who gathered to give their best wishes and congratulations to the newly weds.

## RHOADES—MAULDIN

Miss Helen Rhoades, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Rhoades of Clarendon became the bride of L. B. Mauldin, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mauldin of Amarillo, in a single ring ceremony on Thanksgiving day in the home of Rev. L. A. Sartain who read the marriage vows.

The bride wore an ice blue dress which was accented with brown accessories. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Green of Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Mauldin will make their home in Borger where he is employed by the Phillips Petroleum Co.

## JR. HIGH COLTS FETED

The Clarendon Junior High Colts were guests at a banquet held in their honor Tuesday, Nov. 30th. The banquet was held in the school cafeteria and was attended by approximately seventy-five boys, coaches, and guests. The delicious meal was served by the mothers of the boys.

The program consisted of talks by coaches Clinton, Jones, and Rumpy, Homer Estlack, and O. D. Lowry. Tommy Saye presented the squad with a large picture of the team to be added to the trophy collection.

At the conclusion of the banquet each boy and his date were guests of the Mulkey Theatre.

The boys and their coach wish to thank each and every mother for a very fine evening's entertainment.

## FRIDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Several hours of pleasure were enjoyed playing bridge at the home of Mrs. B. F. Kirtley Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Kirtley hostess and entertaining.

Games of bridge were played at three tables, high score going to Mrs. Neece, low score to Mrs. Walter Knorpp.

A lovely salad plate refreshment was served to Mesdames Floyd Lumpkin, Forest Sawyer, Walter Knorpp, Warren Fry, Pat Slavin, Jack Molesworth, Carroll Knorpp, Lawrence Neece, and Miss Charlotte Molesworth, and guests Mrs. B. C. Antrobus, Mrs. C. L. Benson Jr. and Mrs. J. G. Stewart.

## ASHTOLA NEEDLE CLUB

Mrs. Slaton Mahaffey and Mrs. D. C. Williams were hostesses for this club Thursday. The president, Mrs. Burk DeBord was in the chair, and Mrs. Doyce Graham opened the meeting with prayer. Roll call was answered with hints on Xmas decorations. The program consisted of displays of Xmas gift suggestions. At the next meeting Dec. 16th each member is to bring a sock filled with Xmas goodies. At this meeting, Pollyannas will be revealed, officers will be elected, and the Xmas party held.

The hostesses served appropriate refreshments to 13 members.

## EIGHT FOOT LIGHTS CLUB

The eight foot lights club met at the home of Tommy Lane December 2nd. Four members were present. They were Iva Jean McAnear, Janet Mooney, Gene Elmore, Tommy Lane and the teacher, Mrs. Jolly Johnson. Refreshments of cookies and cakes were served. The program was given by Janet Mooney. Her speech was "Nothing to Laugh About."

## C. T. McMURTRY'S ENTERTAIN WITH TURKEY DINNER

On Sunday, Dec. 5, the C. T. McMurtry's entertained the personnel of the Hip O Ranches with a turkey dinner at headquarters, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace McClellan.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ronda Ray, Don and Margaret Louise of McMurtry Bros. Ranch, Ashtola; Mr. and Mrs. George Nixon and daughter and Mr. Brown of Romero; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roland, Bobby Ray and Mr. Allen Roberts of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown, Wayne, Charlotte and Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Lamberson, Mr. and Mrs. Lankford, all of Alanreed; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith, Mr. Floy Derrick, Mr. Jerry Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Horace McClellan, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Slavin and Michael, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slavin, Ann and Charlie, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McMurtry, all of Clarendon.

## MARTIN QUILTING CLUB

This club met with Wynonne Barker on Dec. 2nd at the school house. There were 15 members and 2 guests present. A delicious lunch was served at the noon hour. Two quilts were finished.

Those to enjoy the day were guests: Hollie Whiddon of Amarillo and Nettie Marshall of Ashtola; members, Lois Sibley, Della Barker, Margaret Waldrop, Bessie Helton, Blanche Higgins, Sallie Christie, Eunice Land, Gracie

Crofford, Ruby Jordan, Ruthie Gray, Lizzie Morrow, Emma Davis, Nola Hill, Willie Marshall.

Those to receive Pollyanna gifts were Anna Waldrop, Bessie Helton and the hostess Wynonne Barker. We will meet Dec. 16th with Lois Sibley for the Christmas tree. Each member is to bring an extra gift besides their Pollyanna gifts. This was our last quilting for the year 1948. We met in 20 homes and quilted 39 quilts during the year.

Club Reporter

## JR. BEAUX ARTS CLUB

Thursday afternoon, Dec. 2, the Jr. Beaux Arts Club met at the club-room. The vice-president, Jane Johnson, called the meeting to order. The secretary called the roll and read the minutes of the previous meeting. Plans were made for the Christmas party to be held in the home of Delene Blair, Dec. 15. A very interesting program on Roman Art was given by the following: architecture by Melba Lee Pipes; sculpture by Delene Blair, and painting by Jeannie Hall.

Lovely refreshments were served to the following: Lucille Dale, Mary Harrison Cannon, Jeannie Hall, Melba Lee Pipes, Evelyn Carpenter, Delene Blair, Daphne Roberson, Sybil Head, Ira Jean Estlack, Juanelle Stevenson, Juanita Carpenter, Portia Hay, the sponsors, Miss Lucile Polk, Miss Mary H. Howren, and the hostesses, Jane Johnson, Mae Morris and Ladelle Cox.

## Texas Kids See Christmas Angels



As a Christmas gift to the children of Texas, the classic Christmas story of "The Littlest Angel" has been brought to life in Dallas. One of the life-size cherub figures is shown, above, to four-year-old Patsy Parker, of Ennis, by Arthur L. Kramer, sponsor of the free display. The huge exhibit, requiring twenty figures of angels, cherubs and birds to reproduce the characters in the story, is on display at Main and Akard Streets in downtown Dallas through Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Spurgeon visited Mr. Warner sister and Mrs. H. T. Warner visited in family, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rowan and small son Larry at Dallas. Mrs. Spurgeon's mother and brother Geo. Norris. Mrs. Warner Clarendon as Melba Del Warner.

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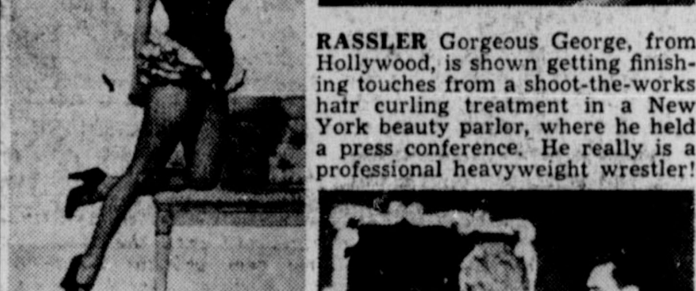
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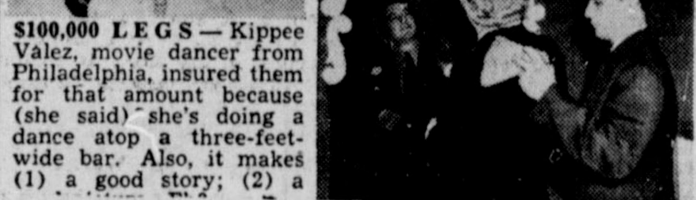
### People, Spots In The News



**DOWN-DRAFT** room at new Research Center of B. F. Goodrich company at Brecksville, O., has torrents of fresh air pouring from ceiling to prevent dangerous gases from rising more than few inches above table level, as shown.



**RASSLER** Gorgeous George, from Hollywood, is shown getting finishing touches from a shoot-the-works hair curling treatment in a New York beauty parlor, where he held a press conference. He really is a professional heavyweight wrestler!



**\$100,000 LEGS**—Kippie Valez, movie dancer from Philadelphia, insured them for that amount because (she said) she's doing a dance atop a three-foot-wide bar. Also, it makes (1) a good story; (2) a

#### MRS. HAROLD DARBY HONORED WITH PINK AND BLUE SHOWER

Mesdames Leon Carter and A. C. Carter honored Mrs. Harold Darby with a pink and blue shower Saturday, November 27. After a few contests the many gifts were viewed.

Lovely refreshments were served to the following guests: Mesdames C. E. Lindsey, F. E. Caraway, Jim Henson, W. D. Higgins, Raymond Waldrop, Polly Davis, V. E. Carter, Mary McNabb, Rayburn Smith, Ross Darby, J. P. McMahan, Jewel Carter, Bill Allen, Henry Mann, Gilbert Mann, Barcus Antrobus, and Sarah Ann, L. R. Dean, J. A. Warren, M. E. Cottingham, Edna Lou LaGrone and H. Corbin.

Those sending gifts were Mesdames Berta Faye Corbin, Helen Corbin, Al Covington, Parker, Lon Rundell, Z. D. Davis, Dorothy Fischer, W. C. Holley, D. H. Ponder, Hazel McNear, Ruby Bromley, Mary Ann Riley, Thelma Hill, Saye, Tillie Ozier, Pauline Waters, June Atteberry, J. C. Butler, Howard Stewart, Clyde Carter, C. Carter, Garth Carter, Marjorie Mann, Jimmie Lee Butler, Earl Hodnett, George Bulman, Howard Stewart, F. G. Crawford, Abbye Warner and Misses Marjorie Harlan, Melba Pipes, Nell and Ruth Corbin and hostesses Mesdames Leon and A. C. Carter.

#### MIDWAY CLUB

The Midway Club met with Mrs. Scott on December 2nd in an all day quilting. A covered dish luncheon was served at the noon hour. Members there were Moor-ing Quattlebaum, Eddy Williams, Scott, Terry, Butler, Thomas, Eanes, Luttrell, Roxie Williams, and one guest, Mrs. Arnold of New Mexico. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Pearl Terry on Dec. 16th in an all day meeting, and it will be our Christmas party. All are to bring a gift.  
Reporter.

#### 1926 BOOK CLUB

The 1926 Book Club met Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. John Gillham and Mrs. Charles Lowry presided as hostesses.

Mrs. Jolly Johnson and Mrs. M. C. Goodner gave patriotic readings in observance of Pearl Harbor Day. Mrs. Homer Bones prepared a medley of patriotic songs, and Mrs. Rolle Brumley led the group singing.

The club will have its Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Antrobus.

#### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Bert Smith Jr. entertained the Birthday Club and her birthday also at her home Thursday afternoon. Gifts were received and admired. A refreshment plate was served by the hostess to Mesdames Bert Smith Sr., Will John-

son, Herman Dodson, Basil Smith, Johnny Johnson, Victor Smith, J. I. Spuregon, H. T. Warner, Frances McCord, Lonnie Wood.

#### PATHFINDER CLUB

The Pathfinder Club will meet Friday afternoon at 4 p. m. at the Club Room.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kind sympathy in memory of our son and brother. May God bless you all.  
Mrs. Mamie Hall Williams and Family.

#### SENATOR VISITS FRIENDS IN CLARENDON TODAY

Today, in town for a few hours was state Senator "Cotton" Moffett of Chillicothe. No other man in the state law-making body has more friends than has Senator Moffett. His loyalty to farmers, ranchers and the smaller business men is most outstanding, according to judgments passed in his district through the many years he has served his people.

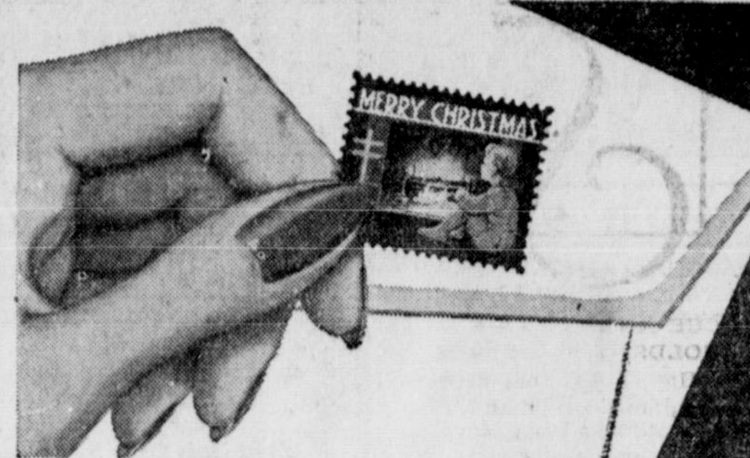
Mrs. Charles Condon and baby daughter arrived Friday from Los Angeles, Calif. to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Brown. Mr. Condon will join the family Christmas.

Fred A. Story of Childress had business here today.

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**WANTED**—4 room house or apartment to rent. Harold Cross Phone 476-M. (43-c)

## MALE HELP WANTED

Reliable man with car wanted to call on farmers in Donley County. Wonderful opportunity. \$15 to \$20 in a day. No experience or capital required. Permanent. Write today. McNESS COMPANY, Dept. A., Freeport, Ill. (43-p)

**WANTED**—Male or female full or part time Insurance Agent. See or call Ray Burns. Phone 94 or 64-J. (42tf)

## FOR RENT

**FOR RENT**—2 room unfurnished apartment, private bath. Call 245-J. (41tf)

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**NOTICE**—For Rent—One well furnished two room apartment. Also one three room unfurnished apartment by C. W. Winchester, owner of Victory Courts. (43-c)

## LOST & FOUND

**FOUND**—Ford V-8 truck hub cap found in front of E. L. Lewis home. Pay for this ad and get same at Leader office. (43-c)

**LOST**—1938 Nash hub cap, if found please return to E. L. Lewis. Reward. (43-c)

## MISCELLANEOUS

Beginning December 1st, I will be authorized agent for the Amarillo News & Globe. Deliver both morning and evening papers and take mail subscriptions. John Miller Morris, Phone 385. (43-p)

**Plumbing, Paint & Wallpaper.** Lazy "H" Plumbing & Supply, Phone 183. A. O. Hott, Mgr.

**Saw filing by hand or machine.** See John Watters. (38tf)

**SAVE MONEY**—Justin Boots for men, Broncho for boys and girls. Belts, Sox, gloves and hats for your Xmas shopping. O. D. Blankets, Shirts, Pants, feather pillows and sheets at Kendall's Shop, Hedley, Texas. (43-2c)

**NOTICE**—I will buy your hens. 28c for heavies, 24c for lights. M. W. Mosley, Hedley, Texas. Phone 44-3 rings, Hedley, box 732. (45-p)

**Hosiery Mended**—30c per stocking, daily repair. Bring to building across street from Farmers Exchange or to my home 1 block north of Allen Jeffries home. Mrs. Raymond Martin. (44-p)

See those unusual hand embroidered things at the Farmers Exchange made by Mrs. Leona Jones. (43-3c)

Mixers all sizes; Wheelbarrows; **FOR SALE OR RENT**—Concrete Power Saw; Air Compressors and Air Tools. **TOM W. CARPENTER EQUIPMENT COMPANY, INC.** Amarillo, Texas - Phone 2-6578

**WARREN - CHENAULT Income Tax Service** Offices: 209 Goldston Building Clarendon, Texas **J. A. Warren E. J. Chenaunt**

**NOTICE TO HUNTERS**—Absolutely no hunting on M. G. Cottingham place (the old Clark place) Southeast of town. (43-p)

**BUSINESSMEN & FARMERS**—We can do everything at the Airport from Cutting Stencils for business houses to welding and repairing farm machinery. Come out and get our estimates. Clarendon A&E Service, Joe Jones, Owner. (44-p)

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**NOTICE**—For free demonstration or information about new Air-Way Sanitizer, call Mrs. L. E. Yankie at 218. (39tf)

Anyone interested in buying new Willys Overland products call 356J at Wellington, Texas and I will be glad to come to see you. Johnson Motor Co. Mat Johnson, Owner. (41tf)

## MARTIN

By Mrs. J. H. Helton

Bro. Strickland preached both Sunday morning and evening services.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Newland spent Sunday in the Walter Hutchins home.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jack Land visited Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Underdown in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Burdett Hitt and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gregory and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hearn spent Sunday in the Charley Hearn home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crofford are the proud owners of a new car.

Lucille Dale spent Wednesday night with Juanelle Stevenson. Mr. Ben Kyser is home after several days in the Groom hospital.

Mrs. Tick Barbee and baby were brought home from the Groom hospital Wednesday. Both are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Fladge Fitzgerald and children of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bulman visited in the Pete Land home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Crofford and Margie Nell visited in the Jack Eddings home in Clarendon Sunday and all motored to Hedley and visited in the Peters home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Robertson and children, Mrs. Berry Norton and son of Pampa spent Saturday night and Sunday in the W. L. Jordan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Whiddon and children of Amarillo visited last Thursday in the F. C. Crofford home.

Bro. and Mrs. Strickland spent the day Sunday in the R. Cannon home.

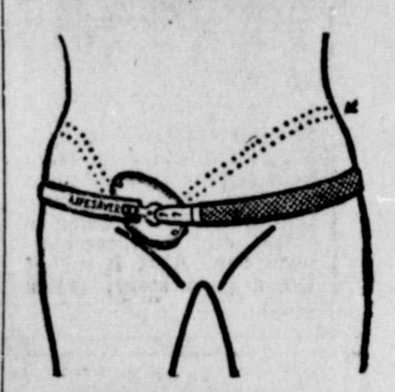
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pittman and son of Stratford, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and boys and Maynard Lawson of Amarillo spent Sunday in the W. D. Higgins home.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and Tommy visited Mr. and Mrs. Tick Barbee Saturday night. Mr. Ben Kyser was in the Groom hospital from Tuesday night until Sunday for medical treatment. Among those to visit him were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hodnett, Mr. Louis Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Christie and Mrs. Talley.

Pat Pittman visited Sunday in the W. L. Jordan home.

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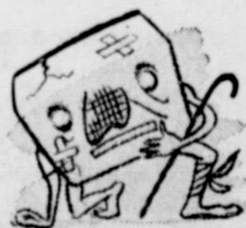
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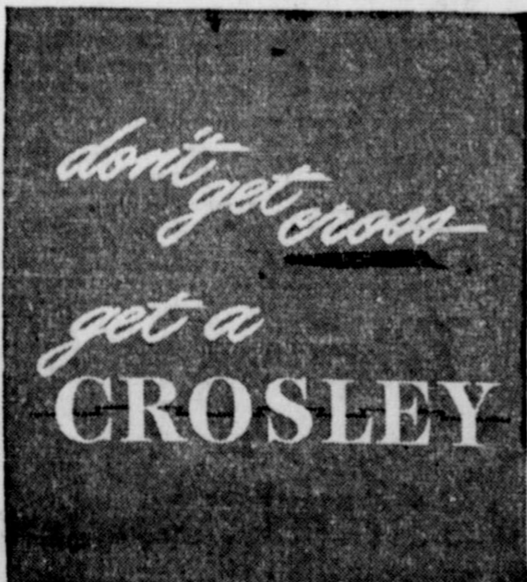
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### Church News

**ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
The Rev. W. Warrin Fry  
Phone 276  
December 12th Third Sunday in Advent.

4:30 p. m. Evening Prayer and Sermon; Church School.  
December 15th, Wednesday Ember Day;  
10 a. m. Holy Communion.  
December 17th Friday Ember Day, 10 a. m. Holy Communion.  
December 21st, Tuesday St. Thomas' Day.  
10 a. m. Holy Communion.

December 24th, Christmas Eve. 11:30 p. m. Christmas Communion Service. Over by 12:30 a. m.  
December 26th First Sunday after Christmas.  
4:30 Evening Prayer and Sermon; Church School.  
December 28th Holy Innocents Day, Tuesday,  
10 a. m. Holy Communion.  
Your church is on the Air Friday over the Mutual Broadcasting System at 7:00 p. m. KVAL 940, Amarillo. "Great Scenes from Great Plays." Sunday at 7:30 a. m., over KGNC. National Broadcasting System. "The Episcopal Hour."

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Doyle Williams, Minister  
Bible School—10:00 a. m.  
Preaching—11 a. m. & 7:45 p. m.  
Communion at 11:45 a. m. and 8 p. m.  
Ladies Bible study Wednesday at 3:00 p. m.  
Mid-week Bible study, Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.  
You are welcome to every service.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Clarendon, Texas  
Bible School—9:45  
Roy Clampitt, Supt.  
R. C. Bolton will bring the morning message at 10:45.  
Christian Endeavor at 6:30.  
Bro. Bolton plans to open the new Washington Avenue Christian Church, located at 38th & Washington, Amarillo, Texas, on January 2nd.  
Renew that good habit and bring a friend to church with you Sunday.

Mr. Frank White Jr. left Sunday for South Dakota. He was accompanied by Mr. Lewis of Lelia Lake and Paul Hood of Claude.

**Dr. George Shadid**  
DENTIST  
Office Hours—8 a. m. to 6 p. m.  
Located in Goldston Bldg.  
Room 208  
Office Phone 328 Res. 173-J

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
L. A. Sartain, pastor  
J. M. Rampey, Music & Edu.  
9:45—Sunday School  
Alfred Estlack, Supt.  
11:00—Morning Worship  
6:30—Training Union  
Jack Eddings, Director  
7:30—Evening Worship Service  
6:30—Monday R.A. and G.A.  
3:00 p. m.—Wednesday, W.M.S.  
7:30 p. m.—Wednesday Prayer Service.  
8:15 p. m. — Wednesday Choir Practice.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Stanley W. Hayne, Pastor  
Sunday, December 12th  
9:45 A. M.—Church School  
J. R. Gillham, Superintendent  
10:50—Morning Worship  
Topic: "If Christmas Comes."  
6:30 p. m. — Methodist Youth Fellowship.  
Evening Service—7:30 p. m.

Topic: "Moses' Choice."  
Wed., 7:30 p. m. — Mid-week Fellowship Hour.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Paul D. Wright, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.  
5:00 p. m.—Evening Worship.

**ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS MEETING**  
Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of The Stockholders of The First National Bank of Clarendon, Texas, will be held on the 11th day of January, 1949, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.  
W. W. Taylor, Cashier.  
(43-2c)

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## - APPRECIATION -

We wish to take this means of expressing our sincere appreciation for the response we received last week end in the observance of our 29th anniversary. Our business and our success during those 29 years can be attributed only to your patronage and your friendship, and we want you to know that we deeply appreciate everything that has been turned our way, and in the future we shall always try to conduct our business in such a manner as to merit your continued patronage.

We are exceptionally proud of the way in which you joined us in helping us celebrate our 29th birthday as a business firm. We shall always try to serve you with the best in quality merchandise and service.

## GIVE a thrilling 1949 PHILCO REFRIGERATOR

**Brand New 1949 Models Just Arrived in Time for Christmas Delivery**

Yes, the new Philco Refrigerators with brand new 1949 features are here. The last word in convenience—sensational value. Come in, make your selection now. Christmas delivery assured if you hurry!



**DELUXE QUALITY PHILCO 892**  
Full Shelf Adjustability. Freezer Locker. Crispers, meat drawer. 8.1 cu. ft. capacity. 16 sq. ft. shelf area. **\$305.50**  
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**PLUS** Double Crispers • Meat Drawer • Vegetable Bin • Self-Closing Door Latch • Easy-Out Ice Trays.

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<b>Yukon's Best Flour</b>	25 lb. Sack .....	<b>\$1.79</b>
<b>CANDY</b>	Pound .....	<b>25c</b>
Plenty of Nice Cakes to pick from	<b>FRESH FRUIT PIES</b>	<b>55c</b>
	Large One—Only .....	
	<b>HONEY</b>	<b>98c</b>
	Half Gallon Pail .....	
	<b>MILK</b>	<b>14c</b>
	Large Can .....	
For your Xmas Nuts Check Our Large Stock	<b>DREFT or VEL SOAP</b>	<b>28c</b>
	Box .....	
	<b>SHELLED PECANS</b>	<b>79c</b>
	Pound .....	
	<b>ORANGE JUICE</b>	<b>25c</b>
	Adams—46 oz. Can .....	
<b>FRUITS &amp; VEGETABLES</b>	<b>SUGAR</b>	<b>IN OUR MARKET</b>
<b>ORANGES</b>	10 LBS.	<b>Ground Beef</b>
Texas—5 lb. Bag .....	<b>89c</b>	FRESH—Pound .....
<b>ONIONS</b>		<b>Sliced Bacon</b>
Sweet—Pound .....	<b>OLEO</b>	BREAKFAST—Pound .....
<b>SPUDS</b>	POUND	<b>CHEESE</b>
Large Red—10 lbs. ....	<b>35c</b>	Longhorn—Pound .....
<b>CELERY</b>		<b>CHILI</b>
Large Stalk .....		Brick—Pound .....

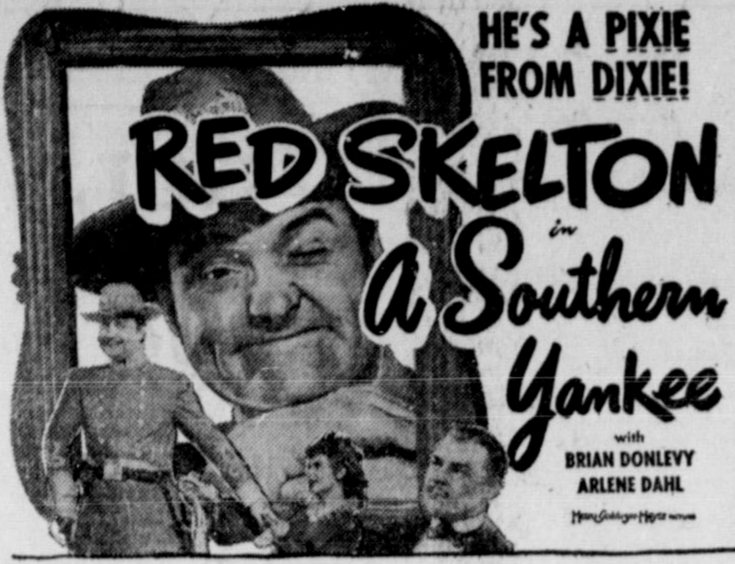
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DICK VALLANCE, Mgr. CLARENDON, TEXAS

MULKEY

THURSDAY - FRIDAY  
December 16-17th

MULKEY



Fox News

Harold White left for his home at Ft. Worth Sunday after a three weeks visit with homefolks.

MULKEY

Wednesday Only—Bargain Day  
December 15th



### FARM NEWS

We finally have that information concerning the time and places for voting. We have been promising nearly a month to let you know soon where to go to vote for your community committeemen. Be sure and go vote and let the committeemen know that you are interested in helping them. Their job is not a profitable one to them. Community Committeemen are paid at the rate of four dollars per day. The only benefit they get for their services is the thanks of their neighbors, so let them know that you appreciate them by voting.

The polls will be open Saturday, December 11th. The Places for voting are: Community A, AAA office in Clarendon; Community B, Lovell's Station in Ashtola; Community C, AAA of-

fice in Clarendon; Community D, AAA office in Clarendon; Community E, Howard's Store in Lelia Lake; Community F, City Hall in Hedley; Community G, City Hall in Hedley; Community H, Glenwood School south of Alanreed.

Nearly 250 votes have already been cast and turned in to the office here, but that isn't enough. We are hoping for the largest vote in Donley County since the beginning of the Agricultural Conservation Program. The wives of the farmers are eligible to vote in this election. With the farm population in Donley County it is not too much to ask for 1000 votes.

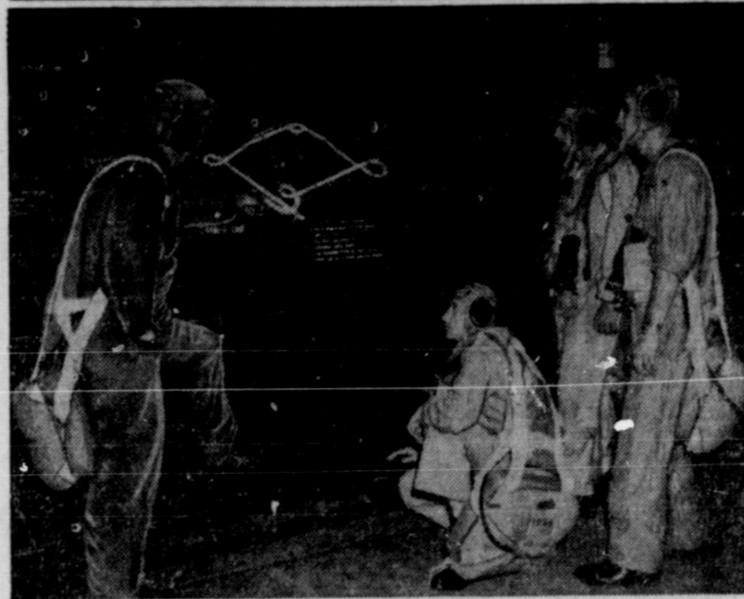
More good news, we are able to help anyone construct new terraces, tanks, or dams. The limit to each farmer is \$500.00 which will build about 6.3 miles of large ridge terraces. Several of the farmers who want to get their terraces built before spring are getting the lines run for them now, and they plan to start construction just as soon as they can get a contractor to do the work.

#### Old Timer Passes Away

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Johnson and Loyd went to Amarillo Thursday to a funeral of Mrs. Emma Jackson who was an old timer of the Panhandle and who lived to be 81 years old. She is survived by two daughters and two brothers and a number of grandchildren. Many friends as well as loved ones mourn her passing. She was buried at Wayside Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Skelton and Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Skelton went to Amarillo Saturday to be with their mother who had a major operation at Northwest Texas Hospital Saturday morning. She is doing nicely.

### Pre-Flight Briefing for Embryo Pilots



Standard instrument pattern is carefully explained to Naval Aviation Cadets by their instructor in a pre-flight briefing at Pensacola, Florida. Pensacola Naval Air Station, the "Annapolis of the Air," is the focus of the recently reactivated Naval Aviation Cadet training program, which is open to healthy, single young men between 18 and 25, with at least two years of college. Upon graduation they are commissioned ensigns in the Naval Reserve, or second lieutenants in the Marine Corps Reserve, are awarded their wings and assigned to two years' active duty.

(Official Navy Photograph)



We thank thee Lord for moments spent  
With peace of mind and hearts content.

And nothing we might sell or buy  
Could bring this peace to you or I  
There is no way or other plan  
But that it pass from God to man.  
And as it passes into our soul  
Our broken heart again is whole.  
We used the first two lines of the above poem some two weeks ago and by special request we are including the balance of the little poem.

Read this in Mr. Nordyke's Column, sent in by a reader from Clarendon: "I once read in a book that there was a man called Jesus who went about doing good. I was greatly concerned when I realized I spend my time merely going about." Guess you all read it, but it seemed worth reading again to me.

A Reader heard this on the radio: "Gossipers run down more people than do the automobiles." Another one from a Reader that listens to the radio: "In a way mosquitoes are a bit like children; when they are real quiet they are usually into something." Maybe it was the other way or was it we grown-ups.

There might have been a time when you could have told a man with money by the kind of auto-

#### CROWN TEXAN A WHEAT CHAMPION



W. P. Axe

For growing the best Texas wheat exhibited at the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo, Texas, W. P. Axe of Hereford has been awarded the Philip W. Pillsbury trophy, and will have his grain judged for the national Pillsbury prize at Minneapolis, Minn., next spring.

Axe's wheat will compete with samples from the other principal wheat-growing states in the 8th annual competition for this award, which consists of \$100 in cash and an all-expense trip to Minneapolis. This is the first year that Texas wheat has been entered in this competition.

Axe grew the prize-winning grain on his thousand-acre Deaf Smith County ranch, where he also grows potatoes and grain sorghums.

It was hard red winter wheat of the Westar variety, and was grown on 300 acres of irrigated land following a crop of potatoes harvested in July, 1947.

Wheat grown by Leonard F. Wright of Farnsworth, who won second place at the Tri State Fair, also is eligible to compete for the national prize.

MULKEY - SUNDAY, MONDAY & TUESDAY - MULKEY  
December 12-14th



Fox News

keep missing the blizzards I think I'll move down.

Enjoyed my little visit with the folks at Lelia Lake the other day. Didn't have much time, but saw the Wolford's, Bro. Phillips (I still am keeping quiet on who my kinfolks are down that way). Also dropped by Willard's Station and had a Coke (spelled with capital letters) and paid for it, inasmuch as Willard wasn't in. I talked some of the folks out of an invitation to the Farm Bureau Chili Supper this Friday night. Anyway, I am coming down if Mama doesn't have somewhere else, promised already.

Leonard Parker of Wichita Falls visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Warner, Wednesday.

Miss Elizabeth Benson of Hereford is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Forest Sawyer.

Mrs. Jessie Wilson from Jasonville, Ind. is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smallwood of Dallas visited relatives in Clarendon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Waters visited her sister, Mrs. B. H. Eudy at Memphis Sunday.

Mrs. Lloyd Benson and Mrs. William Lewis were shopping in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Sprinkles made a business trip to Memphis Saturday.

MULKEY

SATURDAY ONLY  
December 11th

MULKEY



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CRACKERS 2 lb. Box	45c	PURE LARD 3 lb. Carton	79c
ORANGE JUICE Adams-46 oz. Can	25c	SHORTENING 3 lbs.	89c
SUGAR Pure Cane-10 lbs.	95c	MILK Large Can	14c
PRESERVES Peach or Apricot-2 lb. Jar	43c	APPLES Delicious-1 lb.	15c

Sliced Bacon ARMOURS POUND	Pork Chops POUND	Round Cheese POUND
65c	55c	49c

## Crisco 3 lbs. \$1.25

ORANGES Texas-Dozen	20c	ALL SOAP FLAKES Large Box	35c
PINK GRAPEFRUIT Each	5c	GRAPEFRUIT JUICE No. 2 Cans-3 for	25c
MEAL Aunt Jemima-5 lbs.	45c	BAB-O 2 Cans	25c
POST TOASTIES Large Box	25c	OLEOMARGARINE 1 lb.	35c

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MILK Large Cans—Each CARNATION or PET .14

PECANS Large paper shell—1 lb. 29c

ORANGES Large Texas—Doz. 29c

CARROTS Large Calif.—2 bunches 15c



3 lb. Carton .73

Velor Dreft Large Box .29



49c

PORK CHOPS Pound 49c



Pound 69c

Xmas Candy MIX POUND 25c

OLEO Meadolake-1 lb. 35c

Macaroni & Spaghetti O. B.—Box 5c

Flour PURA SNOW 25 lb. Sack \$1.89



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CLARENDON, DONLEY COUNTY, TEXAS, DECEMBER 9, 1948

A Common Paper for Common People

Letters to Santa:

Dear Santa:  
I am a girl nine years old but will be ten December 13th. I would like to have a lot of things for Christmas. I would like to have a watch and some riding boots. I don't know whether I want a doll or not. Well anything else you think I will like for Christmas. I wish you a Merry, Merry Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Mary Frances McCully

will bring all the girls and boys something to have fun with. I will have a piece of candy on the table for you. I have 3 little brothers. I want you to bring them something, too.  
Love,  
Jeanie McAnear

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a double set of guns. I want a football and some little cars.  
Jimmie Johnson

Dear Santa:  
I want a basketball, a doll, a doll buggy. I want a bicycle and don't forget the boys and girls too.  
Virginia Taylor

Dear Santa:  
I am 10 years old. I would like to have a gun, and a scabbard and tool set and shaps; that is all I want.  
Your friend,  
Nathan

Dear Santa:  
I would like for you to bring me some boxing gloves, a bicycle, a watch and a football suit. My stocking will be waiting for you.  
Your friend,  
Keith Pittman

Dear Santa Claus:  
How are you? I hope you are O.K. I am going to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a doll. I hope you bring my teacher what she wants. Bring my little sister a doll and bed. Send every one a happy Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Ruby Julia Swint

Dear Santa Claus:  
I appreciate what you bring all of the children. I am sure you are very tired of going all around the world. You are very nice. For Christmas I would like a bicycle. I am afraid you can't haul it.  
Your friend,  
Bonnie Joyce Riley

Dear Santa:  
I am nine years old and I want a new bicycle and a bee-bee gun. I want a forty-nine Ford. It is a little one too. I want a pair of skates, and a pair of ice skates too. I want a football, and a basketball set too.  
Your friend,  
Buddy

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little boy 3 years old. I am a good boy, I think. Please bring me a truck and gun and plenty of nuts, fruit and candy.  
Your little friend,  
James Carroll Moffett

Dear Santa Claus:  
Bring me a doll buggy and a note book. And don't forget other boys and girls. Bring my brother a tricycle. Bring my sister a doll buggy and a piano. That is all.  
Carole Weaver

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a boy. I am eight years old. I want a pair of cowboy boots. I want a punching bag too. Please bring an inflating needle, too. Don't forget the other boys and girls and don't forget Miss Strawn. Thank you.  
Wayne Wood

Dear Santa:  
I am a girl 10 years old. I have been a good girl. I want a bicycle for Christmas. I will have a plate full of cookies on the table for you. Please don't forget my mother and father, brothers, sisters, and other people. Don't forget to bring me some nuts, fruit and candy.  
Yours truly,  
Melba Jean Brown

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me a doll and a pair of Skates and a stove. Please bring my three little sisters a doll and a ball. Take the other boys and girls something.  
Ottie Williams

Dear Santa:  
I am nine years old. I would like a magic skin doll with long red hair, a pair of house shoes, a zipper note book, a hair brush, and plenty of nuts but not much candy but a little. Be sure to come by my house because I will put out a piece of fruit-cake and a coke.  
Your friend,  
Carolyn Thomas

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been a pretty good boy this year. Please bring me boots, gun and a book satchel. Bring all the poor boys and girls something so everybody will be happy Christmas.  
Love,  
Jerry Montgomery

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like to get a bicycle and some candy, also I would like some nuts for Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Marjorie Green

Dear Santa:  
It is just about Christmas, so I am telling you what I want. I want a football and suit and tool kit, and everything that goes with the suit and kit too.  
My love,  
Charles Anderson

Dear Santa:  
I am a boy 10 years old. I want a bicycle and some boxing gloves and a football.  
Your friend,  
Jimmy

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like for you to bring me a doll or a bicycle. Don't forget the other children. I will have a coke on the table for you.  
Your friend,  
Joyce Hall

Dear Santa:  
I am a boy seven years old. For Christmas I would like a wagon, air gun, football, some candy, nuts and fruit. I would like you to bring me a little pony. I have been a good boy.  
Louis Youree



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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Joe Marsh

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Your friend,  
Thomas Taylor

Dear Santa Claus:  
My name is Theda Rose Anderson. I want a little piano for Christmas, a doll and buggy, and lots of candy and nuts. Bring my brothers Tommy and Doug some candy and nuts too. Please bring Tommy a little wagon and a gun. Bring Doug a beebie gun and a cowboy suit. Bring mother and father something too, something for mother to use in the kitchen and something for father to use in the garage.  
Your friend,  
Theda

Dear Santa:  
My sister wants a doll that cries. My little brother wants a wagon with sideboards. My mother wants some dishes and some cups. I want a monopoly set.  
Your friend,  
Evelyn L. Chamberlain

Dear Santa:  
I want a pair of boots this Christmas. My brother wants a twenty-two. My father wants a new suit.  
Your love,  
Donald Adams

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me two guns and two holsters and a belt with them, and plenty of candy also.  
All my love,  
J. A. Brogdon

Dear Santa:  
I would like to have a wrist watch, football, bee-bee gun, model airplane, and please don't forget the little children overseas. Give them all kinds of fruit and toys. Don't forget my little brother that is five. He wants a cowboy suit, toy shotgun, a little pair of boxing gloves and a jeep.  
Your friend,  
Jimmy Carter

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me some boxing gloves, some cowboy boots, some cap pistols and some caps and candy, nuts, apples, oranges. I am a good boy part of the time.  
Your friend,  
Milton Mann

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want most everything but I can not have that. So I want two guns and there is something that I want bad for my teacher—a big bag full of children. I want a pony too. I want some round tracks for my train. Merry Christmas all.  
Butch Schollenbarger

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a boy in the second grade. My name is Douglas Anderson. I want a B-B gun for Christmas and two guns and a scabbard and a football too.  
Your friend,  
Douglas

Dear Santa:  
I like to work at school and at home. I wash and dry the dishes for mother. Some times it is hard work. Will you please bring me a watch, an air rifle, a basketball and the basketball goals. I want a badminton set. I hope I see you Christmas night. Merry Christmas.  
Love,  
Bobby Sartain

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want an air rifle and a football.  
Your friend,  
Willard Webb

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like to have a doll buggy for Christmas. I would like to have a basketball for Christmas. If you can't bring me both, bring me the doll buggy.  
Love,  
Suzanne Sandifer

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little girl 7 years old. Would you please bring me a doll bed and a nurse set, I have a little brother 5 years old. He wants a pair of cowboy boots and a hat. We want some candy and nuts. Please don't forget all the other little children.  
Florene Mulanax

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a football and I want a blackboard and a punching bag. I want a cowboy hat and a pair of shaps.  
Your friend,  
Cloyce Karnes

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like a big bicycle. I would like lots of candy canes and nuts. Happy Christmas to you.  
Bob Schull

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a doll house with furniture. I hope you won't forget the good boys and girls everywhere.  
With love,  
Jonna Lee Blocker

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have been a good girl. I want a doll and a pair of skates and a stove. Take the other girls and boys something, too. We want some candy and nuts.  
Rose Williams

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a Jeep and a book sachtel and a book. Don't forget to leave some candy and nuts.  
Yours truly,  
Gary C. Longan

Dear Santa:  
Here comes a little girl seven years old. Please bring me a stove and a doll buggy and all kinds of fruits and nuts. Don't forget mother and daddy.  
Love,  
Cora Ann Elliott

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little girl almost four years old. Will you please bring me a doll and doll buggy and some little red gloves and lots of candy, fruit and nuts.  
I love you,  
Donna Faye Wiginton

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a carpenter outfit, fruit, nuts and candy.  
Larry Lee Paulk

Dear Santa:  
We are 3 children, Drenda is 4½, Oveta is 5½ and I am 11. Drenda wants a doll that wets and a toy broom and Oneta wants a doll that cries and a toy mop together. They want a tea set and I would like a burner set and some animals and fire crackers. Bring us all some fruit, candy and lots of nuts.  
Duane, Drenda and Oveta Gorman

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little girl 6 years old. I go to school. I am in the first grade. I want a play bank, nuts, candy and fruit. Remember all the other boys and girls.  
Love,  
Brendia Gay Putman

Dear Santa:  
I want a bike, a fishing pole, a watch, a sled and skates. That is all I want.  
Your friend,  
Wes Knorpp

Dear Santa:  
I am a little boy 6 years old and am in the first grade. Would you please bring me a service station.  
With love,  
Lynn Douglas Spier

Dear Santa:  
My name is Kenneth Koen. I am 9 years old. I would like a football and a fishing tackle. My little brother Lynn wants a tricycle.  
Your friend,  
Kenneth Koen

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want you to bring me some story books and a basketball. My little sisters want a doll and my other sister wants a set of dishes and a doll.  
Your friend,  
Gayle Lemons

Dear Santa:  
I am a little girl. I am in the 3rd grade. I'm 8 years old. I would like to have a big baby doll and lots of candy, and don't forget my two little brothers, and my big sister and brother. We will be looking for you on Xmas. My big brother is in the army.  
Merry Xmas,  
Wanda Nell Bagwell

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a football, some fireworks, nuts, candy and BB's for my gun. I would like a cap pistol and caps too.  
Your friend,  
Pat Allen

Dear Santa:  
My brother and I wish for a wagon. My three sisters wish for a doll house.  
Your friend,  
Paul

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like a bicycle and that's all I want. I am going to leave a cup of coffee and a sandwich for you.  
Your friend,  
Bob Bell

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like to have a watch and a set of cap guns and holster. If I am good enough, please bring me a football.  
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I would like to have a little doll for Christmas, a monopoly set, and a nurse set.

Your friend,  
Jinna Sue Bain

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like a rubber doll and some dishes, and I will put an apple and an orange and a sandwich and that is all.

Your friend,  
Janet Marie Sanders

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like a doll bed. I have three dolls. I would like a doll. We will have some candy canes on our Christmas tree. You may have them. You will find a letter by the chimney.

Your friend,  
Patsy Schull

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me a doll house and furniture, a new wagon and doll, gloves and purse, book sachel, sewing machine and big ball, new gown and shoes, cash register. Don't forget the orphans and poor children.

Your friend,  
Georgia Bell Harmon

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like a gun. I want a red and blue bicycle. I want a wagon for Christmas.

Your friend,  
Elbert Swearingen

Dear Santa:  
Please I want a doll. That is all I want. Goodbye Santa Claus.

Your friend,  
Betsy Chamberlain

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like to have a doll with yellow hair and a white dress. I would like to have a bicycle, a robe, a pair of pajamas and a pair of bedroom slippers. Don't forget my little nephew, Carl Wayne.

Your friend,  
Lorna Dee Underdown

Dear Santa Claus:  
You are a nice man, and I like you very much. You are the nicest, jolly old man I know. I want an electric train and some candy for Christmas, please.

Your friend,  
Jack Moore

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like a gun. I would like a football, a bicycle and a train.

Your friend,  
Clifford

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like a magic skin doll for Christmas. Please bring some hangers with it. I want a suitcase and some doll clothes with an evening gown.

Your friend,  
Edna Frances Wright

Dear Santa:  
I have tried to be a good girl this year. Please bring me a doll, doll buggy, nurse kit, puzzles and candy, nuts and fruit. Remember my nephews, sister and brothers, and all the other little children everywhere.

Love,  
Georgia Robertson

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little girl 9 years old. I go to school and am in the third grade. I want a story book and please bring my little sisters something.

Love,  
Ola Mae Putman

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a magic skin doll and doll bed and a vanity set, also house shoes and candy and nuts. Remember all other little boys and girls. I am 6 years old.

Your friend,  
Glenda Koontz

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want you to bring me a bicycle, and a train, a bulldozer, a bow and arrow and oranges, apples, candy and nuts.

Your friend,  
Glenn Reeves

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little boy six years old and am in the first grade. Please bring me a little service station, boots and gun. Don't forget my little brother and my teacher, Mrs. Ballew.

Thank you,  
Lynn Douglas Spier

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me - - - - . I hope you won't forget the good boys and girls - - ever.

Love,  
Connie McMurtry

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me - - - - . I want a magic skin doll and a pair of skates.

Ann Word

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like a doll and a machine. My brother wants a gun and a train. We both want candy, and nuts.

Your friend,  
Stella Tipton

Dear Santa:  
I would like a pair of house-shoes and a house coat. Please bring my brother a tricycle and some cars, a ball, a train, a stick horse. Please bring my sister a pair of house shoes, a house coat, a box of dishes. Bring my mother a new dress and a new pair of shoes. Bring my daddy a pair of house shoes.

Your friend,  
Mary Ernestine Taylor

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like a pretty bride-doll for Christmas. I would like a bicycle too.

Your friend,  
Frances Jean Garner

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like to have a bicycle for Christmas. I would like to have a pair of boxing gloves for Christmas too. I will have some cereals on the table for you. I will have some candy in a sack on the table.

Your friend,  
Jack Robertson

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a football, a pair of boxing gloves, carpenter's set.

Charles Percival

Dear Santa Claus:  
I hope you come to my house. I have been a good boy. I would like to have a bicycle for Christmas.

Your friend,  
Jerry Dee

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like a piano, a pocket-book, and some doll clothes. Thank you.

Yours truly,  
Beth Gillham

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like to have a big doll, a bracelet, and a new purse. I am going to leave some nuts and candy for you.

Your friend,  
Maine Talley

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like to have an electric train for Christmas.

Your friend,  
Harley Dean Longan

Dear Santa:  
I would like a set of dishes and doll and a doll for my sisters. Bring my sister a basketball, and my mother a set of dishes.

Yours truly,  
Linda Lemons

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a bicycle for Christmas. I would like a pair of boxing gloves, too.

Your friend,  
Alvin

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me a Trudy doll, train, cash register, desk, doctors set, suckers, candy fruit and nuts.

Kay Lane

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like for you to bring me a little baby doll and a bicycle for Christmas. Don't bring it if you have too much other work. I will have some coffee for you on the coffee table and some nuts and walnuts for you, too. Love.

Your friend,  
Peggy Henson

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a boy 8 years and I live on a farm a few miles out from Clarendon. I have been good and made good grades in school. Please bring me an electric train, a Jeep, a bat and balls, steam shovel, a bulldozer, a motor boat, and a road grader, a little car, some socks, a dump truck, a rock crusher, and a play horse.

Cleo and Gary Woods

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a toy train that runs on a track. I want a double barrel pirate gun and some candy, nuts and fruit. Please bring my little cousins something nice too as this is their very first Christmas. I am seven years old. Thank you.

Randy Thompson

Dear Santa:  
You bring joy every Christmas when you come. I enjoy every Christmas. I want a Bible that has both testaments.

Rose Mary Robinson

Dear Santa:  
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Your little friend,  
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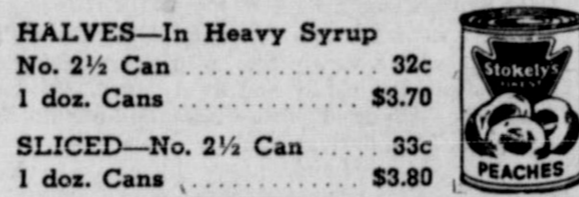
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## ASHTOLA

Mrs. Doyce Graham

Guests in the Slim Hinders home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gage of Salinas, Calif., Mrs. Elizabeth Davis from Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rice and son, Jerry, of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rice and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Rice and children of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Knox attended the funeral of an aunt, Mrs. A. L. Simmons of Hereford last week.

We are sorry to lose a family this week. Mrs. Eleanor Holland and sons moved to Hudgins.

Mrs. John Brandon is on our sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey and Mr. and Mrs. Dane Perdue visited the Brack Millers in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Knox attended the banquet at the Baptist Church Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boyd from Lonewolf, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Biddy from Blair, Okla. visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Biddy from Thurs. till Saturday.

Richard and Willard Dean Higdon of Groom are visiting in the L. O. Morris home.

Mrs. J. R. Brandon shopped in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John White visited Ray Briggs and family at Lelia Lake Sunday.

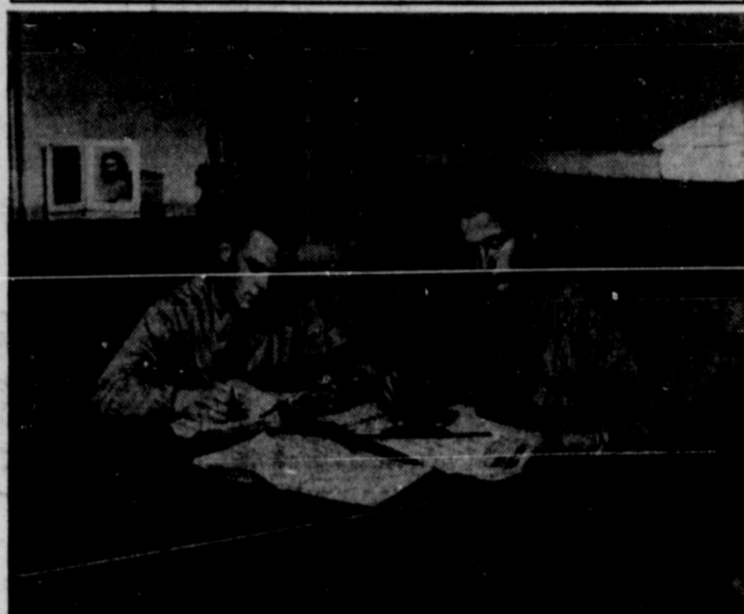
Mrs. L. O. Morris attended a bridal shower for Betty Fern Higdon in Groom Thursday.

Freddie Mulkey spent last week with his grandparents in Canyon.

Erna Naylor and Edna Perdue were visitors Thursday with Laura Mahaffey.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harp and Mrs. Merle Thompson and Lucky

## A Quiet Evening at Home



Tomorrow these Aviation Cadets in training at the Pensacola Naval Air Station will put their homework into actual practice in the skies over the Florida base. Two cadets are assigned to large rooms in brick dormitories. Pensacola Naval Air Station, the "Annapolis of the Air," is the focus of the recently reactivated Naval Aviation Cadet training program, which is open to healthy, single young men between 18 and 25, with at least two years of college. Upon graduation they are commissioned ensigns in the Naval Reserve, or second lieutenants in the Marine Corps Reserve, are awarded their wings and assigned to two years' active duty. (Official Navy Photograph)

Lucille Dale spent Saturday night with Mrs. R. A. Brame.

Those visiting in the Edgar Talley home Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Houston McDonald and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hauck and Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Ford and boys visited in the Jim Auldreich home Sunday evening.

Joe Putman spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Putman.

Dorothy Ann and Wanda Davis spent Saturday night with Eva and Dorothy Brock.

Daphne Roberson spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Al Covington and Keith.

Jerry McBrayer spent Sunday night with Kenneth Littlefield.

Pat Roberson spent Friday night with Carl Mac and Howard Talley.

Wanda Davis spent Tuesday night with Yvonne Putman.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Putman and girls visited with Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Reynolds Friday night.

Lucille Dale spent Wednesday night with Juanelle Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hauck and Ann visited in the Bill Littlefield home Thursday night.

Mrs. H. C. Smith and Mrs. Walter Bible visited with Mrs. Roy Roberson awhile Thursday.

Mr. J. R. Dale visited with relatives in Clarendon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennard Davis, Joe and Shirley visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Phillee of Lelia Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littlefield, Kenneth and Jerry McBrayer visited in the Roy Roberson home Sunday night.

## HUDGINS

Mrs. Carl Barker

Mr. Alton Jacobs of Amarillo visited his sister, Mrs. S. M. Harp Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mooring of Lelia Lake visited in the Carl Barker home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jacobs of Clarendon spent Friday in the S. M. Harp home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barker, Don, Mary, spent Sunday at Ashtola with the Doyce Grahams.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Harp visited in the Leon Foster home Tuesday.

Those to visit in the J. W. Shields home Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Briggs, and Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shields and family visited Lester Shields at Spade Flat Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Naylor and Mrs. Arnold of Clarendon spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. I. J. Self.

Mrs. Hester Shields spent Monday with Mrs. J. W. Shields.

Mr. L. L. Foster spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Foster.

Betty and Wanda Elliott spent Saturday night and Sunday with Drucilla Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Talley took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Dane Perdue Saturday night.

Mrs. Leon Foster, Drucilla and Betty and Wanda Elliott called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue called in the George Self home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Talley called in the Otto Elliott home Sunday night.

Bro. Murdock and wife were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Price Webb.

Barbara, Glenda, Cletta Koontz spent Saturday night and Sunday with grandmother Koontz.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Holland and sons visited in the Leon Foster home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brogdon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Othel Elliott of Martin.

Mrs. U. T. Fowler returned home Tuesday from a weekend visit with relatives at Amarillo and her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Whatley at Clovis, New Mex.

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made a business trip to Cleburne Wednesday, returning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Evans have a new Plymouth.

Ben Nelson's parents from Floydada are visiting in his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Butler and son visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barker, Don and Mary Lou visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Graham Sunday.

Ray Nix of Mineral Wells called awhile Sunday in the John White home.

Relatives visiting Mrs. A. L. Allen last week were Monroe Allen, Mrs. Frank Shenwell, and Sarah Shenwell from Lewisburg, Kentucky. They did not appreciate our sandstorms.

Mrs. Arlie Sutton and children and Mr. and Mrs. Houston Byrd of Wellington were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Tolbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Green of Borger visited Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Kidd visited Mrs. A. L. Allen Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Combost of Wichita Falls announce the arrival of a boy, December 4th. He was named Richard Terrell and weighed 7 lbs. 12 ozs.

## GOLDSTON

Daphne Roberson

Those visiting in the Bill Littlefield home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Myers, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. McBrayer, Jerry, Barbara and Gene.

Johnny Bill and Phillip Hermsmeier visited in the L. M. Putman home Sunday night.

Joe Don Davis spent Tuesday night with Pat Roberson.

Those visiting in the Virgil Littlefield home Friday and Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Mann Littlefield and family from Happy, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Littlefield and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Littlefield and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littlefield and boys.

Mrs. Jackson visited with Mrs. Mode Hatley Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Ford and boys visited in the Clarence Reynolds home Friday night.

Duane and Doyal Littlefield visited in the H. C. Smith home awhile Sunday night.

Steve Reynolds spent Friday night in the Doc Ford home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Moore and Glenda visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Moore Sunday.

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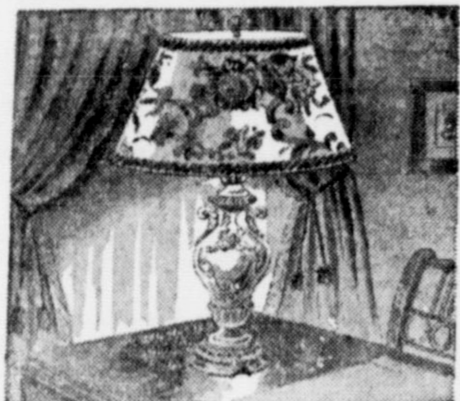
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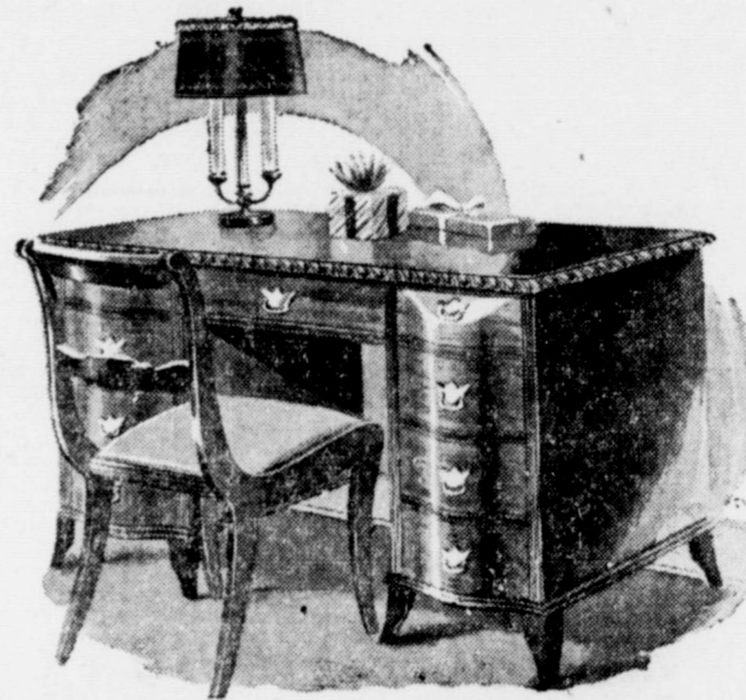
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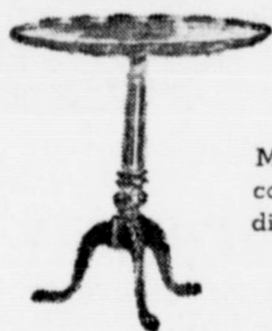
"Coffee an'" on Christmas morning will be the brightest ever in your breakfast nook if you furnish it with this streamlined dinette set. All frames made of stainless tubular steel. Oval table top has stainproof finish. Chair backs and seats are Duran Plastic.

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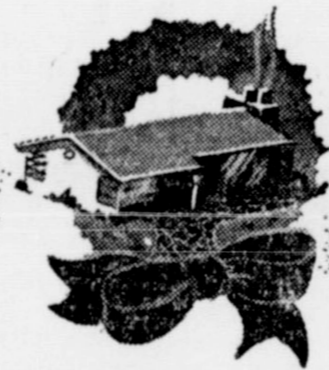
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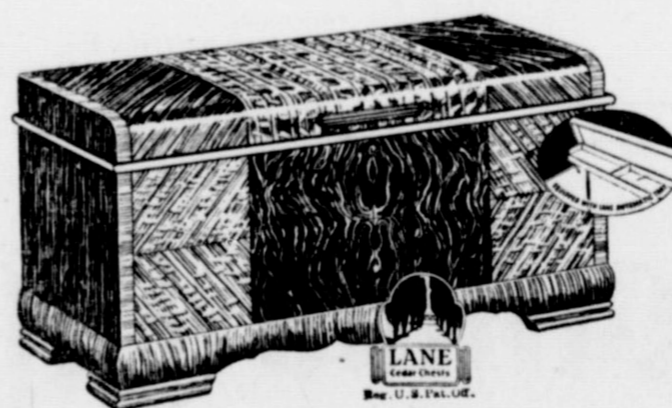
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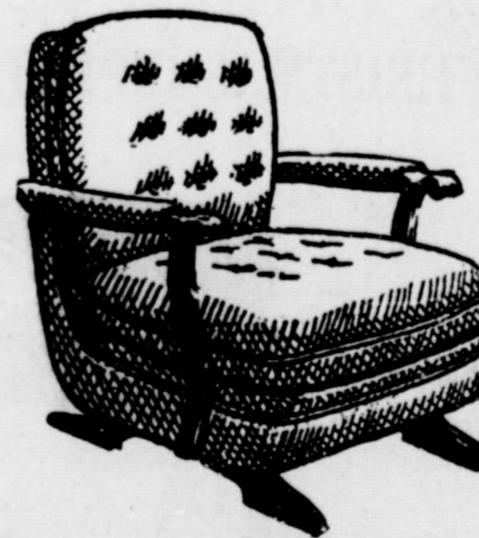


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Your little friend,  
Linda Carol Dodson

Dear Santa Claus:  
I would like a doll with a Dutch hat on her and a skating suit for her and some skating shoes and some shoes with her. I would like for her to be light headed. I would like some riding boots. I would like a little machine with some thread on it if you can get it. I would like some house shoes too if you can get them, and a Merry, Merry Christmas to you.  
Your friend,  
Loretta Mooney

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want three puzzles and a doll and a set of balls, set of dishes and two teddy bears.  
Linda Jo Self

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a jeep, a tractor and a book sachel and a book that I can read. Don't forget to bring Tom and Sandra some toys.  
Your friend,  
Bob Longan

Dear Santa Claus:  
Will you please bring me a pair of skates, also I would like a football and some candy and nuts.  
Thanks,  
John Tom Morrom

Dear Santa: Please don't forget other children. I want a magic skin doll and baking set, a pair of house shoes and a doll trunk and dishes.  
Beverly Ann Jones

Dear Santa:  
I hope you will bring my teacher a nice big sack of candy and nuts. Santa please don't forget my room. P. S. Santa I want a football.  
Bobby Beatty

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me a doll, and a desk.  
Love,  
Maggie Lula Morrow

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a gun and a sack of nuts, a sack of candy and remember the other little boys and girls. Merry Christmas to all.  
Love,  
Keith Sanders

Dear Santa:  
I have been a nice boy and some times I am a bad little boy. My mother would like to have a new pair of shoes. My daddy would like to have a new shirt and tie. Will you please bring them. I will leave you a big piece of cake and some cookies, and I would like to have a BB gun. Please bring other little boys and girls what they want, too, and please don't forget there are others around the world besides me. Thank you.  
Love,  
Hubert C. Heatherly

Dear Santa:  
Just a few lines to let you know I want to be remembered. Please bring me a new shirt and something to play with and don't forget my sisters and brothers; also I want some fruit, nuts and candy.  
Yours truly,  
Lowell Hall

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a doll buggy and a bicycle, please. This year we will get the sidewalks, and a Dy-dee doll. Is your name Santa or Santa Claus? Please bring me fruit, nuts and candy and a jumping rope, please.  
Toni Ann Rhode

Dear Santa:  
I am a little girl six years old. Please bring me a doll with hair, a doll bed and lots of goodies. I hope all the little children will have a happy Xmas.  
Love,  
Pat Wilson

Dear Santa:  
Please bring a doll, doll bed, and sewing machine.  
Norma Jean

Dear Santa Claus:  
I've been very good. Please bring me a two gunner and boots and spurs and a cowboy hat and chaps and an electric train and that's all.  
James Semrad

Dear Santa:  
I want a pair of skates. I want a doll and buggy.  
Love,  
Martha Ellen

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a saddle and a pair of shapps, also some nuts and fruit. Don't forget other little girls and boys.  
Love,  
Harold Ray Lindley

Dear Santa Claus:  
Thank you for all the things you have brought me. Please bring me a dancing doll with long hair. I go to school, so I can write you now.  
Love,  
Rose Dilli

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please bring me a doll and doll house and furniture too, also some story books and house shoes. I am 8 years old and in the 2nd grade. Don't forget the other boys and girls and my teacher.  
Thank you,  
Barbara Janice Koontz

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little boy in the second grade. I think I have been a very good boy. I would like for you to bring my brother and me a toy tool chest. Don't forget my two sisters.  
Love,  
Mackie

Dear Santa Claus:  
Please remember me on Christmas. I am a little girl 7 years old. I would like to have a drum, fountain pen, and a cowgirl outfit. I have a brother and a sister that want you to come to see them, too.  
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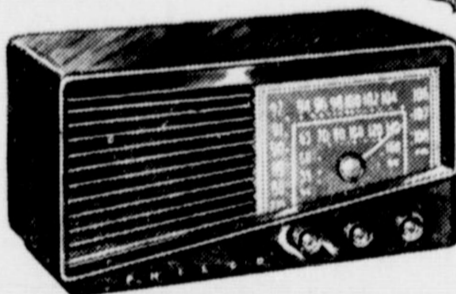
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We will do all that we can in the every day conduct of ourselves individually and in the conduct of our business to merit your friendship. We also want to thank our employees for their loyalty and pleasant association with us in our organization.

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