

Wheat Growers Re-Elect Witkowski; Hear Representative Graham Purcell

Leo Witkowski of Hereford was re-elected president of the Texas Association of Wheat Growers Tuesday during the second day of the annual convention held this year in Hereford.

Also re-elected were Kenneth Kendrick, Stratford, vice president-treasurer. Dwight Hamilton, Olney, replaces W. R. Moore Jr., Munday, as vice president.

Although the convention began here Monday, the bulk of the business was transacted throughout the day Tuesday. Members registered, were taken on a tour of local feed lots and had committee meetings Monday.

Business began Tuesday morning with a directors meeting in the Conference Room of the Red Carpet Inn, site for most of the activities. During the morning, committee reports were presented, resolutions worked out and officers elected.

At noon, directors, their wives and guests gathered for a

luncheon at the Caison House. The lady's program Tuesday consisted of a coffee at 9 a.m. in the Community Center during which the film "As Far As The Eye Can See" was shown; a tour of Holly Sugar, and a tour of the Community Center, Sugarland Mall and downtown Variety Park.

SPEAKERS HEARD

The general session of the convention began at 1 p.m. at the Community Center, with Witkowski calling the meeting to order and acting as chairman throughout the afternoon-long session.

First speaker was E. L. Hatcher of Lamar, Colo., president of the National Association of Wheat Growers. He began by describing some of the national organization's activities during the past year, telling of some of the legislation they had actively worked on and the outcome of that work.

Hatcher pointed out that he felt "wheat producers don't write their Congressmen enough." He said a Congress-

man had rather get a letter with a few misspelled words because he realizes that it is from the person actually doing the producing.

Asking the question, "Why can't farm organization get together?" He said he felt it would be within the next two years that the organizations would be united.

When the new farm bill comes out or the old one is extended by the new administration, Hatcher stated, wheat growers should have something constructive to say about it "or keep your mouth shut." He told those present that as long as the organization has something good and constructive, it should keep at the Congress door with it.

Hatcher said that too often too many of the members go home during the fight for legislation in Washington. "When you go home, send your neighbors back."

Hatcher closed by urging the wheat growers to unite with other organizations to increase the price of the farm product.

PRODUCTION COSTS

Following a president's report by Witkowski, Ervain Friehe, president of the Nebraska Association of Wheat Growers, presented a report on "Wheat Production Costs" in the Panhandle of Nebraska.

Friehe also presented a preliminary unpublished research on wheat production costs in Southwestern, South Central and Eastern Nebraska.

The study had been made, he said, in an attempt to solve the public relations problem between the producer and the town people, and it could be used in Washington to promote legislation.

SECRETARY X AND FUTURE

Edwin Jaenke, associate administrator of the ASCS (Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service) was next speaker. He described the next Secretary of Agriculture as the man who is going to have more effect on the farmer's life in the years to come than any other person in the past. He named the man "Secretary

X."

Jaenke, who has held his high ranking for the past eight years, discussed the problems which the next Secretary of Agriculture will be facing and the kind of man the people think they want.

It is hoped, said Jaenke, that Secretary X is a man who really understands the overall issues in agriculture, the main one being overproduction. "This is the foundation of the problem we have been dealing with since World War II. Prices, income, conservation — they all get back down to overproduction."

Jaenke urged wheat growers to help the new Secretary learn the overall problem during the years to come, "because it is going to continue."

In discussing how to solve the overproduction problem, Jaenke said in recent years the administration has used the specific commodity adjustment program, better known as the rifle approach. "Under this method, the programs have been directed at the specific item or group.

Another method is the shotgun approach, which calls for an overall retirement of land to help adjust the production. The massive land retirement will work only if the government can get enough land out, and "that comes costly," stated Jaenke. The reason for the high cost is that land of the commercial farmer would have to be retired also.

Jaenke said he was sure there would be new programs, but he urged those present to advise Secretary X to continue the approaches.

One of the first problems will be the budget, said Jaenke. The law requires the new secretary make out a budget and he must figure out if he wants changes and where he wants to put the money.

Limitation of payments is coming to the farmer, stated Jaenke. "It's just a matter of time." He pointed out that wheat growers must look at ways to meet the public relations problem, satisfying the critics and not killing the voluntary programs.

Secretary X will face a divided constituency and he must represent them all. "It's a battle of voices," said Jaenke. He said various farm groups are getting together, but others are still out.

The Senators, Congressmen and Secretary of Agriculture and President will listen when they all speak as one voice representing agriculture, emphasized Jaenke.

He also said there is a movement afoot to stop imports. Jaenke said this is a big mistake because it would lead to retaliatory action by those doing the importing and the commodities would be hard hit.

Another big problem mentioned by Jaenke is the outside money coming into agriculture, whether it be corporations or individuals. One reason for this, he pointed out, is that the producer can take a loss on agriculture and apply it to his income tax. Some are deliberately taking losses, he said, and it hurts the farmer trying to make a living.

Supporting the organization's representative in Washington also was emphasized by Jaenke. He urged wheat growers to strengthen their organization by getting new members so that legislators will listen when that representative goes to Washington.

Working with other organizations also puts more muscle to work for wheat growers, Jaenke said.

The convention adjourned with the banquet Tuesday night. See photos in this issue on the various convention activities and speakers.

Congressman Graham Purcell of Wichita Falls was featured speaker for the banquet Tuesday night at the Deaf Smith County Bull Barn. His speech is detailed in a separate story in this issue.

Those attending the banquet were met at the door by the Hereford Hustlers, official greeters for the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce. Entertainment was provided by the Spiritual Swingers.

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Winners Named In Speech Contest

John Cockerham, Rita Schumacher and Dianna Golden were named as the three top winners in the "Voice of Democracy" contest at a banquet held at Ward's Restaurant Monday night.

Hereford VFW Post No. 4818 sponsored the contest locally in co-operation with Hereford High School. The theme for this year contest was Freedom's Challenge.

Special Recognition certificates were presented to Bob Reed of KPAN Radio Station, KPAN Radio Station, and the Hereford

Brand.

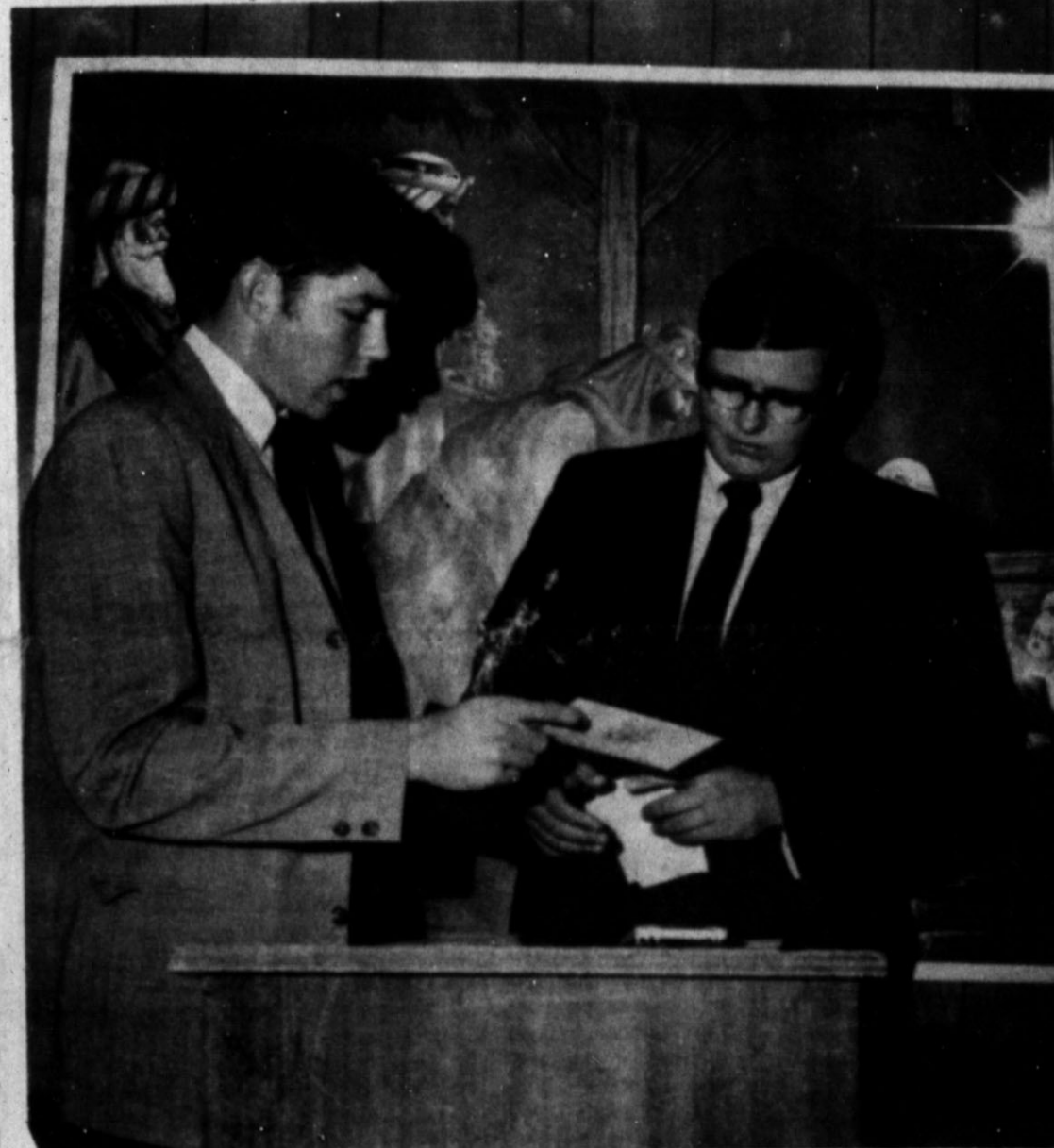
Mrs. Pic Thompson and Miss Imogene Anderson, teachers at Hereford High School, were presented awards for helping to carry out the program.

C. L. Walker, VFW Chairman of the committee and master of ceremonies for the evening, turned the program over to Marsh Pitman, last year's top winner, who presented the trophy and medals to this year's winners. He also presented patches to the top twelve winners.

The top winner from Hereford will go to District 13 and then on to State. The five top national prizes are scholarship awards: First place, \$5,000; second place, \$3,500; third place, \$2,500; fourth place, \$1,500; and fifth place, \$1,000.

John Cockerham's speech won first place in the Voice of Democracy contest in this area. For first place awards, he was presented with a \$25 savings bond, a trophy and a medal.

Cockerham is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cockerham of 609 N. Main St., and is one of three children.



VOICE OF DEMOCRACY — First place winner in the Voice of Democracy contest sponsored by Hereford VFW Post No. 4818 is John Cockerham. Above Marsh Pitman, left, is shown presenting the trophy and \$25 savings bonds to Cockerham. —Staff Photo

Mexican Dinner Will Have Home Delivery Here

A special Mexican dinner sponsored by San Pablo Methodist Church Saturday between 5 and 8 p. m. will include a delivery service for those who prefer to eat at home.

Rev. Fidel Alcalá, pastor of the San Pablo Church at 223 Kibbe, reported that persons who wish delivery here should call 364-3100.

He said that this project is "very important to the church" in that it will furnish funds for the church during the coming year. Tickets are now on sale at \$1.50 for adults and 75 cents for children. He said these tickets may be gotten from either the church or from any of its members, or at the First United Methodist Church at 5th and Main.

Rev. Alcalá emphasized that all people are welcome to eat at the church, although the delivery service is available.

He was born in Amarillo and has lived in the Panhandle area. Before moving to Hereford in August of this year, the Cockerhams had lived in Oklahoma City for three and a half years when John attended U. S. Grant High School.

Cockerham is a junior at Hereford High School and entered The Voice of Democracy contest as the result of an English assignment.

Following is the speech that won first place for him.

FREEDOM'S CHALLENGE
By JOHN COCKERHAM
Man's eternal quest for freedom.

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School Trustees To OK Building Plans

By EARL MOSELEY
Staff Writer

During a five-hour session of the regular Hereford Independent School District board of trustees meeting Tuesday night, a variety of topics were presented, including one that has received protest from the school superintendent and another that was erased from controversy.

Also presented was a report from assistant superintendent Robert Holman on the new South Hereford School building plans, which had been offered to PESO personnel in Amarillo earlier in the day for a study toward further architectural suggestions. Described as a progress report, Holman explained that his committee had not had a chance to get together for a summary of the "new ideas" but would do so prior to a special board of trustees meeting early next week (date undecided.)

Superintendent Johnny Clark Jr. reported to the trustees that the State Board of Cosmetology in Austin had proposed 1,500 hours of instruction instead of the 1,000-hour course previously offered, before a student would be eligible to take the State Board examination. Clark explained to them that such a move would probably eliminate all public school cosmetology since they "have an obligation to all subjects" making it unfeasible to extend the course from 3 hours to 4½ hours per day. He urged a board ruling on the mat-

ter at the end of the current semester when "all factors can be examined."

Two answers had been received on the protest from state officials, Clark told the trustees. He said the Attorney General's office replied that they did not have jurisdiction to enter the argument "under present circumstances," however, a reply from Rep. Bill Clayton indicated that he would check through the matter thoroughly and would take "all steps possible to correct."

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Deadline For Project Christmas Card Will Be Tuesday, Dec. 17

Deadline for Project Christmas Card, the annual campaign conducted by Hereford Medical Auxiliary for benefit of Deaf Smith County Hospital, will be next Tuesday, Dec. 17, Mrs. Howard R. Johnson, Auxiliary president, announced.

Members of the Auxiliary are receiving contributions, as they do each year, or gifts may be put in decorated canisters which have been placed in banks, some business houses and the hospital lobby. In addition, deposits to the fund may be made in either local bank.

The plan of Project Christmas Card is one that has been used by the Auxiliary here for a number of years. Each resident of the community is asked to contribute the amount which would be spent on holiday cards and postage if greetings were sent to all his friends locally.

Instead of the cards, his greetings to his friends in the area will be conveyed in a page in the Christmas edition of The Hereford Brand, which lists names of all the contributors.

The money will be used to provide a piece of equipment needed by the county hospital but not permitted in its budget. The particular gift to be made this year has not yet been designated.

Last year, Project Christmas Card funds were used for a monitor unit for use in checking on condition of patients in intensive care.

In previous years, such items as a fracture table, physicians' in-hospital call system, equipment for use in restorative dentistry, a cardiac monitor for use in surgery, furnishings for the children's wing and a dishwasher for the kitchen have been provided with the fund.

In addition, a nursing scholarship is given each spring to a graduate of Hereford High School who plans to enter nurses' training.

The Medical Auxiliary is made up of physicians' and dentists' wives here, who center their efforts each year on the Christmas project. Since it started, it has raised a total of more than \$20,000.

Chamber Directors Act On Big Agenda, Elect Officers

By TOM PORTER
News Editor

Directors of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce took action on a full agenda Wednesday morning during their last meeting of 1968, with one of the main items being election of officers.

Re-elected to their respective positions on the chamber were Earnest Langley, president; Dale Young, vice president, and Ed Line, treasurer. An officer nominating committee had recommended the names for approval by directors.

Neil Cooper, overall chairman of Operation Housing Survey reported that four of the

committees working on the survey already had meetings, with Bruce Coleman's committee to "Survey Overall Housing Needs" already having met twice.

Coleman's committee has made one recommendation, that housing projects be disbursed throughout the city, not just in one section. The committee plans to make a house to house survey to determine what the needs are. Businesses will be visited to see what incomes average in the city.

Cooper said the committee on "Labor Camp — Survey for Future" headed by John D. Pitman also has met, as had the committee on "Upgrading Existing Housing," headed by Roy Hartman.

Officials of the Federal Housing Administration came to Hereford at the request of the committee, said Cooper, and made a tour throughout the city and immediate surrounding area. The officials pointed out approaches they have to the hous-

ing problems and described programs of other agencies which the local community could use.

"A solution to migrant housing was conspicuous by its absence," said Cooper. "They just didn't have anything."

In summing up, Cooper said some of the committees in Operation Housing Survey depend on work done by other committees and therefore haven't met as yet.

He also stressed that the FHA wasn't trying to "sell the Chamber on anything, but just reported which programs they had available. Cooper emphasized that the overall committee is looking at all the possible solutions to the problems and haven't chosen any one.

Cases Heard In District Court

Six persons received sentences and a seventh had bond set during criminal action Tuesday in 69th District Court.

Robert Loyd Blasingame, charged with driving while intoxicated, second offense, was found guilty by a jury and sentenced to five years probation. Bond of \$1,000 was set on Francisco Villegas, who was charged with transporting liquor in a dry area.

Michael C. Padilla pleaded "Nola Contendere" to a charge of sodomy and received a five year probation sentence. Eugenio M. Garcia pleaded guilty to burglary and received four years in the state penitentiary.

Donald Lee Fund received a five year probation sentence when he pleaded guilty to a charge of forgery. Bessie Marie Bowen received three years probation when she pleaded guilty to a charge of swindle with a worthless check, and Weldon Lester Wagner got five years probation after pleading guilty to a charge of driving while intoxicated, second offense.

Court action will continue today, with Judge Archie McDonald presiding.

"Below Cost" Suit Filed On Gibson's

Gibson Products Company, the U. S. Court House in Lubbock.

The injunction is filed against Gibson's in Hereford, Lubbock, Canyon, Brownwood, Borger, and Seagoville (Gibson Development Co.); Allied Supermarkets Inc., M System Food Stores Inc., United Supermarkets Inc., Waples-Platter West Texas Inc., Buddies Supermarkets Inc., Kimbell Wholesale Groceries Inc., Kimbell Estate, Bill Sears Inc., J. R. B. Inc., and Shop Rite Foods Inc.

Jim Anderson, manager of Gibson Discount Center here, pointed out that the injunction hinges on "low prices."

The plaintiffs contend that they "will be forced to close their businesses in the immediate future suffering there by irreparable loss, unless such acts are enjoined." Reportedly they will present affidavits showing that similarly situated stores "of like nature have been forced to close because of the predatory practices of the defendants."

Hearing is set for Dec. 19 at

County Court Gets Road Warrants

Deaf Smith County Commissioners Court met Monday with Bob L. Davis, vice president of Columbian Securities Corporation of Texas, and officially made an order of issuance for \$225,000 in warrants for the purchase of right-of-way primarily along U. S. 60 from Hereford city limits to the Castro County line, to be widened into four lanes.

Davis told the commissioners that his company was "ready to go" on the project when approval was given the Court through the Texas Highway Department. However, such approval has not as yet been received, the Court reported, and estimated that such approval probably would not be received prior to the first of the year.

Restated was the Court's position in the right-of-way purchase matter: The county must pay the full amount for all pro-

perty before the state will reimburse in the payments for a total of 50 per cent. They also pointed out that it is possible that not all of the \$225,000 will be used — something in the neighborhood of \$100,000 will be returned to the county by the state.

Purchases cannot be made until state approval has been gained.

The Court authorized payment of \$4,743.75 to Columbian Securities in Amarillo upon completion of the right-of-way deal in behalf of the warrants.

Commissioners also agreed to a Christmas holiday for court house employees from "when business tapers off on the afternoon of Dec. 24 through the 25th and 26th." Road employees will have Dec. 25 and 26.

Richard R. Jaegels was appointed as Independent Public

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HHS Choir Is In KGNC-TV Xmas Program

Hereford High School Choir will occupy a 20-minute segment of a one-hour program of Christmas music featuring area high school choirs at 5 to 6 p. m. over KGNC-TV Channel 4 on Sunday, Dec. 22.

KGNC of Amarillo has invited all Deaf Smith County residents to watch the show "and see their high school choir in action." Bill Devers is director.

Weather		
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Sunday	61	24
Monday	63	28
Tuesday	63	26
Wednesday	65	35
Moisture for year:	9.43	

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operate with the schools."
Clark expressed the opinion that the State Board was "not fully aware of the problem" and that many students of cosmetology would never finish the course under circumstances of having to complete an additional 500 hours following graduation from school.

SOCIAL STUDIES REPORT

Four teachers presented a report on the Fenton Social Studies report and Trustee Secretary Dr. A. T. Mims requested clarification on the course's instruction of Eskimo, Russian and American political structures. Dr. Mims expressed his interest in behalf of honoring the American system over any form of socialism in school curriculum and inquired "if there is any danger present that the student will misunderstand" any leanings toward other government systems.

Holman, who introduced the teachers, explained that "there are safeguards built into the course instruction" and felt that there is little or no danger that students would come away from Social Studies favoring another form of government.

Afterward, the course was approved unanimously by the board.
Teachers appearing before the trustees were Mike King, American History and Government teacher at Hereford High School, Flo Dickinson, Social Studies and World History teacher at Stanton Junior High; and Billye Buck, World History teacher at the high school. Also present were principal Don T. Martin of Stanton and Jerry Don George of La Plata.

Mike King explained that the Fenton Social Studies "used the word inquiry instead of induction." With slides, he illustrated how Fenton had broken his objectives down into four major areas, content knowledge — "You must have content. Without content you can't have anything else" — inquiry skills — "perhaps the major innovative idea" — attitude — "people must be willing to participate in society in order to create a healthy attitude" — and values — "this may be controversial. Some believe this should be the job of family and church, but there are some basic values in this course that are necessary."

Flo Dickinson, upon explanation that the course takes the place of World History, reported that the student doesn't know more facts "but he doesn't know less facts. It has the same ideas as traditional material — the same people are mentioned as in World History." She said that it has gone into questions that require thought by the student and that she "liked it."

Georgia King (Mrs. Mike King) explained that she was currently involved in the political side of the subject. "It is mostly discussion with open end questions. It seems to be working out well — they are progressing." She said that she has discovered that the students can "transfer questions to other classes" and believed this was a

step in the right direction. She was very enthusiastic toward this subject in the curriculum.

Billye Buck reported that she had received the course material eight weeks late and had "just now begun with it."

APPROVED LVN COURSE

Trustees approved an adult program of Vocational Nurses, which Clark explained now came under the Texas Education Agency and must go through the school system for necessary funds. But he also pointed out that it is a 3-way program for the benefit of the schools here, the hospitals, and the Texas Employment Commission. Through the Manpower and Development Act, the school's part on the on-the-job training would be "mostly paper work," but the addition is strongly favored by the hospitals and TEC. Dr. Mims reported that the cost of such a program would be prohibitive to the hospital alone and that there is a "vast need" for such training. Clark gave credit to TEC manager Lester Rape for his instigating the program.

Representatives appeared on behalf of the Colt League (a local United Fund agency) who reported they are "trying to find a place to light a baseball field" for 14 to 17-year-olds here because the situation has developed whereby Nazareth and Dimmitt will not play the local team after darkness. Floy Driver asked permission of the trustees to place advertising on fences to be erected at the school diamond as a means to finance the necessary lighting. Trustees explained that due to the present project of erecting football stadium improvements they are not certain of the exact location of their baseball field and would not for, possibly, another two months. However, trustees agreed to "cooperate fully with the Colt League's needs" whenever they are certain of their own situation and requested additional information so that both groups could proceed on "solid ground."

TAX REPORT

Orpha Click, school tax assessor-collector, reported that tax collections were "about \$20,000 down from this same period last year" but was up on delinquent taxes. He also reported that the month of December should rise and end with a normal situation.

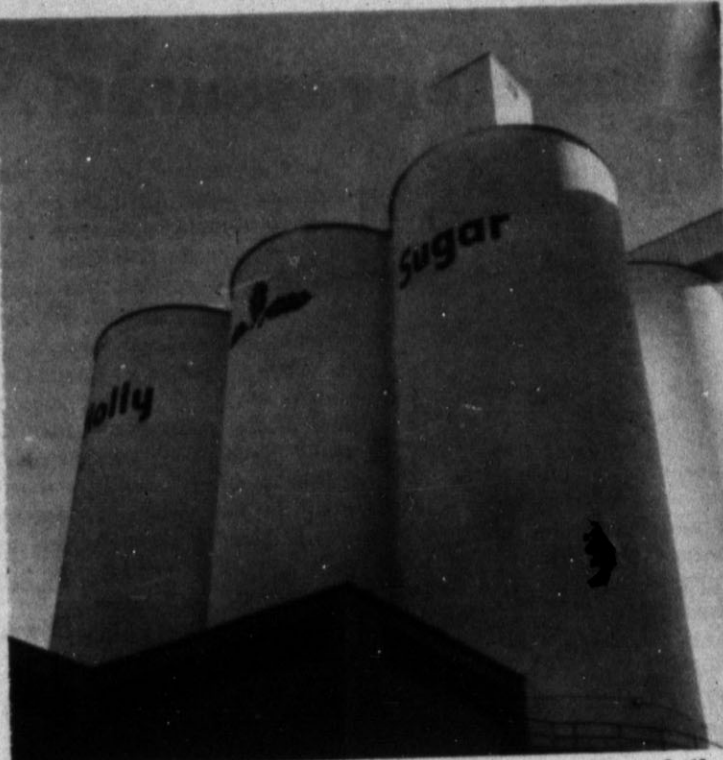
Clark read a letter from Columbia Securities Corp. vice president Bob L. Davis which indicated that the \$750,000 school bonds had been sold "at a good time." Following sale, the Dow-Jones average, Davis reported, had risen and interest rates had followed suit. He listed several other school districts who had placed their bonds in the market during the past two weeks — with some of them turning down all bids.

Clark illustrated the bond matter by comparing Hereford with Yoakum, a city of approximately the same size in south central Texas. Their bonds had been sold at 4.66 interest rate less than two weeks ago while Hereford had gotten 4.2710.

Enrollment trend was reported as normal for this time of year in the schools, with a decline during the past month from 5,250 to 5,177 (including pre-school). But enrollment at this time last year was listed as 4,607.
Trustees reviewed a lengthy 1967-68 audit for the entire school system submitted by Cornell & Co. of Amarillo.
Teachers elected were Carlynn DeLozier and Annie Baker for assignments at Central, Mary Owens for Bluebonnet and Ann Sawyer for Stanton. Resignations accepted were Donna Quinn, whose husband is in the Army at El Paso; Gail Goodwin, whose husband has entered a seminary in Fort Worth; and Janice Doyle, whose husband has been transferred elsewhere by Holly Sugar Corp. Terry Kosub was granted a leave of absence until the beginning of the next school year.

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Weigher.
Two men were appointed to fill vacancies on the Deaf Smith County Hospital Board, beginning Jan. 1, and one other member was re-appointed. L. J. Strauss and Harlan Vander Zee are slated to fill the expired terms of Ed Loerwald and Aubrey Cook. The appointment covers two years to the 6-man board.
Re-appointed is John Douglas Pitman.
Commissioners agreed to draft a letter of appreciation for the past services of Cook and Loerwald.
Commissioners Court reported



SOON TO BE EXPANDED — Plans to expand the local Holly Sugar plant still were with the engineers at the latest report, but it is hoped that expansion of the slicing capacity can begin soon and be completed in 1969. Four new silos, with a capacity of 100,000 bags of sugar each, were added during the spring and summer this year. — Staff Photo

Winners . . .

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dom has been the father of democracy and that democracy has served to protect those freedoms already acquired by man through thousands of years of strife and toil. It seems that freedom has come as the result of desire and bloodshed. But in speaking of acquired freedoms we are speaking of times past. That was the time when a man was called upon to defend his freedom with his most precious possession, his life, and he did so gladly, for this was the honorable thing to do. But now, a page in the great textbook of American history has been turned. The book is now opened to blank pages being filled each day through the actions of the American people. Possibly those lines now being written do not speak too well of our generation for most surely those lines will include reports of domestic violence and of conscientious objections opposing our government's policies, especially those concerning the defense of freedom in Southeast Asia. It seems to be the national pastime to criticize the government without offering to help work for it. These new pages will tell of youth movements to check the flow of democracy in America, of a generation of drug addicted teens, and their parents with the "I don't care and besides what can I do about it?" attitude. That time in American history is now, and the attitudes of the American people represent the greatest threat to our democracy and freedom.

The nation's apathy is reflected in all too many faces. The time when the people should be doing the most, they are actually doing the least. Now is the time for the youth in America to open their minds to what they feel in their hearts, and to endeavor to check the flow of public apathy.
The responsibility of preserving our nation's freedom has too long rested upon our fathers, and the time is approaching when that responsibility will rest entirely upon us. Our parents are now delegating more and more of that responsibility to us, and we must prove ourselves capable to continue in the manner our forefathers would have desired. It is the duty of every American youth to not only know how our democracy functions, but to seek a way in which to serve in a useful capacity as a citizen of that democracy, and to teach his children the aspects of this democracy and instill in them the desire for a continuation of the freedoms we now enjoy. He must teach them to have pride and respect and out of this respect will grow love, not only for life, but for freedom and democracy.
The freedoms of this country are extended to all that reside here, so why should only a few be called upon to fulfill the duties and responsibilities which freedom delegates to us all. We can not all be the officials representing the government, but we can all support the democracy in which we live not only with words, but also by consecrating our utmost endeavors to the defense of civil, religious, and political liberty. In doing so, every American will be fulfilling his fundamental duty as a member of a society in which the privileges of freedom are ob-

ted that the Justice of the Peace Court in conjunction with the Sheriff's Department turned in a total of \$6,373 in fines and fees for the month of November.

Speeches of the Second and Third Place winners will be carried in the Sunday Brand.

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Labor Camp clinic served a purpose, but to only one segment of the population and the hospital does a great deal of the work along with the local physicians.
The hospital has managed to run in the black despite the number of indigent cases, but the problem is getting bigger all the time, Dr. McCrary continued.

Although the Catholic church has volunteered use of the clinic in the Labor Camp, it is considered to be too small and many feel that it is isolated.

What is needed, Dr. McCrary pointed out, is a combination city-county health unit.

Stressing some of the health problems, the physician said children have no immunization for diseases, Deaf Smith County is the leading county in Northwest Texas for tuberculosis, and many babies are born in the home.

Local physicians feel that if the persons had a place to go, "a place they could trust," it would greatly help the situation. The people could be told of the clinic through various organizations or individuals. "It's a matter of pride," stated Dr. McCrary.

A public health nurse and social service person would be needed, as someone would have to say who qualifies and who doesn't qualify for clinical attention.

"We're stuck with the number of doctors we have," said Dr. McCrary. "We need to get more efficient and feel like this would be the answer" he stressed in pointing out that nursing would play a big role in the clinic.

Touching on several points, Dr. McCrary said the physicians would donate their time each day, arrangements would have to be made to use X-ray and laboratory facilities, the clinic would need to be built near these facilities and good records would be needed. "It has to be a continuing program."

Dr. McCrary told the Chamber directors that he was not seeking support or money at the present time. He said when physicians and others working on the clinic are ready, the tempo of getting it located here will pick up and "then we hope to have the support of the community."

Physicians hope such a clinic will be running by next summer or shortly thereafter, said Dr. McCrary.
Langley, after stating that he personally felt something urgently needs to be done, appointed Don Baugous as a liaison between the Chamber and those

served.
As a youth of America, I am anxiously awaiting the day when I will be directly responsible, in my own small way for preserving the freedom of American citizens, and I think that most of the American youth share my feelings, and the only way that their efforts, like mine, will be observed by future generations when they look back into the textbook at our pages is through the fact that our nation grew stronger during our lives, democracy flourished, and the privileges of freedom were preserved for them, affording them the opportunity to read the price less textbook of American heritage and add more glorious pages of their own.

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Recalling 1966 Quake

Texas Tech Group Is Doing Study On Area Earthquakes

LUBBOCK — The history of earthquake activity in Texas may tell us something about its future, says Deskin Shurbet Jr., director of the Texas Tech seismology laboratory.

The Geological Survey is spending thousands of dollars trying to develop methods of predicting earthquakes, particularly in the frequently hit southern half of California.

Finding out when, where and why earth shocks have hit a

certain region may help forecast when such activity may be renewed, Shurbet said.

He pointed out that the seismic stations established by the Coast and Geodetic Survey have saved many lives by predicting the time of earthquake-triggered tremors and tidal waves.

"There is not much doubt that almost as many lives have been lost to these tidal waves as to the earthquakes themselves," Shurbet said.

Texas, luckily, has not been the scene of any major earthquakes during its recorded history. The earliest earthquake on record occurred in 1882 in the eastern portion of North Central Texas.

The strongest and most damaging quake hit the small Far West Texas community of Valentine in 1925. The temer, which rated low on the scale of earthquake intensity, damaged most of the town's structures.

"The Valentine quake was the result of movement along a fault or break in the earth's crust in the nearby Sierra Vieja Mountains," Shurbet said. He

added that movement on this and other recently active faults in the mountainous areas of the Trans-Pecos is always a good possibility.

More vigorous earthquakes which occurred in the mountain of northern Coahuila and Chihuahua, Mexico, have been recorded on the Texas Tech instruments.

"Every time there's one of these earthquakes I watch West Texas closely for any reactions, but so far there has been no movement on this side of the Rio Grande," he said.

Shurbet said that since the establishment of the seismology observatory in 1956 no earthquakes originating in the faultcut mountain area have been registered.

All have come from either Kermit, the Amarillo area or the East Texas area, the geophysicist said.

"On the surface, none of these areas look like potential earthquake regions, but the true focus or center of an earthquake may be several or dozens of miles below the surface and may be caused by readjustment along ancient, buried structures," Shurbet said.

Until 1964, both the Kermit and Amarillo areas were quiescent. Suddenly a whole series of small quakes was registered in each area.

The Amarillo shocks culminated in 1966 when an actual earthquake was felt in the city.

Seismograph instruments placed at the center of the shocks at about four miles beneath Lake Meredith, 40 miles north-east of the Panhandle City.

"If this quake had been closer it might have done damage in the city," Shurbet said.

He continued: "The interesting thing is it was preceded by all these little shocks. We know there are frequently many little earthquakes after a major one; it might be that watching the little ones may tell us when a bigger one is on the way."

The professor theorized that the Amarillo earthquakes may have been related to construction of Sanford Dam and the filling of Lake Meredith. In the case of Kermit, Shurbet could not say what the cause may have been.

The largest of the weak

shocks in that area rattled and broke a few dishes in some Kermit homes in 1965.

Shurbet believes these quakes may have been associated with petroleum production practices in the region.

He attributed East Texas shocks which have been reported periodically since the last century to "settling and compaction of the thousands of feet of unconsolidated mud, sand and gravel filling the Gulf Coast Geosyncline."

Shurbet noted that in the period from 1882 to 1966, 20 earthquakes were reported in the state, while nine have been reported since the establishment of the Tech observatory.

He said this probably was not an indication of increasing seismic activity in the state but merely a reflection of better reporting and more people distributed in all areas of the state.

In addition, he said, five or six dozen quakes have been registered on instruments but have not been felt or reported by people.

"Actually, the Kermit quake which was reported was very little stronger than the others, but it happened to knock down some dishes and a bottle in the sheriff's house, so it was reported," Shurbet said.

Hastings Is Warrant Officer

HUNTER ARMY AIRFIELD, GA. — Benny H. Hastings, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Odus M. Hastings, Dimmitt, Tex., received the silver wings of an Army aviator and was appointed a warrant officer on Dec. 3 upon graduation from the Army Aviation School, Hunter Army Airfield, Ga.

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Story, Songs On Club Program

Music of the season, with reading of the Christmas story from the New Testament, made up the program for Dawn Music Club in Mrs. Edgar Lemons' home Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Roy Manning was co-hostess.

Gifts were sent for patients at a veterans hospital as a Christmas project by members who held their own gift exchange after the program.

The hostess read the Biblical story of the Nativity, preceding musical selections, Mrs. R. T. Stewart, Mrs. Carl Wimberley and Mrs. Jerry Haley sang a trio number, O Christmas Night, with Mrs. Mack Bush playing piano accompaniment.

Piano solos were Chimes at Christmas, by Mrs. William Wimberley; Winter Wonderland, Mrs. R. E. Curtsinger, and White Christmas, Mrs. Clarence Betzen. Mrs. Walter Lemons and Mrs. Curtsinger sang Silver Bells accompanied by Mrs. Carl Wimberley.

The entire group joined to sing several Christmas carols before refreshments of fruit cake, homemade candy, spiced tea and coffee were served.

Guests of the club were Mmes. Lester English, Jess Robinson and Buck Parsons.

Holiday Legends Related

Club Sings Favorite

Each person named her favorite Christmas carol to be sung by members of the Sunshine Club at their holiday party Tuesday evening. Mrs. Edith Shepard was hostess in her home.

Contributions were made for an annual project, a gift to the Christmas fund to buy new suits for residents at Boys Ranch.

Gifts were exchanged to reveal secret pals of the club members, after each had guessed the identity of her pal in answer to roll call. Names were drawn for new pals for 1969. The penny ante gift went to Mrs. Clois Kemp.

All the club members were present to welcome two new members, Mrs. Elmer Fryar and Mrs. Charles Critchlow. Others were Mmes. A. M. Carmack, Clint Laundry, George Miner, J. M. Koelzer, Elmer Jones, C.E. Watts and Betty Wilcox.

Traditions, legends and customs of Christmas in the United States and other countries were related by Mrs. Glenn Witherspoon for the program in Lone Star Study Club's meeting Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. R. G. Blue and the social committee, Mmes. Floyd Dunavent, Jim Higgins and Ed Warren, were hostesses in Mrs. Blue's home, which was decorated in seasonal colors.

Mrs. Witherspoon read the Nativity story from the Gospel of St. Luke to introduce the Christmas narrative she gave. A gift exchange followed. Mrs. Hardy Benson presided for a brief business session.

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Guests Share Club's Supper

Husbands of members and other guests enjoyed the Christmas party with La Afflatus Studio Club members Tuesday evening in the George Suggs home. Turkey was featured on the supper served to the group.

Games of 42 were played, with prizes awarded to Miss Della Stagner, Miss Betty Reddell, B. L. Reddell and A. L. Hewitt, all guests of the club. Gifts were exchanged from a handsomely

decorated tree. The entire house was in holiday dress for the party.

Guests included Mrs. O. G. Hill Sr. and Mrs. Donnie Owen. Members and their husbands present were Messrs. and Mmes. C. E. Beauford, A. H. Cook, A. N. Hopson, Hewitt and Reddell; Mmes. Walter Johnson, Emmett Hale, Bud Durkee, Earl Clark, Louie Olson, S. C. Ramey and T. W. Roberson.



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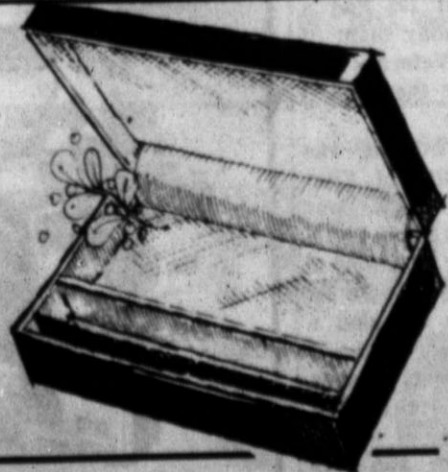
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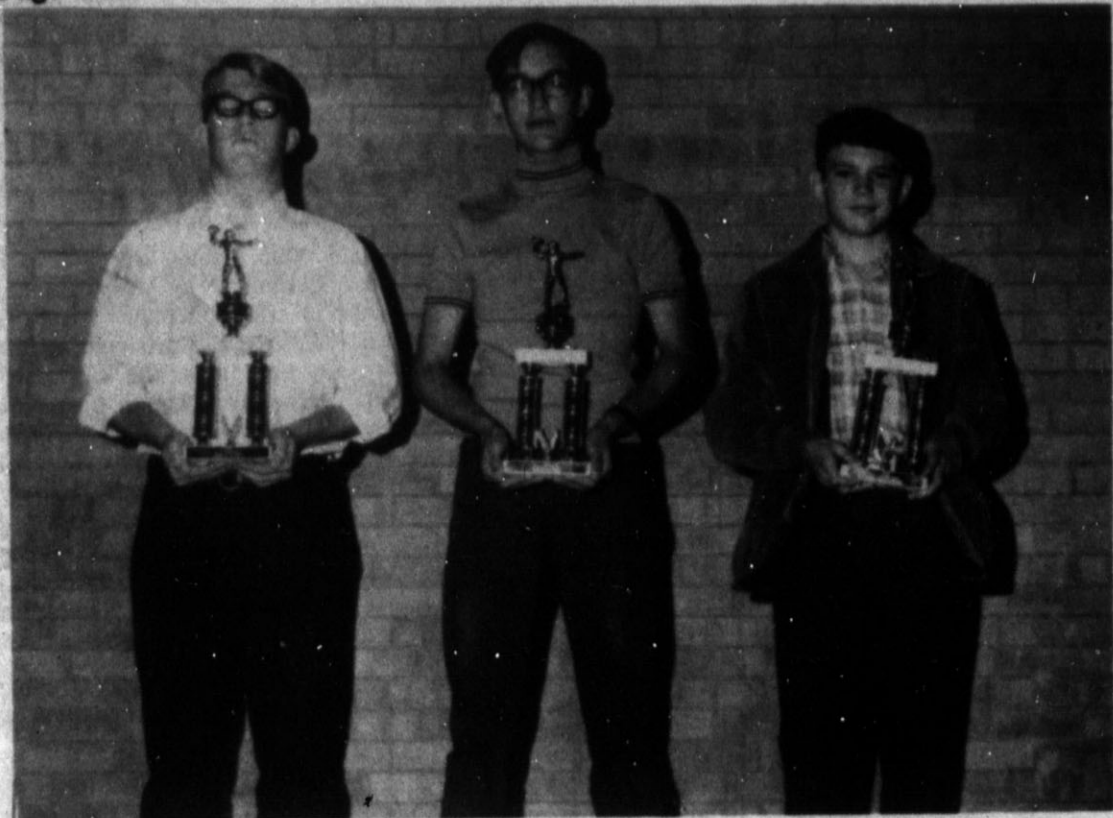


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TROPHY DISPLAY — La Plata grid captains of the seventh, eighth and ninth grade teams display the trophies their teams won during the past season. Left to right they are, Larry Driver, ninth grade; Terry Locke, eighth grade; and Wayne Schumacher, seventh.

Roundballers Defeat Phillips Team, 60-38

After bowing out of the Plainview Tournament last weekend, the Whiteface cagers came back Tuesday night to slaughter the Phillips Blackhawks to the tune of 60-38.

Marsh Pitman led the scoring attack for the locals in the Herd's third win of the season as he connected on 11 field goals and five free throws for a total of 27 points.

Getting off to a slow start in the first period of the game, the Whiteface roundballers, trailing 11-9, erupted for 19 points in the second period to Phillip's eight to take a 28-19 lead at the half. The first quarter saw Pitman pour in eight points of the first nine then Dusty Duncan led the second stanza with eight points of his own.

Holding a nine point advantage going into the second half, the Whitefaces strengthened their

lead in the third quarter with 16 additional points to the Blackhawks' 12. Pitman again hit continuously in the third quarter for seven more while Duncan had four, Percy Mays two, Mike Wartes one and Jim Rakestraw two.

With a 15 point margin going in their favor in the fourth and final stanza, the local roundballers sought to pad their lead as they managed 16 more points in the final go-round while Phillips managed only seven for the final 60-38 tally. Pitman had his biggest period in the last quarter when he hit for 10 points while Duncan, Santry Rush and Mays all had a hand in also.

Pitman's 27 points led the team while Duncan had 15; Rakestraw, before fouling out, six points; Jim Scott, Percy Mays and Santry Rush, all with two; Wartes with five; and Bill Mc-

Min, one.

In last week's action, the Whiteface cagers were engaged in the Plainview Tournament where they won their first round game against the Abernathy team by a score of 49-44, but fell in the second game to eventual winner Plainview, 65-37. High pointer in the Abernathy game were Duncan and Rakestraw with 14 points each and in the Plainview contest it was Wartes with eight.

The Herd's record now stands at three wins and four losses for the season and their next contest will pit them against the Clovis, N. M. team on Friday, Dec. 13th at La Plata gym. Next Tuesday, they will host the Littlefield team. On both home stands, the Whitefaces will begin the "B" team game at 6:15 p.m. with the other game to start immediately afterwards.

Wilcats Keep Perfect Record In District Play

Both the boys and girls basketball teams at Walcott kept their district records unblemished as they both clipped the Bovina teams in Monday night's action at Walcott.

This was Walcott's last home ball game before the tournament in January, and they put on an impressive showing before the home crowd as the females breezed past the Bovina group 31-18 and the boys nailed a 40-30 victory.

Also in other action for the Walcott school, the two teams entered in a tournament in Bushland last weekend and the boys wound up with a first place trophy and the girls with a third place.

The next game for the two Walcott teams will be next Monday when they journey to Vega to meet the Vega bunch in a 4 p. m. contest.



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If the proper ZIP Code is not in the address, it must be looked up not only to determine postage, but all parcels are sorted and routed by ZIP Code. Hereford's patrons will save time at the post office by having their packages "ZIPped" prior to lining up at the parcel post window, Grady advised. ZIP Code directories will be available in the lobby of the post office.

Legion Meets Jointly; Hears Eugene Brink

Hereford American Legion and Auxiliary Post 192 had a joint meeting Tuesday night at the Legion Hall in Veterans Memorial Park where they had a Christmas program.

Speaker for the evening was Eugene Brink, pastor of First Christian Church here. He was introduced by Post Chaplain Gene Fooks, pastor of Central Church of Christ.

The meet, which included a covered-dish supper, had 50 members and six guests present. They brought gifts for the VA Hospital gift shop.

After the program and dinner the groups had separate meetings.

Mrs. Ira Ott, Hazel Sparks and Mrs. Bill Gilleland were hostesses.

BHUTAN HAS AIRPORT
PARO, Bhutan — This Himalayan kingdom's first airport was inaugurated recently by Indian Deputy Prime Minister Morarji Desai. The airport, 340 miles north-east of Calcutta, was built and financed by India.

Mavericks Still Undefeated; Dogies Register First Wins

La Plata cagers continued along their winning ways this week as they found wins over the hapless Tullia cagers, and the Stanton Dogie's three teams won their first games of the season as they ran amuck over the Canyon Purple teams.

Stanton seventh graders found little difficulty as they breezed past the Canyon seventh, 33-18 while the eighth graders nabbed a win, 37-19 and the ninth, a 58-51 victory. High pointers for the games were Sammy Black, seventh grader with nine points; Keith Kitchens, eighth grade with 12 points; and Larry Roberts and Rudy Gonzales, ninth grade, both with 17 points to their credit.

La Plata's eighth grade registered their third win of the season against no defeats as they swept past the Tullia team to the tune of 38-15. Leading in the net-popping barrage

was Terry Champ who hit seven field goals for 14 points.

The Mavs jumped out front in the early stages of the game to take a commanding 15-1 lead at the end of the first quarter then cruised their way through the rest of the game, never letting the opposition get closer than 14 points. At the end of the first half the score stood 21-5 for Hereford then 33-8 at the end of the third period and the final tally read 36-15 for La Plata's eighth graders.

Putting their efforts in on the scoring were Walter Olson with eight; Berry McNutt, five; Wallace Hill, four; David Duvall, also with four; and Bill Carrothers, one.

Jerry Brock teamed up with his mates in the seventh grade's game against the Tullia five to lead the scoring in the 32-12 win for the Mavs in their third win of the season, Monday night.

La Plata led by eight points at the end of the first period of the seventh grade game, and the game wasn't even close from there on out as they had a 16-5 lead at the half and a 30-8 lead at the end of the third stanza. The fourth and final period was mostly ball-control playing as the Mavs collected only two points and the opposition only four for the final 32-12 score.

Others who had a hand in the scoring for the Mav seventh graders were Bobby Bogard with two; James Massie with five; Jim Marsh with six; James Waits with seven and Andrew Wingert with two.

La Plata's ninth grade cagers continued along their winning ways Monday night by downing Tullia five 41-32.

In the La Plata contest, the Mavericks stayed neck-and-neck with the Tullia quintet through the first period as both teams netted six points and a tie going into the second stanza. In the second period, the Hornet five pulled out front to take a 19-16 lead into the dressing room at half time.

Trailing by seven big points, the Mavs saw fit to do something about that in the third quarter as they made those seven plus ten more while holding the Tullia team to only seven, for a 29-26 lead they never gave up.

As was the case of the third period, the Mavericks continued to hit from all over the floor while displaying an aggressive defensive game and allowing the visitors only six points in the final quarter. The Mavericks accumulated 12 for themselves in the final period to hold the winning lead, 41-32.

Accounting for the scoring for the Mavs were Billy Bob Taylor with 21; John Page with eight; Danny Charest with six; and Cliff Herring with six also.

The next games for the two junior highs will see their ninth grades compete in the Boys Ranch Tournament beginning today and lasting through Saturday.

Shorthorns, JV's Nailed By Phillips

While the varsity cagers were having their field day against the Phillips team Tuesday evening, the "B" team and junior varsity were having their troubles with their respective Blackhawk opponents, both falling to defeat.

Even though two of the Longhorns players hit in the high double figures, this was not enough for them to overcome the Phillips team which had four players registering double numbers who aided their 72-53 win. Gary Lemons led the Longhorns with 18 points while John Sparks was the other high pointer with 13 for the night.

By the end of the first period, the Phillips team had more than doubled the locals score as they netted 24 points to Hereford's 11. The second quarter saw both teams hit for 22 points, and the Blackhawks retain their 13 point lead going into the second half, 46-33.

Phillips pulled even further out front in the third period when they hit for 16 points to

the Longhorn's six, and the fourth quarter was just a repeat and the final score ended up with Phillips winning, 72-53.

The Shorthorns met about the same situation when they met the Phillip's "B" team Tuesday and fell 52-40, after leading through the first two periods of play.

Leading by a score of 13-8 going into the second quarter, the locals stayed neck-and-neck with the Phillips team through the second stanza as they both hit for 14 points. In the third period, Phillips went wild from the floor as they hit for eight field goals and one free throw while the locals went cold and staggered for a mere two points. The third period saw both teams net 11 points, but the Blackhawk barrage in the third period could not be overcome by the Shorthorns and they fell, 52-40.

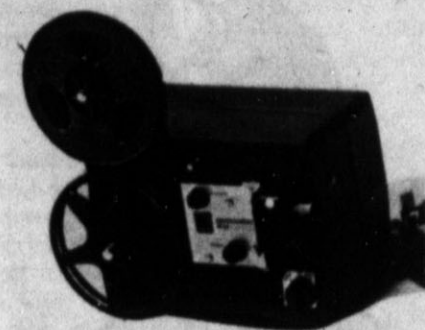
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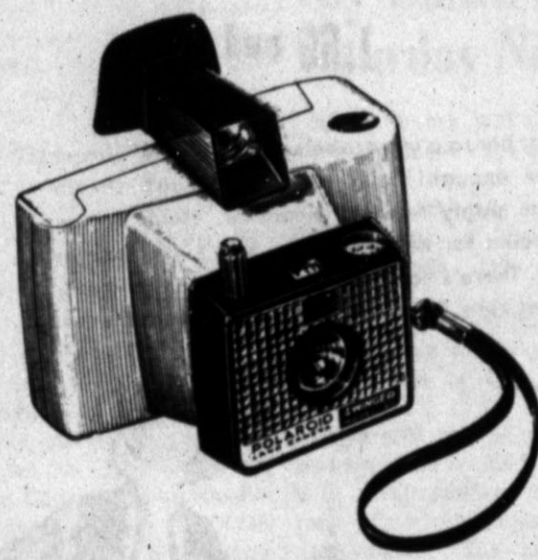
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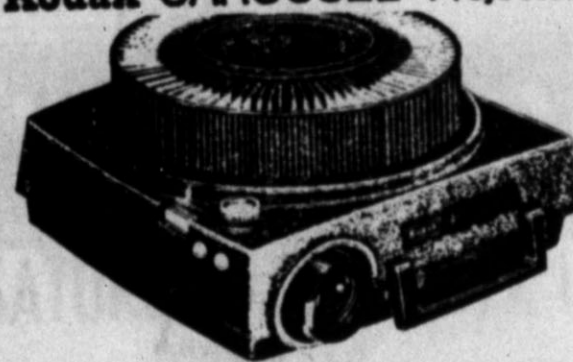
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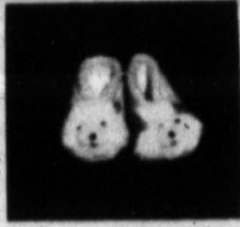
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Urges Unity

Wheat Growers Hear Congressman Purcell

Editor's note: Following is the complete text of the speech made Tuesday night by Congressman Graham Purcell during the banquet of the Texas Association of Wheat Growers.

"Good evening. It is a pleasure for me to be here with you tonight. I feel right at home with this group, and I always look forward to attending your meetings, so that I may have an opportunity to hear your thoughts on our current problems and get your suggestions for the future. I also like to be able to report to you on matters concerning wheat from the point of view of the Congress.

"This election year has been fast-moving, filled with surprises, and it has been unique. The new Nixon Administration takes over next month, and, for the first time in a century, a new President will be coming into office without his party having control of the Congress.

"We are all asking ourselves what the public has in mind, what the voters want from the kind of Federal government they have chosen to make decisions for them during the next two or four years.

"I will not try to analyze that for you here tonight. Rather, I want to talk to you in some detail about what you face in the immediate future as wheat farmers so far as government programs for wheat are concerned.

"In about 24 hours from now we should know who our new Secretary of Agriculture will be. I have no idea who the President-elect is going to choose for this terribly difficult and thankless job. I believe it is fair to say that we have very little idea what this new administration plans in the way of farm policy.

"I have never seen a national campaign where so little was said about future plans and policies for agriculture, and I am waiting anxiously and with some apprehension to see what will be proposed to Congress for agriculture by the new Administration.

"Let me make one thing very clear. I am waiting with an open mind. As is the case with almost every facet of our national policy, this is no time for partisan sniping and backbiting.

"We are living in crucial times for our nation. We must all work together for solutions to our problems. This is no time for either the Congress or the President to engage in a deadlock based on partisan attempts to gain public favor. This is a time when we must diligently strive for sound solutions.

"An inscription on one of our national shrines in Washington reads, 'What is past is prologue.' In other words, it is vital

that we study and analyze where we have been in order that we can see more clearly where we are headed and what we should do about it.

"Wheat is one crop which can be produced in nearly every farming area of the United States. During the 1950's with a high price support rate for wheat, but without any increase in domestic use, and without sufficient foreign outlets to handle the abundance, wheat production continued at a high rate. The result was wheat surpluses that kept mounting until we had a carryover of 1.4 billion bushels when Congress took action to correct the situation.

"The Food and Agriculture Act of 1962 offered wheat growers a choice for 1964.

"There were two alternatives. Alternative 1 was a marketing quota program. Alternative 2 was a NO marketing quota program. The decision was to be made by wheat farmers themselves voting in a referendum in the spring of 1963.

"Under Alternative 1, a national average price support of about \$2 per bushel would have been paid on about 80 per cent of normal production on allotted acres, and a price support of about \$1.30 would have been paid on additional wheat from allotted acres. The higher level of price support was to be effected through wheat marketing certificates.

"Alternative 1 also provided for mandatory diversion and diversion payments of about 30 per cent of the support rate for the number of bushels normally produced on this diverted acreage.

"Provision was made for additional voluntary diversion with average diversion payments of \$1 for the number of bushels normally produced on this acreage.

"Alternative 1 also carried a penalty for exceeding the wheat acreage allotment.

"Alternative 2, which was the NO marketing quota program, provided for the same wheat acreage allotments. However, compliance would have been voluntary. There were no marketing quotas. There were no land diversion payments. Price supports at 50 per cent of parity would have been offered to growers who complied with acreage allotments. Growers who exceeded their allotments would receive no price support. However, there would be no penalties for overplanting the allotment.

"This may well have been the most advertised referendum in the history of American agriculture. It affected 1.8 million farmers directly. The Administration, and particularly the ASCS,

undertook to make sure each wheat farmer in the Nation understood the alternatives and had an opportunity to vote.

"Farm organizations with one exception and major wheat producer groups like yours favored Alternative 1 — the marketing quota program. They agreed with the Administration that balanced supply-demand relationships required effective limitation of production.

"Opponents of the marketing quota program, on the other hand, argued that 'freedom to farm' was the principal issue at stake. This group urged farmers to vote against Alternative 1 as a vehicle of protest against centralized government, the Kennedy administration, favoritism to other geographic areas, and acreage restriction.

"The opposition was successful.

"A two-thirds majority of voting farmers was required to put marketing quotas into effect. Actually only 48 per cent voted for the program.

"Several reasons have been given since the referendum for the overwhelming defeat of the marketing quota system. Here are some of them:

"The 15-acre and less farmer was voting in a wheat referendum for the first time. In many cases he did not understand the program because he had been exempt from it in prior years.

"Most commercial wheat farmers apparently gambled that Congress would bail them out with a better program than Alternative 2 if the mandatory certificate program failed. Many of them were frustrated with the complexities of farm programs. They refused to believe that Congress would leave them out on a limb if they voted against the Administration proposal.

"They were right, of course, although the decision was not an easy one.

"President Kennedy said: 'Wheat farmers voted the right to produce for whatever the market will pay, rather than for high prices and limited production.'

"Secretary Freeman said: 'The point of view which prevailed in the referendum is entitled to a full and fair trial.'

"On Capitol Hill, House Majority Leader Carl Albert said: 'The farmers have made their choice.'

"In the Senate, Agriculture Committee chairman Ellender said: 'Democracy has spoken and wheat farmers have voted themselves out of a program. I wish them well.'

"But, of course, those of us who represent traditional wheat states — where the income from wheat is a major factor in the local economy — knew that we could not leave farmers without some form of program.

"I had become chairman of the wheat subcommittee in January of 1963, and my office and mailbox were flooded with pleas from commercial wheat growers for help. We set to work.

"The Administration leaders — and those of us who had advised acceptance of the marketing quota program — wound up working for new legislation. And the very groups and coalitions that had glibly promised farmers they would get them a better program if they voted NO in the referendum — these people fought to prevent Congress from enacting a new program. But we did prevail.

"The new legislation was not permanent. It provided for a 2-year program.

"Even with wide support from farm organizations and wheat producers, we adopted the program by a vote of only 211 to 203.

"Now quickly, let's take a look at the results.

"Because of the success and widespread acceptance of the Voluntary Wheat Program, it was a major part of the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965, which has been extended to run through the 1970 crop year.

"The program worked beyond all expectations as the wheat surplus was cut down and export trade flourished.

"Many farmers in the traditional wheat producing areas feel they are rapidly approaching the time when they need protection of the kind that would have been available under a marketing quota program, such as the one rejected in 1963.

"They point to states like Louisiana and Mississippi where production of wheat has never been a major farming enterprise. Yet because of their proximity to Gulf shipping point they can produce wheat outside the Voluntary Wheat Program, sell it for what the market will bring, and make a profit. This is not possible for wheat producers farther inland who have storage, freight and other handling charges to absorb.

"Recent reductions in wheat prices have caused great concern to Congress, as well as to wheat producers.

"I have worked hard for my Strategic Reserve plan. This approach would have perfected the present program by providing a means to take small amounts of surplus wheat off the market to stabilize the price at a higher level.

"The Republicans in Congress defeated the proposal. I want you to know that I still believe the approach is sound. And I will continue to work for it, whether as a separate proposal or as a part of comprehensive farm legislation.

"That is where we are now and where we have been for the past two decades. Where do we go from here?

"The present act expires in 1970. We must make some decisions in the year ahead, just as we did this year when we extended the present programs for one year. The Republicans refused to support more than this. The correctly believed they would win the White House and they wanted to be able to present their own programs.

"I am anxiously awaiting word on what they propose. As I said, I have an open mind. But my primary interest in this matter is the welfare of the farmers. I am not going to just sit and wait. I am going to continue to work in your behalf.

"I strongly suggest that you do the same. I suggest that you become concerned and involved now for your own good.

"The farmer's biggest problem in recent years has been the farmers. I know I am back on my favorite sermon to you, but it is more urgent than ever now.

"Farmers must not wait for the politicians to make their decisions for them. You have done this in the past, and it has worked only fairly well. But this nation is becoming more and more urban. Your advocates in the Congress do not have the power they once had.

"Evidence of this is the almost total lack of attention given to farm matters during the campaigns this year.

"Those of us who are interested will do all we can, but the real burden is on your back.

"I have been hearing some indications that there are those who are friends of this new administration who are strongly advising that we totally eliminate our present major commodity programs in favor of the massive land retirement approach. I suggest to you that to make this kind of tremendous change could very well prove

disastrous as it has in the past. The prospect of new overwhelming surpluses and gigantic program costs with such an approach are very real. However, I do not reject the land retirement approach on a limited and selective basis out of hand. We should look closely at the alternatives.

"The most important objective right now, however, must be for you and all other producers to recognize that NOW is the time for you to study the alternatives and make some solid decision.

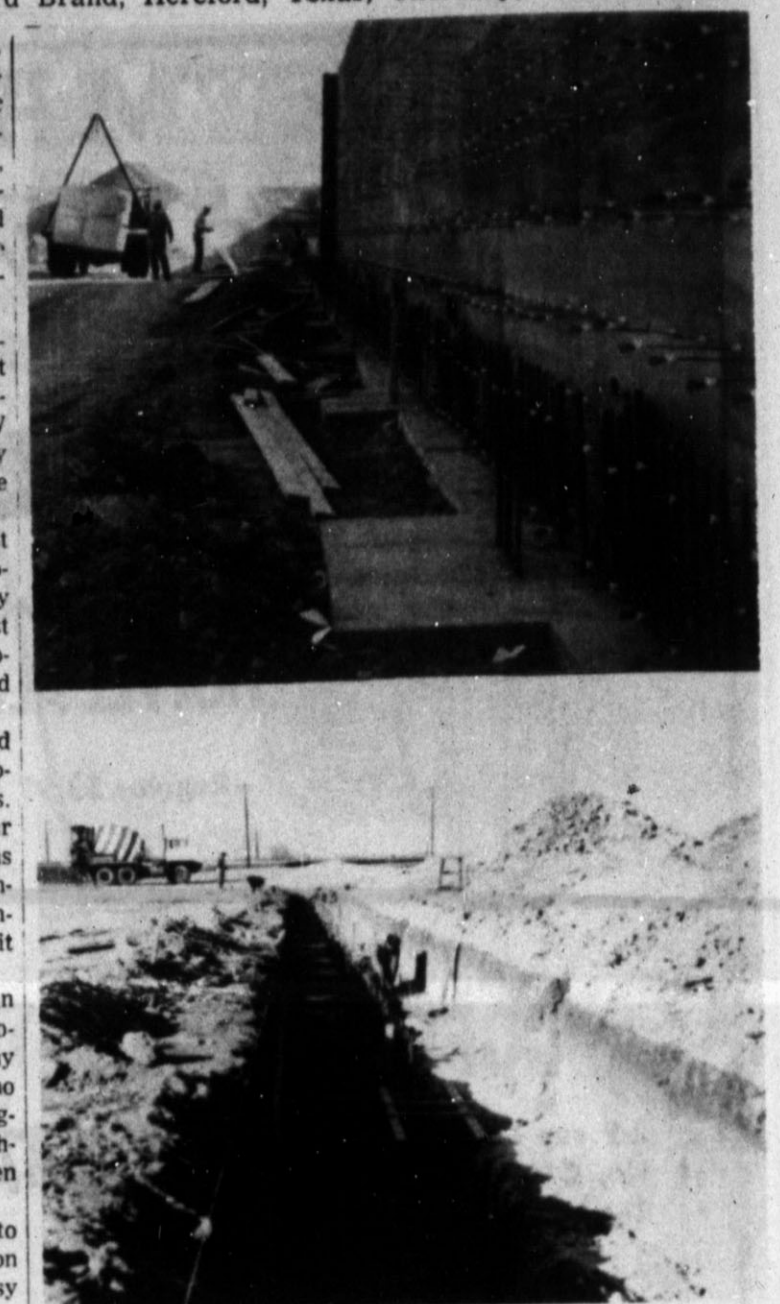
"You must, in your own best interest, start now to get producers together on farm policy decisions which will be most beneficial to you. You must protect yourselves by acting instead of reacting.

"I urge you not to wait and see what the administration proposes and how Congress reacts. You should be forceful in your attempts to sell your positions to the administration and Congress before either gets so firmly set in their approach that it is too late to change.

"Agriculture does less than any major segment of our economy to control its own destiny through legislation. You can no longer afford the luxury of arguing among yourselves, watching what happens, and then complain about the results.

"Farmer unity is the key to getting the kind of legislation you want. I know this is easy to say and hard for you to do. But you face adversity every day in your farming operations and you conquer it. Apply this same determination to your dealings with the government. Face the problems, find the proper answers, sell other producers on your point of view, and face the President, the Congress, and the Nation united. If you can do this, I have no worry about your future."

The ancient Egyptians believed 13 was a lucky number. For them there were 12 steps to be climbed during a lifetime. The 13th led to everlasting life.



WILSON CONSTRUCTION — Shown here are two phases of construction at the site of Wilson & Company's beef processing plant west of Hereford. The top photo was taken in the basement, near one of sides being prepared for cementing. The other photo shows preparations being made on the foundation for the building itself on top of the ground. —Staff Photo

Look Who's New

Mr. and Mrs. Benito Martinez are the parents of a son, Ruben Alberto, born Dec. 10. He weighed 6 lbs. 7 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Luis Riojas Tammez are the parents of a daughter born Dec. 6. She weighed 6 lbs. 8 ozs.

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Report Given On NFO Convention

Twenty-eight Deaf Smith County delegates to the annual convention of the National Farmers Organization returned Friday from St. Louis, Mo., from what was reported to be "the NFO's most successful convention in history."

Attending as local delegates with their wives were Gerald McCathern, Don Kimball, Ron Crist, F. A. Marnell, Glenn Rusk Harvey Artho, Robert Diller, Charles Durham, Lennan Young, Terrell Hodges, and J. E. McCathern.

Unit delegates were Arliss Edwards, A. R. Dillard, Roman Friemel, Roy V. Smith, Charles Schlabs, and Gary McQuigg.

The 10,000-delegate convention re-elected Oren Lee Staley as president of the organization. Also re-elected was vice-president Erhard Pfingsten. Staley lives at Rea, Missouri, and Pfingsten at Sergeant Bluff, Iowa.

The convention heard detailed reports which indicated that NFO "is now effective enough in bargaining that it has raised the price level of many commodities higher than they would have been."

The Texas Panhandle received special recognition for progress made in the short time the NFO has been organized here, it was reported. It was accomplished through activation of contracts with processors, the report continued, moving production from low-price areas and because of the ever-present threat of a holding action.

Staley told the delegates, "We have the strength and leadership to fulfill the destiny of the folks who produce the food of this great nation. There is no cause more just than farmers fighting for a fair price. To this we are dedicated."

He defined collective bargaining as "farmers bargaining together and selling together." Staley applied it to the Texas Panhandle area as "the influence of the NFO and the availability of the government loan has caused grain previously marketed in a 30-day period to be held and marketed over a 12-month period, having the effect of orderly marketing."

NFO began in 1956 in southwest Iowa where Wayne Jackson realized the need of "one organization represented by the farmer and for the farmer, solely for the purpose of seeking equality for the farmer and not for the purpose of being in business."

The national president of the Grange commented that he first heard of collective bargaining when he was nine years old. He said as he was rowing out on his father's farm, his fa-

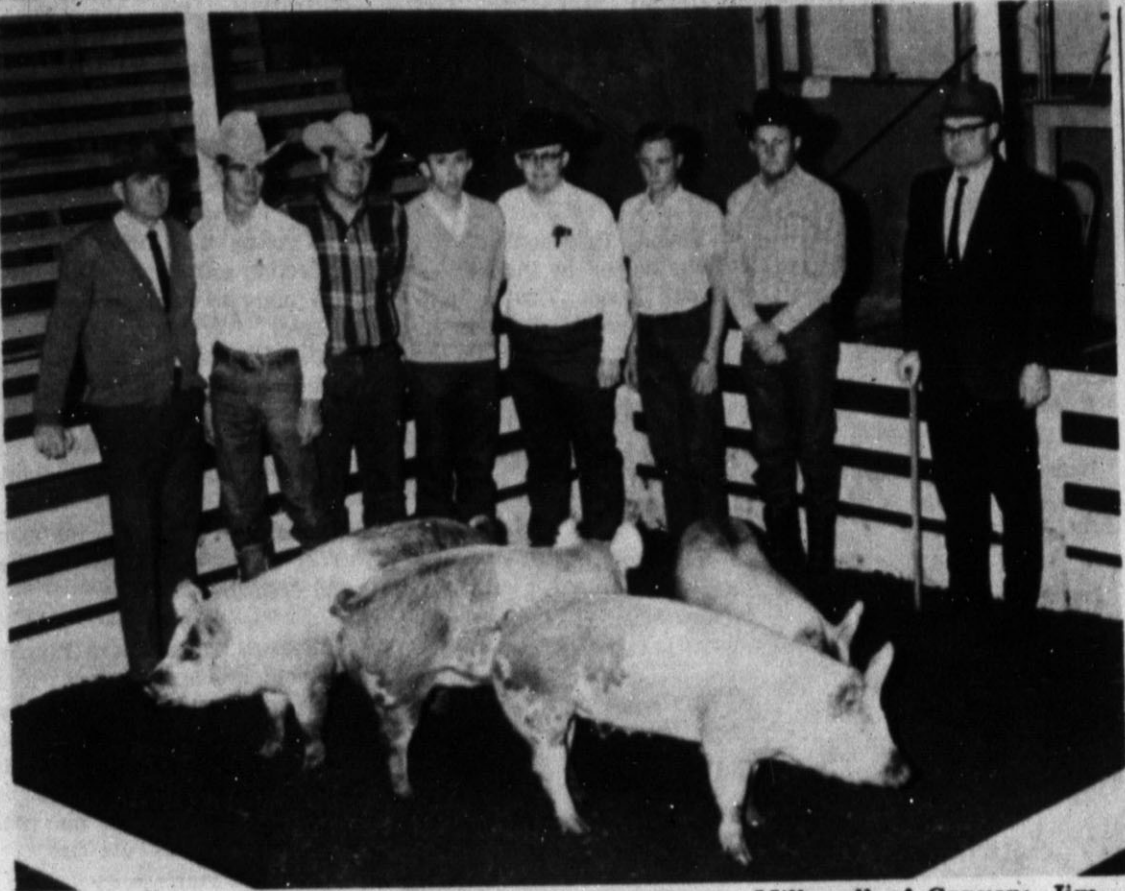
An address given from the Canadian Farmer's Union (which is comparable to the NFO here) reportedly brought out the problems of one area competing with another for higher prices. The spokesman gave as an example of the U. S. sending grain to Canada and depressing the market. "We retaliated by feeding out cattle and shipping them down past the 49th parallel to depress your cattle market." He

expressed the need for communication between farmers of both countries.

Mrs. F. A. Marnell reported that the Deaf Smith County delegation "found it very exciting to get in on a new organization that has grown from 29 states to 41 during the past year. Many new ideas were brought out with problems seeking an answer." She reported that NFO now

has an office located in Hereford. The address is 205 S. 25 Mile Ave. where Mrs. Ronald (Mary) Crist is secretary.

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FUTURE LEADERS — Shown sharpening their eye on a pen of meaty barrows and gilts in the Wayne Arena at Libertyville, Ill., are members of West Texas State University at Canyon. From the left, Dr. Charles Smallwood, Ronny Daily, John Bea-

sley, Larry Mills, all of Canyon; Jim Harding, Amarillo; David Nafzger, Hereford; James G. Dietevich, Canyon; and Dr. R. J. Bunch, section manager of swine research, Allied Mills Inc., Libertyville, Ill.

Hogs Judged In Practice Sessions

LIBERTYVILLE, ILL. — More than 100 future leaders of animal agriculture judged meaty hogs in practice sessions at the Allied Mills Wayne Research Center here prior to their participation recently in the 69th Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Contest held in Chicago's Amphitheater.

Clifford Detar, a member of Chico State College's team from Chico, Calif., went on to win highest individual honors in all classes at the collegiate competition and was awarded a new camera by Allied Mills. The camera was presented by T. W. Graham, general sales manager of the Chicago-based agribusiness firm.

High team honors in all classes of livestock judging went to Kansas State University coached by Calvin L. Drake. The team was awarded trophies by the Union Stock Yard and Transit Co., the Royal Agricultural Society of England; and the National Block and Bridle Club.

The students at the Allied Mills practice session took long and studied looks at classes of meaty, crossbred barrows and gilts from the swine herd of Allied Mills. Some of the barrows checked in with only 3/4 inch backfat — less than one half the upper limit of 1.6 inches required for a U. S. No. 1 grade hog.

Colleges and Universities participating in the "workout sessions" at Allied Mills' Wayne Research Farm included: University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill.; Illinois State 4-H Team, Urbana, Ill.; University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Neb.; Iowa State University, Ames, Ia.

Minnesota State 4-H Team, Minneapolis, Minn.; University of Kentucky, Lexington, Ky.; West Texas State University,

Canyon, Tex.; North Dakota State University of Fargo, N. D.; Delaware Valley College, Doylestown, Pa.; Abilene Christian College, Abilene, Tex.; University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tenn.; and Chico State College, Chico, Calif.

Letters To Santa

Dear Santa Claus,
How are you? I am fine. How is Mrs. Santa Claus. I hope she is fine. Here is what I want for Christmas. A Hot WHEELS, Frosty-Snowman Snow-cone mashin Busy buzz buz.
And that is all.
HOW is Rudolf. I hope he is fine.
Well CHRISTMAS is coming. There is only 19 days left.
Are your elfs working hard? I bet they are. Is it snowing up there. I bet it is! Is your sled ready? I hope it is.
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Dear Santa
We are twins 8 years old I am Karren, and I want a Susy homemaker and a talking Barbie and Kim cloths.
I am Kerry, I want a football and a football suit. And boxing robots that box. Fruit nut and candy. We haven't had too many spankings this year.
Love to you
Kerry an Karren Waits.

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me: a caps gun and holster, rifle, Barbie Doll, Slinky, Sting Ray Bicycle, Nurse Kit, Easy Curl, Baton, cowboy hat, cowboy chaps, cowboy vest, Jungle Jewelry, 2 pair socks, underwear, three books about horses, one book about animals a pair of pants, cowboy shirt, and coloring book and colors.
Sincerely,
Pam McIver
P. S. I love you. Write to me.

Dear Santa: please bring me a minnie sting-ray, baby party, (doll) and slinky, santa doll, baby swingset
Stove (play) bugy, iron board, cheerful tearful, coat, jacket, purse, dress, panty sox colers and coloring book
Hi santa I am fine how are you
We'll have a merry Christmas
Sicrly yours
Meshel Worley

Dear Santa Claus,
I would like to have a Baby First Step, a Slinky, and a necklace and bracelet to match. My little sister Kim would like to have a Mrs. Beasley, a slinky, and a necklace and bracelet to match. Milk and cookies will be waiting for you.
Don't forget our daddy
I Love You,
Vickie Hutcheson

Dear Santa,
I hope that you and your elfs and Mrs. Santa are feeling well. I would like for you to say hello to Rudolph. For Christmas I would like a drum set, a football, a floor puncher, and a tonka truck.
Sincerely yours,
Jimmy Wright
P.S. I would like for you to



Jim Anderson — Local Discount Center manager reports his company and other Texas and New Mexico stores have "low price" injunction filed on them. See story on page one. Staff photo.

leave some baby toys for my sister.
"Merry Christmas" to Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. For Christmas I would like a rocking horse, some books and blocks. We will have cookies and milk for you. Don't forget the other kids.
Your little friend,
Kelley Brock

Dear Santa Claus Please Bring Me
A Tippi Toes a Record Player, some Mixes for my Easy Bake Oven, a Jewelry maker, and a Play Tape recorder. If you cannot bring me all these things that will be alright.
Please bring all the little boys and girls every where toys.
Please bring my babby sister, shari, a babby doll, a toy telephone and a Dr. dotiltee see and say.
We love you, Santa Claus
Lisa Honea

Dear Santa Claus
I am a little girl nearly 5 years old. I have been a good girl so would you please bring me a Madame Alexander baby doll, Keeners Easy Bake, a toy typewriter and a sting Ray Bicycle. Remember all the other little boys and girls too.
Love
Kellie D. Howell

Lesly Again Earns Honors
LEXINGTON, MO. — Cadet Thomas L. Lesly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lesly of Rt. 4, Hereford, has earned academic honors for the second six weeks

Rites Held For Norman Cayton
Norman W. Cayton, 84, a former resident of Hereford, passed away Monday at Spearman. Originally, Mr. Cayton was from Texhoma. But he moved to Hereford in 1923 and remained here until 1936. He was blockman for the J. I. Case Company in 1927, he married a Hereford girl, the former Pearl Wood, who survives him. Their four children began school here.

The children surviving him are James, Wheatland, Wyo.; Wally, a school teacher at Amarillo; Mrs. Martha Haden and Mrs. Mary Jane Dermond of Spearman.
Burial was at Spearman.

Linda Jacobsen In A Capella

ARLINGTON — The University of Texas at Arlington's 60-member A Capella Choir will present its annual Christmas concert at 8 p.m. on Dec. 17 at the University Theatre. Included in the choir is Linda Jacobsen of Hereford.

Conducted by UT Arlington choir director Gary Ebensberger, the program will consist of such selections as "All Blessed, All Holy, Lord God," "Verbun Caro Factum Est," "A Hymn to the Virgin," "Sing, Ye Righteous," "The Shepherd's Farewell to the Holy Family," and "Alfred Burt Carols."

grading period of the first semester at Wentworth Military Academy, Lt. Col. Cordell Thomas, dean, announced.

Lesly has earned superior grades to qualify for the dean's Special Distinction List, the academy reported.

Cadets who earn academic honors during the specified grading periods at Wentworth are accorded extra privileges and are permitted to wear the Scholastic Bar on their uniform.

Only two Presidents of the United States — Woodrow Wilson and Lyndon B. Johnson — were college debaters. But both of this year's candidates, Richard Nixon and Vice President Humphrey, were on their college teams.

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Adrian News
By ANN BEAVERS
COMMING EVENTS

Dec. 12th, 13th, and 14th. The Adrian Matadors will travel to Truver for the Basketball Tournament.

Dec. 16th. is N. A. S. A. Assembly program held at Vega.

Dec. 17th. Boys Ranch Basketball game with Adrian A Boys and Adrian B Boys with the B team starting at 7:00 p. m. at Boys Ranch.

Dec. 14th. some of the grade school students will attend the "Christmas Festival" Concert at the Music Hall in the Civic Center in Amarillo. The children will leave Adrian School at 2 p. m. Saturday and the price of the ticket is 50 cents.

Dec. 18th and 19th is Semester Test (Reports Cards will be given out after the Christmas Holidays).

Dec. 19th. the Jr. High Basketball teams will travel to Bushland and play ball at 7 p. m.

Dec. 19th The Driver Ed Students will take their written examinations. Dec. 20th. Adrian vs Vega Basketball games at Adrian. B boys will start playing at 5:15 p. m.

Dec. 20th Adrian School will dismiss at 2 p. m. Friday for the Christmas Holidays. Jan. 2nd school will resume.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Guest were Tuesday over night guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Guest in Happy.

The W. M. U Ladies was in charge of the program, Sunday evening at the Baptist Church. The program was on Foreign Missions.

Mrs. Lucy McCown of Seagraves, Texas spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Shae McCown and Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Guest and Mr. and Mrs. John Horton attended the Annual Quarter Horse Banquet held at the Herring Hotel, Sat. night in Amarillo.

Tonya Jackson of Vega spent the weekend with her grandparents the Shag McCown family.

Mrs. Ella Kinsey of Clovis spent Saturday over night with Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Doherty, and also visited with friends here.

Dale Anderson was in Dallas during the weekend and brought his brother Raymond Anderson.

home with him.

The Home Ec. Girls and their sponsor Mrs. Gayle Galley honored the members of the School Board with a dinner Monday evening at Jesse Cafe.

Mrs. Mollie Huggins of Dimmitt spent from Wednesday thru Saturday with the Burt Huggins family last week.

The Young people of the First Methodist Church put up the Nativity Scene in front of the Church, Sunday afternoon. Bob Lane helped them.

The Adrian Jr. High Girls won 1st in the Bushland Tournament and the Adrian Boys won 2nd.

Tony Jackson of Vega spent Monday with the M. H. Zurings.

Patty Zaring, Bobby Brown and Joel Brownlee won Individual Trophies at the Vega Tournament, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tomberlin and children of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Grady Skages and family, Sunday.

Mrs. Doris Sellars of Hedley and formerly of Adrian is in the High Plains Baptist Hospital last week, Monday morning she was to have surgery.

Mrs. George Gruhkey and Dwayne spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Gruhkey in Amarillo. The occasion was Perry's Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Briggs spent Friday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Briggs and family at Lazbuddie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Leslie were in Amarillo, Sunday afternoon to see the Christmas Trees at the Garden Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Worsham spent the weekend in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rudisell and Aleesa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Townsend of Hereford visited the E. E. Alens Sunday.

Visiting the Fred Harwood family recently were Mr. and Mrs. Don Avert and children of Claude, Mrs. Bertha Gretchen of Elk City, Oklahoma and Bill Harwood of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Bradley and family visited in Amarillo, Sunday with the Jess Bradley family.

Mrs. Lena Gudgell spent



WIVES AT CONVENTION — Women here for the Texas Wheat Growers convention Monday and Tuesday were entertained with a coffee and tour of the Holly Sugar plant Tuesday morning, and were also guests at the convention luncheon and banquet. At the coffee Mrs. Leo Witkowski of Hereford, wife of the state president, chats with Mrs. E. L. Hatcher of

Lamar, Colo., whose husband is national president of the Association of Wheat Growers, top photo. In the lower picture, from left seated are Mrs. Lavern Edwards of Panhandle, Mrs. J. W. Cox of Tulia and Mrs. Floyd Brannan of Stratford, with Mrs. Eldred Brown, standing, wife of a Deaf Smith County wheat grower.

Thursday evening with Mrs. Emma Bales.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hobbs of Vega spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane and Colin.

Mrs. D. P. Doherty received word Saturday night of the death of her uncle C. L. Woodward in Little Rock, Ark. and he was buried Monday.

Mrs. Imogene Parker spent Friday and Saturday in Happy with her son and family.

Mrs. Freddie Harris and family of Hereford spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R. Lee Petty and family and were all Sunday dinner guest of the Wilbur Harris family.

The Caprock 4-H Club Girls met last Wednesday after school in the Home Ec. room. The girls brought thread, needles and their material to embroider. Mrs. Mrs. Audrey Gruhkey met with the group. Attending were Elaine Whaley, Sherry Blankenship, Susan Webb, Sherry Webb, Cherrie Betts, Vickie Beavers, Sandra Webb, Twana Sullivan, and Nancy Scott and Mrs. W. B. Betts.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Kromer and Stephen, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wood and Ernie and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hargrove and boys had dinner together in Lubbock, Saturday night.

Visiting in Hale Center with the Bob Lotspeiches were the Keith Kromers, the Bob Woods and the Ed Jacobsons.

The Adrian P. T. O. Meeting was held last Monday night in the School Auditorium. The program was titled "Song of the Tree" and was presented by the 1st, 2nd and 3rd, grades, under the direction of Mrs. Irene Brown. A Surprise Song was sung by Robert Jacobson, Wilbur Harris, Dorothy Travis, Priscilla Jacobson, Kate Bradley and An Beavers with Don Travis directing. After the business part of the meeting Cookies, Punch and Coffee were enjoyed by a large crowd. Hostess were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Perrin, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Burnam, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Huggins and r. and Mrs. Keith Kromer.

The Adrian F. F. A. Chapter attended the District Future Farmers Association meeting in

FFA Teams Place In Dumas Contests

The Hereford FFA Chapter took five teams to the Amarillo District Leadership Contest held in Dumas recently.

Junior Farm Skills team, consisting of Jim Fowler, Frank Beznar, and Ricky Hawthorne, placed fourth out of nine with 780 points.

The Junior Chapter Conducting team came up with 940 points, just nine shy of first place. They ended up second out of 11 teams. On this team were Mike Spinhirne, Richard Schilling, John Schumacker, Jay West, Vernie Taggart, Louis Aven, Rodney Coleman, Joe Weaver and Dennis Cowley.

Junior FFA Quiz team, composed of Steven Colbert, Kent Jack, Larry Roberts and Richard Barret, placed third out of 11 teams with 230.5 points.

In the Senior Division, the Senior Farm Skill team, with Wayne Schilling, David Spinhirne and Billy Johnson, placed second out of 12 teams.

The Senior Chapter Conducting team also placed second. They competed with 11 other teams and came up with 883 points. The members of this team were Leroy Johnson, Ja-

mes Simpson, Lee Williams, Rodney Douglas, Steven Olson, Jimmy Christi, Johnny Trotter, Marvin Smith and Otis Robinson.

Friday, the Amarillo District Banquet was held at the Carson County Agriculture Building in Panhandle. Members of the leadership teams and the FFA officers attended the meeting. However, everyone was invited.

Silver worth more than half a million dollars has been reclaimed by the Veterans Administration this past year from films, negatives and photographic developing solutions.

Veterans with at least 18 months of service after Jan. 31, 1955, who have satisfied their military obligation, are entitled to 36 months of educational assistance at \$130 per month; more for dependents.

Invert a large bowl over that layer cake to keep it covered and fresh.

Club, Husbands Guests At Party

Dinner at the Caison House entertained Young Mothers Study Club and husbands of members in the annual Christmas

Dumas, on Dec. 3rd.

The J4. Chapter conducting group (Chris Burns, Joe Perrin, Dude Speed, Kirk Garrison, Clayton and Ralph Scott) won 10th.

The Senior Farm Skill (Wayne Bronniman, Larry Loveless and Alton Whitten) won 9th.

Radio Broadcast (Jim Bob Perrin, Bobby Brown and Dwayne Gruhkey) won 6th.

The F. F. A. Boys are selling fruit for their project, and are expecting Sausage for Sale, on day 16th.

Calendar Of Events

THURSDAY

Hereford Duplicate Club at Community Center, 7:30 p. m. VFW Auxiliary at VFW Clubhouse, 8 p. m.

Avenue Baptist Victory Class party in home of Mrs. Billy Wall, 7 p. m.

Kiwanis Club lunch at IOOF hall, 12 noon.

Hereford Lions Club Christmas party in high school cafeteria, 7:30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Hereford Garden Club in Mrs. D. K. Brook's home, 2 p. m.

Bud to Blossom Club, Christmas dinner for husbands in

Poor Practices By Aged Cause Health Problems

COLLEGE STATION — One out of every six older people will enter a hospital during 1969 many because of poor health and safety practices, according to a specialist for aging with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Most people more than 65 years old stay in the hospital an average of two weeks, twice as long as the average stay of younger people. And the bill will be twice as large, adds Dorothy Taylor.

Persons more than 65 years of age often wait to see a physician until it is too late because they have inadequate resources to meet medical expenses, explains Miss Taylor at Texas A&M University.

Some are modest, some hope to avoid charity and others do not want to burden their families. So they put off seeking medical attention and hope the ailments cure itself.

Sometimes senior citizens try to treat themselves. From previous experiences, they feel capable of diagnosing their ailment. They may use home cures, medications from friends or the wrong medicines, warns Miss Taylor.

Senior citizens often are victims of poor diets. Food fads, food habits and lack of interest in eating when dining alone may lead to poor nutrition, says the specialist.

The older person's diet may be determined less by good judgment and more by the cost of the food or the ease with which it may be prepared.

Poor safety habits also can bring poor health. Two out of three accidents in which aged persons are involved occur in the home.

home of Mrs. W. H. Gentry, 7:30 p. m. Cultural H. D. Club lunch at home of Mrs. Ira Scott, 12 noon. Wyche H. D. Club dinner at First National Community Room 7 p. m.

Young Homemakers H. D. Club, dinner in Pioneer Gas & Flame Room, 7:30 p. m. Messenger H. D. Club supper in home of Mrs. Bill Page, 7:30 p. m.

SATURDAY

Progressive H. D. Club, salad supper at Mrs. T. J. Parson's home, 6:30 p. m.

SUNDAY

Joint Christmas party, Antonian Circle and Guild of St. Anthony's Catholic Church at Community Center, 7:30 p. m.

MONDAY

El Llano Study Club Christmas party in home of Mrs. Labry Ballard, 8 p. m.

Rainbow Girls at Masonic Hall, 7:15 p. m.

TOPS Club at Community Center, 7 p. m.

Odd Fellows Lodge at IOOF Hall, 8 p. m.

Dawn Lions Club at Dawn Community Center, 8 p. m.

TUESDAY

Rebekah Lodge at IOOF Hall, 8 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

First Christian Women's Fellowship, lunch at church, 12 noon.

Avenue Baptist W M U at church, 7 p. m.

Rainbow Girls Have Problem

The Rainbow Girls have a problem. It seems that the girls were collecting soft drink bottles Monday night to raise money for a project.

One man in the 100 block of Beach gave the girls a box of bottles. However, in the bottom of the box were tools which the girls felt may have great value to the man.

Therefore, they urge the owner of the tools to call 364-0630 and describe the tools.

Mexico's Tarahumara Indians compete in barefoot races that often continue for 48 hours, the National Geographic reports. As they run, they kick wooden balls that are as large as oranges when the race begins, but that wear down to half the size.

The Japanese island of Hokkaido accounts for 20 per cent of Japan's land area, but supports only 5.4 per cent of the nation's population.

The loris, a tiny, slothlike primate, eats insects, small rodents, birds and lizards, swallowing even bones and feathers.

Hereford Lions Club lunch at Hotel Jim Hill, 12 noon.

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AUSTIN HIGHLIGHTS

Shortage Of Doctors Could Be Overcome With New Plan

By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association
AUSTIN A drastic plan to overcome the state's shortage of physicians will be presented to the 1969 Legislature.

Proposed will come from the Coordinating Board, which is responsible for administering public education in Texas beyond the high school level.

Their multi-pronged program would include doubling first-year enrollments in existing state medical schools in Galveston, Dallas and San Antonio — to a minimum of 565 freshmen by 1980 — and giving tax subsidies to the Baylor University College of Medicine in Houston so that it can educate as many doctors for the state as it does privately.

Then, if the legislature agrees, a new state medical school would be established in the Texas Medical Center in Houston. Also, Texas Tech would be authorized to start planning for a West Texas medical school, using the facilities of the Amarillo Medical Center and the expertise of Lubbock, Midland and Odessa hospital authorities.

"Should the need for the establishment of another additional medical school develop in the future," the Coordinating Board said, it will consider putting one at the University of Texas in Austin.

Meantime, all medical educators will be urged to explore possibilities for clinical and post-graduate capabilities in medical centers in El Paso, Temple and Tyler.

To be considered also is the dental shortage. A new state dental school is proposed for San Antonio, as well as tax subsidies for the Baylor School of Dentistry in Dallas. If Baylor can't help, then expansion of the UT Dental School in Houston will be considered.

To meet North Texas' growing educational needs, a college for junior, senior and graduate students is proposed in Dallas; acceptance of Southwest Center for Advanced Studies — to be renamed The University of Texas Center for Advanced Studies in Dallas; a "federation" of North Texas State, Texas Women's and East Texas State Universities to upgrade the quality of programs; and upper-level colleges for Houston, Midland-Odessa, and Corpus Christi, in addition to a 4-year college in San Antonio.

Campaign statements, as well as current ones, made by Gov. elect Preston Smith and Lt. Gov. elect Ben Barnes indicate that they will lend strong support to the recommendations.

WATER PLAN SET — Texas' long-term, multi-billion-dollar water plan — four years in the making — will be unveiled at a public meeting here on December 17.

Texas Water Development Board Chairman Mills Cox announced the ceremony to explain the final version to top state officials, legislators, river authority, water district, conservation and city interests.

Long-range plan — estimated to cost \$3.7 billion for full implementation — was revealed in preliminary form on May 30, 1966.

During the two years that followed, it was subjected to public hearings and criticisms all over the state. Most criticism came from West Texas which felt it had been shortchanged planners. Two years' work went into the proposals before the tentative draft was completed.

Backbone of the mammoth plan is a 980-mile system of lakes, channels and conduits to transport water from areas of surplus in East Texas to parched South Texas.

SCREW-WORMS GALORE Texas confirmed 4,400 screw-worm cases during October, compared to 4,219 in Mexico, 75 in Arizona, 29 in California and 11 in New Mexico.

To combat the disease, 456, 86,000 sterile flies were dropped over Texas. Mexico got 432, 254,000, Arizona 50,500,000, California 8,300,000 and New Mexico 9,534,000.

Still, a joint report of the Texas Animal Health Commission and the U. S. Department of Agriculture said there were no cases of scabies nor no suspicious outbreaks of hog cholera in Texas during October.

PARK STUDY — Senate Interim Committee To Study Park

and Recreation Facilities has decided on at least two recommendations: (1) expediting the proposed Conquistador highway from El Paso to the Big Bend and (2) restoration of Camp Verde in Kerr County.

Conquistador Trail has been proposed by Trans-Pecos groups at least three times but the Texas Highway Commission has pleaded a lack of money. Highway would follow the Rio Grande into the Big Bend National Park.

Camp Verde quartered that famous Texas experiment in the use of camels before the Civil War. Later, the animals were moved farther west, to Fort Davis.

LEASE SALE SUCCESSFUL — School Land Board's last oil and gas lease sale of the year

added \$2,197,315 to the Permanent School Fund, bringing the total in that fund to \$782,672,731.

Board leased 49,868 acres at an average price of \$44 per acre.

Atlantic Richfield was the high bidder, with an offer of \$186,782.40 on Marginal No. 411 covering 1,440 acres in the Gulf of Mexico, Jefferson County. Atlantic Richfield also had the second highest bid, \$149,818.40 for another 1,440-acre tract in Jefferson County.

Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler, who is also chairman of the School Land Board, expressed satisfaction with the average price per acre.

COURTS SPEAK — Supreme

Court agreed in a little-publicized Nueces County case that Texans retired under company pension plans cannot promptly establish eligibility for unemployment compensation without making diligent search for work.

Court spelled out rules for court appeals from Railroad Commission orders on oil and gas pooling operations. Rejection of application appeals can be filed only in Travis County.

Supreme Court found no reason why district judge should not order a new trial of the case involving a \$5,724 jury verdict favoring a Dallas Negro in his suit against loan companies for usury.

Reversing earlier decisions, High Court held a San Antonio firm which furnished concrete for a new apartment complex was an "original contractor" who could not recover losses from an insurance company bond surety of project owner.

Third Court of Civil Appeals overturned a district court and concluded that Austin Savings

and Loan Association can open a branch office in San Marcos despite local firm claims of too much competition.

Appeal of Ben Z. Grant of Harrison County for certification as a justice of the peace, though county commissioner moved to abolish the office, will be heard by Supreme Court.

Gov. John Connally named former FBI Special Agent Leonard Blaylock of San Antonio as executive director of the State Criminal Justice Council.

Lt. Governor-elect Barnes is attending a meeting of the United Nations Economic Commission in Geneva, Switzerland, this week as a representative of the U. S. State Department, to compare ideas on agricultural problems of common concern and make recommendations for Commission action.

Reps. Hilary B. Doran Jr. of Del Rio, Bill Finck of San Antonio, Joe Ratcliff of Dallas, Henry Sanchez of Brownville

will serve on the House Committee to study ways to encourage development of the entertainment industry in Texas.

CRIME ACT PUSHED — Governor Connally slated regional meetings in Houston, San Antonio, Fort Worth, San Angelo and Lubbock to explain the new omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets act of 1968 which will make a total of \$830,000 in federal funds available to the state.

Governor also named six county and city officials to assist with submitting initial application for planning funds by December 19. International Association of Chiefs of Police will serve as consultants on preparation of application to U. S. Justice Department. Glenn Murphy of ICAP has been assigned to assist the governor's office.

HOLIDAY DEATH TOLL PREDICTED — Department of Public Safety predicts 33 will die in traffic accidents in Texas Christmas and New Year's holidays.

DPS will activate "Operation Motorcade" in an effort to get unsafe drivers off the roads and

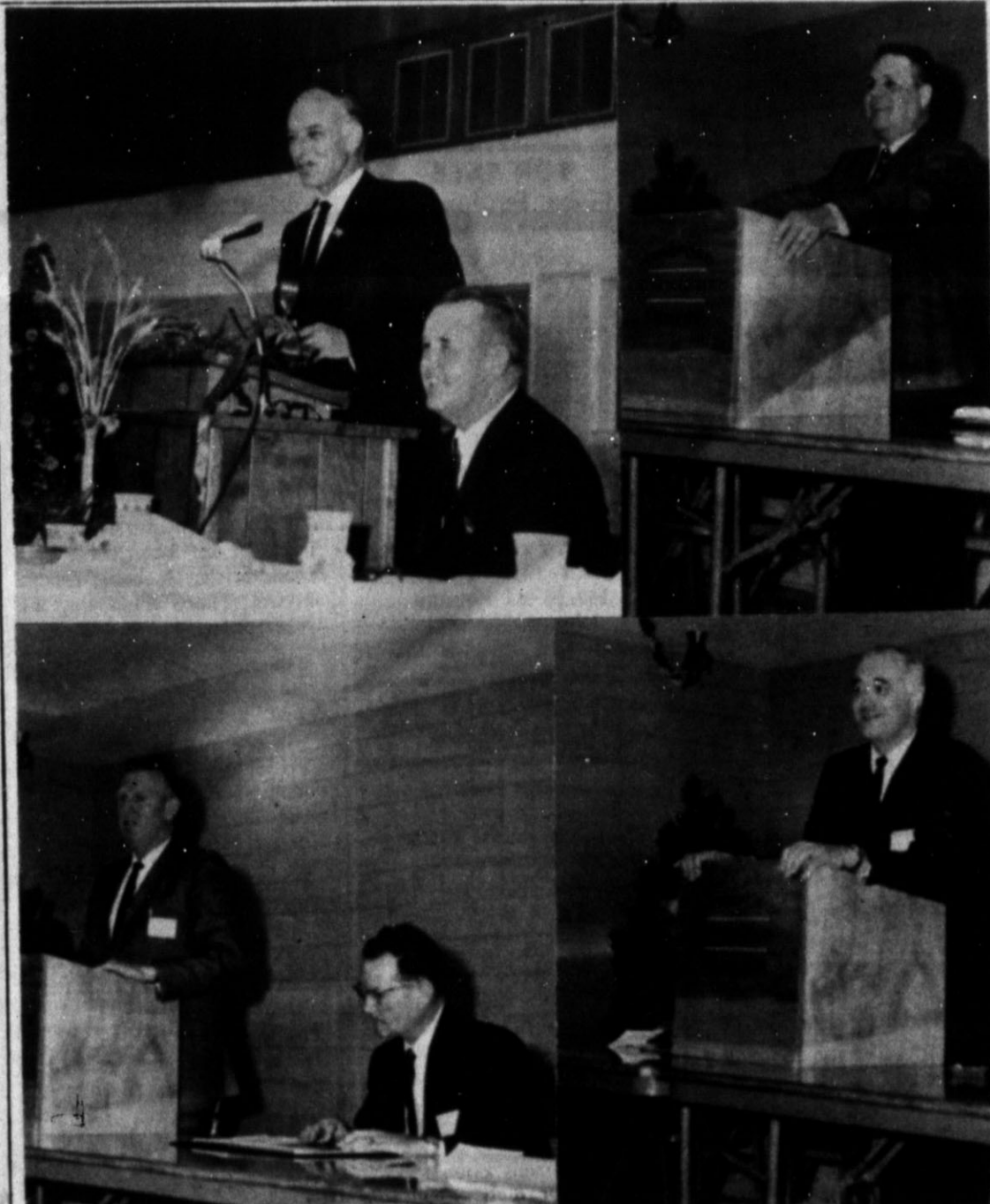
lower the toll. All available DPS officers will be on duty during the two holiday periods. Directors Col. Wilson W. (Pat) Speir said full use will also be made of radar, helicopters and VASCAR as enforcement aids. Latter is a computerized device by which patrol car officers can accurately clock speeders in any direction.

SHORT SNORTS
Texas Aeronautics Commission approved certification for Air Texas flights between Fort Worth, Houston, San Antonio and Austin, but postponed action on Sentinel Airlines' proposed service in West and South Texas.

Governor Connally has asked federal help in saving a 100-year old convent at Brownsville which is scheduled to be demolished to clear the way for a public housing development.

Presidential electors convene here December 16 at 2 p. m. in the State Senate Chamber.

Full economic conditions in Texas reflect "rapid growth," University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.



WHEAT GROWERS SPEAKERS — Shown here are the four speakers for the annual convention of the Texas Association of Wheat Growers. At top left is Congressman Graham Purcell, top right is E. L. Hatcher, president of the National Association of Wheat Growers, bottom left is Ervian Friehe, president of the Nebraska Association of Wheat Growers, and bottom right is Edwin Jaenke, associate administrator of the ASCS in Washington. See story on Page 1 for details.

Community Calendar

The Community Calendar, which includes major events which will be of interest to Hereford and residents of the immediate area, will run in each issue of the Brand. The calendar will include events for the coming six months, and all individuals and organizations are urged to write or mail their event for inclusion.

December
12 — Lions Club Christmas party and Ladies Night.
20 — Rotary Club Christmas Party and Ladies Night at the Jim Hill Hotel.
29 — Schools dismiss for Christmas holidays.

JANUARY
3 — Classes resume.
9 — Installation banquet for Chamber of Commerce officers.
16 — Annual banquet of the Tierra Blanca District of the Boy Scouts of America.
18 — Texas-New Mexico Sugar Beet Growers banquet. Bull Barn.
24 — Annual banquet of Camp Fire Girls.
31 — Deaf Smith County Junior Livestock Show sponsored by the Young Farmers.

February
1-2 — Deaf Smith County Junior Livestock Show.
11 — Crop Clinic at Bull Barn beginning at 9 a. m.
13 — Annual Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce banquet. Speaker will be Irv Wermont.
15-16 — Mid-Winter Conference of Lions Club District 2-T-1.
23 — Community Concerts present Norman Luboff Choir in concert at high school auditorium.

March
15 — Community Concerts presents the Clebanoff Orchestra, high school auditorium, 8 p. m.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH
IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: KATHERINE MESSER ADAMS, whose residence is unknown, the heirs and legal representatives of KATHERINE MESSER ADAMS, deceased, whose name and residence are unknown, and the respective unknown heirs and legal representatives of all the above named parties, corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said corporation and their heirs and legal representatives, the unknown owner or owners of the hereinafter described property and their heirs and legal representatives, whose names and places of residence are unknown, and any and all other persons, including adverse claimants, owning, or having, or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the hereinafter described property delinquent to plaintiff herein for taxes.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that suit has been brought and is now pending in the Honorable District Court, 69th Judicial District, Deaf Smith County, Texas wherein HEREFORD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT is plaintiff; CITY OF HEREFORD, and STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH are intervenors; is implied party defendant; and CECIL MESSER, J. F. MESSER, VICTORIA MESSER, and KATHERINE MESSER ADAMS are defendants, by the filing by said plaintiff of a petition on the 29th day of November, 1968 and the file number of said suit being No. 5608 and the nature of which is a suit to collect delinquent ad valorem taxes on the following described property, to-wit:

The West 81 feet of the East 282 feet of the North 143 Feet of Block No. 5 of Welsh Addition to the Town of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas.

together with interest, penalties, costs, charges, and expenses of suit which have accrued and which may legally accrue thereon.

The amount of taxes due each plaintiff, together with interest, penalties and costs is as follows: Hereford Independent School District \$384.87
City of Hereford \$317.38
State of Texas, County of Deaf Smith \$74.33
TOTAL \$756.58

The names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on said property not made party to this suit are

Plaintiff and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, and in addition to the taxes all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including plaintiff, defendants, and intervenors, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefor, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file and which may hereafter be filed in said cause by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the 12th day of January, A. D. 1969 (which is the return day of such citation), before the honorable District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, to be held at the Courthouse thereof, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the plaintiff and the taxing units parties hereto, and



IPS WORKSHOP AT LA PLATA - Gerald L. Abegg, coordinator of teacher training in the Introductory Physical Science out of Boston, Mass. and the Office of Research and Institute Grants of Kansas State Teachers College, held an IPS Workshop at La Plata Junior High School Friday for

teachers in the local schools. Abegg, left, is shown with Roger Huber and Johnny Fuston, Stanton and La Plata teachers, who took their IPS instruction at Denver prior to the beginning of this term. A new pilot project in the subject is reported as a possibility here. -Staff Photos

Community Calendar

The Community Calendar, which includes major events which will be of interest to Hereford and residents of the immediate area, will run in each issue of the Brand. The calendar will include events for the coming six months, and all individuals and organizations are urged to write or mail their event for inclusion.
December

those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court in the City of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas, this 29th day of November, A. D. 1968,
Lucille Posey Clerk of the District Court, Deaf Smith County, Texas, 69th Judicial District. (SEAL)

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12 - Lions Club Christmas party and Ladies Night.
20 - Rotary Club Christmas Party and Ladies Night at the Jim Hill Hotel.
20 - Schools dismiss for Christmas holidays.
JANUARY
2 - Classes resume.
9 - Installation banquet for Chamber of Commerce officers.
16 - Annual banquet of the Tierra Blanca District of the Boy Scouts of America.
18 - Texas-New Mexico Sugar Beet Growers banquet. Bull Barn.
24 - Annual banquet of Camp Fire Girls.
31 - Deaf Smith County Junior Livestock Show sponsored by the Young Farmers.
February
1-2 - Deaf Smith County Junior Livestock Show.
11 - Crop Clinic at Bull Barn beginning at 9 a. m.
13 - Annual Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce banquet. Speaker will be Irv Wermont.

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LET'S COOK SOMETHING!

Cookies To Serve, Give

By SUE COLEMAN
Women's Editor

Hundreds of cookies! That's Mrs. Gary McQuigg's estimate of the number she makes every Christmas to serve to holiday guests and to give friends. As usual at this time of year, she is looking over her large collection of cookie recipes and deciding which ones to make.

"USUALLY I rely on the old favorite recipes that I've used ever since I started housekeeping; some of them were my mother's," says pretty Mary Kay McQuigg, who lives on a ranch about 20 miles northwest of Hereford.

The McQuiggs moved to a new house there when they were married seven years ago, and have made it more attractive with furniture mixing the contemporary with antiques she admires.

Dark-haired, with Irish blue eyes, Mrs. McQuigg is a native of South Texas and grew up at Crystal City. After completing high school studies there, she went to the University of Texas a year and then came west to Texas Tech, where she met her husband. Her parents live at Eagle Pass now.

THE McQUIGGS have a boxer, Johnny, whom she describes as "a very badly spoiled dog that we treat like a member of

the family." Right now their yard is alive with frisky, fluffy pups, the litter of a stray dog that appeared, half-starved, at their house a short time ago, and they are beginning to realize that some serious efforts must be made to find homes soon for nine pups.

"I've always had pets and loved them so I made friends at once with Johnny, who was Gary's dog before we were married," Mrs. McQuigg says.

She likes living on the ranch, and finds plenty to do to occupy her time. Any sort of handwork attracts her; a large round coffee table in her living room has a tile top she laid, and a picture in creweel work hangs on the wall.

SHE LIKES TO cook and is happy that her husband has a good appetite and likes her cooking so that her efforts are appreciated. She is willing to take the time for elaborate cookery and decoration; an eye-catching candy castle which featured decoration at the recent L'Allegra Club sampling luncheon was her handwork.

She has become a member of that study club in the past year, and is also a member of a bridge club which she entertained at a luncheon in her home this week.

Two of her cookie recipes are

for basic cookies which may be baked in fancy shapes and decorated as desired. She likes the press cookies to make wreaths for Christmas parties or gifts, and the cutout cookies to make in Santa or tree shapes for children.

COOKIE-PRESS COOKIES

1 cup shortening (half margarine and half regular shortening)

¾ cup sugar

1 egg

½ tsp. each almond and vanilla flavoring

Cream shortening and sugar, and egg and flavoring, then mix in:

2½ cups flour

½ tsp. salt

½ tsp. baking powder.

Chill dough 10 minutes. Pack into cookie press and press out onto ungreased cookie sheet, which has been chilled. Bake at 350 degrees 10 to 12 minutes.

SUGAR COOKIE CUTOUTS

Cream together and beat until light and fluffy, ½ cup shortening and 1 cup sugar. Add 2 well beaten eggs, 2 tbs. cream and 2 tsp. vanilla or almond extract; beat well. Sift together 3½ cups cake flour and 2 tsp. baking powder; add to creamed mixture.

Shape into mound, wrap in waxed paper and chill thoroughly. Roll on board lightly "floured" with confectioners sugar until dough is about ¼ inch thick. Dip cutter in confectioners sugar each time before cutting cookie.

Place cookies as they are cut on lightly greased baking sheet. Bake in moderately hot oven, 375 degrees, about 8 minutes or until delicately browned.

MRS. McQUIGG makes sand tarts which are her father's favorite cookies. She likes to use butter in them, and in other cookies, for its special flavor, and believes it is well worth the extra cost over other shortening.

SAND TARTS

1 cup butter (2 sticks)

2 cups flour

¼ cup powdered sugar

1 tsp. baking powder

1 cup finely chopped pecans

3 tsp. vanilla

Sugar for rolling

Cream butter. Sift together flour, sugar and baking powder and add gradually to butter, mixing well. Stir in pecans and vanilla. With the fingers, shape into crescents and place on ungreased baking sheet. Bake in moderate oven, 350 degrees, 10 to 12 minutes or until delicately browned.

While still hot roll in powdered sugar. This makes 3 to 4 dozen, depending on size.

CHRISTMAS FRUIT COOKIES

1 cup brown sugar

¼ lb. butter

3 cups flour

3 tsp. soda dissolved in 3 tbs. buttermilk

4 eggs slightly beaten

1 tsp. each cinnamon, cloves, all spice

1 cheese-glass whisky (about one-third cup)

2 lbs. shelled pecans.

1 lb. each chopped candied cherries and pineapple.

Combine brown sugar, butter and cream. Add eggs, milk and soda mixture and next, the whisky, and stir well. Sift together the flour and spices and flour the fruit with this mixture before stirring into other mixture. Drop on greased cookie sheet and bake at 325 degrees 15 to 20 minutes.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express our appreciation for all the friends who were so wonderful during the loss of our loved one. Thank you for the flowers, the food and your prayers. Our special thanks go to Dr. McCrary whom she loved so dearly and to all the nurses at the hospital who were so kind. May God Bless each of you.

The Family of Mrs. S. C. Brewton

The European starting, the base of those charged with keeping public buildings clean, was first brought to America in 1890 by a zealous group that planned to introduce all the birds mentioned by Shakespeare.

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Widows of World War II servicemen who died on active duty or as the result of service-connected disabilities are eligible for G. I. loans until July 25, 1949.



Shooting The Bull At HHS



By JANE ZINSER

Pressures are building. Clubs, organizations, and special school activities are calling for extra meetings and rehearsals because of extra holidays and "Stunt Night" activities. But, a light airy feeling of the coming holidays makes these activities more enjoyable because it's downhill all the way until Christmas.

—HHS—

Koobraey Assembly, one of the most highlighted assemblies of the year, will be held next Monday, Dec. 18th. All of the returns from voting on class favorites, personality king and queen, Mr. and Miss Hereford High, and most beautiful and most handsome candidates will

be announced at this action-packed assembly. The Annual Staff always sponsors this particular activity because it is traditional.

—HHS—

The past couple of weeks camera bulbs have been popping and flashing all over HHS. The Annual Staff has been busy trying to get all club, band, choir, organizational and class officer's pictures taken to meet a publishing deadline.

—HHS—

Tonight is a Tri-Hi-Y meeting night. Cindy Cayness will hold the meeting at her home at 6:30 p. m.

—HHS—

December 14th, Saturday night has been designated as "Stunt Night." All clubs, organizations

and classes will be competing for the best stunts in the different areas. The Annual Queen will be crowned as the night's headlight.

Admission will be 50 cents for students and adults alike. The public is invited and is assured an entertaining time from the students and their stunts.

—HHS—

Monday night, Dec. 16th, is Key Club night. President John Stagner has set 8 p. m. as the beginning time at the La Hacienda Cafe for the meeting.

—HHS—

The annual FHA-FFA Christmas Party will be held Dec. 16th at the Bull Barn. Starting time for the party is 7:30 p. m.

The Hereford Brand, Hereford, Texas, Thursday, Dec. 12, 1968

The Hereford cagers will meet Clovis here tomorrow night. Game time is 6:15 for the "B" team and 8 p. m. for the varsity. Next Tuesday night, the roundballers will go against Littlefield in Littlefield. Phillips will be guest opponents Friday night, Dec. 17th.

—HHS—

Tomorrow night the A Capella Choir of H.H.S. will travel to Amarillo to tape a television performance under the direction of Mr. Bill Devers. The choir will give a twenty minute Christmas Program of Christmas selection. The concert will be taped at K. G. N. C., Channel 4, and will be shown sometime over the Christmas Holidays. Mr. Morris from Stanton and Mrs. Jane Guley from La Plata have been team teaching with Mr. Devers in preparing the choir's programs.

The annual Christmas Program will be given jointly by the H. H. S. Band and Choir on December 19th. Both of these organizations have presented outstanding performances all year, and this concert promises to be a musical highlight of this season. The public is cordially

invited, and it is to be held at the Hereford High School Auditorium at 7:30 P. M. Admission charges are 75 cents for students and \$1.00 for adults.

—HHS—

On December 3rd, the Hereford F. F. A. Chapter went to Dumas to compete in the Amarillo District Leadership Contest. The Senior Farm Skill Team was composed of Wayne Schilling, David Spinhirne, and Billy Johnson placed second competing against ten other teams. Those on the team were Leroy Johnson, James Simpson, Lee Williams, Rodney Douglas, Steven Olson, Jimmy Christi, Johnny Trotter, Marvin Smith, and Otis Robinson.

The Amarillo District Banquet will be held December 16th at 7:30 P. M. in Panhandle, Texas, at the Carson County Agriculture Building. Hereford FFA officers and members of the winning teams will go to this banquet.

An eligible veteran can take flight training under the Veterans Administration assistance program if it is for the attainment of an approved vocational objective in aviation.



Mrs. Gary McQuigg she built the candy castle

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Shower Honoree Is Dian Wilson

Miss Dian Wilson, whose marriage to Dan Belbeck is planned for Christmas Eve, was honored at a shower in a colorful holiday setting Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Clint Formby.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wilson. Her fiancé, whose home town is Rosemead, Calif., has been stationed at Dyess Air Force Base at Abilene, where Miss Wilson was a student in Hardin-Simmons University.

She and her mother were in the receiving line at the shower, with her grandmother, Mrs. G. P. Owen; Mrs. Hoyt Lovelace of Amarillo, who will be matron of honor, and Miss Becky Owen, maid of honor, in the wedding.

Callers registered at a table where Miss Barbara Owen pre-

sided. Tea was served from a table decorated in Christmas motif, by Mrs. Mack Cansler, Mrs. Lewis Block, Mrs. Larry Walterscheid and Miss Brenda Formby.

Rooms of the Formby home were bright with Christmas color, the traditional red and green varied by a striking orange-flocked tree hung with tropical fruit clusters, butterflies and bird figures.

Shower hostesses included Mmes. A. H. Cook, Fred Muller, J. B. Sneed of Spearman, Paul Harvey, John Seiver, Lloyd Crume, C. E. Rush, Wilbur Gibson, Walter Lemons, Bruce Miller, Bill Gentry, J. B. Sowell, Clinton Massie, Dean Herring, Eugene Sparks, Block, Cansler, Walterscheid and Formby.



Mrs. Leslie D. Carlson nee Valerie Denney

Miss Denney Says Vows With Leslie D. Carlson

The marriage of Miss Valerie Denney and Leslie Dale Carlson was solemnized in the home of the officiating minister, the Rev. H. V. Fields of Grace Gospel Church, in a simple ceremony Friday evening.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stayton, 305 Jowell, and the bridegroom's

Music Club Has Christmas Party

Familiar carols, a dozen or more, were sung by the entire club with Mrs. D. W. Palmer as leader and Mrs. Bill Devers accompanist, to open the Christmas program of Music Study Club Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Steve Clements.

Hostesses were hospitality committee members, Mmes. Dale Young, Joe Frank Clark, B. Y. Crosthwait, Palmer and Clements.

Playing of Silent Night, with variations, as a piano solo by Mrs. J. C. McCracken was a part of the program, one which has become a tradition in the club for its Christmas party.

Mrs. A. O. Thompson presented the hymn of the month, Brightest and Best, and asked Mrs. Palmer to lead the club in singing it.

Mrs. Dick Godwin, who also presided for business, was the program director. She read a poem, "What Is Christmas?" recalling the scents of evergreen boughs, holiday cooking, peppermint sticks; sounds of carols and sleigh bells; nearness of family and friends and especially the sense of presence of the Christ Child whose birth the day celebrates.

In the social period refresh-

Optimists Have Xmas Trees Left

Plenty of Christmas trees still are available in all sizes, Gerald Mobley, president of the Hereford Optimist Club, has announced.

The organization, which sells the trees annually as a means of raising money for community projects, had about 1,400 trees delivered this year. Of that total, some 175 were Scotch pine and the remainder were Fir.

The trees, which range in size from two feet to 12 feet and price from \$1 to \$13, may be examined in the space immediately east of Taylor & Sons grocery on Park Avenue.

Optimists are on duty to sell trees Monday through Saturday from 10 a. m. until 9 p. m. and on Sunday only through the afternoons.

parents are Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carlson, 711 Blevins.

Only members of the families were present for the wedding. Attending the couple were Miss Glenda Sims as maid of honor of Earl Drager as best man.

A street-length dress of white bonded knit was worn by Miss Denney. In A-line style, it had long bell sleeves with touches of pink in embroidery at the wrist. Her attendant was dressed in pink.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlson will make their home at Ava, Mo., and expect to leave the last of this week for that city. A shower honoring the bride is planned for this evening in Mrs. Burke Inman's home.

Mrs. Carlson has been a senior student in Hereford High School. The bridegroom also attended HHS and continued training in mechanics at the Denver Automotive Institute.

ments were served from a table covered with a Christmas cloth and centered with a holiday arrangement.

Other members present were Miss Frances Dameron, Mmes. J. R. Allison, Tom Burdett, Bill Brady, Mack Cansler, W. T. Carmichael, Ellis Coombes, Bill Dameron, Wes Fisher, Paul Lyons, Buddy Peeler, A. J. Schroeter, J. T. Gilbreath, Frances Parker, Jesse Stanford, R. P. Coneway and S. O. Wilson.

Guests were Miss Barbara Clements, Melanie and Bryan Peeler.

If you are investing in new cookie sheets, buy those with no sides at all or with partial rims on a couple of sides for ease in handling. Cookie sheets without sides help cookies to bake and brown well. The cookie sheets should be made of a dull metal because the dulled surface also helps the browning process.

When you are preparing seasoned flour a mixture of flour, salt and pepper — for use in meat and chicken dishes, try adding a little paprika to the combination.

Small Talk

By SUE COLEMAN Women's Editor

If you'd like to take a day off from the pre-Christmas rush but don't want to go so far as to have flu as an excuse to stay in bed all day, you might plead superstition and refuse to get up tomorrow.

IT WILL BE FRIDAY the thirteenth, you know, and some folks say nothing is going to turn out alright on a day like that. On the other hand, you could claim it as a double-lucky day and accomplish all sorts of things.

IT'S BEGINNING to bother my conscience a little to hear those repeated warnings that there are only so many more shopping days until Christmas. To make things worse, nearly everybody you meet asks first thing, if you have your Christmas shopping done.

Since mine is hardly started, that's a touchy question. It could prod me into getting up to the gift counters before Dec. 24, but really, I'm too busy right now

to shop. Busy reminding you to hurry, or you won't get your shopping done early.

AS USUAL the principal Christmas musical event here will be the high school concert, this year a joint production by choirs and band. It is scheduled at 7 p. m. next Thursday in the school auditorium.

The student musicians have been winning all sorts of recognition and awards already this year and performing in all-region groups, so they should be in fine form for their public program.

And the community has a chance to show its appreciation for the excellent music program in our schools, by filling the auditorium with hearers for this Christmas concert.

THERE IS A LOT OF other holiday music floating around, besides that on TV, radio and our downtown broadcast system. Voices rusty at other times of the year get their exercise on carols at club programs and in churches at Christmastime.

More expert voices and instruments are heard in other programs, free to the public, which are being announced daily; there's no lack of good listening in the Christmas spirit.

THE EUGENE SPARKS and Terrell Hodges were in Kansas City last week to attend the 40th annual national convention of Farmland Industries, a farm cooperative group.

Sparks is manager of Consumers Fuel Co-op here and Hodges is associated with that co-op. The Hereford couples also visited former residents, the R. V. Hales, at Savonburg, Kan., while they were in the neighborhood.

To make tomato cups to hold salad mixtures, cut each tomato almost through into half a dozen sections; separate the sections slightly and pile the salad mixture in the center.

Xmas Party For Lions Club Is Set For Tonight

The annual Hereford Lions Club Christmas Party and Ladies Night will begin at 7:30 p. m. today in the high school cafeteria.

Entertainment for the club's big event will be divided into two halves. A barbershop quartet consisting of three Amarillo men and Bill Devers of Hereford will present the first half of the program.

The "Top 20 Singers" of Caprock High School in Amarillo will present the second half of the night's entertainment. Santa Claus will be a special guest for the event.

Meal for the supper will be cooked and served by the cafeteria cooks.

Miss Rita Anderson, the student, was a guest and received a shower of Christmas gifts. Members also exchanged gifts at the meeting in the beautifully decorated home. Refreshments were served in the holiday motif.

Mmes. Roy Botkin, Dale Christie, Guy Waiser, Sims, Jack White, Raymond Wiley, R. L. Leo Buschur and David Hutchins were present.

They visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith Jr., the families of Gary Smith and Mrs. Richard Measures. Mrs. Bill Smith is the former Elsie Wilkins, daughter of the C.O. Wilkins; she and her husband both grew up in Hereford.

Mrs. Measures and Gary Smith are grandchildren of the Hereford couples. Mrs. Measures, who is employed as a nurse in El Centro and whose husband has lately returned from Viet Nam, are the parents of the great-granddaughter, Janet Measures.

Club members present were Mmes. Ray L. Johnson, R. L. Layman, A. L. Manjeot, G. W. Newsom, L. W. Torvell, Tom Sawyer, A. M. Stoy, O. G. Hill Sr., E. T. Hale, R. L. Ethridge and D. K. Brook.

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Club Helps Kings Manor Decorate For Christmas

Visiting King's Manor for an annual Christmas party, members of Hereford Garden Club took materials and helped residents of the retirement home make holiday decorations Friday afternoon. Mrs. S. S. Williams, garden therapy chairman, was in charge of arrangements.

Door ornaments for each room, wreaths, swags and table decorations were made in the work hour.

Tea was served afterward, from a table bright with Christmas colors. Mrs. W. C. Hromas was hostess chairman and was assisted by other members in serving refreshments.

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Christmas Party Given For Garden Beautiful

Garden Beautiful Club met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Roger Brumley. Mrs. Tom Carter was co-hostess for the Christmas social and program.

The members brought carned foods with which they prepared boxes for Girlstown.

Mrs. Ansel McDowell told the Story of Silent Night, by Paul Gallico. The Spiritual Swingers, a high school choral group,

presented Christmas carols to the 15 members present.

Those at the meeting were Mmes. Ray Cowsert, Herman Ford, L. H. Lookingbill Sr., Homer Newton, Charley Hood, Charlie Noland, Don Robinson, Ray Smith, J. S. Solomon, W. J. Stanford, E. W. Young, Ansel McDowell and J. L. Woodford.

The next meeting will be Jan. 4.

Club's Protege Visits

A visit from Mon Amis Study Club's "daughter," whom the club is assisting as a student at West Texas State University this year, featured the annual Christmas party Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Christie.

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Local Couples Back From Visit In California

Two Hereford couples have returned from a visit in Brawley, Calif., to a family which includes children of both couples, their mutual grandchildren and great-granddaughter. They are the W. J. Smiths and the C. O. Wilkins.

They visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith Jr., the families of Gary Smith and Mrs. Richard Measures. Mrs. Bill Smith is the former Elsie Wilkins, daughter of the C.O. Wilkins; she and her husband both grew up in Hereford.

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Class Meets For Holiday Party

Bethany Class held its Christmas party recently at the First Baptist Church.

The program was given by Mrs. C. J. Mountz and Mrs. T. W. Roberson who presented a Christmas Story and sang "O Holy Night."

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Wert Phillips, J. J. Buckner, Charley Waiser, W. W. Hill, E. B. Moseley, J. A. Israel, G. W. Brumley, J. B. Harlan, Jack Roberson, Annie Beauford, J. V. Pickens, J. D. Gilbert, Lena Minefee, W. D. Vaughn, J. T. Gilbreath, J. H. Patton, A. O. Thompson, G. K. Horton, Laura Higgins, Mountz, Roberson, Vivian Major and H. E. Danforth.

Hostesses for the party were Mrs. Major and Mrs. Israel.

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Glady's Garden

By Gladys Howton Manjeot

THE INTERROBANG.

Some of the things which have always interested me are, the punctuation marks. When a child and I had my first lessons in the use of them, they simply fascinated me. To each of them I put my own interpretation or use, as well as those which the teachers taught me. These busy, busy happy days I have felt the need of a new or different one, so that I could really express my innermost feelings. It has happened!

In a recent issue of a popular magazine I found such a one. The Interrobang. It is a newly invented punctuation mark. It is made by the combination of the question mark, with an exclamation point superimposed. (make the question mark, then superimpose the exclamation mark into it. (the question mark should be a bit larger to show up well) The interrobang is already available to printers in one typeface and it has been added to the special characters of one of the popular typewriters, electric model. From its sponsors the report is that it is becoming very popular, and they recommend it for its ability to express the excitement, incredibility, ecstacy of modern life.

In relating my activities of last week and some of the innermost feelings I could use it many times. For instance I am (?!) over the fact that we have the garden all put to bed for the winter. The flower beds have been cleaned out, and spruced up by raking and cleaning. The bulbs have all been planted (except a few); several projects, which have been working on for months have been completed; Christmas lights are beginning to twinkle over town, along with attractive Christmas decorations being completed not only in our home town but in others; Christmas Greetings are ready for mailing; had fun shopping with some of the lovely ladies of King's Manor; shared in making Christmas decorations for Kings Manor, and other friends; air is filled with laughter of happy children, good cheer permeated the parties attended; sharing Christmas with foreign friends, and other mis-

sion workers. Oh! it is good to be alive even though these are chaotic times.

MAKE SOME OF YOUR CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

Let your family share in the fun and know-how of sharing Christmas in this way.

Anyone can make a wreath. This is one of the most popular of all the decorations used in the home. For gaiety, drama, and color, there is really no limit to what can be achieved. Really Christmas is not complete (at our house) without a Christmas wreath. The wreath expresses many things, and it symbolizes immortality and life eternal through its very design... the endlessness of the circle.

I have friends who have heirloom wreaths, which are used each year at Christmas time. If you do not have such a wreath, then make one this year. Study materials, properly conditioned and securely attached, are very necessary. An heirloom wreath made of various kinds of nuts (treated) and combined with permanent foliage can be made to become a priceless thing. This is one that the man of the house can share in the making.

One of the first requirements for a wreath is to obtain a proper base. Decide where you are going to display your wreath, and purchase a durable Styrofoam base in the approximate size which would be appropriate for your placement (the base can be made of coat hangers and strengthened by other wires and then covered). In planning for the base keep in mind that it will be several inches larger in diameter when all the materials are attached. The next step is to secure a strong loop of wire around the base to serve as a hanger. Securely twist this so that if it is used on a door which will be opened many times, the hanger will hold firmly to the door.

The next step is to wrap the base firmly with an inexpensive satin ribbon (for the one of nuts use velvet ribbon) about two inches wide. A suggested color would be green, but select color which will tend to harmonize with other colors in the decor-

Secure the ribbon with florist pins.

Next select materials which you wish to use for the main body of the wreath. Fresh green are always good, and if properly conditioned with last through the holidays. These can be replaced the next year.

Snip greens into small bunches and wire each bunch to a small florist pick. Prick these onto the base in a clockwise direction, and cover completely including the sides so the wreath will not have a flat appearance. It may be necessary to trim the green a bit to make the form round and full. Do not let your wreath have a flat look... should be full — round and well made.

Additional materials needed will be those that you wish to decorate with or accent the greens. Pine cones, seed pods, dried flower heads, baubles, small animals, musical instruments (toys), nuts. In using the nuts do not ever drill holes in them, causes worms, but instead cover each with a square of old nylon hosiery and wire it to a small florist pick. In using these additional materials seek to carry out a design. Do not spot place them. When completed spray with a clear plastic, this will aid in preserving the materials, and will give an added sheen to the textural qualities. Bows of waterproof velvet or other ribbon, cords of metallic or yarn also make attractive bows.

One of my friends used the fol-

liage of blue juniper, and at the end of the Christmas season when she took the wreath down she found that it had dried beautifully, and she has used it many years. One year she sprayed it silver, the next gold, then bronze, and it is still good for many other years. Each year she carefully stored it and it has almost become a must in their Christmas decorations. To store after the holidays, wrap the wreath in a plastic bag and seal it securely with freezer tape. Place in a cardboard box, and store. Mark box carefully.

Another idea about such a wreath is that we can skip a year or two, and then take it out of storage, and lo' there is a new thing to use.

Another friend of mine, came in the other day with a box she had had stored for five or six years. We tore it open and in the box was a very pretty Christmas Tree, all ready for a special place in the blue room. Yes! Christmas Time should be full of delightful surprises.

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DE STUDENT OF THE WEEK — Chosen as this week's DE student is Karen Jesko, 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Jesko, Rt. 2. Miss Jesko is employed with Joe B. Whitley, D.D.S., under the Distributive Education program at Hereford High School where she is a junior. After graduation, she hopes to continue in the dental field. Pictured with Miss Jesko is Dr. Whitley. —Staff Photo

Santa Receives Special Request

Santa Claus has turned this letter over to the Brand — as he has many of them from local children — but requested that this one be published in a special place. Santa said that it has a special meaning:
Dear Santa,

I'm getting pretty old to be writing you, but there are a few things that I would like for Christmas this year.

The first gift would be that of Peace. Not only Peace for my country, but world-wide Peace. Lasting and eternal. But, Santa, I haven't forgotten that you gave me a gift many, many years ago that I love very much. It was the gift of Liberty. But, like most gifts, it had a price — a high one. The price was war, bloodshed, and tears. We had to give up Peace for war — but then wasn't it worth it?

The second gift I ask for is Faith. Yes, Faith. Faith in ourselves, Faith in others, and Faith in God. If a person has Faith in himself he can accomplish anything that he sets his mind to. Second, a person must have Faith in his fellow man. Perhaps what makes a child so precious is his complete trust in everything and everyone. Lastly, and most important, would be

Faith in God, for without Him we are nothing. Besides do we not owe God our Faith? Because on that very first Christmas, God gave the world the greatest gift of all — His Son.

The last thing I ask for, Santa, is Love. Love for everyone, regardless of race, color, or creed. I know how hard it is to love everyone because I am human, too. But if you look at someone you dislike and realize that that person is made by God, too, I think that that person may change in your eyes.

Well, Santa, I guess that's about everything. Oh! And, Santa, I promise that if I get these things — I'll share.

Love,
Kerrie L. Womble
246 Ranger Dr.
Hereford

Vincent van Gough, whose works of art command extremely high prices today, never sold one of his paintings during his lifetime.



Awards Given At Holiday Party

Perfect attendance through the year at Deaf Smith County Home Demonstration Council meetings was recognized at the annual Christmas party Monday afternoon, when awards were presented to seven members.

The party was in Community Center ballroom, where cheerful decorations had been arranged by hostesses for the day, the recreation committee: Mmes. Viola Williams, J. E. Sorrells and Dale Hallows. A large Santa Claus picture was on the wall faced by the guests' chairs. Candy cane corsages were given members as they registered, while the hostesses and the day's honoree wore more elaborate holiday corsages. Greenery, glitter balls and candles decorated the refreshment tables and another table where club scrapbooks were displayed.

Argen Draper, County H. D. Agent, was presented a gift

from members over the county, and declared "Queen For The Day" as an expression of appreciation for her work with the clubs.

Mrs. A. E. Hodges was recognized as an outstanding member of the year, marked by her election to the state vice presidency of Texas H. D. Association. Mrs. O. L. Williams, retiring Council president, received a gift of appreciation.

The perfect attendance awards went to Mrs. Dick Golden and Mrs. R. L. Johnson, representatives of Dawn H. D. Club; Mrs. Paul Hoff and Mrs. W. J. Lueb of North Hereford Club, Mrs. Elmer Northcutt and Mrs. Sorrells of Messenger Club and Mrs. Jimmie Bradley of Bippus Club.

The 43 persons present, from all 11 clubs of the county, joined in singing carols. Mrs. Sorrells read a Christmas poem to complete the program.

Auditions Of "Texas" Set

Auditions for the cast of the 1969 season of the "Texas" musical-drama, an annual summer affair in the Palo Duro Canyon, will be held on Friday, Jan. 3, according to William A. Moore, director of the production.

This audition is reported as an accommodation for those interested who will be in the Texas Panhandle during the Christmas holidays.

Moore has asked parents of actors and singers who are away at school to take note of this date and mention it to their families. Auditions will be held from 1 to 4 p. m. at the Fine Arts Building on the campus of West Texas State University at Canyon.

Moore also reported there would be two other audition dates following the Jan. 3 date. The second audition will be held on Jan. 25 at WTSU from 9 to 12 a. m. and from 1 to 4 p. m. The third audition is slated for the Drama Department at El Centro College in Dallas from 9 to 12 a. m. on March 1.

For additional information, Moore asks that the prospective cast member write P. O. Box 268, Canyon, Tex., 79015.

"Texas" is the spectacular musical-drama by the noted playwright, Paul Green, which has reportedly played to more than 100,000 people in Palo Duro Canyon since its opening in 1966.

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Leatherman Sees Duty Round Globe

By EARL MOSELEY
Staff Writer

Timothy Leatherman, who has been in the Army a little over seven years, has had the unusual distinction to have served in three different overseas assignments during that time — in Korea, Germany and Vietnam. And he has current opinions on all three of these locations. Leatherman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Leatherman of 1605 Blevins. His father is employed by Pacific Molasses Co. and his mother is with Justice Realtors here.

He is also married and has a daughter. His wife Rosemary is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Hershey of 308 Ave. B and she is employed at Beauty Mart. Their daughter is Leah Rene who is 21 months old.

Leatherman said that he was stationed in Korea during 1962-63 and at the present that country seems to be evolving into a hot spot — with skirmishes around the DMZ there between U. S. service personnel and the communists. He wasn't certain how this would turn out, "but

I hate to see things happening to our men."

He was queried for his opinion on the North Korean's capture of the Pueblo and its crew, who have not as yet been released:

"Personally," Leatherman said, "I don't like it. But I won't say I disagree with the government on what they are doing about it. But I do say that something should be done to get them back."

He described Germany as being "pretty quiet" while he was there.

"Most of Germany is pretty nice. Only some have given troubles. On the Czech border, there are a couple of towns that don't like the G. I. And on May Day (a big Communist holiday) there are places you can't get through at all — they are out of bounds for servicemen."

Leatherman was asked the reason for the defection of the U. S. serviceman in some instances, while stationed in Germany and not in other locations at this time:

"A lot of them are away from their parents for the first time," he replied. "They might have had a tough time at home. And in order to make any money, you have to make rank there — stay straight. But a lot of guys don't see it that way. They have financial problems,



SGT. TIMOTHY LEATHERMAN — Back from Korea, Germany and Vietnam. —Staff Photo

and before long they don't have anything left. They aren't capable of taking orders — they can't face authority. They just don't like the set-up."

He added, "They don't realize when they come back they have it worse than when they started."

Leatherman did not like the idea of the cease fire order in Vietnam — from where he is most recently returned. "It always gives Charlie a chance to recuperate. I believe constant bombing would keep them down. A cease fire is the only chance Charlie has."

He pointed out the cease fire problem which was called last Christmas. "Even though the Americans had to cease fire it didn't stop the North Vietnamese. We weren't supposed to shoot unless we were shot at. I

didn't agree with that — not even one per cent."

Asked his views on the current Paris peace talks and whether he thought the war would end soon, Leatherman replied,

"No, I honestly don't think the war will end before the presidents change offices in this country in January. I look for the war to go on for quite some time — maybe two years. It hasn't slowed down that much. Wars don't suddenly stop — they slowly fade out. This war doesn't look like it's doing that right now."

FORT POLK OR RECRUITER
After living in several Texas cities such as Fort Worth, Dallas, Corpus Christi, Victoria, Cleburne, Leatherman graduated from high school in San Angelo and entered the service, taking his basic training at

Guests Presents Review For Club

A surprise program at Pioneer Study Club's annual Christmas luncheon Tuesday presented Mrs. Clint Formby as guest reviewer to give her delightful interpretation of Sam Levenson's book about his childhood, Everything But Money.

Introduced by Mrs. A. L. Manjeot, Mrs. Formby told of the family growing up in a city slum section, short of money but blessed with parents ambitious for their children and using strict disciplines to see that the

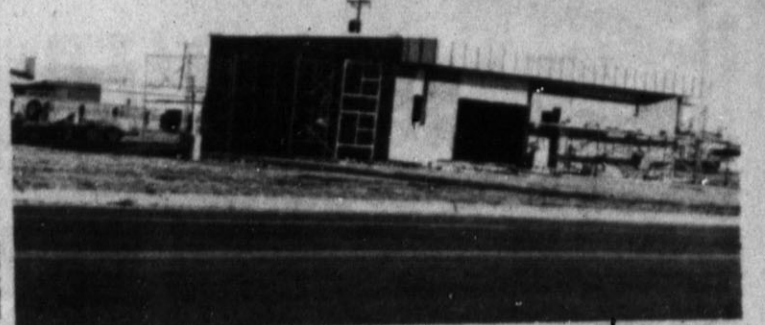
children were educated and ready to earn a better life in the future. Mrs. Kay Johnson, program chairman, opened the program and Mrs. Ralph McCullough gave the invocation and a Christmas meditation. Mrs. W. C. Hromas, P. B. Sowell and Mary Seigler were luncheon hostesses at Ward's Restaurant. They decorated tables with candle and holly arrangements, centering the head table with a large gold candle set among white holly leaves, gold balls and sprays.

Tiny red lamps with holly wreathing their bases were placed down the tables. Place favors were paperweights with holly and gold fringe trim. Members brought gifts for an exchange, and packages of food and clothing to fill baskets for local needy families at Christmas. The gaily-wrapped gifts were exchanged from a table centered with a large blooming poinsettia.

Mrs. Delmar Sigle, president, received a gift from the club, presented by Mrs. McCullough, who also gave mementoes to Mrs. O. G. Hill Sr. and Mrs. A. L. Manjeot in appreciation for their work in the club's fall project of selling bulbs.

She announced that all the bulbs were sold, giving the club a profit of some \$300 for its projects which include civic beautification. Other members present included Mrs. C. R. Walser, an associate member, and Mmes. Ted Patton, Wiri Phillips, M. L. Simpson, H. E. Miller, Bob Hamman, L. H. Lookingbill Sr., Henry Hastings, J. M. Gilliland, N. E. Gass, Burl France, Herman Ford, C. L. Craig, Bonnie Brumley, Allan Bell, Fred Barrett, Frank Ball, and Miss Roberta Campbell.

He made Sergeant First Class on November 25.



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HHS Quiz Team Tapes Program

The "Learn and Live" quiz team from Hereford High School will appear on the driving safe-

ty television series Dec. 20 on KFDD-TV.

Members of the HHS team, all sophomores, are Kima Marsh, Sara Bell, Suzanne Solomon and Sherry White. They are directed by Mrs. Jean Schumacher.

The group was to have taped the program in a contest Tuesday with a team from Amarillo Tascosa. Results of that contest will not be revealed before the Channel 10 program.

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Did you shed a tear? Try it sometime. It might get some stories told which you could tell in no other way. You may not have a mother, but one thing sure... *you do have a God.*

Tears move people. They tell stories of deep meaning. Maybe the world should cry more. *It would offer more opportunity for God to "come in."* Then soften up and let your lacrymal glands work more freely.

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By MRS. T. B. THOMAS
Brand Correspondent

Recent guests in the M. C. Kaul home were her cousins the Steven Willets, enroute from Everett, Wash., to Pensacola, Fla. where they will be stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wagoner, of Dumas, Mrs. Wanda Colthorp and sons, of Amarillo, and Mrs. Pam Hilbert, of Newark, N.J., were recent guests in the Deltan Cockran home. Mrs. Art Shaffer was also a visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Drake spent Thanksgiving in Van Horn with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Drake and Sammy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Morrison spent Sunday in Tucumcari, visiting Mrs. Nell Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Thomas spent several days in Lubbock at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. L. G. Thruth, Sr., who was a patient in the Lubbock Methodist Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. John Drake and Deborah Thomas spent Sunday there visiting their grandmother. Dan Thomas of Alpine, stopped there on Wednesday, before driving home.

Thursday guests in the J. C. Morrison home were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Morrison and children, of Kerrick; Mr. and Mrs. on Heddens and children of Clovis; Dan Thomas, of Alpine; Deborah Thomas, of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thomas; and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Kaul.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ethridge spent Thursday in Dimmitt with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hershey. That afternoon, the Ethridges and Mrs. Hershey drove to Plainview where they visited with their aunt, Mrs. H. C. Hoyle, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Shuley, E. E. Bishop, Micky and Vanessa and Mrs. Harold Hamby and Mike of Dumas spent several days in Fountain, Colo. with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Jackson. They visited in Colorado Springs with Mrs. Frank Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barr and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Minton, Mrs. Franklin Goodnight, and Mr. and Mrs. Stony Comer. Enroute back to Hereford, the Sauleys stopped in Dalhart for a visit with Mrs. Luther Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman McCluskey spent several days in Roaring Springs with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Richardson spent the weekend in Afton with family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Reynolds had their daughters and families home for the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Oble Caraway and children of Startford and Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Gyles, of Pueblo, Colo. The Gyles also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gyles.

W. B. Nunley visited recently in Graham with his mother, Mrs. W. B. Nunley Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Roach and family of Odessa visited with her mother, Mrs. Bess Werner and brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Turrentine and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wand and son of Levelland spent Wednesday night with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ethridge.

Mrs. Joyce Schenk and Bussy Kaul spent the holidays in Del Rio with her family the Haughtons.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kaul and Tonya spent Thursday in Muleshoe with her mother.

Greg Wood and Jim Batman of Alpine accompanied Dan Thomas to Oklahoma City on Saturday for the first perfor-

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mance of the National finals of the RCA.

Deborah Lynn Pierce, bride-elect of Jess Shirley, was honored with a bridal shower on Monday night in the home of Addie Stallings. The honoree opened her gifts and shared with the guests. Hostesses for the affair were: Mrs. Jimmy Thomas, J. C. Morrison, M. C. Kaul, Ed Blakney, C. A. Sauley, H. E. Owens, Wayne Lady, E. E. Malone, W. B. Nunley, Glenn Watts, Paul Rudd, Betty Taylor, Lavada Shannon, Jackie Stallings, Dean Stallings, and R. L. Wilson.

Mrs. Daisey Allison and Charles spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dyess at White Sands.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wilkins and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith have returned home from a

trip to California to visit their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. George Le Grand and family of San Antonio visited during the holidays with his father, Louie Le Grand and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lewis and family of Olton spent Sunday here with her brother and family, the W. B. Nunleys. They were all dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie McNeese and boys.

Look Who's New

Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Nino Garcia are the parents of a daughter, Margarita, born Dec. 5. She weighed 6 lbs. 10 ozs.

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Ex-Students At Friona Have Annual Reunion

The annual Friona Ex-Student Reunion will be held in the High School cafeteria, in the 1200 block of West Seventh St. in Friona, at 7 p.m. on Dec. 26.

Officers for the Friona Ex-Students Association are John Blackburn, president; C. L. Lillard, vice president; and Mrs. Herschel (Edith Moseley) Johnson, secretary.

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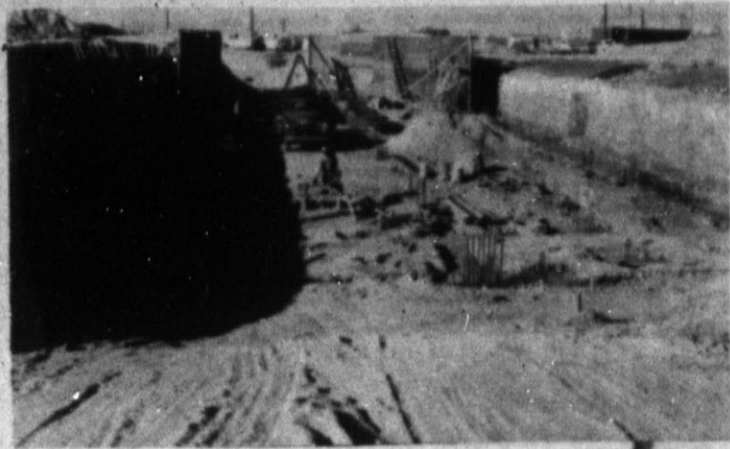
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BASEMENT AND FOUNDATION — Work at the Wilson & Company beef processing plant site is just about on schedule as the foundation and other points of the large plant take shape. The top photo shows an overall view of the basement, while the bottom photo depicts some of the work being done on the building foundation topside. —Staff Photos

At The Library

Art Linkletter Adventures, New

Two new books, one the heart-breaking story of a young widow, and the other about the Australian adventures of Art Linkletter, have found homes on the new books shelf at Deaf Smith County Library.

ELIZABETH SEIFERT's readers will enjoy reading her new book —THE DOCTOR'S CONFESSION just put on the new shelf in the Library.

Until she received the shocking news of her mother's death, Phoebe Flowers, a young widow had been a secretary to a small town doctor. Then in a day everything changed. There were the difficulties of moving with her two little girls to the city; of meeting the relatives her Mother so strangely had hated; of adjusting to a new job in the big hospital complex; Almost from the first, Phoebe had been stirred by the plight of drug addicts.

When Talley Newbern, the English psychiatrist, joined the staff to do research on drugs, she became his ardent admirer. Some of the doctors resented him, however, and Jesse Holland, a resident, did not try to conceal his hostility. Friction exploded into a scandal, and Phoebe found herself involved in a heart-breaking crisis.

LINKLETTER DOWN UNDER
By ART LINKLETTER

In 1954 under the spell of the late Harold Holt's infectious evangelism for Australia as a land of opportunity, Art Linkletter and some celebrity friends formed a syndicate and prepared to go prospecting in the land where winter was summer and the soldiers wore "wide-brimmed hats turned up on one side." They were sure they would meet kangaroos and koal bears, and perhaps some stone age aborigines wandering across the limitless deserts, but beyond this vague trivia, these "BABES" knew literally nothing about the "Land down under." Yet in the spirit of true adventures, they bravely set out to

answer the romantic "Call of the Wild."

With dreams of feeding an exploding world population and a chancy scheme for making enormous dividends, they invested in 500,000 acres of rice paddies at Humpty Doo in Australia's top end. Roads were built, workers imported, ground leveled and seeded. Two years later their investment lay in ruins. Throngs of wild ducks and thundering herds of water buffalo refused to give up their squatters rights, especially when those rights meant "Handouts" of fresh Tai rice.

Writing off their cash losses, the Hollywood pioneers went home—all except Art Linkletter. He stayed behind but shifted the scene of operations to a potential sheep station on a huge tract of barren land east of Perth at a dot on the map called Esperance. Ten years later, he mined the greatest treasure of his future—a headline in the South Australia stock journal: "Linkletters place is the show place of West Australia."

Written with Linkletter's irresponsible wit and humor, and illustrated by the distinguished Australian cartoonist, Paul Rigby, this is the full story of that "Hollywood guy down under," and a revealing character sketch of Australia —The land and its people.

Modern banking techniques were born during the Holy Crusades. Crusaders wished to send money home and to borrow money while in the Near East. Thus, letters of credit came into common use where monies put on deposit in Europe could be drawn in the form of credit in the Near East.

Nebraska, which started Arbor Day, is the only state to make it a regular legal holiday — April 22.

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RED CROSS WORK CITED

Among the numerous residents of Deaf Smith County who were honored at a Recognition Night program Thursday, were these. Caps were presented to three Uniformed Volunteers, top photo, pictured with Mrs. H. F. Neely who gave them certificates earned in an orientation course which she taught. From left are Mrs. Sam Morgan, Mrs. R. B. Hutson and Mrs. Kyle Cauble. Citations for work done in church groups, sewing for veterans hospitals and supplying Christmas gifts for servicemen in VietNam, were received by Mrs. Guy Walsler, left in middle photo, Summerfield Baptist Church, and Mrs. S. L. Garrison of First United Methodist Church, among others. Similar citations for club and individual service went to 12 persons, among them, from left in bottom photo, Mrs. Louie Olson, Cultural H. D. Club; Mrs. J. G. Gandy, Star Street Friendship Club; Mrs. J. E. Brook of Dawn, individual; Mrs. Mack Noland, Summerfield Study Club. —Staff Photos

Decorating Club Welcomes Four New Members

Sweet and Fancy Decorating Club met Friday morning at Community Center. Mrs. Dale Henson and Mrs. Richard Sims demonstrated a method of working with candy clay to make decorations for foods. To carry out a Christmas theme, red poinsettias and green holly leaves were made from the clay. Mrs. Richard Sims, with assistance from club members,

will demonstrate cake decorating techniques to a Blue Bird group on Dec. 18. Members present were Mmes: Richard Sims, Dale Henson, J. A. Crofford, Leroy Edwards and Lynn Pittard. New member present were Mmes. Richard Fortenberry, Bobby Ridley, Bill Hammock and Bill Page. Anyone interested in membership in the club may call Mrs. Sims.

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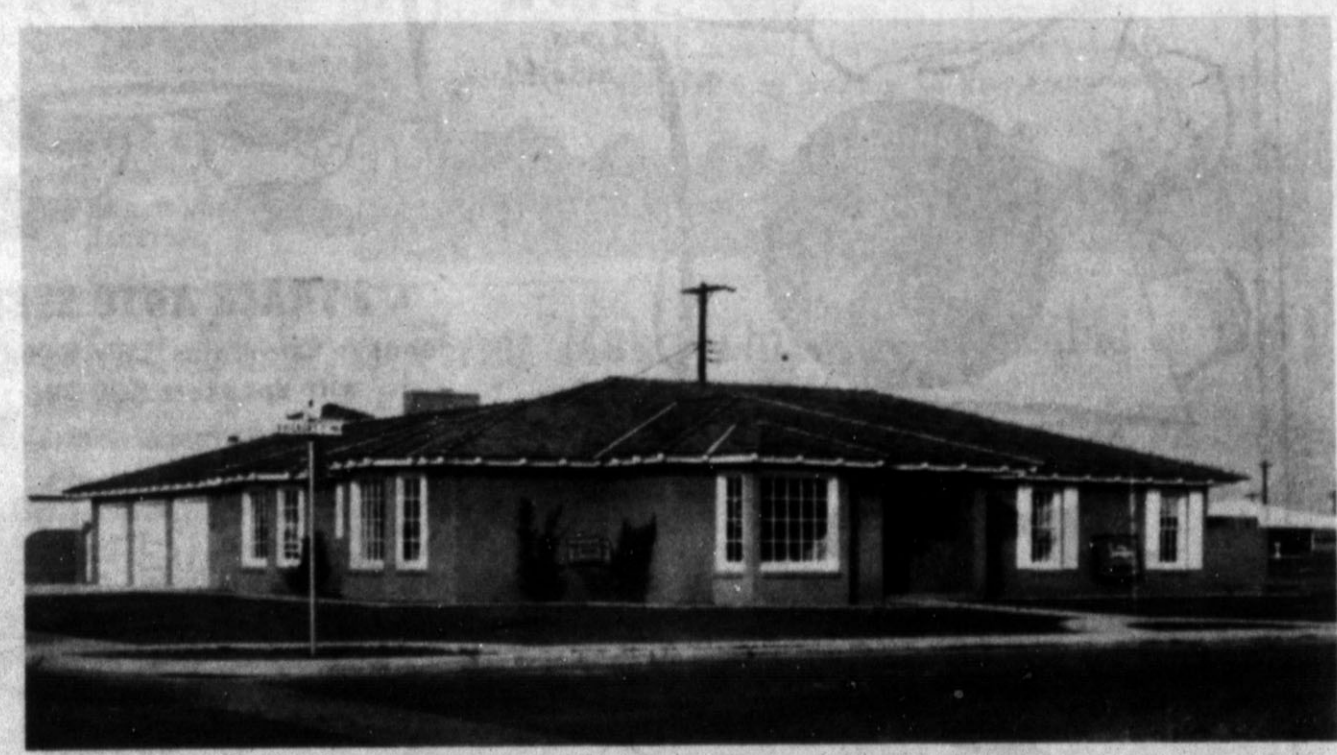
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Three Local Men At Kansas City

About 10,000 persons attended the 40th annual meeting of Farmland Industries in Kansas City, Mo., on Dec. 4-6, including W. J. Albracht, W. J. Schumacher, and Joe Artho, of Hereford.

Highlights included the annual report of Ernest T. Lindsey, president. He reported volume

in the fiscal year ended Aug. 31 reached a record \$390.6 million, with saving of about \$16.7 million. About half of the savings were refunded in cash at the meeting to member cooperatives on the basis of patronage in the past year.

The number of cooperatives served by Farmland Industries, a regional supply cooperative that manufactures feed, petroleum, fertilizer and other farm supplies, rose from 1,800 to about 2,000. The increase reflected expansion into Texas and Minnesota.

Other speakers included Debra Barnes, Miss America of 1968; Greg Bamford, 1967 national FFA president; Dr. Earl O. Heady, director of Agricultural Adjustment Center, Iowa State University; G. Robert Gadberr, vice-president of the Fourth National Bank, Wichita; Dr. Carl F. Kraenzel of the University of Texas at El Paso; Howard K. Smith, television news commentator; Dr. John R. Brake of Michigan State University and Dr. Gordon L. Lippitt of George Washington University, Washington.

Entertainment featured a Thursday night performance by the Osmond Brothers, who rose to fame after appearances on the Andy Williams television show.

Four Specials At Star, All In Color

Star Theater in Hereford will have two Shop and Show matinees sponsored by the First National Bank, in addition to another kid show and a midnight show during the holidays, according to manager Francis Hardwick.

On Dec. 21, "Clarence, the Cross-Eyed Lion" will have showings at 10 and 11:50 a. m. In view of its being a Saturday booking, Hardwick pointed out that both showings had to be scheduled during the morning because of the regular matinee showings of "King Kong vs. Godzilla" and "King Kong Esc-

apes" will begin at 2 p. m. But on Monday, Dec. 23, such will not be the case with the showing of "Battle Beyond the Sun." It will have showings at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. The regular showings of "Frankenstein Conquers the World" and "Dr. Goldfoot and the Bikini Machine" will not begin until 6 p. m. that day.

But the Dec. 21 and 23 special showings will have no admission charge, according to Hardwick. They have been designed to permit local mothers to have a "babysitter" so they can do their Christmas shopping here.

The first Shop and Show matinee without an admission charge was shown on the day following Thanksgiving, when Hardwick reported a "very successful reaction from both the

kids and the mothers —and the local merchants."

However, there will be an admission charge for "The Seven Faces of Dr. Lao" with Tony Randall playing seven different parts, at 10 a. m. on Dec. 31 and Jan. 1. The same will hold true for the New Years Eve midnight showing of "Mrs. Brown, You Have a Lovely Daughter" with Herman's Hermits, Hardwick said.

He reported that all special features will be in color.

You can bake corned beef hash. Just pack the hash from a couple of one-pound cans into a baking dish, a glass one that is 10 by 6 by 1 1/2 inches will be fine. Brush with melted butter or margarine and bake in a moderate oven until piping hot. This may take half an hour.

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Income Tax Facts

DALLAS — Employees who receive cash tips of \$20 or more in any calendar month, while working for one employer, must report the amount of tips received to that employer.

Ellis Campbell, Jr., District Director of Internal Revenue for Northern Texas, pointed out that cash tips are subject to withholding of income and Social Security taxes and must be re-

ported to the employer on or before the 10th day of the following month.

The Internal Revenue Service has available free of charge Document 5635, "Employee's Daily Record of Tips and Report of Tips to Employer," which explains briefly the requirements of the law and the forms needed to make the necessary report. To obtain this document, just drop a post card to Supply,

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50 BONUS GUNN BROS. STAMPS
With This Coupon And The Purchase of 40-oz. jar Nu Made Peanut Butter
Coupon expires Sat., Dec. 14



BANANAS

Large Golden Ripe Chiquita Brand Bananas Why Pay More? **lb. 10¢**

Chocolate Milk Lucerne qt. ctn. **29¢** **Freestone Peaches** Gardenside **3 2 1/2 cans \$1**
Cream Topping Lucerne 15-oz. can **79¢** **Jello Gelatin** Your Choice **3 3-oz. pkgs. 25¢**
Mrs. Wright's Biscuits 12 10-ct. cans **89¢** **Dixie Towels** For the Bathroom 70-ct. pkg. **29¢**
Cookbook Bread Always Fresh 1 1/2 lb. loaf **33¢** **Cheer Detergent** Gt. Box **85¢**
Duz Detergent Gt. Box **85¢** **Salvo Detergent** 46-oz. Box **87¢**
Bonus Detergent Gt. Box **85¢** **Dash Detergent** Gt. Box **85¢**
Dreft Detergent Gt. Box **85¢** **Cascade Detergent** Gt. Box **83¢**

Red Radishes And Crisp Green Onions **3 bunches for 25¢**
Sweet Tangelos Sweet and Juicy **4 lbs. 49¢**
Crisp Apples Crisp Sweet Winesape Apples **4 lbs. \$1.00**
Russet Potatoes U.S. No. 1 Russets **10 lb. bag 59¢**

Prices are effective through Saturday, December 14th in Hereford.

SAFEWAY
Store Hours: 8:30 A.M. until 8:00 P.M.

