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## A Co-Op Lets Contract on Line

for the 126-mile extension of the Hall County Electric Company were let last Friday to the Oman Company of Nashville, Tenn. The low bid of \$62,658 covers construction job, rough project supervision and construction of a substation in the Hall County Courthouse.

Construction companies on the project. The bidder was the Oman Construction Company, and the contractor was the Universal Construction Company.

Regional engineer, Rural Electrification Administration, had charge of the project. Carl C. Cox, engineer, tabulated the bids of the contractors.

Construction Company confirmed by REA at Washington through telephone call. The company was the low bidder.

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## FARMERS OKAY MARKET QUOTAS

Vote Is 90 Per Cent for Continuation in U. S.; County Votes 723 For, 68 Against

Cotton-producing farmers over the United States overwhelmingly approved the continuation of the present cotton marketing quota in balloting last Saturday.

Virtually complete returns from the cotton sections of 19 states found 803,059 for continuing the quotas and 79,928 against.

Voting in Hall County was 723 for the quotas and 68 against, with one vote being contested. In Memphis, 211 farmers were for the quotas and 14 against.

The cotton marketing quota is the cotton acreage allotment multiplied by the actual or normal yield (whichever is the larger), plus any carry-over which could have been marketed without penalty in 1939.

Immediately after the tabulation of the votes, Secretary of Agriculture Wallace and his departmental aides interpreted the top-heavy margin by which growers approved strict marketing quotas on the 1940 cotton crop as an endorsement of his recent plea for processing taxes.

A two-thirds majority was required for the continuation of the quotas, and the vote gained represented 90 per cent in favor of the quotas. Last year a similar vote brought an 84 per cent majority.

Voting in Hall County was as follows:

Community	For	Against
Baylor	19	0
Newlin	27	3
Lakeview	66	9
Elk	30	12
Turkey	139	11
Brice	32	2
Parnell	54	2
Memphis	211	14
Lesley	54	11
Estelline	51	4
Plaska	40	2
Totals	723	68

Dust Storm Hits Memphis Vicinity

Memphis' first dust and sand storm in several months hit the city early Tuesday morning, but the atmosphere was clear and the wind had stopped blowing by dark Tuesday night.

The dust had covered the streets by daylight Tuesday morning, and continued blowing throughout the day. Stores kept their doors closed most of the day due to the dust and to the accompanying cooler weather.

Light showers last week failed to reduce the temperature for a very long period as spring weather predominated over the week-end. During the warm weather one man was heard to say that it was like Florida, with sunshine and all the trimmings.

When the sandstorm hit Tuesday, the same man said the weather was still like Florida—"real estate was moving."

Only eight more days left. And then you will not have to avoid the rush, for it will all be over. Memphis business men have seen to it, however, that your shopping shall be more pleasant than ever this year.

Windows? Sure, the windows in almost every place of business are either colorfully decorated or loaded with gift suggestions—just in case you cannot make up your mind.

Some of the more unusual windows in Memphis include one with a hand-painted background of Santa Claus at the North Pole. The North Pole, of course, is the familiar peppermint candy stick, and bears two signs—one which says North Pole, the other saying Memphis, Texas, and pointed in the decoration in which Santa is going.



OUT IN CALIFORNIA—Santa Claus, minus his reindeer, seemingly enjoys a different type of transportation. It will not be long until old Santa pays his second visit of the year to Memphis, and a large number of children have already sent their letters to The Democrat for publication. Others should be in the mail this weekend.

## SIDELINERS' CLUB HOST AGAIN TO HALL COUNTY'S FOOTBALL PLAYERS

11,792,000 Bales Estimated Cotton Production in 1939

Hall County football teams will be honored for the third year next Monday night when the Sideliners Club of Memphis men play host to the gridmen of Turkey, Estelline, Lakeview, and Memphis. Time for the dinner has been set at 7:30 o'clock, Jack Boone, president of the club, announced this week.

All squadmen of the various schools, their coaches, and the school superintendents will be guests at the dinner, Mr. Boone said. The dinner will be held in the local American Legion Hut, and will be served by the Legion Auxiliary Unit.

"This is the third consecutive year for the banquet," Mr. Boone said, "and we hope that every Memphis business man and member of the Sideliners Club will cooperate by attending."

Main speaker at the dinner will be Dutch Smith, assistant to the (Continued on page 8)

Feeder Road Work May Start Jan. 1

Work on the 6-mile stretch of the county feeder road from Memphis to the Wellington-Childress Highway 83 will probably not be started until after January 1, County Judge M. O. Goodpasture said this week.

Contracts for the remaining six miles were let November 21 to Cage Bros. and L. A. Turner of Bishop for \$71,454.95. The contracts called for grading, drainage structures, and select materials.

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This week's Democrat carries two features—the first of the Santa Claus letters to be received and the shopping aids of Memphis merchants.

automobiles, even real estate—everything for the family. Not to forget, of course, something the entire family always enjoys—candy (both box and bulk), nuts, and fruit.

## Jones Pledges Support To Caprock Dam Project

### SURVEYS MADE ON FLOOD AREAS

Army Engineer to Include Findings in Report to Army Reviewing Board

Another step forward in the Caprock dam project was made this week when a U. S. army engineer completed surveys of the land along Red River from Memphis to Denison.

The announcement that the surveys had been completed was made by T. J. Dunbar, secretary of the Upper Red River Flood Control and Irrigation District board, Tuesday of this week. Mr. Dunbar and O. E. Bevers, member of the board, accompanied the engineer on part of the surveying trip.

Representative Marvin Jones, congressman from the 18th district in Texas, met with the board Wednesday afternoon to discuss the dam project.

The army engineer made surveys of the amount of land which would be flooded along the river during a flood stage. His surveys will be sent to Washington to be included in the reports of the board to the U. S. Army reviewing board. This report was submitted several weeks ago.

The dam, if built, will be about 32 miles from Memphis, and will be several hundred feet higher in elevation.

## Christmas Parade Opens Shopping Season in Memphis

Children Swarm Around Santa as He Throws Candy; Local Band Leads Parade

Official opening of the Christmas shopping season in Memphis was marked last Friday when Santa Claus paid his first 1939 visit to the city.

Along with Santa was a half-mile long parade, but the jolly old man of the Northland did not appear until near the end of the colorful spectacle.

Hundreds of children swarmed around Santa Claus as he drove his sleigh, minus the reindeer, but pulled by two small ponies. As he wished every child a "Merry Christmas," Santa threw handful after handful of candy to the eager and waiting children.

The parade, starting from the Memphis High School, then crossing over a block south, came down Noel street, went around the square, and from there down Main back to the school. Leading the parade were the two State Highway Patrolmen, stationed in this section, followed by the Memphis High School Band.

Dozens of comedy characters kept the grown-ups, as well as the kiddies, laughing. Colorful floats were also present—Miss Mary Christmas, Little Miss Muffet, Chinese Jimrickasha, Musical Chimes Float, and Night Before Christmas float.



MARVIN JONES

## Turkey's Poultry Show is Termed Success by Judge

J. E. Strickland of Texas Tech Names Winners of Awards; Champions Listed

Turkey's first poultry show last Friday was termed "very successful" by J. E. Strickland, poultry husbandryman of Texas Tech, who acted as judge of the show and who said it was one of the best he had ever seen in a small community.

Hundreds of poultry raisers turned out for the show, County Agent W. B. Hooser said, and seemed greatly interested in the proceedings. The many exhibits kept the spectators interested when the actual judging was not in process.

A total of 117 blue, red, and white official poultry show ribbons were awarded winners in (Continued on page 8)

## Poultry Show to Be Here Jan. 5, 6

A two-day poultry show will be held in Memphis January 5 and 6, it was announced this week following a meeting of members of the Poultry Association of Hall County early in the week.

J. E. Strickland, poultry husbandryman of Texas Tech who acted as judge in the show at Turkey last week, and George McCarthy, state extension poultry specialist of Texas A. & M. College, will act as judges, County Agent W. B. Hooser said.

E. M. Ewen, president of the association, and Chas. Williams, superintendent of the show, will work with vocational agriculture teachers Walter Labay of Estelline, Barnett Phillips of Turkey, and Ray Dunlap of Lakeview in making further plans for the show.

The judging of the entries will be held on both days, Mr. Hooser said, and most of the birds will probably be in Memphis before that date.

## AVOIDS MENTION OF 1940 RACES

Congressman in Memphis Makes Unscheduled Speech In District Courtroom

Marvin Jones, U. S. Representative from the 18th Congressional District of Texas, made no mention of whether he would again be a candidate in 1940 for the office which he now holds when he spoke to a group of Memphians in the district courtroom Wednesday afternoon, but he did definitely pledge his support in helping in every possible way to secure the legislation needed to make the Caprock dam project a reality.

The well-known representative was in Memphis to meet with the Upper Red River Flood Control and Irrigation District board Wednesday, and made what he called a "jumped-up" speech. The courtroom was filled with men from over the county.

Mention of the dam project came about when Representative Jones was explaining his stand in favor of the New Deal and the present administration in general. After pointing out that the national debt has increased more than 19 billion dollars since 1933, Jones said that 10 billions of this was in assets which would be returned in the form of paid-off loans to the government.

Other than this 10 billion, Jones named over other projects which he considers worthy, such as high-

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## Annual Play to Be Presented Friday Night by Seniors

Curtain Time Is 7:30 in High School Auditorium; Play Is Mystery Comedy

Memphis dramatics will take another step forward Friday night when the seniors of Memphis High School present their annual play in the high school auditorium. The curtain will raise at 7:30 o'clock.

The play to be presented this year is "The Ghost Chasers," by May Sheldon and Loring Kelley, and is one of the cleverest mystery comedies for amateurs that can be found.

Leading the role will be Ellen Edwards, who plays the part of Maggie, the maid. Humorous (Continued on page 8)

## School Musicians Play Here Tonight

The county-wide music program will be held tonight (Thursday) in the Memphis High School gymnasium. Miss Mary Foreman, county music supervisor, has announced.

The program is a climax to three rural recitals, held on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday of this week, at Weatherly, Plaska, and Brice.

Approximately 500 boys and girls will participate in the county-wide program tonight. The choruses from the rural schools of the county will be in costume, the primary choruses wearing white choir robes and the upper grade choruses wearing black choir robes.

Jerry Kinard Gets Office at School

Miss Jerry Kinard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard of Memphis, has recently been elected vice president of the Alpha Omega club, social organization on the Baylor University campus, where Miss Kinard is attending school.

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## Thursday Bridge Club Has Meeting In Greenhaw Home

The Thursday Night Bridge Club met last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw. High score prize for men was won by Frank Garrett, and Mrs. D. J. Morgensen won the prize for women. Present were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Morgensen, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Goodnight, T. E. Noel, Miss Joyce Sheats, Mrs. Mary Owens, and Mr. and Mrs. Greenhaw.

## Elzina Fain and H. L. Shafer Are Wed In Oklahoma Ceremony November 11

Announcement was made this week of the marriage of Miss Elzina Fain to H. L. Shafer. The ceremony was performed in Lewis, Okla., November 11. Mrs. Shafer is the daughter of Mrs. George Fain of Dallas and former resident of Memphis. Mrs. Shafer has lived in Memphis all her life, graduating from Memphis High school with the class of 1939. Mr. Shafer is the son of Mrs. Maudie Shafer of Memphis, and he also has spent most of his life here. The young couple will make their home near Memphis at the present time.

## Daughters of Ruth S. S. Class Meets At Russell Home

The Daughters of Ruth Sunday School class met Monday afternoon at the home of Margaret Russell. The devotional was given by Mrs. C. L. Simmons. Games were enjoyed by Geneva Melton, Frances Simmons, Billy Jo Prater, Mary Jo Lamb, Laverne Stewart, Mrs. Simmons, a guest, Mary Jean Saunders, and the hostess, Miss Russell.

### TO HAVE RECITAL

Piano students of Mrs. L. B. Madden and speech art students of Mrs. T. M. Harrison will be presented in a Twilight Christmas recital Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the First Methodist Church. The public is invited to attend.

## Mrs. Montgomery Hostess to Circle Meeting Monday

The Missionary Circle of the First Presbyterian Church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. S. Montgomery. The following Christmas program was given: Joy to the world, scripture, Mrs. A. A. Dunlap; prayer, Mrs. J. A. Grundy; hymn, "A Little Town of Bethlehem"; presentation of gifts, Mrs. George Sager; gifts of frankincense, Mrs. J. T. Rasco. Song, "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear," names of missionaries read and prayer by Mrs. E. C. Cargill; hymn, "O, Come All Ye Faithful"; a Christmas message, Mrs. Mamie VanPelt; hymn, "Holy Night, Silent Night"; business session; offering; Mizpah benedictions.

Present were Mesdames E. C. Cargill, George Sager, J. A. Grundy, J. C. Ross, S. S. Montgomery, J. T. Rasco, A. A. Dunlap, Mamie VanPelt, M. McNeely, A. P. Northcutt, W. L. O'Rear of Wellington, and John Lomas of Denton.

Mrs. L. G. Carlos, president, presided at the business session, at which time the class chose the names of two families to help at Christmas. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Earl Pritchett, secretary. Mrs. W. E. Clark was appointed assistant reporter in the absence of Mrs. Alvin Massey, after which reports from the group captains and different committees were heard.

## Mrs. Willeford Is Hostess to Dorcas Society Meeting

The Dorcas Society held an afternoon meeting Thursday of last week in the home of Mrs. L. D. Willeford.

Various items of interest to the work of the Society were discussed. Most of the members were present and expressed their enjoyment of the meeting.

For the devotional Mrs. H. B. Brock read the 23rd Psalm, after which Mrs. L. O. Dennis led the group in prayer.

Members present were Mesdames L. O. Dennis, Sam Brown, E. J. Sims, H. B. Brock, J. W. Burks, J. M. Baker, L. B. McAbee, M. H. Braddock, T. R. Blades, Ella Johnson, W. E. Johnson, J. D. Allison, Tiny Plummer, L. D. Willeford, and one visitor, Mrs. William Fennell.

The society will meet in an all-day session the first Thursday in January at the home of Mrs. E. J. Sims.

## W. M. S. of Baptist Church Meets for Business Session

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon in the church parlors for its regular business meeting.

Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, president, presided. Following a song by the group, Mrs. A. J. Joyce offered prayer. Mrs. S. H. Foxhall brought the devotional on "Fear," using several scriptures, and then offered prayer.

The minutes were read and approved, and reports from circle leaders were heard. Reports from chairmen of standing committees were given, after which Mrs. T. R. Garrett, and Mrs. J. H. Smith offered the closing prayers.

Present were Mesdames S. B. Foxhall, A. Baldwin, W. T. Hightower, A. J. Joyce, W. B. Russell, Leon Randolph, Lynn Jones, Clara Pritchett, T. R. Garrett, J. H. Smith, W. B. Wilson, T. M. McMurry, Sam Hamilton, W. J. Bragg, Lee Thornton, J. R. Harrell, H. C. Crow, Bud Godfrey, J. S. Forkner, Docia Hancock, John Barber, and Alfred Hutchenerson.

## Pleasant Valley Club Meets With Miss L. Crawford

The Pleasant Valley Needle Club met with Miss Leeta Crawford Wednesday, December 6, with eight members present.

Those attending were Mrs. H. C. Crawford, Mrs. Dorothy Crawford, Mrs. J. W. Molloy, Mrs. E. W. Pate, Mrs. E. V. Shirley, Mrs. H. T. Rea, Mrs. Roy Rea, Miss Myrtle Rea, Miss Laura Crawford, Mrs. Viola Crawford, Miss Leeta Crawford.

Next meeting of the club will be January 3 at the home of Mrs. E. W. Pate.

## Estelline F. F. A. Gives Party for Home Ec Girls

The Estelline FFA members entertained with a party, given in honor of the Home Economics girls Friday night of last week.

A large number were present, and a nickelodion furnished the music. After the party, hot chocolate, cookies, fruit, and cake were served.

## Book Review-Tea One of Highlights Of Social Activities of Fall Season

One of the most outstanding events of the fall season was the book review-tea at the American Legion Hall last Saturday, sponsored by the West Ward P. T. A. The hall was decorated with cut flowers, autumn foliage, and potted plants, featuring the P. T. A. colors of blue and gold.

The guests were greeted by Mrs. R. E. Clark, Mrs. H. B. Estes, Mrs. H. D. Stringer, Mrs. A. W. Howard, and Mrs. O. R. Goodall. Mrs. C. L. Sloan of Estelline gave several piano numbers during the social hour.

The table was beautiful with crystal candelabra and gold chrysanthemums. The tea services were presided over by Mrs. W. C. Davis and Mrs. James Cornelius. They were assisted by Mrs. Bill Gerlach, Mrs. Hugh Crawford, Mrs. George Cullin, Mrs. M. G. Tarver, Mrs. V. L. Taylor, Mrs. C. H. Compton, and Miss Thelma Shankle.

High point of the afternoon was reached when Mrs. Bob Holland of Childress gave her review of the book, "The Redlander." Her unusual voice and vivid personality made the scenes vital. Texas became real to native Texans.

## Baptist Philathea Class Has Annual Christmas Party

The Philathea Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Garold Kunkler Tuesday afternoon for its regular monthly business meeting and annual Christmas party, with Mrs. L. G. Carlos as co-hostess.

Mrs. A. J. Joyce brought the devotional in the form of a Christmas story, "The Child King and His Cradle." She then read several poems on Christmas, prayer, and New Year's Day, after which she offered prayer.

Mrs. L. G. Carlos, president, presided at the business session, at which time the class chose the names of two families to help at Christmas. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Earl Pritchett, secretary. Mrs. W. E. Clark was appointed assistant reporter in the absence of Mrs. Alvin Massey, after which reports from the group captains and different committees were heard.

Guest speaker was Mrs. O. N. Hamilton, who talked on "The Shepherd's Gift."

Mrs. J. P. Godfrey had charge of the social hour, and the entire class joined in singing several Christmas songs.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames E. S. Foust, A. E. Osborne, J. M. Ferrel, Jack Youree, Bill Johnson, Oscar Webb, Earl Pritchett, J. M. Long, A. J. Joyce, Grover Roden, Carroll Smyers, J. P. Godfrey, W. E. Clark, Marshall Jones, Lynn Jones, C. R. Sargent, Mae Cochran, O. N. Hamilton, Mack Graham, Cecil Hancock, and Miss Ruby Thornton.

After the refreshments were served, numbers were drawn for the packages that each member had brought. The packages were placed around a beautiful Christmas tree. The teacher, Mrs. A. J. Joyce, was presented with a linen table cloth, with napkins to match.

## Methodist S. S. Class Has Meeting At Gerlach Home

The Daughters of Wesley Sunday School class of the First Methodist Church entertained December 7 at the home of Mrs. Albert Gerlach, with Mrs. S. E. Mayfield and Mrs. Floyd McElreath as co-hostesses.

Mrs. McElreath, president, called the meeting to order, and a short business session was held. A program followed.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Larry Johnson, Bill Kimberlin, J. L. Barnes, J. W. Slover, A. S. Moss, Henry Newman, C. H. Compton, Dan McCollum, E. N. Hudgins, Barney Wattenbarger, Bill Coursey, Bill Ragsdale, Marvin Duren, Bess Crump, Roy Fultz.

Mesdames T. J. Hampton, G. H. Garner, W. C. Dickey, Charles Webster, Charles Williams, R. A. Cole, Ben DeBerry, Frank Wright, T. M. Potts, Mae Lofland, and Miss Florene McElreath, and the hostesses, Mrs. Mayfield, Mrs. Gerlach, and Mrs. McElreath.

## Plaska Needle Club Meets in Home of Mrs. McWhorter

The Plaska Needle Club met in the home of Mrs. T. I. McWhorter Tuesday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in embroidery work and piecing quilts.

Present were Mesdames W. L. Crawford, A. S. Harwell, Joe Bob McWhorter, John Province, L. A. Bray, E. E. Foster, C. W. Jones, T. I. McWhorter, Olas Murdock, W. L. Nabers, John Smith, Ruby Murdock, T. J. Spry, Floyd Davis, C. C. Cunningham, G. P. Owens, Edith Dunn, and Troy Dunn.

Henry Guest, Mrs. Bill Howard, and Mrs. Ernest McMurphy were in Duncan, Okla., last week-end at the bedside of an ill relative.

## Legion Auxiliary Meets in Home of Mrs. Mac Tarver

The Auxiliary of the American Legion met Friday afternoon, December 8, at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Mac Tarver, with Mrs. Elmer Prater and Mrs. Luther Ivey as co-hostesses.

The meeting opened with a salute to the flag, after which "America" was sung. Mrs. Mamie VanPelt offered prayer, with 30 seconds of silent prayer following. The preamble was read in unison, and the meeting was declared open.

After a reading and approval of the minutes, a donation for the Christmas at Legion was voted, as well as a donation to the Empty Stomach Fund in Memphis. The Yuletide banquet will be held December 29 at the Legion Hall.

The program was announced by the secretary and roll call was answered with favorite scriptures. The program was as follows: A description of Anton Long, Mrs. D. J. Morgensen; "The Four Gospels," Sue Lynn Guthrie; a collection of Christmas carols by the members, with Mrs. Lonnie Edmondson at the piano.

At the close of the program, gifts were taken from a beautifully-lighted Christmas tree and distributed by Laverne Dodson and Sue Lynn Guthrie.

Salad plates were served to Mesdames A. D. Weaver, Lonnie Edmondson, Janice Martindale, J. A. Shriver, E. B. Palmer, Roy Guthrie and daughter Sue Lynn, D. J. Morgensen, O. K. Howe, O. Jones, J. E. Reheis, Bailey Gilmore, E. C. Cargill, W. S. Gooch, J. E. Roper, T. R. Fraught, H. W. Stringer, W. L. Wheat, Mamie VanPelt, C. C. Dodson, and Miss Laverne Dodson, and the hostesses, Mrs. Tarver, Mrs. Prater, and Mrs. Ivey.

### HAVE DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. John Russell of Estelline were hosts Tuesday at a dinner at their home honoring her brother, Clayton Berry of Chicago. Present were Miss Alma Lee Berry of Childress, Clayton Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berry and Bobby Frank, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore of Childress spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Bass. Claude Benton Harrison of Childress visited in the T. T. Harrison home Saturday.

## Well-Known Girl Of Oklahoma Weds Drumright Man

A wedding of interest to many Memphians is that of Miss Mary Louise Polston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Edwin Polston of Shawnee, Okla., and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gurley, to Harold Bartlette May of Drumright, Okla. The wedding was performed last Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents in Shawnee.

Mrs. May has visited in Memphis on several occasions and has many friends in and around this city. She was graduated from the Shawnee High School, attended Oklahoma Baptist University, and was graduated from Oklahoma A. & M. College last spring. She is a member of the A. and M. chapter of Pi Zeta Kappa sorority, and an inactive member of the Just-for-Fun girls' club.

Mr. May was graduated from

## Sub-Debs Have Meeting Of Miss Morris

The T. R. C. Chapter Sub-Deb Clubs met at the home of Miss Cassandra Morris Saturday.

The club is working on a Christmas charity, and decided that the club would to the community Christmas party at the home of Billie Jo Prater, Frances Muffet Merrell, Jane Muffet Fultz, Gloria Stieve, McCool, Mary Bryan, June Edmondson, Miss Joyce Sheats, and Miss Morris.

The high school at Indian, the home of his parents, and Mrs. Charles Muffet, who attended Oklahoma Baptist University, and Mississippi State University. The couple will make their home in Drumright, Okla. Mr. May is employed by a pany.

## FLOWERS for Christmas

Flowers are an inspired gift that will please anyone. Send a bouquet to Mother, Sister or sweetheart—to express your love and to create the Christmas cheer she deserves.

WE WIRE FLOWERS ANYWHERE

### HIGHTOWER GREENHOUSE

MEMBER FLORIST TELEGRAPH DELIVER

- Wreaths
- Corsages
- Centerpieces
- Potted Plants
- Christmas
- Poinsettias
- Holly
- Smilax
- Christmas
- Novelties

# TOY SALE

A Bigger Selection of Christmas Toys Than Ever Before

- Bicycles
- Mechanical Toys
- Tricycles
- Toy Cars
- Tennis Rackets
- Dolls
- Doll Cradles
- Toy Washing Machines
- Trains
- Doll Buggies
- Games
- Construction Toys
- Toy Dishes
- Rubber Toys
- Animal Toys
- Skates
- Drums
- Musical Toys
- Horns

In fact toys of every kind for every age. Santa has left us the best selection in years... Bring the kiddies

## Giveable GIFTS

FOR GROWNUPS

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### GREENE DRY GOODS CO.

# Pre-Christmas Sale!



## CHRISTMAS FOOD BUYS IN

### OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT

#### SPECIAL NOTICE

Christmas Tree Committees, see us for prices on Nuts, Fruit, Candy, etc.

- NUTS, large, 1 lb. ----- 20c
- AL NUTS, 1 lb. ----- 18c
- ANDS, large, ----- 20c
- IS, Paper Shell, ----- 23c
- ANUTS, large 3 for ----- 25c
- UTS, Roasted, 1 lb. for ----- 25c

- Candy, 1 lb. box Chocolate Cherries 23c
- Gum, any flavor, 3 for ----- 10c
- Marshmallows, White Swan, lb. ----- 14c
- Prince Albert, 1 lb. can, xmas wrapped, ea. ----- 85c
- We have plenty of nice fat Turkeys, special price, lb. ----- 12c
- Cigars, box 25s, Roi Tan ----- \$1.20
- Cigarettes, Xmas wrapped, carton ----- \$1.55

We have a nice assortment of delicious Winesap, Roman Beauty Apples at attractive prices.

## MEAT DEPARTMENT

- OK, T-Bone, lb. ----- 28c
- OK, Sirloin, lb. ----- 25c
- ST BEEF, lb. ----- 17c
- OK HAM ROAST, lb. ----- 15c
- AGE, pure pork, lb. ----- 15c
- ON, Sliced, lb. ----- 21c
- ON, Dry Salt, lb. ----- 10c
- OK CHOPS, lean, tenderloin, lb. 19c

- ORANGES, Red Ball, 100 size, doz. ----- 40c
- ORANGES, Red Ball, 150 size, doz. ----- 28c
- ORANGES, Red Ball, 200 size, doz. ----- 23c
- ORANGES, Red Ball, 252 size, doz. ----- 17c
- ORANGES, Red Ball, 288 size, doz. ----- 15c
- ORANGES, med. size, Texal, doz. ----- 15c

- APPLES, Roman Beauties, bushel ----- \$1.15
- GRAPEFRUIT, med. size, dozen ----- 23c
- CELERY, large stalks, each ----- 10c
- CRANBERRIES, qt. ----- 19c
- PECANS, Shelled, lb. ----- 55c
- POP CORN, Bulk, 2 lbs. ----- 25c

- FLOUR, Bewley's Best, 48 lbs. ----- 1.49
- White Swan COFFEE, 1 lb. ----- 25c

- BLACKBERRIES, No. 2 can ----- 10c
- CHERRIES, Red, No. 2 can ----- 15c
- PEACHES, White Swan, No. 2 1/2 can ----- 19c
- CORN, 3 No. 2 cans ----- 25c
- TOMATO JUICE, 3 No. 2 cans ----- 25c
- PINEAPPLE, 3 No. 1 flats ----- 25c
- CORN, White Swan, No. 2, each ----- 13c
- PRUNES, gallon can ----- 28c

## FEED DEPARTMENT

- DAIRY RATION, 24%, 100 lbs. ----- \$2.10
- BRAN, 100 lbs. ----- \$1.25
- SHORTS, 100 lbs. ----- \$1.50
- EGG MASH, Bewley's Red Anchor, 100 lbs. ----- \$2.75
- EGG MASH, Bewley's Blue Anchor, 100 lbs. ----- \$2.25
- EGG MASH, Bewley's Joy, 100 lbs. ----- \$2.05
- ALFALFA HAY, bale ----- 50c
- SORGHUM HAY, bale 45c

## DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT

Bargains—Bargains—Bargains—in every department of our store we have bargains. Do your Christmas shopping with us and save.



## PRINTS

(Fruit of the Loom) Give Cotton Goods for Christmas. SPECIAL, Yard

16c

## CLAUSSNER HOSE

- 2 or 3 THREAD ----- \$1.00
- 3 or 4 THREAD ----- 79c
- MESH ----- \$1.25

## NOTIONS AND SUNDRIES

- LOTION, Hind's Honey and Almond, bottle ----- 39c
- CLEANSING CREAM, Pond's, bottle ----- 35c
- TEEL LIQUID DENTIFRICE, bottle ----- 10c and 25c
- COMBS ----- 10c, 15c and 25c
- NAIL POLISH, new shades ----- 10c



- CHILDREN'S Outing Pajamas 59c
- GIRLS Outing Pajamas ----- 79c
- GIRLS' Balbriggan Pajamas 79c
- GIRLS' PRINT DRESSES ----- 59c and 98c
- ANKLETS, Children's, 2 pair for ----- 25c
- BLOOMERS, Children's 19c and 25c

- SATIN SLIPS, Children's ----- 69c
- BABY WOOL SHAWLS ----- 98c
- BABY DRESSES, Hand Made 50c
- BABY WOOL CAPS ----- 49c
- BABY WOOL BOOTIES ----- 19c

## BLANKETS

- 5% Wool 66x80, Plaid ----- \$1.79

## Ladies' Suede JACKETS

- \$6.98 Value for ----- \$3.98

## BED SPREADS

- Heavy Cotton ----- \$2.49

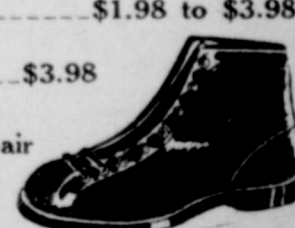
## LADIES' UNDIES

- Satin Gowns, ea. ----- \$1.79
- Satin Pajamas, each ----- \$1.79
- Balbriggan Gowns ----- 98c
- Balbriggan Pajamas ----- 98c
- Satin Slips ----- 98c to \$1.79
- Step-Ins ----- 25c
- Lace Brassieres, each ----- 50c



## SHOES AND BOOTS

- MEN'S DRESS OXFORDS, Tan or Black, pair ----- \$2.98
- MEN'S DRESS KID SHOES, pair ----- \$3.98
- MEN'S HEAVY WORK OXFORDS, pair ----- \$3.98
- MEN'S HEAVY WORK SHOES, ----- \$1.98 to \$3.98
- MEN'S LACE BOOTS, pair ----- \$3.98
- BOYS' LACE BOOTS, pair ----- \$2.98



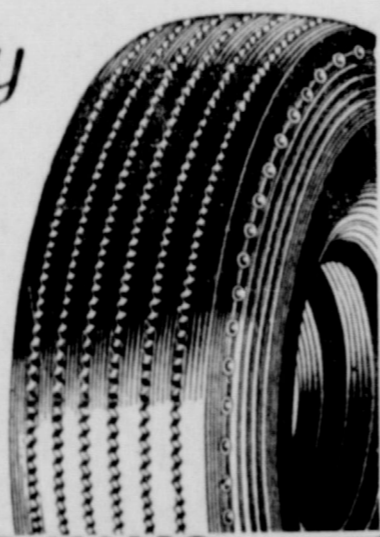
- PURSES, Ladies' ea. ----- 98c
- PARKA HOODS ----- 35c to 50c
- COTTON BLANKETS, 66x76 ----- \$1.19
- PLAID TAFFETA, yard ----- 49c
- HOUSE SHOES, Ladies' 39c, 89c, 1.00
- LUNCH CLOTHS, 51x51 ----- 49c and 59c
- BELTS, Ladies', pik skin ----- 49c
- BILLFOLDS, Nocona, ----- \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00

## DRUG SUNDRIES

- PEPSIN, bottle ----- 50c
- BLACK DRAUGHT ----- 20c
- BROMO SELTZER ----- 30c
- ASPERIN, St. Joseph, 100 bottle ----- 35c
- BAYER ASPERIN, 100 bottle ----- 69c
- VICKS VAPORUB ----- 30c
- MAGNESIA, Phillips, ----- 25c and 50c
- LISTERINE, 3 oz. ----- 25c

When Shopping--Don't Forget  
The Gift of Safety

When you do your Christmas shopping—remember the Gift of Safety to your whole family—Seiberling tires. Your family will appreciate a gift of Seiberlings because in them you give safety from the many road hazards that beset the motorist. Drive in today and let us put a set on your car, so you can have SAFE and trouble free holiday driving.



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FOR RENT—4-room house, modern conveniences, 310 South 10th. Mrs. J. H. Read. 24-tfc

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment. Apply 621 South 7th street. tfc

## For Sale

FOR SALE—Fresh and heavy springer Jerseys. B. M. Durrett, Lakeview. 26-3p

FOR SALE—Teams and tools and rent of place. One mile north of Memphis. See I. W. Thomson. 26-3p

FOR SALE—Very fine cello, cheap. Phone Mr. Williams, 263. 1p

BRONZE "Baby Beef Type" prize winning turkeys. Bloodtested and selected by Dr. H. V. Scroggs poultry specialist. Toms \$7.00, 2 miles southeast Carey. Wilbur Williams, Childress, Tex., Route 1. 24-3p

FOR SALE—Good second-hand bicycle. See Louis Browning, or call 447M. 1c

## Wanted

WOULD LIKE to buy small 3- or 4-room house in good condition, to move on farm. Must be bargain; cash. Address Box XZ, care of Memphis Democrat. 26-2p

WANTED—Family to work on farm. Write Claude Hamilton, Route 1, Vernon, Texas. 1p

BUYING Hogs everyday in the week. See Kermit Monzingo,

east side M & M lot. Phones 138M and 322M. 22-tfc

WE BUY all kinds of used clothing and shoes. Thrift Shop, 23-tre

## Miscellaneous

**W. H. Hawthorn Mattress Factory**  
Have your old mattress made into an interspring mattress. We make interspring mattresses with 210 coil springs, with staple cotton top and bottom. See our new interspring mattresses before you buy. W. H. Hawthorn, 300 North 5th St., Memphis. 16-tfc

**FOR SERVICE**—Registered O. I. C. boar. See L. L. Doss. 23-tfc

**POSTED Notice**—Two sections of old Denny place in game preserve and 1 section joining on the west. Hunting absolutely forbidden. Paul Montgomery. 24-3p

**AMBITIOUS**, reliable man or woman who is interested in permanent work with a good income, to supply satisfied customers with famous Watkins Products in Memphis. Write J. R. WATKINS CO., 79-79 W. Iowa Ave., Memphis, Tenn. 1p

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## Legal Notice

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS,** County of Hall.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Alias Execution issued out of the County Court of Childress County, Texas, on the 17th day of Oct. 1939, Drs. Jeter and Townsend, plaintiffs, recovered a judgment against Lee

McAfee and Andy McAfee, defendants, for four hundred twenty-four and 38/100 Dollars, with interest thereon from the 17th day of Oct. 1939 at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, on \$385.80 and 6 per cent on \$38.58 and all cost of suit as of record is manifest; under a judgment in favor of Drs. Jeter and Townsend in a certain Cause in said Court No. 1290 and styled Drs. Jeter and Townsend vs. Lee McAfee and Andy McAfee, placed in my hand for service, I, W. C. Anderson, as Sheriff of Hall County, Texas, did on the 4th day of December 1939, levy on certain Real Estate Situated in Hall County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of the South 130 acres of survey No. 16 in block H of the J. H. Stevens survey in Hall County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of Lee McAfee and Andy McAfee.

And on the 2nd day of January 1940, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all right, title and interest of the said Lee McAfee and Andy McAfee in and to said property.

Dated at Memphis this 4th day of December 1939.  
W. C. ANDERSON, Sheriff of Hall County, Tex.

A Lavaca County cotton buyer must pay the Federal treasury \$693.34, representing penalties due the government for cotton he had purchased from several producers sold in excess of their marketing quotas, Federal Judge James V. Allred ordered in a recent case.

Some nice assortments of Christmas cards ready for printing your name are on display at The Democrat office. Order your cards at once.

## Two Men Added to Local FSA Staff

Two men, John E. Key and James E. Day, have recently been added to the staff of the local Farm Security Administration office. The two will begin their work Friday, December 15.

Mr. Key is already well-known to many Memphians, since he taught vocational agriculture in Memphis High School in 1937 and 1938. He is being transferred from Sherman County, and will be associate FSA supervisor with R. C. Land.

Mr. Day is moving here from Dalhart, and will act as assistant to both Mr. Land and Mr. Key. Both of the new men are moving their families to Memphis.

Mr. Land, Mr. Key, and Mrs. Eula T. Doherty of the local FSA office attended a regional conference last week in Amarillo. The conference was attended by all FSA supervisors in Colorado, Kansas, New Mexico, and the dust bowl counties of Texas and Oklahoma. Principal speakers on the program were FSA executives from Washington.

## TO HAVE RECITAL

The music pupils of Mrs. Conley Ward will be presented in a recital Friday evening, December 15, at the First Presbyterian Church. The program, starting at 6 o'clock, will consist of numbers by individual players, duets, and trios.

The cotton marketing quota of a farm is the producer's share, under the law, of the market available for American cotton and is calculated for an individual farm on the basis of the normal or actual production, whichever is greater, of the cotton acreage allotment, plus any cotton on hand from a previous crop that would not have been subject to penalty if it had been sold in 1939.



REV. E. T. MILLER

## Former Pastor in Corsicana 8 Years

Eight years of service in the First Baptist Church at Corsicana were celebrated Sunday, December 10, for Rev. E. T. Miller, former Memphis pastor, with special services honoring him at the end of his eighth year there.

Rev. Miller was pastor of the First Baptist Church in Memphis before moving to Corsicana. He was well-liked here as a pastor, and made many friends.

The year 1939 marked Rev. Miller's most successful year in Corsicana, with 265 members being received into the church, 130 of them by baptism. Both the Sunday school and the Training Union have increased accordingly during the year.

In the special services, Dr. W. Douglas Hudgins of Fort Worth was guest speaker in the morn-

## Springer Now Able To Be Downtown

Ross Springer, 22-year-old Memphian who was seriously injured in an auto accident on the night of July 5, is now able to be up and walk with crutches. He has been downtown in Memphis several times during the past week.

Springer was hurt when his car went out of control and crashed into a bridge on Highway 370 near Newlin. The other occupant of the car, Maurine Reheis, was killed instantly.

Springer's right leg was broken, in two places, and he also suffered severe cuts about the head and face.

ing, and Dr. R. C. Campbell at the night services.

Special services were also conducted in other departments. The Sunday school held a mass meeting, at which a pageant entitled "Heroes of the Faith" was presented. The Training Union also

## Healthful Exercise

Improve your posture. Reduce your weight. Feel and Look Better.

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The most fun, healthful exercise for the body.

**REEVING**  
Bowling Alley

# FIELD'S

## Grocery & Market

Phone 468

During December your food budget will require a different variety due to the Christmas with its visitors, children home from school, your December food needs from Fields, where you get variety at lower cost.

**WE WILL SERVE THAT GOOD WHITE SWAN COFFEE SATURDAY**

**WHITE SWAN COFFEE**  
1 lb. . . . .  
3 lbs. . . . .

**RANCH STYLE BEANS, 2 for . . . . .**  
**FIRESIDE BEANS, 2 for . . . . .**  
**TAMALES, Wolf or Ratliff, 2 for . . . . .**  
**DRIED PEACHES, new crop, 2 for . . . . .**  
**DRIED APRICOTS, new crop, 2 for . . . . .**  
**PUMPKIN, No. 2 can. 9c; 2 1/2 can. 15c**  
**CORN, White Swan or Primrose, 2 for . . . . .**

**Crisco** 3 lb. pail . . . . .  
6 lb. pail . . . . .

**PANCAKE FLOUR, pkg. . . . .**  
**WAFFLE SYRUP, 1 1/2 lb. can. . . . .**  
**RICE, Comet or White House, 2 lb. pkg. . . . .**  
**CRACKERS, 2 lbs. Saltines . . . . .**  
**PEANUT BUTTER, quart . . . . .**  
**GRAPENUT FLAKES, 2 for . . . . .**

**Pure Cane SUGAR** 10 lbs. . . . .  
25 lbs. . . . .

**WHEATIES, 2 pkgs. for . . . . .**  
**PICKLES, Sour or Dill, quart . . . . .**  
**MAGIC WASHER, large size . . . . .**  
**WHITE FUR, 4 rolls for . . . . .**  
**MATCHES, Diamond, 6 lg. boxes . . . . .**  
**SOAP, Lux or Lifebuoy, 3 for . . . . .**  
**LIGHT GLOBES, 15 to 100 watt. each . . . . .**

**—: FRESH VEGETABLES**  
**CRANBERRIES, Eatmore, qt. . . . .**  
**PECANS, ALMONDS and BRAUNING NUTS, lb. . . . .**  
**CELERY, large bleached stalks . . . . .**  
**LETTUCE, large crisp heads, 2 for . . . . .**  
**FRESH COCOANUTS, large size . . . . .**  
**GRAPEFRUIT, Texas, Marsh Seedless, 6 for . . . . .**

**—: MARKET SPECIALS**  
Get your Christmas Cards with Allsweet Oleo, lb. . . . .  
**Beef SHORT RIBS for baking, 3 for . . . . .**  
**TREET, Armour's all purpose wick meat, ea. . . . .**  
**KRAFT American Cheese, in 1 lb. loaf, lb. . . . .**  
**CURED HAMS, best grade, half or whole, lb. . . . .**  
**Plenty of Pure Pork SAUSAGE, sacks, lb. . . . .**

# EVERYTHING FOR THE Christmas Feast

## Can Be Found at Your "M" System Store

**BANANAS**  
Nice, Yellow  
2 doz. **25c**

**GRAPEFRUIT**  
Texas Seedless  
2 doz. **29c**

**XMAS TREES**  
All Sizes  
**25c to 35c**

**SUGAR**  
25 Lbs.  
**\$1.35**

- Prunes, gal. . . . . 25c
- Pineapple, gal. . . . . 59c
- Blackberries, No. 2, 4 . . . . . 29c
- Peaches, 2 1/2 GoldBar, 2 . . . . . 29c
- Milk, large, 4 cans . . . . . 29c
- Tomato Juice, 4 cans . . . . . 29c
- Fruit Juices, all kinds, 4 . . . . . 29c
- Kraut, No. 2, 4 cans . . . . . 29c
- Hominy, 2 1/2, 4 cans . . . . . 29c
- Peas, No. 2, 4 . . . . . 29c
- Tomatoes, No. 2, 4 . . . . . 29c
- Corn, No. 2, 4 . . . . . 29c
- Pork & Beans, 5 . . . . . 29c
- Soap, Crystal White, 7 . . . . . 25c
- Milk, 7 cans . . . . . 25c
- Syrup, ribbon cane, gal. . . . . 65c
- Syrup, sorghum, gal. . . . . 65c

**SAUSAGE** Pure Pork, In Sacks, lb. . . . . **19c**

- Bacon, sliced, lb. . . . . 21c
- Bacon, sliced, box . . . . . 29c
- Kraft Dinner, box . . . . . 15c
- Oleo, Durkees, 2 lbs. . . . . 35c
- Hams, sliced, lb. . . . . 27c

Plan your Christmas meals now and buy while the stocks are still complete. You can save money and get better quality by doing your trading at your 'M' System—Where prices are lower, quality is higher and a wider selection is available.

- ORANGES, Texas, 2 dozen . . . . . 25c
- TANGERINES, Texas, 3 doz. 25c . . . . . 25c
- APPLES, Roman Beauties, peck . . . . . 29c
- CELERY, large, crisp . . . . . 10c
- Lettuce, 3 heads . . . . . 10c
- Turnip Greens, 3 . . . . . 10c
- Carrots, 3 . . . . . 10c
- Yams, East Texas, lb. . . . . 3c
- Onions, white, sweet, lb. 5c
- Turnips, bulk, 3 lbs. . . . . 10c
- Tomatoes, 2 lbs. . . . . 15c
- Catsup, gal. . . . . 49c
- Catsup, 14-oz. bottle . . . . . 10c
- Pickles, qt. sour, 2 . . . . . 25c
- CRANBERRIES, qt. . . . . 15c
- GRAPES, California, 2 lbs. . . . . 15c

**CHRISTMAS CANDIES**  
Lb. 15c  
2 lbs. **25c**

**COCOANUTS**  
Fresh  
2 for **15c**

**LARD**  
Pure Hog,  
Bring your bucket  
3 lbs. **25c**

- Pork Chops, lb. . . . . 19c
- Steak, lb. . . . . 18c
- Butter, Country, lb. . . . . 30c
- Bologna, 2 lbs. . . . . 25c
- Wieners, lb. . . . . 15c
- Oysters, select, pint . . . . . 30c

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1 lb. ... 3 lbs. ...

ANS, 2 for... 2 for... Ratliff, 2 for...

3 lb. pail... 6 lb. pail...

pkgs. ... 1 1/2 lb. can...

Saltines... quart... ES, 2 for...

lbs. ... lbs. ...

gs. for... Dill, quart... large size...

GETABLES... atmore, qt... DS and BRA...

Fire, Then Wreck, Then Second Fire—Spells Trouble

When 15 bales of cotton near the Lesley Gin caught on fire Thursday of last week, it caused more trouble than just an ordinary blaze...

INDIAN CREEK

By MRS. NORA VANDEVENTER... Mr. and Mrs. Bill Billington and family visited his sister, Mrs. Wansley, Sunday...

Hooser Compiling Annual Reports

County Agent W. B. Hooser is this week making out his annual report to be sent to state headquarters for approval...

Shopping—

too, there are numerous styles of coats, plain, or maybe with fur collars, and fur coats can be ordered... But the man has to be careful for, too. Shaving sets, and this year electric razors are being featured by many of the merchants...

Comments—

suggested that the attention of motorists again be called to bad lights on their cars. The highway department, in the interest of safety to the driving public, is beginning to tighten down on bad lights, one light, and no lights on cars...

RUSSELL MARKET

G. Kesterson, Mgr. Phone 160... Prompt, Courteous Service at All Times... City Grocery... 463-160 J. E. ROPER WE DELIVER

REA—

needed to complete the contracting proceedings, and it is hoped that staking of the line will begin within a week, local REA officials stated.

Jones—

ways, schoolhouses, and court-houses—and said one of these worthy projects was that of the Caprock reservoir.

Anderson Goes for Arkansas Suspect

Sheriff W. C. Anderson and Zack Collier left Wednesday morning for Prairiegrove, Ark., to take into custody a man held there in connection with a recent theft from Mr. Collier's camp near Estelline.

Teachers Attend Childress Meet

Almost every school in Hall County was represented in Childress last Monday at the District Educational Conference where Dr. L. A. Woods, state school superintendent, was the principal speaker.

Horse, Mule Sales Show Improvement

The horse and mule market at the auction sale held each Tuesday by the M. & M. Livestock Commission Company showed a decided improvement this week.

Really Christmas Hens Lay Eggs With Red Yokes

Even the hens have the Christmas spirit. At least the hens in the display window at the Weatherby Feed Store do, as they are laying eggs with red and green yokes.

New Club Formed By Estelline Youth

The "Out-of-School boys in the Estelline community have formed their own organization with E. O. Wright as chairman, and Winfred Rapp as secretary-treasurer.

See Our Window

To prove to you that Purina Lay Chows and Layena goes into egg production, watch the hens in our windows and watch them lay green and red eggs.

WEATHERBY'S Feed & Storage

Come in and we will explain to you how this is done and how Purina Laying preparations will increase your egg production!

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XMAS CANDY

2 LBS FOR 25c

APPLE BUTTER, qt.

15c

MUSTARD, quart

10c

FLOUR, Dobry's Best, 48 lbs.

\$1.45

SHORTS

\$1.40

PICKLES, sour, 32 oz. jar

15c

DRESSING or SPREAD, Plymouth, qt.

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COFFEE, Folger's, 1 lb.

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MEMPHIS GROCERY CO.

Telephone 246 O. S. Goodpasture S. Side Square

LETTUCE, firm heads, 2 for

9c

CELERY, crisp stalks, each

10c

GREEN BEANS, lb.

8c

CARROTS, BEETS, RADISHES, 2 bunches

7c

COOKING APPLES, lb.

3 1/2c; Peck 30c

ORANGES, dozen

15c, 20c and 25c

APPLES, fancy, dozen

18c, 23c and 35c

SUGAR, Cane, 10 lb. bag

56c

COFFEE, White Swan, lb.

28c; 3 lbs. 80c

WHOLE GREEN or WAX BEANS, White Swan, No. 2 can

14c

SHELLED PECANS, 1/2 lb. pkg.

25c

POWDERED or BROWN SUGAR, 2 lbs.

15c

CAKE FLOUR, Snosheen, Swansdown, pkg.

25c

BISQUICK, pkg.

29c

CHOCOLATE COVERED CHERRIES, lb.

20c and 25c

MARKET SPECIALS

PORK SAUSAGE, per lb. 15c

PORK ROAST, per lb. 17c

SLICED BACON 18c

DRY SALT 12c

SUGAR CURED JOWLS 12c

DRY SALT JOWLS 9c

CREAM CHEESE 23c

BRICK CHILI 20c

OLEO 15c

BOLOGNA 15c

MARKET SPECIALS

PORK SAUSAGE, in sacks, lb. 19c

PORK CHOPS, lb. 21c

PORK ROAST, lb. 18c

BACON, Puritan, sliced, lb. 29c

JOWL MEAT, lb. 8c; DRY SALT, lb. 14c

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25c

COFFEE, Folger's, 1 lb.

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2 lbs.

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XMAS ORANGES

15c to 50c

TAMALES, Walker, 2 cans for

25c

SYRUP, Sorghum or Ribbon Cane, per gallon

65c

CRACKERS, 2 lb. box

15c

PEANUT BUTTER, quart

25c

BRAN

\$1.15

SPUDS, peck

25c

LARD, 8 lb. carton

80c

CORN, No. 2, 2 for

15c

TOMATOES, No. 2, 3 for

25c

APPLES

PER PECK 30c

Market Specials

PORK SAUSAGE, per lb. 15c

PORK ROAST, per lb. 17c

SLICED BACON 18c

DRY SALT 12c

SUGAR CURED JOWLS 12c

DRY SALT JOWLS 9c

CREAM CHEESE 23c

BRICK CHILI 20c

OLEO 15c

BOLOGNA 15c

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### ALL UN-AMERICAN

IT HAS BEEN A CUSTOM for several years of newspapers, news services, sports writers, and the like to pick All-American football teams, but the Amarillo Daily News has picked a new team . . . an All Un-American team.

The team was published, with pictures, in last Friday's issue . . . a team composed of Quarterback Fritz Kuhn, Right Halfback Adolf Hitler, Left Halfback Josef Stalin, Fullback Earl Browder, Left End George Bernard Shaw, Left Tackle Viacheslav Molotov, Left Guard Wilhelm Goering, Center Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, Right Guard Joachim von Ribbentrop, Right Tackle Harry Bridges, and Right End Joseph Goebbels. Martin Dies, chairman of the Un-American Investigating Committee, was chosen as referee.

The idea of picking such a group of men is of course new, but the sentiment of millions of Americans and of millions of people in other countries has been along this line for the past several months and even years. The News has done what all good speakers do . . . put into words their thoughts.

The story accompanying the selection of the All Un-American team was written in a humorous vein. Whether you enjoyed it or disliked it will indicate which side you favor in the present European war. Of course, if you read the story and neither liked or disliked it, then, and only then, are you neutral.

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### THROAT CUTTING

FOR MANY YEARS, cotton has been the principal crop in Hall County, and even the principal crop in Texas. Yet few people seem to realize how little we use of our own crop.

One who has taken this into consideration, however, is Governor W. Lee O'Daniel. Upon the request of State-Wide Cotton Committee of Texas, Governor O'Daniel has proclaimed the month of December as "Cotton Month." He has asked the citizens of Texas to make this Christmas a "Cotton Christmas," and urged them to give gifts this year made of cotton.

Probably you have never realized how many gifts made either directly or indirectly from cotton you may select for the wife, the husband, the girl friend, the boy friend, or for almost anyone. A little browsing around will reveal that innumerable articles are made of cotton . . . in fact, almost everything from handkerchiefs to highways.

It is probably well that the governor has issued such a proclamation, for the Department of Agriculture in Washington this week reported that the cotton crop for 1939 is 11,792,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight. Last year's crop was 11,943,000 bales and a surplus resulted.

Besides this year's crop there is a present surplus of more than 12,000,000 bales. The European war, as many had expected and hoped, is not increasing the demand for American cotton . . . at least not yet, and probably not for some time to come.

We have too much cotton—that is quite evident. The governor and the cotton committee are taking one step in trying to rid the United States of some of the surplus. The least a cotton community can do is cooperate. It seems that we will only be cutting our own throats if we do not give cotton gifts for Christmas.

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### TO SEE OR NOT TO SEE

ANNOUNCEMENT was made last week by State Highway Patrolmen stationed in this section that the state department had requested them to tighten down on drivers who insist on having faulty headlights on their cars.

If your front headlights are bad, you can't see what is in front of you, and if the rear light is bad, the fellow behind you may not see you. It is just a case of helping yourself . . . as well as the other fellow. Let's cooperate by having our headlights checked. It may mean your life . . . and someone else's.

Beaver, recently trapped in South Central Texas and released in Eastern Texas, show signs of becoming permanently established.

The red mulberry, which is a very important wildlife food, is rapidly becoming depleted in Texas.

Approximately 72 per cent of the deer harvested in Texas are taken from thirteen counties on the Edward Plateau.

There remain but 300 horned mountain sheep in Texas, according to State Game Department survey reports.

### IT WON'T BE SO EASY NEXT WEEK



### Press Paragraphs

CULLED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

#### Total Depravity

Here's a poem Ed Bishop has reprinted in the Dalhart Texan from The Publisher's Auxiliary (read it—it's pretty good):

The lowest form of human life,  
Is not the man who beats his wife,  
It's not the one who slaps his child,  
Or drinks his whiskey, strong or mild,  
It's not the one who leaves his home

With other, fairer women roam,  
Nor even he who wrecks his Ford,  
By passing signs, made of a board,  
It's not the one who slaps your back,  
Says "Give me ten, I'll pay it back."

But just offhand, we'd dare to say,  
It's he who CAN but WILL not pay.

Be it for groceries, coal, or rent,  
Or money borrowed, long since spent.

For dentists' bills and doctors' calls,  
For shirts and Sox and overalls,

No matter what—if the debt is due,  
And so you can, it's up to you—

Or us or any other folk  
To pay up bills, this "ain't no joke."

And sends in word, he'll never come,  
Such depths no mortal ought to sink

Is the man who takes his local paper  
Reads it by electric light or taper.

For years—be they more or less,  
The idea's the same you must confess—

And send in word, he'll never come  
Says: "Stop my paper, I'm all done."

They still can try another ruse,  
Send it back and mark "refused."

If "Hell hath no fury like a woman scorned!"  
It has no spot that yet's been warmed

For the one who reads from day to day,  
And stops his paper without pay.

#### Congressmen

"Odds and Ends" in the Lynn County News: Here is a little joke that we have picked up at the expense of our congressmen:

Little Boy: "Papa, does the chaplain pray for the Congressmen?"  
Papa: "No, son, he merely looks at the Congressmen and prays for the country."

#### Too Long

"Yours True'ly" in the Briscoe County News: Fred Lemons has a new car. And he almost overdid it. He bought one so long that the back end sticks out in the driveway of the garage. Now he is planning to build a bigger garage.

#### Ripley Wrong?

The Floyd County Hesperian: Sheriff Fred Clark is keeping a skeleton in the county closet or Robert L. (Believe It or Not) Ripley has made an unprecedented slip of the pen. Twelve thousand Floyd Countians can't be wrong! Mr. Ripley sent citizens of this entire area on a man-hunt last Sunday with the statement in his famous cartoon feature that Floyd County, Texas, has the unique distinction of employing a 95-year-old deputy sheriff, one Jeff Sizemore. Accompanying the statement was further proof was a life-like pen-sketch of the alleged deputy!

Sheriff Clark not only disclaimed any knowledge of the legendary Mr. Sizemore, but denied the allegation any of his official staff had even approached that venerable age. Apparently no one else in the county has identified the Ripley creation, but hundreds of curious have called upon local officers and your local newspaper for further information. We pass! However, if Deputy Sheriff Believe It or Not Sizemore will step forward, we'll be glad to furnish him a glass case and put him on exhibition at the Hesperian office. Also Mr. Ripley, believe it or not!

#### Politeness

McLean News: Politeness costs nothing and pays plenty, while boorishness costs plenty and pays nothing.

#### A New Plan

J. S. in The Tullia Herald: When a farmer has to borrow money he gives a mortgage on his farm. If he fails to pay the loan he loses the farm. Why not make the same sort of a deal with nations who borrow money from the United States? Have them give a mortgage on a desirable island or tract near our borders. Why should nations be treated differently from individuals?

#### Definitions

"Daily Breeze" in The Claude News: A politician is a man who shakes your hand before election and your acquaintance afterwards. A dictator is a man who thinks he can take it—not matter to whom it belongs. A jitterbug is often the perfect dancer to a maiden's prayer. A physical culture expert is a worker who is paid by the weak. A philanthropist is a man who gives back to the people some of their money.

## Jots in Jest

HOLLAND feels that flooding her land will provide a sure defense. But has she considered the danger of U-boat attack?

Ever since the war began we've heard very little about the "itty bitty fishes." Maybe the submarines got 'em.

The Nazis have finally come to the decision that blame for the Finn-Soviet war falls on Sweden. But are they sure Siam or Pago-Pago didn't have something to do with it, too?

Nothing in American life, says a style expert, has changed so much as styles in underwear. Such an observation must require a lot of insight.

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## The Story of Christmas

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Dec. 24  
Text: Matthew 1:18-25; 18:1-6; 19:13-15

INTEREST in the story of the first Christmas has lived through the ages and makes it the most oft-repeated of all tales because it is the narration of the birth of Jesus Christ.

Among all those born of woman He has been the incarnation of supreme goodness, the man whose perfect devotion to God, the Father, and whose unselfishness and love of His fellowmen revealed Him as the Divine Being in whom we see the incarnation of God.

The sentiment and interest that attaches to the birth and childhood of every great man has peculiar significance in relation to Jesus of Nazareth, and this alone would always keep the story of Bethlehem fresh and new.

BUT there is another reason, which, even though it be a minor one, would be sufficient also to keep this story ever new. It is the story of the festival of the Child. It glorifies motherhood and babyhood, and for this reason, if for no other, it would have interest with every succeeding generation of mothers and children.

It touches the life of home and family at its tenderest and most sacred place. It reaches into all the innermost places of romance and love and devotion, and it enriches all these with a sanctity and divinity that is even greater than that which these things inherently have in human life.

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at every time and in the sense of sacredness that is so much an essential of the religion of Jew and Christian. Even in a non-Christian world, the conception of a babe between man and woman and who overclouded with the mother instinct and the love of woman and the tenderer in boys for his mother and with a ruthless either the pangs of or the love of motherhood.

THE so-called Christmas has fallen deeply to the abyss of modernism, but not deep enough to destroy the sentiment that relate to love and motherhood.

Even rough men have for little children, and fingers of a babe have been firmly clasped in otherwise evil and sad.

The birth of the Bethlehem is not unrelated after life of the Messiah, who came into the world that He might give more abundantly. It brings this story of more vitally to bear upon the world of men and women are most responsive cherish their children, do a great deal to effective the gospel of love and the appeal of ter to men to live in peace, honesty, and love.

A grafter is one who chisels a career instead of carving it. Marriage is a knot tied by a preacher and untied by a lawyer.

#### Tight to the Last

Randall Abernathy in the Childress County News: We know a man so tight that he's reserved only half of a plot in the cemetery. He plans to be buried sideways.

CALL 15 FOR QUALITY JOB PRINTING

An Italian farmer by a meteorite while the fields. We now Nazi report blames Winston Churchill.

It is recalled that than a haircut cut a notch or two. We have two to be shaved.

In the case of rumors, the "uninformant" turns out "little man who

## THE GREAT AMERICAN



### Advice on Your Health

#### FROM ONE WHO KNOWS

By DR. GEO. W. COX  
State Health Officer

The season for the unusual prevalence of tularemia is again at hand.

Reports show that this disease, commonly known as "rabbit fever," is increasing at this time, due in large part to direct exposure to wild rabbits in the hunting or dressing of the animals.

Invariably, tularemia cases are reported more frequently during the hunting season than at any other time. While the disease is caused by a germ found in various kinds of infected rodents, and can be acquired, among other ways, through bites of ticks, deer flies, stable flies, and squirrels, it is most frequently transmitted to man in this section of the United States by infected wild rabbits, hence the name "rabbit disease."

The common method of transmission is through wounds or small abrasions, sometimes minute, on the hands of those cleaning or otherwise handling rabbit carcasses; in this manner the germs reach the human blood stream, symptoms developing in from one to ten days. The victim suddenly complains of headache, has body

pains, chills, fever, and vomits. The fever, which may run high, usually lasts two or three weeks. Convalescence is slow. Death occurs in approximately 5 per cent of the cases.

The above facts indicate that hunters should not kill slow-moving rabbits. Healthy wild rabbits do not tarry. Also, for those who dress rabbits, it is advisable to use rubber gloves. The suggestion applies equally to hunters and housewives. It is the one safe defense against acquiring tularemia from this source.

There is no desire to imply that most wild rabbits harbor the tularemia germ. Compared to the total rabbit population, the infected rabbit decidedly is in the minority. On the other hand, the number of infected animals is sufficiently large in the aggregate not to take any undue chances.

Incidentally, it may be added that thoroughly cooked rabbit meat, even though the animal had been infected from tularemia, is harmless and perfectly safe food. Consequently, those who enjoy this game need have no qualms about consuming it.

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# SOCIETY

## Circle 2 Home of R. Goodall

The Women's Society of the First Baptist Church met Monday at the home of Mrs. R. H. Landrum Stanford, with Mrs. R. H. Landrum as co-hostess and Mrs. R. H. Landrum as the guests at the annual week of prayer observed by the Baptist Church for the missions in South America, this special program was arranged. Miss Draper and Miss McMurry spoke from a stage, decorated in Spanish style, in the annex auditorium of the church to members of the missionary society.

## Miss Draper Gives Spanish Address At Circle Meeting

Speaking entirely in Spanish, Miss Martha Draper gave the yearly report of the five South American districts of Baptist missions at a meeting of the Minnie F. Moore Circle of the First Baptist Church last Thursday. Acting as interpreter was Miss Jacqueline McMurry.

## A-Muse-U Club, Hedley Group Have Joint Meeting

Mrs. J. B. Masterson and Mrs. Dick Vallance were hostesses to members of the A-Muse-U Club and the Hedley "42" Club Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Masterson in Hedley.

## Bank and Grocery In Tie for First In Bowling League

The all-women's team of the Memphis Grocery and the bowlers of the First National Bank were winners of the local bowling league as the two teams tied for first place position when the bankers won two of three games from the women Tuesday night to make each team's final standing 28 games won and 14 lost.

## Democrat Clinches Third Place; Other Teams Still Have Matches to Play

The only other team which had completed its full number of games was The Democrat team. The Democrat finished with 26 games won and 16 lost to clinch the third place behind the Bank team and the women's team. J. C. Wooldridge's bowlers were downed two of three games by The Democrat Monday night.

## LESLEY

By MRS. JAMES SMITH

The Brotherhood met at the Baptist Church Tuesday night, and a very interesting program was attended. The largest crowd ever to attend the service here was present. While the men were having their meeting, the women visited in the home of R. H. McElveth. After games were played for entertainment, refreshments were served to the group.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fowler, Leon, Ozelma, Anna, and Bert Adams, and Joe Ann Hatley were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Henry.

Everyone enjoyed the singing Sunday night at the Christian Church. J. O. Adams attended a board meeting at Memphis Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Booth and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Knight and daughter Mamie Ruth, and Mrs. C. A. Adams visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Knight of Claude.

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Smith and family of Ashola, Mrs. Mabel Hails, and Mr. and Mrs. James Smith were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. J. C. Adams Sunday.

Lon Alice Adams spent Saturday night in Memphis with George Walker and family.

A baby shower was given Sunday in the home of Mrs. and Mrs. M. M. Korman of San Antonio, Mrs. Frank C. Adams of Dallas, and Mrs. M. M. Korman of San Antonio.

Mr. P. L. Hackworth of San Antonio visited friends here from Wednesday to Saturday of last week. She was en route home from Hereford where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Ulin Strub.

### PERSONALS

Section Two  
School News — Santa Letters  
NUMBER 26

### What They Say

Because that's the way it's just what they want of Gifts today!

JEWELRY GIFTS

FOR HIM: A Royal Watch Holder



## Club Has Meeting in May Home

The Culture Club met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. E. Rule and Mr. and Mrs. Garold Kunkler were Childrens visitors Sunday.

## Art Club Christmas Theatre

The Bohemian Art Christmas party at The Little Green Door on Monday night. A program presented "The Shepherds," "T. E. Noel," Paul Buster Heim, who sang "Holy Night" and against a white background depicting the man- Jack McClendon, Madonna and Noel, dressed as the paid homage and three Kings of the Suzanne McClendon Stanford gave a with little Miss "Twice the Night."

## Personal

A student at the University of Memphis, visited his parents in Memphis last week.

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# GET

At our store you will find just the thing for Christmas for anyone on your list. Come in and let us show you!

Top Coats	One group new all wool coats.	14.85
SHIRTS	Fruit of the Loom Standard Brand.	1.49
HATS	Leather.	2.99
DRESS SLACKS	Nice for the man.	1.95 to 4.95
PORTAGE SHOES	In the new antique finish.	4.00 and 5.00
Dress Gloves	1.00	2.00
Blankets	All wool, 70x30, color, ideal gift.	3.98
Pillow Cases	and sheet, gift boxed.	1.00


For "Him" Lounging ROBES Beautiful brocade satin. 3.98

For "Her" Dress Slacks 1.95 to 4.95

Blankets 3.98

Pillow Cases 1.00

Celebrate here in advance of the holiday season. The variety of selecting gifts for your Christmas list. This is why Memphis have a grand selection for months the market. It's just "the gift" that you want that you will find exactly what your Brother and Sweetheart. Browse through whose advertisements show you now and Christmas, see the big variety of Christmas lists from the large selection come in today and let's enjoy all the Christmas as much as we will enjoy



### Shamrock to Meet Perryton Friday in Regional Play-Off

Game to Be in Afternoon At Perryton; Irishmen Are Winners Over 4-A Lockney

The title of champions of Region 1 for 1939 will be at stake next Friday afternoon when the Shamrock Irishmen meet the Perryton Rangers at Perryton.

The Irishmen, victors over the Lockney Longhorns last Friday in the bi-district game, are members of District 3-A. The Rangers, taking the bi-district title with a victory over the Tulia Hornets Friday, are the winners in District 2-A. Others members of this district are Canadian, Panhandle, Phillips, Spearman, and White Deer.

Since the regional title is as far as a team can advance in Conference A, this will be the final game of the year for each team. Last year's regional winners were the Wellington Sky-rockets, who won the title over the Panhandle Panthers, regional champs in 1937.

Only one team has been met by both the Irishmen and the Rangers this year. That team was the Canadian High School, and both Shamrock and Perryton won by the same score, 26 to 0.

All other games have been played by members of District 3-A. Here are the final standings (These figures do not include the Shamrock-Lockney game):

Final Conference Standings				
Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Shamrock	5	0	1	.917
Clarendon	5	1	0	.833
McLean	3	2	1	.583
Wellington	3	3	0	.500
Wheeler	3	3	0	.500
Memphis	0	5	1	.071
Lakeview	0	5	1	.071

J. P. Johnson returned Saturday from a two-week visit with relatives and friends in Wichita Falls and Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. M. Lane visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Brooks of Wellington, who were ill.

## Palace

**THURSDAY LAST DAY**  
Brenda Joyce and Richard Greene in  
**"Here I Am A Stranger"**

**FRIDAY and SATURDAY**  
Joe E. Brown and Martha Raye in  
**"\$1,000 A Touchdown"**

**SATURDAY NIGHT PREVUE, SUNDAY and MONDAY**  
Loretta Young and David Nevin in  
**"Eternally Yours"**

**TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY**  
Lana Turner and Richard Carlson in  
**"Dancing Co-Ed"**

## Ritz

**THURSDAY LAST DAY**  
Jackie Cooper and Betty Field in  
**"What A Life"**

10c **FRIDAY** 10c  
Rochelle Hudson in  
**"Woman Is The Judge"**

**SATURDAY ONLY**  
Bill Elliott in  
**"Taming Of The West"**

**SATURDAY NIGHT PREVUE, SUNDAY and MONDAY**  
Ann Sothern and Franchot Tone in  
**"Fast and Furious"**

**TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY**  
Virginia Weilder and Gene Raymond in  
**"Bad Little Angel"**

## CHURCHES

METHODIST NEWS NOTES

The Sunday before Christmas, each year, is the time we make our offering to our orphans home. So, come prepared next Sunday to make your annual contribution to this cause which is so dear to our hearts.

A meal at the Methodist Home, in which the following articles are served, would require the amounts indicated: Syrup, 8 gallons; Irish potatoes, 4 sacks; eggs (scrambled), 40 dozen; corn bread, 50 pounds; cracked wheat, 20 pounds; oatmeal (uncooked), 14 to 20 pounds; biscuits, 2,000 to 2,500; beans, 25 pounds; tomatoes (fresh), 100 pounds; spinach (fresh), 14 bushels; turnips, 5 bushels; green beans, 9 bushels of fresh, or 18 gallons of canned; whole sweet milk, 50 to 60 pounds; butter, 15 pounds; sugar, 17 to 20 pounds.

In times like this we cannot neglect our orphanage. Let us make a liberal offering and a joyful offering.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Church service 10:55 a. m.  
Evening service 7 p. m.  
Rev. E. Yeats, Pastor.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

This season of the year when our hearts are turning to the birth of our Saviour we extend a most cordial invitation to a special program next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock of "Carols and Lights" with our membership well represented we trust.

Let us make it a happy, delightful service for all attending. Offering of the hour for missions. Next Sunday morning you will be pleased with the music, and we are happy to tell you last Sunday we had the best attendance at Sunday school hour that we have had since we came, except of course on some special days, and even then I think last Sunday was a record day.

But there is room for far more and we look forward to next Sunday with fond anticipation of a good day.

E. C. Cargill, Pastor.

### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

The subject Sunday morning will be "Guidance." He is interested in His people and is interested enough to guide us in the right way. He will help us make right choices. The evening subject will be "Is It Possible that Christ's Coming is Imminent?" I am confident that all the little fellows have received an inspiration to be good for the coming of old Santa. Wouldn't it be good if all our people would take on the true Christmas spirit and not do like Mutt did once, take it off when we take off our Santa Claus clothes the day after Christmas.

O. B. Hoffpaur, Pastor.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

There will be regular services at the First Baptist Church at both the morning and evening hours. It is very necessary that we work and be faithful during the time that we have no pastor as well as when we do. Come, find your place in every service.

The attendance in the Sunday school and Training Union was very good last Sunday, but it could be much better if every member would come regularly. There was a good crowd at the mid-week prayer service last week when the Y. W. A. of the church gave a splendid program.

There will be an Associational Training Union program at Clarendon Sunday afternoon, December 17, beginning at 2:30. Everyone is welcome to attend, and there should be a large crowd from Memphis to go. An interesting program has been arranged.

### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

We hope all the people in our community will try to make their preparations for the celebration of Jesus' birthday such as would bring him inward joy.

At our fellowship meeting Wednesday evening we had as guest speaker Mr. Kenneth Hay of Fort Worth, field representative of T. C. U.

Joe Findley, Minister.

### Sidelines—

(Continued from page 1)

well-known Pete Cawthon, Texas Tech coach. Coach Smith will deliver the main address, and in addition will show motion pictures of the Texas Tech-Duquesne game and comment on the various plays.

Another highlight of the program will be a talk by Dixie White, captain of the Texas Tech Raiders this year.

The best all-round player on each of the four squads will be awarded gold footballs at the dinner, Mr. Boone said. The winners of the awards are chosen by the team members themselves in a secret balloting. The winners are not told of their selection until the night of the dinner, Mr. Boone added.

"Tickets for the dinner are already on sale," Mr. Boone said. "Every business man in Memphis should cooperate, since the annual Sideliners banquet is held in Memphis and is sponsored by Memphis men for the football players throughout the county."

### Team of 11 Years Ago to Be Revived—Wants Opponents

One all-star basketball team in the county will soon be ready to play any and all comers, according to Come Adams of Lakeview, who is rounding up the team.

The team will consist of former players of the Lesley school—players who were on one of the teams there from 1924 to 1928. Even the same coach, Jesse Whittington, who is now teaching at Lesley, will be again leading the Lesley basketballers.

Among the players will be Mr. Adams, Earl Hodnett, James Skinner, Lonnie Ables, Lance Leggett, Theodore Adams, Lee Skinner, Dudley Adams, and Scott Hancock.

Adams says the team will consist strictly of men who played during the four years from 1924 to 1928, and asked that anyone else who has not been contacted to get in touch with him. And, Adams adds, the team is ready for any all-star or teachers team which may want to play.

### Burlington Offers Christmas Rates

Still another smashing reduction in round-trip coach fares in Texas and Louisiana, this time for the Christmas holiday season and effective December 20th, has just been announced by F. D. Dagggett, general passenger agent, F. W. & D. C. Railway, Fort Worth, through J. J. McMickin, local representative.

This reduction, according to Mr. Dagggett, brings the basis of the fare to the lowest point in many years. Another feature pointed out by Mr. Dagggett, which is of particular interest at this time of the year, is the Prepaid Ticket Order Plan. No doubt there are many people planning a family reunion during the holidays who desire to furnish transportation for their relatives to return home. This can be accomplished by making deposit with their local Burlington Lines' ticket agent for railroad transportation as well as a limited amount of cash for Pullman or incidental expenses, and the order will be transmitted by wire to the point from which the passenger will entrain. The Prepaid Ticket Order plan also enables parents to send prepaid tickets to their children to return home from school.

### Mother Saves 2 Children from Fire

By MRS. FRED HEMPHILL. The farm home on the Lee Thornton place, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Romie Murphy, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin, early Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Murphy had gone to the windmill, about 200 yards away, for water and was returning when she heard the screams of her two small children. She rushed to the house to find the room in flames where the children were.

Unable to open the door, she broke through a window, cutting her hands and face, and carried the children, four and two years of age, to safety. She then rushed to the nearby highway and stopped passer-by, who helped her save two mattresses, nine quilts and some meat and lard. The car belonging to the family was also pushed away from the burning home.

Pauline, 4-year-old daughter, suffered burns on her face when hit by a flaming plank which fell from the ceiling, and also part of the small girl's hair was burned. The children were crouched in one corner of the room when Mrs. Murphy reached them.

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### Turkey's—

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thirteen classes, including all breeds of chickens, turkeys, and ducks. Bill Mullin, Herbert Hunter, Bert Castleberry, Owen Pycatt, and Marion Buchanan served on the arrangements committee, and the FFA members of the Turkey chapter assisted in tabulating entries and recording winners in each class. Tom Salem and Jack Lacy were in charge of the show premiums.

Winners of awards were as follows: Chicken show: Grand champion male bird, White Wyandotte, J. W. Busby; Reserve champion male bird, Rhode Island Red, Elmer Turner; grand champion female bird, Buff Orpington, Dr. H. Gilmore; reserve champion female bird, Harold Lane.

Grand champion pen, J. W. Busby; reserve champion pen, Lufe Jones. White Minorcas, first, second, and third, Harold Lane; pullets, B. Plaster and Harold Lane (tied for first); old hen, first, Harold Lane; pen, first, Harold Lane; second, B. Plaster.

White Rocks, male, first, B. Plaster; pen, first, Harold Lane; second, B. Plaster; pullets, first, Harold Lane.

Rhode Island Reds, male, first, Jack Turner; second, J. F. Smith; third, Jimmie Nall; pullets, first and second, Jack Turner; third, Jimmie Nall; pen, first and third, Jack Turner; second, Jimmie Nall.

White Wyandottes, pen, first and second, J. W. Busby; third, Edgar Hatten Jr.; young male, first and second, J. W. Busby; third, Edgar Hatten Jr.; pullets, first and second, J. W. Busby; third, Edgar Hatten Jr.

Black Australia breed, male, first, Lige Davis; pullets, Lige Davis.

Bantams, male, first, M. Cunningham; second, J. E. Kelley; third, Junior Glover; old male, first, J. E. Kelley; pen, first, J. E. Kelley.

White Leghorns, pullets, first, J. E. Couch; second, W. O. Stewart; male, J. E. Couch; second and third, W. D. Stewart; pen, first, J. E. Couch; second and third, W. D. Stewart.

Brown Leghorn pullets, first and third, Arthur Boatman; second, E. E. Woods.

White Giants, pen, first, Lufe Jones; male, first, Lufe Jones; pullets, first, second, and third, Lufe Jones.

Buff Orpingtons, old hens, first, second, and third, Dr. H. Gilmore; pullets, first, second, and third, Dr. H. Gilmore; young pen, Dr. H. Gilmore; old pen, Dr. H. Gilmore.

Cornish, pen, first and second, Jimmie Nall; third, Alga Turner; pullets, first and third, Alga Turner; second, Jimmie Nall; male, first and third, Jimmie Nall; second, Alga Turner.

Turkey show: Baby beef champion, L. E. Graham; reserve champion, L. E. Graham; grade grand champion, E. E. Woods; grand champion bantam, Mrs. S. E. George; reserve champion bantam, Meric Cowart; grand champion male, Milton Cunningham; reserve champion male, J. R. Nall.

Grade turkeys, hens, first, second, and third, E. E. Woods; pen, E. E. Woods. Baby beef turkeys, pen, first and second, L. E. Graham; young hen, first, second, and third, L. E. Graham.

Toms, first and second, L. E. Graham. Duck show: P. Ducks, first, James E. Faulkner.

Egg show: grand champion white standard eggs, Mrs. Barney Plaster; reserve small eggs, William Rucker; brown eggs, first, Dr. H. Gilmore; standard white eggs, first, Mrs. Barney Plaster; small white eggs, first, William Rucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Candler Hawkins took his mother, Mrs. M. E. Hawkins, to Amarillo Sunday where she will visit a few days.

### Annual Play—

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lines, accentuated by the versatile acting ability of Miss Edwards, make this part both funny and exciting from the beginning to the end of the play.

L. A. Lester, playing the part of Wilson, the butler, will, according to reports from the sponsors of the play, make the audience wonder if he really is a butler or someone else in disguise.

Estelle Colfax, owner of the haunted house, is portrayed by Louise Gowan. Miss Gowan, having had previous experience in high school dramatics, is proving herself a real trooper.

Doris Stilwell, playing a frivolous part, will act as Beverly Wright, Estelle's friend and guest. Jimmie Wright, Beverly's brother, is played by Leo Hendrickson. Jimmie is infatuated with Estelle Colfax and finds it rather difficult to tell her.

Samuel Higgenbottom, a dumb detective, is played by James Fultz. Fultz' character portrayal is both interesting and entertaining. Slim McGee will be played by John Clark, and this part will add both mystery and thrills to the play.

Several students and teachers have been working on the play. Miss Rachel Deahl and Owen Gilmore are the prompters; in charge of the costumes are Betty Johnson and W. B. Dees; stage managers are Joe Crump and J. C. McClure; A. G. Kesterson is the publicity man; ticket sales are in charge of Miss Melrose Henderson, Becky Weaver, Gwendolyn Ballew, Lloyd Hicks, and Evelyn Hicks; Robert Devin is in charge of the lighting arrangements; sponsors are Miss Deahl and Mr. Dees; and the directors are Miss Deahl and Mrs. A. L. Burks.

### Scouts, Business Men Have Deer Feed at City Park

Wilson, Compton, Allen Are Hosts; Scouts Parade To Park Before Barbecue

Approximately 70 boy scouts and 50 scouters and business men of Hall County were guests of E. M. (Mack) Wilson, manager of the West Texas Utilities Co., C. H. Compton of the Compton Motor Co., and M. C. Allen, manager of the Memphis Compress Company, at a deer barbecue Friday evening at the City Park.

The deer served at this barbecue had been killed by the hosts on a recent hunting trip in South Texas. The barbecue was prepared by John Lanikin and C. E. Archer over the recently constructed barbecue pit and was served with condiments in buffet style.

The scout troops of Memphis met at their regular places of meeting early Friday evening and marched in parade through the business district and on to the park. Before the supper was served, the scouts played games in the park.

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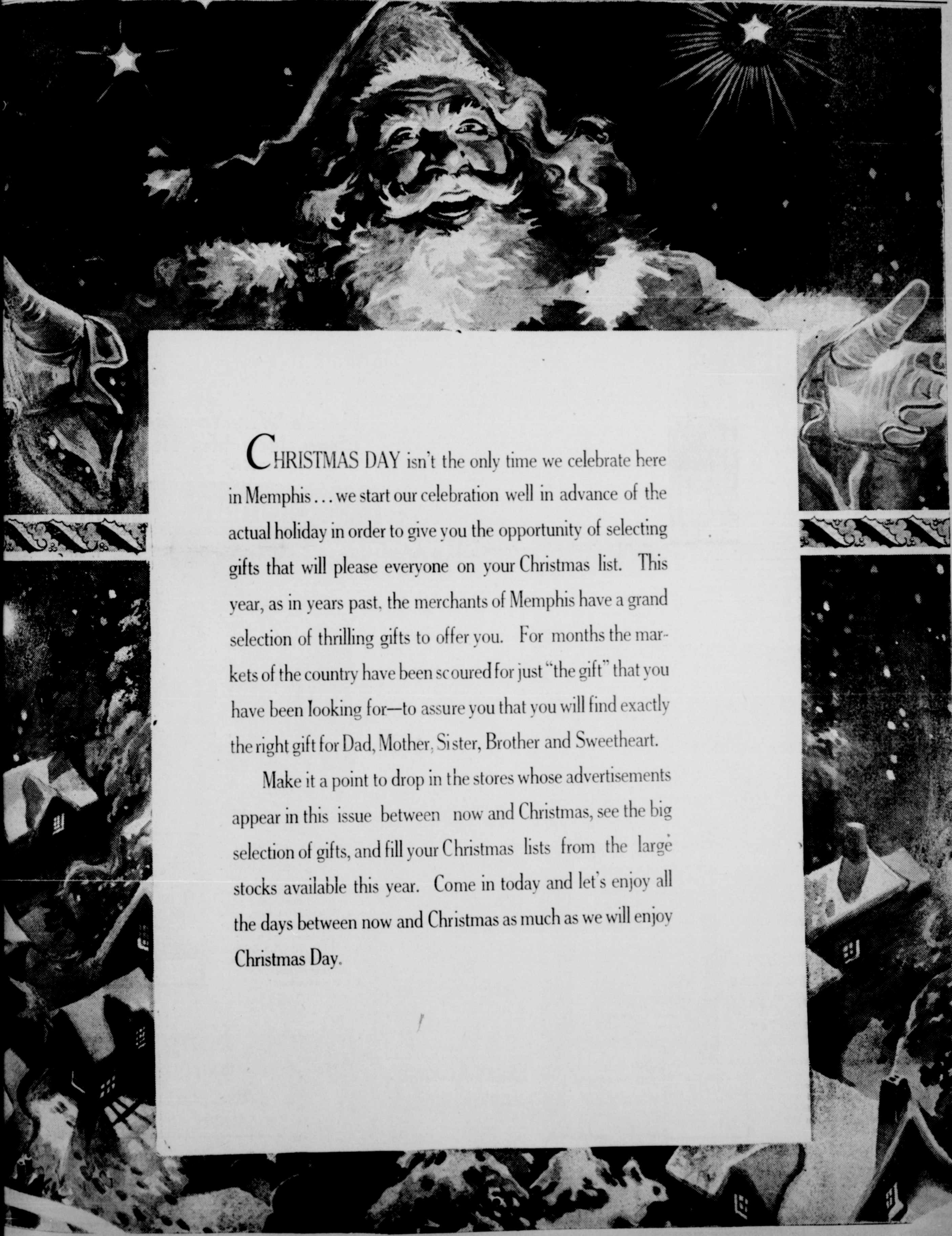
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School News — Santa Letters

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CHRISTMAS DAY isn't the only time we celebrate here in Memphis... we start our celebration well in advance of the actual holiday in order to give you the opportunity of selecting gifts that will please everyone on your Christmas list. This year, as in years past, the merchants of Memphis have a grand selection of thrilling gifts to offer you. For months the markets of the country have been scoured for just "the gift" that you have been looking for—to assure you that you will find exactly the right gift for Dad, Mother, Sister, Brother and Sweetheart.

Make it a point to drop in the stores whose advertisements appear in this issue between now and Christmas, see the big selection of gifts, and fill your Christmas lists from the large stocks available this year. Come in today and let's enjoy all the days between now and Christmas as much as we will enjoy Christmas Day.

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By MRS. J. W. OLIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Rip Ramsey of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee of Plaska visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Teel last Wednesday. Uncle Bob Nevins, who has been sick several days, is much improved. Mr. and Mrs. Olin Hill and children of Deep Lake, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Burton and children of Childers, and Mrs. Joe Wright of Amarillo were visitors in the Frank Whitefield home Sunday. Buck Holligan went to Amarillo on a business trip the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Hill Wells and children of Friendship were visitors in the J. W. Oliver home Thursday night. Curtis Hankins and family, and Johnnie Whitefield and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitefield Saturday night. Mrs. Edd Ramsey of Newlin spent several days with his daughter, Mrs. Elmer Teel, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Nolan D. Hill visited her grandfather Sunday. Prayer meeting will be in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Hill Sunday afternoon. Little Betty Lou Wells of Plaska spent Monday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Oliver. School Notes J. O. Murdock, deputy state superintendent, and Miss Tops Gilreath, county superintendent, visited Deep Lake school Friday. Trustees of the school also spent the day and at noon the teachers served a nice lunch to all. Troy Lee Holcomb, Flosie Rousseau, Girdene Lawrence, and Juanita Hill, the four Deep Lake girls who belong to the Glee Club, went to Memphis Saturday to practice. The four girls, accompanied by the teachers, Mr. Denton, Miss Brown, and Miss Fisher, went to Childers Monday. Several of the Deep Lake school children went to Memphis Friday to see the Christmas parade.

Letters to Santa Claus

Dear Santa, I want a BB gun and a lone ranger gun. I want a box of shots and a pair of stockings. Dear Santa, and a sack full of candy. Your friend, Paul Scott. Memphis, Texas. Dear Santa, I would like to have a Holy Bible and I would like to have an accordion, a purse, and candy, nuts, and fruit. Your friend, Ethel Louise Camp. Memphis, Texas. Dear Santa, I want a cowboy pair of spurs, a pair of boxing gloves, BB gun, and a croquet set. Your friend, Seymore McDaniel Jr. Memphis, Texas. Dear Santa, I want a new headlight and a new horn for Christmas please. And a new tire. And my little playhouse fixed up for Christmas. Your loving friend, Billy Rule. Memphis, Texas. Dear Santa, Will you please bring me a housecoat and a pair of house shoes and a set of dishes. Your friend, Tommie Iris Rogers. Memphis, Texas. Dear Santa, I want a BB gun and some tools. And I want a set of baseball toys. I want a big bicycle and a little car but a big one. And a cowboy set too. Your friend, Thomas Gilchrest. Memphis, Texas. Dear Santa, I want a doll for Christmas. And some Chinese checkers. I have been working hard in school. I think I'll have a good time Christmas. I will thank you if you will bring me these. Your friend, Charlotte Parks. Memphis, Texas. Dear Santa, I am a boy 9 years old. Will you please bring me a bicycle, if not please bring me a Gene Autry cowboy suit with two Gene Autry guns, right and left hand. And two boxes of caps. Yours truly, J. D. Jones. Memphis, Texas. Dear Santa, I want a pony and a little wagon, BB gun and a box of candy and fruit. I will thank you for these gifts. Your friend, Bobby Don Whitten. Memphis, Texas. Dear Santa, I want a pair of house shoes, housecoat, manicure set, a large Bible with a zipper on it, and nuts, candy and fruit. And those children who will not get to write let them have a happy Christmas. Your friend, Evelyn Julian. Memphis, Texas. Dear Santa, I am a little boy and in the fourth grade. I am 9 years old. I want a football, bat, and a football shoulder brace, and a red Ranger set. I want some nuts, candy, and fruit, too. Your friend, Bobby Earl West. Memphis, Texas. Dear Santa, I am a little girl in the third grade. I have tried to be good in behavior and grades. I would like for you to bring me a bicycle, a doll, and some dishes, and some skates, also a sewing machine. Yours with love, Betty Sue Paschall. Memphis, Texas. Dear Santa, I am a little boy in the third grade. I have tried to be good in behavior and grades. I would like for you to bring me a bicycle with a basket, a football, some candy, nuts, and fruit. Don't forget other little boys and girls. Yours with love, Wesley French. Memphis, Texas. Dear Santa, I am a little girl in the third grade. I have tried to be good in behavior and grades. I would like for you to bring me a desk, a muff and hat to match, cooking set, and a pair of skates. Some candy, nuts, and fruit. 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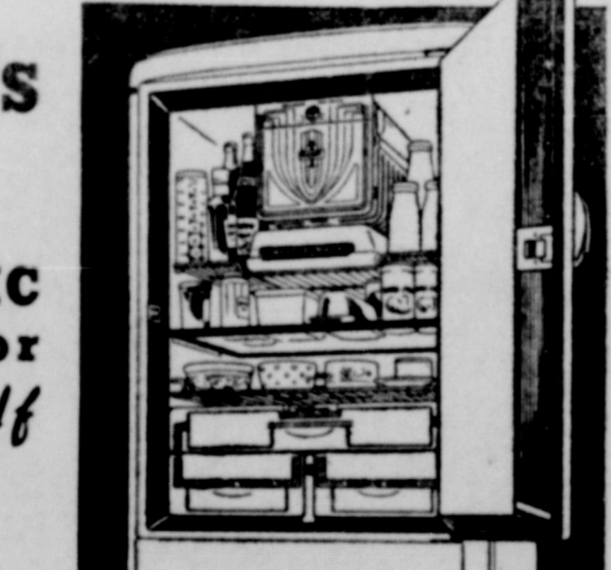
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Norman visited her and Mrs. W. B. Gilchrist... Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilchrist... Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilchrist...

LIBERTY

By MRS. W. F. HODNETT

Rev. Hanford preached at Liberty Sunday and Sunday night... Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Rice and son, and Mack Cofer spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Hinders...

Letters to Santa Claus

Dear Santa Claus, I want a cooking set and a pair of skates and a hood and a pair of mittens and a piano for Christmas. Thank you. Your friend, Johnnie Mae Clark.

PARNELL

By MRS. W. W. RICHARDS

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cope were called to Brownfield Friday of last week to be at the bedside of Mrs. Cope's sister, Mrs. Gore, who is very ill.

and Mrs. Cordia Hamilton were Memphis visitors Friday. Mrs. Harvey Stotts and children Peggy and David spent Saturday in Memphis shopping.



Watches, Rings, Gile's advertisement for R. H. Wherry Jeweler. Includes text: 'Nothing could be more appropriate for Christmas than a watch for either "him" or "her." We invite you to visit our store and see our selection of beautiful watches in all the leading brands.'

May Show Need This Help!

...sometimes due to bad digestion due to sluggish... need to neglect it may increase constipation's other headaches, biliousness, appetite and energy.



What Will Please Him

SUITS

...most appreciated and most practical you could give, would be a pair of our famous Curlee brand and suits we have for Christmas.

\$18.95 \$24.50

OVERCOATS

Overcoats are the order of the day—we have a good selection, so come in and buy your "Him" one for Christmas. He'll appreciate it and will get lots of service out of it. Priced—

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IDEAL GIFT FOR THE MAN HATS

\$2.95 to \$7.50

Gift Shirts \$1.65 and \$1.95, Gift Ties 50c to \$1.95

Gift Sox 25c to 50c, Underwear 25c and 50c

and Buckle Sets \$1.00 \$1.50, Pajamas \$1.45 to \$4.95

ALEXANDER & ROSS

The Man's Christmas Store

New Angle Shows More Savings by Road Bond Bill

State Owes More Than \$18,000 to County Under Law of Recent Legislature

Another new angle on what the road bond assumption bill, passed by the last session of the Texas Legislature, means as a saving to Hall Counties has been pointed out to County Judge M. O. Goodpasture in a letter received Tuesday from Geo. A. Hight, chief accountant of the board of county and district road indebtedness of Texas.

ESTELLINE

By MRS. FRED BERRY

Jo Eddins of Turkey was in Estelline Sunday. Mrs. Duke of Garden Valley and Mrs. Roy Cooper of Turkey visited relatives in Estelline last week-end.

To Ease Women's Pain: "Build-Up"

Do you suffer periodically from headaches, nervousness, irritability, restlessness or cramp-like pains? If so, here's good news! These may be symptoms of functional dysmenorrhea, which is so often caused by undernourishment.

THE HOUSE OF QUALITY is PHILCO Gift Headquarters. Includes images of various Philco radios and a 'SPECIAL CHRISTMAS TERMS' badge.



### ARROW TIES

We have a beautiful selection, just the gift for "Him."

**\$1.50 and 98c**

Other Ties ..... 49c

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### PAJAMAS

Men's Varsity and Manhattan Pajamas, a real value and an appreciated gift ..... 1.98 and 2.98

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Give the Boy Pajamas for Xmas ..... 98c

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**BELTS and SUSPENDERS**

**98c**

Other Belts ..... 49c



### MEN'S ROBES

Royal silk in brocaded patterns, in all colors. This is the gift ideal.

Only—  
**4.98**

### MEN'S SUITS

Give a practical and appreciated gift! Our entire stock of suits is available for gifts. Wide selection.

**19.90**

### Men's Leather JACKETS

Any man would appreciate one of these, smooth and suede, zipper or button styles—

**7.98 - 12.98**

### HATS

Men's Stetson Hats ..... \$5.00

Men's President Hats ..... 2.98

Men's Bancroft Hats ..... 1.98

Boys' Hats ..... 98c

These make ideal gifts



### SPECIALS ON

Ladies'

### DRESSES

You'll hardly believe it when we tell you that all our \$19.90 dresses, silks, have been reduced this Xmas to only—

**9.90**

So you may have a lovely new silk dress for the holiday season we have drastically cut the prices on our \$14.90, \$12.90 and \$10.90 dresses to the unheard-of low price of only—

**6.90**

Sheers, crepes, in all the desired colors and in a beautiful selection of styles, our \$7.90, \$6.90 dresses are being sacrificed for only—



**4.90**

### SHORTS, VESTS

Special pricing made this bargain possible, ea. .... **25c**

### ARROW SHORTS

Quality tells, you know this famous brand—

**65c**

Vests ..... 50c

### Boys' SHIRTS **49c**

Nicely tailored, in a variety of colors and patterns. **79c**

Moorhead Socks . . . . . **49c** Other Socks . 25c



### Men's Arrow SHIRTS

White and colored shirts, all sizes, he will prefer an Arrow

**1.98**

OTHER SHIRTS

1.48 - 98c

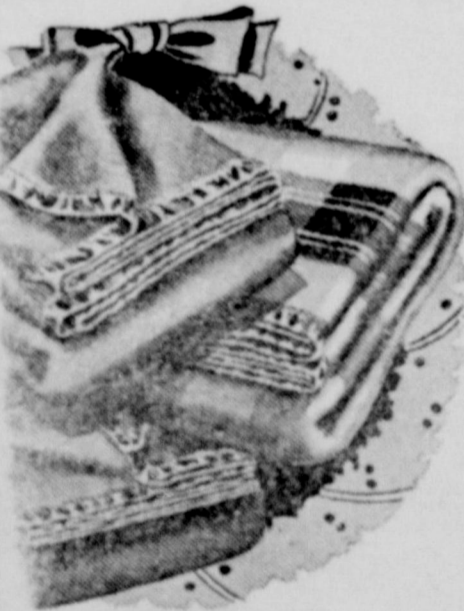
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### Men's Wool SWEATERS

Handsome gifts, these, with zipper and button fronts and in solid and designed styles.

**1.98**

**2.98**



### BLANKETS FOR CHRISTMAS

All Wool Blankets are the ideal gift for the home. See these 72x84 blankets in beautiful solid colors including Rust, Du-bonnet, Blue, Rose and Green, only

**4.98**

### PILLOW CASES

Puerto Rican hand embroidery and fast color hemstitched hems! 42x36 inch cases. Each pair in gift box.

**69c**

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Embroidered cases with hemstitched and scalloped edges, and colored borders. 42x36 inches. Each pair in box.

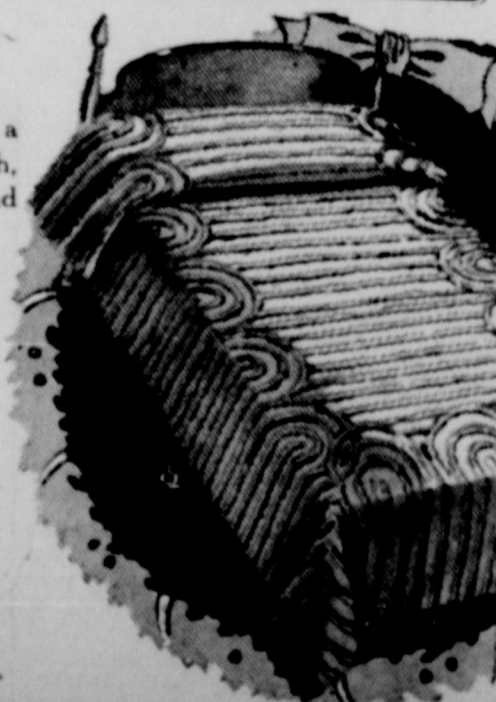
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### BED SPREADS

Lovely gifts to delight a home-maker, rayon finish, tufted, in lovely colors and designs.

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New styles in pumps, ties, straps and in leather and patents. Reduced in prices for this event—

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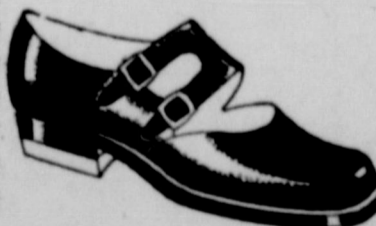
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Real value in children's shoes. All sizes and a wide range of models, reduced to only

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**DRASTIC PRICE CUT  
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Coats**

Handsome coats, specially priced for this Christmas Event, at only—

**2.88**

You'll appreciate the beauty and quality of these fine coats, reduced to only—

**6.88**

For this event, we have reduced all our coats up to \$17.50, to only

**8.88**

See our coats, formerly priced up to \$27.50, that are now reduced to

**12.88**

All coats priced from \$39.90 to \$49.90 have been reduced to the new low price of only—

**24.88**

**SHOP NOW AND SAVE**



**BED SPREADS**

**59¢**

Scalloped edges, all colors, seamless

**Buy More Because It Will Cost You Less!**

**A Gift from Rosenwasser's Means More**

This year Christmas can mean more to you in buying your gifts because we are reducing the price of our special gift items to such an extent that you can cover your entire gift list at much less expense than you anticipated. Give more gifts this year, because Rosenwasser makes it possible for your Christmas dollar to go farther. Do all your shopping at Rosenwasser's and SAVE! SAVE! SAVE!

Shoes Illustrated Actually In Stock



**MEN'S DRESS SHOES**

Handsome dress shoes in blacks and tans, plain and fancy perforated toe designs, reduced specially for this event to—

**1.98**

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Shoes with laces, reduced to only

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**Gowns and Pajamas**

These are ideal gifts, lace trimmed in popular colors and lively rayons and silks. She'll thrill at these—

**98¢ to 9.90**

**NOVELTY BELTS**

Dress up your dress with one of these lovely belts, only—

**98¢**

**Ladies' SWEATERS**

Handsome quality knit, in colors and patterns of your choice—

**1.98 2.98**

**VANETTE HOSE**

You know these hose, they're high quality and sheer beauty! They will make a lovely gift!

**79¢ 98¢**

Other Silk Hose --- **49¢, 59¢**

**ROBES for XMAS**

**CHENILLE ROBES**

The gift that will please any woman, your choice of color and style—

**1.98 7.90**

**SILK ROBES**

Beautiful silk robes in colors and designs, just the thing for a gift.

**1.49 9.90**



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BRICE

By MRS. W. A. BATEN
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Finchum spent the week-end at Wellington...

of Clarendon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hatley.
J. T. Finchum, Riley Finchum and wife are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Finchum...

PLASKA

By MRS. FLOYD DAVIS
Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall made a trip to Beaumont Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cheek, Mr. and Mrs. Laylan Gillespie...

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a pair of gloves, skates, and some doll clothes...

Letters to Santa Claus

Memphis, Texas.
Dear Santa Claus,
I want a pair of gloves, skates, and some doll clothes...

WEBSTER

By DOROTHY N. ROBERTSON
Mrs. Frank Martin and children returned home last Monday after a few days' visit with relatives at Newlin.

and daughter Geraldine, and Mrs. Ogle Martin...

and daughter Geraldine, and Mrs. Ogle Martin and small daughter Gwen of Newlin visited in the L. J. Robertson home Sunday.

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Gums can become mighty trying. Druggists will return your money if the first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy.

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General Electric Christmas Special
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By MRS. FRED HEMPHILL
Celebrates Birthday
Morris Odum was honored with a birthday party Tuesday afternoon at the home of his parents...

FRIENDSHIP

By MRS. D. B. MYERS
Committees for the Christmas program were appointed by the Sunday school superintendent, Obe Holland, last Sunday.

CHRISTMAS EXCURSION FARE

Table with columns for destination (Houston, Dallas, Fort Worth, Wichita Falls) and fare amounts. Includes text: 'Have the best Xmas ever Back Home. The Folks Want to See You Enjoy a Restful Carefree Trip RAILROAD AIR-CONDITIONED CARS...

CHRISTMAS EXCURSION FARE
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The Folks Want to See You Enjoy a Restful Carefree Trip
RAILROAD AIR-CONDITIONED CARS
LOWEST ROUND TRIP COACH FARES IN YEAR
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A Stitch in Time...
Hanes Winter Sets 50c to 79c
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dren went to Memphis Friday afternoon to see the Santa Claus parade. It isn't any use to say they enjoyed the occasion, for all children, and most of the grown-ups too, do.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pate and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Watson and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Molloy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Chancey and Miss Erma Gardenhire and Richard Anderson visited in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dutton and daughter Bobbie visited Mrs. Dutton's mother, Mrs. John Ellis, at Plaska Sunday.

**P.-T. A. News**  
The P.-T. A. social was well attended Friday night at Pleasant Valley. Sandwiches, hot chocolate, and coffee were served to a large crowd. The P.-T. A. president announced that Mr. Pearson or Miss Hillhouse would teach a course in P.-T. A. work. The course will consist of eight lessons.

### HARRELL CHAPEL

By MRS. LOUIS RICHARDS

C. R. Woodson, who has been at the bedside of his mother in Fort Worth for the past four weeks, returned home Saturday. He reports that his mother is some better.

Mrs. W. A. McClanahan spent last Friday with her niece at Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCauley, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richards, and Dick Martin attended the District Education Conference at Childress Monday. They also attended the banquet with L. A. Woods and Representative Allen Harp as main speakers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Woodson honored Mr. and Mrs. Jess Daniel Sunday with a dinner on their wedding anniversary, and also Mrs. Daniel's birthday. Mr. Daniel, who has been ill for some time, is improved.

Nig Phillips, who has been seriously ill in a Memphis hospital the past week, has improved, and expects to return home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McClanahan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCauley.

Evarene Wills spent one night last week with Pauline Longshore in the Salisbury community.

## Letters to Santa Claus

**Giles, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a good little boy 18 months old. I want you to bring me a red wagon, red rocking chair, a doll, a little broom, and a french harp. Also bring me some fruit and candy, but no nuts. I am too little to eat them. Please don't forget my Daddy and Mother, they have been sick a long time.  
Richard Wayne Stotts.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa,  
Will you please bring me a pair of skates for Christmas. I want a set of dishes. I have been working hard in school. I want some apples and oranges and some candy. Thank you. Your friend,  
Virginia Lou Smith.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa,  
I have been making good grades. I want a tea set. And a doll, and a housecoat. I will thank you for these gifts. Your friend,  
Laura.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a little boy in the third grade. I have tried to be good in behavior and grades. I would like for you to bring me a blackboard, a little dog, a little cedar chest, and some candy, nuts, and fruit. Don't forget other little boys and girls. Yours with love,  
Junior Musgrove.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a little boy in the third grade. I have tried to be good in behavior and grades. I would like for you to bring me a set of dishes, a housecoat, a sewing machine, and an embroidery set, doctor bag, some candy, nuts, and fruit, and a pair of skates. Don't forget other little boys and girls. Yours with love,  
Wanda Grimes.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I would like to have a piano accordion and some house shoes. Your friend,  
Mary Louise Rogers.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I want some doll clothes for my Spanish doll and a trunk. Your friend,  
Ann Norman.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a boy 9 years old and my brother is 6 years old. My brother and I want a movie together, and my little brother wants some little soldiers that he can shoot at with a stopper gun. And I want some games. My little brother wants a fiddle. We want some candy, fruit, nuts. I am in the fourth grade. Your friend,  
Don Keith Holt.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa,  
I am a boy 10 years old and in the fourth grade. I want a horse and camping set. And I want a lot of candy, nuts, and fruit. Your friend,  
Jimmy Gerlach.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a little girl 10 years old. I would like to have an embroidery set for Christmas, and a cut-out book and lots of candy and nuts and fruit. Don't forget my little brothers and sisters. And most don't forget my good Mother and Daddy. Your friend,  
Pauline Louise Hartman.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a BB gun, a farm set, a game, a football, a wagon, gun scabbard, fireworks, and fruit. Your friend,  
Billy Lester.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a single shot air rifle and a bicycle for Christmas. And I want some candy too. Your friend,  
Elmer Childress.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a single shot BB and a pair of boxing gloves, a tent, some football shoes, and some candy, some nuts, and fruit. Your friend,  
Teddy Graham.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I will write and tell you what I want you to bring me. I would like a big doll, a doll trunk, a bicycle, and lots of fruit, nuts, and candy. Love,  
Geraldine Jones.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a truck, a wagon, and a Bible. Your friend,  
Earl Cagle.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
First I will tell you what I want. I want a rubber Dy-Dee doll in a trunk, a little sewing machine. I want a doll buggy, a set of dishes. I want a little table with two little chairs, a red wool dress, a pair of gloves. And a little piano, a doll bed. I am a little girl nine years old. Your friend,  
Bernice Gilchrest.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a baseball, a baseball bat, a first-base glove, a baseball suit, and a croquet set. I am nine years old, in the fourth grade. Your friend,  
Bob Melcar.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa,  
I am a boy 9 years old. I would like to have a football but I don't guess I will get one, and an electric train. A great big farm set that has a tractor with some pieces for it. I would like for you to bring me a scabbard and gun with some play shells on the belt. Your friend,  
Billy Charles Archer.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa,  
I am a little girl. I am ten years old. I have blue eyes and black hair. I am in the fourth grade. I would like to have a little radio, an electric one, a chenille housecoat, and a pair of house shoes. I have two little brothers. Their names are Jimmie and Fletcher. Jimmie wants a bicycle. I don't know what Fletcher wants. Your friend,  
Gladys Ione Bownds.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a girl in the fourth grade and I am 9 years old. I want a Bible, a bicycle, and a watch. My little sister is 2 years old and wants a doll, and a set of dishes. We also want some candy, nuts, and some fruit. Your friend,  
Jo Vivian Daniel.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa,  
I am a little girl in the fourth grade. I am ten years old. I would like to have a bicycle, and a Dy-Dee doll for Christmas and also some nuts, fruit, and candy. Your friend,  
Pauline Scott.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I am in the fourth grade. I want you to bring me an argun and some boxing gloves, a football, a baseball suit for Christmas. I want you to bring me some candy, nuts, fruit, and a baseball glove. Your friend,  
Doyle Dean Sargent.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a little girl in the fourth grade. I do not want much for Christmas. This time I want a pair of skates, a pair of pajamas, and house shoes. I will appreciate it very much. Your friend,  
Georgia Lue Hamilton.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I am nine years old. I am a girl. I am in the fourth grade. I want a bottle for my Dy-Dee doll, a few clothes. I want a play Victrola, and a bicycle. I want some candy and fruit. Your friend,  
Ellie Ruth Randolph.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa,  
I am a little girl ten years old. I am a good little girl. I want a doll wig for my doll, locket and some candy, nuts, and fruit. Your friend,  
Sylvilla Saunders.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa,  
I am a boy in the fourth grade and nine years old. For Christmas I would like to have a horse and saddle, a .22 and some shells, some fruit and nuts. Your friend,  
Prentice Baker.

**Memphis, Texas.**  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a singlet BB gun, a .22 rifle, a tool set, a pair of boxing gloves, Gene Autry gun, and scabbard. Your friend,  
Howard McCoy.

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Give your family Better Living this Christmas. Give a modern Gas appliance.

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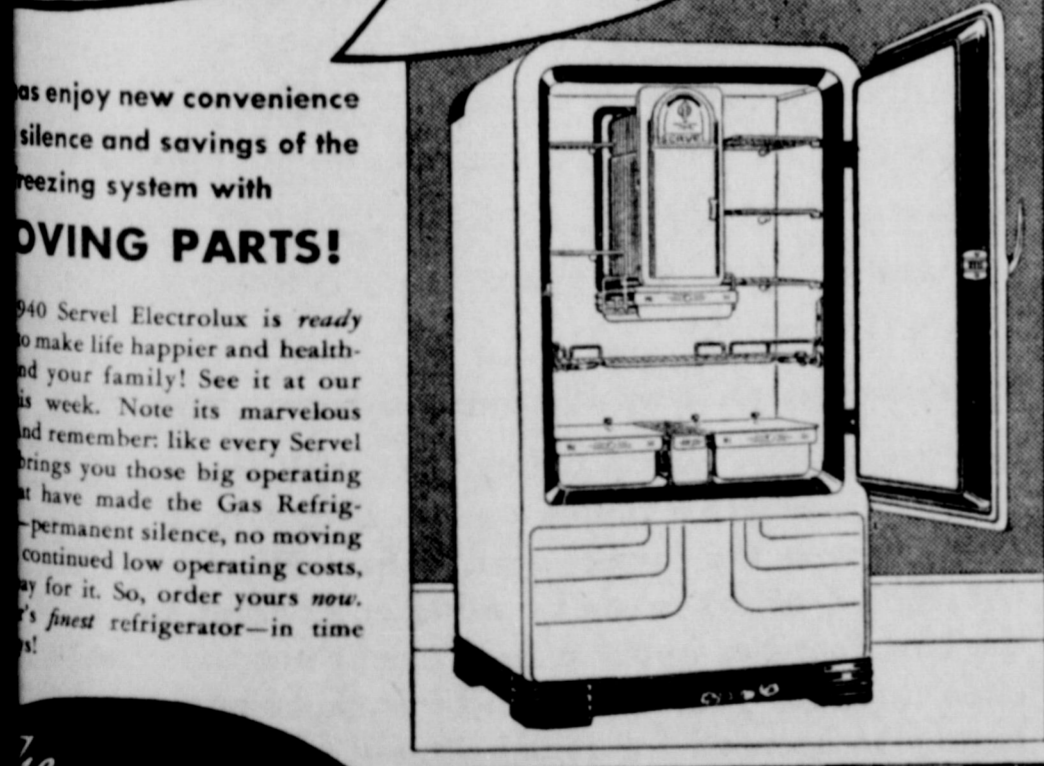
The Gas Refrigerator is silent . . . has no moving parts.

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**1940 GAS REFRIGERATOR**



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# Memphis School News

WEST WARD — JUNIOR HIGH AND HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES



REPORTS ON ACADEMIC, ATHLETIC AND EXTRA-CURRICULA ENDEAVORS

## Madrigal Club to Present Cantata Tuesday, December 19, at High School

"The Babe of Bethlehem" by Bernard Hamblen will be presented Tuesday night, December 19, at 7:45 o'clock by the Memphis High School Madrigal Club in the auditorium of the High School building.

Following is the content of the cantata which follows the Biblical tale closely:

Pastorale, "Thro' the Night," "And the Angel Said," "Glory to God," "Now When Jesus Was Born," "Far Across the Desert Souls," "And lo, The Star," "O'er Bethlehem City," "And They Come with Haste," "In a Humble Cattle-Shed."

"Ave-Marie" by Gounod, a supplement (violin obligato by Mr. Johnson).

"And They Fell Down and Worshipped Him," "Gifts for Lord Jesus," "And Being Warned by God," "Princes Three, Their Mission Done," "Once Again the Bells Are Ringing," "Silent Night" — a capella.

Members of the chorus will wear white surplices and the stage will be decorated to carry out the Christmas theme. Admission is free, but by ticket only.

The following girls are members of the club: Laverne Adcock, Laverne Archer, Frances Clark, Neysanelle Coursey, Norma Ruth Crow, Dorothy Dewlen, Juanella Evans, Lois Hamilton, Ruthie Johnson, Billie Lofland, Genevieve McCool, Geneva Melton, Muffet Merrell, Cassandra Morris, Naomi Morrison, Margaret Russell, Polly Ann Sanders, Dorothy Jean Shuban, Jane Tarver, Peggy Walker, Joy Wisdom, and Addie Mae Woodall.

Robert Williams will serve as accompanist for the organization's first public concert of the year.

## Two Girls Tie for First in Typing

When the speed tests administered to the three first year typing classes were averaged for this week, it was found that Margaret Russell, section two, and Nina Ruth Nelson, section 1, tied for first place.

## Cyclone Cagers Defeat All-Stars With 53-25 Score

Coach Dees Tries 2 Teams Against Exes; One Proves Stronger of Two on Offense

The Cyclone cagers started the season off with a 53 to 25 victory over a group of Cyclone "exes" last week.

Two teams were used by Coach Dees, with one practically as strong as the other defensively, but with the starting line-up possibly the stronger of the two on offense.

Line-ups for the two teams were as follows:

Cyclone—Gunstream, McClure, Harrison, Solomon, forwards; Williams, Lindsey, centers; Kerr, Hardin, Grimes, George, guards.

All Stars—Jib Caviness, A. G. Kesteron, L. A. Lester, Ben Moss, Joe Crump, John Clark, A. B. Murphy, Billy Gene Morris, Earl Foster, Linly Billington.

Members of the chorus will wear white surplices and the stage will be decorated to carry out the Christmas theme. Admission is free, but by ticket only.

The following girls are members of the club: Laverne Adcock, Laverne Archer, Frances Clark, Neysanelle Coursey, Norma Ruth Crow, Dorothy Dewlen, Juanella Evans, Lois Hamilton, Ruthie Johnson, Billie Lofland, Genevieve McCool, Geneva Melton, Muffet Merrell, Cassandra Morris, Naomi Morrison, Margaret Russell, Polly Ann Sanders, Dorothy Jean Shuban, Jane Tarver, Peggy Walker, Joy Wisdom, and Addie Mae Woodall.

Robert Williams will serve as accompanist for the organization's first public concert of the year.

When the speed tests administered to the three first year typing classes were averaged for this week, it was found that Margaret Russell, section two, and Nina Ruth Nelson, section 1, tied for first place.

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## History Projects Now on Display

Students of Noah Cunningham's American history classes exhibited a colorful display of log cabins, old time covered wagons, steamboats, and stage coaches.

The articles were made by the students as a climax to the study of the westward movement unit which the class has just completed. A bystander who might have seen these students coming to school with their arms filled with these miniature projects might have thought they had been meeting Old Santa early.

This is only one of the many projects that are being done in the Memphis High School to give the students a practical knowledge of the subjects by doing things with their hands.

A few of the articles that have been made by the high school students in Home Economics and in American history classes are on display in the show window of the vacant Leader Dry Goods building on the north side of the square. The high school plans to display much of the work in like manner in the future.

## West Ward School To Give Operetta

West Ward School will present an operetta, "A Mischievous Mouse in Toyland," the last week of school preceding the Christmas holidays.

The cast is made up of the following characters: Mickey Mouse, Frankie Coleman; Stick Candy Twins, Gayle Stillwell and Patsy Foreman; Three Soldiers, Lewis Martin, Raymond Cullin, and T. B. Caudle; Teddy Bear, J. D. Jones; Doll, De Rema Byars; Top, Jimmy Bownds; Indian Chief, Billy Carlton Davis; Indian Squaw, Johnny Lou Goodnight; Santa Claus, Jacky D. Monzingo. The little playlet consists also of many little choruses and folk dances.

The public is invited to attend. The date will be announced later.

## FROM THE

### Superintendent

#### PARENTS IN OUR COMMUNITY

You fathers and mothers of this community are building a firm foundation of citizenship for those who will be our future citizens. You are setting the example that will be followed; an example of cooperating with one another, of maintaining your high ideals, of showing an interest in community activities, of paying your obligations, of rearing your children in Christian homes, and of living wholesome lives. We recognize that this example is the best schooling your child will ever get.

Your varied interests encircle the community with its churches, service clubs, boys' work program, study clubs, fraternal organizations, social clubs, the Carnegie Library, and the chamber of commerce. You make possible the spiritual and social life that draws us closer together, making us appreciate one another more because of this mutual feeling of unity.

This is the best type of education the youth of America will ever receive. You mothers are patiently building and shaping the fine personalities of your children. Your hopes and ambitions are wrapped up in the youth in your home; this is as it should be. You work to make your home a happy place for young and old alike to gather for good times. Not every day are your children sent to school handsomely dressed, but their clothes are neat and clean, and their faces fresh and shining from a good soapy scrubbing, administered under your supervision.

The happy cooperative attitude in your home is reflected in the work and play of your children. As a result of all this, you are their inspiration and guide when they choose their life's work. This is one of the finest respects youth can show their parents. Their hardships and discouragements, their pleasures and successes are shared alike with you. You are their aid and counselor—which lingers with them through old age.

You fathers work and scheme to give your children pleasant homes, good clothes, and plenty to eat. With your leadership in the home and community, you establish in your children the desire to continue the good work you have begun. You have made them church conscious, school conscious, and community conscious; this is a liberal education in itself. In close association with your sons you implanted in their young minds the characteristics of a good sport and the qualifications of a useful citizen. You encourage social life in your home to help your boys and girls realize the importance of a good home and a happy life.

We school people recognize that the school is only one agency for educating your children. In our particular community we have the home, the school, the press, the movies, the church, society, the libraries, the streets, the courts, and many other minor institutions. To every boy and girl in the Memphis schools together with the parents in our community—we wish you a merry Christmas.

W. C. Davis.

## Periman Speaks At Hi-Y Meeting

A Hi-Y meeting was held Tuesday evening, December 5, Carl Periman, county attorney, lectured to the boys on intoxicating drinks.

The devotional was given by Louie Grimes, and music was furnished by Lloyd Hicks and Robert Williams. Present were J. W. Harrison, Loyce Hicks, L. F. Jones, Lois Kerr, Hubert Jones, John F. Ivy, Isadore Hardin, Robert Williams, Louie Grimes, Orville Jones, Jack Miller.

## Students Organize New Spanish Club

"Los Jugadores," Spanish club, was organized Wednesday by students of the Spanish department. Billy Hood was elected president. Other officers include Wanda Beckham, vice president; Edna Dewlen, secretary-treasurer; Wanda Posey, parliamentarian; and Adella Jo Pyeatt, reporter.

The club was organized to create more interest in the study of the Spanish people, their customs, and their language. The club will meet once a month.

## Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Williams have returned from Gainesville, where Mr. Williams has been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Watter Russell and son Horton of Amarillo visited Sunday with Mr. Russell's brother, W. B. Russell.

## 3 Local Pictures In FSA Magazine

Three pictures of Hall Counties were included in a recent issue of a new magazine called FSA contributes to Life in the Southwest.

One of the pictures was of Charles Lee and Gene Gardenhire, sons of Garland H. Gardenhire in front of their home. Another was of Mrs. Glen M. Stargell and children, also of Hall County. The third shot was of John D. Baker, showing him as he robbed one of the beehives on his farm. Mr. Baker, pioneer in bee culture in Hall County, has three hives from which he takes 100 pounds of honey each year.

The FSA magazine is a new publication, and was printed without expense to the government by employees of the FSA in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Colorado, and Kansas.

## Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. A. Anisman and son Sheldon spent Sunday in Berger.

Robert Simmons of Sayre, Okla., former resident of Memphis, visited with one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Childress visited friends in Memphis.

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## THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT

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