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Ronnie Mittel Has House Burglarized

Some time after noon of Monday, Dec. 8th, the residence of Ronnie Mittel located about a mile north of Eldorado was burglarized.

The Mittel family drove away from home about 1:00 p.m. that day and returned at 4:30 to find evidence of a break-in. A bathroom window had been forced open and Mr. Mittel missed two guns, some meat from the deep freeze, and a pair of boots.

Sheriff Orval Edmiston and his deputies investigated the break-in but as of this week had no leads on the stolen items.

Mr. Mittel built the large brick house a few years ago on acreage he purchased from Joe Wagley. The house is located a short distance north of the Wagley house just off a stretch of the old highway. The house is secluded by tree growth and is practically invisible from heavily-traveled Highway 277 to the west. So the intruder or intruders had several hours in which to work undetected.

Mr. Mittel works as ASCS office manager.

Program Started To 'Rub Out Rubella'

The first German Measles vaccine will be available soon for a county wide program to immunize all children between the ages of one and ten years. Rubella, or German Measles, also called the "three day measles" is a mild disease that can produce deformities in infants if the disease is contracted by the mother during pregnancy. In 1964, there were 30,000 miscarriages and stillbirths and some 20,000 children born with defects ranging from mental retardation and heart disease to blindness and deafness in the United States.

The vaccine is now available for organized immunization programs through the Texas Health Department. Rubella is not to be confused with other measles in that the vaccine has become available during this year only and has not previously been produced for injection. No child has been immunized against rubella before 1969, but may have had the "five day" or "red" measles vaccine. The measles vaccination program carried out here in Schleicher County earlier this year was for the "five day" measles and all the children who have not received the rubella vaccine should be given the injection when the Rub Out Rubella program begins January 7, 1970.

The State Health Department will provide the vaccine for all school age children, grades, pre-school through the fourth. In order to totally eradicate the disease, all children in the county between the ages of one and ten years should receive the vaccine. This portion of the program is to be sponsored by civic organizations in Schleicher County. Help us set up January 7th as "Rub Out Rubella" Day.

Eagles Drop Contest

When you give your opponent the ball on 42 miscues a basketball team cannot expect to win and this was the plight of the Eagles last Friday as they were defeated by Ozona 68-46.

The Eldorado lads were slow starting with only 7 markers the first quarter while Ozona was pumping in 20. However, it was the traveling, throwing the ball away and such that spelled defeat for Eldorado shot only 41 times during the contest. A bright spot was the fact that the free throw per cent was up from the last contest as the boys hit 69%.

Jerry Baty was the only green lad in double figures as he hit 12 points and 8 points was scored by Micki Clark and Archie Nixon. Bob Page had 7, Billy Hubble 6 and Wayne Doyle 5.

Jerry Baty also led the rebounding with 9 while Bob Page captured 7.

The Eagles will go to Miles Thursday, December 18 for a return match with the Bulldogs who bested them here 52-50. This will be the last game for the boys until after the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Strickler of San Angelo visited Sunday with Mrs. Thelma Childers.

Post Script

Our Christmas Greeting Papers
This is the first of our two Christmas Greeting issues which will close out this year of 1969.

We are carrying a number of greeting ads from our local merchants, along with Christmas features.

On pages 2 and 3 this week, we take a lengthy and nostalgic look at the year 1929, which was drawing to a close 40 years ago.

Our paper for next week, Dec. 25th, will be published and delivered early in the week in time to reach our readers before Christmas.

There is still time for individuals who would like to greet the public to come in and select a greeting message; these are priced as low as \$2.00.

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From reports from some local stores we gather that this is one of those years when the holiday trade is considerably less than expected. These words are being written December 11th, just two weeks before Christmas. At least one merchant at that time said, "Unless there is a last-minute rush of Christmas buying, I'll be forced to carry over a lot of my holiday goods."

Another was hard to remark, "It is the quietest Christmas I've ever seen."

Even the post office crew has noticed the difference. Postmaster Bernard Carr reported that Christmas mail volume is way down over past years, and then added, "Maybe it will all come next week."

It costs 6 cents now to mail a Christmas card. It used to cost 3 cents. That no doubt has cut down the Christmas card volume.

The situation apparently is not confined only to Eldorado. Reports from travelers are that the situation is the same everywhere—at least in this Southwest area of small towns with which we are familiar.

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One of our towns—our good neighbor Sonora, has a special reason for slack holiday trade. That is their famous Bronco football team. They won district, then bi-district, then regional—and they are on their way to more games all the way to State Championship.

The people down there are enthusiastic about their team, and are boosting and following it all the way—as they should. They are so busy following their team all over the state—which costs money—that they don't have time to think about Christmas.

Anyway that's the story I've heard from businessmen down there.

Sonora and Mart will have their Class A state championship battle Friday night at 7:30 on Austin's Nelson Field.

Nelson Field is located on Highway 290 in Northeast Austin and seats in the vicinity of 12,000 fans.

Coach Jerry Hopkins' Broncos advanced out of the semifinals Friday night with a 21-6 victory over Honey Grove in Stephenville, while Mart topped defending state finalist Poth, 14-7, Friday night at Nelson Field.

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One whole month of wet, sloshy weather may have had a dampening effect on people and their lack of holiday enthusiasm. Now we're having dry weather again for a change, and maybe that last-minute shopping spree will occur after all.

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And talking about Christmas gifts.

Maybe a friend of yours would appreciate one of those new "1970 Birthday Calendars" now being sold by members of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority.

Persons wishing a copy may call Mrs. Earl Dean Clark or Mrs. C. F. Dacy. They are \$1.50 each.

Calendars are also on sale at Tooter's Beauty Shop.

Mrs. Clark also reports that she has had an order or two from out of town.

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Last-minute Christmas Gift? How about giving the Success for a year? Just \$3.00 a year in the county, and \$4.00 a year elsewhere.

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We sent some photos this week to the engraver and failed to get them back in time for this week's issue of the Success, so hope to have them in time for next week.

RECEIPT BOOKS—Pocket size, and large desk size, for sale at The Success.

Christmas Party For Children Starts At 5:00 P.M. Today Sponsored By Legion

Once again this year local Legionnaires are all set to assist Santa Claus as he distributes bags of candy to hundreds of local children at the annual Christmas Party set for 5:00 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 18th (today) at the Memorial Building.

Commander R. V. Sheppard of the Bev McCormick Post of The American Legion reports that plans and arrangements are complete, and the usual capacity crowd of children and parents is expected. This party is put on each year by the local American Legion post and is always a highlight of the Holiday Season for Schleicher county.

The children will gather at 5:00 o'clock at the Memorial Building and shortly afterwards the program will get under way in the main room of the building. The program will consist of several Christmas selections rendered by the elementary choral students.

Following the program and Santa's arrival, the Legionnaires and Santa Claus will distribute the bags of candy to children. Those invited are young children through the first six grades of school.

Financing of this party was done by the selling of advertisements by Legionnaires on the Basketball Schedule placard earlier in the Fall.

Decorations To Be Judged Sunday Night

A secret committee will judge the decorated residences over town and award the three prizes, in the contest being sponsored this year by the Lions Club and Chamber of Commerce.

A. G. McCormack of the Lions Club and Buddy White, president of the Chamber of Commerce, urge all residents to leave their displays lit until 10:00 p.m. Sunday in order that all entries may be judged.

If you live in an outlying part of town where there is possibility that you might be overlooked, call Mr. White or Mr. McCormack and they will see that the judges go by.

The three prizes to be given are: Best decorated yard or roof, \$10; Most attractive window display, \$10; Best decorated doorway, \$10.

Danny Boyer Makes Regional Band

Danny Boyer, Senior in Eldorado High School, snare drummer in the Eagle Marching Band, was in Brownwood Friday and Saturday for the Regional Band contest where he made the All-Regional Band on the Tympani drums. This advances Danny to the Area Band Contest in Austin January 25th. If he can win that contest he goes to the All-State Band.

The All Region Band Concert was presented Saturday evening at 7:30 in the Brownwood High School directed by Dr. Joseph Bellamah, band director at Texas A&L.

Danny is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boyer.

Firemen Urge Care During Holidays

The firemen urge everyone to use caution during the Christmas holidays with decorations so that any and all fires can be avoided. They urge care with lights on Christmas trees, and with lighted displays.

Also, dispose on Christmas wrappings promptly so that they will not be hazards.

Jim Thornton and Sherwood Barker went to Stephenville Friday night to see the Sonora-Honey Grove semi-final football game.

School Holidays To Start Friday

School administrators announce that the Christmas and New Year's holidays will get under way when school turns out Friday afternoon at 2:30.

Classes reconvene the morning of Monday, January 5th.

The elementary grades will have their Christmas trees and gift exchanges in their respective home rooms following the lunch hour Friday.

Managers Feted By Their Tenants

Donnie and John Gilmore, managers, were honored with a surprise party in the low-rent housing unit Tuesday. Expecting utility problems when they were called to the Parent apartment, they found instead all the tenants present and dressed in their Sunday best, and the room decorated in the Christmas motif including a small tree.

The group enjoyed a morning coffee and the Gilmores were presented with a Christmas gift in appreciation for their cordial relationship during the past year. Helping her mother with the event was Miss Fern Parent who also made snap-shots of the party.

Two '69 Grads At ASU Awarded Scholarships

San Angelo, Tex.—Two '69 graduates of Eldorado High School are attending Angelo State University on academic scholarships awarded in recognition of their scholastic achievements.

They are Ben Richard Keel and Elaine Dempsey. Both were members of the National Honor Society in Eldorado High School.

Keel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben R. Keel of Eldorado. He was a member of the band and year-book staff in Eldorado High, and also plays in the Angelo State Band. He is majoring in physics.

Miss Dempsey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom M. Dempsey of Eldorado. She was a band member, cheer leader and class officer in high school. She is majoring in nursing at Angelo State.

R. V. Sheppard was ill in bed this week. This seems to be the season for colds and flu.

Next Week's Paper To Be Early

Our second of two Christmas papers next week will require that papers be in the post office early Wednesday MORNING in order that they may be delivered on the mail route that same day.

In order to accomplish this it will be necessary to go to press late Tuesday evening.

To those who have news and columns to contribute for this final issue for this year, we urge you to turn in your items by Monday (preferred) or by Tuesday morning at the latest.

Eaglettes Are Ready To Host Tournament

Students To Regional Band Contest Recently

Lisa Whitten, Gail Robinson, Danny Boyer and Wayne McDonald, band director, were in Brownwood for the All-Regional Band Contest Friday and Saturday.

Fifty-six cornets competed; 16 make the band. Out of 39 trumpets only 4 made the band. Lisa made alternate. One tympani drum player is picked and Danny was selected.

Elton McGinnesses Have Call From Overseas

The Elton McGinnesses had a surprise call from their son, Wayne, who was in Sidney, Australia, on his R&R. He was fine and really enjoying his rest. Said Sidney was an old town, was great to be able to talk to people who spoke your language. He was to be there 7 days. He is stationed in Chu Lai, Vietnam.

Ginning Resumes After Wet Spell

After ten days of clear, dry weather, Monday noon found Mikeska Gin running full blast and with nearly a dozen loaded trailers on the yard awaiting their turn to the gin.

Operations continued until well in the night and Tuesday noon revealed a total of 1614 bales for the season. "It looks like we may make our 2,000 bales," remarked one of the gin hands.

Weather at that time continued clear and sunny and ideal for stripping. Most of the empty trailers parked during the wet spell were being hauled back to the farms.

Gin men are hoping for continued dry weather in order to complete the season by end of the year. But hopes like this are rarely fulfilled and usually ginning continues into the new year.

Hospital Auxiliary Sets Christmas Party

Women's Hospital Auxiliary will have a Christmas party for nursing patients at the hospital at 3:00 p.m. Sunday, which will include ambulatory hospital patients, according to Mrs. W. G. Godwin, auxiliary president.

IN HOSPITAL

Friends here have been informed that Mrs. Bud (Shirley) Haynes is a patient in Permian General Hospital in Andrews, Texas, where she underwent surgery last week. Cards may be addressed to her at Room 204, Permian Gen. Hospital, Andrews, Texas 79714.

Shirley operated a beauty shop here before moving with her husband and family last year to Midland, and then to Andrews. They were transferred by Northern Natural Gas Co.

The James Logan family have moved to one of the public housing units.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smearly of Rocksprings were recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Claudia Galbreath.

New Babies

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ray Wallace on December 5, a baby boy at Schleicher County Medical Center. The baby weighed 8 pounds 3½ oz. and has been named Joshua Ray Wallace.

Mr. Wallace is a teacher in the Eldorado school system.

Mr. and Mrs. David Charles Wallace of San Angelo are parents of a daughter born Saturday at 9:00 p.m. in Clinic-Hospital. The new baby weighed 5 lbs. 9 oz. and has been named Debra Lynn. She has a sister Kelly Susan who is 3½ years old.

The mother is the former Sue Blaylock of this county. Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Jess Blaylock.

Friday at 4:00 p.m. the 12th Annual Eldorado Girls Basketball Tournament will kick-off with a game between Mason and Lake View. Though the Maidens of the San Angelo school hold a win over Mason, the Punchers have improved and it is expected to be a close battle. At 5:20 a powerful Winters team will take on Clint High School from far West Texas and Del Rio will face a top ranked Iraan team at 6:40. Eldorado's Eaglettes will take the court at 8:00 against a Rankin unit who have a good record in wins so far this season.

Action will begin at 8:10 Saturday morning and 9:30 in consolation play. The games at 10:45 and 12:00 will decide who plays in the championship and should both be thrillers.

Finals will start at 4:45 Saturday afternoon with consolation runner-up game followed by the Consolation finals set for 6:00. Third place game will start at 7:15 and championship at 8:30.

Mason, Clint, and Iraan are newcomers to the meet while Rankin was last year's Consolation champion. Del Rio and Lake View have done well here in the past and Winters is defending champion. Of this group Winters, Iraan, and Lake View should be the outstanding team with no clearcut favorite.

The Eaglettes, who took third last year, are ready to be back in contention for Championship honors and will be battling for the first place award.

Eldorado came in second in the Winters Tournament falling to Winters 55-53.

This tournament will end play for Eldorado until January 3.

Schedule

Friday: 4:00; 5:20; 6:40; 8:00.
Saturday morning: 8:10; 9:30; 10:45; and 12:00.
Saturday night: 4:45;
6:00, Consolation Finals;
7:15, Third Place;
8:30, Championship.

Trophies will be presented for first, second, third, and consolation winners. A trophy will go to an outstanding forward and an outstanding guard plus the girl with the best free throw per cent on 20 attempts or more throughout the meet. There will be a team selected to receive the Sportsmanship Award.

No All-Tournament group is selected because the tournament officials feel that each girl on the first, second and third place teams have made a contribution to her team's success, and each is presented a medal for her efforts.

Final Pre-Holiday Lions Meeting Held

Boss Lion A. G. McCormack presided at the final pre-holiday meeting of the Eldorado Lions Club, which was held at noon Wednesday of this week.

Fred and Flora Riley, who have cooked for the club for over 20 years, were presented with a gift from the club. They served the traditional Christmas fare at this meeting.

The club will not meet the coming two Wednesdays, which fall on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve. The next meeting will be on Wednesday, January 7, 1970.

S. S. MAN COMING FRIDAY

Jules Gipson, Field Representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his December visit to Eldorado. He will be at the County Courthouse on Friday, December 19 from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time.

CAROLERS MEET

A group of Carolers met at Elnora Love's at 6:30 Wednesday of this week, and then went to the hospital and several other places over town.

Back In 1929 — 40 Years Ago—

When Stock Market Crash Ended The 'Roaring 20's'; There Were 16 In The EHS Senior Class, And A Brand New '29 Chevrolet Sport Coupe Sold For \$645

Memory is man's best friend and boon companion. It stays with him in sickness or in health. It never goes away and leaves him lonely. It brightens his youth and gives a chuckle in old age.

Memory makes us wise — or at least careful. You probably have minted many a sad or merry memory yourself if you can look back 40 years and remember 1929, when the Stock Market crash marked the end to the Era of Wonderful Nonsense that had characterized the Roaring Twenties.

Huey (Kingfish) Long, Governor of Louisiana and rabble rouser with much potential, was just beginning to attract national attention in 1929. He went on to the United States Senate and attained a national following with a vague share-the-wealth program, but he would be assassinated six years later by a young doctor, gone berserk, in the State Capitol in Baton Rouge.

January, 1929—The Boy Scout troop visited the Lions Club. J. R. Conner gave a history of the Flag, and Eli McAngus gave a signaling demonstration.

Little Jettie Grace DeLong was honored on her 10th birthday.

J. B. Christian was president of the First National Bank. R. P. Hinyard and J. E. Hill were vice-presidents, W. O. Alexander was cashier and Leslie Baker was assistant cashier. It was reported that the First National Bank of Sonora had just occupied their newly-completed \$75,000 building.

Coach Williamson's football boys received their letters. These included Captains Edward Ratliff and Cecil McClatchy; and Prince Murphy, Wince Murphy, Roscoe Parker, Haynes Graves, Glenn Ratliff, J. T. Ballew, Cicero Swift, Albert McGinty, Billy Stewardson, Edwin Sharp, and Cecil Johnson.

Forrest Moore, factory representative from Ford Motor Co. from the Dallas branch, visited Bush Motor Co. here.

West Texas Utilities was building a new high line to serve Eldorado. The company was also erecting a new building here to cost between \$20,000 and \$25,000.

New students in the high school were Grace Bowman, O. B. Bradshaw and Cleve Mercer.

Henderson-Ede Co. in San Angelo

advertised new Buick coupes from \$1195 to \$1875.

Harold McKee, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McKee of the Bailey Ranch community, was killed when the pick-up he was driving turned over. His funeral was held in the Bailey Ranch school and burial was made in the local cemetery. Rev. F. R. Keele gave the eulogy.

On Feb. 14th, the St. Valentine's Day Massacre took place on Clark Street in Chicago. It involved several underworld figures of the Prohibition Era. The Graf Zeppelin flew around the world.

February, 1929—A. J. Atkins left for Paint Rock upon being notified that his mother had died there at the age of 77.

E. W. Brooks announced a Big Stock Disposal and Consolidation Sale. Tinker Bell cloth was reduced from 50c to 25c a yard and men's shirts, \$2 and \$2.50 values, were 50c.

C. C. West is constructing a tourist camp beside his Rock Filling Station on the north edge of town.

Margaret Bradley received the prize for the neatest and best arranged notebook in the Freshman English Class in high school.

J. T. Houston and Mrs. C. B. Beall of San Angelo announced plans to open a studio here for violin and piano.

On the first semester honor roll in high school are Hazel Bruton, Helen Martin, Grace Ratliff and Marjorie Thornton. On grammar school honor roll: Margaret Hill and Dorothy Lee King, 5th grade; and Willie Ruth Nicks, 7th grade.

W. D. Pearce, R. L. Miller and Walter Miller visited here from Brown county. Mr. Miller, who owns some land west of town, was inquiring of the oil well going down west of Eldorado.

On Feb. 13th, a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Keele.

Mrs. J. C. Swift, mother of W. D. Swift of Eldorado, died at age 72 in Cisco. She drove to Rannels county in an ox cart in 1830 and settled at Old Rannels, then the county seat.

S. E. Ross of the Great Santa Fe System, was here regarding building of a rail line to serve Eldorado

and Sonora. It hinged on local raising of a bonus and giving right-of-way.

Miss Elizabeth Hudspeth, daughter of Congressman and Mrs. C. B. Hudspeth, and William Abney of Del Rio, set Feb. 27 to be married in the Hudspeth home in El Paso.

In an economy move, Herbert Hoover banished to Fort Meyer the seven horses quartered in the White House stables. Tex Rickard died.

March, 1929—High school students who left for Austin for the state tennis meet were Glenn Ratliff, Edward Ratliff, Haynes Graves, Roscoe Parker, Cicero Swift, and Morris and Jack Whitten.

Rev. J. L. Ratliff officiated at the funeral of Morris Virgil Burk, 18-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Burk of the Rudd community who drowned in a tank.

Marcus Fury of Christoval has gone to work as salesman for Evans Chevrolet Sales.

R. C. Morgan & Son have leased the old Midway station and are offering Standard gas and oils, Kelly Springfield and Buckeye tires and lube.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meador.

Work started on the Shell Pipe Line Station about five miles west of town. Workmen estimated it would take about four months to complete the station and its four tenant houses.

Funeral services were held for Lorene Thompson, 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Thompson.

R. A. Evans Commission Co. reported oil leases made by various oil and gas companies and the following: Paul Nixon, W. E. Baker, A. K. Bailey, S. W. Mather, N. Williamson, Mrs. A. H. Green, D. C. Hill, Doc Kerr, W. M. Bearce, Jno. Luedecke, and Mrs. Viola Murphy.

Robert McGrew, who is working for W. D. Swift on the Clegg ranch above San Angelo, was a visitor.

The City of Eldorado voted to incorporate by a vote of 84 to 15.

Babe Ruth's estranged wife, burned to death in Waterbury, Mass., left \$5 to the Home Run King and \$50,000 to their adopted daughter, Dorothy, 9.

April, 1929—Miss Curry's voice students presented in recital included Elnora Andrews, Nina and Mildred Smith, Margaret Tisdale, Mable McClatchy, Victoria Jones, Estelle Johnson, Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. Lewis and Ina Pearl Curry.

Ben Hext leased a 10-section ranch near Burnet.

Fred O. Green defeated W. O. Alexander for mayor of Eldorado, 35 to 25 votes. Aldermen elected were John Davis, H. G. Parker, H. W. Wiedenmann, Joe Williams and F. M. Bradley. City marshal was S. M. Oglesby.

H. F. Wiedenmann is new manager and Luther Gunter assistant of the West Texas Lumber Co. here.

A. J. Atkins was appointed local postmaster.

Jessella Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson, drove into the front of the Sam Roberts Clothing Store and broke one of the plate glasses and marble slabs in the front, with her automobile.

Rev. L. D. Hardt officiated at the wedding of Neidine Glenn and E. A. Ballard.

Deaths reported; Jerome Porter, Schleicher resident 36 years, and Glendon Truitt Kinsler, 12.

Mrs. S. M. Oglesby entertained 13 pioneer women with an all-day meeting and dinner at her ranch home near Merton. Those present included Mrs. W. S. Kelly who recalled the Ben Ficklin flood; Mrs. Betty Campbell, who had danced with the James Brothers and Cole Younger; Mrs. Thomas Stonehouse, Mrs. Lee Minor, Mrs. Joe Thorpe, Mrs. J. R. Brooks, Mrs. J. H. McFall, Mrs. W. S. Locklin, Mrs. Bob Johnson, Mrs. Sam Dameron, Mrs. Jennie Whitsett, and Mrs. W. S. Kelly.

McCarroll Lbr. Co. opened a yard here.

W. T. Conner was elected president and Ed Finnigan vice president of the cemetery association.

On May 6th, Harry Sinclair went to jail for contempt of the Senate in the Teapot Dome scandal; on May 15, he was re-elected chairman of the Sinclair Consolidated Oil Corporation.

May, 1929—The Eldorado Lions Club held their first anniversary banquet at the Rock Tourist Court. It was enjoyed by all despite cold wind and sand. The dinner was served by the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church and Dr. H. W. Wiedenmann was toastmaster.

John Philip Sousa and his world-famous band were heard over radio for the first time in an hour-long broadcast sponsored by Chevrolet Motor Company to commemorate placing over half a million new 6-cylinder cars on the road in four months. Evans Motor Co. had open house with the latest Atwater Kent Dynamic radio furnished by Eldorado Electric Company.

W. E. Cloud opened a New and Second Hand Furniture Store in the Rex McCormick building.

R. T. Trail of Brady came here to buy the Ford dealership from A. A. Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Galbreath and Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Whitten left on a trip to Carlsbad Caverns.

C. Kornegay of Winters closed a deal for five acres of land near May's filling station for new location of a gin.

Baby Night at the Palace Theatre. The manager, J. P. Flynn, had a traveling photographer take pictures of local babies and these were shown on the screen.

H. G. Parker advertised as new agent for Southland Life Ins. Co.

In Boston, Harry J. Conter drew a year in jail for criminally defaming ex-Governor Alvan T. Fuller by carrying a placard bearing the words, "Fuller, murderer of Sacco and Vanzetti."

June, 1929—The W. H. McClatchy family were moving to Alpine and Ben Hext and family were moving to Marble Falls.

R. T. Trail was in charge of the Ford garage with a complete line of Model T and Model A parts.

W. J. Miller opened a new plumbing and electrical shop here.

The Executive Board of the Sheep and Goat Raisers met here and Mrs. T. K. Jones entertained the wives at her ranch home on the Angelo highway.

Mrs. W. B. Terpenning returned to her home in Chicago after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Johnson.

Eldorado Hardware advertised: "Continuous Refrigeration, 2 Cents a Day, with Superflex oil burning refrigerator."

Buck Bailey, football and baseball coach of Washington State College, returned home for his summer vacation.

R. B. Niese, Jr., publicity manager of the West Texas Utilities Co., visited here on his way to Sonora.

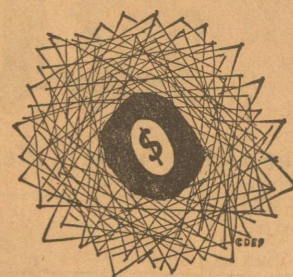
A new 2-cent commemorative postage stamp was being issued for the 50th anniversary of the electric light. "Edison's Lamp—1879-1929" was to be inscribed on it.

Commander Richard E. Byrd planted the Stars and Stripes on the South Pole. The Ford Motor Company boosted daily wage rates from \$6 to \$7. The firm continued to sell their popular Model A automobiles.

July, 1929—Mrs. B. B. Brittain visited here, accompanied by the young Brittain sailor.

Miss Jym Newsom rendered special music for 23 Lions as they met in the Methodist church. John Rae was a guest.

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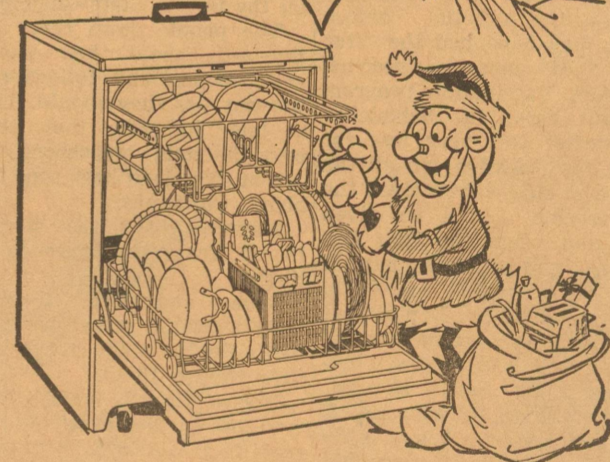
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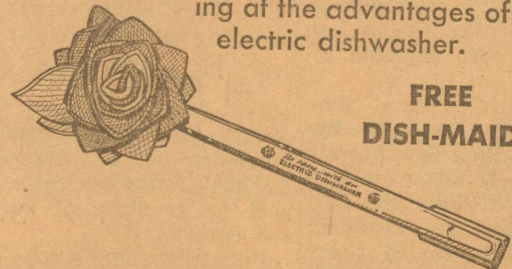
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Jim Thornton and Paul Page

Lonnie Boyd Richard Kent Grace Sheppard Lester Nixon
Charles Blair Junior Lozano I. Guster Green

Year 1929 — Continued

William B. Foley Sr. died July 14 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. T. Wright. He was born in 1851.

At the County Fair: John Reynolds and sister Bessie won the cow milking contest and Allen Holder won the calf roping contest.

"Oil Showing Found In Whitten Well." The well was about four miles northwest of Eldorado and had gas and oil show at 4110 feet.

Dr. Earl D. McDonald moved here from San Angelo and set up an office in the Royster & Whitten Drug Store.

"We Deliver Ice. The Best Ice Is Always the Most Economical," advertised G. B. Shoemaker & Sons.

City Variety Store advertised Size A Tubs for 59c and 8-quart water pails for 25c.

An 11½-pound baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arch Posey.

On July 22, Preston Bailey and Annetta Tyson of Santa Anna were married.

Advertisements from San Angelo: E. F. Capshaw, Chiropractor; Fred Brown's Station, north of Orient tracks, gasoline 18 cents per gallon; Wm. Wyche, new and used furniture; Coleman's Beauty Shop, and San Angelo Mattress Factory.

Americans bought \$850-million worth of radios. There were 23-million cars on the roads. Two Southern Governors, Theodore Bilbo in Mississippi, and Huey Long in Louisiana, began to attract national attention.

August, 1929—Word was received here of the death at Liberty Hill of "Uncle Andy" Mather, at the age of 78.

A taxidermist's reproduction of Pancho Villa, notorious Mexican bandit, and his horse, was set up at the Palace Theatre.

A 7½-pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tisdale.

Evans Motor Co., dealer for the Chevrolet, "A Six in the Price Range of the Four" advertised two new enclosed models, the Imperial Sedan for \$695, and the Sport Coupe for \$645, prices f.o.b. Flint, Michigan.

G. D. Hines resigned as County Judge, to move to New Mexico. H. W. Finley was appointed new judge.

L. T. Wilson brought in the first bale of cotton for the '29 season, and received a \$52 premium.

M. Shaw of Abilene was opening a local office of his Guaranty Title Company here to do abstracting and title work. The office was across the street east of the Eldorado Hotel and Allan Douglas was manager.

You could buy The All-White Hotpoint Electric Range from West Texas Utilities for \$132.50.

Fred O. Green, local telephone manager, announced that the San Angelo Telephone Co. would soon install "all-metallic lines."

Ira McDonald, merchant of Bailey Ranch, and C. A. Spencer, ranchman and farmer, were here looking after business.

L. B. McClary is constructing a large stucco house near the Bud Ellis home north of the school.

On the literary front, Erich Maria Remarque's All Quiet on the Western Front led the fiction best-sellers, headed by Sinclair Lewis's Dodsworth. Also in the book stores were Ernest Hemingway's Farewell to Arms, Thomas Wolfe's Look Homeward Angel, and William Faulkner's The Sound and the Fury.

September, 1929—As school opened with assembly. Supt. R. D. Holt gave the opening talk and Rev. L. D. Hardt the invocation. Victoria Jones sang a song accompanied by Lucile Oglesby at the piano. Also on the program were S. L. Stanford, president of the school board, and W. N. Ramsay, secretary.

Miss Agnes Wright and L. T. Barber announced that they had taken over ownership of the Eldorado Success.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Chick.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bailey returned to Abilene after a few days' vacation. They accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gibson and son to Carlsbad Caverns, and went on to points of interest in Colorado, Arizona, and New Mexico. At El Paso they saw the Graf Zeppelin pass over on its world tour.

Rural schools in the county with their teachers included: Adams, Mrs. Robert Milligan; Bailey Ranch, Peyton Cain; Cliff, Blanche Newlin; Kaffir, Mrs. Ford Oglesby; Station A, Ruth DeLong.

A daughter was born Sept. 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Logan.

The 16 members of the high school Senior class were: Elizabeth Bradley, Mattie Lee Cates, Dahlia Faye Johnson, Fannie Hardt, Elta May Lueddecke, Alta Stevens, Victoria Jones, Garnette Lueddecke, Lois Sharpe, Ruby Wilson, Vera Wade, Bernice Newlin, J. C. Bullion, William McAngus, Kenneth Green and Edwin Kent.

See the All-Wool Suits for just \$22.50 at Mr. Wright's Cash Store.

October of 1929 saw the "Black Tuesday" crash of the Stock Market, and Variety magazine headlined it in its own inimitable way, "Wall St. Lays An Egg." . . . Bing Crosby, an unknown singer, was touring with Paul Whiteman's band this year the bottom fell out of the New Era . . .

October, 1929—Don McCormick, tax assessor for Schleicher county, completed his tax rolls for 1929 and turned the reports over to the Commissioners. Total assessed valuation for '29 was reported to be \$5,000,230, up from \$4,081,550 for 1928.

P. M. Oliver's funeral was held. Rig was being built for the oil test on the Bert Page ranch. The test well was to be drilled 5,000 feet deep.

Lark McClary was laying curbing and preparing for paving in the Glendale Addition on the north edge of town. Several lots were already sold for residences.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Alice I. McGrew at Brady.

A miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Ed Hill honored Miss Marie Doty, bride-elect of Stephen Perner. Other hostesses were Mrs. Joe Edens, Mrs. A. J. Roach, Mrs. W. N. Ramsay, and Mrs. V. G. Tisdale.

On the Bailey Ranch school honor roll were: Fern Parks, Calvin Henderson, Charlene Mund, primer; Colleen Stevens, 1st grade; Alice Mund and Bonnie Mund, 3rd grade; Pearl Faught, L. D. Mund, 5th grade; Marjorie Parks, 6th grade; and W. C. Parks, Jack Meador, and Carl Stevens, 7th grade.

Frank E. Bihl died at Ft. McKavett at 82, and was buried there.

Movie attendance soared to the 100-million-a-week mark. Among the screen attractions were Bette Davis and Donald Meek in Broken Dishes; Gertrude Lawrence and Leslie Howard in Candlelight; Edward G. Robinson in Kibitzer, and Cary Grant in A Wonderful Night. On the screen, nearly everybody talked.

November, 1929—The Bailey Ranch consolidated school plans a box supper and program on Armistice Day.

Lewis Whitten advertised wood for sale, cut and delivered, \$10 a load.

Mrs. W. F. Ford, widow of a former Schleicher county judge, moved to Denton where her three daughters, Ena, Oma and Una, enrolled in the College of Industrial Arts.

The P-TA Carnival was held and took in \$71 to be used for purchase of books for the grammar school.

William Conner, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Conner, was reported attending A&I College at Kingsville. His grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Conner, lived here.

B. A. Whitten and Skeet Griffin returned from a hunt in the Delaware Mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sweatt had an 8-pound girl born in San Angelo. They were planning to return to the ranch near Ft. Stockton.

Fred O. Green, local telephone manager, has started building a new brick home in Glendale. It will have five rooms and bath and cost \$4,500.

Otis Buie and Miss Tommy De Oliver were married in the Methodist church.

J. A. Whitten was brought home from the San Angelo hospital, where he had been confined several weeks.

The Allerita Loomis Players were presenting their tent show. "What Every Daughter Should Know" with nightly performances.

One of Broadway's big hits was Journey's End, a grim story of World War I. On Christmas Eve of 1929, President Herbert Hoover was having his evening meal in the White House when fire broke out in the west executive wing of the mansion. The blaze was controlled, but entailed subsequent remodeling and repairs to the historic structure.

December, 1929—A barber shop and cafe were being opened in John F. Isaacs' newly completed building.

A musical comedy, "Sailor Meids" was presented night of Dec. 13th. Cast included Frank Bradley, Herma L. Hooker, Elnora Andrews, Mrs. E. W. Brooks, E. W. Brooks, H. T. Smart, Tom Redford, Sam Loyd, and high school boys and girls.

Miss Elizabeth Hinyard gave a tea in the A. L. Stewardson home to announce the engagements of Miss Mary Alice Stewardson and Ruth Alice DeLong to Ervin Mund and S. D. Harper, Jr., respectively. The couples set January 1, 1930, as date for their double wedding.

Mrs. J. M. Smith died at the age of 80 in Ozona and was buried here.

Mrs. Robert Nixon and Florence and Andrew left for Amherst to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts.

At Bailey Ranch, the 7th grade was giving a Christmas play entitled, "The Widow Malone's Insurance." In the cast were Carl Stevens, Lois Russell, Pearl Faught, L. D. Mund, Marjorie Parks, W. C. Parks, J. T. Kerr, Jack Meador, Louis Kerr and John Edwin Rodgers.

On Dec. 22, Elton D. Spencer and Miss Mildred Lynn McKee were married at Miles.

Estelle Johnson was announced on the honor roll at San Marcos Academy.

Community Watch Night service was to be held at the Baptist church on New Year's Eve to officially bid farewell to that year, 1929, now gone for four decades.

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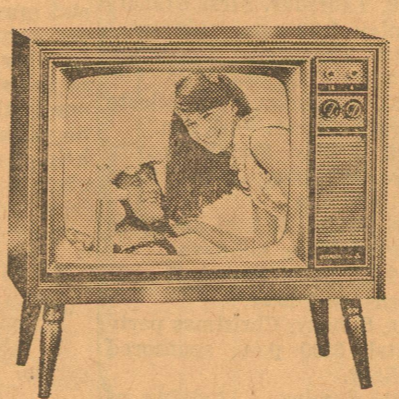
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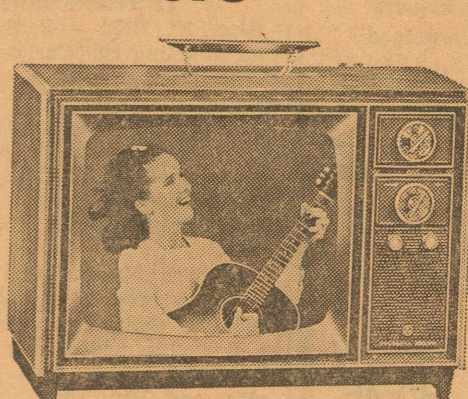
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In Those Days

Compiled From Success Files

ONE YEAR AGO
Dec. 19, 1968—The Chamber of Commerce Christmas parade was held and Elaine Dempsey was crowned Queen.

"The Night The Angels Sang" was Christmas cantata being presented under direction of Mrs. Robert L. McWhorter.

John Copeland was being assigned here as highway patrolman.

FIVE YEARS AGO
Dec. 17, 1964—James Alderman went to work as bookkeeper at Eldorado Wool Co.

Open house was held at the First National Bank, and the new drive-in window was in use.

The local gin reported 972 bales. Howard Derrick was elected 2nd vice president of the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers Association.

Mrs. Emily Estelle King died in San Angelo at age 71 and was buried there.

Norris Sauer was president of the Junior F.F.A.

Fred Watson presided at the final pre-holiday meeting of the Lions Club.

The name of the late Payne Robinson of Eldorado was entered in Baylor University's Athletic Hall of Fame, in a banquet held Dec. 12th in Waco.

William F. Edmiston was getting ready to exhibit in the National Western Stock Show in Denver.

12 YEARS AGO
Dec. 19, 1957—Paul Goodwin was directing the Christmas musical program at the First Baptist church.

Clarence H. Wright was moving here from Robstown to be manager of the Chamber of Commerce.

Solon Boothe was on the job hauling trash for the City of Eldorado.

Northern Natural Gas Co. was moving a crew of men here to work at their compressor plant in Reynolds which was nearing completion.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Chrestman were spending Christmas in Taft with the Marshall Chrestman family.

A son, Michael James, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Sears. Tom Henderson was recovering in Hudspeth hospital from surgery.

35 YEARS AGO
Dec. 21, 1934—Roy N. Suther moved here from Rule to be new manager of Lone Star Theatre.

Bro. C. T. George and wife and small daughter, returned missionaries from Africa, were to present a program at the First Baptist church.

The City Council and West Texas Utilities announced that the street lights would be turned on here during the Christmas holiday time.

Miss Marvel Ford, home economics teacher, announced Jan. 3th as date for a style show to be staged here by her girls.

Bessie Yarbrough and J. C. Doyle were married, with Rev. J. L. Ratliff officiating.

Miss Minnie Logan and Harley M. Skinner were married.

Gene Koy had an account of his trip to Chicago as winner of the Santa Fe Award for Sheep Feeding.

John I. Jones, Jack Meador, and David DeLong of A&M were here for the Christmas holidays.

Merchants with Christmas greeting ads included: Wheeler Grocery, Wright's Store, Sample's Dairy, Eldorado Motor Co., Wm. Cameron & Co., Luckett's Bakery, Jones Motor Co., Cash Service Station, West Texas Lumber Co., Palace Theatre, Lone Star Theatre, Williams' Man's Shop, A. J. Burk Feed Co., The Ratliff Store, First National Bank, Royster's, Jimmie West's Rock Station, and the Hoover Drug Store.

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BACK FROM VISIT TO ATLANTA

Mrs. James Williams returned from Atlanta, Georgia last Saturday after a ten-day visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Stewart Wiegand and their family.

While she was there the Wiegands attended a Medical Convention in Miami, Florida, where Dr. Wiegand, a dermatologist, presented three papers which he had prepared on that subject. Mrs. Williams baby-sat with their three children while they were away.

Home Demonstration Agent's Column

There is such a thing as getting carried away with Christmas activities. It is something to watch. I know.

Joe and I spent Saturday doing something we dearly love to do. We wrote Christmas cards. Only ours are not cards. They are notes and sometimes letters of several pages. At this stage of the game we have friends and family like everyone else today scattered all over th Zip Code directory. Each Christmas we try to capsule a year on the back of one small card. Actually I think that nowadays that communications are being carried on more frequently; it was just 3 or 4 months ago it seems to me that we did this very same thing.

Anyway when we send someone a message we think about that person or that family. We speculate about how many grandchildren this couple has or whether we would know Jerry Donovan if we sat down next to him on a bus in Chicago. We recall happy hours spent years ago and sometimes recently, with every name on our list. We made up poems and verses for some and in general just had ourselves a "Merry Christmas" remembering those not near but far away and dear to us.

Now after several hours of this kind of emotional concentration one can get just a little worn out. It's fun but slightly depleting. Along about sundown I said, "I think I've about had it; let's finish these tomorrow."

Joe is more tenacious than I am and countered by urging me to do just "a few more."

Finally I said, "That does it. I have ruined a card, I've addressed this to Mrs. Elizabeth Texas. I am finished."

Joe roared, saying, "OK for me too. I've just signed one Mary and Fred."

It is just as I said—watch it.

Community Calendar

Dec. 18, Thursday. DAR meets.
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Dec. 18, Thursday. Duplicate bridge session starts 7:00 p.m.

Dec. 19, Friday. Social Security man here at Court House, from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m.

Dec. 19, Friday. School dismisses 2:30 p.m. for Xmas holidays.

Dec. 19-20. Local basketball girls host tournament here.

Dec. 21, Sunday. Christmas party at hospital, 3:00 p.m., sponsored by Auxiliary.

Dec. 21, Sunday. Judging of decorating contest entries.

Dec. 30, Tuesday. Invitational Snowflake Ball, Memorial Bldg.

Jan. 5, Monday. School resumes following holidays.

Jan. 7, Wednesday. Lions Club meets 12:05. Memorial Building.

Jan. 8, Thursday. Bank shareholders' meeting, 3:00 p.m. at bank.



As I am still confined in bed, it's impossible for us to send Christmas cards.

We want to thank every one who has been so wonderful to us thru it all, and we appreciate it so much.

Merry Christmas to you all and a Happy Healthy New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Crosby *

Greetings

Eldorado's best people in the world: Merry Christmas and a Joyous New Year.

While we celebrate the Birth of the Babe of Bethlehem, let us remember to honor the Christ of Calvary by a closer walk, keeping His Spirit in our hearts Always.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ramsay.

ELDORADO LODGE

No. 890 — A. F. & A. M. Stated meeting 2nd Thursday in each month, at 7:00 p. m. from Oct. 1 to April 1, and at 8:00 from April 1 to October 1. Visiting brethren welcome.

We all like the quick, the new and the instant but away back in our mind, we like the old fashioned ways and recipes too. This came from an old, old cookbook and you might want to try your hand with an old fashioned and delicious candy.

Nut Rolls

- 2½ cups sugar
- 1 cup evaporated milk
- 1½ cups chopped dates
- 1½ cups chopped pecans.

Blend sugar and milk; cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, to soft ball stage (234 F.). Add dates and cook again to soft ball stage; continue stirring to blend dates. Stir in pecans and cool. Pour mixture into buttered pan and knead until creamy and mixture becomes firm. Shape into 4 rolls. Wrap separately in waxed paper or aluminum foil. Place in refrigerator to chill.

Caramel Coating For Rolls

- 1 cup sugar
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 1 cup light corn syrup
- ¼ cup butter
- ¾ cup evaporated milk
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 2 cups pecan halves.

Cook sugar, salt and svrup to firm ball stage (245 F.). Stir occasionally. Use brisk heat but do not scorch. Add butter and milk slowly so that mixture does not stop boiling. Reduce heat and cook mixture to firm ball stage once again. Stir occasionally, mixture is easily burned about now. The total cooking time will take from 15 to 20 minutes. Add vanilla last and let caramel stand until mixture stops bubbling. Dip chilled Nut Rolls in Caramel mixture and coat well. Roll at once in pecan halves which have been spread on a sheet of foil.

This makes about 1 pound of candy, enough to coat the 4 rolls. When firm and not sticky, slice to serve.
My note—
Caution: Do not make this candy at night.

Why? Because you are too tired that's way. Who wants to use a lot of good pecans, dates, butter, milk and sugar on a failure? Unless you are alert, you could have just that.

Thinking about Christmas and the children; let them not just sit there and watch you but let them DO something. Think back, what do you remember of childhood Christmases? Do you remember what someone told you or what you did? What you did, I'm sure. So let them help decorate, help wrap gifts and help cook. Surely we are not such perfectionists or so sophisticated in our standards that a few childlike touches will spoil any grand effect.

Children love this popcorn cake and grownups like it too. It's simple enough to make. Get things together and make one now. Watch as the svrup boils because a little one could get jolted or tilted and be burned before anyone could help. So far it's the only tricky place I see in the whole proceedings.

Pop Corn Cake

- 1 cup sugar
- 1 cup white corn syrup
- ½ cup water
- 2 tablespoons butter or margarine.

Combine and cook over medium heat stirring constantly until sugar is dissolved. Cook to soft ball stage at 240 F. Add a few drops of food coloring if desired.

Filling. Have mixed first about 6 cups of popped corn, 1 cup colored small gumdrops (no black ones), 1 cup shelled pecans, and ½ cup candied pineapple or cherries (optional).

Mix popped corn, gumdrops, nuts and candied fruit in large mixing bowl. Pour svrup over this mixture. Stir until each grain of corn is coated. Press into well greased 10-inch tube cake pan. Unmold immediately on greased platter. When firm and cold cut into slices for servings. To make job easier dip knife each time in very hot water.

No cooking here for this one—

Chocolate Peanut Butter Fudge

- 1 cup peanut butter
- 1 cup white corn syrup
- ½ cup cocoa.

Blend these 3 together in large mixing bowl.
Add all at one to svrup mixture:
1½ cup dry milk
1½ cup sifted powdered sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
¼ teaspoon salt.

Blend peanut butter, cocoa, salt, and svrup pas directed. Add milk, sugar and vanilla. Mix first with spoon and then use hands to thoroughly mix in dry ingredients. If necessary turn onto board and continue mixing until smooth. Shape rolls which may be sliced, or pack ½-inch thick in greased pan. Cut in squares. Top with pecans or chopped peanuts. Makes 2 pounds.

Not a bit of danger in the whole operation. Maybe a little messy, but a few newspapers spread under the table will catch all the little stir-overs and after all, what do they amount to anyway? Nothing.

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Merry Christmas



On the anniversary of the coming of Him whose teachings of Peace are ever in our hearts, may we add our sincere good wishes to the people of this community. May you enjoy this Holy Season, and may its true significance remain with you and yours in the days to come.

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Season's Greetings
May each moment of Christmas ring with joy for you and your family.

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DEAR FRIENDS:

This message is warm with friendliness and filled with good wishes for your Christmas Holiday Season.

Again, we feel that we cannot send cards to all our friends and have to send our greetings this way. Whatever else is lost with the years, whatever else changes, Christmas remains a time of happily remembering treasured friends.

May the Peace and Happiness of the Christmas Season abide with you through all the coming year, is our prayer. — Sincerely,

Miss John Alexander
Mrs. Essa A. Hoover

Merry Christmas

AND BEST WISHES FOR A PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR FROM YOUR TOP PACKAGE STORE

ON SCHREINER HONOR ROLL

More than 80 Schreiner students were named to the honor roll or received honorable mention for the second six weeks grading period according to Kelly Hildebrand, academic dean.

The list includes Mickey Ray Pennington of Eldorado. Mickey expects to spend the holidays in Eldorado and will undergo dental surgery.

Oil News

Tucker Drilling Co., Inc., San Angelo, will drill the No. 1-C Thad A. Thomson Jr., et al., a 7,000-foot rotary wildcat in Schleicher county, six miles south and slightly east of Eldorado, 2 1/4 miles southwest of the one-well Flying Anchor (Wolfcamp gas) field and 5 1/4 miles southeast of Canyon gas production in the Eldorado (Canyon gas and Wolfcamp oil) field.

Location, on a 640-acre lease, is 660 feet from the south and 1,223 feet from the east lines of 42-A-HE&WT, Abst. 854.

Confirmer Set

Tucker Drilling Co., Inc., and Peter Henderson, New York City, will drill the No. 1 E. L. Dyer as a 1/2-mile north outcrop to No. 1 John E. Dyer, opener and lone producer in the Eldorado, East (Canyon sand gas) field of Schleicher county, 1 1/2 miles east-southeast of Eldorado.

Location, on a 160-acre lease, is 1,980 feet from the north and 990 feet from the west lines of 20-A-HE&WT. Contract depth is 6,300 feet with rotary; ground elevation, 2,438 feet.

The discovery was finalized June 26 for a calculated, absolute open flow of 5.1 million cubic feet of gas daily, with gas-liquid ratio of 200,000-1, through perforations at 5,988-6,038 feet. Slated as a 6,900-foot Strawn wildcat, it was drilled to 6,800 feet and plugged back to 6,500 feet.

1ST GRADE CHRISTMAS PLAY

Mrs. Newport's first grade class will present a Christmas play in the high school auditorium. The program will be on Thursday, December 18th, at 1:30 p.m.

IN HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Andrews were admitted to Eldorado hospital last week. Mr. Andrews was reported Wednesday noon of this week to be making gradual improvement.

—ADDING MACHINE PAPER, roll 35c at The Success Office.

Library News

The newest guild books are Ambassador's Journal, by Galbraith and The French Lieutenant's Woman by Bowles.

New children's books are: Simon's Song and One Dark Night.

The Glad Season by Sitts was given in memory of Tom Mather and Another Hand On Mine by Petersen was given in memory of Ena Callentine. Mias Amigas placed the two named above in the library as memorials.

We received the newest Texas Almanac this week compliments of West Texas Utilities; we appreciate this very much.

Do you have a stereo? The library has a number of Christmas records. Come and make a selection of records so you may enjoy these during the holidays.



Austin, Tex.—Even though the State of Texas has been given a year's reprieve by the federal government, and the new meat plant inspection law will not become effective here until Dec. 15, 1970, State Department of Health inspectors are making visits to all plants which process meat and poultry.

Since October, they have contacted 2,200 plants, including locker plants. Report is that only 916 of those had ever seen a health inspector before.

Each plant operator is advised of the basic cleanliness standards which must be met before a meat plant even can be inspected. Rules range from "keeping all pets and loose livestock out of the plant" to "remove all insecticides, pesticides or rodenticides" from the areas in which food products are stored, processed or retained.

Next year, the processing plants will have to pass inspections or be closed. So far, no plant has been put out of business, but some have folded up voluntarily when they saw the sanitary requirements they

will have to meet.

So, if your favorite locker plant operator told you he couldn't process your deer this year because of the State Health Department, he was wrong. But he may be right in the future.

Louisiana Boundary Disputed

Texas Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin has filed suit in federal court against the State of Louisiana in a boundary dispute.

Question is where the Texas-Louisiana border is physically located on Sabine Lake and River, as well as Sabine Pass, from the Gulf to 32nd degree North longitude.

Louisiana claimed the whole Sabine—meaning all the oil royalties—while Texas claims the boundary is in the middle of the lake. Texas would gain perhaps \$2 million in royalties if it wins the suit.

Voter Registrations

Nueces, Wichita and El Paso counties presently have about the lowest voter registration figures among major Texas counties.

A survey on Dec. 4 of voter registration for 1970, compared with 1968, showed that Harris county already has re-registered 400,000 of its 590,000—or 69%.

By contrast Nueces county had registered 10%, El Paso 25% and Wichita about 5%.

State law permits county tax assessor-collectors to mail out post-cards which the previous year's registrants can sign and mail back to re-register.

Most major counties are following this permissive procedure. As a result, the big city counties of Harris, Dallas, Tarrant and Bexar have high percentages of their voters ready to vote in 1970. But counties where local officials do not choose to do so have re-registered only a few. Registration deadline is Jan. 31.

Loan Bonds Sold

Student loan bonds totaling \$15 million were sold at 6.2510% interest to Harris Trust and Savings Bank and Associates of Chicago. Total interest on the bonds, over a 25-year period, will run to more than \$16.5 million.

Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System, is mulling a proposal to require co-signers on student-loan applications to assure better paybacks.

Board approved petition for junior college election in Wilbarger county (Vernon) but rejected similar appeals for junior college votes in Yoakum county (on Texas-New Mexico line) and Hardeman county (Quanah).

Attorney General Speaks

A trial court is not authorized to commit a criminally-accused person to a state mental hospital for examination with the consent of the hospital head, Atty. Gen. Martin said in a recent opinion.

In other new opinions, Martin concluded that:

—A Texas Tech University professor is eligible to serve on Texas Air Control Board and draw \$25 a day travel pay.

—A school bus driver who fails to see that his vehicle is properly marked with eight-inch letters can be fined up to \$200 and jailed up to 90 days.

—A \$40,000 annual appropriation to Texas Fine Arts Commission can be spent in sharing costs of cultural programs in communities and neighborhoods over state.

—Law directing Houston to operate harbor fire boats and to enforce fire regulations on waterways and turning basins is unconstitutional.

—County commissioners can make administrative, but not final judicial, determination as to whether a road is a county road or has been abandoned.

—Earmarked public welfare appropriation can be used for aid to state graduate schools of social work—for programs offered all students.

—New law does not eliminate common law defenses against injury suits for counties which have not taken steps to subscribe to workmen's compensation insurance.

—Atty. Gen. Martin ruled that the Texas Fine Arts Commission may spend money to encourage cultural programs in small communities.

Short Shorts . . .

Gov. Smith says he does not intend to call a special election in Bexar county to fill the Senate seat left by the late Sen. V. E. (Red) Berry, since no special legislative session is expected.

Speaker Gus Mutscher has requested the Texas Legislative Council to undertake a study of the use of DDT and other persistent pesticides in Texas.

Texas Water Rights Commission has opened offices in Laredo and Eagle Pass to help persons using water from the Middle Rio Grande file their claims in the first procedure for adjudication under the new Water Rights Adjudication Act.

Plant Of Peace Is Mistletoe

The hanging of mistletoe at Christmas is an English custom which goes back to the Druid beliefs. This plant was thought to bring good luck, and was so sacred that if enemies met beneath the mistletoe in the forest, they would lay down their arms, exchange greetings, and keep a truce until the next day.

From this custom grew the practice of hanging the "plant of peace" over a doorway at Christmas as a symbol of good will to all comers. A kiss under the mistletoe was a declaration of love and a promise of marriage, and an engagement announced in this way was thought to bring happiness, good fortune and long life to lovers.

There is one good thing about winter — he brings Christmas. Through the bleak December the thought of the coming festivities is pleasant — like the reflection of a fire on our faces. We taste the cake before it is baked, and when it is actually before us we find that it is none the worse for the fond handling of imagination.



Merry-makings from the tiny kingdom of Denmark capture the spirit of the Christmas season. The holidays there, as here, are a time of hospitality of easy informality. The traditional Danish cold table (smorgasbord) is a perfect way to adapt to a friendly, festive open house. Collect boughs of fragrant evergreen, symbol of life, to place around the table. Light four white candles, representing the four Sundays of Advent. Freeze a bottle of aquavit, the popular Danish drink, for tingling toasts. And offer your guests a yearly Yule ham, accompanied by such buffet favorites as shrimp salad, spiced veal roll, assorted cheese, and a country liver pate that can be served warm, as the Danes prefer, or cold with pickled beets. A marzipan-cookie cornucopia makes a spectacular centerpiece, spilling over with almonds, chocolate truffles, and honey cakes that have mellowed a fortnight.

THE Christmas STORY

Now it came to pass in those days, that a decree went forth from Caesar Augustus that a census of the whole world should be taken. This first census took place while Cyrenus was governor of Syria. And all were going, each to his own town, to register.

And Joseph also went from Galilee out of the town of Nazareth into Judea to the town of David, which is called Bethlehem, being of the family and house of David, to register together with Mary his espoused wife who was with child.

And it came to pass while they were there, that the days for her to be delivered were fulfilled. And she brought forth her firstborn son, wrapped him in swaddling clothes and laid him in a manger because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were shepherds in the same district living in the fields and keeping watch over their flock by night. And behold, an angel of the Lord stood by them and the glory of God shone about them and they feared exceedingly.

And the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy which shall be to all the people, for today, in the town of David, a Savior has been born to you who is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign to you; you will find an infant wrapped in swaddling clothes and lying in a manger." And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace among men of good will."

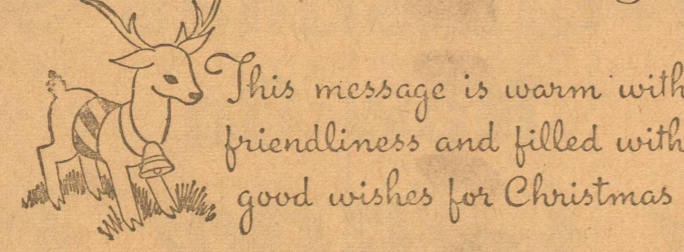
And it came to pass when the angels had departed from them into heaven, that the shepherds were saying to one another, "Let us go over to Bethlehem and see this thing that has come to pass which the Lord has made known to us."

So they went with haste, and they found Mary and Joseph and the babe lying in the manger. And when they had seen, they understood what had been told them concerning this child. And all who heard marvelled at the things told them by the shepherds. But Mary kept in mind all these things, pondering them in her heart. And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all that they had heard and seen, even as it was spoken to them.

ACCORDING TO SAINT LUKE 2:1-20

It is our hope that the true spirit of Christmas abides with one and all this coming Holiday Season.

Christmas Greetings



Please Notice: CITY HALL WILL BE CLOSED ON WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, & FRIDAY DECEMBER 24, 25, & 26

Please take care of any immediate business you may have at City Hall office no later than 5:00 p.m. Tuesday in order that these days closed will not inconvenience you. Also Closed Jan. 1

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Men 19-25 Affected By Random Draft Call

Sonora.—At the Draft Board meeting held Dec. 9, only 56 files were reviewed and reclassified as follows: 14 were classified in Class I-A; 7 classified I-Y; 2 classified I-C Ind.; 1 classified I-C Enl.; 3 classified I-D; 8 classified I-S(H); 11 classified I-S; 3 classified III-A; 1 classified IV-A; and 6 classified V-A.

The President approved Executive Order No. 11497 on Nov. 26, 1969, which establishes a random selection procedure under the Military Selective Service Act of 1967, as amended. This procedure applies to the sequence of selection of registrants to fill calls for the Armed Services commencing with the anuary, 1970 call. The regular functions of registration and classification are NOT affected. Only registrants 19 through 25 years of age and born prior to Jan. 1, 1951 are affected in the 1970 random selection procedure.

The board members present at the meeting were: K. Cowsert, Claud M. Erwin, James H. Marks, Jose S. Lopez, and J. F. Oglesby, Jr. —Frances Grobe, clerk.

School Menus

(All meals served with hot rolls and milk.)

Thursday, Dec. 18: Baked turkey & dressing, giblet gravy, baked sweet potato casserole, whole cranberry sauce, waldorf salad, green beans, pumpkin pie, whip cream.

Friday, Dec. 19: Beef and vegetable stew, cheese halves, peach halves, lettuce & pineapple salad, sugar cookies.

Monday, Jan. 5: Steamed sausage, pinto beans, potato salad, tossed green salad, canned fruit.

Tuesday, Jan. 6: Swiss steak, creamed potatoes, green beans, carrot & apple & pineapple salad, pudding.

Wed., Jan. 7: Barbecued wieners, chili with/without beans, cole slaw, fresh fruit cup, cornbread, peanut butter cookies.

Thursday, Jan. 8: Roast beef and gravy, buttered rice, okra-tomato gumbo, buttered carrots, fruit cobbler.

Friday, Jan. 9: Pork chops, baked sweet potato, cream style corn, lime jello salad with fruit, rice crispie cookie.

Former Eldoradoans Have Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Ramsey of 2626 Princeton, San Angelo, observed their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Koschak Jr., who live at 2505 Jann in San Angelo. Also assisting in the celebration was Mr. Ramsey's brother, Herrin J. Ramsey.

The Ramseys were married Dec. 24, 1919 in the bride's home in Smithville, Okla., and moved to Eldorado. He was a ranchman in Eldorado, Fort Stockton, Toyah and Sanderson from 1939 until 1955, when they moved to San Angelo.

They lived in Angelo until 1959 when they returned to Fort Stockton and managed a motel until 1962, and then returned to San Angelo. From 1932 until 1939, Ramsey was inspector for Regional Agriculture Credit Corp., Texas Production and Federal Reserve Credit Corp.

They are members of First United Methodist Church, and have three grandchildren.

Mrs. Hartgraves Hosts Reynolds H. D. Club

The spacious new home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hartgraves was the scene of the Fifteenth Annual Christmas Party for the Reynolds Home Demonstration Club.

The antique dining table was graced with a lovely red table cloth, milk glass, holly, red candle, and laden with Christmas goodies.

The Holiday decorations throughout the house, the crackling of the fire, the smell of burning wood in the fire place, and the chatter of visiting neighbors made for a most enjoyable afternoon.

Games were placed and gifts were exchanged of which most part were hand-made.

Those present were Mrs. Milton Faught, Mrs. W. V. Lux, Mrs. Otto Sauer, Mrs. Henry Moore, Mrs. B. J. Reynolds, Mrs. Jack Wade, Mrs. L. Moore, Mrs. Ray Bruton, Mrs. Perry Mittel, Mrs. Leonard Wilson, Mrs. Leonard Lloyd, Mrs. H. A. Belk, Mrs. Joe Kreklow, and our most gracious hostess, Mrs. B. F. Hartgraves.

Indeed, it was an afternoon of visiting and feasting long to be remembered! —Rep.

CLARKS MOVE HERE

After living in South Carolina for several months while completing an Army hitch, Mr. and Mrs. Tony A. Clark are back in this county to make their home, and he is working for Mary Davis Coupe.

Clark was discharged Nov. 26 with the rank of Sergeant. He also served in Viet Nam.

SALES PADS for sale at the Success office.

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year

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Last Chance to Register for Prizes to be Given Away Tuesday, December 23 at 3:00 p. m.

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- ONE LARGE DRESSED TURKEY TOM
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NOTHING TO BUY—All you have to do is come by and register at our store. You do not have to be present at the drawing to win.

Season's GREETINGS

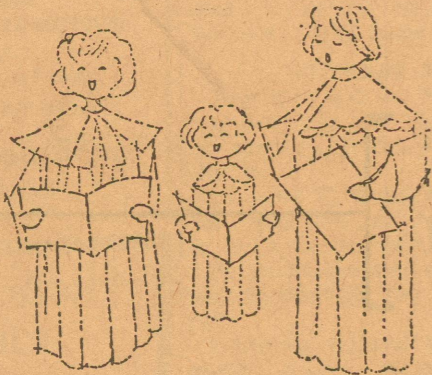
We'd like to take a moment of the season to tell you how much we've enjoyed knowing you and serving you this past year. Our special and sincere Yuletide wishes to you and your entire family.

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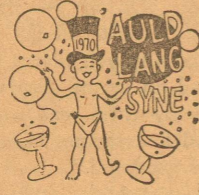
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Oil News

Wildcat Tested

Hanson & Allen, Inc., set 5½-inch casing at 6,087 feet, 13 feet off bottom, for tests in No. 1 Tisdale, section 28, block M, GH&SA survey, a Schleicher County wildcat 11 miles northeast of Eldorado and one location northeast of the depleted discovery of the South REG Strawn pool.

A drillstem test at 5,981 to 6,022 feet surfaced gas in 10 minutes and returned 200 feet of oil-cut mud, 540 feet of gas-cut mud and 2,512 feet of salt water. Earlier, a drillstem test at 5,293 to 5,301 feet surfaced gas and returned oil, oil-cut mud and a little salt water.

MRS. PELT MOVES HERE

After living for a number of years in Edinburg, Mrs. J. S. Pelt has moved here to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. McWhorter. She will live in the garage apartment which adjoins the McWhorter house.

Mrs. Pelt is in her 90's.



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S. C. Engdahl & Family



COUNTY AGENT'S COLUMN

by Tiny Godwin

Schleicher County Agricultural Agent

Christmas means many things to many people, but to most it means a time when thoughts are turned to the birth of Jesus Christ—to Family—and to friends.

It is a day when millions turn thoughts to the Source of all that is good—and be reminded of the truly important things of life.

May the real meaning of Christmas—and the Blessings of Christ—be with you and your families and bring you happiness the year 'round.

There isn't much doubt that winter weather is here. And, it is time to prepare for the colder days ahead.

It is a matter of record that when outside temperatures drop, indoor fire dangers rise. The home heating system is often a danger spot.

A thorough check of the heating system should be made even though it may have already been in operation. When it is pushed hard in cold weather, any weakness in the equipment or installation may show up with possible disastrous results.

Clean furnaces and heaters at regular intervals and keep combustibles away from them.

Do not place portable heaters in halls, doorways or other spots which might block escape. Be sure heaters are away from curtains, clothes racks and other combustibles. Remember, all heaters that

burn gas, oil, wood or coal must be vented to be entirely safe.

While you are checking heating equipment, the fire extinguishers should also get attention. Be sure they are ready for use in case they should be needed.

They err who think Santa Claus comes down the chimney. He really enters through the heart.

Are all beef carcasses the same? The answer is an emphatic no. Differences of 30-50 dollars between two carcasses of the same weight are not uncommon. A 1% increase in the amount of edible meat from the chuck, loin, rib and round will make a difference of \$2 per hundredweight of carcass value.

Bull Quality Important.—Reproductive efficiency later on will be the direct result of the stockman's choice of herd sires during the fall buying season. J. R. Beverly, Extension animal reproduction specialist, says all bulls should be evaluated for their breeding capabilities before the beginning of the breeding season. The evaluation should include a careful appraisal of semen quality as well as a check for physical defects. Calf crop percentages can be materially raised through the use of evaluated bulls.

Poinsettia Care.—Being subject to cold damage, poinsettias should be placed away from drafts and opening doors to prevent sudden temperature changes. Drafts from circulating air furnaces are especially harmful. The favorite Christmas flower needs only enough moisture to prevent drying and shedding of its leaves. After watering, any water left remaining in the tray beneath the pot should be emptied. Too much water damages its roots and shortens its life.

Methodist Notes

This past Sunday night, the Christmas tree with Santa Claus distributing gifts was held at the church, and the Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Palmos and family were presented gifts from the congregation.

Also the annual offering for the Methodist children's home at Waco was received.

A reception followed in the educational building at which refreshments were served.

This coming Sunday night, the Carols and Candles service will start at 7:00 p.m. in the sanctuary followed by a reception and get-together in the parsonage. The usual morning services will be held.

ENGDAHL BUYS HOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Engdahl moved during the week end to the Jimmy Harris house in southeast Eldorado. They purchased it recently and have done some painting and other minor repairs before moving in.

The house was built shortly after World War II by the late Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Clark.

Mr. Engdahl operates a garage here and Mrs. Engdahl works at the drug store.

LOOK IN YOUR



Christmas Shoppers who went over board on gifts last year and want to cut down on expenses can find some answers at their local 5 and 10 cent store.

For less than \$5 you can come across scores of little items that could be ideal presents. The notions counter of department stores are another source of gift possibilities.

For Dad you can get an imitation—leather tobacco pouch, a date book or a sterling silver key chain.

Mother might like a set of terry-cloth aprons, dish towel and potholder or an attractive metal recipe box. These items range from 69 cents to \$3.

For teen age girls there are such things as bobby-pin boxes, hair teasing brushes, nail polish, lipstick, hair ribbons and bows and headbands. You'll see many suitable gifts, just look around.

How about the miniature scale cars and model trucks or one of many games for the boys on your list?

There are counters full of things for babies, for little girls and even for the family pet.

Bag A Pretty Gift

Cellophane or plastic bags, which come in assorted sizes, make good see-through wrappings for difficult packages or for gifts that won't fit into boxes. Insert the item into the bag and gather the bag at the top into a rosette. Tie with tinsel or ribbon and decorate.



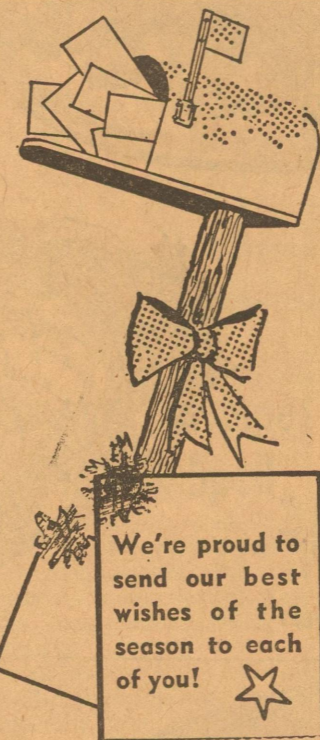
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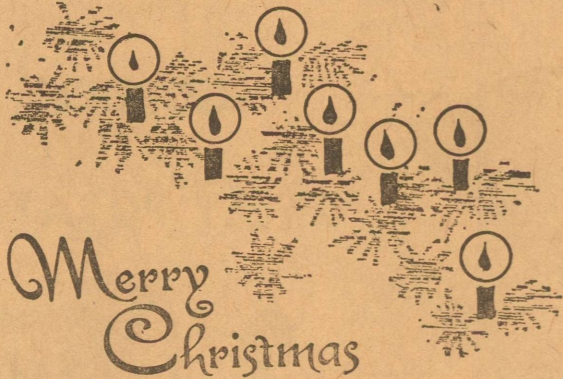
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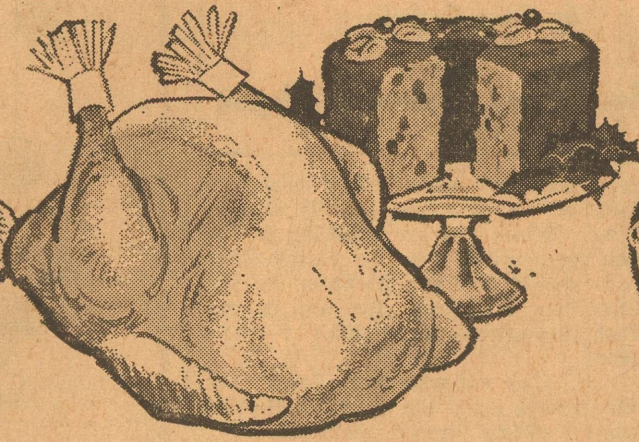
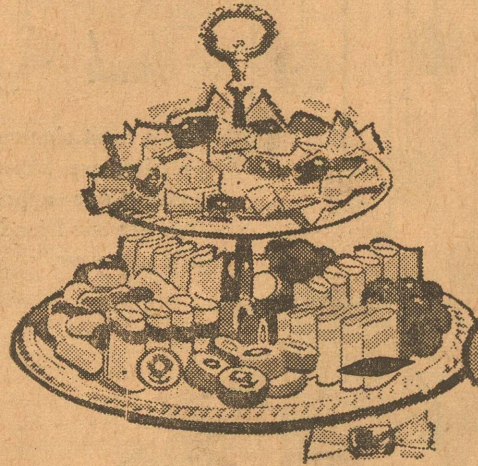
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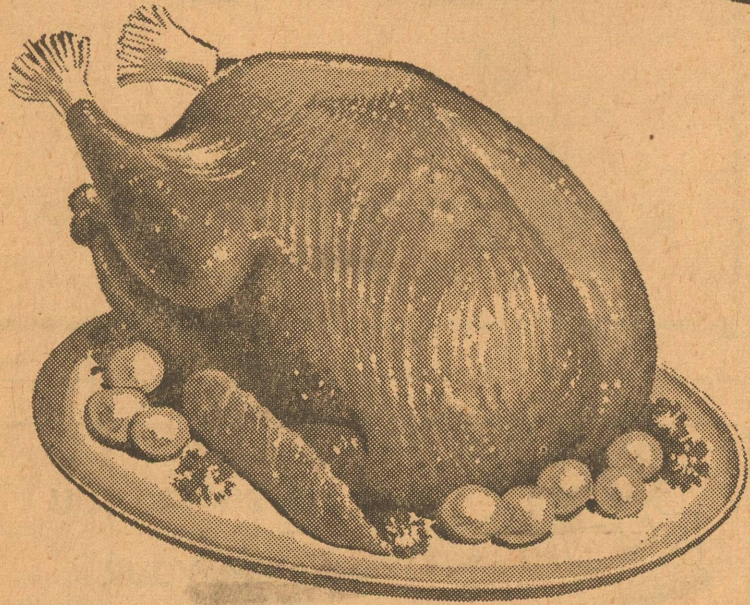
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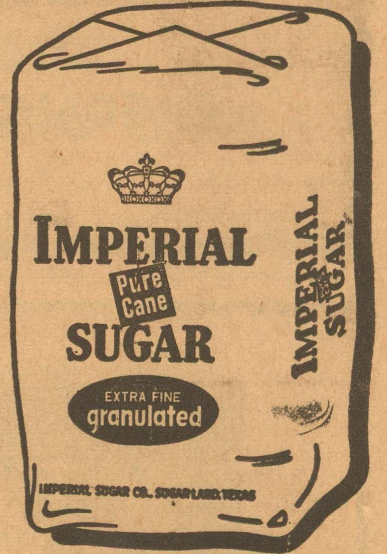
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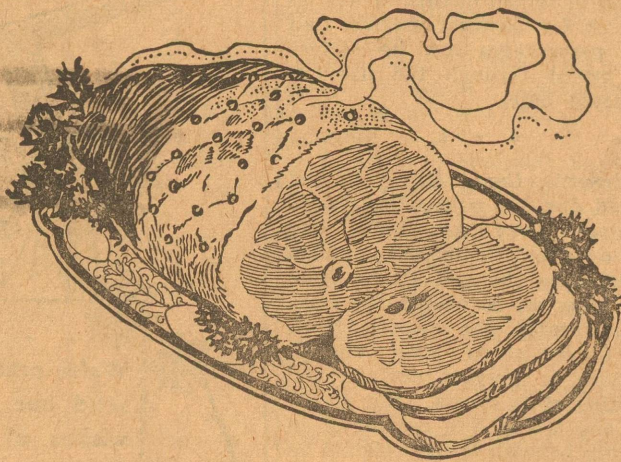


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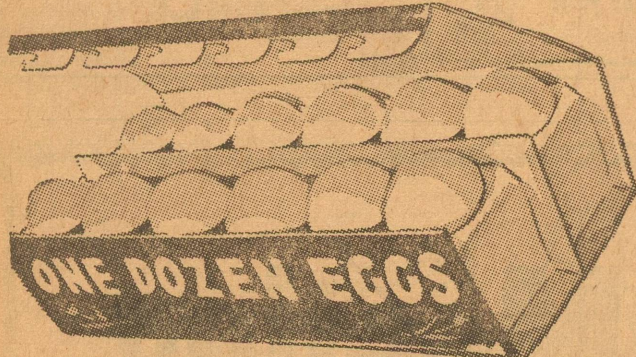


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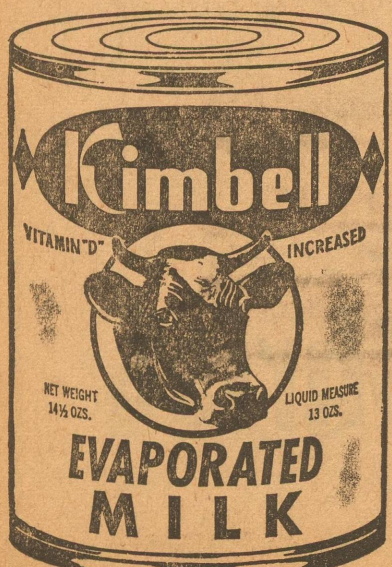
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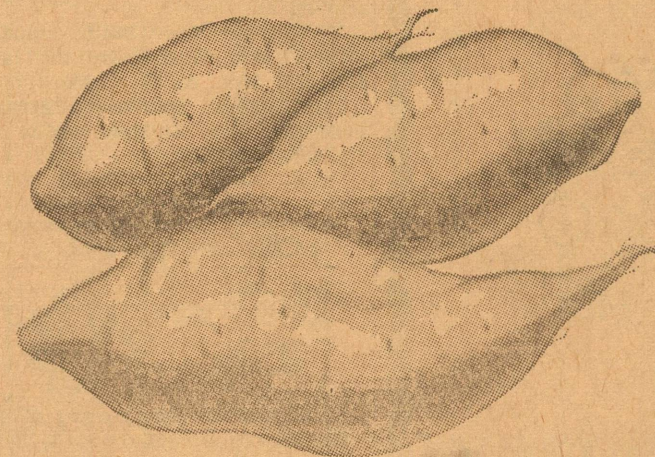
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