

JAN. 14-15-16

County Stock Show Dates Scheduled

The Lamb County Annual Junior Livestock Show will be held at the County Show Barns, January 14, 15 and 16. All Lamb County 4-H, FFA and FHA members residing or attending schools in Lamb County as of Jan. 1, 1971 will be eligible to participate providing they have owned their animals long enough. Steers must be owned by entrants since Sept. 15, 1970, and lambs and barrows have to be owned by the participants 60 days before the date of the show. Advance entries must be in by Monday, prior to the show, accompanied by entry fees of \$3 per steer and \$1.75 for each lamb and barrow.

B. Wheeler, Olton; J. W. Dear, Springlake; and S. A. Farmer, Littlefield. Swine superintendent is Tooley, assisted by Maxwell, Carr, Royce Collins, Olton; and Dear. Parmer is sheep superintendent, assisted by Bridges, Nick Nicholson, Amherst; Archie May of Olton and Bill Pittillo, Olton. Walden is steer superintendent, assisted by James Cook of Littlefield; Fred Long of Olton; Don Carter, Amherst; Wheeler, and Templeton.

Vandalism Hits Six Businesses

About \$1,500 worth of plate glass windows were knocked out of six businesses here late Tuesday night or early Wednesday morning and city police are now investigating the incidents. The Texaco station on Highway 84 and 385 reported that a large plate glass window had been broken on the east side of their building. Purdy's Machine Shop reported a north plate glass had been broken in their building. Armes Chevrolet had a plate glass broken on the north side. A beer bottle was thrown through a west plate glass window at the Dairy Queen. A rock broke out a rear plate glass door at Southwestern Public Service Company. Another rock was thrown through a south plate glass window at Pioneer Natural Gas Co. Police arrested and jailed six teenagers Wednesday morning and later released two of them with no charges. Four of the boys were charged with minor consumption, appeared before Judge Ben Noble, were fined and released Wednesday morning.

MAN WOUNDED IN SHOOTING

A Littlefield Negro man, Willie Bell, was in the intensive care unit of the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock at press time Tuesday, and was given a 50-50 chance of survival from a gunshot wound inflicted at a cafe in the Negro section late Sunday night. Bob Williard, 33, was released Monday morning on a \$2,000 bond, after being charged with assault with intent to murder in connection with the shooting. Sheriff E. D. McNeese said Bell was shot with a .32 revolver, with one shot entering at the top of the shoulder, going through the stomach and out the right side.

DWI Charge Filed After Area Wreck

A 38-year-old man, Charles Weldon Orr, who lives near Earth, was charged with driving while intoxicated following a head-on collision near Springlake Saturday night. Three persons were seriously injured when the Orr auto and a north-bound car driven by Willie Ray Hood of Earth collided head-on about 9:20 p.m. Saturday.

Hood was taken to the Littlefield Hospital with minor injuries, and his wife, Sandra Hood, 16, and two other passengers, Dorothy Jean Ward, 20, and her three-year-old daughter, Sharon Ward, of Dimmitt, were taken to the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

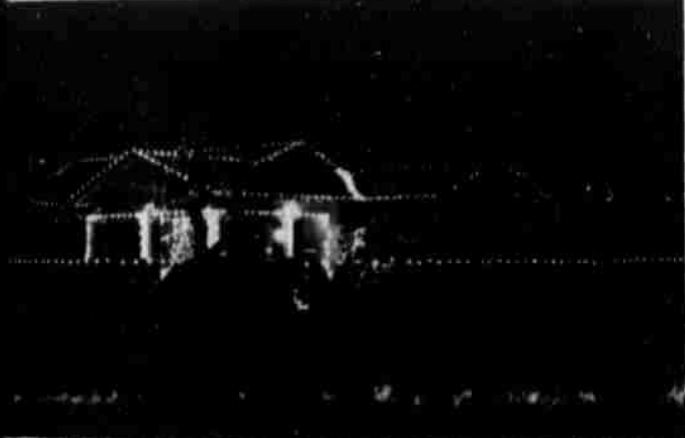
According to Highway Patrolman Bill Angel, Orr was traveling south in a 1962 Ford on U. S. 385 about 12 miles north of Littlefield when he crossed over into the northbound traffic lanes and hit the 1963 Chevrolet driven by Hood. Neither Orr nor Johnnie Wells, a 29-year-old woman from Anton who was a passenger in the Orr car, was injured. Both cars were total losses.



JOE GALINDO JR. walked through his front door last Christmas when he was home on a 30-day leave from Vietnam. This year he came through his door in a wheel chair, home on leave from the veterans' hospital in Dallas. But with faith and determination he plans to come home to his wife and children before long on the new artificial legs he is now learning to use.

LITTLEFIELD CHRISTMAS LIGHTING CONTEST

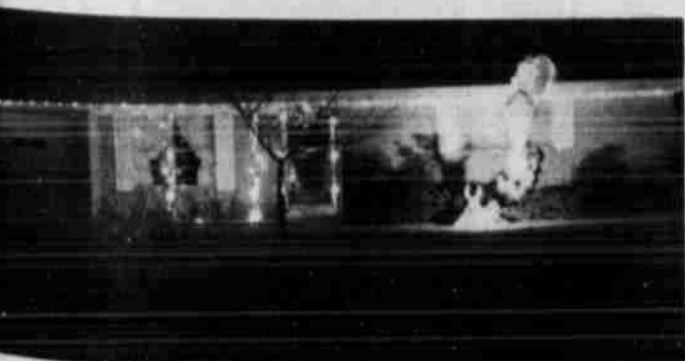
Wilkinson Home Wins



THE CURTIS WILKINSON HOME--1102 Mockingbird Lane, First Place



THE THRASH HOME--1420 Cherry Blossom Drive, Second Place



THE J. B. DAVIS HOME--301 E. 22nd, Third Place



THE MAX KENNEDY HOME--301 E. 20th, Fourth Place

The Curtis Wilkinson home at 1102 Mockingbird Lane was judged the first place winner in Littlefield's Annual Christmas Home Lighting Contest Monday night.

Their young daughter, Sally, entered the home in the contest and will receive the top prize of \$50 from Southwestern Public Service Company for her entry.

The rooftop was outlined in lights, along with shrubbery and flowers around the driveway. A lighted arrangement to the left foreground was a highlight in the decorations and Santa with his illuminated reindeer was another attraction to the right.

Taking second place honors in this year's contest were Cindy and Tommy Thrash, children of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thrash of 1420 Cherry Blossom Drive. They won the \$25 prize being donated by Southwestern Public Service Company.

Lights outlined the yard fence, eaves of the house and limbs of trees in the yard. Seated on the front porch near a fireplace is Santa in his chair, as carols ring throughout the neighborhood from a loud speaker system.

The third place entry was the J.B. Davis home, which took first place honors last year. The Davis home, which features a red lighted rooftop, surrounding shrubbery, indoor Christmas tree, and a radiant Santa Claus in a sleigh being led by a herd of reindeer with Rudolph at the front, takes the \$15 cash prize.

Fourth place winner was six-year-old Ronnie Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Kennedy of 301 East 20th.

WEATHER

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Dec. 16	61	26
Dec. 17	74	38
Dec. 18	69	27
Dec. 19	46	29
Dec. 20	54	35
Dec. 21	57	32
Dec. 22	62	22

DETERMINED DESPITE LOSS OF LEGS

Viet Vet Will Walk Again

By NILAH RODGERS
Leader-News Staff Writer

There are many presents under the Joe Galindo Jr. Christmas tree, but among them there are no shoes or socks for Joe. Joe doesn't have any feet, and both legs end above what used to be his knees.

Last Christmas Army Specialist Jose Galindo Jr. was home on a 30-day leave after serving 11 months in Vietnam. Then he volunteered for another year and returned to the jungle in January. In April of this year Joe's legs were splintered with fragments from a booby-trap mine.

This Christmas Joe is home on leave. His pants legs are neatly folded back over the stumps of his legs, and he gets about in a wheel chair.

Joe is 19 years old. He quit believing in Santa Claus a long time ago. But he still believes. He believes in God and prayer. "I pray every night," he said softly, with a straight forward look in his liquid brown eyes.

Joe believes in the cause he gave his legs for. "It is something we had to do," he said, referring to America being in Vietnam. "Before we went over there, the people there had nothing. Now their economy is better; they have a better way of life. We've helped them."

Joe believes in his future. He is only 19 years old, but he has more than himself to think of. There is his wife, Delia, and their two little Galindos, three-year-old Debbie, and two-year-old Jo Anne.

Joe was a school drop out, but he completed high school while he was in the Army. Aptitude tests taken since he lost his legs show he has a good chance at becoming a lawyer and he plans to enroll in college as a pre law student.

He needs a car with hand controls, and before long he hopes to have a vehicle he can drive.

Above all he wants to walk on legs again. For a while he had hopes that one of his legs could be saved. But he kept his faith through both amputations. Since then a

bone in one leg had to be shortened, and he has had to have skin grafts to get him ready for artificial legs.

Joe was transferred from the veterans' hospital in San Antonio to the Dallas hospital a month ago. Three weeks ago he got his training legs, and until he came home, he walked between parallel bars every day, all day.

After Christmas Joe will go back to Dallas for physical therapy until he masters the use of his training legs. Then he will come home for a 30-day leave, and will get his permanent legs after his furlough. "I plan to do it by March," he said with determination.

"I'm lucky," he said, and for just a second his eyes lowered. "Just to be alive," he added.

With Joe's luck and his prayers, maybe there will be shoes and socks under the Galindo Christmas tree next year.

OFFICES SLATE
CLOSING DATES
The Lamb County Post Office and the Littlefield City Post Office will be closed all day Thursday for the Christmas day and on Jan. 1.
The Littlefield Post Office will be closed for two days, Dec. 24, and on Christmas day and on New Year's day.
The Employment office will be closed Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Dec. 23-25, except for two hours between 1 and 3 p.m. Thursday for unemployment claims.
The Littlefield Post Office will be closed for rural deliveries and mail will be open through Friday, Dec. 25, and again on Saturday, Dec. 27, and again on Sunday, Dec. 28, and again on Monday, Dec. 29, and again on Tuesday, Dec. 30, and again on Wednesday, Dec. 31, and again on Thursday, Jan. 1, 1971.

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VICA Club Has Contest

The VICA Club had a speed-skills contest Tuesday, December 15, in the Auto Mechanics Shop. The contestants were Edwin Culp, Jim Cawthron, Don Hemphill, Rodney Foust, Angel Rodriguez, and Sylvester Davila. The contest included timing a 289 Ford engine and finding material in the Motor Manual. Students were judged on speed and the skills which they exhibited. Sylvester Davila won the contest and an engraved plaque. Edwin Culp placed second. The judges for the contest were Sid Landers and Tom Hollingsworth.

COFFEE-CHOCOLATE
 If you're using prepared chocolate frosting mix, add instant coffee to give a distinctive mocha flavor.

Gayle's Gatherings

By **GAYLE MILLS**
 LEADER-NEWS SOCIETY EDITOR



COLORFUL SALADS add zest to your holiday meals whether it be turkey, ham, baked chicken or duck you will be serving. Lure your guests and family to the table with a taste-tempting salad. These salads can be prepared in advance to allow you to visit with your guests or to do those last-minute Christmas projects.

HERE'S A MOLDED salad recipe with a gay color contrast of seafoam green, accented with colorful delicious apricots.



APRICOT LIME SALAD
 1 can (1 lb.) whole peeled apricots
 1 pkg. (3 oz.) lime flavored gelatin
 1 cup evaporated milk
 2 tablespoons lemon juice
 1 cup creamed cottage cheese
 1/2 cup diced celery
 1/2 cup chopped pecans.
 Drain apricots, saving syrup. Cut apricots in half, discarding pits. Place 6 halves on bottom of a slightly oiled 5-cup ring mold. Cut up remaining halves and set aside. Measure apricot syrup, then add water to make 1 cup liquid. Heat over low heat to boiling. Pour over lime gelatin in a medium size mixing bowl; stir until gelatin is completely dissolved. Cool. Gradually stir evaporated milk into cooled gelatin, then stir in lemon juice. (Mixture may look curdled, but this does not affect finished salad.) Chill until mixture is the consistency of unbeaten egg whites, stirring occasionally to keep smooth. Fold in cottage cheese, celery, pecans and apricot pieces. Spoon mixture carefully over apricots in ring mold.

Chill until set, 3 to 4 hours. Makes 8 servings.
"MOLDED AMBROSIA" is a tasty salad that is sure to entice everyone to the Christmas dinner table tomorrow.

MOLDED AMBROSIA
 1 (1-pound) can mixed orange and grapefruit sections
 1 (8-ounce) can pineapple tidbits
 Boiling water
 1 (3-ounce) package lemon-flavored gelatin
 1/4 cup sugar
 2 medium bananas, sliced
 1/2 cup nuts, chopped
 1/2 cup flaked coconut
 Drain fruit; add enough water to syrup to make 1 2/3 cups. Bring to a boil, add to gelatin, and stir until gelatin is dissolved. Cool. Add remaining ingredients. Put in mold and let it congeal.
 Yield: six to eight servings.


THERE'S A LITTLE cooking involved with this one—just the few minutes it takes to dissolve the unflavored gelatin. "Eggnog Wreath" salad is as delicious to eat as eggnog is to drink.



EGGNOG WREATH
 1 envelope unflavored gelatin
 1/2 cup sugar, divided
 1/8 teaspoon salt
 2 eggs, separated
 1 1/2 cup milk
 2 teaspoons rum flavoring
 1/8 teaspoon nutmeg
 1 cup heavy cream
 Mix together gelatin, 1/4 cup of the sugar and salt in medium saucepan. Beat together egg yolks and milk; stir into gelatin mixture. Place over low heat; stir constantly until mixture thickens slightly and gelatin is dissolved, about 5 minutes. Remove from heat; stir in rum flavoring and nutmeg. Chill until mixture mounds slightly when dropped from a spoon. Beat egg whites until stiff, but not dry. Gradually add remaining 1/4 cup sugar and beat until very stiff. Fold into gelatin mixture. Whip heavy cream; fold in. Turn into a 5-cup mold. Chill until firm. YIELD: 6 to 8 servings. (Recipe may be doubled, if desired.)

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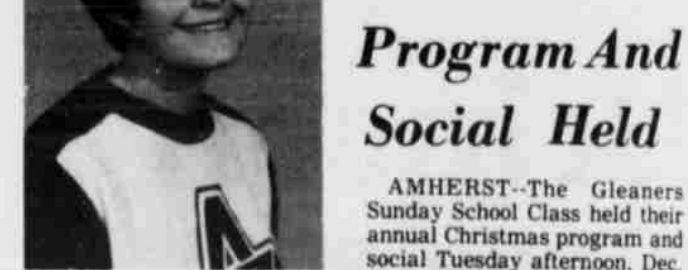


MR. AND MRS. L.B. KENNEDY

Kennedys To Be Honored On 50th Anniversary

OLTON—Mr. and Mrs. L.B. "Les" Kennedy will be honored Sunday, Dec. 27 from 2 to 4 p.m. in the ORC Clubhouse with a reception in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary. Hosting the occasion will be the honorees children, Messers. and Mmes. Dick Moss of Decatur; Joe Thommarson of

Neosho, Mo.; James Kennedy of Hart; Billie Ayers of Anderson, Mo.; T.C. Kennedy; and Leslie Kennedy. The couples grandchildren will also assist with hospitalities will be the couples grandchildren. They have seventeen grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. The couple requests no gifts, please.



CINDY CROSBY

Cindy Crosby Named Student Of The Month

AMHERST—Cindy Crosby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Crosby of Amherst, was named student of the month by members of the Horace Mann Chapter of the National Honor Society. Cindy is treasurer of FHA, assistant editor of the Growl, and vice-president of National Honor Society. She is also the Junior Cheerleader. Cindy plays basketball and is guard on the team.

HOLIDAY PARTY HELD AT PEP
 PEP—St. Philips Altar Society met in the Pep Parish Hall last Wednesday, Dec. 16 for their Christmas party and meeting. The meeting was dedicated to the "birth of Jesus". Secret prayer pals were revealed with the exchanging of gifts. Each member was asked to bring a gift for the Whiteface girls home. Names were drawn for next year's secret prayer pals. The serving table was decorated with a white crocheted cloth over red, with a Santa centering the table for decoration, flanked by red candles. Refreshments of punch, sandwiches, candies and cookies were served to the 27 members present. Hostesses were Jeanette Albus, Emma Dueterhaus, Marcie Demel and Ida Simnacher.

HART CAMP NEWS
 FRIDAY NIGHT SUPPER guests of the Aubrey Neinast family were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson, Melinda, and Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson of Liberty Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Parks and Paula of Spade. MRS. AUBREY NEINAST attended the 25th wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Price, Sunday afternoon, which was held at the St. Martin's Lutheran Church in Littlefield. THE AUBREY NEINAST family were Sunday dinner guests of the Ben Brandt family in Littlefield.

MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL AND HAPPY EATING!

LITTLEFIELD NEWS
 Monte Trotter is home to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Trotter. He is a student at Stephen F. Austin.

Carla Chambers, a student at West Texas State University is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoover and family of Monroe, La. arrived this week to spend the holidays visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Hoover and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Wicker from New York State will be visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wicker and brother, Johnnie during the Christmas holidays.

Bookman Board

The Multi-County Library Board dinner meeting, evening, Oct. 8, Corral Restaurant. Rudy Henderson, librarian, brought to date on the operation in the Farmer, Coates, Bailey. Lorene Scott stated that she steadily increased the Bookman Board's operation in the past year. She stated that they had approximately 1000 books. Present for the Judge Don Chubb, the library at Muleshoe, Sides of Littlefield, Mrs. Tarter of Pecos, Mrs. Bob Hester, Muleshoe, Mr. Sooter, Muleshoe, Mrs. Joe D. Muleshoe. The next multi-county library meeting will be in July, 1971.

Christmas Banquet

Rev. and Mrs. Jones hosted a formal banquet for family and guests of the Missionary Baptist Church Friday evening, Dec. 18 at the Crescent House. Several songs were recorded, including a Christmas song. Rev. Jones presented a magic act with a theme entitled "The Christmas Story". He also played several songs. Each person received an elephant gift and allowed if a person's number was high one's number who they wished to see. Out of town guests Mrs. T. J. J. Monahan and Tammy, Rev. W. Fort Worth, and Mrs. David Jackson.

Program And Social Held

AMHERST—The Gleaners Sunday School Class held their annual Christmas program and social Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 15 in the home of Mrs. Henry Meyers. Mrs. Ted Long presented the program. She read the second chapter of Luke and an article from Modern Times, "Jesus Before Christmas." Christmas carols were sung by the group. Refreshments of fruit cake with topping, assorted cookies, candies, hot spiced tea and coffee was served to those attending. Attending were Mmes. C.A. Thomas, W. Tomes, Bud Emery; Carrie Thomas, Gene Enloe, John Enloe, T.J. Batson, Ted Long, Paul Gonzales, W. O. Long of Alaska and Vanessa Hill.

COURTESY PAYS
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Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Fitzgerald of Pikeville, Kt. attended the First Presbyterian Church Sunday and visited with friends. Fitzgerald teaches in the Presbyterian school in Pikeville. They were on their way to Lubbock to spend Christmas with their daughter.

Bradley, with Mrs. Joe Embry organist.

Christmas and return January 3. Edwin Coffman and Charlie Richardson are Advisers.

Guests for Christmas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robison will be her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Braswell of Odessa, her nephews and families, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Belew of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Inman of Clovis, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jeffries of Richardson arrived Tuesday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kesey and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jeffries Sr.

Guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Woolever were their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schueler of Friona and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Parrish of Lubbock.

Mrs. J. M. Farmer spent Tuesday in Plainview with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lemmons.

Mrs. Jessie Sykes of England, called her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Veach and daughters Donna and Janna Sunday night to wish them a Merry Christmas. It had been nine years since Mrs. Veach had heard her mother's voice. It was a wonderful Christmas present for the Veach family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Marsh and family of Houston spent the weekend with his mother, Inez Marsh.

Christmas guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hall will be their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Don Lane, Cathy and Scott of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Absher and Kelly of Aledo. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hilbun will be guests Christmas Day.

The Ross Lumsdens attended the Sun Bowl game last Saturday in El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Street received word Sunday that his aunt, Mrs. Gus Shaw, a former resident of Littlefield, was ill and a patient in St. Luke Hospital in Jacksonville, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McShan will be spending Christmas in Snyder with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Donelson, Devin and Laurie. Their son, Jimmie McShan of Denton will join them.

The A&B Office Supply held their annual Christmas party Monday night at Crescent House Restaurant. There was an exchange of gifts after dinner. Those present were: Mrs. Betty Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Champion, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Murdock, Gene Williams, Mrs. Frances Ricks, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saile, Mrs. Charlotte Woolever, Miss Cindie Huber and Miss Sharon Sorley.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Howard visited last week with their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Howard in Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Butch Howard in Midlothian.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. White and David visited his mother, Mrs. J. P. White Sr. and other relatives in Roswell Sunday and Monday.

Jan Christian, a student at Stephen F. Austin in Nacogdoches is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Christian.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Breedlove and Lanett of San Antonio arrived Wednesday to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Breedlove.

M/Sgt. and Mrs. Ben C. Kinslow and Debra have recently moved to Lubbock from Boonville, Calif. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elam Caldwell of Littlefield. Kinslow will leave January 11 for Vietnam.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Martin for Christmas will be their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Pace and Marty, Mr. and Mrs. Dwane Nelson and Jody of Hereford, her father, M. Fryer of Quanah, and Mrs. Walter Martin of Littlefield.

Mrs. Harvey Jones of Hereford was guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robison on Monday.

Eloise Lovelace is reported to be doing fine from her recent surgery. Her address is: Eloise Lovelace, % C. V. Roberts, 3312 Cornelia Street, Greenville, Texas 75401.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Perell of Pampa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rountree the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Winston Rountree and their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lytle of Dimmitt spent Monday night in the Rountree's home.

The annual Christmas family night was held at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday night. A program was presented by church school classes and carols were sung by all. Gifts were brought for the Salvation Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Alen Armistead of Alpine arrived Monday to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. B. W. Armistead and Kay and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Joplin and daughter of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Joplin and two children of Plainview will spend Christmas with their mother, Mrs. C. A. Joplin.

Randy Brestrup, a student at Southwestern State at San Marcus arrived Sunday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brestrup. Other guests are Mr. and Mrs. Creig Brestrup of Austin and Steve Brestrup of Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Inman and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Brasher will spend Christmas in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Sabin Henderickson and family.

The Explorer Post, sponsored by the First Presbyterian Church has completed overhauling an old school bus into a travel trailer. The Post will go to the Big Bend right after

Mrs. Jim Jones directed the Christmas program that was presented at the First United Methodist Church Sunday evening. The childrens choir sang several Christmas hymns, under the direction of Mrs. Eddie Bishop and Mrs. Rhea



MRS. THOMAS G. HUKILL

Miss Connie Bell Wed To Thomas G. Hukill

Miss Connie Lynn Bell became the bride of Thomas Gareld Hukill Saturday evening, Dec. 19 in the First Methodist Church of Claude.

Rev. David Burum, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Fieldton officiated for the reading of the double ring wedding vows.

Parents of the couple are Leroy Bell and Mrs. Joyce Mulhauser, both of Claude, and Mrs. Marie Hukill of Littlefield.

The church was decorated with baskets of white mums,

red gladiolas and poinsetta arrangements, flanked by four candelabras. A flat rose arrangement adorned a gold cross and candles at the altar.

The bride, given in marriage by her father wore a white satin chiffon gown adorned with ivory rose patterns of lace, with a neckline of pearls and brilliance. Her long train gathered to the back in ruffles. She wore a veil of full white chiffon net gathered on top by a band of pearls, brilliance and flowers. The bridal bouquet was carried a top a Bible that consisted of one white Iris surrounded by white poms in a long star shape with satin streamers falling to the floor.

Attending the bride as matrons of honor were Mrs. David Stephenson of Amarillo and Mrs. Roland Livesay of Olton.

Bob Gallagher of Olton served the groom as best man. Groomsman was Gordon Hukill of Littlefield, brother of the groom. Seating the guests were David Stephen of Amarillo, brother of the bride and Larry Bell of Claude.

A reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church. The couple will be at home at 4710 W. 57 in Amarillo.

The bride has completed two years of college, one year at West Texas, and one year at Amarillo College. She will enroll for her third year in January.

The groom is a junior student at West Texas and is employed by Skaggs-Albertsons.

Christmas time
May the Christmas horn of plenty overflow with blessings for you and yours.

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HONNY GRITS

By CORNBALL BLEVINS

AS WE NEAR the first day of Christmas, the tempo begins to display the feeling of good cheer, and to anticipate the jolly good times of friends and loved ones, as they plan the holiday activities.

WE NEVER CEASE to be amazed at the change that comes over people at this time of the year. Scrooges turn into the personification of all-around good-guys. Tight-wads turn into big-spenders. And, even the mothers-in-law seem to be more likeable.

We become drunk on the feeling of good cheer, and the jolly good-wishes toward all mankind. We become concerned about the unfortunate, the poor, the sick, and the afflicted.

WE WANT our friends, kinsmen, and acquaintances to know how much we appreciate them. We send gifts, cards, telephone calls, and may even seem sincere in our hand-shakes. 'Tis, indeed, the season to be jolly!

We wish the Spirit of Christmas could abound in our lives all the days of the year and as long as we live!

THIS IS THE SPIRIT that Christ meant to be prevalent in His people, all the days

of their lives. Not that we should, constantly, shower unneeded gifts upon each other, nor, that we should forget the obligations of the daily life.

But, that we should always show respect and esteem for one another and that we should, ever be ready to extend that helping hand in time of need.

That we should regard all humanity as fellow travelers, with the same cares, troubles, and responsibilities as we have.

YES, IT'S THE DAY that has been set aside to celebrate the birth of Christ. May we be able to observe it without forgetting it's meaning. (And may we remember His reason for coming to earth).

We know that the spirit of Christmas has difficulty reigning in our hurry-up world. When we are engulfed in the business of everyday living, of meeting our constantly demanding obligations, and of coping with our ever present personal problems.

NONETHELESS-To all the readers I may have, and to my MANY friends: I WISH YOU THE BEST OF EVERYTHING THAT LIFE HAS TO OFFER, AND, ESPECIALLY-A HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON! !!!

OBITUARIES

DREW WATKINS

Funeral services for Drew Watkins, 77, who died Tuesday in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital, were conducted today at the First Baptist Church in Sudan.

Officiating was Rev. J. R. Manning with Joe T. Salem assisting.

Watkins, a retired ginner, moved to Sudan in 1938 and formerly owned and operated the Watkins Gin in Sudan, Lazbuddie and Farwell with his son, Doyle Watkins.

He held various offices in the Plains Ginners Assn., including the office of president, and had served on the board of directors of the State Ginners Assn. Watkins was a member of the Lamb County school board for several years.

Before moving here he had taught school and had a clothing business in Elk City, Okla. He was a charter member of the Elk City Rotary Club and had served on the school board there.

Survivors include his wife, Audrey Watkins, whom he married in 1919; a son, Doyle Watkins, now of Dallas; one daughter, Mrs. William Patterson of Knoxville, Tenn.; two brothers, G. T. Watkins of Farwell and J. E. Watkins of Elk City; one sister, Mrs. Clara Smaltz of Farwell; and three grandchildren.

OLLIE ELIZABETH GRAY

Mrs. Ollie Elizabeth Gray, 59, of Sundown, a longtime South Plains resident, died Monday evening in a Levelland hospital after being confined a week.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at Sundown's First Baptist Church, and burial was in Sundown Cemetery with George Price Funeral Home in Levelland in charge of arrangements.

Born Feb. 20, 1911 in Oklahoma, she has lived in Lubbock, Hockley and Cochran counties 40 years. She had lived at Sundown six years.

She is survived by her husband; six sons, Jim Gray of Colbert, Okla., Abe Gray and Elmer Gray, both of Littlefield, and Earl Gray, Ancil Gray and David Gray, all of Sundown; five daughters, Mrs. Wilma Hampton of Winkelman, Ariz., Mrs. Lenora Grove of Achille, Okla., Mrs. Barbara Taylor of Sunray and Mrs. Mary Ann Stoval and Mrs. Sharon Folks, both of Sundown; four brothers, W. L. Henderson of Abilene, Ted Henderson of Andrews, Jake Henderson of Enochs and Joe Henderson of Mammoth, Ariz.; five sisters, Mrs. Stella Jane Keys of Oracle, Ariz., Mrs. Nela Culpepper of Globe, Ariz., Mrs. Marie Stewart and Mrs. Dixie Henderson, both of Stockton, Calif., and Mrs. Juanita York of Oakley, Calif.; her stepmother, Mrs. Stella May Henderson of Stockton, Calif.; and 30 grandchildren.

Funeral services for Bert Reynolds, 63, of Clovis, N.M., who died Monday night in Clovis Memorial Hospital following an apparent heart attack, were conducted Thursday morning in the West 21st Street Church of Christ in Clovis.

He was father of Gene Reynolds of Olton, minister, and burial was in Lawn Haven Cemetery by Sherwood Mortuary.

Born in Flippin, Ark., he had been a Clovis resident 40 years, where he was employed by Phillips Petroleum for 27 years.

He was a member of the West 21st Street Church of Christ, where he served as song leader.

Surviving are his wife, Maurine; another son, Glenn Reynolds of Englewood, Colo.; two daughters, Mrs. Carol Ashley and Mrs. Donna Hester, both of Clovis; three brothers, Raleigh Reynolds of Hamilton, John Reynolds and Clyde Reynolds, both of Clovis; two sisters, Mrs. Claire Johnson of Hamilton and Mrs. Nellie Rhodes of Albuquerque, N.M., and eight grandchildren.

HASKELL H. HURLEY

Haskell H. Hurley, 51, of Farmington, N. M., former Littlefield resident, was killed early Friday when his car, driven by his wife, May, collided with a loaded school bus on an ice-covered highway near Bloomfield, N. M.

The couple was enroute from their home to Lubbock to visit his mother, Mrs. J. C. Hurley, who was being treated at Highland Hospital for a broken hip she received Thursday in a fall at her home.

New Mexico authorities report that none of the 55 school children aboard the bus were seriously injured, but that Mrs. Hurley is in the intensive care unit of the Farmington hospital, listed in fair condition.

A former resident of Lubbock, Littlefield and Muleshoe, Hurley had lived at Farmington 15 years and operated an automobile body shop. He was a native of Cook County.

Besides his wife and parents, Hurley is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Eddie Jones of Moab, Utah, and Mrs. Darel

CLAUDE ALEXANDER TILLMAN

Services for Claude Alexander Tillman, 70, of Littlefield, who died Monday in Littlefield Hospital, will be conducted at 2 p.m. today, Thursday, in the Missionary Baptist Church of Littlefield.

Rev. David Jackson, pastor, will officiate and burial will be in Littlefield Cemetery with Hammons Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

He was a native of Winfield and had lived in this area 28 years. He was a retired carpenter.

Surviving are his wife, Golden; four sons, Kenneth Jordan Tillman of Bremerton, Wash., Ernest Tillman of Norman, Okla., Richard Tillman of Fort Worth, and Claude Alexander Tillman Jr. of Cudahy, Calif.; five daughters, Mrs. Vera Heck of Tuia, Mrs. Marie Hanvey of Plainview, Mrs. Ruby Biles of Springlake, Mrs. Carolyn Boleyn of Littlefield and Mrs. Sue Barber of Edmond, Okla.; five sisters, Mrs. Sue Ann Horton, Mrs. Louise Callahan and Mrs. Verna Frazier, all of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Eva Davis of Duncan, Okla., and Mrs. Kay Keith of Port Neches; a brother, Lloyd Tillman of Levelland; 44 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services for Claude Ervin Goen, 66, of Anton, who died at 12:30 p.m. Sunday in Medical Arts Hospital in Littlefield, were conducted Tuesday morning in the Lawrence Street Church of Christ in Anton.

Hoyt Cranfield, minister, officiated, and burial was in the Anton Cemetery with Hammons Funeral Home of Littlefield in charge of arrangements.

A native of Greenville, Goen had been a longtime resident of Anton, where he farmed.

Surviving are his wife, Jessie Pearl; five sons, Bill Goen of Anton, David Goen of Littlefield, Douglas Goen and Jerry Goen, both of Olton, and James Goen of Abernathy; three brothers, John Goen and George Goen, both of Anton, and Henry Goen of Greenville; a sister, Mrs. Fanny Bumgardner of Jacksonville, Tex.; and 11 grandchildren.

Funeral services for Manuel Ramirez, 69, of Lubbock, who died late Sunday in Colonial Nursing Home in Lubbock, were conducted Tuesday afternoon in Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church in Lubbock.

Burial was in Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park, with Henderson Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

A native of Mexico, Ramirez had been a Lubbock resident since 1964 and had been in the nursing home three weeks.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Gloria Gonzales of Springlake, Mrs. Mickey Villarreal of Lubbock and Cecilia Ramirez of Lubbock; six sons, Joe Ramirez and Jessie Ramirez, both of Lubbock, Marcus Ramirez of Florida, Paul Ramirez and Manuel Ramirez Jr., both of Lubbock, and Ray Ramirez of Granite, Okla.; and 13 grandchildren.

GLADYS PARRISH

Funeral services for Mrs. Gladys Parrish, 76, of Sudan, who died about 3 p.m. Sunday in South Plains Hospital in Amherst, were conducted Tuesday afternoon in Sudan's First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Parrish had been a patient in the Amherst hospital about three months.

Burial was in the Sudan Cemetery, with Payne Funeral Home of Amherst in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Parrish went to Sudan in 1924 with her husband.

She is survived by her husband, W. O. Parrish; five sons, Nolan Parrish and Truman Parrish, both of Sudan, O. J. Parrish of Earth, Arnold Parrish of Post and Loye Dale Parrish of Anaheim, Calif.; nine grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

THE ABUNDANT LIFE

Giving Self

THE MORE WE GIVE, the more we have to give; and the more our wealth increases. This is a very interesting kind of giving, and it is a kind of giving that all of us can do.

It is the giving of self controlled by understanding and discretion. In fact, it is actually a way of life.

THIS GIVING is the greatest source of human well-being. It is unique in that everybody involved, including the giver, especially the giver, gains by the giving. It is probably the one action that will do more than anything else to restore our world to a reasonable degree of order and sanity.

WE NEED EACH OTHER, and it is foolish to pretend that we don't. When we help others, we help ourselves. When we encourage and build up others, we are encouraged and uplifted.

When we are willing to be used for good, in keeping with our abilities and guided by good judgement, we are opening our lives to the very best of living.

SELFISHNESS MAY BE the greatest barrier to personal life fulfillment. Of course, there is a wholesome kind of self-interest which must be considered before we can be of any use to ourselves or to anybody else.

The self-centered life, however, is not much of a life. It has nothing to recommend it, and has a way of triggering just about every type of undesirable human behavior.

OUR GIFTS and attainments are not only to be light and warmth in our own dwellings, but are to shine through the

windows, into the dark night of cheer bewildered travelers.

The most beautiful and human experience is in the one life to another life in helpful action.

THIS GIFT of self is the gift that no one else can give. It is also the most fully because it is the most certain a true and sincere expression. There are so many good ways of us can serve others. One of these is in the giving of self.

GIVING SELF is essential to friendships. Any other type of friendship is superficial.

The husband-wife relationship and meaningful only to each will give self to the

THE JOY and strength of dependent upon the degree that each member of the family interaction.

The same principle has a place in vocational happiness, too. Many folk remain in their work and the areas of life because of the inability to give themselves

IN THE BROADER human scene, there is a giving of self can fill.

The source of the richness of living that all of us desire can have in the generous of self.

THE PHILOSOPHER

Seasonal Spirit

(Editor's note: The Sandhills Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm gets into the spirit of the season, we guess.)

Dear editor: I have about given up on the plan I bring up every year about this time to get Congress to equalize Christmas, to pass a Christmas Gift Support Program whereby a man, if he spent more for gifts than he got, could have the government make up the difference, thus allowing everybody to come out even.

I can't get any Congressman to introduce the bill, on account of geography. I guess it's on account of television, but Congress now knows more about geography than ever before in history, and every time a good domestic program is thought up, Congress discovers another country needing help.

When Congressmen grew up in log cabins and went to one-teacher schools where Geography consisted of memorizing the capitals of the 48 states and you passed if you got 25 right or just 15 if your father was on the school board, foreign aid was handled mostly by Missionary Societies who raised the money from rummage sales.

I don't know enough about world problems to have an opinion, which doesn't stop me and most people from having one, but since World War II, according to an article I read last night in a newspaper a neighbor gift-wrapped me a present in, the United States has spent over 100 billion dollars helping other countries and as far as I can tell about all we've gotten in return is a few Christmas cards.

But I didn't start out to deplore anything, this is Christmas time and there's a

nothing wrong with Christmas, although gift-wrapped packages are better. Understand though, to be gift-wrapped, it's what counts, whether you're a present or people. Especially Merry Christmas. Editor

Six Jailed By Official

Charles Weldon Orr, Route 4 Flagg, remained Lamb County jail at present Wednesday on a charge driving while intoxicated. Charge was made following wreck with personal Saturday night.

Gabino S. Sandoval, Sudan, was jailed on a balance charge Saturday. Released Monday after \$150 fine.

Others jailed over weekend included juvenile from Bovina and Clovis were picked up for investigation, a 23-year-old woman was jailed on pedestrian charges Saturday night and paid out Sunday.

A 20-year-old from Sudan arrested Sunday for no license and paid out Monday.

Howell of Farmington; three brothers, James Hurley of Lubbock, C. C. Hurley of Shallowater and Dan Hurley of Lubbock; four sisters, Mrs. H. O. Bear of Lubbock, Mrs. Bill Click of Hobbs, N. M., Mrs. Anthony Thomason of Boston, Mass., and Mrs. Richard Mosenbacher of Woodrow; and five grandchildren.

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A WOMAN'S VIEW

Merry Christmas

By PEARL BRANDON



HERE IN OUR part of country we celebrate Christmas with beautiful colors, and we love it when we can have a white Christmas.

People with rosy cheeks and their arms full of bright packages are on the streets doing their last minute shopping, and greeting friends.

"Merry Christmas! Merry Christmas, everybody!"

THE STORE WINDOWS are dressed up in beautiful colors and Christmas Music sounding through the town. There is bright expectancy in the air.

At home, Christmas trees are trimmed in multicolored lights and tinsel. Bright packages are piled high on the floor around the tree.

Delicious smells come from the kitchen as Mother prepares for loved ones coming home.

IN ALL THE HUSTLE and bustle we must not forget that first Christmas long ago. Elizabeth Madox Roberts has expressed it beautifully in her poem "Christmas Morning."

If Bethlehem were here today, or this were very long ago,

There wouldn't be a winter-time nor any cold or snow.

I'd run out through the garden gate, and down along the pasture walk; and off

beside the cattle barn I'd hear a gentle kind of talk.

I'd move the heavy iron chain and pull away the wooden pin; I'd push the door a little bit and tiptoe very softly in.

The pigeons and the yellow hens and all the cows would stand away; Their eyes would open wide to see a lady in the manger hay.

If this were very long ago and Bethlehem were here today, And Mother Mary held my hand and smiled-I mean the lady would-and she

Would take the wooly blankets off her little boy so I could see. His shut-up eyes would be asleep, and he would look just like our John,

And he would be all crumpled too, and have a pinkish color on. I'd watch the breath go in and out. His little clothes would be all white. I'd slip my finger in his hand to feel how he could hold it tight.

And she would smile and say "Take care." The Mother, Mary, would, "Take care."

And I would kiss his little hand and touch his hair. While Mary put the blanket back the gentle talk would start soon begin.

And when I'd tiptoe softly out I'd meet the wise men going in. Merry Christmas everybody!

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Christmas At LHS



KATHIE McBRIDE, senior, stands beside the giant mural she drew to help in decorations in the seniors' western theme. The mural covered one entire wall of the senior hall.

God's Psychiatry

A DEVOTIONAL

By WAYLAND HUTTO

There are many things that one could remember in these last days of 1970.

We could think of last year's school activities: plays, games, concerts, banquets--its graduating class.

We could think of the fun we had last summer, the vacation we took, or the job we worked so hard at.

We could even think of the school year we are now engaged in that is almost half over.

Yes, we could remember all these things as Father Time buries another 365 days, but it is my deepest wish that we will not only celebrate the death of 1970, but also the birth of our Lord.

Every year ends with a celebration of a new beginning.

Taking this symbolically, I would like to remind everyone of the beginning Jesus offered us.

Everyone who reads this paper knows how Christ was born of the Virgin Mary; they know how He grew to become a perfect example of faith, hope, and love; they know how at the age of only 33 He gave His life to save a world that hated Him.

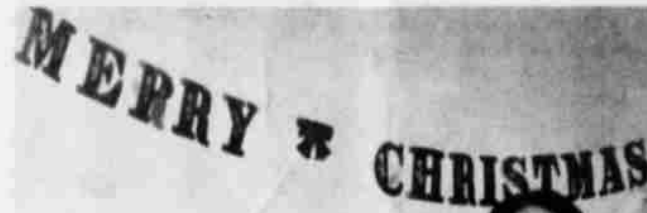
Each person will have to admit He knows this man's story, but how many will even take one minute to honor Him on His birthday?

It is doubtful that very many of us will take time from our games, gifts, and parties to honor the One born on Dec. 25 as much as the ones born on Feb. 12, and Feb. 22.



THE SOPHOMORES used fluffy white clouds and pink angels suspended ceiling to carry out their theme of "The Littlest Angel."

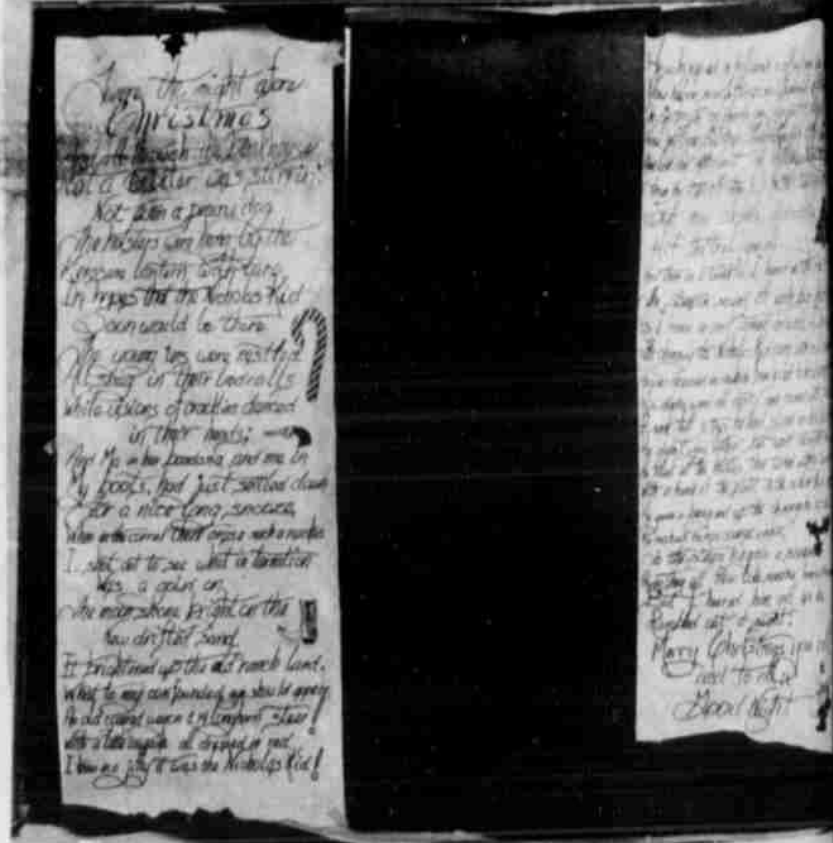
Brighter Side Of LHS



THIS WEEK'S Brighter Side, or rather sides, are Kelly Fain, seated, and Margaret Fain standing. Both are members of the National Honor Society, Wildcat Band and Future Teachers of America. These dark-haired, green-eyed twins play the piano and are adept at many homemaking skills.



THE JUNIORS decorated their doors with elves, to illustrate their theme of "Santa's Workshop."



THE NIGHT AFORE Christmas, western style, was used to carry out the theme of "Christmas At Santa's Ranch."

LHS Speaks Out

By PAM BRANNON and JOAN TIMIAN

The question we popped to the students this week was "What do you think the world will be like in the year 2000?"

Some of the students think the world will not be here by the year 2000. A few of the students think that mankind will destroy itself by the year 2000, and there were some cuties that said the world would still be round in the year 2000.

Here are some of the students answers:

Leslie Tomme, (Sr.)--"The way things are going I don't think there will be a world."

Rick Sanchez, (Soph.)--"I don't know about the world, but I'll be 45 1/2."

Johnny Robertson, (Jr.)--"I think the world will be more populated than they can feed, the oxygen in the air will exhaust, the rivers, lakes, and oceans will be one big sewer. Computers will do the thinking, science will do the working and sex in marriage will not be necessary, cause science will make reproduction. In a few years, man will destroy themselves."

Coach Goubeaud, --"The same as it is today--round."

Jimi Bruton, (Soph.)--"Well I think the positive side is that we will be like the Jetsons, and the negative side will be bad and evil as most of the world is today."

Deana Sterling, (Soph.)--"In the year 2000 I think it will be very modern."

Sandra Smith, (Soph.)--"I really can't imagine what the world will be like in 2000, but I do know that it will be a lot different from right now."

Mike Morris, (Soph.)--"It is bound to get worse before it gets better so the kids and people of today are going to have to really get with it if they want the world to be decent in the year 2000."

Joni Stockinger, (Soph.)--"Well there will be a larger population and we will probably come to depend more on computers."

Ben McKinnon, (Soph.)--"Santa Clause will be riding an electric sleigh."

Pam Brandt, (Soph.)--"I think there will be lots of robots

running around all over the place and people will be just as unhappy as they are today. It will also be round!"

Arturo Soria, (Soph.)--"The way it's going now there will not be a world."

Sharon White, (Soph.)--"The time when everything in your house will pop up out of the floor or pop out of the walls by push buttons."

Louis Aguilar, (Soph.)--"Same as it always been--war, no peace and no love."

Kenneth Ray, (Sr.)--"I think in the year 2000 that all schools will be run by computers and the cars will be some jet type with an anti-pollution device on them. And that our United States will be more communist like than ever before. Or the world will come to an end before that time and men will probably be destroying themselves."

Boonie Smith, (Soph.)--"Boy Scouts will go hinking in jet propelled shoes."

Marie Rodriguez, (Soph.)--"To me, I don't think there will be any world left."

Time Out For Sports

By ALBERT SANCHEZ

The Plainview JV knocked the Littlefield Wildcats out of the championship bracket in the first round of the Hale Center Tournament last week with a 51-37 score.

With the help of 37 fouls against the Cats, Spade downed Littlefield, 85-61. Spade hit on 23 of 49 free shots.

Four of Littlefields five starters fouled out of the game. The only starter surviving the spree was Senior Kim Hill. Hill had 4 fouls at the end of the game.

The Wildcats played host to Denver City, Tuesday, Dec. 22, before breaking for the Christmas holidays.

Total points combined for the two games:

Ralph Funk-5 field goals, 2 free shots, for 12 points

Jay Trammell-2 field goals, 4 free shots, for 8 points

Honor Society Collects Food

The Joe C. Hutchinson Chapter of the National Honor Society collected food and other items that were given to a needy family Tuesday afternoon.

The club's Christmas tree, which was located in the entrance of LHS, was also donated to the family.

Each member of the Society was asked to bring a potato, a piece of fruit, a canned fruit, and a canned vegetable.

Kim Hill-6 field goals, 5 free shots, for 17 points

Matt Giles-6 field goals, 4 free throws, for 16 points

Albert Sanchez-4 field goals, 4 free throws for 12 points

Slaughter-2 field goals, 1 free throw for 5 points

Horn-3 field goals, 1 free throw for 7 points

Johnson-4 field goals, 0 free throws for 8 points

Hobratsch-0 field goals, 5 free throws for 5 points

Carter-1 field goal, 0 free throws for 2 points.



ROBERT RODRIQUEZ, president of the National Honor Society, hangs Christmas ornaments on the school tree to be given to a needy family, along with gifts for Christmas.

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Happiness Is . . . Christmas!!!



Tandy Talburt

CHRISTMAS is a fun and happy time. Everyone gets and gives presents. On Christmas morning you can wake up and feel good inside. Whenever anyone opens a gift from you, it also makes you feel good. We also have to remember that it's Christ's birthday, too.

THE L. J. H. BAND party went over very well. Mr. SoRelle received a desk set from members of the band. The twirlers received small charms as a token of appreciation from the L. J. H. Band. We also got to see the marching film. It was VERY GOOD!!! Everyone enjoyed it. THANKS L. J. H. Band parents!!!

Ben F.-How did you like the play last night?
Chris A.-I saw the first act, but not the second.

Ben F.-Why not?
Chris A.-I couldn't wait that long. It said on the program-second act, two years later.

Patty H.-What is the difference between a crazy hare and a counterfeit coin?
Charyl R.-One is a mad bunny, and the other is bad money.

WE HAD an assembly Tuesday at 1:30. It was VERY GOOD!!! The choirs and Intermediate Band put on a joint concert for us. There was also a play which was very good.

Honor roll and court of honor were also announced. On the seventh grade Honor Roll are Patti Chisholm, Carol Hobrat-

schk, Jerry Schulz, Jerry Stamps, and Bryan Gregg.
Court of Honor are: Brad Banner, Sharla Birkelbach, Shelly Collins, and Ken Turner.

EIGHTH GRADE honor roll includes: Joe Foley.

On the court of honor are: Richard Barton, Deborah Birkelbach, Tonie Gardner, Ricky Parker, and Carla Sanders.

IN THE NINTH grade, honor roll is as follows: Carol French, Jim Harris, Barbara McBride and Andy Rogers. On the court of honor are Gary Brown, Terry Bryson, Bruce Peel, and Kelly Pratt.

CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Tommie C.-Just by accident I happened to read a letter lying on your dresser.
Paula H.-By accident?
Tommie C.-Yes, I just happened to have my glasses on.

Craig R.-What's the most difficult train to catch?
Kenny O.-The 12:50 because it's 10 to 1 if you catch it!

THE F. H. A. girls gave Karen McManus a going away present Tuesday. We hated to see her go.

BOTH THE eighth and ninth grade teams lost their tournament but all played a good game!

HEY, MR. BRAWLEY-All we want for



Mari Louise Bennett

Christmas is to pass. . . (Remember that song?!!)

Laquintha Clark-Now, the world's fastest runner!

School was let out Tuesday at 2:30. We will return January fourth, on Monday.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY - Kim J.

THERE WAS a band concert last Thursday night. The Intermediate, Junior High, and Wildcat Bands played. There were two solos played in the L.J.H. Band. One was played by David Williams and the other by Buddy Jungman. Both were VERY GOOD and the concert was very good, also.

Steve M.-Aren't you glad there IS a Santa Claus? !!!

Here is some gossip!

Kelly P.-Fall down and go BOOM!!!!

L. H.-Marci can you hear me? !!!

Mary K. M.-George? !!!

Glen S.-Oh shes a battle ax? !!!

Buddy J.-Groovy? !!!

Roy T.-Alfred Hitchcock?

THE EIGHTH grade A and B teams and freshmen played Muleshoe here Monday. They all lost but kept up a GOOD game.

Have a good week and MERRY CHRISTMAS!!!

(See you NEXT year! !!!)



That you and yours be gifted with a glorious Christmas, is our wish. Thanks and best cheer to all our friends.

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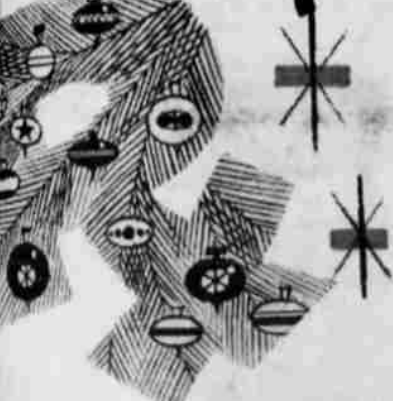
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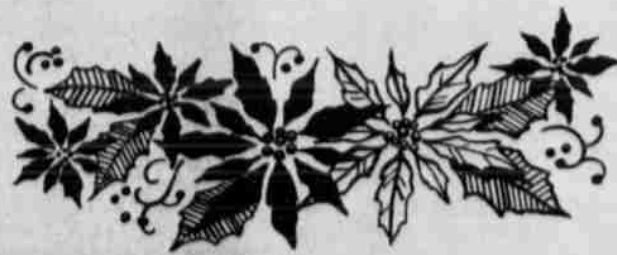
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MRS. GEORGE THOMPSON guides some of her kindergarten students as they sketch Christmas scenes in class. They also were singing Christmas carols as they drew their pictures.



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Christmas

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LEGAL

SCHOOL DISTRICT vs. MRS. O. A. MILLER, ET AL., in which suit, all of the persons hereinabove mentioned as defendants, are the defendants, and the LITTLEFIELD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, Littlefield, Lamb County, Texas, is the plaintiff in said suit.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: This is a suit for Littlefield Independent School District taxes for the years 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969 and 1970, in the sum of \$106.29, the petition alleging that the taxes had been duly levied, assessed and rendered and were and are a legal obligation due the said Littlefield Independent School District, by the hereinabove named defendants on the hereinafter described property, to-wit: Lot 18, Block 4, Highschool Addition to the City of Littlefield, Lamb County, Texas.

The officer executing this process, shall promptly execute the same according to the law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of office, at office in Littlefield, Texas, this 16th day of December 1970.

ATTEST:
s/ Ray Lynn Britt
Ray Lynn Britt, District Clerk,
Lamb County, Texas, 154th
Judicial District

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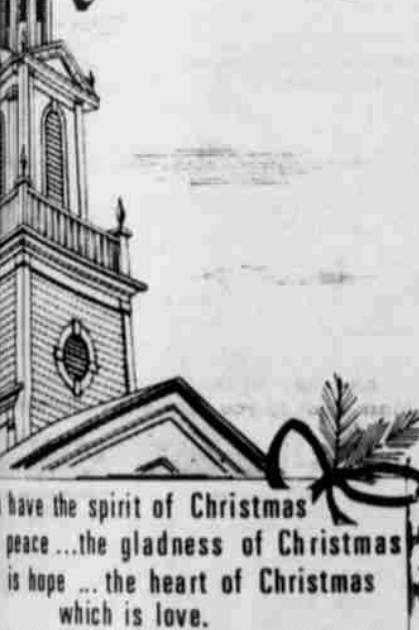


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MRS. SETTLE'S second grade class acted out a skit on the birth of Christ during a program for their parents Tuesday. The wise man to the left is Carlos Vargas, the angel is Sally Wilkinson, Mary is portrayed by Alvina Gonzales, Joseph is portrayed by Eddie Gregory, and the angel to the right is really Laura Barrett. A choir sang background music for the skit on the birth of Christ during a program for their parents Tuesday in Mrs. Settle's second grade class.



Open House Honors
Rev. And Mrs. Gossett

AMHERST—Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Gossett were honored with an open house last Sunday afternoon in observance of their 25th wedding anniversary by their children, Linda and Warren Gossett.

Douglas Gossett and Miss Evelyn Beatrice Cummings were married in Lubbock Dec. 17, 1945.

The serving table was laid with a white linen cloth. An arrangement of red and pink roses was centered on the table, with a large sheet cake embossed in Happy 25th anniversary. Linda and Warren

served pink punch from crystal and silver appointments.

A "money tree" was a surprise gift to the honorees.

Among the guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gossett and family of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Jason Justice of Petersburg.

CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

Christmas cheer can make the season spirit come alive. Keep the cheer in your heart—not in the glass—when you expect to be driving. The wrong kind of spirit could ruin your holiday fun.

Mrs. Bradley Hosts
Annie Armstrong Meeting

AMHERST—Mrs. Bill Bradley was hostess for the

Christmas meeting of the Annie Armstrong Circle of the Baptist WMU at her home Monday night.

Prayer was offered by Mrs. James Holland and "Joy To The World" and "Silent Night" were sung.

Mrs. Glenn Willson read one of Peter Marshall's sermons "Let's Keep Christmas"; Mrs. J. P. Brantley gave "A Christmas Prayer" by Robert J. Hastings; Mrs. Charles Jones "Christmas Story"; and "The Twelve Days of Christmas" by Suzanne Douglas.

A Christmas quiz was conducted by Mrs. Holland. Each one had the name of a character, from the Bible, pinned to her back and others guessed who they were.

Following the program, there was a gift exchange from the green and gold Christmas tree.

Mrs. Willson gave the invocation before refreshments were served from the tea table covered with an antique satin cloth in off white.

Silver and crystal appointments were used in serving fruit cake, finger sandwiches, candies, coffee and hot spiced tea.

Arrangements for the season of flowers and fruits were placed at vantage places in the entertaining rooms.

Circle members attending were Mmes. Victor Reynolds, J. P. Brantley, Glenn Willson, James Holland, Charles Mixon, Don Carter, Charles Jones, A. O. Dickson, T. L. Bennett, Maurice Brantley and the hostess, Mrs. Bradley.



As the Star shone, so may its light bring peace, joy.

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Be-Little Club
Conducts Meet

Eleven members of the Be-Little TOPS Club met Tuesday in regular session.

Total loss by all the members was nine pounds.

Hazel Davis, chairman, presided for the session.

Each member was weighed as she came in and weights were recorded.

ONE-MAN FORCE

Birth of military aviation in the US occurred in Texas in 1910 when the whole US Air Force arrived at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio: One man.

AMHERST



Mrs. Lester LaGrange 246-3336

THE RUTH SOLESBEE Circle met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Keith Tomes for their annual Christmas party.

Mrs. Eugene Young brought the Christmas story "Gifts Under His Tree" afterwards Bible games and other games were played by the group.

Prayer sisters exchanged gifts from a lighted Christmas tree.

Refreshments of sandwiches, fruit cake, candy, dips, Cokes and spiced tea were served to Mmes. Bobby Brantley, Winston Ferguson, Eugene Young, Raymond Duvall, Troy Jones, Dick McDaniel, Hudson Cantrell, Jimmy Cowan, Gaylon Long, Verdell Burton and the hostess, Mrs. Keith Tomes.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS began at 2:30 yesterday to resume Jan. 4. The Student Council is to show a film followed by Christmas trees in separate rooms.

SEVERAL WOMEN from the Church of Christ went to the Children's Home in Portales, N. M. for the day, Monday. This is an annual project with them at Christmas time. They took candies, cookies, cup towels, aprons and other items, such as canned goods, which had been brought by other members of the church. Those making the trip were Mmes. Briggs, Cowan, Guy Hufstader Jr., Lane, Fullenurder and Misses V. O. and Willie White. The women did mending, ironing and other tasks always necessary for the 65 boys and girls making their home at the Children's Home.

HIGH SCHOOL senior girls entertained with a "Coke" party Monday afternoon in Mrs. W. P. Holland's home, honoring Miss Loyce Baker, business teacher. She is to be married Dec. 29 in Lubbock.

The girls presented her with a set of matching lingerie. They are Debbie Holland, Lesa Nelson, Susie Humphreys, Kay Campbell, Kathy Tomes, Ann Schovajsa, Janie Cruz, Ruth Wynn, D'Ruth Dysart, Shery Willson, and Mary Moore.

MR. AND MRS. Alex Berry left this weekend for a holiday visit in Arizona and California. In Phoenix they will visit Jerry and family and in Glendale with their daughter, Mrs. Crutis Clark. In San Diego they will

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CHRISTMAS BLESSINGS
May love and hope dwell within your heart at Christmas and throughout the year ahead.

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82-57 IN FOUL-FILLED GAME

Cats Fall To Denver City

The Littlefield Wildcat varsity and JV hosted the Denver City Mustangs in a pair of games Tuesday night and lost both to the Mustangs. The varsity was defeated 82-57 by Denver City, while the JV fell, 100-58.

Jay Trammell led the Wildcat scoring with 18 points, on five goals and eight free throws, before he fouled out of the game. Three of the other Wildcat starters fouled out of the game early. Matt Giles, Ralph Funk and J. E. Johnson all fouled out. Kim Hill, another starter, had four fouls all the way through the last period.

Kim Hill and J. E. Johnson led the Littlefield rebounding with Hill picking off 11 and Johnson clearing the boards for six. The Cats' main troubles was the inaccuracy from the field. The varsity hit 14 buckets out of 60 shots for a 23 per cent average. The Mustangs hit 29 baskets out

of 96 shots for a percentage of 30. At the free throw line, the Cats hit over 55 per cent of their shots by making 29 out of 51 attempts. The Mustangs hit only 44 per cent of their free shots by making 23 out of 52 shots. There were 72 fouls in the game. Littlefield committed 34 turn-overs to the Denver City squad.

	FG	FT	F	TP
J. Trammell	5	8	5	18
M. Giles	3	8	4	14
K. Hill	2	2	5	6
R. Funk	1	2	5	4
M. Carter	1	1	1	4
L. Hobrantsch	0	1	0	3
J. E. Johnson	1	1	1	3
Littlefield	18	25	37	57
Denver City	13	31	47	82

The JV was led by Alan Mackey in the 100-58 loss at the hands of Denver City. Mackey had 11 field goals and six free throws for 28 points.

The JV hit on 16 of 32 free throws for 50 per cent average. In the field the Cats hit on 21 of 56 shots for 37 per cent. Littlefield committed 28 turn-overs to Denver City. Mackey was also the leading Wildcat rebounder with seven.

	FG	FT	F	TP
A. Mackey	11	4	2	28
R. Trotter	4	2	3	10
C. Smith	2	1	3	7
R. Mendoza	1	1	1	3
B. Hamblin	1	1	0	2
T. Crosby	1	0	0	2
R. Dayton	1	0	0	2
Littlefield	23	28	44	58
Denver City	23	41	71	100



RALPH FUNK makes a shot and draws a pair of foul shots by a Denver City player. Funk made both the basket and the two foul shots for Littlefield. B. Youngblood, 33, and B. Hill, 35, defend for the Mustangs.



MATT GILES, 24, shoots points against Denver City night. B. Youngblood of the Mustangs and J. E. Johnson watches for a rebound. City won, 82-57.

HOLIDAY CHEER

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK
Amherst, Texas

Area Basketball Roundup

The Amherst Bulldogs and the Whitharral Panthers squared off Tuesday night in Whitharral for the last game before the Christmas holidays and the Dogs won both games.

Amherst won the boys' game, 66-44, with Eddie Moates leading both the Bulldogs and the game scoring with 19. Billy Smith and Ricky Miller, both of Amherst, scored 16 and 13, respectively, in the win. Johnny Graham and Luis Barrera each hit for 16 points to lead the Whitharral team.

In the girls game, Amherst squeaked by with a 38-35 victory. Alane Weaver and Rita McAdams had 16 points each to lead the team and game scoring for the Dogettes. Kathy Lynn Williams and Rita Avery had 15 and 11 points respectively for the Pantherettes.

The Whitharral boys are now at 2-10 for the season while the girls hold a 9-9 season mark. Amherst Bulldogs hold a 6-7 record while their girls' sport a 7-7 record.

Whitharral will open their loop action with their next game, Jan. 5, against the Bula Bulldogs. Amherst will begin play Jan. 2 after the holidays.

PANTHERS SPLIT PAIR

The Whitharral Panther boys and girls hosted the Lazbuddie Longhorns in a pair of games Monday night and split the wins.

Kenny Dukapnik led the boys in a loss to the Longhorns with 12 points.

Kathy Lynn Williams led the girls over Lazbuddie girls, 43-37, with Kathy chipping in with 16 points. Rita Avery had 11 and Christie Clevenger had 10 in the win.

BULA'S GIRLS LOSE

The Bula girls fought hard for the first place position of the Whiteface Tournament, but couldn't hang on as Sundown slipped past the Doggettes with a one-point, 45-44 victory.

DOGS DROP THREE

The Amherst Bulldogs entered three teams in the Whiteface tournament over the past weekend. All three teams reached the playoffs in either the winning side or the consolation side. In games Saturday Amherst lost all three tilts.

The Bulldog boys lost by 42-32 to Bledsoe in the consolation finals of the boys bracket. Eddie Moates tossed in 14 points for Amherst.

Two girls teams were entered. The A girls lost the third place tilt to the host team Whiteface by a 44-39 margin. The B girls played Bledsoe for the consolation spot and were downed 42-14.

CANYON DROPS OLTON

The Canyon Eagles and Eaglettes dropped both the Olton boys and girls in a pair of non-district games in Canyon. Olton's boys lost, 76-62, while the girls were downed, 56-28.

Steve Stockdale was the high man for the Mustangs with 17 points. Mickey Crowder had 16 and Mike Parsons had 11 in the defeat. Rebecca Hodge had 12 for the Olton girls.

Olton will next play in the Farwell Tournament Dec. 31-Jan. 2.

PEP WINS PAIR

The Pep boys and girls combined for the first double win of the season Tuesday night against Cotton Center.

The boys, led by Dave Shannon with 29 points, beat Cotton Center by 66-56. Billy Demel had 13 for Pep and Randy Kuhler had 12 for the winners.

Mickey Demel led the Pep girls over Cotton Center with 16 points, 44-39. Gail and Mitzi Albus each chipped in 14 points for the winners.

Pep will begin loop action against Bledsoe Jan. 5. The boys have a 7-8 mark and the girls hold a 4-10 season record.

SPADE GIRLS THIRD

The Spade girls took a 61-52 decision from the Hart girls in the third place playoffs of the Hale Center Tournament to win the third spot for Spade. The boys didn't do so well as Kress downed the Longhorns, 78-67, in the consolation finals at the tourney.

In the girls game, Debbie Myers led the scoring with 28 points. Raymond Sewell led the boys scoring with 25 points.

SUDAN TOPS HART

The Sudan Hornets topped Longhorns in district play Tuesday night in Hart. The girls lost 47-43.

David Weaver was Sudan's high scorer with 24 points in the boys game. Pickett led the Hornets with 14 points.

The Hornet teams will next play in the Farwell Tournament Dec. 31-Jan. 2.

WOLVES BEAT VEGA

The Springlake-Earth Wolves beat the Vega boys and girls Tuesday night in two games. The boys won 59-43, but the girls dropped their game, 44-38.

Carl Sulser led the Springlake-Earth drive with 14 points in the boys game. Jenna Banks had 15 in the girls effort.

Springlake-Earth will next play in a district game at home.

Injuries Escaped In One Car Wreck

Three teenagers escaped injuries when the car they were traveling in went out of control on the curve south of Roundup on Friday, Dec. 18, and into the gin lot there. Several cotton trailers were damaged.

James Russell of Littlefield was driving U. S. 84 in a 1967 owned by R. N. Nichols. Route 2 Littlefield mishap occurred.

Passengers were Delon Walker and Nicholas. Turner received minor injuries according to Don Kephart. Joe Cox, Department Safety officials from County.

Damages were to car and the trailers.

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HARRIS RAY'S special education class at Elementary II, constructed numerous decorative items for their homes at Christmas. Here they utilized egg cartons, thread and wood to make these hang-up cages.

PEP

MRS. CONRAD DEMEL

933-2222

PEP PTA held their monthly meeting in Pep High School auditorium on Dec. 14. Ida Simnacher president called the meeting to order. Marilo Gerik led the opening prayer and Pledge to Flag. Marcie Demel read the minutes and Lulubelle Silhan gave the treasurers report.

The program was a Christmas play by the 1st and 2nd grades. Christmas carols were sung by third and fourth grades.

A domino party will be held after the next meeting on Jan. 11. The PTA Banner went to the first and second grade room. Hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Hogue, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kunkel, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Demel, Mrs. Bennie Silhan and Mrs. Conrad Demel. The white Elephant Sale was a big success.

PEP "B" TEAM High School and Junior High played at Littlefield on Dec. 14. Pep "B" team won a victory of 45 over Littlefield. David Demel scored 5 and Steven Demel scored 11 for Pep. McCain scored 6 and Blevins scored 5 for Littlefield. In the Junior High game Pep lost of 12 to Littlefield of 27. Mark Albus scored 6, Sydney Albus scored 6, Ammos scored 6, and De La Fuente scored 4 for Littlefield.

PEP HIGH SCHOOL boys "A" team played Spade High School at Spade on Dec. 15. Pep lost 65 to Spade of 76. Dave Shannon scored 27 points, Johnny Demel scored 12, and Billy Demel 11 points for Pep. Raymond Tuvell scored 29,

David Gray scored 16 and Roy Thompson scored 14 for Spade. IN THE THREE-WAY basketball tournament at Three-Way, Pep High School girls won a third place trophy. Mickie Demel won a trophy for

all-around player in the girls division. Juanita Demel, also won a trophy for being a good guard. They are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Demel. Dave Shannon, son of Valeria Shannon for being a good player on the team, also won a trophy.

THOSE ATTENDING bingo at Muleshoe Catholic Parish Hall on Sunday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Albus and daughter, Betty; Valeria Shannon and sons, Charles and Don; Mrs. Conrad Demel and sons, Gene, Bill and David.

FHA Entertains Mothers At LJH

The annual mother-daughter Christmas tea was held Dec. 15, in the Littlefield Junior High School homemaking department by the junior chapter of FHA.

Guests were greeted at the door by president Judy Cannon, and Kim Jungman, Laquinta Clark, Rita McKinney, Janice Ray and vice president Dana Middlebrook. The guests were entertained with Christmas carols, sung by Karen Walker, Debra Pryor, Sherry Hemphill, Patricia Sevier, Donna Murray, Orville Aguirre, Maria Diaz, Debbie McBroom, and Rita McKinney, playing the guitar, all of the homemaking department.

Refreshments were prepared by the foods classes and served from colorful tables adorned with scented candles, greenery and Christmas tree balls.

HEARING TESTS

Each school child should have a hearing test as part of his annual physical examination, according to the Beltone Crusade for Hearing Conservation. Crusade spokesmen warn that sending a child to school with an undetected hearing loss and expecting the child to compete with other children is equivalent to asking the youngster to run a foot race while wearing lead shoes.

Pair Feted With Party

A double birthday party was given Friday, Dec. 18 for Steven Brock, six years old and Lisa Latimer, eight years old, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Brock.

The honorees parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Brock Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Latimer of Fieldton.

Refreshments of cake, ice cream and punch was served to those present. Favors were given to each child and games were played.

Children present were Steven Brock, Lisa Latimer, Sheri and Michelle Brock, Ronny Riney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Riney. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Gibson Smith, Mrs. Ila Lyman, all of Oklahoma and Mrs. Roy Hudson.

Sarah SS Class Has Christmas Supper

OLTON-- Sarah Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church met Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R.G. DeBerry for their annual Christmas supper and gift exchange, with their husbands as guests.

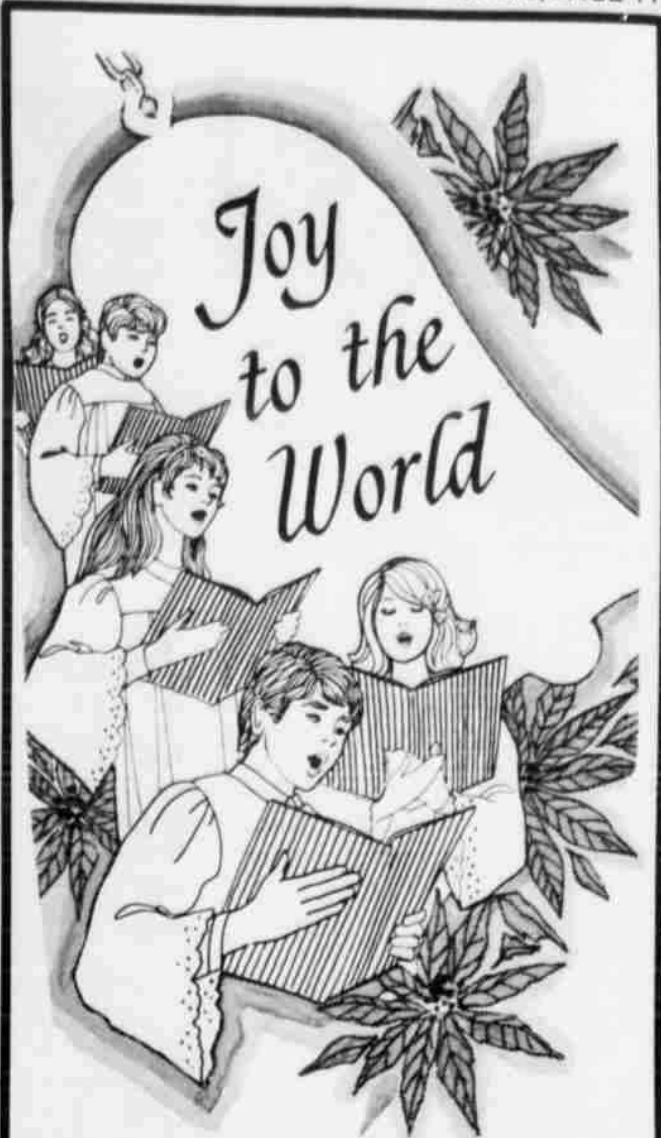
Christmas decorations were used throughout the DeBerry home. Gifts were distributed to members and guests from a decorated tree following the salad supper.

The rest of the evening was spent in playing "42" and dominoes.

Attending were Messrs. and Mmes. L.G. Elkins, H.B. Carson, Doyle Pinson, Frank Adams, Jim Hyatt, Elbert Hyman, Lloyd Graham, Witt Laceywell, Barton Prestridge, M. G. Fisher, R. G. DeBerry and Mrs. Tom Smith.

Mrs. H.B. Carson is teacher of this class.

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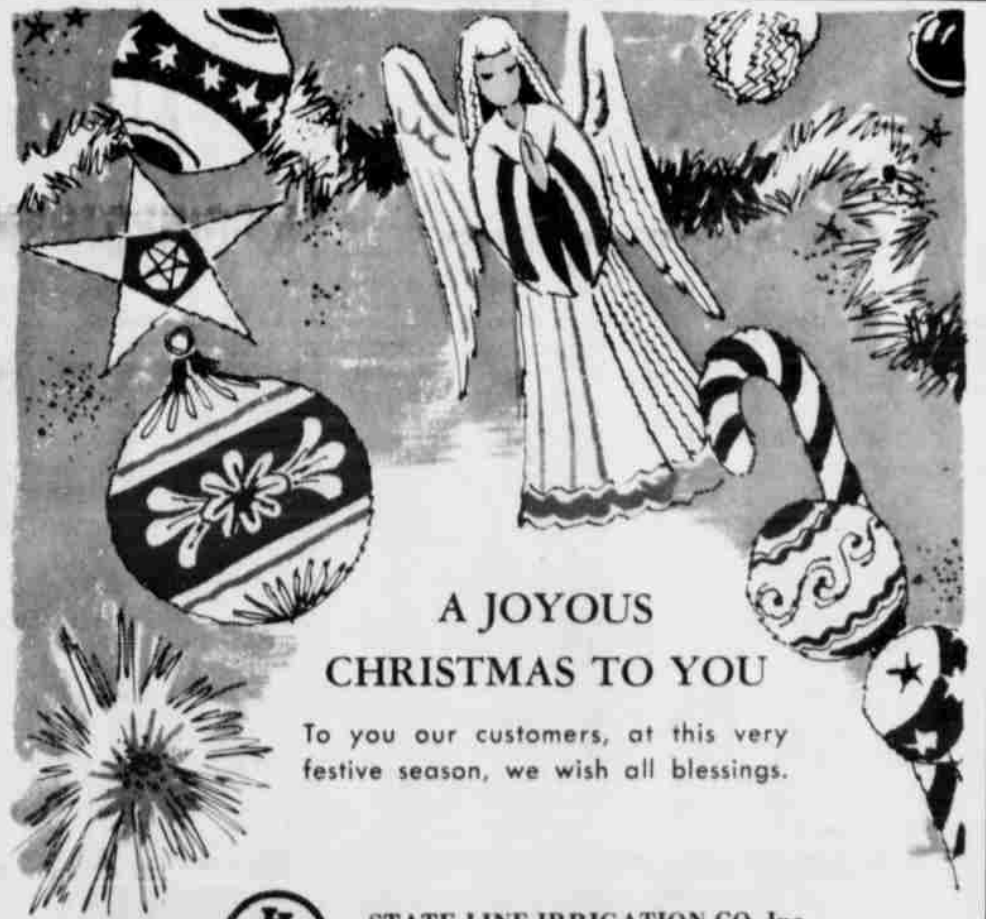


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LT. BENNETT WORLEY of Perrin Air Force Base is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Worley.

MR. AND MRS. Clifford Ray of Gulfport, Miss., arrived Dec. 12 for a visit until Dec. 27 with relatives. Ray is a member of the Naval Seabees, Mrs. Ray is the former Diana Malone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Malone. They will also visit his parents in Hart.

MR. AND MRS. Doc Woods of Littlefield visited friends and relatives in Olton Saturday. They are former Olton residents.

SOLOISTS for the Christmas Cantata at First Baptist Church Sunday night were: Miss Janie Jones, Mrs. Jim Craft and Richard Hunt.

MISS KATH' LEEN JONES is "Miss Christmas 1970" of Olton. She was announced winner of the annual competition Saturday. She is daughter of Dr. and Mrs. O. H. Jones. She received a shower of gifts from local merchants. The titlist was chosen from a field of eight beauties. Other contestants were Pauli Hernandez, Sheree Meinecke, Ramona Neinast, Cynthia Elkins, Judi Truelock, Irene Martinez and Judy Wilkinson.

AMONG COLLEGE students home for Christmas from Texas Tech are Steve Spain, Jane Ann Duncan, Laura Akin, Donnie Fancher, Sissie Smith, Bruce Hines, Leslie Norfleet, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Burkhalter, Valda Jones, Phil Cox, Don Curtis, George Phillips, Rockne Farrar, Kathy Norfleet, Benny Akin, Jan Carson, Kim Parker, David Britton, Roger Thompson, Curtis Schaefer and Stan Huckabee.

MRS. PEARL SCHREIER and Mrs. Ethel Schreier visited Friday and Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill

Schreier in Abernathy. Saturday afternoon they visited in the home of Mrs. Fred Schreier in Plainview.

MR. AND MRS. John Montgomery visited with Mrs. Ray Montgomery at University Hospital in Lubbock one day last week.

MR. AND MRS. Randall Small, Jeri and Kelli of Dimmitt and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Small plan to visit Christmas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Rematore and Kurt in Arlington. Mrs. Rematore is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Small.

GUESTS HAVING Christmas supper Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Jones were Capt. Roy Neal Jones of Clovis, N. M.; Mrs. Pauline Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones of Tucson, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hipp of Lubbock; and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hipp and Karen.

MR. AND MRS. Roy Granbery of Truth or Consequences, N. M. plan to visit Christmas in the home of his mother, Mrs. Mae Silcott.

MR. AND MRS. Dubbs Granbery left Monday for Denver, Colo. where they will visit in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Granbery and children. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Steigers, Mark and Julie of Minneapolis, Minn. also plan to visit in Denver during the holidays.

MR. AND MRS. Jerry Edmonson, Carrie, and Bryan of Tulsa, Okla. are here visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Witt Laceywell. They will also visit his relatives in Lubbock.

MR. AND MRS. Ishmeal Malone and daughter, Curlene of Portales, N. M. visited Sunday in the home of his brother, A. J. Malone.

MR. AND MRS. Marion Green, Stan and Jeff of Dumas plan to visit his mother, Mrs. Lillian Green during the holidays.

DINNER GUESTS Sunday in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Al Jennings were Mr. and Mrs. Finis Jennings of Lazbuddie; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Watts, Cindy and Kayle of Farwell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. David Hughes and Eric, all of Lubbock; and Lynda Jennings of Abilene.

STUDENTS HOME from McMurry College in Abilene are Mr. and Mrs. Joel Nelson, Jan and Danny Amerson and Lynda Jennings.

MR. AND MRS. Raiford Daniel Sr. expect all their children and grandchildren home for Christmas. They are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Snell, Susan, Samuel and Edwin of Clovis, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Curits, Debbie and Ronnie of Tucson, Ariz.; and Mr. and Mrs. Raiford Daniel, Raiford III, Hollis, Clifford, Donna, Debra, Jodie and Albert.

MR. AND MRS. Tom Smith plan to visit in Clayton, N. M. during the holidays in the home of their daughter-in-law and son, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Smith, Kirk and Teresa.

MRS. NORMA KENNEDY was in Plainview Friday.

KELLIS SMITH, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith Jr. of Stratford spent last week here visiting in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith Sr.

OLTON ART GUILD is sponsoring a three-day workshop in oils Jan. 5, 6, and 7 in the building on the corner of Main and 2nd Street. Mrs. Pat Krahn of Lubbock will be the instructor. Classes will be from

9 a. m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p. m. each day. The workshop will be limited to 20. Interested persons should contact Mrs. Merrill Brigrance or Mrs. Barton Prestridge.

MR. AND MRS. W. M. Smith Jr., Kelli, Ricky and Nicky of Stratford plan to spend the Christmas holidays here visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith Sr.

JOHN LATIMER and Leonard Stamps hunted deer recently in South Texas.



Dear Santa,
I want a radio, and a truck, and some cars, and big red stoking full of candy.

Harrey McClanahan
Room 16

Dear Santa
I am 6 years old. I love you. I want some cars, a gun and some candy and some play

money and I don't know what else.

Thank you,
Glenn McClanahan

404 East 18th Street
Littlefield, Texas 79339
December 21, 1970

Dear Santa,
My name is David Alan and I

am 4 1/2 and DeAnn is 13 to be good like Please bring think we should We will leave and milk for

Dear Santa I am 3 years too. I want a big car and a candy.

Dear Santa I am 4. I want a big car and a candy.

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Mrs. FORD discusses a Christmas centerpiece with two of her sixth grade children, Friday, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Friday, and Pennie Sexton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Sexton. The angels were centered in clouds of red silk.

Club Fetes Citizens

Members of the Citizens Club sponsored for an Christmas party Friday at the Women's Club. After gifts were exchanged, coffee, hot spiced tea, cookies and fruit cake were served to C.T. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Colmena and Mmes. Anna Gallagher, Daisy Thomas, Cora Wozencraft, Nellie Turner, Callie Miller, Ocie Holland, Sherman Jones, Cowart, Hudgens, Galloway and visitors, Mrs. Don Roden of Amarillo, Mrs. Denver Offield and Miss Ann Warren. Also attending were regular sponsors, Mrs. Tom C. Smith and Mrs. Joe Chester.



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CRESCENT HOUSE OF BEAUTY



KINDERGARTEN students in Room One pose with their teachers, Mrs. Janice Chronister and Mrs. Carolyn West, at the Primary building. This week has been a time of singing carols and parties—along with some work—for the small tikes.

Dear Santa



Dear Santa
I am 8 years old. I have been a good girl. I want a bicycle and a barbie doll and clothes for her. I also want a cowgirl suit. We will leave you a snack.

I love you,
Geanice Martin
Route 1
Littlefield, Texas 79339

Dear Santa,
I want a baby Tender Love, and a baby buggy for Christmas. Merry Christmas.

Love,
Christie Feagley
St. Rt. 2
Littlefield, Texas

Dear Santa
I am 5 years old and can't write yet, so my sister is writing this for me. I have tried to be good, so I hope you will come to see me. I want a big dump truck and a pocket knife. I also want a cowboy suit. I love you Santa, Merry Christmas.

Love,
David Martin
Route 1
Littlefield, Texas

P.S. We will leave you cookies and milk.

Dear Santa,
This Christmas I want a baby tender love and a baby buggy. Merry Christmas.

From
Sandy Feagley
St. Rt. 2, Littlefield, Texas



SANTA CLAUS greets all guests to Mrs. Joe Blevins' second grade room, and two of her students "show him off" for the photographer. Donna Aaron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Aaron, and Will Burks, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Burks, are proud of their Santa.

Acteens Have Yule Party

AMHERST—The Acteens had their Christmas party Wednesday evening, Dec. 16th, in the home of Mrs. Dick McDaniel.

Mrs. Jimmy Cowan brought the Christmas story and Lesa Nelson led in prayer. Games were played by the

group and gifts were exchanged from a lighted Christmas tree. Refreshments of sandwiches, chips and dips, assorted home made candies, sugar cookies, spiced tea and Cokes were served to Misses Kathy Tomes, Sheryl Willson, Lesa Nelson, Rita McAdams, Lisa Landers, Roxanne Young, Debbie Cummings, Gayla Cowan and the hostess.

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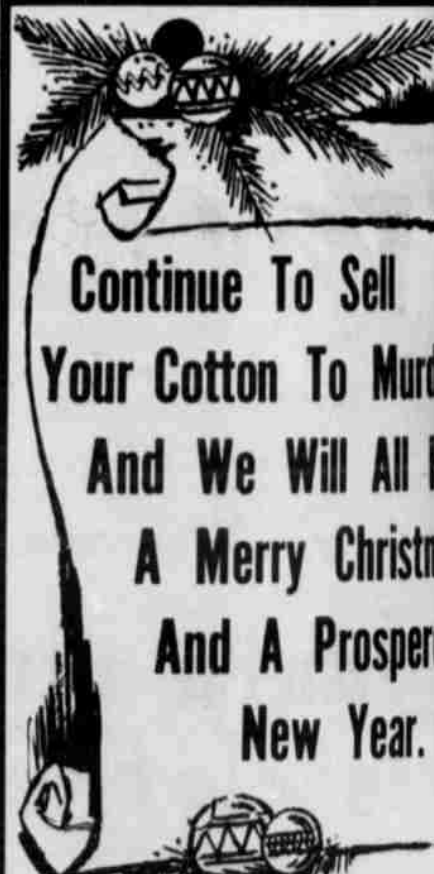
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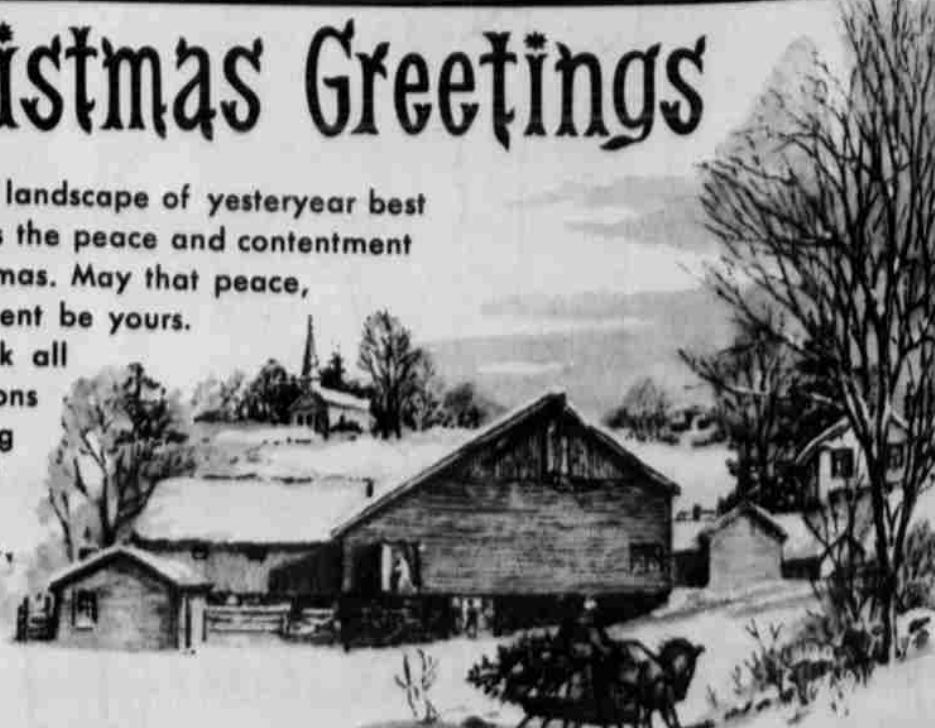
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TREE ORNAMENTS were made by second graders in Mrs. Beatrice Montgomery's room, and they beam with the Christmas spirit in anticipation of the holidays. Each placed his own decoration on the room's tree.

Save Poinsettia Life By Taking Precautions

Poinsettias can stay colorful and attractive throughout the Christmas season with a little help.

Place the plant in a sunny location away from drafts, heat vents or open doors which cause sudden temperature changes.

Night temperatures should not drop below 60 degrees F. Proper watering will prolong the Poinsettia's life. Because of low humidity in most homes and large leaf surfaces on the plant, it often requires frequent watering. If soil gets too dry, leaves will wilt.

On the other hand, too much water cuts off oxygen to the roots.

Check for a drainage hole in the bottom of the pot. It may be stopped with decorator foil. If the hole is covered, the excess moisture can not drain out and the soil remains waterlogged.

About three weeks after the plant has been received, fertilize with a complete fertilizer such as a 5-10-5 using one level teaspoon per six inch pot. Apply the fertilizer over the surface of the soil and water thoroughly.

Application may be repeated at three week intervals until the colored bracts fade and drop.

The Poinsettia plant will go into a rest period sometime in mid-January and shed its colored bracts. When this occurs, gradually reduce the amount of water and move the plant to a cool location where the temperature will remain between 45 degrees F. to 55 degrees F.

Do not allow the plant to become too dry; however, excessive moisture should be avoided.

The plant may be re-potted or placed directly in the yard. If repotted, cut the plant back to three to six inches in height, shake the old soil from the roots, and re-pot in a fertile well-drained soil, having a pH of 6.0 to 7.0. After potting place the plant in the shade for a few days and water well.

To produce a compact bushy plant, pinch out the tips of the new growth when it reaches four to six inches in length. Repeat this procedure until the middle of August.

The Poinsettia is a short day plant and will not set flower buds and produce the colorful bracts until the short days of fall arrive. Flower buds will not form in a room where electric lights are used at night.

Beginning the first week in October, the plant should not receive over eight hours of daylight in order to hasten

flower formation. Place the plant in a dark room at five o'clock in the afternoon and bring it back into the sunlight at eight o'clock in the morning.

After the bracts begin to show color, this short day treatment may be discontinued. Using this system the plants should show color by Thanksgiving time and be in full bloom by Christmas.

Poinsettias are very susceptible to damage by mealy bugs, aphids, or other sucking insects. Spraying with Malathion at the recommended rates will control these insects.

Baking the Pie

"The devil dares not show himself in Cornwall at Christmas time lest he should be baked in a pie."

This old English saying takes its humorous inspiration from the wide variety of ingredients actually used in the mince pies and other Christmas pies of early England, according to the editors of The New Book of Knowledge.

One 14th-century recipe for a Christmas pie included: a pheasant, a hare, a capon, two partridges, two pigeons, two rabbits, beef meat balls, eggs, pickled mushrooms, seasonings and spices, all in a pastry crust.

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SECOND GRADERS in Mrs. Olene Gibson's room entertained their parents and friends Tuesday with a skit on the birth of Christ, while an "angelic" choir of other students sang in the background.

Decorating with Cards Can Be Yule Project

When children need a change from the toys on Christmas day, a promising project could be to let them see what they can do with the family greeting cards.

Here are some suggestions from Jeannette Lee, art director for Hallmark.

Tape or staple cards to lengths of ribbon and hang them on walls or doors.

Make a Christmas wreath by attaching cards to a circle of cardboard.

"Frame" cards with construction paper.

Decorate a screen with cards.



AN 'ANGELIC' CHOIR, directed by Mrs. Olene Gibson, to the right, sang in the background as other second graders in the room portrayed the birth of Christ.



PEACE... AT CHRISTMAS

That all may share peace, good will is our holiday wish.

LUCE & NELSON



What Are the Facts About Christmas?

Everybody thinks that space travel is something new, but an elderly gentleman in a rather unique "space-suit" set the pace years ago. His name: Santa Claus.

Now is the season when he's taking off again, for it's Christmas.

How much do you know about Christmas and Santa Claus? Here are some questions, developed with the help of the editors of the Encyclopedia International, to test your knowledge. The answers are at the bottom.

- The first known Christmas card was designed in 1843 by an Englishman named:
 - Charles Dickens
 - Sir Henry Cole
 - John Calcott Horsley
- The first Christian Nativity feast, celebrating the birth of Christ, occurred in the fourth century on:
 - January 6
 - July 4
 - December 25
- Christmas did not become a legal holiday in the U.S. until:
 - The Puritans arrived in New England
 - 1856
 - Santa's Helpers Union went on strike.
- The original name of the gentleman we know today as Santa Claus was:
 - Kris Kringle
 - Clement C. Moore
 - St. Nicholas

1. (C) is correct. Artist Horsley designed the first known Christmas greeting card for his friend, Sir Henry Cole, a wealthy London gentleman. Charles Dickens had his share in Christmas 1843, too. His book, "A Christmas Carol," was published that year.

2. (A) is correct. At first, January 6, the Epiphany, was observed as the feast of Jesus' baptism, with a secondary emphasis on His birth. It was not until the 5th century A.D. that Christmas was generally celebrated on December 25.

3. (B) is correct. New England states outlawed the celebration of Christmas until the middle of the 19th century.

4. (C) is correct. Kris Kringle is the German name for Santa, while Clement C. Moore contributed to the image of Santa Claus with his poem, "A Visit from St. Nicholas," in 1823. St. Nicholas was a real person, a fourth century bishop, and the first Santa Claus.

WORDS OF ANGELS

Recall the words of the angels. One of them says to the shepherds, "I bring you tidings of great joy that shall be to all people; for this day is born to you a Saviour in the city of David." And the others sing in concert, "Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace to men of good will." (Luke 2:10-14).

CHRIST'S BIRTH

The Holy Bible paints us a picture of the Christ's birth with these words of Mary—"Be it done unto me according to thy word." The Bible says "And the word was made man and dwelt among us," and "She conceived by the Holy Spirit."

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Christmas is a special time filled with merriment for one and all. We hope your holidays are exceptionally happy, and thanks for making us happy by being a loyal friend and customer.

Western Auto

Felice Navidad. Apreciamos su patronazgo. Esperamos poderle servir el año nuevo.

Merry Christmas. We appreciate your patronage and look forward to serving you in the future.

CHRISTMAS JOY

May the joy and peace of this holiday season be with you.

M and M Laundry

MERRY MERRY CHRISTMAS

On a note of good cheer, we greet our many friends with best wishes and appreciation.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

From Your Culligan People

1020 E 9th

Yule Greens Set Scene For Festivity

From the welcoming wreath on the door to the Christmas tree glowing with lights and bedecked with packages, from the cheery poinsettia plant on the mantel or table to the sprig of mistletoe with its promises of kisses and laughter, greens and plants set the scene for holiday enjoyment.

Many of the greens now used for Christmas decorations once adorned pagan rites, and were credited by the ancients with certain mystical powers and virtues.

Today, using greens has become holiday custom, regardless of religious or symbolic significance.

In legend, the laurel and the bay have told the story of victory and triumph since the days of ancient Greece.

Ivy was the convivial green of pagan holidays, and was supposed to express the joyousness of Bacchus. The yew and the cyprus symbolize eternal life.

PLAN YOUR LAUNDRY

If you have your own washer and gas dryer, the American Gas Association suggests that you not use it more than necessary, just because it's handy. It's a waste of your time, and a waste of fuel dollars. Try to wash a full load of clothes each time you use your washer, but, of course, don't overload the machine or your clothes won't get clean. Usually, whatever you wash together can be dried together. For best results, avoid overloading the dryer, and overdrying the clothes. Unless the clothes can move freely, wrinkling will result.



'FROSTY SAYS MERRY CHRISTMAS' is theme of the door to Mrs. Ray Hulse's study hall at Junior High School. Steve Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jackson, and Lisa Gonzales, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Trinidad Gonzales, admire the handiworks.

Whitharral HD Holds Yule Party

WHITHARRAL-The Whitharral Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. D. C. Thetford for an all-day meeting, and everyone brought a covered dish. After lunch there was a short program with Mrs. D. C. Thetford and Mrs. J. M. Nixon leading Christmas carols. Mrs. Elsie Avery gave a reading, "Christmas Day," and Mrs. Eunice Wade read, "Searching."

The roll call and the reading of the minutes were given by Mrs. E. C. Pair.

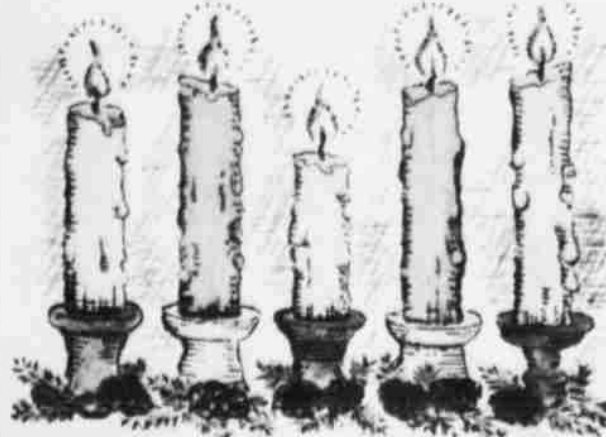
They had a Christmas tree with everyone bringing an exchange gift, then members revealed secret pals and drew new ones for the next year.

There were 14 members and one visitor. Members were Mrs. Elsie Avery, Mrs. Eunice Wade, Mrs. Nell Smith, Mrs. E. C. Pair, Miss Lena Maxey, Mrs. Vera Rodgers, Mrs. Carrie Eller, Mrs. Eula Fyke, Mrs. Edna Waters, Mrs. Brace Hicks, Mrs. Alma Kilgore, Mrs. J. M. Nixon, Mrs. Henry Dobson, and the hostess, Mrs. D. C. Thetford.

The visitor was Mrs. Jewel Robinson, County Home Demonstration agent from Levelland. The next meeting will be Jan. 5 at Mrs. Eula Fykes'.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

May the season shine with warmth, peace and happiness for you and your family.



We will be closed Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 24-26, so that our employees may be at home with their families and friends for Christmas.

DRS. ARMISTEAD & WALLACE
OPTOMETRISTS

WHITHARRAL

DONNA AVERY

MISS BETH PELFREY and Dewey Waldrop are now Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Waldrop. They were united in matrimony Dec. 11.

STEVEN GRAHAM, a former student of Whitharral who is now living in Odessa, was married to Miss Rhonda Mead in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Avery, Sunday, Dec. 20.

SATURDAY, DEC. 19, the Whitharral FFA and FHA had their Christmas banquet. Many young couples enjoyed themselves thoroughly.

THURSDAY, DEC. 17, the Lions Club met for their Christmas party. Charles Addington, Whitharral's band director played Christmas carols on the piano while the group sang.

THE HIGH school basketball teams, girls and boys, played New Deal Friday, Dec. 18, at New Deal. The girls lost 33-32 and the boys lost 44-69.

BOBBY GRANT, Roger White and Ernest Kristinek went deer hunting in South Texas.

FRIDAY, Bobby Grant, Roger White, Ernest Kristinek and Marion Polk went deer hunting in South Texas. The first time Bobby Grant got two deer, Roger White got two deer and Ernest Kristinek got two deer also. At this writing they had not returned from their second trip.

SCHOOL gave semester tests, Tuesday, and Wednesday. Wednesday school let out for the Christmas holiday until Jan. 4.

THE BAND gave a Christmas concert Wednesday afternoon before school turned out.

DEC. 13 the Whitharral High School put on a play, "The Widow's Weary Way," or "Virtue Wins Out." It was a good play directed by Mr. Charles Addington, which many people enjoyed.

THE DON AVERYS are expecting three Girlstown sisters over most of the Christmas holiday.

DON AVERY went pheasant hunting at Hereford Thursday

and returned with two. Saturday he and his two boys went pheasant hunting at Hereford and returned with no birds.

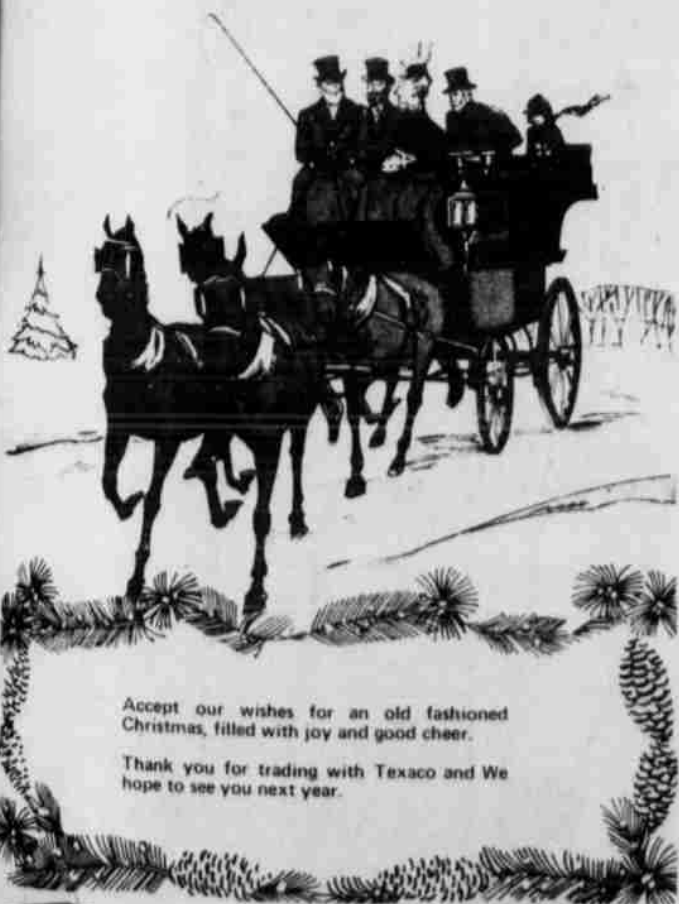


Here's to a Yule that's fresh and bright, sparkling with merriment for you and yours. Thank you, our fine friends and patrons.

LITTLEFIELD CLEANERS

WE WILL BE CLOSED FRIDAY & SATURDAY

MERRIEST CHRISTMAS SEASON 1969



Accept our wishes for an old fashioned Christmas, filled with joy and good cheer.

Thank you for trading with Texaco and We hope to see you next year.

TEXACO **GENE RATLIFF**

Texaco Consignee-Littlefield

Happy Holiday

We wish for you a specially bright holiday season. Thank you for helping make this past year so successful!

BIRKELBACH
MACHINE SHOP

1012 E 9th Littlefield, Texas



GREETINGS

Over the fields and through the snow-covered countryside go our warmest Christmas wishes. In this tradition, we greet our friends and customers, with hopes for your holiday happiness, and with genuine appreciation for your good will.

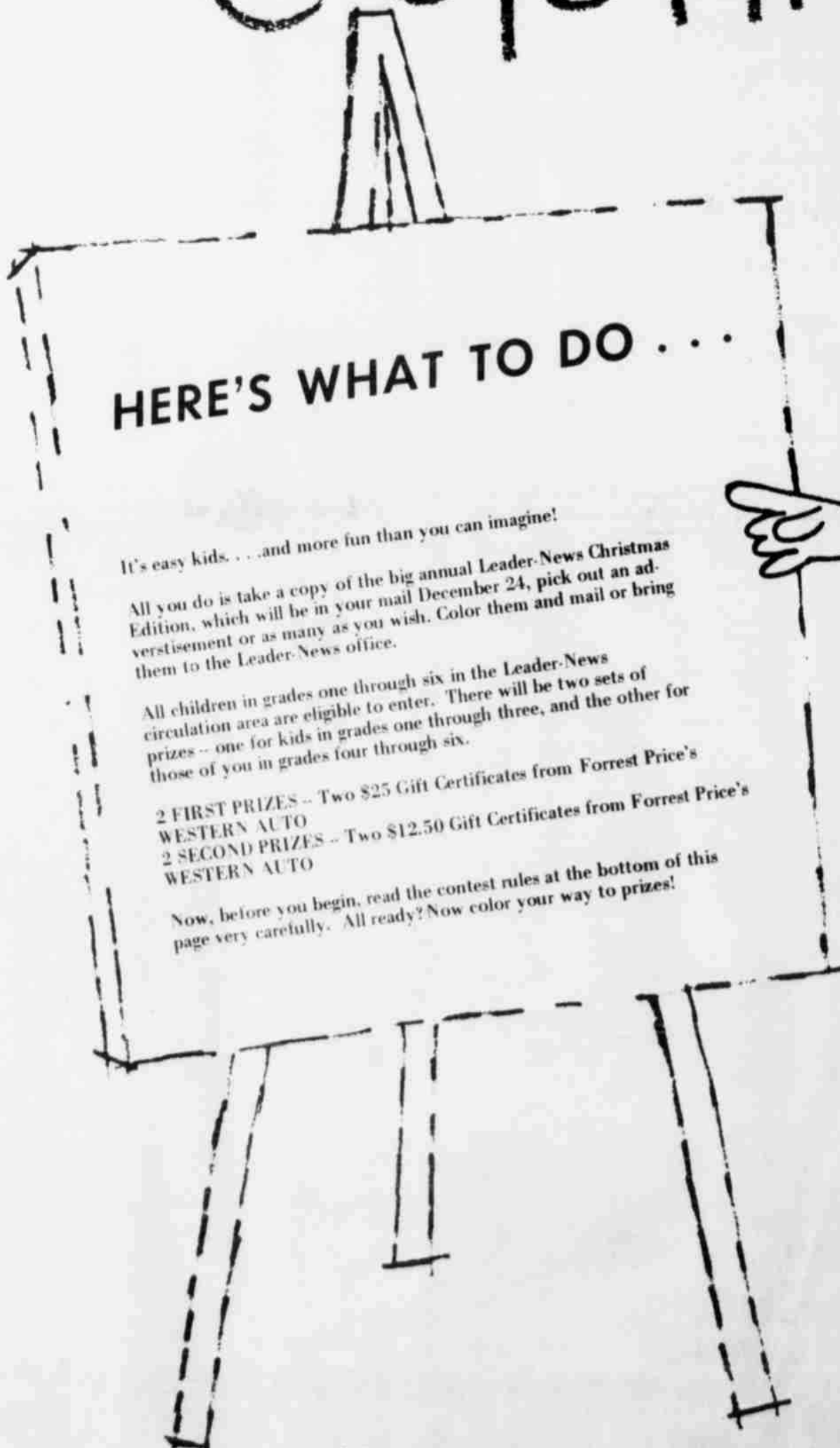
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R & W SUPPLY

THE LEADER-NEWS' COLORING CONTEST

HERE WE GO KIDS... ENTER THIS POPULAR...

Do-it-yourself Coloring Contest



HERE'S WHAT TO DO . . .

It's easy kids . . . and more fun than you can imagine!

All you do is take a copy of the big annual Leader-News Christmas Edition, which will be in your mail December 24, pick out an advertisement or as many as you wish. Color them and mail or bring them to the Leader-News office.

All children in grades one through six in the Leader-News circulation area are eligible to enter. There will be two sets of prizes - one for kids in grades one through three, and the other for those of you in grades four through six.

- 2 FIRST PRIZES - Two \$25 Gift Certificates from Forrest Price's WESTERN AUTO
- 2 SECOND PRIZES - Two \$12.50 Gift Certificates from Forrest Price's WESTERN AUTO

Now, before you begin, read the contest rules at the bottom of this page very carefully. All ready? Now color your way to prizes!



CONTEST RULES

Read Carefully

Rules:

1. Official Leader-News entry blank must be attached securely to each entry.
2. The entries will be judged on the basis of neatness, selection of colors and beauty. In making their selection the judges will take the age of the entrant into consideration. Children of employees of the Leader-News are not eligible to enter.
3. Paste or tape your entry to the ad you've colored. The size of the ad makes no difference. Any Christmas ad in the edition is fine.
4. You may submit as many entries as you wish, provided each is accompanied by a separate entry blank. Your school grade (from one to three or from four to six) will determine in which of the two prize categories your entry will be eligible.
5. Fill out the entry blank completely. Have your mother or father go over it with you to be sure all the information is clear and distinct. Have your parents print (or type) your entry blank if necessary, so we can list your name correctly if you win a prize.
6. Mail or bring your entry to: Christmas Coloring Contest, LEADER-NEWS, Box 72, Littlefield. Or bring it to the office at 313 West 4th. All entries become the property of the LEADER-NEWS and no entries will be returned.
7. The decision of the judges is final.
8. All entries must be in or postmarked by midnight Monday, Jan. 4, 1971. Winners will be announced in the Leader-News Sunday, January 10, 1971.

LEADER - NEWS CHRISTMAS COLORING CONTEST For Children ENTRY BLANK

(Fill Out Completely—See Rules)

YOUR NAME _____ AGE _____
 ADDRESS _____
 CITY _____ PHONE _____
 SCHOOL _____

Mail or bring your entry to Christmas Coloring Contest
 Leader-News, Littlefield, Texas
 PLEASE PRINT INFORMATION...
 And ATTACH TO YOUR ENTRY!

GRADE



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Thank you for your continued good will.
ALLEN PURDY
SEWING MACHINE SHOP
812 E 9th 385-4811



It's always a pleasure to
share our friends happiness!
LITTLEFIELD BUTANE
9th 385-3010 - 385-5155



May the joys and blessings of Christmas be with you through this season
HAMMONS
Funeral Home
E. 5th 385-5121

Carol Can Be Tongue-Twister

"On the first day of Christmas, my true love sent to me a partridge in a pear tree."

So begins "The Twelve Days of Christmas," a traditional and favorite song of the holiday season. The ballad tells the story of the gifts a lover sends to his lady on each of the 12 days from Christmas to Epiphany.

The first gift, a partridge in a pear tree, may have been inspired by an old drinking song, "A Pie sat on a Pear Tree," say the editors of The New Book of Knowledge.

As a ballad, "The Twelve Days of Christmas" is an example of the "number chain formula" in folk songs. As a carol, it is of the type that marked the change from formal hymns in Latin to musical poems in the vernacular of the people.

The song can be sung in a variety of ways. In Great Britain and the United States, it often becomes a game song in which each person, following a leader in repetitions, must pay a forfeit if he misses a line. Sometimes the descriptions of the gifts turn into mouth-defying tongue twisters!



MRS. MARSENE HOLT and her fourth-grader student Toni Aguilar, discuss the winter wonderland theme on the door to their room in the Elementary I Building.

January Draft Calls For 905

The January draft call for Texas is 905. Local draft boards will fill the call with men from the Extended Priority Selection Group and with men from the First Priority Selection Group for 1971.

Colonel Duncan explained that the Extended Priority Selection Group includes all those men in I-A and I-A-O on Dec. 31, whose random sequence numbers were reached by their local boards during 1970 but who were not called.

This group is made up of young men born between 1944 and 1950 who have not reached their 26th birthday.

The first priority selection group for January will include men with random sequence numbers 100 and below and random sequence number 100 is expected to remain the ceiling for several months.

This group is composed of young men who reached age 19 during 1970, and who received lottery numbers in the July 1970 drawing and have not received deferments or exemptions from service.

Colonel Duncan stressed that those men in the Extended Priority Selection Group will be ordered ahead of those in the drawing.

First Priority Selection Group, and the 100 ceiling applies only to the 1971 First Priority Selection Group and does not affect the liability of those men in the Extended Priority Selection Group.

The January figure of 905 is up from 489 in December, and is the state's share of a national quota of 17,000 men, all for the Army.

The state quota for pre-induction physical and mental examinations is 4,340, up from 3,376 in December.

Local board quotas for induction and pre-induction examination in January were scheduled to be mailed to the state's 159 boards Dec. 16.

SPRINTERS ON ICE
Polar bears can sprint at speeds up to 25 miles an hour on ice.

The Safe Way

MARTIN LUTHER generally is credited with first using candles to decorate Christmas trees, and since his time people have been burning down their houses with unsafe Christmas tree practices.

There are right and wrong ways to go about decorating a tree, warns the Texas State Department of Health.

ONLY FRESHLY CUT trees should be used. Saw off the trunk at an angle about an inch or more above the original cut and erect the tree so it stands in water.

Locate the tree away from sources of heat to prevent more rapid drying. Keep it away from exits and remove it as soon as possible after the holiday.

WAX CANDLES SHOULD NEVER be used on or near the tree. Use only lighting sets that bear the Underwriters' Laboratories (UL) label—not just the cords—and use them only for their intended purpose. Discard any lamp wiring that is frayed or badly worn.

Unplug the lights when not in the house or when going to bed.

Avoid overloading circuits. A 15 amp fuse should be the maximum used.

METALLIC TREES should not be decorated with electric lights. Instead, use off-the-tree spot or flood lighting.

Keep trains, road racing sets and other electrical toys away from the tree. Sparks or short circuits could start a fire.

USE FLAME RETARDANT flock in order to reduce the fire hazard. Sprayed-on, flame-retardant treatments by homeowners generally are not practical since effective application is difficult.

If you buy a plastic or metallized plastic tree, make certain that the materials burn slowly. If decorated with lights, determine that the branches do not conduct electricity before you make the purchase. Again, select only those that have the UL label.

TREES ARE THE FOCAL POINT for holiday decorating, but safety should come before—or go along with—beauty.

New Tax Rules Set On Children

The Tax Reform Act of 1969 makes it easier to qualify foster children as dependents according to Ellis Campbell, Jr., IRS District Director for North Texas.

A foster child now can be claimed as a dependent on the same terms as a natural child if he lives with the taxpayer and is a member of the household for the entire year.

The effect of the Act also is to permit a taxpayer a dependency exemption for a foster child who makes \$625 or more if the child is under 19 or a fulltime student and the other

dependency tests are met. Previously, such a foster child could not qualify as a dependent even though all other dependency requirements were met.

A foster child is defined as one in the care of someone other than natural or adopted parents who cares for the child as his own.

DRIVE CAREFULLY
New Year's Eve is a good time to stay off the road, if possible. But, if you do have to drive, be extra careful.



Once more the Christmas message is renewed in our hearts. May the spirit-lifting joys of the season be yours.
CAMPBELL PLUMBING
1022 E 9th 385-5020



CHRISTMAS CHEER
We would like to extend our warmest wishes to all our friends, patrons.
DAVID E. DAILY
TEXACO
6th & Hall Ave.

OLTON

MR. AND MRS. Louie Cross visited recently in Muleshoe Convalescent Home with his mother, Mrs. Bertha Cross.

CLAUDE BURNETT Jr. recently completed an adult leaders Scout training course for leaders in the Haynes District. More than 70 adult leaders participated in the training sessions. Burnett, local cubmaster, is now certified as a fully-trained leader.

MR. AND MRS. Stanley Scott of Springlake, Ark. have moved near Olton. He will be farming with his father-in-law, G. F. Peel.



CHRISTMAS Joy

May the joy and peace of Christmas abundantly bless you now and forevermore...

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PHONE 385-5137

BEST WISHES
and thank you for your kind patronage this past year.
LEE AUTO SERVICE
310 WEST DELANO
Phone 385-4717

GREETINGS

Here's wishing you an abundance of all the things that go to make up a wonderful holiday season!
We Will Be Closed Dec. 24, 25, 26-27
TASTY TACO
STAFF & EMPLOYEES
651 HALL AVE. 385-6124

GREETINGS
LET US IRON IN YOUR NEW YEAR

We're happy to deliver you our merriest wishes for a fun-filled holiday season. Thank you for letting us be of service.
LITTLEFIELD STEAM LAUNDRY
232 W 2nd 385-3811

Santa's holiday list...

It's sure to include each and every one of our wonderful friends and customers. We hope Santa's put you down for the very best of the Christmas season. And we hope that the holidays bring you not only presents under the tree but the gifts of life as well: happiness, peace, good health, and love.

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The Folks
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