

Lamb County Leader

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School Tax Rate Vote Planned

1.5-Inch Rain Recorded Here

The Littlefield area had a little of everything weatherwise through the first three days of the week, but it all added up Wednesday to one thing: beneficial moisture.

The weatherman indicated more of the same, promising cloudy skies and occasional rain today.

THE WEATHER



Today's forecast - Cloudy with occasional rain. No important temperature change.

Temperatures - Sunday high 69, low 36; Monday high 51, low 43; Tuesday high 40, low 38; Wednesday high at 11:30 a.m. 38, low 37.

Moisture - 1.14 inches were recorded for Monday and .12 of an inch was recorded for Tuesday, 18.27 inches for the year and 17.82 inches for this time last year.

Moisture record here by Western Cottonoil totaled 1.26 inches from late Monday afternoon to early Wednesday morning. However, residents in various parts of town reported measurements of an inch and a half or more for that period. A three-inch snow fell here Monday night.

Sleet began falling in Littlefield in mid-afternoon Monday. The stuff later turned to snow and still later to rain.

Residents went to bed Monday night with snow covering the ground and went to work Tuesday morning in the rain.

All the snow was gone by late Tuesday as temperatures stayed in the upper 30's.

The weather made for hazardous road conditions Monday night and early Tuesday. Only one accident in the Littlefield area was attributed to slick roads, however.

Where the storm made things tough in the Panhandle, it brought little trouble to the Littlefield area. School buses found the going sticky and shoppers found it a bit messy, but few here were complaining.

The moisture brought smiles to the faces of farmers, setting them up in fine shape for another crop year.

Asst. County Agent Herb Helbig commented: "The farmers who have listed their land will get the biggest benefit from this moisture. That water will go right down into the subsoil.

"Those who haven't listed will find it easier to plow," he said. Helbig also pointed out that the rains will help small grains and pasture land.

"It'll build up the land for next fall and ought to help just about everybody," he added.

Over the county, measure ments of one to two inches were recorded.

North and east of Olton, one gauge showed 1.6 inches of rain Tuesday morning. There wasn't much snow in that area.

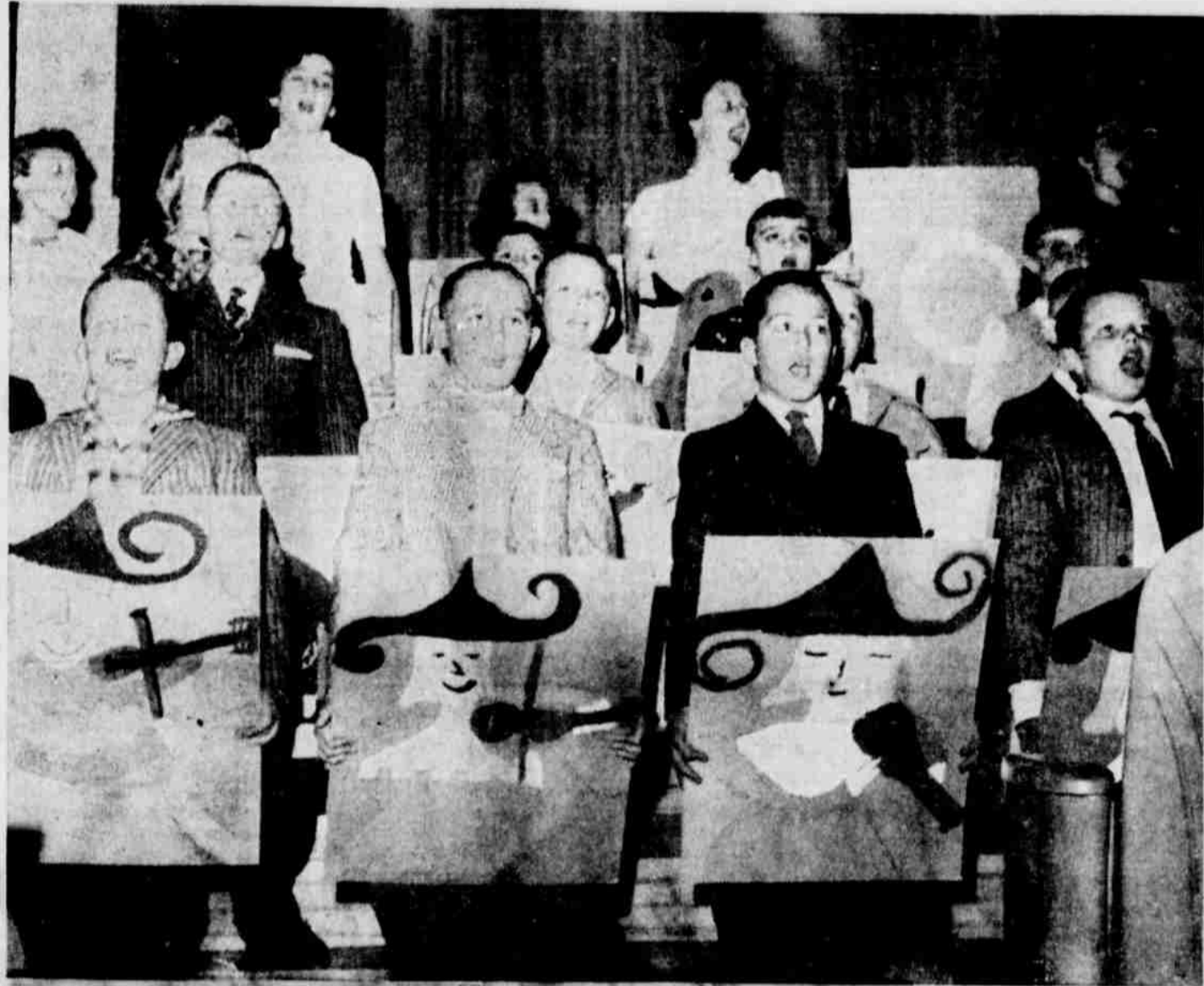
In downtown Olton, the measurement Tuesday was 1.3 inches, with the same recorded at Springlake. An inch and a half was measured at Earth, West of there, the moisture was heavier.

County Agent Bill Kimbrough said about four inches of snow fell at Earth. Toward the west, the snow was heavier, he said.

South of Spade, the Ed Elliott farm received 1.7 inches of moisture Monday night. Bud Vann at Spade got one inch. Seven miles southeast of Littlefield, 1.2 inches of rain were recorded. West of here, the moisture generally was around 1 1/2 inches.

Littlefield area missed the brunt of the storm and utilities did not

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TEN DAYS BEFORE CHRISTMAS - - - This group of fifth and six grade students sang "The Twelve Days of Christmas" for the Elementary PTA Tuesday night. A card section pictured the gifts of the song.

Floyd Cavin Resigns As Olton Chief

OLTON - This city, besieged with a series of resignations under friction of public officials during 1959, will lose Chief of Police Floyd Cavin, Dec. 24.

But nothing concerning friction is connected with Cavin's resignation. He plans to accept a job with Southwestern Public Service Company in Muleshoe.

Cavin said his job with the SWPS would start Dec. 28.

Action accepting Cavin's resignation was taken by Olton city fathers Saturday morning. The Olton Council also gave Cavin a vote of thanks for his dedication to the chief of police job and commended him for handling it in such a fine manner, according to acting mayor A. D. Adams.

Adams said that there was absolutely no friction behind Cavin's resignation.

Cavin had been Olton's chief of police since the city fired Vern Head in May. Prior to taking the Olton job he was with the highway patrol. He had worked for SWPS before training for the highway patrol.

Cavin stated, "I appreciate the support and cooperation that I have been given here in Olton. It is a fine place in which to live and work."

Adams said that no formal action had been taken toward getting a replacement for Cavin.

ASC's Day Starts Early

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USDA Proposal Protested Here

The U. S. Department of Agriculture's proposal to eliminate skip-row planting of cotton next year has been protested by the Lamb County ASC committee.

The Lamb County committee has urged the state ASC organization to use all its influence to keep the proposal from becoming law.

ASC Office Manager L. D. Aten said Tuesday that the county group had sent a telegram to the state committee.

In making the recommendation, the county committee said, in part: "The committee submits this recommendation because a considerable number of farms in this county have prepared their land for this type of cropping system for 1960."

Meanwhile, Cong. George Mahon wired the county committee this week saying he is "continuing to vigorously oppose the elimination of the skip-row practice in planting cotton."

Earlier, Congressman Mahon

KEEN TEENS WOVING 'EM IN CHICAGO

Chicagoans think a sextet of Littlefield area teenage boys are keen.

They are the "Keen Teens," in Chicago competing in talent contests of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

The group is composed of two Littlefield boys and four Anton boys. They have made 8 or 10 appearances before committees of the Farm Bureau plus other appearances.

They played before several thousand people in Chicago's Civic Opera House at a pageant and their selections of rock and roll style "brought down the house."

Reporting on their trip was Mrs. Harley Bussanmus, mother of Larry Cox. Larry plays drums for the Keen Teens. Larry called his mother and reported the group was having "more fun than a barrel of monkeys."

He also said the Keen Teens might be running high among competition because they have been asked to perform four or five times where other groups are being asked to perform once.

They were to be interviewed by a recording company Wednesday, and there was a possibility of the group being on Don McNeill's Breakfast Club on radio and TV today.

Entry Deadline Is Near In Decorations Contest

Five homes are in the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce Christmas Home Decorations Contest with the deadline for entries only two days away.

Residents have until Friday at 5 p.m. to enter their homes in the contest.

Three prizes amounting to \$100 will be given. They are \$50 for first, \$35 for second and \$15 for third.

Entries so far include Jackie and Jeanne Clark, 1011 S. Westside; Alan and Kay Armstrong, 716 E. 11th; A. T. Hedgopeth, 1018 W. 9th; Emman-

uel Lutheran Young People, 409 W. 3rd and Dr. and Mrs. Bill Orr, 606 E. 11th.

Homes may be entered by calling the number office at 172.

The contest is sponsored to stimulate city beautification, build community spirit and provide fun for everyone participating.

Judging, which will be based on originality and general appearance and lighting, will be by out-towners. Judging is scheduled to take place Monday night.



7 Shopping Days till Christmas

Springlake FFA Team Wins State

SPRINGLAKE - Springlake High School's senior farm skills demonstration team won first place honors in the state Future Farmers of America leadership contest at Huntsville last weekend.

More than 500 FFA boys from throughout the state were in Huntsville for the annual event. The contests were held on the campus of Sam Houston State College.

The Springlake team is composed of Ronnie Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson; Jerry Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Jones; and Shelby Bozeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bozeman. Jones and Bozeman are from Springlake, Johnson from Earth.

They finished first among nine teams at the state meet, with Abilene second and Texas City third. Accompanying the Springlake team was E. G. Gaston, agriculture instructor.

School Needs Up To Voters

Littlefield's school board is going to let the voters decide whether taxes should be raised to meet the school needs outlined by a Citizens Advisory Committee in its recently completed study.

Trustees Monday night laid plans to call an election in March, 1960.

The vote will be on whether to adopt Senate Bill 116 in Littlefield's school district. Approval by the voters would authorize the school district a maximum tax rate of \$1.50 for maintenance, plus its debt service rate of 35 cents - a total of \$1.85 per \$100 assessed valuation.

Senate Bill 116 has been adopted in Lubbock, Plainview, Olton and other districts on the South Plains.

School board members pointed out that authorization of the \$1.85 tax rate by voters would not mean, necessarily, that the tax rate would be set at that figure.

Approval by voters, however, would indicate to the board that the general public is ready to go along with the Citizens' Committee estimate that \$68,000 in additional revenue is necessary here to meet school needs.

If voters approve and the tax rate were set at \$1.85, the district would gain an additional \$66,000 in revenue with the present assessed valuation of \$14,638,302.

The assessed valuation could be increased once voters approved the tax rate election, then the tax rate could be lowered to any necessary amount.

The object, no matter how the valuation and tax rate were set, would be to provide the additional funds necessary to meet the recommendations made by the Citizens' Committee.

The \$68,000 estimate made by the citizens' group includes a long list of recommendations which already has been made public.

The Citizens' Committee had recommended that the assessed valuation be increased by 22 percent and the tax rate from \$1.40 to \$1.50 to provide the \$68,000.

It was within the power of the board to do this without an election, because an increase to a \$1.50 tax had been authorized previously.

However, the board decided, after long discussion, that the program should be put to a vote of the people.

The only way to handle it, the board decided, was through a vote on Senate Bill 116.

The trustees did not go into the Citizens' Committee recommendations one-by-one, however they did give general approval to the entire list. They pointed out that each recommendation will be studied closely in the future and that a few might be ruled out.

Earlier, the board had heard from a group of about 12 Elementary PTA members who backed approval of the Citizens' Committee report.

Mrs. Buster Owens spoke for

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Liquor Law Trial Ends In Deadlock

Trial of a Littlefield Negro woman charged with violation of the liquor law ended in a hung jury in county court shortly after midnight Tuesday.

A six-man jury deliberated almost 5 1/2 hours in the case of Cleo Risby, then reported it was "hopelessly deadlocked" at 12:15 a.m. Wednesday.

County Attorney Curtis Wilkin said the jury was 4-2 for conviction at the end of its deliberations. Representing the defendant was Billy Hall. No date has been set for a new trial.

The trial was the first in a week of county court activity which started Monday. Several pleas of guilty were taken Monday and the Risby trial got under way Tuesday morning.

Two liquor law violation cases were next on the docket, one against Peg LaDuke of Springlake and the other against Mrs. J. W. Jones of Sudan. One of the two cases was expected to be tried Wednesday.

The Risby woman was charged with transporting wine and whiskey. Arresting officers testified the woman had two sacks with her when they arrested her July 19, 1958. In the sacks were six pints of wine and six pints of whiskey, they said.

The woman was arrested as she stepped out of an alley at the rear of 1323 Griffin St. in the Negro section of town. Her mother resides at that address.

Serving on the jury in the case were E. M. Moss, Olton; Troy Lance, Amberst; Hershal O. I. Sudan; Lewis Meeks, Earth; Lewis Fields, Sudan; and J. L. Carson Jr., Olton.

Pleas of guilty were taken Monday from:

Domingo R. Quiroz, Olton, driving while intoxicated, fine of \$150 and costs.

Joe E. Davis, Earth, driving while intoxicated, fine of \$150 and costs.

Sam J. Fowler, Olton, check law violation, fine of \$7.25 plus \$52.75 costs.

Olivia Shaw, Littlefield, violation of liquor law, \$500 and costs.

Al Thornton, Littlefield, violation of liquor law, two cases, fine of \$100 and costs on one and fine of \$300 and costs on other, judgment deferred 90 days.

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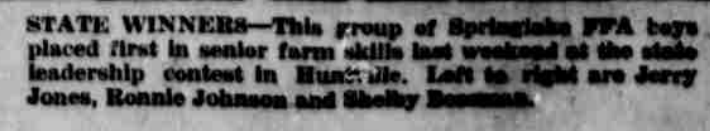
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STATE WINNERS—This group of Springlake FFA boys placed first in senior farm skills last weekend at the state leadership contest in Huntsville. Left to right are Jerry Jones, Ronnie Johnson and Shelby Bozeman.



MR. AND MRS. HENRY CARR

Open House To Honor Henry Carrs

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carr will observe their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday with open house at the Community Center. Mr. Carr was married Dec. 26, 1909 at her home near Whit, Texas. She is the former Fannie Mitchell. They moved to the South Plains in 1928 and to Littlefield in 1948. Mrs. Carr's four sisters, who attended her wedding, plan to attend the anniversary open house. Also Clarence McMillan of Plainview and Mrs. Rosa Strain of Mill-

Yule Season Observed By Women's Association

Observing the Christmas season group one of the Women's Association of the First Presbyterian Church entertained group two Monday night with a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Man- cill Hall, 300 E. 12th.

Christmas decorations were used throughout the rooms. Mantels were laid with holly and from the den window a gaily lighted Christmas tree in the backyard which was covered with snow lent an accompanying glow to the one inside.

Mrs. James E. Davidson was program chairman, assisted by Mrs. M. M. Brittain. The program was opened with prayer by Mrs. Raymond C. Burns and the associational purpose was read in unison.

The Penn sisters, Marilyn, Virginia and Andrice, sang "Silent Night" and "Joy To The World".

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OFFICERS of the First Presbyterian Women's Association are pictured (left to right) Mrs. George White president; Mrs. M. M. Brittain, treasurer; Mrs. Dan French, vice president; and Mrs. Horace Mitchell, secretary.

Raymond C. Burns, E. A. Bills, W. B. Armistead, Earl Rodgers, F. W. James, J. B. McShan, Al- len Hodges, W. H. Covington, J. H. Penn, W. H. Rutledge, James H. Davidson, M. M. Brittain, Ruth Badger, G. M. Shaw, C. A. Jop- lin, G. L. White, Horace Mitchell, Don Smith, David Eaton, James Joyner, Manel Hall and Miss Lula Hubbard.

Refreshments were served from a tea table, laid with silver and cutglass. Centering the polished table top was an arrangement of red carnations and holly, flank-

Lately In Littlefield

By Bernita Ratliff — Phone 709-R

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Montroy visited in Childress this past week- end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Haire and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Haire returned last Sunday from Guaymas, Mexico, where they spent several days deep sea fishing and brought home several large fish. While en- route to Guaymas they stopped in Fabans, Texas and visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Vick. Then they went on to Los Cruces, N.M. and visited in the F. S. Barnart home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Vick re- turned Friday night from Ham- burge where J. W. Harris, father of Mrs. Vick, has been very ill.

Mrs. Joe Allred is expecting her children home for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Allred of Lub- bock, Mrs. Alta Peek of Amarillo and Mrs. Dennis Allred of Fort Worth will be among them.

Mrs. Lena Logan of Littlefield was ill the first part of the week.

Myrtle Marion Shaw of Jackson- ville, Fla. will be in Littlefield the 23rd to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Shaw.

Mrs. W. G. Street Sr. is visiting in Bartlesville, Okla. with her daughter, Mrs. Don Berger.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Landrum and three children, Jimmy, Janie and Garen of Plainview are going to be making their home in Little- field soon.

Mrs. Ruth Marks of San Ber- nardino, Calif. is visiting in Littlefield with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willard G. Street Jr. She will remain until after New Years.

Mrs. Maude Street is planning to spend Christmas in Prescott, Ariz. with her son and family, Rev. and Mrs. John T. Street, if weather permits.

Mr. and Mrs. U. E. Kelly are planning to leave next week for Tucson, Ariz. where they will spend Christmas with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Barton, Donald and Rita.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weige, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Weige, Oscar Weige and Eddie Weige attended the funeral of Joseph Dessens Sunday at Rockdale.

Visiting in the First Baptist Church Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hubbard, Bobleta and Larry of Idalou, Mrs. J. W. Sparks of Fordyce, Ark., Jeannine Whitehead of Lubbock, Carolyn Wines of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Woody of Gallatin, Mo., and Helen Freeman of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hubbard and two children, Bobleta and Larry of Idalou visited in Littlefield over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Byers.

Visiting in the Pathway Ep- ethodist Church Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Wallace of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Purvis of Stephenville visited in Littlefield recently with Mrs. Pearl Chap- man, Dee Chapman and C. A. Pigg.

ed with red candles in silver can- delabra.

Mrs. Hodges poured coffee and Mrs. White presided at the punch bowl.

Guests for the evening were Mmes. John Nail, Alvin Webb, Ruth Marks and Misses Marilyn, Virginia and Andrice Penn.

Members present were Mmes. Mrs. George White made the presentation of a silver tray from the association to the outgoing president, Mrs. Hodges.

Mrs. W. H. Rutledge presided at the installation service for new officers. Her theme was "Launch- ing the ship."

Mrs. George White succeeds Mrs. Allen Hodges, who has served as president for the past four years. Other officers installed were Mrs. Dan French, vice president; Mrs. Horace Mitchell, secretary; and Mrs. M. M. Brittain, treas- urer.

Chairman heads are Mrs. Dan French, program; Mrs. James Joyner, world service and Mrs. W. H. Rutledge, fellowship. Mrs. Manel Hall is circle one chairman and Mrs. Byron Douglas is circle two chairman.

Mrs. Ruth Badger made the presentation of a pen and certi- ficate representing honorary mem- bership to Bruce Porcher.

Naomi Johnson, bride-elect of Lewis Foley, was honored Saturday afternoon with a bridal shower in the Stacy Hart home.

The bride's chosen colors of red and white were carried in decoration.

The serving table was centered with a large doll dressed as a bride and Santa Claus and his reindeer were in the background. Cake, topped with tiny white wedding bells, and punch were served.

Hostesses for the occasion were Kay Martin, Billie Vann, Carol Belmont, Stacy Hart, Betty Sab- Thomson and Sharon Cummings.

The hostess gift was a set of cookware.

Approximately 45 guests attend- ed.

Mrs. Sam Hines of Albuquer- que, N.M., is visiting in Little- field with her brother, E. E. Camp- bell, and sister, Mrs. G. O. Rat- liff.

Nathan Hutson of Littlefield was admitted to the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hill and children of Dimmitt spent last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. James.

Lewis Foley, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Foley, will be home Sunday from Oceanside, Calif., where he is stationed at Camp Pendleton with the Navy.

Mrs. Elzie Feagley enjoyed her grandson, Ross, Tuesday while his mother, Mrs. C. J. Feagley and Mrs. Pete Tarlton of Three Way shopped in Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Elkins will be spending Christmas Day in Lubbock with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. El- liott.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Fair were surprised with a housewarming Monday night at their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jones and three children, Randy, Machell and Rex, of Morton will be spend- ing Christmas in Littlefield with Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Thornton.

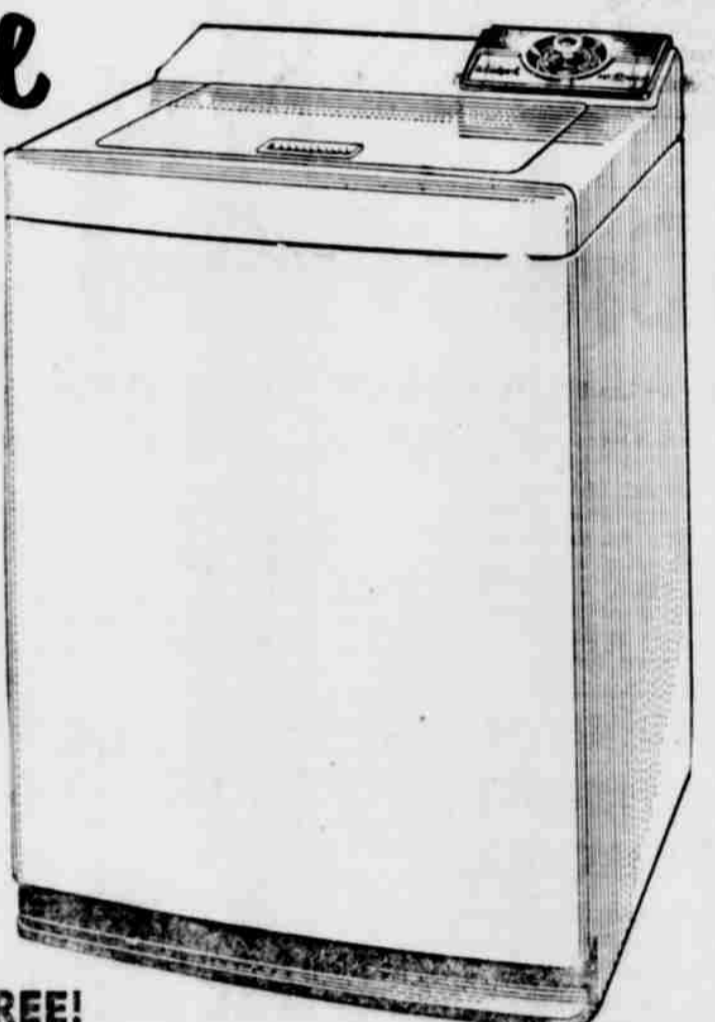
Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Street at- tended the Cupp family reunion at Erick, Okla. last week. There are seven children in the family and all were present for the re- union.

The Faithful Workers Class of the First Baptist Church held it at the home of Mrs. I. J. Rice. Mrs. Lowell Fulton gave a Christmas story.

Refreshments of spiced tea, nut cake and nuts were served from a tea table laid with a lace cloth. Appointments were o- crystal. An arrangement of pink

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WAREHOUSE

Christmas Party Season For Local Firms

For firms in and the Security State Bank have given away last week a Christmas dinner at the home of Jack Wicker.

Employees and their families were served with a ham, turkey, roast, potato salad, baked beans, shrimp, olives, pickles, assorted crackers, dips, spice cake, fruit salad, coffee and punch were served to approximately 75 guests and employees of the Southwestern Public Service from Olton, Earth, Littlefield and Sudan.

Individual tables were set up with candles, mints and nuts centering them.

Directors and employees of the Security State Bank were guests at the Wicker home for a buffet dinner of turkey, ham, salad, pickles, sauce, sweet potatoes, fruit cake, cookies, punch and coffee from 7 until 9 p.m.

Approximately 50 attended.

The Pioneer Natural Gas Co. held its annual awards dinner Tuesday night of this week at the Country Club with guests from Amarillo and Lubbock attending.

Service pins were awarded to the employees according to years of service with the company.

Yellowhouse HD Club Meets in Wedel Home

The Yellowhouse HD Club met Dec. 8 at the home of Mrs. A. F. Wedel, for the annual Christmas party.

For opening exercise, all joined in the THDA prayer and singing "Silent Night."

Mrs. Fred Duffy read "A Diary of a Tired Housewife."

Club members will celebrate birthdays the following year.

Mrs. C. T. Montford resigned as president and Mrs. J. B. Haire was elected.

Mrs. J. B. Haire resigned as reporter and Mrs. W. A. Tindal was elected.

Mrs. Fred Duffy, Mrs. Jerry Haire and Mrs. C. D. Eder celebrated birthdays with birthday cake and gifts.

The club members exchanged gifts by drawing numbers.

Refreshments of birthday cake, lime float and fruit, nuts and candy was served to the following: Mesdames C. T. Montford, Jerry Haire, T. M. Murdoch, Kenneth Haire, J. D. Lee, H. A. Vick, W. A. Tindal, J. B. Haire, Fred Duffy and Roy Hutson.

Club members received their new year books.

The next meeting will be Jan. 12 at the home of Mrs. Fred Duffy with Mrs. Kenneth Haire celebrating her birthday.



FOUR EMPLOYEES of Pioneer Natural Gas Company received ten year awards at the Awards Dinner Tuesday night at the Littlefield Country Club. Left to right they are: Rosevee Taylor, Littlefield; LeGrand Downin, Levelland; Jess Winn, Sudan; and Trafion Clark Levelland.

Pioneer Gas Holds Annual Awards Dinner

More than 75 employees of Pioneer Natural Gas attended the annual Awards Dinner at the Littlefield Country Club Tuesday night.

Four employees received ten year awards. They were Rosevee Taylor of Littlefield, LeGrand Downin of Levelland, Jess Winn of Sudan, and Trafion Clark, Levelland.

Making the awards was vice president of the company R. M. Curry of Lubbock.

Littlefield Pioneer manager Charlie Duval was the master of ceremonies.

Special representatives from both Lubbock and Amarillo.

Pioneer employees were present from Littlefield, Levelland, Earth, Anton, Muleshoe, and Sudan.

Taylor was employed Oct. 1, 1949, as a general plant operator "C" in the Littlefield office. Presently, he is working as a construction and maintenance sub foreman in Littlefield.

Clark was employed June 1, 1949 in the Levelland office. Presently, he is working as a general plant operator in Levelland. Downin was employed March 18, 1949 as a general plant operator "C" in Levelland. He is presently employed as distribution sub foreman in Levelland.

Winn was employed November 25, 1949, as a general plant operator "C" in the Muleshoe office. He was transferred in July, 1959, to Sudan as a general plant operator.

Dinner music was by Mrs. Pat Kenney of Lubbock, pianist.

Nelson Home Is Scene Of Christmas Dinner

On Friday evening the Adult Department of the Training Union of the First Baptist Church entertained with a Christmas dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nelson.

The house was festively decorated in the Yuletide motif. One table was centered with a gilded sleigh and reindeer bearing a miniature white floeted Christmas tree and lighted with gilded night jewels. Another table was lighted with tall red tapers and centered with a wrought iron sleigh filled with pine cones and greenery. The other two tables were centered with hobnail white milk glass candles.

Baked ham, candied sweet potatoes, green beans, fruit salad, assorted relishes, egg twist rolls, pecan pie and coffee was served.

The program included the Christmas story narrated by Dr. Albert Perkins and a medley of Christmas songs rendered by a trio consisting of Mesdames Leon Billington, Bob Haney, and Mignon Williams. Mrs. Bayne McCurry gave a humorous rendition of "The Night Before Christmas" with commercials.

Those present were Messers and Mesdames Kenneth Reast, Lloyd Trune, Bob Haney, Alvis Tubbs, Joe Arthur, Jesse Pedroza, Herbert Funk, Bill McKinnon, Kenneth Heard, Keith Glover, Leland Boyd, Roy Allen Hutson, Bill Brantley, and Bayne McCurry; Dr. and Mrs. Albert Perkins, Rev. and Mrs. Robert D. Longshore; Mesdames Deverele Lewis, Leon Billington and Mignon Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson.

New York Rites 'Night Of Miracles' Held Wednesday To Be Presented Sunday

Funeral services were conducted for Carolyn Jeanet Frost, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Frost of Schenectady, N.Y. and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cavett of Olton, Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the Balltown Road Church of Christ at Schenectady.

Carolyn died Tuesday morning at the family home following a lingering illness.

Survivors include her parents, a sister, Arlene; a brother, Robert, both of the home; a grandmother, Mrs. Loscal Banko of Schenectady and Mr. and Mrs. Cavett of Olton.

The First Baptist Church of Beth Brichwell, The soloists are: Littlefield will present its church Mrs. Leon Billington, soprano; Mr. choir Sunday night singing the R. G. Schein, tenor; Leland Boyd, Christmas Cantata, by John W. baritone; and Charles Heathman, Peterson, "Night of Miracles" bass. Joe C. Arthur is director.

This is a completely new musical and Rev. Robert D. Longshore, set for the Christmas story pastor, will be the narrator.

The service will begin at the young alike. The service will begin at the regular time of 6:45 p.m. The organist will be Mrs. Pat Boone, Jr., the pianist. Miss Mary program is 45 minutes.

Wildcat Band Members Win All-Regional

Four Littlefield High School band students won places on the All-Regional band at tryouts in Lubbock Saturday.

They were Marilyn Penn, clarinet; Bob Murphy, bass; Darle Rountree, trombone; and Louise Russell, French horn.

Approximately 110 students were selected for All-Regional.

Contract CK'D On 325 Project

Contract was awarded Tuesday by the Texas Highway Department on 5.8 miles of improvements to U.S. 325 from Littlefield to the Hedgesley County line.

Low bidder was James C. Kerr of Lubbock, with a bid of \$152,820. The improvements call for grading, structures and paving.

Olton Wins Two Over Hart Teams

OLTON — Olton took two ball games from Hart teams here Tuesday night, the boys winning 50-24 and the girls taking a 37-36 victory.

John Schenck and Gary DeBerry led the Olton boys with eight points each. Bobbie Campbell with 17 and Pat LaFrance with 13 led the Olton girls.

Two Water Tanks Given To City By Santa Fe

Santa Fe Railway water facilities which have been relegated to the past by the use of diesel power, became the property of the City of Littlefield Monday, Dec. 14.

K. C. May, Slaton division superintendent of the Santa Fe at Slaton, was in Littlefield to present to Mayor E. J. Foust in his office at the City Hall, a bill of sale covering the donation by the Santa Fe.

Accompanying May for the presentation were G. V. Walden, local agent, D. F. Duncan, secretary of May, of Slaton.

The gift includes two steel water tanks, one 16 feet in diameter by 46 feet high, the other 24 feet in diameter by 43 feet high. The tanks will be moved to the city pump station site. Estimated present-day value of the tanks is \$9,740.

Emmanuel Lutheran LWML Holds Christmas Party

The Emmanuel Lutheran LWML held its annual Christmas party Sunday at the church.

A spaghetti supper was served by the losing team which was determined by a Bible quiz throughout the year.

The group played games. Each lady gave her secret pal a gift and each man received a gift from a grab bag. The children were given gifts.

Present were Pastor and Mrs. Benjamin, David and Daniel, Mr. R. L. Young and Miriam, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gohlke, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Curtis Wilkinson and Mr. Neuman, Keith and Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Mauk and Fran- and Cheryl.



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Collins Home Is Scene Of Christmas Party

The Friendship Class of the First Baptist Church held its Christmas party recently at the home of Mrs. Alvis Collins.

Mrs. Norman Murray, president, presided at a short business meeting.

Mrs. H. C. Robertson brought a Christmas story.

Refreshments were served to Wanda Wilson, Lena Ross, Mollie Heard, Betty Anderson, Jerry Walker, Bernita Ratliff, Mrs. H. C. Robertson, Marilyn Glover, Linda Stephenson, De Ann Sisson, Jackie Wood, Chiquita Hensley, Elda Prentice, Mary Murray and the hostess, Pansy Collins.

Gifts were exchanged.

Brother-Sister Birthday Party Honors Children

WHITHARRAL — Mrs. B. E. Hayes and Miss Patricia Hayes were hostesses at their home here Saturday afternoon with a party honoring their daughter and sister, Karen Sue, on her 8th birthday and their son and brother, James, on his 6th birthday.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Mrs. Jack Milburn, Jenny Sue and Billy Jack, Mrs. Ralph Wade, Larry, Judy, and Kathy, Mrs. Tom Burris, Marsha and Gayle, Mrs. George Wade, Jr., Randy and Greg, Nancy and Carolyn Ward, Gary Hayes, the honorees and the hostesses.

Christmas Story To Be Presented

"The Christmas Story in Song" will be presented by the children of the First Methodist Church Sunday night at 7:30. All youth groups from three years of age up will participate in the program.

Everyone is asked to bring a present of food for the needy, and it should be wrapped in white.

A special candlelight service will also be part of the program. This program will take the place of the regular service.

OES Christmas Party To Be Held Tonight

The O.E.S. will observe its annual Christmas party at the Masonic Hall tonight at 7:30 p.m.

A program will be presented and gifts will be exchanged.

The Worthy Matron asks each member to bring a white gift also.

Political Announcements

DISTRICT ATTORNEY: Bill Sheehan (Incumbent)

COUNTY SHERIFF: Dick Dyer (Incumbent)

COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR: Herbert Dunn (Incumbent)

STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 96: Jesse M. Osborn (Incumbent)

COMMISSIONER, Precinct 1: C. M. Moss

Subject to action of the Democratic Primary of May, 1960.

Spade Garden Club Meets in Lockwood Home

SPADE — The Spade Garden Club met Thursday afternoon Dec. 10, in the home of Mrs. Albert Lockwood. Members answered roll call with a statement on "What I like best about Christmas."

Last Rites Read For Mary Burton Tuesday, Dec. 8

Last rites for Mary Elizabeth Burton, 86, mother of Mrs. Minnie Robinson and Leo Burton of Littlefield, were read Dec. 8 at 2:30 p.m. in the Chambersville Methodist Church.

Mrs. Burton died Sunday, Dec. 6.

She was a native of Tennessee, living in that area for 10 years before moving to Collin County in 1924.

Survivors include six daughters, Mrs. Minnie Robinson, Mrs. Roy C. Roberts of McKinney, Mrs. B. D. Robison of Pampa, Mrs. Red Robison of McKinney, Mrs. Gus Greene of Pampa and Mrs. L. A. Billings of McKinney; four sons, Leo Burton, J. T. Burton of Corpus Christi and A. H. Burton of McKinney; two half-brothers, O. H. Phillips of McMinville Tenn. and Bob Phillips of Chattanooga, Tenn.; 22 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

City, County Arrests

City officers jailed 12 drunks Saturday, Sunday and Monday and issued 23 traffic tickets. Two more drunks were jailed Tuesday. In the only activity for sheriff's officers, deputies jailed two drunks Sunday.

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TOWN AND COUNTRY BY WENDELL TOOLEY

I received a letter that I greatly appreciated from Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Gray this week. I'll quote parts of the letter and the part I omit will concern a family who needs help.

"At this time of the year people get the Christmas spirit, some from the bottle and some from the heart. But I was wondering how many people really have the true Christmas spirit? Getting

presents for the needy kids of Littlefield is a fine idea. I'm 100 per cent, but what about the family who won't have Christmas this year? ... people who are proud to see it be known to their new home it is not to have a wide extra at Christmas."

"I know it has been a hard year for us all, but thank God there is one day a year when we who have a little to spare can help others. ... that's because we live in the good old U.S.A."

Now, Mr. and Mrs. Gray I think my Sunday School class will be glad to help this family at Christmas time and if they won't I know of several other organizations who will.

I think it's wonderful that you take time to consider the needs of others and I hope everyone will take the message that is in your letter to heart. ... and I know we'll all enjoy Christmas more if we do.

This isn't fishing weather, but my uncle Oscar had good catching luck down at Lake Stamford last week. Now, this is a true story. ... my uncle works for the United States government, so we know he'll tell the truth.

He and his fishing buddy threw out three lines and my uncle re-

marked, "Well, I'd like to get that one today!"

He had hardly finished talking when the one went under; the one pole was pulled away from the shore and he watched the fish pull it out into the lake. His companion quickly grabbed a rod and reel. He made a perfect cast and snagged the cane pole. When they got the pole and the fish pulled in, they had a 6 pound cat with the hook almost straightened out in his mouth.

When you really take a look at all the presidential candidates you can't find one who is outstanding. A politician made this remark about Democratic possibilities at a recent dinner for Lyndon Johnson. "Adlai Stevenson is a two-time loser, John F. Kennedy is a Catholic, Stuart Symington is too identified with military spending, Hubert Humphrey is too liberal.

When the politician came to Johnson's name, he made the inevitable and (to Johnson) mad denoting notation: "from the South." He concluded that there was simply no one to nominate from the Democratic party.

thankful for every bit of it with 9 per cent of the crop in the elevator and the gin.

It's been a good year harvest wise, now conditions are looking up for another good year with this good moisture.

I see the boys over at Littlefield Tire are putting on a big tractor tire sale. It's deep breathing time and they have some good leads on both front and back tractor tires. Along with that deep breathing, notice that advertisement of Wright's Welding Works. ... he wants to do your hard suracing disc and point work. Also in the farm front is the farm sale of Don Foley Monday.

Old E. C. Rodgers has a good lead on a Stratalounger for Pa's Christmas. ... Anthony's is breaking a big sport shirt sale. Nelson's Hardware will give away a big doll and ensemble with every Whirlpool washer purchased. Pat's record has some good Philco radio buys, Jones Jewelry has that ast minute wedding ring diamond set you fellows will be needing. Vore's have received some more Daniel Green house slippers for both men and women. ... Dunlap's shows Christmas gifts all over the store, and Penney's has a hot price on men's suits. The Little-

Mrs. Junior Muller

Hart Camp Happenings

The Young Adult Department of the Hart Camp Baptist Church had a Christmas party Friday night at the annex. Decorations of a Christmas tree, angels and other decor carried out the Christmas theme. Gifts were brought for the Mexican Children's Home at San Antonio by the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hendrick and Jerry visited relatives at Brownfield Thursday.

The District 9 Convention at the First Baptist Church, Rails, Friday was attended by Rev. Jack Moore, Edwin Oliver and Margaret Muse.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jones were in Amarillo Monday to meet the train. Her mother, Mrs. Harold Robison arrived for a stay.

Mrs. Edwin Oliver and Mrs. Dean Hukill directed the games. Mrs. Blanton Martin and Suzanne, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hukill, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Oliver and Debbie, Mrs. Dewey Parkey and Gary, Mrs. Bobbie Sageser, Robert and Danny, Mrs. Elma Burleson, Rev. Jack Moore, Mrs. Junior Muller Mark and Patti.

Uicers aren't caused by what you eat. ... but by what's eating you.

the Stewardship program at the MU meeting Monday afternoon at the Baptist Church. Followed a baby shower for Mrs. Moore was given Mrs. Moore poured the punch from a blue laid with lace over blue. pink net Christmas tree and wishing well with blue angel nestled in a mirror. The money for the wishing well was given Mrs. Moore as well as several gifts. Attending were Misses, Maudin Wheeler, Leonard Sullivan, R. S. Moore, C. E. Timmins, Bobbie Sageser, Blanton Martin, Edwin Oliver, Roy Osthus, and Junior Muller.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Wheeler arrived home Saturday after spending a few days with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Taylor and Marty at Jal, N.M.

Mrs. R. S. Moore and J. Faye Moore were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Farr at Littlefield. The occasion was Mrs. Moore's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Martin and Suzanne visited relatives at Southland Sunday.

and Mike visited relatives at home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Lynch left to reside at Phoenix, Arizona and indefinite time.

The Beginner Department of the Hart Camp Baptist Church met with a Christmas party Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. R. Leonard. Mrs. Home Worthy and Mrs. Ivy Thompson assisted Mrs. Leonard with the festivities. The children exchanged gifts. Hot chocolate and Christmas tree cookies were served the little guests. Attending were Jerry Hendrick, Mike Thompson, Pat Osthus, Greg and Patti Muller, Debbie Oliver, Dor and Steve Parkey, and Danny Leonard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Muller arrived home Saturday after a week's stay in Oklahoma with her brother. Guests in the Muller hospital.

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**Fund Drive Ends,
44 Per Cent Of Goal**

Members of the L. A. M. B. county reached their quota. Spring Fund drive are to the County Court- a report that the part of its goal by man Charlie Duval meeting for 7:30 Tuesday hav- \$23,642.24 toward a communities of the

Two Mishaps Investigated

Two accidents occurred on wet streets here Tuesday, one at 11 a.m. and the other about 2:15 p.m. The first mishap happened 100 feet south of the Phelps - U.S. 81 intersection. Officers said a car driven by Mrs. Carl Keeling backed from the curb into the path of an auto driven by Robert Craig of Lubbock. Craig had glanced in another direction and did not see the Keeling auto, according to officers. Damages were estimated at \$300 to the Craig auto and \$275 to the Keeling car. The other accident occurred at the intersection of 5th Street and Harrah Avenue. Involved were cars driven by W. L. Clawson of Rt. 1, Sudan, and Lonnie Wood of Littlefield. Damages were estimated at \$100 to each vehicle. Djebel Toubkal, highest peak in the High Atlas mountains of North Africa, rises to 13,665 feet.

Hospital News

BIRTHS
Mrs. Robbie Lee Oak- parents of a 6-pound, 11-ounce boy born Sunday at Hospital.
Mrs. Jimmy Robison - parents of a 7-pound, 9-ounce boy born Tuesday at the hospital.
DECEASED
December 12 - Ronnie Dale Yarbrough, Mrs. El- and Mrs. Robbie
December 13 - Mrs. Julia and infant, Carla - Mrs. Williams, Terry - Lorenzo Henderson, - Brown and W. H.
December 14 - Mrs. Margo Andrews and Gabino Sandoval.
December 15 - ADMITTED - La Nitra Williams, Mrs. Virginia Barden, Mrs. Betty Mahaffey, Mrs. Mary Foster, Mrs. Wanda Robison, Barney Green and Eddie Dale Anderson.
December 16 - DISMISSED - Sherry Winfield, Mrs. Mamie Wood, Mrs. Zudie Parkman and Gabino Sandoval.

John Blackman

Bula News
Mr. and Mrs. Doye Turney and children spent Sunday in Portales with his brother and family, the Roy Turneys.
Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Vanlind- ingham of Lubbock spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Grace Vanlindingham.
James Jenkins had the misfor- tune of getting his right hand and arm badly mangled in gin machi- nery at the Enochs Co-Op Gin recently. He is still confined in the Littlefield Hospital.
Mrs. B. L. Blackman is visit- ing this week with her children in Lovington, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Blackman.
Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Salger and children of near Plains visited over the weekend with friends here.
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bryan visited Sunday afternoon in Ralls with Mrs. J. R. Willard, an aunt of Mr. Bryan.
Mrs. Bernice Swinney is still confined in the Littlefield Hospi- tal, recuperating from a severe attack of pneumonia.
Bula grade school was host to a basketball tournament last Thursday, Friday and Saturday. First place for the boys was won by Bula; second, Whiteface; third, Three Way; and consolation, Pep. First place for the girls went to Three Way; second, Whiteface; third, Bula; and consolation, Pep. Trophies were given to each school that placed in the tourna- ment.
Mrs. John Gunter presented her piano pupils in a recital Mon- day evening at 7 p.m. in the school auditorium. The stage was decorated in a Christmas set- ting.



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TWO LATIN AMERICAN men were injured Sunday night in this car, which left the road and went into a culvert about one-half mile east of Sudan on Highway 84. Both men are braceros who are employed in Sudan.

Car Accident Hospitalizes Two Braceros

A one-car accident Sunday at 9:10 p.m. one-half mile east of Sudan on Highway 84 hospitalized Gabino Sandoval, 33, and Clefas Rojas Perez, 35, Mexican National farm laborers who work at Sudan.

Perez was treated at the Littlefield Hospital and later transferred to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. He received a shattered jaw and throat injuries. Sandoval was confined to the Littlefield Hospital with cuts and bruises. He was dismissed from the hospital Tuesday.

Sandoval, driver of the car, attempted to pass another car on the right, hitting the shoulder and losing control of the car. The vehicle went into a culvert ditch and back up on a bank, officers said. The car was a total loss.

Sandoval is employed with F. M. Smith of Sudan and Perez works for West Brothers of Sudan.

School

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The group and said: "We voted unanimously at our last meeting to favor these recommendations and we wanted you to know that if there's anything we can do to help, we'll be glad to."

School board president Byron Douglass expressed appreciation to the group and called the citizens' Committee recommendations a "start in the right direction" toward solving Littlefield school needs.

At the outset of the meeting, the board heard from a two-man delegation which reported on the results of a proposal for a grade school in the Negro community.

The men, Rev. Walter Griffin and H. B. McCarty, said the Negro community apparently is in favor of continuing to send its children to present schools.

The men suggested that the Negro community would be pleased if the board could send school buses to pick up the children. They said this would relieve the

hazard of the children having to cross the Santa Fe railroad tracks on their way to and from school.

Board members, however, pointed out that no school buses can be sent to pick up children inside a two-mile area because of state law.

in other action, the board:

1. Accepted the resignation of Mrs. Glenn Reeves, a grade school teacher, effective Jan. 16.
2. Appointed a textbook committee including Dr. Ralph Schilling as chairman, William Brune, Olen Mahaffey, Bill Turner, Gerald Richey, Mrs. Doris Eaton, Joyce Holden, Mrs. Marilyn Ellison, Mrs. Bonnie Pressley, Mrs. Florence Porcher, Mrs. Ruth Routt, and Mrs. Mary Lumsden.
3. Heard a report on the athletic fund. Board members were told the income from football in 1958 was \$9,032, about \$1,000 less than the income of 1958.

Weather

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Six school buses Tuesday morning were mired in mud from the melting snow, delaying their passengers from classes. The last of the mudded-in buses didn't reach school until 1:30 p.m., but other buses had already fetched students to school by mid-morning. The buses stayed on the pavement that afternoon and Wednesday

Fact And Opinion

Arthur S. Flemming, Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, pledged an all-out effort to back up the Food and Drug Administration's campaign to protect consumers from "the fraudulent products and schemes being foisted upon the public as weight reducers."

"There is no such article," he told a news conference, "as a simple, safe and sane food drug or device which will bring about loss of body weight without exercise of the will to cut down the food intake."

Volunteers Get 'Smoke Call'

The old idea of "where there's smoke there's fire" brought the Littlefield Volunteer Fire Department on the run to Littlefield Hospital Tuesday night.

The volunteers found plenty of smoke, but no fire at the hospital. A heater's automatic cut-off failed to work and the "heater just got too hot," according to Hospital Administrator Bob Manley. The heater was temporarily fixed and the hospital is in the process of getting permanent repair for it, Manley added.

MORE SEMINARIES
WASHINGTON, D. C. (AP) — A report shows Roman Catholics now have 381 seminaries in the United States training men for the priesthood. The number has increased 53 per cent since World War II, the report said.

Farm Facts



A U.S. farmer produces enough to feed himself and 23 others. In Russia a farmer produces enough to feed himself and one other.

Whitharral WMU Honors Seniors

WHITHARRAL — A Christmas decor of multi-colored lights, greenery, and bells formed the setting for the banquet given the members of the Senior Class Thursday evening by the WMU of the Whitharral Baptist Church.

The invocation was given by Rev. Elmer Ward, pastor of the First Methodist Church. Rev. M. D. Durham, local pastor was toastmaster. Mrs. Curtis Overman welcomed the group. Christ-Christmas carols were enjoyed. Rev. and Mimes, C. O. Head, O. L. and Mrs. McClung, pastor of the First Baptist Church of New Home was guest speaker for the evening. Curtis Overman gave the benediction.

Mimes, Overman, John Waters, James Nixon, and R. E. Edwards served roast chicken and dressing, green beans, whipped potatoes, rolls, coffee, punch, apple pie and ice cream.

Present were Don Cheek, Jimmy Johnson, Phill Hutson, Ronny Grant, Donny Polk, Misses Rita Ann Dyer, Shirley Edwards, Wynn Gilley, Jane Mitchell, Rev. M. D. Durham, Rev. and Mrs. Harris, Max Decker, Messrs. Williams, Curtis Overman, S. H. Russell, Messrs. Williams, Curtis Overman, C. O. Head, O. L. and Mrs. McClung.

Did you know . . . That 98 percent of petroleum research funds come from within the industry. The federal government foots only two percent of the bill, the lowest of any industry listed by the National Science Foundation. The industry spends about \$300 million annually on the search for better process and products.

Every two minutes fire damages or destroys someone's home in a United States city. There were nearly 300,000 residential fires reported in the U. S. during 1958, in communities of 2,500 population and over.

Some 10 million Russian are learning English; an estimated 15,000 Americans study Russian. The government and educational institutions are working to help us catch up in the linguistic race, and now a company that publishes phonograph-record language courses for children has come out with a set on Russian.

A midwestern company manufacturing nails pays its workers \$2.90 an hour and sells its products at \$9.80 per 100 pounds. Similar nails from a German plant, with wage costs of 90 cents an hour, can be purchased in America for about 15 per cent less. America now imports about 50 times more nails than it exports.

Not long ago a New York City Judge wrote to the New York Times saying that in the 17 years he had been on the bench not one Chinese teen-ager had been brought before him on a juvenile delinquency charge.

P. H. Chang, Chinese Consul-General in New York, was asked to comment. He said, "I have heard this story many times from many judges. I will tell you why I think this is so. Filial piety is a cardinal virtue my people have brought over from the China that was free. A Chinese child, no matter where he lives, is brought up to recognize that he cannot shame his parents. Before a Chinese child makes a move, he stops to think what the reaction of his parents would be. Will they be proud, or will they be ashamed? Above all other things, the Chinese teen-ager is anxious to please his parents."

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By Peggy Poteet

Olton News

The Olton High School Band, the Cadet Band and the Olton High Chorus presented a concert Sunday afternoon, Dec. 13, under the direction of Mrs. Joe Harper and Richard Bentz.

Horace Cates is in Doctors' Hospital in Dallas, suffering from a heart attack. His condition is improved, but he will remain in the hospital another two weeks.

Mrs. Melvin Hines and Mrs. Charles Loveless entertained in the Hines home Tuesday, Dec. 15th with a coffee.

Mrs. Hines greeted the guests at the door and Mrs. Loveless served coffee from a silver service. Those attending were Mmes. Lois Hair, Rex Whitwood, Elmer Meadell, Owen Norfleet, Owen Jones, Ed Thompson, K. L. Moss, Fred Thompson, H. B. Maxey, Bob Sapher, Clovis Poteet, Elmer Moore, Albert Jeffery, Leon George, Joe Harper, Dan Waldrop, Bob Duncan, Bill Weaver, Delmer Givens, Mariema Ogel-tree and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Curry spent Saturday in Lubbock visiting Mrs. Claudine Daniels and children.

Mike Armstrong, four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Armstrong suffered a cut over his right eye, it required two stitches.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest LaFrance spent Monday at Petersburg visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pierson, Debbie and Sammy.

Santa came to Olton Saturday, Dec. 12th. The Petersburg Junior High Band marched in the parade with the Olton Cadet Band and Olton High Mustang Band. Santa gave all the children candy and fruit in packages.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Phillips, Cloyce Fancher, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Witten, Mrs. Bill Langrod, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Nicolas attended the Freshman basketball tournament in Muleshoe Thursday. The Olton boys were defeated both games. The Olton girls lost one and won one. Their coaches are Joe Turner and Clifford Curry.

Cal's Strap

Olton, Snap Loss Streak

Littlefield's Wildcats snapped a 15-game losing streak Monday night, tripping Olton's Mustangs, 43-45, at Olton.

The Cats had lost seven straight this year, following eight straight district losses at the close of last season.

Littlefield pulled away in the third quarter and held off the Mustangs to get the victory.

Next action for Coach Bill Harmon's crew is this afternoon at 4:30 when the Cats will meet Seagraves in a first round game of the Denver City Tournament. Seagraves holds a victory over Littlefield earlier this year.

The Cats were scheduled to play Post's unbeaten five here Tuesday night, but the game was canceled due to hazardous road conditions.

In Monday night's game, Littlefield fell behind 10-6 at the end of the first quarter, but came back to take a 13-17 halftime edge in Olton's spanking-new gym. It was 33-31, Wildcats, going into the final period.

Weldon Pace led the Littlefield attack with 15 points, while Jerry Koller, leading Cat scorer, got 14, his average. Wendell Scribner paced Olton with 11, while Paul Montgomery had nine.

Littlefield's B-team also won, 42-15, with Randy Ammons scoring eight points. Fred Riney led Olton with 10.

Health Survey

Review Slated By City Council

A review of the results of a State Health Department survey of Littlefield eating and drinking establishments is on tap at a regular city council meeting tonight.

The council will meet at 7:30 p.m. at Mayor E.J. Foust's home. Results of the survey were received by City Manager J. W. Harrison this week.

In other activity, the council will consider:

1. An oil well drilling permit for A. C. Chesler in drilling block 60, lot 9, block 20 of the original townsite.
2. The cost of tying in an additional water well to the city water system.
3. Insurance on the city hall heating system.
4. The possibility of permitting burning of trash in the city under fire department supervision.
5. The use of two water tanks donated to the city by the Santa Fe Railway. The tanks have a combined capacity of 224,818 gallons.

Kids' Free Show

Set Saturday

Littlefield children Saturday will get a chance to see a free movie and help out needy children at the same time.

Local Jaycees are sponsoring a free show at the Palace Theatre Saturday morning from 10 to 12 noon. Admission for the kids show will be food or toys which will be given to the needy at Christmas.

SCHOOLS DISMISS

Littlefield schools will dismiss at 1:30 p.m. Friday.

Dr. Schilling, superintendent, announced Christmas parties will be held in the first six grades between 12:30 and 1:30. The high school band will play at a public assembly today at 9:45 a. m. Classes will resume Jan. 4.

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Post Office

Expecting Record Rush

Local mailing conditions show that Littlefield will have the largest quantity of Christmas mail in the history of the local post office. Postmaster Arbie Joplin said this week.

The post office again plans to deliver all Christmas mail prior to Christmas day as it has for the past several seasons, the postmaster said.

He urged local mailers to cooperate with the Post Office Department by mailing Christmas cards and packages early and often.

Authorities in Washington estimate the current Christmas mail on a nationwide basis will be the highest on record both for greeting cards and parcels, Joplin said.

These conclusions are based on samplings of postal receipts made in several major cities across the country which show anticipated increases of two to five per cent over last year.

The postmaster also called attention to the recent action of the Civil Aeronautics Board which approved Postmaster General Summerfield's plan to make use of surplus space on commercial planes to speed the movement by air of first-class mail during the Christmas rush.

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Card of Thanks

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Sports Shots

State High School Grid Show Nearing Climax

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
AP Sports Writer

The mightiest football campaign in the world reaches its close this week. It's the Texas Interscholastic League race that will be culminated with the crowning of four state champions.

The race is 40 years old and the last two decades have been a far cry from the first two.

Back in the long ago there was only one division. The forks of the creek village would play the city. The little fellows never made it.

Now there are four classes with the schools grouped according to size. Actually, though, there's not too much difference in the top divisions. For instance, Breckenridge of Class AAA played mighty Wichita Falls of Class AAAA to a 14-14 tie. Stamford of Class AA beat Cleburne of AAA 16-14. Those were the three defending state champions - Wichita Falls, Breckenridge and Stamford.

In the matter of winners, Wichita Falls, Breckenridge and Stamford rank near the greatest of all time. Wichita Falls has won four state championships and if it beats Corpus Christi Ray at Austin Saturday will make it five. That's only one behind the all-time leader - Abilene, which has won six. In second place is Waco with five championships and one tie.

Breckenridge can duplicate Waco's record if it beats Cleburne for the AAA championship at Breckenridge Saturday. The Buckaroos have won four state titles in AAA and they once tied for it in Class AAAA. That was back in the days when all the schools were in the same class.

Amarillo is a 4-time winner in the top class. Stamford has won the title three times in Class AA

and can make it four if it clips Brady at San Angelo Friday night. Lubbock has been champion three times.

The big cities have won few titles. Back in the late forties there was created what was known as the City Conference. It was made up of schools from Dallas, Houston, San Antonio and Fort Worth. Fort Worth Arlington Heights, Dallas Sunset and San Antonio Thomas Jefferson won the three titles.

The City Conference was dissolved when the fans turned against it and the smaller cities and towns decided the boys in the larger schools, claiming they wanted to get into a league where they might win a title. This was not the case - it was an attendance proposition with the big cities feeling that they were giving too much away when they let the smaller cities and towns share their gates.

There have been some big city champions - Oak Cliff of Dallas, Breckenridge of San Antonio and Houston Lamar, who were titles competing against all the others. But the ratio was pretty low.

The winningest coach was Paul Tyson of Waco. He took four state championships in the twenties. Joe Manning of Wichita Falls can tie the Tyson record if his team beats Corpus Christi Ray Saturday. Golding won championships at Wichita Falls in 1949, 1950 and in 1958. Blair Cherry at Amarillo and Chuck Messer at Abilene won three state titles.

Pete Shobwell had the most unusual record - winning championships at three different schools. He took the title in 1923 at Abilene, in 1937 at Langview and his Breckenridge team tied for it with Port Arthur in 1929.



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Amherst News

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Priddy and two daughters of Memphis, Tenn. are expected Saturday for a holiday visit of two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Vaughn, his brother, Eugene Priddy and family and other relatives. Enroute, they will visit his sister and husband, Dr. and Mrs. Douglas Hardin, in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Nicholson have returned home to Kerens after a visit with their daughters, Mrs. Loyd Edwards and Mrs. Alvie Nixon. While in this area, they visited their son, Alton Nicholson, at Estacado and their daughter, Mrs. Willis Farrell, at Slaton.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weaver were Mr. and Mrs. Archie Marsden of Shelby, Neb. They were enroute to Corpus Christi for a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gwyn and family of Georgetown spent the weekend with his brother, W. B. Gwyn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wilson and Jimmy of Kenai, Alaska arrived Friday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson.

Mrs. Andy Davis attended the wedding of her niece, Miss Frances Jettcoat, and Marvin Waller in Lubbock Tuesday night of last week. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Davis and son, Lionel and Andra Davis and Miss Wanda Dunn.

Waller, a member of the US Navy will leave soon on an overseas assignment.

Christmas holidays for Amherst schools begin at two o'clock Tuesday, Dec. 22. School will resume Monday morning, Jan. 4. A Christmas tree for the high school will be in the auditorium the afternoon of the 22nd. Individual trees will be in each of the lower grade rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Gene Bowman of Canyon were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Bowman. Donnie Gene enjoyed a quail hunt while here.

In Amarillo for a weekend visit with her mother, Mrs. A. Hardin were Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stone and Bill and Rita Ogelsby, who visited in Pampa with her mother, also.

Mrs. John Nix returned to Texline Sunday. She had spent several days here with her father, E. F. Nuttall, who is somewhat improved in the Muleshoe Hospital.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Blessing Sunday were their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Blessing of Canyon.

Leon O'Neal of Salem, Oregon is here for a holiday visit with his mother, Mrs. Julia Bynum.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Broshaus for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Woods of Oklahoma. His father, W. A. Broshaus was up from Lubbock for Sunday.

W. D. Gray of Hinton, Okla. returned home with his daughter, Mrs. Lamar Kelly and Kathy after their visit in Oklahoma. She visited relatives in Hennessy and Odessa City and spent one day at her alma mater, Southwestern State College at Weatherford.

The condition of Kermit Gregory, who suffered a stroke, Dec. 1, remains the same at Methodist Hospital, Lubbock.

Jerry Bartley, a member of the school faculty spent the weekend with home folk near Wilson.

D. D. Mosehead of Pecos is the new agent at the Santa Fe railroad.

Northside HD Hold Meeting

WHITHARRAL - Mrs. J. B. Wren, Sr. was hostess Thursday afternoon, Dec. 10, to the Northside Home Demonstration Club at her home northeast of Whitharral. Mrs. Ed Johnson presided at a brief business meeting.

Mrs. Betty Williams, co-hostess, was in charge of the games which followed in the social hour. Secret pairs were revealed and new ones were drawn for the new year. Gifts were exchanged.

Sandwiches, nuts, candy, cookies, coffee, hot chocolate, and individual cherry tarts with whipped cream were served to Misses Johnson, J. E. Wade, Clifford Williams, Glenn Barbee, Fred Newsum, Ed Blackwell, Charles Landers, George Wade, Jr., Doss Muner, and the hostesses.

The next meeting will be Thursday Jan. 13, at 3:30 p.m., with Mrs. Glenn Barbee as hostess.

Reeves Elected Veep Of H-SU Exes Group

Glenn Reeves, Littlefield High School principal, has been elected vice president of a five-county ex-students' association of Harbin-Simmons University.

The association was formed recently at a special meeting in Levelland.

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5 Students To Take Part In Nationwide Test Project

High school students in the Panhandle, West Texas and national inventiveness and abilities as talent. Anderson, Texas professor of psychology direct the talent inventory in West Texas as one of 100 regional coordinators. Littlefield High School is included in the talent inventory. "Project Talent will test approximately 500,000 high school students throughout the nation beginning in March and will coincide with the 1960 census," Anderson said. At least nine West Texas community high schools and perhaps more, will participate in this region. Freshman through senior students will take a two-day battery of tests designed to uncover their aptitudes, abilities and interests. "The test results, for the first time, will provide an inventory of human resources in the United States," Anderson pointed out. "We expect to learn how many potential scientists, doctors, street cleaners, teachers, soldiers and other occupational workers there are among today's youth."



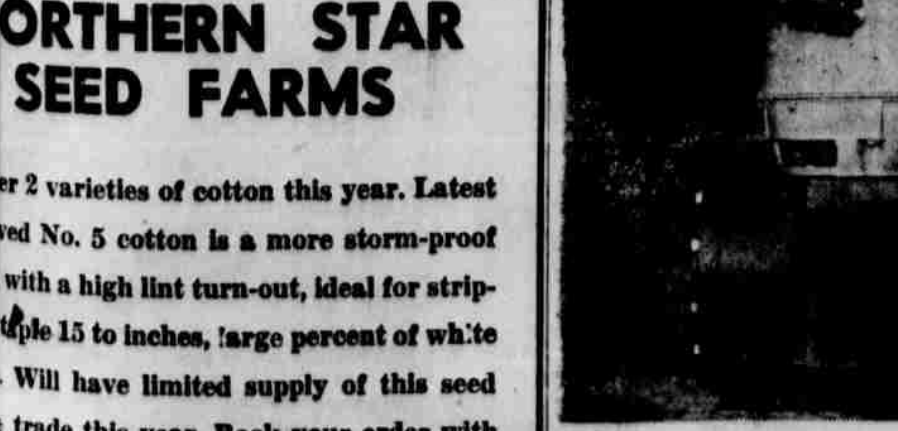
STYLE SHOW—These eight girls modeled the clothing they're wearing in a Patsy Lively FHA Style show at Littlefield High School last week. Left Ann Cunningham, Patricia Loefer, Patsy Richardson, Sharon Heckard, Linda Jennings, Marilyn Douglas and Charlotte Robinson. (STAFF PHOTO)

Philosopher Hold Back Because Of Mongolia!

The Sandhills in his Johnson discuss a deep week, but not I can't understand it, but some people have a tendency to ignore this basic law and forge on ahead, little aware that I can prove it to them in writing that they're being held back by me, Afghanistan, Mongolia, the African Poles, the frost-bitten North Pole, and several people I won't call and you wouldn't publish if I did. Understand, I don't blame them I don't mind saying if the rest of the world is looking back over its shoulder wondering when I'm going to catch up and free it to move forward, it can stop looking. I don't intend to budget. If disaster is going to hit the world, as a lot of leaders are fearing, I can't see any difference in sitting still and waiting for it than in rushing forward and meeting it, except that the former is easier, less expensive, and you can do it sitting by a warm fire. However to tell you the truth, I don't really think disaster is going to hit, at least not in my lifetime. Man is pretty smart, all right, lots of times his guided missiles shoot straight, but not having created himself, I doubt if he can eliminate himself altogether. When that foreign leader claims that as long as one spot on earth is underdeveloped, the rest of the world is held back that much, I understand what he's getting at, but I doubt if Washington can afford it. Yours faithfully, J. A.

How Highway Funds Spent In 1959 Told AUSTIN — The Texas Highway Department has just totaled its forty-first year of operation. State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer said that 80 per cent of the fund expended during the past year were for construction, and 13 per cent for maintenance. Another 6 per cent went for the Highway Patrol.

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MR. AND MISS FTA—Marc Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Roberts, and Lena Naylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Naylor, are Mr. and Miss Future Teacher of America at Littlefield High School this year. They were selected recently after taking part in a speech contest. Marc was selected Mr. FTA of the entire area at a district meeting in Plainview Saturday.

Letters To Santa

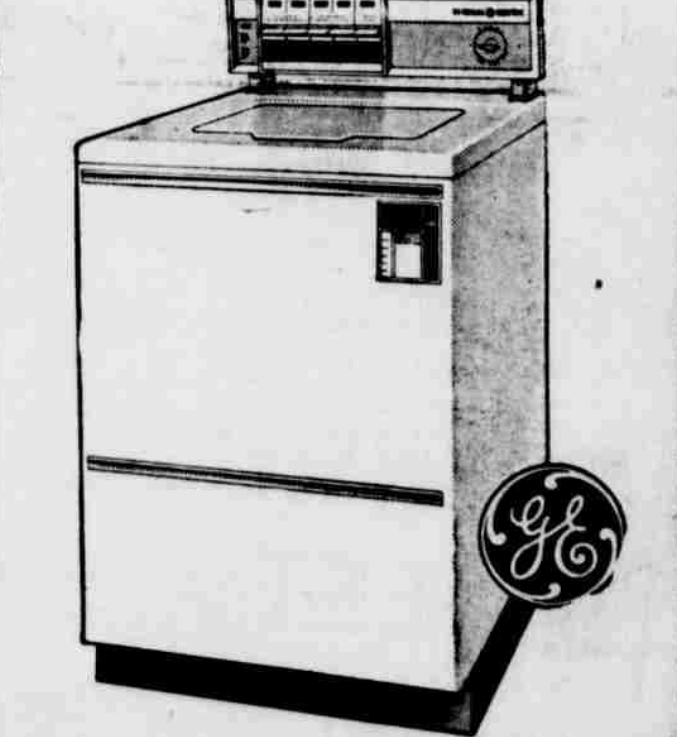
Dear Santa —
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12-12-59
I am a little girl 4 years old. I have tried to be good.
I want some pots and pans and a baby doll and some doll clothes. Please bring my little sister, Sharalyn, a rag doll and some blocks.
Bring all the children some toys.
Kathy Patterson
P.S. I want some tootsie rolls
Dear Santa Claus
I am six years old. My name is Becky Star. I want a doll-house and a baby doll and a candy cane.
Love Becky
Broadus
Dec. 13, 1959
Your friend,
Sam Fain
Dear Santa,
I want a real horse, and a TWA makeup set. I want a real umbrella and a Queen dress. I am seven years old and in the first grade. Don't forget all the other little boys and girls.
Your girl friend,
Kelly Fain
Dear Santa Claus,
I am a little boy five years old. I have tried to be a good boy, and I want you to bring me a rifleman gun, a six shooter, a toy drum, a car that runs for batteries and an airplane.
Thank you,
Love Eddie Bell
Dear Santa,
I am a little girl 4 years old. I hope all the children in the world have a nice Christmas.
Your girl friend,
Margaret Fain
Dear Santa,
Mother says I'm too little for a real "go-kart", but that is what I really want most of all. I'm nine years old and a third grader. Also I want a play model T with a motor and cover on it, and a license. I hope you are good to all little boys and girls and especially to my cousin Mike in Germany.
Your friend,
Sam Fain
Dear Santa,
My name is Kathy and I am 6 years old. Please bring me a dancing doll, Tiny Tears doll and a guitar. I have been good. Please fill my stockings with candy and fruit. I love you.
Kathy Pirkey
The Liberty Bowl football game at Philadelphia Dec. 19 will be scales and a doll house. I am the first meeting between Pennsylvania and Alabama.

Safe Texas Drivers To Get Reward Under New Auto Insurance Program

Texas motorists who have operated their automobiles in an accident free and lawful manner during the past three years will be rewarded to the extent of \$20 million, Dr. Robert W. Strain, member of the State Board of Insurance told a meeting of the Independent Insurance Agents Association in Fort Worth this week. Actually, the new auto insurance plan will be a shifting of financial burden from the careful driver to the shoulders of those who have been involved in accidents or who have compiled a record of moving traffic violations. "This is not an increase in automobile rates — it is a shifting of costs," Dr. Strain emphasized. Breaking down an intensive survey of driving records of 40,363 Texas motorists, into more understandable statistics, Dr. Strain revealed that out of 23 insured family automobiles, 13 will receive a discount of 20 per cent on their premium rates and 4 will receive the same rate they have been paying before. Thus, 17 of 23 will either receive a reduction or no change in the rate they now pay. The remaining 6 will pay higher rates. Of these, 3 will pay only 20 per cent increase, one will pay a 40 per cent increase, the remaining 2 will pay from 60 per cent to 100 per cent increase in rate. The Safe Driving Insurance Plan is a result of the public demand to reward safe drivers and force those who have had accidents or records of moving traffic violations to share a more proportionate cost. "In addition, we very definitely feel that this plan will provide an incentive to reduce the tragic toll on our highways that may not have been present heretofore," he said. In a lighter tone, Dr. Strain remarked that the Plan had already had one immediate effect. "Prior to its announcement the bulk of our mail was to do something to reward the safe driver; since the Plan has become known, we no longer hear that request, and have assumed that our letter writers now fall into the minority of drivers who will be paying the surcharge," he stated. The State Board member went on to point out that the plan is set up on a point system which provides 4 points for driving while intoxicated, hit-and-run, or negligent homicide with a motor vehicle; 2 points for accidents not falling under exemptions involving clear-cut blame for operator of the other vehicle involved; and 1 point for moving traffic violations. "This is a sound plan for the insurance buying public. It puts the cost where the cost should be, and it does not provide any extra dollars for insurance companies. It is a good plan which, if necessary, can be altered, if experience shows it needs altering in the future," Dr. Strain said.

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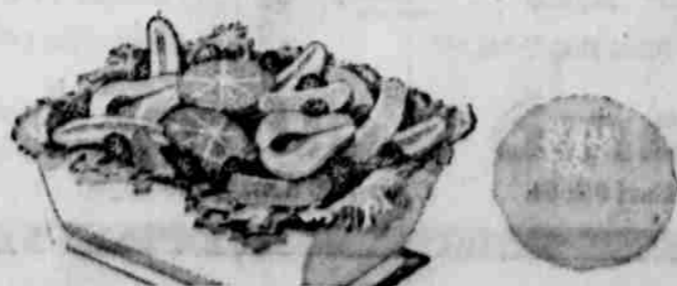
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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Vern Sanford
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

SANFORD Association plunging right into the task in a special session.

As the year appears to be winding up, it is generally assumed they do not favor a session.

Besides teacher pay, the governor said a special session would also be asked to raise money to pay for medical aid for people on the state welfare rolls.

He will not call a session, said the governor, unless he feels reasonably sure its tasks can be accomplished in the 30 days. But he isn't giving it up, he added, as long as it seems possible "with some hard work to get it over."

TOO LITTLE TIME? — Among those with doubts about the probable success of a special session is House Speaker Waggoner Carr. In his answer to the governor's "ifs" poll, Carr said he felt education was too important a subject "to be legislated upon under the ex-

trone pressures of a... 30-day limitation."

Carr also called on the governor to spell out well in advance of any session the tax proposals he would submit so legislators would have time to talk them over with their constituents.

Governor Daniel shot back that he would submit, for one, the abandoned property bill which would allow the state to take over unclaimed funds held by banks, insurance companies and other firms. This bill was repeatedly voted down in the House earlier this year.

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Daniel said he had great respect for the judiciary, but whether as public official or private citizen, he wouldn't want to be sidelined from the fight for "progress, good government and fair taxation."

He would not say that he would not run for governor or lieutenant governor.

"BOTTLE CLUBS" UNDER FIRE

For years Texas law against selling liquor by the drink has been no hindrance to the thousands who belong to "bottle clubs."

Serving of mixed drinks to members and guests of private clubs was assumed to be the same as serving liquor in the home.

But the thing has gotten out of hand, says Liquor Control Board Chairman Coke Stevenson Jr. He said there are many clubs selling mixed drinks that are not private, non-profit clubs but are operated like business concerns to make money.

Stevenson and Atty. Gen. Will Wilson have announced a statewide drive to close up the illegal clubs. Proposed new laws also are being drafted to define clearly what sort of club is legal. Present law neither bans nor recognizes "bottle clubs."

Private bars got started in the swank country clubs, then sprang up over the state in business and professional clubs. Individuals then started their own social clubs. It is the latter — the public "clubs" — which are charged with violating the law.

ADOPTION CASE CLOSED — State Supreme Court has made final its ruling in a case that some say may cause uncertainties in the legal procedure for adoption of babies of unwed mothers.

It upheld the decision of a lower court in returning to its natural mother a child she had previously agreed to have adopted.

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News Of Anton

By Wanda Blanchard

The Friendly Ruth Sunday school class held its annual Christmas party Thursday night Dec. 3 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fay Gilliam. Nineteen members were present. The class presented the teacher, Mrs. Roy Groce with a new Bible. Gifts were exchanged. Refreshments of coffee, cake and jello salad were served. Everyone enjoyed playing 42.

The GA's of the First Baptist Church had their Christmas party Tuesday, Dec. 8. Mrs. John T. Williams, Mrs. Reginal Stephens and Mrs. Buddy Spears were in charge. Singing songs and playing some games was enjoyed by everyone. Refreshments of cookies, cakes, candy and bubble gum were served. Eleven girls were present.

Mrs. Lynn Anderson and Mrs. Jay Fowler were hostesses for a Christmas coffee Tuesday, Dec. 8 at the home of Mrs. Fowler. About 100 guests called between 9:30 and 11:30 a.m. Coffee and assorted rolls were served. A centerpiece of Christmas Holly and red floating candles were used. Christmas decorations were used throughout the house.

Mrs. Roy Denson, Anton Neighborhood Chairman and Miss Mary Anderson, District Director of the Caprock Council in Lubbock, attended a district meeting in Muleshoe for the neighborhood service team. The meeting lasted from 10

Mrs. Bob Biffle and Nicky visited in Abernathy Sunday with Mrs. Biffle's mother, Mrs. R. C. Bailey. Mrs. Bailey was feeling better after being injured in a fall. It was reported that she is able to walk on crutches.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Campbell visited relatives in Coble Switch near Levelland Sunday.

Sherill Tidwell was dismissed from the hospital Wednesday, Dec. 9, after being treated several days for the flu. She is the daughter of J. T. Tidwell.

David McVey, agriculture teacher for Anton High school and four boys, Alvin Swanson, Mike Fowler, Vernon Bridwell and Phillip Reep, competed in a State FFA Skill contest in Huntsville, Texas. The boys entered an area contest recently in Levelland and won first place.

Some of the out of town guests

in the home of Mrs. J. R. Tucker over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Will Rogers, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Helms, Floydada; Paulene Grant, California; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tucker and family, Gallup, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lenbe, Fort Worth; Imogene Whitfield, Carlsbad, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Helms, Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Armstrong, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Adren Helms.

Hostesses for the WSG dinner were Mrs. Clifton Grundy, Mrs. J. R. Bruce, Mrs. Leard Armes, Mrs. Harry Campbell, Mrs. Walter Walthall and Mrs. John Walters in the home of Mrs. Brad Gilbert. Mrs. Kenneth Grace gave the meditation. Mrs. Thomas James devotional. The meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. David McVey. Gifts were exchanged, Christmas carols were sung. Twenty members were present and one guest, Julia Criswell.

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Anton's Boys Lose In Finals Of Own Tourney

ANTON — Anton's boys fell to Post, 50-37, in the final round of the Anton tournament Saturday night. Sundown's girls took first in their part of the meet, beating Whiteface, 65-48.

Whiteface won the boys' consolation with a 50-37 victory over Bledsoe. Shallowater won the girls' consolation with a 33-24 victory over the Anton girls.

Top scorers for Anton in the championship game were Ronnie Biffle, Jan Crews and Hugh Barnett, with 8 points each. Shirley Abney led the Anton girls in their final game with nine points.

Earlier, the Anton boys had advanced to the finals with victories over Bledsoe and Crosbyton. Anton's girls lost to Sundown in the first round, then beat Pettit before losing to Shallowater.

For Anton, Oren McGrew made the boys' all-tournament team and Linda Butler made the girls' all-tournament team.

Olton Wins Pair From Panthers, Sudan Splits 2

Olton dropped Whitharral in a pair of games and Muleshoe split a doubleheader with Sudan in area basketball action last Friday night.

Olton's boys won their game 57-51, led by a pair of soph, Jimmy Lawson and Johnny Schencks. Lawson got 15 points and Schencks hit 12, but game honors went to Whitharral's Donny Polk, who hit 27.

The Olton girls won their game, 48-42. Pat LaFrance got 17 and Jean Harper hit 15 for Olton, while Barbara Dickinson got 26 for Whitharral.

In Sudan, the Sudan boys lost, 46-44, but the Sudan girls won, 56-40. Preceding this action, the Sudan B-team won its game, 45-42.

Paul Galvan led the Sudan varsity boys with 13 points, while Billie Ruth Sterr scored 21 and Arlene Humphreys got 18 for the Hornet girls.

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King Starts 4th Year in AC Band

ABILENE — Kerry King, Abilene Christian College senior from Littlefield, is entering his fourth year as a member of the ACC Wildcat Band.

A math major, King is the son of Mrs. Jack W. King, 128 E. 10th, Littlefield. He was a 1956 graduate of Littlefield High School.

King plays the bass saxophone in the band and also serves as president of the organization. At ACC, King is also a member of Phi Delta Psi social club, TAS and the Blue Key, among other activities.

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Bula, Spade Place Gridders On All-District 2-B Team

SPADE — Bula handed three teammates, Danny Hall and Don-players and Spade two on the All-district 2-B (six-man) team selected here last week by coaches of the district.

District champion Nazareth also placed three men on the 12-man offensive - defensive selection.

Bula's Norvell Roberts, a 155-pound senior fullback, was selected to represent the district in an all-star game in Abilene next summer.

Roberts was named to the offensive all-district team, while two teammates, Danny Hall and Don-ry McCall, were named to the defensive team.

From Spade, R. N. Mage was named to the offensive team and Larry Lockwood was named to the defensive team.

Others on the offensive team were Venhaus, Nazareth; Eltin, Nazareth; Williams, Three Way; and Stanley, Cotton Center. Others on the defensive team were Braddock, Nazareth; Coffman, Three Way; and Terry, Cotton Center.

THIS WEEK In Washington With CLINTON DAVIDSON

Not long ago some seventy farm editors from various parts of the country sat down together to make a forecast of what farming in the United States will be like in twenty years from now.

These were men who have watched the tremendous changes of the past twenty years and, because of their experience, they are among the best qualified to project those and other changes an equal number of years into the future.

I am sure that each of them, however, would be the first to admit that had a similar meeting taken place in 1939 none of them could have made a very accurate forecast of what farming is like today. Nevertheless, their opinions about the future are interesting and logical.

There have been more changes in farming during the past twenty years than most of us would realize without stopping to think back. There are one-third fewer people living on farms, production per worker has more than doubled and mechanization has revolutionized farming.

Push Button Farming
Automation is the next great step in farming, the editors agreed. "Human muscles will be replaced by labor-saving, push-button farm equipment over the course of the next twenty years," the editors agreed.

Machines run by electricity will do more of the farm chores, including livestock and poultry feeding, watering and manure handling. Farm wives will have more labor-saving "gadgets" to help them with their housework.

The editors expect machines that will prepare the soil, plant, fertilize and treat for weeds in one operation. Six, eight and ten-row equipment will become common.

Dwarf corn for combine harvest that will grow in narrow rows and set six to ten ears per stalk will more than double corn yield per acre. Shorter, stiffer strawed varieties of small grains will permit heavy fertilization and produce yields of 100 bushels per acre.

Farm Incomes To Double
Farm surpluses will gradually be eliminated while farm size and individual farm income will double between now and 1980, the editors predicted.

They predicted that farmer-controlled marketing organizations will take over the government's role in agriculture and gradually bring production into line with demand. The growing population, increased foreign trade, and new uses for agricultural products will also help eliminate farm surpluses.

There was unanimous agreement that fewer farms, each of larger acreage but still family-operated, will emerge over the next twenty years. Marginal, unprofitable units will be absorbed by the profitable ones that remain.

Farming in the future will require more capital investment, but fewer workers. The moderate size farm in 1980 may represent an investment of \$200,000 or more, in land, equipment and buildings.

Successful farmers will be skilled businessmen, usually college-trained in all phases of production and marketing. The average city dweller's impression of a farmer as a hayseed, already disappearing, will be completely gone by 1980.

Farm homes, say the editors, in the 1980's will be indistinguishable from those in the city and will offer the added advantage of fresh air, peace and quiet.

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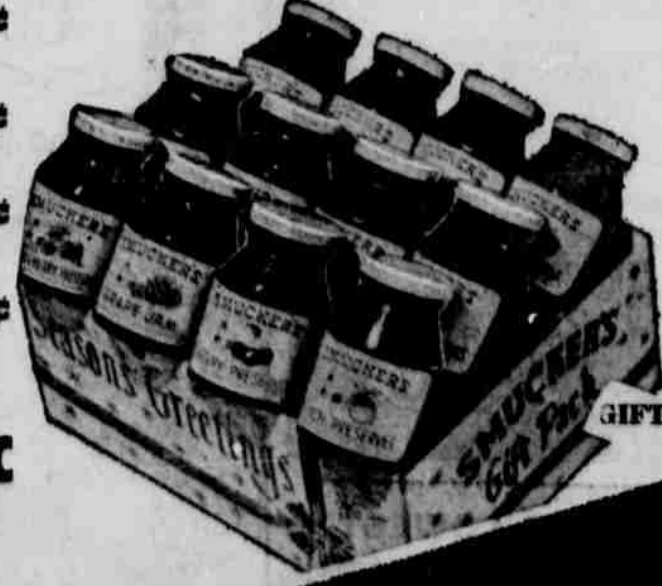
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Santa and the ICE KING

by LUCRECE HUDGINS BEALE

SYNOPSIS: A huge polar bear tried to break into the igloo where Santa, Onik and Keotuk were resting while on their way to talk to the Ice King. When Onik tried to frighten the bear away with his spear, the bear grabbed the spear and pulled Onik out of the igloo.

Chapter Ten BEAR FIGHT

STILL holding the end of the spear in his tightly locked jaws, the great polar bear stared in astonishment at what he had fished out of the igloo while Onik, still holding his end of the spear, stared fearfully back.

At last Onik gave a little yank to free the spear from the bear's jaw. The bear yanked back. For a time they played a tug of war.

Then the bear tired of it. He reared suddenly back and tore the spear from Onik's hands. Growling fiercely he dropped the spear to the ice and stomped it into a hundred pieces.

Horrified, Onik darted for the igloo. But just as he got his head into the tunnel the bear snatched him up by the seat of his pants and lumbered away across the frozen land.

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WITH Keotuk barking ferociously Santa took after Onik. The polar bear moved faster. Keotuk nipped at his heels. The polar bear began to run. Then Keotuk leaped through the air and fastened his jaws around the bear's left rear leg.

Furious, the bear, carrying Onik in his jaws and Keotuk on his left rear leg, turned and glared at Santa Claus who at that very instant panted up to him.

The bear rose on his hind legs and prepared to bring his crushing front paws down on Santa but Santa cried out, "Why don't we be friends?" and before the bewildered bear could come forward Santa threw his arms and legs around the great animal's middle.

The bear dropped to his feet and began to run in circles. Santa clung under his middle, Keotuk gripped his heel. Onik drooped from his jaws.

Round and round, faster and faster, ran the polar bear. But still Santa and Keotuk clung to him. It never occurred to him to drop Onik, for he felt that it was best to have his teeth into something if only the seat of his enemy's pants.

In all his life he had never known or heard of such creatures as these. He was King of the Polar Lands and before him his father had been king and before that his father's father and never

had any polar bear seen an enemy he could not frighten by the merest look.

NOW the poor bear's pride was wounded and gradually he moved slower and slower until at last he came to a stop and gently dropped Onik from his jaws.

Santa unloosed his arms and legs and crawled from under the bear. Keotuk unlocked his teeth and ran up to lick his master.

Onik said, "Hooray! Let us slay him and we will have food for days to come!"

But Santa said, "No, son, for he is a king and I expect he too has been starving in this year without summer. Let us be friends with him and he will help us subdue the Ice King."

"How so?" asked Onik.

"Simple," replied Santa. "He will take us to the Ice King's domain."

Chapter Eleven ICE KING AT WORK

ONIK dragged the big sled from the igloo and Santa harnessed it to the now gentle polar bear. Then Santa and Onik and Keotuk got on the sled and the polar bear started away.

At first the bear walked slowly and kept looking behind as if trying to understand what he was pulling and why. But after a while he got used to it and even began to enjoy it. He felt that he was stronger and more powerful than these creatures, after all, for he was taking them somewhere, not they taking him.

He began to run and the heavy sled sped over the ice like a pebble skimming over water.

Keotuk was very pleased to be a rider. Every now and then he leaped from the sled and ran along beside the bear to make sure everything was all right. But now even Keotuk could not keep up with the fast bear and the dog always tired and jumped back on the sled to travel in style.

On and on they went until finally the day came when Santa touched Onik on the shoulder and shouted, "There it is!"

ONIK poked his head out of his fur hood and looked where Santa pointed. He saw a lofty castle made all of ice shimmering behind veils of whirling snow. The castle stood on a hill and its bluish white spires towered

into the sky. Gale winds lashed around the hill, whipping at the castle walls and howling among the steeples.

"How strange it is!" shivered Onik when they reached the castle. "Aren't you afraid?"

"I am, indeed," confessed Santa.

Even Keotuk and the polar bear when they arrived at the castle were overwhelmed by the eerie solitude. They huddled together, the dog between the bear's big paws, for warmth and company.

Looking fearfully to right and left, Santa and Onik went up the icy path and through the icy door and into the icy hall of the icy castle. They saw no sign of living creature but suddenly from some far away place above their heads came a rumbling, rattling, clattering thunder as if the whole castle was about to crash down on top of them.

His knees shaking, hardly daring to breathe, Onik followed Santa up the winding stairs. Up and up, round and round, they went and the higher they went, the louder grew the hubbub until at last, nearly deafened, they arrived in a chamber at the top of the winding stairs and there they found the Ice King himself.

He was a giant of a king with hair that fell over his forehead and alabaster whiskers climbing his cheeks. Ice was on his eyebrows and icicles dripped from his whiskers. As he breathed, clouds of frost exploded from his nostrils.

With one hand he turned the handle of a colossal ice crusher while with the other hand he pumped an immense bellows up and down.

FROM the bellows came the howling winds, from the crushing came the avalanche of ice that covered the Northern lands. Santa took a deep breath and shouted from the door, "Do stop a moment!"

But the Ice King neither heard nor saw. He worked on like one possessed as if he would never, could never stop.

Santa crossed the room and laid his hand on the Ice King's shoulder. With a startled cry the Ice King threw up his arms and whirled around.

Instantly the pandemonium ceased and the room was hushed. "Who are you?" thundered the Ice King staring at the visitors from inflamed blue eyes.

Santa swallowed hard and fell back a step. Onik peeped fearfully from behind Santa's back. Then Santa cleared his throat and bravely said, "We're friends. Come to call."

The Ice King's mouth fell open and he stared and stared and then, with a cry, he burst into tears!

Sunday: The Ice King's Story

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Doss Maner have were Mrs. Stafford's parents, Mr. her son Wayne and Mrs. O. L. Harp, Sr. of La- field, who under- mesa. mes. the Methodist t the Methodist k Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Taylor vis- ited Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Taylor and children at Tulla Sunday and went on to Amarillo that night for a brief visit with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kirkland and children.

Ronny Grant was released from the Littlefield Hospital Monday morning, having spent several days there with an infected hand. Wayne Drake of Fort Worth made a brief visit here Monday with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Harris and Troy.

Mrs. Henry Jones is home from the Renegar - Campbell - Walsh Hospital at Levelland where she underwent recent surgery. Her sister, Mrs. Dude Shults, who has been with her for several days, has returned to her home at Tip- ton, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Griffin of Delano, Calif., arrived Monday for a visit with Griffin's sister, Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Hodges, and other relatives in the area.

El Paso Gas To Build Station On Highway 54
El Paso Natural Gas Products has taken option to purchase two lots on State Highway 54 and plans to build a service station on the property, located between Phelps Avenue and Littlefield Drive.

111 Deaths Seen During Holidays
One-hundred and eleven persons will die violently in Texas traffic accidents during the forthcoming Christmas - New Years holiday if predictions released by the Texas Department of Public Safety hold true.

The ominous forecast came from Colonel Homer Garrison, Jr., Di- rector of the Department of Public Safety, for a 12 day period extending from 12:01 a.m. Dec. 23, through 11:59 p.m., Jan. 3.

The 111 predicted motorcides are included in an estimate made by Woerner, which indicates that 20 persons will die in violence during the period. The breakdown is as follows: Motorcides 111; homi- cides and suicides 47; accidental deaths non-traffic 42; grand total 200.

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By Mrs. Frankie Faver

Earth News

The Altru Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Doug Parish at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday for its annual Christmas party. A salad supper was served.

Mrs. Jerry Devenport, in charge of the program, gave a Christmas story, "No Room." Others present were Mmes. Eugene Lee, Tommy Wheatley, Tommy Gattis, Jerry Devenport, Carol McConald, Doug Parish, Donald Runyon, Roney Smith and George Laing.

Christmas gifts were exchanged. Study Club will be Jan. 14 in the home of Mrs. Carol McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. John Laing and John Jr. left Tuesday morning for Phoenix, Ariz. to visit Mrs. Laing's mother, Mrs. Green, who has been ill for several weeks.

Pete and Clyde Parish of Earth, Gus Parish of Springlake and Mrs. Lottie Wilmet of Plainview spent from Wednesday until Sunday with their father, J. A. Parish, in Truth or Consequences, N.M. Mr. Parish celebrated his 88th birthday Friday, Dec. 11.

Mrs. J. E. Tarpley is ill at her home in Earth. Her daughter,

Forgason Held In Florida After Aug. 3 Jailbreak

FORT WORTH (AP) — Efforts were being made Monday to return Herman Clayton Forgason from Tampa, Fla., to Fort Worth, where he faces charges of auto theft, burglary, robbery and breaking jail.

Forgason, 29, and four other prisoners escaped from the county jail here Aug. 3 by tying 38 bedsheets together and climbing down from the jail's fifth floor.

Forgason is a native of Sudan and formerly was a U. S. Weather Bureau employe at Lubbock.

He was recaptured Sunday in Tampa, where he was held for investigation of armed robbery. He already has been sentenced to Huntsville for a total of 29 years on convictions in Midland, Potter and Lubbock Counties.

Those who broke jail with Forgason were recaptured earlier. After the break, Forgason was identified as a "gentlemanly" gunman who held an Arlington Heights man prisoner for nearly an hour before stealing his car and speeding away.

Forgason is the father of three children. His mother resides in Lubbock. At the time he broke out of the Fort Worth jail, he was under a 17-year prison sentence for the robbery of a cafe at Midland last April 16.

He also has been sentenced to a 15-year prison term at Amarillo for the March 27 armed robbery of a restaurant there. He is under a 5-year sentence from Lubbock for forgery. He was being held in Fort Worth on charges of theft. New charges were added after the jailbreak.

Mrs. Lorene Barnett of Kansas arrived Sunday to visit her.

Betty Joyce O'Hair of Abilene was home for the weekend.

Gene Stephens, West Texas State student, was here for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dent, Cathy and Charlie left Saturday for a three day trip to various parts of Arizona.

The Young People's Sunday School and Training Union Classes of the First Baptist Church of Earth enjoyed a Christmas dinner at the Church Dining hall Sunday at 1:00 p.m. For the program, Linda Lawrence gave a reading, "The Small One", Oletha Sanders showed a film, "No Room", and a trio composed of Linda Lawrence, Sharon Wheatley and Camille Wheatley, sang several Christmas songs. Margaret Meadows read Luke's account of the Birth of Christ.

Sponsors for the occasion were Mmes. Clarence Kelley, Truman Lowe, Paul Wood, Marvin Sanders and Travis Jaeguess.

Approximately 30 persons were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Ferguson, Kenny and Denise of Amherst visited in the R. S. Cole home Sunday afternoon.

Robert O'Hair left Sunday for a business trip to Junction, Texas.

Joe Layne and Miss Joann Elmore of Lubbock visited Joann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Elmore Sunday.

Guy Wells, Martha Matthews, and Sharon Hay all students at Abilene Christian College, spent the weekend in the home of Sharon's parents, the Cullen Hays.

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Johnson of Pampa, grandmother of Mrs. Eldon Davis, were conducted Saturday afternoon at Pampa.

Mrs. Florence O'Hair was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital and Clinic. She is suffering a broken knee cap. Her condition Monday was reported as satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Stafford of Portales, N.M., visited the E. W. Happers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McMurry of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Murrell of Earth and Mr. Southern George of San Antonio returned Saturday from a four-day trip to Colorado Springs and Cheyenne, Wyo.

Floyd Bills, who underwent major surgery Friday at the Medical Arts Hospital and Clinic in Littlefield, is reported to be improving nicely. Among those who have visited Mr. Bills during his illness are his brother and family, the R. V. Bills of Dimmitt, also these local people, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hickman, Mr. and

Mrs. R. W. Finning, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Higgins. Mr. Bills' son, Clifford of Denver City has also been at the bedside of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Conway and Colene of Childress came Saturday to visit the E. O. Lightfoots, George Kisingers and Edward Bells. Mr. Conway is a brother of Mrs. Lightfoot.

Dickie Autry was a Sunday dinner guest of Carol Cole.

FFA, FHA Groups Hold Yule Party At Whitharral

WHITHARRAL — Members of the local FFA and FHA Chapters staged their annual Christmas party Monday evening.

Games were directed by Miss Marvalynne Durham at the Ag building. The group then went to the Home Ec cottage for refreshments of punch and cookies.

Toys were collected to be given to needy children of the area, rather than an exchange of gifts.

Present were Misses Jane Mitchell, Shirley Edwards, Marvalynne Durham, Barbara Crews, Carol Ann Davis, Mrs. Allen Williams, O. L. Harris, Don C. Heck, Ronny Grant, Jimmy Brantley, Troy Harris, Clyde Gilley, R. C. Cheek, Barry Heard, Bob Ward, Jerry Ligon, Gary Northern, Jackie Dalrymple, Rodger Wade, Kenneth Polk, Leonard Bryant and Jimmy Slape.

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By Mrs. Evelyn Scott

Sudan Sidelights

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar White and Darwood will leave Friday for Mason on a deer hunting trip. From there they will go to Lake Charles, La., where they will spend the holidays with relatives.

Visiting Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Ellis was her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stone of Wilson.

Among adults in Lubbock Saturday to accompany the band students for the Region band tryouts were Mrs. Bill Curry, Mrs. R. E. Scott, Mrs. Cleo Whitmire, Mrs. J. B. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Seymore, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Boyd Montgomery, Jr.

Members of the eighth grade class were feted to its annual semester party Saturday evening in the Community Center. The Christmas motif was used for party decorations.

Games were played by the group under the direction of Mrs. Jay Miller. Refreshments of cookies and punch were served. Among parents assisting with the event were Mr. and Mrs. Weaver Barnett, Mrs. Lois Blair, Mrs. Milton Williams, Mrs. Van Rogers, Mrs. Bill Curry, Mrs. Mike Lardy, Mrs. Buford Walser and Mrs. Edgar Chance, home room teacher.

Mrs. Lena Rollins, Mrs. Robert Masten and son, Rollie, were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Edwards and family in Lubbock. Also visiting the Edwards Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Cowart and Rocky, and Robert Masten.

Mrs. Guy Walden was in McKinney over the weekend to visit her mother, Mrs. J. W. Douglas.

Whitharral HD Holds Annual Christmas Party

WHITHARRAL — Mrs. Rafe Rodgers presided at a short business meeting of the Whitharral Home Demonstration Club at the Home Ec cottage here Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 9. The time of meeting was changed from 2:30 to 2 for the new year.

Mrs. Erwin Sadler and Mrs. Leon Slape directed the games for the Christmas party that followed. Secret pals were revealed and gifts were exchanged.

Hostesses Mesdames J. E. Gravit, Warren Tipton, and L. C. Lewis served fruit cake and spiced punch to a new member, Mrs. S. B. Miller, and Mmes. Rodgers, S. J. Clevenger, Jr., Glenn Hughes, Ervin Saddler, Leon Slape, E. E. Pair, R. Strockland, Hub Spraberry, Ella Hewitt, A. L. Chisholm, B. L. Hicks, Sr., Russell Cotton, C. E. Throckmorton and Raymond Clevenger.

Products Party Held At Northern Home

WHITHARRAL — Mrs. Betty Maye of Littlefield directed the games and gave a products show at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Northern east of Whitharral Thursday evening, Dec. 10.

Glenn Barbee was the "lucky person" and Ralph Wade "guessed the sales" of the evening. Coffee, cakes, cookies, and doughnuts were served to Mrs. Brady Helms, Donna, and Doris, Messrs. and Mmes. Ed Johnson, V. D. Hodges, Orville Kirby, Ralph Wade, Jr., Mrs. Maye, and the hosts.

Mrs. Douglas returned to Sudan with Mrs. Walden and is to spend the holidays here.

Mrs. Tray Gaston was ill and confined to a hospital in Littlefield over the weekend.

Mrs. W. O. Eddins underwent surgery Monday morning in a Littlefield hospital.

Mrs. C. M. Furneaux will spend the Christmas holidays in Dallas and Fort Worth visiting her mother and sister, Mrs. J. T. Pryor and Mrs. Tom O'Brien.

Seven of the eight band students participating in try-outs for Region Band held Saturday at Texas Tech in Lubbock were named to the Honor group.

The students competed for the positions along with students from schools in all classes, according to Band director Lee Boyd Montgomery.

Named to the Region 1 band were Carol Harper, French Horn; Jeanne Seymore, baritone saxophone; Dyanne Curry, alto sax; Faye Scott, clarinet; Laurie Shaffer, clarinet; Anita Kay Whitmire, alto clarinet; Marilyn Driver, contra base clarinet. Two of the students will compete for positions with the All State band at area try-outs Jan. 16. They are Anita Whitmire, and Marilyn Driver.

The Region Band is to present a concert Jan. 30 at Texas Tech. Students participating will attend an all day rehearsal preceding the concert in the evening.

Members of the Hornet Band of Sudan schools will present a Christmas concert Friday afternoon and will play Christmas selections, concert and marching numbers.

According to Director Montgomery, the concert will be presented to the entire school and school patrons are also invited to attend.

The annual Christmas dinner and party of the Bellar family was held Sunday in the community center when Mr. and Mrs. Mack Bellar were hosts for the occasion.

Those in attendance included Messrs. and Mmes. Hub Bellar of Hereford, W. P. Jackson of Lubbock; L. C. Dean of Lubbock; O. C. Madden of Lubbock; Kenneth Bellar of Amarillo; Edgar White of Sudan; Dan Provence of Sudan; Ed Biecar, Johnny Bellar, O'Don Bellar, Billy Bellar, and Waymon Bellar, all of Sudan.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Masten and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chisholm were in Lubbock Monday evening to attend a dinner of the All American Security Life Insurance Co., held at the Holiday Inn.

Mrs. F. M. Smith was hostess to members of the Wednesday Bridge Club and guests for a Christmas luncheon held last week in her home when Mrs. Adrian Martin was co-hostess. The Christmas motif was used for party decorations. Those in attendance included Mmes. W. O. Edins, Tom King, Johnny Thomason, Glenn Gatewood, W. V. Terry, Bob Drake, Radney Nichols, and Ray Wood.



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