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NO. 10

Sheriff, State Officers Do Rushing Business

The Runnels county sheriff's department and state highway patrolmen were kept busy during the Christmas holidays.

No court was held Wednesday morning but the sheriff had an office full plus others in jail awaiting an opportunity to plead guilty and pay fines for various offenses.

Antonio Chapa was arrested at Rowena December 19, and has made a lengthy statement in regard to robberies and burglaries at Rowena, Norton and Paint Rock. Implicated in Jacobo Rodriguez, who is being held in jail at Florence, Arizona. Deputies left here yesterday to bring Rodriguez to Ballinger for a hearing.

Chapa's deposition cites eight robberies at Rowena, two at Norton and seven at Paint Rock and may involve others before the investigation is concluded. Chapa is a juvenile and he and Rodriguez formerly lived near Rowena.

Marshall Johnson has been arrested and charged with passing a forged instrument. On December 20 he cashed a check

at the Higginbotham store here on which the name of Claud Lee was forged.

On December 23 the People's Jewelry Store at Winters was burglarized, a number of rings, watches and other jewelry being stolen. A glass was broken to gain admission to the store. Sheriff Don Atkins stated there were good "leads" but no arrest has been made.

George Hoyle is charged with aggravated assault for the stabbing of Willie Mae Wiseman, both negroes, on Christmas eve night at a house in the "flat." Sheriff Atkins stated that simple assault charges probably would be filed also against the Wiseman women and Mrs. Hoyle.

Five men arrested during the holidays are charged with driving while intoxicated. Being held Wednesday were Andy Gardner and Bruno Hohenberger, of Fredericksburg; Skinner Bates, of Winters; Jesus Garcia and Wallace Evans.

Sheriff Atkins said numerous other calls were received and arrests made for minor violations.



NEW YORK STREET SCENE . . . An overturned garbage truck and a battered taxi cab are shown after a crash at 7th street and Second avenue. One of the vehicles hit a fire box, automatically sounding an alarm. The driver of the truck, Vincent de Marco, 21, died, pinned in the cab of his overturned truck, and four other persons were injured. Fire and emergency squads are shown working to extricate the body of de Marco. De Marco's helper, Louis Centinno, also was pinned when the truck overturned and was removed by jacking up the truck. The cabdriver and his passenger were not seriously hurt.

Motor Vehicles Must Pass Rigid Inspection

Car owners of Runnels county are reminded that they must have their motor vehicles inspected and receive approval certificates from official motor vehicle inspection stations before they can register their vehicles and secure new number plates.

This legislation was passed last year and is very rigid in regard to the condition of cars that will be permitted on highways next year.

The Frank Flynt Motor Co. has received appointment as an official station along with complete instructions on the inspection to be made before an

approval certificate can be issued.

The procedure has 14 general points for the inspection with 36 sub-heads under these. It calls for inspection of every part of a car which could be faulty and cause a wreck, and rigidly enforced probably will make it possible for only late models to meet the requirements.

The amount of work demanded on an inspection will require considerable time and automobile owners will have to begin getting their cars ready by January 1 if all are cleared through official stations before the final date for registration.

Soil Conservation Unit Takes in 7 More Farms

The board of supervisors of the Runnels county soil conservation district recently approved more farms for practices under the plan being followed in this area. Additional landowners to receive official approval were:

Sory Alexander, 381 acres
Bryant Bishop, 637 acres
Alvin Benson, 250 acres
Clyde Flanagan, 530 acres
Mrs. Inez Smith, 200 acres
Raymond Wilde, 143 acres
Carl Gottschalk, 213 acres

A soil conservation meeting held on the Clarence Spill farm recently was attended by a large number of landowners and neighbors. Mr. Spill explained operation of the district.

O. L. Fenner, district conservationist, of San Angelo, explained land classes and showed how to determine the texture of certain soils. With a simple experiment he demonstrated how a coarse textured soil would take up water faster than a fine textured soil and how the fine soil held more water than the other.

On a cultivated field an interesting demonstration was given. The effect of the plow pan or plow sole was shown on the water intake of a soil. On top of the plow pan the soil took up 4 inches of water per hour, while below the plow pan the soil took up 12 1/2 inches of water per hour.

A trip was made over the Spill farm, and especially observed were grass plantings that had been made in some old fields in April of last year. Planted was a mixture of side-oats gamma, lehmamm lovegrass, weeping lovegrass and K. R. bluestem. It was thought the grass looked good, considering the dry year.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Black, of Abilene, and Carl Black, Jr. spent Christmas in the home of Mrs. J. W. Black, where they joined other relatives.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients dismissed from the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital the past week included:

Harris Mitchell, crash injuries, last Thursday
Andrew Englert, Winters, medical, Saturday
Kermit Parish, medical, Friday

Mrs. Dan Guevara and son, Friday

Mrs. S. L. Hanson, medical, Sunday

Mrs. Leonard Halfmann, Rowena, medical, Tuesday

Mrs. Marjorie Williams, surgical, Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wallace, of Brownwood, are parents of a daughter, born Wednesday.

Patients receiving treatment in the hospital are as follows:

August Lange, medical
Mrs. E. C. Pape, medical
Mrs. Jack Fry, medical
Herman Goetz, Vick, surgical
Mrs. Mary Fenwick, medical

STORES TO BE CLOSED TUESDAY, JANUARY 1

Ballinger stores will be closed next Tuesday, January 1, to observe New Year's day, one of the scheduled holidays agreed upon at the beginning of the year.

Ballinger school authorities have postponed the time of opening the schools after the Christmas holidays until January 2 in order to coincide with the city-wide holidays.

A few Ballingerites will attend bowl football games but most of them will be at home for New Year's.

SUPERINTENDENT TO SPEAK AT CHURCH OF NAZARENE

Rev. Ponder Gilliland, newly elected superintendent of the San Angelo district of the Church of the Nazarene, will be the guest minister Sunday at the local church, corner of Ninth Street and Harris Avenue.

Rev. Gilliland, formerly of Calgary, Alberta, Canada, is a forceful and lucid speaker. All members of the church are urged to attend the service and the public is invited.

Diane Cockrell Seriously Hurt In Fall from Car

Diane Cockrell, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cockrell, sustained painful and serious injuries Sunday afternoon when she fell from the family car, moving at a speed of about 55 miles an hour.

The family was en route to Albany to spend Christmas with relatives and when about two miles from Tuscola, Shirley, 15, and Dickie, 4, screamed. Mr. Cockrell noticed that the back door was open and saw his little daughter on the pavement with cars approaching from both directions.

As soon as the car was stopped Mrs. Cockrell stepped out, carrying her 3-months-baby, and fainted. Shirley carried her sister to the car while Mr. Cockrell and a passing motorist revived Mrs. Cockrell. They rushed the girl to an Abilene hospital, where it was found she had a deep cut on the upper lip, head cuts, a displaced kidney and back bruises. She was reported resting well Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cockrell and children lived at the Ballinger Country Club, where he is caretaker.

Retailers to Close At 7 on Saturdays Starting This Week

A group of Ballinger stores have entered an agreement to close their places of business on Saturdays at 7:00 p. m. This earlier closing time will start on December 29 and continue until fall business begins next year.

The local firms decided on a uniform closing time in order to meet requirements of hours and not have to "stagger" their help or use two crews for the extra long run on Saturdays.

Those who have agreed to the 7:00 p. m. closing time are:

Higginbotham Bros. & Co.
Mode O' Day
Ben Franklin Store
Home Furniture Co.
Edwards Parts
Ballinger Dry Goods Co.
J. C. Penny Co.
Foy's Hardware
George's
Curry-Hambrick Jewelers
Stone's
Lintz's Department Store
Rieger Home & Auto
Perry Bros.
Heidenheimer's
Bettis & Sturges
King-Holt Co.

CLASSES TO BE RESUMED HERE ON JANUARY 2, 1952

Supt. Ernest Caskey announced this week that the school Christmas holidays had been extended and that regular classwork would be resumed on January 2. It was first announced that studies would be resumed on December 31, but with business houses taking a holiday on New Year's Day, many families had planned to be away from home.

Mr. Caskey stated that attendance would have been very light and that two additional days granted will require classwork to be continued two days later in May.

A good number of Ballinger football fans will attend the Cotton Bowl game at Dallas on January 1 and others have planned celebrations which would keep children out of school.

Mrs. Walter Abernathy and Mrs. Charles Turner, of Fort Worth, were holiday guests of Mrs. Minnie Maud Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stone.

Carpenters Repair 300-Odd Playthings For Kiddies' Xmas

The Ballinger carpenters' union repaired, repainted and assisted with the distribution of more than 300 toys during the Christmas season. The carpenters were provided with the remainder of the toys were distributed by the union members.

Organizations and individuals who "adopted" families for Christmas were provided with toys to go with the boxes of food and clothing and Tuesday the remainder of the toys were distributed by the union members.

Roy Hull, secretary, stated Wednesday that someone received a 14-inch bicycle which had not been finished. The bicycle has a bad tire on it and a new one has been received but had not been put on the wheel. Whoever has the bicycle is asked to contact Mr. Hull and the new tire will be supplied.

In addition to this work, the union looked after a family with 11 children.

Mr. Hull stated that the union wishes to thank all who assisted in any way in the project. Those who sold supplies for refinishing the toys at cost and less are included in this group.

COLEMAN-RUNNELS BOARD CALLS NINE TO SERVICE

Selective service board No. 21, for Coleman and Runnels counties, has issued a call for nine men to be inducted on January 15. These youths have had their physicals and are to enter military service on the above date. They are:

Billy Wells, Coleman
Aubrey Clendennen, Abilene, formerly of Ballinger
Newton Carl McDonald, Jr., Coleman

Gerald Popnoe, Novice
James E. Burson, Kennedy, formerly of Winters
Robert D. Kresta, Ballinger
Rt. 1

Lee Roy Woodward, Midland, formerly of Santa Anna
Therin S. Osborne, Talpa
Rt. 2
Doyle H. Doggett, Wingate
Rt. 1

Winters Youth Killed by Auto Near His Home

James Barnes, 21, was struck by an automobile within 100 yards of his home at Winters Tuesday night about 10 o'clock and died in the Winters hospital the next morning from head injuries.

Driving the car which struck Barnes was Jesse O. Pavich, of Lake City, Colorado, and the other occupant was Harland Harmon, of Brownsboro, Alabama. The two are son and son-in-law of Bill Harmon, county commissioner for the Wingate precinct. They were visiting in the Harmon home during the Christmas holidays.

After hitting Barnes, the two boys remained with him until the ambulance came to remove him to the hospital. The accident happened on farm-to-market road 53 just west of the Winters city limits.

Barnes was born in Runnels county and some three months ago moved to Winters from the Victory community.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Barnes; three sisters, Mrs. Odessa Sparks, Three Rivers; Mrs. Geraldine Collins, Winters; Vada Mae Barnes, Winters; five brothers, Vernon Lee, Raymond, Alvin, Arlie and Arland Barnes, Winters.

Lions Preparing For Membership Drive in January

Ballinger Lions exchanged humorous gifts at their program last Friday noon, most of the presents being left on the tables and were put in boxes going to needy families. It was stated that no meeting will be held this week and the price of the meal for the entire club will be given to one or more families.

Plans are being made to launch the annual membership campaign in January. Numerous prospects have already been approved for membership by the board of directors and these were handed to five team captains at the meeting Friday. Alvin Holbrook, chairman of the membership committee, has selected Mack Bowers, Clarence Bissett, Jimmy Nicholas, Fred Holliday and W. E. Witt as team captains. The captains have divided the membership to help in the campaign.

One of the first projects of the new year will be the staging of the annual minstrel show which was originally scheduled in December but was postponed because of numerous activities in this month.

COCHRAN 4-H GIRLS CLUB HOLDS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Serena Lois and Barbara Minzenmayer entertained the Shamrock 4-H club at its Christmas party December 12.

Games were played and the group enjoyed singing Christmas carols. Gifts were banked around the lighted tree and later were exchanged.

Refreshments of homemade cookies, candy and hot chocolate with nuts and fruit were served to: Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Ueckert, Mmes. Ellis Ueckert, Milton Jackson, Lawrence Jacob, Cullen Busher, H. L. Frick, Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent; Miss Thelma Casey, district agent; and the following club members: Juanita Bredemeyer, Barbara, Serena and Frances Minzenmayer, Janie and Naomi Busher, Cilla Mae Burleson, Altus Ueckert, Rosetta Jacob, Janice Frick, and Janell and Aelan Braun. Others present included: Calvin Ray Jackson, Weldon Minzenmayer, Mrs. George Pruser, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Minzenmayer and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Minzenmayer.

BALLINGER STUDENT HONORED AT BAYLOR

Everett Grindstaff, senior student at Baylor University, Waco, has been elected vice-president of the Taurus Society campus social organization for boys.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff, of Ballinger, Everett is majoring in law and his minor subject is business. He is a member of Alpha Phi Omega, service organization, and has been named on the dean's honor list.

Oil and Gas Showing In Murray-Gottschalk

Many oil operations in Runnels county were halted for a few days to celebrate Christmas but all tours are busy this week-end and a number are preparing to drill in production.

Of most interest here was the Murray Petroleum and others No. 1-Dorothy Gottschalk, a west extension to the Nettie Currie Palo Pinto field. Pay has been cored in this well, oil and gas showing within a few minutes. Drillers were getting ready yesterday to set casing and gauge production. The well is 3/4 of a mile west of production in the new Palo Pinto field.

Texas Pacific Oil & Coal Co. No. 2-C A. Dickenson, in the Hull-Dobbs field, was finished last week for a daily flow of 316.32 barrels of 40 gravity oil. Total depth is 4,115 feet.

The Humble Co. has staked three locations on the Sallee

Odom estate, Fort Chadbourne field. The wells will be known as 71B-, 72B- and 16D- Sallee Odom and each has been approved for 6,000 feet.

Murray Petroleum Co. No. 1-Lillie Marks, scheduled Palo Pinto test, is projected for 4,600 feet.

Union Sulphur No. 14-J. M. Giles, in the Cree-Sykes field, will go to 4,500 feet.

Humble No. 2-C. C. Cave, in the Fort Chadbourne field, has been staked for a 5,800-foot test. Union Sulphur No. 9-Rebecca Miller is a new 4,500-foot venture in the Cree-Sykes field.

Union Sulphur No. 6-Rebecca Miller is to be drilled to 4,500 feet.

Placid Oil Co. No. 3-S. Alexander will be a combination tool operation for a 4,100-foot hole, 2,300 feet from the south and 1,050 feet from the west line of section 9, H. T. & E. survey, one a 203.70-acre lease.

11 New C. C. Directors Named by Membership

Eleven new directors have been certified to serve two-year terms on the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce board. A committee canvassed the post card ballots recently mailed out and announced the eleven high men Saturday.

The post card ballot included 22 names, 11 to be elected, and the response was large. Practically all members of the organization returned ballots, indicating the eleven of their choice. Certified for the two-year term are:

Al Dallinger, hardware dealer
Clarence Bissett, service station
Doyle St. John, oil operator
Frank Flynt, Ford dealer
Rev. Joseph Emery, minister
Dr. W. K. Wheatly, physician-surgeon
John Bradley, tire dealer
E. B. Underwood, lawyer
Mack Bowers, oil distributor
Wayman Mason, service station operator
A. E. Holbrook, office supplies dealer

The new directors who will serve with eleven hold-overs, who are: Ewell Jones, L. R. Rieger, W. O. Wallace, Troy Simpson, K. V. Northington, Walter Presson, Ernest Caskey, Sam Behringer, A. O. Bartlett, John Purifoy and Jack Moore.

The eleven directors who have completed their two-year term and who will retire this month are: Joe Forman, Stanley Price, Chester Cherry, Allen Davis, Dr. A. T. Taylor, Gene Heidenheimer, Dick Ayers, Derward Bissett, Jack Scyles, Herman Price and E. Y. Bailey.

The hold-overs and new directors will meet Monday, January 7, to elect officers for 1952 and committee chairmen are to be named by the president and the executive committee.

A discussion of the annual membership meeting and banquet will be held and if possible a program arranged and a date set.

Cook Home Xmas Decoration Given First Place in Contest

Home and yard decorations were inspected and judged Friday night and the judges took several hours to drive over the city and study the many beautiful pieces.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cook, 905 Fifth Street, were given first place. This entire home was included in a unique Christmas piece which included a greeting, the Bethlehem star and the Three Wise Men, a hearty "Hi" from Santa Claus, and finally a "Happy New Year, Too" on the garage door.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cherry, 908 Sixth Street, were given second place with a yard and porch decoration.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Talbot and Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wear tied for third place and each will be awarded the third place award.

Judges expressed the desire to give honorable mention to the following: R. H. Herring, D. G. Posey, O. L. Huddleston, Elmer Shepperd, Dr. E. W. Stanley, George Holman and Dick Lowrey.

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BATTLE WITH GUERRILLAS . . . The body of a Communist guerrilla lies in foreground here as French jungle troops in the background operate against hidden snipers in Cho-Ben Pass, Tonkin, Indochina. More than 200 bodies of dead Communists were found in this area after the action that took place when the French forces cut off a guerrilla force from its escape route to the mountains and scored a smashing victory over Reds who have been a bit too pressing lately.

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TAYLOR WILL BUILD DRIVE-IN AT RANKIN

H. Ford Taylor will construct a new \$35,000 drive-in theatre at Rankin. Work will get underway at once and the new 300 car drive-in is expected to be

ready for opening about February 15.

Mr. Taylor recently purchased a home at San Angelo and has moved there to be nearer his show interests in West Texas.

GLASS

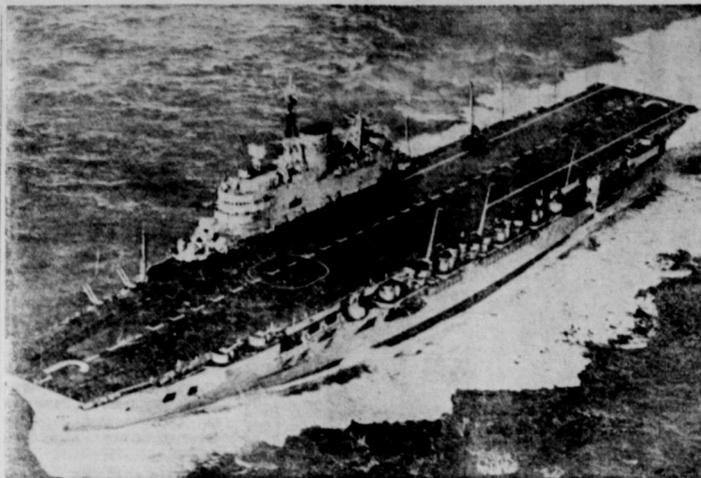
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UNSINKABLE CARRIER . . . The H.M.S. Eagle, Britain's new 36,800-ton super carrier is shown in Bangor Bay near Belfast, Ireland, during recent tests. The admiralty revealed recently that the new carrier has a secret new method to control damage caused by enemy guns or bombs and is "virtually unsinkable." The new ship's keel was laid in 1942, but her commission was delayed while British engineers studied wartime damage reports and the lessons learned at Bikini atomic tests. This new knowledge was put into the building of the Eagle. The Eagle's new payload will be 100 jet fighters and atomic bombers.

IN SOCIETY

Fannie Stephen Study Club Has Christmas Program

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Max McCrary on Eleventh Street was opened to Fannie Stephens Study Club members on Wednesday afternoon when a Christmas program was presented by Mrs. Tony Morgan and several speech students from high school, and musical numbers by the high school sextet.

Mrs. R. S. Lowrey and Mrs. Jack Moore, hostesses for the affair, greeted guests in the living room, which was decorated with a large silver tree with blue baubles and lights. The mantel and piano held arrangements of silvered magnolia leaves centered with white tapers.

The dining table was centered with a large red candle encircled with natural magnolia leaves. The same arrangement was on the buffet along with poinsettias.

Mrs. M. E. McClenny directed the business period and presented Mrs. W. K. Wheatly, program chairman. Mrs. Tony Morgan was introduced as guest announcer over Station NOEL, bringing a special Christmas program at which the Ballinger

high school sextet, composed of Wanda Smith, Nelda Faubion, Pat Watson, Clydelle Wilkins, Ruth Ann Erwin, and Shirley Dodson, under the direction of Miss Nelda Keys, was presented. They sang "Jingle Bells," "Silent Night," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," and "Oh Night Divine." Mrs. Morgan and three girls from her speech class, Ann Stanney, Mary Jo Forman and Lorene Kohutek, presented a beautiful Christmas story.

Following the program, guests were invited into the activity room, where a log fire burning in the fireplace added to the festive theme, which included a miniature white Christmas tree on the refreshment table, red candies and magnolia leaves. A salad, depicting a green Christmas tree, was served with cookies and coffee.

Assisting the hostesses was the social committee, Mrs. W. A. McDonald, Mrs. Preston Fitzhugh and Mrs. Lloyd L. Downing.

Twenty-four club members and two visitors, Mrs. Loyd Herring and Mrs. Max McCrary, were present.

J. L. Davises Hold Open House Friday Evening

Mr. J. L. Davis, minister of

the Eighth Street Church of Christ, and Mrs. Davis, entertained with an open house on Friday evening between seven and ten o'clock.

A Christmas theme was carried out in decorations in the Davis home on Bonsall Avenue, where the entire church membership and added guests were included. The dining table was laid with lace and centered with an arrangement of red carnations and ferns. Mrs. Calton Smith, Mrs. Lucretia McDonald and Mrs. Henrie Smith presided at the punch bowl and served cake. Mrs. Mace Sunday registered guests.

Other decorations included the lighted tree and holiday motifs.

Carl Davis, a junior at Abilene Christian College, assisted his parents in receiving guests.

Friendly Neighbors H. D. Club Has Seasonal Party

Members of the Friendly Neighbors home demonstration club were guests last Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. M. A. Dusek for their annual Christmas party.

Entertaining rooms featured the seasonal motif along with the traditional decorated tree, where gifts were exchanged following the short business routine. Carols were sung and games played.

Mrs. Dusek served a refreshment plate of cookies and spiced tea to: Mmes. Eugene Baker, Harold Mueller, Andy Riddle, J. A. McClelland, W. J. Curtis, J. J. Wessels, Charlie Stubblefield, Ralph Russell, Cecil Lander, John Duke, Merle Taff, C. T. Moonen, Roy Tyree, Ramon Berryhill, and Leon Russell.

Gift Shower for Barnetts Slated December 31

A gift shower will be held at the Valley View Baptist Church

at 3 o'clock Monday, December 31, for Mr. and Mrs. Chester Barnett and their family.

The Barnett home and all the contents were destroyed by fire on December 10.

Anyone wishing to send gifts to the family that cannot attend the shower is requested to contact Mrs. Andy Riddle, and she will see that they are delivered. Phone 5624 for further details.

Mrs. Wade and Mrs. Brunson Entertain Cubs

Mrs. V. O. Wade and Mrs. Aubrey Brunson, Den Mothers of their Cub Scout Troop, were hosts to the group Tuesday afternoon of last week, entertaining in St. Mary's Recreation Hall, which was decorated in the festive mood of the holiday season.

After the opening prayer, Chris Bissett and Ronald Collins gave Christmas stories, which was followed by the singing of carols.

Gifts were completed by the Cubs, to be presented to their mothers. Gifts were exchanged from the lighted tree, and Christmas socks filled with candies were presented. Pictures were also made.

Mrs. Wade and Mrs. Brunson served cherry punch and cookies from the refreshment table, laid with a bright red cloth and centered with a green turtle encircled with mistletoe.

Those present were: Jerry Brunson, Frankie Jackson, Jimmy Wade, Milton Davis, Dave Hall, Wayne Hunter, Robert Wade, Chris Bissett, Ronald Collins, and Jerry Howard Smith.

Local Teachers at Alpha Beta Christmas Party

Miss Anna Belle Hash and Mrs. Dixie Louder, teachers in Ballinger schools, attended the annual Christmas party December 22 of the Alpha Beta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, national honorary society for women teachers, at the Massie Clubhouse in San Angelo.

Special guests were Mrs. Margarita Gomez and Miss Concepcion Puente, visiting teachers from Mexico City.

St. Mary's Altar Society Has Christmas Party

Mrs. W. J. Curtis gave the opening prayer for the Christmas party of the Altar Society of St. Mary's Catholic Church, held in the Recreation Hall on Fifth Street Tuesday evening of last week.

Mrs. H. J. Zappe directed the business when it was voted to "adopt" two needy families at Christmas and present boxes of gifts. It was reported that 292 garments had been sent to Korea, and two boxes of clothing had been collected to distribute among the local Latin-Americans. Mrs. Charles Olsak reported that \$62.50 had been netted from the bake sale, held several weeks ago.

After a talk on church responsibilities by the Reverend Edward Postert, O.M.I., gifts were exchanged from the decorated tree. A sandwich plate

By trial and error or scientific fact

Among ancient drugs in popular use were excreta of swine, powdered horn of deer, fliespecks, and toads. Although these were somewhat repulsive and of very doubtful value, great faith was placed in their curative powers. A review of the drugs in use today would disclose many similar animal products and tissues. Examples are pituitary extract, thyroid, liver, adrenaline, insulin from the pancreas, and estrone from the urine of pregnant mares. When processed and dispensed for use, they have little resemblance to their original state. In medicine and pharmacy, trial and error is a thing of the past. The use of drugs is in strict accordance with scientific fact.

PEARCE-BAILEY DRUG

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was served with fruit cake, cookies, candy and hot chocolate and coffee.

Gifts were presented Rev. Postert, and Rev. Gaynon. Others present were: Mmes. Alton Seidel, Harold Mueller, J. S. Howell, Ed Kotrik, C. T. Moonen, David Haliburton, Ernest Schott, Walter Mueller, Chester Afflerbach, and Miss Mary Krc. Visitors were Mrs. R. T. Trail and Patsy Zappe, Bobby and Joe Howell and Mary Frances Mueller.

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You Must Have Approval Certificate Before You Can Register Your Car

For this reason it will be necessary that car owners start having inspections made at once in order that all inspections can be made and corrections made on cars that are found faulty.

THE TIME IS SHORT—START AT ONCE!

Frank Flynt Motor Co.



RITA AND FRIEND . . . Rita Hayworth visits Hollywood nightclub with old friend, agent Charlie Feldman, after her return from Nevada where she filed suit for divorce from Prince Aly Khan. Divorce cannot be granted until 60 days after prince is notified.



WINNER—AT 16 . . . Maureen Connolly, 16, youngest tennis star to win national women's championship, clasps her hands in typical triumphant gesture at Forest Hills, N.Y. She left immediately for her home in San Diego, Calif.

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IN SOCIETY

High School Press Club Sponsors Yuletide Coronation Program
Members of the staffs of the Ballinger High School annual, "Paw Prints," and the newspaper, "Cat Tracks," and their faculty sponsors, Mrs. W. N. Selby and Mrs. Josephine Stall-

ings, were official hosts at their annual formal presentation program of "Who's Who" and school favorites at the high school auditorium Friday evening, followed by a dance honoring the favorites in the American Legion hall at Bruce

Field. The favorites, who were elected in secret balloting by the entire student body, were notified of the results the past week.
A Fairyland scene was depicted on the stage with a silver tree laden with icicles and angel hair. Other decorations included glistening rhinestones about the stage furnishings where the presentation program was opened with the high school chorus, under the direction of Miss Neida Key, with Miss Virginia Zedlitz at the piano, singing "White Christmas," a novelty arrange-

ment of "Jingle Bells," and "Winter Wonderland," after Mrs. Selby gave the welcome. Miss Cordelia Flanagan and Carol Smith sang a duet with Mrs. Stallings playing the accompaniment.
James Carpenter, master of ceremonies, presented the public schools king and queen, Carol Ann Bailey and William Morris, followed by the presentation of favorites: most beautiful, Cordelia Flanagan, and most handsome, Grayum Hart, most popular girl and boy, Mary Harral and Curtis Fletcher; most typical girl and boy, Gale Hays and Harlan Forbus; class

favorites, seniors, girl and boy—Deane Rountree and Jimmy Nixon, juniors—Barbara Stuart and Fred Holliday, sophomores—Helen Kennedy and Weldon Brevard, and freshmen—Emilie Burton and Mickey Hart.
Other presentations were: football sweetheart, Merle Richards, escorted by the most outstanding athlete, Harold Merrifield; best Bearcatette, Rosemary Bradley, escorted by Gerald Black; band sweetheart, Ginger Gurley, escorted by the Who's Who in Band, Herbert Minzenmayer; alternate band sweetheart, Tookie Wade, escorted by J. D. Marek; F.F.A.

sweetheart, Carolyn Bigby, escorted by the F.H.A. king, Delbert Smith; F.F.A. queen and Who's Who in home economics III, Dian Tuckey, escorted by Henry Stokes, F.H.A. prince, and Norma Jean Lisso, F.F.A. queen, escorted by Wayne Cole, F.H.A. prince.
Next in line was Miss Ballinger Theresa Elkins, escorted by Elroy Payne. The following Who's Who choices were presented: Mary Jo Forman and Bob Bruce, Joyce Hite and Marilyn Lee, Mildred Dorotik and Bill Davenport, Wanda Smith and Walter Piel, Polly Maas and Howard Hamner, Shirley Thompson and Buster Berryhill, Wynell Dodd and Weldon Lange, Dorothy Hocker and Henry Wolf, Betty Don Davis and Bobby Smith, Joye Campbell and Dan Dankworth.
At the conclusion, the master of ceremonies presented bouquets of red roses and gifts to Mrs. Selby and Mrs. Stallings in appreciation of their work.
The formal dance followed at the American Legion hall at Bruce Field with students and their dates, parents and friends attending. All decorations featured greenery and Christmas ornaments. Refreshments were served throughout the dancing period.

ley, and Phil Turner. Adults were: Mmes. Frank Jones, Connelly, Wes Hamilton, W. A. W. A. Thomasson, Ernest Watkins, Foy Watson and Charlie Davis.
COUNTY OFFICIALS HAVE X-MAS TREE
All county officials and employees at the court house gathered Friday afternoon for their annual Christmas tree, program and exchange of gifts. The affair was held in the office of Miss Ollie Chenoweth and after the preliminaries gifts were distributed.
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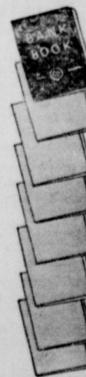
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ABANDONED . . . Patricia Ann Lawrence, abandoned about six weeks ago in St. Lawrence, Wis., church, needed only her parents to make her first Christmas, full and joyous. Police believe the child is from out of town. An attorney for the case of the abandoned child says, "All I can say is that I hope if the mother of the child reads these lines, she will find it in her heart to claim the child." It looks as if Santa didn't forget the child.



DRESSED TO KILL . . . Armed guards are in attendance at all the Korean truce talks now. Guards of both the United Nations and the Communist forces are stationed at the conference tent in Pan Mun Jom. Here two United Nations military policemen, Lieutenant Howard C. Hoppas (left), Warsaw, Ind., and Lieutenant Price Mosher, Brookline, Mass., are interested in the quilted cotton uniform of a North Korean Communist sentry who is armed with a bayoneted rifle instead of the sidearms carried by the Americans. The Communist is impassive under the scrutiny of the men from the West.

Raborn, and Mrs. J. W. Brooks, respectively deceased; and (c) all persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed heretofore given to J. W. Brooks as grantee, dated November 23, 1915, recorded in volume 89, page 591 of the deed records of Runnels County, Texas.

You are hereby commanded to appear and answer plaintiff's petition at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday, the 21st day of January, 1952, at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, Texas, at the Court House in Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 29th day of November, 1951. The file number of said suit is No. 5016. The names of the parties to and in said suit are: W. S. Cooke is plaintiff; and the defendants are J. W. Brooks and the other persons to whom this writ is addressed and hereabove named. The nature of said suit is substantially as follows, to-wit: A suit in trespass to try title filed by said plaintiff against said defendants to recover the title to and the possession of the following described land located in Runnels County, Texas, to-wit: All of Lot 3 in Block "D" of Murray's East End Addition to the City of Winters, in Runnels County, Texas. The Plaintiff pleads and seeks to recover said land under the five year, the 10 year, and the 25 year statutes of limitation as authorized by the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas. The style of said suit is W. S. Cooke vs. J. W. Brooks et al.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Given under my hand and seal of office, and issued, at my office at Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, this 8 day of December, 1951.

(Seal) WILLIE STEPHENS
District Clerk of Runnels County,
Texas. 13-4t

Notice of Hearing
No. 2418
Guardianship of Douglas V. Lehman.

A person of unsound mind in the County Court of Runnels County, Texas. To all persons interested in the above ward or her estate: You are hereby notified that I have on the 14th day of December, 1951, filed with the County Clerk of Runnels County, Texas, an application under oath for authority to make an oil, gas and mineral lease on the ward's 1-12 undivided interest in the oil and minerals in and under the West 32 1/2 acres of a certain 130 acre tract of land in Runnels County, Texas, off the North end of the A. L. Cox Sur. No. 10, Cert. No. 777, Pat. No. 182, Vol. 29, described in a deed from H. F. Lehman et ux to E. M. Davis, dated Aug. 26, 1920, recorded in Vol. 112, page 539, deed records, Runnels County, Texas, and reference is here made to said application now on file in the County Clerk's office of

Runnels County for further particulars thereof; also, that the Judge of the County Court of Runnels County, on the 21st day of December, 1951, duly entered his order designating the 7th day of January, 1952, at 10:00 a. m., in the office of the County Judge at the Court House of said Runnels County, as the time and place when and where such application will be heard, and that such application will be heard at such time and place.

H. F. LEHMAN
Guardian of the estate of Douglas V. Lehman, a person of unsound mind. 1t

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POLIO POSTER BOY . . . Larry Jim Ross, 1952 March-of-Dimes poster boy, makes friends with a dog on his arrival in New York by plane from Wiesbaden, Germany. He is accompanied by his parents, Chief Warrant Officer and Mrs. Jim Gross. He came to the U.S. for the opening of the polio fund campaign on his seventh birthday, January 2. The lad, who has been battling polio for more than five years, has lived around army camps his whole life. His dad is attached to air force.

IN SOCIETY

Morgans Celebrate Wedding Anniversary

Observing their 25th wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Morgan were hosts at open house between three and five o'clock Sunday afternoon in their new home on McCarr Drive.

The entire reception suite was artistically decorated in white and silver along with blue appointments. An arrangement of white gladioli in an oblong silver container with large white candles at each side was on the mantel before the large mirror, where a white satin ribbon which bore the wedding date, "1926, December 23, 1951—Malcolm—Pauline," was outlined from one corner to the other. The lighted Christmas

tree and potted poinsettias were the decorations for the den. Other arrangements were white carnations in the gift room, white gladioli, cyclamen, which were gifts from friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Morgan, son-in-law and daughter of the honored couple, greeted guests at the door and presented their parents. After registering, at which Mrs. Paul Gregory of San Angelo, sister of Mr. Morgan, presided at the register, Mrs. Douglas Cox invited callers into the gift room where Mrs. Stanley Price showed gifts of silver. Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff assisted in dispensing hospitality in the den and directed guests to the dining room.

The dining table, laid with light blue floor-length net cloth over white, was centered with a white, silver and blue candle arrangement. White carnations were on the credenza. The white oblong wedding cake, decorated with white rosebuds and silver dragees, was served by Mrs. Joe Flynn and Mrs. Cal Adair. Mrs. Cam Blackmon and Mrs. E. F. Lawless presided at the silver service. Joanne Blackmon assisted in serving.

Midge Adair was in charge of the musical program.

Among the seventy-five couples were out-of-town friends, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Lawless, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Toney, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Black, all of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hembree, of Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gregory, of San Angelo.

Mrs. Morgan was the former Miss Pauline Burk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Burk. The couple was married in Ballinger December 23, 1926, with the Rev. J. R. McCorkel, Baptist minister, officiating. Mrs. Morgan's brother-in-law and sister,

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Forbus, were the attendants. Their only daughter, Mrs. Hilton Morgan is a member of the Ballinger High School faculty.

**Candlelight Ceremony Unites
Miss Parker, Pic. Redman**

In a pretty candlelight ceremony read at 7:30 o'clock last Saturday evening in the Seventh Street Baptist Church, Miss Virginia Lou Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar C. Parker, and Pic. Edward J. Redman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Redman, Jr., of Norton, exchanged wedding vows in the presence of relatives and close friends.

The Rev. E. V. Brooks, church pastor, was officiating clergyman for the single ring service. White cathedral tapers burned in branched floor candelabra to form the background for tall baskets of white gladioli and ferns used for the altar decorations.

Miss Wanda Smith, pianist, played a program of pre-nuptial music and continued with "Always" as candles were lighted by Miss Melba Parker, sister of the bride. Miss Smith also played the traditional wedding marches.

Miss Margarette Parker attended her sister as maid of honor. She wore a purple and white frock with black accessories. Curtis Redman was his brother's best man.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a suit of navy gabardine with matching accessories. She carried a white Bible topped with white carnations showered with satin ribbons.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker were hosts for the reception in their home on Broadway where the bridegroom's parents and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Redman, Sr., Rev. and Mrs. Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Pannell Legg assisted in receiving.

After a wedding trip, the couple will be at home in Fort Smith, Arkansas, where the bridegroom is stationed in the armed service. For traveling, Mrs. Redman wore a suit which had a jacket of pin-striped wool with navy skirt and navy accessories, and a white carnation corsage.

Mrs. Redman attended Ballinger High School. Mr. Redman is a graduate of Norton High School.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding were the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Ida Brookshire, of Taipei; and grandparents of the bridegroom, Mrs. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Redman, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rose and family, all of Rowena.

Miss Olga Schawe spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schawe, of Waco; and with Miss Willdell Schawe, of Wimberley. Miss Schawe and sister also will visit in the Rio Grande valley before returning home.

Card of Thanks
We want to take this method of expressing our thanks and appreciation to the many neighbors and friends, and especially the doctors, nurses and blood donors, for the cotton stripping, Mr. Gunn for the ginning and to everyone who helped in any way here at home. We also deeply appreciate the flowers, cards and the Christmas offering.
May God's richest blessings be with you is our prayer.
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hambright and children
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TO: (a) J. W. Brooks, W. G. Brooks, Jack Brooks, Gladys Raborne, Fred or F. L. Raborne, and Mrs. J. W. Brooks; (b) the unknown heirs of J. W. Brooks, W. G. Brooks, Jack Brooks, Gladys Raborne, Fred or F. L.

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A-BLAST SUIT . . . Immune perhaps, wearing a lead-layered suit, Richard Pauwela, 6, rides his bike in Los Angeles. Father, Leo Pauwela, who devised the covering, claims that it will afford protection from radioactivity following A-blast. "If it doesn't land on us, we're safe," advises Leo to his son in speaking of protection from blast in new suit. Richard does not find riding his bike in the new suit too awkward after a little practice.



"TEXAS FOR EISENHOWER" . . . Chairman Robert Doss (center) points to a "Texas for Eisenhower" sign at the Eisenhower birthplace in Denison, Texas, after launching the non-partisan movement in a state-wide broadcast. The broadcast was the opening gun in the campaign to get General Dwight D. Eisenhower to announce his candidacy for nomination for President of the United States by one of the parties.

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Q. How does scrap figure in the production of steel?
A. One pound of scrap is needed to make two pounds of steel.

Q. Is scrap getting scarce?
A. Yes, the supply of scrap at the steel mills and foundries is not increasing fast enough to meet the needs of expanding steel production. Yet, there are millions of tons of idle iron and steel scrap in small amounts, on farms throughout the country.

Q. What if the needed scrap isn't obtained?
A. That will mean a serious loss of steel production . . . fewer products will be made of steel. It will mean more shortages of civilian products. Defense needs come first.

Q. Why not use pig iron instead of scrap?
A. Every ton of scrap conserves approximately 2 tons of iron ore, 1 ton of coal, nearly 1/2 ton of limestone and many other vital natural resources—to say nothing of transportation facilities. Besides, there are not enough blast furnaces to produce the iron needed to maintain production.

Q. How can more scrap be furnished?
A. By everybody pitching in—as we always do in every emergency—and searching out all possible sources of scrap. Manufacturers of all kinds of products are conducting scrap drives. Old ships are being salvaged . . . scrap is being obtained from countless sources including farms.

Q. What should be done with farm scrap?
A. See that every bit of scrap gets to the scrap dealer located nearest to you. He will break it up into sizes used by the steel mills and foundries. He'll classify the metals then ship the scrap in carload lots. If you do not know the name of your local scrap dealer, consult your local implement dealer for this information.

Q. What else can I do about farm scrap?
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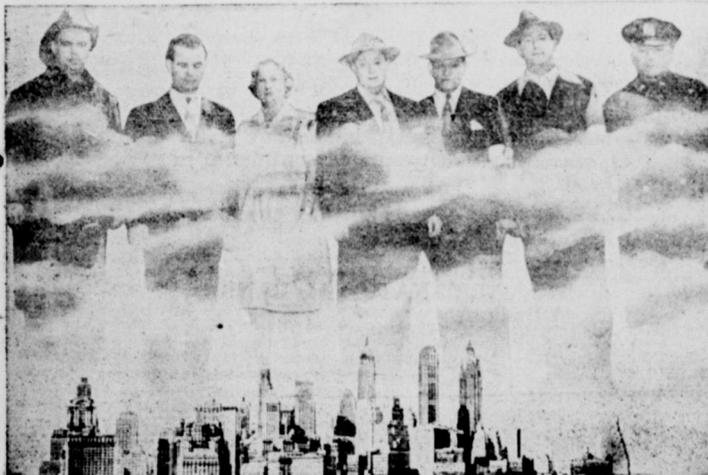
Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Williams with their son, left Friday of last week for Shreveport to spend Christmas days for a visit with his brother, Garland Nunn, and other relatives.



JUNIOR SIZE ATOMIC BLAST . . . These soldier observers are getting an eyeful of the junior-size nuclear blast in the latest atomic test in which the army participated. The atomic energy commission would not say how the blast was set off, whether dropped from a high-flying plane or set off on the ground. But the army expressed satisfaction in the results of the tests, held in Nevada. This explosion is believed to have started a new series of tests in the development of nuclear weapons for warfare. The huge mushroom was just a wind-swept cloud in less than one hour following the blast.



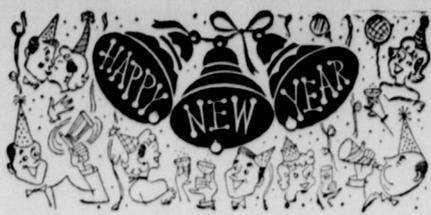
SPY RING SMASHED IN GREECE . . . An investigator comes through a hole into the underground hangout of a Communist spy at Glyfada, Greece. The hideout was discovered by helicopter crewmen of the U.S. eighth fleet who were dispatched over a suspected area. The Red operator of two powerful transmitters was trapped in the vault and refused to emerge. He shot himself as officials finally entered the hideout after lifting a marble slab. Police confiscated considerable amounts of Communist documents which the operator had not burned. Glyfada is a seaside suburb of Athens. The fleet was visiting Greek waters.



ANGELS IN ARMBANDS . . . You have never seen their names in the gossip columns of your newspapers that tell the doings of cafe society, but when the chips are down, they will form the hard core of your community's civil defense, helping the helpless and injured. They are plain Americans giving their time as a public duty. Typical of this unselfish army in armbands that will protect the civilians of our nation is this group superimposed on the sky over the minarets of New York City, the biggest responsibility of civil defense in America. Your community may be smaller, but should be as alert.



MAN THROWING THE BULL . . . The camera, it is said, does not lie, but in this particular instance it was experiencing an optical illusion, because what you see here just isn't happening the way it looks. Esperarero, the torero, who apparently has tossed the gentleman cow for a somersault, is merely holding up his hands in astonishment. The bull, much too eager to insert a horn into Senor Esperarero's epidermis, tripped on the cape that was festooning its horns and threw the full somersault himself. So from now on, do not believe everything you see, especially when someone is tossing the bull around



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IN SOCIETY

Graham-Burkhardt Nuptials Performed at Denton

Miss Josephine Burkhardt became the bride of C. R. Graham, Jr. in a ceremony at 6 o'clock Sunday evening in the Little Chapel in the Woods on the campus at Texas State College for Women Denton.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Burkhardt, of this city. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Graham, of Wichita Falls.

The double ring ceremony was read by R. H. Dilday, Jr., of Wichita Falls, a ministerial student at Baylor University, Waco, who is a close friend of the bridegroom.

Altar decorations were potted poinsettias before a background of greenery, which was flanked with white tapers in floor candelabra. Prenuptial music was played by Miss Carolyn Wyatt, of Marshall, who also accompanied Miss Elnita Faubion of Ballinger, when she sang "Because," and preceding the wedding prayer, when Miss Faubion sang "Bless This House." Miss Wyatt also played the traditional wedding marches.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white satin. The yoke of nylon was outlined with three bias folds of matching material and the short sleeved bodice fastened down the back with three bias folds were on the skirt, which flared from the elongated bodice to floor length. Her fingertip veil of illusion fell from a headdress of orange blossoms made of seed pearls. She wore satin mitts. White poinsettias with white satin ribbons made up the bridal bouquet. For something old she carried a handkerchief belonging to her mother, which the latter had carried at her wedding.

Miss Charlene Parish, senior student at Baylor University, was maid of honor. Misses Margie Byrd, of Brownwood, Cynthia and Harriett Burkhardt, sisters of the bride, and Mary Frances Graham, sister of the bridegroom, were bridesmaids. Their frocks were made on identical lines, with fitted bodices of emerald green velvet, designed with off-the-shoulder neckline, and very full skirts of net over matching taffeta. Their bandeaux veils and mitts were of matching

net. They carried red poinsettia bouquets.

Bill Gray, of Wichita Falls, attended the bridegroom as best man. Groomsmen were Jimmy Bolton and Robert Moore, and ushers were Riley Willey, of Denton, and Jim Swain, of Dallas, who also lighted the candles.

The couple left on a wedding trip to Lake Murray, Oklahoma. The bride was wearing a beige gabardine suit with brown accessories.

They will make home at Cleburne, where Mr. Graham is employed on the Cleburne Times-Review.

Mrs. Graham, a graduate of the Ballinger High School, will receive her degree from T. S. C. W. next June. She is a member of the Betsy Ross Social Literary Club, the Student Council on Religious Activities, the Mary Swartz Club, and the Home Economics Education Club.

Mr. Graham graduated from the Wichita Falls High School and North Texas State College, Denton, where he was an honorary member of Sigma Delta, and Sigma Phi Nu.

Mrs. Flynt Complimented at Gift Shower

Poinsettias, Christmas ornaments and evergreens were featured in the decorations at a seated tea at which Mrs. Albert Purifoy was assisted by her mother, Mrs. W. B. Woody, when she complimented Mrs. Lanham Flynt with a pink and blue gift shower in the Woody home on Broadway.

The polished dining table was centered with an attractive Christmas scene, which was flanked by red candles in crystal candelabra. A sandwich plate was served with coffee.

A shower of gifts was presented the honoree on a pink satin comforter.

Those present were Mrs. Lanham Flynt, and her mother and grandmother, Mrs. Charles Miller and Mrs. A. W. Sledge, and Misses Frank Flynt, Woodrow Wilson, Joe Flynt, Frank Barnett, Orland Middleton, Gene Keel, Powell Wear, O. L. Parish, Jr., Pat Davis, H. K. Allen, E. A. Saunders, K. V. Northington, and Jack Russel, of California.

Christian Doctrine Classes Have Christmas Party

Approximately 100 children who attend Christian Doctrine and catechism classes at St. Mary's Catholic Church were entertained at a Christmas party Wednesday evening of last week in the Recreation Hall on Fifth Street.

sang "Here Comes Santa." After greeting all the children, Santa presented the exchange gifts, and also gave sacks of candy to all the children which were gifts of Rev. Postert.

The refreshment table was laid with linen where punch was served with fancy cookies to children, their parents, and added guests.

Small Alvin Niehues presented a gift to Rev. Postert from all the children.

Engagement of Miss Fox Announced at Tea

Mrs. P. G. Fuller was assisted by Miss Betty Middleton in giving a seated tea Saturday afternoon to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Peggy Fox, to Troy Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Smith.

Christmas decorations were featured about rooms of the Fuller home in Wilke Terrace. An arrangement of red carnations combined with gold Xmas balls and greenery formed the centerpiece for the white linen dining table. Holly corsages with red bells which bore the inscription, "Troy-Peggy, February 2," were plate favors.

A sandwich plate with fruit cake was served with coffee.

The guest list included: Misses J. Frank Smith, Alvin Spreen, W. O. Middleton, Zid Hering, Jr., Bill Seogins, Frank Barnett, Verne A. Scott, Jr., of Dublin, Horace Attnip, of Austin; Misses Cynthia Tuckey, Billie Herring, Ann Bryan of San Angelo, Joan McCurdy, Jackie Droll of Rowena, and Nora Lynn Fox.

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METHODIST CHURCH MEMBERS had their regular monthly social at the church Thursday night of last week. A Christmas program was followed by a tree and Santa Claus.

We are glad to report that Marvin Hambright was brought home Sunday. We hope he has a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Berry and Claudine and Mr. and Mrs. Will Berry are spending the holidays in Houston, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mathis and Miss Marguerite Mathis attended the funeral of Mrs. Lawrence Candler at Colorado City Saturday. Mrs. Candler was the mother of Mrs. Billie Mathis.

A family reunion was held Sunday at the home of Mrs. R. E. Burris. Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McBeth, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Mancel King and daughters, Tye, Mr. and Mrs. Willie White and Clyde, Ovalo; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Irvin and Jerry, Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Sams, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Carter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Carter, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Chester McBeth and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Fuller and family of Portales, New Mexico, visited here recently. Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Hickson and Floyd of Winters, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Boynton were guests in the W. C. Mathis home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Harper and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Harper and family, of San Antonio, are on a visit to Florida during the holidays.

'Rhythm Inn,' Gala Musical-Comedy, New Year's Eve Picture at Horseshoe

There is rich entertainment and gay music in "Rhythm Inn," starring Jane Frazee, Kirby Grant and Charles Smith, which will be the New Year's eve attraction at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre Monday night, beginning at 11:00 o'clock.

'Bannerline,' Story of Small Town, Brings Starlets, Veteran Thespians

M-G-M has combined the talents of two of its most promising younger stars, Keefe Braselle and Sally Forrest, with that of its two most illustrious veterans, Lionel Barrymore and Lewis Stone, in "Bannerline," down-to-earth story of a small town which experiences a moment of big-time excitement.

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WEST TEXAS NOTES

Runnels county people are facing a new year with 1952 coming up next Tuesday. Although this section has gone through one of the driest years in history, many have come out better than expected and are ready to start the new year and put forth strenuous efforts to make it successful. A rain-making program is needed in this section. So far moisture has not been sufficient for planting winter small grain and stockmen will miss the pasturage which oats and wheat usually afford at this time of year. A long wet spell is needed all over West Texas to provide underground moisture for crops in 1952 and bring back grass to the range.

The main reason for fair business in this section the past fall has been oil. Development has continued in the county throughout the year, many producers being added, many crews operating drilling rigs, many lease and royalty transactions made, and many landowners benefitting from the actual sale of crude. Indications are there will be no let down in 1952 and some are predicting big things for expanding fields immediately after January 1. A number of important tests are underway at this time which will extend fields if they hit. During the year several oil well supply firms have located in Ballinger to help boost local payrolls and stabilize business.

One good resolution for all Runnels countians to make would be to pay their poll taxes in January. Never has there been a time when a vote should mean as much as in the elections coming up in 1952. Practically every citizen is talking of the legislation under which we are living and the only way to correct what we do not like is through votes, electing officials to sponsor a suitable program. Living in this era is expensive and may become more so. Pay a poll tax and use privilege by going to the polls in every election next year. Let's keep this a democracy where the people's voice can be heard and at the polls is the best place to talk. Every city, school, precinct, county,

The Sun Drive-In Theatre at Comanche will be completed this week and a formal opening is to be held Friday night. The amusement place has been under construction for some time and is modern in every detail. It has a capacity for 250 cars with inside speakers, a refreshment stand and other facilities. It is located 1 1/2 miles east of Comanche on the Fort Worth highway. Sherman L. Hart, one of four owning the theatre, will have charge of operations.

The Rowena Press printed a 12-page Christmas greetings edition last week and it was stated that no paper would be printed on December 27. The publishers announced they would take the entire week off for Christmas.

The Talpa Future Farmers of America chapter played to a capacity house for its annual chicken barbecue and "Old Kentucky Home" minstrel last Thursday. With 500 chickens prepared for the feed, some 900 people attended the dinner and remained for the show, presented by some of the best talent of this section. The program was one of the most successful since these programs were begun. Attendance came from all over West Texas.

Robert H. Milligan will become district highway engineer in the Coleman-Brownwood area beginning January 1. He replaces Leo Ehlinger, who has been head of the district for many years. Mr. Milligan has been assistant for the past two years and is well informed in the highway needs of the section he will serve. His duties will include supervision of all maintenance work in the district.

Nathan Adams, Dallas banker, has been named chairman to head the drive in Texas to raise \$2,500,000 fund for Daniel Baker College, Brownwood. At the same time it was announced that W. W. Lynch, of Dallas, president of the Texas Power & Light Co., has been made chairman of the scholarship section. The first phase of the campaign will be to raise \$1,000,000 in large gifts and is expected to be completed by the middle of 1952. After the first million,

district, state and national officials should be chosen carefully. Be a good citizen in 1952.

four years will be taken to raise the remaining \$1,500,000.

Two choirs of the Rising Star Methodist Church provided the feature Christmas program for the town Sunday night of last week. The adult group, under the direction of Mrs. Jay Koonce, rendered a Christmas cantata and the junior choir presented a special candle lighting ceremony with suitable background music.

A legal technicality caused Bronte officials to call off the election scheduled for December 17 and to reset the voting for January 5. The election is to decide whether city officials shall have the authority to sign an agreement with the Upper Colorado River authority to build a pipeline from the Oak Creek water reservoir to Bronte to provide the town with an adequate water supply.

Twenty-one Winters places were listed in the home decoration contest sponsored by the Winters Garden Club. A pilgrimage was conducted Friday night of last week and a large number viewed the outside and interior decorations. Judges from Breckenridge and Abilene made the awards at the conclusion of the pilgrimage.

The December meeting of the Concho county unit of the Texas State Teachers' Association was held at Paint Rock last Tuesday, all schools of the county being represented by faculty members. Dean Burl Abel, of San Angelo College, was the principal speaker, talking on "General Education and Experiment." Mrs. Carl Peek was in charge of the program and musical numbers were presented at the beginning of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Moore, of Miles, observed their 60th wedding anniversary last Wednesday. All their children and families gathered at the family home for the occasion. The couple has five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

The Menard city council has called an election for January 15 seeking authorization of \$30,000 in sewer system revenue bonds. If the issue is favored by the citizens the council will purchase the privately owned and operated system and begin extensions to give the entire town sewerage. The purchase price of the existing company

has been agreed upon as \$17,500. The bonds will be retired through revenue for service and not by taxation. Representatives from several McCulloch county communities met at Goldthwaite last week to hear an explanation of plans for setting up a rural telephone system. If there are enough signed up subscribers, McCulloch county would be added to the Central Texas telephone cooperative. Application for establishment of the cooperative, to give service to rural patrons in nine counties, was approved recently and a loan

of \$1,540,000 has been granted. Dr. E. R. Alexander, head of the department of agriculture at A. & M. College, spoke to a gathering of Dublin district Future Farmers of America at Tarleton State College, Stephenville, last Wednesday. Dr. Alexander stated that "only through a well planned agricultural program will our nation's farmers be able to meet the demand of a stepped-up mobilization program."

Despite the best of intentions and exercise of intelligence, a man sometimes gets mixed up

in a bridge game with three women.

Citation by Publication THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: (a) E. L. Donelson, and the unknown heirs of E. L. Donelson, deceased; and, (b) all persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed heretofore given to E. L. Donelson as grantee dated February 4, 1913, recorded in Vol. 82, page 533, deed records of Runnels County, Texas: You are hereby commanded to appear and answer plaintiff's petition at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m., of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being

Monday, the 14th day of January, 1952, at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, Texas, at the Court House in Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 29 day of November, 1951. The file number of said suit is No. 6015. The names of the parties to and in said suit are: Flora Reese is plaintiff, and the defendants are E. L. Donelson and the other persons to whom this writ is addressed and hereinabove named. The nature of said suit is substantially as follows, to-wit: A suit in trespass to try title filed by said plaintiff against said defendants to recover the title

to and the possession of the following described land located in Runnels County, Texas, to-wit: Lots Nos. 12 and 13, in Block No. 2, of College Heights Addition to the City of Winters, in said county and State. The style of said suit is Flora Reese vs. E. L. Donelson et al. If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. Given under my hand and seal of office, and issued, at my office at Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, this 29 day of November, 1951.

(Seal) WILLIE STEPHENS District Clerk of Runnels County, Texas. 6-4



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AIRWAY Mild Mellow	1-Lb. Pkg.	7 1/2¢

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Monday through Friday 8:00 a. m.-6:30 p. m.
Saturday 8:00 a. m.-8:00 p. m.

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