

STAR Lites
by Bill City

Earlier this week we made a quick shopping tour of Friona with Maize Queen Kathy Horton, in her role as "Miss Merry Christmas."

Queen Kathy and I both were impressed with the wide selection of gifts available to the Christmas shopper in Friona this year. Shoppers shouldn't have any trouble finding what they need for everyone on their list, regardless if they are young or old: man or woman, boy or girl.

Friona stores appear to have most of the advertised merchandise that various members of the family have on their "want" lists.

The stores are packed with good Christmas gift ideas, and most of them appear to be getting busy with their Christmas shopping season: that is, if the snow and blizzard type weather will let up long enough.

We have always advocated shopping at home, and think that shoppers should look first in Friona for the item, or those items they want. In many cases, they may be surprised to find them here—and at a price competitive with those anywhere.

And the best part is—you don't have to fight the crowds that develop in the large cities and shopping centers this time of year.

By shopping in Friona, most of the time the clerks or store owners will know you personally, and are most anxious to serve you. If they don't happen to have the particular gift you are looking for, in most cases they are able to suggest something else that might do the job just as well.

On the subject of shopping at home, we were comparing notes with a newspaperman friend of ours in a neighboring town, and we both agreed that sometimes local residents are fickle about shopping in their hometown first, and giving the local merchant the chance to sell his goods.

Many Friona people apparently go to Hereford to shop. Hereford residents, in turn, go to Amarillo, we are told. We suppose the Amarillo people either shop at home, or perhaps go to Dallas. It must be a never-ending cycle.

This friend told us something that made us stop and think. Seems he overheard a couple of school employees talking, while he was covering a basketball game. They were arguing over whether they could save more money by doing their Christmas shopping in Amarillo or Lubbock (not even considering their home town).

He felt like butting in and saying "Why you so-and-so! The school taxes I pay helps pay your salary, and I would appreciate it if you would do at least some of your shopping here with me and others, who also contribute toward your salary!"

"These merchants are always the first ones called on by all of the various school organizations for donations for various projects. They don't go to Amarillo or Lubbock for them!" Naturally, he didn't say this— but he said he was tempted.

We don't realize how we hurt our own community by taking our business out of town. Besides depriving the local merchant of his sales, when shoppers go to Amarillo, for instance, they pay one per cent into the Amarillo city treasury, that the city of Friona could use for the betterment of its local services.

And the money spent in Amarillo helps those merchants to be able to better support their schools and churches, which in the long run will mean better schools and churches for Amarillo. And it helps those merchants meet their payroll, providing more money to be spent in Amarillo.

If the shopping had been done in Friona, it would be an investment in better schools and churches locally. Plus help local merchants meet their payroll, making for additional money available to be spent here.

It has been said that a dollar spent locally changes hands seven times before leaving a community.

If we all could become more conscious of supporting our (Continued on Page 5)

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Large Snow Kicks Off Winter Season

Friona, which was the acknowledged "snow capital" of the area last winter with a couple of larger than normal snowfalls—got after defending its title this winter with a whooper of a snow for the first one of the season last week.

Official measurement was nine inches on Thursday morning. Another half-inch was measured on Sunday morning. Total moisture content for the snow came to .68 inch.

The Wednesday night snow was one of the most spectacular snows this area has witnessed in years. Falling straight down, without any appreciable wind, residents awakened on Thursday to find a beautiful Christmas-card scene all around them.

Trees, shrubs and other objects were beautifully decorated, retaining practically every bit of the white stuff that fell.

School was dismissed here last Thursday, as travel was very difficult. City and state highway officials quickly had the streets cleared, however, and classes and business resumed on Friday.

However, the school children were about the only ones to be pleased with the weather of the past week. Farmers who still have maize or cotton in the field have been anything but jubilant because of the wintry conditions, which appeared at midweek about to "start over," after the melting had about been accomplished.

It has been a frustrating year for many area farmers, and those with crops remaining in the field would be happy if they could get them harvested prior to Christmas. However, with each passing day and additional snow in the forecast, this prospect appears dimmer all the time.

Date	HI	Low
Thursday	31	25
Friday	29	21
Saturday	33	23
Sunday	38	25
Monday	37	22
Tuesday	43	23
Wednesday	48	23

Precipitation: 9" snow Thursday, .65 moisture; one-half inch snow Sunday, .03 moisture.

HOSPITAL PROJECT

Donations Are Slow As Deadline Nears

Donations to Project Christmas Card were off to a slow start this week, according to Jane Williams at Friona State Bank. The deadline for contributing to the fund is now just nine days away—December 18.

"We have only had a few contributors, but we are hoping that the donors will begin coming in more this week. It is a very worthy project," Mrs. Williams said.

Modern Study Club, which sponsors the annual project, has adopted as a project the equipping of Farmer County Community Hospital's operating, emergency and delivery rooms with a new heating and air conditioning unit.

The cost to replace the unit has been placed in the neighborhood of \$2800. Last year, the club raised over \$3600 to purchase a "heart monitor" for the hospital's cardiac ward.

Hospital officials have pointed out the desperate need for a new heating and cooling unit for this section of the hospital. Project Christmas Card has raised in the neighborhood of \$20,000 since its inception by Modern Study Club, for improvements to the local hospital.

Donors to the project will be listed on a full-page Christmas greeting to be published in the Friona Star's "greeting edition," December 23.

Donations may be turned in at Friona State Bank, at the schools, Bi-Wise Drug, and at other points where the club has left boxes.

Mrs. H.K. Kendrick is chairman of the project. "We feel certain that residents of Friona will respond once again, and help us achieve this goal," Mrs. Kendrick says.

RESIDENTS REMINDED

Lighting Deadline Is Next Wednesday

Friona residents were reminded this week of the deadline for the Chamber of Commerce's Christmas Lighting Contest, which is next Wednesday, December 15.

Chamber of Commerce secretary, Peggy Bryant, said Tuesday morning that she had as yet received no entries in the contest, which is offering three cash prizes totaling \$125.00.

All Friona residences which are decorated will be considered as entered in the contest, but Mrs. Bryant urged those who were decorating and want to make sure their homes are considered, to either call the Chamber office (247-3491) or mail in their address to the Chamber of Commerce, Box 905.

The extreme cold weather and snow of the past week have hampered outdoor decorating. Chamber officials were hoping for a break from the weather, so that residents could get their decorating done by the deadline.

Entries must be in, and homes decorated, by December 15, and the panel of judges will be viewing the homes shortly after that date.

First prize in the contest will be \$60.00 cash. Second prize will be \$40.00, and third prize will be \$25.00.

The contest is open to all residents of the Friona territory, farm homes included.

This is the third consecutive year for the Chamber to actively push a local lighting contest. The Chamber of Commerce officials feel that the contest has added significantly to the number and quality of Christmas decorations locally in recent years.

Entries in the contest will be judged on their theme, appearance and the work involved; each of the three divisions counting a third on the total grade.

Out of town judges will be secured to judge the decorations.

Farm Sale Rescheduled

The farm equipment sale on the Ralph McBroom farm, originally scheduled for last Thursday afternoon but postponed by snow, has been rescheduled, and will be held on Wednesday, December 15, at 1:30 p.m.

The McBroom place is six miles north on Highway 214, two miles west, then another mile north on the dirt road.



SNOW SCENES. . . Shown are just a small sample of the scenery around Friona last weekend following the 10-inch snowfall which enveloped the city. Evergreen trees are shown in the upper left, with a Christmas look. Hugh Buckner, 808 W. Sixth, had one of the best crops of icicles on the front of his house. Some of the icicles around town went from eave to the ground. Lower

left, it looks like "beach tree ala-mode," the tree being in Buddy Wiseman's back yard. At the right, Ricky Royal was one of the many people who used his talents in constructing a snowman. Royal's creation had a claw hammer for a pipe; bottle caps for eyes (bottles inside the head), and bolts for teeth. The nose was a painted styrofoam ball.

FIRST OF TWO

Santa To Appear Here On Saturday

Santa Claus will make his first of two visits to Friona on Saturday, as he visits local stores between the hours of 1 and 5 p.m.

Old Saint Nick will be making appearances in local stores for the four-hour period, and will be handing out candy to children at each stop.

Santa will take time to visit with all of his young friends, and find out what they want him to bring them for Christmas.

The jolly old gentleman from up North says he also will be in Friona the following Saturday, again from 1-5 p.m., in the



event that all of the children do not get to see him the first trip.

Mothers in the Friona area are asked to remember these

dates, and bring their children to town to see Santa. Santa did not make an appearance last year, and they need to let him know they appreciate his taking time from a busy schedule to visit Friona.

By making the two Friona appearances, Santa points out that it will not be necessary for Friona mothers to take their children out of town to visit him.

Santa is being supplied with candy by the Friona Chamber of Commerce, which is sponsoring his appearances in Friona.

United Fund Drive Kicks Off Thursday

The Friona Area United Fund drive will kick off on Thursday morning, according to Steve Bavousett, drive chairman.

"We are asking all workers to come by the Women's Federated Club House at 8:45 a.m. Thursday, pick up their packet, have a cup of coffee and get their instructions," Bavousett says.

Bavousett adds that it is his hope that individual workers can see all of the persons on their list on Thursday, and return their packets with the money to the Club House, as there will be someone there all day to receive the money.

Our goal of \$6,450 is the same as it was last year, and we see no reason why we cannot reach this goal, in short order," Bavousett says.

Benefiting from the local drive will be the Girl Scouts

(\$1500); Boy Scouts (\$1500); Red Cross (\$1200); Salvation Army (\$900); U.S.O. (\$125); Texas United Fund (\$50) and local emergency fund (\$115).

As usual, contributors may make their gift to any particular fund, if they wish, or eliminate a fund they do not wish to contribute to.

This is our one big drive to take care of the various needs of our community.

Letters To Santa Claus

Youngsters in the Friona area are again invited to send their letters to Santa Claus in care of the Friona Star.

All of the letters will be printed in the Christmas edition of the Star.

Mailing Hints Given By Local Postmaster

"Don't be late! Is the best advice I can give," says Postmaster Wright Williams. "Mail has been moving real good and I am proud to see as many packages being mailed early as there has been this week."

"Tie and wrap those packages good and get the address correct and plainly marked, always use your return address and put a list of contents inside the package and the name of the person that it is mailed to along with complete address, there will not be any extra charge for this list enclosed and if the outside wrapper comes off or the address on the outside we will still get the package delivered from the information on the enclosed list."

Out of town Christmas cards should be mailed by December 10 if possible and local cards by December 15, the postmaster said.

"Please separate out of town from local mail and if the win-

dows are open when you come into the office just hand the cards into the window, as this saves us a lot of time in picking the mail from the drop box and arranging it for the machine," Williams said.

"We will keep the windows open until noon on Saturday, December 11, and Saturday, December 18," he added.

On Friday, December 24, there will be no delivery of mail anywhere as that will be a holiday so be sure your mail has reached its destination before Thursday, December 23. There will be no chance for it to be delivered before Christmas Day if it does not reach its destination on Thursday, December 23.

"Our entire staff is proud of the cooperation that has been afforded us in the past on mailing and I am sure we will have that same good cooperation this year again. Call any of us at (Continued on Page 7)



SUPPORTS PROJECT. . . Kathy Horton reminds area residents to support Project Christmas Card, deadline for which is only nine days away. Miss Horton is shown with Melody Drake at Friona State Bank, where deposits may be made. Miss Horton, reigning Maize Queen, made a tour of Friona stores this week to see what's available for Christmas (see inside pages).



Friona Flashbacks

...from the files of the Friona Star

40 YEARS AGO--DECEMBER 11, 1931

Friona has been in need of refuge for the unwary violator of the public peace, and owing to the fact that the city treasury has been depleted to the extent that no funds were available for the purpose, enough funds have been donated by various citizens to purchase the cage. This cage has been delivered, but no building is available in which to house it.

35 YEARS AGO--DECEMBER 11, 1936

A very disastrous occurrence took place on the farm of L.W. Barnhouse about 16 miles southeast of Friona on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 26, wherein Mr. Barnhouse's entire feed crop was destroyed by fire. The crew had just finished threshing the crop from about 200 acres of sudan and the straw was piled in one immense stack, when it was noticed that the top of the stack was on fire. By the time the threshing could be moved, the entire stack was ablaze, and was completely destroyed.

30 YEARS AGO--DECEMBER 12, 1941

Their many friends in Friona have learned with regret the planned move of Rev. and Mrs. C. Carl Dollar to Lannett, Ala., where he will be pastor of the Congregational-Christian Church. The Dollars have been most active both in church and civic work in Friona.

Little excitement greeted the declaration of war on Thursday against Germany and Italy, certainly not the stunned silence of Monday when the United States answered the Japanese challenge. The country is settling into a grim determination to back up what the president terms the greatest challenge ever made to life, liberty and civilization.

25 YEARS AGO--DECEMBER 6, 1946

The modern age of aerial warfare is playing havoc with the ancient art of hunting. Local Nimrods, scouring the Plains lakes for duck and geese, have been loud in their complaints since the opening of the season that a few airborne sportsmen are not only violating the game laws but spoiling the sport for other hunters. Reports say that high planes are being used not only to scout the lakes for duck and geese, but in some cases in an effort to herd the flocks to certain spots.

20 YEARS AGO--DECEMBER 6, 1951

G.B. (Pete) Buske still is confined to the Farmer County Community Hospital, suffering from severe lacerations and broken bones in all fingers of his right hand as incurred in a roping accident last Saturday. It is not known yet if Buske will lose some of the fingers.

15 YEARS AGO--DECEMBER 6, 1956

History turned a page last weekend, when the City of Friona occupied its new quarters in the just-completed city hall adjoining the fire station on Main Street. The shift from the Legion Hall, which has been the city's home for years, was accomplished without fanfare.

Also moving last week was the Ethridge Spring agency, which moved one door south to the former post office location which has been remodeled for them. Johnny Nazworth of Friona Shoe Shop moved into Ethridge's former location.

10 YEARS AGO--DECEMBER 7, 1961

Friona's farm skill demonstration teams brought home first place banners from the state competition in Huntsville Saturday. Both the junior and senior teams were judged best of the ten teams competing in each division. Members of the senior team were Charles Bass, Ranza Beggess, Earl Crow and Max Reeve. The junior team was composed of Don Collier, Jimmy Sneed, Milton Hargus and Dennis Howell. J.C. Lane and David McVey are instructors.



Pause and Reflect

By Nelson Lewis

Oh, beautiful for Russian skies
For Soviet fields of grain,
The Hammer-Sickle cities rise
Above the conquered plain.
Facetious? Ridiculous? Impossible?
Maybe you had better take a closer look at the trend of national affairs.
Do we have a generation gap?
Why the sudden appearance of this gap?
Why did it not occur between the currently mature generation and their parents?
Because thirty years ago we did not have a highly paid bunch of professional agitators teaching underhand methods of destroying American principles.
Do we have a dope problem?
Enough of one that we are being brainwashed into legalizing marijuana--the primary grade of addiction--the foot in the door--the ignored leak in the dike of prevention; however your tax dollars still go as foreign aid to Turkey and our good buddy France!

In my left hand I hold a "fifty cent piece," one half of a United States dollar.
The coin is worth one half dollar but what is a dollar worth? Not too much if we listen to the foreign vultures who demand that we devalue it to the level of their own failing currency.
Around the rim of this silver colored piece of copper are seven prominent letters--L-I-B-E-R-T-Y.
Liberty for whom?

For the chosen few of the vastly wealthy who can afford to find loopholes in the tax laws?

For the foundations who provide financial grants to subversive groups and left wing writers?

For tax-free organizations who through selfishness and greed feed the fires of inflation?

How about a helping of Liberty for the eighty percent of Americans who work every day to keep the wolf from the door and who vote for sensible representation only to find themselves double-crossed in the Gaming Rooms on the Potomac?

Most ironical of all on this treasury stamping job are the four words across the bottom--"In God We Trust."

That would be the joke of the century if it were not so drastically significant of the downhill course we seem bent on following.

And why are we embarked on the deadly road to oblivion? Because we have--in good conscious--elected men who have had financial backing enough to buy publicity and thereby obtain the votes of the Unthinkers who as long as there is chicken in every pot and two cars in every driveway do not want to rock the boat.

Well the time has come to rock the boat.

In fact the time is past due to give the Ship of State not only a good rocking but a barnacle scraping from stem to stern.

Fortunately there are two sides to every coin.

Our frame of mind might be refreshed by turning the half dollar over and examining the other side.

There is the good old American Eagle!
One claw holds a sheaf of arrows--symbolic of our willingness to fight for freedom and liberty (unless influenced by doves of a pinkish hue)

The other talons have a firm grip on the olive branch of peace. That symbolizes trying to keep the United Nations Organization on an even keel, as evidenced by ambassador Bush's fine speech concerning the India-Pakistan trouble--vetoed, of course, by the Russians! Peace at any price also includes our paying the dues of small upstart nations that betray us.

But we must remember these things--the Eagle is still the American Eagle, symbol of strength and independence.

If forced to extremes we can, and probably will, resort to the practice of isolationism if that's what it takes to regain first place.

A great advantage is the constant reminders imprinted on the coins we carry in our pockets. Perhaps someday we will appreciate their legends enough to realize that after defeat an American dollar will buy very few Russian rubles!

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Week of December 13-17

Monday--fish, French fries, hot rolls-butter, banana nut cake, English peas, catsup and milk.

Tuesday--meat loaf, buttered corn, cabbage and carrot, salad, hot rolls-butter, new whole potatoes, coconut pudding and milk.

Wednesday--rito pie, pinto beans, corn bread-butter, mixed greens, apple sauce cake and milk.

Thursday--turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, fruit salad, hot rolls-butter, green beans, strawberry tarts and milk.

Friday--barbecue on bun, French fries, catsup, relish, fruit jello and milk.

'Xmas' Spelling Is Traced to Greek Symbol of the Cross

"Christmas" sometimes is written "Xmas."
"X" is the Greek letter symbol that is used to represent the name, "Christ."
This symbol has been discovered by many archaeological expeditions on the walls of early-Christian period catacombs.

Not long ago, a group of scientists discovered the name of Jesus, carved before 70 A.D., among the inscriptions on uneven, early-Christian urns, uncovered in a cave on the Bethlehem to Jerusalem Road.

ALL SET FOR CHRISTMAS SPENDING . . .



Miss Merry Christmas, who is really Friona's own Maize Queen Kathy Horton, took a shopping tour of Friona's stores this week to see the fine array of Christmas presents available locally. But before she did, she stopped in at Friona State Bank to check out some shopping money. Bank clerk Melody Drake recommends that you start a savings account right after Christmas so you'll have plenty of \$\$\$\$ for Christmas shopping next year.

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WELCOME TO FRIONA



The Bill Myers family is saluted this week as the Star's newcomers. Myers is music and education director at Friona's First Baptist Church. The children are Melissa, 10, and Becky, 6. Myers is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University, and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. They are at home at 1604 West Seventh.

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DECORATIVE SNOWFALL... Shown here is a local backyard scene turned picturesque by the recent 10-inch snowfall. The icicles were not the largest in Friona by far but had grown almost to the ground several hours after the picture was snapped by a Star photographer.

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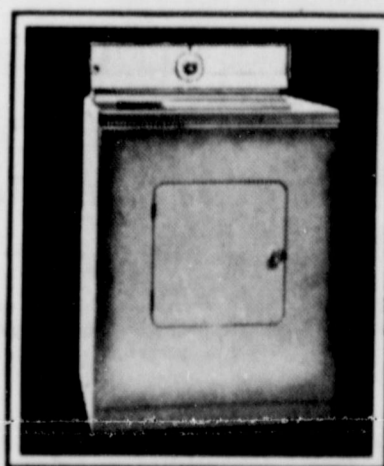
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Check advertisement and report any error immediately. The Star is not responsible for error after ad has already run once.

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NOTICE

The farm sale on Ralph McBroom's place, postponed last Thursday by snow, will be held on Wednesday, December 15, at 1:30 p.m. Nine miles northwest of Friona. Look for signs. 10-ltc

FOR SALE: Windmill, tower, tall steel storage tank. J.T. Guinn, Box 431, Friona, 247-3803. 9-2tc

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Special thanks go to Dr. Lee Springs and the nurses at Parkmer County Community Hospital for their excellent care of our loved one and to Jay Cleburn for his wonderful cooperation following her death.

The flowers, cards, visits, food and other expression of love and concern during the final illness of Mrs. Lena Rhyme will long be remembered.

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COUNCIL BUSINESS

**City Receives Annual
Audit; Buys Pickup**

The discussion of the annual audit of the city's books was the major item on the agenda of the Friona city council's monthly meeting Monday night.

Berney Gowens, accountant, discussed the audit with members of the council. Gowens complimented City Manager Jake Outland in being within a relatively few dollars of his budget for the fiscal year and the actual expenses.

In other business, the council awarded Friona Motors the bid on supplying a one-half ton pickup truck for the city's water department. The local Ford agency's bid was narrowly below that submitted by Reeve Chevrolet. Low bid was \$2,561.96, compared to Reeve's \$2,577.

The council approved the hiring of Mrs. Herbert Day on a full-time basis as assistant water clerk. Mrs. Day has been working as replacement clerk while Betty Smith was on leave of absence. Her addition makes three full-time employees in the office, in addition to the city manager.

Others items discussed included recommendations by the

State Highway Department for changes in the school's crossings on Highway 60 and 214.

The council also was in agreement for the city to bear the expense involved in engineering work for the paving of Block 37 (the street behind Friona Junior High School), which paving might be done this winter, if arrangements can be made.

Miscellaneous items included notations of resolutions passed by the Texas Municipal League, discussion of location for the proposed new fire station, and a report by the city manager on the progress of right-of-way purchase for the overpass on Highway 214.

Star Lites.

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local merchants, not only during the Christmas season, but all during the year, it would be surprising how it would help the local economy.

For one thing, you wouldn't hear of local stores having to go out of business. Few businesses ever close that have all the business they need.

In Russia

Russian children hang up their stockings on New Year's Eve, in anticipation of Grandfather Frost's visit. Though Communists eliminated the religious celebration of Christmas, they allowed the children's festivities of the season to remain.

**Mistletoe Has
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The green leaved, white-berried plant really does have quite a romantic history. References to it appear as far back in history as the days of the gladiators. The Romans made first recorded use of the plant as a symbol of peace. Enemies meeting under it were required to discard their weapons and declare a truce.



FIRST CALL . . . Mayor R.L. Fleming is shown making the first Direct Distance Dialing call at the City of Friona office. The DDD went into effect last Saturday. Some few "bugs" have been discovered in the setup, but for the most part, long distance calls now may be dialed directly.

**Tax Collections
Are Off Slightly**

Tax collections by the city of Friona were down slightly from the same period a year earlier, according to a report this week from City Manager A.L. (Jake) Outland.

Outland stated that collections as of November 30 stood at \$48,883.03, which amounted to 38.1 per cent of the tax roll. On the same date a year earlier, a total of 44.8 per cent of the city taxes had been collected.

In his monthly report on city activities, Outland's records showed that only three building permits were issued during November, for a total of \$31,500. This is one of the smallest building months for the calendar year. The total included a freight dock by Curry Motor Company, estimated at \$6,500; and two new residences, to cost an estimated total of \$12,500.

The city's water department records indicated that three new taps were made during November, to bring the total number of active taps to 1276 at the end of the month.

Approximately 12,577,000 gallons of water were pumped during the month, down considerably from the previous month. Rainfall during the period amounted to 2.14 inches.

Four new sewer taps were added by the city during No-

ember, to bring the total number of active taps in this department to 1235.

Fire department records listed four fires during the month, all outside the city limits. One thoroughly damaged a combine and a truck on the O.T. Patterson farm, an estimated \$12,500 loss. Another destroyed a U.S. Government vehicle in a maize field, a loss of approximately \$3,500.

Thirty-nine arrests were reported during November, including 23 for traffic violations, five for traffic warrants; four for drunkenness in public; two each for driving while intoxicated and minors in possession of liquor.

Seventeen complaints were investigated, including nine for theft; four for domestic disturbances; two prowlers, one vandalism and one breaking and entering.

CAULIFLOWER--Since cauliflower is most abundant from September until January, Extension foods and nutrition specialists remind consumers that now is the time to look for white to cream-white cauliflower with compact solid and clean curds. If jacket leaves are attached, a good green color is a sign of freshness.

Some say that ever 'gainst that season comes,
Wherein our Saviour's birth is celebrated,
The bird of dawning singeth all night long;
And then, they say, no spirit can walk abroad;
The nights are wholesome; then no planets strike,
No fairy takes, no witch hath power to charm;
So hallow'd and gracious is the time.

Hamlet, Act I, Scene 1

HOT PANTS LAW

A bill to legalize hot pants and miniskirts in the streets of New York has been presented to the City Council. Under the present law a woman can be jailed for up to 10 days if she appears in public with her body between the shoulders and midway between her hips and knees uncovered.

Young Men And Women

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**On The Farm
In Parmer County**
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County Agent

Narrow-row cotton production is now a reality on the Texas High Plains and interest is spreading. The first significant acreage was planted in 1969, when 18 cooperative demonstrations were conducted by county agricultural agents and farmers. In 1970, 3,000 acres were planted in narrow-row, requiring 25 broadcast strippers. A dramatic jump to 20,000 acres requiring about 70 harvesters came in 1971. It is predicted that 1972 will see 50,000 acres in narrow-row production; and this figure should double to 100,000 acres in 1973 when the first commercial dwarf variety becomes available. Seven different companies now manufacture broadcast strippers. The number of broadcast harvesters can be expected to increase to more than 150 by 1973. Although many production problems must be solved and improvements must be made, narrow-row production holds great promise of stabilizing the future cotton production in West Texas.

Insecticide-treated grain sorghum can prevent stand loss from common soil insects like wireworms and false wireworms. Due to the unsettled pesticide situation, some seed companies have stopped treating their seed with chemicals which deter soil insect damage. It is difficult for these companies to know in advance of the planting season which chemicals will be cleared for use. At the present time, both chlordane and heptachlor are approved as a seed treatment for sorghum at a rate of two ounces per bushel.

Some companies are treating their planting seed with malathion. This insecticide protects against stored grain pests but is not effective against soil pests. Also, most planting seed are treated with a fungicide to protect against soil-borne disease organisms. However, the fungicide treatment will not protect against soil insects. Chlordane and heptachlor may also be used as seed treatment for wheat and corn at the rate of two ounces per bushel. Pro-

ducers should either buy seed treated with an effective soil insecticide or treat the seed themselves before planting.

White grubs, the larval stage of May and June beetles, caused stand loss in numerous grain sorghum fields this past growing season. Insecticidal seed treatment which is effective against many soil insects does not provide adequate protection against white grubs. Infestations are always more severe in fields which have been planted to sorghum or other grass-type crops year after year. Rotating sorghum with cotton or soybeans will help reduce populations. Plowing under crop residue after harvest and keeping fields free of grass will also reduce the problem.

Inspections for white grubs before planting can be made by turning up the soil with a spade in 15 to 20 spots in the field. Dig down at least 12 inches, turn up the soil, break up the clods and check for grubs. If grubs appear numerous, a pre-plant chemical application may be necessary to prevent damage to seedling sorghum. Chlordane is approved as a pre-plant treatment for sorghum at a rate of two to four pounds of actual material per acre. The insecticide should be broadcast and disked in three to five inches deep.

**Holly, Traditional
To Christmas**

Holly has long been considered the most sacred of Christmas greens; and the red berries are said to represent the blood of Jesus. "Of all the trees that are in the wood, only the holly bears the crown!"

A display of holly was long a sign of Christian worship.

Folklore has it that holly in the window will keep evil spirits away from the house, and holly at a maiden's bedside, on Christmas Eve, will protect her from goblins!

**Employment Survey
Slated For Vicinity**

A sample of households in this area will be included in a nationwide survey of employment and unemployment to be conducted the week of December 12-18 by the Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce.

Laura Hart will visit households in the Friona area for the survey.

Walter A. Freeman, Jr., Director of the Bureau's Data Collection Center in Denver, in announcing the survey, said

that results will be used to calculate the number of persons in the U.S. who have jobs, the number looking for work, and the percentage unemployed this month, an important measure of the Nation's well-being. The survey is conducted monthly by the Bureau for the U.S. Department of Labor.

The October survey showed that the total number of employed persons increased by 320,000 (seasonally adjusted) to a record level of 79.8 million, and the number of unemployed dropped to 5.8 percent of the labor force from 6.0 percent in September.

The December survey will also ask questions about any farm work done for wages or salary in 1971 and will provide up-to-date statistics on the number of persons doing farm work.

**Bookmobile To
Make Schedule**

The High Plains Bookmobile will make its scheduled stops in the Friona area, on the following dates:

Thursday, December 16--Oklahoma Lane, 9:00-10:00; Rhea Community, 10:45-11:45; Friona #1, 1:00-1:30; Black, 1:45-2:45.

Friday, December 17--Hub, 8:45-9:45; White's Elevator, 10:00-11:00; Lazbuddie, 12:00-1:00; Clay's Corner, 1:15-2:15.

Saturday, December 18--Farwell, 8:55-11:50; Friona #1, 1:00-4:00.

**Court House
Notes**

Instrument Report Ending November 23, 1971 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, H. Ray, et al, Maggie Tims, lot 10, Blk. 24, OT Friona

WD, J. W. Barber & Dora, George E. Nance, all lots 17, 18, 19, 23, 24, 25, Blk. 35, Farwell

WD, Kendrick Oil Co., Ricardo Diaz, lot 12, Blk. 2, McMillen Fergus Add, Friona

Deed, Veterans Land Board, Joseph Walter Harter, S 72 ac. of E 1/2 Sec. 16 Blk. A, Rhea Bros. Sub.

WD, Carl Bruegel, Robert Zetzsch, Tract of land out of Sec. 11, T33; R3E

WD, Texico Feed lots, Inc., Martin Kube, lot 7, Blk. 3, Hillcrest Add, Farwell.



AT-HOME ELEGANCE — A dashing hostess look for the holidays is the cotton velvet ensemble. Miss Pat of California designs it with a long tunic jacket and pants with flaring legs that scrape the heels.

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At Home In Parmer County

Jana Pronger

Looking for a way to bring a little cheer and warmth to lunches? There is nothing quite like some good old-fashioned soup bubbling on the back of the stove to bring compliments from the family.

Especially good while we're having the cold snowy weather would be split pea soup. Split peas are not only tasty, they are nutritious too! These handy little packages of protein, vitamins and minerals, remain an economical addition to a well-balanced menu.

As one luscious addition to the noon meal, try Scandinavian Split Pea Soup.

1-1/4 cups split peas
1/2 cup finely diced celery
1/4 cup finely diced onion
1/2 bay leaf

1-1/2 teaspoons salt
1/8 teaspoon black pepper
Speck of cayenne

4-1/2 cups boiling water
A pinch of crushed thyme

In a heavy saucepan combine split peas, celery, onion, bay leaf, salt, pepper, cayenne, and boiling water; cover and let boil moderately for about 10 minutes, no longer. Reduce heat and simmer gently 45 minutes. Add a pinch of crushed thyme and continue cooking 20 minutes. Puree, then reheat and serve. Makes about a quart.

Another hot dish for these

cold weather days was shared with us by Mrs. W.T. (Velma) Magness of the Oklahoma Lane Home Demonstration Club.

Enchiladas
12 corn tortillas-hot grease
1 cup grated cheese (1/2 lb.)
1 cup chopped onion
1 cup chili meat with a little sauce added

Put tortilla in hot grease until flexible, put 1 tablespoon cheese, 1 tablespoon onion and 1 teaspoon meat sauce. Roll and place in baking dish, until all are used. Make sauce from 2 cups broth from chili, add 1/4 cup water, mixed until smooth. Bring broth to boil and add enchilada mixture and stir until thickened. Pour over rolled enchiladas, add grated cheese, onion and meat over top, bake until cheese melts.

DID YOU KNOW...?

Did you know that the first Christmas stocking was first hung in either France or Belgium!

Did you know that mistletoe was used centuries ago to ward off witches and now it is used to lure a kiss!

**Barlow Honored At
Gas Company Fete**

A Friona resident was honored Tuesday night at Pioneer Natural Gas Company's annual service award dinner at the Amarillo Country Club.

Darrell L. Barlow was presented a service award recognizing his five years of service to the company.

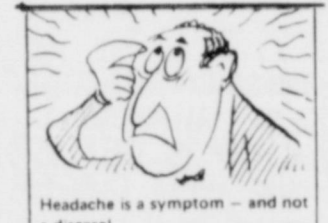
Over ninety-five employees and their spouses attended the dinner which was one in a series of three such affairs being held by the company in different cities in its service area. This year 178 employees, representing 2,285 years of service, are being honored.

The awards were presented by Hurton P. Smith, president of Pioneer Natural Gas Company, who expressed admiration and gratitude on behalf of the officers and directors of Pioneer for the high degree of motivation, skill and cooperation of the company's employees.

Smith told the gathering, "Pioneer and its predecessor companies have been providing to the communities we serve dependable and economical natural gas service for 65 years. The degree to which Pioneer has been successful in this endeavor is totally attributable to each and every one of you...not only as individual employees...but as a team which has pulled together to continually improve our company and the communities we serve."

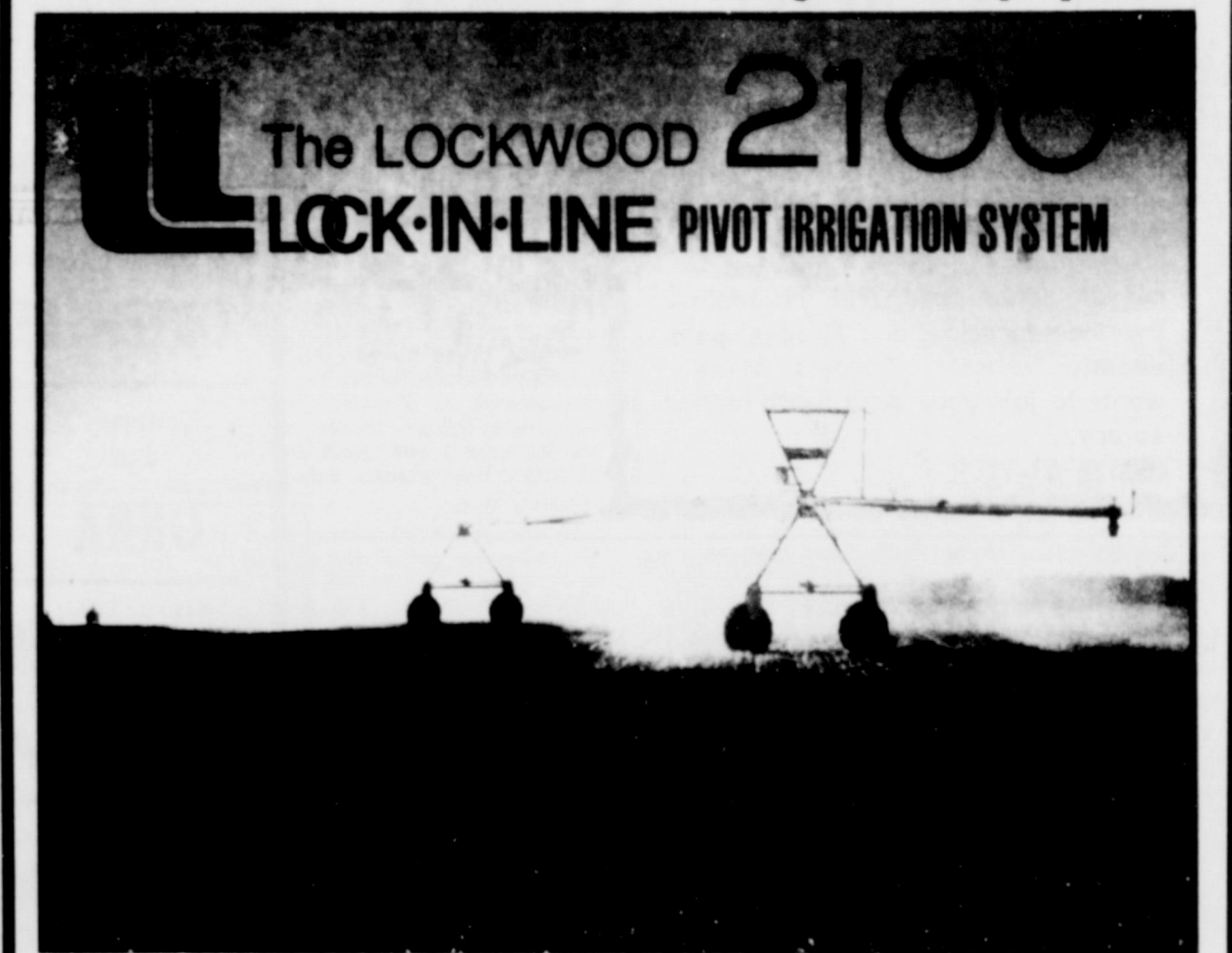


PANTS PLUS — Holiday fashion's new "evening uniform" is the pants-plus-dress look. Here ornately patterned cotton lace shapes a short dress with sash tie and flaring pants. By Joy Stevens of California.



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PHEASANT SEASON SET

Factors Working Against Hunters

The nine-day pheasant season begins in Parmer County on Saturday, but apparently two factors will be working against the hunters. The season runs December 11 through December 19.

One will apparently be the weather, which at this writing was predicted to be snowy and cold. Another is the fact that the birds are expected to have more cover this year than in the past.

Jack Patterson, president of the Parmer County Game Management Association, said last week that the pheasant population appeared to be good, but predicted that the hunting this year was apt to be harder than usual.

Main reason for the harder hunting is the fact that the grain sorghum crop was late in being harvested (in fact, some still is yet unharvested), and only a small percentage of the stalks have been shredded.

Thus, there will be much more stubble area for the birds to hide in than in a normal year. Apparently, the state's number one pheasant hunter, Governor Preston Smith, will miss opening the season here for the first time in several years. Governor Smith, who has been the guest of Hershel Johnson practically every year that a hunt has been held locally, was said this week to have a conflict that would cause him to miss the hunt.

The limit will be the same as it has been in past years—two cocks per day and four in possession. Heads and feet of the birds must be left with the carcasses. Hens are not legal game.

Pheasant season has become a popular time of the year for hunters. Many out-of-county hunters usually make an appearance to join in the hunt. To spur the hunters along, cash prizes are offered in Friona, Bovina and Farwell, for the longest tail feather. Three places are paid—\$15.00, \$10.00 and \$5.00. A plaque then is presented to the hunter whose feather entry is the longest in the county.

Friona Consumers is the official entry station in Friona, and is one of the cash prize donors.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowery Walker of Jane, Missouri are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Harper and daughters, Darlene and Donna. The Walkers are Mrs. Harper's parents.



OPULENT — Plush cotton velvet in a rich maroon color is ornamented with gold for an elegant evening look. The long, full skirt and short-cut jacket are teamed with a gold lame blouse. It's a Victoria Royal design.

Senator, Hereford Man Honored By Grand Lodge

Senator Jack Hightower of Vernon, installed today as Grand Master of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas, has announced the appointment of Bill Howard of Hereford, Texas, as District Deputy Grand Master of Masonic District No. 100.

Mr. Howard, an active Mason in this area, will serve five lodges as the representative of the Grand Master for a one-year period.

In making the announcement, Grand Master Hightower stated: "I appreciate the fact that Mr. Howard has agreed to serve in this important position.

His active participation in Masonic and community affairs proves his qualification for this place of service."

Mail Early

(Continued from Page 1) anytime for any information that you need on mailing. We will be glad to assist you," Williams said.

"Mail early, use zip codes and good addresses and we will do the best we possibly can to get all mail delivered on time. Have a Merry Christmas, From Postal Employees," the postmaster concluded.

Girl Scouts Report

Troop 266 met Monday afternoon at Girl Scout House. The flag ceremony was planned by Rene Brock, Diana Glover and Kimber Britting.

The past four weeks members of this troop have been doing badge work. They have been assisted in the following areas by Mrs. J.T. Gee and Lou Whaley, who helped with the hospitality badge; Mrs. Dorothy Blankenship who helped with the health care badge; Glenda Revere and Annette Reznik, who helped with the cook badge; and Mrs. Nellie Pearl Shelton, who helped with the sewing badge. Gifts of appreciation were presented to these seven people.

The troop has one new member, Penny Whiteside. Refreshments were served by Jamie Fulks, Sylvia Bermea and Velma Flores, to 27 members and four leaders, Mrs. Marvin Jordan, Mrs. Lee Britting, Mrs. Tom Mason and Mrs. Kenneth McLellan.

Did you know that the first Christmas tree erected in a church in U.S., in 1851 shocked its Cleveland congregation. It was considered too heathenish!

Hospital Notes

Admissions:

Aurora Terzas, Texico; Barron Acy, Friona; Stacy Graham, Bovina; Eliz Edwards, Farwell; Della Daniel, Friona; Howard Lee Williams, St. Vrain, N.M.; Andria Chadwick; Linda Harding, Friona; Joe Bryan Jennings, Muleshoe; Elmira Samuels, Friona; Raul Herrera Jr., Friona; Jaulier Garza, Bovina; Elizabeth Riddle, Bovina; Linda Cruz, Bovina; Margaret Crook, Friona; and Ruth Schwab, Friona.

Dismissals:

Kenneth McLellan, Barron Acy, Elizabeth Edwards, James Taylor, Stacy Graham, Maria Villegas, Jaulier Garza, Andria Chadwick, Elizabeth Riddle, Ruth Schwab, Elmira Samuels and Howard Lee Williams.

Patients In the Hospital:

Margaret Crook and baby girl, Linda Cruz, Anna Lee Carroll, Della Daniel, Carrie L. Gray, Ester Mendoza, Thelma Perkins, Elizabeth Riddle, Ruth Schwab, Elmira Samuels and Howard Lee Williams.



Salvation Army Aided By United Fund Drive

The Friona service unit chairman of the Salvation Army, A.L. Outland, reports that the Salvation Army has helped a total of 83 people this year in Friona.

"Being chairman for the service unit of the Salvation Army is a very rewarding job," says Outland, "and it is necessary to wear several hats, such as grocer, service station attendant, druggist and Santa Claus."

Outland said that during the past year he issued groceries

to twelve people. In addition, he helped five people with medicine and also one person with dental aid.

Friona sent three boys to the Salvation Army camp this past summer. "In addition to this," said Outland, "We played Santa Claus to 45 people last Christmas and gave them all Christmas dinners."

Then, during the year, the service unit furnished gasoline to stranded transients who needed to be on their way, stated Outland.

"We are asking the citizens of Friona to support generously the United Fund so that we may continue helping these people who need this kind of aid," Outland added.

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By Rev. Albert Lindley

I hope you don't tire of hearing the Christmas story each year and often, several times each year. It is such a tremendous message of what the grace of God has set up for each of us, that we should thrill with each "hearing."

Also, knowing that the majority of you who spend your time so wisely as to stop for a moment to read this article, did not hear me this past Sunday with this little story, so you will enjoy my retelling it and those who heard it will again

It seems that a little girl was sitting at her table drawing. Her mother passed by and said, "Honey, what are you drawing?" "God," was the child's reply. "But," her mother ventured, "no one knows what God looks like." As she continued with her crayons, the girl replied, "They will when I get through."

Isn't that lovely?

Did it say something special to you? It speaks to me every time I read or hear it. There is so much that we say about God, simply by the type of lives we live.

I say something about him every time I see a person in need and what I do about it. I say something about him every time I look at my own life and notice it's wrongness or rightness. I even say something about what God looks like by the way I choose wrong and right for my life.

You wanna know something? You do too. . . . People know what we think about God by the way we live and respond to life.

Now I just believe that I overheard one of you saying, "What difference does it make to me about what other people think I think about God?"

I somehow don't feel that you are so callous as to really feel like that. . . . not unless you really don't give him much of a chance in your life. Could that be?

My whole concern here is in the realization that if I don't try to figure out what God has done for me, I won't really be excited about what I can do for him. . . . or for others.

That's why I like for us to really make our proper preparations for Christmas.

That's why I think that it is important about what I try to show about God, in my life.

Many, many people approach Christmas with all sorts of attitudes that are not related to the real meaning of Christmas. . . . "will I get a bonus?" . . . "will I get two days off?" "Do you suppose I can work a deal to get invited to one of 'those' parties?" . . . and on and on. . . .

People often use Christmas without ever thinking about its real purpose or its real message.

But then, many of us use life in the same way—missing our real purpose and reason for being here. Have you ever thought about that?

In Henry Van Dyke's THE OTHER WISE MAN, we find a very wonderful Christmas story. I think it can say something to us.

The hero's name is Artaban. He started off with high hopes and precious jewels to join the Magi in their quest for the Christ Child.

Artaban, however, missed the rendezvous because he stopped to help a wayfaring man who was ill. Artaban never found the Christ Child: at every turn he found and ministered from his means to someone in need. Still, the most wonderful miracle of all happened to him. At the end of his journey he heard a voice saying, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these, ye have done it unto me."

You see, my contention is that he comes to us in relation to the amount of seeking that we do for him. . . . the amount of life that we use in an effort to express his life in our world. . . . the amount of self that I give for him. . . .

"For God so loved the world" . . . is the "why" of Christmas. What are you going to do with it? . . .

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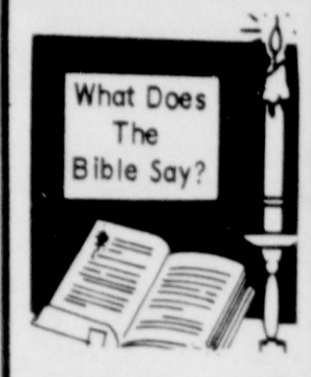
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">ASSEMBLY OF GOD</p> <p>10th and Ashland—Rev. J.M. Ashley, pastor Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m. Young people, 6:45 p.m. Evening Worship: 7:30 p.m. Wednesday Worship: 8:15 p.m. Sunday Men's Fellowship: 7:00 p.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">CALVARY BAPTIST</p> <p>14th and Cleveland—Rev. R.C. Hester, pastor Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m. Training Union: 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship: 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting: 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">CALVARY BAPTIST MISSION</p> <p>5th and Main—Rev. L.S. Ansley, pastor Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship: 7:30 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting: 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">FIRST BAPTIST</p> <p>Sixth and Summit—Rev. Charles Broadhurst— Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m. Training Union: 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship: 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting: 8:30 p.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">MEXICAN BAPTIST CHURCH</p> <p>4th and Woodland—Rev. Donnie Carrasco Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m. Training Union: 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship: 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting: 8:00 p.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">ST. TERESA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH</p> <p>16th and Cleveland—Father Norman Boyd Mass: 10:30 a.m. Confessions: Sunday 10:00 a.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">SIXTH ST. CHURCH OF CHRIST</p> <p>502 W. Sixth—Bill Gipson Preacher Bible Study: 9:30 a.m. Worship: 10:30 a.m. Evening: 6 p.m. Wednesday Evening: 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH</p> <p>13th and Virginia— Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m. Rhea Immanuel Lutheran Church—Worship: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH</p> <p>Euclid at 16th—UCC—Rev. Paul Lee Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">TENTH ST. CHURCH OF CHRIST</p> <p>10th and Euclid Sunday Worship: 10:30 a.m. Evening: 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening: 8:00 p.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">SIXTH ST. IGLESIA de CRISTO</p> <p>408 W. Sixth—M.R. Zamorano Bible Study: 9:30 a.m. Worship: 10:30 a.m. Evening: 8:00 p.m. Thursday Evening: 8:00 p.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">FRIONA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</p> <p>8th and Pierce—Rev. Albert Lindley Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m. MYF: 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship: 7:00 p.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH</p> <p>Fifth and Ashland—Rev. O.G. Stanton, pastor Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m. Wednesday Evening: 7:30 p.m. Sunday Evening 8:00 p.m. Friday Young People: 8:00 p.m.</p>

About Trees . . .

On the night Christ was born, legend says, all the trees burst into bloom. Thus began many stories about the Christmas tree.

Early folk tales described a huge tree in the midst of a forest. The tree held many candles, some straight, some upside down. At the top was an infant with a halo around his head.

It was believed that the tree represented humanity. The candles, up and down, symbolized people, good and bad. The infant was the Christ Child.



The church in the world today has a serious responsibility with respect to the "works of the flesh" such as are named in Galatians 5:19-21. For one thing, God's people are charged that such sinful conduct is not to be encouraged or tolerated in the fellowship of the church. "Now we command you, brethren, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that ye withdraw yourselves from every brother that walketh disorderly, and not after the traditions which ye have received of us" (II Thess 3:6). "I wrote unto you in an epistle not to company with fornicators: yet not altogether with the fornicators of this world. . . for then most ye needs go out of the world. . . But now I have written unto you not to keep company, if any man that is called a brother be a fornicator, or covetous, or an idolator, or a railer, or a drunkard, or an extortioner: with such an one no not to eat" (I Cor. 5:9-11).

As the church is the body of the saved walking after the Spirit, the works of the flesh should not and must not be tolerated.

Questions invited. Address "What Does the Bible Say?" Box 515, Friona, Texas.



CAREFUL, LYNX. . . Larry Fallwell of Friona, in the dark uniform, moves in to head off Mike Schell of Spearman (12) in the Chiefs' semi-final game in last week's tournament. Number 32 is Spearman's Larry Head. The Chiefs won, 53-39, their first basketball win over Spearman in several years.

The Friona ★ Star **SPORTS**

IN TOURNAMENT

Chiefs Set Scoring Mark In 111-39 Win

The Friona Chiefs set a new scoring record, beating by one point the team's record of 110 points, set in 1966 against Olton in a 110-40 win.

Every member of the team scored, and seven players were in double figures.

"We just couldn't seem to do anything but score points," said Chiefs Coach Ray DeBord.

Most of the scoring came from field goals, as the Chiefs

Eighth Grade Tops Mules

Friona's eighth grade boys won their game against Muleshoe here Monday, November 29 by the score of 42-20. This makes their record 1-2 for the season.

Davy Carthel scored five baskets and Kent Miller in first three minutes to give Friona a 12-0 lead. Muleshoe managed only one free shot the first quarter to trail 18-1 at the end of the quarter.

Friona's longest lead was 24 points, 34-10 with 3:06 left in the third quarter. Friona drew 19 fouls in the game while Muleshoe only cashed in on eight of their 25 free throws.

Player	FG	FT	TP
B. Bailey	1	0	2
L. Fallwell	8	0	16
R. McPherson	8	0	16
W. Bailey	10	0	20
J. Bandy	5	3	13
J. Bartlett	5	1	11
K. Wiseman	3	1	7
M. Martin	5	0	10
L. Lee	5	0	10
M. Royal	6	2	14
Totals	52	7	111
Friona	33	24	31
Nazareth	8	16	11

OPPONENTS TOUGH

Chiefs, Squaws Edged In Own Tourney Finals

The Friona Chiefs and Squaws each were runner-up in their own invitational tournament last weekend. Both teams went down to the wire against tough opponents in the tournament finals, and both fell by eight-point margins.

The Chiefs, after leading district favorite Morton for most of the game, fell to the Indians' late charge, 48-40. Earlier, the Squaws' last half rally fell short, and defending state champion Spearman triumphed, 56-48.

BOYS' ACTION

The Chiefs made an impressive showing in the tournament, with their two wins, and then almost upset district favorite Morton in the finals.

Their game against Nazareth was a classic mismatch. Every man in the lineup (ten players) scored and saw much action in the 111-39 runaway. Willie Bailey, ordinarily a reserve, was high point man with 20 points. The game broke the school scoring record by one point, as the old mark had been 110 points.

The win against Spearman Friday night in the semi-finals was a sweet one for the Chiefs, who have lost to the visitors from the north several times in the local tournament. It was a much closer game than the 53-39 final score indicates.

The lead see-sawed back and forth early in the game, with Spearman ahead, 14-13 at the quarter. Ronnie McPherson's long jump shot gave the team a 15-14 lead to open the second quarter, and Friona never trailed again.

Friona had a 28-22 lead at the half, and 40-33 after three quarters.

The loss to Morton was a hard one to take, as the Chiefs had led the Indians until 4:59 remained in the game. In fact, fans couldn't believe it when Friona jumped off to a 10-0 lead in the

first quarter, and increased this to 15-3 at the buzzer. Friona's longest lead was 15-1, as Morton didn't get its first field goal until 23 seconds were left in the quarter.

The Chiefs continued to defend Morton, and made them play their own type of game, and went to halftime leading, 23-12.

However, things took a turn toward Morton in the third quarter, as Friona hit a cold spell and Morton scored 10 consecutive points. Friona's lead was

trimmed to 35-31 entering the last stanza.

Morton continued with the momentum, and gained their first tie at 37-37 with 5:48 to play, and took the lead a moment later at 39-38. The frustrated Chiefs committed several fouls in the waning moments of the game, which accounted for Morton's final margin to eight points.

James Bartlett, who had some timely baskets for the Chiefs, was high point man for Friona, with 13 points.

Box Scores

SQUAWS 15 21 12 14--62	Day, 12-3-27; Riethmayer, 1-2-4; Smith, 6-0-12; Rhodes, 1-3-5.
CHIEFS 33 24 31 23-111	Nazareth 8 16 11 4-39
(See box score elsewhere)	
SQUAWS 22 13 16 14--65	Varsity--Day, 12-3-25; Riethmayer, 3-3-9; Smith, 4-0-8; Rhodes, 2-3-7; Phipps, 2-0-4; Reeve, 1-4-6; Schueler, 0-2-2.
CHIEFS 13 15 12 13-53	Spearman 14 8 11 6-39
B. Bailey, 3-3-9; Fallwell, 3-0-6; McPherson, 5-1-1; Bandy, 9-7-25; Bartlett, 1-0-2.	
SQUAWS 13 14 10 11--48	B. Bailey, 2-0-4; Fallwell, 0-2-2; McPherson, 5-0-10; Spearman 19 21 3 13--56
CHIEFS 15 8 12 5-40	Morton 3 9 19 17-48
B. Bailey, 2-0-4; Fallwell, 0-2-2; McPherson, 5-0-10; Bartlett, 6-1-13; Bandy, 4-3-11.	

GIRLS' ACTION

The Squaw reserves saw a lot of action on Friday morning, as Springlake was subdued, 62-27. Friona roared to a 36-13 halftime lead, and subs took over. Nine different players got in on the scoring. Three were in double figures, including two reserves.

The B Squaws' hopes for an upset over the varsity was dimmed early in the contest. The varsity girls jumped off to a 22-8 first period lead, and it was 35-16 at the half. Reserves again saw considerable action.

Diane Day played long enough to score 25 points. Kay Cochran led the Bs, with 12 points.

In the championship game, Spearman pulled into an early lead, and at halftime had an imposing, 40-27 advantage. However, the Squaws adjusted their defense at the half, and the game took on a different complexion.

The Squaws pulled to within six, 43-37 at the end of three quarters, limiting Spearman to only four shots and three points in the third quarter.

The rally continued in the fourth quarter, as Darla Rhodes came off the bench to spark the team, and the Squaws trailed by only three points, at 45-42. However, the Lynettes managed a rally, aided by Squaw fouls, and claimed the eight-point margin.

Team Enter Tulia Meet

Friona High School basketball teams, fresh from winning runnerup honors in their own tournament last weekend, are entered in the Tulia Invitational Tournament beginning Thursday.

At 11:30 a.m. Thursday, the Chiefs will tangle with Clarendon in an opening round game. At 4 p.m. the same day, the Squaws will meet the Clarendon girls.

The Friona teams will meet either Tulia or Idalou teams in the second round, depending on how everyone comes out.

Other teams entered are from Muleshoe, Canyon, Slaton, Dimmitt and Alamo Catholic.

With Canyon and Slaton in the upper bracket, a tough opponent in the finals awaits the Squaws, if they get past their first two opponents, and they are expected to do this.

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TOURNEY FINALS. . . Kathy Hutson (25) and Teresa Bingham (5) are shown on the defense against Spearman in the tournament finals here last Saturday night. Spearman, defending state champions, downed the Squaws by eight points, 56-48, but not before they were given a tough battle.

Freshman Boys Take 3rd Straight Win

Friona's freshmen boys won their third game of the season against Muleshoe, 50-34 here Monday, November 29. Friona took a 12 point lead before Muleshoe scored. Friona never trailed in the game and as close as Muleshoe ever came was eight points at 14-6 with 53 seconds left in the first quarter. Friona's longest lead was 26 points which they held twice, 34-8 with 6:37 left in the

third quarter and 36-10 with 5:47 left in the third quarter.

Friona	16	28	38	50
Muleshoe	6	8	22	34
Dale Cleveland, 7-0-14; Clay Bandy, 7-0-14; Gene Strickland, 4-0-8; Kevin Welch, 3-0-6; Robin Balze, 2-0-4; Mitchell Wiseman, 1-0-2; Joe Odom, 1-0-2.				

7th Grade Braves In Second Season Win

Friona's seventh grade boys won their second game of the season against Muleshoe eighth grade B-team Monday, November 29 at home by the score of 26-14.

The Braves posted an easy win and now stand 2-1. Their only loss is to Dimmitt.

The Braves jumped off to a 3-0 lead on a basket by Leslie Broadhurst with only 16 seconds zone and a free shot by Lester Aven 23 seconds later.

Two more field goals by Broadhurst made the score 6-2 at the end of the first quarter. Broadhurst made four field goals and one each by Keith Martin and Mark Neill made the boys halftime score 18-4.

Keith Martin started the second half scoring with a basket to make the score 20-4 with 5:45 left on the clock.

Friona held a 24-5 lead with 1:53 left on the clock in the third quarter when Larry Broyles made a field goal. Friona's longest lead came in the fourth quarter on a basket by Larry Broyles to make the score 26-5 with 4:54 left on the clock.

Squaws Top M'shoe, Mules Topple Chiefs

Friona's girls won their game here Tuesday, December 7 against the girls from Muleshoe by a score of 60-49.

Friona never trailed in the game and led 26 points, 56-30, with 7:09 left in the game. Diane Day was outstanding on offense hitting 32 points in the first half and finished the game with 38 total points. All the girls on the team saw action in the game.

Friona	17	42	52	60
Muleshoe	7	23	30	49
Diane Day, 14-10-38; Sharon Smith, 5-2-12; Darla Rhodes, 3-0-6; Patricia Phlips, 1-0-2; Jill Riethmayer, 0-2-2.				

Friona's boys lost their game here Tuesday, December 7 to the Mules from Muleshoe by a 55-47 score. This gives Friona boys a 4-4 record.

Friona took the lead on a basket by Johnny Bandy and this was the only time Friona led during the game. Muleshoe outscored Friona 20-11 the first quarter but Friona came back and outscored the Mules 11-7 in the second quarter. Again Muleshoe outscored Friona in the third quarter, 10-9, and in the fourth quarter, 18-16. Johnny Bandy was high scorer for Friona with 28 points. Ronnie McPherson had 11 rebounds and Larry Fallwell had 4 assists.

Friona	11	22	31	47
Muleshoe	20	27	37	55
Johnny Bandy, 9-10-28; Ronnie McPherson, 2-4-8; Larry Fallwell, 2-0-4; Willie Bailey, 2-0-4; Bill Bailey, 0-2-2; James Bartlett, 0-1-1.				

B-teams Split Two

Friona's B-team girls won their game here Tuesday, December 7 over the Muleshoe team by a score of 42-28. Friona led the whole game and their longest lead was 18 points, 39-21 with 7:30 left in the game. Muleshoe pulled within two points, four times during the game (3-1 with 5:03 in the first quarter, 5-3 with 3:36 in first quarter, 7-5 with 2:26 in first quarter and 21-19 at the half. Friona made the first ten points of the second half and Muleshoe never could close the gap.

Friona	12	21	38	42
Muleshoe	7	19	21	28
Tena Day, 7-2-16; Kay Cochran, 6-7-19; Diane Rodgers, 2-2-6; Janice Bandy, 0-1-1.				

B-Boys Lose Muleshoe Tilt

Friona's B-team boys lost a close game at Friona Tuesday, December 7 to Muleshoe. Friona led most of the game. Friona led as much as 12 points during the game. Muleshoe took the lead with 22 seconds left in the game and won by 37-36.

Friona	12	20	24	36
Muleshoe	8	18	24	37
Gary Land, 4-0-8; Ricky Carr, 3-1-7; Kent Patterson, 2-1-5; C.B. Looper, 2-1-5; Bill Fallwell, 1-2-4; James Perea, 1-1-3; Bobby Lewellen, 0-3-3; Rex Minshew, 0-1-1.				



All-American

TONY PEREA, former super-star for the Friona Chiefs, has had another banner year for the University of Texas at El Paso Miners. Tony made first team all conference for the Miners as a middle linebacker, and also was chosen honorable mention on the Associated Press' All-America team, announced last week.

SFC Backing Fund Drive

The Student Faculty Congress will sponsor a Christmas drive for Girlstown. Containers are being placed around town, appropriately marked, for donations. The drive is in connection with that sponsored by Friona Lions, to help buy girls at Girlstown a new coat and shoes for Christmas.

"Over 30" Club Starts

The "over 30" basketball and volleyball group has announced that it is beginning its weekly sessions again this winter, at the Friona High School gym. The group will meet on Mondays, about 8 p.m., and plans to play a little volleyball and basketball each week. The program is recommended for mature adults.



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Basketball Results

7th Grade Girls

Friona	2	4	6	13-13
Canyon	2	6	7	16-16
Melodi Dixon, 2-1-5; Jackie Rando, 3-1-7; Diane Bennett, 0-1-1; Linda Lee, Bradli Odom, Janice Peak, good defense.				

8th Grade Girls

Friona	14	27	34	42-42
Canyon	5	17	25	33-33
Nanette Fallwell, 14pts; Terry Patterson, 21pts; Janet Rodgers, 6pts; Carla Bauer, 1pt; Paula London, good defense.				



GIFT HINTS

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HONORED... Rhonda Bauer was presented a plaque by the Friona Woodmen, represented here by their president, Glendell Jones. Miss Bauer was the organization's entrant in the Maize Queen contest last September, and was chosen "Miss Congeniality" in the contest.

New Officers Named By Friona Woodmen

Glendell Jones was installed as president of the Friona Woodmen Lodge 4503 Monday night in an officer installation ceremony at the Federated Club House.

Also installed were Donnie Renner, past president; Lucy

Mays Visit

In Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy May and Mr. and Mrs. Arlin May and children, Keith and April, visited relatives in Oklahoma last weekend.

They visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgie Graham in Rush Springs and other relatives and friends in the Rush Springs-Duncan area.

Lewis, treasurer; Dale Hart, vice president; Jack Patterson, escort; Ruby Hasselplugh, watchman; and Barbara Williams, sentry.

Those from Friona who went were Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Miller Sr.; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mears, Clint and Sarah; and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Miller, Kent, Curt and Dana.

Rhonda Bauer, the Woodmen's entrant in the Maize Queen contest, was presented a plaque by the organization. Miss Bauer was named "Miss Congeniality" by the contestants in the event.

Installing officers were Ray McKinney, Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cantu, Hale Center, and Edgar McCandless, Littlefield.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bauer.

Friona Woman Is Honored With Party

Mrs. Tommie Parker, 1208 North Main, was honored with a surprise birthday party in her home Sunday afternoon. Hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Delvin Langford and children, Less and Paul, of Farwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carlisle and sons, Craig, Kirk and Mike of Lubbock.

The serving table, which was covered with a white cloth, was centered with an arrangement of red carnations and white pom-poms in a silver candelabra compote. Red candles, a lighted silver angel and silver Christmas balls were used in the arrangement.

Birthday cake, spiced punch and coffee were served by the hosts.

Those signing the register

were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Bovins; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Langford and Mrs. Charles Turner and daughters, Lucetta and Polly, of Farwell; Mr. and Mrs. Irby Carlisle, Anton; and Mrs. Herbert Owens, Hereford.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ashcraft, Mrs. A.H. Boatman, Mr. and Mrs. Gib Boatman, Mrs. Doris Lyday, Mrs. J.G. McFarland, Mrs. Fay Reeve, Mrs. Garland Freeman, Mrs. Neva Raybon and Mrs. Howard Ford.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fairchild, Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hawkins and Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stell, Emmett Berry and Mr. and Mrs. Giles Cobb.

Roy Millers Visit In Roy Norris Home

Twenty-nine members of the Roy V. Miller family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Norris at Los Alamos, New Mexico during the Thanksgiving weekend. Mrs. Norris is the former Janice Miller.

Those from Friona who went were Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Miller Sr.; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mears, Clint and Sarah; and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Miller, Kent, Curt and Dana.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Glass, Maridale, Sherry, Jamie Lou, Terri Gay, John David and Angela of McLean; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tims, Sally, Evelyn and Chuck of Rolla, Kansas, and Dr. and Mrs. Roy V. Miller Jr., Ben, Dan and Darla of Vernon.

Other guests in the Norris home during the weekend were Mrs. Carroll Roysden and Jo of Albuquerque.

Problem Sharing Group Meets In High Home

As an outgrowth of the recent lay witness activities of First Baptist Church, a group of young married people met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Hight, 112 East Fourteenth Street, Monday evening.

Plans were made for a weekly session of prayer and problem sharing.

Those attending the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. George Frye, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Westhinkle and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hinkle and Mrs. Jerry Wike. Mrs. Mae Magness was a guest.

Refreshments of hot chocolate, coffee and Christmas goodies were served by the host couple.

Local Couples Go Hunting

Four local couples enjoyed a hunting excursion in Crystal City, Texas last weekend.

Those in the group were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ethridge, Mr. and Mrs. H.K. Kendrick, Dr. and Mrs. Paul Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spring.

They were joined by the Terrell Christians of Claude. It was reported that the group brought back their limit in birds.



KATHERINE ANN PREWETT... Mrs. Eleanor Prewett, Lubbock, and Lloyd Prewett, Arlington, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Katherine Ann, to Phillip Gene Shaffer of Denison. Miss Prewett, who is a graduate of Friona High School, is a senior at Baylor Law School, Waco. Her fiancé, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Shaffer of Denison, is also a student at Baylor Law School. The couple plans to exchange wedding vows at First Baptist Church, Waco, at 4:00 p.m. Saturday, December 18.



The Library Corner

BY MRS. VON EDELMON

The library receives new books all during the year. As all of the wives know, football season is not yet over and I think that the saying "If you can't beat them, join them" applies here. We have a book entitled "Football" that you wives can read so that you will be knowledgeable on the subject.

Or, you can take the other approach and just get a good novel and find a quiet corner and read. Two new ones on the shelf are "She'll Never Get Off the Ground" and "The Saga of Coe Ridge," the story of a Cumberland Mountain settlement.

Story Hour will continue until December 16 for the regular patrons. The children will enjoy a special treat with Carol Ellis giving a Christmas Chalk-talk. Story Hour will then resume after the first of the year. The date will be announced later.

Now that the school semester ends with the beginning of the Christmas holidays, the students need not spend the holidays working on term papers. They can spend their free time reading something they want to. So come by the library and select a good book.



A small personal in an Oklahoma Rural Electric publication recently read as follows: "Mrs. Lloyd Fent, Route 1, Glencoe hopes to locate and hear from Ads Parker, a girlhood friend who lived at Friona, Texas in the mid-30s. It is believed she married Roy Vaughn. She had one sister, Florence, and one step-brother, J.T. Wicker or Wickard."

Beulah Ruth Booker, who is the daughter of Mrs. Pat Fallwell and a former resident now lives at Hedrick, Oklahoma. She read the personal and wrote to Mrs. Fent, who hadn't heard from anyone in Friona in years and years.

Mrs. Fent, the former Maurine Furlong, graduated from Friona High School in the same class with Herschel Johnson and later married John W. York. Twenty-nine years and eleven children later she attended nursing school and worked in the Veteran's Hospital in Oklahoma City six years and at Central State Hospital in Norman for two years.

Her first husband died in 1966 and she re-married a few years later.

When she lived here she attended Friona United Methodist Church.

If anyone reads this who is acquainted with Mrs. Roy Vaughn, please pass this information along to her.

What about our weather? Last week's snow fall was most unusual. It was very wet and didn't blow at all. It isn't often we have such a snow, so we've been enjoying it.

Many of the spreading evergreens looked like quonset type buildings covered with snow. Icicles of the south side of just about everything in town were made beautiful by the sun when it came peeking through for a few minutes one afternoon.

Most farmers seem to agree that it has been a long time since we've had such an abundance of underground moisture.

I've never known for sure how long a man had to live in a community before he was entitled to the title of "Oldtimer." However, since Herman Schueler has lived in the Rhea Community more than 50 years, surely he would qualify.

He visited the Star briefly early this week and he's predicting a bad winter. Early in the fall he advised the younger farmers in his community to be sure to lay in a large store of feed for livestock.

Schueler particularly remembers the winter of 1918-19. That was his first winter in the Texas Panhandle and keeping a supply of feed for his livestock was one of his biggest problems.

Lt. Reggie Hays, whose parents are John and Louise Hays, was involved in a one car accident in the Dallas-Fort Worth area one day last week. Reggie, who is a 1962 graduate of Friona High School, is currently serving in the United States Navy.

He is hospitalized in Methodist Hospital, Dallas, and the last report I heard was that his more severe injuries were to his neck and that he would probably spend the next five or six weeks in traction.

Rites Set For Former Pastor Here

Funeral services will be conducted today at Leary Hill for Rev. Ott Roberson, 64, former pastor of Friona's Assembly of God Church.

Rev. Roberson, who was pastor here for five years prior to moving to East Texas in January of 1969 passed away in Kilgore Tuesday morning after a short illness. He is survived by Mrs. Roberson and four grandchildren.

While in Friona, Rev. Roberson was president of the Friona Ministerial Alliance, and was active in that organization, and in the annual Community Thanksgiving event.

Miss Merry Christmas Suggests . . .

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With Beautiful Gifts From Bi-Wize

"Miss Merry Christmas" portrayed by Friona's own 1971 Maize Queen Kathy Horton was delighted this week to find such a varied selection of gifts at Bi-Wize Drug. Here she is being shown a decorative oil lamp by Mrs. Wilma Wise. Gifts at the store range from such colorful and unusual items as the oil lamp to all sorts of cosmetic items, grooming aids, small appliances such as radios, electric toothbrushes, etc.

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Rhonda Eppes Feted With Bridal Showers

Rhonda Eppes of Houston, who is the bride-elect of Lowery Harper, was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower in the home of Mrs. W.T. Johnson, 1501 Jackson, Saturday, November 27.

Co-hostesses were Mesdames Doyle Cummins, Carl Schlenker, Bill Carthel, Ernest Osborn, Decima Beene, Ralph Shirley, R.J. Renner Jr., Travis Stone, Clifford Allmon, Bill Turner and G.D. Coker.

Colors of ice blue and white were used in the decorations and refreshments. Assorted nut

and fruit breads were served with tea, coffee, nuts and mints, by Darlene and Donna Harper, who also registered the guests.

With Miss Eppes in the receiving line were her mother, Mrs. John Eppes of Houston, and mother of her fiance, Mrs. Clifton Harper.

Saturday evening Mrs. Gary Murphree, Missy Renner, Mrs. Bob Morris and Mrs. Jim Schlenker were hostesses at a kitchen shower for Miss Eppes in the home of Mrs. Ray Murphree.



Festive Foods Is Theme Of Meeting

Highlight of the Tuesday evening meeting of Progressive Study Club was a demonstration entitled, "Festive Foods," by Marilyn O'Dowd, home service advisor of Southwestern Public Service Company.

The use of several electric appliances for preparing Ch-

ristmas goodies and decorations was demonstrated.

Roll call was answered with a display of Christmas decorations which had been made by club members.

Mrs. Darrell Simpson, presented the meditation.

Mrs. Johnny Walters, pianist, presented several selections from the "Theme of Love Story" and "Waltz in C Minor," by Chopin.

Plans were made for the progressive Christmas dinner.

Guests were Mrs. Ron Cain, Mrs. Norman Kothman, Mrs. Joe Reeve, Mrs. Leroy Johnson and Mrs. J.T. Gee.



SHORTS CIRCUIT - Used brick's the color choice for this hot pants suit in a fresh-looking new face for cotton corduroy. The color's repeated in a matching rib turtleneck of cotton knit. All by White Stag.

Smiddy Enlists Under New Scale

Roger D. Smiddy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nelson, Box 52, Friona, became the first local resident to join the Army under the new pay scales that went into effect October 15th. As a private, Smiddy will make \$268.50 a month, plus free room and board.

In addition to the increased pay, Smiddy received a written guarantee assuring him 16 months of basic training, according to Sergeant Maddocks, the local Army recruiter. The pay increase, which was voted into law by Congress in September, did not go into effect until October because of the wage freeze.

Smiddy's \$268.50 monthly salary will be increased to \$299.10 following basic training, according to Sergeant Maddocks, the local Army recruiter. The pay increase, which was voted into law by Congress in September, did not go into effect until October because of the wage freeze.

Cogdill's Sister Passes Away

Funeral services for Mrs. Lena Rhyne, 84, of Hobart, Oklahoma, were conducted from First Baptist Church there at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, December 1.

Mrs. Rhyne, who was a sister of Bill Cogdill, 1012 West Fifth Street, died at Parmer County Community Hospital the previous Saturday.

Burial was in the Hobart Cemetery.

FASCINATION

Children often need reassurance at night and one of the easiest ways to comfort them is through a new European invention, the Lava-Lite (TM). This UL-approved accessory throws off a soft glow as it bubbles up into millions of different shapes caused by the lava-like substance rising and expanding inside the crystal lamp. In six different decorator colors, the Lava-Lite will provide hours of fascination and security for small fry.

Coffee Honors Former Residents

Mrs. Charles McLean and Mrs. Joe Fred Krezik, both of Littlefield, were honored with an informal coffee in the home of Mrs. Ray Landrum from 2:30 to 5:00 p.m. Wednesday.

The serving table was covered with a white lace cloth and centered with a floral arrangement. Hot spiced apple cider and cookies were served by the hostess, who was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Ben Konis, Amarillo.

Grahams Host Family Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Graham and children, Gail and Ky, were hosts at a family dinner in their home Thanksgiving Day.

Local guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Miller, Kent, Curt and Dana; Mr. and Mrs. Newman Jarrell; Mr. and Mrs. Hardy May and Mr. and Mrs. Arlin May, Keith and April.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Shaw and children, David and LaNita, of Rush Springs, Oklahoma. Mrs. Shaw is Graham's sister.

Mrs. McLean and her late husband operated Friona State Bank several years during the late thirties and early forties. Mrs. Krezik, who is the former Ferrell Cox, was employed by the bank.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Fred Kuntz, Mrs. Bob McLean, Mrs. Wes Anthony and Mrs. Sal DiCuffs, all of Dimmitt.

Others present were Mesdames C.W. Dixon, Mae Magness, Howard Ford, Dan Ethridge, Claude Osborn, Frank A. Spring, J.G. McFarland, J. T. Gee, Henry Lewis, Wright Williams, Sloan H. Osborn and Carl Maurer.

Also Kelly and Jade Konis of Amarillo.

AUXILIARY PARTY. . . . The three local doctor's wives were co-hostesses at a Christmas Brunch for the members of the Hospital Auxiliary this week. Auxiliary president, Mrs. A.L. Outland is being served by the hostesses Mrs. Bob Alexander, Mrs. Paul Spring and Mrs. Lee Spring.

Hospital Auxiliary Ladies Have Christmas Brunch

Twenty-three local women were honored at a Tuesday morning brunch in the home of Mrs. Lee Spring, for their years of service to the Parmer County Hospital Auxiliary.

The doctor's wives, Mrs. Lee Spring, Mrs. Paul Spring and Mrs. Bob Alexander, co-hosted the Christmas affair.

Mrs. A.L. Outland, president, gave a short talk on the meanings and symbols of the Auxiliary. Mrs. Dan Ethridge gave a history of the Auxiliary and

told how the organization had aided the hospital through the years.

Dr. Paul Spring was on hand to pass out certificates to the members who had given fifteen, ten and five years of service in the Auxiliary.

Those receiving fifteen year certificates were Mrs. J.G. McFarland, Mrs. H.K. Kendrick, Mrs. J.T. Gee, Mrs. Paul Spring, Mrs. Loyd Shackelford, Mrs. Sloan Osborn, Mrs. Frank Spring, Mrs. Ethel Bengor,

Mrs. Dan Ethridge, Mrs. Claude Osborn, Mrs. A.W. Anthony, Jr., Mrs. A.W. Anthony, Sr., Mrs. Bill Stewart, Mrs. Charles Allen and Mrs. James Boyle.

Those receiving ten year certificates were Mrs. Marty Martinez, Mrs. Hershel Johnson and Mrs. Lee Spring.

Those receiving five year pins were Mrs. A.L. Outland, Mrs. Earl Drake, Mrs. John Gaede, Mrs. Bob Alexander and Mrs. Jon Mack Roden.

Following a business meeting the group was served tea, coffee and a wide variety of holiday fare.

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1 tsp. horseradish

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STACKWICHES

1 3/4 oz. pkg. Eckrich Chipped Corned Beef
1 3/4 oz. pkg. cream cheese

Cut meat and cheese into tiny squares. Stack alternately about 6 pieces high and place toothpick through each.

PINWHEELS

1 3/4 oz. pkg. Eckrich Chipped Smoked Pork Loin
1 3/4 oz. pkg. cream cheese

Beat cream cheese at room temperature with fork to spread consistency. Spread on pork loin slices (use three slices to make one thickness) and roll. Place rolls in refrigerator until cheese is firm. Remove and place 5 toothpicks along loose edge of roll. Cut between toothpicks with very sharp knife.

CRUNCHY RELISH TRAY

Celery sticks
1 pkg. cream cheese
1 tsp. horseradish

2 tbs. very finely chopped onion

1 3/4 oz. pkg. Eckrich Chopped Sliced Beef

Blend all ingredients and fill celery stick with mixture, adding finely chopped sliced beef to the top. Arrange on relish dish with olives, pickles and radishes.

SMOKED TURKEY BALLS

1 3/4 oz. pkg. Eckrich Chipped Smoked Turkey
Toasted coconut
Pineapple slivers
Mayonnaise

Blend finely chopped smoked turkey with just enough mayonnaise to hold together. Shape into balls the size of marbles. Roll in toasted coconut. Top with pineapple slivers and spear with toothpicks.

Legend of Poinsettia Has Origin in Mexico

Many legends of the Christmas season are concerned with children. This one is about a little boy who wanted to give something worthy to the Christ child.

In a town in Mexico it was the custom for the people to take gifts to the church on Christmas Eve and offer them to the little Christ.

The boy, having nothing to offer, stood outside the church, dejectedly.

But, he thought to himself, at least I can pray. And so he knelt down outside the window where he could hear the organ music.



When he rose again to his feet he saw in the spot where he had knelt a beautiful plant with scarlet leaves and a yellow flower in the center.

Dumbstruck, yet realizing he was witnessing a miracle, he gently plucked the stalk and took it, full of wonder, into the church to lay on the altar.

The Mexicans called the plant "The Flower of the Holy Night."

Years later an American Ambassador to Mexico, Dr. Poinsett, took the plant to the United States. Thus, the name "poinsettia." Ironically we do not know the name of the little boy who experienced the miracle.



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