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ANOTHER TEXAS FIRST



To Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby of the Houston Post goes the honor of holding the highest ranking title ever accorded a woman in America journalism. She received the distinction when she was elected president of the Southern Newspaper Publishers Association at that organization's cent convention in Florida. Mrs. Hobby, wife of Texas' governor W. P. Hobby, is one of many nationally known personages who will address the daily and weekly newspaper publishers of Texas on January 22 in Austin during the Annual Mid-Winter Meeting of the Texas Press Association.

211 Arrests Here During Last Year

According to Willis Bartley, Chief of Police, two hundred and eleven arrests were made here in Burkburnett during the year 1948. \$674 was collected in fines, and 51 cases were taken to other courts. This was in addition to numerous sick calls to the City Hall, the stray dogs hauled off, and other services performed by the police department.

SCHOOLS TO BE MORE CROWDED

You may think schools are crowded, but they will be much worse in the years immediately ahead. The definite proof is in the birth rate. This year, 18.6 million children are in the elementary schools. In 2 years, 20 million. In 4 years, 22 million. And so on, up. By 1957, 26.6 million—8 million more than the 18.6 of now. Nearly half again as many as now—8 years hence—not far off. Schools must be planned now for then, and there isn't any too much time.

High school attendance will shrink for 3 years, and then expand. This year, 6.3 million. Next year, 6.2 million. By 1951, only 6 million. This shrinkage is due to the low birth rate in early 30's—depression. But high school numbers will gradually increase through the 50's. By 1960, 8.1 million high schoolers, compared with 6.3 as of now.

Your community may be understanding the future school load, especially in 1st to 8th grades. Most communities are understanding, because they don't quite look the birth rate full in the face.

As for colleges, they will catch a new wave in the late 50's which will be 18 years after 1940, when the birth rate started going up. College peak load by 1964-65—and then presumably tapering off. This is outlook based on birth rate, without regard for other factors which may be coming along—such as federal aid for college education.

Teachers, taxes, buildings—it takes all these to make schools. School taxes may seem high already, but they probably will go higher. Children's health, doctoring, hospitals, playgrounds, hauling—all these demands will expand like the school figures, as given above.

Private schools will grow. Many parents prefer public schools, but more will take their children out of them as the crowding gets worse.

Scout News

TROOP NO. 36

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 P. M. Members present were: Patrol Leader Johnny Archer, Bobby Boydston, Don Hicks, Leo Ivey, Walter Lacy and Kenneth Sanders.

The American Legion will again sponsor Troop 36 for 1949. The Scoutmaster will be A. W. Hays; Assistant Scoutmaster, Bill Hall and Horace Mills; Institutional Representative, Bill Hall; Committee Chairman, J. D. Riley; Committeemen are Robert Butts, Norman Duke, Edward Bankhead, E. J. Tatum, Jimmy Johnson and Joe T. Majors.

We have a big program planned for 1949. At this time we would like to invite all boys that are interested in Scouting to attend our meetings at 7:00 Monday nights at the American Legion Hall. Dues for 1949 are due at this time. New Patrols will be selected Jan. 24. Please come.

HANDLES SHOVEL WITH SKILL OF VETERAN

Chief of Police Willis Bartley was busy Wednesday removing ice from the sidewalks for a solid block and a half, from the City Hall to Western Auto Store. Asked why all the exercise, he stated his waist line was too large and Burk was one of the ordiliest towns in the State, and business in his department was somewhat off.

Dudley Observes Anniversary With Ralston Purina

Dudley Feed and Produce observes its 10th anniversary as a dealer of the Ralston Purina Company on January 14. Founded in 1933 by Leo E. Dudley, this enterprising firm has expanded greatly since its establishment. The store originally started in a building adjoining the present store where Dudley shared space with Charles Schoff who was a buyer of farm produce.

In the latter part of 1933, Dudley purchased Schoff's interest in the produce business and the following year moved next door into the larger building. Today Feed and Produce is one of the largest independent produce buyers in the southwest. As a dealer of the Ralston Purina Company, the store supplies farmers and feeders throughout this area with the products bearing the familiar "Checkerboard" label. Dudley has helped farmers obtain increases in milk, meat and eggs through a four-square program of good breeding, careful sanitation, sound management and good feeding.

Dudley is past post commander of the American Legion, past Chef de Gare of the Forty and Eight and during 1948 was president of the Burkburnett Chamber of Commerce.

Women's Society Enjoys Advanced Tea Monday, 10th

The Women's Society of Christian Service met in the Wesley room of the First Methodist Church, Monday, January 10 for a special Advanced Program-Tea.

Mrs. S. S. Reger, the president, opened the meeting by having the group sing "O Worship the King," after which she welcomed the guests. Mrs. M. C. Tucker gave the Goals for the Advanced program for the coming year. Mrs. W. P. Boydston played "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone," as a meditation after which Mrs. Reger led in prayer.

After the group singing of "Lord Speak to Me That I May Speak," Mrs. Ann Minga gave the introduction to the new Bible Study in a very interesting manner, the subject of which is, "The Newness of Life." Others taking part on the program were: Mesdames B. M. Cropper, J. M. Patterson, A. R. Bunstine and J. L. Caffee.

Tea was served to Mesdames W. P. Boydston, T. H. Minga, Bertha Cropper, H. C. Gilbert, J. M. Patterson, Tom Harms, B. N. Cauthorn, J. H. Rigby, S. S. Reger, J. L. Caffee, A. R. Bunstine, Joe Majors, M. C. Tucker, Edwin Smith, F. L. Pilkenton, Dan Hofacket, Chris Morris and P. A. Wiggins.

Hostesses for the affair were Mesdames Majors, Bunstine and Pilkenton.

SCHOOLS TO OPEN FRIDAY MORNING IF WEATHER PERMITS

The Burkburnett Schools which have been closed most of this week will resume classes Friday morning, weather permitting. The icy roads, making it impossible for the School Buses to run, have been the chief reason for the shut down.

Thursday morning with the weather moderating, Supt. Ralph Davis announced that if there was sufficient water by Friday morning, schools will re-open.

A card was received last week from Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Forqueran, former Burk residents now living in Long Beach, California. They have purchased a home at 3516 Wise Ave. and say they really enjoy reading the Burkburnett Star. Hugh Key, from the Thrift Community, now stationed with the Navy in San Diego, was a recent visitor in the Forqueran home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Foutz of Lawton visited old friends in Burkburnett Thursday. Mr. Foutz is minister of the Church of Christ in Lawton.

Mrs. Nell Ruston, 93 Dies Here Friday

Mrs. Nell Cina Ruston, 93, resident of Burkburnett for the past four years, died Friday morning at 11:05 a. m. at her home.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2:30 p. m. from the chapel of Owens & Brumley Funeral Home with burial here. Loy Ruckman, minister of the Church of Christ officiated. Pallbearers were D. C. McNeil, W. O. Emerson, William Wilhoit, Joe Beavers, Charlie Ellis and Clark Gresham.

Survivors include two brothers, C. T. Ruston, Ozark, Ark., and J. C. Ruston, Webb City, Neb.; four daughters, Mrs. C. B. Gritts, Burkburnett, Mrs. J. J. Allison, Phoenix, Ariz., Mrs. R. W. Doeger, Henderson, Texas, and Mrs. Lula Fielder, Chicago, Ill.; 30 grandchildren, 33 great-grandchildren and two great great-grandchildren.

FARM CASH INCOME

Texas farm cash income totaled \$193,126,000 in November, declining 6 per cent from year-tarlier levels, the Bureau of Business Research reported.

Grace Lutheran Women's Society

The Ladies Missionary Society of the Grace Lutheran Church met for their first meeting of the new year in the home of Mrs. Arthur Ramming, with most of the members present and willing to start the new year bigger and better with the help of the Lord. Mrs. Nellie Schroeder, president, presided.

The meeting was opened with a song and prayer. Rev. H. C. Schroeder, installed the new officers to serve for the society. Mrs. Schroeder appointed several committees to serve for the coming year. Miss Clara Schultz, Mrs. A. A. Everett, and Mrs. H. A. Mills were appointed to inquire about furnishing the kitchen of the new church, such as silverware, china, etc. Any information on any of these items would be appreciated. Other committees are: Mrs. Fred Minick, Hosspsess; Mrs. Fred Bungles, Membership; Mrs. A. A. Everett, Altar; Mrs. H. A. Mills, Missionary.

Mrs. Loy Nichols, program chairman, announced that we would not have a year book for the coming year, instead, we will have the book, "What Jesus Means to Me," which will be handed to different members of the society each month. The program has been planned for the new year, in which Rev. Schroeder will give a series of talks on "Christian Stewardship." Mrs. Earl Rinefeldt gave a short talk on "What Jesus Means to Me". The Lord's Treasury in Our Church was the topic of Rev. Schroeder's talk. The budget of the Grace Church was handed to each member of the society.

Each item was explained very thoroughly by the pastor. This was something new to most of the ladies because the men usually get the budget at their meetings and the wives get it second handed or not at all. Several ladies thanked Rev. Schroeder after he had finished with the paper.

A very attractive refreshment was served to the following members and visitors: Mrs. L. F. Ramming, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Lipshy, Wichita Falls; Mrs. R. B. Turner, Raton, N. M., who is visiting in the home of Mrs. H. A. Mills and Mesdames B. M. Cropper, Geo. Schroeder, Ivan Zeck, Sam Koenig, Fred Bungles, Fred Minick, C. H. Hemme, Paul Schroeder, Louise Schriebe, Clarence Schroeder, Earl Rinefeldt, Loy Nichols, H. A. Mills, Geo. Kramer, H. E. Frieling, A. A. Evert, John Enderli, H. C. Schroeder, Miss Clara Schultz, and the hostess Mrs. Ramming.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Earl Rinefeldt. Mrs. H. F. Brock had as her guests the week after Christmas, her granddaughter, Patsy Jean Adams of Amherst, and a niece, Miss Mary Anderson of Walters. They were joined later in the week by Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Adams and son, Douglas. They all returned to their homes New Year's Eve.

BLANKET OF ICE DAMAGES LINES IN BURKBURNETT

Linemen Busy Restoring Water And Light Service

Cattle Suffering But Wheat Thrives

Lines, both telephone and electric have suffered heavy damage here the past few days and nights caused by thick coatings of ice. Wednesday morning an inch and one-half of ice covered the ground. No snow has fallen yet. Sleet, and for a few hours, rain that froze as it hit, is causing great damage and many hardships. Some parts of town have been without electric service since Tuesday noon. But a ray of hope came Wednesday noon as ice melted enough to fall from the lines.

So long as the inch of ice clung to the lines, it was almost useless to try to make repairs to breaks. When the lines were pulled together at a break, the weight of ice between the next two poles would pop the wire there. Some of the wires would break if moved an inch. Linemen have had no easy time trying to mend the breaks in below freezing temperatures. Tuesday two linemen got so cold working at the top of poles that other workmen had to climb up and lower them to the ground for a thawing of numb hands.

Working conditions are extremely hazardous, even when working on a dead line. If a hot wire falls across a dead line it may mean instant death to the worker.

Electric lines at the soft ball field became so heavy they bent a steel pole until they touch the ground. Hundreds of pounds of ice will collect on one tiny wire in a very short distance.

TEACHER SHORTAGE

Texas schools must have a minimum of 51,772 new teachers in the next ten years.

That is 5,000 more than the total of teachers now in the schools. They number 46,500. Replacement of teachers is causing educators great concern, according to Miss Waurine Walker of Waco, first Vice-President of the Texas State Teachers Association and a member of the National Education Association committee on teacher education and professional standards.

"There is already a tremendous shortage of teachers and the profession is not providing sufficiently attractive to induce enough people to enter it," Miss Walker said here today.

"Texas, itself, is now short several thousand qualified teachers. National and state surveys disclose that in the next decade 12,77,714 new teachers will be needed throughout the United States.

"Texas will have to find a bare minimum of 51,772 new instructors.

"Surveys of the National Committee that 31,689 teachers will leave the Texas Schools during the next ten years. They will die, retire or quit the classroom for other reasons."

"The birth rate, rapidly accelerated during the war years, will soon be reflected in huge increases in attendance in schools throughout the Nation, Miss Walker pointed out. "Texas, alone, will need nearly 16,000 to take care of the increased enrollment due alone to the advanced birth rate," the Teachers Association officer said. "The state must find an additional 4,500 teachers to replace those teachers with emergency certificates who are on a temporary basis. During the war years all school systems were forced to lower their teaching standards due to the shortage of teachers."

That the estimated nearly 52,000 new teachers is a minimum figure was indicated by Miss Walker because of Texas' growth industrially.

"Texas is growing industrially far more rapidly than the average person realizes," she said.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kauer are the parents of a new daughter, Judith Marian, born Sunday morning, January 9.

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DON'T TOUCH ANY OUTSIDE WIRE, NO MATTER IF YOU KNOW WHAT IT IS. A HOT WIRE MAY BE ACROSS IT SOME PLACE.

Washington News Letter Resumed By Cong. Gossett

This week we resume the Washington News Letter, by Ed Gossett, Congressman of the 13th District.

Congressman Gossett is sponsoring a number of bills and is on a very important committee.

For more about the Congressman's activities, read the Washington News Letter this week.

Invitation

(SEAL)

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January 15, 1949

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It is my pleasure to extend this special invitation to you as a member of the press to attend the inaugural ceremonies in Austin on January 18. Any friends you may care to bring as guests will be most welcome. This letter will admit your party to all events pertaining to the inaugural.

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Area Scouters Plan Year's Work

Friday, January 7th, Area Scoutmasters met in Electra and discussed activities for the coming year. This is the Archita district.

Saturday, January 8th, Scout-in Burkburnett met with the Vaughn, Area executive, reorganized the Cub Pack. Plans were also laid for junior unit in the near future. Sunday, January 9th, Scoutmasters and committeemen of Burkburnett will meet at the Baptist Church to make plans for local activities this year. All interested Scouters urged to be present.

A. L. Scott is confined to home due to illness this week.

Week's Revival at Nazarene Church

There will be preaching each night at the Nazarene Church, beginning Monday, January 17, and running all week through the following Sunday.

Rev. Royce Thomason will be the speaker. Jim Mortenson, the singer. These young men are truly consecrated to God, and you will enjoy this ministry.

We extend a hearty welcome to the public to attend these services.

Roy McCoy, Pastor
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Mrs. Ballard of Sulphur, Oklahoma and Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Matthews of Fletcher were visitors last week in the J. M. Hayworth home.

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IT'S GOING TO HURT SOME

A major question before government planners for the nation's budget for this fiscal year, beginning July 1, is that of farm price support. There is little doubt but that there will be increased government spending. With a continued drop in farm prices, there will be a pretty substantial increase in price support. The active farm groups have been pressure to bear for a broader program. This means the total cost will be even greater. Certain budget officials say the price support deficit will be way into the hundreds of millions of dollars. This, along with foreign aid spending, is going to cause the budgeteers some loss of sleep, but it will give the tax payer some uneasy moments, also.

PARENTS CAN BE WRONG

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and social prestige. Does it occur, to some parents, that certain boys and girls aren't inclined towards college education? It is found that 50 per cent of students in arts colleges, fail to complete a four year course. Through illness, marriage, lack of funds, no part-time work, some students can't remain. Others can't meet educational requirements, perhaps being distracted by campus activities, social engagements. It behooves parents to study their children before they reach college age, find out if they are college material, whether they have legitimate excuses for preferring not to go to college. Remember that 50 per cent.

CHICK CHATS

By Clark Gresham

HOW TO IMPROVE WINTER PROFITS

A few simple changes of the addition of some up to date equipment can mean considerable in winter egg production and income from the flock. Nests, roosts, feeders, waterers, ventilation, insulation, litter, flooring drainage, and other factors should be studied in the light of proven methods of poultry management.

The so-called pit system of roost construction is becoming very popular with poultrymen. The term pit system is somewhat misleading, as there is no actual pit construction; it simply means that the roosts are placed about 2 feet above the floor and no droppings-board is used. A mesh wire known as stucco wire, having 2-inch meshes and constructed of 12-gauge galvanized steel wire, is placed on the underside of the roost and around the sides to prevent birds from coming in contact with the droppings.

The front side of this construction may consist of a 10 or 12 inch board resting on the floor and then 8 to 12 inches of mesh wire above that, depending on the height of the roosts. The whole roost should be hinged on the north wall in such a manner that it may be raised for cleaning. Material 2x2 inches, with

the top corners rounded off, makes ideal roosts. If an efficient ventilating system is used, the droppings may be left in the house for 4 to 6 weeks without bad effects.

Good ventilation is essential to the health of the flock. The definition of ventilation is movement of air without causing a direct draft. Dampness or foul air in a house indicates lack of sufficient air change. There are many systems of ventilating a poultry house; the best one for your climate and condition should be installed. The purpose of efficient ventilation is to remove excessive moisture from the house, to supply plenty of oxygen, and to remove ammonia and other foul odors.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haney arrived by plane from Russell, Kansas, for a visit with Mrs. Lottie Bryerly. Mrs. Jim Florence of Jacksboro, was also a recent visitor in Mrs. Bryerly's home.

J. R. Sullivan, pioneer resident of this community, celebrated his 80th birthday, Monday, January 10th.

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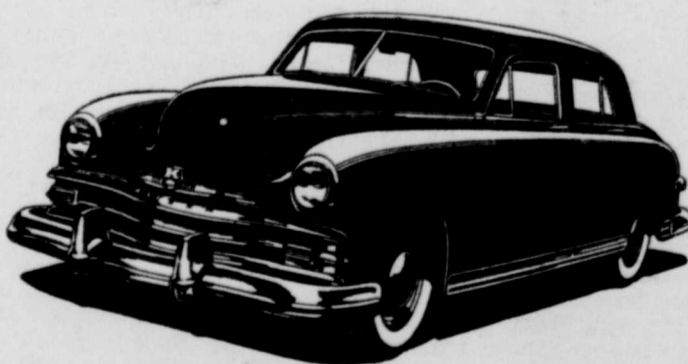
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Burkburnett . . . History

As revealed by the files of the Star 10

Leo Dudley of the Dudley Feed & Produce, returned Tuesday from Fort Worth where he attended the Texas Dealers Convention of the Purina Feed Co.

Roy Holt, manager of the United Gas Company office here and Miss Reba Jane Wimberly bookkeeper, attended the Company's party and outing at the Company's lodge near New Braunfels.

Miss Edith Mae Johnston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Johnston, became the bride of Richard Hall in a simple but impressive ceremony January 1st.

C. J. Duncan who is vice-president of District 7 of the State Teacher's Association, will attend a meeting of the executive

board to be held at the Kemp Hotel in Wichita Falls Thursday evening.

J. R. Sullivan was honored with a surprise party at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Dutch Wolfe on the occasion of his 70th birthday, Tuesday, Jan. 10.

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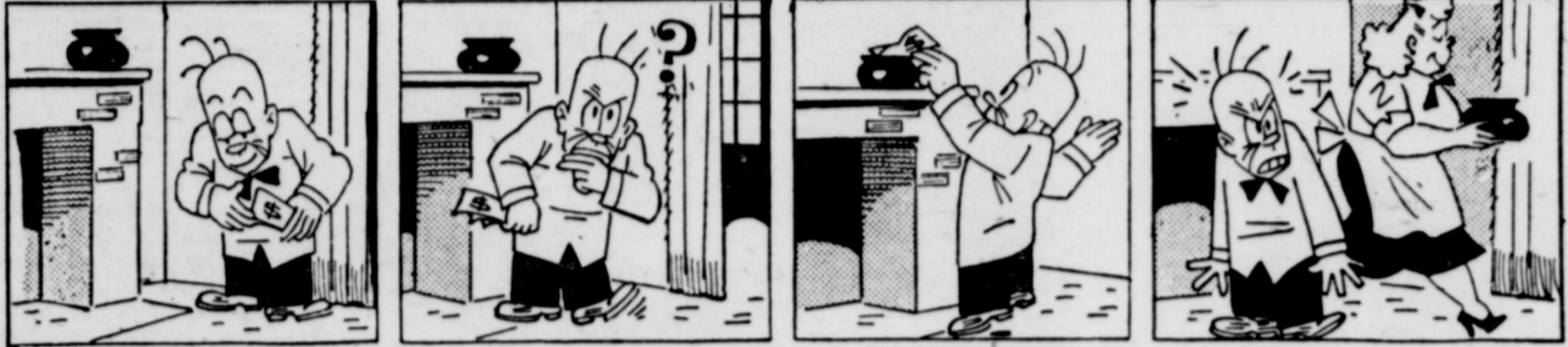
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T. Herbert Minga

A note came this week from Rev. A. E. Harrison, former pastor of the First Baptist Church here, also a check for renewal of the Burk Star. The Harrison's asked the paper to express their thanks to their many friends here who remembered them at Christmas.

Bobby Boydston Entertains Friends On Birthday Sat.

Bobby Ray Boydston entertained a group of his friends on the occasion of his 13th birthday, Saturday, January 8 at the home of his parents, 603 East College. His mother, Mrs. W. E. Boydston and his aunt, Mrs. Anna Hupp, were hostesses for the affair.

Games were played and prizes awarded the winners. Refreshments were served to: Carol Parks, Thelma Rampy, Annie Boydston, Mary Jean Henderson, Linda Neeley, Gwendolyn Neeley, Joyce Stubblefield, Tommy Rushings, Carlisle Howard, Edward Taylor, John Lawhon, E. W. Henderson, Bert and Jerry Don Boydston, and Mrs. M. A. Jennings, and Mrs. G. J. Boydston.



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Mr. and Mrs. John Brookman received word this week from their son, Jerry, who is with the Navy in San Diego, that he is being sent to San Francisco, and will sail from there February 11th for China.

Hugh Preston is ill at his home this week.

J. H. Rigby is ill at his home this week.

Ed Richard Whitesides, son of Mrs. Artie Whitesides, former Burkburnett resident, has moved to Point Rock, Texas. Mr. Whitesides has been in El Paso where he was Assistant County Agent. In Point Rock he has accepted the position as County Agent.

Freddie Fewin, son of Mrs. Fred Fewin, who is in the U. S. Navy, sailed Jan. 2nd for China.

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Clara Stofor

Much news this week that you do not know: Snow and cold, roads, folks staying home, illness, children out of school with measles and other diseases common to the season weather. Electric light and phone wires down; only happen we can state no serious accidents to date in Devol commu-

Those with electric controlled gas furnaces in the living rooms were thankful they had a stove in the dining room and a coal oil lamp in the cellar to wipe the dust off of. But our line men had lights back on by 3 p. m. and we are proud to state we did not hear an impatient word about slowness, only sympathy for the boys that they had to be "out in it."

But despite telephone lines being out yours is too) here is a little local news:

Mr. A. A. Frye has returned from the Grandfield hospital where he remained two days after a heart attack last week. Tho feeling weak he is able to be about. Mrs. Horace Porter of Lawton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frye visited with them from Wednesday to Sunday. Mr. Porter drove down Saturday and they returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Eugene Lagrone and daughter and Mr. Lagrone's mother, all of Texas City returned home last week. Mrs. O. E. Lagrone has been a patient at the Clinic Hospital, Wichita Falls for several weeks following the birth of her baby prematurely. Mother and daughter are doing nicely now.

Mrs. Jimmie McClendon and Jimmie Nate, her son, visited in the Bill Harrison home last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pierce, Electra spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harrison and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwaine Doty of Okla. City arrived last Friday evening to spend the week-end with relatives. To date they have been unable to return home, because of the weather.

Among the measles patients are Francine and her little brother,

WASHINGTON NEWS LETTER

(By Congressman Ed Gossett)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 7, 1949.—The 81st Congress was sworn in Monday, Jan. 3. The 435 members of the House include 262 Democrats, 171 Republicans, 1 American Labor representative and one vacancy occasioned by death.

On the first day of the session, I introduced two bills which will be sponsored by me in this Congress, as follows: 1st, a resolution proposing to abolish the electoral college and divide the electoral

A. J. Mayes, children of Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Mayes. Both have been very ill, running high temperature, but are reported some better now.

Also the children of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClendon have been out of school these two weeks with measles. Francine is able to be about the house, while Linton Lewis remains quite ill and high temperature.

Mr. J. Claude Patterson is on the sick list this week.

Recent guests in the K. B. Uthe home were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Keys and Mrs. Swartz and her granddaughter, all of Electra. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alford and daughters, Billie and Darlene of Altus, Okla.; and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clemmer were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Uthe.

With apologies for an oversight last week in reporting the local Eastern Star's Installation I wish to give here one name and office overlooked. Mrs. Lena Hinkle, Associate Matron was installed, with other officers, Jan. 3rd.

Gene McCaslin had a painful accident last Thursday while practicing football on the school ground. He fell, pulling the bone of the elbow out of the socket. It was reset at Grandfield hospital and Gene is doing fine.

Billie Kirkpatrick suffered an accident under similar conditions as Gene. While practicing ball at Randlett he suffered a broken arm. Like Gene, he hopes to be able to continue practice soon.

Week-end guests of grandparents were Butch and Kay Bridges of Wichita Falls in the C. O. Woodley home and Joe Bill Dodson with Mr. and Mrs. O. Stofor.

Mr. J. C. Hinkle of Burkburnett was honored with a birthday dinner at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hinkle Sunday. Present were the J. C. Hinkle family and Mr. Harve Hinkle. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nelson and children who had spent the week-end visiting in Okla. City, returned Sunday and joined the other members of the family at the Bob Hinkle home.

Mesdames K. B. Uthe, Ross Wright and Vernon Spier were Oklahoma City business visitors last Thursday. They also spent the remainder of the week with relatives, returning Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Smith have purchased a house trailer and gone to South Texas to spend the winter.

Shirley and Clifford King Jr. are spending the winter with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lagrone, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Helms and Jonette visited in the M. L. Crocker home last Sunday.

vote of each state in the exact ratio with the popular vote; 2nd, a bill to reaffirm the title of the various states in the tidelands.

The electoral college amendment, has been given widespread and favorable publicity and is known as the Gossett-Lodge amendment. It is being sponsored in the Senate by Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., of Massachusetts, grandson of the famous Senator Lodge of the Woodrow Wilson era. I have startled a good many friends by stating that Governor Strom Thurmond of South Carolina came within 25,000 votes of being elected President. Such statement is explained in this way: A change of 25,000 votes in the states of Illinois and Ohio would have thrown this presidential contest into the House of Representatives. Under the law, the House of Representatives would then elect a President from the high three candidates, i. e., Harry S. Truman, Democratic nominee, Thomas E. Dewey, Republican nominee, and Strom Thurmond, the States' Rights nominee. In the House, each State would then have one vote. Assuming that the states voted according to political alignments, Mr. Truman would have received 22 votes; Mr. Dewey would have received 19 votes; Mr. Thurmond 4 votes, and 3 states having equally delegations would not have voted. For election, one nominee must receive a majority vote. Assuming the Dixiecrat states would not have shifted or compromised, what would have happened? Certainly the Democratic states would have preferred Thurmond to Dewey. Probably the Republican states would have preferred Thurmond to Truman. At any rate, it makes interesting speculation. Many wise people in Washington were greatly worried during the election because of this possible chaotic situation. No such situation could arise under the proposed amendment.

The Tideland bill will have rougher sailing in this Congress than in the last. In the last session, the House passed the States' bill on tidelands by a vote of 257 to 29. The bill introduced by me is the same one as passed by

and that 10 million Americans lack adequate medical care and that millions of Americans are not getting adequate education. Certainly the bringing in of more DP's would aggravate rather than help this situation.

On December 22, I debated this issue on the New York Times radio forum with Dr. Fishbein, formerly IRO Director in Berlin, and with Edward Corsi, Industrial Commissioner of New York State, together with Paul Griffith, former National Commander of the American Legion. Washington is still confusing

Another objective of mine in this Congress will be to defeat the move to liberalize the so-called DP legislation. It is my contention that we are bringing in enough Displaced Persons at this time and to further liberalize the DP bill would be to reward the least deserving and least desirable immigrants rather than the most deserving and the most desirable of the many millions who would like to come to our country. In his annual message, the President complained that 3 million American families share their homes with other families,

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Truman Asserts Red Aims Split As Some Leaders Desire Accord; Dutch Firm on Indonesian Stand

COLD WAR: Someone Firing

If Harry S. Truman were right, the possibility of war with Russia was less than many Americans imagined. In a "surprise" statement during an unheralded appearance at a luncheon in Kansas City, President Truman declared bluntly that "certain leaders" in Russia "are exceedingly anxious to reach an agreement with the United States to end the cold war."

THEN THE PRESIDENT lashed out with an accusation that the Soviets have violated "sacred" agreements and said their government "has a system of morals that are not moral."

Deliberately or not, President Truman was having some closeted scenes when he said during that speech that the Russians had not kept important agreements made at Yalta and Potsdam. By that statement, the President was conceding charges of long duration that certain commitments were made at these two parleys with the Russians which were not generally known, and results of which led to accusations that American diplomacy had failed miserably in negotiations with Russia's Josef Stalin.

The President's position was far from as earlier aggressive statement that Stalin was a "nice old fellow."

HE DID NOT IDENTIFY the Red leaders who prefer an "understanding"—as he put it—with the United States, but he asserted that there are Soviet leaders who have no desire for war. Neither did the President say whether any overtures had been made by such Russian leaders.

The President said frankly: "I made certain specific agreements at Potsdam, none of which have been kept. Certain agreements were made at Yalta, none of which have been kept."

He reiterated that "all the United States wants is peace."

Taft Laughed



Usually positively serious, Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio was in an expansive mood as he chatted with newsmen on his return to Washington following a tour of Europe. He praised the operation of the economic cooperation administration (Marshall plan).

INDONESIA: Dutch Stubborn

Stubbornness is a characteristic trait of the Dutch—and Holland was running true to form. Despite announcement by the United States that it is receiving Marshall plan aid, the Dutch insist that the invasion of Indonesia must stop. The Dutch said, in effect, they'd fight the matter over.

THE UNITED STATES was concerned, but a Russian step to the left in demanding a restrictive order and troop withdrawal in 24 hours did the Indonesians no good. This time, the U. S. abstained from voting and the Russian proposal lost.

However, the American position was difficult to understand, and the statement of American delegate Philip Jessup did little to clarify it.

"I desire to be put in a false position by other delegations," he said. "The treaty of the United States to Indonesia is before the world."

BUT ALSO BEFORE the world was the issue of American prestige and the integrity of the Marshall plan. America stood for help for Indonesia. America controlled the powerful weapon of economic aid to the Dutch. The American, as yet, had delivered an ultimatum to the Dutch whose help into Indonesia was being helped by American dollars. And the American delegate had declined to vote for a non-use order in the Indonesian fighting—joining Great Britain in the vote.

Whatever else was true, and regardless of motives, the assertion of the Soviet-American delegate amounted to be true. He charged: "Without United States financial help, the Netherlands would have been unable to wage war in Indonesia."

PROBERS: Want More Law

Probers looking officially into the activity of foreign espionage agents in the United States were becoming irked. Too many witnesses had taken back in the constitutional guarantee of immunity to questioning by claiming the possibility of self-incrimination.

The probe group would put an end to that—they would provide stiffer penalties for contempt of such groups.

REPRESENTATIVE WINDS of South Dakota, and Nixon, of California, Republicans, authors of the proposal, did not specify just how much stiffer they would make the penalty for persons convicted of contempt of congress. They did comment that "spies should be severely and appropriately punished."

Existing law provides a maximum penalty of one year's imprisonment and a \$1,000 fine.

Among "spies" suggested for probe group procedure was protection of the right of all witnesses to counsel in both closed and open session, right of the accused to testify in open session, right of the accused to submit questions.

The new congress was to be given the proposition.

FOR CHINA: Watch and Wait

U. S. policy in China, for the time being at least, appeared to be one of watching and waiting, coupled with a resounding diplomatic silence.

America had two good considerations upon which to base that policy.

1. THE UNITED STATES stood convinced that nothing other than direct intervention in the military situation in China would change the course of events, and that the government is not prepared to intervene in that effort.

2. There is, in the United States, an inaccurate assumption that American economic aid is a boggy solution to the difficulties of other countries. That the aid, if put into a great country as new materials are put into a machine, would suddenly be processed into an effective, finished product. Life was not precisely like that—especially in China.

Of all of which might be added these two additional factors:

1. The United States was caught in the dilemma: If it issues a statement supporting the Nationalist, as Mrs. Chiang Kai-shek urged, it might merely associate itself with the collapse of the present Chinese regime without preventing that collapse.

2. On the other hand, if it explains why it is not granting further aid to Chiang, and publishes what has happened to previous aid, it might hasten Chiang's collapse.

Hence, the attitude of watchful waiting.

BEST COWBOY: No Film Star

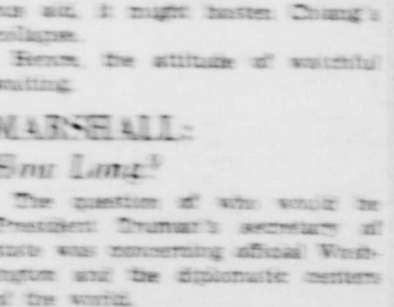
The small fry could bellow and complain all they liked—the best cowboy was not Gene Autry or Roy Rogers.

Instead he is Gerald Roberts, Phoenician, Ark., who was top cowboy—world's champion, to get technical—for 1948. The Indian Cowboys association announced Roberts was the best all-around cowboy of the year, and they had the records to prove it.

ROBERTS won top honors by leading the 1,000 professional cowboys who were scored in the association's system for 676 rodeos in the U. S. and Canada.

The scoring system was based on one of the most impressive factors in any American competition—the dollar. One point was scored for each dollar in competition, and Roberts ended the 1948 season with winnings of \$2,000 in cash awards. There was no arguing with that sort of record.

Prodigal's Return



Jimmy Dones, former third baseman of the Philadelphia Athletics, was named manager of the Chicago White Sox, getting welcome back-bonus from Connie Mack after Dones signed up as coach of the Athletics.

WOMEN: Fever Home

Power American married women were staying at home. In a complete reversal of the war years, married women workers in the nation topped single women-holding jobs.

A report by the federal census bureau showed that there were in the labor force—those working and looking for work—about 1,800,000 married women and 1,900,000 single women.

THE BIBLE SPEAKS

By Dr. Kenneth J. Foreman

His Growing Years

Lesson for January 16, 1949

DOUBTLESS God can do anything He wants to do. He could have sent Jesus to earth in a mountain-bear, he could have had him for the first 30 years of his life in a lonely peak in the Andes, far from any human dwelling. He could have sent him into the world full-grown, without ever having to go through the grind of growing and learning as the rest of us do.

But God did not plan it that way. If the Messiah of Jesus was to be real, and get a thorough Incarnation, he had to come up the hard way, living to get grow, they just are; but human beings grow. The great difference between Jesus and ordinary mortals is not that they grow and he did not; the difference is that he grew straight.

No 'Good Chance'

THE world around us makes its impression on us. It makes an impression on dolls. They go on enjoying their built-in, painted-on smiles, but we have to learn through tears. And so did Jesus. The heavenly Father saw it that his experiences were not always easy ones. He was born in a stable, of parents who were very poor. In the first few years of his life as a displaced person in a foreign country, with a price on his baby head.

He grew up in a village "off the main line," among carpenters not one of whom ever became famous, working through long years at a simple and not too well-paid trade. During Jesus' first 30 years his neighbors never guessed that the most extraordinary person of history was living in their village.

We sometimes wish that we had an easier time of it, and that God had sent us to our lot in some big city with a rich family, instead of where we are. We feel we could be better people if we "had a chance." Yet every reader of these lines has a far better chance than Jesus. It did not take perfect surroundings to shape a perfect life.

Operation 'Tactical'

Scientists are looking up. The Australian Legion of Ex-Servicemen and Women had taken at the task of helping young veterans and their wives with "in-law" troubles. They started a scheme to enable veterans to live with parents-in-law to exchange homes with others.

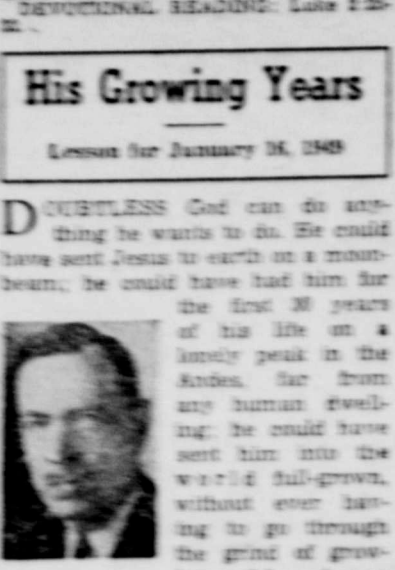
Soldiers from the legion said many English marriages had been saved from disaster by a similar scheme operating in Britain. They found couples could live happier with strangers whom they were paying guests.

Army Checking Newcomers for Red Taint

The army is looking closely at the political integrity of its recruits and applicants for commissions. Army spokesmen have released an announcement that existing regulations now require all inductions and applicants for commissions to certify whether they have been members of subversive organizations. If they had been

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Household Hints

Always remember that dark colors are slimming and a dark skirt will minimize large hips.

Pieces cut from an old felt hat or slippers and glued to the bottom of table legs will help prevent scratch marks on kitchen linoleum.

You can improve shoulder creases in hang over dresses, in the closet with old pillow cases. Just make a slit in the closed end and slip over the hanger.

Save the peels of oranges and tangerines, dry them in the oven and store in glass jars. They give puddings and custards a delicious flavor.

To line cake pans easily with wax paper, grease pan lightly, cover with a piece of waxed paper and insert another pan identical or nearly so. Turn off the edges.

In sewing hand or rack-rack on any kind of fabric, use Scotch tape to hold firmly in place. When the machine work is done, simply peel off the tape.

Many people believe breakfast just isn't breakfast without a bowl of steaming hot cereal every morning. Dried fruits added to the cereal while it cooks gives it a most pleasant flavor.

To save brushing a butter mixer, sprinkle the butter with finely chopped fibers before baking; do not use on sponge-type cakes since the butter is not heavy enough to hold the nuts and they will sink to the bottom.

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HEIRS OF GOD

All that men have from God is an inheritance. The best of Adam's race in heaven will be a sinner saved by grace. It is well for Christians to consider the inheritance that lies before them. Very often we see children who have no appreciation of their part in the family estate—prodigal sons and daughters whose only ambition is to squander the fortune that falls to them. And there are many people who do not appreciate the opportunity they have of going to heaven. Many church members become cold and indifferent, and have only a half-hearted interest in things spiritual.

Concerning the inheritance of the saints, Paul says, "As if children, then heirs; heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ; if so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together" (Rom. 8:17). We should note diligently that Paul says "if children, then heirs." No one can say he is an heir of God, if he is not a child of God. The doctrine of spiritual sonship was beyond the comprehension of Nicodemus, and many who now try to explain it miss the point. Nicodemus could see only the physical side of being born again. And many now go to the other extreme and see only the spiritual side, declaring that the new birth is a miracle and altogether the work of God. Jesus said men must be born of water and the spirit to enter into the kingdom of God, but some say the water is non-essential.

When men are born of Water and Spirit they are the children of God, and, therefore, heirs of God. It was with this in view that Paul said, "Therefore we are buried with him by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life" (Rom. 6:4). This is a plain statement of the facts in the case. When we are buried in baptism, we then rise to walk in newness of life. This new life is the result of the new birth, which Jesus said was in part by water and which Paul says is by baptism. Thus we plead with you to believe and be baptized that you may be one of the heirs of God.

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7:00 P. M. Evening Worship.
7:30 P. M. Thursday, prayer service at the parsonage.
You will find a hearty welcome at the Central Christian church.
Both sermons will be delivered by the pastor, Dale Harter.

Wednesday night at 7:30 the Women's Council will meet with Mrs. Harter at the parsonage.
Thursday, night, mid-week prayer service also at the parsonage.

The pastor has been ill the past week with the flu, and both services were cancelled last Sunday. Mid-week prayer service was also called off. He is rapidly improving, and will preach at both services Sunday.

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Communion Service, 11:45 A. M. We meet around the Lord's table on the first day of each week, according to New Testament example.
Young people's classes, 6:00 P. M. We urge all young people to attend these Bible classes.
Evening Services, 7:00.

WEDNESDAY—
Mid-Week Worship, 7:30 P. M. This hour of song, prayer and Bible study will inspire and encourage you.
Ladies' Bible Class, 2:30 P. M. This class is now studying an outline study of the Book of Acts.

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First Baptist Church

T. LYNN STEWART, Pastor

9:45 A. M. Sunday School with eight complete departments and a class for every age. Every department has an assembly room and every class has a class room. Capable teachers present the Word of God each Sunday morning. The Sunday School extends its arm and invites every one who is not in some Sunday School to come this Sunday. We believe you will like this school of the church.

"What Will ye do in the solemn day?" This question will be the sermon subject for 10:50 A. M. Service. A Bible message straight from the Scripture to the hearts of the people.

6:30 P. M. Training Union, a Union for every age. This is the Training period our church offers that our people might become more efficient servants of the Lord.

"Is The Lord Among Us or Not?" This, another thoughtful question, will be discussed by the pastor at the 7:30 P. M. service. Don't miss it.

Wednesday, 7:00 P. M. Sunday School Officers and Teachers met to study next Sunday's lesson. 7:35 P. M. Hour of Power Service; A time of singing, praying, and studying. The pastor will discuss verses from the Gospel of John.

The Church Nursery is open for all services. A capable attendant is in charge. The nursery room is flooded with ultra violet rays from a germicidal lamp to kill air-borne bacteria. The room is made safe as possible for the babies.

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Twenty-three per cent of the 1,117 men in the student body of nearly 1,700 are men planning to preach or who are preachers.

The ministerial student from Burkburnett is: Reginald Woodrow Beaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Beaver.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Goodlett of Boyd, Texas, spent the weekend with Mrs. Edna Butler and Blanche.

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Sunday School begins at ten will all classes studying the 9th Chapter of Revelation — "When Men Want to Die and Can't." These studies in this last book in the Bible are mostly concerning the tribulation that shall be on the earth when God's people are taken up. Don't kid yourself — come and see what God says in His Word. A class for every age, with the Bible the only text book.

Preaching at 11, with pastor bringing message on this subject, "The Lord's Supper." The church will observe the Lord's Supper at this service. If you have any questions on this subject, and will get them to me before Sunday, I will be happy to answer them from the Bible in this message. Your questions are welcome on any subject, and I'll be happy to sit down with you anywhere in a Christian, gentlemanly way as we look into the Bible and give our God a chance to answer. We are interested only in what God says, and would like to share with you the things of His.

Young people meet at 6:30 for their Bible study and devotional period. Any young person that isn't in some other Church is welcome to this service.
7:15 P. M. Song and Preaching service, with special singing. Sermon by pastor, "Who Will Take The Mark of the Beast?—Is The World Getting Ready for this Diabolical, World Ruling Anti-Christ?" Again we assure you that the affirmative answer will be definitely shown from the Word of God. Don't be a scoffer. Get acquainted with what God says, and believe Him. You always have a welcome to this friendly Church where there are no strangers. We teach an open Bible for all people with open hearts.
Ray C. Morrow, Pastor.

Calvary Baptist Church

Sunday School, 10 a. m. Morning Message, 11 a. m. Sunday Evening Service 7:30. Wednesday Evening Service, 7:45.
Friday Y. P. E., 7:30.
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Rev. O. E. Wright, Pastor.

Grace Lutheran Church
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309 Avenue E—Phone 438-W
Sunday School and Bible class 10 A. M. We have classes for all ages taught by trained teachers. If you are attending no Sunday School, we cordially invite you to enroll in one of our classes.

Divine services 11 a. m. Next Sunday's topic is: "The Wisdom of God." Text 1 Cor. 6-16. In the sermon it will be pointed out that the wisdom of God is more important than all the wisdom men have acquired through the centuries, and that this wisdom alone can save from eternal destruction. You will benefit from this message from the Word of God. We sincerely invite you to attend.

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Church of God

W. M. U. Meets For Covered Dish Luncheon
The First Baptist W. M. U. met in the Church parlor at 11 a. m. Monday, January 10. Mrs. Jim Ady, program leader presented the following program.
Song, "Ready"; Devotional, Mrs. Wid Phillips from the 2nd Peter; Prayer, Mrs. Hattie Buchanan; "Yet There is Jesus Christ" Mrs. J. A. Johnson; "Lovely Things Can Happen", Mrs. Ruby Harris; Prayer by Mrs. Walling.
A covered dish luncheon was served to 9 members and 4 visitors.
At 1 p. m. a business meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. B. L. Turner. The group sang, "Our Best", followed with the devotional by Mrs. Lee Willis from Romans 8:28 stressing "Blessings from Calamity." Words of encouragement were brought by the president. Circle reports were given, and Mrs. Fred Hunt was elected chairman for the Nichols Cir-

cle. Mrs. Ruth Beldon was elected a G. A. Leader.
Ten members were dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Turner.

Pfc. Albert Dickey of Kelly Air Force Base, San Antonio, spent Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Dickey. He returned to San Antonio Monday.

Donna Browning has been returned to her home from a Wichita Falls hospital where she underwent a successful eye operation.

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Mr. Billy Ashlock left last Thursday for Illinois after spending several weeks here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bookbinder.

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Starring Jean Arthur, Marlene Dietrich and John Lund, it tells of an over-zealous Congressman (Miss Arthur), who arrives in Berlin with a committee to investigate the status of the G. I. morale. Her suspicions aroused by the open fraternizing with traitors, Jean pretends that the glamorous ex-Nazi night club star, Miss Dietrich is now under the protection of an American officer.

Mrs. G. C. Hanson returned home last Friday from Memphis, Tenn., where she spent a month visiting her son, Stanley and family and daughter, Mrs. W. P. McDonald Jr., and family.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

of Burkburnett, Texas, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on December 31, 1948. Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 969,481.32
United States Government obligations direct and guaranteed	1,102,300.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	290,591.96
Corporate stocks including \$3,000.00 stock in Federal Reserve Bank	3,000.00
Loans and discounts including \$8,765.00 overdrafts	950,226.23
Bank premises owned \$6,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$1.00	6,001.00
Other assets	891.65
Total Assets	\$3,322,492.16

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals	2,695,273.36
Partnerships and corporations	274,539.12
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	141,567.32
Deposits of State and Political subdivisions	42,611.85
Other deposits, certified and cashier's checks, etc.	3,500.00
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$3,157,529.65
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	3,500.00
Total Liabilities	\$3,157,492.16
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock	50,000.00
Common Stock, total par	\$50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	53,000.00
Reserves and retirement account for preferred stock	12,000.00
Total Capital Accounts	165,000.00
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$3,322,492.16

MEMORANDUM
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 174,000.00
Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of 16,098.30
State of Texas, County of Wichita, ss:
I, J. V. Brookshear, President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. V. Brookshear, President.
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Manillt Franks, Notary Public.

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P. B. Browning
Directors.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS
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W. E. Casswell, Teacher.
Sons Law, President.
Class meets every Sunday morning at 9:45 in the auditorium of the church.
There is to be a barbecue next week. The Men's Bible Class are sponsoring a contest between the Reds and the Blues to see which will serve the group. So come to Sunday School Sunday, all you Reds at this is the last Sunday of the contest.
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Note of Appreciation
We want to express our appreciation and thank the lovely gifts and contributions from everyone who shared in the last of our Christmas contents.
Mr. and Mrs. Scott and children.
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