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Babson's Business, Financial Outlook For 1950

Business And Financial Outlook For 1950

By Roger W. Babson
The total volume of business in 1950 will be less than that of 1949, due primarily to unfortunate labor conflicts, fearing that the innocent employer will be the chief sufferer and will be obliged to pay the bills, it seems too bad labor troubles should upset the outlook.

Labor Outlook
Even with all the threats, there will be few wage increases during 1950. On the other hand, all labor negotiations will be in the hands of both the employer and the management. These negotiations come these negotiations come they result in a loss from the standpoint of the country whole.

There will be fewer strikes than in 1949, but there will be fewer extended negotiations which are very expensive in themselves. The Taft-Hartley Law will continue to stand throughout 1950 although many schemes are being devised for evading this law will be in effect.

The great drive against the companies will be for pension and for sick and other benefits. These will probably be paid to the wageworkers by aid in ironing out the business cycle, but they will be paid for by consumers.

It is hoped that all parities will begin to realize during 1950 that the real road to progress is through increasing production and greater efficiency. This is the bright future we see in the labor situation.

Commodity Prices
Movements in commodity prices during 1950 will vary in different groups of industries and of products, but all there will be a general lowering during 1950.

We, therefore, advise going on inventories. 1950 will be a year to get out of debt and to get out of debt. Speculation in commodities should be discouraged in 1950.

We believe that the cost index has turned down in 1949. The average for 1950 will be less than for 1949. Practically all retail prices will average less in 1950 than in 1949, notwithstanding the excess of money mentioned in 1949.

1950 IN A NUTSHELL

General Business	OFF 5%	Automobile Manufac.	OFF 15%
National Income	OFF 5%	Building and Const.	OFF 7%
Farm Income	OFF 15%	Natural Gas	UP 5%
Bituminous Coal	UP 5%	Foreign Trade	No Change
Anthracite Coal	OFF 5%	Airline Pass. Miles	UP 5%
Crude Oil Products	UP 5%	Military Activities Including Aircraft	UP 20%
Steel Output	OFF 5%		
RETAIL TRADE (Dollar Volume)	OFF 3% to 10%		

Taxes
15. The Federal Budget will be increased during 1950 over that for 1949.

16. Over-all Federal Taxes will not be increased during 1950 and there may even be some readjustments to encourage venture capital. Moreover, some of the nuisance taxes may be eliminated or reduced.

17. The long-term capital gains tax of 25 per cent will remain unchanged.

18. There will be many increases in local and state taxes, and more reaching for relief by "sales" taxes or other forms of raising needed funds.

Retail Trade
19. Goods on counters will be of better grade in 1950 than they were in 1949.

20. Markdown sales will continue during 1950 as consumer spending slackens due to a decline in employment and other factors.

21. The dollar value of all retail sales in 1950 will be moderately downward, and the unit volume of retail sales will also be less in 1950 than in 1949.

22. Less will be spent on new building and equipment by stores and factories during 1950.

Foreign Trade
23. Our exports will be down during 1950 and our imports will be up during 1950—comparing both with 1949. This will partly be accounted for by the devaluation of the English Pound and other foreign currencies.

24. Foreign credits will continue to be granted during 1950, but some of these will be direct by American business firms and investors. If our Government will get foreign governments to agree that such investments will be exempt from any NEW tax or other legislation by the foreign country in which the investments are made, considerable progress would be noticeable along foreign trade channels.

25. American interests will have more competition from foreign producers of raw materials and of manufactured goods during 1950 than they had during 1949. This will benefit some American concerns, but be harmful to others.

26. Fear of war with Russia will continue during 1950. World War III will come some time; but it will not start during 1950. Those in large vulnerable cities should use these years of peace to get some small farm or country home to which they can go in case of war. Such places will be almost unobtainable when war actually comes.

Deficit Financing
27. The supply of money will be increased during 1950, but the price of Government bonds will not change much one way or the other during 1950.

the price of gold during 1950.

Stock Market
30. Most stocks will work up and down in about the same range during 1950 as during 1949.

31. Stocks of companies with assets mostly in natural resources, known as inflation stocks, should have the greatest demand.

32. There will be more investment buying for income during 1950 and utilities and companies making labor-saving machinery may be more popular than other industrial or railroad.

33. The wisest investors will keep a fair amount of their funds liquid throughout 1950 pending the great break in stock prices which will come some day.

Bonds
34. High grade taxable corporate bonds bearing low coupon rates should continue at about the same prices during 1950, but of course, they will sell for much lower prices when money rates increase.

35. 1950 will see a further fading off in certain tax-exempt bonds due to the new Housing Authority Obligations to be issued during 1950.

36. The Federal Reserve will continue during 1950 the same general policy which it followed in 1949.

37. The importance of diversification will be given more attention in 1950 and wise investors will watch their bond maturities to see that they are either short or systematically staggered.

Real Estate
38. The city real estate outlook is uncertain. It should continue to hold firm throughout 1950 due to less available rental space caused by pulling down old structures to save taxes and to provide parking spaces. Owing to high costs and the fear of World War III, there will be little inclination to build new city property. On the other hand, the continual movement out of our large cities—in the interest of decentralization—may cause prices to soften.

39. There will continue to be a fair demand during 1950 for suburban real estate with a shading of prices for large places; but the residential construction boom should continue well into 1950.

40. The demand for large commercial farm acreage will be less during 1950; but small sustenance farms, especially those located close to established communities, will hold up and, perhaps, increase in price.

41. There will be some decrease during 1950 in industrial and private building. The cost of such building will decline a little and the quality of workmanship will improve. There should be an increase during 1950 in publicly financed building.

Wichita - Archer Baptist Workers To Meet Tuesday

The local First Baptist Church will entertain the Wichita Archer Baptist Workers Conference this Tuesday according to T. Lynn Stewart who is pastor of the church and also moderator of the Wichita-Archer Association. The following program has been announced:

Theme: The Year 1950—"Ye have not passed this way heretofore."

9:30—"Thou crownest the year with thy goodness; and thy paths drop fatness." Ps. 65:11.

10:00—Hymns of Praise—"Let everything that hath breath praise the Lord." Gene Spearman.

10:10—"Thus Saith The Lord"—H. T. Riney.

10:20—"Give Attendance to Reading"—Mrs. T. Lynn Stewart.

10:45—"Uncertainties and Certainties of the Year 1950"—Arvil Richardson.

11:05—"He That Sleepeth in the Harvest"—Lloyd Lester.

11:25—Announcements, Offering, Hymn.

11:35—Special Music—Gene Spearman.

11:40—"Consecrated Service"—J. B. McLeroy.

Second Anniversary of Pastor T. Lynn Stewart at First Baptist Church

Sunday is the Second Anniversary of T. Lynn Stewart as pastor of the First Baptist Church. The membership of the church has designated it as "Stewart Day" and are making special efforts for record attendances in all services of the day.

9:45 A. M., The Church in Bible Study. A goal of 500 has been set for this day. Every member is urged to be present and visitors are most cordially invited. Join the great number of people who will study God's Word with us this Sunday.

10:50 A. M. Morning Worship. Anniversary sermon by pastor: "Dedication." This is not only the pastor's anniversary but it is the first Sunday of the year 1950. Start the year right by attending services of the church. God will bless you.

6:30 P. M. In recognition of the pastor's Second Anniversary, we are trying to have at least 200 in the Training Union. Make your plans to attend this training period of the church.

7:30 P. M. Evening Worship. Sermon: "The Two Witnesses." This is another message in a series the pastor is preaching from the Book of Revelation. Each message is complete within itself. Don't miss this one.

Wednesday 7:00 P. M. Officers and Teachers meet to study next Sunday's lesson.

7:35 P. M. Hour of Power service in lower auditorium.

The nursery is open for all regular services of the church. Capable attendants are in charge. The nursery is strictly sanitary and safe for the babies. Our church bus makes regular routes each Sunday morning and night and Wednesday night. This is a free service for all who have no way to attend our services. Watch for the blue bus.

Rev. Mr. Stewart came here 2 years ago from the First Baptist Church, Coleman, Texas. During the two years there have been 220 additions to the church, 77 of these by baptism. The Sunday School average attendance has increased from 317 to 437. The Sunday School enrollment from 668 to 803. Total gifts in 1947 were \$18,358.08 and in 1949 they were \$32,355.00. A church bus has been secured, a church library has been set up and another building secured and equipped for the babies.

Ray Allen and Marilyn Kay Charboneau attended the Police Department Christmas party in Wichita Falls last Wednesday. Eighty-seven children were there to meet Santa Claus.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Tucker and Kenneth Tucker spent Christmas in Corpus Christi visiting in the home of Matthew Tucker and family.

Miss Rose Witcher of El Reno Oklahoma, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Beulah Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Elliott of Conroe were here for the Christmas holidays visiting Mrs. Elliott's mother, Mrs. H. R. Garrett. They returned home Monday.

Mrs. Bernethy's Father Died Sat.

Funeral services were held last Tuesday morning from the Saint Boniface Catholic Church in Scotland for Frank Hoffman, Sr., 77 year old retired farmer. He died at his home Saturday night.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. O. D. Bernethy of Burkburnett.

Cows and Calves Led Stock Sale Last Saturday

There was a nice offering of stock at the Livestock Sales Barn last Saturday afternoon, considering the fact that the sale was held on Christmas Eve.

A load of cows and calves brought to the sale by Joy Sessums sold up to \$200.00 per pair. The calf market was even with last week's sale. Hogs sold fully 50c a hundred over the Fort Worth market top.

Plenty of fresh cattle are expected for next Saturday's sale which begins promptly at 1:00 P. M.

Tanda C. F. Girls Entertained With Christmas Social

The Tanda Campfire girls were entertained with a gay holiday Christmas social on Tuesday night, December 20th, in the home of Miss Paula Gene Buckner.

The Buckner home was beautifully decorated for the annual event to carry out the holiday theme. The decorations were centered around the lighted Christmas tree which held gifts for each member present. Beautiful centerpieces decorated the tops of the dining table and the piano.

The activities for the evening were introduced with a Council Fire under the direction of their leader, Mrs. Betty Mills. The lights were turned off, and the girls filed in, each one bearing a little individual candle, which held a spray of mistletoe. At this time the girls received their ranks and beads they had earned. Mrs. Mills also presented a pin to Karan Flo Prechel for her services as past president.

The girls then listened to a Christmas story, "The Littlest Angel" which was recorded. A series of Christmas carols, accompanied at the piano by Marilyn Felty, were enjoyed by all.

Gifts were exchanged and Mrs. Buckner presented Mrs. Mills with a lovely gift from the whole group.

Services Held Tuesday For Mrs. Schreib

Last rites were conducted from the Owens and Brumley Funeral Chapel here Tuesday at 10 A. M. for Mrs. Louise Schreib, 85, long time resident of Burkburnett. She died Sunday afternoon in a Wichita Falls hospital.

A native of Lucenburg, Germany, she came to Texas in May, 1868, settling with her family at Frelsburg. In May, 1910 she was married to W. T. Schreib at Nocona, and they moved to Burkburnett the same year.

Rev. R. L. Young, pastor of the Grace Lutheran Church, officiated and burial was made in the Clara Cemetery beside her husband.

Pallbearers were C. W. Schroeder, A. H. Lohofener, A. A. Evert, Arthur Ramming, John Enderli, and W. J. Ainsworth.

Survivors are two sons, Ernest of Longview, and Carl of Arlington.

Send In Names For Hi-Way Street

There is still time to get in your suggested names for the street now known as Wichita Hi-way, leading out of town from South Avenue D.

Turn your suggestions in to the Star office, Lions Club or any member of the Lions club. Two names were received this week:

HARDIN DRIVE, EAST AVENUE D.

A handsome award is offered by the Lions Club for the best suggestion offered.

Calvary Baptist Has A New Bell

Calvary Baptist Church has added another feature that marks it out as the old-time Church it confesses to be. It is a bell erected right on top of the church building. At this writing the belfry has not been built around the bell, but that will be done next. The bell will be inaugurated in its official capacity Saturday night at midnight as the closing part of the watch service of the church, when it will join other bells, horns, whistles, etc., of the community to welcome the new year. Then beginning Sunday, and every Sunday thereafter, this will be the schedule of the ringing of the bell, until further notice of change: Sunday morning at eight o'clock—to wake you up; 9:30 A. M.—to warn you that you have time to get to Sunday School; Sunday night at 6:30—calling all the people to worship God in the church of their choice.

You are all invited to our Saturday night watch service. Come at anytime between 7:30 and midnight.

Ray C. Morrow, Pastor

By Roger W. Babson

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THINK THIS OVER

The Department of Commerce offers the facts. In 1929, twenty-five cents of every dollar of national income, went for shelter. Last year it was 18 cents. In 1929, clothing took 13 cents of every dollar, last year it was down to 11 cents. In 1929, food swallowed 23 cents of each dollar and remained the same last year. In 1929, local, state and federal government took but 12 cents of the dollar. Last year the cost of government was 23 cents. This means we pay as much out of our dollar for government as we do for food. With a rising cost of government, the load of taxation on the people is staggering. Economy in government is our justifiable plea. As a local taxpayer was overheard to remark, "There isn't much that's free anymore about a free government."

WOULD YOU LIKE IT?

In Russia each worker has a passport. The book is retained by the employer and if the workman leaves his job without the consent of the employer, he doesn't get his passport book back. Without it, he can't get any other job, legally, that is. Seems there has been some slipping up in this regard, so a labor union publication demands greater strictness in the handling of the Russian worker's passports. Besides losing your passport book, if you leave the job without the employer's consent, you are subject to imprisonment for two to four months. You can have it, Russia, we don't want it. No slave labor for us.

A SURE THING

Winter sets in and with it weather uncertainties. Perhaps it will be no snow or too much snow, too warm for heavy coat or too cold for too coat. But, there is no uncertainty about whether the Old Farmer's Almanac will be on the editor's desk. It appears as usual, the 158th issue, in its old fashioned, yellow cover, bedecked with a "Summer" scene of haying, "Spring" with plowing, "Autumn" with piling of crops into a wagon, "Winter" with cattle and humans in the snow. The picture of Benjamin Franklin is familiar, the other of Robert B. Thomas the founder of the almanac in 1792, is not. With its astronomical calculations, farmer's calendar of weather, planting tables and homely bits of philosophy, there is a nostalgia about this little publication. It is comforting to see these reminders of fields and farms and faith.

Burkburnett History

Revealed By Star Files 10 Years Ago

Miss Agnes Crowley, book-keeper for the Burk Burnett Clinic, who was injured in a traffic accident early Saturday night near here, is reported to be resting very well at the Wichita General Hospital.

City officials and the Chamber of Commerce announced this week that winners in the yard lighting contest sponsored by them during the Christmas holidays are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Boyd, first; Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Morrison, second; and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Tevis, third.

All members of the Municipal Golf Club and prospective members are invited to attend a barbecue Friday evening at 7:30 in the Legion Hall.

Miss Myrtle LaFon of this city and O. V. Drake of Bowie were married in Lawton, Oklahoma, Wednesday, December 27th.

Thirty-eight thousand seven hundred pieces of mail, exclusive of packages, passed through the cancelling machine at the local post office from the 18th of December through the 25th.

Duncan Coffee Co. Employees Got Bonuses

For the thirty-first consecutive year, employees of the Duncan Coffee Company, roasters of Admiration, Maryland Club, and Bright & Early Coffees, have been given Christmas bonuses. Herschel M. Duncan, president, announced today. Each employee's bonus this year amounted to 10 per cent of his wages or salary for the year. This bonus was given to employees at all Duncan plants, including two in Houston and one in Corpus Christi.

At the Yuletide season each year, the 453 employees of the Duncan Coffee Company are presented their bonus gifts by the president and his brother, Charles W. Duncan, vice-president. In addition to this Christmas bonus, a regular service bonus is awarded to all Duncan employees along with their monthly pay. This amounts to one per cent additional income for each full year of employment with the company. This monthly service bonus amounts to as much as 20 per cent above regular earnings for some employees.

The Duncan Christmas Party in Houston was held Thursday, December 22, in the Sons of Hermann Hall. A similar party was held in Corpus Christi. These Christmas parties are annual events given by the executives of the Duncan Coffee Co. as a further expression of their best wishes for a Merry Christmas for all the employees of the Company.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

West Third and Holly
Rev. Roy McCoy, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
Worship Service, 11:00 A. M.
Young People's Meeting, 6:15 P. M.
Evening Sermon, 7:00 P. M.
Wednesday evening Prayer Meeting, 7:00 P. M.

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4-H Club Work

1949 was a successful year for 4-H work in Wichita Co., and 1950 promises ever better. Club enrollment was raised from 200 to 550, and 3 new clubs were organized, bringing the number of clubs to 13.

Sponsors were selected for all clubs and their help makes it possible for the members to do more and better club work. Several girls have joined the boys 4-H clubs as their interests are in livestock or agriculture, and by attending the boys meetings they are gaining the knowledge of subjects they are interested in.

Projects that members are working with include horses, beef calves, dairy calves, sheep, goats, hogs, rabbits, guinea pigs, hamsters, chickens, turkeys, ducks, peafowl, pheasants, gardens, orchards, field crops, bees, and wildlife.

Livestock, dairy, poultry, grass, and crop judging teams will be formed, thus teaching members how to select good animals and seeds. These teams will also compete in fairs, shows, and the 4-H Roundup.

Other events 4-Hers will take part in are the Fort Worth show, Houston show, Wichita Falls Calf show, Wichita Falls Dairy show, Dallas Fair, and the Texas-Oklahoma fair. A coat is being bought by members to represent their clubs at the shows, and it is of the type that can be worn anytime.

Summer encampments will bring all club members together, and night meetings are making it possible to teach members new ways of agriculture that cannot be discussed at regular daytime meetings.

Beef calf, dairy, hog, poultry, corn, and wildlife contests are sponsored by organizations; thus, giving members a diversified program. Safety and Electricity are the subjects of one club meeting, thus striving to help Wichita County 4-H members become leaders of tomorrow.

The Two Best of The 50th International Show



CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. "Judge Roy Bean" (right) a 1240 pound Hereford steer from Texas, and "Chino 8062" an 850 pound junior calf of the same breed from Maryland, were selected by Judge A. D. Weber of Kansas State College as Grand and Reserve Grand Champion fat steers, respectively, of the 50th Anniversary International Livestock Show held recently. It is unusual for a junior calf to win one of the top honors at as big a steer show as the International—more unusual for the two best to be of the same breed.

A new International Show record price of \$11.50 per pound was established when the "Grand Champ" sold to the highest bidder. He returned to the Pecos County 4-H Club, the group by whom he was fed and shown, a total of \$15,155 including \$1955 in prizes awarded by the International Show and the American Hereford Association of Kansas City.

"Judge Roy Bean" is a grade Hereford from the 500 cow herd of a Fort Stockton rancher, Jack Allison, who has used top registered Hereford bulls for years. A specially built trailer house served as transportation, lodging and dining hall for both the steer and the seven club members who made the trip from Fort Stockton to Chicago with their County Agent, W. T. Posey.

Reserve Champion "Chino 8062" sold for \$3.75 per pound. He was exhibited by the Chino Farms of Church Hill, Md., and was fed and shown by Arthur McArthur, who fitted the grand champion steers of both the 1936 and 1937 International Shows.

Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Bradford spent Christmas with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Stubbs in Amarillo, returning home late Sunday night.

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Miss Lillie Poe of Altus, Oklahoma, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Henry Christmas. Miss Poe was head of the millinery department of Mr. Henry's Dry Goods Store at Lott, Texas, forty years ago.

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Estes Big Spring spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dow Estes.

Jimmie Roy Morris and family of Abilene spent Christmas in the Ralph White and J. Ferguson homes.



From where I sit... by Joe Marshall

A Tonic For The Missus

The missus came marching in with a new hat yesterday. She was as happy as a circus poster.

I've learned one thing about the hats she buys. A hat is a tonic for her. If she's feeling blue, nothing gives her a lift like a new hat. Now, I could trade in my old grey fedora without raising my blood pressure a notch. But I'll admit that more than once I've bought a new briar pipe I didn't need—just because life was getting a little bit monotonous.

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From where I sit, different people are always going to respond different things in different ways. So let's keep a friendly understanding of what other folks are doing. A new hat, an old clarinet, a chocolate soda or a temper glass of sparkling beer or ale and then.

Joe Marshall

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Babson... (Continued from page 1)

Only as property owners are granted higher rentals will there be more houses built for rental purposes.
43. Mortgage interest rates during 1950 will continue about the same as during 1949.
44. The growth in industrial pensions should help real estate sales in Florida, California, New Mexico and Arizona.

General Business
45. Many business concerns find their operations sliding down toward the break-even point. There will not be as much margin between costs and selling prices during 1950 as during 1949. Unemployment will gradually increase due to the installation of labor-saving machinery and other causes.
46. Military preparedness will continue to bolster general business and employment during 1950, but this is not a healthy development.

Politics
47. Excluding Government-owned commodities, the physical stock piles of manufacturers will remain about the same during 1950 as during 1949.
48. 1950 will be an election year. The Republican Party will remain in the doghouse. The Administration will continue to talk radically against Wall Street and the so-called "Selfish Interests," but at heart the Administration will be fairly conservative. Its bark will be far worse than its bite.

49. The Administration will continue to be sympathetic to organized labor unless someone like John L. Lewis goes too far. In that event, such a man will be made the whipping boy, but with the consent of other prominent labor leaders.
50. The Congressional Elections of 1950 will not change the political status of Congress to any great extent.

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Dale M. Harter, Minister

Sunday, January 1, 1950, Bible School at 9:45 A. M. There is a class for every age group. Come prepared to enter into the discussion of the lesson.
Morning Worship and Communion service at 10:50 A. M. Sermon: "Opportunity Unlimited."

This Sunday is the first day of the new year. What more fitting way could there be to start the new year than to start it in the Lord's house in worship. There let us ask God to give us wisdom and strength to guide us victoriously thru the coming year. May the New Year be prosperous for you, victorious for Christ and His Church.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. J. B. Grace Christmas were: Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jeter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Revier and children; Jack Grace and family and Willie B. Grace and family, all of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Grace of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Revier and Grace of Burkburnett.

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LETTER

By LYN CONNELLY
THE sharp wind lashed furiously about Larry's head and shoulders, flitting momentarily with the idea of sending his brown fedora spiraling down the street, but he sensed its capricious tendencies and held the brim of his hat tightly between his forefinger and thumb as he ran toward his car parked on the opposite corner.

It would be the last time he'd beat that particular path, he thought grimly. It was Christmas Eve and everybody was in a gay and anticipatory mood. Everybody, that is, except Larry. He had been reasonably happy until that morning when the whole world seemed to have crashed about him. Opening the door of the car, he slid in behind the wheel and started it toward home.

The face of Silas Henning, until fifteen minutes ago his boss, came to his mind and again he heard the words that he dreaded to repeat to Rosine: "I know you're not happy in your work, Larry, and it's not fair to either one of us when you don't put your best efforts into what you're doing. I think, therefore, that you'd better go elsewhere for a job. Today's as good a day as any to sever connections."

Fired on Christmas Eve! Of course, what Henning had said was true. Larry wasn't happy being a bookkeeper at Morrison's appliance shop. He had always yearned to be a writer, and wrote numerous short stories during his spare time.
When Rosine told him of their expected second child he had taken the job at Morrison's through sheer desperation. No longer could they live on their savings. He considered the job as temporary, but it had



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lasted seven months with still no prospects of entering the field he desired. Henning had seemed sympathetic, although he had cooled suddenly the past week. Perhaps in his daydreaming he had been inaccurate in his figures. At least Henning spared him any embarrassment if that were the case, but he could have waited until after the holidays to fire him. "And Bob Cratchit thought he worked for Scrooge," he mumbled, pulling up before his house.

HIS feet dragged as he trudged toward the door. He mustn't tell her tonight, he decided. He hoped he was capable of carrying off an act until the day after Christmas. Opening the door, he let himself in as unobtrusively as possible. Rosine was on a step ladder in the living room, decorating the tree, while Chuckie, aged five, sat on the floor, agog at the proceedings.
"Hello, darling," his wife called out gaily. He tried to equal the happiness in her voice as he replied, then kissed Chuckie and started for the kitchen.

"There's a letter for you on the radio," Rosine said.
"From whom?" His heart leaped hopefully at her words and he hurried toward the radio. He picked up the letter at the same time she answered, "Truth magazine."

It was from Truth. His hand trembled as he opened it. "Dear Mr. Shannon," he read aloud. "Our mutual friend, Silas Henning, recently submitted one of your articles for our consideration. We believe it shows promise and since we were given a splendid recommendation by Mr. Henning, we are writing to ask if you would be interested in a job in our editorial department. If so, call for an interview this week."

"The telephone was ringing, but for a moment, Larry and Rosine merely stood as though mute, staring at each other. Larry became conscious of the bell first and picked up the receiver. It was Mr. Henning, laughing heartily. "Bet I had you worried, eh, Larry?"
"Mr. Henning! I didn't know... how did you..." Larry was tongue-tied. Rosine walked to his side, putting one arm gently about his shoulder.
"I found that article you wrote on your son and the atomic age and sent it in to Asherton," Henning explained. "He's a good friend of mine and editor of Truth. Well, I won't hold you, Larry. Just wanted to wish you a merry Christmas."

No Mail

By DANIEL F. LINDSAY
TOM LARKIN opened the kitchen door. His wife looked up with a hopeful smile as he entered. He just shook his head.

"No mail at all?" she said as she went on fixing dinner.
"Oh, there were a couple of ads and a bill from the seed company." He hung his hat on a hook and crossed to the pump. His white hair was damp around his face when he straightened up again.
"Bill's got an unforgivin' streak, always did have, even when he was a little feller." Pa's old briar gave off a pungent odor as he lit it.

"But this is different, Tom," she said, putting a pan of biscuits in the oven, "tomorrow is Christmas. It's a long way to the coast. Maybe he wrote but didn't mail it in time."
"Ma," his tired old voice was filled with bitterness, "there's no



"She could see Pa striding into the living room."

need to stick pins in yourself by hopin'. Christmas or no Christmas... that boy is still mad."
The old lady's eyes shone with faith. "He might stay mad all year long but when Christmas comes... he'll write. I know, I'm his Ma."

"Don't forget," Tom said as he blew smoke at the ceiling. His eyes crinkled at the corners, "I'm his father."
"Dinner's ready, Pa," she said, filled with a deep longing and fought to keep the tears out of her voice. "I c'n understand that boy still bein' mad at me, but why does he have to take it out on you?"

"You're wrong, Tom," Ma replied as she lifted her head and smiled. "The day after Christmas, first delivery, we'll get a letter. You'll see."
"Not from him," he shook his head grimly.
"You're forgettin' Judy," she reminded him as they sat down. "She's a good daughter-in-law."

"Oh, I'm not blamin' her," replying as he covered his biscuits with gravy, "Judy's a fine girl. It's his bull headed pride."
She got up and taking the coffee pot off the cook stove filled his cup. They ate on in silence. Finally he pushed his plate back.
"You aren't eatin' much," he scolded.

"I'm just not hungry, Pa."
"I see," he stood up. "I'm goin' out and turn the heater on in the hen house. It'll be cold tonight." His old shoulders slumped forward as he went outside. She shook her head and started picking up the dishes. Her mind sank back into the past. To the days when Christmas was alive with the excitement and laughter of young voices. She could see Pa striding into the living room bearing a large evergreen on his shoulder. Behind him there was always a highly excited little boy, bearing an axe. She wondered if the little boy ever thought of it.

PA CAME back on the porch. She smiled as he kicked his toe against the threshold. It's a wonder, she thought, that there's any threshold left after all these years. He came into the kitchen, dumping an arm load of kindling in the box behind the range.
"Snowin', Pa?"
He shook his head and took off his wraps, replying, "Stopped."
She hung the dish towels up to dry. He pulled a rocker in from the living room and sat down.
"Everything all right in the barn?" Ma asked as she threw a few lumps of coal in the fire.
"Sure," Pa said. A sad smile crossed his lips. "What's the use pretendin', Ma? We're both feelin' blue."
She sat down at the old kitchen table and started peeling apples, uttering, "I know it."
"Gonna bake me a pie?" he asked. She nodded. "Apple was always Billy's favorite, too."
"Now, Ma, what's the use of..." he stopped as they heard a car drive up in the yard. "Must be Jim Rogers. Said today that new call of his was sick." He opened the kitchen door and peered out into the night. She could hear him catch his breath as he watched a man and a woman get out. "Ma, who do you think?" his voice was low.
"I knew," Ma laughed as she laid the paring knife down with a happy smile. "I knew it all the time."

Nancy Carol Watson, grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Coles, was admitted to the Clinic in Wichita Falls Tuesday for a tonsilectomy.

Mr. and Mrs. Crump Anthony of Chicago were holiday guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Anthony.

Mr. and Mrs. John Yeilush of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hayworth Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Engelmann and Milburn of Ft. Worth spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Evert.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bungenes spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Daniel and baby in El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Minick spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. C. W. Duke and family in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver William and son of Stillwater, Oklahoma, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Waldrop spent Christmas with his parents in Beaumont.

Johnny Slayton visited his mother, Mrs. Frances Slayton in Shamrock Christmas.

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Pine Needle Bath Oil, \$1.00 size for 50c
Trellis Shampoo, 50c size for 25c
Walgreen Tooth Paste, 50c size for 25c
Keller Algic Balm, 50c size for 35c
House of Westmore Face Powder, 50c size for 25c
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Jergen Powder and Pan Cake Make-up, \$1 for 50c
\$1.50 Triomphe Dusting Powder 75c
Special Brands of Lip Stick, 50c size for 25c
Elmo Cleansing Cream, 50c size for 25c
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Elmo Cleansing Cream, \$1.10 size for 60c
Krank's Lemon Cream, \$1.00 size for 50c
Ingrams Improved Cream, 50c size for 39c
Special Brands of Lip Stick, \$1.00 size for 50c

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Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Nolen children and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Nolen of San Francisco, Calif., and Mrs. H. H. Childress spent Christmas their mother, Mrs. W. C. and family.

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Devol News

Clara Stofor

Continued From Last Week: The installation ceremony of the Devol Chapter of Eastern...

Continued in the Oles Stomach Tuesday night, Dec. 28, were the members of the Noble Grand club and husbands...

Both Mr. and Mrs. Frye are graduates of Devol High school. They will establish a home in Burk Burnett, Texas...

Picture film strip depicting Christmas story was shown at school auditorium Dec. 27 by Mrs. Helen Jagers...

Miss Nalda Loftin and Melton Rex Frye Wed. Christmas Day at 3 P. M. Nalda Glynn Loftin...

daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Loftin and the groom the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Frye...

The single ring ceremony was performed by Rev. John C. Cassle of Frederick, Okla., in the First Baptist Church of Devol...

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a suit of golden brown with dark brown trim accessories...

Miss Dorothy Davis, pianist, played a program of Nuptial music and accompanied Mrs. Janelle Glandon of Kansas City...

Mrs. Teman O. Hughes of Vernon, Texas, sister of the bride, was Matron of honor and wore a dress of black crepe with accessories of black and gold...

W. L. (Dub) Frye of Fort Worth, Texas, brother of the groom, served as best man. Following the ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents...

Mr. Leonard Harms of Odessa, Texas, spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. U. S. Hill and Mr. Hill.

Many members of families away from Devol gathered to be with relatives and friends through the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Floyd Uthe and daughters will be hostesses to a Watch party in their home for the B.T.U. of the Baptist Church Saturday night, Dec. 31...

Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Uthe and Patsy went to Oklahoma City last Saturday to spend Christmas with Mrs. Uthe's mother and sisters...

the and Patsy will remain until Sunday visiting relatives in Oklahoma City.

Christmas guests in the W. C. Charboneau home were Mr. Marshall Charboneau of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Eastman and daughter of Randlett, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Nettie Bee Bryant, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Watson, and L. O. Page, Jr., son of Mrs. Nora Page of Dallas, were married Saturday in the parsonage of the Las Cruces Methodist Church...

The bride wore an original suit of soft green wool, an eggshell blouse and hat. Her shoulder corsage was pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Page is principal of Ft. Bliss Elementary School. She is a graduate of Edmond State College in Oklahoma and has done graduate work at the University of Oklahoma.

Mr. Page is a graduate of Texas Western College and is manager of Universal CIT Corp. of El Paso. During the war, he spent 30 months in Europe with the 3rd Army's Military Government section...

Coach B. B. Hodnic and Mrs. Hodnic entertained the basketball girls with a Christmas party in their home last Thursday evening...

Mr. and Mrs. John Coker had all their children and their grandchildren at home on Xmas Day. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coker, Lawton, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Coker of Bowie, Texas...

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Glandon of Kansas City, Mo., are visiting through the holidays with Mrs. Glandon's mother, Mrs. Ona Slabaugh and Mr. Glandon's mother, Mrs. Marie Glandon and his grandparents...

Christmas Day guests in the Horace Riding home were Mrs. Joe Burns and Lavonna of Burk Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Larson of Burk Burnett; Mr. and Mrs. John Lawson and daughter, of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Amos Riding of Davidson and their son who is a student at Oklahoma A. & M. at Stillwater, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClenon and children spent Christmas with Mrs. McClenon's mother, Mrs. Baumhardt, Muenster, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Davis of Kamay, Texas, visited Monday with Mrs. Davis' aunt, Mrs. J. W. Hale and Mr. Hale. Mr. Hobart Hale of Tyler, Texas, arrived Monday for a visit of two days with his parents...

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Copass and daughter, Carkey, of Lindsay, Oklahoma, spent Christmas Day with Mrs. Copass brother, Mr. Curly Davidson and family.

Mrs. Nina Oxford and her son of Geronimo, Oklahoma, are visiting in the home of her parents and brothers and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. O. Nolls.

Enjoying the Christmas holidays in the Ross Wright home were Capt. and Mrs. Tandy Wright and Katherine from Williams Air Force Base at Chandler, Ariz.; Bruce Wright, who is attending the American Academy of Horology in Denver, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Rhynes and children, Amarillo, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Addington and Jimmie of Palestine, Texas; Miss Opal Dillow, attending the University of Oklahoma at Norman; Mrs. W. L. Tandy and Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Dillow of Oklahoma City. All left for their several homes Monday evening and Tuesday morning.

Mr. J. C. Cates, a patient at the Clinton Hospital, and Mrs. Cates spent Christmas at home with their daughters, Mrs. Homer Tanner of Sayre, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Roy Stacy of the home and their families. Mr. and Mrs. Tanner drove to Clinton and Mr. and Mrs. Cates accompanied them here. They returned to Clinton Monday. Mr. Cates is in very good health, but will remain at the hospital until Spring...

Monday the A. J. Mayes family visited Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mayes at the State Hospital, Clinton, Monday. Mr. Mayes is getting along nicely and expects to be home soon.

The house of Mr. and Mrs. John Rubottom has been moved to the farm home of their daughter, Mrs. Mox Shurler and Mr. Shurler in Apeateone community. Mr. and Mrs. Rubottom will make their home there.

A fire of unknown origin broke out in a chicken house west of Ross Wright's 4-car garage last Saturday. The cars were hastily moved from the danger zone; and the fire extinguished with only the destruction of the chicken house, and one fowl. The garage wall was not damaged.

Coach B. B. Hodnic and Mrs. Hodnic entertained the basketball girls with a Christmas party in their home last Thursday evening. The evening was spent in playing games and visiting. Each girl was presented a gift.

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My son Bobby Jean, 4, had been suffering from vomiting spells. Each attack sent him to bed with fever for 2 or 3 days. We tried all kinds of medicines but he continued to lose weight and grow pale and weak...



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by Mr. Hodnic from the beautifully decorated tree. All joined in singing Christmas carols. Refreshments of cocoa and cake were served to Odessa, Oretta, and Vanita Uthe, Betty McCaslin, Nina Holder, Patsy Turner, Gladys Wilkerson, Avis Wood, Dollie Faye Hardin, and Maxine Cornstubble.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Abbott of Oklahoma City and Mrs. Ernest Wood's sister, Mrs. Perry and husband spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wood. Mrs. Abbott is Mrs. Wood's mother. Other guests in the Woods home were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wood; Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Green, and family of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Don Adkins and Donna Rue of Matador, Texas.

Cpl. Glenn Wilkerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wilkerson, stationed at Lubbock, Texas, spent Christmas at home. On his return to the field Glenn will receive a promotion to Sergeant.

Mrs. Olive Taylor and Alice Ann of Burk Burnett, and Mrs. Olar Lavelen and children, visited with Mrs. W. A. Wood and Mrs. Ted Randall Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Boyd, student at TSCW, Denton, is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Tom Boyd.

R. C. Tevis and daughter, Sadie Beth, attended funeral services for their paternal aunt, Mrs. Bettie Tevis Herd, which were held in Fort Worth on Tuesday.

Dorace Hageman of Sundown spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hageman.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Cannon of Sherman spent the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Bill Parr, Jr., and family.

James McDonald is attending a district convention of Dun and Bradstreet reporters at Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McLean and children of Eunice, New Mexico spent Christmas in the P. A. Wiggins home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Robinson and baby of College Station are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Brookshear.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Blum and son of Lubbock spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Minnie Blum.

Bill Matthews of Dallas visited in the home of Mrs. Tom Boyd the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hagens and baby of Eldorado, Arkansas, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Danforth Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hall of Gainesville and Mr. and Mrs. Molsby of Nocona visited Monday with Mrs. Gertie Brown and her mother, Mrs. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Pearson spent Christmas in Texarkana.

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Advertisement for Garland Furniture Co. Frigidaire Home Freezer. Includes text: 'Puts a Super-Market Right in Your Home!', 'Brand New FRIGIDAIRE Home Freezer 8.8 Cu. Ft. \$329.75'. Includes image of the freezer and a list of features.

Harwells Have Baby Boy

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Harwell are the proud parents of a baby boy, born December 24th in a Wichita Falls hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Johnston and girls of Elk City, spent the Christmas week end in the H. A. Goodwin home. They all spent Christmas Day in Wichita Falls with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Greer.

Bill Brown of Big Spring spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Gertie Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hill spent Christmas in Olustee, Oklahoma, with Mrs. Hill's parents.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kirsh and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Reeves and children of Wichita Falls spent Christmas in Denton.

Season's Best 1950

And the best of the New Year is happiness for all of you

W. T. (Slim) HOLMAN Commissioner Precinct No. 2



By MARY NELSON

"HAPPY new year!" The cry echoed and re-echoed down the street as Penny made her way toward the bus stop.

"Going out tonight, Penny?" The words interrupted her thoughts and she turned to greet Ruby, a fellow worker who was always going out with someone she called "Beanie."

Penny smiled. "No, I'm not, Ruby," she replied. Odd that she should feel such emptiness within her as she said the words.



"But her foot missed and came down on a sheet of ice."

anyone here," she defended herself. Then added curtly, "And anyway, I wouldn't dream of going out in such ghastly weather."

Ruby shrugged. "Oh, well, if you feel that way about it . . . happy new year, Penny." She hurried away before the wretched girl could make any response.

AS SHE stood in the middle of the sidewalk, angry and discouraged, she saw her bus speeding recklessly down the street and without another thought to anything else she hurried toward the corner.

But her foot missed and came down on a sheet of ice sending her into an astonished heap in the street.

For a moment she was too stunned to move. She heard footsteps hurrying toward her and managed to sit up dazedly.

"I'm lonely, too," she gasped. "I've only been here a month."

And Penny smiled happily this time. "Yes, Alan. Even this ghastly weather couldn't stop me from talking over old times with you."

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Rotary Club

Club Meets 12:15 Noon Sharp Each Tuesday at Town Hall

In the absence of the President and vice-president, Clark Gresham had charge of the meeting at the Rotary luncheon last Tuesday.

Clark introduced the following visitors and guests: Frank Schram of the Wichita Falls club and his guest, R. D. McGhie of Salt Lake City;

Attendance was off somewhat due to the holiday vacation. Absent members were: Tom Britton, Paul Browning, Ralph Davis, John Durham, I. C. Evans, Herb Minga, Buster Morgan, Walter Riley, Harold Van Loh, Bob Tevis and M. C. Tucker.

Barney Landers was program chairman, and led a round table discussion on ways of improving the town.

George McClarty will bring the program next Tuesday.

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Courtesy Important When Sending Cards

The exchange of cheerful Christmas cards between friends is one of our most delightful Yuletide customs—and like all other social relationships, it is governed by simple, common-sense rules of etiquette.

You may properly send your holiday greetings to almost everyone—business and professional associates, if you wish, as well as social acquaintances and relatives.

Be sure to choose appropriate cards, however. If Aunt Jennie is a garden enthusiast, she'll probably appreciate a beautiful flower print more than a dozen Santa Claus designs.

Special Titles

Cards with special titles, such as "Merry Christmas, Mother," are available for mothers, wives, sweethearts and practically all relatives, including the in-laws, and are a mark of individual thoughtfulness.

If you can spare a moment or two, pen a brief holiday note on each card. It adds a warm sincerity and a touch of your individual personality to your Yuletide greetings.

Colored ink is entirely proper both for signing the card and addressing the envelope, provided it harmonizes with the color scheme of the card itself.

Signatures need not be formal, except on engraved Christmas cards. You may have your name neatly printed if you wish, or take your pen in hand and sign the greetings yourself with a holiday flourish.

"Mr. and Mrs."

Married couples may omit the "Mr. and Mrs." if they prefer and sign their cards simply "Paul and Jenny Wilson."

In addressing the envelopes, it is best to send one card to a husband and wife, and separate cards to other adult members of the family too.

Use three-cent stamps for your Christmas cards, following the rule of good taste which says that first-class friends deserve first-class mail.

Selecting attractive Christmas cards for each of your friends is a delightful pre-Christmas activity. Don't treat it as a sober social responsibility. Plunge in with a smile and the gay holiday scenes on the cards will soon fill your heart with Yuletide cheer and sentiment.

Christmas guests in the home of Mrs. Dave Holtzen were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth W. Weller and children, Julia, Monty and Karma of New Orleans, La., and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Stegall of Burkburnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Mills observed their 50th wedding anniversary, Wednesday, December 28th. They celebrated the event quietly at their home due to the critical illness of Mr. Sloan's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Jennings and sons of Sinton, Texas, and Ben Knauth and family of Thompsons, Texas, spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. F. R. Knauth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hill spent Christmas with relatives in Wynnewood, Oklahoma.

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Morning Worship, 11:00.
Evening Service, 7:00 P. M.
M. Y. F., 6:00 P. M.
Wednesday Choir Practice, 7:00 P. M.



Church of Christ

Loye C. Ruckman, Minister
First and Ave. C

As we come to the close of another year we take this means of expressing our sincere thanks and appreciation to all that have helped in any way to make the work of the Lord go forward. During the year we have been blessed with a gradual increase in attendance in the services. We are thankful that many have grown in grace and knowledge of the Lord. We are thankful that increased zeal on the part of many is evident. It is our sincere hope that in the year approaching that many of this community and throughout the world will obey the gospel of Christ. It is our hope that every Christian will increase their zeal and love so that much good may be accomplished and God may be glorified at all time. We invite everyone to start the New Year off by attending the following services:

LORD'S DAY: Bible Study, 9:45 A. M.
Worship, 10:45 A. M.
Young People's classes, 6:00 P. M.
Worship, 7:00 P. M.
TUESDAY—Men's Bible Class, 7:00 P. M.
WEDNESDAY—Bible Study, 7:00 P. M.
THURSDAY—Ladies' Bible Class, 2:30 P. M.
You are cordially invited to bring your friends and attend every service.

Miss Betty Taylor of Venezuela is a guest in the R. H. Henry home.

Calvary Baptist Church

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Sunday School at ten A. M. with all classes studying the 8th chapter of John—"Christ, The Light of the World." The Bible is the only literature in our S. S. We study it book by book, chapter by chapter, and verse by verse. It's better to study the Bible than ABOUT the Bible. Jimmy Jagears is S. S. Supt.
Morning message at eleven. The Pastor will speak on this subject, "Walking With God In the New Year."

Youth services at 6:45 P. M. with B. A. Dorland and wife, and Fred Clync and wife directing. This is a happy, growing Christian group, with capable, consecrated leaders. All young people invited.
Song and preaching service at 7:30. You will enjoy the inspirational singing—you will be helped by the direct message from God's Word. The pastor will speak on, "Tracking Down the Coming Anti-Christ." We are accustomed to having the criminal tracked down AFTER the crime has been committed, or trying and convicting the Hirohitos or Hitlers after they have done their world-wide damage. This message will point out to you clearly by the Word of God the subtle, deceptive and destroying ways of Anti-Christ before it's too late for you—before he gains world power as God certainly says that he will. Come and hear. Welcome to all of our services. This is the friendly, Bible teaching Church.

SPECIAL NOTICE: There will be a New Year's watch service at Calvary Baptist Saturday night from 7:30 until shortly past mid-night. Come at any time and stay through to help us start the new year right for God. The new bell that has been erected on top of the church will be rung for the first time at mid-night.
Ray C. Morrow, Pastor

PFC. CLIFFORD HAUGER WITH EIGHTH ARMY IN OSAKA, JAPAN
Pfc. Clifford L. Hauger, son of Mrs. T. L. Shufflen of Ninth St., Burk Burnett, has just returned to his unit after participating in a 22 days field maneuver which was held at Mt. Fuji. The maneuver participated in by 1900 troops was highlighted by a field firing exercise combining all the modern Infantry weapons of his unit.
Pfc. Hauger is presently assigned to Regimental Headquarters 27th, Japan. The 27th is part of the 25th Infantry Division, and is stationed at Osaka, Japan. Enlisting in the Army at Burk Burnett on October 3, 1948, Pfc. Hauger took his basic training at Ft. Ord, California. He arrived in Japan on May 11, 1949.

Farm Bureau News

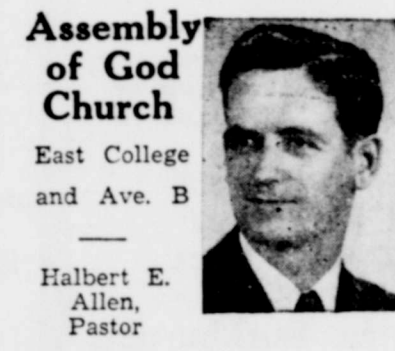
By Mrs. John Wesley

District Farm Bureau Director Loys D. Barbour and Wy-more Downing, president of the Wichita County Farm Bureau returned last week end from the American Farm Bureau Convention in Chicago. They report a very inspirational meeting. Voting delegates from 46 states and Porto Rico representing 1,409,798 members, a gain of 83,972 over last year voted on a number of splendid resolutions which included: Adjustment programs, Price level stability, adequate power and rural electrification, improvement of rural living, International trade and several others.

The delegates voted unanimously against the Brennan Plan because (1) Government payments to farmers are not a desirable substitute for price supports or a satisfactory means of bringing income into agriculture. (2) The cost of the program would be staggering. (3) The unusual procedure employed in the creation of the plan and its presentation to the public has had the effect of seriously jeopardizing the bipartisan approach to the development of farm policy in this country.

The Texas Farm Bureau is hard at work in an effort to organize a Fire Insurance by the first of January. H. T. Cardwell, Jr., district field representative met with a group of the Wichita County directors in Iowa Park in order to explain the importance of participation by members in the Fire Co.

Assembly of God Church
East College and Ave. B
Halbert E. Allen, Pastor



Sunday School, 9:45 A. M. Thanks to the faithful, even though last Sunday was Christmas, we had over 100 in attendance. Our average attendance this month was 121. You are invited to start the New Year by being in Sunday school this first day of the year.
Worship Service, 11:00 A. M. At His birth wise men worshipped Christ. We would be wise to do the same today. Man is born a worshipper. Let us be sure to worship the right one.
Evangelistic Service, 7 P. M. Reaching the lost for Christ is our greatest desire. We will go to any length to help those who know not Christ, to find Him as their Saviour.
Tuesday C. A.'s at 7:15 P. M. The service of young people for young people.
Thursday prayer meeting at 7:15 P. M.
Friday Ladies' Missionary Council at 1:30 P. M.
You are invited to each service.

4-H CLUB NEWS
Twenty-one members were present at the last meeting. Mr. Pallmeyer explained about the contest for the Bridwell Soil Builder Awards. Eight boys entered the contest. Prizes are from \$25.00 to \$150.00.
We had one new member. January 12 is set for the next meeting. Record books will be passed out at that meeting. Due to a slight change in the 4-H Jackets, they may not arrive for Christmas.
Carlton Story, Reporter

Miss Martha Beth Utts of Canton, Texas, spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Wiggins.
Mr. and Mrs. John Brookman and John Alan and Jerry are visiting Mr. Brookman's sister and husband in Humble, Texas this week.

Paul's Great Resolution

"Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended; but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." (Philippians 3:13-14.)

Good resolutions of the New Year's Day are always commendable, but the life of the Apostle Paul was a constant renewal and strengthening and deeping of his resolve to attain the resurrection of the dead referred to in verse eleven of this chapter and which he calls "the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus."

"Forgetting those things which are behind": Paul bore throughout his life the bitter memories of a misdirected past when in ignorance of the genuineness of Christianity, he was its chief persecutor. This he "did in all good conscience before God", teaching us that conscience misdirected by error is an unsafe guide in religion. Strictly speaking, the continuity of life cannot be broken and the past rolled up and forgotten yet by the grace of Almighty God and the blood of Christ to whom he had been converted, Paul stood, like every regenerated man, completely forgiven, his soul as white as snow. No Christian should carry the burden of past mistakes. He may profit by them, but their guilt and effects must be forgotten.

Paul knew he had not attained to eternal life. Now in the figure of a race to be run, he avows his purpose of a relentless zeal and determination to obtain that most precious blessing of Christ's gospel—the resurrection from the dead to a joyous eternal life. Though genuinely converted to Christ, his writings are replete with warnings to Christians of the danger of falling, buffeting his own body "lest by any means when I have preached to others, I myself shall be a castaway".

"This one thing I do": Paul knew that Christian perfection can only be attained by definite and strenuous endeavor. Faith and purpose serve to animate our efforts, but they will never be accepted as substitutes for performance. God lays upon every Christian the duty of activity and labor in the Master's vineyard. There is no salvation for the indolent, half-hearted Christian.

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Camp Fire Council To Name Officers

The nominating committee for the North-Central Texas Area Council met last Tuesday in Iowa Park to begin working on the slate of officers to be presented to the entire council for election at the annual meeting January 13th. Chairman is Henry B. Penix, Wichita Falls and other members include Tom Britton, Burk Burnett, W. S. (Buddy) Brown, Electra; F. E. Hill, Iowa Park; and Mrs. C. L. Murph, Wichita Falls.

Also attending the meeting were W. B. Featherston, area president, and Miss Elizabeth Owen, Executive Director. Mr. Featherston announced that the annual meeting this year would be an evening meeting rather than the usual dinner and that

all council and board members, leaders, sponsors, assistants and Camp Fire families would be invited to attend. Representative girls from every town in the area will be on the program and progress reports will be presented through "living pictures".

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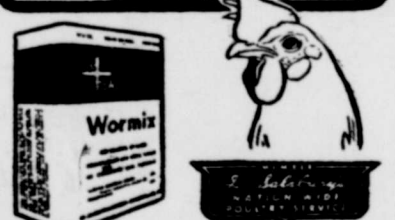
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Members of the Junior University Study Club met on December 14 in the home of Mrs. J. W. Roach, with Mrs. H. B. May as hostess.

Mrs. John Page presented the program on Foundation and Sub-Flooring. After the program, a White Elephant Sale was held with Mrs. W. P. Boydston as auctioneer.

Members attending were: Mesdames Truett Majors, Louvaine Charles, Rhea Fudge, Bill Vincent, L. D. Holman,

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Taken From The Chicago Tribune

The item printed below is a clipping from a recent issue of the Chicago Tribune, written by Douglas C. Benton, son of Mrs. Minnie Benton of Burkburnett:

ROYALTY: While in England, Dr. and Mrs. Clyde Arnsperger of the Chicago staff of Encyclopedia Britannica attended evening services in Westminster Abbey. Unknowingly they sat themselves in the royal pew and were soon informed of this lese majesty by a shocked guard. "But I am the daughter of a king," explained Mrs. Arnsperger, who did not intend to move. "You are?" said the guard, properly impressed. "And what King?" "Sam King of Burkburnett, Texas," said the lady with finality. P. S.—

Christmas Social Given For Junior Study Club Group

The W. W. Chambers home on Magnolia was the scene for a Christmas party for members of the Junior University Study Club, on December 21st, with Rhea Fudge as hostess.

The center of attraction in the party rooms was the beautifully decorated and lighted Christmas tree. Christmas games were played and a sing-song She stayed.

Dr. and Mrs. Arnsperger recently returned to Chicago from an extended business and pleasure trip abroad. Mrs. Arnsperger is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. King of Burk, and Douglas Benton is their grandson.

of carols sung. Gift changed from Secret. Attractive refresh served to: Mesdames Majors, Louvaine Vincent, L. D. Ho Robertson, John Odom, Howard Cl Parr, Dan Hofac Brookshier, B. H. A W. P. Boydston, Max Stanaland, Ch C. Stevens, Vernon the hostess, Rhea

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