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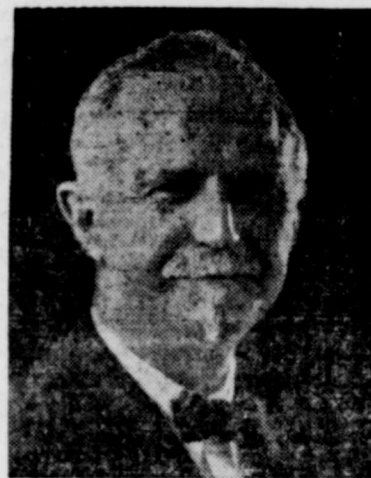
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Babson's Business and Financial Outlook for 1951

By Roger W. Babson

Special Exclusive:

The United Nations will withdraw from Korea during 1951. The United States in 1951 will have the largest National Income of its history.



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1. Excluding defense orders, the total business volume in 1951 will be less than that for 1950. However, National Income in 1951 will be the highest ever recorded, as war orders take the place of peace production and high prices prevail.

Move Government Controls Coming

2. The outstanding feature of 1951 will be the ever-increasing interference of the government in the lives of businessmen and consumers.

3. The Administration and its economic advisors are firmly convinced that radical inflation is about to break out next year. But the "brain trusters" are overlooking the fact that the boom is already old and that it was creaking badly when the Korean War broke out. War postponed the downturn which would have taken place much sooner. The date of the slide has only moved ahead.

4. Rushing to catch up on its neglected defense program, the Administration is anxious to shrink business volume to an unnecessary degree. Efforts at first will be along the line of tighter credit curbs, such as restrictions on mortgage and installment loans and increased bank reserve requirements.

5. As 1951 wears on, the effect of credit controls will cause a decline in legitimate business. Civilian production will decline more than armament production will increase. The public may then cry, "This is a government-made slump; let's get rid of the controls."

6. If in 1951 it becomes evident that business is declining too fast as a result of government curbs, the planners at Washington may rush their patient into an oxygen tent.

Labor Outlook Will Continue Tight

7. Most labor groups will not be successful in getting a sixth round of wage increases in 1951. Although there may be more strikes in the first part of 1951, there will be fewer for the whole year as compared with 1950.

8. Tightness in the labor supply will be continued as the year wears on, particularly of highly-skilled workers.

9. The Taft-Hartley Law will not be repealed during 1951 but may be amended. The Administrators of the law will continue to wink at some of its clauses.

Commodity Prices Will Remain Firm

10. Wholesale prices of many commodities will be marked by a mild decline in 1951 when compared with the price level for December 31, 1950. In some lines the drop may be quite steep from the high levels of late 1950. Retail prices for 1951, I do not now forecast.

11. The year 1951 should prove an excellent time to keep a tight grip on inventories. Commodity speculation for the rise will not pay in 1951. Furthermore, our expanding stockpiles of strategic materials present a real price threat in the event of a peace scare. Such stockpiles could then act strongly as a depressant on prices.

12. The cost of living will remain high during 1951. This prediction recognizes that living costs next year may be above the lower levels that existed during the first half of the year now closing.

Farm Outlook Good

13. Farmers' income for 1951 should average no less than that for 1950. Since the trend in the first half of 1950 was down, this forecast is not so optimistic as it might otherwise seem, for there is likely to be a weakening of the farmers' income position during the latter part of 1951.

14. Barring crop failures, the total supply of food available should be larger in 1951 than for 1950, since the government will raise planting quotas as part of its attack on inflation. If the weather is extremely favorable, the government will be blamed for farm-price weakness during the latter part of 1951.

15. With prospects good for a rising supply of feed grains, meat should be more plentiful next year than in 1950. Prices for meat, however, will be held up by continued high National Income and by military needs.

16. The burden of federal taxes, both corporate and personal, will be increased again in 1951. State and municipal taxes will remain high.

17. There will be an excess profits tax in 1951. These excess profits taxes will be milder than those in force during World War II; but they will be inflationary and retard efficiency, economy and incentive.

18. There will be heavy pressure for increased federal "sales taxes" to discourage purchasing of luxury and certain non-essential goods. Congress will see the value of some such sales taxes as an inflation road block.

19. States and municipalities will again be under pressure to find adequate sources of revenue. Further increases in such taxes can be looked for next year with additional cities and/or states adopting sales taxes.

20. Despite renewed efforts to increase the long-term capital gains tax above the present 20 per cent figure, rates will remain unchanged.

Domestic Trade Will Be Less

21. Credit curbs will cut into the demand for automobiles and household equipment. Completions of fewer dwellings will also act as a damper on furniture sales.

22. Falling demand for hard goods should mean a stabilization of the public's spending for food and lower-priced soft goods.

23. The trend forecast in No. 22 will mean a decline in department store volume, but I predict a rise in the sales of variety chains and of drug chains.

Foreign Trade Outlook Fair

24. Barring new war developments, I look for continued shrinkage in our exports during 1951. Imports, however, should rise further. Total foreign trade should not be much changed, but the exporters will be on the short end of this business with the importers gaining.

25. It will become more difficult to convince Congress that additional heavy credits should be granted abroad except for war supplies.

26. As was the case this year, many domestic manufacturers will feel increasing competition from foreign merchandise. The cry for increased tariff protection will be heard again in the land.

27. Business and financial forecasts for next year are NOT based on the thought that World War III will start in 1951. Russia is certainly heading for war, but we do not believe she now wants it in Europe. She will be satisfied to have her satellites continue taking unexpected jabs at us, while the Uoliturbo boys hand out the soothing syrup. But we may see another episode like "Korea" in 1951.

More Difficult Financing After June 30, 1951

28. The first half of 1951 may actually see a budget surplus as a result of high National Income and increased taxation. Later, if Congress goes along with the Administration's plans for huge rearmament, a federal deficit will arise during the last half of the year.

29. As a result of the preceding prediction, money supplies should not begin to rise until after business has turned down. Increases at such a time are not likely to have much effect on prices.

30. Government bonds will be held tightly between the floor of Federal Reserve support purchases and the ceiling of Federal Reserve anti-inflation sales. Under such conditions, price changes should be negligible.

31. A great deal will be heard in 1951 about giving the Federal Reserve Board powerful controls over member bank loaning policies. Congress is not likely to pass such controls, however, unless commodity prices go a lot higher, or World War III comes.

Stock Market and Bond Outlook Uncertain

32. I see nothing now to indicate that we are entering a period of improved international relations. The danger of war remains. Until it disappears, wise people will move out of large bomb-vulnerable cities and avoid having investments in such areas.

33. The Stock Averages may work somewhat higher during the first half of next year, but sometime during 1951 they will sell lower than current quotations.

34. Stocks now in the best position for 1951 should be those that have not been popular as inflation hedges in the past months. I like good chain store stocks.

35. Investment Trust funds, pension funds, and insurance companies will provide an excellent backlog of demand for sound Income Stocks where good values can be demonstrated.

36. The successful investor next year will be the one who follows a carefully planned investment program. Such a program will emphasize diversification—not only by company and industry, but also by quality. Overconcentration will not pay in 1951.

37. Highest-grade taxable corporate bonds should hold in a narrow price range during '51, but I see no reason for individual investors buying them. For my forecast for long-term government bonds, see No. 30 above. The only corporate bonds which interest me are CONVERTIBLES.

38. With income taxes slated to increase in 1951, tax-exempt bonds should continue in good

SOME WILL CLOSE, SOME TO STAY OPEN MONDAY, NEW YEARS

A check with the Chamber of Commerce reveals that merchants are undecided about closing Monday, January 1st.

Probably the majority will be closed, if they get their inventories completed by the 1st.

Sam Keith's Father Buried Monday, 25

Graveside services were held Monday afternoon at 3 P. M. for M. H. Keith, 92, who died at his home Sunday. Mr. Keith was the father of Sam Keith of Burkburnett.

Interment was made in the Harpersville Cemetery, near Breckenridge.

Survivors include six children and a number of grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Devol Services Held For T. B. Cozby Tuesday

Thomas Byron Cozby, 67, died at his home in Devol shortly after midnight Sunday, December 24th. He had been ill several months, with his condition becoming serious about ten days ago.

A farmer, Mr. Cozby had lived in the Devol area since 1909. He was born in Dublin, Texas.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon from the Devol Baptist Church with Don Mansur, minister of the Burkburnett Church of Christ, officiating, assisted by Rev. J. N. Loftin, pastor of the Devol Baptist Church. Interment was made in the Devol Cemetery under direction of the Owens and Brumley Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were: T. A. Landers, C. O. Woodley, Joe Davis, Floyd Henry, E. N. Miracle and Jess Kemp.

Survivors include: the wife; four sons, Peyton, Price and Phillip all of Devol, Walter Paul of Burkburnett; four daughters, Mrs. Ralph Postlewait of Randlett, Mrs. W. E. Morrow of Devol, Mrs. C. G. Nunn of Burkburnett, and Mrs. H. N. Dunnagan of Hutchinson, Kansas; two brothers, Dave of Grandfield, and Herbert of Devol; three sisters, Mrs. H. M. Warren of Devol, Mrs. A. G. Bingham of Cleburn, and Mrs. Charlie Shaw of Littlefield, and twelve grandchildren.

Lions Club

Each Tuesday Night, at Town Hall, 7:00 P. M.

Lion Howard Clement presented Lion J. B. Foyce Tuesday night to bring a very interesting program concerning the new Social Security Law. Foyce, who is a Field Executive out of the office at Wichita Falls, briefly explained the new law and wherein it differed from the old set-up. Taking figures and figures to make his discussion clearer, Foyce brought a most informative talk. After his discussion he answered a number of questions from Lions concerning Social Security and how the new program will work. Attendance was off considerably, since the meeting came the night after Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Bazell of Eunice, New Mexico were holiday visitors in Burkburnett.

Martha Gail Parr Guest Speaker for Rotary Club Tues.

Miss Martha Gail Parr, Director of the Cerebral Palsy Clinic in Wichita Falls, was guest speaker at the noon meeting of the Rotary Club Tuesday. Miss Parr, guest of program chairman P. A. Wiggins, explained to members the meaning of Cerebral Palsy, what it is and the five types of the condition. She also told of circumstances which may cause the brain deficiency, stressing the fact that its victims are not mentally ill, but as alert as you or I. Miss Parr concluded her most interesting discussion by telling of the functions of the Clinic and their care and treatment of Cerebral Palsy patients. The Clinic in Wichita Falls is sponsored by the Kiwanis Club and the Texas Society of Crippled Children.

President Ted Harwell was in charge of the meeting. Alvin Hill gave the invocation.

I. C. Evans introduced G. H. Hodges, Earl Hodges, John B. Barbour, Hub Cheshire, Jack Carter, and Floyd Ammer, visiting Wichita Falls Rotarians, and Oscar Lentz, Jr., of Austin, guest of Alvin Hill; Ernest Maib, guest of Geo. McClarty, and as his guest, his son, Jon. Attendance was off somewhat due to the holidays. There will be no meeting next Tuesday.

On Tuesday, January 9th, Louis Littlefair will bring the program.

Dodge to Introduce New Model Jan. 20

Dodge will introduce its 1951 model cars to the public on January 20, it was announced today by Paul Browning of the Burkburnett Motors.

Paul Browning has just returned from a dealer preview of the new cars at Oklahoma City. He described them "really outstanding in appearance, riding comfort and roadability."

"I am excited about the looks of the 1951 Dodge cars," Mr. Browning said. "They are beautiful automobiles, both inside and out. As for mechanical improvements, Dodge engineers have developed something new in the way of ride control. I think it is one of the best advancements in chassis engineering we have seen in a long time and I am looking forward to giving road demonstrations beginning January 20th."

Mr. Browning said Dodge 1950 retail sales nationally were the greatest in Dodge history despite the fact that the factory was out of production for three months last spring.

Colored Children Have Xmas Party

The Booker T. Washington School presented a candle light Vesper service and also a Christmas tree at the school last week. Bags were distributed by the P-T A and were enjoyed by all.

The parents and teachers of the school would like to express sincere thanks to all of our dear white friends who have helped to make our Christmas a more beautiful and happy one.

We hope your Christmas was merry and wish you a very Happy New Year. Mrs. Martha Rhodes Mrs. Anna Freeman

Wichita Magazine Resumes Burkburnett Annual Plug

The official publication of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce, WICHITA FALLS, Winter Edition, Burkburnett Plug, in for some favorable news. In writing about Hennessy, former resident of Burkburnett and past president of the Chamber of Commerce they referred to him in an article as "Wichita Falls Plug." In the accompanying cartoon, Henry was seated in a Buick automobile, surrounded by oil derricks. All very appropriate, for he has extensive interests in the Grace Buick Company, and interests everywhere.

From the article: "Citizens like to call their city 'The City That Faith Built.' The City That Faith Built in Burkburnett (from Wichita Falls got its real name in oil plus a number of leaders) they say it: 'Wichita Falls—The City That Built.'"

Burkburnett and Henry have done a good job of plugging Wichita Falls."

Annual Sale At Opal's Dress Shop

Opal and Opal Bookbinder are having an unusual sale, daily in the face of existing conditions. They are offering all their Fall and Winter merchandise at ONE-HALF PRICE. Merchandise offered could be replaced at the sale today. Ladies' clothing is going up in price, at the same time, quality undoubtedly be lowered.

Opal explains the sale this year. Opal's Shop does not ever have dresses from one season to another. As a season closes, they sacrifice clothing in that line to clear store to make way for merchandise for the next year. Aside from the Coats and Dresses being offered at price, other bargains are too. See their ad on the page of this week's Star.

CHURCH OF DIMES BEHIND SQUARE GRANDFIELD, OKLA.

E. Crawford, Mayor of Grandfield, Oklahoma, asks the help to help publicize the Church of Dimes Benefit Dance. A Benefit Square Dance will be held in the Grandfield Community Building, January 31, beginning at 8:00 P. M. Joe Lewis and his band, from Dallas, Texas, are the featured band.

CHRISTMAS BABY Mrs. Vic Spearman and Mrs. Worth are the proud mothers of a baby boy born on Christmas Day. Mrs. Spearman is the former Miss Frances Spearman of Burkburnett.

Mrs. Don Lohofener, Mrs. Blene and Mr. and Mrs. White of Wichita Falls are holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al Lohofener.

Mrs. Duke Owen and Mrs. Gary and Jimmy visited Owen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noble in Kerens, Texas, during the holidays.

MRS. PAUL LAMBERT WINS REFRIGERATOR AT CORNER DRUG

Mrs. Paul Lambert was the lucky person last Saturday evening when she won the Admiral Refrigerator at the Corner Drug Store. This was a nice Christmas present for a young couple, who have lived here only a short time. Her husband is Dr. Paul Lambert, Dentist.

Cecil A. Jennings On USS Henrico

Cecil A. Jennings, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jennings of Box 295, Burkburnett, Texas, is serving aboard the attack transport USS Henrico.

The ship has been transporting troops and supplies to the Korean area.

As a member of the United Nations Naval Forces, the Navy man has participated in the landing of troops and supplies at Pusan, Inchon and Wonsan.

Sale Barn Had Very Good Pre-Christmas Sale

In spite of the last minute Christmas rush, the Saturday Livestock Sale went off as usual with a good showing.

Walter Kasper of the Clara Community sold some choice hogs which brought 19 cents. R. Y. Smith of Electra, Rt. 2, had some nice top yearlings. G. C. Beaver of Randlett sold some nice grown cattle at top market prices. Peery Bowman, also of Randlett, sold some nice cattle at attractive prices. The offering of cattle brought in by J. C. Hinkle sold well. Tom Munson of Devol sold a load of cattle at average and above the market price. Ping Lundberg had 3 calves which sold extra good.

Sale will start next Saturday promptly at 1:00 o'clock.

Prestons Hosts For Xmas Party

Wednesday evening, December 20th, Hugh and Buddy Preston entertained their employees and producers with a Christmas dinner. All met at the Preston home on Avenue C and went in a group to the Palace Cafe where a delicious meal of Turkey and all the trimmings was served by Huck McDonnell.

Those enjoying the affair were: Messrs. and Mesdames Ellis Gragg, Robert Hinkle, Walter Cozby, Gene Lowrance of Iowa Park, Glenn Tucker of Wichita Falls, Miss Beverly Bruce, Leemon Smith, Bill Lundberg, Bill McClarty, Mrs. Hugh Preston and the two hosts.

FIREMEN'S "42" PARTY DECLARED SUCCESS

Everybody seemed to have a good time at the recent "42" Party sponsored by the Burk Volunteer Fire Dept. at Town Hall.

Two turkeys were given by the boys. One to J. D. Ashton, Jr., No. 263, the other to Troy Mills, No. 412.

Virgil Inman, Hertis Baber and Duke Owen attended an all College Basketball tournament in Oklahoma City Wednesday.

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AS TRUE TODAY

A man put it this way: "You cannot bring about prosperity by discouraging thrift. You cannot strengthen the weak by weakening the strong. You cannot help the wage earner by pulling down the wage payer. You cannot help the brotherhood of men by encouraging class hatred. You cannot help the poor by destroying the rich."

This above is as applicable today as it was those long years back when Abraham Lincoln said it.

WE'VE QUIT GUESSING

For long months we've been hoping and praying for our victory in Korea, because that killing affair is a cruel useless and really a murderous procedure.

A "headline" tells about the "U. N. Strategy in Korea."

The United Nations may be preparing a give battle, but the Communists are the people who are licking us. They seem to be able to get Chinese and other half-wits to join the battle against the enemies of Communism. What are we fighting for over there? You answer that question. We don't know anybody in Washington who has the right answer. We don't know very many of the facts concerning that deal over there in Korea. We don't know the strategy planned—if it's good or bad. But from what we have to form opinions on, it looks like we are on the short end of the affair.

ARE YOU LAND CRAZY?

Land is the most important thing in the world, reminds a farmer friend of ours. World leadership, wealth, power and human energy are indebted to the production from soil. It is our most valuable asset and yet is shamed, misused, illy treated and wasted. Surely not in ignorance, because city and country alike have been warned by those interested in the nation's welfare, that we are not maintaining soil's fertility or applying approved land practices that will keep the soil productive. Many farmers will not heed the advice of conservationists, disregard the fact that land wears out.

Burk Burnett area can be proud of its farmers. For

the most part they are following every land conservation practice that has been proved for our locality. Seven of the winners in the 1950 Bridwell Conservation Contest live right around Burk Burnett. Narb Zimmerman, the Master Farmer of Wichita, Clay and Archer Counties, determined by this contest, lives at the Northwest edge of Burk Burnett. He took an old worn out farm that was practically worthless a few years ago and has built it up to one of the most productive in this area. That shows what can and most certainly should be done all over our great nation.

A once fertile field of rich, dark brown loam can become a yellow clay top soil that yields little. Harvesting a scant crop or a rich crop lies in soil conservation. Contour plowing, drainage outlets, soil tests, proper fertilizer, bring health to a sick farm. U. S. Conservation soil practices, AAA agents, vocational agriculture teachers can help the farmer to rebuild and retain his fields.

We must not wear out the foundation for strength, reservoir of health, production for wealth. Our President has asked that in our National Emergency, everybody, especially farmers, must produce more. More farmers in this community are attacking the land problem constructively and effectively, but with 50 million acres of once fertile crop land unsuitable for cultivation, with another 50 million acres about to go the same way, with 100 million acres showing erosion of three-fourths of its top soil, we need the efforts through education, of ALL farmers, to stop wind and water from washing away what remains. It is a farmer's defense against a bleak pasture, a barren hillside, an empty barn and silo.

Baseboard Heating Does Efficient Job

Tests conducted by the National Bureau of Standards show that the baseboard heating system is well-suited for basement-less houses, reports American Builder magazine.

This was found to be true because the heating system is installed above the floor. The tests also showed that baseboard heating provides better comfort at the floor level than most other systems. The magazine points out, however, that this type system also can be used in houses having basements with the boiler located below the floor.

Increased use of baseboard heating systems in low-cost housing gives added significance to the results of the tests conducted by the Bureau, a unit of the U. S. Department of Commerce.

The Bureau found this type of heating system to be efficient, clean and economical, says American Builder. Baseboard heating involves a minimum of air movement. Another advantage is that the heating elements—not much thicker or higher than a baseboard—are almost entirely removed from the useful area of the living space.

Results of the tests indicated that comparatively small temperature differences existed between the rooms and between different levels in the same room, according to the publication. Compared to the performance of a gravity hot water heating system with conventional thin tube radiators and the boiler in the basement, the baseboard convectors was found to provide a more even distribution of temperature between floor and ceiling.

Miss Emily Moore, home Economics teacher, is in Paris, Texas, visiting her parents during the holidays.

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Consideration For Farm Workers Under Draft Law

Emphasizing that the draft law provides no blanket deferment for farm workers, Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state Selective Service director, declared today that local boards are required both by law and regulation to consider each agricultural worker's case individually, just as other men's cases are considered.

General Wakefield said that regulations issued by the President provide for a deferred classification for farm workers only when the following conditions are met to the satisfaction of the local board:

1. The man must be "employed in the production for market of a substantial quantity of those agricultural commodities which are necessary to the maintenance of the national health, safety, or interest."

2. "The production for market of a substantial quantity of agricultural commodities should be measured in terms of the average annual production per farm worker which is marketed from a local average farm of the type under consideration. The production of agricultural commodities for consumption by the worker and his family, or traded for subsistence purposes, should not be considered as production for market. Production which is in excess of that required for the subsistence of the farm families on the farm under consideration should be considered as production for market."

The state draft director observed that "this still doesn't give the complete picture," and added that a man, to be eligible for farm deferment, must also meet the requirements in the section of the Selective Service regulations defining necessary employment.

He quoted as follows: "A registrant's employment in industry or other occupation, service in office, or activity in study, research, or medical, scientific, or other endeavors shall be considered to be necessary to the maintenance of the national health, safety, or interest only when all of the following conditions exist:

1. "The registrant is, or but for a seasonal or temporary interruption would be, engaged in such activity;

2. "The registrant cannot be replaced because of a shortage of persons with his qualifications or skill in such activity; and

3. "The removal of the registrant would cause a material loss of effectiveness in such activity."

General Wakefield stressed that deferments based on agricultural and other civilian occupations are not permanent. "They are issued for one year or less," he said, "and local boards have instructions to classify a registrant as available for service whenever the cause for his deferment ceases to exist."

He explained that the designation Class II-C is used to indicate those deferred because of agricultural occupation.

Mrs. T. W. Adams and son Wilford Adams, mother and brother of Mrs. Ben McDonald of Lott, Texas; Benny McDonald and family of Vernon; and James McDonald of Aspermont, spent Christmas in the Ben McDonald home.

Burk Burnett . . . History

Revealed By Star
Files 10 Years Ago...

Three hundred boys and girls were on hand early Monday morning to attend the Christmas theatre party sponsored annually by the Burk Burnett Star and the Palace Theatre.

James Tate Hall of Los Angeles is spending Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Charles Hall and other relatives.

More than \$200.00 was spent this week for groceries which were packed in baskets for the needy in Burk Burnett and will be delivered to them Christmas Eve, according to W. R. Hill, chairman of the Community Chest drive.

The Burk Burnett Community Hall, which is now nearing completion, will be formally opened some time in January with the Fireman's Ball, an annual affair.

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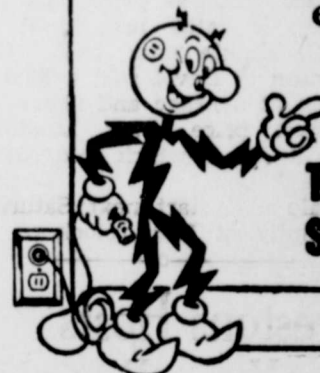
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It is the time to plan for the New Year that is just around the corner, says Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. It is the time for the person to get over to take care of the situation as far as health is concerned. The best way to prepare for a continuous life is to begin early. The important thing is the periodic check-up by your doctor. Health Problem discovered always easier to correct. Prevention is the watchword. Principal foes of health to the middle years are disease, cancer, high blood pressure, hardened arteries and arthritis. The leading cause of death. A person with a weak heart should learn to live and not exceed his strength. Many persons with heart disease are leading a useful and productive life by following their doctor's instructions. Heart disease is the second leading cause of death. Many types of heart disease can be cured or controlled if found and diagnosed. This is an important reason why the

periodic medical check-up is a "must". Diabetes is a condition in which the body cannot use sugar. Did you have the Free Diabetes Test during "Diabetics Week," November 12-18? If not go to your physician now and have this test. Three of the diseases common to the after-forty group are concerned with the circulation of the blood. These are apoplexy, hardened arteries, and high blood pressure. You will want your physician to check your blood pressure. A great deal can be done to arrest certain forms of arthritis. The person may be put on a special diet. The doctor may advise the removal of some hidden infections. Information on prevention of these disabling diseases will be sent you on request. Let's plan to keep well during the New Year.

CHICK CHATS

By Clark Gresham

Feed For Higher Egg Production

"Make 'em eat and you'll make 'em lay!" That advice is often given to poultrymen for raising poultry more efficiently and producing eggs more plentifully. Although the poultryman should watch his feed costs—and wastes—carefully, he should aim at high feed consumption among his birds. By stimulating layers to eat more,

he also stimulates production. A good laying hen will certainly eat more than a slow-layering one, but the percentage of profit definitely lies in the good layer. Although the good layer may eat more, she also requires less feed to lay each egg. That is, her egg production greatly offsets the extra feed she may consume. On the other hand, the loafing layers eat a lot but fail to lay many eggs.

Increase Consumption

There are a number of factors influencing feed consumption, but some of the more important things you can do to increase consumption are: feed mash and grain oftener during the day; stir the mash more frequently; provide increased feeding space; and feed wet mash at noon or night. It is also a good idea to put an edge on birds' appetites with a good poultry tonic. Layers given this kind of care and treatment should perk up quickly. But if loafers appear, do not hesitate to cull them immediately. They not only have a bad influence on the flock, they cut deeply into your egg profits.

A Balanced Ration

Good egg production depends not only on the quantity of feed consumed, but also on its quality as well. See that your birds get a balanced ration of properly blended, high quality ingredients that include the essential proteins, fats, carbohydrates, minerals, and vitamins. A balanced ration provides for the body requirements of birds and also the actual make up of the eggs.

Since an egg is about 65 per cent water, keep plenty of water before the hens at all times. During the cold weather keep the chill off the water and make sure there is enough space at the fountains so that all birds have equal opportunity to drink.

Valley View Baptist Church

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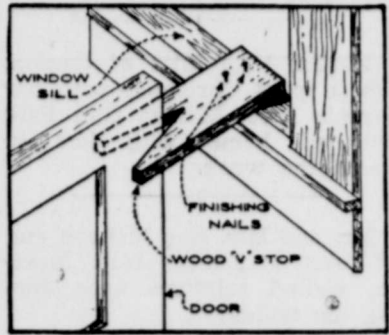
Sunday School, 10 A. M. Preaching, 11 A. M. Night Service, 7:00 P. M. Thursday night prayer meeting, 7:30 P. M. Everyone is cordially invited.

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For Door-planing

When edge-planing doors before hanging, time can be saved



by holding them securely with a simple stop made of scrap lumber, suggests American Builder magazine. The door stop is made by cutting a V-shaped notch, three inches wide at the mouth and 12 inches long, in the piece of wood. Then it is tacked to the window sill, as shown in the illustration, with two thin casing nails.

Roof Ventilators Have Safety Value

Ventilators on top of garage roofs are a safety measure well worth considering, especially when the garage is attached to the house, says American Builder magazine.

The publication points out that fumes from the car often are retained within the garage. A natural and easy means of escape for these fumes can be provided through a ventilator.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS TO JOHN W. BARRY Defendant—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 30th District Court of Wichita County at the Court House, in Wichita Falls, Texas at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 8th day of January, A. D. 1951 then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 24th day of November A. D. 1950, in this cause, numbered 48063-A on the docket of said court and styled Lola T. Barry Plaintiff, vs. John W. Barry Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Divorce, Plaintiff alleging; marriage at Denton, Texas June 2, 1920; that all children were of age, none dependent in anywise; no community property; abandonment since 1931; cruelty and threats of violence making further living together insupportable; and for judgment declaring Lot 1 Block 110, Patterson Addition to Wichita Falls, Texas to be Plaintiff's separate property.

Wherefore Plaintiff prays for divorce, cancellation of marriage contract, for establishment of separate property in Plaintiff, and for such other and further relief to which she may show herself justly entitled.

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

The Officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas as this the 24th day of November A. D. 1950.

(SEAL) Glenn Haynes, Clerk, 30th District Court, Wichita County, Texas. 19-4tc

Gleaners Class Christmas Party

Members of the Gleaners Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church were entertained with a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Roy Gilbert on December 21st. Mrs. Stella Pace and Mrs. Mildred Good were co-hostesses. The party room was beautifully decorated and an array of gifts were placed about the lovely tree.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Ruth Terry and a brief business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Goldie Gilbert, president of the class. Two guests, Mrs. I. C. Evans and Mrs. Charlie Croft were introduced.

Mrs. Evans read a very lovely Christmas story, "The Little Mizer", after which gifts were exchanged and Lottie Moon offerings were made.

Refreshment plates were served to: Mesdames Evans, Charlie Croft, Stella Pace, Mildred Good, Ruth Terry, Goldie Gilbert, Clara Bell Gilbert, L. Veda Parsons, and Oattie Mae Nixon.

Church of The Nazarene

Sunday School, 9:45 A. M. Preaching Service, 10:45 A. M. Young People's Meeting at 6:30 P. M. Preaching, 7:15 P. M.

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TO: CICIL HERMAN ROBERTS, Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 78th District Court of Wichita County at the Court House thereof, in Wichita Falls, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 22nd day of January A. D., 1951, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 14th day of November A. D., 1950, in this cause, numbered 48038-B on the docket of said court and styled Geraldine Ruth Roberts Plaintiff, vs. Cicil Herman Roberts Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

After alleging jurisdiction, Plaintiff further alleges that she and the Defendant were married on or about the 16th day of April, A. D. 1950, and continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 1st day of May A. D., 1950, when by reason of the cruel, harsh and tyrannical treatment on the part of the Defendant toward this Plaintiff without cause or provocation on the part of the Plaintiff which was of such nature as to render their further living together as insupportable; that there were no children born of this marriage and that there is no community property; that Plaintiff's maiden name was Geraldine Ruth Ideman.

Wherefore, Plaintiff prays that upon final hearing she have judgment for divorce and for restoration of her maiden name and for such other and further relief that the court shall deem proper to grant in law or in equity.

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

The Officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas this the 6th day of December A. D., 1950.

GLENN HAYNES, Clerk, 78th District Court, Wichita County, Texas

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Veterans' Day At Fat Stock Show January 31, 1951

Veterans' Day at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth will be Wednesday, January 31 and one group of 1,500 ex-servicemen already is assured.

They are taking veterans' agricultural education in a nine-county region. The visit will be considered a field trip, application of subjects studied in class.

They will attend the judging and will do judging themselves, with the instructor checking the student's finding with those of the official judges. Some of the veterans will attend the stock show several days.

Fred Wadley of Arlington is regional supervisor, the area consisting of Tarrant, Dallas, Hood, Johnson, Ellis, Parker, Wise, Palo Pinto and Jack Counties. County agricultural supervisors and co-ordinators will accompany the veterans.

Mrs. A. M. Corder of Kingston, Oklahoma is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Herman Miller and family.



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Miss Marjorie Hill Marries Denton Man Sat., Dec. 16

Miss Marjorie Jane Hill of Burkburnett, Texas, and Fort Collins, Colorado, and Robert Lee Allen of Denton, were married in rites performed December 16 in the First Christian Church at Denton, with the Rev. W. S. Parish, Jr., officiating in the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Jane Hill of Fort Collins, Colorado, and A. R. Hill of Burkburnett. Allen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Allen of Denton.

The ceremony was solemnized before an altar decorated with white gladioli, fern, and candelabra. The bridal solos, "Thine Alone", "If I Could Tell You," and the "Lord's Prayer" were sung by Jerry Jackson, accompanied by Miss Jimmie Lou Graham.

A. R. Hill gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a dusty rose gabardine suit fashioned with a fitted bodice and slim skirt. She wore navy and white accessories and carried a white Bible topped with pink roses.

Mrs. O. H. Lentz, Jr., of Austin, sister of the bride and matron of honor, wore a blue gabardine dress with navy accessories and carried a nosegay of white roses.

Jack Allen of Decatur attended his brother as best man. Ushers were Paul Orr of Denton and Bob Carpenter of Dallas.

Mrs. Allen will be a 1951 graduate of North Texas State College where she is a member of Senior Mary Arden, Alpha Rho Tau, Kappa Kappa Kappa, FTA. She was a campus beauty of 1950. Allen is a graduate of Denton High School and North Texas State College. He is a member of Talon Fraternity and was vice-president of the Sophomore class.

Following a wedding trip to Dallas, the couple will make their home at 604 Pearl Street in Denton.

Out of town guests at the wedding were Mrs. L. V. Henry, Sr., of Gainesville; O. H. Lentz, Jr., of Austin; Mrs. A. R. Hill of Burkburnett, Mrs. S. E. Marchand and daughter, Martha Ellen of Archer City, Mrs. Charles Cape and son of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Marchand, Jr., of Electra.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Loring and family of Artesia, New Mexico spent the holidays in Burk.

Dr. and Mrs. Don Gould and daughters Brenda and Gloria were Tuesday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dodson and Jeanne.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hill spent the week end in Wynnewood, Oklahoma.

Friendship Class Christmas Party

The Friendship Class of the First Baptist Church entertained with their annual Christmas party recently on December 21. Traditionally they named their husbands and the husbands of their service members as honor guests for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burns were host and hostess for the affair. Their beautifully decorated home presented a picture of Christmas cheer and graciousness.

The host and hostess assisted by Mrs. Chas. Kilpatrick of Wichita Falls and the refreshment committee of the Friendship Class composed of Mesdames W. M. Utley, H. A. Goodwin and J. E. Cypert, served a delicious Turkey dinner to the guests seated at tables decorated in keeping with the Christmas season.

Music for the evening was furnished by a quartet composed of Rev. W. R. Karkalits, C. R. Chambers, W. H. Cross and Cliff Wampler. Their first number, "The Women" (humorous song) was cleverly rendered and dedicated to the women present. Their Christmas song was "Silent Night."

Rev. T. Lynn Stewart gave special recognition to Mrs. Hattie Daniel, a resident of Wichita County for sixty-five years and an aunt of the hostess. The quartet sang "When You and I Were Young Maggie," her favorite song, dedicating it to her.

Mrs. Al Lohofener brought the Christmas story, "The Black Madonna," by Applegarth. In her mild and unique way, Mrs. Lohofener pointed out that the Virgin Mary is pictured as belonging to all races. Each race sculptor and painter, seeing it in the light of their own race. This being true, people should lay aside race distinction and work together for the common cause of all.

Attending the affair were: Messrs. and Mesdames Will Teal, J. B. Wright, A. C. Reeves, O. L. Clark, Dan Woodward, B. A. Landers, R. P. Thaxton, H. D. Smith, H. A. Goodwin, R. C. Redman, C. D. Mullins, C. R. Chambers, Roy Anderson, Lester Coats, E. R. Burns, J. D. Kennedy, and Mesdames Agnes Boyd, H. L. Lawrence, Nola Thorp, J. C. Adams, J. M. Turner and Jessie Wallace. Service members included: Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Preston, Mrs. Carl Miller, Mrs. Luke Warren, and Mrs. R. W. Kent; Visitors were: Rev. and Mrs. T. Lynn Stewart, Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Karkalits, and Messrs. and Mesdames Al Lohofener, W. A. Minick, B. F. Huell, Cliff Wampler, Mrs. W. H. Cross. Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kilpatrick, Mr. Glen Howard, Mr. J. W. Donohoo, and Mrs. Hattie Daniel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert visited Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell in Jacksboro Sunday.

Grannie Hale Celebrated Her Birthday 21st

The Assembly of God Prayer Band met at the home of Grannie Hale on the 21st of December to honor her on her birthday. After a social hour, the group went to the kitchen where the ladies had prepared a lovely dinner.

Following the meal, a prayer service was held and prayers were offered for the Service men, Missionaries, the sick and the Pastor and his family. During a gift exchange, Grannie was presented with a number of useful gifts.

The meeting was dismissed with prayer.

Martha Beth Utts of Canton, Texas spent Christmas with her parents here. Martha Gail Parr returned home with her to spend the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McLean and children of Eunice, New Mexico, visited relatives here during the holidays.

Mrs. Don Maben and daughter Ann of Kilgore visited here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Miller of Olton visited Tuesday with the F. E. Gladdens and C. C. Gilberts.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Blum and son of Pecos, Texas spent this Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Minnie Blum and grandmother, Mrs. Lewis.

Mrs. Ray Hill was admitted to the Wichita Falls Clinic this week.

New Year in France Day Par Excellence

January 1, la jour de la bonne annee, is the day par excellence in France.

It is the day of gift-giving and of ringing doorbells. Besides friends who come to present gifts, tradespeople are accustomed to call to offer compliments of the day and receive, in turn, small sums of money.

The atmosphere is full of joy and gaiety and hospitality. Gifts are proudly displayed and callers come and go amid many compliments and the toasting of everyone's health.

Jour de l'an has its serious side, too. Many families visit the graves of departed members, since this day is considered an appropriate time to remember the dead as well as the living.

The churches generally are crowded on New Year's Eve, which is also the Vigil of St. Sylvester, and early pontiff and father of the Church. In various rural communities, the cattle are driven to the door of the village church where they are blessed by the priest who also says Mass for their protection during the New Year.

Christmas dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dink Lawson were: their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beaver of Walters, Oklahoma; Mr. Lawson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Pace and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Lawson and daughter Laucene of Walters, Mrs. Anna Mae Lawson and Herbert and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott and Patty.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Walling and family of Kermit, Charles Walling, Jr., and family of Crane, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Alexander and baby of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Clara Reed of Wichita Falls were all guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Walling during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jordan and Frances of Loving and Mr. and Mrs. T. Guy Willis were dinner guests Christmas Day in the O. B. Wofford home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hill visited Sunday with Mrs. Hill's mother, Mrs. R. S. Canter in Olustee, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Goodwin spent Christmas in Nocona, Texas with their daughter, Mrs. Everett Pearson and family. Also dinner guests in the Pearson home were Mrs. Goodwin's sister, Mrs. Virgil Taylor and Mr. Taylor of Gainesville and another sister, Mrs. Agnes Richardson of El Paso and her son Bobby who is stationed with the army in South Dakota. The Goodwins and Mrs. Richardson and Bobby accompanied the Taylors to Gainesville for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Teal, Bryan Teal and Buckley and Roy Teal of Lubbock spent the holidays with Wayne Teal and family in Edna, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris and children of Dallas spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Northcott.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Ramsey and son Glen of Morton, Texas, spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ramsey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gilchrist and children of Abilene spent the holidays in Burkburnett.

Mrs. Dave Holtz was admitted to the Bethania Hospital in Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hinkle and son Don of Texhoma were Burkburnett visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Vaughn and girls are spending the holidays with his relatives in Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Currey and girls of Abilene visited in Burkburnett during the holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. Rudolph Robinson spent Christmas with their parents in McAllister, Okla.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul Lambert visited his relatives in Decatur Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Fenner and children of Beaumont spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Thaxton spent the Christmas holidays in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Culbertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Preston and Buddy had as their guests for the Christmas holidays, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gammill, Mrs. Audine Hood and Dickie of Portales, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Short and Jerry Lynn of Norman, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Logan and children of Houston visited relatives here over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Tollett and family of Aransas Pass were holiday visitors in Burk.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dudley during the holidays were: Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Walden and children of Little Rock, Arkansas and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Breeding of Baytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kirsh and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Reeves and children spent Christmas with Mr. Reeves' mother in Denton.



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Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blake and Donna were: Mrs. R. G. Candler and family and Mrs. Lena H. Pampa, Mr. Hollis Helms, Mr. and Mrs. Yearby of Dallas, Mr. Guy Ragland and J. Wichita Falls and Mr. W. P. Boydston and M. Burkburnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell of Ardmore spent Christmas with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Fr... Eunice, New Mexico relatives here during the Christmas holidays.



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DEVOL NEWS

Clara Stofer

Sunday evening, about 4:30 two cars met on Highway 70, South of Devol, where the Devol paved street enters the highway. Drivers of the cars were Mr. Claude LeMond, living on the Wyatt-Harvey lease South of Devol and Mr. Earl Chavis, a railroad worker from Loveland, Oklahoma. Mr. LeMond was driving South from Devol, to make a Southeast turn into Highway 70. Mr. Chavis was going West. The cars met almost head-on as they attempted to pass, it seems. Riding with Mr. Chavis were Mrs. Chavis and their four children, a daughter, Virginia, 14, who was thrown from the car, but it is not known the extent of her injuries. Mr. LeMond sustained two broken ribs. Decision of the Patrol has not been reached at this time.

The Frank McClendon family had Sunday dinner in the Bill Harrison home. Christmas day was spent in the home of Mrs. McClendon's brother, Mr. Lawrence Baumhardt and family of Iowa Park. They were accompanied home by Miss Janice Baumhardt who will spend her vacation with them.

Visiting in the J. B. Stevens home during the holidays were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Eubanks of Walters, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis of Burk, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stevens, Mrs. Patsy Hardin of Burkburnett; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Odom of Drumright, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Miller, Grandfield, and Mrs. Maxine Berendzen of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Bishop of Oklahoma City; 20 grand children and one great grandchild.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Pettigrew and Jean of Lubbock spent Friday with her aunt, Mrs. K. B. Uthe. They also accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Uthe and Patsy to Oklahoma City for Christmas.

The T. E. L. Sunday School class of the Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. K. B. Uthe Thursday afternoon for their annual party. Mrs. Farmer

led the program. After the business session gifts were exchanged and dainty refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Tom Monson, Lloyd Clemmer, J. N. Loftin, M. K. Potts, Carl Powell, K. L. Smith, J. B. Stevens, Wm. Tarrant, W. M. Manley, Ross Wright, R. W. Davidson, W. M. Nelson, Gertrude Farmer, Ridley Odom, Mrs. Ona Slabaugh, Mrs. Lillian Greenway, Mrs. Peggy Maxwell, Mesdames K. B. Uthe and Bob Hinkle, hostesses.

Mr. Don Coker and family of Post, Texas, spent Christmas with Don's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Coker. Other children home were Mrs. Pauline Watkins of Fort Worth and Jr. Coker.

All the W. A. Wood children were home for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Wood, Jr., Edwin Wood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Adkins, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wood, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Randall.

The D. V. Kirkpatrick family left last Friday for Raymondville, Texas to spend the holidays with Mr. Kirkpatrick's mother and his sister, Mrs. Dalberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Conrad and daughter of San Angelo, Texas, arrived last Thursday for a visit with Mrs. Conrad's grand mother, Mrs. J. E. Dickson and her uncle, Clint Dickson. Mrs. Conrad's brother, Buster Dickson, Mrs. Dickson and their daughter, also of San Angelo, arrived Sunday to spend Christmas with them. Mrs. J. E. Dickson's son, Charlie Dickson of Levelland, Texas, spent Christmas Day with them.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Watson and their grandson, Donald Wayne Bryant, left Saturday morning for El Paso to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Watson's daughter, Mrs. Nettie Bea Page and Mr. Page. Their son, Gene Watson and wife met them there and enjoyed the holidays with them. Their home is at Carson, Nevada.

Miss Dorothy Ann Davis, commercial teacher in the Sallisaw schools, spent her vacation with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Dillow and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wright drove to Oklahoma City Saturday morning to spend Christmas with the N. L. Dillow family and with Wrights' daughter, Mrs. Gayle Rhynes and family.

Holiday guests in the Charles Woodley home were all their children and families: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woodley and Linda Ray of Duluth, Minn., where Mr. Woodley is stationed as instructor of National Guard; son Harold of Arlington, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Woodley and daughter Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bridges and children of Wichita Falls; and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Woodley of Electra, Texas. Mrs. Woodley's brother, Alfred Patterson of Littlefield, Texas, arrived Monday evening.

Mrs. Lisle Hennifin and her daughter, Miss Sally Reynolds of Kingman, Arizona, are spending the holidays with Mrs. Hennifin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oles Stofer. Other guests in the Stofer home through Christmas were their daughters, Mrs. Zala Dodson of Burkburnett, and her son, Joe Bill Dodson of Independence, Mo., Mrs. and Mr. Jack Jeter and sons, Richard and Jimmie of Wichita Falls.

Devol had its Christmas Carol singers on Christmas Eve. The sextet composed of Misses Joyce and Mary Ellen Hutson, Vinita and Oretta Uthe, Sue Wilkerson, and Peggy Clemmer visited a number of homes presenting their numbers. Mr. Stofer especially enjoyed their beautiful songs and singing, and has asked me to especially thank the young ladies for the great pleasure they gave him, listening to them.

Cozby Funeral Tuesday, 2 P. M. Mr. T. B. Cozby passed away at his home in Devol about 12 o'clock Saturday night, following a long illness. In the home during his illness were all his children. Daughters, Mrs. Lillie Bea Postlewait and Lina Dean Nunn, both of Randlett; Lois Lee Dunnigan of Hutchins, Kan., Lucille Morrow; Sons, Cotton, Payton, Walter Paul and Phillip of the home.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday from the First Baptist Church in Devol by Mr. Don Mansur, pastor of the Church of Christ in Burkburnett, and Rev. J. N. Loftin of Devol.

Adams Employees Enjoy Party

After closing hours all the employees and their families were entertained by the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Adams, joined later by Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus.

The large board was decorated featuring a foam Christmas tree and Santa with white reindeers drawing a miniature sleigh. Each had drawn numbers and a comical gift was in Santa's bag for each member, acquiring an unusual name. For example, one is a member of the Boomtown Quadrille, and her name became "Pin-undown Bessie", and she received a gold horse pinned to a compact of bobbie pins. Others received gifts accordingly.

Santa and his Mrs. were a very picturesque pair, she wearing a glittering angel hair wig with real curls and rosy red cheeks with a dress to match. They were quite hilarious in their skit. They too received gifts from the host and hostess.

Guests were welcomed by Mrs. Adams reading a poem about Santa in West Texas, and then apologizing for his absence, when by complete surprise he fell in the back door, accompanied by the bustling, Mrs. Santa.

Little Jimmy Holly sang, "Rudie the Rednose Reindeer" and other songs accompanied by Frank Parker on his Uke.

Enjoying the affair were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Holly and Jimmie, Mr. Williams and Janice, Mrs. Neva Jo Ott and Sandy, Miss Louise Smith, Beverly Wyant, and Bessie Turner, Santa and his Mrs., Mr. and Mrs. James Payne and Mr. and Mrs. Adams.

Mrs. Glen Bear Club Hostess

The Burkburnett Garden Club met at the home of Mrs. Glen Bear, with the president, Mrs. P. A. Wiggins presiding.

The house was beautifully decorated with Christmas cheer. In the picture window was an adorable tree of white fur with fuschia and pink trimmings. Mrs. Ann Minga in her charming way, brought the Christmas story, "How Come Christmas." Christmas gifts, all something useful in Garden Club Work, were exchanged. Plates of Christmas goodies were served and featured miniature floral sprays on each.

Members present were: Mesdames J. C. Adams, Julia Boyd, J. L. Caffee, D. C. Dodson, R. C. Tevis, Bolie Pilkenton, C. M. Archer, P. A. Wiggins, Jim Pogue, Bill Cauthorn, Jude Willingham, Carl Morrison, I. E. Harwell, Loy Helvey, and Ross Reagan. Visitors were Laura Lou Tevis, Mrs. Minga, and Mrs. C. W. Evinger of Oklahoma City, sister of Mrs. Caffee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Schoch and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Houser visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson and family in Dalhart during the Christmas holidays. Ann Johnson accompanied them home to visit until the new year.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors who were so kind and thoughtful in bringing food, coming to help and sending so many beautiful flowers during the illness and death of our loved one. May God's richest blessings be with each of you.

MRS. T. B. COZBY
And Children

Card of Thanks

I wish to take this means of thanking all my friends for the many cards, flowers and visits, and to wish each of you a happy and prosperous New Year.

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Card of Thanks

It is with deepest sincerity we wish to express our thanks and appreciation to Brother Minga, Brother Mansur, and our many friends for the words of comfort, deeds of kindness, and the nice food and beautiful floral offerings during the illness and loss of our dear husband and father, Mr. A. H. Seidlits.

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First Baptist Church

T. LYNN STEWART, Pastor

This Sunday has been set aside as a Day of Prayer. The religious leaders the country over have called upon our people to give this day to prayer. President Truman endorsed the December 31st Day of Prayer in his Christmas Eve message, "With the nation caught in the tightening coils of world conflict, hundreds of thousands of Americans plan to begin the new year with prayer rather than revelry."

There will be special prayers in every class and department of the Sunday School and the Training Union, and at both morning and evening worship services. At the close of the evening worship service, there will be a special prayer meeting in the auditorium. We call upon all people who possibly can to be with us this day in prayer and supplication to God for His divine leadership in these dark days.

9:45 A. M. The Church in Bible Study. A class for every age.

10:50 A. M. Morning Worship. Sermon: "The Deity of Christ." This is another sermon in a series of fifteen the pastor is preaching on Great Bible Fundamentals. Don't miss this one.

6:30 P. M. The Church in Training. There is a Union for all ages.

7:30 P. M. Evening Worship. Sermon: "The Retrospect of a Life." This is an appropriate message for the closing of the old year. This service will be followed by a great prayer meeting.

Next week, January 1-5, we are calling our people aside for a week of study of prayer. The guide for study will be "The Bible and Prayer" by R. G. Lee. Yet we are to study not what a man thinks but what God has said about prayer. We will meet each night at 7:00. The Babyland will be open to care for babies. Much of each night will be spent in prayer.

Church of Christ

First and Avenue C

DON D. MANSUR, Evangelist



Sunday Morning

9:45-10:40—The study of the Bible for all age groups under able teachers.

10:45-11:00—Worship in song. Teaching and admonishing one another with psalms and hymns and spiritual songs.

11:00-11:40—Preaching of the Word.

11:45-12:00—Communion with the Saviour.

Sunday Afternoon 2:30-4:00 Fellowship in our work. A practical lesson.

Sunday Evening 6:00-6:55, Bible classes for the young people. The high school group is purposing a study concerning recreation.

7:00-8:00 — Worship through song, prayer, teaching and communion.

Tuesday Afternoon 2:30—Ladies' Bible Class. We are studying the "New Testament Church".

Wednesday Evening 7:00-8:00 — Mid-week Bible study for the entire congregation.

Assembly of God

East College and Ave. B

Sunday School, 9:45 A. M. With our new Sunday School building completed we have a room for each class. Our teachers are filled with the Holy Spirit. Pay us a visit.

Worship Service 11 A. M. Evangelistic Service 7 P. M. Tuesday, Ladies' Missionary Council 1:30 P. M. Wednesday, Young People's Service, 7:15 P. M.

Friday, Prayer Meeting, 7:15 P. M.

You are always welcome.

Central Christian Church

Sunday School, 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M. Harold W. Bower, Pastor

Church Of God

123 Ave. E. Rev. G. J. WHITE, Pastor



Sunday School, 10:00 A. M. Evangelistic Service, 7:30 P. M.

Young People's Endeavor, Wednesday at 7:30 P. M. Prayer Meeting, Friday, 7:30 P. M.

Everyone is welcome to attend these services and hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Assembly of God Church

East College and Ave. B



Halbert E. Allen, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 A. M. Let's all go to Sunday School. If you have been missing lately because of vacationing or visiting, we urge you to get back to your Sunday School class as soon as possible. Attend your own. If you have none, attend ours.

Worship Service 11:00 A. M. Evangelistic Service, 7:45 p. m. Tuesday Ladies' Missionary Council, 9:00 A. M.

Wednesday C. A.'s, 7:45 P. M. Friday Prayer Meeting, 7:45 P. M.

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Avenue B & College

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Morning preaching service at 11 o'clock. The pastor will bring the message.

6:45 P. M. Young people meet. 7:30 P. M. Song and preaching service. The pastor will bring the message on the second coming of Christ.

Wednesday night, Teachers meet at 6:45 to study the Sunday School lesson. Prayer meeting at 7:30.

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What the New Year shall be depends not so much on outward circumstances as upon the spirit and the attitudes and the purposes which we cherish. In many ways the year ahead of us will be exactly like last year: the same number of days and of hours within each day, the same places to work, the same people as fellow workmen. If this is to be a better year than last, then there must be a better mood in us, there must be higher goals that we set for our striving, there must be a nobler mind with which we approach people and places.

Isn't it a wonderful thing that we may begin again? Our friends and our families are in readiness for the change. Never again for twelve months will it be so easy and so desirable for us to make the changes which will make it a New Year for ourselves, our families, and our fellows everywhere. Why not begin with prayer and devotions such as will lift the whole family into relation to God? The New Year is a divine gift; why not accept it as such, and offer thanks to the Giver? If we shall live worthily through these twelve months we shall need divine as well as human help; why not dedicate ourselves and our families to doing the will of God, expecting His aid every step of the way? Let it be God's brand New Year and ours; may we be workers together with God.

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Character is a by-product of the church. It is here that young and old alike are showered with benedictions that fortify and influence for a better citizenship and a stronger democracy. In the church the ministerial are making religious character. Statesmen today declare that the church alone can furnish leadership to handle the affairs of state in these perilous times. Then we with our children should go to the church of our choice on Sunday. "You in the Church and the Church in you"—form a combination for good.

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meet each Thursday evening at 7:30 in the pastor's study. The Adult membership class meets on Monday evening at 7:00 in the pastor's study. The men's class meets Wednesday evening, January 3rd, in the parish hall. A special New Year's Day hour of worship will be held in our church this year, beginning at 10:30 A. M. President Truman in his address to the nation on December 15th said, "Our homes, our nation, all the things we believe in are in

great danger." Surely this New Year's Day should not be a time of riotous celebration, but rather a day upon which we sincerely repent of our sins and ask God to be with us with His strength during 1951. What better place to observe New Year's Day is there than the house of God? Surely, as we embark upon an uncertain 1951, we need the presence and help of God. May we then attend our house of worship, there to hear what God says of the new year, there to implore His help in meeting its difficulties.



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Parish Hall Scene For Xmas Party

The Grace Lutheran Missionary Society met on December 14th for the Christmas party at the Parish Hall with each member as hostess.

After a short business meeting, Mrs. U. S. Hill brought the topic for the month, "Mary, the Mother of Jesus." The meeting closed by repeating the Lord's prayer.

Each Sunshine Sister then revealed her name in the Christmas package. Also each one present brought a gift that was numbered and exchanged. We enjoyed having the following as guests: Mrs. Virgil Mills, Mrs. G. A. Gagren, Mrs. Boyle, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Lindsey, Mrs. Hummingbird, Guy Mills and Mrs. Martin.

Homemade Christmas cookies, sandwiches, and spiced tea and coffee were served with Mrs. Harlan Mills at the Silver service.

Members present were: Mesdames H. A. Mills, Clarence

Enderli, Earl Rinefeldt, Paul Kaiser, Miss Clara Schultz and Rev. and Mrs. Young.

Mrs. John Enderli will be hostess at the Parish Hall for the January meeting.

Fred Fewin, Jr., flew home for three days during the Christmas holidays from San Diego, Calif., where he is attending a Fire Controlman Tech. School N. T. C. until the first of August at which time he will be reassigned to a destroyer.

Friends in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fewin over the holidays included: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fewin, Jack and Mary Etta of Hallowell, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Fewin, Bill, Bob, Darlene and Mary of Odessa, Fred Jr., of San Diego, Horace L. Mills of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bazell and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Friedls of Eunice, New Mexico.

Geo. Byerly spent the Christmas week end with relatives in Jasper and Port Arthur.

Joe Bill Dodson, who is attending school in Independence, Mo., is spending the holidays at home.

Texas 4-H Orators Win State Awards



Don McGinty Frances Jean Mullins

Don McGinty, 14, of Spur, and Frances Jean Mullins, 16, of Medade, have something to talk about. The ability to say it fluently, convincingly and clearly, has won them state honors in the new 4-H Public Speaking program. In public talks about personal 4-H experiences and accomplishments they have been able to inspire others to do things worth while. Don's award is a beautiful 17-jewel gold watch, and Frances' gift a lovely set of silverware, both presented by the Pure Oil Company.

The great value of 4-H work, which can never be measured by dollars and cents was one of the underlying thoughts of Don's speech. The friendship of interested adults, the benefits from democratic organization, the glamorizing of agriculture, and the decrease of juvenile delinquency—all these are the rewards of 4-H work, according to Don. His speech ended with a poem expressing the role mature adult leadership can play in molding 4-H youth.

Miss Mullins' speech dealt with the role 4-H members can play in promoting good government. By taking the fullest advantage of their education, and by taking an active interest in American government, she expressed the belief that America's youth can become even greater leaders than their forebears.

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demand. There has been some speculation in these, however, and any downward change in the tax outlook might cause a sudden turnabout in prices for municipals. Investors should see to it that their bond maturities are carefully diversified, with some part of their bond funds maturing each year.

Real Estate Activity Will Decline

39. The real estate outlook for 1951 will be strongly affected by curbs on mortgage credit. Much of the recent boom was the result of easy credit—almost nothing down and small easy payments for years hence.

40. New home construction will suffer a greater decline than other lines. Non-essential commercial building will also be hit.

41. The coming decline in new building will throw a wet blanket over speculation in vacant suburban lots.

42. The scare caused by the Korean-China War and fears of an early outbreak in other sections will adversely affect the demand for big city real estate. Lower business volumes and the draft next year will also curtail such demand.

43. Small sustenance farms should hold up well in price as demand will be spurred by those seeking refuge outside the big cities. Demand for large commercial farms, however, should weaken as the year progresses.

44. The swing back toward rent control will act as a further damper on new building. There is no incentive to build homes for rental income.

45. Tighter credit controls will make it more difficult to purchase older residential properties, and the prices for these should weaken.

46. As building volume slackens in 1951, the quality of available materials and workmanship should improve. This will help those who have saved their money and can pay for at least half the cost of a new home.

Defense Orders and Politics Will Increase

47. Those who can do so should attempt to get defense orders as a means of holding up production volumes and reducing overhead. Not too much profit from such war business should be expected, however, as these contracts will be subject to tightfisted renegotiations.

48. The political outlook for 1951 will be completely dominated by jockeying for position in the Presidential race for 1952. Most of Congress' time will be spent on International Problems; but either War or Peace could come early in 1951, which could make many of the above forecasts useless.

49. In Domestic Matters, despite recent election changes in party alignment, Congress will still be dominated by a conservative coalition of Northern Republicans and "unregenerated" Southern Democrats. When the heat is on in a tough fight, the North-South coalition will still be able to curb onslaughts on New Dealers.

50. We are gradually headed for a One Party System and finally a Dictatorship. The Republicans will sometimes win with the slogan "HAD ENOUGH?"; but their reign will be short-lived. Too many persons are following the pernicious doctrine of ASKING FOR HIGHER WAGES AND SHORTER HOURS, SPECULATING IN STOCKS AND GOODS, GROWING RICH ON PAPER, VOTING DEMOCRATIC FOR SELFISH REASONS AND LETTING THE COUNTRY GO TO THE DOGS, WAR OR NO WAR!

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Hagens, Sr., of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Hagens, Jr., and baby of Shreveport, spent Christmas in the B. Danforth home.

Otis Stegall, who is with the Marines at Okla. California, spent Christmas with his wife in Burkburnett.

Mrs. John Shields, who has been a patient in the Hospital in Wichita Falls, has been returned to her home and is able to receive visitors.

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