HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE PAST TO THE PRESENT



Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Barkley

Turning back the pages of time again we visit with our pioneer families of Hansford County as Highlights from the Past to the Present continues down memory lane. This week the subject of our story centers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Muncy (Monsieur F.) Barkley.

Our story this week begins in Franklin, Kentucky where Monsieur F. Barkley was born. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barkley. At an early time in his life at the age of only two he moved with his parents to Nashville, Tennessee where the family settled. In only three years after the move, Mrs. Thomas Barkley passed away leaving the small lad with his father and brother. Only two years later Mr. Thomas Barkley died. The young son Monsieur F. Barkley was only seven years of age and made his home with his aunt and uncle in Nashville.

Upon reaching manhood, Mr. Barkley had the desire to be on his own and to provide for himself. When eighteen years of age he boarded a train and set out west to the unimproved section of the United Ststes. He arrived in Guymon, Oklahoma in 1908. A wagon leading south, driven by Clarence Martin, brought Mr. Barkley to Hansford County for the first time. Finding a horse he continued on for thirteen miles in search for work and also to see his relatives, at the Chris Hancock place. Becoming an employee on this farm and ranch, Mr. Barkley made \$25 per month plus room and board.

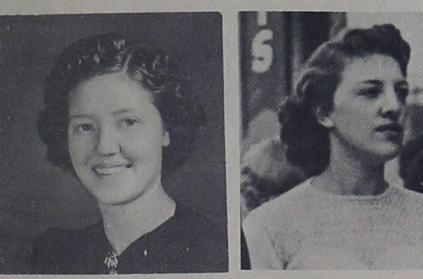
Still with a desire to have something of his own and a start on his own, he began to strive for this goal and bought three head of Mares in 1910. As the year of 1911 arrived he took his first step and rented a section of farm land from J. H. Harris. The land being located some three miles southeast of Spearman. It was with this connection that he became acquainted with Margie Harris the daughter of his land-lord, and the couple soon became sweethearts, and were married.

Margie Harris was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harris. She was born in Donley County some sixteen miles north of Clarendon where the town of Jerico was once located. When she was seven years of age the family moved to Groom. While still a small child Margie Harris accompanied her parents to Hansford County from Groom. On September 15,1905 the family arrived at their new home southeast of the present town of Spearman.

The Harris family moved in three covered wagons from Groom in four or five days. The Canadian River was the most treacherous part of the journey and the memories of crossing that river stands out in the minds of the families. They crossed at Plemons and of course there was no bridge. There were places in the river where quick sand lay and also places where the water would almost run into the wagon bed. There were men at the river at all times to help the families across with their wagons. During their trip the family slept on the ground at night and ate their meals from the camp fires which they built on the prairies.

When the Harris family arrived in Hansford County their home was a half-dugout and they lived here until their house was built. Miss Barkley attended school in Groom until their move and then she attended the Micou school which was 21/2 miles from home. She rode horseback until her brother Ben, was old enough to go to school and the two children took the buggy. In 1910 the Harris family moved to Amarillo where they lived for two years but they returned to Hansford County. At this time Margie Harris and Monsieur Barkley met and were married on October 6, 1912.

The couple made their home on the rented half section which Monsieur Barkley was farming. Wheat was the main crop for the family but feed was also an important crop. There was no railroad at the time and the grain after harvest was freighted to Texhoma to market. All farming and freighting was done with teams of mules or horses. At harvest the wheat would be headed and then threshed and then would be ready to be taken to market. Mr. Barkley would hauf the wheat in wagons and the trip would take four days and nights. Camping out on the prairie, he would sleep on a bed of comforts or quilts on the ground. Many times he would wake up to find the bed



Lera Mae Estelle



Howard, Leslie, Dayton, Herman, Doyle, and Harry

laying with snow or water around following a storm. Enough food would be taken from home to last until he reached Texhoma and then he would return with a food supply for the trip back. Upon returning he would bring food for the family which would be supplies bought by the 100 pound sacks or cases. He also brought the coal back. The family had no electricity, and heated their home as well as cooked on a coal stove. Their lights were coal oil lamps.

The family had their own meat and would butcher and cure their hogs. Mrs. Barkley would make their soap from the rendered lard and also had her own garden. She recalls that she never had to water the garden, that the rains supplied the needed moisture.

Nine children were born to the couple, the oldest, Hugh, died at the age of 21 months. The remaining eight are Herman, Harry, Howard, Estelle, Dayton, Doyle, Lera

pleted their education inGruver and were graduates of Gruver High School. In 1938 Mr. and Mrs. Barkley and their children moved to Gruver and made their home here.

Mr. Barkley died June 25, 1954 in the Sanford Hospital of Perryton after a prolonged illness. Mrs. Barkley makes her home in their early established house in Gru-

Four sons of the family served in the Second World War, and were all over sears. Herman was in the Air Force; Dayton, Marines; Howard and Doyle, Army. C. P. Archer, the Barkley's son-in-law, was stationed in France at the time of his death; he was the husband of Estelle and left one small daughter and his wife after his death.

Herman married Gladys of San Francisco, California and he is a salesman for Macys in Sunnyvale, California. The couple have two children.

Harry married Billie Dean Cline of Gruver and the couple have two children and make their home in Gruver

The next son Howard married Verna Tomlinson of the Kimball community and have five children. They live in the Kimball community where he farms.

Their daughter, Estelle is married to Olen Chambers of Spearman and the couple have two children aside from Estelle's first daughter.

The son, Dayton, married June Jackson of Spearman. Dayton farms and the couple live west of Gruver and have four children. Doyle married Pat Duncan of Amarillo and they have one son and make their home in Gruver where Doyle farms.

Lere Mae married Allen Beasley of Gruver and the couple has three children. The youngest son, Leslie married Sharon Ayres of Gruver and they make their home in Gruver where he farms and they have two children.

Mrs. Barkley has twenty-two grandchildren and one great grandchild. Mrs. Barkley is an active member of the Gruver Methodist Church and is also active in other

Yes, again we visited in a pioneer family home and have seen how our early pioneers struggled and strived to see our futures bright and prosperous. The Barkley family helped to make Hansford County the prosperous area it is today.

Burial Held For Fred Smith

Glen Fred Smith, 67, died Sunday December 13th in the Veterans Hospital of Amarillo after a prolonged illness. Mr. Smith, better known as "Smithy", has made his home in Gruver for some thirty years.

Burial in Wakita, Oklahoma was the middle part of the week under the direction of the Thomas Funeral

Mr. Smith was a veteran of World War I. Since living in Gruver he has been associated with the Texaco Wholesale as an employee and has been a bookkeeper for the Gruver Elevators. He made his home in Spearman before moving to Gru-

He is survived by a neice, Mrs. C. L. Oliver of Attica, Kansas and a nephew, Joe Smith of Del Rio, Texas.

Townsmen Meet To Discuss Nightwatchman

Some thirty-five citizens and businessmen gathered Thursday night to discuss the need for a night watchman, or city marshall for the town. The majority were in favor of the idea.

Sheriff J. B. Cooke and Deputy Sheriff Orville Walker were on hand and answered questions which arose among the group. The two county officials, favored the idea and related several needs for the town to have some form of police

mented that in most situations there was one law enforcement man to every 1,000 people. Gruver's population would be about 1.550. It was decided that a

force. Sheriff Cooke com-

raise in the city taxes would be the way to provide for a man. At the general election there will be an issue on the ballot, so each voter may express his opinion by voting on the taxes to provide for law enforcement.

BACK FORTY PHILUSOPHY

by Jack shaw

My wife went to the big city Christmas shopping last week and I went along to carry the packages. While in the city I got myself a brand new newspaper.

A very interesting article appeared on the editoral page. It seems that one of the secretaries was shuffling the national defense for economy and common interest. He had ordered military bases combined, ship yards closed, and men

were being re-assigned. In fact he was doing an excellent job of his duty and drawing fire from public opinion.

However, this is nothing new in public life in America according to my school teacher neighbor.

Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hays will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary December 27th in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Staton, at 103 East 10th. Calling hours will be from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. All friends are invited to attend.

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Mae and Leslie. In 1920 the family moved to their farm eight miles northwest of the present town of Gruver. Herman, Harry and Howard attended the Grand Plains school until 1928 when the Gruver school was established. At that time Herman was in the seventh grade. All the children completed their education inGruver and were graduates of

The Gruver boys cinched the Gruver Tournament as they topped Darrouzett 57-41 in the final game of the tournament. The boys beat Follett in the opener 47-29 and stopped Dalhart 62-41 before making their way to the finals Saturday night.

The Spearman girls took first place in the Girls Division as they passed the Sun my girls 54-40 in the final round Saturday night. The Gruver Girls cinched Third place in the tournament. They won their first game with Follett 46-29 but fell to the Sunray girls, Friday night, 50-55. In their bout for third place the girls played Miami and won 33-30.

The Stratford girls and the Spearman boys clinched the consolation spots of the tournament.

In the boys final game with Darrouzett, Sam Tipton was High Point with 20 points followed by Wayne Leatherman with eleven points. Billie Lieb, Wayne Leatherman and Mart Hart played outstanding games throughout the tournament by maintaining the rebounds and stealing the ball from the opposing teams.

Tournament results include, in the Girls Division: First round, Sunray 55, Booker 53; Boise City, 23,



The Winning Tournament Team and Coach Wayne Tipton

Dalhart 20; Gruver 47, Follett 29; Spearman 65, Darrouzett 38; Miami 48, Stratford 34. Consolation

bracket; Booker 34, Dalhart 33; Booker 36; Follett 31; Stratford, 68, Darrouzett 38; Stratford, 47, Booker 30. Second and final round of the girls bracket, Sunray 45 Boise City 21; Sunray 55, Gruver 50; Spearman 58, Miami 38;

F4 , Sun-Spearman Gruver 33, Miami 30.

The Boys Division: Booker 79, Sunray 70; Dalhart 44, Boise City 33; Gruver 87, Follett 65; Darrouzett 54, Spearman 53; Miami 48, Stratford 34. Consolation bracket, Sunray 52, Roise City 34, Follett 52, Sunray 43: Spearman 51, Stratford 44; Spearman 60, Follett 32. Final ply.

rounds, Dalhart 61, Booker 39; Gruver 62, Dalhart 41; Darrouzett, 40, Miami 37; Miami 33, Dalhart 32; Gru-

ver 57, Darrouzett 41. Other donors not listed in last week's paper that helped to supply the trophies for the Tou mament were Riley Brothers, Gruver Drug, Hale Pharmacy, Gruver Cleaners and Hansford County Parts and Sup-

Explorer Scout Sweetheart Named



Amy Cator

Monday night, December 14, the Gruver Explorer

Scouts held their annual Explorer Sweetheart ban-

At this banquet the Explorer Scouts presented a sweater to their sweetheart, who this year was Miss Amy Cator. The boys elect their sweetheart through nominating and voting.

Amy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cator and is a sophomore in Gruver High School. Miss Evelyn Kelly served as the Explorer Scout Sweetheart last year.

In the early part of next year, Amy will represent the Gruver Post in the District Sweetheart Contest.

ALEXANDER CHRISTMAS PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alexander, Sr. hosted the Alexander Christmas Party Sunday night December 13 from 3 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in the Legion Hall basement.

The smaller children were delighted with a Pinata game in which they took turns with a blind fold on their eyes and striking the Pinata with a stick. After several trys it was broken and showered them with candy.

The group exchanged gifts. The dinner for the occasion was catered by Sutphens of Borger. Christmas decorations were throughout the Memorial building and added color to the

gathering.

Those attending were: Mrs. Ace Winders and family of Channing, Mr. and Mrs. David Long and family of Guymon, Miss Elizabeth Folt of Amarillo, Mrs. Trudi McBride of Duke, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Murrell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Alexander, Clinton Belcher of Stratford, Mrs. Coy Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Holt and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Holt and family, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Alexander and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alexander Sr.

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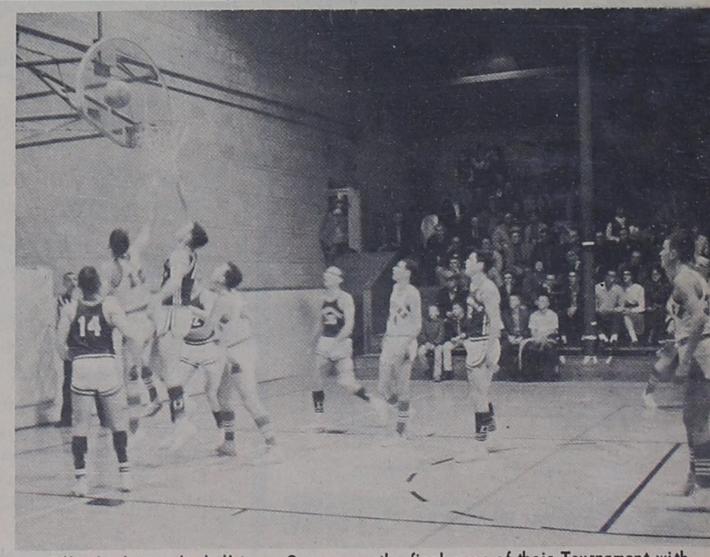
ABOUT TOWN

The Gruver Community 4-H Club will hold their Christmas Party at their meeting Thursday, December 17th at 7:00 p.m.

The 4-H Club will meet at the Memorial Building and will go caroling during the evening followed by refreshments.

The American Legion Hansford Post 154 will meet tonight December 17th at 7:30 p.m.

All high school students are invited to go Christmas caroling with the Methodist youth Thursday night, December 17th. Meet at the Methodist Church at 7:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served afterwards.



Billie Lieb tips the ball in as Gruver won the final game of their Tournament with Darrouzett Saturday night 57-41.



Mrs. Jeannie West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Womble of Morse graduated November 28th from the Paul Barnes School of Beauty in Oklahoma City. She will take her final exam in January. She and her husband, Tommy, now live in Pampa and she will work there. Jeannie is a 1963 graduate of the Morse High School.

MORSE 4-H PROGRESSIVE DINNER PARTY HELD

The Morse Junior Leaders 4-H Club had a Progressive Christmas Dinner Party Saturday night. They be gan at the Desmond Kelly home at 6:00 p.m. with an appetizer. The next stop was at the Earl Henderson home for a salad and then on to the Wilson McCloy for the main course. Dessert was served the group at the Gnne Dixon home.

At 8:00 p.m. the group arrived at the Community Building for some games am refreshments for the evening. Other mothers assisting were Mrs. Harold Fleming, Mrs. Graves, Mrs. H. B. Parks.

THANK YOU

Thanks for all the nice cards, letters and prayers sent to me when I was in the hospital. They were greatly appreciated and I always remember your thoughtfulness to me. May God bless you with a Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Carrie Nielsen

Those attending were Dixon, Sylvia Susan Graves, Parks, Evelyn Kelly, Bob Womble, Alva Henderson, Bill and Doug McCloy, Mike and Johnson, Delbert McCloy, Phillip Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. Robert

BIRTHDAY

Adamson and Keith.

Miss Mary Gail McMillan celebrated her 12th birthday at her home with a birthday party, Friday December 11th after school was the time of the party.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies, chips and pop. The group played

Guests were Debbie Bebb of Perryton, Debbie Smith, Jamie Marshall, Sharon Wilson, Donna Brune, Sally Davis, all of the Plant, Joyce Wood, Patrice Mc-Lain, Mary Jane Jones, Ginger Hart and Linda

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Garrett and Mrs.Bunt returned from Pittsburg, Texas where they have been for the past



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Grant Miner was injured Saturday while working at the Morse Implement Shop fixing a flat. His hand was

pretty badly. Frank Karr is back in the Spearman hospital and is seriously ill. He has had a blood clot in his leg but is better at this time.

Mrs. Josie Hayes went to Amarillo on Friday to the doctor and she isn't doing very well. Bob is still under the weather, too.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pierce took her to Amarillo. Mrs. Annie Clifton visited on Saturday with the Hayes and took them to Spearman. Other callers in their home recently have been her sister Mrs. Vina Hawpe of Sunray and Mrs. J. F. Cator of Gruver.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dortch went to Amarillo on Saturday shopping. While there had lunch in the cafeteria with Mr. and Mrs. James Lanier, former teachers in the Morse School and now in Hereford.

They also saw Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whisler, former superintendent of the Morse schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyn Davis and Scott visited with the A. L. Blankenships in Gruver Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reiswig attended the Christmas Supper for the Square Dance Club in Spearman at the Community Buildon Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Doyle

Dortch and children of Spearman visited his parents the Mack Dortchs on Sunday. Mrs. Mack Dortch and Mrs. Doyle Dortch attended the Open House at Mrs. Mande Hendersons that afternoon.

Mrs. John Thompson assisted her Aunt with the Henderson Open House on Sunday.

The Baptist Church had

a supply preacher for the Sunday service.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED Dale Seaton was honored on his 8th birthday last week at school. Birthday cake was served to the honoree and the 2nd and 3rd grades by their teacher Mrs. Langley. BASKETBALL GAMES

The grade school teams played Plemons on Monday at Morse and were beaten in both games. G A PARTY

The G.A.'s of the Baptist Church were entertained at a Christmas Party in the home of their sponsor Mrs. R.C. Womble. The girls made cookies and played games and had a gift exchange.

Those present were Charis Fleming, Kaye Johnson and Cheryl Mc-Cloy and the sponsor. HENDERSON OPENHOUSE

About 150 guests registered for the annual Christmas Open House given by Mrs. Maude Henderson and her daughter and Mr. and Mrs. husband, Robert Carp of Windy Acres of near Pringle. Punch, Coffee, and

cookies were served throughout the hours of 3:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. on Sunday from a beautifully decorated table with a pink Christmas table cloth. The house both upstairs and downstairs was decorated inall kinds Christmas decorations and a tour was given to the guests to see both the decorations and the oovely and unusual anti-

The yard was also decorated with the Nativity scene and a real lamb for the enjoyment of the chil-

RITES HELD

Graveside services for Thelma Eiland Gue, 51, who was born in Hutchinson

County in 1913 were held Saturday at the Lieb Cemetery, beside her grand. parents. Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Board.

She had lived for many years in Long Beach, California and was a frequent visitor of the Panhandle.

She is survived by her husband, H. P. Gue, mother Mrs. Eunice Board, sister : Mrs. Denzil Eiland,, all of Long Beach.

She was a neice of Lex Board of Morse.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Lambert of Albion, Illinois announces the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Judith Hawkins to Allen C. Winkler of Fort Worth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Winkler of Gruver.

Weekend visitors in the John Robinson home were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Robinson of Panhandle and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nicholson. They commemorated John Robinson's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson visited Mr., and Mrs. George Avent and family in Dalhart Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Harris and daughters will move soon to Brookston, Texas where they will make their home.

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less, Donnie Thoreson,

Adams, Gene Fletcher, H. C. Snod grass, Oliver Wallin and Trent Kanagy.

The affair was hosted by Mrs. Gene Fletcher and Mrs. H. C. Snodgrass.

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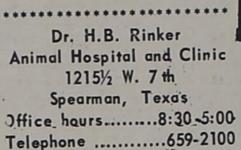
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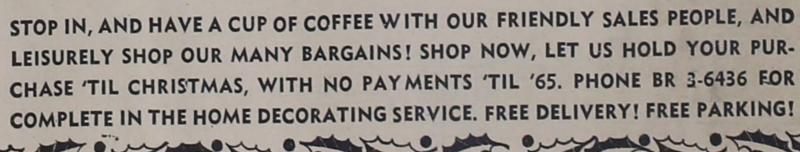
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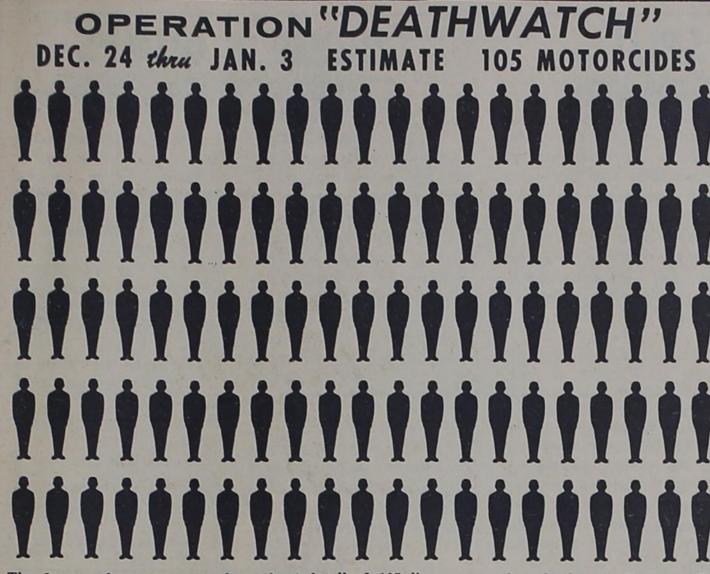
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Seventh Grade Poets

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She talks full stream,

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by Lanny Chandler

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There was once a boy

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To the clerk would not

They ran him clear into

named Boston.

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by DeAnn Schad Young Teddy's idea of a dance

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by Larry Gumfory For energy Paul wasn't

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SAFETY MESSAGE Gruver Harmony Club This is the season of merriment and hope! Thousands of travelers will be on Texas Highways as they

holiday period. Among the most dangerous areas as these extra vehicles crowd our highways are those where construction or maintenance is

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in progress. We are enclosing a copy of the Texas Highway Department road condition bulletin. This "Special Holiday Driving Guide" shows areas where highway construction is in progress throughout the State.

One or more of these construction projects may be in your area, as the Texas Highway Department has more than 1,000 miles of highway under construction at all times. These areas will be marked for maximum

We urge you to study this map carefully. Call the attention of your listeners or readers to highway construction areas in or near

your community, Jamie Wilmeth, Grace Thoreson, Margie Barkley, and Alice Walker worked in the gift shop of the Veterans hospital last Tuesday, in Amarillo.

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ing was held December 14th.

1964. Jane Hoy, president of the Club, presided at the meeting. Evelyn Kelly led with the Federation Hymn. The Club Collect was recited by the members and their councilors. Vicki Mc-Millan gave a brief talk about the Hymn of the Mon-

Mrs. Jack Hart gave a Book Review on "The Other Wiseman" as a special part of the program.

The girls sang Christmas Carols and exchanged gifts. The Cluck home was beautifully decorated with the Christmas motif. Mary Lou Cluck and Maelynn Cator hosted the occasion. Refreshments of sandwiches, punch and cookies were served to the girls.

Those present for the party were Arlene Barkley, Judy Bayless, Glenda Bell, Kathy Benson, Maelynn Cator, Mary Lou Cluck, Sue Crawford, Kathy Fletcher, Judy Gillispie, Glen-

da Hoel, Jane Hoy, Anita Jackson, Marian Jeffries, Elaine Kelly, Evelyn Kelly, Merelee Maupin, Camelia McClellan, Saundra Riley, Jan Roper, Diane Stedje, Madeline Stone, Sherry Weant, Brenda Williams and Saundra McClellan and Mrs. Jack Hart, Mrs. J.F. Cator and Mrs. Sam Cluck.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Walker Jr-. Mr. and Mrs. Elmo McClellan, and Mrs. Lola Reynolds worked on Monday in the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo.

Blanche Taber, Charlotte Bergin, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Gammertsfelder, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Henderson, Mrs. I. W. Ayres Sr., Grace Thoreson, Alma Gruver, Charmin Lyle, Pauline Winger, Charlene and Kay Mc-Clellan, Ila Cline, all visited in the Maude Henderson home at Windy Acres near Pringle. The home was decorated with Christmas motif and with antiques throughout. Many of this group including Mrs. Maude Henderson made the tour

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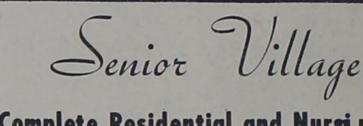
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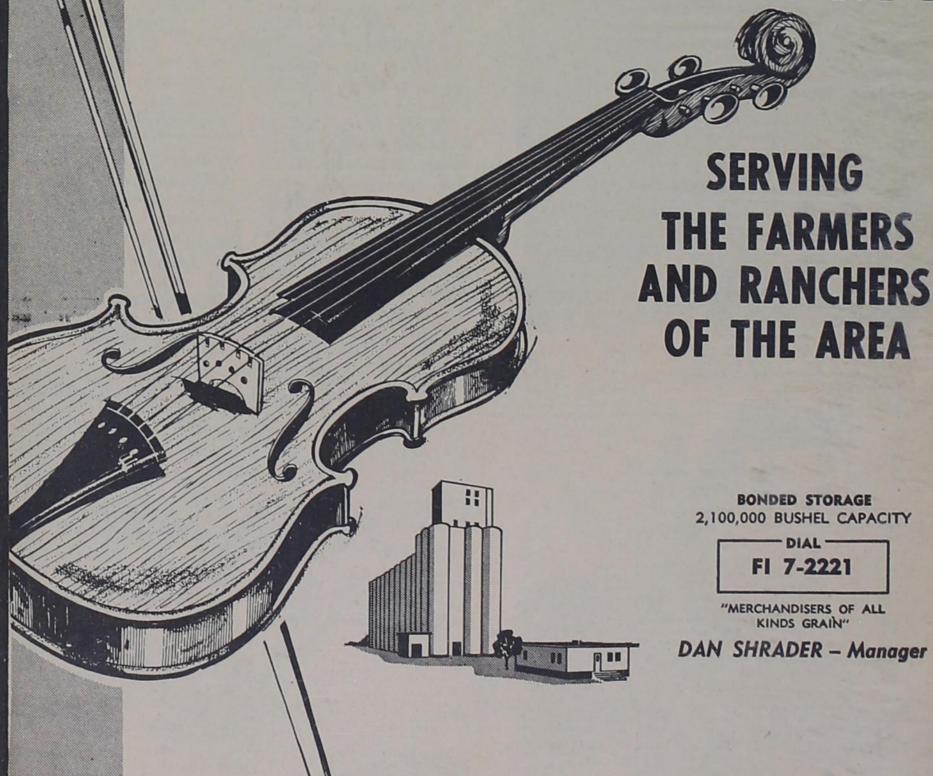




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we shall wish on the mor-

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row that we had done."

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Lord Avebury



Madeline Stone, Merilee Maupin and Mona Reaves as they finished making their Gingerbread Houses in the Freshman Home Making Class under Mrs. Pauline O'Keefe.

Meet The Faculty

by Marian Jeffries Mr. Val Winger, one of Gruver's Hometown boys, attended North Texas State University to receive his bachelor of business administration degree. He has done some graduate work in education at Texas Tech. Since starting to teach here in Gruver. Mr. Winger has taught for four years. This year he is teaching the fourth grade math and sci-

Marlene, have three very fine children, two boys and one girl. Their sons, Davin and Darin, are four and

three respectively, and their daughter, Marva May. is six months old.

by Glenda Hoel Mrs. McClellan is the school nurse for all twelve grades in both the Gruver and Morse schools. She was reared in Waco and in and in Fort Worth, Texas. She attended the John Peter Smith College of Nursing in Fort Worth. Later she took some courses by correspondence from West Mr. Winger and his wife, Texas State College in Canyon, Texas. Mrs. Mc-Clellan is a registered nurse with a "Life Provisional School Nurse



Mr. Winger



Mrs. McClellan

Teacher's Certificate. She is also a member of the "American School Health Association". She has a general education in all lines of nursing.

This is Mrs. McClellan's eighth year to be in the Gruver and Morse school sys-

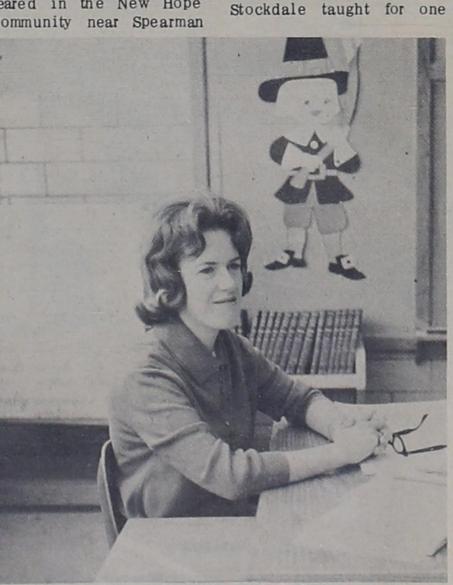
She was married to Elmo McClellan, Jr. in 1943. This couple are the parents of two children, Sandra, 16, and Ronnie, 11.

These are statements made by Mrs. McClellan about her career: "I have worked in several fields of nursing, but none I like better than school nursing. The past seven years have given me an opportunity to teach health and safety in the lower grades.. I teach short courses of First Aid in the fourth grade and some Home Nursing in the fifth grade. I take care of the sick and injured students, taking them home or to the doctor of their choice

when necessary." I check the students eyes, hearing, weight, height, teeth, and sometimes give a Tubercular Patch Test each year. Permanent records are kept of this information and is available to parents and teachers."

"The Gruver School System is progressive and modern. It is a pleasure to work with congenial people in such nice surroundings."

by Saundra McClellan Miss Karen Stockdale teaches reading, spelling, and health in the fourth grade. Miss Stockdale was reared in the New Hope Community near Spearman



Miss Stockdale

B TEAMS SPLIT WITH SPEARMAN

ated by the Hounds and the

final score was Gruver 31,

and Spearman 15. Pearl

Stewart took high point

honors with 19 points for

the night, Diane Stedje had

10. and Jackie Hudson 2.

This was the girls first

different story as Spearman

won by a score of 38-27

The boys game was a

by Jay Taylor fourth quarters were domin-The Gruver "B" teams played Spearman Friday night and split two games, the Gruver girls winning by a score of 31-15, and our boys losing by a score of 38-27.

In the girls game, the first quarter was very close, and ended with Gruver 7, Spearman 6. In the first quarter, Diane Stedje made three points, Pearl Stewart three, and Jackie Hudson two; all seven points came on free throws. In the second quarter Gruver scored eight points and held Spearman to two to be ahead by a score of 15-8 at the half. The third and

Monday, December 21 Barbecued Weiners, Navy Beans, Spinach, Fruit Cup, Hot Rolls

Tuesday, December 22 Turkey, Dressing, and Gravy, Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Celery and Carrot Sticks, Date Cake, Hot Rolls

Wednesday, December 23 Hamburgers, Whole New Potatoes, Lettuce Leaf and Tomato Slices, Cook-

Butter and 1/2 Pint Milk served with each meal.

Thursday, December 17 7th and 8th grade boys and girls vs Stratford, here, 4:00 Friday, December 18

B Team vs Texhoma, here, 5:30 p.m. A Team Girls vs Texhoma, here, 7:00 p.m.

A Team Boys vs Texhoma, here, 8:30 p.m. Monday, December 21

7th grade Boys and Girls vs Stinnett, there, 4:00 p.m. A Team Boys vs Phillips, there, 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, December 22 Devotionals, study hall, 8:10 a.m.

A Team Girls vs Spearman, there, 7:00 p.m.

A Team Boys vs Spearman, there, 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, December 23

Christmas Program at school

Thursday, December 24 Christmas Holiday Begins School takes up January 4, 1965

Poet's Corner

HIS PRESENCE submitted by Diane Stedje met God in the morning When my day was at its

And His presence came like sunshine With a glory in my breast.

All day long the presence

lingered, All day long He stayed

with me, And we sailed in perfect

O'er a very troubled sea.

Other ships were blown and bettered

Other ships were sore distressed, and graduated from Spear-

man High School. She at-

tended West Texas . State

University and obtained a

Bachelor of Sceince degree

in Elementary Education.

She majored in Elementary

Education and minored in

English and Speech. Miss

But the winds that seemed to drive them Brought to me sweet calm and rest.

Then I thought of other momings.

With a keen remorse of mind. When I, too, had loosed the moorings With the Presence left behind.

Now I think I know the secret Learned from many a trou-

bled way, We must meet God in the

morning If we want Him through the day.

year in Amarillo, and this is her second year to teach in the Gruver School System.

Miss Stockdale had this to say concerning the Gruver schools: "It has been a pleasure to teach in the Gruver School System as I feel it is one of the most progressive schools in the Texas Panhandle."

With reference to reading, she made this comment "As a student enters the fourth grade, he is faced with the task of adapting to the departmentalized program. If he is to meet the demands of this callenging program, he must become a flexible reader. Flexibility in reading is being developed this year through a new reading series, KEYS TO INDEPENDENCER EADING. The series consist of a book and workbook combination designed to 'build, refine, and extend basic reading skills'. Another purpose is to provide opportunities in the reading and studying of various types of reading materials. Phonetic and structural analysis are also emphasized so the student may learn to analyse and indelearn new pendently words."

GRUVER B DUMPS **STINNETT**, 57—36

by Jim Lamb The Gruver B team racked up its third straight victory by beating Stinnett B team by a thrashing score of 57-37, Tuesday evening.

With about 2 minutes left in the first quarter, the Hounds were out in front by 8-3, and the Rattlers started a full court press. This didn't slow the Hounds much. At the end of the

over Gruver. In the first man held their lead and won quarter Butts, Odom, and by a score of 38-27. George Lanny Wilson gave Gruver Odom took point honors for a 7-6 lead over Spearman. In the second quarter we the Hounds with nine, Butts couldn't find the range and had eight, Lanny Wilson scored only two points as three, Benny Wilson two, Spearman led at the half Mike Blank enship two, Gene 15-9. During the third quar-Leatherman itwo,, and Jerter. Gruver scored eight, ry Hart one. The boys rebut Spearman had their cord now stands at five wins and two losses, and best hot streak of the night and scored 13 to lead 28-17 the girls, at one and In the fourth quarter Spearnothing.

first quarter, the score was 12-9 in favor of Gruver.

The second quarter opened with the Rattlers pressing all the way. With the fancy dribbling of Silva and the rebounding of Blanenship, the Hounds pretty well controlled the ball until the haff. The half time score showed Gruver ahead

The Rattlers whipped up a mean third quarter and came within 6 points of the Hounds at the sound of the

The fourth quarter was a "horse of a different color" for Gruver. The boys played an excellent fourth quarter and finished the game with a three win, no loss

Frank Silva led the Hounds scoring and was followed by Benny Wilson.

41-30

46-47

56-44

52-42

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1964-65 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

There 37-40 STINNETT November 24 51-41 November 27 SPEARMAN Here Here 73-49 **DARROUZET**1 December 1 December 3-4-5 SUNRAY TOURNAMENT STINNETT December 8 Here 38-45 December 10-11-12 GRUVER TOURNAMENT Here December 18 **TEXHOMA** December 21 There boys PHILLIPS SPEARMAN December 22 There December 29 WHITEDEER Here January 5 There **TEXHOMA** JANUARY 7-8-9 STRATFORD TOURNAMENT January 12 Here **PANHANDLE** There January 15 STRATFORD January 22 **PANHANDLE** Here January 26 CLAUDE There **PANHANDLE** January 29 There February 2 STRATFORD Here February 5 There DARROUZETT SUNRAY There February 9

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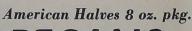
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18th in the First Baptist well.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Arnold Church of Boise City,

The bride elect has attended school at Boise City, Oklahoma. Richard is Richard Leonard, son of a graduate of Andrews High Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Leonard. School of Andrews, Texas The wedding will take and has attended Panhandle place Friday, December A and M College in Good-

LUTHERAN BOWLING

The Oslo Luther League met at Guymon, Oklahoma Sunday night for a Bowling Party. Thirty young people attended and refreshments were served afterwards at

the David Knutson home in

Sponsors for the event were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Schaef, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ferguson and Pastor and Mrs. Cordes.

HOLTS HOST CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Holt family gather- Harvey Holt and family, ed Saturday night Decem- Mr. and Mrs. Pat Holt and ber 12th for their annual family, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Christmas Party. The Holt and family, Coy Miles group exchanged gifts a Holt, Elizabeth Holt of round the Christmas tree in Amarillo, Mrs. Cecil Holt, the home of Mrs. Coy Holt. Mrs. Ace Winders and fam-Supper was served to ily of Channing and the es Mrs Cov Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ches Lieb and Mr. and Mrs. A.R. Bort attended the open house of Mrs. Maude Henderson of

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cooper attended the openhouse of Mrs. Maude Henderson in Pringle Sunday afternoon. Her home was decorated with the Christmas motif.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Green went to Gainesville for the weekend to attend the funeral of his sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Brown and sons, formerly of Wichita Falls, have recently moved to Gruver. He is employed for Don Hart. Weldon McGuffin, Carl

Cooper and a friend from Pampa were in Cimmaron, New Mexico at the Cooper cabin Sunday.

Mrs. Blount is home from the Canadian hospital where she underwent surgery in removing her teeth.

Visiting over the weekend in the John Boney home was Mr. and Mrs. Terry Monzingo and baby daughter of Memphis, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Heath visited Claude Sloan's mother in the Guymon Memorial hospital. She recently underwent surgery

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gruver have returned from Aransas Pass where they have been for the past several weeks.

Mr. Gay Fletcher underwent surgery in Houston last week. He is doing fine and recovering nicely. They will return home toward the end of the week.

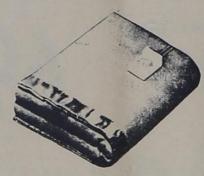
Mr. and Mrs. Van Bradford and Jody went to Matador last Friday. On Saturday Van and his father went to Lano for some deer hunting. They returned' Monday each with a deer. Tuesday the Bradfords returned home with their daughter Vana who had spent a week with her grandparents and cousin in Matador and Poaring Spr-

at 6:30 p.m. December 20th in the fellowship hall. The play was written by the youth of the church. Corolors from the Interthere will be treats for the children. Everyone is in-





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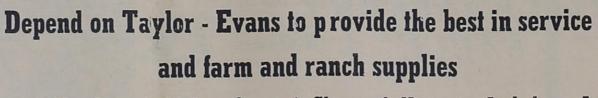
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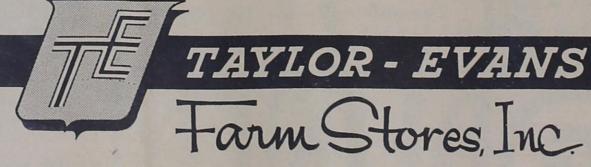
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The Community Bible Church has erected their Manger Scene on the West side of the church.. This shows that the Christmas Season is in full swing and the spirit of the community.

COUNTY AGENTS REPORT

by Robert Adamson

Middle age is that period between juvenile delinquency and senior citizenship when you have to take care of yourself.

ERADICATE LICE Lice are busy with their annual invasion of Texas livestock and will take a sizeable chunk of producers' profits again this year unless controlled.

These pests appear in greatest numbers during

fall and winter, and loss es can be reduced materially if control measures are taken now, says Weldon Newton, associate Extension entomologist, Texas

> A and M University. Animals infested with the parasites usually are restless, eat less, do not have good feed conversion and have a rough, coarse appearance.

Sprays recommended for

"THE WAY I SEE IT"

by Pastor Robert Cordes

WHAT WILL CHRISTMAS DO TO YOU?

A tree exposed to the winds in our area tends to be misshapen and lean to the north. Winds influenced it. A child tends to follow the habits of parents and like it or not, we see ourselves in our children. We influenced them.

Now we approach Christ mas. Some persons fight to keep the Christmas spirit Thanksgiving to Christmas. Then when the 25th arrives, out go the decorations, tree and the Christmas season. What is left? For many it is a let down and a lost feeling.

What will Christmas do to you this year? What is it meant to do? First, it is not to be a season of jovial party mood. It is not meant to be a season of gaiety and then dropped.

Christmas is meant to again see how God came to our earth planet in human form that He might resist the temptations of the devil and to keep the Law of God (Not ceremonial or civil laws of man). Thus Jesus did resist Satan and was able to die on a cross guiltless. He was the perfect Sacrificial Lamb prepared by God the Father for sacrifice.

Christmas is seeing this great love story in action. Christmas is visualizing God loving us so much He was willing to humble Himself and leave heaven to suffer and die

and rise again for us.

Now do you see what Christmas is meant to do? Will it cause you to see God's love? Will it cause you to accept the Holy Spirit's guidance and be led to God's great gift--the greatest gift---ever given to people on earth?

What will you get for Christmas? I pray it will be a new sense of being loved and forgiven by a loving God. What will Christmas do for you? May you see God in action in your life and Christmas will not end on the 25th but will continue every day of the com ing year. This is what Christmas is meant to do. We've not always let God have His way. Will you this year. Christmas, Christ, will influence you in God's controlling lice on beef and nonlactating dairy animals include Ciodrin, Coumaphos (Co-Ral), methoxychlor, malathion, dioxathion (Delnav), lindane, Ruelene, carbaryl (Sevin), ronnel (Kor-

lan) and toxaphene. Newton recommends these formulations: Ciodrin, pyrethrin and rotenone.

Irritation induced by lice on sheep and goats causes the animals to rub or bite themselves. Thus wool or mohair may be pulled out or become matted or low ir grade.

A thorough spraying, immersing or dusting is suggested for ridding sheep and goats of these pests Coumaphos (Co-Ral), DDT, dioxathion (Delnav), toxaphene, Diazinon, malathion and ronnel (Korlan) are effective controls, says Newton, but should not be used on milk goats. Lindane, as well as methoxychlor, is specified for use on milk goats.

The blood-sucking lice occurring on swine can be controlled by such insecticides as coumaphos (Co-Ral), DDT, diozathion (Delnav), malathion, lindane, ronnel (Korlan), methoxychlor and toxaphene.

To control these tiny parasites on horses, the entomologist suggests chlordane, coumaphoe (Co-Ral), dioxathion (Delnav) and toxaphene.

Poultry are also attacked by several species of lice that irritate the birds and cause weight loss, reduced egg production, decreased quality of market birds and even death. Couraphos (Co-Ral), malathion, carbaryl (Sevin) and

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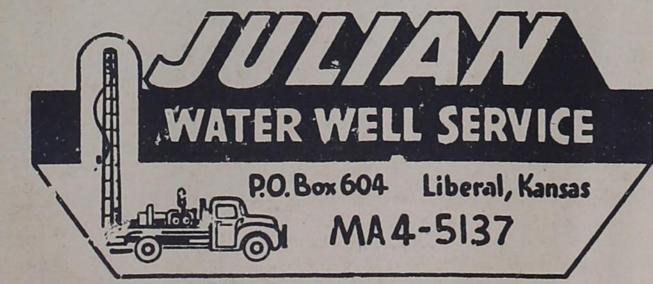
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tables has a change of

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gregation. Outstanding is

the Christmas display that

is in the main entrance of

the church. The scene has

been made by Arthur Fvans

and it shows the two faces

of Christmas. Over the

scene the question is asked

"What does Christmas mean

to you?" One part of the

scene shows the nativity

which tells of the birth of

Christ on the hillside. Be-

side the nativity scene is

the scene of a home with

the Christmas tree and pre-

sents. It is placing the

question before the congre-

gation, "What is the true

Christmas, and what do we

receive from Christmas?"

Sunday morning the Intermediate Choir presented special Christmas music

during the worship hour. Several weeks of practice preceded the lovely Christmas Story that was given by the Junior Choir Sunday night. Linda Spivey, Bruce Knight, Randy Lowe, Cindy and Marcia Wallin, Mary Tim Shapley, Danny Henson, Gary Tipton, Timmy Barkley, and Frankie Bergin had special parts on the program. Patrice McLain narrated the evening's program with the Scripture from the book of Luke. Janet Irwin is the director of the choir. The group was accompanied by Mrs. Del Cluck at the organ and Mrs. Gene Wood at the piano.

Following the Christmas program the Junior Choir members went Christmas caroling throughout the town.

Following the program and caroling the members of Gruver Methodist Church met in the Fellowship hall for their monthly fellowship

Each month the two

three pounds of rock salt in one gallon of water.

Then soak the "logs" for three or four weeks in the solution, turning them end for end frequently. Let them dry thoroughly before trying to burn them.

Burn only one "log" at a time in an open fireplace. It will burn for several hours and give off rainbow colors.

And a final suggestion, these "logs" make unusual Christmas gifts for family or friends.

Grace Bennett and Reba of the church. Mrs. Bennett with the Christmas motif. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The Adult Choir Contata will be held December 20th at 6:00 p.m. in the Gruver Methodist Church. Everyone is invited to attend. The Cantata will be under the direction of Mrs. Janet Irwin and accompanied by Mrs. Gene Wood at the organ and Mrs. Elsie Mae Peddy at the piano.

SH 4 MROCK PARTY HELD

The men and their wives who work for Shamrock Clawson Station had their annual Christmas party Friday night, December 11.

The group met at Grune-

entertained the Adult Choir had her home decorated

ught by everyone. Those enjoying this anual party were Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lyles, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hinton, Mr. and Mrs. John Hannan, Mr. and Mrs. Van Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. Orveda Chisum, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bass and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Davis all of Gruver; Mr. and Mrs. James Gobin, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Winters (formerly of Gruver) and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Driver all of Perry ton and Mr. and Mrs. Cal-

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the Spearman Bank's Fel-

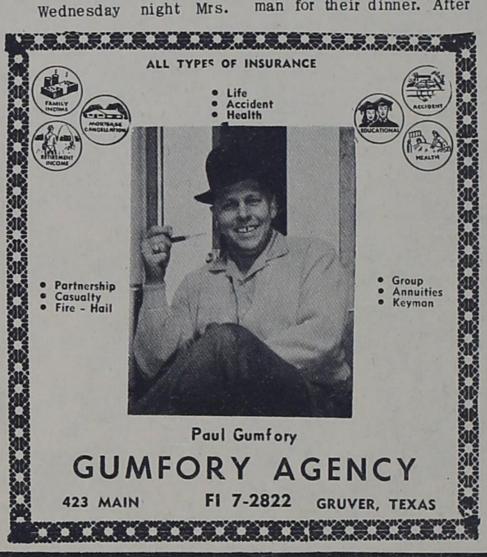
lowship hall. There they

had an exchange of gifts

and then sat down to enjoy

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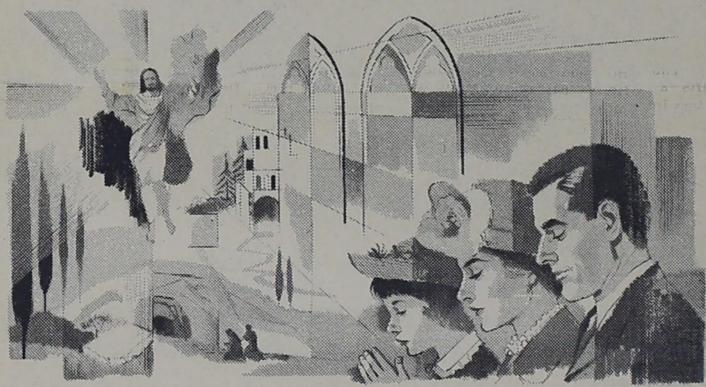
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Prayer MeetingWed	8:00

THE OSLO LUTHERAN CHURCH pastor, Robert Cordes

Sunday School	9:45
Adult Bible Class	9:45
Morning Wor ship	11.00

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Sunday School	9:45
Morning Worship	11:00
M.Y.F	7:00
E: Worship	6:00
A day Bible Study	7:00
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