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LISTEN TO LUKE

If someone would help me to find several days that have been recently, we would sure appreciate it. Last week we celebrated Thanksgiving and next week is Christmas!

The saying of "time waits for no one", includes me, for sure. We have not gotten anything done that we intended to do. We had planned on doing a little decorating around the premises, we planned to taking time out to visit with a few friends we have neglected of late. We planned to do some shopping this year, instead of settling for a "get by" after it's too late to do anything else. We planned to do so many things, and we are going to do well, now to get our "musts" done!

We are pleased to know that there are those groups in Sanderson who are interested in bringing a real sense of Christmas to the season. We speak generally of those who are singing in the community choir cantata and to those who are putting on the pageant at the Presbyterian Church, the Christmas band concert.

We plan on — God willing — attending all of those programs and we plan to enjoy them thoroughly.

We don't have any idea about how long each of the groups has been practicing on their program, but we know that the long hours have been put in willingly and without remuneration, except for possibly the joy of spreading a little Christmas spirit in the community.

We have again been deluged with mail from several different groups of the state urging that we cooperate with other news media in warning the motorists of the hazards that await them if they plan to be on the highways during the Christmas - New Year season.

This hazard has been expressed in about as many ways as the English language will permit. It has been revealed in figures in almost every conceivable manner, and still people will drive in a manner that seems to be calculated to have complete disregard for the safety of others.

The innocent victims of carelessness and negligence are the unfortunate sufferers of such actions and the ones to be pitied.

But those who pity, and those who are victims at times will express complete indifference to the negligent or careless driver with the attitude, "Well, I managed to get out of this way, and I hope everyone else does."

Courtesy is one of the keys to safety.

The Times, like several other local businesses, is going to be closed on December 25, 26. We take advantage of the opportunity to visit some relatives and spend Christmas with them.

We hope and expect to get our jaws tired from talking and eating, as usual, but we don't know yet if we are going in the direction to get food prepared for an ulcer patient, or an expectant mother.

We have heard all of our lives about "an ounce of prevention" — and we certainly hope this is true!

In spite of the revenue some ranchmen received from deer hunters, we have seen few who would vote now for a 30-day season.

When basketball season starts, we have several stories every week about both the boys' and girls' games.

Fans who go to the girls' games know that the guards are not in

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HEAD STATE'S LARGEST FRATERNAL ORDER

These four men were elected to top office in the Grand Lodge of Texas during its 129th Annual Communication in Waco December 4. Heading the 250,000-member fraternal order in 1965 will be (left to right): Grand Master J. Carroll Hinsley, an Austin attorney; H. W. Fullington, who is an Odessa insurance man, Deputy Grand Master; Grand Senior Warden J. D. Tomme, Jr., a Fort Worth dentist and J. W. Chandler of Houston, a businessman, who will be Grand Junior Warden. Over 4,000 representatives of the 968 Texas Masonic Lodges attended the Waco meeting.

'64 Wool Program Ends December 31

Producers are reminded that the 1964 marketing year under the national wool program ends December 31. According to E. E. Harkins Jr., chairman of the Terrell County ASC Committee, this means that payments for the current year will depend on the completion of all details of marketing wool and unshorn lambs by that date. Marketings completed after December 31 will be eligible for payments for the 1965 marketing year.

This year is the first full year to operate on a calendar-year basis. Producers should make sure that all documents are filed with the ASCS office by the deadline as they are the basis for preparation of applications for incentive payments.

Considerable checking and re-checking must be done to compile the information from the sales documents, and all signatures on applications must be obtained by January 31. Payment for 1964 marketings will likely be made in April of next year.

Open House By Homemaking Girls Sunday Afternoon

The homemaking department of the Sanderson High School will hold open house from 3:00 to 5:00 Sunday afternoon. The public is cordially invited to come and see the furnishings and appointments in the cottage as well as to view the equipment.

The cottage contains three modern kitchen units a large general purpose room, living room, laundry, fitting room, and storage room. The walls are paneled in mahogany plywood.

The building was originally a class room at Laughlin Air Force Base at Del Rio. It was dismantled and moved to its present location and rebuilt for use as a band hall.

Recently the bands were moved to the old Lamar Ward School and the band hall remodeled to its present appearance.

Prizes Offered For Christmas Lighting

The Sanderson Lions Club is sponsoring a Christmas lighting contest again this year, according to officers of the club.

Prizes will be awarded for both home and commercial lighting and decorating. A secret committee will be on duty next week and announcement of the awards will be made later.

Methodists Plan Christmas Program, Dedication, Sunday

With the theme "Christmas for Christ", the First Methodist Church announces its Christmas services this year.



Dr. M. Buren Stewart, district superintendent of the Carlisle district of the Methodist Church, will bring the Christmas message Sunday at 11:00 a.m.

The choir, directed by Mrs. T. J. Stewart, with Mrs. L. G. Hinkle at the organ, will sing the anthem "Cantique de Noel" by Adam. Mrs. Hinkle will play "Gesu Bambino" by Yon, "Luther's Cradle Hymn" and "The Christmas Hymn" by Wainwright.

The formal dedication of the pulpit furniture, pulpit brass, and the pews will be by Dr. Stewart at 2:30 p.m.

The choir will sing "Bless This House", by Brahe. Mrs. Hinkle will play "O Holy Night", "Christmas Carol" and "Jesus, Joy of Man's Desiring".

Dr. Stewart, Rev. Miller H. Stroup, Bill C. Cooksey, W. H. Goldwire, and Marion Batson will have part in the dedication.

All friends and members of the church are urged to be present.

Gun Club Names New Officers

The Rio Grande Rifle and Pistol Club met last Tuesday evening in the court house in regular monthly business session.

New officers were named to include: president, Lewis James; vice-president, Dalton Hogg; secretary, J. M. Davis; treasurer, Charles Chism; rifle range officer, R. A. Lowther, Jr.; pistol range officer, R. E. Sheppard; chief instructor, Sheriff Bill C. Cooksey.

Pistol matches are held on the first Sunday morning of each month at 9:00 a.m.

The regular meetings of the club are on the second Tuesday evening of each month.

Mrs. C. P. Peavy left Tuesday for Abilene to visit her daughter, Mrs. Elliott Mendenhall Jr., and family for the remainder of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Black left Tuesday for Tucson, Ariz., after she had received word that her father was critically ill after undergoing surgery.

Santa's Visit To Be Monday

Santa Claus' annual visit to Sanderson young children, a project of the Lions Club, will be at the elementary school at 2:00 p.m. Monday, December 21.

Pre-school children will greet Santa at that time and the children of the elementary school through the fourth grade will be able to visit after they are released from school.

The Lions also provide a sack of goodies for all the children who visit with Santa Claus.

Blood Typing To Be Friday

Free blood typing of all Terrell County residents will be on Friday, December 18, after 2:00 in the afternoon. The Legion Hall has been made available for the blood typing by the Sanderson Kiwanis Club.

The purpose of the blood typing is to furnish this information to each individual who is interested, and to furnish a list of blood types to hospitals in case blood transfusions are necessary.

There is no obligation to the individual and no cost is involved for those who take advantage of this opportunity.

Medical technicians from Alpine will do the actual work involved in typing the blood, and local ladies will aid in filling out the cards of those who go for the typing.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton White made a business trip to Corpus Christi the first of the week. They also visited his mother, Mrs. C. H. White in Kerrville. H. E. Fletcher was in charge of the theatre during their absence.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Treloar Thursday afternoon in an Alpine hospital, their second child, a daughter, weighing five pounds and twelve and three-quarters ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Brotherton was born a daughter, their fourth child, in a Del Rio hospital Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brotherton are the paternal grandparents.

To Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Hines of Houston was born a son, their second child, on December 3. He was named Campbell Hines. Mrs. Hines is the former Carolyn Kern, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Kern, who now reside in Booneville, N.C.

Sanderson Wins Fem Tourney Last Weekend

The Sanderson Eaglettes won their basketball tournament last Saturday night in the win over McCamey 45-38. It was a round-robin type tournament between Sanderson, McCamey, Marathon, and the Del Rio B-team.

Friday at 6:30 Sanderson won over Marathon 56-36. Pam Stavley had 27 points, Pixie Mansfield and Jodie Tronson had 14 each.

Nancy McGonagill had 21 points in the losing cause.

At 8:00 p.m. McCamey won by 39-20 over the Del Rio B-team girls with Gayle Harding of McCamey hitting for 17 and Olivia LeMayne scoring 14 for Del Rio to win in that bracket.

Saturday morning Sanderson scored 44 points to 15 for Del Rio. Pam had 16 points and Pixie 13 for the Eaglettes and Doris Foster had 9 points for the losers.

At 12:30 Saturday McCamey won 34-26 over Marathon. Becky Idom hit for 18 for the winners and Nancy McGonagill had 11 for the losers.

In the semi-finals Saturday night Marathon won 50-17 over Del Rio with Nancy scoring 22 for the winners and Doris scoring 10 for the losers.

Pam Stavley's 34 points in the final game led the Eaglettes to a 45-38 score over McCamey. Becky Idom hit for 25 for the losers.

The standings at the end of the tournament were Sanderson, McCamey, Marathon, Del Rio 8.

Named as all-tournament forwards were Nancy McGonagill, Marathon, Becky Idom, McCamey; Doris Foster, Del Rio; Pam Stavley, Sanderson. Guards were Jan Cooper, McCamey; Mary Acosta, Marathon, and Susan Couch, Sanderson.

Coach Don Carper stated that Irma Galvan played an outstanding game at guard for the Eaglettes.

Pack Meeting Of Cubs Monday

Tuesday was "genius night" when the Cub Scouts had their monthly Pack meeting in Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church.

The Scouts sang several Christmas carols and then the parents sang "Jingle Bells".

The Scouts had been provided with a sack in which were tacks, a spool, pipe cleaners, piece of string, golf tee, tin can, a board, and a piece of cloth and they were to use their ingenuity in constructing something, using only the materials in the bag. Prizes were given to Ronny Stewart and Danny Hall after H. E. Ezelle and L. H. Gilbreath had judged the display.

The Bear Badge was presented to Curt Schrader, Hudson Kerr, and Kendrick Harrell; den chief arrow, Jimmy Hill; wolf badge Martin Petty Darrel Cooke; gold arrows, Jake Murrab, Floyd Watson, and Danny Hall; silver arrow, Bruce Norred.

Mrs. Louise Causey, Cubmaster, presented a gift to each Scout.

Calendar of Events

Friday — Blood typing
Saturday — Christmas cantata at Methodist Church, Jr. Duplicate Bridge Club

Sunday — Redication service at Methodist Church, pageant at Presbyterian Church, open house at Homemaking Cottage

Monday — Band concert
Tuesday — Schools close for holidays

Wednesday — Rotary Club
Thursday — Lions Club, Kiwanis Club

Friday — Christmas Day

Girls Beat Marfa There Tuesday

The Sanderson Eaglettes won two games from the Marfa team in that city Tuesday night. It was the second win over the Marfa girls this season.

In the B-team game, Mary Pena scored 11 points and Amelia Escamilla scored 9 to lead in that department for the Eaglettes' win by 28-13.

Other girls making the trip and playing were Patricia Dishman, Rosa Chalambaga, Suzy Robinson, Nancy Yeary, Bessie Adams, Judy Riggs, and Beverly Farley. Linda Louwien was unable to make the trip.

In the A-team game, Pam Stavley scored 25 points to lead the Eaglettes to a 39-33 victory. Pixie Mansfield scored 7.

Other girls making the trip were Jodie Tronson, Inez Villarreal, and Vicki Rogers forwards; Eloise Farley, Irma Galvan, Susan Couch, Carla Dunn, and Suzanne Downie.

Christmas Services Featured This Week

On Saturday, December 19, the Community Choir will sing a Christmas cantata, "The Music of Christmas" at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. T. J. Stewart will direct the cantata with Mrs. J. H. Neal accompanist. The cantata will be at the Methodist Church at 7:30 p.m.

Sunday night, the young people of the First Presbyterian Church will present the annual pageant at the church at 8:00 p.m.

Monday night, the Sanderson school bands will present their annual Christmas concert. The beginners', junior, and senior bands will play several numbers and there will be solos by some of the band members. The bands are under the direction of Jack Crossman.

Admission prices of 50c for adults and 25c for children will be charged for the band concert. Residents of the community are invited to attend all of the programs.

Winter Park For Trailers Opened In Big Bend Park

A new winter trailer park and camping area has been opened at the Rio Grande Village area in Big Bend National Park.

The Rio Grande Village is located along the Rio Grande in the southeastern section of the park, near the village of Boquillas, Mexico. The impressive Sierra del Carmen range in Mexico, towering more than 6,000 feet above the Rio Grande, forms a magnificent background for the area.

Mild winter temperatures will be an inducement for trailer travelers and campers to spend several days in the park. Sightseeing trips can be made to Boquillas Canyon, Santa Elena Canyon, and the Chisos Mountains, where the year-round park accommodations are located.

A new grocery store and service station offers groceries, picnic supplies, sundries and gasoline in the Rio Grande area. The sites have electric, water and sewer accommodations and camp sites are convenient to water and comfort stations.

Vegetation is a combination of river valley willows and cottonwoods which merge with the desert terrain as the road climbs to the mesas and the Chisos Mountains. During late winter and the early spring, the desert virtually becomes a flower garden as brilliant red, yellow, and cream colored blossoms of the cactus, ocotillo and giant dagger, splash the olive and sienna colored plains.

Five Ranchmen Named Directors Of TS & GRA



Gaylord Hawkins
... new TS&GRA head

Five Sanderson ranchmen were elected directors of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association at the TS&GRA Dallas convention. They were Herbert Brown, Sid Harkins, C. C. Mitchell, N. M. Mitchell Jr., W. R. Stumberg.

New officers were named as follows: Gaylord Hawkins of Rocksprings, president; G. C. Mageruder Jr., Mertzon, 1st vice-president; Howard Derrick, Eldorado, second vice-president; Tommy Lochridge is the new executive secretary. He was formerly with the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce and succeeds David Reed, who has gone into private business.

Among final-day resolutions was one urging a Constitutional amendment to nullify the recent Supreme Court decision on legislative reapportionment. The TS&GRA declared that the decision, if it stands, "will upset centuries-old conceptions of the checks and balances in our government."

The association reiterated its traditional stand for continuation of present tariff levels on raw wool and wool product imports. Earlier a State Department speaker, Clarence Nichols of Washington, told the sheepmen that a 50 per cent reduction in raw wool tariff probably would cost them somewhat more than 5 cents a pound in grease wool prices. This type of cut has been mentioned by some State Department trade-conference negotiators.

The sheepmen supported the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission in a precedent-setting proclamation against open-season hunting in state-owned riverbeds of Uvalde, Dimmit, and Zavala Counties. The Commission acted because many hunters used these riverbeds for entry, then trespassed and poached on private lands adjoining the rivers, cutting fences, and killing livestock.

TB Assn. Meets, Hears Sales Reports

Members and directors of the Terrell County Tuberculosis and Health Association met in the home of the president, Mrs. Clyde Higgins, Tuesday evening in regular quarterly business session.

A report on the progress of the Christmas Seals sale was given by the chairman, R. S. Wilkinson. Mrs. Troy Druse reported on the skin patch test for the children of the first and fifth grades and follow-ups.

Mmes. M. W. Duncan, H. E. Ezelle and Druse were named on the nominating committee which will report at the March meeting.

Long School Holidays
The classes of the Sanderson schools will be dismissed Tuesday at 3:00 p.m. for the Christmas holidays and will be resumed on Monday, January 4.



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Mrs. W. A. Banner Is Hostess For Luncheon, Bridge

Mrs. W. A. Banner was hostess to the Tuesday Bridge Club members and guests this week at a luncheon served at the Oasis Restaurant. The group then went to the Banner home for bridge.

Mrs. Herbert Brown won high score prize and shared the slam honors with Mrs. Mary Lou Keller; Mrs. Jack Riggs was second high. Others present were Mesdames Will J. Murrah, Buster Canon, Austin Nance, F. J. Barrett, H. L. Richardson, Roger Rose, S. H. Underwood, C. E. Litton, John Harrison, J. A. Gilbreath, Hugh Rose, James Caroline

W.M.U. Program On 'David' Led By Mrs. A. D. Brown

The Baptist W.M.U. met Monday morning in the church for Bible study with Mrs. A. D. Brown leading the lesson on "David". Favorite Psalms and passages from the Psalms were given by the members.

"Silent Night" was sung to open the meeting and Mrs. H. L. Richardson led in prayer. Mrs. T. O. Moore gave a report on community missions. Prayer by Mrs. J. C. Hancock closed the meeting.

Also present were Mesdames O. D. Gray, James Word, and H. G. Cates.

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Week-day services at 7:15 a. m.

Church of Christ
Roy Webb, Minister
Sunday Services: Bible Study, 9:55 a. m. Morning Worship, 10:55 a. m. Evening Worship Service at 6:00 o'clock.
Wednesday evening classes at 7:30.

El Buen Pastor Latin-American Methodist
Rev. Librado Castillo, Pastor
Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Morning worship at 11:00 a. m. Evening worship at 7:00 p. m. W.S.C.S. every Monday 2:30 p. m. Bible Study Thursday 7:00 p. m. M.Y.F. Saturday 6:00 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Clifton Hancock, Pastor
Graded Bible School, 9:45 a. m. Worship at 11:00 a. m., 7:00 p. m. Training Union, 6:00 p. m. Pastor's Class, 6:00 p. m. Deacons 1st Monday, 7:00 p. m. Business meetings, 1st Wednesdays

WMS every Monday, 9:30 a. m. Sunbeams, Tuesdays, 3:00 p. m. Jr. G.A.s Wednesdays, 4:00 p. m. Prayer-Bible time, Wednesdays Nursery all services to 4 years

Dryden Methodist Church
Miller H. Stroup, Pastor
9 a. m. Morning worship service 10 a. m. Sunday school Mrs. Robert Hunn, gen. supt.

First Methodist Church
Miller H. Stroup, Pastor
9:45 a. m. Sunday school 11:00 a. m. morning worship Nursery provided for all children under four years old. First Mondays - 7:30 p. m. meeting of official board of the church.

Fourth Mondays - 3:15 p. m. meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service at the church. 7:30 p. m. - Meeting of Methodist Men at the church.

First Presbyterian Church
Rev. Bob R. Moon, Pastor (nursery provided)
Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Morning Worship 11:00 a. m. Choir practice 7:00 p. m. Thursday.
Women of the Church: Circle 1 2nd Monday 4 p. m. Circle 2 2nd Tuesday 9:30 a. m. General meeting 4th Monday 4:00 p. m.

'Minor' Defects Have Major Effect, Declares March of Dimes Doctor

Big ears and misshapen noses have long been treated as amusing targets of low comedy. Often the people behind the defective features join in the laughter more heartily than anyone else.

Now doctors wonder if it's such a laughing matter. "Doctors are beginning to suspect that many so-called minor defects may be as crippling to emotional and mental development as a gross deformity is to physical growth," says Dr. Virginia Apgar, director of the division of congenital malformations of The National Foundation-March of Dimes.

"In the 50 March of Dimes birth defects centers that have been opened across the nation in the last several years, we have seen an increasing number of these problems."

As an example, Dr. Apgar described a little Nebraska girl born with an ugly mass of hair extending from right shoulder to forearm. The rare defect—actually a huge birthmark—didn't prevent normal use of the arm. But it was so disfiguring that it aroused other children's taunts. By the age of four, the pretty child had withdrawn into a shell, worrying her parents and inciting her six-year-old brother to fight youngsters who poked fun at his "hairy" sister.

According to the child's parents, no one gave them any hope of improving their daughter's appearance until they took her to the March of Dimes Birth Defects Center at Children's Memorial Hospital in Omaha. Plastic surgeons removed the hairy surface and replaced it with skin grafts. Physicians believe that by the time the girl reaches high school, she'll scarcely remember which arm showed the upsetting quirk of nature.

In the vanguard of medical researchers studying deformity and accompanying psychological problems is a group at Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore. Dr. Milton Edgerton, professor of plastic surgery there,



APPEALING but withdrawn before plastic surgery (at left), Chuck Burger, 7, Kansas City, Mo., now crows that "the kids in the block don't call me 'rabbit ears' anymore." Surgery on his ears was performed at March of Dimes Birth Defects Center.

says studies show that children with deformities, even minor ones, often feel "apart from the human race" early in life. He advocates correction of the deformity at an early age, where possible.

"We all know children or adults who have somehow learned outwardly to adapt to defects. We tend to think that there is no problem and to disregard the tremendous human aching to be like everyone else, at least to the degree of not feeling deformed," Dr. Edgerton says.

Dr. Eugene Meyer, associate professor of psychiatry and medicine at Johns Hopkins, is convinced that in 99 cases out of 100, a sense of deformity, however minor, stunts and cripples not only a child's self-esteem but his relationships with others.

The Baltimore group is concerned with prevailing attitudes of disdain and amusement toward what is popularly known as "cosmetic surgery." Jokes and sly references to "nose jobs" and other cosmetic surgery indicate an underlying feeling that such procedures are prompted by vanity.

In psychiatric terms, Dr. Meyer traces prejudiced attitudes to the Puritan idea that "the Lord made you this way and you shouldn't tamper with it."

"We've seen changes which are hard to believe in terms of people being freed from a sense of deformity for much greater interest in the various tasks of life," Dr. Meyer asserts. "The surgery doesn't put good spirit or productivity into a person, but it does remove blocks to its expression."

March of Dimes Drive Begins Soon

"Birth defects kill and cripple more American children than any other human disorder. The March of Dimes is leading the fight against birth defects because it believes the people are ready to join an all-out campaign against this tragic waste of human life."

Mrs. Mark W. Duncan made this statement this week as she accepted the Terrell County chairmanship of the 1965 March of Dimes. The traditional fund drive opens on December 27 and concludes on February 1, 1965.

"As a matter of fact," she declared, "one might call certain birth defects perpetual epidemics since they are relentlessly transmitted from generation to generation. As for emergencies,

is it not an emergency when 250,000 birth defect babies are born each year, thousands of them doomed to a lifetime of mental or physical disability?"

The county leader pointed out that the March of Dimes in the past six years has made important advances in the fight against birth defects.

Through the 50 March of Dimes-financed centers and clinics across the country, trained medical teams are providing the best medical care available for birth defect children and working to develop new techniques which will enable many more of them to live a useful life.

Mrs. A. B. Gates, who had been visiting with Mrs. Clyde Higgins on the ranch during deer hunting season, left Tuesday for Sheffield to visit her daughter, Mrs. Lynn Hise, and family before returning to Houston.

Glen Bob Hinkle has his arm in a cast after the upper arm was fractured in a fall at school last week. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hinkle.

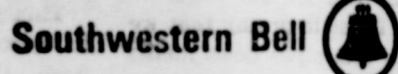
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Christmas Program For W.S.C.S. Monday

A beautiful worship center was the theme for the Christmas program as the birth of the Christ child was told in scripture, music and poetry when the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon in Fellowship Hall.

Mrs. H. M. Petty was moderator for the program which was printed inside of Christmas card folders with religious significance. On a table with a royal blue velvet background, pine boughs and other greenery which had been flocked and glittered were in a mass arrangement with burning red tapers and an open Bible in the foreground.

Several Christmas hymns were sung and Mrs. Irvin Robbins sang a solo, "Under the Stars", with Mrs. L. G. Hinkle playing the piano accompaniment. The scripture passages were read by Mrs. Petty, Mrs. L. H. Gilbreath and Mrs. T. L. McClellan read hymns. Miss Eva Billings gave the closing prayer.

During the business meeting which opened with prayer by Mrs. A. B. Gates, the group voted to invite the Big Bend Sub-District of the W.S.C.S. to meet here for the fall seminar. Two dozen of the Texas cookbooks will be ordered to sell in the near future. Mrs. J. O. Little, chairman, announced the confirmation of the date of March 3 for the spring hat sale. The Missy benediction was used in closing.

Mrs. Roger Rose and Mrs. J. O. Little hostesses, served dainty refreshments to the group from a lovely tea table, covered in white linen cloth on which large poinsettias were applied. Poinsettias in a copper bowl formed the centerpiece flanked by red candles in copper holders. Poinsettias decorated and encircled the sandwich loaf on a copper tray and it was served by Mrs. Clyde Higgins. Mrs. Gates of Houston was at the copper tea and coffee service. Candy, cookies and nuts were also on the table.

Also present were Mmes. H. C. Goldwire, John Neal, M. W. Duncan, H. E. Ezelle, C. F. Cox, and M. H. Stroup.

A large box of items of food was contributed for a charity project.

Mrs. O. J. Cresswell has received word that her grandson, Ray deBusk Jr., of Odessa has enlisted in the Air Force of the Marine Corps and is receiving his basic training at San Diego, California. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray deBusk of Odessa and is a May graduate of the Lubbock High School where they formerly resided.

The Old Timer

"Now that school is out and the kids are driving all day long it's up to the pedestrians to keep alert."

Presbyterian Ladies Meet Monday For Christmas Program

The Presbyterian Women of the Church met in the home of Mrs. W. H. Savage Monday afternoon.

The singing of the hymn, "O, Come All Ye Faithful" opened the meeting and Mrs. E. H. Jessup, president, led the opening prayer. She also gave the devotional from Luke 2:1-7 and presided during a brief business session.

Mrs. N. M. Mitchell was moderator for the Christmas program and also read an article from "The Christian Herald". She gave the dismissal prayer after the hymn, "Joy To The World" had been sung.

Fruit cake, tea, and coffee were served by the hostess from a tea table decorated in the Christmas motif which was in evidence in decorations throughout the house.

Those present were Mmes. R. A. Gatlin, Carlos Dunn, Pinky Carruthers, Leola Hill, Sid Harkins, E. H. Jessup, C. C. Mitchell, David Mitchell, N. M. Mitchell, N. M. Mitchell Jr., Bob Moon, J. D. Nichols, E. F. Pierson, R. S. Wilkinson, Charles Stegall, and A. H. Zuberbuehler; also Mrs. Woodrow Smith, a guest.

B. of R.T. Auxiliary Has Business Meet

The members of the Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen met Monday afternoon in the Masonic Hall in regular business session. Mrs. Jule Moorehead was initiated as a new member.

After adjournment, the ladies went to the home of Mrs. Ray Caldwell where orange-date cake was served with tea and coffee.

Those present were Mmes. F. G. Grigsby, J. M. Davis, Dick Sullivan, H. E. Ezelle, A. C. Garner, Irvin Robbins, and P. G. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Roark and son, Papoose, of Kermit were visitors with their son, Buddy Roark, and family on the Bud Roark ranch last weekend. Papoose, six years old, was reported to have killed a four-point buck with a .22 rifle.

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Miss Peggie Cooke

Mr. and Mrs. Greene Cooke announce the engagement of their daughter, Peggie, to Brooks Hickerson, son of A. L. Hickerson of Odessa, and Mrs. Geraldine Hickerson of Austin.

Miss Cooke, a graduate of the University of Texas, is a teaching fellow in the Spanish Department of the University of Houston. Mr. Hickerson is a senior mathematics major at the University of Texas.

The couple will be married on January 30 in Houston.

Bonhomie Club Has Yule Party

The Bonhomie Club members met in the ranch home of Mrs. J. Garner last week for their Christmas party. Christmas decorations throughout the house included a silver tree decorated in net tufts and felt Christmas boots on the mantel. Gifts were exchanged by the members and Mrs. Garner gave each a recipe holder.

Turkey was featured on the luncheon menu served at noon. Pictures were made during the meeting.

The twelve members present were Mmes. L. R. Hall, O. J. Cresswell, J. W. Carruthers Jr., H. P. Boyd, B. F. Dawson, E. F. Pierson, C. F. Cox, F. G. Grigsby, Marion Batson, Ray Caldwell, C. I. White, and eight guests including Mmes. Clyde Smith, Ed-die McNutt, Nell Stokes, S. J. Burchett, E. H. Jessup, Cecile Bell, F. M. Roark Jr., and John Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Duncan went to Ozona Wednesday to meet their niece, Mrs. Lloyd Ke-fauver, and children and to bring her great-nephew, Mark, to Sanderson for a visit.

Mrs. C. P. Peavy Is Hostess For Bridge-Luncheon

Mrs. C. P. Peavy was hostess Monday for a luncheon for the Wednesday Bridge Club. The dining table was covered with a pink cloth and had pink candles in silver holders. A green Christmas tree decorated with white balls was in the living room.

In the bridge games, Mrs. Herbert Brown won high score prize, Mrs. Jack Riggs was second high, and Mrs. Web Townsend and Mrs. F. M. Wood held the slam prizes. Others present were Mes-dames J. T. Williams, S. L. Stumberg, Jim Kerr, E. J. Hanson, R. S. Wilkinson, Bustin Canon, W. W. Sudduth, and Tol Murrah.

The members exchanged gifts from the tree.

Luncheon For Duplicate Club Last Thursday

The Duplicate Bridge Club had a no-hostess luncheon at the Oasis Restaurant last Thursday. Turkey and the trimmings were featured on the menu.

A gift was presented to Mrs. Perry Martin who is moving to Del Rio in the near future.

The group went to the home of Mrs. James Caroline for the card games with high score prize going to Mrs. H. E. Ezelle, who had nine and one-half points. Second high was held by Mrs. S. H. Underwood with eight and one-half points.

Members exchanged gifts from a beautifully decorated Christmas tree which was a part of the lavish seasonal decorations in the Caroline home.

Also present were Mmes. M. W. Duncan, H. L. Richardson, Jack Crossman, and A. C. Garner.

Mrs. C. L. Surratt took her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. H. Hayre, to Alpine Friday for a medical check-up and visited her son, H. L. Surratt, and family. Mike Surratt accompanied his grandmother home for a visit.

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Mrs. Austin Nance Is Hostess For '51 Club Luncheon

The home of Mrs. Austin Nance was decorated in the Christmas motif last Wednesday when she was hostess for the annual Christmas luncheon for the '51 Bridge Club.

The luncheon featuring turkey was served at 1:00 o'clock and the card games followed with Mrs. Vic Littleton holding the high

score and slam prize. Mrs. G. E. Babb also held the slam prize and was second high.

Members exchanged gifts from a beautifully decorated Christmas tree.

Also present were Mmes. S. L. Stumberg, W. C. TenEyck, A. J. Hahn, S. H. Underwood, E. J. Hanson, O. T. Sudduth, Jack Riggs, J. A. Gilbreath, Tom McClellan, and Bustin Canon.

Office Supplies at The Times.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Higgins and children left for their home in San Antonio Sunday after coming out for a deer hunt on Saturday and to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Stadler.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Malone Mitchell Jr., and children were business visitors in Odessa for two days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Savage made a trip to San Angelo last week for him to have a medical check-up.



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a position to do anything but their best in an effort to prevent the opposition from scoring, and to be sure and get the ball to the forwards on their own team so that they may have a chance to score.

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This is not one of our failures, but one of the quirks of the game. Their value would be realized more, possibly, if they were left out of a game and the opposition was permitted to throw at the basket until the ball went in.

The efforts of the guards plays a big part in the outcome of the game. They are a part of a team, however, and if they don't do their part in preventing some scoring and in successfully getting the ball to the forwards, the forwards cannot possibly score. By the same token, it takes some scoring to offset what the guards are unable to prevent by the opposing forwards.

We like to watch the guards in

action. We admire their ability and their intense desire to fulfill their obligations in the game. Our hats are off to the guards in girls' basketball. But we like the forwards, too! —And just as much!

Among Our Subscribers

New subscribers to The Times include Clyde W. Miller Jr.; W. H. Chandler, Ozona; Earl Malone, Ozona; Mrs. Press Nichols, Alpine; F. H. Cooke, Fort Stockton; Mary Lou Alvarez, Fort Stockton.

Renewals have come from O. F. Oathout, Alpine; Wynne's Press Clipping Bureau; Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Fort Stockton; Tommy Mansfield and Larry Horgan, El Paso; S. R. Coffey, Tarpley; L. R. Grigsby, McCamey; R. J. Bassett, Shreveport, La.; George Moberly, Midland; C. I. Gatlin, Phoenix, Ariz.; Col. H. G. Woodward, San Antonio; James E. Martine, Alameda, Calif.; H. E. Gatlin, W. O. Ray, Community Public Service Co., F. M. Weiland, all of Sanderson.

Clyde Griffith, who has been on his vacation, visited relatives in South Texas.

Capt. Ramiro Saenz and Family Visit Her Family Here

Capt. and Mrs. Ramiro Saenz and children arrived the first of the week for a visit with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Castillo, and family.

Capt. Saenz of the U. S. Marines, was recently promoted to that rank. He and his family have been residing in Keneoke, Oahu, Hawaii, for the past three years where he is attached to the Keneoke Marine Corps Air Station. He has the Armed Forces Expedition Medal for distinguished service in South Viet Nam.

Mrs. Saenz is the former Raquel Castillo. The couple has two children, Diana, and a son, David, born on September 16. They came by plane to San Francisco and from there by car to Sanderson. Their next station will be Cherry Point, N.C.



Mrs. Carlos Dunn with Carla and Ross were weekend visitors in Alpine with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Peters.

Mrs. Louise Causey attended an Avon sales meeting in Fort Stockton Tuesday.

Major and Mrs. M. R. Williams and son, Riley, of San Antonio spent last week-end here visiting her mother, Mrs. D. O. Bosworth, and her sister, Mrs. Violet Coric. Among those attending the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers

NOTICE
Morrison's and the Royal Cleaners will be closed Friday and Saturday in observance of Christmas and will open Monday morning.



The light is sweet, and a pleasant thing it is for the eyes to behold the sun. — (Eccles. 11:7).

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My Neighbors



"You do the chopping and I'll yell 'timber!'"

Convention in Dallas last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. John T. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown, C. C. Mitchell.

W. V. Munson has returned home from Houston and will not report to work until after the first of the year while he recuperates from major surgery.

Mmes. W. H. Dishman, Troy Druse, and O. T. Sudduth were business visitors in Fort Stockton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carruthers Jr. went to Fort Stockton Monday for medical treatment and he is hospitalized there.

Mrs. Ray Clifford and daughter, Beth, were in Fort Stockton Wednesday for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Murrah and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Litton were business visitors in San Angelo Monday.

Ray Brotherton had major surgery Tuesday morning in a Del Rio hospital. His wife and daughter, Mrs. Willodean Babb, are with him in Del Rio.

Mrs. Marvin Muenchow of San Antonio has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jimmie Davis, and family for three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Batson were in San Angelo the first of

last week for her to have a medical check-up.

Mrs. Lewis Hill took her daughter, Mrs. Aubrey Price, of Fort Stockton to Alpine for a medical check-up Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Hernandez and children of Odessa were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Calzada, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dudley and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Cates were shopping in San Angelo Tuesday.

Jack Hayre and Sid Harkins were business visitors in El Paso Wednesday.

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Her husband, George Zuniga, was treated for minor injuries and released and their small child was uninjured.

Mrs. Joe Lopez went to her sis-

ter's bedside Wednesday and returned home Saturday.

Mrs. W. H. Goldwire was brought home last Thursday from San Angelo and is making satisfactory recovery from major surgery.

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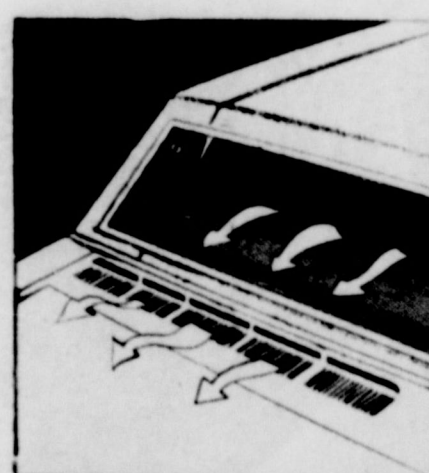
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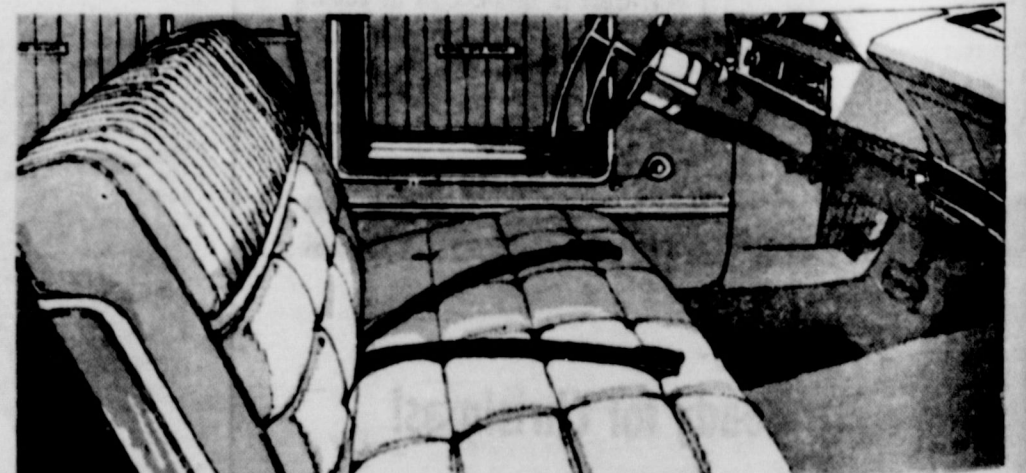
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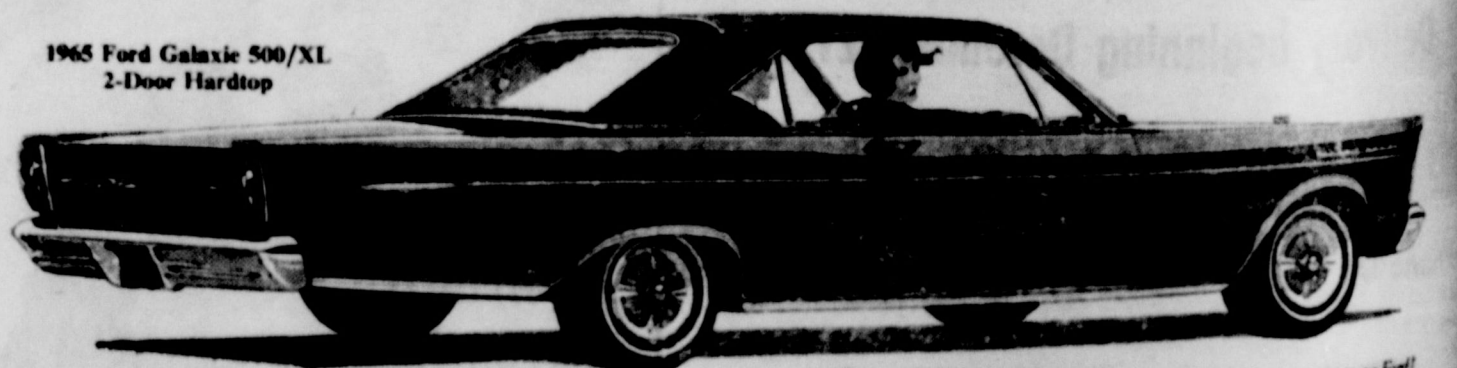


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