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Clevenger Is Given Scout Key

Deryl Clevenger, Scoutmaster at Hart received his Scoutmaster's key at the Annual Haynes District Award Banquet, held in Plainview, Monday night.

Deryl has been Scout master in Hart since 1960.

The Scouters key is given in recognition of completing all training for adult volunteer leaders that is offered in Haynes District, and for three years active service as scoutmaster.

Also attending the banquet from Hart were James Kennedy, cubmaster he received an award for Cub pack summer activity, and Charles Clark, assistant scoutmaster, Robbie Hawkins, neighborhood commissioner for Scouts, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Hawkins, Mrs. Clevenger, Mrs. Lanny Tucker, and Mrs. Aubrey Myers, all of whom served as den mothers, and Mr. Myers, den dad.

Long Distance Service Rates To Be Cut

Starting Jan 1, telephone bills for local and long distance service will be reduced by seven per cent, according to Bill Woodard, district manager, West Texas Telephone Company.

Telephone customers in this area will benefit from a cut in the Federal excise tax.

This reduction from 10 per cent to three per cent on local and long distance service was passed by Congress during the past session.

Additional reductions of one per cent a year will be made at the beginning of 1967 and 1967 and 1968 and the tax will be completely eliminated in January, 1969.

Fire Prevention Poster Winners Are Announced

Mickey Rodriguez, a fifth grader, and Norma Longarcia Saenz, a first grader, were the top winners in the junior and senior fire prevention poster contest held in Hart last week.

The poster contest was part of Fire Prevention Week.

During the week, Hart Public Schools practiced fire drills, disaster drills, and Thursday the first graders were taken for a ride on the new Hart fire truck.

Hart mayor E. E. Foster presented \$35 in prize money donated by the firemen for poster prize winners in an assembly held at the elementary school Thursday.



DERYL CLEVENGER

Open House Set For Hart Homes

Open house for two new Hart homes will be held Sunday, Dec. 19, from 1 to 5 p.m.

Both built by Ed Harris Lumber Co., one home is a Blue Flame Home and the other all-gas.

The Blue Flame Home is located three blocks north and one-half block west of the post office in Hart.

The smoked brick home has a tiled entry, spacious, formal living room, large all-gas kitchen with ash cabinets and handy pantry, a breakfast bar separating the den and kitchen, three bedrooms and two full baths.

Main bath has a walk-in closet with mirror folding doors. Grecian gold carpeting is used throughout.

The all-gas Cordovan rock home is located one lot from the Blue Flame house.

Both homes offer gas conveniences including Roper range, Day 'N Night water heater, Kool Wall bathroom heater, gas dryer accommodations, Charm-glow gas lights and Charm-glow barbequer.

Gas heating and cooling is by Bryant.

A drawing will be held after the open house and an electric

IN HART CEMETERY FUND

Contributions \$400

Contributions to the Hart Cemetery Fund totaled \$408.50 at the deadline Saturday.

Rather than mail out Christmas cards to friends in the Hart area, contributors donated their Christmas card money to the fund.

Contributors to the fund included Mr. and Mrs. Edd Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Burt, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Dinwiddie, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Shive, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. John McLain and Mr.

and Mrs. Hubert Maples.

Also contributing were Mr. and Mrs. DeWayne Brown, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Felder, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hawkins Sr., Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Pyeatt, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Farris and Rickey, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Warren, and Kenneth, and Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Warren.

Others donating included Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Armstrong, Mrs. Allen Lilly, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Futrell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Mills, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ray, and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Smitherman.

Also contributing were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Norlan Dudley, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hill, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Westcott, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Myrick and Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Lambert.

Also donating were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Loman, Ed Harris Lumber Co., Mmes. Zella Height, Mabel Aven, C. G. Hankins, O. C. Kirtrell, G. R. Bennett, Nora Ray,

Jo Ann Merritt, and Messrs. Green Henderson and Francisco Hernandez.

School Census For Next Year Is Under Way

Andy Gardenhire, Hart School superintendent, issued a special notice this week to parents with children starting to school next September.

He noted the census roll is now being prepared and asked that each family in the school district who will have a child starting to school next year in the first grade, and who does not have other children in school, to come by his office and list the child on the census roll.

Superintendent's office is the first office on the right at the entrance of the new building.

Gardenhire urged all parents to "come by as soon as possible" and expressed his appreciation for their cooperation in the matter.

carving knife will be given away at 5 p.m. Visitors may register between 1 and 5 p.m.

Chest Drive Meets Quota

Dwight Miller, Hart Community Fund drive chairman, reported this week that drive workers have met their quota and contributions are still coming in.

Terming the drive a "huge success", Miller noted that money already deposited totals \$1,363.

He also expressed appreciation and thanks to all the workers "who worked so diligently to put this over the top".

St. Nick Will Be In Hart Dec. 22

If you hear sleigh bells and a few hearty, "Ho, ho, ho's," in the Hart area Dec. 22, don't be surprised.

Santa said he will be on the parking lot next to the Farmers State Bank at 3:30 p.m.

Cheatham Makes Wayland Who's Who

PLAINVIEW (SPECIAL)---- Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges selections for 1965-66 include 13 seniors and three juniors at Wayland Baptist College.

Listed among these is Richard Cheatham, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cheatham of Hart.

He is majoring in speech and English, while serving as Associate Justice on the Supreme Court of the Student Government Assn.

He is also member of Alpha Chi and Alpha Mu Gamma honor fraternities and the Ministerial Alliance.

Cheatham belongs to the Texas Student Education Assn., which he has served as president. This is his second year to be selected for Who's Who.

The 16 selected for Who's Who, a national honor, represent 11 major academic departments at Wayland in their various major fields: Political Science, Spanish, History, Religion, English, Speech, Psychology, Biology, Chemistry, Sociology, and Music Education.

Eligibility for Who's Who is based partly on grade-point averages of 2.50 on a 4.00 system, or above. Juniors and seniors with the qualifying averages fill out information forms, listing offices held in campus organi-

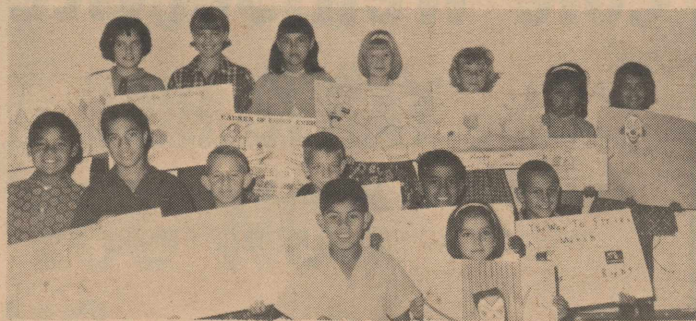
zations. Points are given for each office.

Names of the top half of students with the highest number of points accumulated were submitted to the faculty for voting. This vote is a popular vote based on citizenship, service to the school and future service to society.

Who's Who students at Wayland are campus leaders and are featured not only in the national publication but also in the campus yearbook, The Traveler.



RICHARD CHEATHAM



POSTER WINNERS--Pictured are prize winners in the Fire Prevention poster contest held at Hart Elementary School last week. On the back row, left to right are Penny Guzman, fifth grade; Dee Ann Clevenger, sixth grade; Linda Valdez, sixth grade; Patricia Ward, fourth grade; Brenda Lawson, second grade; Diane Valdez, first grade, and Becky Flores, second grade. In the middle row, left to right, are Joe DeLeon, third grade; Johnny Valenzuela, fourth grade; Jim Tucker, fourth grade; Brent Lilly, first grade; Harry Martinez, third grade, and Kent Irons, third grade. On the front row are the first place winners, Mickey Rodriguez and Norma Longarcia Saenz.

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

AUSTIN--About 110 persons will be killed in Texas traffic accidents during the 10-day Christmas-New Year holiday. That's the prediction of Col. Homer Garrison, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

In addition, the DPS chief says statistics indicate there will be 43 homicides and suicides. Also 42 deaths from accidents other than traffic. This means a total violent death toll of 195 if Garrison's predictions come true.

He appealed again to drivers to make an all-out effort to reduce the traffic toll by observing traffic laws and rules of safety.

Every available highway patrolman will be on duty throughout the holiday period, Garrison said. Several other organizations and state agencies are cooperating to focus attention on the need for safe-driving practices.

The annual Operation Death-watch will begin at 12:01 a.m. Dec. 24, and will continue through 11:59 p.m. Jan 2, to remind motorists of the dangers of holiday travel.

HIGHWAY BUILDING SOARS

Texas Highway Department expects to close out the year with total construction running more than \$329,000,000. It's the second highest year for road building in Texas' history. Last year's expenditure for highways was more than \$340,000,000 -- a record.

At contract lettings last week the State Highway Commission tabulated low bids of \$23,300,000 on 38 projects. About \$4,100,000 will go to develop or improve 125 Farm-to-Market roads.

Included were the following:

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Construction of a west frontage road on Interstate 35 from Laredo to near U. S. Highway 83 in Webb County, with an estimated cost of \$1,070,000;

Surfacing on a 19-mile section of Interstate 20 near Monahans in Ward County at an estimated \$962,000 cost;

Construction of a street type section of Farm-to-Market Road 105 in Vidor in Orange County, including grading, structures and surfacing;

Grading, structures and surfacing, estimated at \$1,600,000 aimed at making a complete expressway facility of a 1.6 mile section of Interstate 35 near Elm Mott in McLennan County;

An estimated \$120,000 will go for embankments along U. S. Highway 59 in Fort Bend County near Sharpstown.

Commission heard a variety of new-project proposals including a Padre Island road and causeway from Port Mansfield; ramps and overpasses on U. S. Highway 75 to aid industrial development in the Sherman area; construction of U. S. 59 through Montgomery County; a multi-lane divided U. S. 87 from San Antonio's east city limits to the Wilson County line; and expansion of highway routes in Del Rio.

ELEVEN NEW SENATORS

It looks like Texas is going to have at least 11 new Senators after 1966 elections, and the redistricting of the state into 31 new districts.

Ambition for higher office, as well as redistricting, will contribute to the turnover, but the redistricting will account for most of it.

The new districts will pit some of the giants of the Senate against each other, as the once separate districts now are fused into one, and the Senators of the old districts must compete against one another under the new plan.

ATTY. GEN. RULES

In three separate opinions, Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr interpreted provisions of the controversial new Code of Criminal



EQUIPMENT GETS WORKOUT--Playground equipment bought with funds provided by the Hart Parent-Teacher Association has already gotten a workout this fall, as these pictures taken before cold weather set in show.

Procedure which becomes effective Jan. 1.

Carr held that:

(1) A prisoner arrested at night does not have to be taken before a magistrate until regular daylight office hours.

(2) Examining trials must be made a matter of record, but the record can be prepared by a magistrate or anyone the magistrate appoints for the purpose.

(3) After Jan. 1, State Mental Hospital heads cannot furlough, transfer or discharge patients committed on jury finding of insanity. When hospital chief finds a patient sane, he must thereafter notify the court which ordered commitment and wait jury determination.

Carr, in answering a question raised by Comptroller Robert S. Calvert, concluded that the State Parks and Wildlife Commission can buy and fly a new \$72,700 twin-engine aircraft for official use.

He also ruled that an election

judge who delivers returns to authorities within 24 hours after polls close is entitled to a \$5 fee.

Also that probation cannot be granted in drivers-license suspensions.

Governor Connally designated the Texas Industrial Commission as state coordinator for the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965.

Act authorizes \$500,000,000 in funds nationwide for encouraging public works, industrial and commercial expansion and technical assistance and research...mainly for distressed areas.

Commission will advise the regional office of EDA whether fund requests fit reasonably into the overall economic development plans for the state.

HBA PROJECT APPROVED

Texas Highway Commission has approved the first landscape planting project under the Highway Beautification

Act.

It will be on Interstate 45 adjacent to the downtown business district of Houston. The 5.6-mile section will extend from Houston's Airline Drive to West Dallas Avenue, including North Loop Interchange.

Project will cost about \$90,000, and is to be financed under the 1966-67 Highway Beautification Program.

DRAFT SLIGHTLY DOWN

Col. Morris S. Schwartz, Selective Service director for Texas, says a total of 1,475 men are to be drafted into the armed forces in January. Draft will include single and childless married men ages 19-25.

December's call was for 1,523 men and November's, 1,456. According to Schwartz, no married man with children is in danger during the January call.

A total of 9,575 men will be called for the draft physical and mental exam.

SHORT SNORTS

Twenty-five cities are moving to set up community mental health and retardation centers under a \$1,350,000 program authorized by the Legislature.

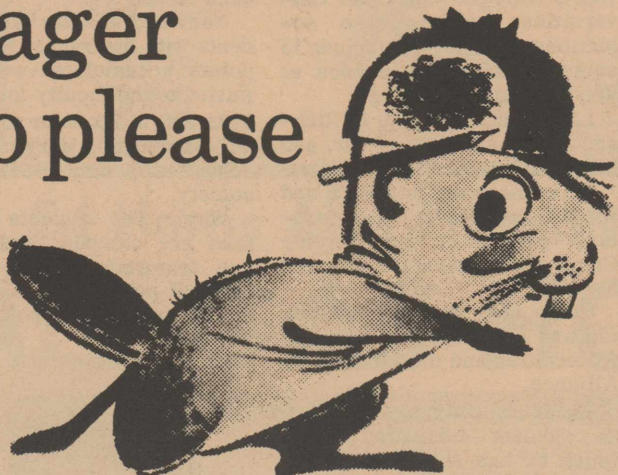
A group of business men at Aldine, in Harris County, is applying for a state bank charter.

State Department of Public Safety now has a "pop-up" radio antenna, buried 23 feet underground to resist nuclear blast, yet capable of forcing its way out through debris to the height of a 10-story building.

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SCOUT NEWS



Members of the Girl Scout Cadette Troop 158 met Dec. 8 at 4 p.m. at the Scout house for a regular meeting.

Guest speaker was Mrs. Nancy Wescott, who spoke on the subject, "Foods for Proper Growth".

Sandy Bennett served refreshments to Sharon Brooks, Brenda Covington, Gaylene Hawkins, Jeton Jones, Becky King, Diane Lancaster, Carol Miller, Marsha Seago, Kathy Weatherly and the leader, Mrs. Kenneth Covington.

Next meeting of the troop will be Dec. 15 at 4 p.m. at the Scout house, and the troop will take a trip to the rest home at Dimmitt.

Junior Girl Scout Troop 333 met Dec. 7 at 4 p.m. at the Scout House.

The girls met to make Christmas gifts and discussed service to others.

Leanne Friday was a guest. Mrs. Shirley Nelson served refreshments to Cathy Nelson, Jean Foster, Jennifer Smart, Rita Heck, Cheryl Friday, Jan Harris, Betty Follis, Mary Helen Sanchez, Karen Cook, Donna Welty, Roxanne Irons, Kathy Cheves, and Leaders, Mrs. Cheves and Mrs. Friday.

The next meeting took place Dec. 14 at 4 p.m. at the Scout house. The members met to continue their gift making.

Brownie troop 47 recently met to divide the troop into two patrols.

Jana Hill served refreshments to members, Twila Hicks, Cynthia Smart, Cynthia Kerns, Joyce Welty, Dana McLain, Carlo Rambo, Ann Moore, Louisa Carbijal, Paula Hankins, Susan Harlin, Brenda Lawson, Karen Foster, Teri King, Carol Armstrong, and leaders, Mrs. Leonard Welty and Mrs. Clarence Kerns and one guest, Leoria Welty.

Legion To Send Hart Students To Austin Meet

American Legion Post 311 of Hart will not sponsor a yard and Christmas window decorating contest this year.

The money designated for this purpose in past years will be used this year for the purpose of sending a girl and boy to Austin to attend the Girl and Boy State Government workshop held each year. Last year, Rene Brooks and David Smith were selected to attend.

Teri King Has Party

Miss Teri King was honored on her eighth birthday with a party Dec. 11 in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. King.

Refreshments of cake, hot chocolate and cookies were served by Mrs. King to Vivian Davis, Karen Foster, Twila Hicks, Charolette Martin, Dana McLain and Joyce Welty.

Church Class Gives Party

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin were hosts for a Christmas party for the Faith Sunday School class members and their husbands Dec. 9. The party was held in the home of the hosts.

Following dinner, games were played.

Those present were Messrs. and Mmes. Lanny Tucker, Warren Lemons, Bob Lacy, Weldon Davis, Clarence Kerns, Richard Franks, Lloyd Davis, DeWayne Brown, L. D. Williams, M. C. Harlin and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Martin.

Good Neighbor Party Is Held

Members of the Good Neighbors Club met for a Christmas party Dec. 11 at 6 p.m. at the school lunchroom.

A salad supper was served following the program.

Special guests were the Rev. and Mrs. Elra Phillips of Anton and the Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Gossett.

Members present were Messrs. and Mmes. Paul Brooks, Kenneth Lambert, Willis Hawkins Sr., Buster Aven, Bill Reed, Wade Mills, Percy Hart, T. R. Davis, and Mmes. Mable Aven, Homer Hill and T. B. Cox.

First Baptist Cantata Set Here Sunday

Junior and adult choirs of the Hart First Baptist Church will each present a Christmas cantata Sunday, Dec. 19 at 6:30 p.m. in the church auditorium.

The adult choir has been working for the past six weeks on "Love Transcending" by John W. Peterson and will present it in its entirety.

The junior choir will present portions of "Lo, A Star" by Robert Graham. Preceding this portion of the service, the primary and beginner Sunday school departments will present "Mary's Surprise," a short Christmas play.

SCHOOL MENU

DEC. 20-22, 1965
MONDAY -- Frankfurters and sauer kraut, mashed potatoes, carrot sticks, cornbread, apple pie, milk and butter.

TUESDAY -- Turkey, dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, pimento English peas, hot rolls, apple sauce cake, whipped topping.

WEDNESDAY -- Vegetable bee stew, peanut butter crackers, plain crackers, tossed salad, cheese wedge, cherry cobbler, milk and butter.

OUT FOR CHRISTMAS!



MEITIZIE KENNEDY

SCOUT NEWS



Den 3 of the Cub Scouts met Dec. 9 in the home of the den mother, Mrs. Lanny Tucker.

A business meeting was held, and the boys discussed the Goodwill Christmas project. They also continued to work on their individual Christmas gifts for their mothers.

Refreshments were served to Kim Dyer, Stanley Harris, Jim Tucker, Pete Niahes and two new members, Dean Hill and Danny George.

SCHOOL REMODELED

The dressing rooms and shower facilities in the elementary school building have recently been repainted, redecorated and remodeled.

Recipe Of The Week

This week's recipe comes from Meitzie Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kennedy. Miss Kennedy is a student at Hart High School and has two brothers, Roger and Deverelle.

NO BAKE COOKIES

2 c. sugar
 1/2 c. milk
 1/4 c. cocoa
 1 stick margarine
 Boil this 1 minute then add 1/2 cup peanut butter (crunchy type), 1 teaspoon vanilla. Add 3 cups oats (1 minute type) and 1 cup of nuts and 1 cup coconut.

PEANUT BUTTER COOKIES

1 1/2 c. sugar
 1 1/2 c. karo (white)
 2 1/4 c. peanut butter
 7 1/2 c. Special K cereal
 Mix sugar and syrup in large pan until dissolved. Stir in peanut butter then take off fire and stir in cereal. Drop on waxed paper.

Mrs. Foster Gives Program At WSCS Meet

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Dec. 9 at the church.

Mrs. E. E. Foster gave the program, and the devotional was given by Mrs. Hubert Maples.

A business meeting was conducted with Mrs. Willis Hawkins Sr., president, presiding.

Members of the group present were Mmes. Edd Bennett, Douglas Gossett, Howe Parker, C. B. Landers, Maples, Hawkins and Foster.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my thanks to everyone who has been so kind and thoughtful to me during my illness. All your prayers, cards, flowers, food and visits have meant so much to me.

May God bless each of you.
 Mrs. G. C. Keenom

Sunday School Party Is Held

The Willing Workers Sunday School Class met the evening of Dec. 7 for a Christmas party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Upshaw.

Attending were Messrs. and Mmes. Jerry Kittrell, Jimmy Ray Davis, J. D. Myrick, Jerry Dawson, and Mmes. Ronald Shaw, Jerry Varner, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Upshaw.

IN SUNNYSIDE

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hart visited in Sunnyside Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Oliver Jackson has returned home after spending a few days in the Olton Hospital.



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FIRST GRADERS READY TO GO--A large number of Hart first graders got their first good look at a fire truck last Thursday--by riding on one. Here a group accompanied by their teacher get set for a ride.

Letters To Santa

Dear Santa,

I want a doll buggy, a Sheri doll, a cash register, and a diaper bag. Thank you for the things you brought me last year.

Thank you,
Sheri Kennedy

Dear Santa,

My name is Connie Jean and I am 4 years old. I have a little brother Gary Don and he is 1 1/2 years old.

I would like to have a "Baby Name Me" doll and some clothes. My brother wants a rocking chair and some more toys.

We have been pretty good kids this past year. Don't forget all of the other children of the world.

Love,
Connie Jean and Gary Don Featherston

Dear Santa,

I am a little girl six years old, this is my first year in school and I have tried to do what my teacher tells me to do and I have also tried to mind my mother and Daddy.

I would like for you to bring me a Skipper doll with bendable legs and some clothes for her, a baton and some play food. I would also like some candy, nuts and fruit in my stocking. Santa I will probably be at my Grandmothers at Brownwood so you can bring them there.

Don't forget all the other boys and girls.

Love,
Darla Elam

Dear Santa,

I am a little girl three years old. I have tried to be a good little girl. I would like for you to bring me a Baby Child doll and anything else you think I might like. I would also like some candy, nuts and fruit in my stocking.

My little brother, Brian is one and a half years old, he has been a pretty good little boy. He would like a monkey and some candy, nuts and fruit in his stocking and anything else you think he would like.

Santa, we will probably be at Grandmothers at Brownwood so you can bring them there.

Don't forget the other boys and girls.

Love,
Sharla and Brian Elam

Dear Santa,

I'm a 6 year old girl. Would please bring me a Singin Chatty doll and a doll carriage, a Magnetic Letter Board, and cleaning set, don't forget all the other boys and girls.

Merry Christmas.
I love you,
Kimberly Davis

Dear Santa,

I want the camera gun, 007 gun, Johnny Express and Santa if you have any extra parts please bring them, secret message pen, Sonic Blaster and some small cars and trucks.

And Santa, I have a baby brother named Dan Blake this year. He is 7 months old so you pick out the toys for him.

Santa, thank you for all the nice toys you gave me last year.

Charles Ray Jones
Hart, Texas 79043
Age 7

Dear Santa,

How have you been? How well did you sleep? I would like a Commando Listening Post, a Big Bowl Football Game, Timex Watch. Ride-A-Roller and some clothes.

Don't forget all the other boys and girls.

With love,
Brad Sanders
Dimmitt, Texas
IN LOCKNEY

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Alford
were in Lockney to visit Mrs.
W. R. Alford Sunday.

KITCHEN KORNER

Several persons have asked for some Christmas candy recipes so I will give two that were asked for most often.

MILLIONAIRE CANDY

2 pkgs. Kraft Caramels (light)
1 lb. Hersheys Sweet Chocolate
1/4 block paraffin
4 c. chopped pecans
1 T. light cream

Melt caramels in double boiler with the 1 tablespoon of cream added to aid in the melting. Stir in the pecans, drop into chocolate which you have melted in a double boiler with the paraffin.

Lay on waxed paper until chocolate sets.

ENGLISH TOFFEE

1 c. chopped almonds
1 c. butter
1 c. brown sugar
4 10¢ Hershey bars

Sprinkle 1/2 cup nuts in a greased 9 x 12 pan. Melt butter in a saucepan and add sugar and mix well. Boil for 12 minutes, stirring constantly. Add remaining 1/2 cup nuts. Pour hot mixture over nuts in pan. Place chocolate bars on top. When melted, spread to cover.

Keep a close eye on candy during last moments of cooking as the temperature rises fast after it reaches 220F.

Candies made with milk should be cooked over medium heat to avoid scorching. Candies made with water may be boiled faster.

Glen Black Is Honored

Glen Black celebrated his sixth birthday with a party Dec. 11 in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Black.

Following refreshments of ice cream and punch, games were played.

Special guests included the honoree's great-grandmother, Mrs. Dolly Cruce of Mineral Wells and his grandmother, Mrs. Alfred Harrison of Floydada.

Others present were his sister, Janet Black, cousins, Chad and Rickie Black, and Debbie and Shorty Lacy, Kelly King, Patricia Smith, William Ray and David Ishmall.

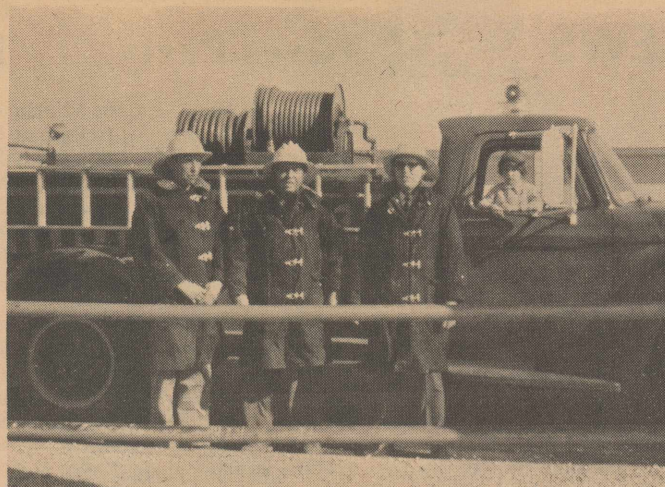
IN LUBBOCK

Mrs. Everett Cole was in Lubbock Sunday to visit Mrs. Albert Stewart and Mrs. Anna Lou Huff.

Dear Santa,

I want my birthstone ring, girls watch, shoulder purse, some Skipper clothes and some dresses, and Skipper's school room, Skipper's Bunk Beds. I hope you and your wife have a nice Christmas. I'll write to you next Christmas.

Love truly,
Lisa Simpson



HART FIREMEN--This group of firemen took time out from a busy schedule last Thursday while taking Hart first graders for a ride to pose for a moment. Left to right are Lyndall Warren, T. R. Warren and Kenneth Warren.

Three Years Ago In Hart

Johnny Kittrell, Hart line-backer, has been named to the all-conference defensive team. He also got honorable mention on the offensive team along with Carl Ward, Guy Scoggins, Joe Rubalcaba and Billy Farris.

Members of the radio broadcasting team from Hart FFA chapter won first in the Area I contest held last Saturday at Plainview. The team will go to Huntsville this Saturday to represent Area I. Members of the team are Gary Heller, Mark Martin and Kenneth Fincher with Tommy Morrison as alternate.

Thirteen Castro County burglaries, including five in Hart, were cleared up this week following the arrest of two men at Tullia.

Special gift boxes, to be given to needy families at Christmas, have been placed in the halls of Hart schools.

Ole' St. Nick will make his annual appearance in Hart Dec. 19 at 4 p.m. at the parking lot next to Farmers State Bank.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. M. A. Martin is in the Plainview Hospital where she underwent surgery Monday. She is reported to be doing fine at this time.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

DEC. 19

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Graubaugh

DEC. 20

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mapp
Mr. and Mrs. Doug Higgins
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brooks

DEC. 22

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Lee

DEC. 23

Mr. and Mrs. Max Stephens
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smitherman

DEC. 24

Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Leonard

Coming Events

DEC. 20

Fire Dept.

DEC. 21

American Legion

VISIT BROOKS

Mr. and Mrs. Deward Armstrong and family of Clovis, N.M. spent the day Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brooks.

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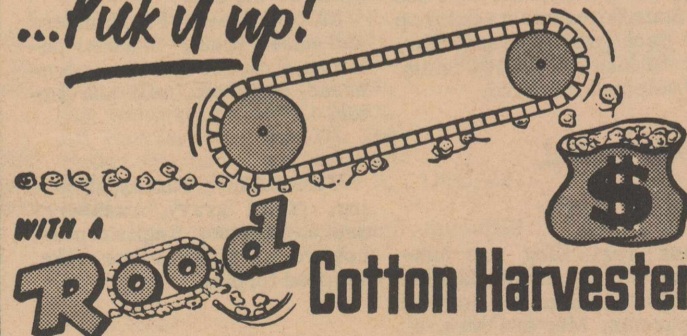
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Tascosa wheat was the top in yield with 69.4 bushels in the 1965 wheat variety test at the High Plains Research Foundation according to Loyd Langford; associate agronomist. This variety has been consistently high in yield for the past five years at Halfway. It has also been consistently high in baking qualities, Langford said.

Caddo and Bison varieties were not significantly lower than Tascosa in the 1965 test. Seven wheat varieties tested in 1965 were: Tascosa, Caddo, Bison, Commanche, Improved Triumph, Kaw and Triumph.

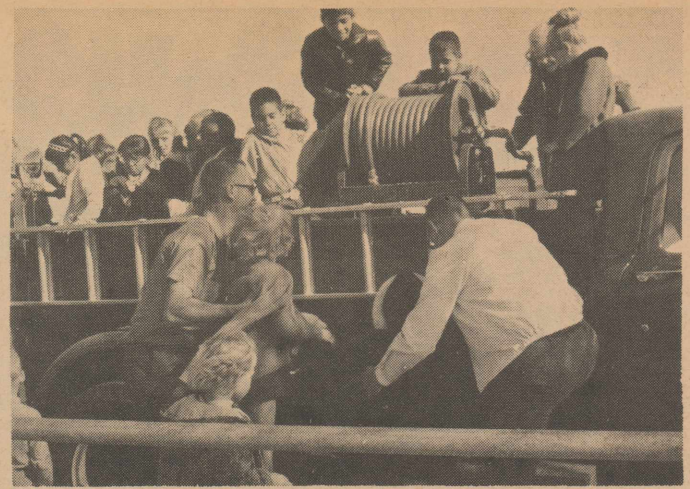
Bronco oats was the top yielding variety with 98.7 bushels per acre in 1965 in a test of six varieties of oats at the High Plains Research Foundation. The oat varieties tested by Loyd Langford in 1965 included: Bronco, Cimarron, Alamo X, Alamo, New Nortex, and Mustang.

The four-year average in oat variety testing at Halfway shows the Cimarron variety with 90.2 bushels per acre and Bronco with 90.1 bushels per acre. Langford said the Cimarron is an early maturing variety and when harvested at the right

time will generally out produce all other oat varieties.

The tests were planted Oct. 23, 1964, at a seeding rate of 100 pounds per acre and harvested June 23, 1965. All varieties received a fertilizer application at planting time of 125 pounds of 11-48-0 per acre and a topdress application of 46 pounds of nitrogen from ammonium nitrate on March 8, 1965.

A 6-inch post plant irrigation was applied Oct. 30 for germination. Irrigations during the growing season were applied at jointing, March 16; early boot on April 24; and when grain was milky, May 10.



FIREMEN GIVE ASSIST—Here a group of Hart volunteer firemen help some first graders up on the new fire truck for a short ride during Thursday afternoon's activities.

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KIDS AND EQUIPMENT--These Hart grade school youngsters are pictured by just one of the pieces of playground equipment provided this fall by the Hart PTA.

LAND BOARD ACCEPTS LATE PAYMENT

State veterans Land Board accepted overdue payment of

\$11,490 from Irving millionaire C. D. Wyche on his land purchase of 1,109 acres in Dimmit County and gave him 30 days

to settle back taxes. Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler said Wyche now has paid \$37,000 on his \$191,000 purchase.

Joint Funeral Services Held For Wreck Victims

Funeral services were held Monday in Plainview for six members of a family living near Hart who were killed Friday in a two-car crash near Edmonson.

Four were members of the same family, and the other two were relatives.

The group had resided on the Lorenzo Lee farm for the last two months, but their home was in Sinton, Tex.

Last rites were conducted for Melecio C. Martinez, 57, Francisca Cordova Guana, 27, Anastacio Guana, 28, Ramirio Guana, 7, Silvia Guana, 6, Rey Guana, four months, and Anita Cordova, 19.

The Rev. Lupe Munoz, pastor of the Spanish Pentecostal Church in Plainview, officiated at the services, which were conducted at Lemons Memorial Chapel.

Burial was in Plainview Cemetery.

PAINTING PARTY

Mrs. H.H. Buchanan and Mrs. Percy Hart attended a painting party in the recreation hall in Edmonson Thursday of last week.

Mason District Officer Named

Lynn C. Kester of Hereford has been named District Deputy Grand Master of Masons for Masonic District No. 100 which includes five Masonic Lodges in Deaf Smith, Oldham, Castro and Parmer Counties.

Kester, who is a jeweler, is a Past Master of Hereford Lodge 549. Active in other Masonic organizations, he is also a member of the Chamber of Commerce. Kester belongs to the Hereford Baptist Church and serves as department secretary and chairman of ushers.

The appointment was made by the newly-elected Grand Master of Masons in Texas, H. W. Fulming of Odessa, as the 130th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Texas was concluded in Waco Dec. 2.

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GSPA Attacks 1966 Grain Program Plan

The widely circulated views of Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman that the 1966 Feed Grain Program Provisions as announced by USDA recently "maintain farm income of participant", was challenged today by Elbert Harp, Hale County Texas farmer and president of the Grain Sorghum Producers Association.

The Association, headquartered in Amarillo, nationally represents, next to corn, the principal feed grain affected by the program. In a prepared statement Harp said:

"This past Congress, with urging from grain sorghum and other feed grain producers, in the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965, included a Feed Grain Section designed to continue provisions of the Emergency Feed Grain Program which had been effective in improving farm income since 1961. Due to rapid changing world situations which could affect the need for grains, Congress gave wide authority for administering the program to the Secretary of Agriculture as long as it met several stated objectives, one of which was 'to maintain farm income.'

"Since USDA announced the Feed Grain Program Provisions Nov. 19, and as detailed instructions have been received by local Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation committees, GSPA staff and officers have studied and evaluated them as to possible effects on grain sorghum. At no level of minimum or maximum participation in the program or even non-participation, figured by GSPA, will 1966 farm income of the grain sorghum producer be up to the level received in 1965.

"Initial figures indicate that the typical sorghum producer in Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Kansas and Nebraska faces an average loss in total gross income of about \$3 per base acre. Some farmers with high "proven yields" may lose up to \$10 per acre as may non-participants in the program in such areas as those with new irrigation with no allotted feed

grain base, if the market price of grain follows the downward trend set by the government loan rate.

"Officers of the GSPA have appointments today and through out the entire week, in Washington with USDA officials and leaders of the three major national general farm organizations there, in an attempt to alleviate the specific problems of grain sorghum producers' income. Corn producers, though in the same program, apparently are not so adversely affected principally due to a 24 percent increase in 1966 'projected yield' over the old 'normal yield' used in 1965 as compared to a 14 percent yield increase 'projected' for grain sorghum. Briscoe County farmer and GSPA vice-president, Pat Northcutt of Silverton, and association agricultural economist and executive vice-president, Bill Nelson of Amarillo, are representing the association in Washington with strong support from the local sorghum producers in the states mentioned and where GSPA is organized.

"At this point, our problem is one of 'Administrative Decision'. We hope we can solve it in USDA. If not, however, efforts are already being made and ground work layed to seek a solution 'legislatively'—even for the 1966 crop as soon as the new Congress convenes."

The feed grain program to which Harp refers continues the principles of past programs of providing farmers, who agree to idle 20 to 50 percent of their grain sorghum acres, with a system of diversion payments, price support loans and price support payments.

In 1966 producers will receive no diversion payments on the first 20 percent diversion and a maximum of price support payments on only 50 percent of the base acres. The price support loan has been lowered by Freeman, from a \$1.65 per hundred on sorghum in 1965 to a \$1.52 in 1966. The price support payment has been increased from 35 cents per hun-



BASKETBALL WORKOUTS—Hart's girls basketball team works out under the supervision of Coach Haden Moore. The girls picked up a consolation trophy for their efforts in the Roosevelt Tournament last week.

HART GINS' TOTAL RUNS 8,650 BALES

Hart's cotton harvest was well on its way before snow halted operations Wednesday.

Total for the three Hart gins was 8,650 bales through Wednesday of this week.

The figure is well above last week's total of 5200.

dred to 53 cents. The combination of these changes resulted in the expected net income loss to producers, according to Harp.

Hart Girls Get Victory Over New Deal, 50-48

Hart's varsity girls basketball team picked up a win and possession of the consolation trophy in the Roosevelt Tournament as a result of a win over New Deal, 50-48.

Both boys and girls teams started the tournament on a sour note, the boys losing to New Home, 56-51, while the girls dropped their opener to the same school, 56-26.

Larry McKay was the scoring leader for the Longhorns, picking up 15 points in the game, while Rebecca Futrell was high point scorer in the girls game with the same total.

Retta Henderson was the

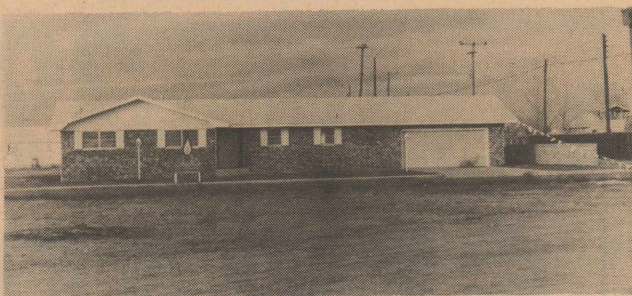
heroine of the win over New Deal, picking up 24 points.

In a Tuesday night contest with Vega, both teams once again ran into trouble, the girls losing 39-29, and the boys doing likewise, 62-32.

Rebecca Futrell was once again high-point individual for the girls with 18 points, while David Smith and Larry McKay tied for high point honors for the boys with 10 each.

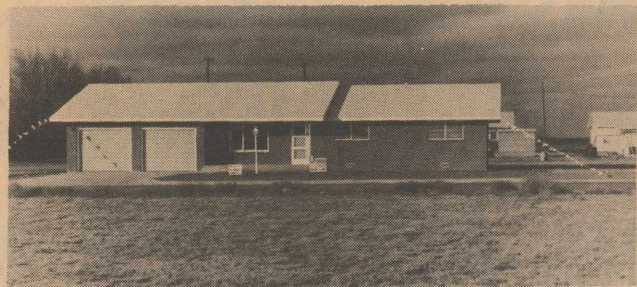
Next games for both teams will be in the Anton tourney, starting today. Last games for both teams before Christmas holidays are against Amherst at Hart.

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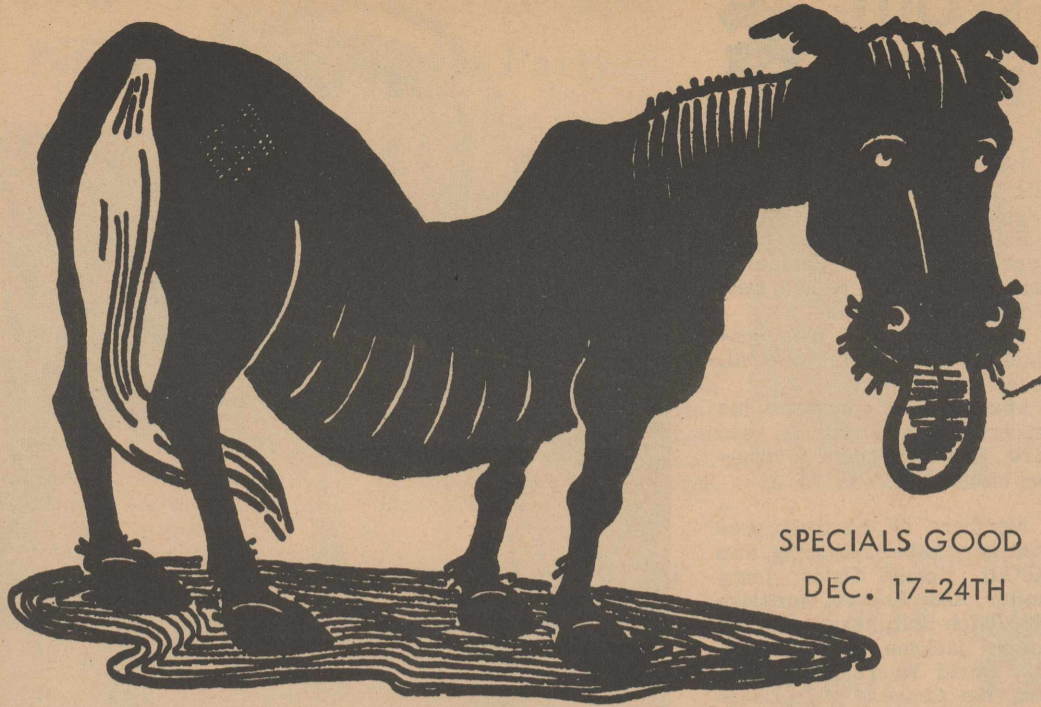
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SCOUT NEWS



Troop 246 of the Boy Scouts met Dec. 14 at 4:30 p.m. at the Legion Hut.

Following games, final plans were made for the Christmas party which is to be held Dec. 17 from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

The three patrols met separately to plan the stunt they will present at the party.

Mike Leonard completed his tenderfoot requirements, and Dirk Rambo became a member of the troop.

Members of the troop present were Mike Armstrong, Kim McGill, Lonnie Davis, Jerry Heller, Andy Rogers, Paul Harris, Ralph Bell, Johnny Sancez, James Jackson, David Hawkins, David Warren, Vic Nelson, Ike Graves, Mike Leonard, Dirk Rambo, and scout leader, Deryl Clevenger.

The next regular meeting will be Jan. 3.



HART PRESENTS--Susan Carol Harlin, six, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Harlin. Susan Carol has two brothers, Michael Shane, six months, and Robert Craig, 11.

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COLORADO VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sharp of Idalia, Colo. have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Upshaw and other friends and relations around Hart.

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Kevin Robinson Is Given Party

Kevin Robinson was honored with a birthday party on his third birthday Dec. 9 in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Robinson.

Following several games, refreshments of birthday cake and ice cream were served to his grandmother, Mrs. Truman Featherston and to Mrs. Donald Featherston, Mrs. Charlene Fore and Connie and Gary Don Featherston, Tressa Fore, Ronnie Featherston and Charlene Robinson.

IN HOSPITAL

Owen Hankins is in the hospital in Dimmitt suffering from bruises caused from being caught in a cotton stripper. Hankins' jacket and shirt were torn off him in the accident.

Mrs. Ware

Services Held

Funeral services were held in Floydada Baptist Church at 2:30 p.m. Dec. 14 for Mrs. Grace Ware, 65, a longtime resident of Floyd County, who died Dec. 12 in a Plainview hospital.

The Rev. Fred Beard, assisted by the Rev. Daisy Wilbanks and the Rev. Robert Slaton, officiated at the services. Burial was in Floyd County Memorial Park under the direction of Moore Funeral Home.

Mrs. Ware was married Sept. 3, 1924 at Lockney to W.P. Ware. She had lived in Floyd County since that time.

Survivors include her husband; one son, Raz Ware of Cedar Hill community; one daughter, Mrs. June Brown of Hart; four brothers, O. R. Beard, Cedar Hill; the Rev. Fred Beard, Denver, Colo.; Claud Beard, Manhattan Beach, Calif.; and Otis Beard, Victorville, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. A. C. Parkhurst, Alamogordo, N.M. and the Rev. Daisy Wilbanks of Lubbock; and five grand children.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Layman Wood, formerly of Hart, was in the Plainview Hospital last week for observation.

VISIT WILLISES

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Garrison of Plainview spent Sunday with the David Willis family.

FAMILY MOVES

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Davis and children have moved to Leonard to make their home.

IN HOSPITAL

Fred Hamm is still in the Dimmitt Memorial hospital and will be there until sometime after Christmas.

IN HOSPITAL

F. A. Smith is in the Plainview Hospital recovering from recent surgery.

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Hart Lions Meet Held

The Hart Lions Club met Dec. 13 at Alford's Cafe for a regular meeting.

A report was given by Bill Rich of the trap shoot and the gun raffle. Net proceeds amounted to over \$600, which will be applied to the fund for the new street signs in Hart. Special recognition was given to J. M. Kendrick, Charles Black and F. L. Bass Jr., for their sale of over 200 tickets on the gun, which was won by Newlan Rowland.

Joe Bailey was appointed chairman of the committee which is to contact Santa Claus and invite him to Hart Dec. 22. Santa will be here at 3:30 p.m. that day on the parking lot of the bank.

Following the program, the members of the Lions Club boarded a school bus and were taken to the grade school for a program given by the grade school choir, and directed by Mrs. Carl Rambo.

Guests present for the meeting were Sammy McGill, Carl Rambo, John Bannworth, Bob Bowden and Max Stephens.

Lions present were Bird Cox, Stewart Newsom, Wade Mills, John Holloway, Norlan Dudley, J. J. Newsom, Otto Dinwiddie, W. A. Hawkins Jr., W. W. Clevenger, W. T. Sanders, Bill Rich, Joe Newman, Lester Richburg, Ed Harris, Doug Gossett, Joe Bailey, Waymond Foster, David Willis, E. E. Foster and D. A. Bass.

The next meeting will be Jan. 10 at Alford's Cafe.

FUNERAL

Friends here received word of the death of Mrs. D. M. Cogsdell of Snider. She died as a result of injuries received in an automobile wreck. The Cogsdells use to own the Buckle L.

ONE YEAR AGO IN HART

The three Hart gins have weighed in 11,864 bales to date.

The honor roll for the second six weeks for all Hart schools were announced this week by the principals.

The Junior Choir of the First Baptist Church of Hart will present a Christmas cantata, Sunday, Dec. 16. This Cantata, "To: A Star", is the first ever published by the Broadman Press for Junior voices.

The National Association of Sheriff's Poses and Riding Clubs awarded the second place trophy in the Junior Division to Hart Junior Riding Club this past week for points received in parades in 1964.

Hart School officials issued a special appeal this week, asking patrons of the community to observe proper parking and driving procedure around this school.

Happy Birthday

DEC. 22

Dean Hill

DEC. 23

G. C. Graves

IN PLAINVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Newman were in Plainview Sunday to attend the 50th wedding anniversary of her great uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Whitfield.

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COTTON TALKS

FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

LUBBOCK—ASCS personnel should now have the information needed to answer most producer questions on the new cotton program.

From Washington they have received Handbook - 1-CN (revision 1) -- 132 pages of instructions, definitions and regulations on administering the cotton section of four-year Agriculture Act of 1965. There's another 72 pages of sample forms and pointers on how to fill them out.

It's called a "Short Reference." There's a similar document for feed grains and wheat, cropland adjustment etc, so don't push county ASCS managers too fast.

Dale Carter, district ASCS supervisor, Plainview, confesses that the regulations pertaining to landlord-tenant relationships may prove the most ticklish to administer.

The law itself states: "The Secretary shall provide adequate safeguards to protect the interests of tenants and sharecroppers, including provision for sharing diversion payments on a fair and equitable basis."

Handbook 1-CN sets rather lengthy guidelines for those safeguards, but leaves final decisions up to county ASCS committees. Generally, it is the intent of the Secretary that landlord and tenant are to share in both price support and diversion payments in the same proportions as they share in the crop.

Payments may be withheld if the county committee deter-

mines that the landlord has, "in anticipation of or because of participating in the program," reduced the number of tenants or sharecroppers on the farm.

A county committee may also disapprove payments if it determines that any "scheme or device" has been adopted to deprive a tenant or sharecropper of payments to which he would otherwise be entitled under the program.

Carter said both tenant and landlord would in all probability be asked to appear before county committees to help them in rendering decisions where disagreements occur.

The cotton handbook also revealed that only half of the diversion payment (10.5 cents times projected yield on acres diverted) will be made at the time producers sign-up. The Secretary has authority to make half of both diversion and price support payments (9.42 cents times projected yield from domestic allotment) in advance. He is declining to exercise that authority on the grounds that sufficient funds will not be available at sign-up time.

The final half of diversion payments and the price support payment will be made at a later date yet to be announced by the Secretary. Most expect, and certainly hope, that total payments will be made on proof of compliance.

Additional investigation of the poor micronaire situation which has developed this year on the



ELEMENTARY CHOIR SOUNDS OFF--The fifth and sixth grade choir, under the direction of Mrs. Carl Rambo, entertained Hart parents and teachers Monday night at the grade school auditorium.

Plains substantiates the theory that September rains and warm Fall weather -- in some instances on top of late August irrigation -- caused plants to develop an abnormally large and immature top crop.

On Monday of this week Paymaster seed Farms ran separate "Mike" tests on bolls from the top and lower half of plants of two different varieties planted on May 6 and May 21. In the four tests, cotton from the top half miked an average of 2.4 while cotton from the lower half of the stalk miked 4.2

Dr. Harold Loden, director of the seed farms, is convinced that this is the most logical explanation for the high percentage of low micronaire cotton.

Some 30 cotton leaders from over Texas met in Dallas Dec. 8 for a "Cotton Weather Conference" sponsored by the Texas Cottonseed Crushers Association.

Oliver Newton, agricultural meteorologist with the Specialized Agricultural Weather Service in Lubbock, says "we

are just kidding ourselves when we rely on weather predictions made months in advance. Using these probability of occurrence figures in planning is simply a matter of playing the odds -- the best we can do for the present."

Newton went on to say that this weather data, properly used, can certainly be a valuable production tool.

Use of these weather charts in planning cotton operations was given a test this year in Jones County on the Rolling Plains with highly satisfactory results. All but about 30 acres of that county's 100,000 acre cotton allotment was planted within a few days after May 24, which was determined to be the optimum planting date for that area.

Meetings were held in 10 Jones County communities beginning April 15 to sell farmers on the idea, and some farmers who had already planted plowed up their cotton and started over.

Under the uniform optimum planting date system, Jones County produced over 50,000

bales in 1965 as compared to 42,000 in 1964. And some observers state that, generally, 1964 was a better cotton year than 1965.

Also, this is reported to be the least costly crop produced in the county in years, with costs for insect control, weed control and other factors down. Further, while there are no quality records kept in the county, observers believe this to be the best quality crop ever produced there.

Roland Kelly of Stamford Cotton Oil Company said he believed producers in Jones county had saved about \$1 million in costs and increased the value of their crop by another \$1.5 million through use of the optimum planting date.

Blooms were recorded in some field only 42 days after planting, bolls showed up after 60 days and some crops were completely made in 120 days according to reports.

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SUGAR	HOLLY OR IMPERIAL 5 LB. BAG		85¢
COFFEE	WHITE SWAN REG. OR DRIP LB.		49¢
HAIR SPRAY	STYLE 14 OZ. CAN		69¢
EGG NOG	QT.		59¢
SHORTENING	WHITE SWAN 3 LB. TIN		49¢
CREAM CHEESE	PHILADELPHIA 8 OZ. PKG.		69¢
WHIPPING CREAM	CLOVERLAKE 1/2 PT.		29¢



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Big Enough To Accomodate
Small Enough To Appreciate

HART, TEXAS PH 938-3717

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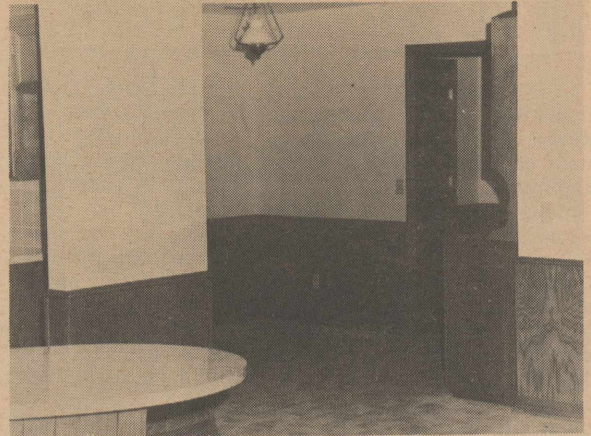


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The All-Gas Kitchen

this

Dining Area With Built-In Hutch



Open House
Sunday, Dec. 19th
1-5 P.M.

This handsome smoked-brick home has everything you could want for fine living. From the moment you open the door and step into the tiled entry, you will know that this is the home for you. The spacious formal living room is richly carpeted in Grecian gold, as is the rest of the house. The large all-Gas kitchen with its ash cabinets and handy pantry is a homemaker's dream. A convenient breakfast bar separates the den from the kitchen. Three carpeted bedrooms and two full baths round out this beautiful home. The main bath has a big walk-in closet with mirror folding doors. See this home today.

BLUE FLAME HOME

This home has the year 'round comfort of

GAS
Heating
 AND
Cooling
 by **BRYANT**

LOCATED 3 BLOCKS NORTH AND ONE-HALF BLOCK WEST FROM THE POST OFFICE IN HART

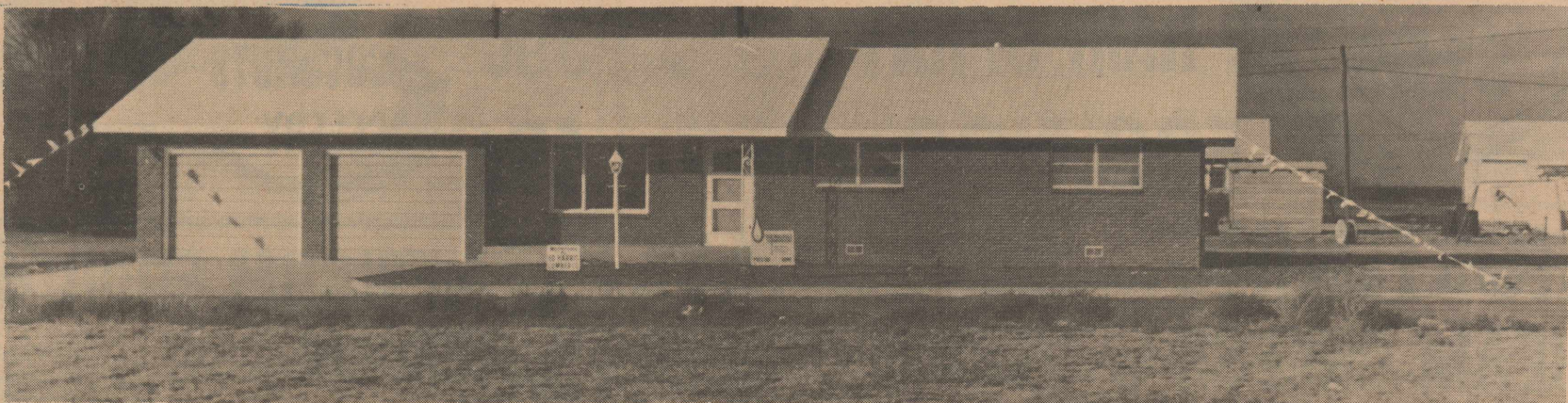
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BOTH OF THESE HOMES FEATURE THESE GAS CONVENIENCES:						
	Roper Range	Day 'N Night Water Heater	Kool Wall Bathroom Heater	Gas Dryer Accommodations	Charmglow Gas Lights	Charmglow Barbequer

Ed Harris Also Presents This **ALL-GAS HOME**

Located only a lot away from the home shown above, the Cordovanrock home offers its own version of living at its best. Be sure you see it also.



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