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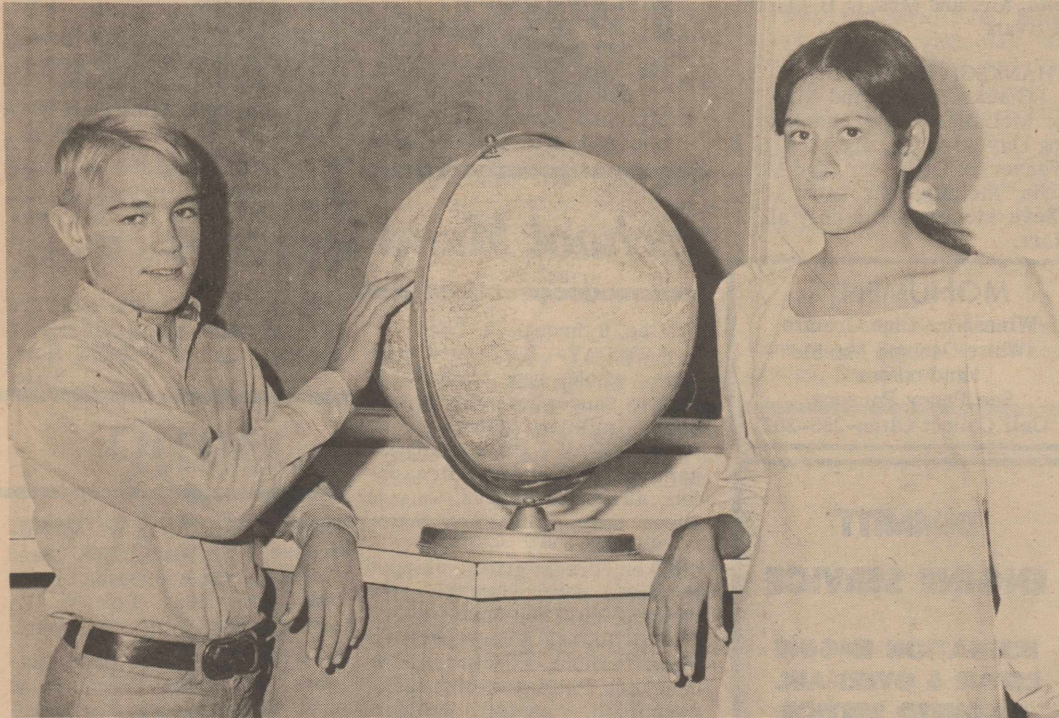
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FRESHMEN CLASS FAVORITES for this year are David Barham and Dolores Diaz. They were elected earlier in the school term.

CVAE Class Begins Repairing Used Toys For Needy Children At Christmastime

Members of the CVAE class are collecting toys which they will repair and paint to be given to needy children this Christmas.

Persons who have old toys to donate to the worthy cause are asked to leave them with the CVAE class which meets across the street from the school cafeteria.

Equipment for the class now includes six arc welders, six acetylene torches, drill press, planes, table saw, grinder, power hacksaw, impact wrench,

portable grinder, portable saw, air compressor, paint sprayers and hand tools galore. This equipment will enable members to make any needed repairs on the toys.

The shop is well equipped and boys are receiving spe-

cial training by course instructor J. V. Wescott. This is the first time this course has been taught in Hart schools.

The shop students have just finished a well house, hoghouse and are putting final touches to picture frames.

Future Farmers Chapter 2nd In Leadership Contest

Last Tuesday evening the Future Farmers of America Plainview District Leadership Contest was held in Tulia. Students participating represented 18 different area schools.

Placing first was Hale Center with the Senior Conducting Team from Hart High School placing second. Hart team members included Harold Bob Bennett, Mike Armstrong, Terry Newman, Rex Henderson, Danny Smith, Ricky Mitchell and Doug Heck. Abernathy came through in third place.

The winning team will be receiving their banner Monday night at 7 p. m. in the Tulia

Future Teachers Sell Subscriptions

Hart Future Teachers Organization is ready to take care of the needs of Hart Beat readers for subscriptions.

Whether the need be for new readers, renewals, or Christmas gifting any member of the organization welcomes the opportunity to serve.

Mrs. Irene Cox, has recently been named advertising manager locally.

High School lunchroom, during the district FFA banquet. Miss Debbie Davis, sweetheart of the Hart FFA Chapter will be entering the district Miss Sweetheart contest at the banquet.

Third Graders Present Program

Hart Parents-Teachers Association met Tuesday evening in the grade school auditorium. C. C. Hanes presided and invocation was given by Rev. C. T. Cunningham.

Room count was won by Mrs. H. L. Cheatham's third grade and the ninth grade.

Mrs. Newlon Rowland, finance chairman, gave a report for 1969-70. Budget was accepted.

The 1970 calendars have arrived and may be obtained from the school office or Mrs. Rowland. Extra copies were ordered and are available.

Third grade students presented "The Laughing Star of Zuni". Mrs. Carl Rambo was director. Third grade teachers are Mrs. Tom Duffy and Mrs. Cheatham.

Lions Sponsoring Christmas Fund

Lions Clubs of District 2-TI are sponsoring a Girlstown Christmas Fund to buy each of the 88 girls at Girlstown a new coat and shoes for Christmas.

The goal set to achieve that objective is to raise \$25 for each girl. Honorary chairmen of the campaign are Betty Carnahan, Hostess of KFDD-TV's "Coffee Time", Margaret Logan, Hostess of KVII-TV's "Martha Logan Show" and Royce Botterford, Farm Di-

rector of KGNC Radio and TV.

Anyone wishing to contribute to the girls of the Whiteface and Borger Girlstowns may send their donations to Girlstown USA, Box 5566, Amarillo, 79107.

Homer Hills

Give Land Track

The board of directors for the Hart Cemetery Association announces it has received a gift deed for a two acre track from Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hill.

The land will be used for additional burial space for the cemetery.

Future Farmers Selling Fruit

The Future Farmers of America Chapter of Hart High School have been taking orders for oranges and grapefruit to be delivered approximately Dec. 15 in time for Christmas holidays.

The fruit has been grown by Lindsey Dennis of Olton, who will go to the Valley and ship fruit back.

BULLETIN

Word has just been received that Santa Claus wants to hear from Hart boys and girls. Write to him in care of the Hart Beat.

Department Of Agriculture Referendum Due Dec. 1-5

Cotton producers will vote by mail Dec. 1-5 on marketing quotas for the 1970 upland cotton crop, Charley E. Hill, office manager of the Castro County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee reported today.

A 1970 upland cotton national marketing quota of 16,008,333 bales has been announced by the U. S. Department of Agriculture along with a national allotment of 17 million acres for the 1970 crop. This is the first time since 1962 that the national allotment has exceeded 16 million acres.

Castro County has a total of 56,163 acres available for allotment to producers of upland cotton, representing its share of the national allotment plus the national acreage reserve of 150,000 acres for the establishment of minimum farm allotments as required by law.

Individual farm allotments are set by the County ASC Committee in accordance with law and USDA regulations and are based on the cotton acreage history of each farm. Notices of farm allotments have been mailed to operators of upland cotton farms.

If at least two-thirds of the growers voting in the national referendum approve quotas for the 1970 upland cotton crop, producers who planted within their allotment would have available a Federal program offering price-support loans and payments. Marketing quota penalties would apply to any excess cotton produced on a farm.

Cooperators in the 1970 up-

land cotton program would have available to them price-support loans of 20.25 cents a pound and price-support payments of 16.80 cents a pound on acreage planted within the domestic allotment which is 65 percent of the total farm allotment.

However, growers choosing not to participate in the program would have a chance to produce cotton for export only, without marketing penalties or price support. Requests for export acreage must be made at the County ASCS Office before the end of 1969.

If more than one-third of the voters oppose quotas for the 1970 crop, the regular allotment would remain in effect. Price-support loans would be available at 50 percent of parity for growers who did not exceed their acreage allotments, as provided by law. However, no price-support payments would be made. No penalties would be imposed for excess cotton.

Ballots will be mailed to eligible producers and should be returned to the Castro County ASCS Office during Dec. 1-5. Mailed ballots must be post-marked no later than Dec. 5. Ballots returned in person must be brought in before the office closes on Dec. 5.

Generally, eligible voters are those producers who shared in the 1969 cotton crop or its proceeds. Questions about voter eligibility should go to the County ASCS Office.

Since Texas is a community property State, spouses of eligible voters are also eligible voters.

IN RUIDOSO

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGill, Kim and Roni spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Ruidoso, N. M. snow skiing.

AT LAKE LBJ

Mr. and Mrs. Jack George and family spent the holidays at the LBJ Lake at Kingsland. The boys enjoyed hunting.

IN CARLSBAD

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brooks visited in Carlsbad, N. M. over the Thanksgiving weekend with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Wester.

BACK IN SCHOOL

Mrs. Mary Clay is back in school after several weeks of absence because of illness.

IN BENNETT HOME

The Bennett family celebrated Thanksgiving dinner in the Edward Bennett home. Attending were Mrs. Ray Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Bennett and family of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bennett and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. McLain, Mr. and Mrs. George Ed Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Deryl McLain of Canyon.

IN SAN SABA

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin, Doug Martin of Texas A&M, Tommy Morrison of Texas Tech University spent the holidays at the Martin's ranch at San Saba, visiting their son Mr. and Mrs. Mark Martin and Amy. They had Thanksgiving dinner with Charles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Martin of Evant.

THANKSGIVING GUESTS

Guests in Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McLain's home Thanksgiving Day were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weaver of Olton, Mr. and Mrs. John McLain, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve McLain and family all of Hart.

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May God bless each of you.

Mrs. Willie Hankins
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harmonson and family
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Macnik and daughter
Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Jobe
Mr. and Mrs. Tory Hankins

School Menu

Dec. 8 through 12, 1969
MONDAY- Barbecued weiners, whole new potatoes in cheese sauce, hot rolls, spiced apples, milk and butter.

TUESDAY - Pinto beans and ham shanks, buttered corn, onion slice, cornbread, orange sheet cake, milk and butter

WEDNESDAY - Fried chicken, cream gravy, whipped potatoes, lettuce wedge, rice mustard, milk and butter.

THURSDAY - Vegetable beef stew, filled crackers, plain crackers, cabbage relish salad, cornbread, apricot cobbler, milk and butter.

FRIDAY - Sloppy joes, French fries, catsup, lettuce and tomato, chocolate pudding, whipped topping, milk and butter.

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FOR SALE 3 bedroom house on pavement, priced to sell on lots 50 x 140 feet, with water, gas and sewer. Call 938-2472. 2-tfc.

FOR SALE: 1960 wide-bed Ford 1/2 ton pickup, 6 cylinder, 3 speed, Call 938-2462, Hart. 9-tfc.

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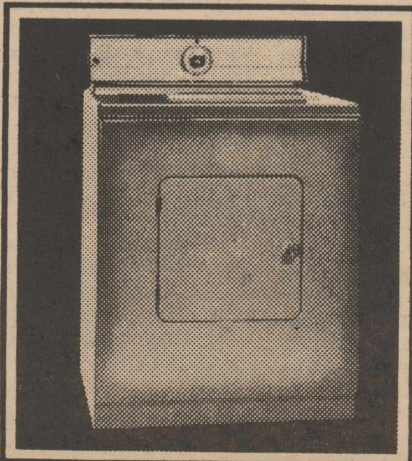
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Financial Facts

By Willis A. Hawkins, Jr.

Did you know that playing cards were once used as money in North America?

For over 60 years ordinary playing cards were legal tender in Canada.

In 1685 the French-Canadian government was in financial trouble. French money was extremely scarce and the French Proconsul of Canada petitioned his homeland for reserves. The money didn't come and he was desperate.

There was no paper or printing machinery in Canada so the Proconsul confiscated all the country's playing cards.

He then made each card, or part of a card, worth a fixed amount. He signed the new currency, circulated it and issued an ordinance legalizing it.

The people accepted and hon-

ored the card money and it lasted over 60 years. The authorities in France had no objections either, because it saved them from sending regular money to Canada.

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Zealot Club Presented 'Gift Wrapping' Program

The Tuesday afternoon meeting of the Zealot Club featured a program entitled "Gift Wrapping." Presenting were hostesses Mrs. Eldon Shive and Mrs. Garland Crosby.

Various matters of business were also taken care of including election of new officers. Results were Mrs. Jack Dyer, president; Mrs. Charles Nelson, vice-president; Mrs. Jerry Kittrell, secretary; Mrs. C. C. Hanes, treasurer and Mrs. C. R. Jones, reporter.

Due to the club's rapid growth within the last year it was felt that a necessity existed for re-writing the by-laws. The committee appointed to this task included Mrs. C. R. Jones, chairman, assisted by Mmes. Lorenzo Lee, Cleve McLain, Howard Mitchell and Jerry Kittrell.

Another committee, given

charge of plans for the annual "Penny Auction" was headed by Mrs. Warren Lemons with Mrs. Hubert McLain and Mrs. Charles Nelson.

Present at the meeting were Mmes. Jack Dyer, Nelson, Kittrell, Hanes, Jones, Eldon Shive, Crosby, Warren Lemons, C. T. Cunningham, Ted Averitt, Hubert McLain, Darrell Davis, Lee, Mitchell, David Irons, Cleve McLain and Preston Upshaw.

THANKSGIVING GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bennett, Harold Bob and Mark and Mr. and Mrs. George Ed Bennett visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Swindle Thanksgiving night.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Stallings of Dimmitt visited Sunday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sharp.

IN SHERMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cox, Mike and Larry visited in Sherman over Thanksgiving weekend with her sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. George Adams and her mother and brother, Mrs. Louise Fish and Robert Fish.

SUPPER GUESTS

Thanksgiving supper guests in Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ray Jones' home were her brother, Thurman Swopes of Vinita, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rich and boys.

CRITICALLY ILL

Ollie Monk remains critically ill in the North West Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

IN ARIZONA

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bass Jr. and David spent Thanksgiving in Phoenix, Ariz. with his sister.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson of Frisco are the proud parents of a daughter born Nov. 24 in McKinney. She weighed eight pounds, twelve ounces and has been named Dawn Lenora. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dee Ward of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sanders of Hart.

THANKSGIVING GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamm spent Thanksgiving day with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Coffey and family of Anherst. Other Hamm children visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hamm and family of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Holland Jr. and family of Amherst.

IN PLAINVIEW

Mrs. Ralph Perry of Plainview spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Sue Dinwiddie.

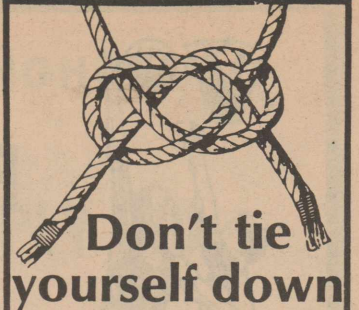
Beta Sigma Phi Annual Review Set In Pampa

Pampa Beta Sigma Phi members will present their sixth "Red Stocking Revue" Dec. 5 and 6 at 8 p. m. in the Pampa High School auditorium. The cast will perform routines that are patterned after famous "Broadway" musicals and acts under the direction of Calvin Swanson, of Jerome H. Cargill Productions, New York. Costumes for the event are furnished by the production company and help lend an air of bright lights and show biz to the two-act show.

Proceeds from the show will be used for a \$1,000 College Scholarship for a Pampa High School senior who, without such help, may be unable to attend college. Tickets may be purchased from any Beta Sigma Phi member in Pampa for \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00, or at the door the night of the performance.

HAS SURGERY

Jim Dalton underwent minor surgery Tuesday in Veterans Hospital in Amarillo.



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**Longhorns Two-In-A-Row,
Girls Handed Second Loss**

Hart Junior High basketball teams have played two games this season, battling Lazbuddie and Amherst.

Lazbuddie girls beat Hart girls 21-7 with the Hart boys winning 11-7.

Monday, the girls' team was beaten by Amherst 53-20. The boys picked up their second win, whipping the Amherst boys 27-18.

The high scoring boy from Hart was Jim Tucker, who scored twelve points. Jerry Swindle was second with eight points.

The high scoring boy from Amherst was DeLion with a total of nine points. Miller was

HEREFORD GUEST

Brent Sanders of Hereford spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting Don and Larry Sanders.

second with a total of seven points.

The high scoring girl for Hart was Sheryl Friday who totaled out at twelve points. Nelda Henderson was second with six points.

The two teams will travel to Spade next Monday with the first game to be played at 5:30. The two teams will participate in the Tulia tournament this weekend.

SEE GAME

Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Tucker and family visited in Memphis Saturday with his uncle, A. H. Jones, who is hospitalized there. Enroute home they stopped in Silverton to see the basketball game between the Flying Queens and Mexico International All Stars.

**Public Hearings Announced
Concerning 1970 Sugarbeets**

The U. S. Department of Agriculture announced on Nov. 12, 1969, a series of public hearings on wage rates and prices for the 1970 crop of sugarbeets.

The hearings will be held between Dec. 1 and Dec. 12, 1969, in the following cities within the major producing and labor supply regions of the sugar-beet area.

At Detroit, Michigan, on December 1, 1969, in the Shelby Room, Pick-Fort Shelby Hotel, beginning at 9:30 a. m.;

At Fargo, North Dakota, on December 3, 1969, in the Bowler, Inc. (North Entrance), 2630 South University Drive, beginning at 9:30 a. m.;

At Sacramento, California, on December 5, 1969, in room W-1140, New Federal Building, 2800 Cottage Way, beginning at 9:30 a. m.

At San Antonio, Texas, on December 9, 1969, in the John F. Kennedy High School Auditorium, 1922 South General Mc Mullen Drive, beginning at 9:30 a.m.;

At Denver, Colorado, on December 12, 1969, in Room 269 (Second Floor), U. S. Post Office Building, corner of 19th and Stout Streets, beginning at 9:30 a. m..

The series will be considered as one hearing, and testimony at each place will constitute a part of the same record. Persons may present testimony at any of the designated places.

One condition which producers must meet to qualify for payments under the Sugar Act of 1948, as amended, is to pay wage rates not less than those

determined to be fair and reasonable by the Secretary of Agriculture after public hearing and investigation.

The Act also provides, as a condition for payment, that producers who process sugarbeets grown by other producers must pay prices for sugarbeets determined to be fair and reasonable by the Secretary of Agriculture.

To obtain the best possible information, USDA requests that all interested persons appear at the hearing to express views and present appropriate data.

A copy of the hearing proceedings will be available for public inspection at the Office of the Hearing Clerk, Room 112 A, Administration Building, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. 20250, about January 5, 1970.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Willis A. Hawkins Sr. returned Monday from three weeks of fishing at Port Mansfield, Menard, Giddings, Austin and Schulenberg.

IN PORTALES

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bell and Ralph ate Thanksgiving dinner with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Drake of Portales, N. M.

HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

Jan Averitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Averitt, was home from West Texas State College for the holidays.

IN CLAUDE

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Swindle and Jerry visited over the weekend in Claude with the Cecil Seaneys, former residents of Hart.

VISIT SISTER

Mr. and Mrs. Ira McLain visited last weekend in Carlsbad, N. M. with her sister, Mrs. Viola Shannon.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Bearden recently returned home after visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Wall of Burlington, Colo.

CHANGE MEET
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IN NEW MEXIC
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DINNER GUEST
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IN ARLINGTON
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HOLIDAY VISIT
Mr. and Mrs spent Thankgiv with their daugh Mrs. B. L. Ar family and mother, Mrs. They also visit until Sunday i her sister Mrs.



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Longhorn Trails

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Sandy Bennett

PAM SHIVE'S FAVORITE THINGS

Teacher - Mrs. Farris
Class - P. E.
Book "Crime and Punishment"
T.V. Show - Doris Day Show
Actress - Doris Day
Actor - Paul Newman
Movie - "Camelot"
Hobby - Talking and having fun
Sport - Riding horses
Car - Rivera
Singing Group - Lettermen
Song - "Since I Met You" by Bobby Sherman

Physique - Rex Henderson
Walk - Rex Henderson
Laugh - Jerry Heller
Best Dressed - Ricky Farris
Smile - Bob Waide
I. Q. - Harold Bob Bennett
Best All Around - Bob Waide and Mr. Six
My Pal - Kim McGill and Allen Shive

KIM MCGILL'S IDEAL GIRL

Most Beautiful - Cathy Crawford
Cutest - Gaylene Hawkins
Personality - Pam Shive
Nicest - Cindy Dyer
Eyes - Cathy Crawford
Hands - Becky King
Walk - Cindy Dyer
Figure - Cloris Tilson
Smile - Roni Cox
Laugh - Janet McLain
Best Dressed - ?
My Pal - Cathy Crawford
Best All Around - ?

KATHY KING'S IDEAL BOY

Most Handsome - ?
Cutest - Lonnie Davis
Eyes - Donnie Shive
Hands - Mr. Keller
Hair - Gary Rambo
Personality - Ricky Farris
Most Friendly - Rex Henderson
Meanest - Kim McGill
Nicest - Quincy Hawkins

IN NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McLain have recently moved into their new home at 118 Broadway.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Brown had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. James Burnam of Dimmitt.

FLOWERS UNLIMITED

Symbolic Floral Arrangements

Key Christmas Decor In Home

Christmas is a family festival. We celebrate it by making our homes colorful and bright, singing carols, providing rich feasts, and giving gifts in the tradition of the Wise Men of the East.

In keeping with the spirit of the season, cut flowers and plants are wonderful to receive and give at this time. However, floral decorations for the home will demand more attention than placing flowers neatly in a vase.

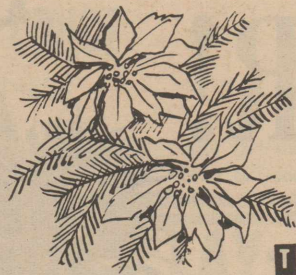
The dining and living rooms are usually the first concern of a hostess, and are as important a focus in home decor as the Christmas tree. It is in these areas that hostesses wish to convey the impression of cheer for both planned festivities and those times when friends drop in unexpectedly.

The occasion calls for imagination and sparkling, rich colors. The answer to both needs can be found in centerpieces, floral compositions, or encircling symbols of the season with appropriate floral selections.

FTD florists note that a favorite Christmas plant, the poinsettia, represents fertility and eternity, and is a prime symbol of the season as well as a frequent subject of legends. One 16th century tale tells of a small girl who followed the Wise Men to the cradle of the infant Jesus and wept because she had no flowers to place beside the manger. An angel appeared and bid her to take weeds from the field and present them before the infant, and as she did so, the weeds blossomed into a vivid, beautiful poinsettia.

Certainly, Christmas is virtually filled with symbolism. Figurines in the shape of angels, shepherds, Madonna and Child, the three Kings, musicians, reindeer, etc., as well as candles, bells, and Christmas balls are all appropriate reminders of the holiday, and are traditionally incorporated within the design of floral arrangements.

During this season, few Christian homes seem truly



decorated without a wreath at the door, in the window, or perhaps as a focus in some living area other than that in which the Christmas tree is placed. The round form (of the Della Robbia wreath) symbolizes eternity, while the flowers and fruits are symbolic of the cycle of the seasons.

In milder climates, FTD florists suggest that the feeling of the first Christmas, which occurred in a mild climate, may be captured with palms, magnolia, poinsettias, and other foliage and blossoms of the East. In colder climates, winter wonderlands can be made of cones, greens, and ribbon to bring the joy of the season into the home. -MM.



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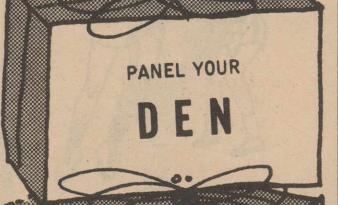
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**Mrs. J.D. Myrick Hosts
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The home of Mrs. J. D. Myrick was the setting of Monday night's meeting of the Chi Psi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi. Acting as co-hostess for the evening was Mrs. Richard Franks.

Presiding over the business meeting was Mrs. Bill Hill who conducted the vote to support the state liver research project. Plans were made for a December 6 Christmas party with husbands to be guests.

The featured programs were "Interpretation of Love" presented by Mrs. Jerry Allen who raised the main question of whether parents try to buy children's love by giving them everything they want, and "Love's Miracle in Marriage" by Mrs. Bob Bowden who pointed out the need for mutual appre-

**Barbara Davis
Is TOPS Winner**

Barbara Davis was named Queen for the Week and Queen for the Month at the regular meeting Monday night of the Hart of Texas TOPS Club.

Plans were completed for a bake sale and bazaar to be held Saturday in Hart Cleaners. TOPS members are also selling new crop shelled pecans.

ciation in a healthy marriage.

New pledges recognized at the meeting included Mmes. Clinton Billingsley, Bob Bowden, Fred Brown, David Irons and Bob Lacy. Mrs. Warren Lemons and Mrs. Sam McGill became Ritual of Jewel members and were presented their pins during the ceremony.

The regular December meeting of the club will be held next Thursday night and feature the annual "Penny Auction."

**Rolands Attend
Kin's Funeral**

Mr. and Mrs. Rod Roland and family were in Clarendon Saturday to attend the funeral of a niece, Lynette Lockeby.

Lynette, twelve, was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Huey Lockeby, former Hart residents. She died Thursday in Northwest Texas following a long illness.

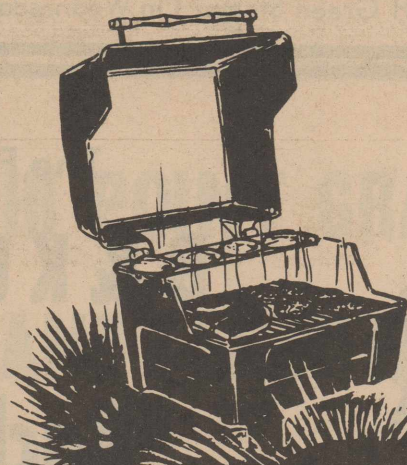
Survivors include her parents, two sisters and three brothers and her grandmother, Mrs. A. M. Roland of Plainview.

The Lockeby family lived in Hart some 15 years ago. He was employed by the Ft. Worth and Denver Railroad.



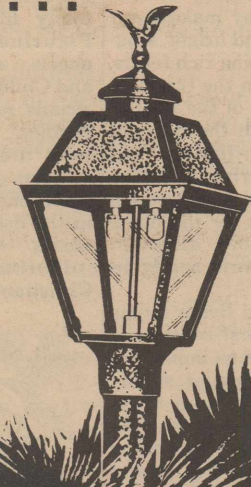
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The sooner religious training begins, the earlier its results become evident in a child's attitude and behavior. Your child's readiness to respond to parental encouragement and discipline is merely the reflection of those deeper qualities of personal integrity which spiritual growth will foster.

Let the Church help you raise your family. God never meant you to try it alone!

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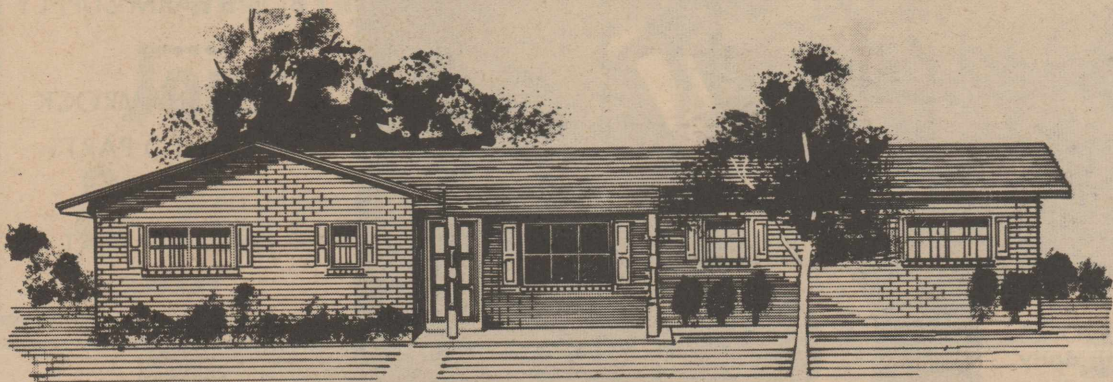
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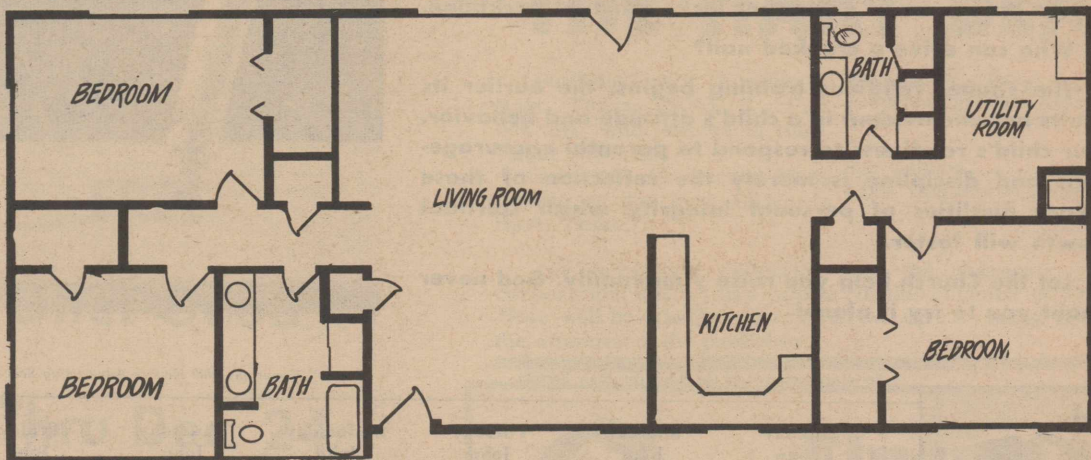


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