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Happy New Year

Off the Cuff

By CHUCK STAMPS

A New Year dawns, and there is still hope for peace. A troubled world can sight the New Year with the jaundiced eye of the cynical or the trusting eye of the meek. What 1952 brings to the world cannot be foretold in any crystal ball or even by mere mortals as he speculates for what is in the future.

Man can believe in many things, and trust in only One. There is hope, faith, and love to help mere man shoulder the burden of an uncertain and uprooted year to fill the tomorrows.

Peace on earth? The tyrants of the Kremlin hold the answer to that question. Peace may come in 1952. However, it will be an uneasy peace, and more than likely a temporary peace. Those who covet the treasures of the world will keep working to undermine those who stand in their path of world domination. There is only one place in the world of the United States. Whether we wanted the role or whether fate thrust it upon us is a little academic now. We are not the protector of the free world, the white knight of Christendom, the leader of the United Nations it will be written that we made a success or a failure of the trust collective security.

The idiot down at the drug store says it's his mother's fault. That she didn't get what she wanted for Christmas. He came for mother, waddled in her slip in Santa's lap when she saw him at the department store.

This is the time of year when more people make New Year resolutions. Which you are at it, you might resolve to pay your subscription to your newspaper. If you don't you may have to read the with another four years of Truman. That should be enough incentive for most of the readers of this paper.

Tyler county almost got by in 1951 without a fatal auto accident. Maybe we can all drive a little more carefully in 1952 and have a perfect record.

However, we can point with some satisfaction to the fact that no Tyler county was killed in an accident in the county during the past year. That speaks well for most county drivers and the efforts spearheaded by highways to the highway patrol.

The sage of Jonesville says that while it didn't snow a few people had a white Christmas. White rock and ice that is.

We are going to have to run all this business of lack of space. We regret that we had to leave out quite a bit of news from the Christmas edition, and we are carrying it in this issue to bring you up to date.

Formal opening of the new building of the Citizens State Bank brought out banks of flowers and large crowds of friends and customers. The scene above shows a part of both the flowers and crowd which attended the formal opening. (Gould Studio photo)

Dallas Man First 1951 Traffic Victim; Dies In Accident At Colmesneil

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A. Y. Colliers Observe 60th Anniversary

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Funeral Services Held For Mrs. Lottie Dean

[illegible]

GSU Employees Hold Christmas Party Here

The annual Christmas party for the Gulf States Utilities employees and their families of the Silsbee district was held here Thursday night at [illegible] o'clock at the [illegible] Club.

The program consisted of Christmas music, a [illegible] and a Santa Claus visited the children and gave each a gift.

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Delbert Nash Funeral Held at Davis Cemetery

[illegible]

Dancing School Pupils Give Yule Recital

An informal Christmas recital was presented on Thursday night of last week in the elementary school auditorium by pupils of the Pat Williams school of dancing.

Numbers presented and pupils participating are as follows:

Baby tap: Steffi O'Brien, Christi Ramsey, Amanda Haralson, Melissa Bisinger, Betty Jean Holm, Kenna Mae Hess, Barbara and Sharon Allison and Linda Williams.

Waltz Group: Mary Ann Taylor, Linda Sue Hess, Pauline Nutt, Mary Alice Swearingen, Lorenda Mills, Beth Anthony, and Carol Bennett.

Baby ballet: Jane Wynne as the baby ballet above.

Winonia Miss: Betty Howell.

Stroller's Waltz: Mary Alice Swearingen, Mary Ann Taylor and Jo Ann McCraw.

Rhythm Tap: Karen O'Brien, Patsy Parker and Carolyn Williams.

Boogie Woogie Tap: Douglas Young, Rebecca Marshall, Sarah and Bobbie Jones, Martha Holloway and Glen Aaron.

Not So Blue Take Off Dance: Martha Pace, Linda Sue Hess, Martha Lynn Mahan, Gail Childress, and June Allen Kennedy.

Announcer: Pat Williams.

A La Hop Alonzo: Karen O'Brien, Patsy Parker and Carolyn Williams.

Wolf Cub: Freshie Nutt, Pam Mills, Carol Ann Wright, Betty Bobbie, Beth Anthony, and Virginia Lee Hensley.

Jersey Bounce: Sandra Jarrett, Betsy McBride, Sheryl Phillips, Heat twins Judy Dunn and Linda Evans.

Twilight Night of the Year: Betty Howell.

The Infantry: Douglas Young and Glen Aaron.

Fifth Street Rag: Karen O'Brien, Patsy Parker and Carolyn Williams.

Waltz Time: Sarah Jones, Frank and Bobbie Jones, Martha Holloway, and Rebecca Marshall.

Twilight Time (last number): Pat Williams.

Hans Anthony served as master of ceremonies.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. and Mrs. Bugg H. Tippitt and son, Hugh, Jr., of Charlottesville, Va., will arrive Sunday to spend 10 days with Mrs. Tippitt's mother, Mrs. H. P. Hughes, and brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stryker.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurance Bloss of Fort Smith, Ark., recently spent the week-end with their aunts, Misses Nellie and Ethelyn Collier and uncle, George Collier.

Gen. Le Daile of Houston visited at Colmesneil in the Collier home recently.

Mrs. Nora Whittington of Port Arthur spent the Christmas holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hinds. Other visitors during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hind, Mrs. M. C. McDonald, Q.Z.

VFW-LEGION HOLDS CHRISTMAS PARTY DEC. 18

Members of American Legion Post 300, Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 3030 and the VFW Ladies Auxiliary held a Christmas party Dec. 18 at Memorial Park. Veterans of Tyler county and their friends and families were invited to attend.

Each member of the Legion, VFW and Auxiliary brought a basket lunch for the banquet and a toy to be gift in a basket of food for those children and families in need.

CHESTER PTA HEARS TALK

The Chester Parent-Teachers Association in regular meeting on Dec. 18 was entertained with a Christmas program by the fourth and fifth grades. Mrs. D. B. McCullough, president, presided.

The talk by Mrs. Odell Geamans was enjoyed by the members and guests. Discussion topic was "Should parents see that their children attend Sunday school, or let them do as they choose about it?"

JAMES R. JUSTICE HOME IN COLLEGE BROOK JAN. 4

James R. Justice of R.F.D. Box [illegible] of Woodville, [illegible] spending his leave at his home. Since the [illegible] at Memphis, Tenn., Chapel in Marshall on Jan. 4. James was married to Miss [illegible] of Silsbee.

Miss Virginia McDonald, Ollie Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Hughes, and Mr. and Mrs. M. [illegible] Wanham all of Port Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Owens of [illegible] and Mrs. Elizabeth Whitley of DeQuincy, La.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dyer had as guests for Christmas Mrs. Dyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Crawford of Alton, and two brothers, J. M. Dyer of Alton and Ralph Crawford of Fort Worth, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Pickett returned Wednesday from Nebraska, where they visited Mrs. Pickett's parents, spending the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Ollie Hunt and Mrs. Monroe Hughes visited in Beaumont after a long illness.

Chester High School band has had a very successful year under direction of Mrs. Kirby. Band members are:

Sylvia Goldsby, Mary North Hardy, Winnie Pearl Hughes, Jimmy Parks, Virginia Pate, Mary Pate, Carolyn Claiborne, Minnie Shackelford, Carolyn Hightower, Mattie Lou Dace, John Bidwell, Glenda Bidwell, Evelyn Tubbs, Jerry Dixon, Billy Moser, Sue Parker, Eva Powell, Mable Marie Powell, Joan Vaughn, Betsy Bell twirler, Annie Laurie Squires, Yvonne Mahaffey, Frances Mahaffey, Pauline Hancock, Elsie Sutton, Bonnie Sutton, Thompkins Carter, Nada June Fuller, Mary Davis, Joey Elwood Rice, Nat Doyle Carl, Linda Faye Richardson and Phyllis Powell.

At left is Sue Parker drum major.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM PRESENTED AT INON

The Christmas program at the Inon Baptist church was in charge of Mrs. Helen Hardy. The program was presented by the Girls Auxiliary. Girls participating were Abbie Ann Lewis, Polly Smith, Mary Nelle Hardy, Louise Jordan, Ina Powell, Ann Squires, Bernadine Hensley, Winnie Pearl Hughes and Katherine Lewis. One boy, James Hughes, also participated in the program.

MAJOR COTTON CURIE ON DUTY OVERSEAS

WACO—Maj. Clarence R. Curie, partner in the Gulf Relief Stores and Gulf Service station in Woodville, has been assigned to the Far Eastern Air Forces, Fifth Fighter Bomber Wing, headquarters at Taegu, Korea, recently.

GREETINGS FROM MISS 1951 . . . The little girl personifies a smiling but wistful New Year's greeting as she turns the last page of a tattered and torn 1951. Millions throughout the nation are preparing to welcome the New Year with prayers for an enduring peace.

CHESTER BAND MOTHERS PRESENT GIFT TO DIRECTOR

The Chester Band Mothers Club presented a gift to Mrs. Kirby, director, at the regular meeting on Dec. 14 in appreciation for her fine work with the band this year.

The band gave a nice program as an entertainment feature for the Wild Game barbecue supper held recently.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

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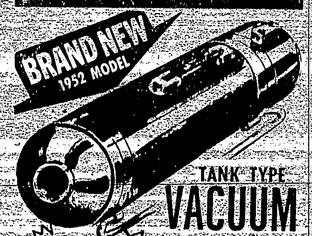

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Hillister News

(Delayed from last week)

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Chester News

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Rockland Items

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Antioch Locals

(Delayed from last week)

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6. For Sale

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NEW YEAR AROUND THE WORLD

Long before history was recorded the calendar [illegible] made every year an important part of their celebration. These primitive people also made human sacrifices to the god of the New Year, to the belief that more human heads would be sacrificed by the gods.

In ancient China it was a custom to make visits shortly after the New Year had begun. Usually returned a year or two in old India and Babylonia where celebration of the first day of a New Year was a very wild affair.

The ancient Hebrew people believed [illegible]

[illegible]

Santa Distributes Gifts At Annual Party Here

Santa Claus made a preview visit to Woodville Saturday afternoon to pass out gift bags of candy, fruits and nuts to several hundred children.

Santa made his annual party for children at the Court House on the Woodville Circle. He was completely in his red suit and the white beard was flowing in spite of his long trek from the North Pole. He greeted the children and chatted briefly with them while busily at work at the task of distributing the hundreds of bags of candy, fruits and nuts.

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QUEANELLA SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HOLDS MEETING

The monthly business meeting and annual Christmas party of the Queanella Sunday School Class of the First Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. R. E. Wheatley on Monday, December 17, at 7:00 p.m. Mrs. Wheatley presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. [illegible]. The meeting opened as Mrs. [illegible] led the Christmas song, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" [illegible] Christmas [illegible] was brought by Mrs. [illegible] followed by a reading by Mrs. [illegible]. Mrs. Wallace offered the closing prayer. Mrs. [illegible] was served by Mrs. [illegible] and [illegible]. Mrs. [illegible] read the treasurer's report. She also read numerous cards and letters of thanks to the class for flowers received during the past year. The class by Mrs. Matthews in memory of Mrs. [illegible], Mrs. [illegible] and Mrs. [illegible] was presented with a gift of a [illegible] by the class.

[illegible]

New Year Banquet Shows Variations All Around World

Feasting has always been an important part of the celebration of New Year's and varies around the world.

The New Year's Day banquet in Japan and Western Europe is similar to our American feast, chief difference being in the choice of the menu. Turkey, duck or goose makes the festive meal in England, with plum pudding the pride of the meal.

Turkey is again used in Canada although game and pheasant are favorite. The tables of the Latin countries are loaded with fruits, vegetables and olives, and some rather rich meats are served in France.

An important dish among the Japanese is soup. It is served with olive oil, bamboo, vegetables and meat or fish. Almost no take of cross-eyes, which is produced at wheat grading lunch and vegetables. Pickled onions, raw fish, roast lamb and chicken dishes are popular items among the Japanese, with pickled cucumbers made one meal a delicacy. The twelve grapes eaten with a special drink called plum wine is a tradition also observed with wine and flavored with almonds, raisins, dried orange and cinnamon, cloves and cinnamon. It is usually served before serving.

Old Romans Offered Gifts to God Janus

The word January comes from the Latin word Janus. Janus was a god in ancient Rome. The Romans offered sacrifices at the end of each year to insure peace and good health during the coming year. Janus was the god of beginnings, and was shown with two faces, one looking forward and the other backward.

As early as 153 B.C. the Romans exchanged gifts at the new year. At first they were simple gifts of fruit, honey, dates, figs, and nuts. Later they became more elaborate. Jewelry, coins, and other valuables were given. Finally the custom became so burdensome that it had to be abolished by a decree of the Senate. But it continued really to the wealth of the Romans. Finally it became the law that the favorite presents could be exchanged only in January, January 1st being a holiday. The month of January was named for the god Janus.

Romans continued to celebrate the New Year under the Christian calendar. The religious celebrations, however, caused the church to ban Christians from participating in the celebrations, and it was not until December 25 was finally fixed as the date of the Nativity that the church made January 1 a religious holiday in commemoration of the circumcision of Jesus.

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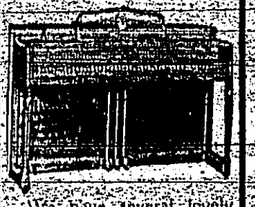

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