

NEWS FROM . . .

DIME BOX

By MRS. ALBERT NIMTZ

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Rankin of Dime Box, announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy, to Alton Peters, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Peters of Somerville.

Silver Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nimitz were pleasantly surprised on their 25th Wedding anniversary by their children, friends and relatives Saturday evening, Dec. 31. The dining table was centered with a wedding cake. It was beautifully decorated commemorating the 25th anniversary.

Mrs. Nimitz is the former Gertrude Mitschke. They were married by the Rev. Wm. Mueller in Giddings. The Nimitz's are proud parents of three children, they are Mrs. Roy (Margie) Ripple of Houston, Grace and Gary, at home.

The evening was spent playing card games and "42."

Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, cake, cookies, coffee and punch were served to all.

The couple received many beautiful and useful gifts which were greatly appreciated.

W.M.S. Monthly Meeting

The St. John's W.M.S. combined their monthly meeting and Christmas party, Dec. 30, at 2 p. m. The devotional scripture and prayer was presented by Mrs. Lawrence Loewe. A medley of Christmas hymns was sung in connection with devotional. Rev. Mgebhoff gave a talk on Christmas in different lands. Birthday celebrants for the month of December were: Mrs. Robert Wiederhold, Mrs. Gerhard Kissmann, Mrs. Edgar Michalk, and Mrs. Johnnie Nimitz. At this time all committee reports were given.

Mrs. A. C. Harzke having charge of games for Christmas party had a number of interesting contests which all enjoyed. Mrs. Emmet Eichler sang a special Christmas song. Then the Christmas gifts were opened, revealing secret pals for the year. Names were all drawn for year 1956. Meeting closed with hymn "Silent Night, Holy Night" and Prayer by Pastor, and Lord's Prayer in unison. Delicious refreshments were served by Miss Pauline Wolff.

Submits to Operation

Mrs. Otto Wolf, the former (Lydia Balcar) submitted to an operation at Lee Memorial Hospital in Giddings Friday, Jan. 6. Her friends wish for her a speedy recovery.

Attended Dedication

Mrs. Barney Rankin, Mrs. Robert Leitko, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nimitz, attended the dedication of the new educational building at Christ Lutheran Church at Loebau, Sunday afternoon Jan 8. Speakers were the Rev. Max Studtmann of Giddings, chairman of the Board of Education, and Prof. E. F. Keuer of Austin, Educational Counselor of the Texas District.

Personals

Miss Bess Black and Mrs. Mabry Knox of Giddings spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dodd.

Mrs. O. A. Mitschke of Giddings and Mrs. Isedor Knippa of Lincoln, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Albert Nimitz. They also visited the Charlie Mitschkes.

Mrs. Floyd Helmer of Bryan spent Sunday evening with the Leonard Dodds.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Nimitz, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wiederhold, Jackle and Kenneth, visited Mrs. Katie Grundmann in Giddings Sunday afternoon.