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PRICE TEN CENTS

Consolidation Plan For Schools Outlined

Two Schools Face Large Student Loss

CONTINUED loss of students in Matador and Roaring Springs Independent school districts has developed a serious threat to future educational opportunities of the two schools.

School officials have been meeting in the hopes of arriving at a consolidation plan which will be acceptable to residents of both districts. Four meetings have been held (two in Roaring Springs and two in Matador), the last in Matador in the office of County Judge and Ex-officio County Superintendent Forrest Campbell, Tuesday afternoon. Others present were Matador Superintendent Charles Johnson and Roaring Springs Superintendent Tommy Wilson.

The meeting resulted in final approval of a two page letter and a "straw vote" postal card which will go into the mail soon (possibly today) to all voters of the two districts. Anyone failing to receive a letter is asked to notify the superintendent of either school.

Local Boys Win At Houston Show

Steve Stevens and Berry Bostick, Motley County 4-H Club members were among the announced winners at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo during the week end.

Berry, a calf scramble winner last year, won 2nd place this year for his heifer which was entered in the Junior Breeding Division. He also entered two steers, which were judged this week, results of which will be announced later.

Steve was one of 12 lucky boys who came out a winner in the calf scramble held Saturday afternoon. He received a \$200 gift certificate to be used toward the purchase of a registered beef calf of his own choosing. He will feed, raise, and care for this calf until next year's Houston Livestock Show when he will return it for judging in the Calf Scramble Division and the Junior Breeding Division.

He was accompanied to Houston by his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John V. Stevens and Shane, who returned home Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bostick accompanied their son and remained through this week. Also attending and remaining this week is County Agent Pallmeyer, who assists the calf-scramble winners in preparing their calves for the show the next year.

RETURN TO GALVESTON FOR FURTHER SURGERY

Mrs. Charlie Meador and her son, John left Monday for Galveston, where John will receive plastic surgery at John Sealy Hospital. The surgery will be centered about the upper lip, where he was injured in an accident during the Christmas holidays.

IN GROOM HOSPITAL

Malcolm Turner had surgery Wednesday morning in the Groom hospital, and his son, Dean Turner is also hospitalized there. He had gone to be with his parents, and became ill while there.

HOWE HINES MEMORIALS MAY BE LEFT AT BANK

Friends wishing to give memorials in the form of contributions to the Howe Hines family, may contact Randall Whitworth at the First State Bank, it was announced here yesterday.

SENIORS TO SPONSOR GAME NIGHT AT AFTON

Patton Springs High School senior class announces a game night for Friday evening, March 3, at the school, from 7 p.m. to 11.

Included on the agenda are volleyball, dominoes, and music to dance by. Everyone is invited.

Mrs. Haynes Baumgardner of Lubbock spent last week here with her mother, Mrs. L. J. Barkley.

The letter explains in detail the problem of the two schools in losing a total of 104 students in the past five years. Matador enrollment is reduced from 320 to 256 and Roaring Springs is reduced from 116 to 76.

One great advantage in the consolidation is the "incentive aid" which would be approximately \$300,000 in the next ten years (the amount of state money estimated to be saved in the period would be paid to the new district over a ten year period). "Incentive aid" money can only be used for construction or paying off bonded indebtedness. Matador has no bonded indebtedness and Roaring Springs indebtedness is considered small.

The consolidation is not expected to affect the present tax rate in either district. It is substantially the same plan that was turned down by a small margin in an election held in 1967.

Grades one through five would be assigned to Matador elementary school. Grades six, seven and eight would be assigned to Roaring Springs Junior High School. Grades nine through twelve would be assigned to Matador High School. Students would be transported between schools by buses.

If approved, the name of the district would be the Motley Consolidated Independent School District.

The straw vote method is being used to determine the attitude of voters in the two districts. School officials feel that it would be a waste of money to hold an election if the proposal will again meet with defeat.

The many advantages of the consolidation are listed in the letter which each patron and voter will receive. They are asked to consider the serious problems which face the two schools and then fill out and mail the "straw vote" card at once. It is estimated that about 600 letters will go in the mail. Ten days has been allowed for the return of the cards, which require no signature.

Rites Held for Howe Hines

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday in First Baptist Church of Floydada for Howe Hamlin Hines, 61, who died about midnight Monday in the Caprock Hospital in Floydada.

Dr. Floyd C. Bradley, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Floydada Memorial Park under direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Floydada, with Masonic graveside rites.

Mr. Hines was born April 20, 1910 at Whiteflat, in Motley County, and grew to manhood here. His parents were the late J. H. Hines and Minnie E. (Martin) Hines, members of pioneer Motley County families. He was married to Elsie Mable Thomas in 1940 in Matador and they moved to Floyd County in 1949, where he was engaged in stock farming. He was a member of the Matador Masonic Lodge and the Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Dick Carpenter, (Jeante) of Roaring Springs and Mrs. Alita Beth Hawkins of Floydada; a son, Hal Dean Hines of Dallas; four brothers, Clay Hines of Eagle Nest, N.M., E. J. Hines of Carlsbad, N.M., Coe Hines of Clayton, N.M., and Ott Hines of Matador; and five grandchildren.

IN HONOR GUARD AT MARDI GRAS

Sp/4 John Lynn Barnhill, stationed at Fort Sam Houston, where he is with the Chief of Staff of the 5th Army, was a member of the 5th Army Honor Guard at two parades in New Orleans during Mardi Gras, Feb. 12-16. The guard was posted at the Bacchus Parade and also the Proteus Parade. Mrs. Barnhill accompanied her husband and they were guests of an Army co-worker, David Auzsberger, at the home of his parents. Barnhill is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Barnhill of Matador.



SKELTON and artifacts found along the Caprock Rim by Bruce McFall, February 22, about ten miles west of Flomot. The skeleton is believed to be that of an Indian woman. The find was on the D. M. Cogdill Ranch, and the collection is now in the possession of Jim Word of Floydada. This photograph is courtesy of the Floyd County Hesperian.

Skeleton Found In Area Near Flomot

EXPLORING a hole in the side of a canyon, Bruce McFall, 16, Flomot High School junior, found the skeleton of what is believed an Indian woman, and a number of artifacts. The discovery was made February 22.

Included in the find were seven silver conchos, an engraved wooden saddle horn, pieces of buckskin (covered with beads), an eye hoe head, two teepee poles, a silver bracelet, a mirror and a large quantity of beads.

Young McFall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sid McFall of Flomot, said he could see the hole across the canyon while riding horseback alone during the afternoon. He tied his horse and climbed some 100 feet down the steep side of the canyon wall. He entered the opening, 12 to 15 feet in the caliche rock. The floor of the small cave was almost level with debris and he began digging with his hands.

"I felt strange," he declared, "when my fingers went into the eye sockets of the skull." He began digging up the bones and artifacts, placed them in a tow sack, which he took to the D. M. Cogdill Ranch house which is his

home only about a mile from where the find was made.

Jim Word of Floydada, a friend of Mr. Cogdill, has the skeleton and artifacts, which are being studied.

Last week five students from Texas Tech visited the site and recovered additional beads and other materials. A number of other people have visited the site since the discovery.

Young McFall said some of the people who visited the site since his original discovery, had taken one shovelfull of debris and from it obtained over 350 beads. The youth kept one of the conchos, which appears to be silver. He said the other conchos were also silver, but appeared to be hand hammered, perhaps out of silver dollars, with crudely cut holes.

The site is surrounded by some of the most picturesque terrain in West Texas about five miles southwest of the famous Quitaque Peaks near Flomot.

The affable Bruce McFall, who is six feet, five inches tall, said he had no definite plans for the future, "but I guess I will be a cowboy. I like the outdoors and I like the country."

Special Events will Mark Schools Week

Observance of Texas Public Schools Week, March 6-10 will be held here, with two special events scheduled.

Matador Lions Club members will eat in the school lunchroom for their regular luncheon-meeting Tuesday, and will visit the various classrooms. Parents are invited to visit school on Wednesday, and eat lunch with their children in the lunchroom.

Several classrooms will be decorated especially for the occasion, and will feature posters and other handwork of the pupils.

As an introduction to Public Schools Week, Mrs. Dean Turner's fifth grade pupils will present an assembly program at 10 a.m. on Monday, and invite

Shortcourse Set On Horsemanship

Motley County 4-H members and others interested in horses are reminded of a shortcourse to be held at the Bill Cody Arena, Tri-State Fairgrounds in Amarillo, March 3-4.

This "horse sense" conference will feature discussions and demonstrations on all phases of horsemanship, and is especially designed for youth. It is co-sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the West Texas State University school of Agriculture.

Registration starts at 4:30 p.m. Friday, March 4 and the formal program runs until 10 p.m. The Saturday session starts at 9 a.m. and will conclude about 9 p.m.

Mrs. M. F. Bolton Has 90th Birthday

Mrs. M. F. Bolton, a resident of Matador since 1957, today is celebrating her 90th birthday. She makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Smauley. She was born March 2, 1882 in Erath County, and moved with her family to Dickens County in 1925.

Mrs. Bolton has made her home in Motley County since 1927, when she moved to Roaring Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Smauley and Mrs. Bolton had as visitors from Saturday until Monday, other daughters of Mrs. Bolton, Mrs. Loree Kingery of Abilene and Mrs. Viola McBride of Anson. Joining the group Sunday for a birthday dinner for Mrs. Bolton, was another daughter, Mrs. Kathlene Smith of Matador, a grandson, Lyndon Kingery of Austin and Mrs. Liza Kingery of Roaring Springs.

Claude Harp in Scott and White

Claude Harp is convalescing in Scott and White Hospital, Temple, after undergoing surgery Monday morning for a broken hip. He was conveyed to Temple by private plane from a hospital in Laredo, where he was taken by ambulance Friday night after falling and breaking his hip, on the patio of his trailer home in Zapata.

Mr. and Mrs. Harp have been spending the winter in Zapata, and she accompanied her husband to Temple.

He is reported in satisfactory condition, and receiving therapy.

Plans are Made To Honor Youth

Traditional plans to pay tribute to the youth of the Matador community are being completed, with banquets and programs.

The events start with a Union Youth Service at the First Baptist Church, Sunday evening, March 12. The message will be brought by Rev. Douglas Gossett, pastor of the First United Methodist Church.

The following night (March 13) the annual Mother-Daughter Banquet will be held in the First Baptist Church basement. The banquet is being sponsored by the Eternas Junior Study Club, of which Mrs. Pat Seigler is President.

The following night (March 14) the annual Father-Son Banquet will be held at the same location. The banquet is sponsored by the Matador Lions Club, and was originated by the late Lt. Paul Eubank who lost his life during action in World War II. Speaker will be Dr. Aubrey Cox of Wichita Falls.

RETURN HOME
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spears returned home Monday night from Zapata, where they spent several weeks, fishing.

RECENT SURGERY
Mrs. Buford Williams is a patient in University Hospital, Lubbock, where she recently had surgery on her foot. She is in room 117-B.

Group to Present Musical Program

The Re'Generation, a new musical group of nationwide collegiate talent will present a program Thursday (tonight) at 7:30, at the First United Methodist Church in Floydada.

Ron Coker, the group's director has traveled with the Re'Generation since its conception in the summer of 1970. He is a graduate of San Diego State College. Now on their second 10 month tour, the group has performed before 120,000 people in more than 500 appearances.

Young people from this area are extended a special invitation to attend, by Mrs. Jimmy Willson, Youth Coordinator of the Floydada congregation.

Legion, Auxiliary Schedule Meeting

Regular monthly meeting of the American Legion and Auxiliary is announced for Monday night, March 6.

Guest speaker will be Mrs. Bill McCaghren, who will tell of her trip in December to the Holy Land, and show slides of the places visited.

The customary covered dish supper will be served.

Flomot Rites Held For Orley E. Snow

Funeral services for Orley Everett Snow, 87, resident of Flomot for 30 years, were held at 2:30 p.m. Friday at the Flomot Baptist Church. Rev. Ed Burkett of Colorado City, a former Flomot pastor, officiated, assisted by L. B. Turner, a friend of the family.

Burial was in Flomot Memorial Park Cemetery, under the direction of Griffin Funeral Home, Quitaque.

Mr. Snow was born August 1, 1884 in Missouri. He moved to Oklahoma in 1908 and had a business in Boswell. He married Hattie Post, in 1927. The family moved to Flomot in 1942 and Mr. Snow owned and operated a welding and blacksmith shop until ill health forced him to retire about two years ago. At the time of his death he had attained the age of 87 years, 6 months and 22 days.

He is survived by his wife, Hattie; one son, Wayne L. Snow of Derricks, Ark.; two daughters, Mrs. Wendell Morris (Nelva) of Flomot and Mrs. Hazel Brizendine of Killeen; 10 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were, L. D. Bilberry, J. H. George, Melvin Spray, Ray Cruise, Alfred Martin and Clayton Bond.

Attend Funeral
Relatives and friends from out of the community, who attended the services included his daughter, Mrs. Hazel Brizendine; a nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Snow of Guthrie, Okla.; a niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Taylor of Oklahoma City; a grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Snow and baby of Andrews; a granddaughter, Mrs. Lois Bedwell; friends of more than 40 years, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown and daughter, Diana of Idalou and son, Buddy Brown of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Scott of Matador; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lane and Jess Browning of Turkey; O. R. Stark, Mr. and Mrs. James Brunson, Bruce Price, Mrs. H. B. Finney, A. D. Monk, Pete Rice, Ebb Auston and daughter, Jennifer of Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lane and Mr. and Mrs. Birt Lane of Plainview.

HOME FROM QUANAH

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hobbs returned home last Wednesday from Quanah, where he was a patient in Oranah Memorial Hospital for medical tests and observation.

TRAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



Message on a sign in west Plainview on a busy thoroughfare: "Conceit is God's gift to little people."

It was back in the sunbonnet days when the terms "surly" and "privy" were used in the presence of ladies. "Surly" was used to designate a bull. Our language has gone through many changes, and, excluding some extremes, many of them were needed.

It is unfortunate that we can not go into certain rooms, close the doors and windows and prevent time from escaping. It will not be detained longer than the instant of its passing, but all the achievements of mankind, the good and the evil, have been accomplished in one or a series of these passing instants. The future is still filled with them, awaiting each individual to use his share in the luxury of choice.

Perhaps I am "hung up" on screen credits introducing and concluding most television programs, but I contend they are a waste of film and time. To further detract from their intended purpose, a new trend exhibits action in the background which further distorts the words. If television time is as precious as claimed, we could make a good dent in paying off the national debt by eliminating screen credits and devoting the time to more commercials contributed to the nation's economy.

Life is becoming more uncertain in the presence of advancing science which has perfected more devices for destruction than for security. Considering the increasing number of "crackpots" who achieve responsibility, the future has no choice but to "play it by ear."

It requires a good sermon to be more impressive than witnessing a mother kissing the cheek of her fretful child.

When the old gain experience they are confronted with the tragedy of discovering that it is in surplus supply unless you are young enough to use it personally.

Resident Attends Rites for Uncle

Mrs. Ward Rattan attended funeral services for her uncle, Elmer T. Scott, in Lamesa, Friday, Feb. 25, at the Downtown Church of Christ. Minister Bill Allen officiated.

Burial was in Lamesa Memorial Park by Branon Funeral Home. Mr. Scott, 74, was a native of Eastland County. He had lived in Dawson County since 1930. He was a farmer until his retirement.

He is survived by his wife, one sister and one brother.

Mrs. Rattan accompanied her sisters, Mrs. J. B. Rawland and Mrs. O. M. Marlow, both of Vernon, in attending the funeral.

VISIT IN HOUSTON

Mrs. Ted Elliott returned home Monday from a visit in Houston in the home of a sister, Mrs. C. O. Miller and family. She accompanied another sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vannatta and Kelly, and three brothers all of DelLeon, in making the trip. Thirteen members of the family group attended the Saturday afternoon performance of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

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Church and Society

OES VISITATION HONOR NIGHT HAS THEME OF 'WAGON WHEELS'

Mrs. R. M. Stanley, Worthy Matron, and Roy Hankins, Worthy Patron, presided while Matador Chapter No. 66 Order of the Eastern Star honored the Masons at a called open meeting Saturday night, Feb. 26, at the Masonic hall.

The guests registered at a table in the foyer and received "wagon wheel" badges, tokens of the theme for the evening.

Mrs. Sattley gave the welcome and J. R. Whitworth gave the invocation. Decorations in the hall were red and white roses, and a large wagon wheel.

Dining tables were decorated with miniature wagons, wagon wheels, ranch houses, fences, horses, cowboys, red roses and red bows. The menu consisted of turkey, ham, potato salad, fruit salads, tossed salad, deviled eggs, olives, pickles, crackers, cake, pie, coffee and spiced tea.

After the supper, the officers

presented a drill. Other features of the program included a reading, "Paper Wad," by Shannon Jameson, a skit, "Don't Trust a Magician," by Joe Pat Smith and Grant Johnson, and a song, "Put Your Hand In the Hand," by Shannon, accompanied at the piano by his mother, Mrs. H. R. Jameson.

"Fellowship Wheel" was presented by Mesdames Stanley, J. D. Craven, Vera Belle Forbis, W. N. Pipkin, R. E. Campbell Jr., Robert Darsey, J. R. Whitworth and Pat Sheridan, and Miss Pina Sue Sturdivant. The Masons made the spokes of the wheel and the Eastern Stars made the rim of the wheel, as Mrs. W. F. Jacobs sang, "Wagon Wheels."

The program closed by all singing, "Home on the Range," led by Mrs. Pearl Loar of Paducah, and J. R. Whitworth. Mrs. Frank Pohl played the piano for the drill and the songs.

Visitors were present from Turkey, Spur, Paducah, Quitaque, and two Matador members from Brownfield. In the assembly were two members of Grand Chapter Committees, Mrs. Pearl Loar, Paducah Chapter, Chairman District 2, Section 5, Time and Talent Committee, and Mrs. Etoile Stanley, Chairman District 2, Section 5, Star Visitation Committee. After the meeting, some time was spent just visiting. Everyone reported having a wonderful time.

Week of Prayer To be Observed

A program and luncheon Friday, March 3 (tomorrow) at the First Baptist Church will be in observance of Week of Prayer for Home Missions, it was announced this week by Mrs. C. D. Garrison, Mission Prayer Chairman for the Woman's Missionary Society.

Next week, March 5 through 12, is designated officially as Week of Prayer for Home Missions, with the theme, "Expect - Attempt." The Annie Armstrong Easter offering goal for the Southern Baptist Convention is \$6,000,000 and goal for the local church is \$275.

The program tomorrow will start at 10:30 a.m. and the theme will be, "Using New Methods." A film, "Prayer Power for Missions," will be shown. A salad luncheon will be served.

Matador Group Aids With Spur Meeting

A group from First Baptist Church assisted with a Lay Witness meeting at the First Baptist Church, Spur, from Friday evening through Sunday morning services.

Witness teams included Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Keltz, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Day, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wright, Mr. and Mrs. David Thompson, and young people participating included Mark Joplin, Don James and Kelly Keltz, also Mr. and Mrs. Terry Keltz of Plainview. C. M. Barton also attended some of the adult sharing groups.

Going to assist in the nursery and through the junior department, were Linda Cammack, Toni Thomas, Nancy Higginbotham and Mesdames C. M. Barton, Morris Burkes, C. D. Garrison and Gene Joplin.

Several of the group made reports Sunday night following the evening church services here and each declared it to be "The most wonderful experience of my life."

Group Celebrates Recent Birthdays

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stapleton were hosts to the February Birthday Club, Friday, February 25.

The group enjoyed a bring-a-dish luncheon, with turkey and dressing furnished by the hostess.

Games of "42" and "84" were in progress during the afternoon. Mrs. Maggie Hamilton and a friend, Mrs. Gladys Laird from King's Manor of Hereford, were special guests. Others attending the party were, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lipscomb, and Mesdames Minnie Clifton, R. A. Day, Fred Bourland, Mollie Jones, Joe Degan of Flomot, May Simpson, and Bob Echols.

Mrs. Hamilton and Mrs. Laird were guests of Mrs. Lipscomb from Wednesday until Friday, and attended the meeting of El Progreso Study Club, Thursday afternoon in the home of Miss Verlin Reeves.



VALENTINE QUEEN — Mrs. Howard Limmer of Snyder, the former Carolyn Pohl of Matador, was crowned Valentine Queen of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority at the sorority's annual Valentine Dance held Feb. 12 at the Scurry County Coliseum in Snyder. Pictured with Carolyn is her husband, Howard, who presented her with a bouquet of red roses. Mrs. Limmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pohl are longtime Matador residents. Mrs. Limmer is Home Ec teacher in Travis Junior High School and her husband is manager of the C. R. Anthony Department Store in Snyder.

Ethel Payne, Harry Willett, Douglas Gossett, Henry Ford, Nelson McMahan, W. N. Pipkin, Mae Simpson, Mattie Brotherton and A. J. Daffern, and Miss Mary Slover.

World Day of Prayer

A World Day of Prayer program will be held Friday, March 3, beginning at 10:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist church basement. Mrs. Bill Pallemer is the leader for the day.

A salad luncheon will be served at noon. All women of the church and their friends are invited to attend, and a cordial welcome is extended to visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carson Jr., of Olton spent Thursday night with her father, W. T. Ross. Spending the week end with Mr. Ross were his son, Jim Ross of Dallas and B. J. Smith of Lubbock.

Mrs. L. E. Crites of Lubbock visited here Tuesday with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Stearns.

Club Completes Workshop Plans

Plans are complete for a three-day workshop next week for Motley County Arts and Crafts Club, according to Mrs. John Russell, president.

The workshop will be held in the Woodruff Building, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 6-8, and will be taught by Mrs. Vernon Craven of Abilene, an art teacher in the Abilene State School for several years. She also taught art in the Sweetwater schools for two years.

To serve as hostesses for refreshments on Monday, will be Mrs. Bill Hinson, Mrs. Jack Sims and Mrs. Curtis Goodwin. A covered-dish luncheon will be served Tuesday, and refreshments for Wednesday will be provided by Mesdames Glen Woodruff, Oscar Stokes and Bill Pipkin.

Instructions in handcrafts will be given the first two days, and the third day will be devoted to oils and water color painting.

Sessions will start at 9:30 a.m. and members are reminded to bring all necessary supplies, according to previous instructions.

WHITEFLAT NEWS

Mrs. Stella Tilson

Troy Perkins of Amarillo visited from Friday night through Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Perkins. Saturday they visited at Matador with Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Stone.

Mrs. Scott Robbins accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Vernon drove to Arlington, Saturday, the 19th and visited with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Baugh. Sunday, Mesdames Robbins, Vernon and Baugh joined Mr. Robbins at Hill Lake Resort where he had gone previously. Sunday they returned to Arlington and spent the night and on home Monday. While there they visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Taylor at Lake Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Tipton and sons, Chad and Shane, of Silverton spent the week end with her mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Claudie Matney. Mrs. Matney visited several days last week

ATTEND FUNERAL

Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Gossett attended funeral services Friday in Lorenzo, for his cousin, Woodrow Stewart, 58, who died of a heart attack on Wednesday. Mr. Stewart was manager of the Pleasant Valley Gin and a prominent figure in the ginning industry on the South Plains.

in Quitaque with her mother, Mrs. Addie Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper visited in Paducah Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cooper at the Golden Age Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tilson were at Reese A.F.B., Lubbock, Tuesday for medical check-ups.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stapleton, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Molly Jones of Matador, visited in Abilene with their sister, Mrs. Willie Blair, and in Stephenville with another sister, Mrs. Glenn Brock from the 19th through 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Loyd Kimbell of Hereford visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Robbins and Mrs. Myrtle Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Burnam of Tulsa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Perkins, Sunday.

Tuesday Mrs. Ralph Stapleton accompanied by Mrs. Rose Turner visited Mrs. McNeeley in the Caprock Hospital, Floydada.

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Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cooper visited at Paducah, Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cooper in the Golden Age Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Terrell and Tim of Keller, visited during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John McCandless and sons. Other week end visitors were their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell McCandless of Wagon Mound, New Mexico.

Mrs. Stella Tilson visited from Tuesday through Saturday morning with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tilson of Brownfield. Her son, R. D. Tilson of Lubbock met her at the bus and accompanied her home and visited with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tilson.

Mrs. Melba Ridley and twins, Tony and Lisa, of Dallas visited her parents, Mr and Mrs. Jack

Spray from Saturday through Monday. Visiting his parents and sister, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Spray of Flomot.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Cox were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cox and Ron, of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Don Cox, students at Texas Tech and their friends, John Hoel, Mike Hoff and Dennis Poe, also Tech students.

Week end visitors of Mrs. Janice Dixon and son, Spencer, were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Whitefield and baby daughter, Paula, of Spur. After lunch, Sunday they all drove to Lakeview to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Whitefield. Another brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Whitefield of Lubbock were also visiting their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Barton and baby daughter, Leigh, visited in Matador Sunday, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. France Barton and other relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Gossett visited in the community, Wednesday, with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tilson and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Barton.

Lance Jameson, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jameson, accompanied Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Gossett of Matador, to Abilene Friday afternoon, where he attended McCurry College High School Student's week end. En route home Saturday, they visited in Spur with Mrs. Myrtle Stubblefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Cox of Brownfield attended Visitation Night at the Eastern Star, Saturday night. They are members of the Matador Chapter.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hardin, were her mother and aunt, Mrs. Clinton Voyles and Miss Tops Gilreath, both of Memphis.

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN OFFICE HOURS
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NEWS

by Mrs. Jimmie McCleskey
Phone 348-2491

Bonita Hand and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gage visited relatives in Tecumseh, Pauls Valley and Oklahoma City, from Sunday until Tuesday of last week.

Kelly Hand, Texas Tech student visited Friday night with his parents and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hand, Kim and Bonita. Visiting them Sunday were their other daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Stevens and Krista, of Lubbock.

Rev. B. C. Stonecipher of Muleshoe visited his father and wife, Rev. and Mrs. L. Stonecipher, Sunday. Mrs. Stonecipher received word Monday that her mother, Mrs. Joe Rice Sr., is seriously ill in the Golden Age Nursing Home in Lubbock.

Mrs. Curtis Murphy visited her mother, Mrs. Frank Dhale Sr., of Spur, Saturday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Murphy recently were his mother, Mrs. H. M. Murphy, and his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Carter Murphy, all of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mullins and Mrs. Allie Lawrence visited in Hereford, Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. C. A. Saulcy, who was a patient in Deaf Smith County Hospital, but was dismissed Saturday afternoon and accompanied them home to visit. They also visited a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mullins, Lesley, Stoney and Eddy.

Mrs. Bessie Paumer of Floydada visited during the week end with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Palmer and Johnny.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hull, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Payne and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Byars during the week end were, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Byars of Enochs, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Byars of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Byars of Odessa.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCleskey were, Mr. and Mrs. Herman McCleskey, Gary and Al of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McGee and son, Dale and Gordon McGee of Spur, and local residents, Mr. and Mrs. Elsie McCleskey and James.

Mrs. Robert Meacham of Quanah visited Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Thacker and with other friends here, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clem visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Weaks of Silverton, recently.

James Palmer of Friona visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Palmer, Thursday, and accompanied his wife home after spending several days in the home of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Stidham Conway and sons, Jeff and Junior, of Lubbock visited during the week end with his mother, Mrs. W. A. Conway, and his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Byars. His mother accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. Ethel Brown returned home Saturday from Fort Worth, where she had been visiting relatives.

Predicta Club has First Aid Program

Coach Dennis Lange was guest speaker for a program on First Aid, at regular meeting of the Roaring Springs Predicta Study Club, held Thursday night, Feb. 17, in the High School library. The president, Mrs. John A. Scott opened the meeting and minutes were read by Mrs. Lem Miller, and approved.

During the business session, it was reported that approximately \$80.00 was collected by members in the March of Dimes Drive. Mrs. Scott expressed the appreciation of the club to all who helped in any way, with this project.

The program was closed by the reading of the Club Collect, in unison. Coffee and cookies were served to those mentioned, and the following: Mesdames Dennis Lange, Carl Tardy, Grady Webb, Bob Clem, and Clark Fortis, Miss Freda Kethley and Miss Lula Swin.

MOVE TO PLAINVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Louis Peacock and small son, Jon Mike

have moved to Plainview, where he will be employed by Acco Seed Division of Anderson Clayton Corp., as Production Contractor for the grain sorghum division. He received his B.S. degree in Agricultural Economics from Texas Tech University in December, and was on the Dean's honor list with 3.61 grade point average out of a possible 4.0. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Peacock of Roaring Springs.

FLOMOT NEWS

Mrs. Stella Tilson

Mrs. Wade Martin, Mrs. C. C. Jones and Mary Ellen Barton visited in Wichita Falls recently with their cousins, Charley Brian and Mrs. Susie White Loyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Martin attended the regional basketball games at Lubbock Friday night and Saturday (18th and 19th). Attending the games on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin, David and Mary Lee, accompanied by Debbie Clay.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Monk of Kearney, Arizona visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Monk last Sunday and Monday, the 20th and 21st. Other recent visitors in the Monk home were their daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Pope and Randy, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Canon and Monte of Tulia. Mr. and Mrs. Monk accompanied the Calvin Monks to Tulia, Monday for a visit with the Pope and Canon families.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sauls are her sister, Mrs. Mannie Yearo of Globe, Arizona and her son, Darral of Tismo Beach, California. They arrived Sunday and will visit a week or more.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Rogers and sons, Richard and Randy, of Lubbock visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers, Sunday. Other recent visitors were Mrs. Rogers' sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Mall of Vigo Park.

Visitors with Mrs. M. C. (Aunt Kit) Washington during the week were a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lawrence Washington of Umbarger, and a granddaughter-in-law, Mrs. Gloria Washington of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. James Monk accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Speery to Plainview, Thursday. Visiting Friday night and Saturday with Misses Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson were Misses Meta, Vickie and Kim Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Jones of Wichita Falls. Saturday, they all drove to Lubbock and attended the Regional basketball tournament. Visiting them Sunday were Charlie Jordan and Eddie Jordan of Crosbyton.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Rice and children, Kirk and Jeanean of Plainview, visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Green.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sauls attended Friendship Night of Matador Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, Saturday night. Mrs. J. R. Whitworth featured two of her pupils, Grant Johnson and Shannon Jameson, on the program.

Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Martin were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tanner, also Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tanner of Tulia, and Mr.

and Mrs. Don Ewing, Donna and Joely of Vega. Local visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay and Lori, and Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter and Cindy.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tibbitts of Amarillo have purchased the old Tibbitts home and were here during the week end, working on it.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Lois Martin were friends from Silverton, Mrs. Virgile Crow, on Tuesday and Mrs. Vivian Merrell on Thursday. Mrs. Dud Watters visited Mrs. Martin the previous week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Martin visited in Idalou, Friday night and Saturday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Merritt and Steve. Also visiting the Merritts were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin, David and Mary Lee, as they were en route to Lubbock to attend the regional basketball tournament.

Misses Mary Ellen Barton and Viola Stinson attended to business in Plainview, Thursday.

Week end visitors of Mrs. Lizzie Pyron were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nall of Hereford and their daughter, Mrs. Joe Farley of Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Reed were in Houston this week attending the National Farmer's Union convention.

Visiting the Ike Reed family during the week end, were Mr. and Mrs. James Bowin of Grand Prairie and Lonnie McDonald of Fort Carson, Colorado. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. James Lee McDonald and girls of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Walton Davis of Quitaque, Lynn Crowell of Lubbock and Joe Bob Crowell of Clarendon.

W. W. Merrill visited Saturday afternoon with Webb Taylor, who is waiting for an appointment to go to Houston. Sunday afternoon he visited Luther Turner, who became ill in church Sunday morning.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harley Gunn, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gibson, formerly of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. John Morris and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tanner of Tulia; Mrs. Don Ewing and Joely of Vega, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter and Cindy.

L. E. Shorter had surgery on his hand, Tuesday of last week at Methodist Hospital, Lubbock. He returned there Monday for a check up.

M. L. Shorter of Madill, Okla., visited his son, L. E. Shorter and family last week. A cousin, Alvie Claborn of Lawton, Okla., visited in the Shorter home Sunday.

Mrs. Leon Sloyd hosted a Venus Cosmetics party, Thursday, with ten women present. Pail Lindsey of Lubbock, is representative.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tinney of Lubbock visited friends in the community, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Starkey visited in Pauls Valley, Okla., from the 18th, until Friday the 25th, with a granddaughter, who is ill.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross, Sunday, were his father, W. A. Ross of Matador, his brother, James Ross of Dallas, and B. J. Smith of Lubbock.

Mrs. Bob Hambricht and children, Elisa Ann and Jim Bob of Floydada visited last Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Jones.

The Community party, Saturday

night was attended by 40 couples, together with their children.

ORDINATION SERVICE

An Ordination service was held Sunday evening at the Flomot Baptist Church, ordaining Herb Martin, a deacon. Rev. J. E. Lee of Plainview filled the pulpit for both services, and conducted the Ordination service.

NORTHFIELD NEWS

By Mary E. Thomas

Mrs. Delmont Hays returned home Friday from Abilene, where she has been visiting her daughter and family, and her new grandson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson of Crosbyton visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore recently.

Mrs. W. J. Boykins' father, Mr. Musgrove of Seymour, is again in the hospital.

Mrs. Fay Davis of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davis and children of Wellington and Gp. Sgt. and Mrs. Harry L. Davis of San Diego, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. Billy Paul Simpson and Tanya, during the week end. The Harry L. Davis family are moving to this community and their daughters will enter school in Matador. Sgt. Davis will report back to the Marine Base in San Diego, Calif. and will then be transferred to Virginia.

Rev. and Mrs. Nathan Mulder and family visited Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Simpson, Sunday.

Mrs. Mannie Crump of Estelline visited her daughter, Mrs. Permelia Timmons, last week.

Mrs. Clem Timmons was dismissed from the hospital, Saturday.

Mrs. Mike Barton of Flomot visited her grandmother, Mrs. Permelia Timmons, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell Nimmo and girls visited in Amarillo City, Okla., with his brother and

family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Nimmo and their mother, Mrs. Fred Austin.

(Delayed)

Mrs. Tom Moore accompanied Mrs. Billy Paul Simpson to Floydada, and visited her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Moore while Mrs. Simpson continued to Plainview on business.

Rev. and Mrs. Nathan Mulder and family of South Plains were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrell Nimmo last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cruse and Shannon of Dallas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Timmons, and her sister and family, the N. L. Cooks, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore attended to business in Matador last week and visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Nimmo.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Paul Simpson and Tanya visited in Monahan and Odessa recently, with relatives. They were accompanied by Mrs. Jack Curlee of Childress who visited in Odessa with her niece, Miss Jerry Thomas, and a nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas. Mrs. Allan Thomas is still with her son and daughter-in-law, who have returned to Odessa from Temple, where Mrs. Joe Thomas had surgery. She is reported doing fine.

Mrs. Hazel Hoffman of Cee Vee, Mrs. Mary Thomas, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pope of Wellington visited Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Timmons recently.

Mrs. Permelia Timmons has returned home from Estelline, where she had been staying with her mother, Mrs. Mannie Crump. Visiting them last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Clem Timmons and Dylonn. Mr. and Mrs. Clem Timmons also attended a church social in Estelline, Thursday night.

Mark Timmons has been on leave from his Navy base at St. Albans, N.Y. and visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Timmons. They visited in Amarillo City, Okla., with his brother and

with Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Daw-

son, when Mark left to return to his base.

Rev. and Mrs. Nathan Mulder and children of South Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Billy Paul Simpson and Tanya last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thomas were in Temple the past week with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas and Mrs. Thomas had surgery last Thursday. Allan Thomas returned home on Sunday and his wife remained with their son.

Mrs. Mary Thomas and son, John visited her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kincanon of Childress, during the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. Elvis Pitts of Estelline visited Mr. and Mrs. Clem Timmons recently. Also visiting them were their daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Mike Barton and Leigh of Flomot, and Mrs. Permelia Timmons, who returned home with Mrs. Barton and spent the night.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our gratitude for the kindness of our many friends in our time of sorrow. The beautiful floral offerings, cards and other expressions of sympathy and food brought in at the death of my dear husband — all were deeply appreciated. May God bless each and every one of you.
Ruby Burt and Relatives. (1)

IN APPRECIATION

Your cards, letters, flowers, calls and visits while we were in Quanah, and Clinton was in the

hospital, and food brought to our home since our return, have all been appreciated so much. We wish to take this means of thanking each of you, with a special thanks to J. R. Whitworth, who remembered us in so many ways.
Ruby and Clinton Hobbs (2)

CARD OF THANKS

We appreciated very much, the kind deeds of friends during the illness and at the death of our loved one. We are grateful to those who sat with mother at the hospital, for the lovely flowers, and the three meals that were served to our family. May God bless each of you who remembered us in any way.

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For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
Clyde Gilbert (re-election)
C. W. Giesecke

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3
Odell Meyer
Reece Timmons (re-election)

For State Representative, 64th Representative District:
Phils Cates (re-election)
Eddie J. Leary

For State Senator, 30th Senatorial District
Jack Hightower (re-election)

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