

Church and Society

Federation Day Program and Tea Begins El Progreso Club Year

"Federation Day" was observed by El Progreso Study Club, Thursday, Sept. 26 with a program and tea in the home of Mrs. J. L. Woodruff.

Mrs. Robert Darsey, president, welcomed guests and members, and Mrs. Harry Willett presided as program director.

Mrs. Robert Sexauer of Memphis, president of the Santa Rosa District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, was guest speaker and was introduced by Mrs. Lucretia Grundy, past-president of the district.

Mrs. Sexauer spoke on "Looking Ahead in Federation," and informed the group that there are now 15,312 clubs with eleven million members in the General Federation of Women's Clubs. She was accompanied here by Mrs. C. C. Martin of Memphis.

Special music was a solo by Mrs. Larry Heard who sang "Make Me An Instrument of Thy Peace." She was accompanied by Mrs. Vernon Higginbotham. Mrs. John Barnhill brought the inspirational thought.

Mrs. W. N. Pipkin, chairman of the Yearbook Committee, distributed the attractive new yearbooks.

For the tea which followed, the table was covered with a white



LOW NET PLAY

Just five players out for play Thursday morning. Geneva Wilson, who won the ball on low net score, La Voe Thacker, Mary Meason, Catherine Bird, and Leona Cox. **AFTERNOON PLAYERS** were Lucretia Campbell, Laverna Price and Louise Barton ... with Lucretia winning the ball.

REMEMBER: Tee-off time is 1:30 through October!!

CHILDRESS TOURNAMENT

On Wednesday, Mary Meason, Catherine Bird, Geneva Wilson and Faye Clements played in Childress at the women's annual guest day invitational. They reported a good time and enjoyed the MOST delicious luncheon ... which the Childress gals always have.

A TOURNAMENT is scheduled here for Sunday, October 6, with the men ... tee-off time is 1:45 ... Be THERE!!

THANKS To Our Friends . . .

We would like to thank the stockholders of the Rolling Plains Production Credit Association for the surprise party and the nice gifts presented to us Saturday night.

Our association with you in the past fourteen years has been very pleasant. We wish each of you the best in the future.

It gives us great pleasure to think of the many good and loyal friends we have made through this association. We hope to continue this relationship in the future.

We will be forever grateful to you for your thoughtfulness.

Make Streets Safe For Women At Night GFWC President Asks

"In a civilized society it is unthinkable that a woman cannot walk on the streets at night without fear," said Mrs. Walter Varney Magee, president of the 11-million-member General Federation of Women's Clubs in her inaugural address in Boston on June 14. "If you make them safe for women, they are safe for all."

Mrs. Magee considers crime prevention of paramount importance during her two-year administration. She has appointed Mrs. Margaret Moore, an experienced anti-crime crusader, to head the GFWC Law Observance and Crime Prevention-Crusade for Light Division, which places special emphasis on a crusade for adequate street lighting.

Since 1962, Mrs. Moore has been coordinator of the Indianapolis Anti-Crime Crusade, which was cited in the 1966 report of the President's Crime Commission as an outstanding example of citizen action to alleviate crime.

Organization of the Indianapolis crusade followed public indignation when a 90-year-old retired teacher was fatally injured in front of her apartment by a 15-year-old purse snatcher.

The editor of the Indianapolis News, where Mrs. Moore works in the public relations department, asked her to invite 30 women to a luncheon to get their ideas on combatting crime.

These women were the first members of the Anti-Crime Crusade. Their first project: better lighting. The group later came to include 50,000 women from 2,000 organizations. Their list of projects grew to include such things as court watching, cleaning up neighborhoods, encouraging dropouts to return to



Mrs. Walter Varney Magee

school and helping get pay raises for police.

The committee's activity has resulted in the city installing more than 9,000 new high-powered street lights. According to Mrs. Moore, spot surveys showed some street crimes dropped as much as 84 percent in areas affected by the lighting campaign.

Mrs. Magee hopes her law observance and crime prevention chairman's enthusiasm and know-how will lead to effective action by other GFWC clubs. Objectives Mrs. Magee hopes to accomplish include: promoting the necessity to provide funds for an adequate number of law enforcement officials, inculcating a respect for those in authority, providing scholarships for policemen to attend law enforcement training programs, conferring with police as to how individuals may protect themselves and their property from criminals, and getting police representatives to speak at club meetings.



CHERYL SUE BENNETT

Wedding Plans Are Announced

The engagement of Miss Cheryl Sue Bennett to James Craig Brummett has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bennett of Afton. Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Winston Brummett of Lubbock.

Miss Bennett is a senior home economics major at Texas Tech, Lubbock. She is a member of Phi Beta Phi, social sorority and Phi Upsilon Omicron, honorary professional Home Economics fraternity.

Brummett is a graduate of Texas Tech, where he was a member of Sigma Nu, social fraternity, Phi Sigma Alpha and Phi Alpha Theta, honoraries. He is attending law school at Texas Tech this fall.

A December 21 wedding is planned in Afton Baptist Church.

TO AUSTIN

Four women who have completed courses at McBride's School of Hair Design in Plainview, left Tuesday morning for Austin for the purpose of taking state examinations to secure licenses as operators. They were accompanied by Mrs. A. M. Whitefield, who served as a model for hair styling. The group included Mesdames Levi Wilkinson, Linda Hill, Charles Gwinn, and Opal Murphy.

ATTENDS CONFERENCE

Mrs. Pete Williams attended Women's Conference of West Texas Utilities last Monday in San Angelo. She and Mrs. Arlene Williams of Turkey joined other WTU cashier-bookkeepers in Paducah in going to San Angelo Sunday. They returned Tuesday.

VISITS IN LUBBOCK

Mrs. Ernest Fisher visited in Lubbock from Friday until Sunday in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fisher, where she was joined by another son, Sgt. Frank Fisher of El Paso. They attended the Pat Boone show Friday night, and the football game Saturday night between the Texas Tech Red Raiders and Texas University Longhorns.

Darlene Robinson Marries Recently In Double Rites

Mr. and Mrs. Alvia Robinson of Pharr are announcing the recent marriage of their daughter, Darlene, to Seabee Jerry Lynn Smith of Odessa in a double wedding with Miss Sharon Kay England of San Juan and David Rindfuss of McAllen. Rev. C. L. Garey officiated at the double-ring ceremonies at 5 p.m. Sept. 14 in Gaslight Manor in McAllen.

Smith is the son of Johnny Smith of Odessa and Mrs. Paul Miles of Kansas City, Missouri. His bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Smallwood of Matador, who attended the wedding.

The fathers gave their daughters in marriage.

Miss Robinson wore a street-length, white lace shift and fingertip veil. For the traditional "something old" she wore the wedding band belonging to her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Smallwood. Miss England's gown was floor-length white lace and she, also, wore a fingertip veil.

The brides and bridegrooms alternated as maids of honor and best men.

Miss Robinson's brothers, Ray and Lee, were ushers.

VISITS DAUGHTER

Mrs. W. F. McCaghren visited in Carthage this week with her daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. Darwin Scott and children. Rev. Scott is pastor of Central Baptist Church of Carthage, and recently was elected chairman of Pastors' Advisory Council of the East Texas Baptist College, Marshall. Purposes of the Council are to interpret and develop a better understanding of the aims, objectives, plans, policies, and needs of ETBC to its constituency.

TO ROCK SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jameson visited from Tuesday until Friday of last week visiting her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Brack Dobbins of Rock Springs. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Clark of Alamo, N.M., mother and stepfather of Mesdames Jameson and Dobbins, who were accompanied by another daughter, Mrs. Lillian Hill of Las Cruces, N.M. The family group visited places of interest in San Antonio and Rock Springs and in the Del Rio area.

WHITEFLAT NEWS

Mrs. Stella Tilson

Visiting from Friday night through Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitaker, were Brent, Bobby and Bert, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Whitaker, and Donna, Billy Joe, Debra and Dianne, children of Lowell Don Whitaker, all of Paducah. Mr. Whitaker's sisters, Mrs. Fern Henderson of Matador and Miss Eula Whitaker of Spur visited in their home Saturday, and visitors Sunday were Mrs. Whitaker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Murphy of Matador.

Mrs. Scott Robbins attended to business in Lubbock, Tuesday.

Miss Sue Robbins accompanied Miss Patty Edwards and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Edwards of Matador, to Lubbock, Thursday where they attended the Panhandle-South Plains Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Dixon and Elaine, accompanied by Wanda Matney attended the fair in Lubbock Thursday afternoon, and attended the Pat Boone show that night.

Attending the fair in Lubbock Thursday and the Pat

Boone show that night were Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jameson.

Mr. and Mrs. Peg Spray of Anson, Jody Jameson and daughter, Judy and Mrs. Bernie Martin and son, Danny of Floydada, and Mrs. Beulah Jameson of Dougherty visited Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jameson and sons, Sunday.

Mrs. Steve Jenkins arrived Friday for an indefinite visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Edwards, while her husband is in IBM school in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pritchett and James attended the Panhandle-South Plains Fair and Pat Boone show in Lubbock, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Dixon drove to Wheeler Saturday morning and brought her mother, Mrs. Minnie Casey, home with them for a two weeks visit. Mrs. Casey resides with her other daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Adrain Risner of Wheeler.

Mrs. Boyd Perkins and Kerry accompanied J. D. Perkins to Lubbock, Saturday to visit his brother, Gene Perkins in West Texas Hospital. They brought their granddaughter, Krista, home with them. Saturday night her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Lucas came to spend the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dixon at-

tended to business in Vernon, Wednesday.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Stella Tilson returned home Saturday night after a two weeks visit in Dallas and Grand Prairie with her children and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tilson and Mr. and Mrs. Myron Bethard and children, and with her sisters, Misses Ruth and Evelyn Butterfield. She was accompanied home by her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tilson, who visited until Tuesday with his mother, and a brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tilson.

Sunday they drove to Lubbock to visit their daughter, Dinah Gene, student at Texas Tech.

Mrs. Stella Tilson and Mrs. W. R. Tilson drove to Childress Sunday afternoon where they visited the former's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Kiker of San Antonio, who were attending the Kiker family reunion. They also visited the Bill Cooks and with Percy Merrick.

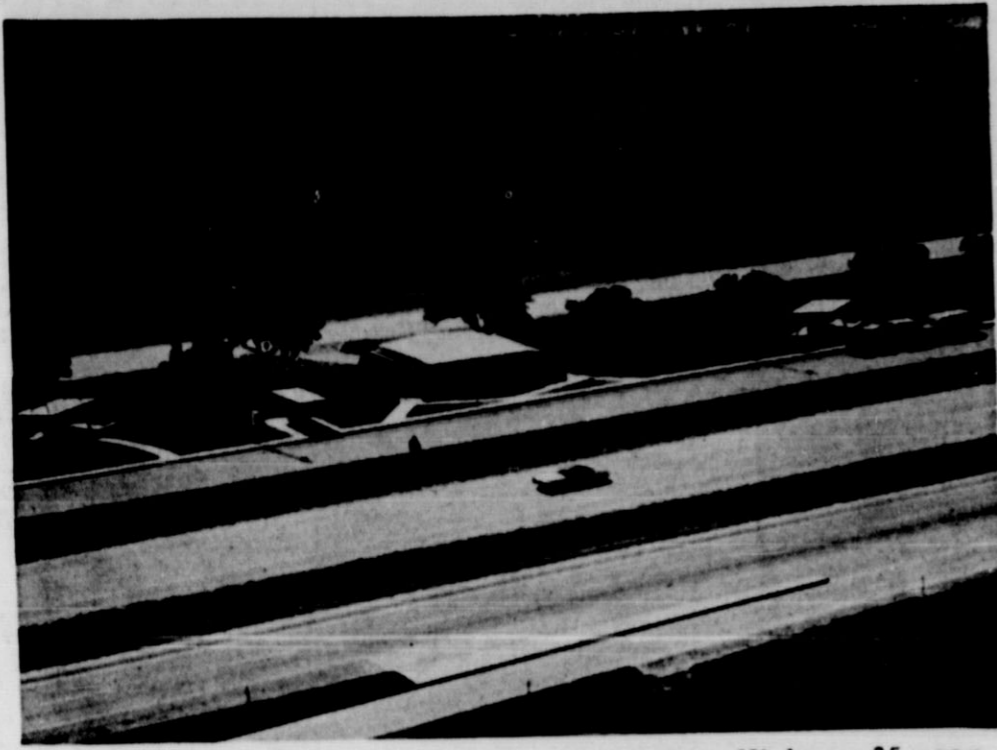
Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Woosley and children, Mary Ann and Clarence, spent the week end in Lubbock with their married daughter and her husband, Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Benson, and attended the fair, Saturday.

WEEK-END SPECIALS

- Coffee MAXWELL HOUSE lb. 69c
- Bacon Wright's, Select, 2-lb. pkg. \$1.29
- Biscuits SHURFRESH, 3 cans for 25c
- Spare Ribs & Backbone CHOICE, FRESH CUTS, LB. 39c
- Oleo SHURFRESH 100% pure Corn Oil pound 29c
- Chicken Backs Youngblood, frozen, lb. pk. 20c
- Shortening Mrs. Tucker's, 3 lb. can 55c
- Milk SHURFINE, tall can, 2 for 33c
- Instant Potatoes BORDEN'S 32 serving pkg. 47c
- Fish Frozen Perch fillets, lb. pk. 39c
- Lucky Whip Topping Mix, 4 oz. pkg. 37c
- Fruit Drink "HANDI", all flavors, 1/2 gal. 35c
- Sweet Potatoes Bruces, No. 3 can Cut, in syrup 24c
- Tomatoes SHURFINE, No. 303 can Fancy, whole, peeled 19c
- Tomatoes Fresh, vine ripen, pound 12 1/2c
- Kraut SHURFINE, No. 303 can 15c
- Lima Beans Food King, Jumbo, 300 can 14c

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AFTON NEWS

(delayed)

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Henkle of Crosbyton visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Conaway. Their son, Lanis Conaway, who is employed in Arlington, was also a recent visitor.

Recent week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Carothers were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Carothers and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Schuler, all of Lubbock. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brown and Mrs. Flora Alexander.

Bryan Bateman of Rock Springs is visiting here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Zenis Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bateman, and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Raydell Mullins visited last week and during the week end in Azle with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Mullins and Chad, and with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mullins and Donna. They also spent some time in Graham and at Stovall Wells.

Mrs. Lizzie Lou Clements and son, Jerry visited in Paducah last Wednesday afternoon with members of the Wells family following the death of Mrs. C. E. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Fred and boys visited the Sam Porters recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted McInroe visited in Fort Worth with relatives recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sullivan are vacationing in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Cagle and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bateman visited the Clairmont fair Saturday, Sept. 21.

Visitors last Sunday in the Ray Bateman home were Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Lewis and Mrs. Cora Lewis.

Sympathy is extended the relatives of Mrs. C. E. Wells and George Epting, both former residents of this community, who have passed away. Mrs. Wells was buried at Paducah, and Mr. Epting's body was returned to his former home, Hillsboro, for burial.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY JUNIOR CLASS

The junior class of Patton Springs High School met recently and elected class officers for the school year 1968-69. The following were elected:

President, Mike Porter; vice president, Janey Atkinson; secretary, Sandra Adcock; treasurer, Janet Warren; reporter, Cindy Whitley; and parliamentarian, Neal Hawley. Mrs. Cecil H. Meadors is class sponsor.

The class also elected two committees for the school year.

These are a finance committee with Jo Jackson as chairman and an activity committee with Ruby Gibson as chairman.

PATTON SPRINGS 4-H CLUB FORMED

The Patton Springs 4-H Club held an organizational meeting Sept. 23, and elected the following officers:

President, Randy Lawson; vice president, Le Ann Humphrey; secretary-treasurer, Zanna Marshall; reporter, Ruby Lee Nix; County Delegate, Kim Forbis. Adult leaders are Mrs. Bob Forbis and M. J. Rigsby.

Roger Blackmon gave a report on activities planned for this year and also some advice to 4-H members and their parents. He advised parents to help their children with 4-H work, but not to do the work on their 4-H projects.

Eighteen members were present. They were David Warren, Steve and James Hughes, Zanna Marshall, LeAnn, Jean, and Jane Humphrey, DiAnn Holleman, Jaye Lynn Warren, Julie Blackwell, Tammy Bateman, Tommy Rigsby, Ruby Lee Nix, Anni and Deovie Rape, Snow White, Kim Forbis and Robert Evans.

COUNTY AGENT PALLEYER SAYS:

Cotton farmers who are considering defoliation are reminded that application of chemicals too early will result in reduced production and grades. The following guides should be followed.

When 60% or more of the bolls are open, it is safe for most defoliants to be applied. Desticants should be applied when more than 75% of bolls are open under dryland conditions, and more than 80% under irrigation. Plants are considered suitably mature if the youngest bolls cannot be dented by pressure between the thumb and forefinger or cannot easily be cut through with a sharp knife.

Defoliation guides, L-145 are available from my office.

Variety selection is important in the production of small grains. This is also influenced by whether the crop is to be irrigated or dryland; the fertility level; insect and disease reaction; lodging and shattering characteristics; as well as to whether the grain is to be grazed, used for seed production, or a combination of the two. Tests indicate that Tascosa, Caddo, Scout and Warrior are the best wheats for this area. Kaw produces well, but has weak

Walnut (stratified seed only) may be ordered, and cuttings of cottonwood as well as seedlings are available.

Order blanks are available at my office, in addition to descriptions of the plants available.

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Nine 4-H clubs have re-organized in Motley County. Regular meetings are the third week in each month. Flomot clubs meet Monday mornings; Matador High School on Monday afternoons; Matador Grade School clubs on Tuesday afternoons and Roaring Springs clubs on Wednesday.

Boys and girls who are not currently members are invited to join, enroll in a project of their interest, and learn by doing.

OUTDOORS IN TEXAS

By Vern Sanford

When Price Daniel was governor, he started the ball rolling to create Big Thicket park in southeast Texas.

That ball is still rolling. Not too much has been done, but it's apparent that the demand for such a park has grown so that it cannot fail.

Mayor Dempsey Henley of Liberty, testifying in behalf of Big Thicket, warned that the 350,000 acre wilderness rapidly is being ground under by bulldozers and poisoned by the chemicals of civilization.

"Unless we move soon," the mayor said, "the Big Thicket will be no more. It is vanishing at the rate of 50 acres a day."

A 1963 study by Texas Technological College recommended purchase of 50,000 acres for the park.

Unfortunately there are hundreds of thousands of Texans who never have had the privilege of seeing this Big Thicket. It includes parts of Polk, Tyler, Hardin and Liberty counties.

In the Big Thicket are some of Texas' largest trees. More than 300 species of birds nest in the branches. Wild orchids and azaleas abound. Also to be found are perhaps the only black bear and panther in the state.

With the parks branch of the federal government advocating more recreational areas, up comes the Department of Agriculture and includes the entire 350,000 acre area in its own 5,000,000 acre development project. This would open much of the area to rice farming. One segment, the Pine Island Bayou small watershed, is for the purpose of stream channelization, drainage and provision of irrigation water.

At the present time Texas, despite it being the largest dryland area in the United States, ranks 13th in acreage dedicated to state parks. It has more than five times the land area of New York, but it only has one fourth as much acreage in state parks. However, the state ranks a little better with city and county parks, standing sixth among all the states.

Within the last few years Texas has, in effect, added some 80,000 acres to its national park program. This is on Padre Island, the national seashore project. However, this project still is lacking development because of delays in land purchase. Condemnation suits have been filed and hearings will get underway soon.

Right now efforts are being made to have a national park established in McKittrick Canyon, in the Guadalupe Mountain Area

of far west Texas. And of course, there is the present Big Bend National Park, which attracts thousands of visitors each year.

Texas is operating a park system which is far from adequate. However, improvements are being made as fast as possible. This year facilities in every Texas park were overloaded.

Thanks to the U.S. Corps of Engineers and the Bureau of Reclamation there are additional park facilities available in Texas around all the major impoundments of the state.

Then there are facilities provided by the U.S. Forest Service throughout East Texas. Hundreds of thousands of persons visited these areas during the past year, enjoying all the recreational advantages they afford.

Perhaps this impact of recreation seekers may have something to do with the future development of the Big Bend Thicket project. Meanwhile if you've never been to the Big Thicket, now is the time to go. When you see it you will agree that something more should be done to preserve this beautiful and natural area of Texas.

CRAWFORD MARTIN DAY SLATED AT HEMISFAIR

AUSTIN —Attorney General Crawford Martin will be the guest of honor at "Crawford Martin Day" at HemisFair in San Antonio Saturday, October 5, to round out a busy week of campaigning in his bid for reelection in the Nov. 5 general election.

Martin and his family will be honored Saturday at the San Antonio world's fair, the closing week end of the big exposition. In other campaign activities during the week, Martin spoke at a Law and Coastal Margin

Workshop in Brownsville, held a press conference and luncheon in Austin, dedicated a memorial marker at Central Texas College in Killeen and will campaign in Corpus Christi, Falfurrias, Victoria, Bryan, and Temple before being honored at HemisFair Saturday.

Earlier in his campaign, in an address to supporters in Orange, Martin outlined four new measures he will propose as legislation to prevent and cope with civil disturbances.

The proposed acts include granting the rights of cities to declare states of emergencies, including curfews; making it a misdemeanor to trespass upon property of others with malicious and mischievous intent; granting municipalities the right to offer services of its peace officers to other municipalities when it is felt there is a need, and making it a felony to willfully interfere with firemen or policemen during their lawful discharge of duties or with doctors, nurses or ambulance attendants while on emergency calls.

Mrs. Clara Snodgrass of Amarillo and Mrs. Foy Bourn of Archer City visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Bob Echols during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arwayne Bishop and baby daughter, Pamela Kay of Lubbock, visited here Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jameson. They had spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Young of Brownwood.

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Miss Hamner Rites Held at Claude

(delayed)

Final rites for Miss Laura V. Hamner, 97, Texas Panhandle historian, teacher, columnist and author, were held in Claude, her first place of residence in the land she loved and first visited in 1891.

Funeral services for Miss Hamner, who died Friday morning Sept. 20, in Birmingham, Ala., where she had lived with a niece since 1964, were at 11 a.m. Sept. 23, in the Claude Christian Church.

The Rev. James Todd, pastor, officiated assisted by the Rev. Ralph Odom, pastor of the Claude Methodist Church.

Interment was in Claude Cemetery under the direction of Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Directors of Amarillo.

Pallbearers for Miss Hamner were Bob Watson, Wes Izzard and David Dodge, all of Amarillo, Greeley Warner of Pampa, Charles Stewart, Warner Brunson, Bert Cavins Woolridge and Phillips Campbell, all of Claude.

Born in Memphis, Tenn., on July 17, 1871, Miss Hamner came to the Panhandle to teach school at Claude. She did her first writing for the Claude News, which her father, Col. James Hamner, had purchased.

She served as postmistress there before moving to Amarillo, where she taught school and was elected Potter County superintendent of schools, a job she held from 1922 to 1934.

She authored "The No-Gun Man of Texas," the story of Col. Charles Goodnight; "Short Grass and Longhorns," a history of the Plains; "Light 'n' Hitch," a compilation of radio programs, and "Prairie Vagabond," a collection of pioneer vignettes.

Her poetry was published in magazines and several anthologies. Miss Hamner won prizes in contests conducted by the Southwest Writers Conference and the Texas and National Women's Press Associations.

As a poet, she was active in the Poetry Society of Texas, and she had been recognized by the Texas Institute of Letters. She was cited by Progressive Farmer magazine as Texas Woman of the Year. Miss Hamner organized the Panhandle Pen Women in 1922.

In 1961 a collection of her writings were presented to the Panhandle Plains Historical Museum by the Killgore Foundation.

When Mayor John Armstrong proclaimed Laura V. Hamner Week in Amarillo in 1958, he lauded her contributions to the city and the area she loved.

"No one has done more to chronicle for future generations the significant lives and events of the Panhandle of Texas. To do this she has gone directly

to the people who built an empire on the prairies."

Miss Hamner is survived by her niece, Mrs. Florence Hargis of Birmingham; and four cousins, Mrs. Carl Gelin of Lubbock, Joe Christian of Brownfield, Jim Christian of Albuquerque and Charles Hendrix of 3300 Lenwood in Amarillo.

—Amarillo Daily News

Miss Hamner was well known in this community. She was guest speaker at El Progresso Club a number of years ago, and had visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Campbell and other friends.

She interviewed a number of Motley County pioneers and used her material for her radio programs from time to time.

Wayland Theatre Slates Production

PLAINVIEW — The Wayland College Theater's production of "The Taming of the Shrew", scheduled Oct. 10, 11 and 12, is shaping up as one of the best comedy presentations on the Wayland stage in a long time.

Under direction of Jerry Watson, instructor in speech and theater at Wayland, the Shakespearean version of a husband's calculated madness at getting the better of a spoiled, domineering wife, is shaping up as sure-fire comedy.

Corky Johnston, Lubbock, in the male lead of Petruchio, and Elaine Read, Amarillo, as Katherine, furnish much of the action as tamer and shrew.

Johnston and Miss Read among the cast of almost 20 by no means monopolize the action. Others contribute some of the surest laugh provokers.

Curtain time will be 8 p.m. for each performance. The production will be the Wayland Theater's first appearance in the H. H. Memorial Auditorium which provides the proper setting for the results of the hard work and the talent of the College Theater. Dr. McDonald Held, director of the College Theater, pointed out.

The theater production class, assisted by some members of the cast, under Watson's direction, will make the stage scenery and properties. Costumes will be rented.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Russell spent Sunday at Smyer visiting his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. (Dub) Drace of the Spade Ranch. They returned home by Hale Center, where they visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Russell, Howie and Elaine.

* FLOMOT NEWS *

By Mrs. Den Kingston
Phone 469-5267

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jones of Plainview visited here Friday in the home of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Turner.

Lucretia Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson accompanied her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James May of Quitaque and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rucker and Donna, to Arlington during the week end. They attended Six Flags over Texas and toured the Fort Worth Zoo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barron and family of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pope and family of Brownfield were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Pope.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Tanner of Olton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bruton and children of Eunice, New Mexico visited with friends here Saturday.

Mrs. A. Peary of Lockney visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Spray, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hunter made a short trip to Falcon Dam last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Monk visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Weatherly of Parnell, this week.

Mrs. Myrtle Webb of Spur and Mrs. H. S. Gilbert visited with Mrs. O. P. Clark and the group visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blair on the "F" Ranch east of Quitaque, and enjoyed seeing the old ranch house which has been modernized.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ross were Mr. and Mrs. Travis Morgan and son, Michael, his mother, Mrs. Lilly Morgan and mother-in-law, Mrs. Turner of Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross and children of Olton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ross last week, and Tom went on to Dallas to visit his brother, James and other relatives. While here, Mr. Ross and Tom made a business trip to Amarillo.

Mrs. O. P. Clark had a very pleasant surprise last week when a cousin, whom she has never seen, Mrs. Bessie Benney of Alhambra, Calif., called.

Mrs. Mattie Mae Cogdill and Mrs. O. P. Clark made a short trip to Medicineville, recently, where they visited with the former's granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kimbro and children, Jimmy Ray, Glenda and Tonya.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cloyd visited Mrs. Alice Bennett in Fort Worth recently, then drove to Center, where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Goff. Driving on to Cypress, La., they visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McLaren and son, Bill. They continued to Natchitoches, La., and visited more old-time friends and relatives including the McBride family, Mrs. Walter Gibson and son, Mrs. John Scott and Mrs. Enna Anders. Among the scenic places visited were the North-western University campus in Natchitoches and the Lone Leaf Pine area between Cypress and Montrose.

Mrs. Mattie Mae Cogdill and Mrs. Jerry Dixon and small son were recent guests in the home of Mrs. Dixon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Elliot of Quitaque, where they attended a birthday dinner for Mr. Elliott.

service in the armed forces. Those present were: Mrs. Wanda Stewart and children and Mrs. Sharon Monk and children of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Sperry and daughter of Idalou; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sperry and children and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goldstone and daughter of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barham and children of Hart and local friends and relatives including Mr. and Mrs. James Monk, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Shorter and Louis, Mrs. Ronnie Rogers and Richard, Mrs. Louis Gourdon and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Berry Barham.

* TAX MAN SAM SEZ *

TOPIC: Community Property Tax Problems

If your spouse is so cantankerous that you can't live with him (or her) the Texas community property law may cause you an income tax problem.

IRS must consider the income of each spouse as community income up to the date of divorce. Even if you haven't seen them or spoken to them all year, before you file separate returns you have to take the income of both spouses and split the community income, with each filing on his or her half.

If you itemize your deductions, these may have to be split too. Don't blame the tax folks—they didn't get you into the community with your problem spouse.

The good tax folks may be sympathetic, but they still have to follow the law. In Texas, for married folks, it's either a joint return, or each spouse filing on their half of the community income.



COMPLETES BASIC

SAN ANTONIO (Special)—Airman Charles F. Owens Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Owens of Roaring Springs, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB. He has been assigned to the Air Force Technical Training Center at Chanute AFB, Ill., for specialized schooling as an aircraft equipment repairman. Airman Owens, a 1967 graduate of Roaring Springs High School, attended West Texas State University. His wife is the former Glenda S. Williams of Roaring Springs.

Lt. Gerald Pipkin returned to Carswell Air Base, Fort Worth, Thursday after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Pipkin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Price and children, and Aaron Timmons visited Mrs. Price's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Avara of Denver City, Friday night after attending the game at Meadow. They attended the fair and Pat Boone show in Lubbock, Saturday.

WASHINGTON AND Small Business
BY C. WILSON HARDER
An End to Blackmail

There is now a brand new ball game. * * *

The discovery of vast new oil reserves in northern Alaska should have a profound influence on curtailing or ending foreign aid, which the independent businessmen of the nation have long voted for, and also curtail the expenses of maintaining many of the garrisons overseas. * * *

A great deal of the American policy has been taking over where Britain left off to protect access to the oil fields of the Mid-East. Obviously, in the event of another worldwide military involvement, a nation shut off from this source of oil would be in dire straits. * * *

This was long the keynote of the British policy and in fact many observers believe it was the basic cause of World War I. British monopolists, controlling the mid-east oil sources, discriminated against the economy of Imperial Germany with the result that friction flared into flames. It has largely been forgotten that before the war broke out, the Kaiser had made a state visit to Turkey to further the Germanic dream of a Berlin-to-Baghdad railroad. * * *

The wily sheiks of the desert, feeling they had the world's big oil reserve locked up, have long played it cozy. * * *

Nasser of Egypt also got into it. * * *

the game through control of the Suez Canal, vital for the shipments of this oil. * * *

Thus, in order to protect American access to this oil supply, billions in foreign aid have been poured out to keep meeting the demands and pressures. Large sums of tax money have also been thrown around Latin America because of the importance of the Venezuela oil fields. * * *

In addition, through leases, purchases and other maneuvers, the United States has been subjected to international banditry to establish and hold bases set up to stop, in an international emergency, the seizure of these oil fields by hostile forces. * * *

The discovery of oil 300 miles north of Fairbanks, with an estimated capacity of between 6 and 10 billion barrels now gives the nation the world's biggest known reserve right in this country's back yard. * * *

Hence, there is no longer any need for the American government to be spending U. S. tax dollars to appease a lot of people. * * *

Neither should there be any reason for the U. S. to be involved in the age old disputes in the Mid East. * * *

In fact, a reasonable attitude toward Nasser could now be along these lines "The Suez Canal is quite a good sized ditch. Why not go jump in it?" * * *

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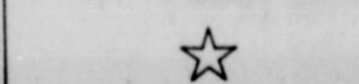
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Norman Neighbors Home from Arabia

Norman Neighbors, who has been employed in Arabia with Geophysical Co., of Dallas the past two years, arrived home Monday night for a vacation. He has been with the company, working in Libya and Arabia for 11 years.

He is presently visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Neighbors, after spending the week end with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neighbors of Granbury.

Another son of Mr. and Mrs. Neighbors, Stanley, left Sept. 18 from Lubbock to go to Beirut, Lebanon, in the employ of Mandrell Industries of Houston. He was formerly employed in Libya with Geophysical Co., and spent the past year in Texas.

WEEK END VISITORS

Week end visitors in the Bennie Keltz home were their sons and their guests, Terry, a student at Texas Tech, Lubbock, his roommate, Jody Drane of Houston, and other friends, Eddie Hyle of Houston and Steve Hill of Fort Worth; Larry Keltz of Dallas and his guest, Miss Sandy Reynolds also of Dallas; and Travis Jameson of Northfield, who was Kelly's guest.

Rites Held for Former Resident

Final rites were held here at 10 a.m. Tuesday for Miss Mayme Harriet McCall, 72, pioneer native of Matador, who died Saturday night in the Baptist Hospital in Oklahoma City.

Services were held in the First Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. Larry Heard, officiating. Burial was in East Mound Cemetery under direction of Seigler Funeral Home.

Miss McCall was born at Matador, March 31, 1896 and passed away Sept. 28, 1968 at the age of 72 years, 5 months and 27 days. She was a daughter of pioneer residents, the late Mr. and Mrs. S. K. McCall.

She lived in Matador until about 1921, when she moved to Seymour, and from there to Oklahoma City, where she had since made her home. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include three sisters: Mrs. Raymond Johnston (Alice), Mrs. Letha Newman and Mrs. Ruby A. Lynn, all of Oklahoma City.

Pallbearers were Bill McCaghen, Bill Wason, Pat Sheridan, J. D. Spray, Ronnie Christian and Bennie Keltz.

IN TULIA

Mrs. Ethel Payne is visiting in Tulia with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Solomon, and was accompanied there Monday, by another sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson McMahan. Mr. Solomon was dismissed Saturday from Northwest Texas Hospital, where he had recent surgery, and is convalescing at his home. Mrs. McMahan and Mrs. Payne, accompanied by their brother, C. T. Jinkins visited Mr. Solomon in Amarillo last week end, and also visited their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Jinkins, who live there. Mrs. McMahan also visited her daughter in Canyon.

TO SAN ANTONIO

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jinkins left Wednesday morning for San Antonio to attend HemisFair this week.

Also leaving Wednesday to attend HemisFair and for a visit with relatives in Moore, were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stanley.

COMMENTS

by AL & DORA
A man who won't lie to a woman, has very little consideration for her feelings.



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Officers Elected By Sharpshooters

The Sharpshooters Rifle Club of Matador elected new officers for the 1968-69 season at a regular meeting held Thursday night, Sept. 28.

After the practice session, the business meeting was held in which Ronald M. Vandiver was elected president. Other officers are, vice president, Boyd K. Long, Roaring Springs; Secretary, Edgar L. Tipton, Matador; treasurer, Carlie Long, Roaring Springs; and executive officer, Geo. C. Hobbs, W. C. Pallmeyer is instructor.

Plans were discussed for holding a second annual turkey shoot. The subject of organizing a large bore rifle club was also discussed during the meeting.

VISIT IN LUEBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Martin, their son Stanley, and Don Pitts were overnight guests Friday, of Mr. and Mrs. Varner McWilliams and W. L. McWilliams of Lubbock, after attending the football game at Meadow in which Stanley and Don were Matador players. Saturday they attended the Panhandle-South Plains Fair and the Pat Boone show. They also visited their daughter, Frances Martin, who is attending Commercial Business College in Lubbock, rather than Draughton's, as erroneously reported in the Tribune.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Herman Ellithorp, who has been a patient in Richards Memorial Hospital, Paducah, returned to her home here, Monday evening.

ENLISTS IN SERVICE

Tim Timmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Timmons of Northfield, is in basic training at Fort Bliss. He volunteered for service, Sept. 16 and has qualified for cadet school at Fort Benning, Ga., for training to serve with the Green Berets after he completes basic. His wife, the former Sherry Angell of Estelline, is employed at Childress and living with his parents. His address is, Pvt. E-1 Tim Timmons, RA15796-596; Co. D. 3rd Bn. 2nd BCT BDE Fort Bliss, Tex. 79916.

RECENT VISITORS

Mrs. Lemmie Day and Mrs. Lillie Edmondson of Tipton, Okla., visited here recently with Mrs. U. L. Willie and other friends, and accompanied their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Dirickson, to Pagosa Springs, and other points in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCaghen, R. E. Campbell Sr., and Forrest Campbell attended the Pat Boone Show in Fair Park Coliseum, Lubbock, Thursday. Also attending the show were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Meador and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Fulkerson, with whom they spent the night.

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