

Town Hall Meet On Monday Night

The Gorman City Commission has scheduled a Town Hall Meeting for 8 p. m. Monday, June 28 in the High School Auditorium. The meeting is open to all Gorman residents. The city's program for the coming year will be explained and a discussion period will follow in which questions, suggestions and comments of citizens will be welcomed.

All persons who live in the city are urged to be present so that they may better understand the operation, program and problems of the City. The mayor and members of the City Commission feel that an informative meeting of this type will lead to better understanding between the Commission and the citizens of the city.

Some of the items to be discussed include modification of the city sewage disposal system, the railroad situation, budget for 1955-66, improvement of water system, street improvement and other city activities in which those present express interest. Although the agenda may not seem to be drama-packed, it is believed that most persons will be interested in learning more about how their city tax dollar is used in carrying on the business of the city. At least, it is the desire of the Commission to provide this opportunity to the people of Gorman.

Miss Karen Gayle Cornwell Wed To Larry Gene Chapman In Double Ring Rites June 18



Miss Karen Gayle Cornwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis F. Cornwell, 969 Meadow Oaks Drive, Arlington, Texas, became the bride of Larry Gene Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey E. Chapman, 1409 Bennett Drive, Arlington, in a candlelight ceremony at the Park Row Church of Christ on Friday, June 18, 1965 at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Chester M. Hill, Minister at Park Row, read the double ring ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of silk organza accented by a panel of chantilly lace covering the fitted bodice and extending to the hemline, with a batteau neckline and fitted sleeves. Her chapel train fell from a large bow at the waistline. Her shoulder length veil of French illusion net draped from a scalloped tiera attached with three hand made silk organza roses. The bouquet was complimented by a single red rose which the bride presented to her mother as she approached the altar.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Michener of Arlington attended the bride and groom (best man and matron of honor). Bridesmaids were Jana Cornwell, sister of the bride, and Connie Harper of Arlington. They wore street length dresses of aqua blue silk chiffon over taffeta with fitted bodice and gathered skirts accented in the front at the waistline by a small bow. Each wore matching halo circlets with French illusion veiling. They carried Colonial bouquets of aqua blue carnations.

The Groomsmen were Richard Chapman, brother of the groom, and Larry Blackman of Arlington. Flower girls were Shelley Allen of Pasadena, Texas, cousin of the bride, and DeeDee Green of Dallas, niece of the groom. Both wore dresses to match the bridesmaids and the small halo circlets and carried baskets of rose petals. The ringbearer was Jimmy Green of Dallas, nephew of the groom.

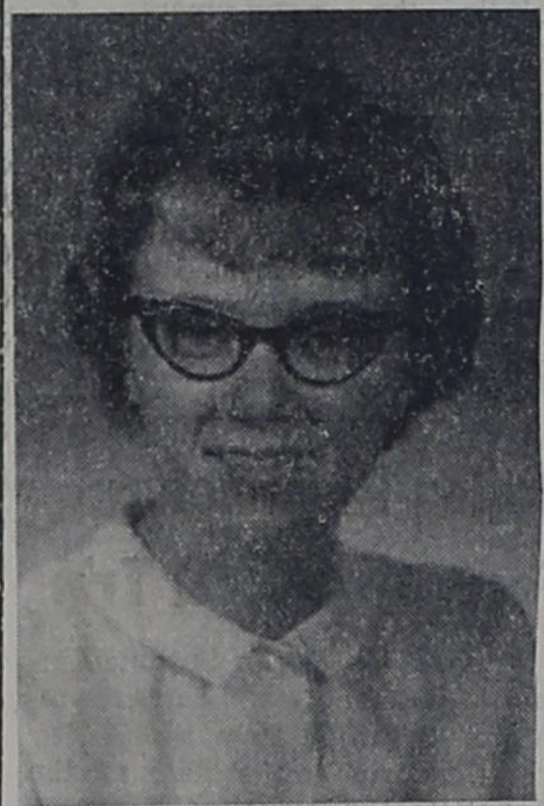
Ushers were Wayne Harvey, Jerry Don Harvey, and D. H. Love of Arlington, Sam Snow and Jimmy D. Green of Dallas.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Cornwell chose a pink nylon embroidered sheath with matching accessories and a pink cymbidium orchid corsage. The groom's mother wore mint green silk sheath with lace jacket with matching accessories and a white cymbidium orchid corsage.

The reception was held at the Oak Cliff Savings and Loan Club room. The colors were carried out in the centerpiece of carnations and the cake topped with lace wedding bells and punch were served from crystal appointments. Mrs. S. E. Allen of Pasadena and Mrs. C. H. Ward, Jr. of Ft Worth served the cake and Miss Ann Price presided at the punch bowl. Guests were registered by Miss Anne Wynne of Arlington.

After a short wedding trip to San Marcos, the couple will be at home at 306A Mitchell St. Arlington. The bride and groom are both graduates of Arlington High School. She is employed by Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. in Fort Worth. The groom is employed by

Miss Ross and Michael Stacy Set Wedding Date Plans In June '66



Mr. and Mrs. Tom A. Ross of Burlington, Iowa announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Carol Jean Ross, to Charles Michael Stacy, son of M/Sgt. (USAF) and Mrs. Elmer Stacy of Fort Worth.

Miss Ross is a senior at the University of Iowa in Iowa City on a four-year National Merit Scholarship.

Her fiancé is a graduate of TCU and has a National Defense Foreign Language Fellowship for 1965-66 in Russian language studies at Indiana University.

Tentative wedding date is June, 1966 in Burlington, Iowa.

Mrs. Charlie Henry Stacy of Rt. 2, Gorman, is paternal grandmother of Stacy and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ormsby of Gorman are maternal grandparents.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

BAND PRACTICE JULY 7 - 8
Practice for the High School Marching Band and Stage Band will be held July 7 and 8 from 8 to 5 p. m. each day.

There will be marching classes section rehearsals and private instructions. Dr. Hilmer Wagoner of Tarleton State College will be instructing the two day session.

FULL STAGE BAND REHEARSAL, MONDAY, 28th

The Gorman Stage Band will have a full rehearsal at 7:30 p. m. Monday, June 28th. at Band Hall.

Fourth Sunday Singing at Koko, Sunday, 27th 2 p. m.

The Farmers Union will not meet this month.

Boy Scout Troop No. 38 meet the second Monday of each month at 6 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

The Gorman Rebekah Lodge meets each Tuesday evening.

The Friday Afternoon Duplicate Bridge Club meets each Friday at 1:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

The Gorman Duplicate Bridge Club meets each Thursday at 7:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to everyone for the kind and loving help during the illness and passing of our loved one and especially do we thank Dr. Rodgers and the wonderful staff of nurses and loving friends at the hospital, and for the lovely flowers and cards.

May God's richest blessings be with you all.

The children and grandchildren of Mrs. W. A. Rodgers

J. A. DAVIS REMAINS PATIENT IN HOSPITAL

Mr. J. A. Davis, who suffered a stroke June 6, has been quite ill. His children, Jimmy Davis and children of Odessa visited last week and a daughter, Kay remained for an extended stay. Mrs. C. W. Emerson of Bay City and children are here for an indefinite visit.

the City of Arlington.

Karen is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. S. Craig, Sr. of Desdemona, and the niece of Rev. and Mrs. M. F. Dennis of Gorman.

Melvin Shell Named New Railroad Director

Melvin Shell, President, Gorman Peanut Company, has recently been made a director of the Texas Central Railroad Company. Texas Central is a wholly owned subsidiary of the M-K-T Railroad Company. Gorman Peanut Company is one of the major shippers along the Texas portion of the rail line. A meeting of the railroad company directors was held in Waco on Wednesday, June 23.

Mr. Shell was one of the local area representatives instrumental in achieving withdrawal by the M-K-T of its request earlier this year to abandon the line from Waco to Stamford. A hearing had been scheduled by the Interstate Commerce Commission for May 10 in Fort Worth to consider abandonment of the line. Due principally to extended efforts by a group of central Texas business and civic representatives, Mr. John W. Barriger, the new president of the Katy, withdrew the application for abandonment and stated that he wanted to provide every opportunity for this railroad to be a successful operation. The same representatives who opposed the abandonment of the line have pledged to Mr. Barriger their cooperation in this effort. Several meetings dealing with this matter have been held in Gorman recently.

Shell, a native of Gorman, is past president of the Southwestern Shellers Association. He is currently a member of the Executive Committee of the National Peanut Council and is serving on Agriculture Secretary Freeman's National Peanut Marketing Agreement Committee. Melvin and his brother, Wilbur, have pioneered several advancements in the handling of peanuts, at least in the Southwest area. They were first with the installation of artificial peanut drying on a commercial basis and have been largely responsible for initiating bulk handling and automatic sampling of peanuts in the state and area.

The Gorman Peanut Company is not only a major shipping point for Southwest Spanish Peanuts, but it is by far the major industry and economic contributor to the City of Gorman.

Funeral Services Set Today At 10 A. M. For Mrs. Bertie Park

Funeral services for Mrs. Bertie Park will be held at 10 a. m. today, Thursday, in the Gorman First Baptist Church with Rev. Huron A. Polnac officiating. Burial will be in Gorman Cemetery. A complete obituary will appear in next week's issue of the Progress.

Mrs. Ed Wyatt Installs De Leon Club Officers

Mrs. Ed Wyatt, president of the Excelsior Club, served as installing officer for the De Leon Garden Club at the final meeting of the club year held in the home of Mrs. Jim Martin.

The installation ceremony chosen by Mrs. Wyatt was most appropriate, the title being "Co-Workers with the Master Gardener." Excerpts from her introduction were: You are stewards to whom God entrusts the bounties of the earth, the grass, the trees, the flowers. . . You help to create "a thing of beauty and a joy forever" . . . How true is the motto "One is nearer to God in a garden than anywhere else on earth."

To each of the officers she presented a plant or a flower, symbolizing or signifying the duty of each.

Officers installed were president, Mrs. Nettie Pittman; first-vice-president, Mrs. Gladys Perry; 2nd-vice-president, Mrs. C. H. Timmons, Sr.; Treasurer, Mrs. O. M. Buchan; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. R. Rice; Recording Secretary, Mrs. C. F. Morris; Parliamentarian, Mrs. George Rollins. Historian, Mrs. J. M. Martin; and Reporter, Mrs. Jim Duncan.

Mrs. Wyatt closed with the following: God spoke! and from the arid scene

Sprang rich and verdant bowers, Til all the earth was soft and green.

He smiled and there were flowers.

Vacation Bible School At Church of Christ Set June 28-July 2nd.

Vacation Bible School at the Church of Christ has been set for June 28th. through July 2. Classes will be from 9 to 11 a. m. Monday through Friday for all ages from 3 year olds through adults. And the theme of our study will be, "Knowing and Loving God's Son."

Teachers will be: Pat Rodgers and Barbara Overstreet - 3 and 4 year olds; Mmes. Eunice Love and Qula Palmer - 5 and 6 year olds; Joy Rogers and Eula Miers - 1st and 2nd grades; Georgia Moore and Viola Broom - 3rd and 4th. grades; Dora Brewer - 5th. and 6th. grades; Audy Moore - Teen-agers; and Payne Hattox - the adult class.

The public is invited, and if transportation is needed, call 5774 or one of the teachers.

The school will be concluded with a program Friday night at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Cletis Williamson Is Speaker For LVNA

Mrs. Cletis Williamson, Medical Technologist of Eastland Memorial Hospital, was guest speaker for the LVNA Division No. 64 at their regular meeting held in the Educational Building of the First Baptist Church in Eastland on Monday evening, June 14 when the LVNs of Eastland were hostesses. Mrs. Williamson gave an informative and interesting discussion on laboratory techniques.

Mrs. Gertrude Wallace, LVNA Division President, presided at the business session.

A program of piano selections was presented by Marilyn Fagar, an accomplished pianist at the age of 13. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fagan of Eastland, and was presented to the group by program chairman, Mrs. Marzene McMillan.

Glinda Rodgers Becomes Bride Of Terry David Clark Saturday, June 5 In First Baptist Church



Miss Glinda Beth Rodgers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rodgers, became the bride of Terry David Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Clark, in an impressive ceremony solemnized June 5 in the First Baptist Church.

Rev. Huron A. Polnac, pastor, read the double ring service at 8 o'clock in the evening before an altar laid with greenery and graced with baskets of white gladioli flanked by candelabrams.

Tommy Clark, brother of the groom, presented a prelude of nuptial organ selections.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a street length frock of peau de soie with lace overlay on the bodice styled with a bell skirt and fitted bodice which featured a rounded neckline and long sleeves that formed petal points at the wrist. A silk organza rose crown held her veil. She carried a bouquet of white carnations. She observed the tradition of something old, new, borrowed and blue, and a penny in her shoe. Her jewelry was an heirloom gold locket of her sister's given to her by her grandparents, the late Mr. W. M. Knox and Mrs. Knox.

Mrs. Doyle Lynn Clark of Grand Prairie attended her sister as matron of honor. She wore a blue peau de soie street length dress fashioned with a bell skirt, fitted bodice overlaid with lace and rounded neckline. She carried a bouquet of white carnations. Cathy Clark, niece of the bride and groom, was flower girl, and Rickey

LITTLE LEAGUE ACTION SLATED FOR TONIGHT AT CARBON FIELD

The Little League games tonight, Thursday, will be played at Carbon for the first time this season. In the opener at 6:30 the Gorman Peanut team will play Carbon with Higginbotham-Frossard meeting the Hospital team in the nightcap game.

Some real fine games have been played this season with many thrilling games. The crowds seem to get bigger with every night of action.

8 Gorman Students Attend Annual Band School At Tarleton

Eight of the Gorman Band Students attended the 4th Annual band school at Tarleton State College, June 13, 17. The bands participated in a concert on Thursday night at the Student Center.

Dr. M. E. Gene Hall, head of the department of music in College of the Desert, Palm Springs, California, as head clinic instructor. He was assisted by Bob Seibert, head of K. S. M. Publishing Co., Dallas. Jack Premley and W. E. Grider Junior High Director in Dallas and Dr. Wilmer Wagoner, Tarleton State Band director was organizer.

The clinic was represented by 15 area schools with three complete stage bands.

Those attending from Gorman were Billy Taylor, Anita Acrea, Brenda Butler, Mike Duran, Sarah Wright, Anna Lee Butler, and Beckey Foster.

L. G. CRAWFORD HOSPITAL PATIENT

Mr. L. G. Crawford, Rising Star, remains a patient in Blackwell Hospital. He is doing as well as expected.

Mr. Crawford is a brother-in-law of Mr. E. F. McCormick.

Scores from recent games are as follows:

Thursday, June 10 —	Peanut Co. 12 - Higg-Fros. 11	Carbon 18 - Hospital 9
Tuesday, June 15 —	Higg-Frossard 16 - Hospital 6	Peanut Co. 15 - Carbon 11
Thursday, June 17 —	Carbon 13 - Higg-Frossard 3	Peanut Co. 20 - Hospital 11
Tuesday, June 22 —	Carbon 11 - Hospital 8	Higg-Fros. 11 - Peanut Co. 9

League standings up to and including Tuesday, June 22 are as follows:

LEAGUE STANDINGS	Won	Lost
Carbon	6	2
Peanut Company	5	3
Higg-Frossard	3	5
Hospital	2	6

Mrs. Ray Williams Buys Collins Insurance

Mrs. Ray (Rooney) Williams has purchased Collins and Sons Insurance Agency in Gorman.

The Williams family moved to Gorman in 1956 while Ray was employed with Texas Electric. They liked the town so much that when Ray's health wouldn't permit him to continue with his job they chose to stay here instead of being transferred to another town. Since that time he has increased his farming operations and is running Black Angus cattle, and doing some electrical work. Rooney has worked in several factories here and surrounding towns before going to work for Joe Collins in May, 1964. She attended West Texas State University before her marriage to Ray in 1949, where she majored in business.

They have two children: Bobby, 15, who is an active 4-H Club member, was Gold Star Boy of Eastland County in 1964, track and basketball player, and will be a sophomore this year; and Barbara, who is also an active 4-H'er who has won her division of dress revue last year and has record books go to district for two years, is a basketball player, cheerleader for 1965, and will be in the eighth grade.

Their wish is that they may be able to help make Gorman a better place to live through their efforts in this business and invite everyone to come in and see them whether it is for business or just a little visit.

W. B. Higginbottom Marks 86th Birthday

Mr. W. B. Higginbottom celebrated his 86th birthday on June 20th. His birthday was June 14th, but Father's Day being on June 20th, the children were able to be present to help celebrate.

Children present to enjoy homemade ice cream and cake with him were Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Higginbottom and Teddy, Mr. and Mrs. Escar Singleton, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Glover, Jr. and David, and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Singleton, Jr. One nephew, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Higginbottom was present.

A son, L. R. Higginbottom and wife were unable to attend.

The couple are at home at 22377 Dalworth St., Villa Fountain Apt. 205 in Grand Prairie.

The bride is a 1965 graduate of Gorman High School, and the bridegroom is a 1964 graduate of Gorman High. He is attending Fort Worth College and is employed with Barnard Custom Service in Grand Prairie.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Clark in their home.

Out of town guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lee, David Wayne Fulberg and John Edward Clark of Bedford, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Knox of Baytown, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rodgers of Austin, Larry Pullin of Austin, Mrs. Lexie Wright of Odessa and Jerry Warren of Henrietta.

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FOR SALE - 3 Bedroom House, double garage and workshop, storage house, fourteen pecan trees. Bill Parr, RE 4-2236. 5-20fnc

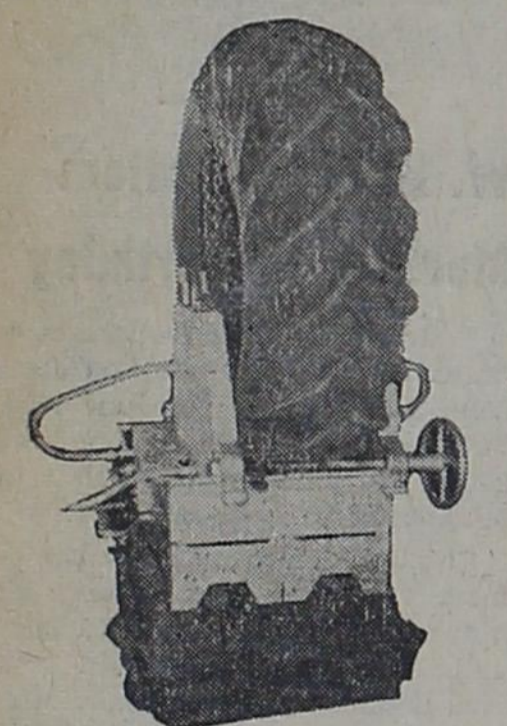
FOR SALE - Six room house with 115x130 lot. House recently redecorated inside, new carpet, seven large pecan trees in full production, cement cellar and outside storage house, small garden plot. Located across street from Church of Christ. See Gabe Wright Mrs. H. L. Smith or Mrs. T. Y. Gregg. 1-21fnc

REAL ESTATE - Farms, ranches, city property. We strive to please. Listings appreciated. Delton Coggburn, Ph. 7842, De Leon. 2-6fnc

FOR SALE - 192 acre stock farm approximately 9 miles southwest of Gorman. Excellent bearing native pecan orchard. Plenty of water. 1/2 mile of Sabanno River bottom. Write K. A. Thompson, 126 Union St., Jacksboro, Tex. 2-11fnc

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KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Atchison and family of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Choate and son of Winters spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bennett, Gary and Teddy of Midland visited over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett, and with her mother, Mrs. John Wheeler, Gorman, and with a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Eaves and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Little, Karen and Doug of Abilene, visited on Sunday with her parents, Mr. and

NOTICE

Sealed Bids will be accepted by the City of Gorman on the construction of 2 Aeration Lagoons, total excavation being approximately 8,000 cubic yards of earth work, which is to be compacted in approximately 2,000 lineal feet of dikes. Said dikes having a crown of 8 feet to be constructed and compacted on a 3 to 1 slope. All work must be done in a workmanlike manner to comply with the directions and specifications of the city's engineer. Payment will be made for excavation only which shall be placed and compacted to form the dikes as shown on the preliminary plans. Said preliminary plans can be examined at the Gorman City Office.

Bids shall be stated in terms of cost to the city of a cubic yard of earth work excavated. Bids shall be submitted not later than 12 o'clock noon, Monday, June 28, 1965 at the City Office, Gorman, Texas.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

FOR SALE or RENT - Three room house with bath. M. H. Fairbetter. 6-24fnc

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FOR SALE - Clarence Pittman place. Good house, six rooms and bath, basement cellar, garage, car port, 29 acres land, 4 acre peanut allotment, rest in grass. 2 miles S. W. of Gorman near Frank Gray Park. Phone RE 4-5504 Gorman. 3 7-8c

GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG - 16 months old, vaccinated, A-1 shape. See J. W. Askew, Rt. 3, across from Oaklawn Cemetery.

FOR SALE or LEASE - Hallmark Dairy King in Gorman. Good business established. Bid Hallmark, RE 4-5732. 6-27fnc

BRICK HOME For Rent: Unfurnished brick home at 103 Present St. in Gorman. Also a newly unfurnished 5 room apartment with attic fan. Mrs. Ina Hanson, 907 Texas St., Phone 2085, De Leon 6-27fnc

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BIDS INVITED - Two old city owned trucks: one 1947 or 1948 model Ford and one 1940 model International. Can be seen at Smith Bros. Chevrolet Co. If interested submit sealed bids to City Secretary not later than 12 o'clock noon, July 1st. 3 6-24c

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FOR SALE - Two half-Shetland fillies, two years old. Glenn Jordan, Rt. 1, Gorman. 6-10-fnc

REAL ESTATE - Ranches and Farms - All sizes to buy or sell. Contact Ranch & Farm Service, Eastland, Phone MA 9-2131. Buck Wheat. 4-8fnc

FOR SALE - Former W. C. Browning home. See Norman Park or Phone RE 4-2243. 5-13fnc

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Mrs. George Bennett, and with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Neal of Fort Worth spent the weekend with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Neal and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bennett, Gary and Teddy, were visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Bishop of Cross Plains were visitors at the church Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson, Jimmy and Cassie, and Dickey Eaves were dinner guests of the Glenn Jordans on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and Kris visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lovell of Carbon, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Henderson returned home on Sunday evening from a visit with relatives in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller, Christi and Ricky, visited with her dad and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Flatt, in De Leon on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Eaves and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norris and family and Glendal Laminaek of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Eaves and family of Comanche spent Father's Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Eaves, in Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Graham and Patricia of Monahans spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Graham, and also visited with his sister, Mrs. D. F. Eaves and family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hargus and Mrs. Bill Wheelless and Robert of Dallas visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Graham on Sunday. They were enroute to their home in Dallas from a vacation trip to California.

Mrs. John Donaldson returned home on Monday from Odessa where she had gone to be with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Prescott and family. Mr. Prescott underwent major surgery and has been seriously ill, but is improving now.

Mrs. George Eppler and Paula

OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS

By FLORENCE RICHARDSON

Our Thought For The Week:

Understanding is the goal of man and understanding comes only from suffering. Peace is the child of understanding. This is "Mysteries" of this life.

Our hearts were made sad last Monday morning when our good friend and neighbor, Mr. E. T. Dominey passed away at the home about 6:15. Mr. Dominey lived part of his childhood in the Oliver Springs Community leaving there just a young lad, moving to the West. He came to this community from Fort Worth in March of '64, making his home again in our midst. He and his wife, Grace, made a host of friends in the short time that they lived here.

The entire community joins heart and hand in extending condolence to the loved ones of Mr. Dominey.

The Bruce Hirst family were dinner guests with the B. A. Hirst family Sunday.

Dale Gilmore of Odessa spent the weekend here with friends and relatives.

The Harry Cooper family of Odessa were here over the week end visiting the Rawls and George Cooper families.

Mr. and Mrs. James Atchley and sons of Stephenville were visiting the Rex Kinser family over the weekend.

The Kenneth Watson family of Odessa spent Father's Day with the R. H. Watsons.

The Elmer Watsons of Midland were here visiting the L. F. Mears and Mrs. J. N. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Overby of Waco were visitors in morning

and a friend, Tony, of San Angelo, Mrs. W. A. O'Neal of Gorman and Teddy Jordan were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks on Sunday night.

Homemaking Students Holding Play School

The Homemaking Department of Gorman High is offering a summer phase of work for the incoming sophomores and juniors in Vocational Home Economics.

The juniors participated in a work program last week of painting part of the Homemaking Cottage.

The sophomores are holding a Play-Nursery School at the Home Ec Cottage this week from 9:30 to 11:30 a. m. daily. Each girl is responsible for asking one preschooler to participate. 20 have fulfilled the requirements for credit. Each girl is responsible for teaching one lesson to the children during nursery school. This may include teaching them songs, games, etc.

Friday, June 25th. will be the last day of the school.

Miss Carolyn Gilbert, Homemaking Teacher, is supervisor for the group.

Sutton Bros. Return From Gulf Coast Trip

Edward and Mack Sutton, Abilene Reporter News carriers returned Saturday from a four day vacation trip and a tour of the Astrodome in Houston. They attended the Thursday game when the Astros played Chicago.

The trip was made by bus and the boys reported good fishing as they brought in 120 pounds for the day's catch.

services and were guests in our home Sunday.

Sorry to report that Mrs. Jessie Atchison is on the sick list at this writing. We wish her a quick recovery.

The grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Atchison are vacationing here with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Daniels of Mexico were here Sunday for the Daniels reunion at Stephenville.

The Homer Richardsons and Mrs. R. H. Watson were in Stamford Wednesday attending the Dominey funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson, Edward and sons were in Graham last Sunday visiting the old home place of Mr. Johnson.

Spending Fathers Day with the L. F. Mears were their son, Dail, and son of Austin.

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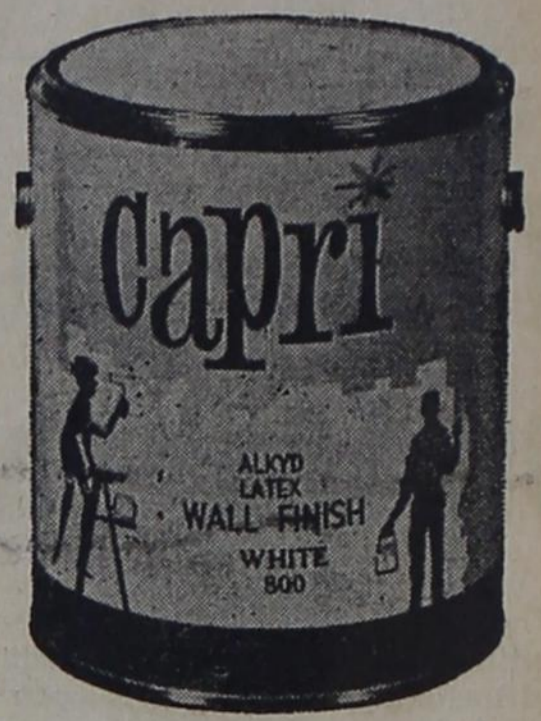
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I want to take this opportunity to say "THANK YOU VERY MUCH" for your allowing me to be your insurance agent. I have sold my insurance business to Mrs. Ray Williams who has been my office secretary. I would like to say, too, that Mrs. Williams (Rooney) is licensed by the State as a Recording Agent and is very familiar with the insurance business. The same stock companies will be represented by Rooney and as a matter of fact, the name will remain the same, "Collins and Sons Agency". The same, fast and friendly service will be carried on by Rooney as it has been in the past. That is the main thing that an insurance agency has to offer . . . it's claim service, and we pride ourselves in the fact that we do give fast and satisfactory attention to every loss, whether large or small.

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It is with humble heart that again I say thank you very much for the business that you have given me in the past and I recommend Rooney Williams to you for continued service from the Collins and Sons office.

JOE COLLINS

I will sincerely appreciate your continuing business and will strive to give as good a service as was started by Joe's Dad, Mr. Henry Collins, several years ago. I am looking forward to meeting each one of you and if there is anything I can help you with at any time please feel free to come by, or if you just have a few minutes to spare come in and visit. You are always welcome and I will do my best to give you every advantage available and serve you to your best interests.

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Joe Collins Family To Move To Cleburne

Joe Collins and Associates announce plans for building a nursing home in Cleburne. Blueprints call for a white brick Colonial style Type 3 nursing home with

72 bed capacity. Construction will be in North West section of Cleburne and construction will get underway July 1. Collins has been named as administrator. Collins, 41, was born and reared in Carbon, attended Ranger Junior College two years prior to entering the USAF in World War II,

where he served as a radio operator-gunner with the First Air Force Commando Group in Burma. At the end of World War II, Collins organized an insurance and real estate business in Eastland, Texas, which he managed until 1950 when he was re-called into active duty with the Air Force during the Korean crisis. Upon release from active duty in 1952 he was Commercial Manager for Radio Station KVKM in Monahans, Texas, where he remained until early 1954 when he was appointed administrator of Blackwell Hospital in Gorman. Collins served in this capacity for 10 years when in 1964, he resigned to become the head of Collins and Sons Insurance Agency, a firm founded by his father, Henry Collins. The firm is being purchased by Mrs. Ray Williams.

Collins and his wife, Helen Ruth, have two teenage daughters, Juanava and Karen, who are both members of the Gorman Panther Band and were to be majorettes for the 1965-66 school year. Mrs. Collins is a registered Cosmetologist. The family has been very active in the Methodist Church in Gorman where he has been a Trustee for several years and was Charge Lay Leader the past conference year. He was also certified as a Lay Speaker by Bishop Pope at the Annual Conference of the Methodist Church.

Collins, a Mason, is a Past Master of the Carbon Lodge No. 786 and also Past District Deputy Grand Master of the 73rd. Masonic District, and has been very active in civic affairs in Gorman the past 12 years. He helped to organize the Junior Chamber of Commerce in Gorman and served as the first president.

He is a past president of the Gorman Quarterback Club and helped to organize the Gorman Riding and Roping Club, serving as president for two years.

A licensed pilot, he is also an ardent horse lover and the owner of a four-year-old Registered Quarter Horse, Rayol Handy Man. He is also a Ten-Ten CB Radio Club fan.

The family will move to Cleburne around the first of July.

Recent parties honoring the Collins family was an ice cream and cake farewell supper given by the members of the First Methodist Church on Friday, June 18 in Fellowship Hall of the church. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duran honored the couple with a patio fish fry Wednesday, June 17. Couples attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Green, Mr. and Mrs. Erich Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. James Mears, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Harrison, and

Impressions Of My First TPA Convention

By Estelle Craddock

"What you do not know does not hurt you - until afterwards", as the saying goes.

That is the way I feel after attending the Texas Press Association and National Editors Association Annual Convention held June 17 through 19 at the Baker Hotel in Dallas. I had never attended and Mr. Baker had invited me every year for the past four years (and I have just not known how much I have missed in many ways) and this year he and Mrs. Baker would not take no for an answer, I went and what a wonderful time I did have! Never a dull moment and what wonderful people. It was a "hi" here and "good to see you" there, no strangers in the crowd except for the National Editors who came from all parts of the country, who were meeting for the first time with the TPA. "Kernel" Gene and Tess were well known to everyone and especially were remembered for the sample of roasted peanuts and peanut brittle candy they always take along to publicize our greatest industry.

I was made to feel that I had been to every convention and was one of that big family of newspaper people.

There were so many big events taking place in various rooms of the Baker Hotel, and ranged from Presentation of Awards breakfast held in the Crystal Ball Room to

Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Brogdon of Weatherford.

Mrs. Collins was honored at the Friendly Ladies Class Sunday School Coffee Monday morning when Mrs. Bob Green was hostess. The class presented her with a book.

Glenda Jordan and Anita Acra were hostesses for a Surprise Farewell party honoring Juanava on Wednesday, June 17 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan. She was presented a gold charm. Attending were Linda Warren, Rodney Stephens, Kathy Browning, Bobby Rodgers, Toni Beth Lawrence, Bobby Underwood, Kay Lynn Barnett, Wesley Tucker, Joyce Joiner, Dickie Eaves and Mike Rodgers.

Mary Kirk honored Karen Collins Monday afternoon with a surprise swimming party at the Eastland Swimming Pool and hamburger supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Kirk. Karen was presented a farewell gift of dusting powder and a gown.

Those attending the event were Connie Park, Jean Munn, Jean Collins, Elizabeth Parr, Vicki Frossard, Carol Rankin, Carol Clark, Brenda Shugart, and Sarah and Karan Kirk.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who helped to make my stay in the hospital a little more pleasant. For the cards, flowers and visits I am grateful. Especially I would like to thank the entire staff of nurses at the Dublin Hospital. Too, I will always be thankful to Dr. Cole.

Sincerely
Mrs. Virgil Northcutt

MR. AND MRS WAYNE FOX HONORED WITH SHOWER

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wayne Fox were honored with a wedding shower June 4 in the Homemaking Cottage.

Hostesses were Mmes. Cecil D. Thompson, Verona Taylor, and Mrs. Gordon Wadley of Eastland, Mrs. Delton Nabors, of De Leon, and Mrs. J. A. Fine, Dublin.

Miss Patsy Fox of Olden registered guests.

Refreshments were served from a table laid with a white lace cloth over pink taffeta and centered with an arrangement of pink roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox are at home in Eastland.

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A high point of entertainment to the ladies was a guided tour arranged by our hostess to tour the fabulous Apparel Mart, with its Great Hall, a courtyard so beautiful and dazzling, it was hard to believe it was real. The Mart, built in 1964, with the Great Hall alone costing one million dollars, is well on its way to becoming the heart fashion industry in the Greater Southwest. We also visited the Home Furnishings Mart, which has 161 show rooms with 234 lines of furniture. These buildings are rarely visited by the general public, and we felt privileged indeed to get to visit them.

List of speakers on the panel for the TPA's 86 and NEA's 80th. Annual Convention read like a "Who's Who" in this world of ours, and included Ralph W. Callahan, editor of Anniston, Alabama Star and president of the Alabama Press Association, who expressed his views as an editor on the "Alabama Story". The editor said he "envisioned a new south in which we will see full citizenship for all our people, Negro and White, giving all opportunity and justice before the law." "We see in America today," he said, "the hand of the Almighty as He chasteneth a people who committed a great moral wrong."

"Alabama, like the nation, is caught up in the throes of a civil rights revolution. Old ways, old traditions, old methods are challenged by restless, demanding, aggressive groups whose actions and policies have created a mass hysteria in America."

Emotionalism, said Callahan, holds sway over reason and deliberation.

Other speakers were Robert W. Hefty, Manager of Ford Division of Public Relations Staff. His subject was entitled "The Year Of The Horse." Richard P. Jeffrey, Promotion Manager of the Dallas Morning News, spoke on "Promoting The Product." Also on the panel of speakers was Thomas R. Meredith, classified manager of the Waco News Tribune and Times Herald, Frederick C. Belen, Deputy Postmaster General, of Washington, D. C., told of "What's New In Postal Service," explaining the new zip code.

Topic of Gene Cernan, NASA Astronaut, Houston, Texas, was "America's Space Program."

Featured entertainers were Walter "Zaney" Blaney, a native of Dallas and graduate of Texas University, noted as one of the top humorists to emerge from Texas, was Commissioned by former Governor Price Daniel and Governor John Connally as Texas' Official Ambassador of Goodwill. The adept slight-of-hand artist and comedian was featured entertainer on the TPA-NEA luncheon

on Friday, along with Libby Horne a senior at SMU, who has 12 years of show business experience, has appeared with such noted personalities as the Smothers Brothers, Rosemary Clooney, The Christy Minstrels and Bobby Venton. Last summer she was the feature singer for the popular Johnny "Scat" Davis Band which toured the United States and had a stay at the Show Boat in Las Vegas. She recently was featured on the "Talent Review" and appeared this year with Bob Hope when he performed during the SMU weekend.

For a small town newspaper woman the convention was a great experience and I hope I'm invited next year when the convention meets in El Paso.

4-H Club News

4-H CLOTHING UNIT III

By Catherine Parr

The Unit III Clothing Group met on Saturday, June 19 at the home of their leader, Mrs. Ray Williams. At this meeting we finished cutting out our material. We started sewing our garments. Since we had only one sewing machine, while one cut the other sewed.

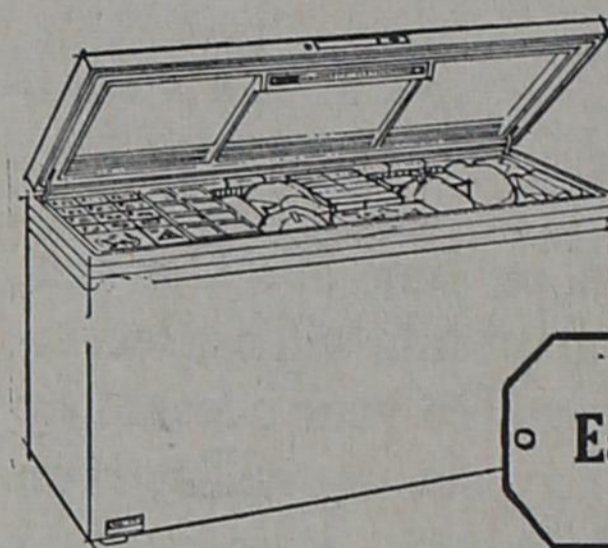
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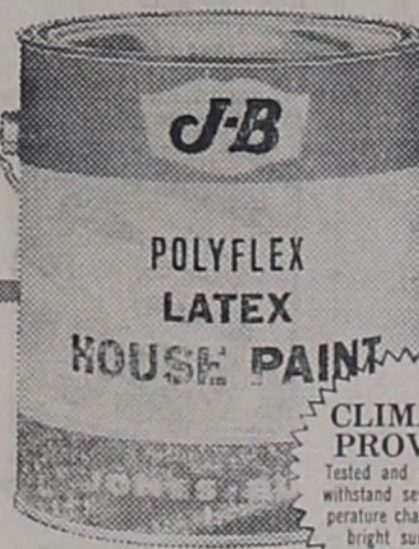
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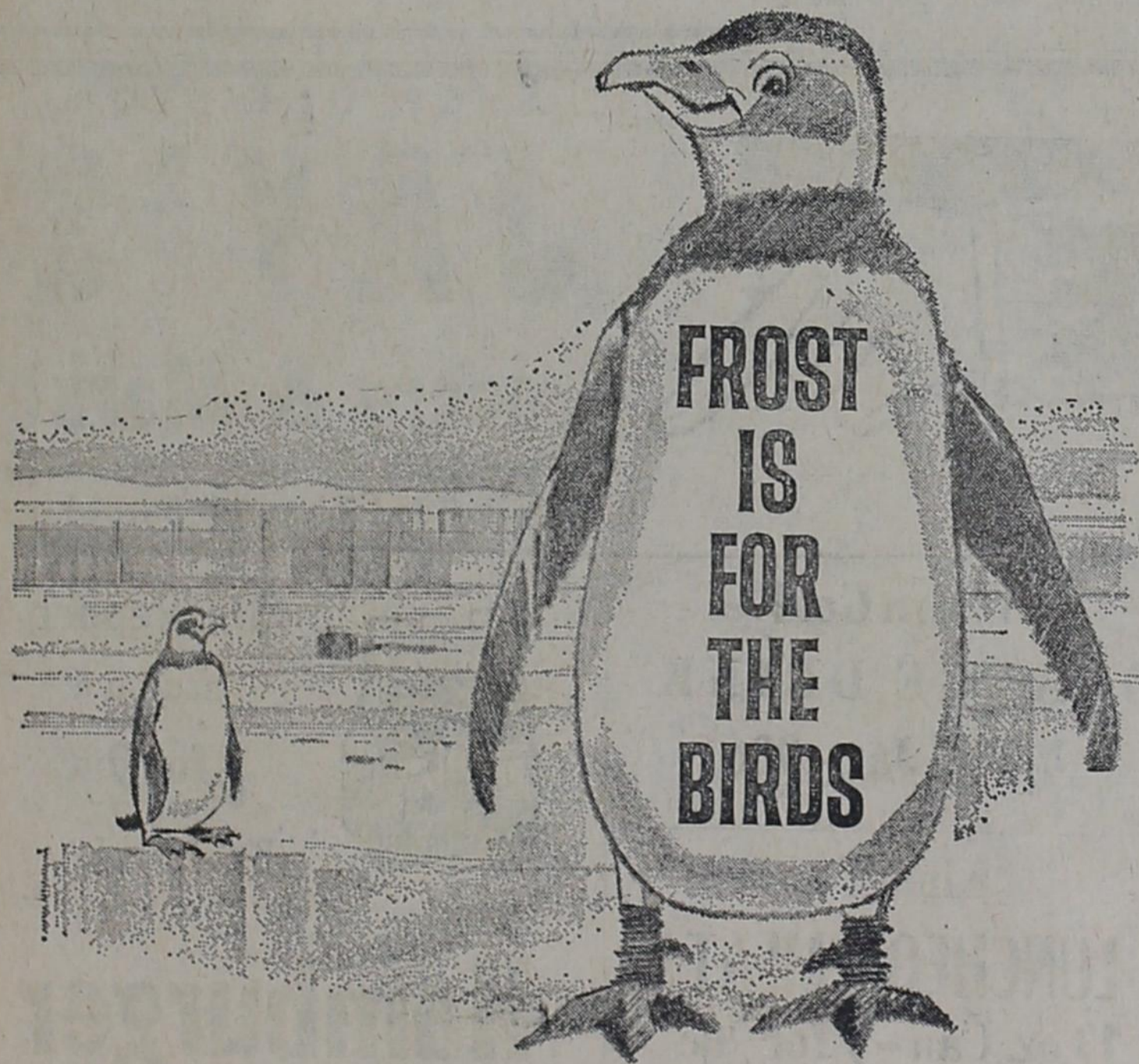
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An ice cream supper was held at Lake Leon honoring the new Mobil plant foreman, Mr. Kizer and family.

Mrs. Gus Brown visited with the Bob Koonces on the weekend and attended church at the First Baptist.

DESDEMONA NEWS

By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Abel and son, Larry Bob of Oil Center, N. Mexico are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Abel and in De Leon with her mother Mrs. Stell Joiner.

Quinton Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Wright, spent some time last week in the hospital suffering from a piece of steel in his eye.

Mrs. Roy Guthery, who has been a bed patient in her home herefor the last several days, is now up part time.

Mrs. Salada Northcutt is home again from the Dublin Hospital, where she underwent surgery several days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Bates Duke and children of Odessa spent several days last week here with his brother, Rudolph Duke and family, and his mother, Mrs. Marie Duke, who went home with them for an extended visit.

The Virgil Branham family of Lamesa was here for the weekend to visit her parents, the Floyd Moores.

Jerrel Burleson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Burleson of Amarillo, is here for an extended visit with his grandparents, the Lonnie Williams and Russ Burlesons.

Master Clifton Townsend of Baton Rouge, La. is here for an extended visit with his grandmother, Mrs. Myrtle Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Curley Craig were in Fort Worth Friday to attend the wedding of their oldest granddaughter, Karen Cornwell. They returned home Saturday and had as visitors for the weekend Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Allen and Shelli of Pasadena, the G. L. Whitleys of Everman and the James Craig family of Houston.

LITTLE LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Thursday, June 24 — Peanut Company vs. Carbon Hig.-Frossard vs. Hospital
Tuesday, June 29 — Peanut Company vs. Hospital Carbon vs. Higginbotham-Frossard
Thursday, July 1 — Hig.-Frossard vs. Peanut Co. Hospital vs. Carbon
Tuesday, July 5 — Hospital vs. Hig.-Frossard Carbon vs. Peanut Company

Games will be played in the order that they are listed on the schedule.

Starting time will be 6:30 p. m. for the first game.

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mrs. Alice Swan of Cisco visited this week with Mrs. Walter Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harrison and Jackie, Mrs. Floyd Dixon, Rusty and Vickie were in California last week visiting their mother Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Collins and Mr. and Mrs. Lee O. Harrison. While they visited Knott's Berry Farm, Marineland, Disneyland and made a steamship trip to Catalina Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hodge of Midland arrived last Wednesday for a visit with Mrs. Ed Wyatt. Mr. Hodge returned home Sunday but will return Friday to accompany his wife home. The families are staying at their Lake Leon home.

Mrs. Ed Wyatt attended the open house June 5th honoring her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Welch of Ft. Worth on their 25th Wedding Anniversary. Their children Suzanne and Johnny hosted the event.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Yarbrough of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. Avery Yarbrough visited with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Smith of Irving over the weekend.

Margaret Fox of Rt. 2, Eastland was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Moseley June 10 through the 12th, visiting with their daughter, Carolyn.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Files were Mr.

and Mrs. Watt Files of Troydce, Ark., Mrs. Pearl Walls and daughter of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Files and Mrs. Bess Young of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Files and son, and Mrs. Dorothy Mayfield and daughters of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Files and family of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Branner Files and son, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Files and family and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Files, all of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Snooks Craddock and Kay Frances of Sundown are visiting this week with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lasater, and Mrs. Estelle Craddock. Also with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crawley of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Scitern and Brenda of Hobbs, N. M. are vacationing this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lasater and Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Scitern.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Robertson and his sister, Cathy Robertson of Austin, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Jarrett, and Mrs. Luther Cunningham.

Linda Shell and her roommate, Charlene Carpenter of Dallas, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shell.

Visiting last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Huff were her sisters, Mrs. Bertha Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Reed Lacy of Abernathy, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fry of Temple, also Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lehman, Mrs. Cynthia Earles and Dewey of Duster.

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Mrs. Bernice Haynes has returned home from a visit to Whitney where she has been at the bedside of her critically ill father, Mr. J. C. Chatman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maddox of Phoenix, Ariz., Mrs. Jessie Camp and Mrs. Claiborn of Rising Star, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barbee on Tuesday.

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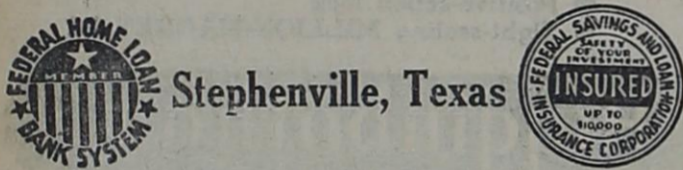
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