



Miss Linda Shell To Become Bride Of John R. Delgado

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Shell announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Linda Elizabeth, to Mr. John Rutledge Delgado of Dallas son of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Delgado, Sr. of New Orleans, La.

Vows will be read by Rev. S. A. Baker at 8 p. m. Saturday, January 14, 1967 in Gorman First Methodist Church.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Gorman High School and attended North Texas State University and is employed with Southwestern Legal Foundation of Southern Methodist University School of Law in Dallas.

The prospective bridegroom attended Tulane University where he was a member of Kappa Sigma. A graduate of Southwestern Institute, Lafayette, Louisiana, he is employed with St. Regis Paper Company of Houston.

The couple will reside at 2917 University Blvd. in Dallas.

Christmas Cantata To Be Held In De Leon

A combined choir from the churches of De Leon area will present a Christmas Cantata, "Night of Miracles," by John W. Peterson, on Sunday afternoon, December 11 at 3:00 o'clock at the First Methodist Church in De Leon.

The Cantata is under the direction of Mrs. J. M. Holdridge, who is organist for the Gorman Methodist Church.

The public is cordially invited.

Home Of Jack O'Neills Destroyed By Fire In Carbon Friday

The seven room home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Neill of Carbon was destroyed by fire around 1:30 a. m. Friday morning from undetermined origin.

The family was away at the time visiting with his parents in Ranger.

The fire alarm was turned in by a neighbor Merritt Dunn. The Carbon and Eastland fire departments answered the fire call but were unable to save the house or any of the contents.

The home was partially covered with insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill have four children.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my thanks and appreciation to Dr. Rodgers and the entire hospital staff for their excellent care during my stay in Blackwell Hospital. Also to those who were so kind to send cards and visit me. Your expressions of friendship were most appreciated.

Doyle Cole

CARD OF THANKS

I want to say I'm grateful to my friends and neighbors who were so kind to visit me and for the flowers, cards and gifts during my recent stay in Blackwell Hospital. I would like to express my thanks to Dr. Rodgers, the nurses and hospital staff for the excellent care given me.

May God bless and keep you in my prayer.

Jesse Richardson

MRS. BESSIE KINSER LAID TO REST AT OAKLAND ON FRIDAY

Mrs. Margaret Elizabeth Kinser, 89, died in Lawndale Home For Senior Citizens at 11:15 a. m. Thursday. She had been ill for four weeks and a resident of the home for one week.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Friday, November 25, in the First Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. Huron A. Polnac, officiating. Burial was in Oakland Cemetery under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home of Gorman.

Born January 12, 1877 in Navasota, she was married to A. J. Kinser at Marble Falls, Texas in 1904. They moved to the Midway Community in 1923. Mrs. Kinser had made her home with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Overstreet, since the death of her husband in 1958. She was a member of the Gorman First Baptist Church.

Survivors include six sons: Rob, Roy and Rex of Gorman, Ray of Cisco, Ralph of Buena Park, Calif. and Richard of Lake Charles, La.; one daughter, Mrs. Wilburn Overstreet of Gorman; 14 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

A daughter, Rea, preceded her in death in 1931.

Pallbearers were Don Starr, James Kinser, Gene Kinser, Clyde Richard Kinser, and Gary and Neil Overstreet, all grandsons.



Joyce Elizabeth Joiner And E. C. Bramlett, Jr. Plan January Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Joiner of Route 2, Gorman announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Joyce Elizabeth, to Mr. E. C. Bramlett, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bramlett, Sr. of Gorman.

Vows will be read at 6 p. m. Saturday, January 14 in Kokomo Baptist Church. The Rev. Houston Hook of Weatherford, an uncle of the groom, will officiate.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Gorman High School and Valedictorian of the senior class. She is a freshman at Texas Tech College.

Mr. Bramlett is a graduate of Gorman High School, graduating as Valedictorian of the class. He is a senior student at Texas Tech and is president of the Pre-Med Club and president of Murdough Hall.

Invitations will not be mailed locally, but friends and members of the families are invited to attend the wedding.

Sgt. Billy J. Dennis's Group Wins Coveted USAF Smith Trophy

SIOUX CITY, Iowa — Technical Sergeant Billy J. Dennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dennis of Route 2, Gorman, Texas, provided essential support to help his organization win the coveted Smith Trophy as the best air defense ground unit in the U. S. Air Force.

Sergeant Dennis is a member of the Air Defense Command's (ADC) 30th Air Division, which received the trophy during ceremonies at Sioux City, Iowa, Nov. 19. The sergeant is assigned at Richards-Gebaur AFB, Mo., as a weapons technician.

His division, headquartered at Sioux City Air Base and composed of 23 widely-scattered units, maintains air surveillance over the U. C. central plains with the Semi-Automatic Ground Environment (SAGE) radar system.

Sergeant Dennis and other division personnel won the trophy for the best defensive combat capability during the year by scoring 6,900 of a possible 7,000 points. One phase of the stiff competition included a computer-simulated enemy air attack.

It tested the division's operational readiness to detect, identify and, if unfriendly, intercept and destroy approaching aircraft.

The rotating trophy was originally sponsored in 1963 by the Night Fighter Association to promote, through competition, the efficiency of isolated air defense ground units. The award is named for retired General Frederic H. Smith, Jr., once deputy commander of ADC and later Air Force Vice Chief of Staff. The 30th, then known as the Sioux City Air Defense Sector, won the first award of the trophy.

The sergeant, a veteran of the Korean War, is a graduate of Gorman High School. He received his A. A. degree in 1956 from Ranger (Tex.) Junior College. He attended McMurry College in Abilene, Texas.

His wife, Norma, is the daughter of Tom Tucker of Eastland, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gilbert and family and Carolyn Gilbert of Abilene were Thanksgiving visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. Odie Rodgers.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR CALEB MARTIN HELD ON TUESDAY

Mr. Caleb Madison Martin, 79, died at his home around 1:15 p. m. Sunday, November 27 following an apparent heart attack. He had attended church services at the First Methodist Church and became ill after returning to his home.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday, November 29 in First Methodist Church with the pastor, Rev. S. A. Baker, officiating. Burial was in the De Leon Cemetery under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home of Gorman.

Born July 18, 1887 in Gatesville, he had resided in Gorman many years and was a member of the First Methodist Church.

Pallbearers were E. G. Henderson, Check Smith, Speedy Clark, Bill Parr, Graydon Baze, and Junior Stacy.

Honorary pallbearers were Don E. Rodgers, Bill Ormsby, Dick Jay, J. E. Walker, John Kimble and John Kirk.

Survivors are his daughter, Mrs. Mary Gunsallus of Gardena, California; one son, Ben Fuller of California; one brother, Jim Martin of De Leon; three grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Wesley Don Bryant And New Bride To Reside In Gorman

Gorman will be the home of Wesley Don Bryant and his bride, the former Miss Linde Sue Lloyd, following their marriage Friday afternoon.

Rev. Billy J. Merritt conducted the nuptial rites at 3:30 p. m. November 25 in the Baptist parsonage at Jacksboro, Texas. Honor attendants were Miss Brenda Bryant, sister of the bridegroom, and Jerry Warren of Gorman. Mrs. Adren Bryant, mother of the groom, also attended the wedding.

The bride, a senior in Strawn High School, is the daughter of Mr. Bill Lloyd of Strawn. Mr. and Mrs. Adren Bryant of Gorman are parents of the bridegroom.

A reception was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant in Gorman following the wedding.

The bridegroom is a 1965 graduate of Gorman High School and is employed in the dirt moving and construction business with his father.

The couple are on a wedding trip to Corpus Christi and Padre Island.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our thanks and appreciation to everyone for everything that was done for us during the illness and death of our mother. For your prayers and visits, the beautiful flowers and cards, the good food and the ladies who served our lunch. To the funeral directors and ones who sat at the funeral home, to Brother Polnac and Brother Dennis for the comforting messages, to those who sang in choir and Mrs. Buchanan, for the good care given mother at the Lawndale Home, and to the men who opened the grave.

May God's blessings be yours in our prayer.

The family of Mrs. Bessie Kinser

NEW DAUGHTER FOR MR. & MRS. B. L. FILES

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Files announce the birth of their daughter, Cathy Lanell, born at 2:55 a. m. November 24 in the De Leon Hospital. She weighed 9 pounds and 9 ounces.

She has a brother, David, age 3.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Files of Gorman and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Park of Carbon. Mrs. A. B. Rankin of Gorman is a great-grandmother.

Jerry Ormsby of Texas Tech spent the holidays with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ormsby and Mr. and Mrs. Odie Brightwell.



Carole Rae Rankin Named As Sweetheart Gorman FFA Chapter

Miss Carole Rae Rankin has been chosen Future Farmers of America Sweetheart of the Gorman Chapter. She was selected by the F.F.A. members.

Carole, a senior, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rankin. She will represent the chapter for Cross Timbers Area Sweetheart at the F.F.A. Banquet to be held at Stephenville Municipal Auditorium on December 5. She will also represent the chapter at local activities and programs during the year.

Miss Rankin has just completed her reign of Miss Gorman and represented Gorman at the 1965 and 1966 Peanut Bowl in Eastland, was a candidate for Pecan Show Queen in Cisco, and also represented Gorman at the De Leon Peach and Melon Festival.

Woman's Study Club Enjoy Holy Land Film In Rhymes Home

Just reflecting on Monday night's meeting of the Woman's Study Club in the home of Mrs. Frank Rhymes, it becomes more and more apparent that the Yearbook Committee really exerted effort and thought in making plans for this year of club programs, both civic and study. In a civic sense, it already has been an exceedingly busy year, (and only two months are past). And the study programs just simply continue to be excellent.

President Berenice Jeffs opened the meeting by welcoming guests, Mmes. Jim Brewer, Floy Morrison, Thurman Jay and daughter, Mary Jay. Mary showed everyone her gold charm inscribed "Miss Gorman, 1966-67" that the club had given to her and expressed her appreciation.

After a bit of business, Miss Ozella Pulley, chairman of the Yearbook Committee, introduced the program subject, "A Holy Land Travelog", and presented the ladies who did the traveling Mmes. Jim Brewer and Floy Morrison. Their photography was really quite professional. As Mrs. Morrison operated the projector, Mrs. Brewer presented commentary concerning the scenes. All in color, the pictures began at plane boarding in Dallas and continued on to France, Italy, throughout the Holy Lands, and ended, appropriately, in a beautiful sunset at Lake Proctor. There were scenes of beauty — flowers, trees, magnificent buildings, historical places — but there was more, and it was the feeling, the atmosphere, the living of life in the areas. Mrs. Brewer ended a most interesting journey by showing and describing a collection of her souvenirs.

And as hostess, Mrs. Rhymes, served refreshments of hot cranberry punch, onion dip and chips, and assorted cookies, everyone was asking questions — what kind of camera? how many clothes? does camel riding make you sore? One might imagine that the entire group planned to leave immediately. Or at least right after a second cup of that good hot punch. Or two or three more of Mrs. Rhymes' cookies.

But the Yearbook Committee has planned such an interesting year that everyone just seems to linger to enjoy every last minute of each club evening. The Committee? Why it is Miss Pulley, Mmes. E. R. Arnold, Jr., James Mears and Berenice Jeffs.

FINAL RITES HELD HERE ON SATURDAY FOR J. C. GRICE, 85

Mr. James Clinton Grice, 85, a retired farmer and long-time resident of Gorman, died at 11:15 a. m. Friday in Blackwell Hospital following an illness of two weeks.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church with Mrs. J. E. Blackwell, pastor of the United Pentecostal Church in Cisco, officiating. Burial was in Murray Memorial Cemetery in Carbon.

Born March 22, 1881 in Comanche County, he was married to Maggie McKinley August 14, 1910 in Corsicana. They had lived in the Gorman area for 55 years. He was a member of the United Pentecostal Church.

A son, Utha Wayne, preceded him in death while serving aboard the U. S. Battle Ship Jarvis in 1942.

Survivors are his wife; three daughters, Mrs. J. D. Cole and Mrs. Jesse Powell of Kermit, and Mrs. Earl Hyatt of Midland; six grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Nephews were pallbearers.

Wolverines Lose To Sidney In Bi-District Game At Comanche

The Sidney Eagles put together a 40-point second half in Comanche Friday night to wrestle the bi-district Six-Man title from the Carbon Wolverines by a score of 60 to 34.

After trailing 18-14 at half-time, the Carbon boys came out to make a game of it and scored in the first 50 seconds, taking a 22-18 lead on a 52 yard pass from senior fullback Ronnie Hughes to junior end Herbert Casey.

The lead was short-lived, however, as Nicky Pruitt paced the Eagles to the decisive win the next 23 minutes.

Sidney will meet Novice for the Regional crown at 7:30 p. m. Friday at Coleman.

Pruitt, a 130-pound junior with nerves of steel, scored three times and passed for three more, rushing for more yardage than the entire Carbon team.

Leading the Carbon cause was senior blocker Ronnie Hughes who counted 18 of the Wolverines' points on scoring runs of 56, one and five yards. He also fired two scoring passes and had touchdown runs of 56 and 35 yards nullified by penalties.

Hughes and senior Alvie Allison, who booted two extra points, were the main reasons Carbon topped the Eagles 24-16 earlier in the year.

Casey got Carbon's other 12 points on beautiful receptions of two aeriels — the 52-yarder from Hughes and an 11-yarder from Allison.

Hughes ended the night with 176 yards on 17 carries; Allison was 10 for 61.

DEBRA SMITH AND SCOTT STACY HONORED WITH SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Debra Smith and Scott Stacy were honored with a surprise party Saturday night in the fire hall. The occasion was in celebration of their 14th birthdays, which was Monday, November 28.

Hostesses were their mothers, Mrs. Travis Smith and Mrs. Carl Dean Stacy, and Mrs. Billy Shupp.

Indoor games and music were enjoyed throughout the evening, as well as refreshments of sandwiches, dips, chips, cake and punch.

Attending the gala celebration were Marilyn Hampton, Paula Eppler, Christi Fuller, Betty Seaton, Maudine Aston, Debbie Holliday, Jana Brown, Kathy Wright, Anna Lee Butler, Don Curb, Wesley Rogers, Bill Mears, Bill Clark, Ricky Sutton, David Armstrong, Cathy Parr, Dorenda Arnold, Becky Foster, and the honorees.

CARD OF THANKS

It is with heartfelt gratitude that we acknowledge the many kindnesses shown us in the passing of our loved one, J. M. Grice. Your expression of friendship and sympathy shall always be cherished.

We especially want to thank Dr. Rodgers and his staff of nurses and hospital staff for the good care given him.

May God bless you in our humble prayer.

Mrs. J. C. Grice and children

CHRISTMAS SEASON OFFICIALLY OPENS IN CITY OF GORMAN

The street decorations are up, the stores and shops are packed with holiday merchandise and all is in readiness for the Christmas Season.

Santa Claus will make his official visit on Saturday, December 10 at 2:30 p. m. All area children are urged to be here as he will have a surprise for each one, and will be talking with the little ones about their wishes for Christmas morning. Santa's visit is being sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

The all-blue lights covering the frontage of all main street stores is very pretty. Some of the stores started this last year and main street is now complete and it makes a delightful scene after dark — and with the street decorations, the city is very pretty and the holiday spirit exists everywhere.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

The sixty members of the Garden Club of Comanche have been working months on many beautiful articles that will go on sale at their Market Day on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 2 and 3. There will be many practical and useful gifts as well as home-made candies, cookies, preserves and baked goods.

The Stage Band is sponsoring a Car Wash at the Texaco Station Saturday, Dec. 3. Car or pick up washed for \$1.25. Grease job 75c. Pick up and delivery.

Singing at Rock Bluff will be held Sunday night, December 4 and the public is invited to attend.

The Gorman Volunteer Fire Department will meet Monday, December 5th.

The Band Boosters Club will meet Monday, December 5 at 7 p. m. All members are urged to attend this important meeting.

The Woman's Study Club have two good cook books for sale and both are favorite recipes of Texas Club Women. The Texas Desert Cook Books sell for \$1.00 and Texas Favorite Cook Book sells for \$1.95. These cook books would make ideal Christmas gifts. Call Mrs. Berenice Jeffs or one of the club members.

The Gorman Lions Club will meet Tuesday, December 6 at 12 noon at the Brown Jug Cafe.

Would the ladies who brought food to our home in unmarked dishes please let me know what kind of dish you brought so I can return them. Thanks. Mrs. Wilburn Overstreet.

The Gorman Rebekah Lodge meets each Tuesday evening.

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

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

MR. & MRS. PAUL MCKINZIE ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McKinzie proudly announce the birth of their son, Kelly Hunter, born at 8:46 a. m. November 26 in the Hico Hospital. He weighed six pounds and twelve ounces.

Paternal grandmother is Mrs. Edell McKinzie of Comanche and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Askew of Hillsboro. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Williford of Comanche and Mrs. J. L. Dossey of Hillsboro.

PIONEER RADIO OPERATOR BURIED IN COMANCHE

C. B. Baxter of Comanche, pioneer radio operator, died Monday in Comanche. Funeral services were held Wednesday, November 16th.

He owned and operated the Dublin Radio Station KFPL in the early thirties and many Gorman entertainers appeared on weekly programs. It was one of the first experimental stations in this part of the country.

Mr. Lawrence Eison of Gorman was an employee of the station and received his operators license during the time he worked for Mr. Baxter.

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School Lunch Menu

Following is the menu for the Gorman School Lunchroom for the week of December 5-9:

Monday - Barbecued beef, potatoes, lettuce and tomato salad and chocolate cake.

Tuesday - Fried chicken and gravy, English peas, glazed carrots, hot rolls and banana pudding.

Wednesday - Baked beans, harvard beets, mixed greens and raisin cobbler.

Thursday - Meat balls, french fries, green beans, hot rolls and apple crisp.

Friday - Bologna sandwiches, potato chips, noodle soup and fruit and cookies.

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Kokomo HD Club Meet in Williamson Home

The Kokomo Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Frank Williamson at Lake Leon on November 28. Mrs. D. F. Eaves led the club motto, pledge and prayer. Mrs. Wayne White read the devotional on gifts taken from Acts 20:35. Mrs. Lee Bishop lead the prayer.

Mrs. Glenn Jordan presided over the business meeting. The club will participate in the Eastland County Pecan Show in Rising Star on Dec. 9 and 10.

In place of having a program the members made cancer dressings.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Williamson, to members: Mmes. Eaves, Bertha Hazard, Lee Bishop, Jordan, and Wayne White, and a visitor, Mrs. Z. O. Mehaffey.

The next meeting of the club will be a Christmas Party on December 12 at 6:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Wayne White.

FOR SALE - 1958 Model Ford Station Wagon, power brakes, power steering, air conditioner, radio & heater. \$325.00. O. T. Shell, RE 4-5659. 2-12-c

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MISSING - Two white-faced calves weigh approximately 300 lbs. Left ears cropped. Strayed from my farm near Oakland Cemetery. Any information will be appreciated. Call collect. Bill Dennis, 3544, De Leon. 3-12-15c

REWARD - A reward will be given for the return of my wedding and engagement rings lost Tuesday at the City dump ground. The wedding band has four diamonds and the engagement ring two large and one small. They are not valuable rings and won't be worth much to anyone except me. If found please contact Mrs. George Rodgers. RE 4-5364. 1tc

FOR SALE - Five room house to be moved. Mrs. John Lightfoot, Route 2, De Leon, Phone 4594. 2-12-8p

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DESDEMONA NEWS

By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

Rev. Claud Bays of Rocky Point filled the pulpit Sunday and Sunday night in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Derrell Dossey, who is at the bedside of his father, who is quite ill in Mexico.

Mrs. Edd Riggs remains quite ill in the Gorman hospital where she has been a patient for several weeks suffering with her heart.

Mrs. Nettie Cook passed away late Thursday night and was laid to rest in the Desdemona Cemetery Sunday.

Miss Nadine Rainey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Q. Z. Rainey, became the bride of Freddie Ray in a quite ceremony Friday night.

The local PTF and all concerned want to give a big "Thanks" to each one who had a part or helped in any way to make our annual Thanksgiving Supper a success. More than 350 plates were served and a nice program was enjoyed by all. The Inspirations Quartet of Gorman and our local talent with L. E. Clark as emcee performed on the program. Thanks to one and all.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson have been in Abilene the past week doing some work on one of their houses.

Mrs. Jack (Linda) Allen of Ranger spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Greenhaw. Also Morris Ray Greenhaw, who is in college at Denton, was home for the holidays and helped his dad and his uncle Mabry do some deer hunting.

Mrs. Ethel Keith had most of her children home at different times during the holidays. They are Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Wilcoxson of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Keith, Vicki, Tami and Bradley of Odessa, Mrs. Mack Keith, Mike and Stevie, Larry and Terri Lea of

MRS. W. H. DAVIS SPONSORS GIFTS FOR MEN IN VIET NAM

Mrs. W. H. Davis of Desdemona is chairman for a Christmas Gift Program for the forgotten men in Viet Nam. These are men who do not have families to send them packages from home at Christmas time.

Mrs. Davis learned of these men from relatives of Leon Alread and L. R. Alread who is Technical Advisor in Viet Nam and from Lt. Edward G. Bradshaw, whose wife's relatives live in Desdemona.

Mrs. Davis is asking for names of service men that you know who do not have relatives and you would like for them to receive a package. Also she would like to have items of candy, cookies, etc., to mail to the names she already has.

Money will be accepted to defray the cost of mailing the gift items to port of overseas shipping.

The time is drawing close for these items to be mailed, so if you are interested in helping in

Monahans, and the C. M. Gutherys, Karen and Belinda.

Mr. and Mrs. Jr. Moore and family of Fort Worth spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore.

Visitors in the Curley Craig home during the long holiday weekend were several of their children; Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Whitely of Everman, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Allen of Deer Park, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Craig of Comanche and Mrs. Maxine Lawless and children of De Leon and Douglas Craif of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Powers spent the holidays in Texas City visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Powers.

Visiting with the Horace Lanes on Sunday were her brother, Mr. Houston Lanier of Fort Worth, and a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Taylor of Eastland.

Miss Lunell Allen of Denton was home for the past weekend and visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen.

HOSPITAL REPORT

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any way contact Mrs. W. H. Davis, Box 963, Desdemona 76445.

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By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Flatt of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Flatt and Dean of Albuquerque, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Q. D. Fuller and Russell Fuller of Bronte visited with Mr. and Mrs. Claude

Fuller, Christi and Ricky, during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan visited in Ranger last Tuesday with Rev. and Mrs. Jackie Heath and children. Rev. and Mrs. Heath and family left on Wednesday morning for Plattsmouth, Neb. Rev. Heath will pastor a church there. He is a former pastor of

Kokomo Baptist Church and the Eastside Baptist Church in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rollins and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Cross and Michelle of Warren, Ariz. returned to their home on Friday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McNeely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow were called to Lamesa on Mon-

day night to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. W. S. Creager, who is seriously ill. Mr. Morrow has returned home, but Mrs. Morrow remained in Lamesa to be with her mother and sister, Mrs. Joe Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Rodgers had all of their children home during the holidays. They are Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gilbert, Lisa and Steve of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Rodgers and Kim of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Rodgers of Austin, and Mike of the home.

Mr. Albert Hendricks and Mrs. Roy Buchanan and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Park and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson, Jimmy and Cassie and Mrs. H. C. Wharton of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan and Teddy and Glenda Jordan and Roddy Miles of Abilene spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Don O'Neal of Houston visited during the week end with his sister, Mrs. Albert Hendricks and family, and with his mother, Mrs. W. A. O'Neal, in Gorman and with another sister, Mrs. Norman Park and family.

Mrs. Albert Hendricks returned to her home on Sunday from the Blackwell Hospital in Gorman where she underwent surgery. She is doing fine.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. O'Neal spent the Thanksgiving holidays

in Dumas with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Shackelford and family. They also visited in Snyder with another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Mearse and family.

Rev. Dick Murray of Carbon preached at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday. Visitors at the church on Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Emerson of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Finis Tollison of Anson. Mrs. Murray was a visitor at both services.

Rev. Murray will serve as interim pastor of the Eastside Baptist Church in Ranger beginning next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop spent Thanksgiving in Irving with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan and family.

Roy Buchanan is home on leave from the Army at Fort Bliss. Sylvia met him in Abilene on Friday and they are visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Buchanan in Bradshaw, and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks.

Lt. and Mrs. Bill Graham and family of McAlester, Okla. visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Graham and Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Eaves on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Eaves and family of Weatherford visited with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Eaves on Thursday.

Joyce Joiner of Texas Tech at Lubbock spent the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Joiner.

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NEW SON FOR MR. AND MRS. JERRY WILSON

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wilson of Fort Worth announce the arrival of their son, Rodney, born November 22, 1966. He weighed seven pounds and eight ounces.

Maternal grandmother is Mrs. C. H. Varner of Desdemona.

Rodney's father is employed with General Dynamics in Fort Worth and will be remembered as the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks.

MR. & MRS. ALVIN FRASIER RETURN TO GORMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Frasier have moved back to Gorman from Loop where they lived for the past several years. They are in the process of remodeling the Cecil Thompson rent house.

Mr. Frasier is a plumber and will be associated in the plumbing business with his brother, Loftan Frasier.

Mr. and Mrs. Frasier have two sons, Johnny, age 10, in the fifth grade, and Darrel, age 9, and a fourth grader. The family are members of the Baptist Church.

We extend a warm welcome on the return of this fine family to our city.

Tommy Kirk of Texas Tech and David Kirk of Texas University were holiday visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Kirk.



REUNION CLIMAXES 50 YEAR SEARCH FOR COUSIN — The Wolfenbarger reunion held Thanksgiving Day at the Fire Hall climaxed a 50 year search of Mr. Jess Minter of Hurst, a cousin of the Wolfenbarger family. Families attending the Thanksgiving feast and reunion included Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thomas of Aransas Pass, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Thomas of Walters, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Clement and Brenda of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Grisham and Danna of Seminole, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wolfenbarger of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Grisham and boys of Seminole, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wright and boys of Desdemona, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bryan and family of Abilene, Shirley Clement of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Keesee and girls of Mesquite, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kelso and girls of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Roberts and boys of Irving, Mrs. Noma Harmon of Moody and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Minter and Richard of Hurst.

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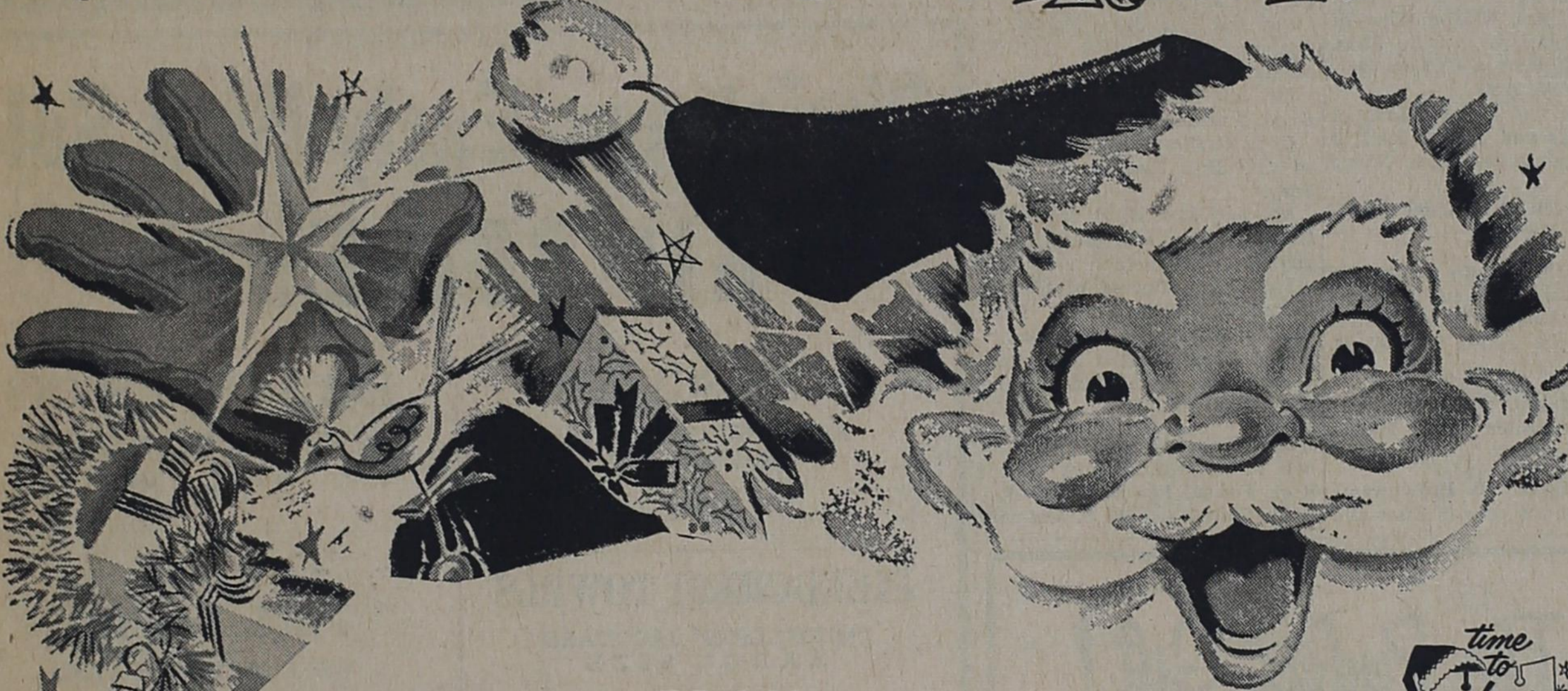
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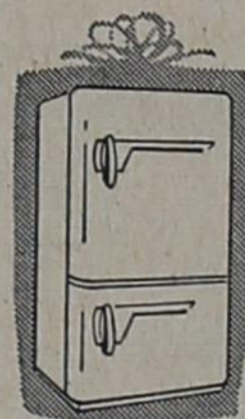
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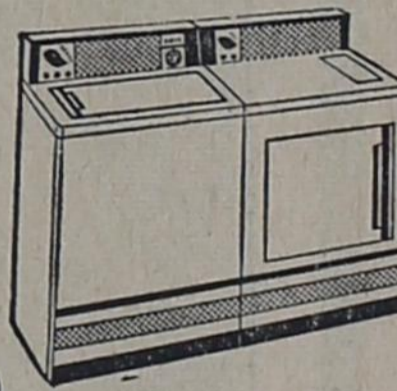
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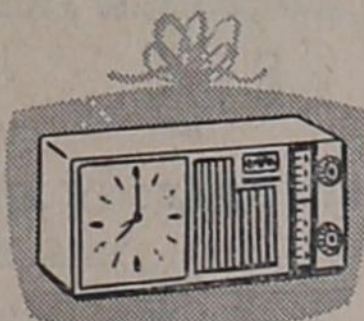
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NEWS FROM LAWNSDALE

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sharp and Marsha of Grand Prairie visited with Allie Seay.

Lucy Stoker of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Potter of Gorman visited with Helen Claxton.

Mrs. E. J. Grove of De Leon visited with Emma McKeenan.

Mrs. O. R. Buchanan of Gorman, Mrs. O. D. Phillips of Eastland, Mrs. Stanley Underwood and Laura of Eastland, Chester Hendersen of Gorman and J. D. Phillips of Fort Worth visited with Clemmie Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hunt of Fort Worth and Scythia Bagwell of Gorman visited with Ethel Ramsay.

Bill May of Denver, Colo. and Ed May of Uvalde visited with Katie May.

Lucy Hogan of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Hogan and children of Wilson, Mrs. B. L. Moseley of Gorman, Mamie Clement of Houston, Frank Clement of Houston, Gertrude Mahan of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. McGaha of Ranger, J. W. Bennett of Abilene, Dennie Colwell of Jacksboro and Suzette Hogan of Brownwood visited with W. S. McGaha.

Mrs. J. R. Matthews of Ranger and Lillie Ogle of Ranger visited with Maggie Hamilton.

Mrs. Ted Underwood of Gorman, Robert Rich of Denver City, Roy Maynard of Cisco, Irene Petree of Ranger and Mrs. Clem Rasberry of Eastland visited with Mrs. Ida Maynard.

Bernice Fraley of De Leon, Mrs. H. F. Skaggs of Gorman, Marilyn Warren of Gorman, Mrs. Billy Mitchell and Elaine Skaggs of Abilene, Mrs. Arlen Clement of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Skaggs of Abilene visited with Frank Skaggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Sims of Odessa visited with Ollie Sims.

Mr. E. L. Sims of Carbon visited with Tom Hale.

Everette and Alice Harris of Rising Star and Sam Petzell of Brownwood visited with Nancy Fountain.

Fern Green of Eastland visited with Asa Hoskins.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rodgers of Carbon, Lois Treadway of Mercury and Doris and Vera Mull of Comanche visited with W. B. Mull.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Craighead of Odessa visited with Maude Craighead.

Bobby Bible of Brownwood, Opal Bible and baby of Cisco and

Our Thought For The Week:
The man who does his share of the world's work hasn't much time left to criticize the other fellow's efforts.

Seems like old man winter is really coming in after all of this beautiful fall weather, which seems more like spring time.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Seals and Mrs. Emie Seals were visiting the A. D. Bryans Thursday night. Also visiting the Bryans on Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones.

The Dewey Lindleys and Mrs. Hoover and baby were visiting the Roy Parkers Thanksgiving day.

The Bruce Hirst family and Mr. Sam Wallace were dinner guests in the B. A. Hirst home Thanksgiving.

The Bill Lockes of Austin spent the weekend at home with the Rawls family.

The Jessie Atchisons spent last weekend in Fort Worth with their children.

Mrs. D. L. Bond spent the past week in Fort Worth with her brothers and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Mears spent the past week in Austin visiting their children.

Mr. Elmer Watson and daughter of Midland visited here over the weekend with the L. F. Mears and Watson families.

Rev. Lowell Dean Skaggs will bring the Sunday morning mes-

Audie Bible of Cisco visited with Lucy Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Overstreet of Madisonville and Mr. and Mrs. Almos Lasater of De Leon visited with Mary Overstreet.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Parker of Gorman visited with Dovie Mounce.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wood of Gorman visited with W. N. Wood.

Della Graham of Loraine visited with Hula Johnson and Allie Seay.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mears of Gorman visited with Lucy Smith and Sarah Tunnell.

Mrs. L. C. Rogers of Carbon visited with Rosa Potter, Rosa Seitem and Maude Craighead.

Mrs. Dema Morgan of Carbon visited with Rosa Potter and Mary Rankin.

Mrs. Velma Hastings of Carbon visited with Fannie Welch, Rosa Potter, Ida Maynard, Rebecca Shirey and W. S. McGaha.

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Holiday weekend guests of Mrs. Estelle Craddock and Lorena Clark were Kay Ann Craddock of Eules and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nix of Daingerfield.

Mrs. Shirley Key and family of Greenville were weekend visitors with her mother, Mrs. Effie Broom.

Linda Rodgers spent the holidays in Seminole with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rodgers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mears spent Thanksgiving day in Arlington with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mears, and spent the weekend in Houston with another son, Mr. and Mrs. Lee A. Mears and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Thompson of Kingsland visited this week with Mrs. George Blackwell.

Mrs. Fannye Burkett of Gorman and her daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Palmie of Austin spent the weekend in Abilene with another daughter, Mrs. Margaret Ellison. Mrs. Ellison left Dallas by plane Tuesday for Hawaii to attend the National Amateur Athletic Convention. She is National Committee Woman for Women's Track and Field and Delegate for the West Texas Amateur Athletic Association.

Mrs. M. E. Shell visited in La-

age at Oliver Springs. The public has a special invitation to come meet with us.

Mrs. Fannie Pullin of El Paso is visiting the Gilmore families.

Visiting the H. T. Rawls Sunday night were the A. D. Bryans, George Bells and the Homer Richardsons.

The H. T. Rawls were visiting the Burgess family last week.

mesa Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Hilley. The Hilleys have just completed their new home. It is of Spanish architecture and some of the furnishings and ornamentations for the home were purchased across the border.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Myrna Winters on Thanksgiving day were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mason

of Ballinger. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bryant were weekend visitors.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Holliday were Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Hogan and children of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Keller and children of Olden, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Norris and Diane and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Norris of Carbon, and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Powell of Kermit and their son, Jackie of Texas Tech.

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Bids Accepted For DeCordova Bend Conservation Project

The Brazos River Authority today announced acceptance of low bids by H. B. Zachry Company of San Antonio and Zach Burkett

Company of Graham for two construction projects on the DeCordova Bend Reservoir water conservation project in Hood County on the Brazos River.

Low bids of \$6,862,100 were made by Zachry for construction of the DeCordova Bend Dam and \$198,371 by Burkett for the construction of a dike to protect the City of Granbury's sewage treat-

ment plant.

Bids for construction of the two projects were opened by the Authority at its Waco offices on September 30. Zachry entered low bid, of five bids entered, for construction of the dam and Burkett entered the only bid for construction of the dike.

Col. Walter J. Wells said contracts have been mailed to the two companies for signing and he expects them to be returned, along with payment and performance bonds, within two weeks.

"At that time," Col. Wells said, "we expect to issue orders to proceed with construction of the project."

The two construction jobs are part of the \$16.3 million DeCordova Bend Reservoir project to be constructed, maintained and operated by the Brazos River Authority. Total cost of the project includes the two above contracts, costs of financing, engineering planning and design, relocation and modification of highways, railroads and utility lines, land acquisition for the reservoir area and supervision and administration of the entire project construction.

The DeCordova Bend Reservoir will contain about 155,000 acre feet of conservation water storage space when completed. It is the second of the Authority's dams constructed on the Brazos River. Possum Kingdom Lake, near Mineral Wells, was completed by the Authority in 1941 and contains more than 700,000 acre feet of water storage space.

In addition to the two water conservation projects, built, owned and operated by the Authority, the Authority also has purchased water conservation storage space in Lake Belton, Lake Proctor, Lake Stillhouse Hollow and Lake Somerville, all constructed on Brazos River tributaries by the U. S. Corps of Engineers. The Authority is cooperating with the

Jottings 'N Dottings

By Mrs. Wanda Chilton
Asst. Co. Home Dem. Agent
and Robert S. Cohen,
Asst. Co. Agric. Agent

The 1966 Make-It-Yourself With Wool Contest will be held in Denton, Saturday, December 3. The event will be on the campus of Texas Woman's University in the Household Arts and Sciences Department.

Miss Barbara Williams, Gorman 4-Her, will be modeling an all wool ensemble which she has made. The garment's construction will be judged prior to the revue, then judged on the girl as to fit, suitability to fabric, style, and girl as well as choice of accessories.

Barbara is to be commended for the fine work she is doing in her 4-H Clothing project.

During this week 37 delegates from the State of Texas have been representing this state at the 1966 National 4-H Club Congress. These 37 delegates are chosen by being winners in their project areas because they have submitted outstanding records of their project activities.

These 37 delegates from Texas are just part of the total 1600 member delegation from the Unit-

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ed States and Puerto Rico. All of these delegates receive all-expense paid trips to the Congress which is held in Chicago in the Conrad Hilton Hotel.

Beside having a banquet for nearly every meal during the 10 day meeting, the 1600 delegates are entertained by some of the nation's top entertainers, and are taken on many tours of Chicago. They also attend a late evening party almost every night.

The Cisco 4-H voted recently to bring toys to their Club Christmas Party which will be used to help with the Jaycettes project. The party will be December 6.

The checks from the State Fair of Texas have arrived in the Asst. County Agents office and some of these have already been distributed. I will distribute the rest of them as I am in your area.

The young men and women who had livestock in the State Fair of Texas earned a total of \$1,455.03. This includes \$191.43 in prize money for 12 animals.

All the animals from Eastland County that placed and were sold in the State Fair of Texas auction were slaughtered by Texas A&M University and cut-out information has been received on the three steers. Those of you who wish to see this data need only to come by the County Extension office and I will be happy to give you this information and an interpretation.

The Scramble Contests which are held in conjunction with the Houston and San Antonio Livestock Shows will have boys from Eastland County participating in each contest.

Those boys who will represent

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Eastland County 4-H Clubs at the San Antonio Livestock Show are Carter Housel of Rising Star and Frank Claborn of Eastland. Also, Bobby Lee will represent the County at the Houston Livestock Show.

Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dennis and R. C. Snider were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bickford and Cathy of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Arends and Denny, Janice and Jenny of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Levi Belyeu and Patsy of Sundown.

William Lee Jay of Texas Tech spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Jay. Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Allen visited last week in Lubbock with her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Billy C. Pittman. Richard Pittman accompanied them home for the holidays.



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Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Cantrell and family of Deer Park, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones and Cathy of Stamford and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Bassett of Odessa spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Roberts.

Mrs. Vada Emory of Fort Worth is visiting this week with Mrs. Lora Wyatt.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. C. R. Rodgers of Cheaney were his children, Mrs. Veda Adams and Larry of McGregor and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Craddock of Grand Prairie, who remained for a weeks vacation.

Juanava and Karen Collins of Sweetwater visited with friends here Sunday and attended church services at First Methodist Church Sunday morning.

Pat McCormick of Waco spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Alvena Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Beschomer, Kay and Brenda of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Smith, Deborah and Billy of Irving, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ray Yarbrough of Stephenville spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Yarbrough.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Welch during the Thanksgiving holidays were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Douglas and Mrs. Clara Douglas of Olney, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welch and family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Huff and boys of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Welch and family of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Welch and boys of Fort Worth, Mrs. Virginia Hogan and Paula of Abilene, and James Smith and family of Cartersville, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Phillips and Jim of Texarkana, Arkansas spent Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harrison and Jackie.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McKinley and A. L. McKinley of Pauls Valley, Oklahoma visited three days this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Buntin and attended the funeral of their uncle, Mr. J. C. Grice.

Mrs. Glenda Hese is making her home with her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Grice, while her husband is away on a tour of duty with the U. S. Air Force.

Wednesday to Saturday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bohannon were their daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Eddie Overstreet and family of Grand Prairie. Other guests were Emmett Maness and Verna Ruth Music and her son, Lee Putty of Iredell, and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Johnson of Lake Leon.

Mrs. Gaston Gooch and Jan Westre and Jack Gilbert of Corsicana spent the weekend with Mrs. H. R. Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gilbert.

Mrs. Jimmy Dean of Dallas visited from the 20th to 22nd with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Shell, and Mrs. Frank Dean. Mrs. Dean and Mrs. Shell accompanied her home on Tuesday for the Thanksgiving holiday. They returned home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Spense and family of Iraan spent Thanksgiving holidays with her mother, Mrs. A. N. Turner.

Terry and Marilyn Shell of Texas University spent the week

end holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Shell.

Martha Preston of Abilene was a weekend visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simpson, Odie Brightwell and Mr. and Mrs. Odell Bethany of De Leon attended the funeral of their nephew, Bobby Warren, held Friday in Hamilton. Others who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Crofford Thurman, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Earl Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Westmoreland, Mrs. Cecil Thompson, and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Stacy and family. Bobby was the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Westmoreland and was born in Gorman in 1928.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Smith and family spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith, in Lubbock.

Kermitt Wilson of the U. S. Navy has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Wilson of Stephenville. He also visited here with his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Milt Wilson. Third Class Petty Officer Wilson enlisted in September of 1965 and has served tours of duty in Japan, Hong Kong, Viet Nam and Hawaii. He will attend a two month's radio school when he returns to San Diego and will spend four months on Treasure Island attending radio school.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Babcock of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Reese of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Shipp of Glade-water, Mrs. Grace Frances of Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. Carter Hart and daughters of Hurst, Mrs. O. B. Poynor and Miriam of Ranger, John Robertson of Houston and Miss Clara Ann Shipp and Ann Watson of Abilene Christian College.

Rev. and Mrs. Don Smith and Scott of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Short and Mrs. D. W. Smith of De Leon and Mr. and Mrs. Omar Moore of Marlin were holiday visitors in the home of Mrs. Donna Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wheeler of Denton spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Blair and Mrs. John Wheeler.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Etha Pittman were Mrs. Pauline McCarthy of Tye and Mrs. Jo Ann Boyd and daughter, Shelly of Abilene. A sister, Mrs. Mayeliner Schow of Clifton, visited on Tuesday.

Sharon Young of NTSU spent the Thanksgiving weekend with Elizabeth Parr.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lee, John Edward Clark and David Wayne Fulberg of Hurst visited Mr. and Mrs. George Hollifield Thursday and the boys remained for a week end visit.

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