

CARLTON

By MRS. FRED GEYE

Mrs. Lutha Williams and children, Ann, Jimmy and Pat of Jacksboro spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pierce.

Mrs. R. L. Hopson and Carole Jean of Dallas were visitors Thanksgiving Day with her mother and brother, Mrs. Marie Turner and Sam.

Visitors over the week end and Sunday with their mother and aunt, Mrs. Pearl Fisher, were Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Ford of Fort Hood, their daughter and family of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Williamson and sons of Hugo, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ford of Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stuckey of Waco, and Mr. and Mrs. Woody Wilson of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rainwater were holiday visitors at Midland with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gregory and children.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Becton visited during the holidays at Kerrville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Stark.

Weaver Ballard, employed at Slaton, spent the holidays with his parents and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Ballard and children and Mrs. Myrtle Hyles.

Moody Bell of Dallas visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Dock Finley.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Thompson of Fort Worth were week end visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson, Virginia and Roy.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellison of Crosbyton and Mrs. Alton Parks and Rickey of Fort Worth visited during the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Whitehead.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warren and Carrie Susan of Dublin visited Thanksgiving Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye and her sister, Mrs. Dow Self and sons.

All the college students were home for the holidays. They are Virginia Thompson, Linda Harbour, Theon Thetford, Joe Coffman and Connie Mack Self.

Mrs. Bertha Mehaffey of Gorman, who teaches in Cisco and Mrs. J. O. Helms of Evant visited Friday afternoon with their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Whitehead spent Sunday in Stephenville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright.

Mrs. Grady Littleton and Annette of San Angelo were holiday visitors with her mother and sister, Mrs. Charley Dyer and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan Jr.

Mrs. Chester Sylvester and son, David of Cotton Center, accompanied her husband at Carlton Thursday to visit with Carlton friends and to attend the program at the church Friday night.

Mrs. J. T. Dean and son, Vick, of Yukon, Oklahoma, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Hall.

Shirley and Cathey Cogburn of Dublin spent the week end with their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cogburn.

Unity Baptist Chapel

Dwight E. Lusk, Pastor
Roy Adkison, Mission Director

Schedule of Services
Morning Preaching, 10 a.m.
Sunday School, 11 a.m.
Evening Preaching, 6:45 p.m.
Training Union, 7:45 p.m.

Miss Rodgers Honored By Carlton Church For 50 Years Service

The Carlton Baptist Church honored Miss Mattie Rodgers Friday night at 7 p.m. The occasion commemorated 50 consecutive years as teacher of the junior girls.

The speaker for the evening was a former pastor of the Carlton church for five years, and now is pastor at Cotton Center. He paid highest tribute to Miss Rodgers for the loyalty and faithfulness to her master and her church through all these years.

Her brother, Rev. Will Rodgers of Littleville, made a short talk and the four Stroud Sisters sang several beautiful songs.

Miss Rodgers was presented a lovely bed spread, a rug, and corsage from the church. Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Dawson of Hico gave her a book.

Cake, punch, nuts and mints were served to all the guests.

Carlton Boy Closes Collegiate Career On Successful Note

Theon Thetford, one-time Carlton six-man football star and later a Tarleton State College standout, wound up his collegiate career last Saturday by scoring two touchdowns to lead North Texas State College Eagles to a 21-10 victory over the University of Louisville.

Thetford took a pass from Quarterback Robert Duty for the first touchdown on a play that covered 80 yards, and then scored the Eagles' final touchdown on a dazzling 35 yard burst through the middle of the Lions. The Eagles, with a 7-2 record, are champions of the Missouri Valley Conference.

Thetford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Thetford of Carlton.

IREDELL ITEMS

By MRS. C. A. MITCHELL

Mr. C. A. Mitchell was admitted to Holt Hospital Thursday afternoon.

Bobby Jack Wilson spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Loren Wilson.

Mrs. Minnie Falls went to Dallas Tuesday to spend the holidays with her children.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Carter, Mr. Andrew Brown and Elmer Brown of Dallas visited their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mitchell Saturday at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bernhardt and daughter of Dallas spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mitchell.

Mr. Virgil Weatherland and son, Bill, of Houston spent several days here on business.

Mrs. Roy Davis and son, Ronnie visited Mrs. Juanita Davis Friday.

Mrs. Rance Phillips, Mrs. Loyd Hanshaw and Mrs. Emmett Maness spent the holidays in Crane with their husbands.

Mrs. Emily Schumacher, who underwent surgery in Stephenville Hospital the first of the week, is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Auther Dunlap and children returned home from Snyder where he is employed. Mrs. Dunlap and children remained at home.

Mrs. Cecil Scott surprised her son, Wayland, with a birthday party Saturday afternoon. Several attended and reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Duncan of

CARD OF THANKS

I want to take this method of thanking the Carlton Baptist Church and any others who had a part in the honoring services at the church Friday evening.

Miss Mattie Rodgers.

Fire Alarm System Explained

Along with the conversion of the local telephone system into a new method of turning in fire alarms also into effect.

People reporting fires are urged to be sure that the person taking the call has received all information before hanging up the receiver.

Four telephones have been installed for fire calls, one in the City Hall, and three in homes of firemen. The City Hall will take most of the daylight calls, while the firemen will handle others.

The number to dial is SY 6-4200, and residents are urged to please speak clearly, be calm, and make sure the fire department gets the call. When the above mentioned number is dialed the alarm will automatically be turned in, but when one of the firemen takes the message from the caller, there is no way of knowing where the location of the fire is.



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CLAIRETTE

By MRS. LUCILE MAYFIELD

DEBORAH PRUETT DIED WITH BRIDAL FRIDAY NIGHT

A crowd attended the bride Friday night in the home of Mrs. J. R. Wolfe, Miss Deborah Pruett, daughter of Jimmy Marshall. She received many nice gifts. After the gifts were opened, coffee, cake and candies were served. Those attending were Rev. Jackson of Fort Worth, Mrs. Joe Autrey and Mr. and Mrs. George Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Rose Mary, all of Greenville, Mrs. Gene Cornhill and Mrs. Bradford Hamilton and Mrs. Bradford Hamilton of San Antonio. Mrs. Reba Carter and Mrs. Lucile

are both students at Texas Tech, Lubbock, and were home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Eight-tenths of an inch of rain fell Sunday night and still raining today, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Miles and children of Weatherford visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Huckabee and sons, Gerald and W. A.

We are glad to report Gerald Huckabee able to go back to his job at the sewing room in Dublin Monday after having an attack of gland fever several days ago.

Mrs. W. G. Behrens had her two sons from Fort Worth home recently. While here they enjoyed hunting raccoons and rabbits.

Mayfield attended the Eastern Star school of instruction for District 3, Section 7 of Texas at Gatesville last Monday.

Last report from Mrs. John Burks, who is in a Wichita Falls hospital, was that she was doing fairly well.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Auvermann had their son, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Auvermann and daughter of Dallas, and their daughter, Mrs. Bradford Wood and children of San Antonio home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wolfe and family of Brownwood spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall and son, Jimmy, and Deborah Pruett had Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cornelius and family of Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson of Dickenson visited part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thompson of Colorado City visited relatives here the past week end.

The Methodist Sunday School will have a Christmas program at the church Monday night, December 22.

Miss Deborah Pruett and Jimmy Marshall, who are students at Texas Tech, spent Thanksgiving here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pruett and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Pruett of Loving, New Mexico, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pruett.

Mr. and Mrs. Fieldon Haley had all their children home Sunday.

Mrs. Zena Havens left Dallas Thursday by plane for Long Island New York, where she will visit her son, Major J. J. Havens and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Griffiths and Mr. and Mrs. Griffin Walker of Stephenville visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Deward Head.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rush spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Dallas with his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Martin had a family reunion Sunday at the Community Center. All the children were not present. Mr. and Mrs. Martin returned home with their daughter, Mrs. Helen Maddock Monday to spend the winter.

Melvin Self of Fort Worth visited his mother, Mrs. H. K. Self during the week end.

Authe Auvermann underwent major surgery Monday morning in Hico Hospital.

Mrs. Dick Sampson of Spur is

COUNTY AGENT REPORTS

By E. R. LAWRENCE

I have just received information from the Social Security office which I believe will be of value to some of you.

As you know, some changes were made in the Social Security Law by recent Congress. Some of these changes are: 1. Benefit payments have been increased. 2. Maximum family benefits were increased to \$254 per month. 3. Dependents of persons qualifying for disability payments are now eligible for payments. 4. All benefits are payable in full even though a veteran's pension or other pensions are being received.

To qualify for these benefits, a person must pay social security taxes regularly over a period of years. For example, a farmer born in January 1904 will need 9 years credit to be eligible for any retirement benefits at age 65, and he will need 13 years credit to get the best advantage of the program. Of course, if he becomes disabled or dies before reaching age 65, he will not need that much credit for disability benefits or survivors benefits.

As you know, all farm operators who make a profit of \$400 or more in a year are covered by the Social Security Law, and they must file an income tax return and pay the small self-employment tax at the end of the year. This gives them one years credit.

But what about the year they have heavy expenses and do not make as much as \$400 profit. Congress provided a special option for farmers and ranchers so they could keep their social security paid up even if they did not make \$400 profit.

This option works this way. If a farmer's gross income is \$600 or more in a year, he may get social security credit up to \$1200 by paying the tax on two thirds of his gross farm income up to \$1800. Since the Internal Revenue Code requires all persons who gross \$600

visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Authe Auvermann.

In a year to file an income tax return anyway, this does not require a special return. If you have any questions or problems on your Social Security, a representative from the Temple office makes monthly visits to Hico and Hamilton for the purpose of answering these questions.

A representative from the office will be in Hico next Tuesday, December 9, at 10 a.m., at the City Hall.

Some farm operators are under some misconceptions about the Social Security law, such as: 1. believing that 2 or 3 years coverage is all they need for benefits, and 2. the program is on a volunteer basis.

Rural mail carriers and postmasters are distributing about 35,000 Livestock Survey cards to live stock farmers, ranchers and poultrymen in Texas. This job which the Post Office and Agriculture Departments have made each year since 1924 provides the basic information to the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service at Austin for estimating number of cattle, hogs, sheep, chickens and goats in Texas. If you receive one

IT'S THE LAW—

THINK BEFORE SIGNING

Whenever you are asked to sign something, your signature should be a warning signal that in some way you may become legally obligated by what you sign.

Usually you are asked to sign something as a result of a business transaction, such as a contract, a receipt, an order, a release, an option, a mortgage or a deed. For your own protection, you should clearly understand what you sign, why you are signing it, and what the consequences may be. It is rare possible for a person who has signed a document to avoid its legal effects.

You can decrease your legal risks by always taking these precautions before you sign anything: 1. Know what you are signing and what the document contains. Understand clearly what it means. Don't be confused by its title—a "statement" may be a release of all your claims, or a "contract" may be a negotiable promissory

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2. Read everything in any document. Clauses in fine print may be important. Remember, too, that oral promises not included in writing may be unenforceable. Take nothing for granted.

3. Check and verify the document. Be sure the dates, prices, names and conditions filled in are correct. You are bound by what it says; not by what you thought it said.

4. Ask questions. Inquire about conditions and items of importance to you. Don't sign unless you understand what it means. Language clearly stating what you want can be inserted. If substantial sums are involved, consult with your attorney.

5. Retain a copy. Be sure the proper persons sign, request and retain a copy. Record it, if necessary, with the proper official.

Like your fingerprint, your signature is unique. No one else has one exactly like. Only you can sign it, and affixing it may set into motion events of great legal consequences. Treat it with the importance it deserves, and do not bestow it carelessly. If in doubt seek information and advice.

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Personal Mention . . .

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith of Temple were here the past week visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Jenkins and Danny and Mrs. Red Lackey and sons, Mike, Pat and Jim Bill were in Waco Saturday on business and attended the Baylor-Rice football game. Saturday was Scout Day at Baylor and Danny and Jim Bill were among the many Cub Scouts attending.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hampton were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. French and daughters of McGregor. They also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy French.

Mr. Frank Mingus has returned home following a three-week visit in Ganado with his daughter and family, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Bauknight. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Bauknight and a friend, Mrs. Kirby.

Miss Louise Blair and Miss Betty Stephen of Dallas visited in San Angelo last week end in the home of Miss Stephen's mother, Mrs. Seal.

Week end guests in the home of Mrs. B. B. Gamble was her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gamble and daughter of Fort Worth. The Gambles were here to attend the Memorial presentation made by residents of Route 3, Hico, to his late father, B. B. Gamble, Sunday at First Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Mattox and son of Grand Prairie were week end guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevens and children of Arlington were Thanksgiving guests in the home of her mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mingus.

Mrs. Mollie Harvey returned home Saturday afternoon from a two-week visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Thomason at Fredericksburg. Mrs. Thomason and daughter brought her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jones of Dublin and Mrs. Mollie Harvey visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tullio Carpenter and family.

VISITING IN CALIF.

Mrs. Daisy Dankers left last week end for San Pedro, Calif. where she will visit with her son and family, M-Sgt. and Mrs. Jack Dankers and children. Mrs. Dankers accompanied her son and family, who were here visiting, and also visiting her family at Goldthwaite.

ATTENDS FUNERAL

Mrs. Ethel Stewart and Mrs. E. H. Couch were called to Comanche November 18 following the death of their niece, Mrs. Fanie Matlock, who passed away there. The ladies remained in Comanche to attend the funeral services, held Friday, November 21.

On the Home Range

By MRS. VIVIAN BLAIR
Home Demonstration Agent

Christmas time is near enough that some of the preparations are being made right now. Have you made fruit cakes yet? It is time if you want yours to age any and they are better if you can keep them for a while. Some cookie recipes will keep too.

And for those of you who are using a home freezer preparations can start well in advance for that extra Christmas cooking.

Don't forget that Christmas foods make one of the very nicest gifts. Especially are these appreciated by those of your friends who for one reason or another do not have time to do a great deal of baking.

In the past I have included a dark fruit cake, a date nut loaf cake, and now I will give you a recipe for a white fruit cake that I believe you will add to your list of favorites.

WHITE FRUIT CAKE

- 1 cup butter or margarine
- 3 cups sugar
- 4 cups flour
- 1 cup milk
- 3 teaspoons baking powder
- 8 egg whites, well beaten
- 1 medium coconut (grated)
- 1/2 pound candied pineapple
- 1 pound citron or drained watermelon rind preserves
- 1 pound candied cherries
- 4 cups pecans
- 1 cup almonds (blanched)

Leave cherries and pecans whole. Chop almonds. Cut candied fruit into inch cubes. Grate fresh coconut. Combine fruits and nuts and sprinkle with flour. Cream butter or margarine; add sugar gradually and beat until well blended and light. Sift flour, measure and combine with baking powder. Add flour and milk alternately to the mixture, beginning and ending with flour. Add fruits and nuts. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Grease two one-pound bread pans. Line with brown paper cut to fit pans and extend one inch above pans. Grease paper. Pack

batter firmly into pans with hands. Cover top with waxed paper and place pan of water in oven under cake. Bake in 250 degree oven for about 2 hours. Remove cover from top of cake during last 15 minutes of baking.

FRUIT CAKE COOKIES

Here is another favorite recipe that you will like.

- Half cup butter or margarine
 - two-thirds cup brown sugar
 - 1 egg, beaten
 - 1 teaspoon soda
 - One and a half tablespoons milk
 - One and a half cups flour
 - 1 teaspoon cinnamon
 - 1 teaspoon nutmeg
 - 1 teaspoon allspice
 - 1 teaspoon cloves
 - Fourth teaspoon salt
 - fourth cup fruit juice
 - 1 pound candied pineapple
 - 4 cups pecans
- Cream butter or margarine and sugar. Beat in the egg. Dissolve soda in the milk. Sift together the flour, cinnamon, nutmeg, allspice, cloves and salt. Add the dry ingredients, alternately with the milk and fruit juice, to the fat and sugar mixture. Mix in fruit and nuts. Drop by spoonful on greased baking sheets. Bake at 300 degrees for 20 to 30 minutes.

MR. AND MRS. JENKINS ENTERTAIN GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Jenkins and son, Danny, entertained at their home last Thursday with a Thanks-giving dinner.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lotus Gosdin and James Lee, Mr. and Mrs. George Holladay, Judy and Geoffrey, Mrs. Georgia Williams and Debra, and Miss Marilyn Cantrell of Morgan Mill, who is a classmate of Miss Holladay and Mrs. Williams at Tarleton.

Visitors last week with Mrs. E. H. Couch and Mrs. Ethel Stewart were Mrs. Joe W. Smith of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Carter, Carol and Sandra, of Knox City.

Mrs. J. E. Burlison of Coleman spent Thanksgiving here with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Randalls Jr., Barbara and James Hord.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mrs. Hord Randalls were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shelton and family and Miss Sandra Self of Fort Worth, Miss Winnie Eakins and Mr. Theron Eakins of Dallas.

Iredell Baptist Church

CHARLES RICE, Pastor

COMMITMENT DAY

Sunday, December 7, is Commitment Day. Every member of the church and Sunday School will have an opportunity to commit himself to Christian stewardship. The special commitment service will be held at the regular Sunday School hour. Mr. A. J. Roach is chairman of the Budget Commitment Committee.

The sixteen classes of the Sunday School have each been assigned goals for commitments, tithes, and weekly contributions.

DEDICATION OF NEW EDUCATIONAL BUILDING SLATED DECEMBER 14

December 14 is the day for dedication of the new building. The formal dedication will take place at the morning worship service. The date for the service was changed from December 7 due to construction delays.

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CORRECTION

Instead of Hunters Sinclair Service Station, the copy should have read COOPERS SINCLAIR SERV. STA. in last week's Christmas Bonus Day advertisement listing the participating merchants.



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- GERBERS STRAINED (Except Meat) Baby Food 3/25¢
- NO. 2 CAN WOLFE Chili 65¢
- 503 CAN CONCHO Tomatoes 10¢
- 6 OZ. PKG. HERSHEY'S Dainties 25¢
- 24 OZ. WHITE SWAN Syrup 29¢
- 2 LBS. AUNT JEMIMA Pancake Mix 35¢

—Frozen Foods—

- 8 OUNCE SWANSONS Chicken, Turkey Meat Pies 25¢
- 6 OUNCE GARDEN GATE Orange Ju. 4/9¢
- 10 OUNCE PKG. GARDEN GATE LEAF Spinach 2/27¢
- Fresh Vegetables
- 10 POUND BAG RUSSET Potatoes 43¢
- 5 POUND BAG Grapefruit 33¢
- DELICIOUS Apples 2 lbs. 25¢
- Market Specials—
- TALL KORN Bacon lb. 49¢
- AMERICAN Cheese lb. 49¢
- 1 LB. ROLL WILSONS Sausage 3/\$1.00

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Visitors Here and There During Thanksgiving Holidays . . .

Vivian Blair and daughter, Catherine and Ellen, spent Thanksgiving in Willsboro with mother, Mrs. P. T. Hammack.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mrs. Roy Seal were Mrs. Van Simpson and Mrs. of Houston and Dan Seal.

Mrs. Keith Appleby and daughter, El Paso, spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. T. Appleby. They left Sunday for their home in Dallas, accompanied by Mrs. Appleby.

Mrs. B. R. Alexander spent Thanksgiving Day and Friday in Fort Worth visiting relatives and friends.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Burdette were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy and Mike of Freer, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Burnett and George of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Gene and daughters, Sherry and Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff and sons, Dean and John, and Miss Joy Little and Raymond Lane of Hico.

Miss Davis of Arlington State spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Davis and Nancy.

Thanksgiving visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Davis and Nancy were Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Stringer and children of Crane, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Upham and Gary of Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. Y. A. Russ of Dallas, and Mrs. L. B. Hubbard of Dallas.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Ables during the Thanksgiving holidays were Aze and Mrs. Roy A. Ables and son of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ables and baby of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Crawford and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ables and family, Mrs. Opal Adams and Janice of Hamilton, Keith Jones of Pasadena, Mr. and Mrs. Audie Clark and family of Fairy, Mrs. James Abel of Priddy, and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Edmondson of Olin.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Knight were Wendell and Joe Knight of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunn and daughter of Austin, and Lee Flowers of Duffau.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. East and Ronnie, and Mrs. A. J. Jordan spent Thanksgiving in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stidham. Other relatives who were dinner guests with the Stidhams were Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Jordan of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. West of Waco.

Mrs. Barto Gamble spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Fort Worth with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gamble and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neel and four children of Brownfield spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neel. The four children remained here with their grandparents while their parents made a trip to East Texas Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Ross and little daughter, Nicki, of College Station, spent Thanksgiving here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Higginbotham and Kathy and Mr. and Mrs. Watt Ross.

Dr. and Mrs. Al Vickers and children of Austin spent Thanksgiving here with her family, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ramage. Mrs. Vickers and children remained until Sunday, and were accompanied home by her parents who visited in Austin this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Burgan of Grand Prairie spent Thanksgiving Day here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lowe and Mike. Also visiting the Lowes were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ellis and children, Sherry, Randy and Terry, of Fort Worth.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ray over the Thanksgiving holidays were Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Wood, Mrs. Brooks McPherson, Mrs. F. H. Croft and children, Danny, Joyce and F. H. Jr., all of Stephenville; Mrs. Marvin Eilers and baby, Ricky Lynn of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Lowery of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ray and children, Jimmie and Cheryl of Miami, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ray Jr. and children, Johnny, Sheila and Sharon of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Keeney and Butch of Waco visited Wednesday night and Thanksgiving Day in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy French.

Holiday guests in the home of Mrs. John Prater were J. R. Prater and family of Lubbock, M. L. Prater and family of Terrell, W. B. Prater and family of Fort Worth, Lee Prater and family of Fairy, Carl Weise and family of Fairy, Bob Prater, Mrs. Rucker and Mrs. Tom Connally, all of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Malone and Mary of Waco, Mrs. W. L. Malone and Mrs. June Saunders of Hico, and Mr. and Mrs. Pierce McBride of Dallas spent Thanksgiving in Lubbock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Bramblett.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Meador and Denna, Mrs. Nettie Meador and Mrs. Sarah Reeves and sons, Mike and Danny, spent Thanksgiving Day in Waco in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Simpson. They also attended the wedding of Miss Scherry Seago and Mr. John Chapman in Waco Thanksgiving evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Woodruff of Duncan, Okla. spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Tyrus King.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lusk Randals were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Verduco and children of Lake Charles, La., Mr. and Mrs. Sid Castles and children of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Luskie Randals and children of Dublin.

Mrs. Ernest Walker and daughter, Diana, of Odessa, spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Miller. They also visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cheek and children.

Visitors during the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. A. A. Vickrey were Mr. and Mrs. James Ross and daughters, Judy and Sherry from San Angelo, and Miss Frances Vickrey of Midland.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Everett were Mrs. H. M. Everett Sr., Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Everett Jr. and Jimmy Mack of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Eckardt and daughters, Kitty and Paulette, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Conerly and daughters, Sandra and Cathy, all of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Ethel Lackey and Miss Florence Chenault.

Thanksgiving Day visitors in the home of Mrs. Florence Blackburn were her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gage and Jerry Jr. of Waco. Sunday afternoon visitors with Mrs. Blackburn were her adopted niece and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter and son of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dunlop and children, Penny, Diane and Milt spent Thanksgiving Day in Hamilton with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunlop. Mrs. Dunlop and children visited Friday and Saturday in Brownwood with her mother, Mrs. Clifford Hampton.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Shepherd the past week were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Greene and Brenda of Abilene, their son, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Shepherd, LeeAnn and Janis of Phoenix, Arizona, and their granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Reppy Guitler of Lubbock.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brown were Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and children of Albuquerque, N. Mex., Mrs. Warren Cutright and children from Houston; Mrs. Mary Horton, David and Margo of San Angelo; Rudolph Brown of San Angelo; and Kenneth Brown of Fort Worth.



MRS. JOHN BARNES CHAPMAN

CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE

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Thanksgiving Rites Unite Miss Seago, Mr. Chapman

Miss Scherry Dell Seago and John Barnes Chapman were married in Herring Avenue Methodist Church Thanksgiving evening on the 34th wedding anniversary of the bride's parents.

Preceding the ceremony, solemnized by Rev. S. Wayne Reynolds, Dan and David Seilheimer of Fort Worth, the bride's cousins, lit altar candles. Wedding music was by Rev. Ray Starnes, soloist, and Mrs. Starnes, organist.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Della Seago of 1921 Reuter Avenue, Waco, wore a gown of bridal white satin with bateau neckline outlined with Alencon lace re-embroidered with seed pearls and paillettes. The full skirt extended into a court train, and her veil, highlighted with tiny seed pearls and opalescent sequins, fell from a Chantilly lace coronet. She carried white orchids, and for sentiment, wore a locket which her grandmother and mother had worn in their weddings.

Mrs. W. D. Kelley of Midland was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Althea Dee Chapman of Hewitt, sister of the bridegroom, Mrs. W. C. Fisher of Fort Worth, Miss Paula McBride of Edwards, AFE, Calif., and Miss Carol Ann Bright of Waco. They were identically attired in sapphire blue taffeta formal with full skirts and basque bodices. They wore matching velveteen half-hats, and carried cascades of autumn shaded chrysanthemums with bronzed croton foliage. Carol Payne of Dallas, the bride's cousin, was flower girl.

Mr. Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Charles Chapman of Hewitt, had his father as his best man. Groomsmen and ushers were Perry Bolger of Snyder, the bridegroom's cousin; his uncle, Harold Bolger of Waco; W. C. Fisher, Fort Worth, and Charles Pederson of Waco.

A reception followed the ceremony in the church fellowship hall with Mr. and Mrs. Seago hosts.

Christmas Luncheon Planned by Garden Club Members

Don't forget the Christmas Luncheon December 12. Invite a guest if you wish and let the luncheon committee know if you plan to attend.

The arrangement calendars are for sale and on display at Hico Florist. Pick up your copy.

Now is the time to transplant camellias. Get yours out early for growth and bloom. The blooming period lasts for three or four months.

Reporter.

Sandena Hicks Honored On 12th Birthday

Mrs. Eugene Hicks honored her daughter, Sandena, with a party on her twelfth birthday Friday night, November 28. Various games were played and favors of ball and jacks sets were given.

Refreshments of tuna sandwich, potato chips, cookies, and punch were served to Bobbye Jaggers, Leona Carmichael, Sharon Howard, Kay Cheek, and Claudia Hafer.

Mrs. Randals Hostess To Luncheon Club

Mrs. E. H. Randals Jr. was hostess at a luncheon-bridge for members and guests of the Wednesday Luncheon Bridge Club last week.

A Thanksgiving theme was carried out in decorations and arrangements of fall flowers which decorated the entertaining rooms.

Guests of the club were Mrs. Ray Cheek and Mrs. Sandy Ogle. Members attending were Mrs. H. V. Hedges, Mrs. Odie Peticik, Mrs. W. F. Hafer, Mrs. Bill Howard, Mrs. Bill Stearman and Mrs. Truman Roberts of Hamilton.

Mrs. Hedges held high score, with Mrs. Hafer winning second high score.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson returned home Friday from a weeks visit in West Texas with relatives. In Abernathy they visited in the home of Mrs. Dave Higginbotham and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. George Simpson and family. They also visited in Levelland in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson Jr. and family, where they enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smart Observes 67th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smart celebrated their 67th wedding anniversary with a family gathering at home here Thanksgiving Day. Ten of their 10 children, 17 grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren attended.

The Smarts were married at Hill County November 25, 1891 and Mrs. Smart is He was born near Longview moved to Johnson County 1881, in time to see the Santa railroad tracks laid near his home. His wife, the former Miss Prude Roie, is a native of Johnson County.

After their marriage they lived in Hill County until 1918, when they moved to Erath County, where they lived near Bluff Dale and later Duffau. They have resided in Hico since 1950.

The couple's children are Mrs. Olson, Gilbert S. Smart and Frank Schiller, all of Fort Worth, Mrs. John G. Jackson of Manges, John S. Smart of Denison, Harrison Smart of Bluff Dale, Emmett Smart of Alexander, Mrs. George Arnold of Hico and Carl Roy Smart of Astoria, Ore.

Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Smart, Mrs. Frank Schiller, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Jackson, Mrs. John S. Smart, Mrs. George Arnold of Hico and Carl Roy Smart of Astoria, Ore.

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Woman's Society Met Monday at Church

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the Methodist Church Monday afternoon, December 1, for the third lesson in the study, "Understanding Other Cultures."

Mrs. H. N. Wolfe was in charge and requested Mrs. Owen to open the meeting with prayer. Mrs. Loden gave the devotional.

Mrs. Morse Ross, program leader, was assisted by Mrs. Peticik, Mrs. Hale, Mrs. Hord Randals and others taking part in open discussion of other cultures throughout the world.

The next and last lesson will be the sixth chapter in the Text Book. The group will meet at the church December 8.

Reporter.

Mrs. Walter Abel Hostess to Fairy Club Last Tuesday

The Fairy Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday afternoon, November 25, in the home of Mrs. Walter Abel. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. G. K. Lewallen, president.

After a short business session the program was given by Mrs. Blair, County H. D. Agent. The program was on "How Blue are Blue Chips."

The meeting was adjourned to meet December 9 for the annual Christmas program, to be given by Mrs. Hazel Hill at Fairy School Gym at 2 p.m.

Those present were Mrs. Lewallen, Mrs. Jesse Rainwater, Mrs. W. E. Cunningham, Mrs. A. B. Clark, Mrs. J. J. Jones Jr., Mrs. Lee Miller, Mrs. Cecil Mercer, one visitor, Mrs. Roy Ables, and Mrs. Blair.

Reporter.

Nellye Wolfe Honored On Tenth Birthday

Mrs. Woodrow Wolfe honored her daughter, Nellye, with a party Wednesday afternoon, December 3, at their home near Hico. The occasion marked the honoree's tenth birthday.

Guests were Shirley Timberlake, Carolyn Wooton, Cindra Lewallen, Denna Meador, Barbara Anderson, Barbara Casey, Cathy Cryer, Sharon Howard, Margo, Jean and Jim Wolfe.

Refreshments of cake and punch were served, with favors of bubble gum and balloons being given. Games were played during the afternoon.

Mrs. Leona Box of Hamilton visited Monday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson.

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FAIRY

By MRS. EUNICE DANIEL

We have received about one and four-tenths inches of rain since our last writing, most of which fell slowly Sunday night.

New dial telephones were installed here last Thursday week. All seemed kinda confusing at first, as on rural lines every subscriber has a different number from each box on the line. We were not informed of this by the employees of the company and had to learn it the hard way, but after a few days, got it figured out. There are seven subscribers on our party line, therefore each has seven different numbers. The brain work of man is getting things

down pretty keen. Mrs. J. C. Kenny, Mrs. Robert Streater and Mrs. J. A. Edwards were joint hostesses for a housewarming honoring Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones and family of the Lanham community last Saturday night, who recently completed a remodeling job at their home. Some sixty guests were present and many who were unable to attend sent gifts. They received a nice assortment of useful gifts. Refreshments of coffee and cake was served to those present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover visited at the Hamilton rest home last Sunday afternoon. We were sorry to learn that Mrs. Brittle Little of the home has been ill the past several days and her roommate, Mrs. Wallace, a patient in the Hico Hospital. We hope both will soon be much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Porterfield and baby of Garard were visiting here Monday and Tuesday with his father, Walter Porterfield and other relatives.

Mack Broyles of Evant, who suffered a severe heart attack recently and was a patient at the Hamilton Hospital for several weeks, improved sufficiently to return home early last week, but had to return to the hospital in a few days. He is a brother-in-law of Pedro Jones and brother of C. M. Broyles of Lanham. He was reared at Lanham.

Irvin Jones underwent major surgery in a Dallas hospital last week. His brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Leta Jones and their son, Rev. Wesley Jones, all of Lanham, visited him Thursday of last week and stated they found him very ill and suffering greatly. However his son, Irvin Jr., called them Friday morning and stated that he was resting much better at that time. The Irvin Jones live at Lanham also, but are presently making their home at DeSota where he was a faculty member of the DeSota school. He was formerly superintendent of the Fairy schools and has many friends here who wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Hovey of Houston recently suffered another stroke. She is the mother of Mrs. Lester Smith, formerly of Lanham and grandmother of Mrs. J. A. Edwards of Agee.

Grandmother Hovey is at Mrs. Smith's home in Houston.

A very good number was present for the fifth Sunday singing at Agee Sunday afternoon. The next fifth Sunday will be in March when the Agee Baptist Church congregation will again be host for the singing.

Miss Lera Jane Blakley of TCU, Fort Worth, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Blakley.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and family spent Sunday in Dublin visiting in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison. Others present were their son, Darrell of TCU and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pittman and Karen of Dublin.

Mrs. Ralph Spencer and sons, Don and Dickie of Lubbock came in Thanksgiving afternoon for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover. Dickie became ill and she returned to Breckenridge Saturday where she was met by her husband at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer. The elder Mr. Spencer is ill and they had spent Thanksgiving Day with he and Mrs. Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allison were in Waco Thanksgiving Day to attend the wedding of their granddaughter, Miss Scherry Seago and John Chapman. A large number of relatives and friends attended. A bountiful Thanksgiving dinner and supper was served at the home of the Seago's next door neighbors by arrangement. We hope to see a complete write up of the wedding in the society page of our home paper this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goynes of DeSota spent the week end at their home here. They are having some remodeling done at their residence here.

We stated in last week's news that the Carl King family were doing some remodeling at their home, but learn that this was a mistake. They had leased a portion of the Hedges place and moved there for the present time.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Turner had their children and families as visitors in their home during the Thanksgiving holidays. These were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bodkin and baby, and Jackie Turner, all of Killeen. Cabert Daniel spent last Saturday night in Fort Worth at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Nelly Haire, to be with his son, Sgt. Billy Daniel, who had arrived Saturday from New York. He has just completed two years of service in the army, having spent the past eighteen months in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and family were shopping in Waco last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Springer and family were in Miles Wednesday of last week to attend funeral services for her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wood of Grand Prairie and Mrs. Edna King of Glen Rose spent Thanksgiving Day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl King and Lynn.

Christmas is just around the corner and most housewives are going in a whirl to avoid the last minute rush.

Thanks so much to those who have turned in your Thanksgiving news. Some even wrote by mail. This is really cooperation. We still maintain the drop box at the old post office door and will appreciate your news items any time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Parks had all of their children home for Thanksgiving. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Varnell of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Parks and children of Dallas, Mrs. Juanita McKinley and Darlene of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Olson and Gail of Cranfills Gap, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith and Anna of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Totten and children of Waco, and Mr. and Mrs. Belford Ellingson and Larry of Wichita Falls.

Carl Ray Sellers just called his wife from Hamilton (Tuesday morning) that Pedro Jones had passed away around midnight Monday night at the Hamilton Hospital. Funeral services were held at 10 a. m. Wednesday at Hamilton, with burial in the Lanham Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Waynand Allison and family of Baytown were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allison. They were on their return home from Snyder where they visited her brother and family, and were stopping in Waco Thursday night for the wedding of his niece, Miss Scherry Seago.

DUFFAU

By MRS. PASCAL BROWN

Mr. and Mrs. George Merriman and son, Randy, of Farmers Branch visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Huel Lindsey and family the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Burgan and family of Hamilton visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Burgan on Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Crinty Roberson and son, James Ray, visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Bowie on Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Brown and family spent Thursday at Harbin visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Killian.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lackey of Stephenville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Roach Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Brown, Bonnie and Harry, spent Friday in Cleburne visiting her mother, Mrs. J. J. Hanshaw and sisters, Mrs. Walter Beville and Mr. Beville, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Huel Lindsey and family of Duffau and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Underwood of Paluxy were Thanksgiving visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Corey Lindsey and sons.

Beverly and Wayne Witt of Weatherford spent the holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Evans, and with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hutson and Brenda, also Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Williams, Betty and Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Solsbery and sons, Alan and Dennis of Tahoka moved back to their farm

home here. We welcome them back.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Giesecke and sons spent the week end in Fort Worth visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash, Dale and Wendell of Stephenville, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Brown and family Sunday.

Bro. Waylon Lawrence of Abilene preached at the Church of Christ Sunday. He was accompanied by Jim Catham. They were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Templeton of Fort Worth visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Templeton during the week end.

Miss Donna Jean Templeton visited with her grandmother, Mrs. Ester Templeton of San Angelo, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Noonkester visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Giesecke.

Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Giesecke, Roney and Reecie, visited Thanksgiving in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Rogers and family, Mr. and Mrs. George French and family, and Miss Tina Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers spent last week in Fort Worth with their children.

DUFFAU CHURCH OF CHRIST
10:00 a. m. Bible Study.
11:00 a. m. Worship & Communion.
6:30 p. m. Young People's Class
7:00 p. m. Evening Worship.

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Schedule of Services
Church School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10:30
Evening Worship, 7:30
MYF, 6:45
Choir Rehearsal, 7:00 p. m. on Wednesday.

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Preaching and Communion, 11 a. m.
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Evening Worship, 7:45 p.m.
MONDAY:
Junior G. A., 4:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY:
Prayer Service, 8:00 p.m.
Adult Choir Rehearsal, 8:30 p.m.



TEXAS WATER PROSPECTS IN 1959

It won't be news to people in the flood-soaked Rio Grande Valley but fall rains over much of Texas bring reasonable assurance of good surface water supplies for 1959.

The Falcon Dam on the Rio Grande has backed up more than its share of irrigation water for the next growing season. But unfortunately, the state as a whole has not even approached its potential in construction of surface storage facilities along its major streams and rivers. However, prospects are good for the natural underground water resources upon which so many of us depend.

Snow survey experts along the Continental Divide report 1958 as a good year as a result of heavy snow water runoff, high streamflow and good carryover storage. Gradual seepage of snow water from the mountains of New Mexico and Colorado account for a big portion of our underground water supply in the Panhandle area of Texas. Although nothing is more unpredictable than the weather, indications are for additional heavy snows this winter which will eventually add to Texas' natural sub-surface supplies.

It is no secret that our underground water reservoirs took a real beating during the seven year drought. Many natural springs in Central Texas dried up for the first time in the history of white settlements and our water tables in West Texas dropped alarmingly.

The year 1958 saw these springs once again flowing and some improvement was noted in the water tables along many irrigation belts of the state. Early Fall weather conditions indicate a wet winter in store for many sections of Texas. However, years of good water supply point up the importance of adequate water storage facilities, both for better distribution through the irrigation season.

and for balancing the available supply between dry years and those of abundant snow and rainfall.

Demand upon our Texas water supplies are increasing every year. More and more water is required by Agriculture, industry, rapidly expanding city population and for recreational and other uses.

ALEXANDER
By
MRS. ALICE WILSON

(Delayed)
MISS MITCHELL AND MR. TATUM WED RECENTLY

Miss Caroline Mitchell and Mr. Marvin Tatum were married Sunday evening at 5:30 o'clock at the Baptist Church. Rev. Mickey Johnson, former pastor here, performed the ceremony.

Miss Mitchell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mitchell of Alexander and Mr. Tatum is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thad Tatum Jr. of Alexander. Both are college graduates.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Shaffer of Seagoville have moved into their home which they purchased from

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Billingsley. Mr. and Mrs. Blackie Martin of Missouri spent several days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Medford.
Mrs. Fred Cooper and son visited her father Sunday, Mr. Luke Carter at Dublin.
Mr. and Mrs. Mont Thomas of Stephenville visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Medford.
L. T. Cooper visited Sunday with Gary Oglesby at Greens Creek.
Mrs. Walter Billingsley of Dublin visited Saturday with Mrs. John Edge.
Miss Martha Holcomb of Hico and Mrs. Irma Mae Sones and daughters from Dublin visited their mother, Mrs. Alice Wilson Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Edd Crews from Dublin visited here Saturday.
Mrs. Jimmie Moore of near Brownwood is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moore.

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DISTRICT FFA BANQUET HELD MONDAY NIGHT

Monday night, eight members from the local chapter, two guests, and their sweetheart attended the annual Cross Timbers District FFA Banquet held at Stephenville.

Miss Judy Beth Moore was acting sweetheart in the place of Miss Linda Driver, who became ill Monday morning. We were all disappointed that Linda could not represent the local chapter, but we all thought Judy Beth did very well representing the local chapter.

At the banquet, Rosy Vinson received his Lone Star Farmer Degree, the highest degree the Texas Association can bestow upon a member of Future Farmers.

Members present at the banquet were Gail Christian, Roland Sherard, Rosy Vinson, James Jordan, Tommy Chew, Charles Yell and Royce Adkison. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker.

H H S BASKETBALL

The boys and girls got basketball season started in a big way this week by entering the Fairy Tournament.

These were the first games for the boys, but the girls have played five games, winning the last four.

Members of the class are Kay Black, Jean Brown, Nona Jane Cox, Linda Holt, Dianne Howerton, Will Ann Lawrence, Loretta McKandless, Judy Ogle, Carolyn Price,

TURKEY SHOOT

The Senior Class wishes to thank everyone who was kind enough to participate in our turkey shoot. It has been termed successful, thanks to you.

Those who shot turkeys were Mr. Connors, who bagged two of the birds followed by James Jordan, Jerry Casey, Whimpy Britton, Ray Keller, Ed Black, James Cryer, Herman Sowell, Thurman Bradford, Billy Booth, and a man passing through from Gatesville, getting one.

H H S

HOMEMAKING SUPPER

Monday evening, at five o'clock sharp, the second year Homemaking girls sat down to turkey with all the trimmings. What a feast.

Gleaming silver reflected by the soft glow of tapering candles seemed to enhance the Homemaking Cottage and transform it into the most fashionable of dining rooms.

The menu planned by young future homemakers consisted of: Turkey and dressing; Stuffed Baked Potatoes; Giblet Gravy; Green Beans Caesar; Cranberry Sauce; Fruit Salad; German Sweet Chocolate Cake; Rolls; Butter; Tea and Coffee.

Special guests were Mrs. J. B. Woodard, Mrs. Louise Angell and Mrs. Lessie Thomas.

Under the able leadership of Miss Helen Thomas, homemaking teacher, the class prepared a successful Thanksgiving dinner.

Members of the class are Kay Black, Jean Brown, Nona Jane Cox, Linda Holt, Dianne Howerton, Will Ann Lawrence, Loretta McKandless, Judy Ogle, Carolyn Price,

Liddy Srader, Kendall Hamrick and Bobbie Mayfield.
H H S

THE SPOTLIGHT

As I was shivering from the cold Friday night, I didn't spot many couples out. I suppose most everyone else had enough good sense to stay in. As you know I'm the nosy type, and I'll go around rain or shine. Those couples I spotted before the ice coated over my spotlight were: Ronnie K. and Kay J.; Rosy V. and Linda D.; Charles T. and Joy L.; Max B. and Bonnie B.; Royce S. and Will Ann L.; Joe W. and Jean B.; Alan H. and Kathy H.; and John M. and Kay J.

Saturday night it didn't seem quite so cold, and I spotted a few more couples out around town. Those I saw were Wayne W. and Sheila P.; Rosy V. and Linda D.; Ronnie H. and Faye M.; Charles T. and Joy L.; Jimmy H. and Diane H.; Joe W. and Jean B.; Harlan K. and Nona Jane C.; Ronnie K. and Kay J.; and John M. and Kay J. No one seemed to stay around town long, and I was afraid to follow anyone for fear I would get lost. You never can tell where they might be going.

Sunday was another one of those dreary days. I could find hardly anyone around town together. I saw a car load of boys, and a car load of girls, but very few couples together. I guess Sunday must have been "stag" day. I know we can do better than that so let's be out around next Sunday. Those couples I saw were Max B. and Bonnie B.; Ronnie H. and Faye M.; Charles T. and Joy L.; and Ronnie K. and Kay J. By the way, Ronnie, what's her name?

H H S

WHO'S WHO

While scouting around town a few nights ago, looking for a lead to a story, I passed a house which was lit up rather well and from which an enormous amount of noise was coming. I sneaked up for a closer look and discovered that a bunch of Freshman girls were having a beer party. Upon further investigation I realized that they were having a contest to see which one of them could guzzle the most booze. Though the booze turned out to be only Cokes, I selected the winner as a subject for my Who's Who Column.

This Freshman girl is quite a "live wire" around HHS. She is quite popular with faculty as well as with students. She is about 5 feet, one-half inch tall and has light brown hair and blue eyes. She is in the local band and is a member of the Teen Den Council. Among her likes are dancing, bop records, sports, and Ricky Nelson. Athletically she is very promising. She is one of the main alternates on the basketball team and from all indication will make a very good forward.

Well, I guess you know by now that the Freshman is KATHY HIGGINBOTHAM.

H H S

ELEMENTARY NEWS
The eighth grade had a skating party last Tuesday night at Stephenville. We had a really good time. We arrived home about 10:30. Our room mothers are Mrs. Lowe, Mrs. Lackey and Mrs. Naul.
The seventh grade had a party on Tuesday, also. The party was in the form of a Weiner roast at the home of Becky Archie. Mr. Barnett was a sponsor. The room mothers are Mrs. Samford, Mrs. Archie, Mrs. Donley, and Mrs. Adams.

Everyone seems to have gained a few pounds over the Thanksgiving holidays, but everyone seems to have had a nice time. Christmas is but a few weeks away and it will be nice to have more days of vacation.
Jane Akin and Barbara Randals.



The News Review has just received word from the North Pole that Santa Claus wants the local paper to again serve as a central receiving point for Christmas "wish letters" from the youngsters in this area.

As in the past the NR is happy to be able to serve St. Nick in this fashion, and all the youngsters in this area are urged to get their letters in the mail early in order that we will be able to get them delivered in time.

All the youngsters need to do is address the letters to: Santa Claus, c/o The Hico News Review, Hico, Texas, and we will see that he gets them.

Lester Simpson of Fort Worth was a week end visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson. Gene Simpson of Glen Rose was a Sunday visitor in the Simpson home.

Postmaster Urges Careful Handling of Christmas Mail

With Christmas less than a month away, Postmaster Robert Jackson says it's not a bit too soon to start following these three simple rules to insure delivery of your gifts:

1. Address them correctly.
2. Wrap them securely.
3. Mail them early.

Mr. Jackson said you shouldn't take chances on mailing poorly wrapped packages. Use corrugated mailing cartons, plenty of heavy brown wrapping paper, and be sure that every package is tied with strong cord. Cartons containing several gift packages should be stuffed with tissue or old newspapers to cushion the contents.

The Postmaster also reminds that size and weight limitations for Parcel Post packages vary according to place of mailing and destination. He suggests that you secure Pamphlet No. 2 at the post office, which tells all about packaging and wrapping parcels. All ways include an extra label with your return address and the recipient address inside the carton or package before it is wrapped.

"Careful addressing of your Christmas cards is equally important," the postmaster said. Bring your Christmas card mailing list up to date and be certain that you have the complete name, address, zone number, city and state for everyone on your list.

Always send your Christmas cards by first class mail. They will be processed and delivered quicker and they'll be forwarded or returned, if it becomes necessary. Christmas cards sent by first class mail may carry written messages, whereas cards sent with third class three cent postage may only have a written signature.

Fairy FFA Chapter Represented at Banquet

The Sweetheart for this year of the Fairy FFA Chapter was elected November 1, 1958. Receiving the honor was Miss Darlene Clark, a senior at Fairy High. Miss Clark competed with 22 other Chapter Sweethearts at the Cross Timbers District Banquet held Monday night at Stephenville. Rusty Harris, Reporter.

PURCHASE BRADFORD PLACE

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Taylor of Crowder, Oklahoma, have purchased the country home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bradford located on the Stephenville highway. The Bradfords have purchased a ranch between Stephenville and Alexander.

ERATH COUNTY SINGING CONVENTION SUNDAY

The regular meeting of the Erath County Singing Convention will be held Sunday, December 7 at 2 p.m. at the Washington Street Baptist Church in Stephenville.

Everyone has a cordial invitation to attend.

NEW DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sharp have announced the arrival of a daughter, Vicki Elaine, who was born November 22 at Hico Hospital. The little lady arrived weighing 7 pounds and 9 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Luckie of Hico, and Mr. and Mrs. Olin Sharp of Dublin. The mother is the former Miss Maxidene Luckie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bobo of Dallas visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Davis and Nancy.

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