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# The Lynn County News

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## More Showers Benefit Crops

Showers and some hail visited Lynn county early this week. The rain was sufficient in certain locations to do a lot of good, but most of the county needs rain badly.

Showers fell Sunday afternoon, Monday night, and Tuesday afternoon and night.

Parts of the Lakeview area, where much cotton was destroyed by hail recently, received a heavy shower, with Fritz Speckman reported about a three fourths inch.

An area seven to 11 miles west, including the Tom Hale, George C. Wells, and Chester Smith places, received up to .6 of an inch.

South and southwest of New Home, helpful showers fell in the area of Grayum George's, Fred Roper, a mile south and a mile west of New Home, reported up to 1.3 inches. Also, receiving rain was a part of the Petty community, where up to .8 was reported to The News, and included were the I. Stewart, Small and Jack Fenton farms.

Wilson reported .6 of an inch, with heavier fall to the east up to possibly an inch and a half in parts of the Gordon community.

Odis Tew of Grassland said about 70 percent of the territory to the east, north, and northwest of Grassland received sufficient rain to help, some of the territory a half inch and some more than an inch.

However, east of New Lynn and northwest of Central several farmers received hail damage. Othell Meeks thought he had about 60 percent or more loss on his irrigated cotton. Adrian Cook had severe damage, and the crops of R. M. Turner and Tillman Brooks were also damaged.

## Visitors From East See Cow Milked At Littlepage Place

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Littlepage and children had as their guests last week Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Langston and four children of Jacksonville, Fla. They left Friday after having visited Carlsbad Cavern, some oil fields, and enjoyed several days of life on the farm.

The Langstons, especially the children, knew nothing of farm life, having been raised in the city. One of the boys especially enjoyed milking a cow in what he called the "milk shop." Cleve's dairy barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Littlepage and Mr. and Mrs. Langston became acquainted and lived in adjoining apartments while the men were serving as Yeomen in the U. S. Coast Guard during World War II at Manhattan Beach, Brooklyn, New York. This was their first visit to Texas, and they left on an extended tour to the West Coast.

## Peggy Elliott Is Winner In Golf

Mrs. O. C. (Peggy) Elliott, who took up golf less than two years ago, was winner of the fourth flight in the West Texas Woman's Golf Association tournament at Midland recently.

She won four matches, in the finals meeting Sandra Haney of Midland, and her prize was a silver "Lazy Susan."

Entered in the tournament were 130 women in six flights.

The Association plays in a different town each month. Next September, the three-day tournament will be held at Brownfield.

L. E. Fielder, 68, of Lamesa, father of Coy Fielder of Levelland but formerly of Tahoka, died Tuesday of a heart attack.

John Bodystun of Slaton formerly of Tahoka, is here visiting his son, Billy, in the Joe Bailey community.

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## Grassland Votes Against Union

Grassland voters, in the election Tuesday turned down the proposal to consolidate its school district with the Tahoka district.

The vote at Grassland was 50 to 16 against consolidation.

Tahoka voters approved the proposal 59 to 0, but a majority was necessary in each district to make consolidation effective.

The election was called following a request from Tahoka school board for more financial help from the Grassland district in educating the high school and eighth grade students who transfer from that district to Tahoka.

## Name Winners In Dress Revue

The Lynn County 4-H Dress Revue was held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 in the district court room, with 24 girls participating.

There were three divisions, skirts and blouses, aprons, and dresses, that the girls could enter. Pins and blue ribbons were given to the top three in each division and all others entering received a ribbon.

The theme for the revue was "The Good Ole Summertime" and the script was read by the agent. The leaders who assisted the girls in dressing and lining up were Mrs. G. C. Wells, Mrs. N. E. Wood, Sr., Mrs. Cecil Hammonds, Mrs. G. W. Gardenhire, and Mrs. Alton Cain.

The top three places in the skirt and blouse division went to: First, Sarah Wells; second, Linda Roper; and third, Jane Schneider. Those receiving blue ribbons were Bonnie Hale and Jean Lacy. Those receiving red ribbons were Carolyn Martin, Judy Bishop, Judy Kelly, Ann Gasper, Linda Helner, Mary Beth Gardenhire, Mary Forbes, and Jerene Verkamp.

In the apron division, top three places went to: First, Patricia Hammonds; second, Patsy Walker; and third, Paula Wood. Those receiving red ribbons were Carolyn Adams, Jimmie Sue Henry, and Loretta Fern Potts.

For the dresses, first place went to Carol Smith; second place, Lynnetta Cain; and third place to Carolyn Henzler. Those receiving red ribbons were Edith Davis and Sue Campbell.

All garments were judged on construction and the way they looked on the girl. Judging the construction of the garments were Mrs. Buel Draper and Mrs. T. A. Stone. Judging the garments on the girl were Mrs. T. A. Stone and Mrs. Geno Jones.



PHENOMENON—Pictured above is the old sismograph hole southwest of Wellman, Terry, county, located on the property line of S. A. Mensch, formerly of Lynn county. From this hole, a gas pocket recently broke loose, and the gas pressure has caused water to belch forth from the cavity the past 13 weeks. Mr. Mensch, who brought the picture to The News, says water is being thrown from the hole every second or two. For a long time, this water was being thrown from 40 to 70 feet in the air, similar to the geysers in Yellowstone Park, but now the hole has been enlarged and water is being thrown only 20 to 30 feet in the air at times. Thousands of people have visited the strange geyser.

## Legion Names New Officers

New officers of the local American Legion Post were elected at a meeting Monday night. They will take office on Sept. 1. Johnny Wells will be the new commander; H. B. McCord, Jr., adjutant; A. C. Verner, vice-commander; Clint Walker, chaplain; Albert Curry, sergeant-at-arms; and C. W. Conway, custodian.

## Ed. H. Goodrich Funeral Saturday

Ed. H. Goodrich, formerly of Tahoka, died of a heart attack in Amarillo Wednesday, John Slover, a friend of the family, was notified Thursday.

Graveside services will be held in Tahoka Cemetery Saturday at 4 o'clock, and burial will be beside his wife.

Mr. Goodrich formed south of Tahoka. He moved to Amarillo 25 or 30 years ago.

Mrs. A. P. Cox is a patient in Tahoka Hospital.

## Cain Will Attend 4-H Workshop

Jerry Cain of Tahoka, District II boy's club president, will attend the Texas 4-H Council Workshop being held at Tarleton State College, Stephenville, on July 11 through 15.

As president of the district, he also is a member of the State Council, as is Pat Pointer of Anton, District II girls chairman.

All phases of 4-H club work in Texas will be discussed, studied and planned at the meeting, which will include talks by leaders and members, roundtable discussions, etc. There is also a full program of entertainment for the leisure hours, but the program is designed as a thorough study course.

Wins Golf match wn'p'g

## OIL WELL DRILLING AT 3690 FEET

Argo Oil Co. No. 1 Edwards, Edwards located at the south western outskirts of Tahoka, was unofficially reported drilling at 3,690 feet in anhydrite at noon Thursday.

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## Big Crowd Attends Reunion of Pioneers

### Tahoka Closing For July Fourth

Tahoka business houses will close July 4th.

Geno Jones, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, made a survey of the town early this week, and found that almost every business house in town intends to be closed for the holiday.

Local seed firms will have a man available to take care of farmers' needs, in case a rain comes before Monday.

### Cpl. Gannaway Dies In France

Cpl. James E. (Jim) Gannaway, 20, born and reared at New Home, died on June 21 in Neice, France, of injuries received some time previously in a vehicle accident.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gannaway, route 4, received this information in a telegram Thursday afternoon of last week. No other details of the accident had been received up until Wednesday. However, the body is being shipped here for burial.

Jim began service in the Army April 26, 1954. He received his basic training at Fort Bliss, El Paso and came home to visit his folks last July 4th. Following this, he flew to Aberdeen, Maryland, where he trained until October 1, and was then flown to France. He spent two months training in Germany, and had recently been transferred to Neice, France. He was with the 583 Ordnance company, Ammunition Depot, and worked with Army vehicles, a job which he was thoroughly enjoying.

He was born at New Home September 8, 1934, finished school there in 1953, and farmed with his dad before entering the Army. He was a popular student in school, and played football and basketball. He loved all sports and also took a deep interest in cars and other vehicles.

His mother says he enjoyed life immensely, and was especially proud of the fact that he and five others entered New Home School the same day and graduated together. These companions in school were: Jim Bob Smith, Darrell Fletcher, Roy Dwaine Williams, Willie Nieman, and Mary Beth Eades, now Mrs. John Edwards.

He is survived by his parents; one sister, Mrs. Dorothy Pendergrass of Lubbock; three brothers, Wallace of Los Angeles, W. R. (Roscoe), and Emory H., both of Lubbock; and his paternal grandmother, Mrs. T. R. Gannaway of Fort Worth.

### Jaycees Selling Barrels For Trash

Tahoka Jaycees have purchased several 35-gallon insecticide barrels, welded handles on them, painted them, and have them for sale as trash barrels at \$2.75 each.

If two barrels are bought by one person, the Jaycees will give the buyer free a stand on which to put the barrels.

The Jaycees have painted stripes on most of the streets in the business section, and will complete this project this week.

### JAYCEES TEAM WINS ONE, LOSES ONE

Tahoka Jaycees beat the Draw Outlaws 14 to 7 last Sunday afternoon. Bob Dunlap was the winning pitcher, and Robert Hensley was the losing hurler.

Last Monday night, the Jaycees traveled to New Home, where they took a 22 to 12 loss. Tommy Chandler was the losing pitcher and Don Sharp was the winner.

The annual Lynn County Pioneer Reunion held here last Friday was possibly the most enjoyed and attended by a larger crowd of oldtimers than any yet held.

The school auditorium was packed almost to capacity for the afternoon program, and 630 people enjoyed the barbecue lunch in the cafeteria. Another capacity crowd attended the old time dance at the Legion Hall Friday night.

In a brief business session Clint Walker was elected president for the coming year; Hall Robinson, vice president; and Mrs. Garland Pennington, secretary. They succeed Mrs. Ethel Robinson, G. R. (Bud) Milliken, and Mrs. Bill Griffin respectively.

Mr. S. N. McDaniel, 88, received the loving cup for the oldest pioneer lady present; and W. L. Knight, 91, the cup for the oldest pioneer man. The plaque for the person coming the greatest distance went to Mr. and Mrs. Hollie Knight of Pasco, Wash., who came 2,060 miles.

Loving cups were presented by Tahoka Chamber of Commerce for the three best window displays in connection with the Reunion. Wynne Collier won first with the memorial window, Robinson Ready-To-Wear, second; and King's Dept. Store, third. Judges were three pioneers, J. E. Ketter, Mrs. George Small, and J. H. McCoy.

In the Old Fiddlers' Contest, Eck Robertson, 67, of Amarillo, took the \$50.00 first place award with "Sall Goodin" and "Sally Johnson"; H. M. Hubbard of Big Spring won \$30.00 second money with "Breaking Out With the Heat" and "Tom and Jerry"; and T. L. Weaver of Wilson took the \$20.00 third place prize with "Beaumont Rag" and a composition of his own. Other competing included S. M. Hysmith of Chillicothe, and three other men.

Mrs. Robinson called the meeting to order at 1:30 p. m., Mrs. Bonna Stokes of Bangs gave the invocation, and the audience was led in singing "America" by Bob Lewis, music director of the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Nettie Wells Edwards was the accompanist throughout the program.

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## New Swimming Class To Start

A new swimming class of 12 lessons will be started at Municipal Pool next Thursday, according to Dean Wright and Milton Gardner, pool operators.

Those wishing to take these lessons should register by Wednesday, July 6, and no registrations will be accepted after July 12. For this class, a deposit of \$2.00 will be required from those registering, which will be applied to the first four lessons.

Classes in this second school of the summer will be held on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday mornings, at 10 a. m. for those 14 years of age and older, and at 11 a. m. for those six through 13 years of age.

Twenty students are expected to finish the first swimming school course next Tuesday morning.

Stanley Stone, the pool life guard, expects to receive his life saver's certificate this week end in the school being conducted at Post by Mrs. Jack (Zoe) Kirkpatrick.

Stanley gave a birthday swimming party at the pool last Thursday night, attended by about 50 young people. The swimming session was followed by picnic supper in the park.

New Home community held their weekly swimming party at the pool Tuesday night.

## Lynn County "Mystery Farm" No. 51.



This is some Lynn county farm home? First town and first rural reader to call The News and correctly identify it will each receive six month's credit on their paper. Also, a free enlargement of the picture will be presented the farm owner on calling at The News.

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## IN MEMORIAM

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VANSON CHICKEN 5 OZ. <b>21c</b>	CAMPFIRE, NO. 300 CAN <b>10c</b>	HUNT'S NO. 300 CAN <b>11c</b>
BREAD	PORK & BEANS	TOMATO JUICE
BEST-O-CHICKEN NO. 1/2 CAN <b>35c</b>	HUNT'S NO. 300 CAN <b>14c</b>	LIBBY FRUIT, NO. 303 CAN <b>25c</b>
HUNK TUNA	SPINACH	COCKTAIL
LIBBY NO. 1/4 CAN <b>19c</b>	BAKERS, 4 OZ. PKG. <b>18c</b>	LIBBY, SOUR OR DILL, 22 OZ. <b>33c</b>
DEVILED HAM	COCONUT	PICKLES
LIBBY NO. 1/2 CAN <b>19c</b>	BAKERS CHOCOLATE, 6 OZ. <b>27c</b>	ASSORTED FLAVORS, PKG. <b>9c</b>
WENNAS	CHIPS	JELLO

**LUNCH MEAT** or Pickle Pimento 6 Oz. Pkg. **29c**

**SALADS** Proctors, Jello Poyato, Macaroni 12 Oz. Pkg. **39c**

PIN DONE, U. S. GOOD, LB. <b>59c</b>	WILSONS 1 1/2 POUND CAN <b>\$1.98</b>
SIRLOIN STEAK	CANNED HAM
U. S. GOOD, POUND <b>39c</b>	MIDWEST POUND <b>49c</b>
FRANKS	SLICED BACON
ALLMEAT BULK, POUND <b>49c</b>	4 FISHERMAN LB. BOX <b>39c</b>
CHUCK ROAST	CODFISH
CHEESE SPREAD, 2 LB. BOX <b>69c</b>	GULF STREAM 10 OZ. PKG. <b>69c</b>
NUTAST	JUMBO SHRIMP

**COFFEE** Hixson's Reg, or Drip, Lb. **79c**

**DOG FOOD** Red Heart Tall Can 2 For **27c**

Towie Stuffed, 7 3/4 Oz. Jar **OLIVES** . . . **39c**

1/4 Pound Pkg. **LIPTON TEA** . . . **35c**

FRESH, POUND **YELLOW SQUASH** 7 1/2c **FRESH LGE, BUNCH RADISHES** . . . 7 1/2c

GOLDEN, POUND **BANANAS** . . . 12 1/2c **FRESH PKG. TOMATOES** . . . 15c

BLACK DIAMOND, POUND **WATERMELON** . . . 3 1/2c **EAR FRESH CORN** . . . 5c

**GREEN BEANS** Kentucky Wonder **19c**

**ORANGEADE** . . . Hi-C 46 Oz. Can . . . **25c**

**PEACHES** . . . Hunts Sliced Or Halves, No. 2 1/2 Can . . . **29c**

**PAKE MIX** . . . Pillsbury Orange, Pkg. . . **33c**

**PAKERITE** . . . 3 Lb. Sealed Can . . . **73c**

BOMB <b>1.39</b>	400 COUNT BOX <b>29c</b>	DIAMOND LUNCHETTE, 40 CT. <b>69c</b>
L KILL	KLEENEX	PLATES
BOTTLE <b>19c</b>	NORTHERN TOILET <b>27c</b>	DAMASK, 60 CT. CELLO <b>12 1/2c</b>
ROX	TISSUE 3 rolls	NAPKINS
AY . . . 3 for <b>25c</b>	LILY, COLD DRINK, 100 CT. <b>99c</b>	REYNOLDS ALUMINUM 25 FT. <b>29c</b>
ON OIL . . . <b>34c</b>	PAPER CUPS	FOIL
	DIXIE PAPER, 100 CT. <b>98c</b>	CUTRITE WAX, 125 FT. <b>27c</b>
	PLATES	PAPER

**SSION BEVERAGES** Orange, Grape, Cherry, Strawberry, Root Beer, 12 Oz. Can 6 for **59c**

**BY LIMA BEANS** Libby Frozen 10 Oz. Pkg. **19c**

EN, 10 OZ. <b>25c</b>	HILLS-O-HOME FROZEN BLACKEYE <b>21c</b>	TOOTHPASTE REG. 50c <b>33c</b>
E OKRA	PEAS	COLGATE
RS, FROZEN, 10 OZ. <b>23c</b>	LIBBY FROZEN, 6 OZ. CAN <b>15c</b>	RUBBING PINT <b>12 1/2c</b>
OLI	LEMONADE	ALCOHOL
FROZEN 10 OZ. <b>10c</b>	SEALD SWEET, FROZEN 6 OZ. <b>10c</b>	BAYER TINS <b>10c</b>
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**J. E. Ketner Has Many Visitors**

Children of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Knighton, who settled in the New Lynn community of Lynn county in 1902, arranged a family reunion, along with the Deaver families, to coincide with the Pioneer Reunion.

The late Mrs. Knighton, mother of the children, was a sister of J. E. Ketner, and these families visited the Ketners here also. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Knighton moved to Lamar, Colorado, in 1917.

The late Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Deaver came to the New Lynn area in 1916, and Helen Deaver married Hollie Knighton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollie Knighton, who now live in Pasco, Washington, received the loving cup at the Reunion for the persons coming the greatest distance for the affair.

Also here for the reunion were

Roy Knighton, wife and daughter of Murtaugh, Idaho; W. D. Knighton, Jr., and wife, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wright and son, all of Pueblo, Colo.; Walter Knighton and wife and baby of Kim, Colo.; Mmes. Gertrude Faim and Nora Campbell of Dallas; and Mr. Ketner's daughter, Mrs. Ruby Burget of Galveston, and son, Ross, of San Antonio.

Bill Deaver of Slaton and Bryan Deaver of Stockton, Calif., were also here for the Reunion.

Saturday and Sunday, the Knighton and Deaver families rented the Slaton club house, and held a family reunion there, at which among the others present were Mrs. Deaver of Stockton, Calif.; Danny Deaver of Hereford, Geo. Deaver of Slaton, and a sister, Margaret of South Carolina.



MRS. CHESTER WATLEY

**Miss Venita Stone And Chester Watley Married Sunday In Ceremony At Wilson**

Miss Venita Stone and Chester Watley exchanged wedding vows Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the sanctuary of the First Baptist Church of Wilson.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stone of Wilson, route 1, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Watley of Ruidoso, N. M., formerly of the Redwine community.

Rev. J. B. Vickery of Lubbock read the double ring ceremony before an arch of candelabra flanked by baskets of pink gladioli and fern.

Mrs. Olin Parris sang "I Love You Truly" and "Whither Thou Goest," accompanied at the organ by Miss Delores Rhodes.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a ballerina length dress of Chantilly lace over taffeta with a high scalloped neckline and pointed waist. Designed with short sleeves, the bodice was complimented by lace mitts terminating in points over the hands. Her elbow length veil of illusion was attached to a tiara of seed pearls. She carried pink rosebuds centered with pink carnations on a white Bible.

Serving the bride as matron of honor was Mrs. L. L. Watley of Tahoka, sister-in-law of the bridegroom.

Bridesmaids were Misses Rose Marie Yandell of Tahoka, Judy Blankenship and Kay Bohall of Wilson. The attendants wore identical street-length dresses of ice blue silk crystaletta fashioned with low necklines and off-shoulder sleeves. They carried white fans glittered with silver and a spray of pink carnations.

Clifford and Jerry Watley, nephews of the bridegroom, were

candlelighters. Flower girl was Miss Donna Nash of Weatherford; cousin of the bride. Tommy Joe Stone, also her cousin, was the ring bearer.

Attending his brother as best man was L. L. Watley of Tahoka. Ushers were Gary Watson, brother of the bridegroom, Joe Autrey, and Wendell Norman, all of Tahoka.

A reception followed in the church parlors. The table, laid with lace cloth over blue, was centered with the attendants' bouquets. Atop a three-tiered wedding cake was a miniature bride and groom. In the house-party were Mrs. T. A. Stone, aunt of the bride; Miss Mary Alice Stone, cousin of the bride; and Miss Nettie Faye Yandell.

For a wedding trip to points in New Mexico, the bride wore a brown suit of Egyptian cotton with pink and white accessories. The couple will make their home in Ruidoso, N. M.

**Miss Venita Stone Shower Honoree**

Miss Venita Stone, bride-elect of Chester Watley, was honored with a bridal shower Wednesday at the home of Mrs. L. L. Watley of Tahoka, sister-in-law of the bridegroom.

Miss Rose Marie Yandell registered guests in a white bride's book. The serving table, covered with a lace cloth over pink, was decorated with a bouquet of roses and sweetpeas tied with blue ribbons and an umbrella made of pink net and satin bows, on stairfoam. Blue streamers hung from the umbrella with "Venita and Chester" in silver letters. Blue candles flanked either side. Bells of Ireland and sweet peas decorated the buffet. The cake squares iced in pink was served by Miss Kay Bohall. Misses Judy Blankenship and Nettie Faye Yandell alternated at the fruit punch. The nuts and mints were served in cups shaped as umbrellas.

Approximately fifty guest called between the hours of three and five o'clock.

**REHEARSAL PARTY IN HONOR OF MISS STONE**

A rehearsal party honoring Venita Stone and Chester Watley was held Saturday evening, June 25, at 6 p. m. in the Tahoka Park. Hosts for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Stone of New Lynn.

Refreshments of sandwiches, lemonade, and angel food cake were served to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stone, parents of the bride-elect; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Watley, parents of the prospective groom; Venita Stone and Chester Watley, Rev. J. B. Vickery of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Yandell, Mrs. Olin Parris of Hereford, Miss Linda Holcomb of Baldwin Park, Calif., Miss Rose Marie Yandell and Johnnie Robinson of Wilson, Miss Nettie Faye Yandell and Joe Autrey, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Watley and sons, Wendell Norman and Gary Watson, Misses Mary Alice Stone, Judy Blankenship, and Kay Bohall.

Motto of the state of Georgia is "Wisdom, Justice Moderation."

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**Among Those At Pioneer Reunion**

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Kimbrell of O'Donnell were greeting many old time friends.

Johnny Fullingim of Petersburg and Lubbock came especially for the Old Fiddlers Contest, but he met many old friends. He is a member of a pioneer Crosby county family. About 15 years ago, he held a grass lease on the T-Bar for some time. Johnny and his brother, Austin, have 17 irrigation wells on their land between Petersburg and Lorenzo. He is now building a 3,400 square-foot home in Lubbock.

Mrs. Ben (Addie) Moore of O'Donnell, represented the Baldrige family. Her father, the late H. E. Baldrige, was one of the county's earliest settlers and most prominent citizens. He was an early-day commissioner, and helped establish the town of O'Donnell. Ben Moore, himself, came here away back yonder, and has become quite an authority on early day life here, and flora and fauna of the country. Incidentally, he once operated a photo studio in Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter May of Lubbock, who own much land southeast of Wilson, were back again.

O. C. Stambro, 1907, of Lovington, N. M., was here for his first Pioneer Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blankenship, 1907, were here from Brownfield. Mr. Blankenship continued to do his banking with the First National Bank of Tahoka long years after he left here.

E. W. Holloway, formerly of Redwine and now of Levelland, was back greeting old friends.

Matt Williams was here from Yoakum county. He makes the reunion every year.

Charles Nunally of Borden county says he came here in 1907, when the nearest railroad point was Big Spring.

Jim Wetsel of Crossplains writes The News to question the statement that R. C. (Ruby)

Wells is a fiddler. Wetsel says Ruby "can't play a lick". Jim, The News is going to stick with Ruby. Although he pulled a bow a little in the past, he doesn't claim to be a fiddler now. But, anyway, he did put on a good fiddlers contest at the Reunion.

Mrs. Olive Holt of Lovington, N. M., writes The News she is sorry she couldn't be present at this year's reunion, but sends in the money for her subscription so she can read about it.

George Duckworth and wife were up from Justiceburg, Geo. is a former Square & Compass cowboy, and chased cattle all over Lynn county. He knew all the old cowboys and many of the "nesters".

Mrs. Sam Reid recently spent ten days of her vacation in Dallas visiting her daughter, Linda, Dean, and Diane, are here visiting their grandparents, Mr. and W. D. Smith, Sr., and family.

**WELCH, HINES FAMILIES ENTERTAIN VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Welch, who recently moved back to Tahoka from Meadow, and their daughter, Mrs. Pat Hines, and husband had a number of visitors last week.

Bill Welch and wife, the former Miss Christine Wenzel, of San Diego, Calif., were here from Friday until Sunday.

Nelson Welch and family of Levelland were also here.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Hines came up from Big Lake, and their two children, Debbie and Terry remained for a longer visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hines.

Mrs. Arnell Akin of Brownfield underwent major surgery in a hospital there Wednesday of last week. Her three children, Linda, Dean, and Diane, are here visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Roddy.

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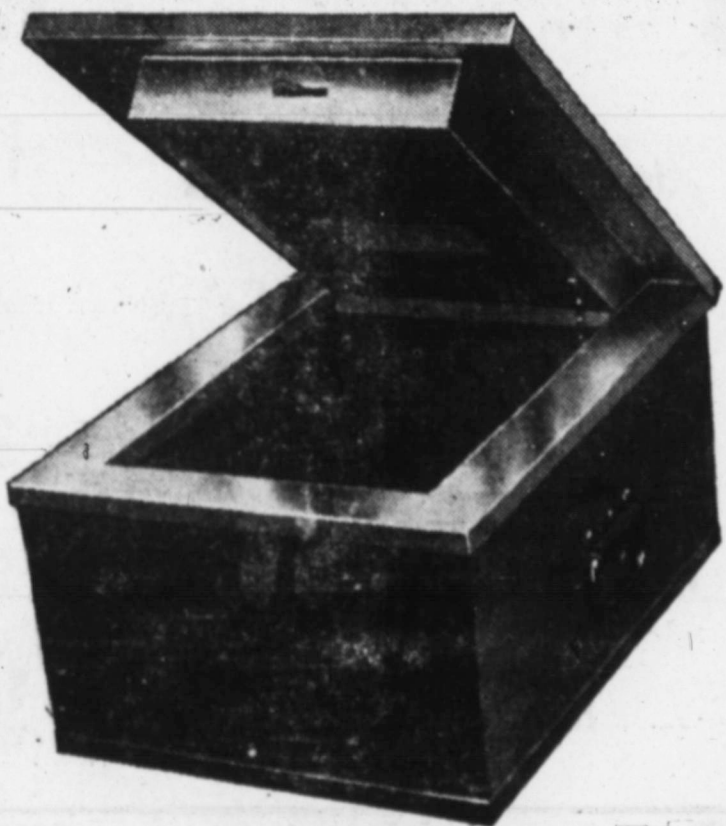
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Bushels Wheat	1168	525	500	461	459	490	481
100 lbs Rice	571	191	201	182	178	159	202
100 lbs. Grain Sorghum	904	424	549	467	368	415	448
Bales Cotton	20	7	6	5	6	7	6
100 lb. Hog	132	52	54	49	54	46	45
100 lbs. Beef Cattle	186	63	46	38	47	74	74
100 lb. Lamb	154	61	42	34	48	59	60
100 lbs. Milk	460	196	186	160	149	163	183
Cases Eggs	103	81	95	73	81	71	91

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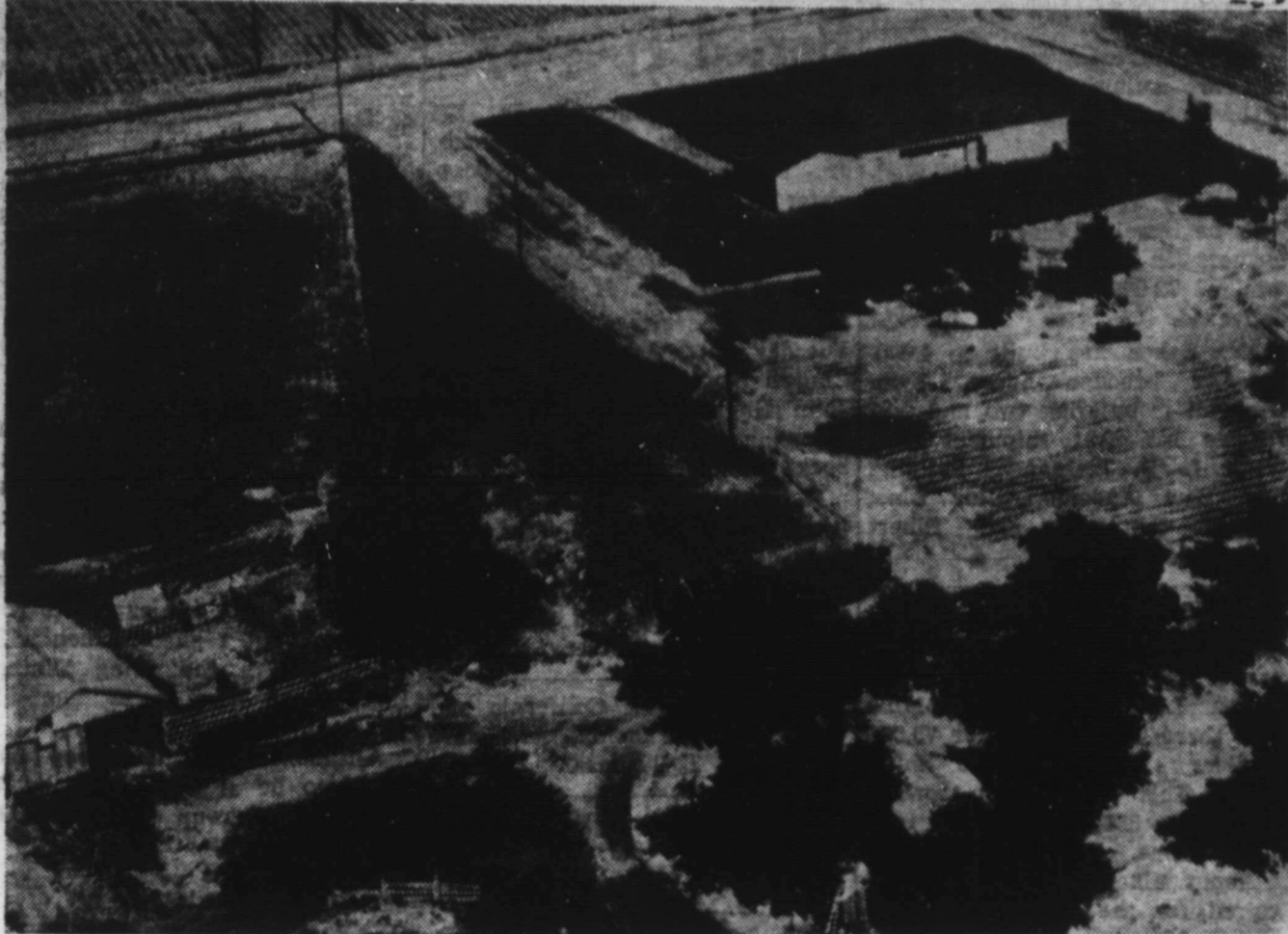
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# Cecil Hammonds Farm Home One of County's Nicest



Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hammonds are owners of Mystery Farm No. 50, and the residence shown in the picture was built in 1950. Rush Dudgeon was the first rural reader and Mrs. T. B. Inman the first city reader, to call in its identity. Others calling were Mrs. R. E. McElroy, Kenneth Scott, Mrs. Welch Flippin, Cecil Hammonds, C. E. Evans, Montie Ruth McGinty, and Jack Robinson, the well driller.

The Hammonds farm is three miles east and five miles south of Tahoka, but the farm headquarters is six miles south.

The home shown in the picture is one of the most beautiful farm homes in the county. Faced with Lueders stone, the house has three bedrooms, a double garage, and all modern conveniences.

Cecil bought the 320 acre farm in 1942. This is the old Henry Reed place, broken out by him in about 1923. He also farms a

half section for C. C. Donaldson. Two three-inch irrigation wells are on the place, but Cecil says the water proved to be very bad, and he irrigates only about 20 acres.

He has his land contoured and terraced, and naturally plants his allotment in cotton—when it rains. He and the boys also raise Duroc hogs, and the boys have a couple of saddle horses. They also have a nice peach orchard which has produced well a number of years.

Mr. Hammonds has been Explorer Scout Advisor here for three years. Wayne, age 14, is an Explorer Scout, holds the Eagle award, and is active in Tahoka 4-H club work. Donald Gene, age 12, is a Star Scout, and is also active in 4-H club work. The girl, Patricia, age 10, is active in girls' 4-H work, and recently won second place in the county apron contest.

Mrs. Hammonds is the former

Miss Evelyn Bogard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bogard, now of Lubbock but who formerly lived southeast of Tahoka. She was born a Pampa, moved here in 1935, and was married to Cecil at Plainview in 1938.

Cecil was born at Crowell, but came here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hammonds, in the fall of 1923. He attended school at old South Ward, and later at Tahoka. As a youngster, he played basketball at South Ward and later played baseball and softball with South Ward, Edith, Redwine, and Midway teams.

## Gordon News

MRS. EARL MORRIS  
Correspondent

The rain missed us again. Rained two miles north of us and on the other way. We're still hoping.

The Gordon Quilting Club met last Thursday with Mrs. W. P. Lester as hostess and quilted for her. Nine ladies were present.

The Ed Millikens and Clyde Shaws attended a family reunion in Slaton last Saturday and Sunday for the Deaver and Knighton families, who have lived in this community some 40 years. The Holly Knights of Pasco, Wash., spent Saturday night in the Milliken home.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Corbell and son and his sister, Miss Lorene Corbell, all of Wago, spent the week end visiting their mother and brother, Mrs. L. L. Corbell and Bunyan.

Ronald Huddleston, son of Mr. and Mrs. "Mutt" Huddleston, filled the pulpit at the Gordon Church of Christ last Sunday. Ronald, who is preparing for the ministry, will preach at Southland Church of Christ through the summer.

Mr. Roper has been on the sick list this week and unable to attend church.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kirby are here from Tennessee visiting their cousins, the Haywood Basingers. The two families visited Mrs. N. E. Jones, Mrs. Basinger's mother, last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Manly attended the Old Settlers Reunion at Albany last Friday, and went on to Kerrville to visit a son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hill Corbell. A grandson, Lewis Corbell who has been visiting here, returned home with them.

Clyde Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris were among those who attended the Lynn County Old Settlers Reunion in Tahoka Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barker of Pleasant Valley attended church at Gordon Church of Christ last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Shelton of Anton spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. B. A. Shelton, who is quite ill. Other visitors in the home were Mrs. Nelda Rudd and children from Wolf-forth.

Mrs. W. T. Shepherd of Houston is visiting her sister, Mrs. Earl Morris, before going on to California to visit two daughters and families.

Mrs. Thelma Denton is reported to be holding her own at Pearson, Okla.

Mrs. E. L. Pruitt returned home with her daughter, Mrs. Homer Jones, who lives at Wellman.

A number of friends met in the home of the H. D. Taylors last Tuesday night for a house warming and a general get-together.

## Wilson News

(By Ann Davidson)

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jones left Thursday for several days visit with relatives at Stephenville.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul King and family of Lawton, Oklahoma, arrived Tuesday for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. King.

Joe Hewlett spent last week at the Intermediate Camp at the Methodist encampment at Ceta Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crow of Morton visited Mrs. Crows' sister, Mrs. Pearl Davidson and Ann Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McCray of O'Donnell visited Mr. and Mrs. Friday night.

Charlie Lichey and Mary Lou Miss Shirley Hewlett a student in Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hewlett and family over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tunnell of Tahoka visited Mrs. H. C. Fountain Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gatzki and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Les Cartwright in Plainview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Williamson visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bonds of Morton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Nieman of Andrews visited Mrs. Katie Nieman Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bohall visited her sister and family at Cone Sunday.

Miss Ruby Tinert returned Thursday from a two week visit to Hamilton.

The Walther League of the St. Paul Lutheran Church enjoyed an outing at Buffalo Lakes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Talkmitt and Mrs. Dube visited Janet Dube, who is a student at West Texas State College in Canyon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Henderson returned home Sunday from a few days visit with relatives at Jacksboro. Their sons, John and Paul, who had been visiting there returned home with them.

The Business Womens Circle of the WMS of the Wilson Baptist Church had the program at the night prayer service. The title of the program was "Old Ministers Relief."

The Intermediate Sunday School of the Wilson Baptist Church enjoyed a picnic at the Slaton Park Monday night, afterwards the group played miniature golf. Twenty-two were present.

Rev. and Mrs. Ray Elmore and family had as their guests Sunday Mrs. Elmore's mother, Mrs. Willie Adress of Haskell and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Felton Everett of Big Spring.

Miss Eva Pearl Williamson is visiting Mrs. Walter Scarbrough of Santa Anna this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Brunson and girls of Sulphur Springs, Arkansas visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holder and family last week.

Miss Mary Lou Lichey visited her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lichey of Lubbock over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King and family of Amarillo, visited Mr.

and Mrs. J. O. King a few days last week.

Mrs. Nannie Rhudy returned home Saturday after being in the Slaton Hospital a few days last week. She is reported doing nicely.

Miss Kennette Sherman of El Paso, arrived Sunday night for a visit with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stoker and family.

Rev. Paul King of Lawton, Okla., preached at the Methodist Church Sunday.

Mr. Frank Schneider celebrated his birthday Sunday at his home. Between thirty and thirty five were there to help him celebrate and wish him many more happy birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Joines, Mrs. Walter Stienhauser, Miss Eunice Buedigam, Mrs. Judson Hewlett, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jones, Mrs. Pearl Davidson and Ann, Mrs. Clarence Church, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schneider, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Brown and Misses Deana Ward, Delores Smith and Eunice Buxkemper attended the band concert given at the Student Center at Texas Tech Tuesday night.

The Sub-District meeting of the Methodist MYF met at New Home Monday night. Lakeview was in charge of the program and Bro. Daniels of New Home showed a film, Jimmy Blankenship, Jerry and Joyce Church, Deana Ward, Bro. Ray Elmore and Mrs. Clarence Church attended from Wilson. Lakeview Church was host and served the refreshments.

Mrs. Lee Griffin and son of Aztec, New Mexico, visited Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Holder Wednesday night.

The membership of the Methodist Church met Wednesday night for their regular monthly family night. Ice cream and cake was served to approximately fifty-five. The Young People entertained with songs and memory work.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lichey were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lichey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cook, and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Coleman attended the funeral of Mr. A. H. Nelson at Clyde Sunday.

Mr. Nelson is the father of Mrs. Luke Coleman.

Mrs. Pearl Davidson and Ann returned Monday night after spending Fathers Day with Mrs. Davidson's father Mr. T. O. Williams of Ballinger.

Nine members of the Wilson Band received the honor of playing in the summer concert band at the annual band summer school. They are Javan Schnei-

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ter, Don Evelyn Joines, Judson Hewlett, Marion Stienhauser, Lynn Maeker, Bruce Hewlett, Ida Pearl Mason, and Jerry and Joyce Church.

Mrs. T. A. Stone was hostess for the rehearsal supper honoring her niece, Miss Venita Stone and Chester Watley and their wedding party Saturday night at the Tahoka Park.

Out of town guests for the wedding of Miss Venita Stone and Chester Watley were: Mrs. Loui Jordan and daughter of Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Cook of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reynolds of Lorenzo, Mrs. D. B. Nash of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Nash of Post, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Parker of Hereford, and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Watley of Ruidoso, New Mexico. Also Mr. and Mrs. Olin Parrish of Hereford.

## WHEAT IS GOOD

Bill McNeely says he recently cut 20 bushels of wheat from 42 acres of irrigated land on his place in the Dixie area.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rivas and son Johnny, age 10, of Bremerton, Washington, flew down in their own plane Monday for a visit with Mrs. Rivas' mother, Mrs. R. W. Fenton, Sr.

Mrs. Leroy Nettles of New Home is a patient in Tahoka Hospital.



TROPHIES ON DISPLAY



We have just received two beautiful gold plated trophies to be awarded to two outstanding Lynn county boys. They are being awarded by Ralston Purina Co. to Larry Mears and Walton Terry, respectively, for raising and exhibiting the Grand Champion Barrow and Fat Steer at the South Plains Fat Stock show for 1955.

The trophies are about two and one-half feet tall and are beautifully embossed and engraved. They will be lasting mementos to those young men for their outstanding achievements in 1955.

We will keep the trophies on display in our store for a couple of weeks. Drop by to see them.

**HEALTH HINT**



This is the time of year when insects can really wreck your ornamental shrubs. We've got the "makings" for a spray that really takes care of most of these plant insects. Ask for Purina Liquid Building Spray.

We will be closed Monday, July 4th. Best wishes for a safe and sane holiday!

**Miss Margaret Sue Roberts Is Married To Athens Minister In Rites Read Here**

Miss Margaret Sue Roberts of Tahoka and the Rev. H. Robert Tucker, Jr., of Athens, were united in marriage Friday night at 8 o'clock in the First Baptist Church here.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. John A. Roberts of Tahoka and Dr. and Mrs. H. R. Tucker of Athens.

The Rev. Lee Ramsour of Athens performed a double ring ceremony assisted by the Rev. George A. Dale of Lubbock. The altar was centered with an arch of pink gladioli flanked by candelabra, baskets of pink gladioli and palms. White satin ribbon marked the bridal aisle.

Mrs. W. P. Hutchison played traditional wedding music and accompanied Winford W. Walker who sang "I Love Thee," "Because" and "The Wedding Prayer."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of skinner satin with imported Chantilly lace yoke and sleeves. Lace panels in the skirt extended into a train. The bridal gown was worn by the sister of the bride in her wedding and designed by the bride's mother.

Her fingertip veil of illusion fell from a tiara of orange blossoms. She carried a cascade arrangement of better times roses with green satin leaves.

Mrs. Ralph W. Laswell of Snyder, attended her sister as matron of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Sallie Roberts of Athens, and Miss Marilyn Ewing of Lubbock.

They wore identical waltz-length dresses of pink cotton lace completed by wristlets and bonnets of matching lace. They carried crescent arrangements of pink sweetheart roses with pink satin leaves.

Harry Scott of Athens served as best man and ushers were Charles Hamill of Athens and Ralph W. Laswell of Snyder. Candlelighters were the Rev. Larry Ramsour of Athens and Paxton Hutchison.

Following the wedding ceremony a reception was given in honor of the couple at the home of the bride's parents. The bridal table, laid with a cutwork cloth, was centered with a three-tiered cake topped by a miniature bride and groom.

Assisting with hospitalities were Miss Thelma Tucker of Athens, sister of the bridegroom, Miss Eleanor Jean Browning of Fluvanna, and Mes. Tad Corbet of Shreveport, La., R. F. DeShazo of Lubbock, Willis McNeil, Clyde Allen, Willis Pennington, Fred McGinty and Clay Bennett.

For a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N. M., the bride chose a navy linen suite with navy and white accessories and a rose corsage. The couple will be at home in Athens after June 30 where the bridegroom is pastor of West Highlands Baptist Mission.



MRS. H. R. TUCKER, JR.

The bride is a graduate of Tahoka High School and Baylor University where she was a member of Sigma Tau Delta and Sigma Delta Pi. She will teach in the Fort Worth Public Schools this fall.

The bridegroom, a graduate of Athens High School and Baylor University, will enter Southwest Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth this fall.

**Thanks Assistants In Staging Reunion**

Mrs. Hall Robinson, president of this year's Pioneer Reunion, asks The News to publicly express her thanks for the wonderful reception given this year's event, which many have said was the best ever. Cooperation in staging the event was fine, she says.

She especially thanks all officers and committee members who worked with her so faithfully, those participating on the program; the merchants for the fine display of pictures, relics, and keepsakes, and the people who loaned them; the Chamber of Commerce for the trophies for the window contest; R. C. Wells and the Old Fiddlers; Tommy White for the food, and those who helped serve drinks; the School authorities for the use of the buildings; Mead's Bakery for the use of the public address system; the American Legion for organization; and everyone else the free use of the hall and for the drinks served free by this who had any part in making the Reunion a success.

Miss Lucille Collier of Post, Mrs. C. A. Thomas, and A. I. Thomas visited the first of the week in Panhandle with Mr. Thomas' sister, Mrs. A. A. Walker.

Vernon Davis had a "flare up" with his heart, but is now reported doing well after being in Tahoka Hospital from Saturday through Wednesday.

**Rotarians Hear Of Convention**

Three Tahoka Rotarians who attended the Rotary International Convention in Chicago early in June told of their trip at the club meeting last Thursday noon.

Those on the program were Fred McGinty, who talked on "Highlights" of the convention; Harold Green, president-elect, "Bright Lights;" and Truett Smith, "Dim Lights." Dr. Emil Prohl also attended the convention, but he and his family have not returned home yet.

Accompanying the Rotarians were Mrs. McGinty and Mariana, the latter being the club sweetheart, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Smith, Gordon and Carol, and Floyd Tubb, local high school teacher.

About 20,000 Rotarians including their families, attended the convention, which was celebrating the Golden Anniversary of the service organization of 8,700 clubs with 411,000 members in 90 countries of the world.

The three speakers on the program outlined some of the talks made by national and world famous speakers, the entertaining numbers, the big league baseball games which some of them saw, and certain places of interest visited on sight-seeing tours.

The Tahoka group, the second largest considering size of the clubs registered from a distance at the convention, stayed at the immense Conrad Hilton Hotel, the largest in the world.

Truett Smith also had opportunity to go through the First National Bank of Chicago, the largest bank in the world all under one roof, which had 2 billion dollars in assets and has 2,700 employees.

Clint Walker was in charge of the program.

This Thursday, the new president, Harold Green, and the new secretary, Alton Cain, will be inducted into office succeeding A. M. Bray and Johnny Reasonover, respectively.

**O'Donnell Men raise Broilers**

Several farmers around O'Donnell are going into the raising of broilers in a big way.

The first shipment of 4,000 baby chicks was received Wednesday by Joe Eaker, and 4,000 will be received each week by farmers in that area until the total of 32,000 broilers so far are delivered.

Mr. Eaker has built a 4,000-capacity brooder house, Lynn Birdwell is building two and will receive his first shipment next week, L. D. Jackson is building two, Bart Anderson, Roy Line, Horace Brunette, and Elbert Crawford, one each.

Raymond Ballew of Draw also has 400 chicks now about two weeks old, he is raising for the broiler market.

Ken Looper of Purina Mills says there is a demand for 75,000 broilers a week on the South Plains. This would mean there is a need for 800,000 chicks on feed all the time.

About nine weeks will be required for the broilers to reach 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 pounds, which is the weight desired when they go to market.

Vantress and Cornish white cross chicks have been contracted for the program.

The First National Bank of O'Donnell instigated the program, and is the backer of the project.

**Mrs. Holcomb Buried Tuesday**

Mrs. C. A. Holcomb, Sr., 67, mother of Rev. C. A. Holcomb, Jr., Methodist pastor at Sweetwater and formerly pastor at Tahoka, died at 4:30 p. m. Saturday in a Lubbock Hospital. She lived at 504 Ave. M in that city.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at Asbury Methodist Church in Lubbock, with Rev. John English, the pastor, officiating, and burial followed in Lubbock Cemetery.

Born in Collin county, she had lived in Lubbock 50 years. Her husband is a former sheriff of Lubbock county. The couple would have celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Nov. 26.

Carl Thomas of California and grandson of Phoenix, Ariz., are visiting A. I. Thomas.

A. M. Bray was in Denver Colo., two days early this week on business.

Florida, the last of the territory owned in North America by the Spaniards, was ceded to the United States in 1819.

**Congratulations:**

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schoppa, route 4, on the birth of a son weighing 10 pounds at 12:27 p. m. Monday in Tahoka Hospital. Name, Harvey Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Evans on the birth of a son weighing 5 pounds 10 and one-half ounces in a Lubbock hospital at 6:39 p. m. Tuesday.

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**EXPLORER SCOUTS PLAN REESE VISIT**

Tahoka Explorer Scouts, at their meeting Tuesday night, made plans for a visit to Reese Airforce Base, west of Lubbock, on Wednesday, July 6.

The Scouts will leave Scout Hall at 7 a. m., and expect to return at about 1 p. m. Lunch will be served in the Wing Dining Hall at the Base at 12 noon at 40 cents per person.

All members of the troop are urged to be at Scout Hall by 7 a. m. so the group can reach the base by 8 a. m.

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**SHAMBECK IS WINNER OVER O'DONNELL TEAM**

Last Sunday afternoon, the Shambeck Ford baseball team took a 15 to 4 victory over O'Donnell.

The local boys scored in every inning except the fourth and held O'Donnell scoreless until the top of the fifth.

Richard Havens, 40, was the winning pitcher, and Roy Johnson, 0-1, was the losing pitcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Everett spent last week on vacation visiting the Rocky Mountains in Colorado.

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**Homemakers Hold Last Class Meeting**

The Freshman Summer Homemaking Class held its last meeting at the Cottage last Thursday, June 23.

Their class project was a Nursery School. Each girl brought a child to care for. Those children attending the Nursery School were; Pam Rainald, Mary Jean Mason, Susie Brazil, Charman Thuren, Tommy Joe Stone, Glenda Mason, Cindy Gibson, Janie Cox, Tom Spears, Danny Curry, Johnny Headstream, Harriet Cook, Greg Chapman, Billy Curry, and Theda Gandy.

The school was under the supervision of Mrs. Madeline Hegi.

James Wootton received a severe injury to an eye last week while working at the Union campus.

**VFW, Auxiliary Plan Activities**

Tahoka VFW Auxiliary members will entertain the VFW and members of their families with a "watermelon cutting" and picnic Monday evening, July 4, at 7 o'clock in Tahoka Park.

Last Thursday night the VFW had a supper at the Legion Hall here, followed by a business session.

N. T. Conner reports that the VFW has sold 38 American flags, most of them to local business institutions for display on special occasions. They can still get the flags for those who want them at \$12.50 each. The flags are of good quality, 3 by 5 feet in size, and include staff and cover.

**W. M. U. NEWS**

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met at the church last Monday with twenty-two members present. A short program, led by Mrs. H. B. Howell, has given about our old age ministers and an offering was taken for ministerial relief to help these pioneer preachers and their wives. After this program, the W. M. U. had a short business meeting. Among the things discussed and decided upon at this meeting were: that we would begin the study of the mission book, "My Father Is Rich" by J. Clark Hensley, and that the W. M. U. would sponsor a vacation Bible School for the Negro children and for our Latin-American people. The date for these schools will be announced later.

Following the business meeting, the W. M. U. members were invited to attend a program given by the Sunbeam children under the direction of their leaders, Mrs. Ray Adams and Mrs. Durwood Howard. This program was about Africa which climaxed their study of this country, and it was enjoyed by all that were present.

The Business Women's Circle of the W. M. U. met Monday night for their regular monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. Otis Hillhouse with twelve members present.

Next Monday, July 4th, at 3:30 p. m., the W. M. U. will meet in circles for Bible study in the following homes: Sharpie Circle with Mrs. John Roberts; Sallee Circles with Mrs. Terry Noble; Wing Circle with Mrs. W. P. Hutchison; and Walker Circle.

Mrs. M. H. Brasher returned home Sunday from a visit in Kansas City, Mo., with her daughter, Mrs. Ray (Emma Jean) Cook. She went to Harrison, Ark., with Mrs. Otis Pope, and Ray came for her there and carried her on to Kansas City.



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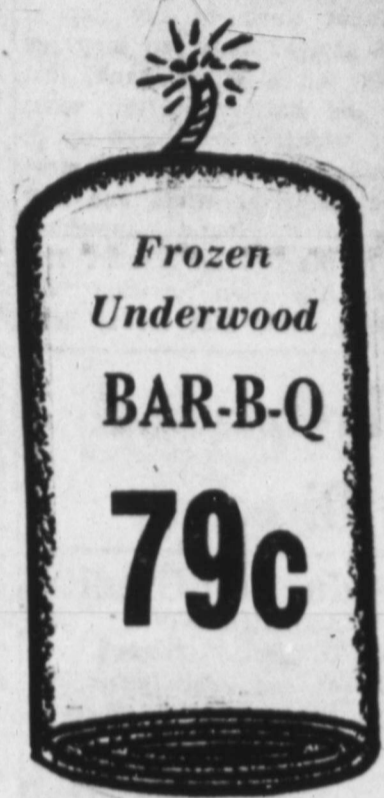
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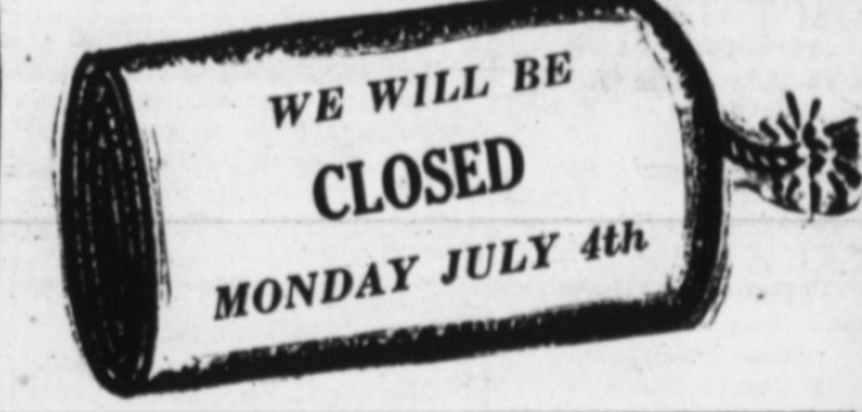
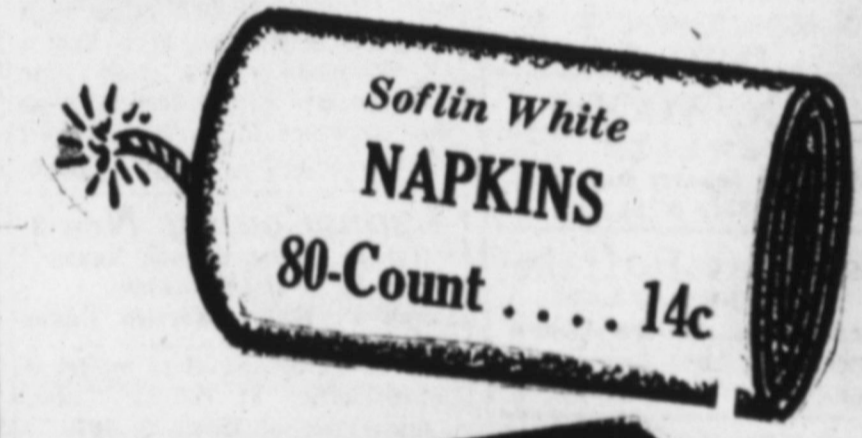
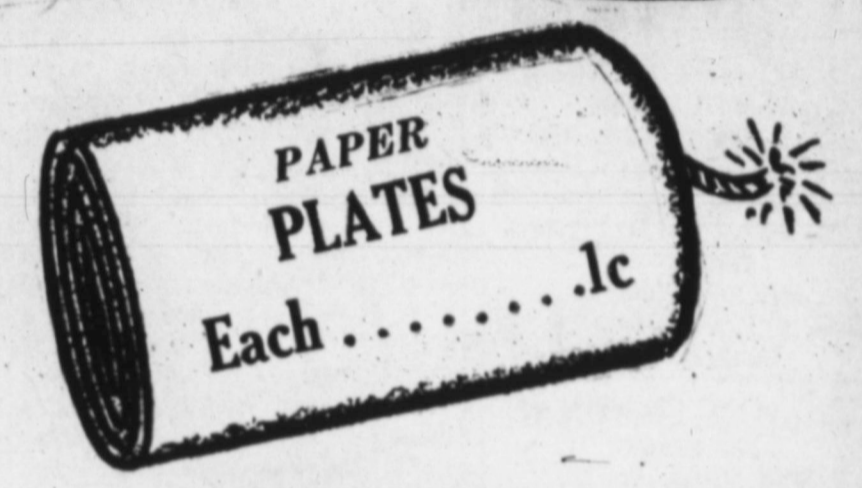
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# Odds AND Ends

(BY E. L. THE ELDER)

Waco is not like it used to be; at least it is not like Stampedede used to be. It has the strangest weather of any country I know anything about. It can look like a drought were on any day at sunset, say, at dark you may see the top of a cloud bank just about the horizon in the west; and at midnight you wake up in the midst of one of the most terrific electrical, wind, and hail storms to be found anywhere north of the Gulf of Mexico. The weather has been cutting up something like that down here

ever since that tornado came nigh to tearing Waco up a little more than two years ago. The town has been notably tornado conscious all this year clear on up to last night.

From all reports our beloved and usually peaceful Stampedede Valley has been trying of late to live up to the name it acquired in pioneer days when herds of cattle used to come up one of the old Chisholm trails that passed in a few yards of the little house in which Brother Joe and I were born—I was born first, you understand, but he was the biggest, whether that is good English or not. That little house was at the foot of a range of hills that marked the eastern boundary of Stampedede Valley. I can well remember the time when another brother, William, older than I, for I could not have been more than four years old at the time, stood by the roadside and watched a herd of cattle as they came up the Chisholm trail from the south and passed by our house.

At a point on the Colorado River a few miles below Austin several cattle trails converged where there was a crossing, or ford, and there the Chisholm Trail proper began, coming north from the east bank of the River. I did not learn at the time, when that Chisholm cattle trail was established, nor where it came from nor where it went to, nor why; but I later learned that cowboys had been driving longhorns up that trail for many years, for that creek that flowed down the valley two miles west of our mansion had been known as Stampedede Creek from time immemorial. The legend was that sometime in the remote past either Indians or other thieves

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Communion.....11:00 a. m.  
Ladies Bible Study  
Thursday.....2:00 p. m.

had made an attack upon the cowboys, frightened the cattle and caused them to stampede and scatter all over the valley, and hence that valley became known ever afterward as Stampedede Valley. If I had been a thoughtful kid when I was four years old, I might have gotten the full story then as to how Stampedede Creek got its name. It seems that I commenced neglecting opportunities rather early in life. Well, after I grew up—a long time after I grew up—I became somewhat interested in the history of my homeland, and I learned that this same Chisholm Trail passed on north and within a half-mile of the spot where the Santa Fe Railway some time or other was going to build a passenger and freight depot and a town all about it, which they were going to call Moody. The Santa Fe people did build the railway and the town in 1881. My father about that time bought a farm about two miles north of the little tenant-house in the edge of Stampedede Valley in which I was born and where I had watched a world-of cattle-go by, and we moved onto that farm. But that was a little while after the town of Moody had been born and was squalling pretty loud in its new swaddling clothes. There were two dwelling houses on that farm, and years later I found out that the old Chisholm Trail, long-since abandoned, had passed right through that farm and only a short distance from each of those houses. I don't know just when the Trail was abandoned but it is a sure thing that no longhorns were being driven up that trail when we moved onto that farm. I guess they were being routed up some other trail further west. In 1881 the prairie lands all about Moody were being converted into farms, and the Stampedede cows—what was left of them—were being hauled to market in Santa Fe cattle cars. But Stampedede Valley is still there, and Stampedede farmers—some of them—are still raising a few cattle—but not Longhorns. They are either Whites or dairy cows. The Longhorns have completely vanished, never to return.

There are today a lot of people living in Lynn county and all over the South Plains whose grand-pas and grand-mas—or maybe their great-grand parents—lived along the route of the old Chisholm Trail that passed through Central Texas in that region's pioneer days. These your ancestors will be delighted to give you first-hand information regarding this Trail and the dramas that were enacted by the cowboys who drove numerous herds of Longhorns up the Trail into Oklahoma and on to Fort Dodge or Abilene, Kansas. Now I am going to give you a log of the Trail through Texas, but it will not be a complete and infallible recital of the route in much of its course.

Well, as I stated near the beginning of this Column, the Jesse Chisholm Trail proper began at the Montopolis Crossing of the Colorado River a few miles below Austin, came up across Williamson county, entering Bell county not far from old Corn Hill, thence up by Prairie Dell, Salado, Belton, crossing the upper reaches of Cedar Creek, through the eastern edge of Stampedede Valley, near where the present town of Moody now stands, crossing the South Bosque River in the vicinity of McGreggor, through the Crawford vicinity, to Valley Mills, up the Bosque Valley, across the Brazos River at Kimball's Bend over into Johnson county, Fort Worth

thence through Tarrant, Wise, and Montague counties to the Red River about ten miles north of Belcherville. Of course this takes one through a number of towns out northwest of Fort Worth, such as Nocona, Ringgold, Decatur, and others.

Stampedede for forty years or more was one of the finest rural communities to be found in all Central Texas. It was the main community center in a great spreading valley of rich soil and progressive people. It boasted of one of the best rural schools in Bell County. Literary and social entertainments, spelling matches, school concerts, singings, and church services were often held in the school house. In this respect it was not unlike the best rural communities that formerly existed in Lynn County. But the New Deal, improved farming implements, paved roads, high-powered automobiles, and the building of larger and better schools in the cities and towns, have just about killed Stampedede as a community center. No school there any longer. The school house has been torn down and the lumber sold. There is a Baptist Church building but it is in serious need of repair. Former members who have moved to town or to distant places have

been undertaking recently to revive the Church organization there, but they are able to keep it alive. That is a situation that prevails in Lynn County and in almost every other county in West Texas. The name is about all that is left of the community.

Yet, when a home-coming celebration was held there last year, hundred of people came far and near and the affair was such a surprising success that the people of the community and of near-by Moody and Temple are preparing to repeat the affair on the third Sunday in August. If you or any of your relatives ever lived in Stampedede Valley you are invited to attend. Bring your lunch if convenient; if not, come on anyway. A program of singing and Talks and a sermon will be given. Eligible Ministers are specially invited.

Waco is noted for fine pecan trees, its giant oaks, and elms and cottonwoods and sycamores but one most beautiful attraction in the way of plant life is its flowering shrubs and small trees. The Mimosa tree is one of the most prim and lady-like small trees to be found anywhere. Every time you see her she looks as if she had just come out of a beauty parlor and stepped out onto the sidewalk to go unhurried and serene down to the little church on the corner just as a lily pond or a bright rose garden. Not only is the mimosa tree lovely but she is unique in the quality of her loveliness.

The Crepe Myrtles down here are the equal of any I have ever seen; and I have never seen any growing as slender and tall as some I have seen here in Waco. Mary has a neighbor who has never chosen to trim back one in her yard and is has grown to a height of twenty feet, crowned with a great crown of blood-red flowers at the top. I have seen more than one like that. And then there are the Lagustrums—if that's the way to spell it—not colorful but with blooms that remind you in texture of broomweed flowers except that they are as delicate and beautiful as spider webs.

Lastly there are the queenly magnolias that are found in many places and that remind you constantly of the old South. Queenly is the only adjective that I can think of that will do them justice. Well that is all for this time.—Good Night.

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James Hyles and Alton Lee Terry are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Johnny McKinney in Lamesa this week.

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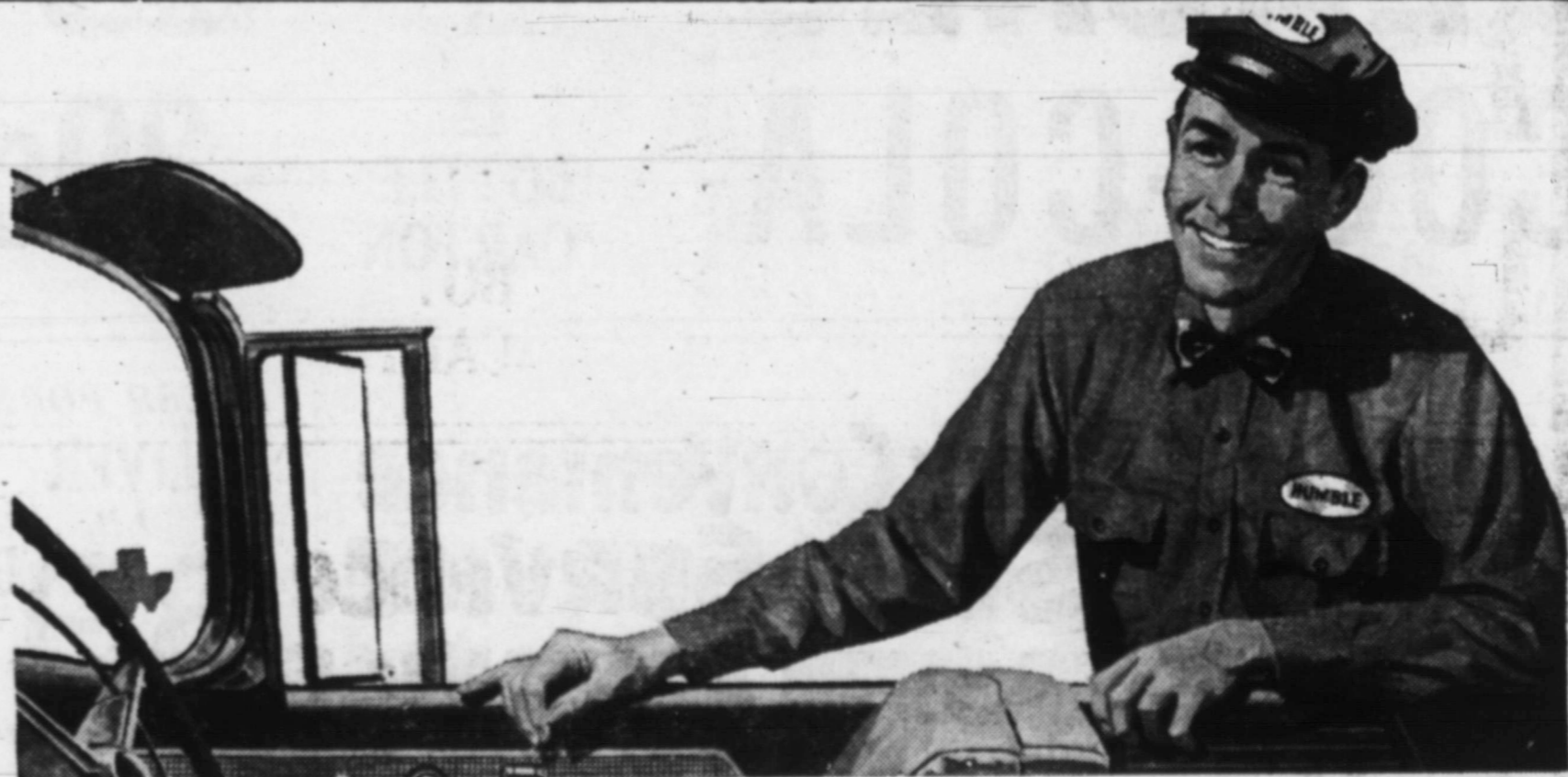
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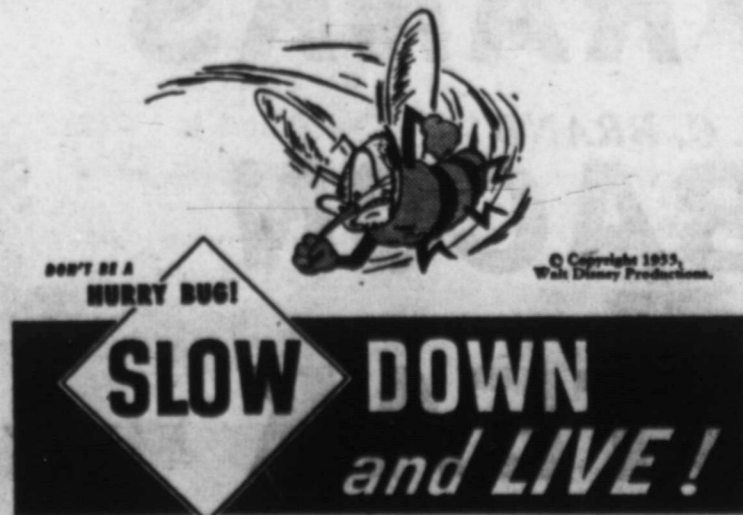
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## Among Those At Pioneer Reunion

J. B. Walker of Lubbock was the second "professor" of the Tahoka schools, coming here from Aspermont in 1905. Mrs. Walker had a part in the program, and their son, Clint, was master of ceremonies, and was elected president of the coming year.

W. L. Knight, 91, who was the oldest pioneer man present following the program tried out a number on Eck Robertson's fiddle. With a little practice, he could cut a pretty fine figure with the fiddle. Mr. Knight and wife came here in the 'teens to establish Knight & Brashear general mercantile store.

Mrs. S. N. McDaniel, who came in 1902, lives on the same lots her late husband drew in the Tahoka townlot sale. Mr. McDaniel, an early-day investigator for the Texas Cattle Raisers Association, was the first Lynn county clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Smith and children and Mrs. Eunice Livingston of Grand Prairie were home for the reunion and to visit relatives.

Mrs. John Standefer, who lives near the county line north of Wilson, represented one of the oldest families in Lynn county. The Standefers came to Lynn in about 1896. The News is informed.

Mrs. Louise Clairmont of San Antonio and Lubbock was an interested visitor at the program. Born in Tahoka the daughter of Judge and Mrs. Tom Bartley, she is now a prominent portrait artist and is in Lubbock fulfilling commissions. T. M. Bartley was an early day Tahoka attorney, served as Lynn county judge, and had a hand in developing the North Tahoka addition. He moved to Waco, and became secretary of the Grand Lodge of Texas. Judge Bartley married a Floydada girl while living in Tahoka.

J. E. (Ed) Ketter, deserved the front seat. He was one of our first settlers, and sent up a test case to the Supreme Court of Texas which broke the lapse-lease practice used by ranchers to hold on to state lands. He and two other men were instrumental in establishing the first school in Lynn county at New Lynn in 1902, getting permission from Lubbock county authorities (Lynn was then attached to Lubbock for judicial purposes) to levy a 5 cent tax on Lynn county land, and raised the \$85.00 necessary to build the building from lumber hauled from Big Spring.

Mrs. Jack (Frankie Wells) Fenton, who arranged the program, was born here, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wells, who came to the new town from Indian Territory in 1903. The reunion is held annually on Mrs. Wells' birthday, June 24, and the event grew out of a birthday celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thomas were among those from Grassland. They came with the development of the Post lands, but their community is one of the oldest on the entire plains. A store and postoffice was established there in the early 1890's by Enos L. Seeds, who later became a wealthy Philadelphia contractor. The Seeds home, the first and most pretentious frame house on the lower South Plains, was long a stopping place for cowboys, trail drivers, freighters, drifters, prospectors, and others in this then sparsely settled land. Incidentally, Grassland was named for President Grover Cleveland's home plantation just outside Washington, D. C. John Wanamaker, then postmaster general of the United States and a friend of the Seeds family, appointed Mr. Seeds postmaster and suggested the name of Grassland. Site of the Seeds postoffice was possibly the present site of the Thomas Bros. Gin.

Henry Hilton, Lubbock, first came to New Home in 1908, but stayed only one year before moving to Lubbock. However, he lived at New Home again from 1932 to 1942.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards were up from Houston. They were accompanied by their son, Gene, and wife; and daughter, Mrs. Jim (Betty) Clift, and husband. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Clift went on to Colorado on a vacation trip, while Frank and Polly returned home Monday.

Others of the Edwards clan present included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Edwards and Kay all of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Edwards of New Home.

Houston Spikes of Amarillo happened to be passing through town, heard the reunion was in progress, and stayed to enjoy the day with old friends. His parents were pioneer settlers of Crosby county, and he was manager of the gas company here for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Clayton of O'Donnell waited until after the Reunion to go to California, where they expect to spend about six months at Garden Grove. Mrs. Clayton is the former Julia Crie, who came here in 1905. Her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crie, edited The Lynn County News from 1905 to about 1918. The Claytons came to the south part of the county in 1906, and first lived in a dugout east of the present town of O'Donnell.

Mrs. S. M. Clayton of O'Donnell reported that Chris L. Adair, a pioneer of Lynn county, is now in a tubercular hospital in Phoenix, Ariz.

Ed Myers of Slaton, a real pioneer of the county, had a big time visiting old friends. Ed came to Lynn county long before Tahoka was established, worked for Jack Alley on the Col. C. C. Slaughter Tahoka Lake Ranch in 1897. After Tahoka was established in 1903, he operated a furniture store on the north side of the square, about where the First National Bank is now located. Several years later, fire destroyed most of the buildings in that block. He never rebuilt and soon moved to another new town, Slaton.

Bob Preston and wife were here from Midland. He is a brother of Tom Preston of Ewart, who worked on T-Bar ranch many years. Bob worked on T-Bar, too, in 1907 and 1908, while the late W. T. Petty, brother-in-law of Mrs. A. L. Lockwood, was foreman.

While here, Bob went over to the court house and looked up the Commissioners Court records to find where the county had paid him \$30.00 for killing six lobo wolves.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Welcher of Purnell, Okla., visited the Wells families. His day, Jim Welcher, and granddad, J. S. Wells, came here in 1903, when they bought the first Tahoka store, Sweet and King, located at the southwest corner of he square, and changed its name to Wells & Welcher. Mr. Welcher and Mr. Wells also built the first gin here in 1906.

the First National Bank of Level-Fred Barker, vice president of land; and his sister, Mrs. J. T. (Eleano) Gist of California, both of whom came in 1919, were here. This was Mrs. Gist's first visit to the reunion. Her husband is a geologist and is now working in Turkey.

Hubert Davis of Floydada and Tom Davis of Brownfield and families (1907) were here visiting their sisters, Mrs. Beulah Atkins and Mrs. E. B. Gaither.

Mrs. Harold (Kathryn) Edwards of Houston attended the reunion and visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Poer from Friday until Monday.

L. B. Patterson of Big Spring, here for the reunion, taught school at Wilson about 1917 and 1918. Ten or 12 years ago, he worked a while at D. W. Gagnat's. He is now teaching a rural school north of Big Spring. L. B. is a third cousin of Ott Patterson.

Rev. Paul King, born here in 1905, and family were here from Lawton, Okla., where he is pastor of the First Methodist Church. Lem King, on the police force at Amarillo, and family were also here. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. King, now of Wilson. Mrs. King, who was a Luttrell, came here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Luttrell, in 1901. She still owns a ladies' side-saddle she bought as a girl. The Luttrells were among the first families of Lynn county.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Mason of Genoa, Colo., where they are teaching, were here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Montgomery and Marietta, who is also home for the summer from her teaching job. Mr. Will came to Lynn county in 1902, first bought land northwest of Tahoka Lake, and later settled on his present farm north west of Tahoka. To locate the land he wanted, he rode over the county on a bicycle.

Dick Simpson, 1908, was up from Borden county. Dick went to the first World War in this county, and served in the Army's 9th Division.

Mrs. Elbert King, the former Wilma Brashear, who came here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brashear, along with the Knights, accepted the third prize for the best decorated Tahoka store window.

Frank Nevill (1903) and wife, the former Irma Robinson, also of Tahoka, "away back yonder," was here visiting his brother, Jodie, and sisters, Mrs. Elton George and Mrs. R. W. Lewis and other relatives and old time friends. They live at Lytle, near San Antonio. Frank was about 10 years old when his parents moved to Tahoka.

M. O. Bridges, who came here as manager of the gas company in 1928 and married Cleone Wells came up from Tyler for the reunion. His wife had been here the week before. He and Cleone were married on the 50th wedding anniversary of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wells.

Mrs. Roy Stephens, now of Chickasha, Okla., born in Tahoka as Evelyn Wells, daughter of Coleman Wells, was here for the first time in many years for the reunion.

Ethel Cooke, now Mrs. Hall Robinson, out going president of the Reunion association, came to Lynn County in 1898 when her mother, who had moved out to Lubbock in 1891 from Dallas, married Jack Alley, then foreman of Tahoka Lake Ranch for Col. C. C. Slaughter. Mrs. Robinson had every reason to be proud of the way the Reunion program went off, for this year's meeting was possibly the most enjoyable and most largely attended of any ever held.

Mrs. George (Carrie) Shumake of Seagraves came to the O'Donnell area in 1902 with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Miles. She says it is not true that the old Six Mile School, established southeast of O'Donnell long before the town got its start, got its name from the six Miles children, as the story has been told. Although the Miles children attended the school, it got its name in some other way.

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Lit Moore of Lakeview says he first came to Lynn county in 1907, but he and his wife did not come here to live permanently until 1915.

Joe Bryant, 1905, now of Brownfield, has been in Terry county ever since leaving Three Lakes, but this was the first reunion he had attended. He says he hauled many loads of maize and corn to Tahoka before the railroad came to Brownfield.

Mrs. Ruby Burgett of Galveston, known here as Mrs. Ruby Hatchett, visited her father, J. E. Ketter, and other relatives while attending the Reunion. Her son, Eddie Hatchett, is with a dry goods firm in California; daughter, Evelyn Hatchett, is a missionary in the Far East; daughter, Mrs. Bernice Liles, lives in LaMarque; and daughter, Donnie, lives in Galveston. Ross Ketter, of San Antonio was also here visiting his father.

Mr. and Mrs. George Short met many of their old time friends. They came to Lynn county in 1907, but Mr. Short came to West Texas about 10 years before that and worked as a cowboy on the Swenson SMS and other ranches before coming on out to Lynn.

Mrs. J. H. Colleenback, 1921, whose husband operated a blacksmith shop here many years was back "home." Although she lives in Hammond, La., she was visiting her daughter, Rita, now Mrs. C. B. Grissom, route B, Lamesa.

Mrs. Bonna Stokes of Bangs, who first came here in 1907, was back again on her annual visit.

R. W. Allen and wife of New Home both came here in 1917. Mrs. Allen is a member of the Shattuck family, who settled east of Tahoka.

Mrs. Elton George, 1903, of Lubbock was here with her children, Earl and Grayson of New Home and Mrs. "Dutch" (Faye) Wigginton of Lubbock. The late Eldon George was an early day cowboy on the T-Bar, filed on land south of New Home, and served this county as a commissioner for several years.

Dink Fenn, 1901, came again from his home in Minturn, Colo. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Fenn, moved here in 1901 and settled adjacent to the Dixie, T-Bar, and Long-S ranches eight miles north of Tahoka. The First Baptist Church of Tahoka had its beginning in their home in 1902, a year before Tahoka was established. Some of the first records of Lynn county were also kept at their home.

Mrs. Earl Morris, the former Mattie Dyer, who lives in the Gordon community and writes the Gordon news for this newspaper, was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Dyer, who were among the first subscribers to the Lynn County News. Some of the Dyer girls claim they learned to read from The News.

S. A. Mensch of Seagraves was back for the reunion.

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### Methodist Youths Are Attending Fellowship Assembly At McMurry

Abilene. —Eight Tahoka students and others from Grassland and New Home are among the 400 young people attending the 39th annual Methodist Youth Fellowship assembly of the Northwest Texas Conference here June 27-July 2, at McMurry College.

The Tahoka students are Ann Reasonover, Jan Collier, Marilyn Carmack, Nancy Draper, Kent Gibson, Wayne Huffaker, Lindell Bell, and Jay Gurley.

Also attending the assembly are Harriett Bean, Joyce Lauderdale, Dixie and Linda Davis, and Jerrie LeMond, all of Grassland; and Bobbie Roper of New Home.

Miss Reasonover is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reasonover. A senior at Tahoka High School, she is active in band, FHA, annual staff, basketball, volleyball, and chorus.

Miss Collier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wynne Collier, is a junior at THS, and participates in FHA, band, chorus, and library work. Miss Carmack, a sophomore, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Carmack. She is president of the local MYF group, and a member of the THS annual staff, National Honor Society, band and FHA, and was elected class favorite.

Miss Draper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buel Draper, is in the Library Club, FHA, and chorus at THS. Gibson, a junior at Tahoka High, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gibson. He is vice-president of the Tahoka MYF and participates in football and FFA activities at the high school.

Huffaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Huffaker Jr., is a member of the First Methodist Church of Tahoka. Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bell, is a freshman at THS, and a member of FFA.

Gurley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gurley, is a freshman at Tahoka High School. He has participated in football, basketball and track.

Miss Bean, who will be a junior at Tahoka High School next year, is the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. I. M. Bean of Grassland. She was a member of the pep squad at Whitharral school.

Miss Lauderdale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Lauderdale, is a senior at THS. She is a member of the Library Club, FHA, and Choral Club, and is secretary-treasurer of her MYF group at Grassland.

Linda and Dixie Davis are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Davis of Rt. 3, Post. Both are juniors in Tahoka High School. Linda is president of the MYF at the Grassland Methodist Church, and assistant song leader for the church. She is a member of FHA, Library Club, National Honor Society, and the girls' tennis team. Dixie is MYF vice-president at the Grassland Methodist Church, and assistant pianist for the church. She is in FHA, choir, National Honor Society, and a member of the school paper and year book staffs.

Miss LeMond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy LeMond, is a 1955 graduate of Tahoka High School and plans to enroll at McMurry College this fall. At THS she was in the National Honor Society, FHA, and Library Club, and participated in girls' sports and student council work. She is active in MYF work at Grassland.

Miss Roper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roper, is active in MYF activities of the New Home Methodist Church. At New Home High School she has been in FHA, pep squad, and the basketball and volleyball teams.

Main speaker for the youth conference is the Rev. Howard W. Ellis, director of youth evangel-

ism for The Methodist Church. He is preaching each day on the assembly theme, "To Do What Thou Wouldst Do." Students at the assembly are housed in McMurry College dormitories and are taking their meals at the college dining hall.

### Campaign Against July 4th Accidents

Mrs. C. Skiles Thomas, president of the Phoebe K. Warner Club which is affiliated with the Texas Federation and General Federation of Women's Clubs, has announced that members of the club will join the 11,000,000 members of the national organization, Wednesday, June 29th in a series of chain telephone calls to appeal to Fourth of July holiday travelers to exercise care and courtesy in driving as a measure to prevent the disastrous toll of deaths from highway traffic.

Mrs. H. W. Carter, Club safety chairman, and special committees have worked with other organizations and groups for 100 percent contact of every licensed driver in Lynn county. Committee chairmen for these contacts are: Mrs. Truett Smith, civic; Mrs. G. M. Stewart, educational; Mrs. Mary Louise Fenton, religious; Mrs. J. K. Applewhite, veterans; and Mrs. Harold Green, youth.

In 1954, there were 348 deaths during the same holiday period, with ten times that many injured. Your local call may be the means of preventing the dread long distance call reporting tragedy and heartbreak.

### MRS. R. L. HAGLER IS HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

A surprise party honoring Mrs. R. L. Hagler on her birthday was held Friday night in the Hagler home.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Reed Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Bingham, Bobbie and Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McGehee, Karen, Sharon, Patsy and Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Max Jackson and Don Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rackler, Beverly Ann and Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gollaher, Timothy and Teresa Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Roper, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barker, Dewayne, Don and Loyd, Mrs. J. H. Huddleston and Ronald, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McBride, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Reed Jr. and Judy, Mr. R. T. Hagler, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Hagler, Wanda and Jean, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hagler and Velma.

Also attending was Mrs. Hagler's sister, Mrs. F. E. Ferguson, from Savoy.

### VISIT IN CHICAGO

Mrs. C. E. McClellan and son, Douglas, returned home Sunday from Chicago, to which city they went in company with Mrs. Homer Robinett, a cousin of Mrs. McClellan's, and daughter, Beverly Gene, both of Kalgary.

They left here Sunday, June 16, and drove to Tulsa, Okla., where they spent the night with C. E.'s twin brother and family. They spent the next night at Popular Bluff. They returned by way of St. Louis, down through Arkansas, and to Bowie, where they also visited.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adams of Wells recently attended a family reunion of his mother's family, the Fultons, held in Abilene. Nearly one hundred relatives and near-kin were present.

### MENSCH FAMILIES HOLD REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Mensch of Seagraves, formerly of Lynn county, were honored on Fathers Day by their children with a picnic in Mackenzie Park in Lubbock.

Children and grandchildren present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pierce and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Durham and daughter, all of Tahoka; Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Mensch and family, Alice; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Mensch, and family, Petersburg; Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Mensch and family, Carlsbad, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Mensch and family, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Reid Yandell and family, Earth; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bradshaw and son of Seminole; and LeeRoy Mensch and son of O'Donnell. The latter's wife and baby were unable to be present on account of illness.

S. A.'s brother, C. I. and wife, and their mother, Mrs. S. D. Mensch, all of Flat, were present.

Other relatives and friends attending were; Mr. and Mrs. Venis

### Pioneers . . .

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Clint Walker, mayor, acted as master of ceremonies. The program was arranged by Mrs. Jack (Frankie Wells) Fenton.

Mr. Lewis and Mrs. Harold (Betty) Green, dressed in old time costumes, sang as a duet, "Put On Your Old Grey Bonnet" and then Mrs. Green sang a solo.

Mrs. J. A. (O'Bea Forrester) Biggerstaff and Mrs. J. B. Walker collaborated in presenting "Highlights from The Lynn County News, 1905-1910," compiled by Mrs. Edwards, which the audi-

Mensch and family, Gatesville; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stagges, The Clarence Staggs, Leonard Peach, and Lloyd Gray families, Mrs. Edna Bishop, and Jess Lynch, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Grubbs and daughter, Petersburg; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pierce and girls, Tahoka; Kenneth Evans and Curly McKee, Brownfield; and Mrs. John Parker and family.

ence seemed to enjoy very much. Mostly, they read items of interest and humor from The News concerning old-timers present at the meeting.

Mr. Lewis then led the audience in singing several old time songs, and the crowd really "bore down" on them.

A number of pioneers were then interviewed briefly over the microphone by Frank Hill.

Following a solo by Bob Lewis, there was a moment of silent prayer in memory of those pioneers who have passed away.

The business session followed, and this was followed by the Old Fiddlers Contest. During this Mrs. Pennington and a group of girls served cold drinks to all those desiring them.

R. C. Wells arranged the contest, and the event proved very popular with the crowd.

Eck Robertson, the winner, is an Amarillo piano tuner and violin maker, who has won such contests all over the nation. He has also made many recordings. Fol-

lowing the contest, he entertained the crowd for 30 minutes with requested numbers.

Judges of the contest were C. A. Marlin, Lee McFadden, and Wes Luttrell.

The old time dance at the Legion Hall drew a large crowd, and the George Hughes String Band played the old dance tunes. The Legion Hall was furnished the Pioneers free of charge, and the Legion also served cold drinks.

The school auditorium and cafeteria were air cooled, which added much to the comfort, and a public address system was furnished by Mead's Bakery of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Stevens and Larry Jack returned last week from Richland, Wash., where they visited with Cpl. and Mrs. Jerry Stevens. This was their first time to meet Jerry's wife, but were well pleased with her and are looking forward to the couple's return to Texas.

### FORMER CITIZENS HAVE GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. (Gus) Edwards of Lubbock, formerly of Tahoka, were honored on their golden wedding anniversary Sunday afternoon at the Clapp party house in Mackenzie Park, Lubbock.

Many local people attended the affair, and Mrs. Elnora Curry of Tahoka and Mrs. Boswell Edwards of New Home were among the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwards were married at Coleman on June 25, 1906.

Children of the Edwards are: Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Edwards of Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Watson of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. Garland (Sug) Edwards of Wolfforth.

Grandchildren are: Mr. and Mrs. Donald Huffaker, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Edwards, LuAnn and Tracy Watson, Phronsis and Ronald Edwards.

Great grandchildren are: Donna and Rodney Huffaker.



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#### BOYS SUITS

LINEN and REGULAR \$6.98 VALUES

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MANY SURPRISES

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OUR HATS ARE OFF TO—

Mrs. Hall Robinson, Mrs. Bill Griffin, Mrs. Jack Fenton, R. C. Wells, G. R. Milliken, Mrs. Robbie Pennington, Clint Walker, and all the others who worked so hard to make the Pioneer Reunion a great success. The town and county appreciate your efforts in this undertaking, one of the outstanding events of the year.

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