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Rural Telephones Possible In 30 Days

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TELEPHONE OFFICIALS HELD JOINT MEETING WITH CITY COUNCIL

A lengthy discussion of the prospects of Rural Telephones in the Silvertown area was held here Monday night. The informative discussion got under way at 7:30 with representatives from Mid-Plains Rural Telephone Company, General Telephone Company, City Councilmen, Mayor Redin and City Secretary Fred Strange present.

Those representing General Telephone Company at the conference were: J. L. Kemper, Division Manager from Brownfield, Texas, also E. J. Jenkins, District Manager from Ralls, Texas. Representatives from Mid-Western Rural were Dick Shackleford, Coordinator, Cotton McGehee, President of the R. E. A. Board, and Arthur Arnold local member of the board.

Many phases of the problem of providing rural telephones to the rural area were discussed Pro and Con with no denial of the need for this service. The main problem that faces all communities is not the need but the cost of such service.

Also the history of the movement interred into the discussion, and both sides were capably presented.

The General Telephone Company maintain that all lines must operate on a cost and usage basis. This means that the area provided with telephones must bear the cost of operating the new investment, and the cost of operating this service by the ones that use it of those who benefit by it.

There are two or three methods in which this is now being handled that were discussed. One being a toll on each call made, through an exchange, and the other being a distribution of charges.

It was brought out that it was possible for our area to have telephones within 30 days if agreement on a contract between General Telephone and Mid-Plains Company could be reached.

Rev. Orville Yeager Popular Speaker To Be Here In Week End Revival Feb. 12-14



Lions Will Hold First February Meeting To-Night

A large attendance is expected to-night when the club gathers at the Methodist Church at 7:30 for an evening of eating, fun, frolic, entertainment and discussion. No doubt, telephones will be discussed casually and maybe openly, as well as activities for Saturday programs.

A film will be shown of Lyons Crippled Children's Camp at Kerrville, Texas. The film is 25 minutes long and in color. Fred Mercer and Alton Steele will be in charge of the program for to-night and also secured the film to be shown.

MR. AND MRS. FOWLER HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Fowler returned home Friday night from Chattanooga Tennessee, after having visited in the home of their daughter and family, Major and Mrs. J. R. Clananan, Kay and Pat.

Rev. Orville Yeager, professor of social science at Wayland College, Plainview, and popular speaker on current problems, will preach at First Baptist Church, Silvertown in a week end revival beginning Friday night, February 12 through Sunday night February 14th.

Mr. Yeager, who joined the Wayland College faculty in the fall of 1952 has been in demand for a number of years as speaker for Bible conferences, evangelistic services and radio programs in 42 states. Since moving to the Panhandle Plains area, he has appeared before the majority of the luncheon clubs, some of them several times and also many churches of all denominations.

Mr. Yeager teaches courses in philosophy Bible and American history at Wayland. From 1950-52, Mr. Yeager taught history at the University of Oklahoma, while doing graduate work and serving as pastor of First Baptist Church, Blanchard, Okla. He had previously taught at Mississippi College.

Mr. Yeager's dissertation for the doctorate is on "Indian Enterprises of Isaac McCoy" on which he has done much research about this early day missionary. Among his other writings are "Am I Ordained", a study of Baptist church government, and two pamphlets "God's Rainbow Decision" and "Unleavened Bread". While pastor of the First Baptist Church, Princeton, Ind., Dr. Yeager edited "The Bible Expositor."

He is a graduate of Syracuse University, where he was elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa. He has also attended DePauw University, Wheaton College and Northern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Mrs. Yeager is instructor of voice at Wayland College. They are the parents of two young sons, Rodney and Gayland.

Activity Set For Another Big Day Here On Saturday

An Auction Sale has been scheduled to begin at 1:00 o'clock at the Robinson Hardware and Furniture Store. Mr. Robinson has been clearing his store in preparation of complete remodeling. He has secured the services of Raymond Akin and Gene Harris, popular Auctioneers in the Plainview area. Mr. Robinson states that a complete line of Hardware will be offered at Auction.

Presentations will be made again this Saturday from the same spot at 5:15. Hugh Nance and George Seaney will be in charge of presentation for next Saturday, February 6th.

Possibility of Coen-Activity on Saturday is being discussed and may shape up for a future activity. We believe that you will enjoy these days of activity and visiting friends and neighbors.

First Trades Day Draws Large Crowd To Silvertown

In spite of a cold day, an enormous crowd enjoyed last Saturday's activities and visiting with friends and neighbors. Presentations of appreciation were handed by Mayor Alvin Redin and Perry Whittemore, after the Mayor had addressed those gathered between Tiffins' Department Store and Robinson Hardware and Furniture Store. Those honored were Mrs. Don Brown, M. B. Self, and A. E. Smith. J. E. Arnold was not present to receive his appreciation gift, presentations were possible for having visited the following firms: Allard Butane, Seaney Hardware and Appliance and City Grocery.

Silvertown P. T. A. Met Monday Night Good Attendance

The Silvertown P. T. A. met Monday night, February 1, with the largest attendance of the year. The first and second grades gave a splendid program. Our thanks to Miss Anderson, Mrs. Elms, Mrs. Trout and Miss Hesterworth for an hour of entertainment.

Mrs. Carroll Garrison, president, gave the invocation and presided at the business meeting. She appointed Mrs. Leo Comer, Mrs. Barton Hughes and Mrs. W. E. Schott to serve on the health committee. Scott Smith, Mrs. H. B. Stubblefield and Mrs. Obra Watson, were elected by the association as the nominating committee for officers for the coming year.

Mrs. Fred Mercer, study course chairman conducted a short drill, to acquaint P. T. A. members with by-laws and procedure. She was assisted by Mesdames Dee McWilliams, Glenn McWilliams, Edwin Davis, Claude Allison, Doc Feugh, Robert Hill and Perry Thomas.

P. T. A. Publicity Chairman

A. D. ARNOLD HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY DINNER
Mr. A. D. Arnold was honored with a birthday dinner on Sunday in the home of his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Garrison. A beautiful cake, turkey and trimmings were served to the following:
Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Arnold; Messrs. Don Archer, Buck Hardin, Ray and Max Garrison; Misses Virginia, Kay and Jerry Garrison. All present enjoyed the good eats and hope Mr. Arnold celebrates many more birthday anniversaries.

Pre-School Children To Visit Teacher February 9th

Do you have a child to start to school next September? We want the parents of these children who will be six years of age or before September 1, to come to School on February 9 to talk with the teacher, Mrs. Elms will be available all day February 9. If you will bring a Birth Certificate that will simplify matters a great deal. Birth Certificate will be required before pupils are enrolled in school next September.

Please remember, a child must have been born on or before the first of September 1948 to be eligible to attend public school. Birth Certificates are accepted and checked, then returned to you. We do not keep them on file here at school.

We would like to have each parent come some time during the day on February 9 and bring the child with them.

Pupils who are now in Mrs. Elms' room will not be in school on the above mentioned day. This will allow her to have time to talk with you about your child and the future work to be done.

Mmes. H. A. Cagle and Shafe Weaver were in Lubbock on Tuesday.



Mrs. Vaughan Has A Busy Day Greeting Relatives & Friend

Though January 30th was Mrs. William M. Vaughan's birthday, the big special occasion honoring her 102nd birthday took place on Sunday January 31, in the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Stephens. A bountiful birthday dinner was served to more than two hundred relatives and friends. The beautiful three-tiered birthday cake was brought from Oak View, California, by her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vaughan.

It was quite an occasion for the editor and wife to get to pay a short visit Saturday in the home of Mrs. Stephens, and get to visit with Mrs. Vaughan and to enjoy the spirited wit and humor of this pretty little lady. She was dressed in a becoming navy blue crepe dress and she was radiantly happy and enjoying to the fullest the attentions that she was receiving from relatives and visitors. When the editor started shooting pictures she said "I may have to charge for all this. Although I may have to charge it to the wind and let the dust settle it."

Mrs. Vaughan (Grandmother Vaughn) was born Ellanora Jane Spencer on January 30, 1852, in Wood County, Texas. She was one of eleven children. She can recall days as a child and young woman when life offered few of the comforts of life—and there were times when shoes would even have been considered a luxury. The Civil War days were dark days. They took her father from his home, and even the obtaining of food became an acute problem.

The early and young womanhood years were spent helping her mother with the ten other children, as Mrs. Vaughan's father had died when she was young. Marriage to Mr. Vaughan brought the responsibility of seven other children and four of her own. She has around 165 descendants, with eleven grand children of her own, and two great-great grandchildren. In all she had 140 grandchildren.

She and her husband moved to Briscoe County in December, 1915. Mrs. Vaughan said that she had received the Briscoe County News in her home since 1916, and still has members of the family to read it to her.

Since her husband's death in 1928 she has lived with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Stephens. She has three sisters and a brother living, but due to poor health none of them were able to at-

tend the birthday celebration this year.

The out-of-town guests attending the occasion were:

Children here were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vaughn, of Oak View, California, Mrs. W. A. Stephens, two step-children, Mr. Edd Vaughn, all of Silvertown.

Out of Town relatives present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hall, Santa Barbara, California, Mr. & Mrs. Cecil Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Corder, Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Stephens and children all of Portales, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Beyeler and children of Montpelier, Idaho, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Henderson, Lockney, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Spencer and children, and Mrs. Dene Smith of Gatesville, Texas. Lewis Roberts, and Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Owens of Quitaque, Texas, Mrs. Mary Atchison and son, Mrs. Goldie Vaughn, and Miss Jewel Vaughn, all of Weatherford, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. French McGavock, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn, Happy, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hacker, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hacker, Hereford, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Van Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hooper, and Mr. and Mrs. Cephus Flowers, Tulia, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vaughn, Bois, City, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McClendon, Big Spring, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Vaughn, Happy, Texas.

Methodist Assume Lubbock Memorial Hospital Ownership

Rev. C. R. Hankins, pastor of the local Methodist Church, Mr. Eddie Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hill attended a special session of the Northwest Texas Conference in Lubbock on Friday: at the conference it was voted 190-65 to take over ownership and operation of Lubbock Memorial Hospital and the Kruger, Hutchinson and Overton Clinic which is located in Lubbock.

Delegates were told the hospital and clinic are valued at \$4,490,945. The church will assume indebtedness of \$1,769,943.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Shipman were Messrs. and Mmes. Luke Thompson and family and O. C. Maples and family.

Second Class Scout Badges Awarded To Eleven Scouts

A Court of Honor Scout Meeting was held at the Methodist Church Friday night, and Second Class Badges were awarded to the following Scout members:

Dyrie Maples
Wade Mills
Jerry McWilliams
Richard Jarnagin
James Brown
Frankie Bingham
Jerry Patton
J. E. Patton
Gordon Lowrey
John Schott
Bobbie Stafford

The awards were presented by C. R. Hankins, Pastor of the local Methodist Church.

Ray L. Howard, District Scout Executive, Alvin Jackson, local Scout-Master and Kenneth Sharp, Asst. Scout-Master were also were present for the awards.

The Scout mothers served refreshments afterwards.

Mr. Jackson resigned as Scout-Master, and another is needed to replace him badly. A group of youngsters cannot be expected to work to some great achievement without the help of some able leader. There should be some man in our community that has the time to be a pal to these boys. Often times a fellow with no scout experience will make the best leader. Let's find some one that is willing to be one of the fellows.

Last Conference Game At Home February 11th

The last home conference game for Silvertown will be played in the local gym, Thursday night Feb. 11th, the date being changed from the 12th. On Friday night of this week, Silvertown will travel to Flomot for a conference game. Tuesday night, Silvertown boys and girls defeated Quitaque. The boys won by a score of 62-59. Hamilton was high point man with 27 pts. Farley was high for Quitaque with 24 points. This is 5 straight games to be won by the Silvertown boys team. The Silvertown girls won over Quitaque by a score of 42-34. Faith Barrett was high point girl with 13 points, Carter was high point girl for Quitaque with 16 points.

Silvertown Wins Two Conference Games From Matador

Before a large crowd Friday night in the local gym, the Silvertown Owls boys and girls basketball teams won two conference games from Matador. The boys winning by a score of 65-47. Hamilton was high point man with 24 points, Jarnagin, second with 12 points, and Ledbetter with 11. Matador high point man was Murphy with 29 points. The girls won by a score of 46-41.

Faith Barrett was high point girl with 23 points, and Gilkeyson with 14 points. Hughes was high point girl for Matador, with 20 points to her credit, and Nolen was second with 19 points.

THANKS TO MRS. BINGHAM FOR THESE ENTRIES

After reading about the festivity day we are having and you asking for name suggestions, I'd like to send in a few.

Friendship Day
Good Neighbor Day
Progress Day
Briscoe Day
I think these are all good and thanks to Mrs. A. R. Bingham. Lets here from some more on this.

Football Banquet To Be Held In High School Gym, February Eleventh

The 15 lettermen on the 1953-54 Football team are to receive their foot-ball jackets at the Annual Foot-ball Banquet, February 10th, at 8:00 P. M. in the high school building. The Senior Class will serve the banquet this year and the admission price is \$1.00 per plate. A very interesting program is being arranged. They are hoping for a large crowd. Please buy your tickets from the Seniors on or before Monday, February 8th, if possible. Please keep this date in mind, and be present for the presentation of the foot-ball jackets.

Coffee Implement Host On John Deere Day

On Tuesday, Mr. W. Coffee, Jr. and J. W. Brannon, Jr., along with their employees and a group of volunteer helpers were host to many, many friends throughout the area. The program of activity began with farm equipment demonstration in the morning. At noon there was plenty of food for approximately 400 visitors that passed through the 'Chow-line'. In the afternoon, a free picture show was shown at the Palace Theatre, and several prizes given away at that time.

ATTENDED FAT STOCK SHOW

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mercer returned home on Monday night after a two weeks vacation trip. They spent several days in New Orleans and drove through several southern states including Florida and Georgia. They were met in Fort Worth on Saturday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mercer, and all attended the Fat Stock Show over the week end.

1,100 Poll Tax Receipts Issued

Poll Tax receipts were issued to some 1075 individuals, and 25 exemptions were issued, giving a voting strength of approximately 1,100, some 125 less than issued 2 years ago during the Presidential election.

1954 Automobile licenses for Briscoe County went on Sale February 1, and the licenses must be on all automobiles on or before April 1. Numbers will start with AZ 8000. The number series being the same as in 1953.

Century Of Progress Study Club In Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Century of Progress Study Club was held in the club room, January 27, 1954 with Mrs. Harold Seefeld, Chairman presiding. After a short business session of old and new business, the reports of the past year were read and placed on file. There was a change in our Club Status made the past year, which should have been our "title", since Federation that of Jr. Federation Club women, rather than Sr. Federation Club Women. The following officers will be installed in Sept. for the Club year 54-55

President — Mrs. Toby Penn.
First Vice President — Mrs. James Davis.

Second Vice President — Mrs. Kenneth Sharp.
Recording Secretary — Mrs. Buddy Lyle.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. L. D. Griffin, Jr.
Treasurer — Mrs. O. C. Rampley

Reporter — Mrs. George Long.
Parliamentarian — Mrs. Jean Grundy.

Custodian — Mrs. Garland Francis.
Federation Counselor — Mrs. E. A. Birdwell.

Mrs. Jean Grundy was asked to serve as parliamentarian for the remainder of this year in the absence of Mrs. Chas. Whitfill. Mrs. L. D. Griffin, Jr., will act as reporter due to the resignation of Mrs. Kenneth Jones. Thirteen members were present. Our next meeting will be on Feb. 10th in the home of Mrs. Carl Dean Bomar.

Reporter

Mrs. Ware Fogerson Hostess To LTD Club

On Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 Mrs. Ware Fogerson was hostess to the L. T. D. Club. The afternoon was spent in sewing. "Guess Whats" were given to Mrs. Ralph Glover and Mrs. Coleman Garrison.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. Conrad Alexander, Mrs. Arnold Brown, Mrs. Carl Dean Bomar, Mrs. L. D. Griffin, Mrs. J. W. Lyon, Jr., Mrs. Theron Crass, Mrs. Bob Hill, Mrs. Marlin Jarnagin, Mrs. Dee McWilliams, Mrs. Ralph Glover, Mrs. Coleman Garrison, and the hostess, Mrs. Ware Fogerson. The next meeting will be a Valentine Party in the home of Mrs. Coleman Garrison.

Martin Bean is in Mineral Wells for a few days.

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W. S. C. S. Met With Mrs. Avis Cowart

The W. S. C. S. met in the home of Mrs. Avis Cowart Monday afternoon. A continuation of the study of the prophet Jeremiah was conducted. The opening song was "We Have a Story to Tell to the Nation." Romans 1:9-21, the devotional was read by Mrs. M. G. Moreland. Mrs. C. R. Hankins was the leader.

A report on the last lesson was given by Mrs. Arnold Turner. Messages of Jeremiah were given by Mrs. T. R. Whiteside. A report on the three outstanding kings during Jeremiah's reign were given:

Josiah, by Mrs. Avis Cowart, Zedekiah, by Mrs. Robert Hill, Jehoiakim, by Mrs. Ralph Glover.

A round table discussion, "How we can better meet the needs of our times". Closing song, as a prayer, "Saviour, Like a Shepherd Lead Us", 15 members were present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. George Seaneay. Mrs. Cowart, the hostess, served refreshments during the social hour.

Claude Crossing Community Club Met With Mrs. Garrison

The Claude Crossing Club met with Mrs. Pascal Garrison, Thursday morning and elected officers for the year. The officers are:

Chairman, Mrs. Obra Watson, Secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Roy Edwards, Reporter, Mrs. Don Garrison. The club voted to have a new project for each month.

Our project for February will be funds for the Red Cross.

Coffee and rolls were served to the following: Mesdames G. R. Alexander, Donald Alexander, Lee D. Bomar, Nash Blasingame, Bryan Eddleman, Roy Edwards, Gabe Garrison, Don Garrison, D. T. Northcutt, Albert Mallow, Kemp Thompson, E. Posey, Obra Watson and the hostess, Pascal Garrison.

There were five children present also, Donna Lynn Alexander, Walter Lynn Dunham, Roy Dale Garrison, Lela Jo McPherson and Tommie Edwards. The next meeting will be February 25th in the home of Mrs. Gabe Garrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Autry and children, of Cushing, Oklahoma, came last Friday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Autry and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morris, and other relatives. Kenneth went home on Monday but Mrs. Autry and the children remained here for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Reynolds have gone to Overton, Texas. They will visit her mother Mrs. Edna Allsbrooks and family. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Reynolds took them to Childress on Saturday to catch a train to Overton.

Mrs. Alfa rout, a primary teacher in our local school, has gone to her home near Mangum, Oklahoma, for a few days rest. Mrs. M. G. Moreland is teaching during Mrs. Trout's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Peek, of Dallas, a brother to Mrs. J. S. Fisher, underwent an emergency operation on Monday; Mrs. Fisher went to Dallas on Wednesday to be with him.

Pat Northcutt and Miss Mary Lou Bellinger visited friends in Fort Worth and attended the Fat Stock Show over the week end.

FASTEST KNOWN RELIEF FOR GAS ON STOMACH

THANK HEAVENS! Most attacks are acid indigestion. When it strikes take Bell's-ans tablets. They contain the fastest-acting medicines known to doctors for the relief of heartburn and gas. See refunded if not satisfied. Send empty carton to Bell's-ans, Orangeburg, N. Y. Get Bell's-ans today. 25c.

Future Homemakers Call Business Meeting

A Future Homemakers of America business meeting was called Monday, January 18 by the chapter president, Faith Smithee Barrett. The girls discussed plans and set a date for their sweetheart banquet. The banquet is to be March 26. The following girls were appointed to make arrangements for this banquet on the various committees:

Decoration committee: Janice Grabbe, Joni Douglas, Roxanna McJimsey.

Food Committee: Billie Faye Heckman, Carlyle Monroe, Joy Strange.

Entertainment Committee: — Wanda Ashley, Wayma Callaway, Jonette Reynolds, and Gwendolyn Paige.

Gift Committee: Patsy Bomar, Lucy Clemmer, and Janice Reynolds.

The girls also voted to sell magazines in order to earn money to send two representatives to State F. H. A. meeting. On Tuesday, January 26th. Mr. Ogden, a representative from the Collier-Curtis Magazine Company, discussed plans with the girls to sell magazines. The girls are now in business. Each girl is trying to sell the most magazines so that she may win the prize. Wonder whom it will be?

What Is Gold Star Membership

The American Legion Auxiliary will recognize for Gold Star Membership the mothers, widows, sisters and daughters of members of the armed forces who lost their lives in the services of the United States during World War I World War II, or any subsequent war or period of armed hostilities in which the United States may be engaged.

The respective periods to be recognized are as follows:

1. World War I: The veteran must have been in service between April 6, 1917, and November 11 1918. If he was, the death prior to July 2, 1921, if attributable to service will give Gold Star status.

2. World War II: The veteran must have been in service, between December 7, 1941, and September 2, 1945. If he was, the death prior to April 28, 1952, if attributable to service, will give Gold Star status.

3. Korean: Between June 25, 1950 and the date of declaration of peace as determined by the Congress of the United States.

Many of us have thought of Gold Star Members only as the mothers of the deceased veteran which is not true so let's remember the widows, daughters, and sisters are just as eligible.

If you are a Gold Star Mother, Wife, Sister or Daughter, See Mrs. George Seaneay Gold Star Chairman of the American Legion.

Mmes. H. A. Morris and Roy Morris went to Benjamin on Tuesday to return home Mrs. J. R. Kilcrease, sister of Mrs. H. A. Morris, who has been here visiting for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins and daughter Gail of Amarillo spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn.

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Mrs. Edwin Crass Hostess To Helping Hand Club

The Helping Hand Club held their regular meeting on January 28, in the home of Mrs. Edwin Crass. Mrs. Garland Francis, Chairman, conducted the business session. The Club voted to contribute \$25.00 to the March of Dimes and names were drawn for Sunshine Sisters. Delicious refreshments of sandwiches pineapple fluff and coffee were served to the following members:

Mesdames John L. Francis, Scott Smithee, Jack Harris, Hollie Francis Wade Steele, Frank Fiesh, Jack Jowell, Virgil Baldwin, Frank Mercer Garland Francis, Jack Sutton, Lowell Calloway, Aubrey Rowell Lenten Lanham, U. D. Brown, A. J. Rowell, J. D. McGavock and the hostess, Edwin Crass, Mrs. Clifton Stodghill was a visitor. Mrs. Frank Fiesh will be hostess of the next meeting on February 11.

Lena Lair Circle of The WMS, Baptist Met In Bomar Home

The Lena Lair Circle of the W. M. S. Baptist Church met Monday in the home of Mrs. Lee D. Bomar. Mrs. C. O. Allard, Circle Chairwoman, was in charge. We pieced quilt blocks during the day.

Mrs. Buster Wilson taught our Bible lesson which was a very interesting lesson on the Life of Samuel. Refreshments were served to the following members:

Mesdames C. O. Allard, Shelby Haynes, G. A. Elrod, Buster Wilson, Mattie Perry, Gabe Garrison, Arthur Arnold, Bub McMinn, Sam Brown, Miss Eunice Cox, and the hostess, Mrs. Lee D. Bomar.

Mrs. Fred Lemons returned home on Thursday of last week after having visited her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lemons and children, at Los Alamos, New Mexico, the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McGavock are here from Ohio for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. McGavock, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Heckman and family spent the week end here with his Aunt Mrs. Ashel Cross and Cousins, Mr. and Mrs. George Martin and son, and Billy Fay Heckman.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Anthony, of Canyon, visited her mother Friday morning. They were enroute to Fort Worth for a visit with relatives and to attend the Fat Stock show.

Mrs. G. R. Dowdy has been ill for several days. She has been a patient in the local hospital since last Thursday Mr. Dowdy thinks she is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Haventy are spending a while in Vernon.

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Celebrate Birthdays Sunday At Arnold Turners' Home

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Turner gave a family dinner on Sunday honoring Jay and Janis Turner who were eighteen years old on Saturday and Mr. T. J. Hodges, who celebrated his 76th birthday anniversary on Monday. A bountiful dinner, with all the trimmings, was prepared and served by Mrs. Turner.

Jay and Janis were at home from college for the between semester holiday; he attends T. S. C. at Stephenville while Janis goes to W. T. S. C., Canyon. Other guests at the dinner included Mrs. Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Garrison and family, of Tulia, and Miss Jewel Hodges, of Lubbock. As most of you know Mr. and Mrs. Hodges are the parents of Mrs. Turner and grand parents to Jay and Janis.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Montague and children spent from Wednesday through Friday in Pampa, guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Burger and children.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Turner and Mrs. Jeff Simpson visited "Grandma" E. J. Vaughan Sunday afternoon. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Wakefield.

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Girl Scout Troup Number 1 Met Wednesday

The Girl Scout Troup No. 1 met Wednesday afternoon in the basement of the Methodist Church with their leaders, Mrs. Carver Monroe and Mrs. J. W. Brannon, Jr. We are working on Literature and Dramatics in our second class Rank requirements and are writing plays.

We want to thank all the people who bought Butterflies from us and made it possible for us to donate \$10.20 to the Polio Fund.

Carol Brown has recently returned home from the army. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown. We were unable to learn more details about his home coming.

Mr. and Mrs. Moten Vaughn of Weatherford spent Saturday night with his brother, Ed Vaughn and attended the birthday dinner of his Mother Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Shipman, of Sacramento, California, were Sunday night supper guests of his uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Shipman and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Weaver spent Saturday in the H. T. Myers home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt attended a bankers convention in Dallas over the week end.

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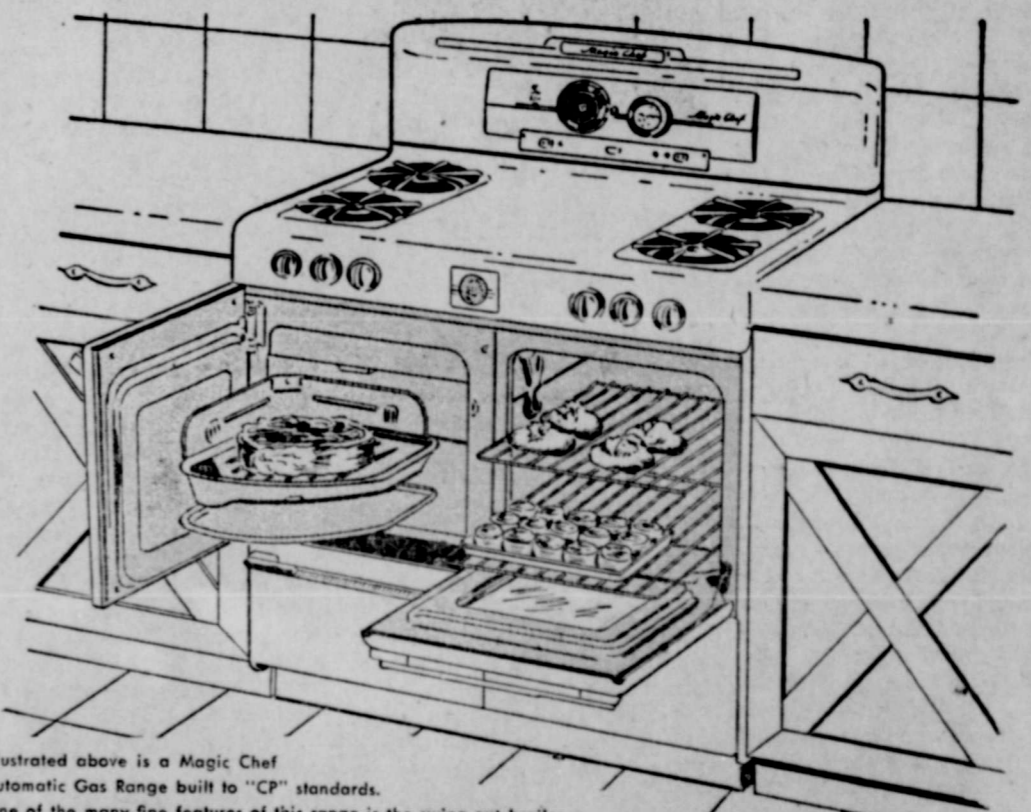
Mrs. W. E. Merrell and Mrs. J. E. Wheelock attended a wedding shower in the Fairmont community, in the home of Mrs. Ford Johnson last Friday afternoon, honoring Mrs. Jack Douglas of Plainview. Mrs. Douglas is the former Betty Ruth Merrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Merrell.

NEW GRAND DAUGHTER
Mr. and Mrs. Leland Norris, of Monahans, are the parents of a baby girl, Peggy Jean, born at Monahans on January 8th. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mart Norris, Silverton, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Womack, Tulia.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Pruitt, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wolfe and daughter Glenda, of Gatesville, Texas spent the week end with their father and sisters H. T. Myers and daughters.

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Messrs. and Mrs. Harold Hall and Oscar McGavock and families of Tulia, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rowland and daughters. The ladies are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. George Long were in Amarillo on Thursday; they were accompanied by her brother, Mr. Pat Frizzell, and Miss Susie Farrish, of Lockney.

Little Garry Francis was a patient in an Amarillo hospital several days last week where he underwent minor surgery. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ragland, Jr., of Lockney, visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Yancy and daughters, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Allard visited her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stevenson and family at Lone Star Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Alexander and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Montague and children at Tulia Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. Clyde Tunnell, Richard and Larry Tunnell and W. A. Smithee were in Lubbock on Friday.

Mrs. Ann Alexander, of Tulia, spent the week end here with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bomar.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ewing, of Quitaque, were recent visitors with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Gregg.

Mmes. Minnie Stevenson, Dean Allard and James Stevenson spent Monday in Amarillo with Mrs. Iris Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Dickerson and Mrs. Betty McPherson were in Tulia and Plainview on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wood, of Lubbock, were visitors here last Thursday.

Messrs. and Mmes. Lenten Latham and Albert Mallow and Becky attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth from Friday through Sunday.

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N. L. Powers
Dick Bomar
H. S. Crow
Jay Jones
Jim Hardin, San Francisco, California.
Theodore Strange
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U. D. Brown
Mrs. Annie Grabbe
A. J. Rowell
J. V. McCarty
A. P. Dickerson
Richard Hill
Walter Rogers, Congress of U. S. Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Cantwell were given a surprise covered dish luncheon at their home on Sunday, January 31st. Those who attended included: Messrs T. J. Crass and Joe Bomar; and Messrs. and Mmes. Elbert Dickerson, Wayland Fitzgerald and daughter, L. W. Francis, J. M. Henderson, John Turner and family, Scott Smithee, John Francis, J. L. West and family, Lowell Calloway and daughters, Earl Cantwell, Jack Sutton and Cynthia, Edwin Crass and family, Clayton Wood and baby, and Datis Martin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dickerson and Mrs. Cora Donnell were over night guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Sedgwick, in Tulia, one night last week. Dr. Sedgwick is a brother to Mmes. Dickerson and Donnell.

Mr. Cline Nalls, of Lubbock, preached at Rock Creek Sunday morning. He and Mrs. Nalls and children were dinner guests of her mother, Mrs. Walter Griffith in the Lone Star Community.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Montague and Teddy Gail Hancock were in San Angelo on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Long visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood in South Plains Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Kenneth Bain was a dinner guest of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee, on Friday.

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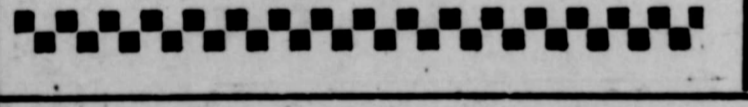
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CITY GROCERY & MARKET

THURSDAY
FRIDAY
& SATURDAY

College Students Home For Visit

College students who have been here during the between semester holidays include:

Those from Texas Tech, Lubbock, Messrs. Pat Northcutt, Donald Bean, Teddy Jack Mayfield, Richard Tunnell, Jack Paige, Lester Paige, Billy Wood, Carol Davis and W. E. Autry; Misses Mary Lou Bellinger, Kay Steele and Mrs. Letty Oneal Arnold.

Those from T.S.C.W., Canyon, Misses Helen Vaughan and Janis Turner and Mr. Wayne McMurry.

Those from T. S. C., Stephenville, Messrs. Kenneth "Red" Stephens and Jay Turner.

Messrs. Larry Tunnell, Gene Hardin and Carol Brown have registered at Texas Tech for the spring semester.

Junior 4-H Club Met January 20

The Junior 4-H Club met January 20th in the high school building. John Burson called the meeting to order and Bobby Crass called the roll and read the minutes. Mr. Ledbetter showed us a film of how to prepare a hog for a fat stock show. We enjoyed this film very much. The fat stock show is February 19. We would like for all of you to come. Mr. Ledbetter also told us about the 4-H jackets. They will cost \$10.80 a piece complete. We have a new member. Her name is Georgia Nell Rackley. We hope she will enjoy our club. We need more new members.

Reporter: Jerry Don Brannon

GATLIN'S HAVE NEW GRAND SON

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Neal, of Amarillo have a baby son, Jimmy Lynn, born January 22, 1954; weight 4 pounds, 8 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Gatlin, Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neal, Turkey. Mrs. Gatlin stayed in Amarillo several days recently with the Neals.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Dickerson and Dana Kay, of Lubbock, visited his mother, Mrs. Flora Dickerson Sunday afternoon.

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Leroy Dickerson, of Canyon, brought his mother, Mrs. William Dickerson down on Friday and took home his Aunt, Mrs. Mack McKenney, of Amarillo. The two ladies are staying here by turns caring for their mother, Mrs. Sam hompson, who is ill. Mrs. Thompson is responding well to treatment and doing as well as can be expected.

Luke Thompson got a finger badly mashed Tuesday morning while at work at the Tomlin gin. It is the one next to the little finger on the right hand. It was dressed at the local hospital and thought to be doing o k bu quite painful.

Mrs. P. L. Brown and Toni Simpson are spending a few days in Dimmitt with Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. J. W. Anderson.

Miss Valettra Weaver spent the week end in Amarillo, a guests in the home of her Uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams and children.

Notice To Bidders

Notice of County's Intention to Receive Bids for the Purchase of Certain Road Machinery

Notice is hereby given that SEALED BIDS, addressed to the County Judge of Briscoe County, Silverton, Texas, will be received by the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, Texas, at the office of the County Judge until 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the 22nd day of February, A. D. 1954, for the purchase of the following described road machinery for the maintenance and improvement of the roads in and for said county, to-wit: One used heavy duty, tandem drive, diesel powered motor grader, equipped with cabs, tires, heater and all other standard attachments. Said motor grader to be delivered immediately. Successful bidder will be required to take as trade in one used model 512 Adams motor grader.

It is the intention of the Commissioners' Court to issue warrants in an amount not to exceed \$8,500.00, bearing interest not to exceed four and one-half per cent per annum, in payment of such machinery, over and above the trade in allowance and the cash payment.

Such SEALED BIDS will at said time be publicly opened and read before the Commissioners' Court of Said County.

The Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This notice is given in strict compliance with the provisions of Chapter 163, Acts 1931, Regular Session of the 42nd Legislature of Texas, and all amendments thereto, and pursuant to an order of the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, Texas.

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ENJOYED-SKATING PARTY IN PLAINVIEW MONDAY

Those who enjoyed a skating party in Plainview Monday evening were:

Mrs. Milton Thornton and Messrs. Homer Stephens and W. A. Stephens, and Messrs. and Mmes. Bud McMinn, Loyd Stephens and Rex Holt of Silverton; C. R. Vaughan, Oak View, California; Jimmy Hall, Carpenteria, California; Ralph Vaughan, and Carl Bradley, of Happy; Gilford Flowers, Vigo Park; French McGavock, Tulsa; and Travis McMinn, of Hale Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Logan and children visited relatives in Vernon on Sunday. Her father, Mr. G. T. Henry is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Williamson, of Amarillo, and Mr. Harold Holmes, of Kansas, were seven o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver and family on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thurmond, of Lubbock, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver on Tuesday of last week; he taught the irrigation school for local farmers.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Davis and children were Messrs and Mmes. Olen Pierce, of Plainview, and Don Brown and Stevie, the ladies are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bingham spent one night last week with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bingham, near Canyon.

Mmes. O. C. Rampley and James Davis were business visitors in Canyon on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Teeple were in Plainview on Saturday.

Mmes. Idella Hyatt and Erick Malone, of Tulsa, visited their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Norris and Mike, on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ridelhuber and Joy and Miss Valda Ridelhuber, of Hillsboro, spent last Thursday here with Mrs. James Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dudley, of Plainview were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Martin. The ladies are sisters. Mrs. W. A. Smithee and children of Memphis, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee last Friday.

Messrs. and Mmes. Merle Montague and Ronny attended the basket ball game at W.T.S.C., Canyon, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Carl Crow received word that her brother, Roy Maddox, had died suddenly at Collexico, California.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Autry, of Lubbock, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Autry, on Sunday.

Mrs. Rosa Bristow, of Ackerly, arrived on Monday for a visit with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Davis were over night guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davis, on Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Montague, Johnny and Carol Ann were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brunner, parents of Mrs. Montague, in Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley and Connie made a business trip to Lubbock Monday afternoon.

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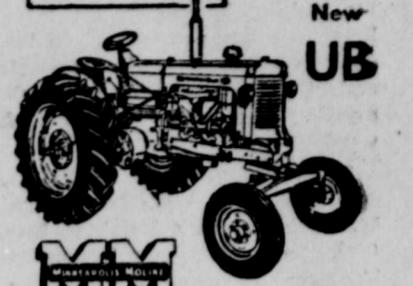
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Mrs. Raymond Reeves visited her sister in law, Mrs. Robert Reeves, in Plainview, from Thursday through Saturday.

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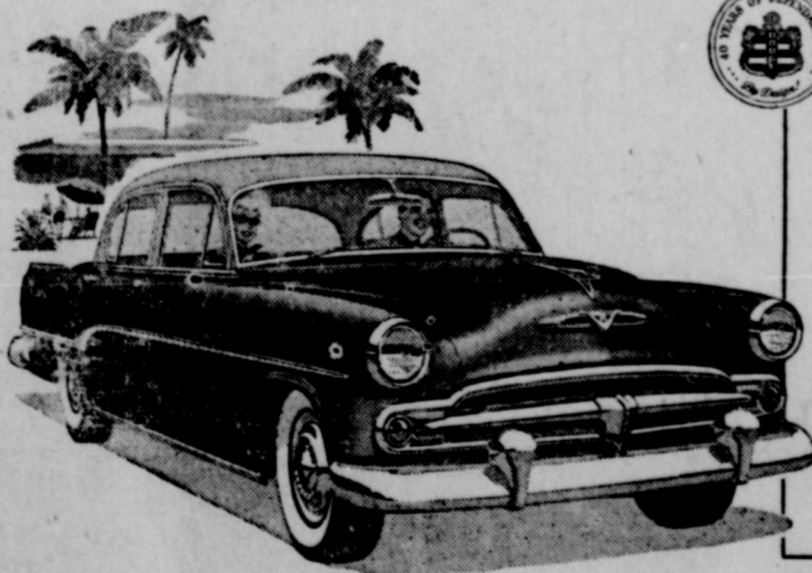
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Palo Duro Park Scene WTGHA Annual Meeting

The West Texas Coon Hunters Association had its annual meet in Palo Duro Park Saturday. There were approximately 300 people present for the occasion. Several people brought their lunch and spent the day.

The club extends thanks to the following merchants of Canyon for making it possible for it to have so many premiums. In the contests there were first, second, and third places given in all events. Merchants who donated were:

Taylor-Evans Farm Stores, Taylor & Sons, Ayers Feed Store, M. E. Moses, Jack Jennings, Roy Cheatham Clothiers, Thompson Hardware, Myers Farm Equipment, T. A. Black Dry Goods, Warren's, Johnnie McBroom, Burrow Lumber, Bellah's Super Market, B. C. Taylor Service Station, and Carl Rogers, Cosmetics dealer. The events started at 1:30 p. m. Saturday.

Oldest man present was E. E. Barnett, 80, of Amarillo, W. W. Crawford, Canadian, came the farthest distance. Nearest hunter was Jim Boyce, Canyon. The three prizes for the children horn blowing contest were won by Dwane Davis, Hart, Clyde Manning, Amarillo, and Leonard Amstead, Ralls.

Three men winning the horn blowing contest were Rev. R. E. Manning, Amarillo, Rev. G. A. Elrod, Silverton, and D. B. Hogsett, Pampa. Women's horn blowing contest was won by Mrs. J. H. Davis, Hart, and Mrs. Bill Bingham, Canyon, and Mrs. W. W. Crawford, Canadian.

Coon-In-The-Hole contest winners were R. N. Johnson of Adrian; R. H. Moses of Ralls, and Jess Cunningham, Borger.

Coon-In-A-Box: 1st, R. H. Moses, Ralls; 2nd, Jim Brooks, Silverton; and 3rd, R. V. Smith, Crosbyton.

Dogs bench show, for pups one month to one year old winners; Cecil Daniels, Ralls; Joy Ann Raleigh, Amarillo; Boyd Bingham, Silverton. Class of pups to two years old, the winners were L. D. Morton, Amarillo; Zable Self, Silverton; and Sue Johnson, Adrian.

All age dogs, male or female, first place winners, Oscar Thresher, Amarillo, M. B. Self, Silverton, and Mrs. W. W. Crawford, of Canadian. All age females winners were J. M. Bassinger, Post, Sue Johnson, Adrian, and Mrs.

A. T. Bingham, Silverton. Winners of the all age male contest were M. B. Self, Silverton, E. C. Stewart, Amarillo, and L. R. Reynolds, Amarillo. Best pair contest went to Bill Bingham, Canyon. Reserve champion contest honors went to Oscar Thresher of Amarillo.

The fiddlers' contest was won by Rev. G. A. Elrod of Silverton. Bean counting contest winners were W. C. Beard, Silverton, and Mrs. R. V. Smith, Crosbyton.

New officers elected were Warren Payne of Quitaque, president; Bill Bingham, Canyon, vice-president; and Mrs. Bill Bingham as secretary-treasurer. Four new directors elected are Edd Morgan, Floydada, L. M. Reynolds, Plainview, R. V. Smith, Lubock, W. W. Crawford, Canadian, and G. D. Elder, Paducah.

Supper was served at 5:30 and enjoyed by all present. It consisted of stew, apricots, pickles, onions, bread, coffee, and was furnished by the association. The next get-together of the club will be on the Stanton Bronson Ranch at Crosbyton. The meeting will be held April 10.

Dr. Dobson, Wayland Elected President of Bible Teachers

Plainview, Texas, Feb. 1, (spl.)—Dr. R. L. Dobson, chairman of the Division of Bible and Religion at Wayland College, Plainview, Texas, was elected president of the Southwest Baptist Bible Teachers Association at its annual meeting in Dallas, Jan. 15. Dr. Dobson had served in 1953 as vice-president of the Texas Baptist Bible Teachers Association, which was enlarged at this meeting to take in teachers in Bible chairs at state and private institutions of higher learning throughout the Southwest, including Negro colleges.

Dr. B. P. Maddox, associate professor of Bible at Wayland College, also attended the meeting which was the fourth since the organization in 1951, and also that of the regional meeting of the N.A.B.I.

Mrs. W. K. Grimland and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Grimland and children were in Tulia Saturday evening.

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Political Column

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries the Briscoe County News has been authorized to announce the following candidates for the office set above their names.

District Attorney
110th Judicial District

John B. Stapleton

County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent:

J. W. Lyon, Jr.
(For Re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:

Raymond K. Grewe
(For Re-election)

A. L. (Switch) Morris

Johnnie Lanham

County and District Clerk:

Dee McWilliams
(For Re-election)

County Treasurer:

Mrs. Annie J. Stevenson

Commissioner:

Precinct Number 1

H. A. (Dick) Bomar
(For Re-election)

Lige H. (Dud) Watters

Commissioner:

Precinct Number 3

J. L. (Shorty) West

Alton Steele
(For Re-election)

Precinct Number 4

O. M. (Milton) Dudley

Mrs. U. D. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McJimsey were in Fort Worth recently where Mrs. McJimsey underwent extensive examinations for a heart ailment. It was decided best not to operate at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stevenson have had a letter from Billy Don who has been stationed with the Navy near Pusan, Korea, for over a year but has recently been moved to Kami Seya, Japan ((Near Tokyo).

March of Dimes Drive About Over

March of Dime Drive is to the adding-up of figures stage. The Silverton area, including all gifts amounted to some \$970.00.

\$211.70 was collected from the Quitaque area. The coin containers, or test tube contributions amounted to \$105.70.

Most of the chairmen have turned in their funds, but there are a few yet to hear from and the black bloomer game funds are yet to be added to these figures. Kenneth Sharp, county drive chairman is hoping that it will all add up to \$1,300.00 for the county.

Myrna Sue Bingham Recovering From Surgery

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bingham, Douglas and Myrna Sue, of Kress, came through Silverton on Wednesday night of last week. Myrna Sue had been in the Scottish Rite Hospital, in Dallas, for two weeks where minor surgery was done on both her legs. She is a former Silverton girl and all of us are very glad that she is recovering from her operations and that she is doing so well. Myrna had polio when a small child and has had treatment at the Scottish Rite hospital frequently over a number of years.

She is a grand daughter of Mr. J. D. Bingham and of Mrs. C. L. McWilliams, Sr.

VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Norland Dudley and Joan, of Petersburg, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley and Connie. Other Sunday dinner guests in the Dudley home included: Mr. and Mrs. Carol Davis, of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham, Jr. and Ronny of Farwell. The Dudleys are parents of Norland and the Mmes. Graham and Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dudley, of Plainview, and Mrs. Ben Martin called on the Dudleys Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Yancy have a baby girl, Dorothy June, weight 8 pounds and 14 ounces, born at the local hospital at 1:30 A. M. on Wednesday, January 27th. This is a third girl for the Yancy family but they plan to keep her even though they had made plans for a boy. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Yancy, of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ragland, Sr., of Dimmitt, Mrs. R. J. Franks, of Kearns is a great grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Loudermilk and her sister, Mrs. Lola Standifer, of Plainview, spent the weekend in Bushland, guests of Mrs. Standifer's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Bourland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Childress and children of Borger, spent a recent week end here, guests of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dasher, of Amarillo, spent Thursday and Friday here with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simpson.

Mrs. Virginia Dennis and Rose Ann have recently moved to Littlefield.

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Mr. and Mrs. John McWilliams and children spent Sunday in Kress with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bingham and children. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunt and children also visited the Bingham's Sunday afternoon. Mr. McWilliams is a brother to Mmes. Bingham and Hunt.

Mrs. Francis Vaughn and daughter Mary Francis and sister-in-law Miss Jewel Vaughn of Weatherford visited their cousin, Mrs. Bud McMinn and Mr. McMinn Saturday evening and attended the birthday dinner Sunday of their grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hacker and Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hacker of Hereford attended the birthday dinner of Grandma Vaughn and visited awhile Sunday afternoon with Mrs. John Hackers' cousin, Mrs. Bud McMinn and Mr. McMinn.

Mrs. Edgar Arnold of Lubbock, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oneal, last week. She and Mr. Arnold are moving to Midland where he is working.

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Miss Jewel Hodges, of Lubbock, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hodges, and other relatives.

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