

JANUARY 8, 1959
 Clayton Woods spent the week with their parents in Quitaque, Texas. Other news includes: Valter Tolbert, Salmon, Wash... of Mr. and Mrs. Long, a long week... a step brother.



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Annual Coon Hunt At Quitaque Saturday January 17

The West Texas Coon Hunters Association will hold their annual hunt Saturday, January 17, 1959, at Quitaque, Texas, three miles south of Quitaque. Free lunch will be served, and in case of bad weather, the hunt will be postponed until the following Saturday.

Drag will start at 10:00 a. m. Trophy will be given for largest coon used in show. First and second trophy; awarded in each event; grand champion trophy will be given.

Events for the day: Drag race, line, first tree; Coon on barrel, first and second; Coon in hole, first and second; Waltzing Coon, first and second; treeing contest, first and second; bench show.

SCHOOL NEWS

The first Semester of this school year ended on last Friday. We begin the new Semester on Monday. Can you imagine the year being half gone?

We are taking the census and names will be sent to parents in the near future. We want to get each child on the census roll during this month.

January 23 has been set as a day for those children who will be in the first grade next year to attend school. On that day those who are now in the first grade will not attend school. Any child in our district who will be six (6) on the first day of September, 1959 and was not six on September 1 of last year should be on this list and attend school January 23.

It would be well if parents of these children would try to have these next year first graders vaccinated or given serum to prevent smallpox, diphtheria etc. A general physical check would be in order. This should be done before next September.

Our first district basketball games are this week. Check the schedule. Idalou will be here Tuesday night and we will have a grade school tournament Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Come out and see these boys and girls play. You will enjoy it.

Farm Laborer Is Seriously Burned Sunday Afternoon

A trailer house was destroyed by fire on the P. L. Brown farm southwest of town Sunday afternoon. A Mexican National, Hosea, who lived in the trailer house, was seriously burned in the accident and was taken to the Lockney Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown, for whom the man worked, and who live nearby, were in Lockney on Monday and learned through an newspaper that an oil cook stove had exploded and that he threw a bucket of water on the fire which caused to scatter throughout the house. Don was advised by the attending doctor that the man would probably be at the hospital for about six weeks. His contract for working for Brown would have expired on Monday. Local firemen went to the farm but arrived too late to save the house.

C. T. (Offy) Wallace, who underwent an emergency operation at Lockney Hospital in Canyon on December 21, underwent further surgery there on Tuesday last week; Mr. Wallace has been seriously ill much of the time since but was thought to be doing nearly this week, according to relatives.

Charles Don Wallace, of Lubbock was here from Saturday through Monday visiting relatives and friends.

Conference Ball Games Are Scheduled

The following schedule will be carried out in basketball, with all games to be played beginning at 7:00 in the evening:
 January 13, Idalou at Silvertown
 January 16, Open
 Jan. 20, Crosbyton at Crosbyton
 Jan. 23, Petersburg at Petersburg
 Jan. 27, Ralls at Silvertown
 Jan. 30, Hale Center at Silvertown
 Feb. 3, Idalou at Idalou
 Feb. 6, Crosbyton at Silvertown
 Feb. 10, Petersburg at Silvertown
 Feb. 13, Ralls at Ralls
 Feb. 17, Hale Center, There.

MR. AND MRS. F. C. GATEWOOD ANNOUNCE APPROACHING MARRIAGE OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gatewood, of Silvertown, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Joy Ann, to Jackie Baldwin, of U. S. N., son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Baldwin, of Silvertown.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Kitchens transacted business in Plainview on Monday.

Local Lions Club Will Be Bost to Charter Members January 15

Announcement has been made that the local Lions Club will be host to its Charter Members on Thursday, January 15, at 12 noon, at the Methodist Church. Make plans now to attend.
 An appropriate program will be arranged for the occasion.

PAVING NOTICE

Anyone that is interested in having the street paved in front of their property are urged to get in contact with Fred Strange at the City Hall.

The City plans on doing some paving this spring and the City Council would like to know approximately how many blocks there will be, before the contract is let.
 ALVIN REDIN, Mayor, Silvertown, Texas.

Mrs. W. H. Newman was in Hagerman, New Mexico, from Saturday until Monday visiting her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Lemons. Mr. Lemons, who has been seriously ill for some time, is now at home and thought to be some better.

Henson and Grady Transferred to Briscoe County Work

Virgil L. Henson, new Work Unit Conservationist, and Cletus G. Grady, Conservation Aid, have recently been transferred to the local Soil Conservation Service Work Unit, assisting the Cap Rock Soil Conservation District.

Mr. Henson has held the position of Work Unit Conservationist in Dimmitt, Texas for the past two years. He is accompanied by his wife and two daughters and has settled in the Doc Wallace house on South Loretta, in Silvertown.

Mr. Grady has until recently been assigned to the S. C. S. office in Tulia, though he has worked part time with the local Work Unit for the past six months. At present, Mr. Grady resides on the Scott Simpson farm twelve miles east of Tulia. He hopes to move to the Silvertown area in the near future with his wife and three boys.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Carl D. Bomar attended the funeral of Jimmy Long, 47, of Plainview, at the Church of Christ in Plainview Monday afternoon.

Joe Salem. Conducts Fat Stock Show Will Be Held Saturday, January 24

The Annual Briscoe County Fat Stock Show will be held Saturday, January 24. The board of directors of the show met December 31 and set the date and selected the officials. True Burson is chairman of the board; W. E. Schott, Jr. is general superintendent; Jack Mayfield, Elmer Berryhill, and Robert Ledbetter are assistant superintendents. All entries are to be in by January 17. This year's show will be the largest in several years. Twenty nine or thirty fat steers are expected; forty or fifty fat pigs and gilts, and approximately a dozen lambs.

The show will be held in the new stock show barn in the east part of Silvertown. This was the barn that was purchased by the Silvertown Ag. Chapter and the County Fat Stock Show Committee. The barn will be officially opened for this year's show.

Members of the board of directors of the Briscoe County Fat Stock Show are: Burson, Schott, Seymour Brannon, Bill Edwards, Robert Hill, D. T. Northcutt, Bill Helms, Glynn Morrison, Oliver Ware, Homer Stephens, and Secretary, Ben Whitfill.

Mr. Charles Smallwood, head of the Agriculture Department at West Texas State will judge the show. Mr. Smallwood comes with high recommendations.

Classes set up will be: steers under 850, and steers over 850; barrows 170 to 220, and barrows 221 to 240, one class breeding gilts, and one class of market lambs.

Farmers Union Meeting Set For Monday Night

The Silvertown Farmers Union organization meeting set for Monday night will show the KGNC farm and Ranch Department and American National Bank film, "A Tenderfoot in Europe," at 7:30 Monday night in Silvertown.

Gilbert A. Elms, a farmers Union member and Briscoe farmer, made the arrangements for showing the 37 minute color movie for the Farmers Union at their regular meeting.

The film was produced and directed by Cotton John and his Farm and Ranch Department staff, Hal Mayfield and Burl McClellan, and KGNC radio engineer Henry White, in cooperation with the American National Bank of Amarillo.

"Cotton John" tells of the advantages of the 29 travelers from the Golden Spread on their month long tour of Europe.

You see many of the talked about sights of Europe from the Royal Agricultural Show in England where there were 19 breeds of cattle and hundreds of cattlemen, without cowboy boots, the World's Fair, the canals of Venice, the glaziers of Switzerland and the night clubs of Paris where cameraman Bill Rhew had to do his filming in secret.

Rhew shot over 5,000 feet of film in getting the material for the film and it took five months to edit and finish the film.

Farmers' Union Washington bus trip January 23, the following will attend: Delegate, Woodrow Bice; alternate, Edwin Crass.

Committees Named To Serve on March of Dimes Drive in Co.

The following representatives have been selected from each community in the county to head the March of Dimes Campaign: Rock Creek, Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald; Francis, Mrs. Jack Harris; Haylake, Mrs. Jim Brooks; San Jacinto, Mrs. Ora Watson; Silvertown, Kenneth Tate; Quitaque, Mrs. Alton Johnson and James Brunson; Vigo Park, Merle McMurtry; Brice, Mrs. Bill Thornberry.

According to Kenneth Tate, local chairman, the campaign will be much the same as last year with 4-H Club distributing and servicing coin containers. The Eta Chi Chapter of E.S.A., will make their house to house March on the 19th of January. Mr. Tate would like to urge everyone to keep this date in mind and be ready when solicited on the 19th.

MR. AND MRS. REISLER OF BARCH, NORTH DAKOTA VISIT IN SILVERTON

Mr. and Mrs. George Reisler, of Beach, North Dakota, were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Clyde Hutsell and Mrs. Mrs. Riddell Hutsell and children. The Reislers are uncle and aunt to Mrs. Riddell Hutsell and planned this, their first visit to Texas, as a surprise to her; they also were looking forward to meeting her children, their great nephew and four great nieces, Sallie, Jean, Cynthia Ann, Claudia and Pamela. Mr. and Mrs. Reisler are enroute to Brownsville where they plan to spend a few months.

A family dinner was enjoyed in the Hutsell home on Sunday. Other guests were Mrs. Jim Brooks and Jane, Mrs. H. L. O. Riddell, Mr. and Mrs. Flunoy Hutsell, Mark and Scott and Jodell Hutsell.

The Reislers were shown some of our local scenery Sunday afternoon when they were taken for a ride over the country side.

Fred Brannon served on Federal Grandjury in Amarillo last week and is there again this week.

Attend Messimer Funeral Thursday at Alamogordo, N. M.

Mrs. M. B. Meeks, of Hedley, and her daughter, Mrs. James Stevenson, went to Alamogordo, New Mexico, on Wednesday of last week to be with the family of (Bill) W. L. Messimer, 67, who died there unexpectedly of a heart attack about 10:00 p. m. Tuesday. Funeral services were held for Mr. Messimer at Grace Methodist Church in Alamogordo Thursday afternoon with interment following in Monte Vista Cemetery.

Survivors include the wife and one son, W. L. Messimer, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Kenneth Cates, of Alamogordo, and Mrs. Jack Bradley, of Dalhart; three sisters, including Mrs. M. B. Meeks, of Hedley, three brothers and six grand children.

Mrs. Meeks and Mrs. Stevenson returned to Silvertown Saturday afternoon and Mrs. Stevenson took her mother home on Sunday.

Attend District MYF Meeting In Plainview

A group from the local Methodist church attended a district MYF meeting in St. John's Methodist Church in Plainview Sunday afternoon. Those attending were Rev. James P. Patterson, District Youth Director; Mrs. Gene Morris, local Youth Counsellor; Wendell Patterson, district MYF president; Bobby Stafford, Susie Hill, Joyce Thornton, Travis Gilkeyson and Gary Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Long were in Lubbock several days last week and again this week where he is undergoing examination and treatment at Methodist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Long and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Long have been in and out at the hospital to visit their parents.

Mrs. D. Oneal was in Paducah on Tuesday.



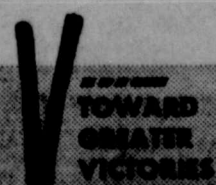
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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lyon, of Quitaque, and Judge and Mrs. J. W. Lyon have recently returned from Lebanon, Tennessee, where they were guests of Mrs. Lizzie Rogers, mother of Mrs. J. W. Lyon, Jr. Judge Lyon and his parents spent the recent holiday vacation there but Mrs. Lyon, Jr. went in early December.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar were in Ralls Sunday afternoon where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Martin; they also called on Mr. and Mrs. John Bain, who formerly lived in Silvertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Perry spent Sunday in Plainview with Mrs. Clarice Bradley, Mary and Pauline. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins and daughters, of Amarillo, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Morgan and son, of Waco, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Pruitt, and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wolfe, of Gainesville, were visitors with their father, Mr. Henry Myers, Miss Nealie Myers, H. T. Myers and Mr. and Mrs. Boad Myers, from Thursday until Saturday.

Mrs. W. T. Haley has recently spent a week here with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill. Robert Haley Hill, a student at WTSC, Canyon, was also a visitor with his parents. Other dinner guests during the week were Mr. and Mrs. E. Davis, of Texline; Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Spurgeon, of Clarendon, and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Paige, of Monterey Park, California, are the parents of a baby daughter, Kathy D' Ann, born Friday morning, January 10. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Allen, of Costa Mesa, California, and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Paige. Great grandparents are Mrs. Emma Paige, of Crestline, California; Mrs. Dick Allen, of Clarendon, and Mrs. J. H. Burson, Silvertown.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hodges were in Tullia last week for a check up with their doctor and were advised that both were improving. Mrs. Arnold Turner took her parents to Tullia.

Miss Eunice Cox and Eddie Cox, of Plainview, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Harrison. They called on Mr. and Mrs. John E. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hodges and Mrs. C. L. Cowart Sunday afternoon.

Clyde Lightsey seems to be recuperating satisfactorily from his recent illness; so Mrs. Lightsey reports.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bryant, of Lubbock, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Chappell, and Mrs. Lizzie Holloway, of Manitou, Oklahoma. The entire group visited Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vardell in the afternoon. Mesdames Chappell, Holloway and Bryant are sisters to Mr. Vardell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Johnson and daughters, of Quitaque, were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rhoderick Saturday afternoon.

Miss Anna Lee Anderson and Mrs. Clarence Anderson visited Mrs. Mary Daniel in Amarillo Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lucy Tucker and Mrs. Charlie Carder, of Amarillo, were weekend guests of their cousin and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rhoderick, Sr. Sunday afternoon visitors with the Rhodericks were Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Rhoderick, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rhoderick, Jr. and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Montague and son, of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Green, of Turkey; Mrs. Florence Fogerson, Mrs. T. C. Bomar and Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lyon, Sr., of Quitaque, called during the evening. Mrs. Lyon is a sister to Mr. Rhoderick.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Hardcastle, of Skellytown, brought her mother, Mrs. Minnie Stevenson, home on Tuesday of last week and visited other relatives and friends here for a few hours. Mrs. Stevenson had been in Skellytown since before the holidays.

Mrs. A. L. McMurtry honored her girlhood friend, Mrs. James C. Rhoderick, Sr., who has recently moved here from Quitaque, with a coffee on Thursday afternoon of last week. Mrs. Rhoderick, nee Bertha Hancock, spent much of her girlhood here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Allard, of Hollister, Oklahoma, have been recent overnight guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Judd Donnell; they had spent several days with other relatives in this area.

Mrs. J. E. Vaughan visited in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Smalts, in Plainview; from Wednesday until Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Priddy, Ann and Joe, of Hereford, called on Rev. and Mrs. James P. Paterson, Mrs. Jeff Simpson and other friends here Sunday afternoon.



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Haylake Club Meets With Mrs. Brooks January 8

The Haylake Club met in the home of Tone Brooks on January 8. Ella Leah Riddell was hostess. After a short business session the ladies quitted. The next club meeting will be held on January 22. Each lady will answer roll call by giving a short talk on a woman from the bible.

Refreshments of cake, coffee and cold drinks were served to the following members: Maude McJimsey, Mary Autry, Tone Brooks, Mary Lee Watters, Blanche Newman, Mary Rampley, June Anderson, Dean Crow, and Dean Burson and two visitors, Winnie Smith and Grace Hutsell.
By Dean Burson, Reporter.

Mrs. Fred Mercer Is Hostess to March of Time Study Club

Mrs. Fred Mercer was hostess to the March of Time Study Club when it met in her home January first for its annual meeting.

The quotation for the day was taken from the writings of Charles C. Noble, "You must have long range goods to keep from being frustrated by short failures."

Mrs. Theron Crass opened the meeting with an invocation, after which she called for the written reports of the officers of the club. The annual election of officers was held and the following officers elected: Mrs. Alvie Mayfield, president; Mrs. Ben Whitfill, first vice president; Mrs. Marvin Montague, second vice president; Mrs. G. W. Lee, Jr., recording secretary; Mrs. Fred Mercer, corresponding secretary; Mrs. E. Posey, treasurer; Mrs. Conrad Alexander, reporter; and Mrs. Roy Mayfield, parliamentarian.

Mrs. Tony Burson gave a report on the Federation news.

After the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed and Mrs. Mercer served refreshments to the following members: Mesdames Conrad Alexander, Clarence Anderson, Tony Burson, Roy Burson, True Burson, Theron Crass, Rex Dickerson, G. W. Lee, Alvie Mayfield, Roy Mayfield, D. T. Northcutt, E. Posey, W. E. Schott, Jr., Ben Whitfill, and Miss Anna Lee Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith made a trip to Matador Monday afternoon and visited Tee Pee City—Motley County's first community. Mrs. Jim Brooks and Jane were in Tulia on Friday afternoon.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to say thank you to our neighbors and to the Silverton Fire Department; for their assistance in saving our home when our pump house burned January 10.

We also thank Mr. Kenneth Tate and Pat Tidwell for their assistance. God bless each of you.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jowell.

L. E. Paige and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Whitfill were in Lubbock on Tuesday of last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Scott Whitfill and son, Scott. Mrs. Mrs. Jimmy Scott Whitfill and Scott were taken home from the hospital that day and Mrs. Ben Whitfill remained there to assist in caring for the grandson.
Dictionaries at the News Office.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McWhorter are staying in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Long while the Longs are in Lubbock.
Mr. and Mrs. Carman G. Rhode and family were recent holiday visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Rhode, in San Antonio. E. C. Newman was in Tulia on Monday for medical attention.

NOTICE—We invite you to see The Happiness of the New World Society. This inspiring and educational film is entirely in color; takes about one hour to see. Bring your family and friends, it's free. Wednesday January 21, p. m. Kingdom Hall, 3 blocks north of First National Bank, Quitaque, Texas. All Kingdom Seekers Welcome. No Collection taken. Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fleming are the parents of a baby son, James Wesley, weight 7 pounds and 4 ounces; born at 7:45 a. m. Monday, January 13, in the Tulia Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fleming are the grandparents. Mrs. Josie Fleming, of Byers, Mrs. Scott Smith and Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davis are great grandparents. F. L. West, of Garden City, Kansas, is the great grandpater.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Thornton and Mrs. Bill Kennedy and Greg were in Tulia on Friday of last week. Mr. Thornton visited Mrs. D. N. McGavock, a former Silverton resident, who was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jones, of Slaton, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. West, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Vaughan and children spent Sunday in Clovis, New Mexico, with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne (Bud) Vaughan transacted business in Amarillo on Monday.

CyCology See



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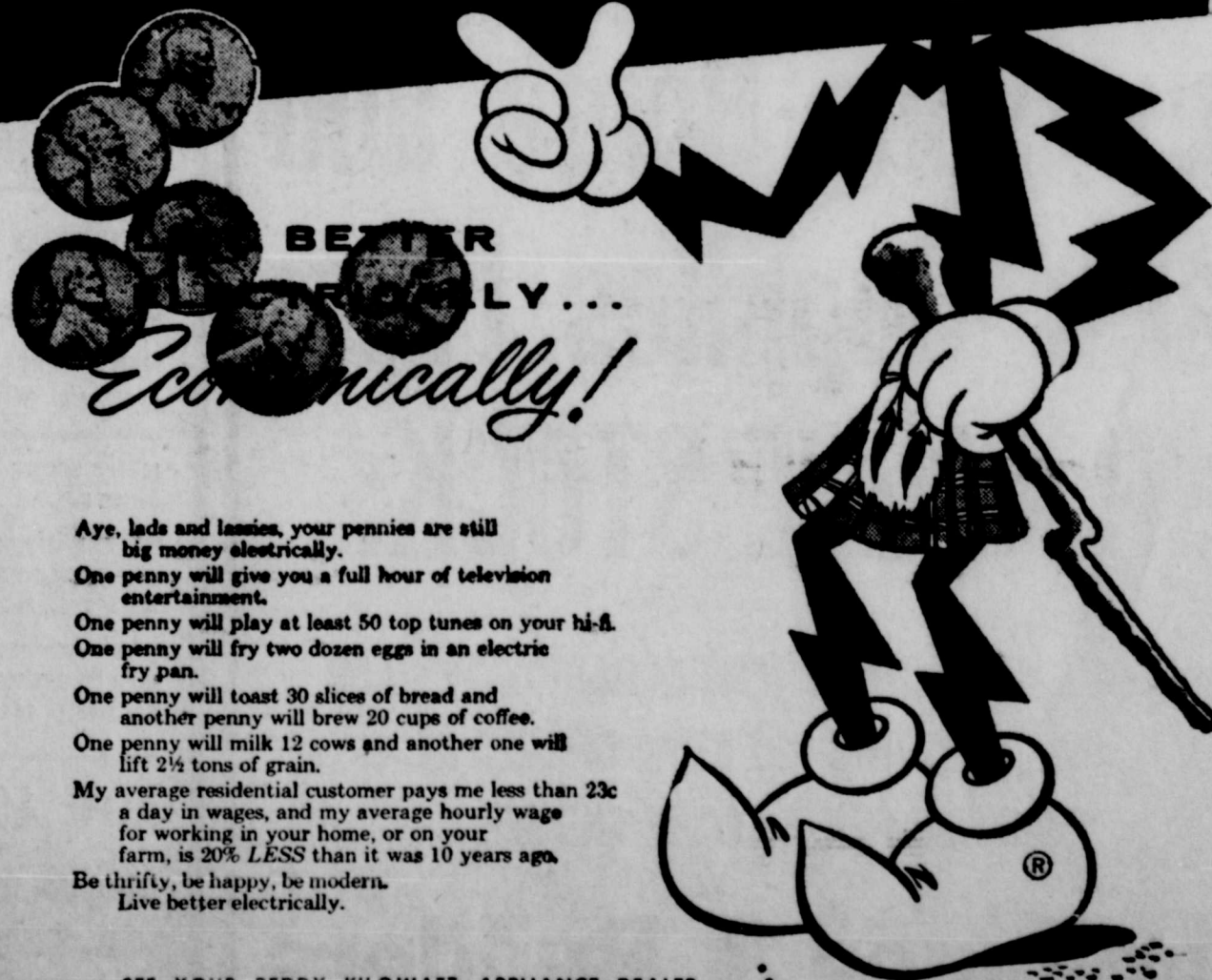
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Mrs. M. G. Moreland and Mrs. Bernice May left for down state on Monday. Mrs. Moreland has gone to Whitewright to be with her mother, Mrs. P. M. Jarvis, who has been seriously ill a long time and is not doing as well as usual. Mrs. May will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bothe, of Denison. Mrs. Bothe has been ill for sometime.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edd Stodghill, Billy Jerry and Peggy of Amarillo, visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Stodghill, Sunday afternoon. They had been to Brice but failed to find his sister's family, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Sanders, at home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Thornton and their daughter, Mrs. Bill Kennedy and Greg, went to Stratford on Tuesday and were luncheon guests of the ladies class at the Church of Christ. Mr. Thornton is minister of that Silverton Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lee, Don and Rickey, left for their home in Chula Vista, California, on Wednesday of last week. They had been here visiting her mother, Mrs. W. Allard, and other relatives during the recent holidays and stayed somewhat longer than they had planned because Don contracted the measles. They hope Rickey would not take them before reaching home.

Roy Hyatt arrived home on Sunday morning and is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hyatt, Sr., other local relatives and friends. He was separated from the army at Ft. Gordon, Georgia, last Friday, January 10. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hyatt and Richard, of Littlefield, were also Sunday dinner guests of his parents. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hyatt, Jr. and children of Plainview, came in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oneal, Eldon and Clela recently enjoyed a vacation trip to Corpus Christi; they especially enjoyed the weather and had pretty good luck fishing. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fowler in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Quillen, in Portland.

Mrs. Lee Deavenport and Mrs. Beth Joiner were in Tullia Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Minter, of Amarillo, former Silverton residents were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Mercer.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Harris and children have been recent visitors in Dallas with her father, J. B. Finley, and Mr. and Mrs. Carter White; Mrs. White is the mother of Mr. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson were in Plainview on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. H. May, Mrs. Loyd May and sons were in Tullia Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bigham and Rickey, of Lubbock, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wilson visited his father, Charlie Wilson, in the Plainview Hospital Sunday afternoon where he had been a patient since suffering a heart attack on New Year's day. It was planned to move him to the home of another son, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wilson, in Plainview on Monday.

County Agent Robert Ledbetter and Mrs. Ledbetter and Barbara and Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Harris and sons attended the stock show in Wheeler on Saturday. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Swain and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Van Zandt in Wheeler; Mr. Swain is County Agent there.

Jack Fleming, and his father, Walter Fleming, were in emple on Sunday and Monday for a consultation with doctors at Scott and White's Clinic where Jack has recently undergone surgery and treatment. Jack advised his wife by phone Monday evening that they were returning to Wichita Falls on Tuesday and he will probably undergo further surgery there later this week.

Mrs. Grace Irion and Weldon Irion, of Amarillo, spent the week end here with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lightsey.

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Messrs. K. M. Fleming, Walter Fleming and Shellie Tomlin, were in Byers, their former home, on Saturday to attend the funeral of Charlie Kelley. The men were pall bearers.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Franklin, Jerry Dee and Beth, of O'Donnell, spent a recent visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson.

Attend Funeral Of Brother-In-Law

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bingham, of Kress, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Bingham and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Bingham attended the funeral of the men's brother-in-law, Tommy T. Hopkins, 60, at the First Baptist Church in Chillicothe on Thursday afternoon of last week; interment with masonic rites were held in Quanah, Mr. Hopkins, who was well known in this community, had been ill for a long time and bedfast for several months; he died at his home at 12:30 a. m. on Wednesday, January 8. He is survived by his wife, one son, James, of Chillicothe, and one daughter, Mrs. Zemena Steiner, of Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Badgett were in Plainview on Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Truman Fleming and Reggie Wells, of Fort Worth, were weekend guests of Truman's uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Fleming.

Mr. Henry Myers, who is 90 years old and has been an invalid for a long time, was a patient in the Lockney Hospital from Wednesday morning until Saturday afternoon of last week. It was decided that he was suffering from a deep cold; he has been resting well at the hospital and since returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strange and Donald West attended an open house in the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Burnett in Vigo Park Sunday afternoon. The Burnett family formerly lived in Silverton for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allard, of Brice, visited Mrs. Lena Northcutt and Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Lena Northcutt returned home with her daughter, Mrs. Allard, for a visit. Mrs. Betty Pendleton, of Amarillo, spent the weekend here with her mother, Mrs. Betty Brewster.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to take this means of thanking each and everyone for the gifts they gave me for Christmas. They were highly appreciated. Elzora Gallington and family.

WANTED — Clean Cotton rags at The News Office.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Salem, of Padon, who have been staying here the past month in the interest of the Salem Drygoods Store, returned to their home on Monday.

Luther Gilkeyson, who is suffering from a back injury, was taken to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo early Tuesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Simpson and L. B. Garvin, Jr. took him to Amarillo. Mrs. Gilkeyson went later in the day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Garvin, Jr. and son, Lane, went to Lufkin last Wednesday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Basham and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith. They went after his grandmother, Mrs. Ben Garvin, who had spent the holidays in Lufkin with her daughters.

H. P. Howard, who recently underwent major surgery, was in Plainview for a check up early last week and is thought to be doing very well, according to Mrs. Howard.

Dr. Lynn McCarty
OPTOMETRIST
212 North Maxwell
Phone 5-2262 Tullia, Texas

Thanks

I want to thank all my friends for the repair work they gave me to do during Christmas Holidays. I will be seeing you soon after the first of June and be on the job to take care of your needs.

Don Thomas

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