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EASTERN STAR PRESENTS GOOD TALENT SHOW LAST WEEK

The Quitaque O.E.S. presented a very fine talent show at the school auditorium last Friday night with 13 entries in the contest.

The following acts were presented and appeared in the following order:

The first number on the program was a song, "Lazy Bones" by Danny Stevens and Pepper Jones, accompanied by Peggy Stevens; the second number was a song by Melody Emmett of Silvertown; Darrell Ramsey was next and he played a piano solo, "The Hungarian Dance"; the fourth number was two skits by Gail Tyler and Anna Jean Taylor; Connie and Diane Pur-

cell did a vocal duet "I've Been Working on the Railroad," accompanied by their father, Cecil Purcell; the sixth act was a song by Kim Ham and Lisa Herrington, accompanied by their mother, Mrs. Ross Herrington; an instrumental number was next, performed by two Turkey boys who call themselves "The Demons," Steve Brown and Neal Guest; Cherri Brown was next on the program and she sang "The Ballad of the Green Beret," accompanied by her father, Benny Brown; the 9th number was two piano solos, "He" and "Last Date," played by Donald Ramsey; another group from Turkey, Rod Setliff, Rod Ad- amson, Scotty Hurst and Ricky Moseley, called "The Senders," played two instrumental numbers; May Lee Holman, Dixie Ivory and Janie Mae Hendrix were next and they sang a spiritual, "The Holy Way;" the Longhorns, a group from Flomot presented two songs; and last on the program were the Halos, five local girls, Melinda McWilliams, Marilyn Hutcheson, Janet Bailey, Pam Curtis and Patsy McDonald, who presented two numbers in song.

NEPHEW OF HAMILTONS IS CANDIDATE FOR STATE POST IN SOUTH DAKOTA

The following story will prove to be of interest to most of our readers. Tipps Hamilton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Hamilton of Pierre South Dakota. Tipps is a native of Quitaque and went to school here until the family moved to South Dakota in 1946. He is the nephew of B. K. N. V and E. J. Hamilton. The story was datelined Kirley, S. D., and is as follows:

Tipps Hamilton, 33 Haakon County rancher, announced today that he will be a candidate on the Republican ticket for the House of Representatives in the South Dakota Legislature in the June primary.

Hamilton is running for one of the two House seats allotted to District 10 comprising Haakon, Meade and Ziebach Counties.

He has been a resident of South Dakota since 1946. He graduated from Pierre High School in 1951, and attended the University of Nebraska until inducted into the Army in 1954. He was discharged in 1956 and has been ranching in Haakon County since that time.

In announcing, Hamilton said that he has been interested and concerned with the operation of state government for some time, and feels the time has come to do something about it instead of griping about how other people are running things.

He said he felt elected representatives of the people owe it to their constituents to study the issues before them, and give problems their full attention.

Hamilton is a member of the Methodist Church, and a lay speaker at the Little Brown Church at Hayes. He is a member of the Stockgrowers, the Masonic Lodge and the Farm Bureau.

He is married to the former Marcelyn (Mort) Dedrick, Sidney, Nebraska. They have no children.

The judges selected Donald Ramsey as first place winner. Second place went to "The Senders," the four boys from Turkey. Third place was a tie between duets, the Purcell girls and the Ham and Herrington twosome.

A good crowd was on hand to enjoy this good program.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bailey and Janet were guests for lunch with Mrs. Bailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Reeves in Plainview Sunday, driving over after church service. They spent the afternoon visiting with the Reeves and with Charlene Bailey, Wayland College student.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tartar and baby of Lazbuddie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barrett and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Persons were in Tulia and Plainview on business Saturday. They visited their son, Tom while they were in Tulia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harvey attended the annual Harvey reunion at Childress last Sunday. About 62 were present at the gathering.

Mrs. Gabie Case and some of her children and grandchildren of Salt Lake City, Utah, traveled the greatest distance to come to the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace McDonald and Patsy were dinner guests of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn McDonald in Plainview Thursday night of last week.

Weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mack True-

lock were Mr. and Mrs. Irless Brooks and children, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Brooks and Mrs. Maggie Brooks of Paducah.

Lonnie Geissler of Denver City is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon McKay and family.

MARINE BOBBY LUCERO SERVING IN VIETNAM

SOUTH VIETNAM (FH-TNC) — Marine Lance Corporal Eusevio B. Lucero, son of Lucas Lucero, Sr. is serving with the 1st Tank Battalion, 1st Marine Division in the Republic of South Vietnam.

The 1st Tank Battalion is responsible for providing fire support for infantry units, and destroying enemy trucks, crew-served weapons and bunkers. Other functions of the battalion include the maintaining of perimeter defenses and deployment of the mighty flame tank against enemy troops or installations.

Presently, the 1st Tank Battalion holds a vital role in the defense of Chu Lai, Vietnam, home of the 1st Marine Division, and elements of the 3rd Marine Air Wing.

MASONIC WORKSHOP TO BE HELD AT SILVERTOWN LODGE

A Masonic Workshop meeting has been scheduled for officers and members of four Lodges at 7:30 p. m., May 21, in Silvertown Lodge 754, on the east side of the square in Silvertown, Texas.

Jimmy M. Willson, Jr., who is a Floydada building materials distributor and chairman of the ten-county Masonic Workshop Area E-3, will conduct the meeting. He said that Quitaque, Silvertown, Tulia and Happy Lodges are invited.

Nearly 200 Workshop meetings are held semi-annually for officers of over 970 Texas Masonic Lodges.

The meetings are authorized by H. W. Fullingim of Odessa, who holds the highest Masonic position in the state as Grand Master of Masons in Texas.

The Masonic Order is the state's largest fraternal organization with nearly 250,000 members. It is noted for its activities in the field of charity and in the self-improvement of its members.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King spent a long weekend in Aspermont visiting her parents, Mr. King's son, Jerry, who is with the Seabees, was home on leave and they visited with him at Aspermont from Friday thru Sunday.

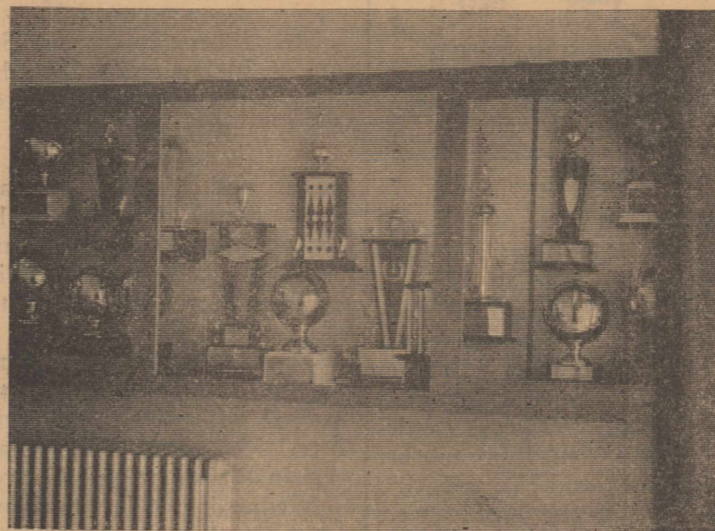
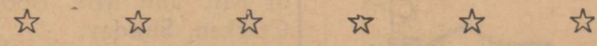
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School Is Out Next Week



First Entry In In Fishing Derby

Scotty Stark became the first official entry in the local fishing derby over the past weekend when he weighed a 3-lb. bass at City Grocery and registered it with The Tribune.

Scotty caught the bass at Lake Theo and also caught another bass that weighed 2-lbs, 6 ounces. Scotty and his dad, O. R. caught a string of 13 bass at Lake Theo. About 50 fishermen were reported at Lake Theo Saturday and some nice strings were caught both Saturday and Sunday at Lake Theo.

Out at Cottonwood Lake the past week, reports came of some nice-sized fish landed, including 3 bass caught by Danny Jones and Scotty Stark, which weighed from a pound and a half to 2-lbs.; Warren Payne caught a couple of bass, one weighing 2½ lbs. and the other 2¼ lbs.; H. G. Hunter landed a 4-lb. bass at Cottonwood.

Out at Hawkins Lake reports are that good catches are the usual order although there have not been any real big ones reported from that lake. Several days ago Wallace Johnston and grandson David caught a pretty good string of bass, crappie and brim. David caught a perch that was about eight inches long, a pretty good-sized perch. David forgot to have the fish weighed and entered in the contest. He also caught a good-sized bass.

Mrs. Gene King was in Plainview Saturday for medical attention. She stopped in Lockney to visit with the John Mason family and reports that Mr. Mason's father is very ill in an Abilene hospital.

DONNIE MCCOOL EMPLOYED BY FARMERS HOME ADMINISTRATION

Donnie R. McCool has recently been employed as Assistant County Supervisor of the Farmers Home Administration in Floyd and Motley counties. His headquarters are in Floydada.

Mr. McCool attended public schools in Nocona, Texas and graduated from Texas Technological College at Lubbock in the summer of 1963 where he majored in Animal Husbandry.

As Assistant County Supervisor, he will serve farmers in this area in the agency's agriculture credit and farmmanagement program.

Mr. McCool and his family reside at 210 East Hallie Street in Floydada.

Pictured above is the handsome new trophy case, presented to the schools by this year's Senior Class. The new trophy case is located on the east wall just inside the front doors of the high school building.

The trophies on display in the case are as follows:

In the bottom row left to right, Boy's District Championship, 1964; Boy's District Championship, 1963; Boy's District Championship, 1961; First, North Plains Tourna-

ment at Claude (Boys) 1964; Region I Boys Championship, 1962; First, Silvertown Tournament, 1965; Girls Second District, 1965; Boys Dist. Championship, 1966; Boys District Championship, 1966.

Top row, left to right: Boys District Championship, 1962; First Silvertown Tournament, 1962; First Estelline Tournament, 1961; Second, Regional Tournament, 1964; First, Silvertown Tournament, 1963; Boys District Championship, 1955.

Eighth Graders Visit Palo Duro

The Eighth Grade of the local school system drove to Palo Duro Park last Saturday, May 14, for their end-of-school party, leaving Quitaque at 7:30 a. m. and arriving back here at 6:00 p. m.

The group arrived at the canyon about 9:30, then climbed the hills until about 12:30, when they paused for a picnic lunch. After lunch they waded the creek and climbed the hills again until about 3:30. They then rode the train and had planned a horseback ride, but it started to sprinkle rain and it was decided to start for home. On their way out of the canyon the group stopped at the souvenir shop.

Taking cars on the trip were Coach Billy Wiggins, Walter Taylor, Odie Reagan, Bob McWilliams, Mrs. Pete Blankenship, and Mrs. A. B. Ramsey.

Students taking the trip were Carol Blankenship, Martha McWilliams, Elaine Reagan, Jerry Merril, Ronnie Hutcheson, Randy Berryhill, Kay Cochran, Jackie Cheatham, Carol Jane George, Linda Jennings, Maggie Lucero, Roger Brunson, Joe Cavazos, Glenna Ramsey, Glen Roger Taylor, Wesley Woods, and Don Turner. Elois Reagan and Diane McWilliams were guests.

The group enjoyed a very fine, but tiring, day.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kelley spent the weekend in Odessa with their daughter, Mrs. Riley Griffin and children. Her husband was in Oklahoma City on business and arrived back home just a short while before Mr. and Mrs. Kelley left for home.

WORKOUTS BEGIN FRIDAY FOR PONY LEAGUERS

P John Monk announced this week that workouts for the Pony League baseball players will begin Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the school baseball field.

The Pony League players are boys 13, 14 and 15 years of age and all boys interested in playing this summer should be on hand Friday afternoon.

Freshman Class To Wash Cars

The Freshman Class of QHS will have a Car Wash Saturday, May 21, at Griffin's Gulf Station.

The price of the wash job will be \$1.50 and if you would like to have your car washed, contact one of the freshmen or call the Gulf Station at 8941. The Freshman Class Sponsor, Mrs. Merrell

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Thompson of Vigo Park visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cheatham and family and Mrs. Gladys Wiley Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hoagland of Amarillo visited at the Cheatham home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P John Monk visited their daughter, Betty Mae Rowell in Lubbock Thursday night of last week.

MRS NALL HAS A PAINFUL FISHING EXPERIENCE

Mrs. Ollie Nall received a very painful and severe wound in a "fishing" accident early last Saturday morning at the lake on her farm west of town.

Mrs. Nall had some lines out and she drove out to see if she had caught anything and when she tried to cast one of the lines back into the water, the hook caught her in the right wrist, burying itself deep into the flesh of her right wrist. She had to pull the line in with her left hand, then cut it with a dull knife. Mrs. Nall drove to town and tried to get several people to cut the hook out, but no one would "accomodate" her. She and her husband then drove to Turkey, only to find Dr. Maxwell out of town and had to drive on to Matador.

Mrs. Nall reports that it was an hour and 45 minutes from the time she was "hooked" until it was removed. She reports she has suffered no effects from the hook but has been weak from the effects of the tetanus shot the doctor gave her. Mrs. Nall said that she has been fishing since she was eight years old and this was the first time she has been "hooked."

Mrs. Jim Nall and Mrs. Erma Piercy of Turkey visited Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Nall Saturday.

Students and teachers are counting the hours now until a summer vacation starts, or if not a vacation, at least a change in the work order as things are all set for the wind-up of this school year.

The windup of school will be a little bit different than that of years past.

In years past, awards for the various accomplishments of student were made at the closing activity of elementary and high school, making for a sometimes long program. This year the P-TA is having its last meeting of the year on Friday night of this week and all awards will be made at this meeting.

Sunday evening, May 22, the Baccalaureate Service will be held for the graduating class at the school auditorium, with the Rev. Bill Curry, pastor of First Baptist Church, delivering the Baccalaureate address.

The service will begin at 8 o'clock. Next Tuesday night, May 24, beginning at 8 o'clock, the Eighth Grade Promotion Exercises will be held at the auditorium.

Jerry Merrell is salutatorian for this year's class and Carol Jane George is the valedictorian.

O. R. Stark, Jr. will be the main speaker.

Next Thursday night, May 26, the Commencement Exercises will be held at the auditorium, beginning at 8 o'clock.

The Salutatory address will be given by Barbara Reagan and Larry Tipton will deliver the Valedictory address.

Commencement speaker this year is C. L. Kay of Lubbock Christian College.

This year's seniors are Diane Clardy, Rex Harmon, Marilyn Hutcheson, Darrell Payne, Barbara Reagan, Walter Wayne Taylor and Larry Tipton.

MRS. CANTRELL'S BROTHER DIES

Jeff Cranford, brother of Mrs. Claude Cantrell, passed away Friday, May 13, in a Jacksboro hospital. He was buried Sunday at 2 p. m. in the cemetery at Perrin.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry Morrison attended church services at Tulia Sunday morning, then drove on to Amarillo for their lunch, then on out to Lake Meredith sightseeing.

LIVESTOCK SURVEY CARDS TO BE DISTRIBUTED NEXT WEEK

Flomot Postmaster Bernice Bond reminds rural patrons of the Flomot Post Office to be on the lookout for June Livestock Survey cards. Next week, mail carriers will leave survey cards in a sample of boxes along the routes.

"USDA bases livestock and poultry estimates on replies to this survey," Mrs. Bond explains. "It is important for everyone who gets a card to fill it out and return it to the carrier. This way, USDA gets a representative sample of the area's livestock and poultry holdings. Carriers assisting with the survey include John F. Spear of Route 1.

Survey cards will be forwarded to Carl D. Palmer, State Agricultural Statistician, in Austin. After adding and analyzing these cards, USDA statisticians are able to estimate the State's milk production, calf and pig crops, lamb and wool crops, and the number of hens and pullets.

Information from this survey will guide livestock and poultry producers in making important business decisions, Mrs. Bond concludes.

Support Needed For Summer Program

A meeting of the men who have served as directors of the Summer Recreation Program and other interested people was called to be held last Monday, May 16 at the Bank Community Room. Five men and one woman showed up for the meeting, hardly an overwhelming representation of the kids of Quitaque.

In just over a week a three-month period of vacation will begin and for many of the boys and girls of our community it will be three months of idleness for many of them will have a lot of free time on their hands if nothing is provided to keep their hands and thoughts occupied at least part of the time.

For the past several summers

the people of Quitaque have provided a very fine program of recreation for the kids of our community with a number of sports being open to small fry who were interested, such as baseball, tennis, swimming, basketball and others—and the activities have been well received and enjoyed. However, some of the interest of the parents started to lag last year and last Monday's meeting left much to be desired and no one knows whether parents and citizens want to continue the program. It takes more than five people to keep a program going and to keep it going.

The first thing that must be known is whether or not there is any interest in keeping it alive

and if there will be any support of the program by parents.

An attempt will be made Friday night at the P-TA meeting to find out just how much support there will be for the Summer Recreation Program, and how many are really interested. Parents and others are urgently requested to think on this and let it be known what their feelings are concerning a program to keep our kids occupied with things that are worthwhile, at least during part of their leisure time.

Last summer the local Lions Club built a baseball park for the local kids, spending quite a bit of money and labor in the process, fixing up a pretty good baseball diamond. One of the

first items in the process of fixing up the field was shelling out \$50 to replace the lights the field that had been shot out with BB guns. Nothing was publicized last year, but now, as another baseball season approaches, it has been found that at least 13 of those big bulbs have been broken. The bulbs cost almost \$3.00 each and that adds up to almost \$40 for 13 light bulbs. Shooting out light bulbs is probably considered great fun by those who are doing it, but if the shooter had to work to make the money for paying for them it would not be so sunny at three bucks a throw. So, be a good sport—don't destroy things.

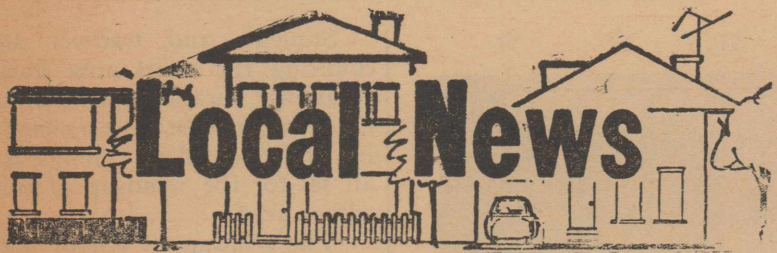
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publishers.



Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Reeves of Plainview spent from Thursday through Saturday at the home of their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bailey and Janet. The Reeves and the Baileys visited Mr. and Mrs. James Barefield and Joey Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bailey visited Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Pinckard in Amarillo on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Willie Lou Boyles had most of her children home during the Mother's Day weekend. Here to visit their mother were Mrs. Dud Watters and daughter Sandra of Silverton, who

brought their mother and grandmother a cake; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCay, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Boyles, all of Amarillo; Mrs. Jewell Mayfield and girls and Mrs. Barbara Floyd and boys of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. George Boyles of Amarillo visited his mother last Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Boyles and family were supper guests of his mother on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hunt of Stephenville spent the weekend with his sister, Mrs. J. T. Bradley. They were enroute to their home after visiting a brother of Mrs. Hunt who was very ill in a hospital at Lubbock. They also visited relatives

at Littlefield and Sudan before coming to Quitaque. They left Sunday afternoon to return to their home, planning to visit another brother at Rule, enroute home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Eddleman of Silverton visited relatives here Sunday. They also visited Mrs. W. W. Cain.

Mr. and Mrs. Boone McCracken and Mary Ellen McCracken were in Tulia on Thursday of last week and visited with Mr. and Mrs. S. B. McCracken and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Francis and children of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carter were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boone McCracken, Sunday.

Mrs. Elbert Sperry and Susan of Idalou spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lon McKay and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Clark spent several days with his mother, Mrs. Eula Clark, and his sisters, Mrs. Versa Collins and Mrs. Floyd Roe at Weatherford. Mrs. Roe has been in the hospital there for some time, but she was released from the hospital while the Clarks were there. Mr. and Mrs. Clark were in Plainview and Canyon on Wednesday of last week and they spent last Friday at Lake Kemp.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Pointer went fishing near Silverton Sunday. They stopped for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jody Zeigler at Silverton that afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Persons and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett drove to Floydada Sunday after church to eat dinner. They were celebrating the two men's birthdays, which fall on the same day. They went sightseeing after dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barrett and Marilyn Hutcherson were in Plainview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Barrett of Amarillo visited Quitaque relatives at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ramsey last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Owens and Sissy visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ebbs and Carl Wayne at Plainview last Friday. Sissy remained for the weekend, her parents driving back up on Monday and spending the night at the Ebbs home. Mr. and Mrs. Owens and Sissy returned returned home Tuesday afternoon.

David Hutton and Glenna Eager of Amarillo were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter. David spoke at both services of the Church of Christ.

Weekend visitors at the home of Mrs. Cleo Smith, Bill and R. B. were Mrs. Sue Pulliam, Mrs. Louise Bowles and children, and Mrs. Phyllis Lee and baby from Amarillo.

Ollie Nall drove to Lubbock Sunday afternoon and visited his daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. John Lindsay and children Sunday night and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Runt Sweeney of Silverton visited in the Ollie Nall home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Mapp of Eules visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Foster Friday and Friday night. Another daughter, Mrs. Viola Holtingback, and Claude Southerland of Amarillo visited the Fosters Saturday night and Sunday. Mrs. Foster's sister, Mrs. Claude Keeter and Mr. Keeter of Lockney visited at the Foster home Sunday, also.

Mrs. J. T. Bradley has had the outside of her home repainted just recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins and girls, Gail, Anita and Melanie of Amarillo visited their aunt, Mrs. Gaston Owens and her family Saturday afternoon. The Owens' son, Dwain Henderson, accompanied them to Quitaque and picked up his pickup, which had been left here.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Starkey of Wellington visited Mr. and Mrs. Grady Starkey and family Sunday night.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Cobb over the week-end were their son, Melvin Cobb and his family of Wichita Falls, and their daughter Janice, who is a student at South Plains JC at Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. John King accompanied his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Huffstutler of Lubbock, on a fishing trip over the week-end. They drove to Lake Proctor Friday and spent the night there. They found the lake low, and moved their camp to the lake near Breckenridge Saturday, where they spent Saturday night and Sunday. They report a limited catch, but a good outing.

Sid Bogan visited A. E. Gragon in the Plainview Hospital & Clinic last Friday. Mr. Gragon underwent surgery on Tuesday of this week for the removal of kidney stones.

Mr. and Mrs. George Seane of Silverton visited Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Gary Barrett of Amarillo visited his grandparents Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hardin of San Diego, Calif. arrived in Silverton Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Thomas. They came to Quitaque Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Josie Johnston and David. The Hardins are known by a number of people here in Quitaque since they have visited here a number of times.

Misses Ina and Euna Bradshaw, Mrs. Ethel Tracy and Mrs. W. E. Morrison spent from Wednesday until Friday with their brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Bradshaw in Artesia, N. M. last week.

FLOMOT GROUP VISITS BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME

Last Saturday the G. A. girls of Flomot Baptist Church,

along with sponsors and other guests, toured the Buckner Baptist Children's Home at Lubbock, then took 15 of the girls from the home to Mackenzie Park for a picnic.

Attending the trip were Bessie and Jackie Starkey, Anita Hunter, Judy Shorter, Kellie Green, and Judy Smith, and Counselors Mrs. Wayne Hunter and Mrs. L. E. Shorter and their husbands; also Sylvia Carnley, Susan Hunter, Louis Shorter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edd Helms and Seritha; Clois Shorter, Tech student, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Shorter and children and Sylvia Carsley also visited at the home of Mrs. Shorter's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Dunnigan and children at Lubbock.

HOME NOTES

(By Becky Hall)

Briscoe County Home Demonstration Agent

We are sorry that more of the Quitaque Home Demonstration Club Members were not able to attend the very fine program on Gardening presented by Leon Grosdidier, County Agricultural Agent, last week. He left some bulletins for you on a bulletin rack they graciously provide space for there in your First National Bank. If there is other information we can help you with, call us or come by the office.

Jane Berry, Housing & Home Furnishing Specialist, gave an outstanding training session to us in Lubbock last Thursday. She brought us up to date on statistics and available material that would be helpful for our programs in the county. If there is any way I can be of help to you in this area as well as others call 4271 or come by the office in the basement in the Courthouse.

Are you in your retirement years? You can prevent home accident from needlessly marring your health with planning and a little extra effort.

Light can help reduce accidents in dark hallways and on stairways. A bedside light and a flashlight in good working order can be other aids for older citizens.

"Accidents don't just happen..." They are caused. With care and patience, home accidents can be prevented. So safeguard your retirement years by observing home safety rules.

Excessive noise in the ordinary home can be a health hazard. Medical investigators have found that sustained high noise levels can cause hazardous problems of hearing. Excessive noise commonly produces tiredness and irritability, as well as indigestion and nervous disorders.

What can the homemaker do about it. A significant number listen to an appliance before buying. Many more are making use of the sound-killing qualities of draperies, rugs, upholstered furniture and wall coverings.

One scientist advises families to use a little consideration and not turn on radios, televisions, and record players at the same time.

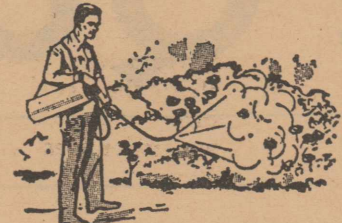
Research shows that many home accidents occur in the bathroom. With a little effort you can "safety-proof" this room for members of your family. It is important to use non-slip strips or a rubber mat in the bathtub and safety bars on the wall or tub. You can buy the strips in most hardware stores. The tub bar is especially important for older persons.

According to statistics, an estimated 500,000 children will be the victims of accidental poisoning this year.

Stop Pests From Lurching In Your Yard

You are probably like most folks who try to have an attractive yard with beautiful flowers and shrubs. You are careful when you plant. You fertilize. You water in dry weather.

You're concerned about insects and plant disease. And with good reason.



Compressed Air Sprayer

For you can be pretty sure that you'll have aphids and black spot on the roses, wilt on the asters, thrips in the gladioli.

It's easier than you may think to keep insects and plant diseases under control. Just follow this simple rule: put the right pesticide where the trouble is. That way you'll get effective control of insects and plant disease.

You'll find you have a choice of applying pesticides by either spraying or dusting — putting them on in either liquid form or in dry form. In either case, the size of your equipment will usually depend on the number of plants you need to take care of. Choose a size that will let you get your spraying or dusting done quickly without frequent stops for refilling.



Power Sprayer

The next important point is to insist on a sprayer or duster that will put the pesticide where the trouble is. This means one with an adjustable nozzle and an ex-

ension tube so you can aim the spray or dust exactly where you want it.

Whether you spray or dust is pretty much up to your personal preference. Some folks feel that sprayers are more accurate in placing the pesticide and therefore can give better results than dusts. Others like to dust because getting ready is so easy. You just pour the dust as it comes from the package into the container of the duster and go to work.

For spraying, compressed air sprayers with tanks ranging from one to six gallons are the most popular. They usually come with extensions which let you reach in toward the center of plantings or reach up into shrubs and small trees.

They should have either an adjustable nozzle or a curved extension so that you can apply the spray down from above, in from the side, and up from below. This last is real important because many insects and plant diseases



are found on the bottom of the leaves and carry on their damaging activities at this point of comparative security. Drenching a plant from the top can, and often does, leave many pests untouched and free to continue their damage.

If you have some taller shrubs or trees to spray, a slide pump sprayer is excellent. It provides pressures to 150 pounds which is enough to reach 20 or 30 feet up into the trees and to penetrate dense foliage in shrubs and other plantings.

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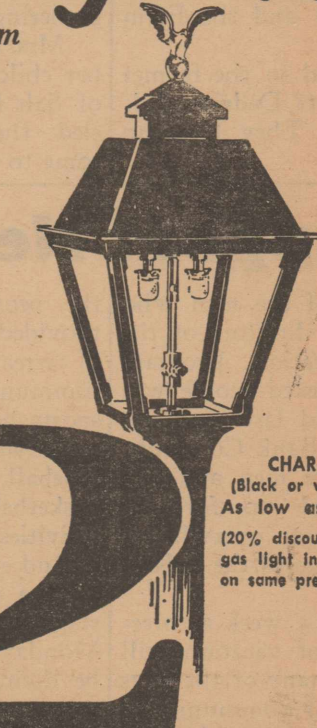
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BRIDE-TO-BE HONOREE AT BREAKFAST AT JOHNSON HOME

Jill Johnson was hostess for a breakfast last Friday morning at 7 o'clock, honoring Barbara Reagan, bride-elect of Jim Saul of Plainview. The breakfast was at the Johnson home.

The hostess had four tables set, and the table where the honoree was seated was centered with a unique arrangement of dolls. A girl doll wore a basketball referee's uniform and carried a whistle and a boy doll dressed as a basketball player, represented the prospective bridegroom, who is a member of the Wayland College basketball team. The question was asked, "Who will call the plays after June 10?"

The breakfast of orange juice, bacon, scrambled eggs, blueberry muffins, toast and coffee, was served to Mrs. Gene King, and Misses Patricia Brunson, Melinda McWilliams, Janis and Sammie Johnson, Renee and Gwen McKay, Marilyn Hutcheson, Lynette Taylor, Rhonda Rogers, Carol Myers, Janet Bailey, the honoree, Barbara Reagan, and her mother, Mrs. Cecil Reagan and the hostess, Miss Jill Johnson.

BAPTIST W.M.S. HAS MISSIONS STUDY PROGRAM TUESDAY

The W.M.S. of First Baptist Church met Tuesday morning, May 17, in regular meeting. Mrs. O. R. Stark led the

opening song, "Woman's Hymn."

The president, Mrs. R. J. Harmon presided at the meeting and read a Scripture.

Mrs. Orlin Stark read the minutes of the preceding meeting.

Mrs. Harmon read a letter to the Society from Mrs. Patsy Davidson, wife of the Rev. Roy Davidson, former pastor, and who are now missionaries stationed at Malawi, Africa. The letter was very interesting, making each of us feel a part of the mission work, because of personally knowing the workers there.

The program was then turned to the program chairman, Mrs. Wilburn Leeper. Several scriptures were read by different women present. A song, "I Give My Life for Thee" was led by Mrs. O. R. Stark. The theme of the program was "Giving." Another song, "Trust, Try and Prove Me" was sung by the ladies.

The first part on the program, "Money for the Work of God," was presented by Mrs. O. R. Stark; the second part, "The Lottie Moon Christmas Offering to Foreign Missions" was presented by Mrs. Jack Cheatham; the next part, "The Annie Armstrong Offering" was given by Mrs. A. C. Barrett; and the last part on the program, "State Mission Offering"

was presented by Mrs. Leon McCracken.

The closing prayer was led by Mrs. Bill Curry. Fourteen members and 1 visitor were present.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

To me there is no greater opportunity to serve God and County than being in an elected public office. This has been my privilege for nearly 18 years as a member of our Texas House and Senate.

It was a thrill and an honor to again, this year, place my name before the people and participate in our sacred, and almost unique, system of free elections — a right denied to most of mankind today.

Now the people have retired me from public office—and, as always, I am more than willing to accept their verdict.

But, from the depths of my being, I wish to express my most sincere gratitude for the opportunity of the past 18 years to serve the interests, ideals and principles of the people of our State as my conscience directed.

Last but not least, I wish to thank each and every individual who gave me their vote and support in the recent primary.

My very best wishes to you and ever citizen of our 30th Senatorial District.

Sincerely,
Andy Rogers
Childress, Texas

Flomot News -

(By Barbara Moseley)

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith and children of Amarillo visited at the home of Mrs. Mattie Mae Cogdill Sunday.

Mr. Leon Cloyd and Dickie were in Matador Saturday on business.

Mrs. R. L. Lackey of Lock-

ney visited in the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mattie Mae Cogdill on Monday. Mrs. Cogdill returned to Lockney with her to spend the night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Tunnell of Turkey and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Montgomery, also of Turkey visited at the home of Mrs. Lois Martin Tuesday.

Mrs. Mattie Mae Cogdill visited Tuesday at the home of her son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Elliott.

Mrs. Lois Martin visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson and Mrs. Hallie Johnson, both of Floydada, Sunday.

Mrs. Stella Arnold and Mrs. Tena Ray of Silverton visited Mrs. Lois Martin Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Merrell visited Sunday with their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Merrell and girls.

Mrs. A. D. Moseley and her father, Wiley Bullin drove to Groom Monday where Mr. Bullin received a check-up by his doctor.

A. D. Moseley visited Saturday in Memphis at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lane and also worked on the new Kingdom Hall being built there.

Mrs. H. S. Gilbert visited her sister, Mrs. Albert Martin of Floydada, Friday of last week. Mrs. Martin had just returned home from Lockney hospital.

Mrs. H. S. Gilbert and her daughter, Mrs. Bob Lane of Sterley were in Plainview on Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett and Sharon of Plainview visited Sunday in the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Gunn.

Mrs. Allie Martin and Mrs. Lizzie Pyron were in Floydada last Thursday.

Visitors at the home of Mrs. Addie Carroll Sunday were Mrs. Shorty Bingham and Ricky of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Carroll and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Carroll, and Naomi Daniel and daughters, all of Tulia; Chris Montgomery and children of Irving and Mr. and Mrs. Berry Barham and Sandra.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Kell and children of Canadian spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Kell.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Starkey and children Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Royce Hanna and children, Mr. and Mrs. James Cypert and Gene Cypert, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Starkey and children of Ralls; and Miss Ersie Starkey of Floydada.

Mrs. Steve Thomas of Midland visited in the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert I. Thomas.

Bob Thomas and Robin of Odessa visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomas Saturday.

Joe Thomas of Del Rio spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ronald Taylor of South Plains visited at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Merrell, Sunday.

Mrs. Clayton Bond returned home Sunday from Stanley Hospital at Matador, where she had been a patient for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Monk and children of Quitaque and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee and family were supper guests Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Monk.

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CONGRESSMAN WALTER ROGERS' WASHINGTON REPORT

Spring in the Texas Panhandle brings an onslaught of threatening weather as well as wild flowers, green pastures, and warm sun and winds. As every resident of our area knows, spring is the season of the year's most violent weather. With weather so much on everyone's mind, this is an appropriate time to pay tribute to the men and women who serve their neighbors and their country as "cooperative weather observers" for the U. S. Weather Bureau.

The cooperative observers program dates back more than 100 years, but amateur meteorologists have been keeping watch on the skies and maintaining records far longer than that. Benjamin Franklin, using reports from postmasters, tracked a hurricane along the Atlantic Coast—the first man to do so—in 1743. Thomas Jefferson maintained an almost continuous record of the weather from 1776 to 1816. Early settlers in Texas maintained weather data, as did soldiers stationed at pre-Civil War stations in Texas, more than three-fourths of which were manned by volunteer civilian observers.

There are now several hundred cooperative observers in Texas, and most Panhandle points are represented in this fine corps of citizens who give unselfishly of their time in service to their communities. The Weather Bureau does not hesitate to say that the entire climatological program for Texas is dependent upon the cooperation of these volunteer weather observers for its success. Receiving no monetary compensation and using instruments furnished by the Weather Bureau, the cooperative observers maintain and report daily observations.

The Panhandle is honored to claim as a native son the cooperative observer who has served longer in his post than any individual in Texas, past or

present. He is Mr. J. J. McMicken of Memphis who began as an observer in April, 1907, and has now served continuously for 58 years. The Cooperative weather station at Memphis was established at the Fort Worth & Denver Railway station at Memphis in July, 1905, and Mr. McMicken—then 16 years old—went to work at the station office in December, 1906. Four months later the station agent gave him the job of keeping the weather records—which he has done ever since. Mr. McMicken is the holder of a 50-year service pin from the Weather Bureau, a 50-year pin from the Masonic Lodge, and a 57-year pin as a Burlington Lines employee. He retired in 1963.

Another well-known Panhandle resident with a long record of service as a cooperative observer is Edwin (Goose) Ramey of Dimmitt. Mr. Ramey has been the official weather observer at Dimmitt since January, 1923. However, as far back as 1911 he was keeping unofficial records of the rainfall on his ranch.

At Muleshoe is Judge R. J. Klump, who has served as the cooperative observer there since the station was established in 1921. Judge Klump served for four years as county judge of Bailey County and also served for a number of years as city clerk at Muleshoe. There are many others in the Panhandle; Mr. McMicken, Mr. Ramey and Judge Klump are the three with 30-year records. The Weather Bureau says that its more than 12,000 cooperative observers devote more than one million hours a year to observing and recording the weather. Without their observations, our knowledge of our country's climate would indeed be incomplete. All of us in business and industry, agriculture and aviation—people in every walk of life—owe a debt of gratitude to them.

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VOTE BEING HELD ON COTTON ALLOTMENTS TRANSFERS

Cotton Farmers in Briscoe County will vote this month to decide whether they want to sell or lease their cotton allotments outside the county. Louie Kitchens, Chairman, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation County Committee, has announced. The referendum on the question will be conducted by mail during the period May 16 through May 25. Ballots may also be delivered by hand

to the ASCS county office.

The only question to be decided by the balloting is whether upland cotton allotments may be transferred during the next 3 years to other farms outside the county which are owned or controlled by someone else. Such transfers may be made by sale or by lease. In no case may transfers be made outside the state. An affirmative vote by at least two-thirds of the county's cotton farmers who vote will permit such transfers for the next three upland cotton crops, 1967-69.

A referendum on the same question was conducted last fall throughout the Cotton Belt, and growers in 349 counties at the time approved the allotment transfers. The vote this May will be held only in counties which disapproved such transfers in last fall's vote.

The upcoming vote by mail marks a first in program administration, according to Mr. Kitchens. Farmers previously have been able to vote by mail in annual ASC committeemen elections, but the method has never before been used in a commodity program referendum.

Mr. Kitchens said, "It's easy to vote by mail, and we hope all producers will vote. The vote should be fully representative of the wishes of cotton farmers in our county."

The Chairman said that copies of the ballot are being sent to all cotton producers of record in the county, together with in-

formation describing the program's purpose and operation. Any cotton producer who has a question about the referendum or about who is eligible to vote, is urged to get in touch with the ASCS county office.

BRUSH CONTROL SEASON UPCOMING

Brush control is one of the big problems faced by farmers and ranchers today. Undesirable trees and brush use up water and minerals which should be used for forage growth for livestock production. In some instances, one-third more grass has been produced on controlled areas than on similar areas that has not had brush control carried out. This means more pounds of beef per acre to the producer.

Sometimes the brush is so thick that livestock handling is difficult and often this brush grows on the most productive land. Control of brush without following range management practices such as deferred grazing and proper range use will often be of little benefit to the treated area.

Mechanical methods such as bull-dozing and chaining have a definite place in brush control, but often these methods coupled with chemical methods will give the best control per dollar spent. Operators should study their particular conditions to determine the most practical method of control.

The most common and feasible method of brush control in this area is aerial application of chemicals such as 2,4,5-T on mesquite. Aerial application provides economical and rapid

erate or heavy brush, but must be applied when the brush to be treated is in full foliage. The recommended time of spraying for mesquite is not less than 40 days nor later than 90 days after the first leaves appear. Treatment should be with one-half pound of 2,4,5-T in one gallon diesel fuel and enough water to make 4 gallons of mixture. This should be applied when trees are in full foliage and enough moisture present to insure growth for at least 30 days.

Basal sprays may also be used

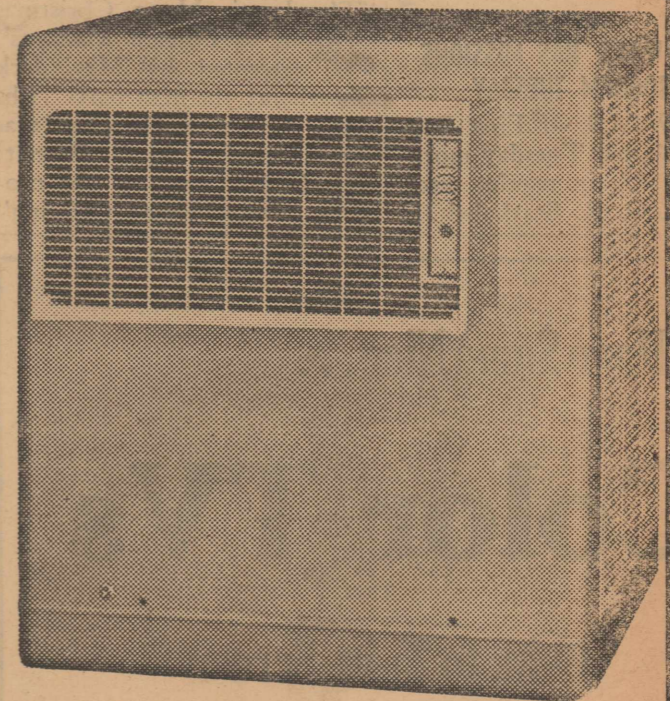
on mesquite. Treatment period runs from February 1 to November 1, with a solution of 1 gallon 2,4,5-T material containing 4 pounds acid and 48 gallons of diesel fuel sprayed around the lower 10 inches of the trunk.

Rootplowing and dozing of mesquite may be done at any time and should be done at least to a 14 inch depth below the soil surface.

Juniper may be controlled by chaining, dozing, or root-

plowing at any time. Now, in the spring of the year is the time to start preparation for brush control as leaves will start appearing in the near future. If you, as a farmer or rancher have any questions concerning brush control, or if you are interested in cost-sharing of brush control through the Great Plains Conservation Program, check with your local office of the Soil Conservation Service. They will be happy to be of service.

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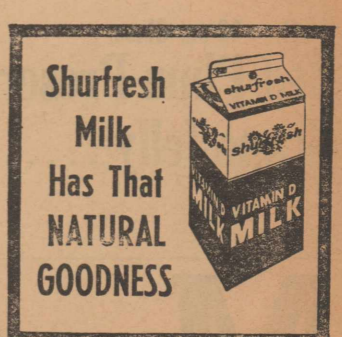
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