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TALK IN PRINT

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Abernathy is to have a resident Department of Public Safety highway patrolman. He will have headquarters in the city hall. It will give this area added law enforcement protection with no extra cost to taxpayers.

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Congratulations to Jim Reeves and Nick Patterson. They have been nominated by U.S. Rep. Bob Price to compete for appointment to the United States Military Academy at West Point.

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Without water Abernathy will die. It will be many years before the proposed imported water starts flowing out of the faucets in your home. It is the honest and studied opinion of the Abernathy City Council that the purchase of a farm (see story and legal notice) may insure Abernathy of having domestic water until the imported water comes to the Plains. The City Council is "laying it on the line" to residents of the town. The Council points out that this project can be killed if enough people object. If this proposal is killed by YOUR objections, don't "cuss" the 1969 City Council, in the distant future, if you turn on a faucet at your home and no water flows through it.

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This is Boy Scout Week. We salute the Boy Scouts of America, and say "thanks" to the adult leaders who give of their time and energy to promote Scouting in Abernathy.

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Facts and figures presented Thursday night in a meeting of men from Abernathy, Petersburg, Cotton Center and Hale Center at Graham's Restaurant indicate two inevitables: 1) School taxes will go higher; 2) There will be consolidation of school districts. Both will be a result of action on the report of the Governor's Committee on Education. This committee spent three years and near one million dollars in study, research and preparation of the report which was released last year.

Predicted to come first is the increase in school taxes. Big cities claim they are paying more than their share for public school education in the state. They want their tax lowered and the rural tax increased. Some 40%+ plus of the state senators and representatives are from metropolitan areas such as Fort Worth, Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, Austin and El Paso. Assuming that all of the men who represent Hale and Lubbock Counties in Austin vote against the economic index that would increase rural taxes such a move still could carry by sheer strength of the big city and medium-size city vote "for".

Eventually, consolidation will come about. The report indicates that higher "minimum requirements" will be made of high schools, forcing them to offer a broader range of subjects. In some instances, this would make it near financially impossible for many school districts to operate. Also, the state will offer attractive financial incentives to school districts that consolidate.

The tax and consolidation comments above are my predictions, and do not represent

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City Considers Farm Purchase As Water Source

School Board In Routine Meeting

SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION SET FOR APRIL 5

The Board of Education met in regular session February 3, 1969 in the board room of the high school. Those present were L. J. West, president; Billie Harrison, vice president; W. D. Sanders, secretary; members Joe Lovelace, J. H. Myatt, Joe Oswalt and Bob Riley. Also present were Earl Carter, business manager, and Delwin Webb, superintendent.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as written and reports were given in the following areas: tax report showing 97.34% of the current roll collected; budget progress report for the first 5/12 of the school fiscal year; enrollment report showing 1,118 enrollment in grades 1-12; nurse's report; and lunchroom report. Special reports included the recognition of Public School Week March 3-12 with open house at the schools scheduled for Thursday night, March 6. The results of the immunization program were as follows: 539 individuals were immunized with smallpox, 30; polio, 471; DT, 449, and DPT, 52. The immunization program will continue on February 11 for those missed previously and for those who need one of the immunizations they did not receive.

The Board also discussed the local stock show which will be March 7. Policies were established for free and partial payment lunches for indigent children. A bid was accepted from West Monroe, Louisiana to purchase the old band uniforms that were replaced this year.

Also discussed was the need for additional restroom facilities at the football field and additional plumbing in the junior high school. More complete reports on summer repairs will be made at the March meeting.

The Board called for a trustee election for April 5. Details of this will be worked out with the city because the election date is concurrent with the city official's election date.

The next regular meeting of the Board will be March 3.

Tech Graduate Killed In War

Memorial services for Gary M. Johnson, a 1967 Tech graduate, will be at 4 p.m. Saturday at the Lover's Lane Methodist Church in Dallas.

Johnson, who was a music director of Pioneer Memorial Methodist Church, has been reported killed in action in Vietnam.

Johnson, the son of Dr. and Mrs. Glen R. Johnson of Dallas, was declared missing in action Feb. 6. His parents were notified Sunday that he had been killed.

While at Tech Johnson was a member of the Tech choir, Phi Mu Alpha, music fraternity, and had also served as a music director of a Methodist Church in Abernathy.

The family has requested that contributions to the Gary Johnson Memorial Scholarship Fund be mailed to the Dallas church.

COMMITTEE HEADS NAMED FOR 60th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

The Steering Committee for Abernathy's 60th Anniversary Celebration met Thursday night at the office of Gid Adkisson, Jr., who is General Chairman of the Aug. 2 Anniversary and Homecoming event.

The group discussed plans in general such as program, parade, food, registration, etc., and have set the next meeting of the Steering and Committee heads for March 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the Junior High principal's office.

Members of the Steering Committee are Gid B. Adkisson, Jr., Arno Struve, Joe Thompson, Mrs. Dan Ward, Mrs. Buford Davenport, J. D. Webb and Hoppy Toler.

Gid appointed the following committee heads: Joe Lovelace, Foods; Hoppy Toler, Program; Ted Watts, Parade; Mrs. Jimmie Davis, Registration. Other committees will be appointed as plans progress.

Bumper stickers have been ordered and everyone is urged to get a bumper sticker from Hoppy Toler. Letters are printed and ready to send to out-of-town ex-students and ex-residents, giving them the date of the celebration.

Residents of the Abernathy community are urged to write relatives and friends who are ex-residents, and invite them to attend.

Those attending the meeting were Gid Adkisson, Jr., J. D. Webb, Mrs. Buford Davenport, Mrs. Jimmie Davis, Joe Thompson, Arno Struve and Joe Lovelace.

Leo Martino Dies On Visit

Services for Leo E. Martino, 65, of Lima, Ohio, were held Friday in the Trinity Methodist Church in Lima with the Rev. Wilbur Goist, pastor, officiating.

Martino died Feb. 4, in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock. He had been visiting his sister-in-law, Mrs. Robbie Martino, in Abernathy.

Burial was in the cemetery at Marion, Ohio.

Martino is survived by his wife, Dorothea; a son, Jack of South Hill, Va.; two sisters, Mrs. Paul Davids of Radnor, Ohio and Mrs. Marion Travis of Essex, Ohio; and three grandchildren.

INDECENT EXPOSURE INCIDENT REPORTED

Police Chief Frank D. Russell said a third incident of indecent exposure was reported to his office Monday. It took place, reports said, about 4:10 p.m. in the area of the school. Generally, the description was similar to the other two incidents, one taking place in North Abernathy and the other at about 4th Street a few months ago. About the only agreement is that the man drives a "sea green" car. This gives officers but little to work with in the way of clues.

Chief Russell asks that anyone witnessing such an incident PLEASE get the car license number.

Rites Held For Mrs. Edwards

Funeral rites for Mrs. Lloyd (Oleta) Edwards, 55, of 1201 Second Street, Abernathy, were held Wednesday afternoon at Abernathy First United Methodist Church, officiating were the Rev. Conrad M. Ryan, pastor, and the Rev. H. B. Coggin, pastor of the Ralls church and a former pastor of the local church. Burial, under direction of Chambers Funeral Home, was in Resthaven Memorial Park, Lubbock.

Pallbearers were Boyd Griffith, Charles Ray Owens, Hugh Pettit, Harvey and Lewis Lutrick and Ted Wayne Watts.

Mrs. Edwards died Monday afternoon at West Texas Hospital, Lubbock, following knee surgery.

A native of Brown County, she moved to Abernathy from Lynn County in 1950. She was a member of the Country Garden Club and the Methodist Church.

She is survived by her husband; one son, Donald of New Deal; one daughter, Mrs. Donald Huffaker of Abernathy; three sisters, Mrs. Bill Blair of Andrews, Mrs. John Clark of Dallas, and Mrs. Idell Harris of Monett, Mo.; and four grandchildren.

Elmo Caudle, 68, Dies At Home

HALE CENTER (Special) Elmo Caudle, 68, owner of Caudle Gin, died at 4:30 p.m. Thursday at his home here following an apparent heart attack.

Funeral services were held Sunday in Hale Center First Baptist Church with the Rev. T. J. Ozbun, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Hale Center Cemetery.

Caudle, a native of Erath County, had lived in Hale County 48 years, having lived previously at Ralls and Meadow. He married Ala Burrus in Abilene in 1925. He had owned the Caudle Gin for 28 years and had raised quarterhorses. He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Jackie of Bonham and Mac of Denver; his mother, Mrs. J. J. Caudle of Hale Center; a brother, Robert of Plainview; two sisters, Mrs. J. D. Ivey of Hale Center and Mrs. W. V. Cunningham of Abernathy; and four grandchildren.

Hale Center Rites For Mrs. Caudle

Funeral services for Mrs. J. J. Caudle, 91, longtime Hale Center resident, were held Wednesday in Hale Center First Baptist Church with the Rev. T. J. Ozbun, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Hale Center Cemetery.

Mrs. Caudle died Tuesday, Feb. 11, in Hi-Plains Hospital, Hale Center after a nine-year illness.

A native of Lamkin, Mrs. Caudle moved to Hale Center from Ralls in 1920 with her husband, a longtime ginnee here. She formerly had lived in Bronte.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church and

The City Council met in regular session Monday night, February 10. A most important item of business that came before the council was the availability for purchase of a tract of land that has subterranean water in larger quantities than any land within a suitable radius of present facilities. In particular, the water bearing formation as delineated by test well logs and existing irrigation wells under this land has an expected life for producing water up to eight years or more longer than the present water field has. In view of the importance of a continued supply of water and because of the lack of any practical alternatives the council voted to initiate action to purchase this land. Although the price for this land is considered high on today's real estate market, it was thought that the alternative of not having a continuing supply of water would be so devastatingly serious that it would be absolutely necessary to take this rare opportunity to insure more water for Abernathy.

The method of financing is to be the use of cash on hand to make the 29% downpayment and the issuance of warrants to the seller for the balance of the cost. The total price for the land is \$114,000. This price will partially be offset by current income from the land. The remaining value of the land would be commensurate with the permanent long-time value of the land. This would bring the cost of the water to be obtained from the land, when needed, down to a figure far less than other cities are now paying for imported water from outside sources such as Canadian River water. It was the unanimous consensus of a large group of interested citizens present at the meeting that this was the only sensible course of action that the council could take in view of the seriousness of the situation.

(Buford, be sure and spell out to the public that a petition must be presented with 10% of the qualified voters to stop this issue.

Roy E. Jones)

FARMER DRIVES TO HOSPITAL WITH BOTH LEGS BROKEN

Jerry Nix, who farms northwest of Abernathy, sustained a fracture of both legs Saturday when a lister attachment he was removing from a tractor fell on him. No help was available. According to reports reaching The Review, Mr. Nix dug himself free of the lister with his pocket knife. Once free, he crawled several yards to his pickup and drove the pickup to the back door of Hi-Plains Hospital in Hale Center. Reports early this week said his condition is satisfactory.

Rebekah Lodge.

Survivors include a son, Robert of Plainview; two daughters, Mrs. J. D. Ivey of Hale Center and Mrs. W. C. Cunningham of Abernathy; a sister, Mrs. Ella Vaughn of Lubbock; eight grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be John G. Smith, C. C. Castleberry, Virgil Martin, Bub Hammit, Buddy Keeler and Keith Brashear.

TALK IN PRINT

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a consensus of the 4-community committee that met here Thursday night. Things and events usually turn out the opposite to what I predict. I hope this is true with the above set of predictions.

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Thursday night, the committee decided to secure a copy of Senate Bill 2, which covers the report on education. After this and other material is received and studied, there will be another 4-community meeting at John's Buff in Petersburg, date to be announced. Discussion on what can be done to combat the consolidation proposal will continue in that session.

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Abernathy will continue to co-operate with Petersburg, Cotton Center and Hale Center in an effort to keep our own schools in our own communities.

I believe an organization such as this can do much good in helping solve a variety of problems that face rural Hale County. And, I enjoy the fellowship and visits with people from our neighboring communities.

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Scheduled for release Thursday, Feb. 13, is the announcement of a statewide committee to represent rural landowners, and those who enjoy living in the country, during the expected struggle over school district consolidation in the current session of the Texas Legislature. The group, known as "The Little Red School House Committee", is composed of a cross section of farmers, ranchers and rural landowners from throughout the state. Charles Schreiner III, a prominent rancher from Mountain Home, is chairman of the committee. Address of "The Little Red School House Committee" is Driskill Hotel, Austin, Texas 78701. Telephone number is A/Code 512 472-6921.

The Abernathy, Petersburg, Cotton Center, Hale Center organization may find it effective to give support to "The Little Red School House Committee" in addition to work it does directly on its own.

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The consolidation controversy has one good "by product". It has caused more patrons to start thinking about their schools, and should result in better cooperation with school officials. Abernathy Schools will hold Open House March 6, during Texas Public Schools Week, March 3-7. The event this year should draw a larger crowd of visitors than usual.

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News Of Men In Service

PLEIKU, VIETNAM (AHT-NC)--Army Captain Paul A. Harris 25, son of Mrs. Ellen G. Harris, 2304 W. Kansan Ave., Midland, Tex., was assigned, Dec. 26, as a company commander with the 4th Infantry Division near Pleiku, Vietnam.

Capt. Harris received his commission through the Reserve Officer Training Corps program at West Texas State University, Canyon, Tex., where he received a B.S. degree in 1965.

His wife, June, lives in Abernathy, Tex. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bartlett.

Mrs. Harris recently visited her husband in Honolulu, Hawaii, when he was there on R & R furlough.

STARTS FEB. 12TH

LUBBOCK, TEXAS

SHOW TIMES: 2 P. M. MATINEE & 7 P. M. & 9:30 P. M.

ATTEND CO-OP MEET IN DALLAS

Representatives from three area cooperatives attended the Joint Annual Cooperative Meeting of the Texas Federation of Cooperatives, Texas Cooperatives Ginners Association and Houston Bank of Cooperatives recently conducted in Dallas.

From County Line Co-Op Gins: Manager and Mrs. J. M. Johnston, Messrs and Mmes. J. W. Hamilton, E. M. Crow, Tom Johnson, G. W. Gates, and H. F. Gregg.

From Co-op Grain Co. of Abernathy: Manager and Mrs. Billy Raybon, Messrs and Mmes. Fred Crenshaw, Willie V. Dunn and Vernon McDo-

MASONS TO MEET FEB. 13

A stated meeting of Abernathy Lodge No. 1142, A.F. & A.M., will open at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, Feb. 13. Dale Worthan, Worshipful Master, urges all local members to be present, and extends a welcome to visiting Masons.

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From Abernathy Farmers Co-op Gins: Manager and Mrs. Leland Phillips, Messrs and Mmes. J. F. Buske, Vernon Bartlett and Clyde Benn.

Leland Phillips' year of service as president of the Texas Cooperatives Ginners Association terminated at the Dallas meeting.

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PIONEER NATURAL GAS

DONNA HUFFAKER HONORED BY DAR

(Editor's Note: The following story was prepared for publication Monday, before the unexpected death of Donna's grandmother, Mrs. Lloyd Edwards. Donna and her mother were not at the Plainview meeting as the story indicates.)

Donna Huffaker, AHS Senior, and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Huffaker, was among eleven area high school girls honored Wednesday at a special awards program of the Mary McCoy Baines Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Plainview. The DAR Good Citizen pins were presented to the eleven young ladies. The girls and their mothers were honored and recognized by Mrs. Don Bybee, DAR Good Citizen chairman. Each of the girls will be eligible to compete at state level. The DAR released the following comment on the AHS Senior:

Donna Huffaker

Donna Carol Huffaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Huffaker of Abernathy, has been very active in the field of home economics. She has been honored as outstanding in Future Homemakers of America and Who's Who in Home Economics.

Donna has been an outstanding member of 4-H Club for sev-

LUBBOCK COUNTY PLATES ON SALE

Representatives of the Lubbock County Tax Assessor-Collector office will be at Joe Thompson Implement Co. in Abernathy Thursday, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Feb. 20, to issue 1969 vehicle license plates to residents of Lubbock County. According to a state law, vehicles must be registered in the county where the owner resides.

Harold Thomas was scheduled to undergo back surgery at Highland Hospital, Lubbock, Wednesday.

Glenn Reagan recently underwent back surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lebow visited in San Angelo last weekend and early this week.

en years, winning many honors and holding many offices. She served as a member of Hale County 4-H Council for four years and was an officer three years. She plans to attend Texas Tech and major in home economics.

Donna has held class offices, is a member Student Council, has served as vice president of Future Teachers of America and as a teacher's aide. She also tutored underprivileged children after school hours for seven weeks and assisted with pre-school work for two weeks.

ND LIONS PLAN AUCTION SALE

There will be an auction sale in New Deal Saturday, Feb. 15, starting at 10 a.m. It is the New Deal Lions Club 4th Annual Consignment Auction Sale. Most all kinds of equipment, from tractors on down, will be sold during the auction. Everyone is invited to be present for this big sale.

Lakeview News

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Milner were in O'Donnell Sunday to attend funeral rites of a relative, Mrs. Lou Ellen Putman, 92. Burial was in the O'Donnell Cemetery.

Mrs. Nadine Eagan returned to her home in San Diego Monday after spending about two weeks here with her mother who was ill in the Hereford Hospital and to attend funeral rites of her stepfather, William C. Blaylock in Hereford Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Enger of Shallowater visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Enger, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith of Dallas spent the weekend here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Berry of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Haygood of Big Spring, visited in the O. S. Bristow home Friday.

Mrs. A. Kelley is receiving treatment in Hale Center hospital.

J. A. and Reita Smith and Warren Brown attended funeral rites of a relative, Mrs. Ollie Dunn, in the Ralls Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor of Earth visited Mr. and Mrs. Dale Milner Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gibson returned from visiting their son and family in New Orleans, La.

Mrs. Winnie Lee Kaufman of Eunice, N.M., is visiting in the H. N. Meadows home.

Mrs. N. J. Fred spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. H. C. Farris, in a convalescent home in Lubbock.

Mrs. Lemmie Ragland, Danny and Diane Rambo, Wayland students, spent Sunday with Mrs. Virginia Loyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Goldston and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mull attended funeral rites of Mrs. Eliza C. Kent at 10:30 Monday in the Idalou Baptist Church. Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park. Mrs. Kent was the grandmother of Mrs. Mull.

COOKIE SALES, CAMP SET BY GIRL SCOUTS

Abernathy Neighborhood Girl Scouts will have a camp out at Camp Rio Blanco April 18 and 19. Training for adult leaders will be held in Lubbock at the scout house February 18 and 25. Also at Camp Rio Blanco February 28 overnight. Leaders and mothers must attend one or both training sessions to attend camp with the Scouts.

March 6-20 will be Girl Scout Cookie Sales days. We hope everyone will buy cookies from the Girl Scouts. Caprock Council profit from cookie sales will build new buildings for Girl Scouts at Camp Rio Blanco.

Each troop keeps some percent profit for their own troop. Girl Scout Day Camp will be held June 9-13. Leaders training will be held in Plainview May 8 and 15. Training in Lubbock at the scout house will be May 6 and 13. Day Camp leaders must take the training courses.

J. A. Bruce returned home Saturday from Methodist Hospital, Lubbock. He was injured in a one-car traffic accident east of Paducah Jan. 24.

Mrs. A. E. Goebel was returned to West Texas Hospital, Lubbock, Saturday.

COUNTRY GARDEN CLUB MEETING

The Country Garden Club met Tuesday, Feb. 4 in Graham's party room with Mrs. Fred Blumenstock as hostess. Seventeen members were present. Leader for roll call and program was Mrs. E. B. Braly. Mrs. Fred Blumenstock presented the program on "Processing, Antiquing and Arranging Dried Flowers".

Refreshments were served to the following Mmes: Lloyd Edwards, C. J. Pharr, Horace Davis, Jack Barton, J. L. Miller, Jr., J. H. Barnett, Cecil Gartin, W. A. Goeth, E. B. Braly, Morris Thomas, Otey Shadden, Frank Lovelace, Dwayne Taylor, John L. Harral, Jerry Nix, hostess, Mrs. Fred Blumenstock and Miss Audrey Waddell.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, Feb. 18 with Mrs. Dwayne Taylor.

HOBBY CLUB

Abernathy Hobby Club met Feb. 6, at the city hall clubroom and went as a group to Plainview. Hostesses were Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. McAlister. A business session was held after the group returned to Abernathy.

Present for roll call were Mmes. M. M. Bell, T. A. Brewster, T. O. Brown, G. D. Clapp, Clyde Crawford, J. W. Davis, Morris Gist, Royce Henson, T. U. Hunt, Melvin Johnson, Reed Lacy, E. L. McCaugh, Jr., Otis Pope, H. H. Selke, Henry Struve, George Wilkes, R. R. Knox and a guest, Mrs. Floyd Shipman.

Next regular meeting will be Thursday, March 6 at 2:30 p.m. in the city hall clubroom. Mrs. Pope and Mrs. Selke will be hostesses. The program will be brought by Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Struve and Mrs. Gist. --Mrs. M. M. Bell, reporter.

Lunchroom Menu

February 17-21, 1969

Monday
Frito pie, celery & carrot sticks, mashed potatoes, cornbread, butter, apple cobbler, 1/2 pt. milk.

Tuesday
Hamburgers w/lettuce, pickles & onions, potatoe waves, chilled tomatoes, plain jello with topping, 1/2 pt. milk.

Wednesday
Burritos, cole slaw with dressing, green beans with new potatoes, cornbread, butter, ice cream cup, 1/2 pt. milk.

Thursday
Meatballs in sauce, spaghetti and cheese, blackeyed peas, french bread, butter, banana pudding, 1/2 pt. milk.

Friday
Steak, rice, lima beans, toss salad with 1,000 island dressing, hot rolls, butter, spice cup cakes, 1/2 pt. chocolate milk.

WSCS NEWS

W. S. C. S. Completes Study
The Women's Society of Christian Service of the United Methodist Church met Monday, Feb. 10, at 9:30 a.m. in the church. The study of the Gospel of John led by Mrs. Albers was concluded. Mrs. H. V. Davis brought the devotional. Others on the program were Mrs. Jackie Barton, Mrs. Echols, Mrs. Suttle, Mrs. Raybon, Mrs. J. W. Davis and Mrs. Pinson. Benediction by Mrs. Wilson.

Attending were Mmes. H. V. Davis, M. M. Bell, Bill Albers, J. C. Mills, L. A. Suttle, Oma Toler, Jackie Barton, Lee Echols, Billy Raybon, J. B. McClure, J. W. Davis, Jim Mills, H. H. Selke, Ray Pinson, F. A. Goebel, Horace Davis, Cecil Gartin, Jack Waters, Jr. --Mrs. M. M. Bell, reporter.

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Legal Notice

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE TIME WARRANTS STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HALE CITY OF ABERNATHY

Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the governing body of the City of Abernathy, Texas, to pass an ordinance on the 3rd day of March, 1969, authorizing the issuance of interest bearing Time Warrants against the general fund of said City in an amount not to exceed \$96,000.00 bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 5.75% per annum and maturing at such times as may be fixed by the governing body of said City, serially or otherwise, with a maximum maturity not to exceed 16 years from their date, for the purpose of evidencing the indebtedness of said City to be incurred in purchasing the following described real property for the authorized needs of the City, to-wit:

TRACT 1:

80 acres of land patented to T. J. Landers by Patent No. 300, Vol. 37, and being known as Section No. 20, Block L, Hale County, Texas, as follows:

BEGINNING at a large earth mound and four pits, the NE corner of D. Burton 80 acres pre-emption survey, on South line of Section No. 17, Block D-8, for the Northwest corner of this Survey;

THENCE East 475 varas;

THENCE South 950 varas 4 pits and cedar post;

THENCE West 475 varas to cedar post;

THENCE North 950 varas to PLACE OF BEGINNING, and containing 80 acres of land;

TRACT 2:

all of 160 acres of land patented to Edward L. Miller by Patent No. 239, Vol. 50, and being known and described as the East One-Half, Section No. 9, Block P, Q, Brown School File No. 3839, on the waters of White River, a Tributary of the Brazos River, about 23 miles South 10 West from Plainview, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at an iron pipe and two pits, 950.4 varas East of the Southwest corner of the A. L. Stultz Homestead;

THENCE East 950.4 varas;

THENCE North 950.4 varas;

THENCE West 950.4 varas;

and THENCE South 950.4 varas to the PLACE OF BEGINNING, and containing in both tracts, 240 acres, more or less, in Hale County, Texas.

CITY OF ABERNATHY, TEXAS
By: Mrs. Otelia Clement
City Secretary

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Knight visited recently with her father, H. M. Killion, at the Hico Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Knight of Lamar, Color., spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Knight.

WANT-ADS

FOR RENT----Nice, clean house at 1107 14th St., Abernathy. Also, have small 2-wheel trailer for sale. Bill Schreier, 1307 Ave. L, Phone 298-2298. (tsr skp)

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late L. E. Martino wishes to express its deep gratitude and affection for the many kindnesses offered by friends and neighbors in Abernathy. We will never forget you.

CARD OF THANKS

Thanks to our many friends and neighbors for sympathy, food, flowers, presence and concern in our time of bereavement. May God bless you. The Arnie L. Sanders Family

FORMER RESIDENT DIES FEBRUARY 11

Dwayne Stieber, 52, of Bakersfield, Calif., formerly of Abernathy, died Feb. 11. He was a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Phillips of Abernathy.

Included in the list of survivors are his wife, three sons, two brothers, two sisters, and his mother, Mrs. Julia Stieber Fuller.

NEWS BRIEFS

Mrs. C. H. Williams has returned here from an extended visit in the home of her son, Roy, in Rocky Comfort, Mo.

Douglas Vineyard and daughter, Jan, have moved back to Abernathy from Arlington. They reside at 103 South Ave. D.

Harlow Neis returned home Friday from Hi-Plains Hospital, Hale Center.

Mrs. Fred Kveton is a patient in a Lubbock hospital.

The Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Coggin and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Parish of Ralls visited in the M. M. Bell home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Bell visited in the Thomas Conner home at 3711 25th St., Lubbock.

A sister of the late A. L. Stone, Sr., Mrs. E. E. Brownlee, about 72, of Keller died Sunday. Funeral rites were Tuesday in the Keller First Baptist Church. Those from here attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Delton Stone, Mrs. Judy Stracener and A. L. Stone, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Mason have moved from Stamford to 512 5th St., Abernathy. Mr. Mason farms northwest of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Crow visited in Wichita Falls last weekend.

Firemen were called to put out a grass fire at 912 5th St., Saturday.

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