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Mr. Finley, Miss Wages Are Married

In St. Luke's United Methodist Church, Lubbock, at 8 p. m. Friday, Miss Margaret Ann Wages and George Edward Finley said double ring wedding vows. The Rev. Ivan Allen, pastor of the United Methodist Church in Sunray, officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Manford Wages of New Deal are parents of the bride. Finley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Finley of Albreed.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown made of candlelight venise lace and organza. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Tommie Wages of Abernathy and Mrs. Weldon Beasley. They wore formal gowns of jakarta and venise lace.

Best man was Johnny Ivie of Knox City. Groomsmen were Mel Morris of Muleshoe, Bill McKillip and Tommie Wages of Abernathy. Dennis Gordon of Houston and Jim Faulkner of Idalou seated guests.

Mrs. Rob Middlebrook of Shallowater and Miss Michelle Boutin of Odessa and Miss Beverly Benham of Lovington, N. M., presented wedding music. A reception in the Fellowship Hall of the church followed the wedding. The couple plans to live in Varsity Village Apt. while both attend Texas Tech.

Mrs. Finley is a graduate of

WEDDING RITES READ IN HOME

Mrs. Vera Ledford and Hugh Vaughn were married at 7 o'clock Saturday evening in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Smith. Rev. Murry Brewer, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated at the ceremony. Guests were the children and grandchildren of the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn will reside at 1001 Ave. D.

New Deal High School and a senior elementary education major at Tech. A graduate of McLean High School, Finley attended Clarendon Junior College and is a junior agricultural education major at Tech.

Water, Inc., To Seek New Plan

Water, Inc. will "redouble its efforts toward perfection of an over-all water plan." K. B. (Tex) Watson of Amarillo, president, said Wednesday.

Watson issued the statement after a proposal to authorize \$3.5 billion in bonds for the Texas Water Plan was defeated in Tuesday's state constitutional amendment voting.

"West Texas must have supplemental water if we are to grow and prosper," he said, adding that Water, Inc., will work for "a plan that will meet with favorable voter action in the near future — perhaps in two years."

Bill Clayton, executive direc-

tor of the Lubbock-based organization, said in a statement he was "gratified" by the favorable vote the water plan received in West Texas.

"However, I had hoped for a larger turnout," he added, "since this is an issue that I feel is vitally important to this area." The Texas Water Plan, Clayton said, is "so big in scope . . . it is hard for the average voter to completely understand unless he has had time to research and study all its implications."

"I think the vote indicates that Water, Inc. will have to play a vital function in carrying this educational program to the people," he added.

Progress Cited
"After having followed various water resource development programs across the nation, we feel that . . . much progress has

been made in Texas in a short period. West Texas, particularly, should not take a defeatist attitude . . . We know the job can be done and we are dedicated to doing it. Water, Inc. will be one of the major organizations in seeing that this is accomplished."

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Becton And Heckville News

(By Mrs. M. A. Waters)

John N. Moore Funeral Home Services for John N. Moore, 93, of 1314 33rd St. were conducted at 10:00 a. m. Monday in the Becton Baptist Church with burial in Becton Cemetery under the direction of Wood-Dunning Funeral home in Plainview.

Moore, a resident of Becton from 1926 to 1942, was a retired farmer. A native of Alabama, he also had lived in Oklahoma. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Lubbock.

Mr. Moore died Friday, in Doctor's Hospital in Plainview following a lengthy illness.

He is survived by four sons Earl of Springville, Calif.; Earl of Federal Way, Wash.; Earl of San Antonio and Melvin (Murt) of Montana; but daughters, Mrs. Gilford Woods, of this community, Mrs. C. S. Keese of Plainview; Miss Lottie Moore of Riverside, Calif.; and Mrs. Robert Michelsen of Godfrey, Ill. a sister Mrs. Ida Thompson of Shawnee, Okla.; a brother Henry of Arco, Idaho, 21 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Adkisson of Muleshoe visited Mr. and Mrs. Morris Waters and Dean Wednesday.

Rev. Joe Allen, pastor of the Canyon, Lakeview and Becton United Methodist Churches the past fifteen months has been reassigned to a church at Abilene. Becton will be served by Rev. Ted Dotts, pastor of Idalou United Methodist Church and he will preach here each Sunday at 9:30 a. m. Sunday School services will follow as has been the usual custom for several years since the Becton Church was put on a three Church Charge.

Ronnie Stanton President of Young Farmers.

Ronnie Stanton of Heckville was elected president of Idalou Young Farmers at a recent meeting and a new slate officers were chosen to serve with him. Thurman Neil is Vice President, Donnie Fugate, treasurer both of Idalou, Larry Adrian of Becton, reporter and Charles Grantham of Idalou, secretary.

The group made plans to attend the Area I convention Sept. 13 in Plainview.

The meeting is scheduled for 1:30 p. m. at the high school to be followed by a banquet that night in conjunction with an Area I Young Homemaker's meeting.

Stanton was selected as the group's outstanding young farmer and will enter Area I competition. The area is composed of more than 20 counties. Winners in the 10 areas of Texas will compete on the State level.

Ronnie was born and reared on

a farm two miles south of Becton. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Stanton of near Abernathy.

Area children registered Friday Aug. 29th at Idalou and classes began Sept. 1 Long hair and sideburns for boys was outlawed and modest skirts, four inches from the middle of the knee was decreed for girls. Stiff penalties were laid down to prohibit

the use of tobacco, alcohol, or narcotics on the school campus or at school campus or at school activities.

Area barbers did good business this past week as locks were shorn while mothers checked hem lengths and in many cases lengthened dresses.

About 900 students were expected to enroll this semester. Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith

and children of Denton visited here this week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. J. King.

Miss La Jauna Becton left Monday for Dallas where she plans to work. La Jauna is a graduate of Texas Tech in Business Administration. Friends honored her with a farewell party at the Sirolo in Lubbock Wednesday night.

Abernathy Public Schools Lunchroom Menu

SEPT. 4-5

Thursday
Meatballs in sauce, pinto beans, mixed greens, cornbread, butter, peanut butter crunch, 1/2 pint milk.

Friday
Hamburgers W/lettuce, onions and tomatoes, potato salad, strawberry short cake, 1/2 pint milk.

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Monday
Salisbury steak, rice with butter and sugar, creamed corn with green peppers, Hot Rolls, butter banana pudding, 1/2 pint milk.

Tuesday
Barbeque on a bun, sweet relish, lettuce wedge W/1000 is-

SURPRISED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Don McKenzie and Mrs. Gary Grant surprised Mrs. R. J. Jones, Jr. with a birthday party Friday night. Neighbors of Mrs. Jones were guests.

land dressing, fruit jello and cookies, 1/2 pint milk.

Wednesday
Fried chicken, macaroni and cheese, green peas, hot rolls and butter, peach cobbler, 1/2 pint milk.

Thursday
Meatloaf with catsup, mashed potatoes, fruit salad with orange dressing, hot biscuits and butter, chocolate cake with icing.

Friday
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