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Two Local Scouts Hike 72 Miles

On June 29 Rod Dodson and Robby Caudle left Lubbock at 5:00 A. M. with Troop 406 for the Pecos Wilderness. The group left Panchuela Campground near Cowles, N. M., at approximately 2:30 p. m. and hiked across the Pecos Wilderness to Tres Ritos, N. M. They carried 35

to 40 pounds in backpacks and covered 72 miles. They reached Tres Ritos and civilization on Saturday night July 5th. After a week of rain, hail, sleet and snow, everyone was glad to see a hot shower. They returned to Lubbock Sunday July 6th.



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Adkisson-Romero Vows Spoken

Vickie L. Romero and Gid B. Adkisson were united in marriage June 14 at North Valley Baptist Church, Redding, California.

The Rev. Dwight Hill officiated. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Romero, Happy Valley.

Adkisson, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Gid Adkisson Jr., Abernathy.

The bride wore an antique white gown with silk organza sleeves. She carried baby's breath and pale blue flowers.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Cathy Love, Maid of honor was Alexis Kondos. Bridesmaids were Janese Kamps, Linda Acree and Eleven Fong. Best man was Chuck Mad-

den, Ushers were Tommy Adkisson, brother of the groom; Greg Romero, brother of the bride, Greg Alterton and Lester Machado.

A reception followed at the Red Lion Motor Inn, Redding. The couple took a wedding trip to Victoria, B. C. They will live, in Davis, Calif.

The bride is a graduate of Anderson High School and Chico State University. A nurse, she is employed as a school nurse in Sacramento.

Adkisson, a graduate of Texas A&M, served with the U. S. Marine Corps and is employed by the Navigators as a campus representative at University of California, Davis.



GOOD FISHING -- say Earl, Tanny and Ed Eldridge on a recent fishing trip in the Rio Grande in Colorado. Tanny caught the big three-pound, three fourths ounce, 22 inch long brown trout with the pocket fisherman shown in the picture.

INSURANCE GROUP SEEKS QUEEN FOR ROSE PARADE FLOAT

"The member companies of Farmers Insurance Group are looking for a young woman, age 18 through 25, to be queen of our 1976 Tournament of Roses parade float," announces Milt Pope agent for the companies in Abernathy. Theme of this year's parade will be "America, Let's Celebrate."

Winner of the contest will receive an all-expense-paid trip to Pasadena, Calif. to reign as queen of the companies' Tournament of Roses float on New Year's Day.

The contest will be judged on the basis of photographs submitted by contestants. Winner in the local contest will be named "Miss Farmers Insurance Group of Abernathy" and her photograph will be entered in the state contest. Photographs of each state

winner will be entered in the national contest for judging of the national winner by a committee of TV Film stars.

Entry Blanks are available at your local Farmers Insurance Group offices. Each entry must be accompanied by a 5X7-inch or larger, head and shoulders black and white photo of the entrant and a full-length snapshot of her in street-length dress (not longer than 4X5 inches.) Entrants must be 18 to 25 inclusive as of the date the contest closes and the winner must be unmarried on the day of the parade. Entries should be mailed to the "Miss Farmers Insurance Group Contest," P. O. Box 2478, 4680 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif. 90051. Entries must be postmarked no later than midnight, October 1, 1975.

U. S. P. S. EDITORIAL URGES ACTION TO SAVE FREE PRESS AND U. S. POSTAL SERVICE

Some rather startling recommendations were made by the administrative law judge of the Postal Rate Commission concerning future postal rates. If followed, these recommendations could spell disaster for the United States Postal Service itself and for the United States Postal Service itself and for freedom of the press as we know it.

Among other things, the judge proposes reducing the price of a first-class stamp from 10 cents to 8-1/2 cents. Sounds fine from the consumer's point of view, doesn't it? Well, it's not. And the reason is that the judge wants to make up the loss in first-class revenue by inordinate increases in the costs of mailing magazines, newspapers, books and packages. Actually, his plan would wind up costing the consumer more--not less.

And what does his plan do to the USPS? It means a reduction of \$900-million in first-class revenues, and the doubtful prospect that this will be made up by the certain reduction in usage of the other classes of mail. Not to mention the fact that there is already a \$1.6-billion deficit facing the postal service. Bankruptcy? Certainly a possibility.

More over, the judge's proposals could also cause an intellectual bankruptcy in the land, for they could force many of our valued periodicals to go out of business--unable to absorb or pass along the high increases in mailing costs. Newspapers and magazines would be hit by a minimum of a 121 per cent rise (weekly newspapers by as much as 250 per cent); books by 96 per cent, and packages by 67 per cent.

The single greatest tragedy in all of this as far as the American public is concerned is that the public-service function of the postal service in the dissemination of informal and educational material -- as clearly recognized by our founding fathers -- has not even been considered in the recommendations made by the law judge in this case. If his recommendations are followed, we may live to see the disappearance of the small weekly newspaper from the rural American scene.

LOCAL RESIDENTS ATTEND REUNION

Several local families attended the recent Hall family reunion held in Lubbock at McKenzie Park, where over 100 members of the family were present.

Those attending from Abernathy were Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Waits and family, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hall, Russell Paston and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Patterson.

Also attending from Abernathy were Mr. and Mrs. David Waits and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Waits and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Waits and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hall and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hall and their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gary D. Sanders.

UNINSURED MOTORISTS MAY FACE PENALTIES UNDER NEW LAW

Uninsured motorists involved in traffic accidents in death, personal injury or property damage in excess of \$250 may be subject to suspension of their driving privileges and vehicle registration under a revision to the Texas Safety Responsibility Law.

Colonel Wilson E. Speir, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said the new law -- which was enacted during the recent Legislative session -- requires DPS to evaluate traffic accidents (meeting the above criteria of seriousness) to determine if there is a "reasonable probability of judgement" against one or more of the drivers. If such a finding is made, and if the driver or owner has no liability insurance meeting the state's minimum requirement of \$10,000 / \$20,000 / \$5,000, then the DPS must require the uninsured motorist believed at fault to satisfy the security provisions of the law. This may be done in one of the following ways:

--By submitting a written release signed by the other damaged parties.

--By filing an installment agreement made with the other damaged parties involved.

--By depositing security in a sufficient amount to take care of damages sustained by others and maintain proof of financial responsibility for five years from the date of the accident.

--By filing copies of civil

damage judgement obtained against other parties involved in the accident, or a judgement of non-liability.

When the security provisions of the law are not satisfied by the insured owners and operators, and the DPS determines there is a "reasonable probability of judgement" against such persons, the following provisions of the law become applicable:

--A written notice of future driver license and motor vehicle registration suspension must be forwarded to such persons by certified mail. Such a notice will advise that a hearing will be granted upon request.

--Upon receipt of a request for hearing, the DPS will notify the persons requesting same to appear before the traffic court judge to determine whether or not there is a "reasonable probability of judgement" and, if so, the amount of security to be deposited with DPS by the uninsured persons.

--Any suspension invoked by the DPS in motor vehicle accident cases of this type will be stayed by a request for hearing until such time as the matter is finally resolved through administrative hearing or the courts.

Speir said the new law was enacted to enable Texas to comply with a U. S. Supreme Court decision. The decision had invalidated portions of the previous Texas Safety Responsibility Law because of a lack of "due process" provisions in the old law.

Speir said the new law was signed by the Governor on June 20, and uninsured motorists involved in accidents since June 21 can be affected by its provisions.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eldridge, Earl and Tanny visited last week in the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Martin and baby daughter, in Del Norte, Colo.

There is a picture in The Review of the fish they caught while there.

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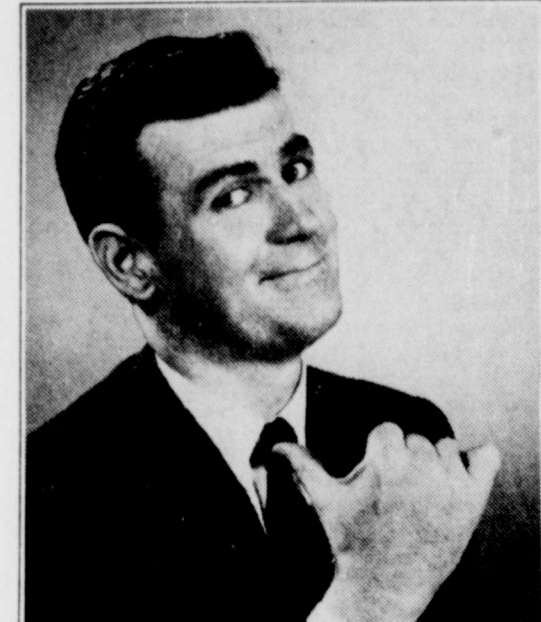
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"RAYS OF HOPE"

by Pat Stanton

The Bible is God's special love letter and message to His own children. His word tells us of His love in John 3:16. "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

The Bible also speaks about the love of Jesus in John 15:9. "As the Father hath loved me, so have I loved you; continue ye in my love."

Jesus Christ expressed that

we are to daily continue in His kind of love. He went on to state in another verse. "This is my commandment that ye love one another."

I hear some people say that it is impossible for them to love certain people. This is so true for the person that relies on his own goodness and nature. The sinful nature just naturally loves to hate.

Jesus stated through John that "Whosoever hateth his brother is a murderer and he know that no murderer hath eternal life abiding in him. (1 John 3:15)

Many Christians have hateful attitudes toward their family or friends that is just as murderous to the spirit of a physical act.

Jesus taught that the basic requirement for discipleship is to lay aside your own feelings and minister to the needs of others. This is impossible to do without the love of Christ through the Spirit of Christ.

John 2:5 states that God's kind of love can control and operate within our lives if we keep His word.

Romans 5:5 says that the love of God fully flowing into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which He has given us.

TEXAS TALK

By Harold Thompson

Officials are predicting a decrease of no more than 20 percent in domestic purchase of feed grains during the current marketing year. Others are saying that an improved livestock market will cut the decrease to even less. USDA projections are for the production of about 220 million short tons of feed grains with about 165 million tons sold in the United States and another 42 million tons exported to foreign countries. According to the figures released by the Department of Agriculture, total carryover of feed grains by the end of the marketing year should not exceed 30 million tons. Although that's a lot of grain, records show it to be only about 60 percent as much as the carryover at the end of 1971. Officials citing these figures are predicting relatively stable prices for grain sorghum. Major factors which could produce a change in the situation include the extent of recovery of the cattle market and, as always, the most variable of all, the weather.

JOE THOMPSON
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Riddells Attend T.B.M.A. Convention In San Antonio

Abernathy band director, George Riddell and his wife Marie attended the Texas Band Masters Association convention in San Antonio the first part of the week.

Candy, Brent and JoBeth Barton of Costa Mesa, Calif. have been visiting in the homes of their aunt Mrs. Bill Albers and family and the home of their uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barton, and Barbara.



ATTEND 4-H CAMP--High above the plains of Texas, in the cool of the Sacramento mountains of New Mexico, a delegation of 4-Hers and leaders from Hale County are attending the 4-H Electric Camp this week which is located 25 miles southeast of Cloudcroft, New Mexico. Those attending the camp, sponsored by Southwestern Public Service Company are, left to right, first row: Donald Ebeling, Rick Mason, Gaylan Schumacher, and Pat Sprill. Back row, left to right: Janelle Shackelford, Karen Koelder, D'Lane Hildreth, and Karen Miller, agent. The Southwestern instructor is Bill Hart from Lubbock.

SCOUTS ENCOUNTER ADVENTURE IN TRIP TO WILDERNESS AREA

Scout Troop 481 left Saturday morning July 12th at 6:00 a.m. for the Pecos Wilderness. The group spent Saturday night in Cowles and left Sunday morning at 7:00 a.m., following a devotional service for the wilderness area. They arrived at Steward Lake and spent the first night, everyone was in good spirits. On Monday morning they left for Horsehead Meadow, it began raining after two hours of walking. Lunch of dehydrated peanut butter and jelly was tolerated in a shortbreak close to the meadow. Some said they swim across Horsehead Meadow. Monday night found the group camped at Rito Perro.

On Tuesday Pecos Baldy Lake was reached at approximately 12:30 where camp was set up in the snow. Here is where Laurin Prather says V.A. Dodson erected their tent on two tree roots. It began raining at 1:30 and rained most of the afternoon. Campfires were built so everyone could dry out themselves, their hats, pants, sleeping bags, etc.

Those that didn't dry out shared sleeping bags Tuesday night. Another group was camped near by, they had come in with their food and gear on pack horses, one of the horses died so they donated some real food to the troop. Everyone had real potatoes on Tuesday night and Wednesday morning. The pudding and Kool-aid were chilled in the snow. Wednesday morning the troop left for Beatty's cabin. At one time a miner had a cabin here, but it is gone and the Rangers have erected a way-station in its place. The trail to Beatty's cabin from Pecos Baldy Lake was a five mile hike with a 2000 ft. drop in elevation. The regular trail over the ridge was covered in 8 foot of snow. Laurin Prather found another trail?? To get the troop down, it began raining shortly after leaving the ridge, everyone slid the rest of the way to Beatty's cabin and arrived around 12:30. It rained all the way down and almost everyone got at least one fall. Harold Stillwell set the record for the most falls for the adults.

No one was dry when they reached Beatty's cabin, the adults held a conference and couldn't make up their minds, so put it to a vote before the scouts. The scouts voted to go on to Jack's Creek. This 12 mile hike was covered in 6 1/2 hours.

Thursday was spent in Cowles resting and drying clothes and sleeping bags. The scouts built animal shelters a few miles from Cowles for a conservation project. After returning wrestling matches were held to build up appetites, that night 140 pancakes, 6 pounds of sausage and 1 gallon of syrup was consumed.

On Friday the scouts hiked to Jacks Creek campground and back to work off some energy while the adults remained in Cowles conserving all they could.

Early Saturday morning, V.A. Dodson, Laurin Prather, and Lanny Newton and eleven scouts hiked to Lake Catherine, the trail is 11 miles long and rises 3200 ft. in elevation, this was covered in 3 hours and 45 minutes. They ate lunch at the lake and began the walk back.

After 30 minutes, they were called on the Walkie Talkie and told that they would have to leave that night. V.A. Dodson decided they would take a shortcut back after telling those in Cowles they would meet them at Windsor Creek at 5:00 p.m. This shortcut was 15 miles long, however, they arrived at the arranged meeting place at 5:10 p.m. where they were met by Kirby Sprull who gave them a ride into Cowles, where they arrived at 5:30 and left for Abernathy at 6:30. The scouts arrived at Santa Rosa, N.M., at 9:10 p.m. and invaded sheriff's Restaurant for supper. They finally left the restaurant after being informed that the restaurant was running out of food. Thanks to the Abernathy group there were no leftovers to worry with. At 1:30 a.m. V.A. Dodson called his wife from Clovis, N.M., and had her to notify all the parents that they were on the way home. They arrived in Abernathy at 3:20 a.m. Those making the trip were:

Scouts: Dan Henley, Darrick Stallings, Robby Caudle, Lon Mason, Rod Dodson, Jody Smyers, Blane Neis, Jeff Dodson, Chuck Wilson, Chris Wilson, Ronny Duran, Johnny Nunn, Victor Dees, Gene McDonald, Grady Shuey.

Adults: V.A. Dodson, scoutmaster, Laurin Prather, assistant scoutmaster, Harold Stilwell, Jimmy Shuey, Kirby Sprull, Lanny Newton, Lindy Neis.

Approximately 75 to 80

U. S. D. A. INCREASES RATES FOR SCHOOL LUNCHES, BREAKFASTS, AND MILK PROGRAM

The U. S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) recently announced an increase in its rates of payment to state education agencies to assist schools taking part in the National School Lunch, School Breakfast, and Special Milk Programs. Also increased was the national minimum average value of commodities for the National School Lunch Program.

The increases for school lunches and breakfasts have been in effect since July 1. The law requires that these payment rates be adjusted twice each year, in line with changes in the food away from home series of the U. S. Department of Labor's Consumer Price Index (CPI). The adjustment reflects the 3.97 percent increase for the period, December 1974 -- May 1975.

In the National School Lunch Program, the national average payment to states, to be used by them to assist local school authorities help defray food costs of each lunch served, will be increased one-half cent, from 11.75 to 12.25 cents. Within that average, states are authorized to vary the rate of reimbursement to

individual schools, subject to a maximum of 18.25 cents a lunch. Previously the ceiling was 17.75 cents.

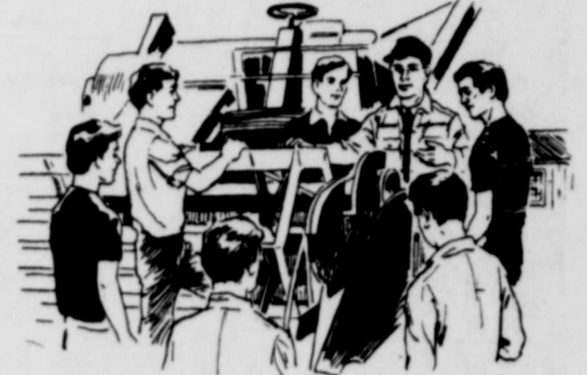
The additional guaranteed average payment to states to assist schools in the service of lunches to needy children will be boosted 2.0 cents -- 44.5 cents for each reduced-price lunch and to 54.5 cents for each free lunch.

The maximum reimbursement which states can pay to individual schools for free lunches is increased 2.5 cents. It can range as high as 71.75 cents for a reduced-price lunch and 81.75 cents for a free lunch. These maximum rates are arrived at by com-

paring "general cash" paid for all lunches served, and "special cash assistance," paid for free or reduced-price lunches served to needy children.

The national average payment to states for each breakfast served to eligible children will be increased one-half cent, from 9.25 cents to 9.75 cents. The additional

average payment to states for each reduced-price breakfast, which has been 17.50 cents, will be increased to 18.25 cents. The additional average payment to states for a free breakfast, which has been 23.25 cents, will be increased to 24.25 cents.



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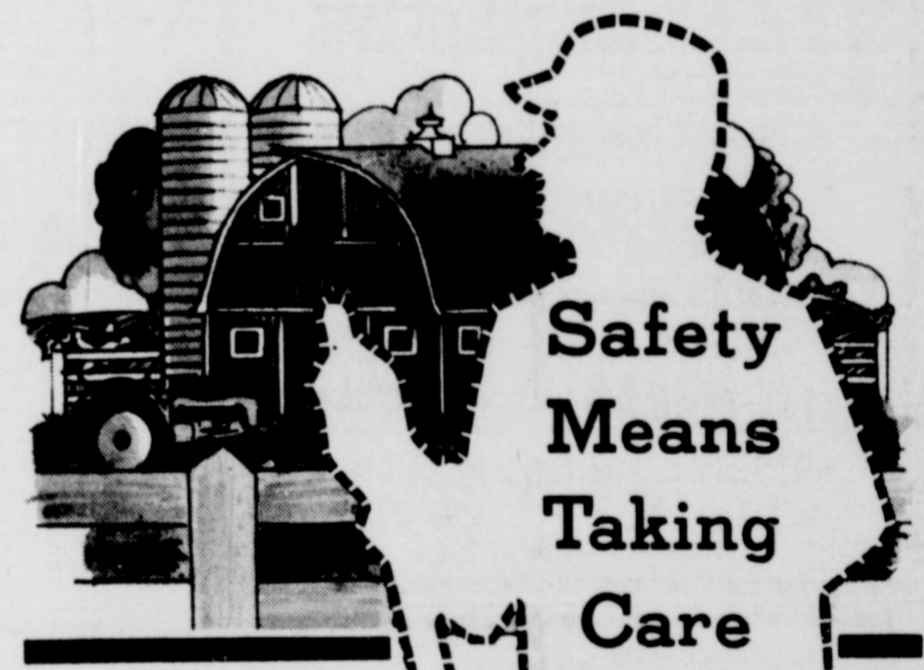
Outdoors in Texas

By MERWYN SIMPSON

Texas has long been known for its braggin' size bass...How about a 27 pounder? You say the record is only 22 lbs. 4 oz., caught in Georgia in the 30's... Well, I am talking about the recently introduced striped bass, not the black bass. The striper, a native of salt water, is now living in 17 reservoirs in Texas, and the record fish for the state is 27 lbs., 5 oz., caught below Denison Dam in the Red River last December. Biologists will dump a million new striper fingerlings into Texas waters this year. Striper fishing is slow during the summer, but you can pick them up by watching for gulls. Stripers follow the shad just like white bass, and the gulls follow the shad. Best bets for a new record striper are Lake Spence near San Angelo, Texoma, and Toledo Bend. Tip of the Week: Striper fishing? Try trolling the deep open water with deep running lures with vibrating action... Deep water jigging with spoons or lead-head jigs, and get those lures DEEP.

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FOUR LOCAL YOUTHS ATTEND WEST TEXAS TENNIS CAMP

Four Abernathy youngsters are among 127 players participating in the third session of the West Texas Tennis Camp this week (July 29-August 2) on the campus of West

Texas State University here. Over 350 tennis players between the ages of nine and 18 have participated in the camp's three sessions this summer. In its six year his-

tory, the camp has helped over 1,800 players improve their games.

WTSU Head Tennis Coach David Kent and Amarillo professional Roland Ingram are the camp directors. Kent's Buffalo team won its third straight Missouri Valley Conference championship this spring, and Ingram is returning to Amarillo following a successful term as head tennis coach at Midland College.

"We try to do two things in the camp," Kent says of the camp's aims. "One, we try to improve each individual's game, and then we try to have some fun."

The camp is held on West Texas State's 14 Laykold courts, the site of the 1976 Missouri Valley Conference championships and one of the finest tennis facilities in the Texas Panhandle. Campers also have the use of the university's \$4 million Student Activities Center.

"Our facilities are second to none," Kent adds. "With our facilities and our excellent instructors, we believe we accomplish both our aims." Campers from Abernathy attending the third session include Roger Howard, Roger Pinson, Kim Pinson, and Rhonda Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Havens and family were in Crobyton Sunday to visit his uncle Norvel Rogers a patient in the Crobyton hospital. On the way home they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walt Gillion and family in Ralls and attended services at the First Methodist Church with them.

Quaker Avenue Church of God in Lubbock was the setting for the wedding of Mrs. Teresa Clarlene Hule and Randy Carl Dunn on July 26 at eight o'clock in the evening. The candlelight, double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. James Oakley pastor of the church. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Hule of Ropesville and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Dunn of New Deal.

Wedding guests were greeted by Mrs. Kay Gaskill of Dalhart. The bride, escorted by her father, wore an old-fashioned Gibson-Girl gown of white organza combined with antique type lace accents. The high victorian neckline featured a tiny collar of scalloped lace and long Bishop sleeves were gathered to wide lace cuffs. A wide panel of lace down the front was edged in lace

scallops forming a pinafore effect. The natural waistline was defined with a wide set-in-lace cummerbund and the full dimple skirt was encircled with a flounced hemline attached with a scalloped border of lace sweeping to a mini-train. A tiny capulet of matching lace held her veiling which drifted to Chapel length and was encircled in a border of the lace scallops. The

entire dress and veil were accented by seed pearls. The bride wore diamond earrings borrowed from her sister-in-law Mari Hule, an old penny in her shoe given her by her father and the traditional blue garter. Her bridal bouquet was a lace covered Bible topped with stephanotis, baby's breath and white roses.

Mrs. Mari Hule of Odessa, sister-in-law of the bride served as Matron of Honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Karen Dunn, the groom's sister-in-law, Mrs. Jody Feland, Newport, Arkansas, cousin of the bride, Miss Luan Reeves and Miss Kathy Lemon.

The attendants repeated the old-fashioned bridal theme in pink cotton voile gowns accented in white Venise lace. The semi-halter bodices featured high necklines edged in ruching and the keyhole backs were covered with Eton jackets outlined in Venise lace. Long sleeves were cuffed in edged ruffling. Full circular skirts swept to back fullness and were encircled in self fabric flounces attached with Venise lace. They wore white floppy-brimmed picture hats sprinkled in Venise lace flowers and were banded in pink ribbon-run insertion lace. They carried nosegay bouquets of pink carnations, white daisies and baby's breath.

Rickey Dunn and Robin Dunn served the brother as bestmen. Groomsmen were Alan James, Anton, the groom's cousin, Ronnie Hule of Odessa and Marley Hule brothers of the bride from Ropesville.

The guests were seated by ushers Steve Jones, Roger Boyles, Sammy Harris and Ted Goldston, Hereford, uncle of the groom.

Flower girls were Rondi Dunn, sister of the groom and Nicole Jordan, Brownfield, the bride's cousin. They wore dresses of pink dotted Swiss and white organza pinafores. They carried baskets of daisies, pink carnations and baby's breath.

The musical prelude was presented by Sandra Martin of New Deal at the organ.

The Jordans singing group of Brownfield, cousins of the bride, sang "The Wedding Song," "The Lord's Prayer" and "Walk With Me" during the ceremony. As the couple lit the Unity Candle they sang "It Seems I've Always Loved You" and "We've Only Just Begun" as they left the sanctuary.

Following the ceremony,

guests were entertained at a reception in the patio of The South Park Inn. The brides table was covered with a pink cloth and centered with a tiered wedding cake with flowing fountain. An arrangement of pink and white flowers in a silver candleabra and a fountain of punch completed the appointments. Seating at the table were Mr. Johnia Neil, the bride's cousin, Miss Sally Schuler and Miss Penny Coleman.

The groom is a graduate of Ropesville High School and attended Texas Tech. The bride is a graduate of Ropesville High School and is a senior at Texas Tech, majoring in elementary education.

Following a wedding trip to Colorado Springs the couple will reside at Route 1, Idalou where the groom is engaged in farming.



Mirror, Mirror...

Sally Barrick MOST messages are sent by the eyes-squinting eyes reflect that the person you are talking with might not comprehend the words that you are saying. Eye to eye contact is most important in conversation or in business.

Looking in the right eye while talking is hypnotic. If the eyes are wondering... give up. Your eyes are the focal point of your being. This goes for any age.

Sloppy or loud eye shadow can ruin your personal beauty. The color of the eyes should stand out not your shadow! Take a second look in your mirror... Hazel and Blue eyes... try warm color turquoise and browns. Yellow is a great accent for blue. Brown eyes... soft white, blues and earth greens.

Eye shapes are different and complete your personality. Lines around the corners may be softened with the new diamond look. Practice... you can smile without making any lines.

There are 3 basic colors of skin; yellow, red, beige. You may be any 2 or 3 of these!

Mrs. Larry Aldridge

Newcomer Is Happy About Move

A new face around town these days is that of Mrs. Larry Aldridge, an Abernathy resident of a little over a month standing. The family decided to make their home here when Aldridge was offered the position of head football coach and athletic director for Abernathy High School earlier this year.

Though Larry's job brought him here for the last six weeks of the 1975 school term; his wife and their two daughters Angela, 4; and Alyson, 2, did not make the actual move until the latter part of June; though Bitsy says they've spent odd week-ends here throughout the summer working on the 'fitting out' of their new house.

The family comes to Abernathy from Tuscola, Texas, where Larry helped coach the Jim Ned High School Indians to the Class A State Semifinals in football. Bitsy says her husband came to Abernathy first for a 'look around', and returned home "really impressed" with the administration, school facilities, and people of the town.

Bitsy says that when she joined her husband later for a visit and interview with school system representatives, she was impressed a great deal by the fact that everyone seemed to have something good to say about Abernathy.

"Everyone was constantly telling us 'you'll love it!'", she says. "It's unusual to find a town where no one has anything bad to say."

She's also impressed by the friendliness and helpfulness of the people here, some of whom even went to the trouble of helping in the remodeling of the Aldridge's new home.

"I think that was certainly thoughtful of them," says Bitsy.

Bitsy, (born Karen), has carried her nickname with her since it was given to her by her father during her childhood at Anson, Texas, where she grew up and graduated from high school.

She met her husband while attending summer school at Hardin-Simmons University, where she later earned her B.A. in Speech and English. Larry, who had received his bachelor's degree in P.E. and Social Studies earlier from Tarleton State University in Stephenville, was attending classes in Abilene while working for state teacher's certification.

The two were married a year later in July of 1967, just over a month after Bitsy's graduation.

After their marriage, the Aldridges moved to Elgin, Texas where Larry was head basketball coach and assistant football coach, and Bitsy taught sophomore and junior English.

From Elgin, the couple moved to Stephenville, where their daughter Angela was born. Once again, Larry held the position of head basketball and assistant football coach, but at Cooper's Cove three years later, he began to get more involved in the football aspect of the athletics program.

Finally, at Jim Ned High School in Tuscola, Larry was able to concentrate on his favorite sport as head football coach and athletic director. It was here that young Alyson was born and Larry and his team proved their ability on the football field and traveled to the state semifinals.

As brand-new Abernathians, Bitsy says the Aldridges have spent a busy summer getting moved into their new home. Their schedule is likely to become even more busy with the start of the school year with Bitsy teaching 9th grade English and two-a-day workouts for Larry, but she says that when some spare time can be fitted into their schedule, she and Larry enjoy playing bridge, traveling, skiing, and spending time with their daughters.

"I'm not the kind of person who spends a lot of time in the kitchen," she says, "You can't do that and work too, so our meals are simple; usually meat, potatoes and gravy." She adds that her favorites are casseroles and other dishes that can be prepared ahead of time and reheated; and her recommendation for a quick, easy dessert is "Mississippi Mud", which is ideal for those times when guests drop in for coffee or soft drinks.

Mississippi Mud from the kitchen of Bitsy Aldridge
1 cup oleomargarine
1/3 cup cocoa
2 cups sugar
4 eggs
1 tsp. vanilla
1 1/2 cup flour

1 1/2 cup chopped pecans
1 jar (9 oz.) marshmallow creme
Melt oleo and cocoa in saucepan. Add sugar, eggs, vanilla, flour and pecans and mix well. Pour into a well-greased and floured pan (15 1/2 by 10 1/2 by 1"). Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes. Spread marshmallow cream on top of cake while warm.

Icing
1/2 stick oleomargarine
1/3 cup cocoa
1 box powdered sugar, sifted
1 tsp. vanilla
1/3 cup milk
Melt oleo and cocoa in saucepan. Add sugar, vanilla and milk. Beat until smooth and pour over cake. Cut into squares and serve.



Mrs. Larry Aldridge
...with daughters Angela and Alyson

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WOLF IRRIGATION

Shropshire-Burleson Wedding Solemnized

Juanita Jean Shropshire became the bride of Steven Finn Burleson Friday evening in a double ring ceremony at Quaker Avenue Church of Christ in Lubbock. Kline Hall of Lubbock officiated.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shropshire of Rt. 3 Lubbock, was given in marriage by her father in a setting of candlelight and rainbow-colored flowers.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Finn Burleson, Also of Rt. 3, Lubbock.

The bride's dress, made by her mother of white mink mist, was accented by a peau de seiche which featured re-applique lace dotted with pearls. Pearls were repeated

in the round neckline, and the puffed sleeves were complimented by lace cuffs closing in a row of small buttons. The skirt was graced by a full ruffle edged in re-applique lace and pearls.

A bouffant veil of illusion lace flowed into a train edged in the lace and pearls, and the bridal gown was complimented by the bride's bouquet in rainbow colors of carnations and baby's breath.

The bride's cousin, Vanessa Shropshire of Lubbock, served as Maid of Honor in a floor-length empire-waisted dress in blue, with velvet ribbon trimming the waist and puffed sleeves. She carried a single blue carnation to complement her gown.

Tracey Long and Quinetta Ballenger, both cousins of the bride, served as bridesmaids, and Tawnya Shropshire, another cousin, served as flower girl. Lucretia and Tramella Shropshire, (also cousins of the bride) were candelighters.

The bride's attendants wore identical floor-length gowns in rainbow colors trimmed in velvet ribbon. Each carried a single carnation to match her empire-waisted gown.

A friend of the groom, Lynn Broadus served as best man, and the groom's brother, Bill Burleson and bride's cousin Trent Long, were groomsmen. All are of Lubbock.

Ushers were the bride's

brother, Ancil Shropshire, and her cousins, Kerry and Monty Shropshire, all of route 3, Lubbock.

The bride received guests following the ceremony in the church's fellowship hall wearing a traveling outfit of green trimmed with pink flowers.

Reception assistants, Mmes. Bob Long, Helen James, John Shropshire, Charles Shropshire, and Charles Ballinger, are all aunts of the bride.

The bride's table featured a centerpiece of rainbow colored flowers and a three-tiered cake accented by rainbow-hued flowers and bride and groom figurines. Baskets of gladiolas and carnations graced each end of the table.

The couple will be at home at Route 3, Lubbock following a wedding trip to New Mexico. Both are graduates of New Deal High School, and the bride is scheduled to enter nurse's training in September.

The bridegroom is employed by Pioneer Natural Gas company in Lubbock.

Bridal Shower Honors Miss Jan Henson

Miss Jan Henson, bride-elect of Gary Payne will be honored with a coffee Saturday, August 2, from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Alvin Hardin at 1613 Avenue H in Abernathy.

Hostesses are Mmes. James Graham, L.G. Deering, Virgil Overstreet, James Anderson, Ed Graham, Hugh Hill, Royse Shires, Harold Thomas, Alvin Hardin, Douglas Chapman, Pete Knox, Herbert Rappstine, L.J. West, L.A. Johnson, Ralph Stevens, Charles Bowen.

Mrs. Attebury Honored With Baby Shower

The home of Mrs. Wayne Kitchens was the scene Saturday, July 19, of a baby shower honoring Mrs. David Attebury.

Yellow and green decked the tables arranged by hostesses Evaughn Heckler, Dorothy Darrell, Billie Rantz, Pauline Dumett, Liz Spradling, Sharon Kester and Terry Kitchens.



Mrs. Steven Burleson
...nee Juanita Shropshire

BRENDA BOWEN IS GIRLS' STATE DELEGATE

Brenda Bowen, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowen, was a recent delegate to Bluebonnet Girls' State in Seguin, Texas.

Selected by members of a Lubbock American Legion Auxiliary, Brenda joined girls from all over the state at the week-long meeting, where delegates "learn by doing" in their study of the workings of government.

To learn about city, county and state levels of government, the girls participate in elections, senate meetings and other facets of government in Bluebonnet Girls' State, as well as hearing lectures and talks by guest speakers at the sessions.

Delegates to Girls' State are chosen each year by American Legion Auxiliaries over the state from among girls who are enrolled in their junior

year in high school. Brenda was chosen last semester as the local delegate for this summer's Girls' State activities.

BUSINESS MEN INVITED TO PRAYER MEETING

Business men of the community are invited to attend a prayer time for the Billy Graham Crusade during the month of August. It will begin August 4 each morning Monday through Friday at 9:30 a.m. in the meeting room at 916 Ave. D.

Take your coffee break and join the community people to pray for our community and for the team members and the crusade. If you can't come every morning come anytime you

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Glen F. Reagan announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Christy Arlene, to Charles Michael Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelson. The couple plan to marry September 5th in the Abernathy Church of Christ.



Christy Reagan
...to wed soon



Mrs. Robert Kirk Rigler
...the former Anna Karen Childress

Childress-Rigler Vows Exchanged

Anna Karen Childress and Robert Kirk Rigler exchanged wedding vows Saturday evening in the chapel of the Assembly of God Church, Abernathy. The Rev. Joe Stone, pastor, officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Childress of 205 Ave. D, Abernathy, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rigler of Plainview.

The bride was given in marriage in the double ring ceremony by her father before an arch covered with ivy and white gladiolas. Swirled candelabrum entwined with greenery and white gladiolas graced each side of the arch, and the green and white theme was carried out in the church's altar rails and aisles.

The bride wore a formal-length gown of white silk organza with chantilly lace bodice, stand up collar and long shepherd's sleeves. The a-line skirt was trimmed with chantilly lace, as was the detachable train. The gown was complimented by a sprinkling of white satin bows, and a three-tiered veil of bridal illusion fell from the bride's Juliet cap trimmed with daisies and seed pearls.

A cascade of white roses, gardenias and baby's breath carried on a white lace-covered Bible completed the bridal gown.

The bride also carried for "something old", a lace handkerchief which had been given to the groom's great-grandmother by her fiancé before her own wedding.

For "something new," she wore a gold necklace given her by her own fiancé. The white Bible was "something borrowed" and she wore a traditional blue garter for "something blue."

Miss Dawn Childress of Abernathy served her sister as Maid of Honor wearing a formal-length gown of mint-green crepe. The stand-up collar, bodice insert and set-in sleeves were of mint-green flocked sheer edged in green and white velvet. Velvet trim was repeated in the waistline, and complimented by a green picture hat with a band of flocked sheer matching that in the dress. She carried a nosegay of white gladiolas.

Miss Risa Rigler, sister of the groom and Miss Teresa Teeter served as bridesmaids in identical green-and-white gowns, as did the flower girl, Noel Key, who carried a basket of flowers accented with green satin ribbon.

Candelighters were Barry Tilley of Abernathy and Don Rigler, brother of the groom, of Plainview. Ring bearer was Kevin Gilliland of Abernathy.

Scott Horne of Plainview served as best man, and groomsmen were Gary Davis of Lubbock and Dwight Adams of Plainview. Ushers were

Newt Wheeler and Tim Field both of Plainview.

A reception followed the ceremony in the church's fellowship hall, where the bride welcomed guests in a peach-colored traveling suit.

The bride's table was covered with a tiered cloth of white organza and lace, with a mint green under cloth of silk organza graced by green silk bows. The centerpiece was of green and white gladiolas, and the three-tiered cake was topped with a small cherub and four small heart-shaped cakes bearing cherubic figurines graced the base of the cake. Crystal and silver appointments complimented the table decor.

The groom's table was covered with an imported ecru cutwork cloth over a skirt of emerald green moire taffeta. A silver candle stick with ecru tapers and english ivy was the centerpiece, and was complimented by the silver and china appointments.

Misses Gay Byers, Janna Hamilton, Elaine Stanfield and Mrs. Jackie Stone, all of Abernathy served at the bride's table, with Mmes. Harold Hill of Hobbs, N.M., and J.L. Montgomery of Brownfield, aunts of the groom, served at the groom's table. Also serving at the groom's table were Mrs. Steve Hurt and Miss Mary Horne, both of Plainview.

Miss Kathi Guerrant of Abernathy registered guests, and the house party included Miss Ethel Pierson and Mmes. A. D. Helms, L.A. Juddins, O.J. Murray and Bill Key.

The bride is a 1973 graduate of Abernathy High School, and is currently a junior at Texas Tech where she is majoring in secondary education in Science.

The groom is a 1973 graduate of Plainview High School, is currently engaged in farming, and is also attending Texas Tech where he is majoring in agronomy.



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By **DOLPH BRISCOE**
Governor of Texas

GREETINGS: AUSTIN, TEXAS

Farms and ranches play a major role in the economy of Texas and help feed millions of Americans. In the 60's, when both the economy and food supply are matters of critical importance to Texas and the Nation, there is an urgent need to reduce the needless waste of human and material resources in agricultural accidents.

The demanding environment on Texas farms and ranches, with long, physically exhausting hours, tension of absence of close supervision, and remoteness from immediate assistance, places a premium on individual responsibility for accidents and safety precautions.

The President of the United States has acknowledged the problem, nationwide, by proclaiming the week beginning July 25, 1975, as National Farm Safety Week.

In Texas a special week-long, statewide program to highlight farm and ranch accident prevention will be conducted by the Texas Safety Association, Texas Farm Bureau, State Agricultural Experiment Station, Future Farmers and Future Homemakers, and the Young Farmers of Texas.

WHEREFORE, I, as Governor of Texas, do hereby designate the week beginning July 25, 1975, as

TEXAS FARM AND RANCH SAFETY WEEK

and urge all who live and work on Texas farms and ranches to put safety first, to plan for accident prevention and to work diligently to remove hazards in agricultural environments, and further encourage all persons, organizations, and those working in agriculture to participate and to encourage others in reducing accidents on farms and ranches, and on the roads and highways to market.

In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 29th day of July, 1975.

Dolph Briscoe
Governor of Texas

WHAT'S NEW AT NORTHSIDE??

Our church is involved in the Billy Graham Crusade. We have been attending different meetings. We are now involved in the prayer meetings that cover the whole town.

We would like to welcome back Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henderson and family. They have spent the summer in Montana where Charlie was working. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Henderson of Sydney, Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Conway and family have returned from vacation in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Benton and family spent a few days last week in Red River, New Mexico.

Letha Smith and boys were in Fort Worth over the weekend visiting her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pittman and Sharon are vacationing this week in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kemp and Kim are back from visiting Robert's sister in Las Vegas Nevada. Robert reported that it was 116 degrees there one day last week.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hanes were Mrs. J. H. Phillips and daughters Sonja and Yvonne of Austin.

Mrs. Roy Stratton of Sherman has been visiting in the home of her Mother, Mrs. Ruth Hanes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Beard have had visitors from Tennessee this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Brantley had their son and his family from Dallas as visitors in their home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Beard and family were in Dallas over the weekend attending a family reunion. Mr. C. P. Beard went also.

Bro. Syl Moore had charge of our services both Sunday morning and evening in the absence of our pastor. Bro. Moore and his family have just returned from Japan. They are former Abernathy residents, and Mrs. Moore is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Ruffin.

Bro. Doug and his family are on vacation this week. We miss them and pray for their safe return back home.

We had several visitors Sunday. Some of these were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Morris and family of Grants, New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. David Parrish and family of New Deal; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jackson

of Abernathy and Mr. and Mrs. James Welch of Lubbock. We are glad to have visitors and would like to invite them back.

Lakeview News

(By Mrs. S. M. Harrison)

Mrs. Earl Booth and Patsy of Hobbs and Mrs. Norman Stover of Lawton, Okla. are visiting their sister, Mrs. Oleta Gilmore. The group joined by other relatives attended the Texas production in Palo Duro Canyon, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Holcomb of Bogalusa, La., and Mrs. Grace Pollock visited their relatives, Mrs. N. Matthews and the Gene Matthews family.

Mrs. Preston Mitchell of Albuquerque is spending this week with her mother Mrs. S. M. Harrison and the Bill Harrison family.

Vernon Smith is receiving treatment in West Texas Hospital, Lubbock.

The Drivers met July 27 for their first reunion. All brothers and sisters were present and most of the nieces and nephews were there.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Warren Driver, Cross Plains, Randy Driver, Lubbock, Marilyn Whitten and Brandi, Amarillo, Rev. Walter Driver, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Driver, Jason and Billy, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Driver, Debbie and Renny, Lubbock, Doris and Patsy, Hobbs, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wilkes, Ricky and Sarah, Hobbs, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stover and Ann Jones, Lawton, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Rod Pruitt, Lubbock, Oleta Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. Don Gilmore, Pam and Garry, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Lynn and Lisa, and Lisa, Amarillo. Friends of the families visiting, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Arthur, Kathy, Velda, Rhonda, Donna, Susan and Grady, of Abernathy and Diana Sullivan, Lawton.

The Jim Bob Smith family recently returned from a four-day camping trip to Tres Ritos, New Mexico.

Mrs. Ralph Wolf is a patient in Lubbock's Highland Hospital, where she recently underwent surgery.

First Baptist Youth Enjoy Retreat

Buffalo Springs Lake was the site of an overnight Youth retreat for youngsters of the First Baptist Church this week.

The group consisting of youngsters in junior high and ninth grade, left Abernathy Monday afternoon and returned Tuesday. They stayed in the Calvary Lodge at the lake area, and their trip included water skiing at the lake.

Sponsors attending the retreat with the youth group were Mrs. Harold Stillwell, Mrs. Dorman Allen, Hal Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Max Kennedy, along with the church's summer youth director, David McMullen.



SIGNS FARM WEEK PROCLAMATION--Governor Dolph Briscoe is observed by Texas Safety Association President Hugh Scott, (left) and Vice President for Farm and Ranch Safety Joe Smetana, (right) as he signs the proclamation designating July 25 through 31 as Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Week.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Grindstaff, Shelley, Scott, and Christy and Mike and Randy Reed and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Schaap went to Postum Kingdom and camped out for two days and then went to Arlington and went to Six Flags Over Texas. They returned home early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Raybon and Charles attended the Texas Production at Palo Duro Canyon, Saturday.

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C of C vs. FBC #4	at C of C	at 9:15	
FBC #2 vs. Meth. #2	at Meth.	at 9:15	
Sunday, August 3rd			
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NSB vs. FBC #2	at FBC	at 8:15	
C of C vs. Meth.	at C of C	at 7:15	
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C of C vs. NSB	at NSB	at 8:15	
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FBC #1 vs. FBC #2	at FBC	at 8:15	
NSB vs. C of C	at C of C	at 8:15	
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FARM SAFETY WEEK
JULY 25 Through JULY 31
It's time to double check precautions, eliminate any farm hazards.

Protect Your Life's Investment: Follow Farm Safety Rules

We all know what the rules are. The thing is to make them a daily habit... set a firm example... and insist that family and farm hands get in the habit, too. No matter how busy you are, nothing is more important than farm security.

Get the rules straight and repeat them until it becomes second nature to everyone. No smoking in buildings! No clowning around with equipment... and no postponing repairs! Correct malfunctions or possible hazards immediately as you spot them. Report any changes in livestock. Make sure that everything on the farm is always in sound shape. Keep on the alert. Your security is at stake.

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