

Services Held For Father of Local Man

Funeral services were held Monday, December 22 in Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Corpus Christi for Mrs. Santos R. Vecchio, 97, of that city. Burial followed in Old Sacred Heart Cemetery under the direction of Howard-Williams Funeral Home.

Mrs. Vecchio died Saturday, December 20 in a Corpus Christi nursing home after a long illness.

She was a lifelong resident of Brooks County.

Survivors include two sons, C. R. Vecchio of Abernathy and Encarnacion Vecchio of Falluris; three daughters, Mrs. Luis DeLeon Sr., Mrs. Virginia Garcia and Mrs. Irene Mireles, all of Falluris; 40 grandchildren, 120 great-grandchildren and 21 great-great-grandchildren.

Rites Held Monday For Dan McNeill, 57

Funeral services for Dan McNeill, 57, of Abernathy were at 2 p. m. Monday in First Baptist Church here. Officiating were the Rev. Neil Record, pastor, and the Rev. Murry Brewer of Plainview. Burial was in Abernathy Old Fellowship Cemetery under direction of Chambers Funeral Home.

McNeill died about 10:30 a. m. Saturday at his home here after suffering an apparent heart attack.

He owned and operated a cleaning service here, servicing a number of businesses and offices. He was on the maintenance staff at the local schools before entering business for himself several years ago.

A native of Bosque County, McNeill had resided in Abernathy since 1951, moving here from Valley Mills. He was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Annie Ruth; a son, James Jr., of Bergstrom Air Force Base, Tex.; a daughter, Mrs. Keith Kastor of Orange; three brothers, Bill, Dike and Robert, all of Valley Mills; three sisters, Mrs. Rita Petzold of Valley Mills, Mrs. Bessie Kennedy of Dublin and Mrs. Birdie Larson of Temple; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Monday at the home of Mrs. Charles O'Neill, Hoppy Toler and David Pinson.

Funeral Rites Held For Local Man's Brother

Services for Bernardo Cuevas, 81, of 2704 E. 2nd St., were held at 3:30 p. m. Jan. 2 in St. Patrick's Catholic Church. Burial was in City of Lubbock Cemetery under direction of Henderson Funeral Directors.

Cuevas died at 11:50 p. m. Dec. 31 in Methodist Hospital following a brief illness.

A Lubbock resident since 1945, Cuevas moved here from Marlin. He was born in Mexico. He was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church.

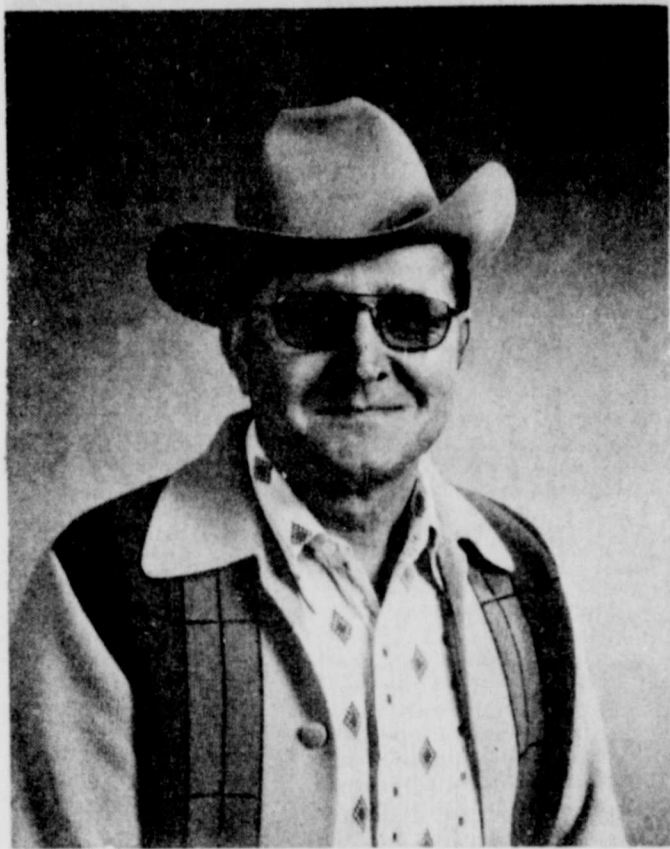
Survivors include four sons, Juan of 2720 E. 2nd St., Antonio of Brownfield, Aristote of Marlin and Bonifacio of Floydale; three daughters, Jeagina Ramos of Lubbock, Maria Cruz of Bryan and Vicenta Hernandez of Dallas; a brother, Pedro of Abernathy; 43 grandchildren; 50 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

Postal Rates Increased

First class postage rate was increased from 10¢ to 13¢ the last of 1975. Other classes of mail also increased in rate at that time.

Some postal patrons expressed concern about letters mailed the last of the year with 10¢ stamps going to the deadline office for the lack of the three extra cents.

Postmaster Herman Lambert said the letters with 10¢ stamps would either be returned to the sender, if there was a return address, or the letter would be forwarded on to its destination with "Postage Due" rubber stamped on the envelope.



Henry Rieff

HENRY RIEFF ANNOUNCES FOR COMMISSIONER'S POST

Henry Rieff, a Cotton Center farmer since 1954, has announced that he will be a candidate for County Commissioner, Precinct 3, in the 1976 Democratic Primary.

In making his announcement, Rieff stated:

"In making this formal announcement that I have filed with the County Clerk and with the County Democratic Chairman, I would like to state that I think my experience in business and in farming as well as in serving on numerous boards and committees, qualifies me for this job as County Commissioner.

I pledge to the voters my full time if elected to this position. I am in good health and am young enough to do any job, from operating a machine, to sitting in the Court.

I pledge to the voters that I will oppose any pay raise for the Commissioners for the term for which I am elected, with this being one of the main issues of this campaign.

I will strive to show a cooperative spirit in working with other groups, showing prudence, and being objective in decisions that I would be called upon to make. I am considered to be a moderate conservative and would always be mindful that it is the Citizens of Hale County whose tax money we would be spending."

Funeral Services Held For L. K. Bradley

Services for L. K. Bradley, 55, of Abernathy were held at 2:30 p. m. last Wednesday in Bethel Baptist Church with the Rev. J. D. Lester, pastor, officiating.

Burial followed in Abernathy Cemetery under the direction of Jamison and Son Funeral Home of Lubbock. Bradley died Saturday, December 28 in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital after a brief illness.

Bradley moved to Abernathy 24 years ago and was a World War II Veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Artavie; six daughters, Mrs. Ruby Buckley and Mrs. Earlean Shepherd, both of Lubbock, and Mrs. Mable Herby, Delores Bradley, Dessa Bradley and Sharon Bradley, all of Abernathy; five sons, Willie, Perry, L. K. Jr., and Donnie, all of Abernathy, and L. J. of 1001 Quiet St. in Lubbock; and seven grandchildren.

"Blue Monday" Follows Holidays

Every week, Mondays are "blue" and Monday, Jan. 5, was a deep, dark "blue" day for students and teachers, who had been out of school for the holidays since Dec. 19. The next long school holiday will be Spring Vacation.

Local businesses also had to shift over into high gear Monday, Jan. 5. Some firms closed from noon Christmas Eve to Monday, Jan. 29. . . . Then came New Year's Day closing.

ABERNATHY VOLUNTEER E. M. S. TERMED BETTER-EQUIPPED TO SERVE COMMUNITY; AREA WITH ADDITION OF MODULAR AMBULANCE

by Milt Pope
 To better keep local citizens and interested parties informed, a series of articles similar to this one will be featured from time to time in the Review. Our service is an all-volunteer system, staffed by local residents who have completed required training to become Emergency Medical Technicians.

A person can become a member by completing membership requirements as set by the Abernathy Volunteer Emergency Medical Service (AVEMS). Requirements are 18 years of age or older; hold a valid Texas chauffeur's license, or have successfully completed a Defensive Driving course; hold a Texas Department of Health Resources card certifying that the individual meets requirements for registration as Class A or Class A, advanced, be in and maintain good health.

Associate memberships will be available for those persons who render gratuitous aid to the organization or make contributions and meet all requirements other than holding the Class A card. Associate members become active members upon completion of all requirements.

Training required for certification includes the completion of 80 hours classroom instruction. Currently classes are being held at Lubbock Christian College. Also included in the training course are ambulance instruction and hospital time. All graduates are required to make five emergency ambulance runs with qualified personnel during the course. This requires spending time with Lubbock EMS. Persons in our class spent an average of 36 hours to make the required runs. Each person must work in Methodist or St. Mary's hospital for a total of 40 hours. This time must include at least 16 hours in the emergency room during week-end busy hours. The remainder of the time is spent working in recovery room, cardiac-care unit, obstetrics department, and other areas.

When a conservative estimate of 100 hours of outside study and practice time is used, it can be readily determined that around 300 hours of intensified training is needed to become an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) and hold the Class A certification. Additional training is required to obtain the Class A-advanced card

which qualifies the person holding it as a para-medical.

Recent improvements in the local system have resulted in the AVEMS being equipped to handle emergency calls with better equipment and to respond in considerably less time. The City of Abernathy has provided pocket pagers carried by all crew members on call as well as by the crew on back-up. The pagers are activated by local dispatchers with a beeping tone. After the pager is activated, the dispatcher can give instructions to the crew as to location, nature, and seriousness of call.

Abernathy recently received a new emergency vehicle provided by the Lubbock County Hospital district. AVEMS is a part of the Lubbock County Emergency Medical System and this unit is provided as a part of the system serving the northern part of Lubbock County, Abernathy and the surrounding communities. This vehicle is a modular type ambulance and is fully equipped with life saving and support equipment as well as extrication and removal equipment.

Recently, two radios were installed in the emergency vehicle. One of these keeps the vehicle in direct communication with the local dispatcher and police department and was provided by the City of Abernathy. Hale County Sheriff's department supplied the other radio which allows the unit to keep in direct communication with the Lubbock EMS dispatcher.

The Abernathy Volunteer Fire Department has just completed installation of electric door openers in the fire station, which allows the vehicle to be serviced more quickly and with less effort required of the crew. The ambulance which the city purchased earlier, and AVEMS used until the new vehicle was in service, is still in use as a back-up vehicle and as a transfer unit. All equipment and supplies in the back-up unit are provided from city funds.

The AVEMS currently consists of 12 active members divided into four crews of three people each. Each crew is on call for one week and on back-up for one week. The AVEMS extends their thanks to the City, the community, and to the two counties involved for their support of the system. Any person interested in becoming a member of the AVEMS should contact A. C. Harris, Jr., or one of the other AVEMS members, for more information.

Basketball Rundown

by Sammy Hunley

The following is a brief run-down of the Abernathy Girls Season through Jan. 2, 1976.

ABERNATHY 32 KLONDIKE 44
OFFENSE

Jan Phillips--11 pts.
 Cheryl Rogers--8 pts.
 Shari Fondy--8 pts.

DEFENSE
 Cindy Connell--8 rebounds
 Susan Davenport--5 rebounds
 Cathy Rogers--4 rebounds

ABERNATHY 36 SLATON 31
OFFENSE

Cheryl Rogers--22 pts.
 Jan Phillips--6 pts.
 Shari Fondy--4 pts.

DEFENSE
 Penny Thomason--7 rebounds
 Susan Davenport--7 rebounds
 Cathy Rogers--4 rebounds

ABERNATHY 54 POST 36
OFFENSE

Cheryl Rogers--22 pts.
 Karen Lambert--14 pts.
 Jan Phillips--12 pts.

DEFENSE
 Penny Thomason--5 rebounds
 Susan Davenport--7 rebounds
 Cathy Rogers--5 rebounds

ABERNATHY 65 COOPER 55

Cheryl Rogers--33 pts.
 Karen Lambert--24 pts.
 Jan Phillips--6 pts.
 Cindy Connell--8 rebounds
 Susan Davenport--2 rebounds
 Cathy Rogers--2 rebounds

ABERNATHY 42 DIMMITT 45
OFFENSE

Cheryl Rogers--21 pts.
 Jan Phillips--11 pts.
 Melinda Huffaker--6 pts.

DEFENSE
 Cindy Connell--5 rebounds
 Penny Thomason--5 rebounds

ABERNATHY 53 ROOSEVELT 63
OFFENSE

Cheryl Rogers--16 pts.
 Karen Lambert--15 pts.
 Jan Phillips--12 pts.

DEFENSE
 Penny Thomason--7 rebounds
 Susan Davenport--2 rebounds
 Cathy Rogers--3 rebounds

ABERNATHY 68 RAILS 54
OFFENSE

Cheryl Rogers--22 pts.
 Karen Lambert--22 pts.
 Jan Phillips--22 pts.

DEFENSE
 Cindy Connell--2 rebounds
 Penny Thomason--3 rebounds
 Susan Davenport--3 rebounds

ABERNATHY 57 COOPER 55

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Jack Eason

JACK EASON ANNOUNCES FOR RE-ELECTION TO COUNTY COMMISSION

Hale County Commissioner Jack Eason has announced his candidacy for re-election to the Precinct 3 Commissioner's post subject to action of the Democratic primary on May 1.

In announcing for re-election, Eason said "I have enjoyed working for the people of Precinct 3 and look forward to serving them in the future."

Born in Erath County, he came to Hale Center area in 1925.

Both he and his wife, the former Velva Brewer, their daughter, Joyce and her husband, C. P. (Pack) Smith, are graduates of Hale Center Schools, where Eason's

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grandchildren, Bill and Linda, now attend school.

IN ANNOUNCING his candidacy for re-election as commissioner in Precinct 3, Eason said, "I have complete confidence in the continued progress of our County and its people."

Eason said, he would like to see a citizen's study committee for Hale Center area, to suggest solutions to various problems, which may arise. Each member of the Commissioners Court to name a person from his Precinct to serve on the Citizens Study Committee.

U. S. REPRESENTATIVE GEORGE MAHON TO SEEK RE-ELECTION AS TEXAS' DISTRICT 19 CONGRESSMAN

U. S. Representative George H. Mahon of Lubbock this week scotched rumors that he will retire as Congressman from the 19th Texas after this year. He will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination to that office in the upcoming primaries.

Mr. Mahon has represented this district in the U. S. Congress since the first time he was elected back in the early 1930's.

He was called one of the most powerful men in Washington by a reputable national magazine in a story some months ago.

Mr. Mahon's 19th District lines have been changed over the years he has served in Congress. Both Hale and Lubbock Counties currently are in his district and the announcement of his candidacy for re-election will be

of interest to all voters in Abernathy.

There was a period a few years ago when the city of Abernathy had two Representatives in Congress, Mr. Mahon, Lubbock County and Republican Bob Price, Hale County from the District north of the 19th, which at that time included Hale County.

One of the sources of Mr. Mahon's power in Washington is his position as Chairman of the Appropriations Committee. Historically, chairmanship in Congress have been gained through the seniority system. Of great concern to Mr. Mahon's supporters is a move by the "Young Turks" in Congress to do away with the seniority system as a rule for naming chairmen of the various Congressional Committees.

BILL HOLLARS ANNOUNCES FOR RE-ELECTION TO ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR'S POST

Bill Hollars, Hale County Tax Assessor-Collector, announced today that he would be a candidate for re-election for the office of tax assessor-collector of Hale County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held on Saturday, May 1, 1976.

Hollars, in making his announcement, said, "He wished to thank the people of Hale County for having given him the opportunity to serve them in this capacity, and if re-elected would strive to continue to give efficient and courteous service to the people of Hale County."

Hollars, noting some of the changes that have occurred in the past few years that have affected the county tax office was the abolishment of the Poll Tax in Texas and the establishment of the complicated Voter Registration Laws which have been very hard to administer and be understood by the voters of Texas.

Other changes have been the computerized forms used

by The Texas Highway Department to speed up the registration of automobiles in the state, also in 1975 The Texas Highway Department issued multi year (5 year) plates for the first time and in 1976 we will start issuing stickers to be attached to these plates.

The change that has helped us the most in the county tax office was when we started using the computer for the preparation of the tax roll and receipts.

Hollars, 47, has been a resident of Hale County for 33 years and resides at 2616 W. 18th Street with his wife Dorothy and son, Tracy, a senior at Plainview High School. Hollars has two other sons, Kenny and Mike of Austin, Texas.

"I believe that my experience in the office I seek qualifies me for the job, and I earnestly solicit your vote and support in the upcoming election."

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HAVENS PURCHASES REVIEW; DAVENPORT JOINS STAFF

Following 30 years of ownership of The Abernathy Weekly Review, Buford and Dorothy Davenport sold the newspaper to Richard and Vicki Havens. Ownership was assumed by the Havens Wednesday night, Dec. 31.

Havens plans no personnel change except the addition of Buford Davenport to the staff as a reporter.

Davenport has been with The Review in one capacity or the other since 1932. He was reporter for Editor Vic Lamb before following Lamb as Review editor in Sept., 1935, when he moved to Hale Center to become editor of The Hale Center American. Both The Review and The American were owned at that time by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hurst.

Hurst sold The Review to Buford and Dorothy Davenport in January, 1946, and they owned the newspaper until Dec. 31, when the Havens took over the ownership.

The Davenports operated The Review until Dec. 31, 1974, when they leased the newspaper to Richard and Vicki Havens, who operated The Review in that capacity for the year of 1975.

The late Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hurst owned movie theatres in Abernathy and Hale Center in addition to owning the newspaper in both towns.

Vic Lamb currently resides in Sedona, Arizona. In addition to his work as a freelance cartoonist and writer,

Lamb and his wife own and operate a variety store in Sedona.

Little Dribbler Organization To Meet January 15 Here

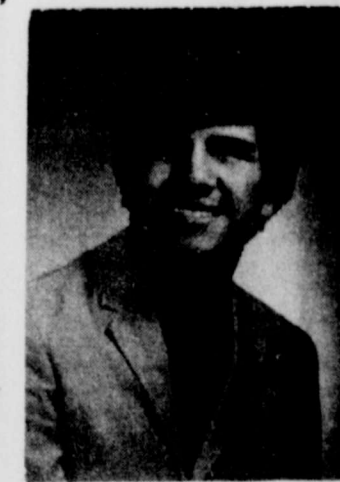
All persons interested in the Abernathy Little Dribblers program are urged to attend a meeting Thursday, January 15 at 7:30 p. m. at the city hall.

Whether you are interested in coaching a team; have a child interested in participating; or simply want to know more about the program, you are urged and invited to attend the meeting, according to a Little Dribblers spokesman.

Parents are also urged to note that the sign-up date for boys wishing to participate in Little Dribblers has been set at January 17, since the local charter deadline is February 1. Sign up date for girls will follow sometime in March, with the date announced in a later issue of the Review.

Another item scheduled for the agenda at the January 15 meeting is the election of player agents for both Boys' and Girls' Little Dribblers in Abernathy.

Newly elected officers of the organization for 1976 are Pete Knox, president; Larry Griffin, boys' president; Don McKenzie, girls' president; and Janice McKenzie, secretary-treasurer.



Roy DeAnda
 ...employee of year

DeAnda Named "Employee of Year" At Lubbock Firm

Roy DeAnda, son of Mrs. Rosa DeAnda of Lubbock was recently named Employee of the Year for 1975-76 by his fellow employees at Fields and Company of Lubbock at their annual Christmas party.

An employee of the company for three years, DeAnda serves the firm in the sales department, and received the award for the quality of his work and personality. His name will be added to a plaque in the main office of the Lubbock firm, and in addition, he received a \$100.00 bonus check for receiving the honor.

DeAnda and his wife, Josie, reside at 209 Ave. G. in Abernathy.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD MONDAY FOR SISTER OF LOCAL WOMAN

Last rites for Mrs. Dovie L. Bateman, 74, of 5808 Avenue G, Lubbock, were held at 4 p. m. Monday in Sanders Memorial Chapel, Lubbock. The Rev. Jim H. Sharp, pastor of New Deal First United Methodist Church, officiated.

Burial was in City of Lubbock Cemetery. Mrs. Bateman died about 8 a. m. Saturday in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, following a short illness.

A native of Mobile, Ala., Mrs. Bateman moved to Lubbock in 1937 from Athens. She was employed as a sales clerk in city department stores from 1937 until 1970. She was a member of Asbury United Methodist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Glen M. (Madonna) Wages of New Deal and Mrs. Robert E. (Nell) Murphy of Buffalo, N. Y.; four sisters, Mrs. G. B. Allen of Lubbock, Mrs. Hubert Selke of Abernathy, Mrs. Frank Bishop of Clifton and Mrs. W. S. Prestridge of Waco; six grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

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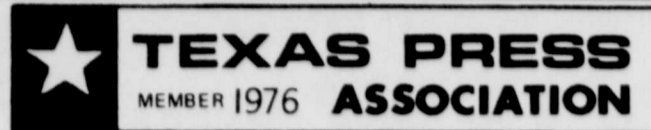
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SHERIFF WARNS AREA RESIDENTS TO BEWARE OF PHONEY SURVEY

Sheriff Charles Tue of the Hale County Sheriff's office in Plainview advises area residents to beware of a "telephone survey" that has been going on for about a week.

Tue said the caller asks about recent purchase of appliances, how much they cost, and what hours the party is away from home.

"I've checked this out," said Tue, "and I can't find any legal survey going on. People shouldn't answer such questions, period."



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BASKETBALL RUNDOWN...

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ROOSEVELT 60
 Cheryl Rogers--14 pts.
 Karen Lambert--27 pts.
 Jan Phillips--16 pts.
 Cindy Connell--3 rebounds
 Penny Thomason--2 rebounds
TULLA TOURNAMENT
 3rd place
ABERNATHY 47
SLATON 46
 Cheryl Rogers--12 pts.
 Karen Lambert--25 pts.
 Jan Phillips--10 pts.
 Cindy Connell--6 rebounds
 Penny Thomason--4 rebounds
 Susan Davenport--3 rebounds
ABERNATHY 49
DIMITT 63
 Cheryl Rogers--17 pts.
 Karen Lambert--16 pts.
 Jan Phillips--14 pts.
 Cindy Connell--5 rebounds
 Shelia Mathis--3 rebounds
ABERNATHY 57
TULLA 46
 Cheryl Rogers--32 pts.
 Karen Lambert--13 pts.
 Cindy Connell--5 rebounds
 Shelia Mathis--5 rebounds
 Penny Thomason--3 rebounds
 Susan Davenport--3 rebounds
ABERNATHY 66
FARWELL 57
 Cheryl Rogers--8 pts.
 Karen Lambert--15 pts.
 Jan Phillips--24 pts.
 Penny Thomason--6 pts.
OLTON TOURNAMENT
 Champions
ABERNATHY 52
 Cheryl Rogers--14 pts.
 Karen Lambert--14 pts.
 Jan Phillips--18 pts.
 Penny Thomason--4 rebounds
 Susan Davenport--4 rebounds
 Nelda Rogers--4 rebounds
ABERNATHY 63
OLTON 28
 Cheryl Rogers--15 pts.
 Karen Lambert--18 pts.
 Jan Phillips--24 pts.
 Cindy Connell--6 rebounds
 Penny Thomason--3 rebounds
ABERNATHY 64
COOPER 64
 Cheryl Rogers--21 pts.
 Karen Lambert--14 pts.
 Jan Phillips--25 pts.
 Cindy Connell--5 rebounds
 Shelia Mathis--3 rebounds
 Cathy Rogers--3 rebounds
ABERNATHY 51
LOCKNEY 50
 Cheryl Rogers--26 pts.
 Jan Phillips--15 pts.
 Cindy Connell--9 rebounds
 Penny Thomason--3 rebounds
 Susan Davenport--3 rebounds
ABERNATHY 51

SLATON 56
 Cheryl Rogers--25 pts.
 Karen Lambert--22 pts.
 Cindy Connell--5 rebounds
 Penny Thomason--5 rebounds
ABERNATHY 54
FRIENDSHIP 45
 Cheryl Rogers--27 pts.
 Jan Phillips--17 pts.
 Cindy Connell--9 rebounds
 Penny Thomason--4 rebounds
 Susan Davenport--5 rebounds
AMARILLO TOURNAMENT
 2nd place
ABERNATHY 52
FRIONA 50
 Cheryl Rogers--32 pts.
 Jan Phillips--12 pts.
 Cindy Connell--7 rebounds
 Susan Davenport--4 rebounds
ABERNATHY 92
CANYON 36
 Cheryl Rogers--32 pts.
 Karen Lambert--23 pts.
 Shari Fondy--17 pts.
 Melinda Huffaker--16 pts.
 Cindy Connell--4 rebounds
 Penny Thomason--3 rebounds
 Cathy Rogers--5 rebounds
 Nelda Rogers--4 rebounds
ABERNATHY 40
VEGA 49
 Cheryl Rogers--10 pts.
 Karen Lambert--15 pts.
 Shari Fondy--13 pts.
 Cindy Connell--9 rebounds
 Susan Davenport--7 rebounds
ABERNATHY 63
DIMITT 52
 Cheryl Rogers--14 pts.
 Jan Phillips--39 pts.
 Cindy Connell--13 rebounds
 Susan Davenport--3 rebounds
 Season record thru 1/2/76
 14 wins and 8 losses.

Masons Meet Here Tonight

A stated meeting of Abernathy Lodge No. 1142 A. F. & M. is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 8. Worshipful Master Rudolph Richter urges all local members to be present, and extends an invitation to visiting Masons to attend.

Royce Henson, owner and operator of Abernathy Oil Co., spent last week in traction at Highland Hospital, Lubbock. Being treated for a back problem, he may have to undergo surgery, his wife stated.



Rosi Lopez ...celebrates birthday
Miss Rosi Lopez Celebrates Sixth Birthday

Approximately 60 boys and girls were guests Sunday afternoon January 4 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lopez as they celebrated the sixth birthday of their daughter, Rosi.

A birthday cake decorated in the theme "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" highlighted the party decor, and was served to the youngsters along with cookies, candy, gum and punch.

Party favors were presented to the guests by Rosi's father, Joe Lopez.

Highlights of the afternoon were the breaking of a candy-pinata, and the opening of birthday gifts. Special honored guests were Rosi's great-grandmother, Mrs. Felipa Ramos, and her grandmothers, Mmes. Daniel Ramirez and a d. Louis Lopez, Sr. Other special guests included Rosi's cousins Esteban Lopez, Danny Lopez, Jr. and Marcus Lopez, all of Abernathy, and Eddie Richard Champion of Lubbock. All were born in 1975.

Helping Mrs. Lopez to serve refreshments to the youngsters were Mmes. Janie Aguilera, Linda Salazar, Frances Villanueva, Alma Lopez and Mary Guajardo, and Miss Angie Ramirez.

The guests received gifts of party balloons from the birthday girl and her parents before returning home.

ABERNATHY ACADEMIC CENTER OFFERS S.P.C. EXTENSION COURSES

South Plains College at Levelland will offer extension classes at Abernathy's Academic Center for the Spring Semester beginning January 12. Classes are tentatively scheduled each Monday evening as follows: Beginning or Intermediate Typing 4:30-7:15; Beginning Intermediate Shorthand 7:15-10:00.

Three hours credit is given for each course and persons may take one or both courses. The tuition fee for one class is \$58.00, two classes \$61.00.

To enroll, a high school diploma, GED Certificate or College Transcript is required. Persons interested should call Mr. Charles Bowen's office 298-2567 between January 5 and January 9.

Tularemia Noted In South Plains

Dr. Dean Evers, D. V. M., Public Health Veterinarian with Public Health Region 2, asks that the public be notified that human cases of Tularemia have occurred recently in the South Plains area. One of the cases, occurring in Lubbock, did result in death of the person infected.

Tularemia is a disease that can be transmitted from infected wild animals to man. The contact with infected animals, usually rabbit, comes when the hunter handles or dresses the game he kills. Another source of infection for Tularemia is transmission by vectors, such as ticks or fleas, that can carry the disease from the infected animal to man.

The rabbit population is unusually high this year and many hunters will be adding rabbit stew to the menu. Dr. Evers stresses that hunters should be warned not to dress or handle these animals with bare hands. Rubber or plastic gloves in good condition should be used. The raw meat should not be handled without protection until it is thoroughly cooked. In addition, care should be taken to see that the raw meat is not exposed to other meats.

Tularemia causes symptoms of acute illness soon after exposure. There is a sudden onset of headache, chills, nausea/vomiting and high temperature. Confirmed diagnosis can be made only through laboratory tests.

Abernathy police reports shooting

Floyd Bankston, city police officer at Abernathy, was shot at on Christmas Eve night from a helicopter just east of Abernathy.

Sheriff Charles Tue said Bankston told him the helicopter flew over him and a shot was fired. Bankston returned the fire with a revolver and at that point the helicopter's lights went out and it flew away.

COMING SOON

BLOOD SERVICES OF LUBBOCK WILL BE AT THE ABERNATHY CITY HALL TO TAKE BLOOD DONATIONS ON TUESDAY JAN. 13th From 4:00 til 7:00 p. m.

Your co-operation will be appreciated in this important service.

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June's Truck Stop will change to Edna's Coffee Shop after January 1st. They will be specializing in homemade Bar-B-Q, 11" Tony's Piz-za, Mexican Food, Dinners, and Ala-carte orders.

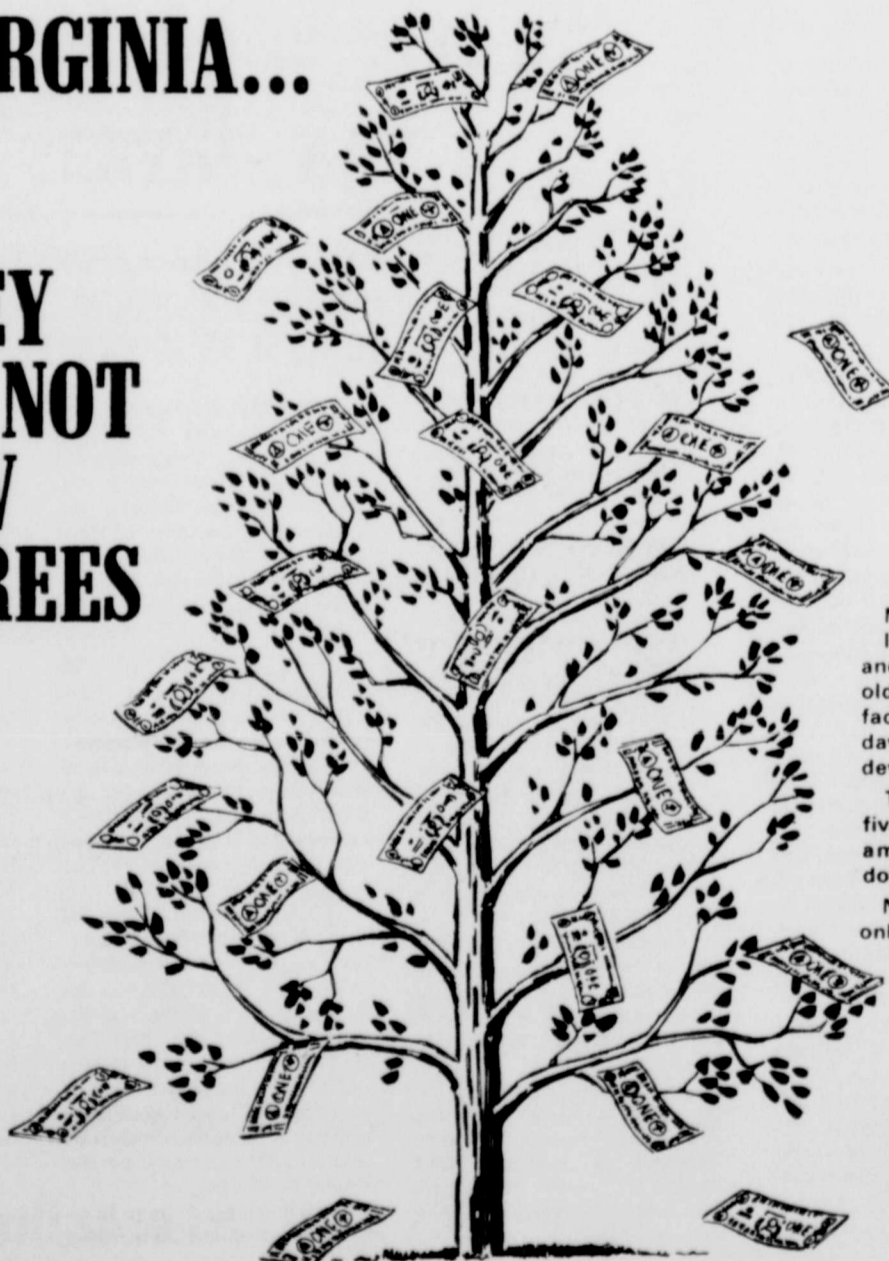
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OCTOBER	3%
NOVEMBER	2%
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Wedding Vows Spoken

Miss Dorinda Lovelace became the bride of Richard Dayne Myatt Saturday evening at First Baptist Church. The Rev. Murrey L. Brewer officiated.

Parents of the newlywed couple are Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Lovelace and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Myatt, all of Abernathy.

The bride was given in marriage by her father in the double ring ceremony, which featured special music by Mrs. Dan Fondy, organist and Mrs. Herbert Hardin, pianist.

The bride wore a traditional gown of white Mirra-mist accented in Venise lace.

The moulded bodice featured a yoke of tiny pin-tucks which was framed in a border of lace flowers. The high Duchess neckline was also edged in a double row of lace flowers with a tiny

stand-up ruffling collar. Clusters of the lace flowers were sprinkled over the bodice, and repeated over the long tapered sleeves which were cuffed in lace with fluted circular ruffles falling over the hands.

The full circular skirt was embellished in appliques of the lace flowerlets and the entire hemline and Chapel train were accented in a double row of lace flowers. Her veiling fell in triple tiers edged in matching lace, cascading to fingertip length from a matching Juliet lace cap.

Her attendants wore gowns identically alike of Dior-Blue Nysta jersey accented in White Cluney lace. Repeating the Bridal theme, the gowns featured deep yokes of the white lace outlined in Irish

crocheted lace ruffling. High necklines were edged in little stand-up collars of ruffling. Long Bishop sleeves were gathered to white lace cuffs which were also edged in the Crocheted lace; falling over the hands.

The softly eased dirndl skirts were sashed in cummerbunds tied in soft bows at the back. They wore matching cluney lace bonnets accented in tiny blue ribbon bows.

Melinda Huffaker of Abernathy served as Maid of Honor, while bridesmaids were Mrs. Barbara Blackmon of Lubbock, Melanie Moorhead of Abernathy and

Laura Megns, also of Lubbock. The bride's nephew, Jon Stanford of Albuquerque, New Mexico was the ring bearer, and ushers were her brothers, David Lovelace of Lubbock and Gary Lovelace of Abernathy; and Gary Lambert and Robert Scott of Abernathy; and Randy Myatt and Linsey Myatt, of Paris and Floydada, respectively.

Tommy Horsford was Best Man, and other groomsmen were Steve Oswald and Scott Myatt, brother of the groom.

A reception followed the ceremony at the church's fellowship hall, with Elaine Hamilton, Nana Riley, Jane Gohsen and Karen Lambert serving. Rice baskets were distributed by Jena Stanford of Albuquerque; and Joe Don and Rindy Lovelace, both of Abernathy.

The newlywed couple will be at home in Lubbock following a wedding trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico. The bride wore a traveling outfit of blue knit accented by winter white accessories. Guests at both the ceremony and reception were the grandmothers of the bride and groom, Mmes. Frank Lovelace and W. V. Halford, who wore the dresses they had worn on their own 50th wedding anniversaries.

The bride and groom are both graduates of Abernathy High School, and he is currently attending South Plains College. The bride is employed by the city of Lubbock.

Rays of Hope by Pat Stanton

Job 2:26: "And ye shall eat in plenty, and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, that hath dealt wondrously with you and my people shall never be ashamed."

We became miserable Christians when we don't make God the source of our supply, when we stop giving first of ourselves and what we have, and therefore we stop expecting miracles. We begin to experience joy as we say, "Lord, as I am giving my total self to you, I know you will bless me and I meet every need in my life."

God is strong. God is not sick. He is not poor. He is all life. As I live with Him, there is no shortage of any good thing. Ps. 84:11: "For the Lord God is a sun and shield; the Lord will give grace and glory; no good thing will he withhold from them that walk uprightly."

Phil. 4:19: "But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus."

As you give of yourself and of your means, God will multiply back to you His total self and you will begin to experience His wonderful supply.

Heaven is filled with riches from God, and He is waiting to give these riches to His children on earth. God bless you to say "Look to Him this new year to give you all that you need."

Wedding Solemnized

Miss Susan Ruth Wilson became the bride of Danny Gene Duncan on Saturday, December 27, 7:30 in the evening at First Church of the Nazarene, Midwest City, Oklahoma. Rev. Billy G. Duncan, father of the groom officiated.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest V. Wilson of Choctaw, Oklahoma was given in marriage by her father in a double-ring ceremony. The groom is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Billy G. Duncan, Abernathy.

The couple exchanged vows before a brass archway decorated with red and white carnations and holly. Baskets of red and white carnations and tapered brass candelabras flanked the archway.

The bride wore a white velvet gown with lace trimmed bib yoke, a stand up collar and puffed sleeves. The fitted gown flowed into a mini chapel train. Her lace trimmed hat had a sheer veil attached in back. She carried a red and white bridal bouquet atop a white Bible.

Miss Gaynelle Green of Midwest City, Oklahoma served the bride as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Charla Duncan, sister of the groom, Mrs. Francine Wilson, sister-in-law of the bride and Pamela Bryan. They wore identical long gowns of red and white tweed print knit, with white eyelet bib bodices fitted at the waist by a sash. Each carried a white fluffy muff with red carnation corsages attached. Their hats were identical to that of the bride with red ribbon trim. The flower girl wore a Holly Hobby fashion of the same material, with an eyelet pinafore and bonnet. She carried a white basket of red and white carnation petals.

Kim Nicholson, cousin of the groom and Edy Kent Wilson, brother of the bride, served as candlelighters.

Mr. James Nicholson, Del City, Oklahoma, uncle of the

groom, served as best man. The groomsmen were James McMichael, Cadlo, Oklahoma, Ernie Vert Wilson and Robby Joe Wilson, brother of the bride.

Ushers were Tommy Nicholson, cousin of the groom and Bill Pete Wilson, brother of the bride.

The groom's cousin, Miss LeEllen Wilhite, Midwest City, registered the guests.

A reception followed the ceremony in the church's fellowship hall. The serving table was covered with a

white sheer cloth and deep ruffle. The white three-tiered cake featured a red flowing fountain. The brides chosen colors, red and white were used in a floral centerpiece. The chocolate layered grooms cake complemented the serving area.

Following a wedding trip to eastern Oklahoma, the couple will reside in Midwest City, Oklahoma.

A rehearsal dinner preceded the wedding on December 26 in the fellowship hall and was hosted by the grooms parents.



Mrs. Dayne Myatt
...nee Miss Dorinda Lovelace

Hobby Club Meets New Year's Day

The Abernathy Hobby Club met New Year's Day with 18 members and three visitors present.

New officers for the Bicenennial year 1976 are Glenna Downs, president; Buena Lincecum, vice president; Vera Vaughn, secretary-treasurer and Vida Judkins, reporter.

Dot Von Struve showed the group a hanging basket made by her granddaughter, Carol McClellan of Lubbock. She also displayed some pot holders made by Ann Chapman.

Visitors at the meeting were Mrs. Bessie Smith of Lockney, Maxine McEachern and Jean Trammel both of Lubbock.

Members present were Juanita Bell, Dorothy Boggus, Dyvena Davis, Glenna Downs, Francis Howard, Vida Judkins, Ruby Knox, Buena Lincecum, Sue McAllister, Thelma McCaugh, Faye Pope, Wilma Pope, Minnie Presley, Ollie Selke, Dot von Struve, Vera Vaughn, Bulah Woods and new member Lucille Miller. Reporter, Vida Judkins

Biff Wade Named To Dean's List

Biff Wade, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wade of Abernathy has been recently named to the Dean's list at Texas Tech University with a grade point average of 3.36.

A 1975 graduate of Abernathy High School, Wade was a member of the school's National Honor Society organization for four years and was active on the AHS golf team and in Drama club. He is a freshman accounting student at Tech.

Mrs. U. L. Moreland traveled to Knoxville, Tennessee over the holidays to visit with her niece, Mrs. Mildred Kelley, and her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Pruett and family visited with Royce's parents and his brother, J. D. Pruett of Anchorage, Alaska, and his cousin, Mrs. Bill Miller of Wolforth in his parents' home in that city over the holidays.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mrs. Nona Tucker were her children.



engagement announced

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hopson announce the engagement and approaching marriage of the daughter, Lori, to Mr. John Thomas Ray, son of Dr. and Mrs. Levon Ray of Lubbock. A 1972 graduate of Hereford High School, Miss Hopson is currently employed by the Abernathy Weekly Review. Mr. Ray is a 1968 graduate of Monterey High School in Lubbock and received his Bachelor of Science degree in Zoology from Texas Tech in 1973. He is currently working toward his Master's degree in Civil Engineering at Tech, and is a member of Chi Epsilon national engineering honor fraternity. He is employed by the Texas Tech Water Resources Department. The couple plans a March 20th ceremony at the Northside Baptist Church of Abernathy.

Celebrate 22nd Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Trevino, Sr., of 906 West 5th street will be celebrating their twenty-second wedding anniversary on Friday, January 9, 1976. The couple have eight children, Manuel Trevino, Jr., of Amarillo; Uvalde, Olga, Victor, Mary Helen, Norma, Harvey and Gabriel Trevino, all of the home. The former Reyes Lopez and Trevino were married January 9, 1954 in Abernathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gregg returned home Sunday from California where they visited during the holidays. They visited in the homes of their son, Bill, in South Gate, their granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Vaughn, in Chino, and their grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gregg, in Fullerton.



Mrs. Danny G. Duncan
...former Miss Susan Ruth Wilson

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ASSEMBLY OF GOD
1404 Ave. B. 298-2060
REV. CARL McKINNEY

Sunday:
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
Morning worship.....10:45 a.m.
CA, youth and CC.....6:00 p.m.
Evening worship.....7:00 p.m.
Tuesday:
WMC.....1:30 p.m.
Wednesday:
Worship services.....7:30 p.m.

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH

East 1st St.
REV. J. B. LESTER, pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
Morning worship.....11:30 a.m.
Training Union.....6:00 p.m.
Evening worship.....7:30 p.m.
Monday:
Womens' Missionary Union and
Brotherhood.....7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Service.....7:00 p.m.
Friday:
Choir rehearsal.....7:00 p.m.
Mrs. J. B. Lester, choir director

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Route 1, Idalou 746-6184
BRO. EARNEST BREWER, pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.
Morning worship.....11:00 a.m.
Evening worship.....5:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Children's and Adults' Bible Study,
.....7:30 p.m.

Buck Attebury, song leader

CHURCH OF CHRIST

10th St. & Ave. E. 298-2718

CONDY BILLINGSLEY, Minister

Sunday:
Sunday School.....9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship.....10:30 a.m.
Youth meetings.....5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Ladies Bible Study.....9:30 a.m.
Mid-week services.....7:30 p.m.
Lanny Newton, youth minister

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

511 Ave. E. 298-2832

REV. BILLY G. DUNCAN, pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
Morning worship.....10:45 a.m.
Youth services.....6:00 p.m.
Evening worship.....6:45 p.m.
Wednesday:
Worship services.....7:30 p.m.
Phil Grindstaff, music director

COUNTY LINE BAPTIST CHURCH

Route 2, Abernathy 757-2134

DAVID HALADAY

Sunday:
Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.
Morning worship.....11:00 a.m.
Evening worship.....7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer meeting.....8:00 p.m.
Martin Kennedy, music and youth director

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Sunday:
Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.
Morning worship.....11:00 a.m.
Evening worship.....7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer meeting.....7:00 p.m.
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Sunday:
Sunday School.....9:30 a.m.
Morning worship.....10:40 a.m.
University of Christian
Living.....6:00 p.m.
Evening worship.....7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer meeting.....7:30 p.m.

Rusty Tomerlin, interim music and
youth director

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

704 Ave. D. 298-2240

REV. AL E. JENNINGS, pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
Morning worship.....11:00 a.m.
Evening worship.....6:00 p.m.
UMY.....7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Choir practice.....7:30 p.m.

UMW meets second Monday of each
month at 10:00 a.m.

George Riddell, music director
Chris Waters, church secretary
Laura Raybon, director of
Children's work



"Let us hear the con-
clusion of the whole
matter: Fear God, and
keep his commandments:
for this is the whole
duty of man."
— Ecclesiastes 12:13

Nothing in life is more wonderful than faith—
the one great moving force which we can
neither weigh in the balance nor test in the
crucible.
— Sir William Osler

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REV. VICENTE LANDEO, pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.
Morning worship.....11:00 a.m.
Evening worship.....6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer meeting and Bible study,
.....6:30 p.m.

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

16th St. & Ave. E. 298-2497

BRO. DOUG GARDNER, pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
Morning worship.....11:00 a.m.
Training union.....6:00 p.m.
Evening worship.....7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
RA's, GA's and Midweek Prayer
Meeting.....7:30 p.m.

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Training Union director: Clyde Pittman

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REV. JOSE M. RODRIGUEZ, pastor

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Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
Morning worship.....10:45 a.m.
Training Union.....6:00 p.m.
Evening worship.....7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer meeting.....7:30 p.m.
Youth meetings and Bible Study,
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Matthew Rendon, music & youth director

ST. ISIDORE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

South Ave. D.

FATHER CLIFTON CORCORAN

Sunday:
Morning Mass.....9:00 a.m.
Youth prayer meeting.....6:30 p.m.
Tuesday:
Choir rehearsal.....7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Religion classes.....4:30 p.m.
Thursday:
Adult discussion.....8:00 p.m.
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Leonard Cortez

CCD Board meets first Mondays of
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Max Garza, choir director
Helen Ramos, CCD coordinator

Now faith is the sub-
stance of things hoped,
for the evidence of things
of things not seen.

(Heb. 11:1)

Three Taken To Hospital In TUCO Corners Traffic Mishap

The dangerous intersection at US 87 and FM 54 three miles north of Abernathy...

Cotton Center woman and two Plainview women, occupants of the two cars involved in the collision...



PLACES IN COMPETITION--Malcolm Tow, a Tyler Certified Public Accountant, recently placed second in a six-month competition...

SWPS Should Grow With Industry; Electric Company Survey Reveals

Industrial growth and job opportunities should continue to bolster the economy of the Southwestern Public Service Company area...

53% of the 280 industries responding to the survey said they planned to expand their plant facilities sometime during the next five years...

Finally, Milnar said availability of electric energy was never mentioned as a deterrent to expansion and he pointed out that the electric company proposes to invest nearly \$400-million in new facilities...

percent of that of the national average. "More than 25% of the companies who said they didn't plan to expand cited labor supply as the reason...

Southwestern serves more than 250,000 electric customers in parts of four states, Texas, New Mexico, Kansas and Oklahoma.

NEWS FROM ST. ISIDORE'S CHURCH

The CCD, Christian Doctrine Bible Classes, at St. Isidore's will recess for the Holy Days until Wednesday, January 21...

St. Isidore's Parish Council meets Monday, January 12 at 7:30 p.m.

Congratulations and Happy Birthday to Ted Villanueva on Saturday, January 10, 1976 from the family, St. Isidore's congregation and Pastor.

Father Ralph Zinser will be guest pastor at St. Isidore's church Sunday, January 11, and Sunday, January 18 for the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

Mac Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Rogers, and his wife Cheryl recently moved to Clovis, New Mexico...

George Riddell and his son Mark recently spent a few days at Big Bend.

FORMER PASTOR ASSIGNED TO POST CHURCH

The Rev. Conrad M. Ryan has been assigned to the First United Methodist Church at Post as the pastor. He goes there from Hale Center, where he was pastor of the First United Methodist Church and pastor of the Methodist Church at Halfway...

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He that committeth sin is of the devil; for the devil sinneth from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that he might destroy the work of the devil. (1 John 3:8)

Judge not, that ye be not judged. For with what judgement ye judge, ye shall be judged; and with what measure ye mete, it shall be measured to you again. (Matthew 7:1-2)

I will instruct thee and teach thee in the way which thou shalt go. I will guide thee with mine eye. (Ps. 32:8)

Holidays visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Webb were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Meadows, Jennifer, Ethan and Jeremy, all of San Diego, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Clois Johnson and Leroy spent Christmas week in Maudlin, South Carolina with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Waters.

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SCRIPTURES FOR LIVING

O GOD, my heart is fixed; I will sing and give praise, even with my glory. (Ps. 108:1)

HOLD not thy peace, O GOD of my praise: (Ps. 109:1) If any man speak, let him speak as the oracles of God; if any man minister, let him do it as of the ability which God giveth: that God in all things may be glorified through Jesus Christ to whom be praise and dominion for ever and ever. (1 Peter 4:11)

That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; (Phil. 2:10)

And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. (Phil. 2:11) Being confident of this very thing, that he which hath begun a good work in you will perform it until the day of Jesus Christ; (Phil. 1:6)

O give thanks unto the LORD, for his is good: for his mercy endureth for ever. (Ps. 107:1)

In thee O LORD, do I put my trust: let me never be put to confusion. (Ps. 71:1) Let my mouth be filled with thy praise and with thy honour all the day. (Ps. 71:8) I will praise the name of God with a song, and will magnify him with thanksgiving. (Ps. 69:30)

But I will sing of thy power, yea, I sing aloud of thy mercy in the morning: for thou has been my defence and refuge in the day of my trouble. (Ps. 59:16)

Why art thou cast down, O my soul? and why art thou disquieted within me? hope in God: for I shall yet praise him, who is the health of my countenance, and my God. (Ps. 43:5)

Table with 4 columns: PHASE I, PHASE II, PHASE III, TOTALS. Rows include: CITIES REPRESENTED, NUMBER OF SURVEYS MAILED, NUMBER OF SURVEYS RETURNED, 1 OF RETURN, NUMBER OF EMPLOYERS REPRESENTED, NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES REPRESENTED, INDUSTRIES AND SERVICES REPRESENTED, NUMBER OF COMPANIES PLANNING TO EXPAND FACILITIES, NUMBER PLANNING TO EXPAND DEPARTMENTS, INDUSTRY GROUPS REPRESENTED BY COMPANIES PLANNING TO EXPAND FACILITIES.

Party Line

Danny Joe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Allen, is here from Alpine visiting during the Christmas-New Year Holidays. He is a student at Sul Ross State University.

Mrs. W. C. Clement, Abernathy City Secretary, had surgery in St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock, Friday.

Steve Stapleton, who recently suffered a stroke, has been moved from Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, to the Baptist Hospital in Amarillo.

Paula Perkins of Cameron was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Bray last week.

Kathy Irish spent the New Year Holidays in Puerto Rico. Among visitors in the J. L. Irish home during the holidays were her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jephson, of Ingleside.

Holiday Visitors

Those visiting through the holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Jordan were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hiser and Larry of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Boo Flippin, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bentley and Angey of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Jordan and Linda, R. D. Jordan and Juanita Petty of San Angelo; Mrs. A. L. Jordan, Danny, Jimmy, Lafonda and Albert of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lemous and Jonathan of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Don Marshall of Tullia; Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Knight; Jesse, Boyd and Mike Knight, all of Abernathy.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Rogers spent the Christmas holidays visiting with their son Wayne in Dallas, and their daughter, Mrs. Joyce White in Texarkana and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Wesley spent the holidays with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brownlow in the Houston area.

WINTER SAVINGS advertisement featuring Ground Beef (70% Lean, 69¢ lb.), Fresh Beef Liver (Thin-sliced, 39¢ lb.), Blade-cut Chuck Roast (good, choice beef, 79¢ lb.), Five Pound bag SHURFINE SUGAR (99¢ with purchase of \$7.50 or more, excluding cigarettes), and Giant Size Box SUPER SUDS Detergent (Only 69¢). Includes 'SAV A LOT' logo and address: FAMILY CENTER, 1411 Ave. D, ABERNATHY, TEXAS.

FARM FUN advertisement featuring a cartoon illustration of a farmer and his animals. Text includes: 'O.K. - SO I HAULED CATTLE IN IT LAST WEEK... BUT I PUT IN FRESH BEDDING...', 'YOUR FARM SUPPLY STORE', 'Tires, Batteries, Accessories', 'Gasoline, LPG & Diesel Fuels', 'COOP PRODUCTS', 'Consumers Fuel Association', 'Abernathy, Texas - Phone 298-2584'.

January CLEARANCE SALE advertisement for STRUVE HARDWARE & DRY GOODS, Inc. and HOPPY'S SHOP. Text includes: 'SHOP FOR SAVINGS ON FINE QUALITY MERCHANDISE Thursday, Friday, & Saturday January 22, 23, and 24', '318 Main Street ABERNATHY, TEXAS 79311', '314 Main Street SHOES AND MEN'S CLOTHING'.

West Texas Savings Association advertisement. Text includes: 'West Texas Savings ... Your Headquarters for Farm and Ranch Savings', 'Agriculture income from most areas of the South Plains has been good this year. Much of this income will be placed into savings to make it grow even more. West Texas Savings wants to be your savings headquarters. The officers and directors are just plain folks and talk your language. Give us a chance to be of service to you.', 'We pay you the highest rates allowed by Federal Regulations— From 5 1/4% to 7 3/4%', 'Savings are compounded daily—day in—day out on passbook savings.', 'Savings deposited by the 10th. earn from the 1st. on all savings plans other than passbook. Withdrawals prior to maturity are subject to prescribed penalties.', 'West Texas Savings Association 3400 50th. Street - Lubbock, Texas 79413 - Ph. 792-3755'.

THOUGHTS FROM WITHIN

-- by Vicki

Rejoice evermore. Pray without ceasing. In EVERY THING give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you. These scriptures are found in 1 Thessalonians 5:16, 17 & 18. They are the words that came to me when I asked the Lord for some scripture for 1976.

I was reading a book that was given us Christmas. It says there are three things that are essential for us to have happiness: 1. Something to hope for, 2. Something to do and 3. Someone to love.

This made me think of a scripture in Psalms, Why art thou cast down, O my soul? and why art thou disquieted within me? HOPE IN GOD: for I shall yet praise him, who is the health of my countenance, and my God. (Psa. 46:10)

The answer to the first essential things for happiness is found in this scripture--hope in God. For He is our only hope.

The answer to the second--something to do, to me is also found in God for He will always have something for us to do. To me the answer also comes from the Bible. In fact the scripture at the beginning of the article give us something to do. Rejoice, pray and be thankful. I feel that we all can do this if we know Jesus Christ as Lord of our lives. I agree that each of us

have things come into our lives that may not be happy but, our happiness should not be dependent on our circumstances but, in Christ Jesus who is always with us no matter where we are. He is always ready and able to help us in everything. Phil. 4:19 says: But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus. Eph. 3:20 says, Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think according to the power that worketh in us. He is always ready to do more than most of really believe He will. 3. Someone to love. The Bible says the greatest commandment is, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it, Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. (Matt. 22:37, 38 & 39)

Of course God loved us first. 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. (John 3:16) I John 4:16) And we have known and believed the love that God hath to us. God is love; and he that dwelleth in love dwelleth in God, and God in him.

I thank the Lord that through Him have I been loved and that I am able to love. He is Love and He has more than enough for all of us in this world. He is offering His love to all this very minute. He wants you to ask and except Him today.

If you are lonely, discouraged, restless, disquieted in your soul or need a friend call unto the Lord for He is always near ready to answer you and meet your need. He

Texaco-Toons

---By--- DON MAULDIN

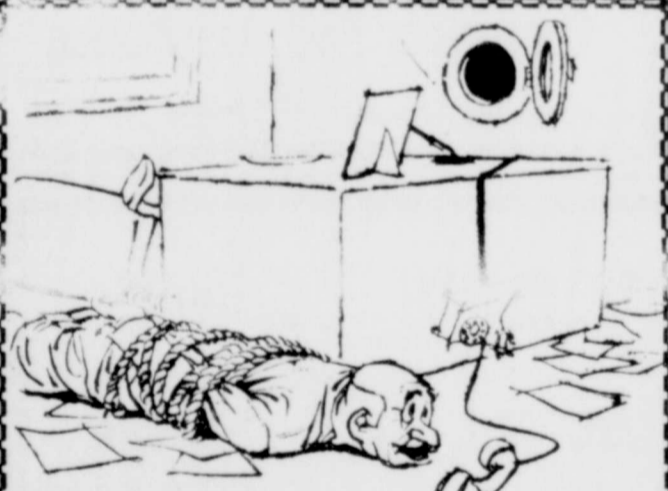


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What's Cooking



LUNCHROOM MENU

January 12-16, 1976
MONDAY
Barbecue wiener, tossed salad, green beans, apricot cobbler, 1/2 pt. milk.

TUESDAY
Fish, catsup, blackeyed peas, cabbage-carrot salad, peach half, 1/2 pt. milk.

WEDNESDAY
Sloppy joe, english pea salad, baked potato, fruit jello, 1/2 pt. milk.

THURSDAY
Steak, catsup, pinto beans w/ tomatoes, waldorff salad, up-side-down cake, 1/2 pt. milk.

FRIDAY
Hamburgers, W/lettuce, tomatoes & onions, tatar-sauce, peanut butter cookies, fruit, 1/2 pt. milk.

NEWS BRIEFS

Mrs. Louis Lopez, Sr., Janie Lopez and Louis, Alcazar, Smiley and Andy Lopez went to Abilene Texas during the Christmas holidays, where they visited in the home of Mrs. Julia Luna.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Salazar, Sr., and family spent the Christmas holidays in Brownsville, Texas visiting friends and relatives.

will supply your needs. "Have A Little Talk With Jesus Tell Him All About Your Troubles" as the song goes and believe He will help you. May God Bless You and Give you peace.

SEEDS FROM THE SOWER
By Michael A. Guido, Metter, Georgia

The ancient belief that an ostrich hides his head in the sand when frightened is only a fable. He runs in circles, but he does not bury his head in the sand. Neither does a Christian. He faces the discouraging, ugly facts. But he takes a long look at the supreme fact--that Almighty God cares for His own. He has seen the wicked having fun, satisfying their every whim. He has seen them condemn and kill good men who had no power to defend themselves. But he knows the fact that sooner or later the justice of God will catch up with them, and that God's plan always ends in good for His children. He says with Psalmist David in Psalm 140:12, "I know that the Lord will maintain the cause of the afflicted, and the right of the poor." The Lord in whom we trust is never taken by surprise. He is in control every split second. He will not allow anything to touch your life that is not designed to make you a better person. Every difficulty, every disappointment, every defeat is ordered by the Lord. It is a part of His process whereby He will make you everything you ought to be. So do not fret or find fault. Have faith in God!

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SPECIAL RECIPE
MAMA'S MEXICAN SALAD
Susan Stone
THIS WEEK

- 1/2 head lettuce torn in bite size pieces
- 2 sliced tomatoes
- 1/2 cup chopped onion
- 1 cup cheddar cheese, grated
- 1/2 cup thousand island dressing
- 1 9-oz. bag taco flavored tortilla chips
- Brown meat in a large, heavy skillet. Add beans, onion and seasonings. Cook over low heat about 30 minutes. Place lettuce, tomatoes, and cheese in a large salad bowl. Add dressing and toss lightly until mixed.
- Crush tortilla chips with hands.
- 1/2 lb. ground lean beef
- 1 can chili-flavored beans and liquid
- 1-2 teaspoons chili powder
- 1/4 teaspoon ground red chili pepper
- 1/4 teaspoon cumin
- leaving a few whole ones to garnish the bowl with. When ready to serve, add the crushed tortilla chips and meat mixture. Toss lightly to mix and serve immediately. Makes 6 generous servings.

Susan is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Stone, Jr. She is a 5th grade student in Abernathy Elementary.

1973 Certified Palmaster 101-B \$12.25 per bag while they last. Call Petersburg Delinting Co. Petersburg 667-3520 or Abernathy 298-2427.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements for political office are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, May 1, 1976:

HALE COUNTY
For Commissioner, Precinct 3: JACK EASON. For Re-election. HENRY RIEFF For County Tax Assessor: BILL HOLLARS, For Re-election.

Who's New?

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Irish of Lubbock are parents of a daughter, Rebecca Kathleen, born Jan. 2, weighing 8 pounds 7 1/2 ounces. The father is an attorney. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Irish of Abernathy and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCutchen of Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ignacio Gonzalez of New Deal are parents of a son, Jan. 2, weighing 5 pounds, 5 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton M. Settle of Lubbock are the parents of a son, Lesley Phillip, born December 22 at Lubbock's Highland Hospital. He weighed eight pounds, six and one-half ounces. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Duckett of Abernathy.

"RAYS OF HOPE"

TV PROGRAM
Channel 28--KAMCC
Sundays at 5:00 p.m.

FOR SALE

Buy GOODYEAR tires from Royce Henson at Abernathy Oil Co. (tr)

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FARM EQUIPMENT 1965 Ferguson 50 Wide front butane. Nine No. 41 Massey-Ferguson Planter Units. Phone 757-2355 (1-8-76)

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FOR SALE--1969 LTD four door sedan. New 351 engine, power and air, \$1,000 or best offer. Phone 757-2177, days or 757-2239 nights. (tr)

FOR SALE--Brand new Zenith Allegro stereo componentsystem. Modern design in white and blue. Includes phono, 8-track, AM/FM stereo radio. Call 298-2355 after 5:00 p.m. (tr)

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AUTHORIZED DEALER for Mason, Stewart McGuire, Hanover & Knapp shoes and boots. Your Shoe Counselor. Phone 298-2091. (tr)

MELVIN JOHNSON

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REAL ESTATE

NICE--18'x30' Redi built house for sale, to be moved. \$3000.00.

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We Need Listings on houses and farm land. See us for your Real Estate Needs. J.D. Webb 298-2700 SHIPMAN REAL ESTATE

HOUSES FOR SALE

Three-bedrooms, living room, dining room, carpeted throughout. New heating and cooling unit. Call 298-2524, 298-4019 or 757 2150. (tr)

FOR SALE: Nice two-bedroom house, carpet, central heat, in nice neighborhood. Phone 298-2251 in Plainview. (1-9-p)

WANTED

Would like to keep in my home, three year old child. Phone 298-2780. (1-15-c)

HELP WANTED--65 or Over to do light work. Apply in person. Abernathy Mobil Service, 10:00a.m. -6:00p.m. (1-15-c)

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