



**AT ANNUAL BANQUET**

**Chamber Names Outstanding Citizen, Students, Family**

The presentation of awards to Abernathy's Citizen, Students and Family of the Year highlighted the city's annual Chamber of Commerce banquet last Thursday evening as members, their guests and families met in the school cafeteria amid the

patriotic red, white and blue of the theme: "Abernathy--- a Bicentennial City."

Speaker for the evening was Dr. W. C. Newberry of Martindale, Texas, who stressed the importance of "individual experience" in his humorous address. To

emphasize his point that it is only the individuals within a group that make it effective; Newberry asked the audience to recall examples in U. S. history of individual accomplishments.

According to Newberry, individuality is suffering all

over the nation from an ailment he termed "massive groupism."

Using humorous anecdotes, he emphasized that a person is a product of his experiences; some of which he can choose, and many of which may choose him. He concluded by saying that none of the problems facing our nation today is truly unsolvable, and that though the efforts of the individual, they may be regarded not as problems, but as opportunities.

Hoppy Toler presented the award for Citizen of the Year to longtime Abernathy resident and chamber member Leland Phillips, citing "seven and six" reasons why Phillips was chosen as the award in this Bicentennial year of 1976.

Billie Harrison presented the Student of the Year award to Abernathy High School honor student Susan Davenport and Lynn Patterson, giving the award in numerous academic and extra-curricular programs as reasons for their selection. They are the daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. Vester Patterson, respectively.

The Farm Family of the Year award, presented by E. J. Pope, went to the Harvey Lutrick family, which was cited for its many years of dedication to the farming industry in and around Abernathy.

In his outgoing president's remarks, Dan Ward thanked the chamber and the community for their support during the past year, and concluded by borrowing a phrase from boxing champion Muhammad Ali saying "Abernathy is the greatest." Ward also received a plaque from the Chamber in appreciation for his service as president during the past year.

In officially taking on responsibilities of the office of Chamber president, incoming president Milt Pope challenged the group to find the good and positive aspects of the community in the coming year; adding that too many times, the negative aspects are stressed. Pope continued to say that both the chamber and the community are faced with a unique opportunity this Bicentennial year, to "celebrate the positive" aspects of the community and the country.

Presented as special and honored guests at the banquet

by Mayor Pete Thompson were Abernathy's Emergency Medical Technicians, who were cited for their voluntary efforts to provide emergency service to the community and the surrounding area; their hard work and study in achieving certified status as EMT's; and their service to the community since October of 1975---the date upon which they received their first ambulance vehicle.

Other new Chamber officers introduced at the banquet were vice president Paul Herchman, who replaces Harold Stillwell in that office; and Mrs. Jack Lane, who replaces Jim Bob Smith in the office of secretary-treasurer.

New Chamber directors for the coming year were also recognized. They are Mrs. Dorothy Davis, Don Heath, Ollie Murray, Larry Fields and Ray Sanders. Outgoing directors are Ed Graham, Morris Stevens, Woody Parker, Andy Reid and Cliff Newton; and carryover directors are David Pison, Bobby Cunningham, Waymon Jones, Richard Havens, Y. F. Snodgrass, Laurin Prather and Charles Hobgood. Mrs. Leland Phillips will continue to serve the Chamber as city hostess.

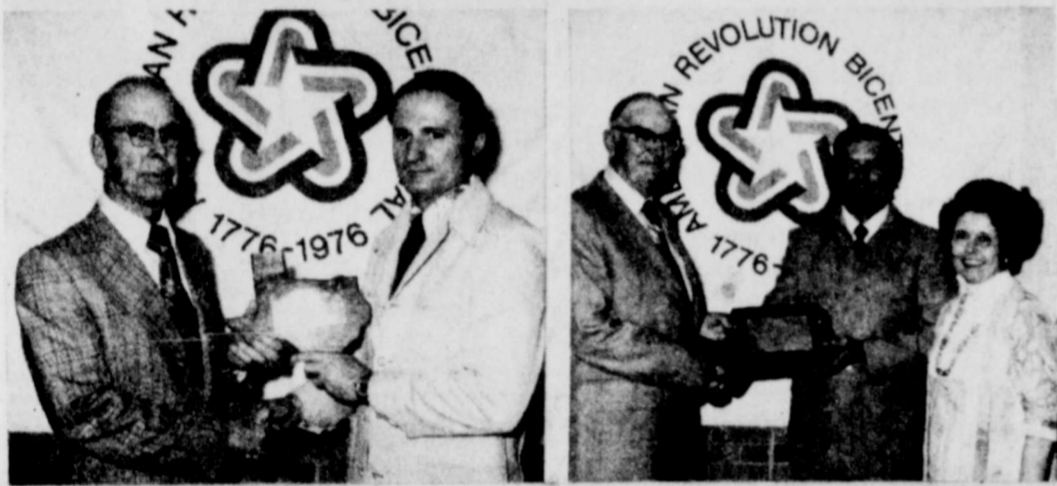
Master of ceremonies for the evening was Y. F. Snodgrass, and the invocation was given by Rev. Al Jennings of First Methodist Church. Dinner music was provided by Tony Loper, who was joined by his wife Dalana on one song, "Let It Be Me."

The meal was prepared by the school cafeteria staff and served by members of Mrs. Susan McAlexander's home-making classes. Decorations were furnished by Messrs. and Mrs. Leland Phillips, Paul Herchman, Laurin Prather, Delwin Webb and Hoppy Toler, and Mrs. Herman Lambert.

An additional Bicentennial emphasis was achieved in the decor with the display of Bicentennial posters created by Mrs. Ruth Fulton and Mrs. Ralph Davis.



THESE MEN Plan to Attend the Abernathy Ex-Students' and Ex-Teachers' Reunion, July 3, 1976, WON'T YOU?



CHAMBER OF COMMERCE--Awards to Abernathy's Students of the year were presented by Billie Harrison (at right in top two photos) to AHS Seniors Susan Davenport and Lynn Patterson. Other honors bestowed at the local Chamber's annual banquet last Thursday included those for Citizen of the Year, presented to Leland Phillips, (at left in bottom left photo) presented by Hoppy Toler; and Farm Family of the Year, (bottom right photo), presented by E. J. Pope, (right) to The Harvey Lutrick Family. (staff photos)

**Support Needed For Girls' Softball Program**

A program for local girls interested in participating in softball competition is now under consideration in Abernathy, with several local citizens eyeing the possibilities of organizing such a program under the auspices of

the Texas Teen-Age Softball Association.

In order to determine the possible success of such a program, the group has asked that all interested persons call them so as to give an indication of the response to

the proposed program which might be expected in Abernathy.

In order to participate in the Texas Teen-Age Softball program, Abernathy would be required to sign up at least 36 players to compete in each of four leagues.

The leagues are divided into freshman, sophomore, junior and senior groups, with the freshman league comprised of girls ages six to nine. Sophomore league players would range from ages 10 to 12 or under; junior leagues from 13 to 15 or under; and senior leagues would range from ages 16 to 18 or under.

This would provide four teams of nine players each in each of the four leagues. Cost per player for each season would run approximately \$10.00, according to local spokesmen.

In addition to players, the local program would require a volunteer sponsor for each of the 16 teams.

If you are interested in participating in the program, either as a player, a coach or as a sponsor, you are requested to phone one of the following persons for more information:

Kay Knight, 298-4094; Larry Griffin, 298-2117; A. C. Harris, 298-2124; Max Garza, 298-2858; Bob Scott, 298-2735; James Taylor, 298-4048; and Bob Paris, 298-2383.

**Sunshine Group To Meet Next Week**

The Abernathy Sunshine Group is scheduled to meet at city hall clubroom Thursday, March 18, at 11 a. m. A luncheon will be served a program will be presented. All members, and prospective members, are urged to attend, according to Floyd Shipman, president.

Craig Stewart underwent nasal surgery at Methodist Hospital, Lubbock.

**Long-Range Plans For School Improvement Made At Meeting**

A five-year plan for the improvement of the Abernathy Schools was presented to and approved by the board of education at its regular meeting on March 11, 1976. The plan was based upon a year long study made by the local teaching staff and a visiting committee evaluation report, chaired by Dr. Morris Wallace. Included in the plan are long and short range goals for improvements to the physical plant, instructional program, and in the area of materials development.

The local board also examined and approved a Crime Prevention and Drug Education Plan that will be coordinated with the 72 other schools in the 20 county areas of District XVII Education Service Center. The coordinator for the plan in Abernathy will be Mr. Steve Hill.

Correspondence was reviewed from the Texas Education Agency. Contained was the latest information from the State Board of Education on the collection of student fees. The State Board has ruled that although fees should no longer be collected, accreditation cannot be jeopardized before September, 1976.

Routine reports included an excellent tax collection report (98.20% completed); a budget progress report of receipts and expenditures through February 15, 1976; an enrollment report by grades (total enrollment 1,183);

cafeteria report and health report.

A textbook report was approved as recommended by the textbook committee. Books adopted that will be ordered for the 1977 school year and Spelling and Arithmetic, grades 1-6.

Reviewed and discussed was a lengthy school district report of property values. This report must be filed each year on fourteen classes of property within the school district. The report is mandated by law---Section 16,256 of the code and requires that "each school district tax assessor shall report to the commissioner the full taxable values of property in the district each year." The combined reports will determine how much state aid local schools will receive and in effect dictate how much local taxes must be collected for the operation of the school. The board instructed local school officials to work closely with the Evaluation Engineers and Appraisers and submit the required report by March 15, 1976.

Those in attendance at this meeting were L. J. West, president; Billie Harrison, Vice-President; Joe Oswalt, Secretary; Lon Carmickle, David Pison, Richard Howard, and Bob Riley. Also in attendance were Mr. Earl Carter, Business Manager, and Dr. Delwin Webb, Superintendent.

The next regular meeting of the Board will be April 5, 1976 at 7:30 p. m.

**Candidates Named For New Deal Election**

New Deal Independent School District will have its school trustee election Saturday, April 3, with polls open at New Deal High school from 7:00 a. m. until 7:00 p. m.

Candidates are incumbent Paul E. Cronoe, Jr., Carroll D. Teeter, and Gary Wayne Rieken, who are running for full three-year terms; and James Attebury and James W. Griffin, who are running for the unexpired two-year term opened with the resignation of Laverne Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Heath and Gene visited in the home of their daughter and sister at Lenora last weekend.

**Two Lady 'Lopes Chosen For All-Star Games**



Cindy Connell

**Savings Firm Sets Grand Opening**

The new offices of Frontier Savings Association in Olton will have their grand opening Sunday, March 28, from 2:00 p. m. until 5:00 p. m. Frontier Savings Association was formerly Hale County Savings Association.

Spring revival at Abernathy First Church of the Nazarene is scheduled for March 23 to 28.

Two local seniors have been named to represent the Abernathy Lady Antelopes in all-star games this year, it was recently announced by girls' varsity coach Diana Lewis.

Cindy Connell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Connell, was named to play in the North-South All-Star game set for July 17 in Brownwood. The 5'10" guard averaged eight to ten rebounds per game for the Lady cagers during the past season, and has earned letters with the AHS girls' varsity for the past two years.

Cindy is one of only eight guards chosen by the coaches' association to represent the northern region of Texas in the upcoming all-star game, and named an all-district player this year. She received honorable mention status in all-district last year. In addition, Cindy has been named an all-tournament player at the Olton and Amarillo tournaments during the past season.

Cheryl Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rogers, will play in the East-West All-Star game scheduled for March 20 in Amarillo. A 5'8" forward, Cheryl averaged around 21 points per game during the past season, according to Coach Lewis.

She has earned letters with the girls' varsity for the past three years, and is a varsity captain this year. Named an all-district player for the past two years, Cheryl has also received honors as an all-tournament player at Olton and Amarillo tournaments during the 1976 season. The two cagers were instrumental in helping the Lady 'Lopes to defeat the Dimmitt Bobbies in mid-February, giving the local team the district 3-AA and 4-AA Bi-District title.

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**Nine To Try For Posts On Trustee Ballot**

Nine names will be printed on the Abernathy School trustee ballot for the annual election at city hall Saturday, April 3, 1976, from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m. As in years past, the city election and school election will be held at the same place at the same time.

Terms of School Board members L. J. West, Joe Oswalt and Bob Riley expire this year. West and Oswalt will not be candidates for re-election.

Names on the trustee ballot will be: Bob Riley, for re-election; Daniel Fondy, Jerry K. Oswalt, Mrs. O. C. (Mona) Toler, Mac Houston, Gwin (Poe Wee) Myatt, Ralph Wolf, Max G. Garza and Don McKenzie.

Lines will be provided on the ballot for write-in votes. Holdover members of the School Board are Billie Harrison, Richard L. Howard, Lon Carmickle and David Pison.

Billie Harrison reports that L. J. West is ending a 21-year tenure as a member of the Abernathy School Board of Trustees. This may be a record. Ted Watts was a trustee here for 18 years, and Frank B. Lovelace was a trustee for many years (exact number not known at this writing) and Joe B. Lovelace, who retired from the board last year, served as trustee for 17 years. The other retiring member, Joe Oswalt, has been a trustee 12 years. Billie's father, the late S. M. Harrison, served on the Hale County School Board 25 years.

Mrs. M. O. Hood fell and broke a hip and was admitted to West Texas Hospital, Lubbock. Her daughter, Mrs. Jimmie Lee Stovall of Lamesa, came up to be with Mrs. Hood, and was, herself, hospitalized at West Texas after becoming ill with flu.

**Missionary Conference This Weekend**

The second annual Missionary Conference at the First United Methodist Church here has been set for Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, March 12, 13 and 14, according to Mrs. Arno Struve, general chairperson, and the Rev. Al Jennings, pastor.

Speakers for the weekend conference will include Juanvelva Rose, of Tulla, who is a missionary to Taiwan; Bill Matthews, vice-president of the Methodist Mission Home, San Antonio, and a former missionary to the Philippine and Fiji Islands; and the Rev. A. W. Pringle, elementary school principal of the McCurdy School at Espanola. Music for the Missionary Conference will be led by Johnny Ray Watson of Loreno.

Miss Rose will be the speaker at the 7 p. m. service Friday. A university teacher and missionary in Taiwan, Miss Rose will be sharing with the elementary children (grades 1 through 6) at 10 a. m. Saturday, and will speak during the Ladies' Luncheon at noon Saturday.

The Rev. Bill Matthews, who serves as vice-president of the Methodist Mission Home in San Antonio, will be the speaker at the men's breakfast meeting Saturday at 7 a. m. He will also be the featured speaker at the 7 o'clock service that evening and will preach during the 11 o'clock worship hour Sunday morning.

The Rev. Matthews was reared in the Big Bend country of West Texas and later graduated from T. C. U., from Perkins School of Theology, and then from the University of Texas at Austin. He began working as a disc jockey and news announcer while in college, and then became youth director at Central Methodist in Fort Worth, and later served in music and Christian education in churches in Las Cruces, New Mexico, University Park in Dallas and at Sherman. He is married and he and his wife, Norma, have four daughters.

Speaking to the Jr. High and Senior High students

during a Youth Luncheon at noon Saturday will be the Rev. A. W. Pringle. He will also be sharing with the adult Sunday School classes Sunday morning, and will be the speaker during the Sunday evening worship service.

Serving as song leader during the Missionary Conference will be Johnny Ray Watson, who will also sing a number of specials. Born in Loreno, Johnny Ray began singing in the church choir when he was eight years of age, and today plays and writes most of his own songs. An outstanding basketball player in high school, he went on to McMurray College, Abilene, where he was lead-

ing rebounder in 1970 and 1971, and leading scorer and most valuable player in 1971.

He participated in numerous talent shows, but it was not until December, 1972, that Johnny Ray rededicated his life to Christ and became a witness through his songs (Continued on page 2)

**SEVEN NAMED TO CITY BALLOT**

City Secretary Otelia Clement reported names of candidates for three City Alderman positions following the deadline for filing March 3.

City voters will go to the polls in city hall Saturday, April 3, 8 a. m. to 7 p. m., to elect three Aldermen to the City Council. Terms of Aldermen W. D. Sanders, Larry Griffin and J. L. Miller, Jr. expire this year. Mr. Miller is not a candidate for re-election.

The April 3 election ballot to name three Aldermen will have the following names listed: W. D. Sanders, for re-election; Larry Griffin, for re-election; Sammy Hunley, Ray Sanders, Jerry Givens, Jessie Marez and J. P. (Jackie) Barton.

Lines for write-in votes will be provided on the ballot. Holdover members of the City Council are Mayor Pete Thompson and Aldermen Waymon Jones and Clifton Newton.



Rev. Bill Matthews



Johnny Ray Watson





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**Missionary Conference Scheduled Here**  
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and testimonies. He has appeared with Anitra Crouch and the Disciples and in many evangelistic and church meetings in this area. He has recorded one album, "The Straight and Narrow Path," with a second one in production. Johnny Ray and his wife have two children.

A Missionary Conference is an intensive missionary program designed to stimulate interest in missionary concern. Last year's Missionary Conference resulted in over \$7,500 being given toward missionary work during the past 12 months,

much of it being used in our own community.

This year's goal is \$7,600, set recently by the Missionary Conference committee. "\$7,600 in '76" ties in with the Bicentennial theme, and has a "ring of remembrance," reminding us of the "faith of our fathers," as well as helping to remind us of the commandments of Christ in our outreach to others.

Beginning with an evening meal Friday, followed by a 7 p.m. service the Conference will include a men's breakfast meeting Saturday morning, luncheon for ladies and for the youth Saturday evening meal and a 7 p.m. service Saturday; and morning and evening services Sunday.

For a complete schedule of activities during the Missionary Conference please refer to the ad on page 5 of this paper.

**Full Gospel Meeting Slated Tonight**

Full Gospel Ministry will meet at 7:30 p.m. this evening, (Thursday, March 11,) in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Barton at 1601 Ave. G. Michael O'Shields, representing Grape Press Full Gospel Ministry, will be teaching. Anyone or everyone is welcome to attend.

Lon Carmickle has returned from a fishing trip to Amistad Lake near Del Rio. He went with a gin group from Petersburg.

Mrs. S. H. Lebow and son, Leo, granddaughter Brenda Boykin and daughter Ramona Thompson recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lebow in Amarillo.

# Obituaries

**Services Held Tuesday For Tom Kelly**

Services for former longtime Abernathy resident George Thomas (Tom) Kelly, 80, of Lubbock were held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday in the Wesley Methodist Church of that city with the Rev. Grady Adcock, pastor, officiating. Burial followed in Abernathy's Oddfellow Cemetery under the direction of Chambers Funeral Home.

Mr. Kelly died at 6:30 p.m. Sunday in Methodist Hospital of Lubbock, following a lengthy illness.

A native of Lead Hill, Arkansas, Mr. Kelly moved to Abernathy in 1914. A retired farmer, he had resided in Lubbock since 1949.

Mr. Kelly is survived by his wife, Eula of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Chester Feazell and Mrs. Alton Henry, both of Lubbock, three grandchildren, six great-grandchildren, and a niece, Mrs. D. E. Beaton of Abernathy.

Mr. Kelly was a brother-in-law of Marvin Stephens of Abernathy.

**Services Held For Local Woman's Sister**

HALE CENTER (Special) - Services for Mrs. Clarence Robertson, 69, of Rt. 1, Plainview were held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Hale Center First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Elton Wyatt, pastor of the C'on First United Methodist Church officiating, assisted by the Rev. Louis Holland, pastor.

Burial was in Plainview Memorial Park under the direction of Freeman Funeral Home of Hale Center.

Mrs. Robertson died at 10 p.m. Friday in Hi-Plains Hospital in Hale Center.

Born in Evening Shade, Ark., Mrs. Robertson moved to the Plainview area in 1906. She was married to Clarence Robertson Dec. 6, 1934, in Plainview. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church here.

Survivors include her husband; a sister, Mrs. Jack Jackson of Abernathy; and two uncles, Frank Buchanan and Bert Buchanan, both of Plainview.

**LOCAL MAN'S FATHER DIES**

LITTLEFIELD (Special) - Wake services for Conrado J. Duran, 65, of Littlefield were held at 7 p.m. Sunday in Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Littlefield with mass being conducted Monday in Sacred Heart Catholic Church with the Rev. Joe James, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Littlefield Cemetery under the direction of Hammons Funeral Home.

The 47-year Friona resident was a member and deacon of the Baptist Church. He was named Friona Man of the Year in 1970 by the Friona Chamber of Commerce.

The family suggests memorial contributions be made to the First Baptist Church building fund or the Friona Nursing Home.

Survivors include his wife, Myrl; three daughters, Deann Styles of Richmond, Va., Lilla Gay Vars of Canyon and Phylla May Weatherly of Friona; a son, B. K. (Kim) of Friona; four sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Young of Abernathy, Mrs. Cillie Nichols of Happy, Mrs. Charlene Nichols of Klamath Falls, Ore., and Mrs. Lois Webb of Medford, Ore.; four brothers, W. F. and J. B. both of Friona, J. F. of Abernathy and C. R. of Amarillo; and eight grandchildren.

**Services Held Monday For Linda Lou Pearce**

Linda Lou Pearce, 24, of Abernathy, was fatally injured about 2:30 a.m. Saturday in a one-car accident on U. S. 87 north of Lubbock.

She was pronounced dead on arrival at Methodist Hospital by Justice of the Peace Charles E. Smith of Lubbock. Services were held at 10 a.m. Monday in the First Baptist Church here with the Rev. Murry Brewer of Plainview officiating. Burial was in Pearce Chapel Cemetery near Abernathy under the direction of Chambers Funeral Home.

David Lovelace, Jerry Hopper, and Rex Thomas.

The Abernathy native was graduated from Abernathy High School in 1970. She attended a commercial college in Lubbock, and was employed as a bookkeeper for a Lubbock firm at the time of her death.

Survivors include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pearce of Abernathy, and a sister, Mrs. C. E. Seymour of Lubbock.

**Services Held In LaPort For Former Abernathy Resident**

LA PORT (Special) - Mrs. Paul R. (Peggy) Prokish, 44, of LaPort, died Sunday morning at Diagnostic Hospital in Houston following a brief illness.

Mrs. Prokish, a native of West Texas and a graduate of Abernathy High School and Texas Tech University, was the organist for the First United Methodist Church in LaPort.

Survivors include her husband, Paul; two daughters, Mrs. Robert G. Perkins of LaPort and Robin of the home; a son, Paul Jr. of Houston; her mother, Mrs. Leonard L. Wright of Lubbock; two brothers, Lt. Col. L. L. Wright Jr., of Durham, N. H., and S. Sgt. Ralph G. Wright of El Paso; and one grandchild.

The family suggests memorials be made in the form of donations to the American Cancer Society or other charitable organizations.

Funeral rites were held Tuesday in the LaPorte First Methodist Church with the Rev. Bill Commer, the Rev. Roy Oggero and the Rev. Leslie Griffin officiating. Burial was in Grandview Cemetery at LaPorte.

Friendship with God is reserved for those who reverence Him. With them alone He shares the secrets of His promises. Ps. 25:14

**Services Held For G. B. "Pete" Buske In Friona**

FRIONA (Special) - Services for prominent longtime Friona resident G. B. (Pete) Buske, 67, were held Tuesday in the First Baptist Church in Friona.

Officiating were the Rev. C. H. Murphy, pastor, the Rev. Charles Broadhurst, former pastor of the church and now of Lubbock; Dr. Neil Record of Wayland Baptist College in Plainview; and the Rev. Clayton Day of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth.

Burial was in Friona Cemetery under direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home. Buske died at 7:20 a.m. Sunday in the Farmer County Community Hospital.

Pete was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Buske, who operated an early-day hotel in Abernathy.

A board member of the hospital, Buske also was a director of the High Plains Hospital in Amarillo, the High Plains Savings and Loan Association in Hereford, Friona Industries and the First National Bank of Canyon.

Buske served on the boards of development of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth and Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

Survivors include his wife, Myrl; three daughters, Deann Styles of Richmond, Va., Lilla Gay Vars of Canyon and Phylla May Weatherly of Friona; a son, B. K. (Kim) of Friona; four sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Young of Abernathy, Mrs. Cillie Nichols of Happy, Mrs. Charlene Nichols of Klamath Falls, Ore., and Mrs. Lois Webb of Medford, Ore.; four brothers, W. F. and J. B. both of Friona, J. F. of Abernathy and C. R. of Amarillo; and eight grandchildren.

**Rites Held For Mrs. Corrine Harp**

Graveside services for Mrs. Corrine Harp, about 78, of Beaumont and formerly of Abernathy, were held at 10 a.m. Saturday in Abernathy Odd Fellows Cemetery under the direction of Chambers Funeral Home here.

Officiating was the Rev. H. B. Coggins, Methodist minister.

Mrs. Harp died Thursday in a Beaumont hospital. She was married to the late Dr. Robert F. Harp, who had been a general practitioner in the Abernathy area.

She is survived by a son, Dr. Robert A. Harp of Springfield, Ill., and four grandchildren.

**AHS Bands Prepare For UIL Contests**

By Donna Horne  
 Several weeks ago, the Abernathy Antelope Band began working on the contest pieces that they will perform in the UIL concert-eight reading contest. The UIL contest will be held in Abernathy April 27 and 28.

The contest program will include, "March Onward (Ernst Lilthold)," "Prelude and Fugue (J. S. Bach)," and "Introduction and Fantasia (Rex Mitchell)."

In preparing for contest, each band member has gone through a series of tuning sessions with a partner in their section and with the section leader. Several clinicians will also work with the band.

The Stage Band has also worked hard in preparing for the Stage Band Festival held on the Texas Tech campus.

Let us, the Abernathy community, give both of these bands the support that they need in making First Divisions.

Mrs. J. A. Wirth has returned home from the hospital.



**EXCHANGE GAVEL**--Incoming Chamber of Commerce president Milt Pope, (left), and 1975 President Dan Ward exchanged both the President's gavel and a handshake at last Thursday's annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet. Ward is shown holding the plaque presented to him by the members of the Chamber in appreciation for his service during the past year. (staff Photo)

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### Plans Underway For Annual Stock Show At Lubbock

Final plans and arrangements are being made for this year's Southwest Junior Livestock Show according to Johnny Bob Carruth the Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce's Southwest Junior Livestock Show Committee.

Carruth said that the activity pace is picking up as time nears for this 43rd Annual Show. The Show will be held from March 14 through March 17 at the Panhandle South Plains Fair Grounds. The Show will again be kicked-off with the selection of the Show Princesses which will be held in the Fair Park Coliseum at 2:30 p. m. on March 14.

New events scheduled for this year's show will be a Farm and Ranch Implement Display that will run for the duration of the Show. This year's cornbread and beans buyers lunch will start at noon in the Merchants Building and will cost only 50 cents per plate.

Immediately prior to the sale of the champion animals will be a presentation of the memorial plaque to the family of the late Roy Furr, to whom this year's Show is being dedicated. All judging events are open to the public and everyone is invited to attend. Some of the best animals in the nation will be entered by youngsters for the Texas and New Mexico counties in the South Plains area. Representing Abernathy in the Show Princess contests will be Melinda Huffaker for FFA and Becky Albers for Abernathy 4-H Club.

## Awards Are Presented At Blue And Gold Banquet Here

The Annual Cub Scout Blue and Gold Banquet was held last Tuesday evening, February 24, in the school cafeteria, in honor of the birth of Scouting in America.

Guests of honor were Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Struve and Abernathy Mayor Pete Thompson.

Entertainment for the evening was provided by a group of young men who called their vocal group "The Beginners."

Approximately 40 awards were presented to local Scouts during the course of the banquet, including six Bobcat Badges, the first award a Cub Scout can earn. The second award in a Cub Scout is Scouting experience is the Wolf Badge. There were 12 of these awarded at the banquet.

After earning the Wolf Badge, a Scout may earn Arrow Points by completing ten projects in one Scouting category, or by completing one project in each of ten categories.

The first ten completed projects entitle the Scout to a Gold Arrow point. Each time he completes an additional ten projects, he is entitled to another Gold Arrow point.

Wade Wesley received one Gold Arrow point and two Silver Arrow points, and Scott Wesley received two Silver Arrow points. Jeffery Torres received one Silver Arrow point.

In the Webelos Den, five boys qualified for 12 differ-

ent activity badges. Todd Barrick headed the list, receiving six badges: Citizenship, Craftsmanship, Scholarship, Artist's badge, Showmanship, and Athlete's badge.

At the banquet, each person present received a candle, which was lit at the close of the meal. During this candlelight ceremony, Mayor Thompson presented

a brief talk on "Being Prepared."

Scoutmaster Phil Grindstaff expressed his appreciation for all those who took part in making the banquet what he termed a success, extending special thanks to the ladies who helped in serving and cleaning up after the banquet.



WOLF BADGES PRESENTED--Scoutmaster Phil Grindstaff presents Wolf Badges to local Cub Scouts at the recent Blue and Gold Banquet held here.



PRESENTS BOBCAT BADGES--Scoutmaster Grindstaff hands out Bobcat Badges to local Cub Scouts at last Tuesday evening, February 24.

### LOCAL LITTLE DRIBBLERS TO HOST REGIONAL TOURNAMENT

Little Dribblers of Abernathy will host the regional Little Dribblers boys' tournament for major and junior leagues this year, it was announced recently. The tournament will include members of the all-star

teams in the nine and ten-year-old and 11 and 12-year-old divisions from cities and towns over the area.

Scheduled for April 8, 9, and 10, the tournament will take place in the Abernathy High School gym. A general meeting has been scheduled for March 16 at Graham's Restaurant, south, beginning at 7:30 p. m., to make preliminary plans for the tournament and to name committees.

The local Little Dribblers program urges members of the community to support the tournament through attendance at all the games and through voluntary work in making preparations for the tournament. Volunteers are also needed to help with the tournament itself.

Winners in the regional tournament will go on to state competition later in the year, and will receive trophies for first and second place.

In recent Little Dribblers action, during the March 2 games for nine and ten-year-olds, the Bobcats suffered a defeat at the hands of the Rangers with the final score at 25 to 18. In the 11 and 12-year-old group, the Bombers took a one-point victory over the Reds, 14 to 13; and the Raiders missed out by one point also, losing to the Lakers. Final score in that game was 24 to 23.

In the 13 and 14-year-old group, the Wolverines took a 20 to 17 victory over the Mustangs.

In more action March 4, the nine and ten-year-old Falcons took a victory from the Celtics at 21 to 12, and in the 13 and 14-year-old group, the Jayhawks took a 30 to 26 victory from the Wolverines.

In competition last Saturday, March 6, the Eagles defeated the Mustangs by a score of 33 to 22 in 13 and 14-year-old action; and in the 11 and 12-year-old group, the Reds suffered defeat at the hands of the Lakers by a score of 17 to 8.

Mrs. Allie Smith is a patient in West Texas Hospital, Lubbock.

### LORI HOPSON IS HONORED AT BRIDAL SHOWERS HERE AND IN LUBBOCK

Lori Hopson, bride-elect of John Thomas Ray of Lubbock, was honored with a bridal shower Saturday, February 28, in the home of Mrs. W. C. Clement.

Refreshments of cake and punch were served from a table topped with white lace. A floral centerpiece accented the table decorations, and featured roses created in silk organza in the bride-elect's chosen color of teal blue. The centerpiece, created for the party by the hostesses, was later presented to the bride-elect as a gift.

The same teal blue was repeated in the flowerlets of the cake, which was prepared and decorated by one of the hostesses.

Special guests at the miscellaneous bridal shower were Mrs. Levon Ray of Lubbock, mother of the prospective groom; and Miss Hopson's grandmothers, Mmes. A. N. Hopson and Naomi Murrell, both of Hereford.

Hostesses were Mmes. Dorman Allen, Jack Barton, Wendell Barrick, Bill Corning, Richard Havens and Milt Pope. Also Mmes. Royce Pruett, George Riddell, C. C. Williams, W. C. Clement, Josh Howard, and Mrs. James

Brownlow of Hereford.

Lori was honored with a "supermarket shower" Saturday in the home of Mrs. Elmer Hudspeth of Lubbock. Mrs. E. L. Thaxton, Jr., also of Lubbock, was co-hostess.

Special guests at the party were the mothers of the engaged couple, Mmes. Nathan Hopson of Abernathy and Levon Ray of Lubbock.

Gifts at the shower were items found in a supermarket, including food staples, spices, and kitchen "gadgets".

Guests enjoyed a game of "the price is right" and a guessing game which involved the identification of household articles wrapped as packages. In the game, the guests were permitted to rattle, squeeze and shake the packages in order to guess at their contents.

A unique centerpiece featuring tiny blue flowers surrounding an assortment of wooden kitchen utensils repeated the blue and white color scheme, and was given to the honoree by the hostesses.

Craig Stewart underwent surgery recently in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock.

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By Alan Pettit

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| 1 teaspoon vanilla | 1 teaspoon soda    |
| 3 cups oatmeal     | 1/2 cup nuts       |
| 1 cup brown sugar  |                    |

Cream sugar and shortening. Add eggs and vanilla. Beat well. Add sifted dry ingredients, oatmeal and nuts. Mix well. Shape into rolls, wrap in wax paper and chill. Slice into 1/4 inch slices. Bake at 350° for 10 minutes.

Alan Pettit is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pettit. He is a 6th grade student in A.J.H.

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### TUCUMCARI WOMAN WINS THRIFTWAY "NAME THE SCOTSMAN" CONTEST

Glass Skelton, Advertising Manager of Affiliated Foods, Inc., Amarillo, Texas, announced today that Mrs. Ruth M. Lapp of Tucumcari, New Mexico has been chosen the winner of Thriftway Supermarkets' "Name the Scotsman" Contest and will be presented with a \$500 check by Joe Cooper, compliments of Thriftway Supermarkets.

Skelton stated that Mrs. Lapp's winning entry, "Thriftway McSaver" was chosen because it was felt that this name best personified the image of Thriftway and Thriftway's customers. Skelton also said that identical entries. Strangely enough two of the entries came from Cooper's Thriftway in Tucumcari in spite of the fact that there were thousands of entries from 33 Thriftway Stores.

Although no alternate prizes were announced at the beginning of the contest, Thriftway spokesmen decided to award each of the three runners-up a Mr. Coffee Maker. These will be awarded to Mrs. Henrietta Marsh of Tucumcari, Mrs. David P. Smith whose entry was made at Sany-All Thriftway in Kermit, Texas, and Mr. Fred Welch who successfully named the Scotsman at Thriftway in Canyon, Texas.

Skelton expressed the

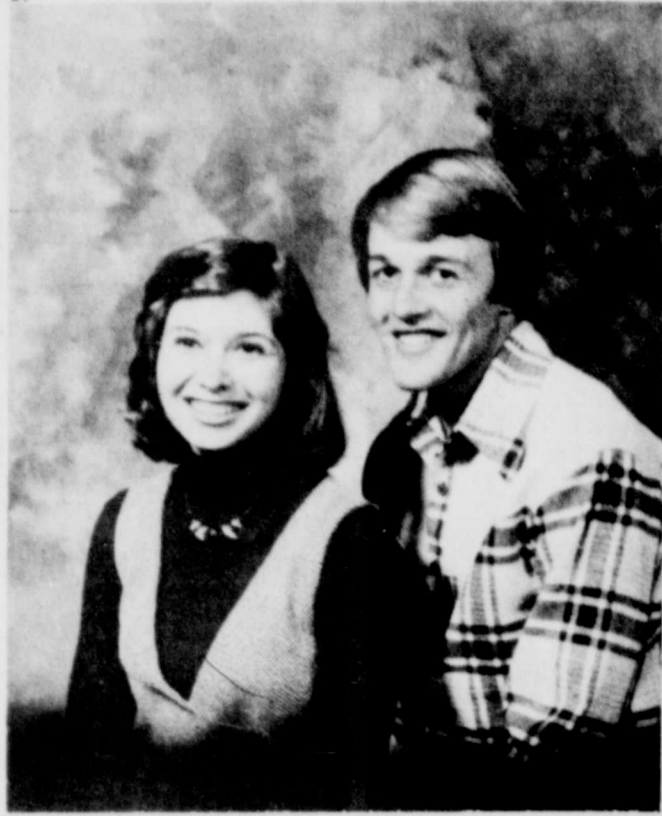
appreciation of all the Thriftway owners for the thought and imagination of the customers who entered the contest and particularly to the winner, Mrs. Lapp.

### Rebekah Lodge Has Visitors At Meet

Abernathy Rebekah Lodge met March 1 in regular session with 12 visitors from Plainview Lodge No. 309 attending. Another visitor, Mrs. Naomi Murrell, of Hereford Rebekah Lodge No. 228 also was present. She is the mother of Mrs. Nathan Hopson of Abernathy.

The Noble Grand called the Lodge to order. Business was brought before the Lodge and attended to. Ten members were present. Several were absent due to flu.

Our District President, Wanda Johnson, was introduced by our conductor. An interesting program consisted of three lovely poems being given by Etta Thompson of Plainview, Wava Barrick and Hazel Toler, our Noble Grand, presented our District President with her pin of the year from District No. 9. Lodge was dismissed by the Warden. Refreshments and a social visit were enjoyed by all. --Reported.



### Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McClelland of Monahans announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Karen Sue, to Mr. Michael Baylis Fanning, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Milton Fanning of Amity, Oregon.

Karen is a 1970 graduate of Abernathy High School and a 1973 graduate of Texas Tech with a degree in Home Economics. She is currently

employed by Camp Fire Girls in Salem, Oregon.

Michael is a 1970 graduate of Amity High School and a 1975 graduate of Oregon State University with a degree in Business Administration. He is currently engaged in farming in Amity.

Vows will be spoken in a candlelight service at First United Methodist Church in Abernathy on May 29.

### Useful Handcrafts Shown At Meeting Of Hobby Club

The Abernathy Hobby Club met Thursday March 11 at 2:30 p. m. in the city hall club room with 18 members present.

Gifts were passed out to secret pals.

Vera Vaughn and Ollie Selke had the program. Vera showed a needlepoint purse, a cloth shoulder bag with crewel embroidery, an embroidered perpetual calendar, some painted rocks, book ends made with rock dolls on wooden frames, a crochited doll for babies, a white and gold bead necklace, and a part of an embroidered afghan she is working on.

Ollie showed an afghan of shades of pink and rose, another of shades of green, also one of brown and yellow, all made in a ripple design, she showed a macrome pot hangers of different size. A crochited table mat in shades of cream, yellow and orange. She also showed two quilts pieced in small two inch squares.

Hostesses were Thelma McCaugh and Helen Crow served coffee, punch and cookies to Janita Bell, Jean Flud, Dorothy Boggus, Dyvena Davis, Glenna Dowan, Anna Lee Johnson, Ruby Knox, Faye Pope, Wilma Pope, Minnie V. Presley, Ollie Selke, Dot von Struve, Lois Shrophier, Vera Vaughn, Theo Vineyard and Buelah Woods. Reporter-Vida Judkins

Don't repay evil for evil. Wait for the Lord to handle the matter. Pro. 20-22

### AHS Girls Honored

Members of Abernathy High School's girls' varsity basketball team and their coaches and managers were honored with a Mexican dinner last Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lambert.

The dinner was hosted by parents of Lady Lopes in honor of the girls' varsity team, which won the Bi-district championship this year.

### DEVELOPMENT OF OUTDOOR SKILLS IS AIM OF RECENT BROWNIE PROJECTS

Developing outdoor skills has been the aim of a number of projects undertaken by third grade Brownie Troop 189 over the past few months, according to troop leaders, Mrs. David Waits, Mrs. Carl and Brantley and Mrs. Kenneth Spieker.

In February, the girls took a "trail sign" hike. One half of the group laid the trail signs. These are signs made of sticks or stones, or notes written on paper to aid friends in finding an unknown destination.

The second half of the girls had to follow the signs, which led from their meeting place at First Methodist Church to Mutt's Stick Dog factory, a distance of seven tenths of one mile. There, the troop was given a guided tour of the plant and treated comdogs.

To further develop their outdoor skills, the girls have been learning to tie the square knots and overhand knots. After the learning the knots, the girls played several games using their knowledge.

At their last meeting, the girls discussed firebuilding. Mrs. Brantley informed the group of the different types of firewood needed for a good campfire--tinder, kindling, and fuelwood. The group also discussed safety measures which should be taken when building a fire, and made imaginary fire wood, using paper.

At their next meeting, the girls will be able to practice their skills by preparing the refreshments for the scheduled cookout meeting.

In the future, the troop members will be learning to make their own fire starters. Girl Scout regulations forbid the use of any liquid fire starter, therefore the girls will learn to make starters from candles wrapped in waxed paper, and from waxed

### Texas Cowbelles Is Topic At Local Garden Club Meeting

The Abernathy Country Garden club met Tuesday, March 2 in the home of Mrs. Jerry Nix. Vice president Frona Mae Shadden presided.

Mrs. Juanita Sell of Petersburg was guest speaker for the meeting, and told the group of the history and organization of the Texas Cowbelles. The purpose of Texas Cowbelles is to promote the beef industry in Texas, the number-one beef producing state in the nation.

Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mrs. Sell and Mrs. Frances Mills; and members Lena Martin, Vivian Barnett, Frona Mae Shadden, Iris Braly, Alberta Davis and Nell Vida Nix.

The club's next meeting will be Tuesday, March 16 in the party room at Graham's south, with Mrs. Thelma Stephens serving as hostess.

### TEL Class Views Antique Valentines

The T. E. L. Sunday School class of Abernathy First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Susie Anderson. The program was opened by Mrs. Maude Givens. As it was Valentine time, we brought old valentines. They were shown around and brought back memories of girlhood days. I believe the oldest one was a small card of a handful of red roses with a white dove delivering an envelope with "Friendship Greetings", given to a little ten-year-old girl friend in the year of 1904. Good poems, valentine subjects, were given by Mrs. Olga Higginbotham and Mrs. Grimsley, and others gave lovely verses and stories good in life.

Present were Mmes. Eunice O'Neill, Eva Miller, Olga Higginbotham, Maude Givens, Grimsley and Martin Cora.

Our hostess served delicious cake and punch, was so good some took seconds. Lizzie Lebow, Reporter

### Bible Facts



In the Book of Matthew, Jesus asked a question that we could all benefit from asking ourselves: "Is not life more than food and the body more than clothing?" For a true Christian, life means much more than simply physical life.

Let all the joys of the godly well up in praise to the Lord, for it is right to praise Him. Ps. 33:1

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"THOUGHTS FROM WITHIN"--By Vicki Havens

Every one whom my father gives me will come to me. I will never turn away anyone who comes to me. John 6:37



Today I have been thinking of all the things I have to be thankful for. To head the list I am most thankful that, For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in should not perish, but have everlasting life. Jn. 3:16. I am thankful that we have the Word of God to teach us and show us the way to Him through His Son Jesus Christ. Rom. 5:8 says, But God commendeth his love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. 9. Much more than being now justified by his blood we shall be saved from wrath him. 10. For if, when we were enemies, we were reconciled to God by the death of His Son, much more, being reconciled, we shall be saved by his life. 11. And not only so, but we also joy in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom we have now received the atonement.

Everyone in this world today has a need to be loved. Love is offered to each one of us by God. He only ask that we believe in Jesus Christ and that he died on the cross and our sins have been washed in His blood. All we are ask to do is believe and receive Jesus Christ as our personal Saviour. Acts 16:30 says, And they said, Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house.

The gospel that saves when believed? First, it is "that Christ died for our sin."

Second "that he was buried." Third "that he rose again the third day" (1 Cor. 15:3,4) Jesus Christ the God-man died for you, was buried for you, and rose from the dead for you; and is now at the right hand of the Father interceding for you (1 John 2:1) "For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ; for it is the power of God unto salvation to everyone that believeth" (Rom. 1:16) The gospel is the power of God unto salvation only when you believe. Your faith in Jesus Christ releases the power of God that saves your soul. The man born blind received physical sight by a miracle, but spiritual sight came when Jesus asked, "Dost thou believe on the Son of God?" He answered, "Lord, I believe" (Jn. 9:35-38) Salvation came to Thomas when he believed, and confessed, "My Lord and my God" Jn. 20:24-29.

When you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus Christ, and believe in your heart that God hath raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. (Rom. 10:9-10)

It is a fact you can be saved and know it. (Jn. 5:10-13) He that believeth on the Son of God hath the witness in himself; he that believeth not God hath made him a liar; because he believeth not the record that God gave of his Son. 11. And this is the record, that God hath given to us eternal life, and this life is in the Son. 12. He that hath the Son hath life; and

he that hath not the Son of God hath not life. 13. These things have I written unto you that believe on the name of the Son of God: that ye may know that ye have eternal life, and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God. 14. And this is the confidence that we have in him, that if we ask any thing according to his will, he heareth us:

The above was taken from the "The Christ Life New Testament with the Psalms.

Today I am thankful that this gospel was shared with me and I can know more about the love of God through reading His Word. (Rom. 10:17) says, So faith cometh by hearing and hearing by the word of God. I am thankful for christian fellowship. Some may think it is boring to be a christian but, it is anything but, boring is it an adventure for life, day by day.

Another thing I am thankful for is that even though in this life here on earth we don't know what will be happening in our lives day by day, being a christian we know what our future holds eternally. It is a wonderful life. I am thankful that one day Jesus will be coming again to receive his own. I pray that everyone knows that the only way to that wonderful life is to be born again and have a personal relationship with Jesus. It is the most important message today. He is standing at the door of our hearts, waiting for us to open the door and let him in. (Rev. 3:20) Behold I stand at the door, and knock; if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me.

It's my prayer that everyone will except the wonderful love God has for all who will receive it.

"RAYS OF HOPE"

by Pat Stanton

"Praise to God" Ps. 9:11: "Sing praises to the Lord, which dwelleth in Zion declare among the people his doings."

There are numerous attitudes and actions of praise given throughout the Bible.

With Musical Instruments: Ps. 33:2: "Praise the Lord with the harp; sing unto him with the psaltery and an instrument of ten strings."

Universal Praise: Ps. 67:3: "Let the people praise thee, O God; let all the people praise thee."

Is. 42:12: "Let them give glory unto the Lord, and declare his praise in the islands."

Perpetual Praise: Heb. 13:15: "By him therefore let us offer the sacrifice of praise to God continually, that is, the fruit of our lips giving thanks to his name."

Four-Fold Reason for Praise: 1 Pet. 2:9: "But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, an holy nation, a peculiar people; that ye should shew forth the praises of him who hath called you out of darkness into his marvellous light."

The Bible gives many examples of praise from man toward God. Grateful belie-

vers need to have a life style of praise.

A man who continually offers up praises to God will be a man who has a merry heart. The proverbs say that a merry heart does good like medicine. We are strengthened as we release praises and thanksgiving.

You will also find that as you are busy praising the Lord with your lips that you will not be destroying or hurting another person with your words.

Praises belong to God---

He is worthy to be praised!

Ps. 100:4: "Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless his name."

Ps. 99:5: "Exalt ye the Lord our God, and worship at his footstool; for he is holy."

Monnie Riley underwent surgery Thursday to repair a broken hip. She is in Hi-Plains Hospital, Hale Center. She was in the hospital earlier and has been residing at the Hi-Plains Nursing Home, also in Hale Center.

Carla Pinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Pinson, is teaching in junior high and high school at Roosevelt.

NEW PROGRAMS, IDEAS DISCUSSED AT BILINGUAL ADVISORY MEETING

On Monday night, March 1, the Bilingual Advisory Committee met in the library of the elementary school. Mr. Gid Adkisson and Ms. Margaret Clements discussed with those present, changes to come in the next school year, and suggestions were

made as to the implementation of the new program and ideas. A film concerning Spanish reading was shown and explained as to how it pertains to our program. A special guest, Ms. Rosemary Gonzalez, met with the committee. She is the new

sixth grade bilingual teacher and also writes and produces the videotape programs. Those attending include Messrs. and Mmes. Max Garza, Pete Cuevas, Santos Ramirez, Messrs. Ruben Garcia and Gid Adkisson; Mrs. Clara Harp, Ms. Rosemary Gonzalez and

Ms. Margaret Clements. These meetings are open and all parents of children participating in the bilingual program are encouraged to attend. The next meeting will be held on April 5 at 8:00 p. m. in the Elementary library.

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Music- Johnny Ray Watson.
- Saturday March 13  
7:00 A.M. Men's Breakfast  
Speaker- Rev. Bill Matthews  
Music- Johnny Ray Watson  
10:00 A.M. Sharing with children (Elem. 1-6)  
Speaker- Juanelva Rose  
12:00 A.M. Youth Luncheon (Jr. High & Senior High)  
Speaker - Rev. A.W. Pringle  
Music - Johnny Ray Watson  
Ladies Luncheon -  
Speaker - Juanelva Rose  
6:00 P.M. Sandwich Supper- Fellowship Hall  
7:00 P.M. Missionary Worship Service  
Speaker - Rev. Bill Matthews  
Music - Johnny Ray Watson
- Sunday March 14  
9:45 A.M. Sharing with adults - Rev. A.W. Pringle (fellowship hall)  
Sharing with youth & children- Johnny Ray Watson  
Sunday Morning Worship: Speaker Rev. Bill Matthews  
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11:00 A.M. Sunday Evening - Speaker Rev. A.W. Pringle  
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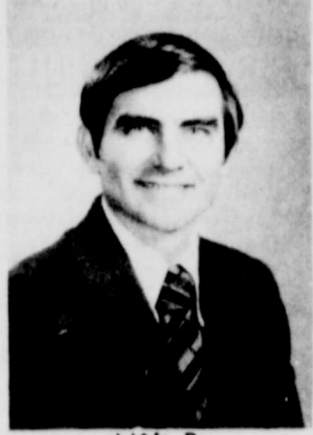
### POPE COMPLETES FARMERS' INSURANCE 12-MONTH CAREER TRAINING COURSE

Milt Pope has received a certificate of accomplishment upon his graduation from Farmers Insurance Group of Companies' 12-month career training program, it was announced today by Harold Roulette, CPCU regional manager.

Candidates are given training and experience in automobile and fire insurance, policy service and basic claims handling. They then receive basic training in life insurance and commercial lines plus advanced instruction in underwriting and claims handling (while attending school at one of the companies' regional offices throughout the operating territory).

Since attending the school, Milt has been conducting business from his office, in Abernathy and participating in further field training coordinated by his district manager and regional office specialists.

Graduates continue to develop their capabilities through seminars and special commercial coverage clinics.



Milt Pope

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### SWINE PRODUCTION SHORT COURSE SCHEDULED AT NEW DEAL

A Swine Production Short Course for adult farmers will be held March 15-18 under the sponsorship of the New Deal High School Vocational Agriculture Department according to Mr. Foye Flood, Superintendent, and Mr. Berhl Robertson, Teacher of Vocational Agriculture.

Dr. Robert S. Cohen, Swine Production Specialist with the Vocational Agriculture Division of the Texas Education Agency and the Department of Animal Science of Texas A&M University, will be the instructor for the course. He is headquartered at Texas A&M University.

Dr. Cohen received a B. S. degree in Animal Science in 1965, and a M. S. degree in Animal Nutrition in 1972 from Texas A&M University. He has also received the Ph. D. degree in Animal Nutrition from Texas A&M University, 1975.

The short course at New Deal is scheduled to begin March 15 at 7:00 p. m. in the Vocational Agriculture Building. Other meetings in the series of four will be held March 16-18. During the dates the short course is in progress, Dr. Cohen will be available to assist swine producers with individual problems and to provide on-the-farm instruction, according to Berhl Robertson.

Producers interested in attending the short course should write or call the superintendent of schools, Mr. Foye Flood, or the teacher of vocational agriculture, Mr. Berhl Robertson. An enrollment fee of \$5 will be charged.

Swine Production Short Course certificates will be presented to each swine producer who attends all the training sessions.

Dr. Cohen states that pork producers must make a serious effort to increase efficiency of production in the future. Increasing costs of equipment and services purchased, accompanied by fluctuating prices received at the market are contributing factors. The number of pigs produced per sow per year and the amount of weight gain from a pound of feed are two important measures of productivity to be evaluated. Dr. Cohen indicates the swine production short course will deal with methods to increase efficiency of production. He also states the course will include such important topics as swine selection and breeding programs, feeds and feeding, housing and equipment, herd health and sanitation, management for profitable production, marketing, and records.

Short courses in swine production, as well as in other areas, are now available to farmers throughout the state under the cooperative program between the Texas Education Agency and Texas A&M University.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hopson and family last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Inman of Abilene.

The Hopsons also received a visit from Mrs. Hopson's mother, Mrs. Naomi Murrell of Hereford, who was a guest in the Hopson home for several days during the early part of last week.

A group from Garland St. Church of Christ Plainview came to the Abernathy Church of Christ Wednesday night to give a demonstration of teaching with puppets.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Manley and family of Eunice, N. M., visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Manley last weekend.

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### NEWS AND COMMENT by Buford Davenport

There are too many governing bodies in Austin and in Washington that are named by appointive rather than elected officials. The appointees are too far removed from the people they are supposed to serve... too insulated against the voting public that may not be happy with their performance. The State Insurance Board is one of many in Texas that should be operated by elected rather than appointed officials. Also, the Speaker of the House should be elected by the people just as the lieutenant governor, the presiding officer of the Senate. We are happy with the current Speaker, Bill Clayton of Springlake, but there have been Speakers in the past who abused the great powers that office affords. One of two moves should be made for the U. S. Supreme Court. Either elect the members by vote of the people or set a retirement age. The lifetime appointment leaves too many members in the powerful position beyond their abilities to serve due either to advanced age or state of health.

News & Comment - I finally found out why 40-inch rows were a standard for so many years. The 40-inch-wide middles were necessary when farming was done with horses and mules. It took that width for the animals to walk between the rows. That extra width no longer is required with tractor power farming.

News & Comment - When the powers-that-be in Washington, D. C., set the "one man one vote" rule it killed the rural areas' power in Congress. Representative boundaries were redrawn on a population basis, giving the balance of congressional power to the urban centers in the U. S. From here on in, agricultural areas will get only the crumbs from the Washington table. Recently, when cost of food dipped slightly in the stores, the bureaucrats gleefully explained it was accomplished by a drop in prices for farm products. I grant that the consumers' interest should be protected, but the source of the food supply also should have price protection... otherwise the source, the farmers, will be unable to produce the food for this

other nations. The big rip off on food happens somewhere from the time products leave the farm and the elevators and the finished item is delivered to the food retailer. The only way farmers will get a fair price for their products will be a farmer-controlled marketing system that can withhold products when prices dip below a profitable level. Meat markets are being set up by the producers to sell directly to retail customers. Whether this will mean a savings to the customer or greater profit for the producer remains to be seen. There are ranchers' meat markets selling to the retail trade in Dallas and in Lubbock.

News & Comment - Among the patriotic music that sends chills up and down the spine is John Phillip Sousa's "The Stars and Stripes Forever." That will be included on the Bicentennial program at Lubbock's Municipal Auditorium. The program will be staged by the United States Armed Forces Bicentennial Band and Chorus at 3 p. m. Sunday, March 7. The program is free of charge but you must obtain a ticket in advance to be admitted. Tickets holders must be at the auditorium by 2:45 p. m. to gain admittance. The free tickets are available at several places including the auditorium box office. Get your ticket early... like today.

News & Comment - The detestable "dirty campaign tricks" did not originate with Nixon supporters in the 1972 presidential fracas. The television make-up person, who made up Nixon to look green-faced on the tube during the Nixon-Kennedy debate telecast from Chicago during the presidential race between those two, scored a "dirty campaign trick." That incident must have flashed through newscaster Dan Rather's mind recently when the audio was garbled while Ronald Reagan was talking before TV cameras. Rather apologized for the "poor" audio, but there was no instant replay to hear exactly what Reagan said. It could have been an honest difficulty with audio... but the Chicago trick makes one wonder.

### Party Line

Becky Albers is a patient in West Texas Hospital, Lubbock.

Speck Cox, AHS vocational agriculture instructor, has returned home home West Texas Hospital, Lubbock, where he was under treatment for pneumonia.

Mrs. Owen Benn is in serious condition in West Texas Hospital, Lubbock.

David McClendon was in Abernathy Tuesday attending the Fat Stock Show. He is a student at Texas Tech.

Walter L. Rutledge of Lubbock visited in Abernathy Tuesday.

Mrs. Maria Rita Ramirez is here from Waco on a three-week visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Pichardo, and family.

Mrs. Josephine Wright of Lubbock and the late Leonard Wright.

Manuel Hernandez was taken to St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock, by Abernathy EMS ambulance March 3.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Wesley went to LaPorte to attend the funeral of Mrs. Peggy Prokish, the former Peggy Wright, who died Sunday in Houston.

Peggy, a former Abernathy resident and AHS graduate, was the daughter of Mrs. Josephine Wright of Lubbock and the late Leonard Wright.

Mr. Harold Thompson and children visited her parents in Wichita Falls last weekend.

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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: W.M.C., 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: Women's 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

CENTER CHURCH

Route 1, Idalou 746-6184

BRO. EARNEST BREWER, pastor

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

Buck Atterbury, 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, 7:45 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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REV. H. B. COGGIN, pastor

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. featuring visiting Ministers and lay speakers

Mrs. Lawrence Amerson, church secretary  
Herbert Watson, Sunday school superintendent

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Galatians 5:22-23

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Delight thyself also in the LORD and he shall give thee the desires of thine heart. Ps. 37:4

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
411 7th St. 298-2587  
DR. NEIL RECORD, interim pastor

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.  
U.M.W., 7:00 p. m.  
Wednesday: Choir practice, 7:30 p. m.  
U.M.W. meets second Monday of each month at 10:00 p. m.

George Riddell, music director  
Chris Weathers, church secretary  
Lara Rayburn, director of Children's work

Let no corrupt communications proceed out of your mouth, but that which is good to the use of edifying, that it may minister grace unto the hearers. Eph. 4:29

LATIN AMERICAN CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE  
Ave. A. & 5th St. 298-2474  
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: M.A.'s, G.A.'s and Midweek Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Music: Billy Beard  
Sunday School superintendent, Ralph Hanes  
Training Union director, Clyde Pittman

PRIMERA MISION BAPTISTA  
1112 Jerome 298-2613  
REV. JOSE M. RODRIGUEZ, pastor

Sunday: 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, 8:00 p. m.  
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. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cortez

CCD Board meets first Mondays of each month at 8:00 p. m.

Max Garza, choir director  
Helen Payne, CCD coordinator



### CLOUD SEEDING HEARING SET

AN adjudicative hearing aimed at determining whether some area farmers have been harmed by hail suppression programs will be held in Lubbock March 17.

The hearing is scheduled for 10 a.m. in the Tech University law school courtroom.

Two companies, Plains Weather Improvement Association Inc. and Atmospheric Inc., have applied to the Texas Water Development Board for four-year permits to modify weather over the South Plains, beginning this spring.

Royston S. Lanning, water board general counsel, said that claims and counter-claims concerning the two companies would be aired in the single hearing, unless any interested parties raise a valid objection to that procedure.

At the hearing, it is expected that all testimony will be given under oath, and witnesses may be cross-examined.

Weather modification has been a center of controversy since it was inaugurated in this area in 1970.

Proponents of the programs, which are funded on a volunteer basis by one group of farmers, claim cloud seeding has reduced hail capable of

wiping out crops. Most of the backers of the programs are farmers who have irrigated land. Rain Reduction Hlt Opponents, mainly dryland farmers, claim cloud seeding reduces rainfall needed to raise crops.

### Connell Completes CLU Courses, Tests

Local insurance agent Joe Connell has recently completed Chartered Life Underwriters courses 301, (Individual insurance, life and health and hospitalization,) and 303 (group insurance, social security, workmen's compensation, medicare, etc.)

The courses, optional to insurance agents, require extensive study in preparation for comprehensive two-hour examinations.

After competing the courses, Connell recently completed the comprehensive examinations for both at Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

Connell represents various companies offering individual life and health, and group insurance.

Purpose of the CLU courses and examinations is to enable the agent to better assist his clients in fulfilling their varied insurance needs.

### Grain Grading Is Scheduled Topic On GSPA Membership Meeting Agenda

LUBBOCK, TEX.--Cost of production, grain grading problems, and grain marketing potentials are topics which will highlight the annual membership meeting of Grain Sorghum Producers Association on March 12.

The day-long session will begin with registration at 9 a.m. at the Hilton Inn, 4th St. and Ave. Q, and will continue through the morning with talks by agricultural representatives. Presiding will be GSPA vice president Mabry Foreman of Felt, Okla.

The afternoon business session will be devoted to discussion and adoption of policies for the coming year. GSPA president A.W. (Dub) Anthony, Jr. of Friona, Tex. will preside. The business session will be followed by an executive committee meeting, which is open only to committee members.

Dr. Burton French of Washington, D.C., chairman of the USDA task force which conducted the nationwide cost of production study, will discuss findings of the survey.

Ross R. Staud of Fort Worth, Tex., a federal grain inspector, will discuss recent

grain grading problems and their possible solutions.

Hubert Dyke of Washington, D.C., vice president of U.S. Feed Grains Council, will discuss the financial responsibility of the producer in overseas market development.

GSPA directors will elect new officers and the executive committee for the coming year.

### News Briefs....

Mrs. Noel Johnson of Richardson visited her mother, Mrs. Oma Toler, and in the home of her brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Crow have returned from Temple where they visited her mother, Mrs. J.H. Hargrove, 84, who is ill.

Mrs. Alvis Billbrey of Carlsbad, N.M. is visiting here in the home of Chris and Christye Waters. She is a former Abernathian resident.

Mrs. Leona Willingham, local postal employee, was under treatment for pneumonia at Lubbock Osteopathic Hospital.



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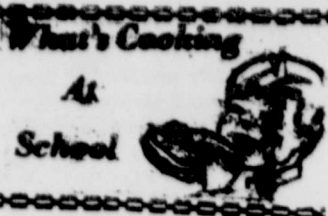
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MONDAY

Toasted cheese sandwich, potatoe salad, buttered green peas, plain cake with chocolate icing, 1/2 pt. milk.

TUESDAY  
Corn dog, mustard, pinto beans, corn chips, peach half, sugar cookies, 1/2 pt. milk.

WEDNESDAY  
Tacos, tossed salad, buttered green beans, peanut butter cake with icing, 1/2 pt. milk.

THURSDAY  
Steak, rice, blackeyed peas, cole slaw, hot rolls, butter, fruit cobbler, 1/2 pt. milk.

FRIDAY  
Hamburgers, W/lettuce, tomatoes, onion, french fries, brownies, 1/2 pt. milk.

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcement 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, HARVEY LUTRICK, For County Tax Assessor: BILL HOLLARS, For Re-election.

For Sheriff: CHARLES TUE, For Re-election.

(The Above is a Paid Political Listing.)

### LODGE MEETING TONIGHT at 7:30 P.M.

A stated meeting of Abernathy Lodge No. 1142 A. F. & A. M. will be held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 11. Worshipful Master Rudolph Richter urges all local members to be present, and extends a welcome to visiting Masons.

### News From The Assembly of God Church

A great revival is in progress at the Assembly of God Church. Rev. and Mrs. Jess White from Lubbock are the singing evangelists. Services are at 7:30 p.m. nightly and will conclude Sunday with 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. services. Many souls have been blessed and revived at our altars this week. You don't want to miss this great meeting.

Sunday school is great at our church. Our literature is the best you can get. Our teachers are enthusiastic. Our Young Married Class enjoys coffee and doughnuts during their study together. Our Career or College Class is geared to this age. The Hi-Teens are enjoying an increase, as is the Junior High class. Interest in the Juniors, Intermediate and Beginners is keen. Every age has a place in our Sunday school hour. If you desire a place to study God's Word, ask Him about us. We believe the Bible and use it as the authority in all we teach. Come, grow with us.

The Men's Fellowship met Saturday morning for

### WHAT'S NEW AT NORTHSIDE?

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Rogers are in Long Beach, California to attend the funeral of Mrs. Rogers brother who passed away Saturday with a heart attack. We extend our sympathy to the Rogers family at this time.

We are having cottage prayer meetings each Tuesday night in preparation for our up-coming revival. Everyone is invited to attend these prayer meetings. You may secure the information for these meetings by calling 298-2497.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hunter of Amarillo were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rogers.

The Acteens and their leaders Mrs. Tom Maurer and Mrs. Tom Conway had charge of presenting the Home Mission program to the church Sunday Evening. The girls did a very good job of this and we appreciate it very much.

Mr. and Mrs. D.H. Baker are in Fort Worth with his brother who is critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. P.L. Parsons have been to Newcastle, Texas to bring back his mother who has been visiting there.

Mrs. Raymond Turner of Hobbs, and Mrs. Steve Turner

### Budget-Conscious Cleaning Is HD Club Topic

The Great Society Home Demonstration met for their first Monday meeting with ten members present.

Maybell Glass, president, presided at the meeting.

Karen Miller, the Asst. Home Extension agent provided the program. Cleaning on a Shoestring. She pointed out to the group that one spends more each week in the grocery store for cleaning items than one thinks for.

The agent with a few basics like ammonia, vinegar, soda made a very effective cleaner for sinks and window and mirror.

She reminded the women that many cleaning products available today are basic ingredients that have been premixed, perfumed and packaged in aerosol cans or attractive bottles.

Sometimes one has more time than money.

Those present were: Imogene Suttle, Karen Miller, Alice Pace, Rosie Honeycutt, Antonia Garza, Maybell Glass, Yosente Garcia, Maria R. Martinez, Alberta Wolfe, and Juanita Brantley.

Ruben Hudson is a patient in a Littlefield hospital.

Mrs. Hilbert Rantz was in Crosbyton this week to be with her mother, she was a patient in the Crosbyton Hospital.

breakfast at James Graham's Restaurant. Eight men attended this first organizational meeting. The devotion was given by Jackie Stone. The Men's Fellowship will meet this Saturday and elect officers. Projects are planned for the group, one of which is the organization of "Royal Rangers", a program for boys of the church.

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

Man is a puzzle. He wants to live a long time, yet he does things that shortens life. He desires immortality, yet he will not believe on the Lord Jesus Christ to enjoy everlasting life. He longs for liberty, yet he makes himself a slave to sin. He may become a saint, yet he chooses to be a sinner.

Long ago one asked in Psalm 144:3, "Lord, what is man, that Thou takest knowledge of him?"

Man was created by God. He did not evolve out of or ascend from some lower animal. He is different from all other animals in many ways--physically, mentally and spiritually.

Man is what he is because God made him that way. What man does matters to God. What happens to man matters to God.

This puzzled the Psalmist. He asked, "Why bother at all with the human race?" But John 3:16 has the answer: "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."

Man is not truly man until he accepts God's love and becomes God's man.

Joe Craig was returned home Saturday from Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, where he underwent surgery.

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"Rays of Hope" TV Program Channel 28 Sundays at 5:00 P.M.

### JOB OPPORTUNITIES

HELP WANTED--65 or over to do light work. Apply in person. Abernathy Texaco, 10:00 a.m. to 6 p.m. See Clyde Pittman, South Abernathy. (tr)

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