

REVIEW STAFF ASKS READER AID IN COVERAGE OF BICENTENNIAL EVENTS

The Abernathy Weekly Review will be reporting more information about the July 3, 4, and 5 celebration in next week's edition. Due to lack of time because of our deadline and having to put the paper together Tuesday there are a lot of stories and possibly more pictures. If any of our readers have pictures they would like to share with us and others for next week's edition we would like to have them.

We would like for the different classes to write a report of your reunions and turn them in by Thursday afternoon or Friday so we can get them typed for next week's edition.

We regret we didn't get pictures over the weekend but, due to Richard's mother being critically ill we were not here to get some of the reports we feel like should be in the paper. We would greatly appreciate your help in getting any information you can into us for next week.

Arno Struve reported that the time capsule will not be buried until after next week's Review is out so we can have better coverage on all the activities. We do need you to help us and hope you will

turn in any stories, pictures or information you have.

I know the celebration was a success and I feel sure that everyone who gave so much time and hard work feel it was worth it all.

I am very glad I got to see so many friends that I hadn't seen in years and it was a wonderful time to visit and share old memories and renew wonderful friendships. Saturday at the reunion.

Again, let us urge you to report your information, so we can print it for all those who did not get to come and for all those who did will enjoy reading about it.

Thank you for cooperating with us.

Vicki and Richard and staff

Mr. Louis Schaap was in Minnesota to be with her mother, who was ill.

Sunshine Group To Meet July 15th

Abernathy's Sunshine Group will have a luncheon meeting at 11 a. m. Thursday, July 15, in the city hall club room. All members and prospective members are urged to attend.



Marty Cash

Miss Marty Cash Named Summer Youth Director At Local Church

"I enjoy working with youth. Youth work is a very fulfilling experience," says Marty Cash, the summer youth director of the Abernathy United Methodist Church.

Nineteen-year-old Marty calls San Antonio home. She will be a junior at McMurry College this fall with a major in English and a minor in Religion. Marty attended Texas Tech University and San Antonio College her freshman year, and McMurry her sophomore year.

At McMurry Marty is the secretary to the Dean of women, works on a literary magazine, works in Christian Outreach, and is a Student Senator in the Student Government.

Marty is staying in the home of Mrs. Betty Albers this summer. Commenting on Abernathy, she said, "I like the people here. I'm comfortable here and it's

friendly. It's a lot like home." Some of Marty's hobbies include camping, cross country skiing, bicycle riding, badminton, embroidery, and clowning. She has been a clown at several parades, and at a children's film festival. She said, "I enjoy clowning; it's a very interesting activity."

When asked about her family, Marty laughed and said that she was not related to Johnny Cash. Her parents, Bob and Donna, live in Lubbock. One of her four brothers is in medical school in Galveston, one goes to Texas Tech University, and two are in Jr. High School.

Her future plans include going to England to study John Wesley, and hopefully to tour Brazil.

Marty plans to become a Methodist minister. She said, "I see my future in the church at work in the world."



ROCKIN' AROUND THE CLOCK--was the aim, and then some, of these entrants in last weekend's Bicentennial Rocking chair marathon. The nearly 20 entrants are shown here during the first hour of the competition. More on this and other activities during Abernathy's Bicentennial celebration will follow in next week's issue of the Review. (staff photo)

ANNUAL 4-H JUNIOR CAMP SLATED FOR JULY 13 - 14 AT COUNTY AG CENTER

4-H members, 9 to 13 years of age, are eagerly anticipating the 4-H Junior Camp, July 13-14. The camp, held each year, is an overnight affair at the Hale County Agriculture Center, where 4-H'ers from over the county gather just to have a lot of fun.

Activities that are planned for the 4-H'ers are roller skating, swimming, crafts, a sing song, folk games, team sports, and plenty of eats.

Any 9-13-year-old who has been a member of a Hale County 4-H club for even one day is eligible to attend. The cost will be approximately \$5-\$6. Items each 4-H'er will need to bring are: swim suit, socks (for skating), baby food jar and cap (for craft), a sack lunch (for noon on the 13th) a bed roll and pillow, toilet articles, and

casual clothes for two days. The camp is from noon on July 13 to noon on July 14.

Supervision of the camp will consist of Extension Agents, one adult leader and one junior leader from each club that has juniors participating. Other adults will be in and out to supervise the different activities.

HUGH HILL'S MOTHER DIES

Mrs. Luella Hill, 70, of Powhatan, Ohio, died June 30. Funeral rites were held July 3. A son, Hugh Hill, of Abernathy had gone to Ohio earlier to be with his mother in her illness prior to her death.

Rites Held For Maximo Garza, 76

Mass was celebrated for Maximo Garza, Sr., 76, of Lubbock and formerly of New Deal at 3 p. m. June 30, in St. Isidore Catholic Church in Abernathy with the Rev. Clifton Corcoran, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Abernathy Odd Fellow Cemetery under direction of Chambers Funeral Home of Abernathy.

Mr. Garza died June 28, in Parloway Manor Nursing Home, Lubbock, after a lengthy illness.

Garza had lived in Lubbock for five years, since moving there from New Deal where he had lived for 10 years. Born in Seguin, he came to the Abernathy area in 1947 and was a retired farmer.

Survivors include three sons, Max and Amulfo, both of Abernathy, and Raul of Lubbock; a daughter, Mrs. Eustolia Tarango of Post; a brother, Simon of San Antonio; four sisters, Mrs. Christina Valdez and Mrs. Ascension Valdez, both of Lubbock, Celia Ramirez of Austin and Fedelia Salazar of Seguin; 14 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Rev. Gardener Resigns Post As Northside Pastor

Bro. Douglas Gardner, pastor of Northside Baptist Church, has submitted his resignation to the church effective July 12. He will be assuming the pastorate of Circle Back Baptist Church July 18th.

Bro. and Mrs. Gardner wish to express their appreciation to the people of Abernathy for the love and kindness that has been shown them during their stay here, and especially for the thoughtfulness that was displayed during his illness last fall and winter. Their prayers will be for each one in this community that the Lord will richly bless each one of you.

The Gardner's new address will be Star Route, Box 21, Sudan, Texas 79371.

Masons Meet Here July 8

A stated meeting of Abernathy Lodge No. 1142 A. F. & A. M. will be held at 8:30 p. m. Thursday, July 8. All Masons are urged to attend.

Wilkes To M. C. ND City Hall Open House

The new city hall at New Deal will hold Grand Opening festivities Sunday, July 11, from 2 to 5 p. m. Ribbon cutting and Opening Ceremonies will be held at 2:15 p. m. Former Abernathian Morris Wilkes, now on the staff of radio station KFYO, Lubbock, will serve as master of ceremonies at the New Deal City Hall event.

Mayor Ray West and members of the City Council extend an invitation to the public to attend the opening event.

The Gean Nunn family returned last week from an extended vacation tour, which took them to many places, including Canada.



Red Cross names new chairman

Plainviewan Charles Lechtold was installed chapter chairman and Steve Broussard Vice-chairman of the directors for the Hale County Red Cross at their recent annual meeting.

Also, Mrs. Kathleen Turner of Hale Center and Mrs. Sally Haynes, Mrs. Barbara Browning, Vic Manning, Freddie Bechtold and Gary Ott, all of Plainview, were elected as new directors.

Red Cross officers are: Bill Barrett, chairman of first aid; Joe Hadley, water safety chairman; Ernest Ragle, chapter treasurer; Mrs. Nell Peters, chairman of volunteers; Mrs. Jean Heye, disaster nurse vice chairman; and Mrs. Delia Hall, nurse enrollment chairman. Mrs. Theima Philpott is the executive secretary.

BOARD members going off the board were: June Reed, Mike Lemons, Angus Ott, Frank Curry, and Leon Melton.

Also, five longtime members were honored with special pens. They were Mrs. C.B. Harder, G.E. Ragle, Susan Riggs, Della Hall, and Florence Watson.

Special guests at the annual meeting, attended by 43 persons, were: Judge and Mrs. Henry Heck, Bill Lynch of the West Texas Division, Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Herber of the Lubbock County Red Cross. Also, Herber was guest speaker.

NEWS AND COMMENT By Buford Davenport

NGC--Kermit D. Woodridge was one of who came great distances to attend the Exes of Abernathy School reunions July 3. Kermit resides in Pinnellas Park, Florida. Kermit is the brother of Mrs. Joe (Lois Ann) Lovelace. He stayed here about a week, leaving Monday morning. En route home, he stopped in Bolivar, Miss., for a routine physical checkup at Keesler Air Force Base Hospital. Kermit retired from an Army career after 24 years of service. On a visit here during World War Two, Kermit was a guest of the Commander of South Plains Army Air Field, where Lubbock Regional Airport currently is located. That base trained glider pilots and Kermit was involved in that warfare project, as an officer. Following his retirement from the service, he attended college and received his degree. He then embarked on a new career as a school teacher. He has taught math the past 15 years. He plans to retire one more year and then retire from that profession. Also here from Florida was another Ex, Gary Smith of Miami. If there were others from Florida, I apologize. We didn't know.

NGC--While on the subject of switching careers, Vance Thomas of Baton Rouge, La., retired from the hotel-motel business last Jan. 31. It was a very successful career, starting as an elevator operator and bellhop in the Texas Hotel at Fort Worth in the 1930's just after he finished Abernathy High School. When he terminated that career, he was general manager of Oak Manor Motel Hotel, a large establishment on the highway out of Baton Rouge toward New Orleans. His new career is the managership of the 500-member Sherwood Forest Country Club at Baton Rouge. He was manager of a number of hotels and motels in several states while in that career.

NGC--One of the highlights of the 3-day event was the "I Love America" musical sponsored by Abernathy Music Club. Directing the inspirational program in the school auditorium Sunday night was George Riddell, with Charles Bowen as general manager of the production, which involved some 75 local persons. Mr. Riddell is the band director for Abernathy Schools. Mr. Bowen is the AHS Guidance Counselor/Director of Federal Programming.

The last day of the Celebration, July 5, was kicked off with one of the best parades we've ever had. Large crowds attended the many events of that day.

Further coverage of the three day celebration July 3-4-5 will be in later issues of The Review. First, we were

hampered by the holidays... here and in the printing plant, which is a situation normal when holidays come on Mondays.

The Haven family, composing most of the local staff, spent most of the holiday period with Mrs. Bonnie Haven, Lubbock, who is critically ill in St. Mary's Hospital in that city. She is the mother of Review Publisher Richard Haven.

Our thanks to former Review editor, Mrs. Tom Ray (formerly Lori Hopson) who came up from Lubbock to help produce this issue of The Review.

NGC--In this column earlier this year after Jimmy Carter came on the scene, we stated the possibility of Zbigniew Brezinski being Secretary of State in the event Carter eventually became president. Was this man representing a potential president of the United States when he recently made a semi-official visit to Israel? If you think Kissinger is hard to spell, try memorizing the above two names. Also being mentioned as potential appointees for Secretary of State if Carter wins are George Ball and Cyrus Vance, both well-known names in Government. Zbigniew Brezinski is an expert on international relations at Columbia University.

NGC--Handling thousands of words each week as we do, a typographically-perfect paper is impossible... even the big daily newspapers have this problem. In this column last week, on art discussion, we made an error in a portion of a paragraph. The revised portion is given below.

Not all art is done with brush and colors. Charles Ray Owens uses a torch and metal to produce art forms. His cowboy and cowgirl figures from metal look as good to me as some I've seen bearing high price tags in studios. He produces windmills and stock tanks in miniature from metal, also a pole-balancing figure.

NGC--Aside from "Main" and "Broadway" the most common street name over the U. S. A. is "Division Street." Offhand, I can think of several towns with a Division Street, including Slaton. A letter addressed to a number on "Division Street" and without the city named could end up anywhere. A letter addressed with a number to the following, and without the city named, would have an outside chance of being delivered: Pennsylvania Avenue, Wilshire Blvd., Market Street, Beale Street, Wm. C. Hasty Ave., Bourbon Street, Avenue of the Americas, Commerce 6 A Ward, Lake Shore Drive, Polk Street, Collins Avenue, Biscayne Blvd., Colorado Ave., Vine St. and Fifth Avenue. Depending on where it was mailed, a letter with a number on "The Strip" would end up either in Las Vegas or south of Lubbock.

NGC--The Ex-Students-Teachers reunion, like other phases of the 3-day celebra-

tion, was a great success. Exes came from as near as New Deal to as far as halfway around the world. An Ex, Mrs. Mark Tucker (Ida Moore) was here from the farthest away. Her address is: Department of State, Washington, D. C. 20520 Post Office Box 128, Dacca, Bangladesh. The map we have shows Dacca to be a 100 or more miles from Calcutta, India. Exes were here from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from the Gulf to the Canadian border. They spent a lot of money to come home to Abernathy for the reunion. We overheard one Ex who lives in an adjoining state say roundtrip plane tickets for him and his wife cost \$400.00. And, there were many who flew in from much greater distances. They seemed to enjoy the Exes day, July 3, and the many reunions. There were reunion activities covering a period from Friday night, July 2, to Sunday night, July 4, with most being held Saturday night, July 3.

Abernathy's July 3-4-5 Bicentennial Celebration will go down in our history as the best celebration ever held here.

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Misunderstanding Of State Tax May Cause Problems For Businesses

Austin--Comptroller Bob Bullock warned Tuesday that many Texas businesses are ignoring the use tax and may run into costly problems when visited by his auditors.

"It's called the sales AND use tax," said Bullock. "But too many people don't understand what the second part of that means."

The Comptroller said the biggest part of the problem is with businesses that do not sell retail goods, have no sales and use tax permit, and never think about the tax when they buy equipment from outside the state.

"A bank, television or radio station, or any business requiring specialized equipment may buy that equipment from out-of-state without paying the Texas sales tax," he said. "In all those cases, however, they owe the

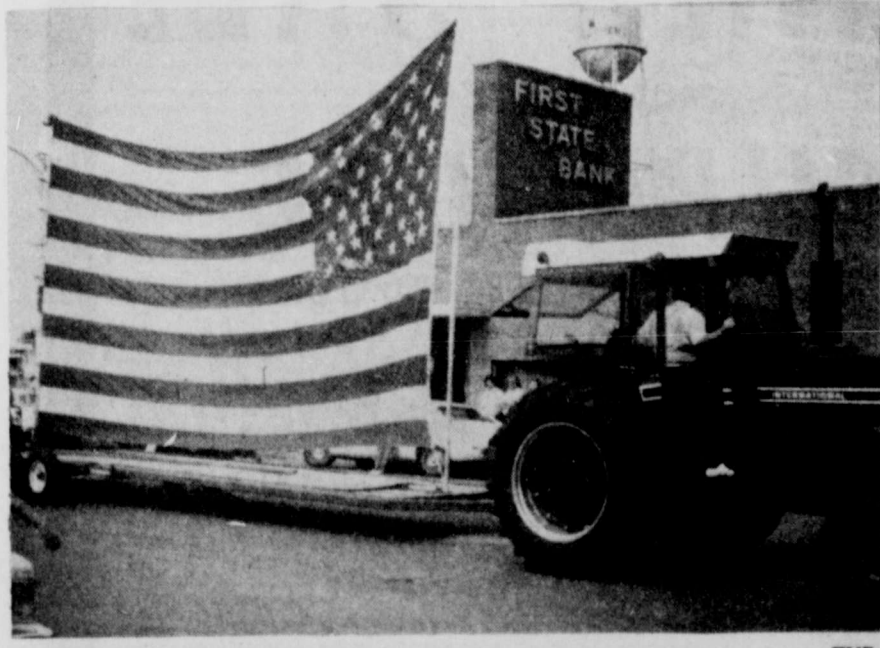
Texas use tax on the total cost of the purchase."

In fact, said Bullock, the use tax is due on any goods bought from out-of-state and then put to business or personal use, without being resold.

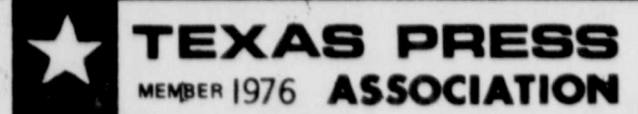
The Comptroller said his office is conducting a public information campaign in an effort to clear up misunderstanding about the use tax.

Also Tuesday, Bullock mailed checks totaling \$48.9 million to 846 cities and towns as the June rebate of the one-cent city sales tax they collect.

Condy Billingsley, minister of the Church of Christ announces that they will have a Gospel Meeting Monday through Wednesday of next week. See their ad in this edition of The Review.



THE COLORFUL PARADE on July 5 had many participants and spectators. Left: This is the 15' by 25' American Flag which has been being flown 48 Struve Implement north of town. Center: The Little Dribblers with America a Happy Birthday with their float. They placed 2nd in the float competition. Right: The FHA girls present



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HARMFUL INSECT POPULATION REPORTED LIGHT IN AREA FOR PRESENT

In a word the insect situation throughout the area is "light".

COTTON: Some cotton has infestations of thrips but none was observed showing excessive damage. Cotton is still looking for warm weather and will not make much growth until the weather warms. In all cotton that I've inspected the terminal bud is not being affected by thrips and new leaves that are emerging are growing well. The cotyledons and first leaves show light thrips damage but more from cold weather and wind.

CORN: Survival of overwintering southwestern corn borer larvae was lighter than I had feared in late plowed stubble. There are fields with high survival rates and these surviving borers will provide high numbers of this pest when the second generation emerges. If you have the opportunity to visit a field plowed for the first time in March or later, split some tap roots and see what you find. In most cases you won't have to look at many before you find a larva, a pupa or a pupal case from which the adult emerged. Flowing of this stubble by mid-February would have reduced this surviving population almost to zero.

In the Hale Center area most of the southwestern corn borers have pupated with almost 10% already emerged as adults. In the Edmonson area about 80% have pupated but no indication of adult emergence has been noted. I can detect no reason to expect any extensive damage from the first generation of this pest. This would be the generation developing from the overwintering population. The second generation can be expected sometime between July 15th and August 15th and will be the one to watch. Larvae of that generation are the ones that gnaw the plant causing lodging.

Crops have made excellent growth during the past week. Cotton especially has benefited from the hot weather. Irrigation has started

on almost all of the corn and on some grain sorghum. Wheat harvest has begun so most thrips have left the wheat.

Cotton Insects: Thrips are the most prevalent insects found in cotton. Moderate numbers may be found in cotton adjacent to maturing small grains or weedy lakes. Damage in these areas is very limited due to the favorable growing conditions. By observing the terminal bud and newest leaves we can see that the growth of plant is not being retarded.

Cotton aphids have been observed in low numbers in several fields but lady beetles are evident in these areas and are keeping the aphids in check.

Corn Insects: The southwestern corn borer situation varies throughout the county. In the southern part of the county as many as 30% of the overwintering population has emerged as adults. Those remaining are present as larvae or pupae. In the Edmonson area there is very little evidence of adult emergence but most are in the pupal stage.

This distribution of the population from larvae to adults indicates that we must expect prolonged periods of adult activity during both first and second generations.

While some people advocate insecticide application against the first generation of the southwestern corn borer, I have observed no indications that this practice is effective in reducing lodging. Adult migration can provide infestations from several miles and completely negate any local control of the first generation. If producers feel that the lodging problem justifies borer control, insecticide applications timed to coincide with the second generation egg hatch has proven most effective in reducing lodging.

Spider mites (presumed to be Banks grass mites) are present in low numbers in most corn fields. These populations are not increasing and are not expected to

increase until the corn starts maturing.

Grain Sorghum Insects: Corn leaf aphids are present in most fields in low numbers. Older sorghum has more than younger sorghum and beneficial insects appear to be increasing on these populations.

Greenbugs can be found in low numbers in many fields. Several colonies of up to 25 greenbugs were seen in older sorghum in the Hale Center area. The highest population recorded was 2 greenbugs per plant. In the Edmonson area 8 greenbugs per 10 plants was the highest population recorded. About one-half of the fields in each area has detectable greenbug numbers.

Beneficial Insects: Lady beetles are the most common beneficial insect found. They are found in low numbers in any field with any aphid population.

Spiders, minute pirate bugs, Nabids and big-eyed bugs are other commonly beneficials.

SCS has new soil trainee

Carl Hutcherson, recently hired by the Soil Conservation Service, has been transferred to the Plainview area as his first assignment to undergo about a year of training for the service. His job will be to aid farmers and land owners in developing and planning conservative plans.

Hutcherson considers San Antonio as his home. He graduated from Sam Houston State University at Huntsville and worked towards his masters degree at Texas A&M. Hutcherson and his wife, Janice, live between Lockney and Plainview on F.M. 2286. They are members of St. Alice Catholic Church.



Two Local Students Named To Wayland Dean's Honor Roll

Two Abernathy students have been named to the dean's honor roll at Wayland Baptist College for the spring semester.

Anna Karen Rigler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Childress, is a biology major and a 1973 graduate of Abernathy High School. She earned a perfect 4.00 GPA for the semester.

Frances Elaine Stanfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Stanfield, is a special education major and a 1975 graduate of Abernathy High School. She earned a 3.53 GPA for the semester.



Many booths full of delicious things to eat were a part of the numerous activities of the Bicentennial Celebration. The booths were located behind the new fire hall.

Local Girls Attend Wayland College Basketball Camp

The following girls from Abernathy attended the Flying Queens Basketball Camp, at the Wayland campus in Plainview the week of June 20-26. They are Ramona Irbeck, Darla McGuire, Jill Blalock, and Conny Wolf. Three of the girls, Ramona, Darla, and Conny, made the all star team in the Senior Division, and Jill placed among the top three in the talent show group. Ramona was selected the Most Valuable Forward, Darla was picked among the top three for Best Defensive Guard, and Conny was selected among the top three for Best Offensive Rebounder.

The girls are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Irbeck, Mr. and Mrs. Darle McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Blalock, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wolf.

SHIRLEY MANLEY NAMED TO HONOR ROLL

STEPHENVILLE, TX. --- Shirley Manley, a Tarleton State University student from Abernathy, has been named to the "A" Honor Roll and Distinguished Student List for the Spring Semester 1976.

Students named to the "A" Honor Roll must take a minimum of 12 hours and make a grade of "A" in all courses.

The Distinguished Student List consists of those students who carry at least 12 semester hours and have a 3.25 grade average out of a possible 4.0.

Ms. Manley is an Elementary Education major.

I pray that you will begin to understand how incredibly great his power is to help those who believe him. It is that same mighty power that raised Christ from the dead and seated him in the place of honor at God's right hand in heaven. (Eph. 1:19 & 20)

EMT'S TO CONDUCT COURSES LOCALLY FOR PERSONS 13 & OVER

Abernathy's Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs) who man the local EMS ambulance on a voluntary basis, will give further of their time and effort in interest of the health and wellbeing of people of this neighboring communities.

The local Emergency Medical Technicians will conduct two courses for the public July 26, 27-July 29, 30. The courses will be open to everyone 13 years of age and older. The courses will be open to all persons in Abernathy and surrounding communities. Classes will be conducted from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. on each of the above dates. Class sessions have been announced for Abernathy city hall. If the clubroom is too small for the number of students, classes may be moved to the assembly room in the new fire station if it is available.

Technical names for the two courses are CPR (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation) and Multi-Media First Aid. Students will have an option of taking either one or both of the courses. There is no charge from the CPR course. There will be a charge of \$2.50 for a workbook for those taking the Multi-Media Aid Course.

Enrollment deadline is July 19. For further information, contact A. C. Harris, Jr., 298-2219 or 298-2124, or Pat Dodson, 298-2882 or 298-2507.

JACKSON TO HEAD MASONS

Steve Jackson, who resides northeast of town, recently was elected to head Abernathy Masons. He will follow Rudolph Richter as Worshipful Master of Abernathy Lodge No. 1142 A, F. & A. M.

Other officers elected at that time were Thomas Pettit, Senior Warden; Delton Stone, Junior Warden; Jack F. Jackson, Treasurer; Rudolph Richter, Secretary; A. A. Young, Tiler.

Buford Conn was appointed to retain the office of Chaplain.

Elective and appointive officers to serve Abernathy Lodge No. 1142 A, F. & A. M. during the 1976-1977 Lodge calendar year will be installed in an open meeting of the Lodge at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, July 10 at the Lodge Hall on Avenue E. Masons, their families and friends are invited to attend the installation ceremony.

Vernon Bartlett will serve as Installing Officer.

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IT IS A FACT THAT GOD LOVES YOU:

John 3:16 - For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

1 John 4:8 - He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love.

Romans 8:32 - He that spared not his own Son, but delivered him up for us all how shall he not with him also freely give us all things.

Col. 1:27 - To whom God would make known what is the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles; which is CHRIST IN YOU, THE HOPE OF GLORY.

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

There is a song that we sing "His Banner Over Me Is Love". It is such a comfort to know that God has a resource of Love that will never run dry because He is Love. Another song that I love more and more as I know Jesus better is "Everyday With Jesus Is Sweeter Than The Day Before". I just thank the Lord for loving each one of us so much and for the peace and joy that He gives us. There are days that the outward circumstances in life seem so rough but, deep within there is a joy and peace that we can't be robbed of because Jesus Christ by His love gives us peace. John 16:33 - These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but he of good cheer: I have overcome the world. John 14:1 - Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you: not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid. When

we read the word of God there comes such a wonderful assurance to us that God has done everything for us. It is our place to except Jesus Christ as our Saviour and Lord of our life. When we except Him and receive the forgiveness of sin, we are not the same anymore. 2 Corinthians 5:17 - Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new. Would you like to be a new creature in Christ? I just praise the Lord I didn't have to do anything or get good enough to have salvation, because if I had, I would never made it. The good news is that it is a free gift and it is ours for the asking and receiving. Eph. 2:8 - For by grace are ye saved through faith and not of yourself: it is the gift of God. 9 - Not of works, lest any man should boast.

I don't know of anyone who doesn't enjoy receiving a gift from a friend or loved one, but the greatest gift that I have ever received in my life is from God the Father and that gift is His Son Jesus Christ. I don't understand why God is so good but, I praise the Lord He said, in Proverbs 3:5-6 - Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. 6 - In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths.

I just thank God everyday for his love and compassion He has for me. Lamentations 3:22 - It is of the Lord's mercies that we are not consumed, because his compassions fail not. 23 - They are new every morning: great is thy faithfulness. 24 - The LORD is my portion, saith my soul; therefore will I hope in him. I often wonder why I don't

always trust every care to Jesus when He tells us in 1 Peter 5:7 - Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you. I know for a fact that God will and wants to take care of these cares but, sometime I try to help Him out and I know good in well that He does not need any help. Then when I let things get into a mess, I see how insufficient I am. I ask God to take care of a certain situation for me and give it to Him and He always takes care of it for beyond what I could ever ask for.

My prayer is that everyone would come to know Jesus Christ for He knows you and the Holy Spirit is everywhere convicting people of sin and when we confess He forgives. John 1:9 - If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 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. Rom. 10:9 - That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. 10 - For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation. 11 - For the scripture saith, Whosoever believeth on him shall not be ashamed. St. John 5:24 - Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that heareth my words, and believeth on him that sent me hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation: but is passed from death unto life. John 14:6 - Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.

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Jesus. We can command the harmful influence in the mind to leave in the Name of Jesus Christ. Another strong cleansing agent is a steady diet of studying and acting on the Word of God. Prov. 4:20-22 says that God's Word gives health and life. We can know God's will if we are daily walking by His side. We will recognize His voice as He speaks. God can show us His will through people, circumstances, the inward voice of the Spirit, and His Word. God wants His people to know His ways and will.

THE HEAVENS ARE telling the glory of God; they are a marvelous display of his craftsmanship. Day and night they keep on talking about God. (Psa. 19:1-2)

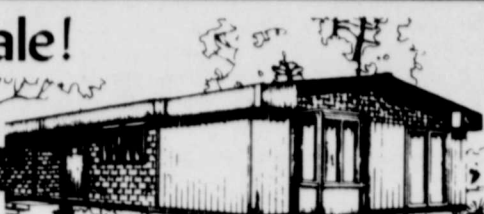
O LORD, I will praise you with all my heart, and tell everyone about the marvelous things you do. (Psa. 9:1)

For salvation comes from God. What joys he gives to all his people. (Psa. 3:8)

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OUT OF THE MOUTHS OF BABES by Mrs. Lillie Belle Kramp

Some of the greatest soul winners started when they were children. How delightful it is to witness a child in receiving Jesus and then seeing that child go forth and tell others.

A teacher of children was very interested in children accepting the Lord Jesus and her own in particular. She didn't wait until they were grown. She started while they were wee ones.

Her oldest child was three years when he accepted the Lord Jesus. She began to teach him John 3:16. "The only begotten Son" was the phrase that intrigued him. When anyone came to the door and he answered the knock, he would say, "The only begotten Son"-- I know Him, do you?"

This was always the opening that the mother needed because if the visitor or salesman didn't know they would ask what the child meant.

When the next child came --a little girl--the mother and the little boy would wheel the baby to the park in the baby carriage. Many people would stop to admire the baby--(who doesn't)--the little boy would say, "The only begotten Son, I know Him, do you?"

Let us always be on the alert watching for opportunities to share "the only begotten Son". Peter puts it this way, "But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts; and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you, with meekness and fear." 1 Peter 3:15.

Can you say with the little boy, "the only begotten Son--I know Him, do you?"

So many things do I learn from children. When they know the Lord Jesus as their Saviour and some of the promises from God's Word, they can really teach an adult.

John was eight years old when his grandfather died. He knew that his grandfather was a Christian and that he would be with Jesus.

At the funeral home his grandmother was grieving. John went to her and put his arms around her and said, "Now, grandmother, you had granddad a long, long time--now let Jesus have him." This was the word of encouragement that she needed.

Then when John returned to school his teacher expressed sympathy for John. He just said, "Thank you, but granddad is with Jesus. He suffered a long, long time and we can rejoice in this."

When Sharon was nine years old and had accepted the Lord Jesus at the children's class. Sharon's mother, Sharon and I were passing a cemetery. Sharon said, "I don't understand why they put 'Asleep in Jesus' on the tombstones--why don't they say, 'Alive in Jesus?'"

How do you meet death? Truly we all have met our last enemy in the person of a loved one. If you know the Lord Jesus, then heed the word of Paul, "Sorrow not, even as others which have no hope."

How important it is for us to know God's promises and to claim them.

Lillie Belle Kramp Takes A Look At Those Texas Sand Storms

"How about the wind and sand?" you ask I tell you, now that that's a blast. Piles and piles of sand are all around me. Which I love, returning to the ground.

So this is God's perfect plan for my life. For within my heart I have no strife. Which thing is true when God is Lord. Though He sends the wind or rain or storm.

For when the wind blows the sand my way I just enjoy it and laugh and say, "This is the day the Lord hath made

I will rejoice in it and not be afraid."

He stilled the storm on Galilee. And I know in Texas He can see my mobile home and me though very small. Because He's still the Lord of all."

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Middleton and family of Oklahoma City and Mr. and Mrs. David Middleton and sons from Sundown visited their families and attended the ex-student reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Towar of New Deal are parents of a daughter, born July 3, weighing 8 pounds 1 ounce.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

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REV. CARL MCKINNEY

Sunday: 9:45 a.m.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship 10:45 a.m.
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Evening worship 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday: 1:30 p.m.
WMC
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.
Worship Services

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH

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

Sunday: 9:45 a.m.
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: 7:00 p.m.
Women's Missionary Union and Brotherhood
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Service
Friday: 7:00 p.m.
Chair rehearsal
Mrs. J.B. Lester, chair director

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BRO. EARNEST BREWER, pastor

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

CHURCH OF CHRIST

10th St. & Ave. E. 298-2718
CONDY BILLINGSLEY, Minister

Sunday: 9:30 a.m.
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: 9:30 a.m.
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

Sunday: 9:45 a.m.
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: 7:30 p.m.
Worship services 7:30 p.m.
Phil Grindstaff, music director

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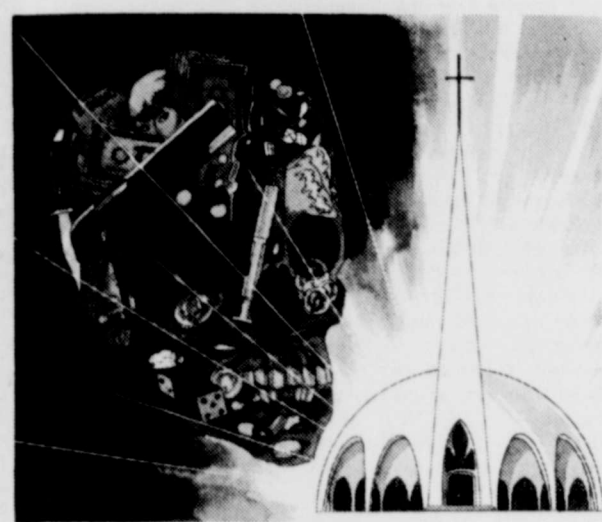
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DAVID HALADAY

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

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

411 7th St. 298-2587
REV. JACKY NEWTON, pastor

Sunday: 9:30 a.m.
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: 7:30 p.m.
Prayer meeting 7:30 p.m.
Kipp Burnett, youth and music director



WORD OF THE WEEK

AND HAVE NO FELLOWSHIP WITH THE UNFRUITFUL WORKS OF DARKNESS, BUT RATHER REPROVE THEM."

Ephesians 5:11

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Sunday school 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening worship 6:00 p.m.
UMY 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.
Choir practice 7:30 p.m.
UMW meets 2nd Monday of each month at 10:00 a.m.

George Ridel, music director
Chris Waters, church secretary
Don Foody, director of children's work
Marty Cash, youth director

LAKEVIEW METHODIST CHURCH

3 mi. north & 6 mi. east of city on FM 54
REV. HB COGGIN, pastor

Sunday: 10:00 a.m.
Sunday school 10:00 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.
Prayer meeting 7:00 p.m.
Mrs. Lawrence Amerson, secretary
Herbert Watson, SS superintendent

LATIN AMERICAN CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Ave. A. & 9th St. 298-2474
REV. VICENTE LANDEO, pastor

Sunday: 10:00 a.m.
Sunday school 10:00 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m.
Prayer meeting and Bible Study

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

16th St. & Ave. E. 298-2477
BRO DUGO GARDNER, pastor

Sunday: 9:45 a.m.
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: 7:30 p.m.
RAs, GAs, Midweek Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

Billy Beard, music director
Ralph Hanes, SS superintendent
Clyde Pittman, Training Union director

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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: 7:30 p.m.
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: 9:00 a.m.
Morning Mass 9:00 a.m.
Youth prayer meet 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday: 7:00 p.m.
Chair rehearsal 7:00 p.m.

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE THIS SUNDAY

GUIDELINES GIVEN FOR FIGHTING KITCHEN FIRES

College Station--Most kitchen range fires occur when cooking oil, fat on meat or clothing touches a burner.

The Food and Drug Administration's Bureau of Product Safety estimates that about 100,000 burn accidents from kitchen ranges occur each year.

Mrs. Lillian Chenoweth, a family resource management specialist with the Texas A&M University System, offers some practical guidelines for dealing with fire in the kitchen.

"If a fat fire should start in the cookware on the range's surface units--or in a fondue pot or electric skillet--immediately cover the pan and turn off the source of heat."

"Use a fire extinguisher if the fire should spread. Or baking soda may be thrown on the fire if an extinguisher isn't available."

"Never try to carry flaming cookware outside or to the sink, and do not throw water on a grease fire. Water only causes grease fires to spread," she cautioned.

If a fire starts in the oven or broiler, close the door, turn off the source of heat and keep the door closed. With limited air, the fire should go out within minutes, the specialist said.

"You can minimize the risk of a broiler fire by using slotted, solid racks which allow good grease drainage but shield the fat from the heat source. Do not use a broiler pan with an open wire rack unless it is deep enough to add water beforehand to cool the fat," she explained.

"Some simple precautions

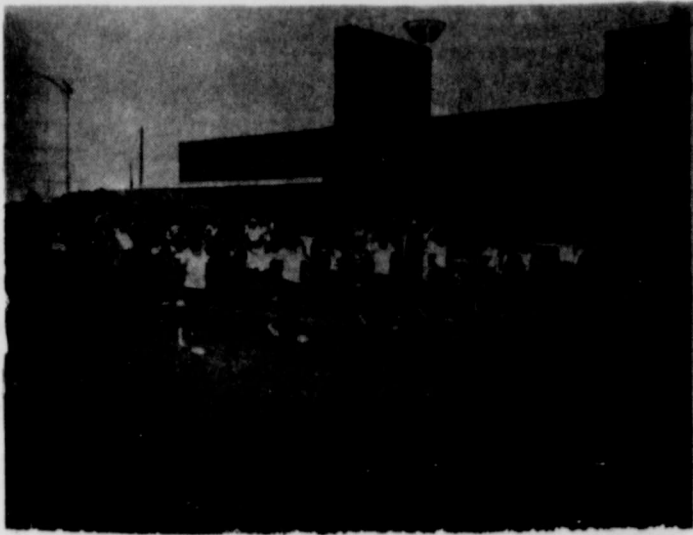
can reduce chances of a range fire," she pointed out.

--Coolware used on the surface units of a range should be large enough so that none of the electrical element is exposed.

--A gas flame should be adjusted so that it does not run up the sides of the cookware.

--Never wear long, loose sleeves when cooking.

--Only use cookware that is both large and deep enough to hold the meat and any fats and juices that will accumulate during cooking.



THE AHS ANTELOPE BAND helped to lead the July 5 parade.

IMPROVEMENT IDEA--MCNEILL
AUSTIN, TEX.--Sergeant James D. McNeill Jr., son of Mrs. James D. McNeill of 1405 Avenue G, Abernathy, Tex., has been given a \$840 cash award at Bergstrom AFB, Tex., for his military improvement suggestion.

Sergeant McNeill recommended a modification of the RP-4 Phantom jet engine. The suggestion is part of the continuous Air Force resources conservation program.

The sergeant serves as a jet engine mechanic at Bergstrom, with a unit of the Tactical Air Command.

He is a 1967 graduate of Abernathy High School. The sergeant's wife, Velma, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Price of Pyote, Tex. 1/June/M3

"HANDS"

Poetry By Mary Lynn Simpson

Hands often tell the story of how a person lives. They tell how much a person takes and again how much he gives.

A Father's hands can be so

big, work worn and toil roughened but when he holds his smallest child, how fast those rough hands soften.

A Mother's hands may be chapped and red, and their story gnarled and old. But through her willing work and love, her children's lives unfold.

For from birth hands have to be molded taught to be gentle, loving and kind. Keep your hands busy serving others.

My child, always keep this in mind. Rough hands should never shame you, just take care how they get that way.

Because hands often tell the story of how a life was lived day by day.

4-H Bike Program Enrollment Hits The Half Million Mark

CHICAGO--Half a million young people were enrolled in the national 4-H bicycle program last year -- an in-

crease of nearly 20 percent over 1974.

The burgeoning enrollment reflects a growing interest on the part of 4-H'ers in bicycling for fun, healthy exercise and community service.

Basic to the 4-H program sponsored by The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company is an emphasis on bicycle safety, care and maintenance, and driving skills.

Slide sets now available. Recently Goodyear made available to each state 4-H office without charge 10 color-slide sets designed for use as educational aids in the program. Sets and accompanying scripts were produced and distributed by the National 4-H Service Committee.

Eight of the sets, developed by the Ohio Cooperative Extension Service, deal with bike selection, care and maintenance, and rules of the road. The other sets illustrate two examples of recreational and service activities in the 4-H bicycle program -- the Indiana 4-H Bike-A-Thon and the Century Bike Ride.

Extra slide sets may be purchased from the Service Committee at 150 N. Wacker Drive, Chicago, Ill. 60606.

Goodyear offers awards. In addition to educational materials, Goodyear provides state, sectional and national awards to 4-H junior and teen leaders who excel in bicycle projects and activities.

A junior or teen in each state receives a \$50 U.S. Savings Bond and becomes eligible to compete for one of 18 sectional awards: expense-paid trips to the 55th National 4-H Congress, Nov. 28-Dec. 2 in Chicago.

During Congress eight national winners of \$800 college scholarships will be named.

Goodyear also offers gold medals of honor to as many as four 4-H'ers in each county that conducts a 4-H bicycle program. Any program member is eligible for a county medal: he need not be a junior or teen leader to qualify.

Awards are arranged and announced by the Service Committee.

PETER AND ANNA ZENGER--HARBINGERS OF A FREE PRESS

"No nation ever lost the liberty of freely speaking, writing or publishing, but immediately lost all their liberties and became slaves."

—John Peter Zenger
New York Weekly Journal, 1733

In these days of the Bicentennial observance, we are all aware in a general sense of the inalienable rights our ancestors won for us in the blood and strife of that distant day. But the origin and nature of some of these specific rights--such as freedom of the press--are sometimes not too clearly in mind.

As for freedom of the press, let's try to imagine for a moment how it would be if we could not depend on our local newspapers to give us factual details of the American/Russian space flight, corruption in the upper reaches of political power, or even the latest bargains at our nearby specialty shops. Suppose what you wrote for publication had to be cleared by some governmental representative before it could be printed?

Such possibilities are not altogether farfetched. Actually, had it not been for the firm stand taken by one colonial printer, with the strong backing of his wife, can anyone say for certain that freedom of the press would have been incorporated in the U. S. Bill of Rights?

The colonial printer in question was John Peter Zenger, who in 1734 defied a tyrannical British governor in New York City and through his courageous actions gave new meaning to the laws of libel. His case established the principle of a public press free to print the truth.

Zenger, who had come to New York from Germany as a boy of 13 in 1710, learned the printing trade from William Bradford, the colony's sole printer, who published a weekly newspaper under the auspices of the Crown. On September 11, 1722, Zenger married Anna Catharina Maulin, and in 1726 he opened his own printing business.

In 1733, New York felt itself being ground under the despotic heel of Governor William Cosby, who had come to the colony to recoup a fortune he had lost in Europe. Having succeeded in burdening the colonists with extra taxes and having made an attempt to appropriate wages allocated to the governorship between his predecessor's term and the start of his own, Cosby ruled his domain with an iron hand. He dismissed judges who wouldn't make legal decisions in his favor and challenged voters who opposed him in elections conducted in the colony.

As the governor became more dictatorial, his opposition, under sponsorship of the Popular Party, started a weekly newspaper to expose his methods. Zenger, who printed all of the items anonymously, took the entire responsibility for publishing the New York Weekly Journal, commencing November 5, 1733.

A small two-page weekly, the newspaper printed some foreign news, literary essays, and advertising. But it was mainly used by public-spirited citizens to denounce the tyranny and misrule of Governor Cosby and his henchmen.

For a year, in almost every issue, the paper printed scathing attacks on the governor, until in November, 1734, unable any longer to endure them in silence, Cosby issued a proclamation condemning the "divers scandalous, virulent, false and seditious reflections" which the Journal had published. A reward was offered for the apprehension of the author of the accusations.

Zenger was arrested on November 17, 1734, on a charge of "seditious libel" and remained in prison until August, 1735, continuing to edit the Journal from his cell. During the nine-month period of his confinement without bail, his paper was faithfully published each week by his wife, Anna, who received Peter's instructions through a "hole in the cell."

His case finally came to trial on August 4, 1735, his defense being handled by the noted lawyer Andrew Hamilton. A man of varied gifts, Hamilton also designed Independence Hall in Philadelphia.

At that time, the laws of libel provided that the mere publication of defamatory statements constituted a crime, regardless of whether or not the truth of the statements could be proved. Hamilton began by offering to prove the truth of the statements which had appeared in Zenger's paper. However, in accordance with English law, the judge, a supporter of Cosby's administration, refused to allow this procedure, instead instructing the jury simply to decide whether the statements in question had actually been printed and to leave the decision as to whether they were libelous to the court.

Hamilton, however, urged the jury to consider itself compelled to make its own decision as to whether the statements were true or libelous and presented Zenger's cause so eloquently that the jury returned a verdict of not guilty. It took the jury exactly ten minutes to reach a decision.

Zenger's case established the first important victory for freedom of the press in the American colonies with the notable precedent that truth must be accepted as a defense against libel. With juries given the right to decide not only whether statements said to be libelous had been published but also whether they actually were libelous, the press was freed from the censorship of a biased judiciary.

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Zenger continued his publication until his death on July 28, 1746, at the age of 49. But even that did not silence the New York Weekly Journal, as his courageous wife, Anna, kept it alive until her death in 1751. In his book, "Anna Zenger," Kent Cooper describes her as "The first woman newspaper editor and publisher and one of the unsung heroines of American History."

Although the Zengers did not live to see the American Revolution and the adoption of the Bill of Rights, their heroic fight against the forces of repression was a harbinger of events that followed. Their case remains a conspicuous landmark on the American road to freedom and underscores the importance of the press as a bulwark against the unscrupulous misuse of governmental authority. Their valorous contribution to American freedom deserves to be remembered during this Bicentennial celebration.

My protection and success comes from God alone. He is my refuge, a Rock where no enemy can reach me. (Psa. 62:7)

So overflowing is his kindness towards us that he took away all our sins through the blood of his Son, by whom we are saved; and he has showered down upon us the richness of his grace--for how well he understands us and knows what is best for us at all times. (Eph. 1:7-8)

OSHA Issues New Standard

FARM FIELD EQUIPMENT, farmstead equipment and cotton gins are covered in a new agricultural standard issued recently by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) in Washington.

It becomes effective this June 7 and only pertains to growers who employ persons to work on their farms.

First proposed two years ago, the standard requires guarding of power take-off shafts and nip points of other

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1 tsp. soda
1 cup boiling water

In large mixing bowl, cream together sugar and butter and add egg yolks and blend until smooth. Add molasses. Sift together cinnamon, cloves and flour. Add gradually to butter mixture. Dissolve soda in boiling

water. Add to other ingredients slowly while beating. Add nuts and raisins. Pour in three greased and floured pans. Bake at 350 degrees for 25-20 minutes.

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GUIDELINES GIVEN FOR FIGHTING KITCHEN FIRES

College Station--Most kitchen range fires occur when cooking oil, fat on meat or clothing touches a element or burner.

The Food and Drug Administration's Bureau of Product Safety estimates that about 100,000 burn accidents from kitchen ranges occur each year.

Mrs. Lillian Chenoweth, a family resource management specialist with the Texas AGM University System, offers some practical guidelines for dealing with fire in the kitchen.

"If a fat fire should start in the cookware on the range's surface units--or in a fondue pot or electric skillet--immediately cover the pan and turn off the source of heat."

"Use a fire extinguisher if the fire should spread. Or baking soda may be thrown on the fire if an extinguisher isn't available."

"Never try to carry flaming cookware outside or to the sink, and do not throw water on a grease fire. Water only causes grease fires to spread," she cautioned.

"If a fire starts in the oven or broiler, close the door, turn off the source of heat and keep the door closed. With limited air, the fire should go out within minutes," the specialist said.

"You can minimize the risk of a broiler fire by using slotted, solid racks which allow good grease drainage but shield the fat from the heat source. Do not use a broiler pan with an open wire rack unless it is deep enough to add water beforehand to cool the fat," she explained.

"Some simple precautions

can reduce chances of a range fire," she pointed out.

--Cookware used on the surface units of a range should be large enough so that none of the electrical element is exposed.

--A gas flame should be adjusted so that it does not run up the sides of the cookware.

--Never wear long, loose sleeves when cooking.

--Only use cookware that is both large and deep enough to hold the meat and any fats and juices that will accumulate during cooking.

IMPROVEMENT IDEA--McNEILL
AUSTIN, TEX. --Sergeant James D. McNeill Jr., son of Mrs. James D. McNeill of 1405 Avenue G, Abernathy, Tex., has been given a \$840 cash award at Bergstrom AFB, Tex., for his military improvement suggestion.

Sergeant McNeill recommended a modification of the RF-4 Phantom jet engine. The suggestion is part of the continuous Air Force resources conservation program.

The sergeant serves as a jet engine mechanic at Bergstrom, with a unit of the Tactical Air Command.

He is a 1967 graduate of Abernathy High School. The sergeant's wife, Velma, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Price of Pyote, Tex. 1/June/M3

"HANDS"

Poetry By Mary Lynn Simpson

Hands often tell the story of how a person lives. They tell how much a person takes and again how much he gives.

A Father's hands can be so



THE AMS ANTELOPE BAND helped to lead the July 5 parade.

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4-H Bike Program Enrollment Hits The Half Million Mark

CHICAGO--Half a million young people were enrolled in the national 4-H bicycle program last year -- an in-

crease of nearly 20 percent over 1974.

The burgeoning enrollment reflects a growing interest on the part of 4-Hers in bicycling for fun, healthy exercise and community service.

Basic to the 4-H program sponsored by The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company is an emphasis on bicycle safety, care and maintenance, and driving skills.

Slide sets now available. Recently Goodyear made available to each state 4-H office without charge 10 color-slide sets designed for use as educational aids in the program. Sets and accompanying scripts were produced and distributed by the National 4-H Service Committee.

Eight of the sets, developed by the Ohio Cooperative Extension Service, deal with bike selection, care and maintenance, and rules of the road. The other sets illustrate two examples of recreational and service activities in the 4-H bicycle program -- the Indiana 4-H Bike-A-Thon and the Century Bike Ride.

Extra slide sets may be purchased from the Service Committee at 150 N. Wacker Drive, Chicago, Ill. 60606.

Goodyear offers awards. In addition to educational materials, Goodyear provides state, sectional and national awards to 4-H junior and teen leaders who excel in bicycle projects and activities.

A junior or teen in each state receives a \$50 U.S. Savings Bond and becomes eligible to compete for one of 18 sectional awards: expense-paid trips to the 55th National 4-H Congress, Nov. 28-Dec. 2 in Chicago.

During Congress eight national winners of \$800 college scholarships will be named.

Goodyear also offers gold medals of honor to as many as four 4-Hers in each county that conducts a 4-H bicycle program. Any program member is eligible for a county medal; he need not be a junior or teen leader to qualify.

Awards are arranged and announced by the Service Committee.

PETER AND ANNA ZENGER--HARBINGERS OF A FREE PRESS

"No nation ever lost the liberty of freely speaking, writing or publishing, but immediately lost all their liberties and became slaves."

—John Peter Zenger
New York Weekly Journal, 1733

In these days of the Bicentennial observance, we are all aware in a general sense of the inalienable rights our ancestors won for us in the blood and strife of that distant day. But the origin and nature of some of these specific rights—such as freedom of the press—are sometimes not too clearly in mind.

As for freedom of the press, let's try to imagine for a moment how it would be if we could not depend on our local newspapers to give us factual details of the American/Russian space flight, corruption in the upper realms of political power, or even the latest bargains at our nearby specialty shops. Suppose what you wrote for publication had to be cleared by some governmental representative before it could be printed? Such possibilities are not altogether far-fetched. Actually, had it not been for the firm stand taken by one colonial printer, with the strong backing of his wife, can anyone say for certain that freedom of the press would have been incorporated in the U. S. Bill of Rights?

The colonial printer in question was John Peter Zenger, who in 1734 defied a tyrannical British governor in New York City and through his courageous actions gave new meaning to the laws of libel. His case established the principle of a public press free to print the truth.

Zenger, who had come to New York from Germany as a boy of 13 in 1710, learned the printing trade from William Bradford, the colony's sole printer, who published a weekly newspaper under the auspices of the Crown. On September 11, 1722, Zenger married Anna Catharina Maulin, and in 1726 he opened his own printing business.

In 1733, New York felt itself being ground under the despotic heel of Governor William Cosby, who had come to the colony to recoup a fortune he had lost in Europe. Having succeeded in burdening the colonists with extra taxes and having made an attempt to appropriate wages allocated to the governorship between his predecessor's term and the start of his own, Cosby ruled his domain with an iron hand. He dismissed judges who wouldn't make legal decisions in his favor and cleared voters who opposed him in elections conducted in the colony.

As the governor became more dictatorial, his opposition, under sponsorship of the Popular Party, started a weekly newspaper to expose his methods. Zenger, who printed all of the items anonymously, took the entire responsibility for publishing the New York Weekly Journal, commencing November 5, 1733.

A small two-page weekly, the newspaper printed some foreign news, literary essays, and advertising. But it was mainly used by public-spirited citizens to denounce the tyranny and misuse of Governor Cosby and his henchmen.

For a year, in almost every issue, the paper printed scathing attacks on the governor, until in November, 1734, unable any longer to endure them in silence, Cosby issued a proclamation condemning the "divers scandalous, virulent, false and seditious reflections" which the Journal had published. A reward was offered for the apprehension of the author of the accusations.

Zenger was arrested on November 17, 1734, on a charge of "seditious libel" and remained in prison until August, 1735, continuing to edit the Journal from his cell. During the nine-month period of his confinement without bail, his paper was faithfully published each week by his wife, Anna, who received Peter's instructions through a "hole in the cell."

His case finally came to trial on August 4, 1735; his defense being handled by the noted lawyer Andrew Hamilton. A man of varied gifts, Hamilton also designed Independence Hall in Philadelphia.

At that time, the laws of libel provided that the mere publication of defamatory statements constituted a crime, regardless of whether or not the truth of the statements could be proved. Hamilton began by offering to prove the truth of the statements which had appeared in Zenger's paper. However, in accordance with English law, the judge, a supporter of Cosby's administration, refused to allow this procedure, instead instructing the jury simply to decide whether the statements in question had actually been printed and to leave the decision as to whether they were libelous to the court.

Hamilton, however, urged the jury to consider itself competent to make its own decision as to whether the statements were true or libelous and presented Zenger's cause so eloquently that the jury returned a verdict of not guilty. It took the jury exactly ten minutes to reach a decision.

Zenger's case established the first important victory for freedom of the press in the American colonies with the notable precedent that truth must be accepted as a defense against libel. With juries given the right to decide not only whether statements said to be libelous had been published but also whether they actually were libelous, the press was freed from the censorship of a biased judiciary.

The Zenger principle was not established as a legal precedent for many years, but it was for the first time recognized as valid in his case. The verdict has been called "the greatest victory encompassed in America by the democratic spirit before the signing of the Declaration of Independence and the one that made all others possible." In the words of an American patriot, Gouverneur Morris, "The trial of Zenger in 1735 was the germ of American freedom, the morning star of that liberty which subsequently revolutionized America."

Zenger continued his publication until his death on July 28, 1746, at the age of 49. But even that did not silence the New York Weekly Journal, as his courageous wife, Anna, kept it alive until her death in 1751 in his book, "Anna Zenger." Kent Cooper describes her as "the first woman newspaper editor and publisher and one of the unsung heroines of American History."

Although the Zengers did not live to see the American Revolution and the adoption of the Bill of Rights, their heroic fight against the forces of repression was a harbinger of events that followed. Their case remains a conspicuous landmark on the American road to freedom and underscores the importance of the press as a bulwark against the unscrupulous misuse of governmental authority. Their valorous contribution to American freedom deserves to be remembered during this Bicentennial celebration.

My protection and success comes from God alone. He is my refuge, a Rock where no enemy can reach me. (Psa. 62:7)

So overflowing is his kindness towards us that he took away all our sins through the blood of his Son, by whom we are saved; and he has showered down upon us the richness of his grace--for how well he understands us and knows what is best for us at all times. (Eph. 1:7-8)

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After the honeymoon, the new husband asked his bride, "You don't mind if I point out a few of your defects, do you?"

"Not at all," she replied. "It's those little defects that kept me from getting a better husband, dear."

No one is without defects except the Lord. Of Him Psalm 145:17 declares, "The Lord is righteous in all His ways, and holy in all His works."

Before the sixteenth century, our word righteousness was written "rightwise." It meant "one who is as he ought to be." Our Lord is what He ought to be. He

violates no right. He wrongs no person. Everything that He does is right.

Our English word holy is closely related to the idea of being "whole." Three feet is a whole yard. One hundred cents is a whole dollar. Our Lord is not half-hearted about anything. He never holds back anything for Himself. He is totally dedicated to do good to His creatures.

But man is not what he ought to be. Through Christ we can become masters of sin and servants of righteousness. He will not only enable us to do right, but He will see to it that everything will come out right for us.

"Woman's Beatitudes"

By Mary Simpson

Blessed is the woman who humbly walks with Jesus Only through His strength and power can He do his great work through us.

Blessed is the woman who faces loss and sorrow and knows only through his comforting love can she bear to face tomorrow.

Blessed is the woman who gives her life away. By meekly and gently serving with no thought of reward or pay.

Blessed is the woman who hears the voice of need. She hungers and thirsts for goodness. God touches lives through her seeds.

Blessed is the woman who lives what she is inside. She listens, comforts and gives. Love in her arms will abide.

Blessed is the woman who is honest and sincere. One knows that what she really means is exactly what you hear.

Blessed is the woman who longs for strife to cease. Through her words and witness she brings to others peace.

Blessed is the woman who is persecuted for her beliefs. She knows that she must turn

to God and depend on him for relief.

Blessed is the woman whose light shines before men. She grows in her Christian witness. So that souls she can help to win.

PRESSURE CANNER CLINIC SCHEDULED

A pressure canner clinic will be held on Saturday, July 17 at the Hale County Agriculture Center beginning at 9:00 a.m. states Mrs. Wynon Mayes, County Extension Agent. Mrs. Ruby Harper of Lubbock will conduct the clinic. A fee of \$3.00 per canner will be charged for the testing service.

Proper equipment is basic to the success of obtaining good quality and safe home-preserved foods.

Texas, as well as other residents of the U.S., are enjoying the revived art of home canning—but experts warn against dangers of botulism, a sometimes-fatal food poisoning that can result from improper canning techniques.

Another danger—the threat of food spoilage—involves improper equipment. Jam with tops that are cracked, chipped or dented are among the worst offenders, states Mrs. Mayes.

A. H. S. EXES MEET AT KERR HOME FOR THREE-CLASS REUNION HERE

The classes of 1941, 1942, and 1943 met in our Bicentennial Class Reunions in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Kerr.

Those attending from the class of 1941 were: Mr. and Mrs. Ormand Brown, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Saul (Ula Mae Vineyard), Georgetown, Texas; Noel and Wilma (Toler) Johnson, Richardson, Texas; Earline (Ellison) Pittman, Grand Prairie, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Tow (Colleen Fleming), Littlefield, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Omer Wade, Abernathy; Rupert and Mcureen (Shipman) Allen, Abernathy; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foell (Bernice Douglas), Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. M. C. McGee (Cynthia Struve), Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. M. D. "Coot" Evans, Abernathy.

Those attending from the class of 1942 were: Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Cope and son, Utah; James Anderson, Abernathy; Mr. and Mrs. Woody Allen (Avis Barrick), Plainview; Ralph Shipman, Lubbock; Virgil Rhodes, Albuquerque, N.M.; Glenn Selke, Abernathy; Roy Baker, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lovelace, Abernathy; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Settle (Melva Vineyard), Seagraves.

Those attending from the class of 1943 were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nix, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Skipper, Abernathy; W. C. and Imogene (Myatt) Bryant, Abernathy; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bland (Hattie Tubbs), Missouri; Nita Beth

(Lutrick) Lee, Lubbock; Morris and Arlene (Jones) Kerr, Abernathy; Mr. and Mrs. Otis Pope, Abernathy; Mrs. Malada (Kelley) Tull, Wolfforth; Mrs. Ida (Moore) Tucker, Dacca, Bangladesh; Mrs. Jamell (Brown) Knight, Amarillo; Mrs. Louise (Stambough) Phillips, Lubbock; Mrs. Mabel (Kelley) Torres, Abernathy; Foy and Mary (Stevens) McMaster, Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davidson, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. Dean Sterling (Billie Sue Harris), Georgia; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lovelace (Lois Ann Woolridge), Abernathy; Mr. and Mrs. Doris Burke, Friona; Mr. and Mrs. Lindell Myatt, Abernathy.

Out of the 1943 graduating class of the 40-we had 21 exes present.

Also visiting with our classes was Mrs. Emaline Moore, Shallowater, mother of Ida (Moore) Tucker.

Several exes from other classes dropped by to visit—they were: Ralph and Billie Mae Stevenson, Hugh and Cecil Pettit, Maylene Parrish, Mary (Baker), Faye and Harvey Lutrick, and Mr. and Rayburn Moore.

The secret of the sweet, satisfying companionship of the Lord have they who are reverent and worship—Him, and He will show them His covenant, and reveal to them its (deep, inner meaning. (Ps. 25:14, Amplified Bible)

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CARDS OF THANKS
To all the wonderful, unselfish people who helped to make our July 3rd program a big success! I want to say thank you from the bottom of my heart.

Beverly Moorhead

We want to thank everyone again and again for being so nice to Ray, while in the hospital and at home. Thanks for the pretty cards, beautiful flowers, good food, visits, calls, and most of all Your Prayers.
Ray and Lena Martin

"Late Night Message"
Poetry By Dana Flud

The thick, fluffy, cushiony clouds Wander through the endless array of black night air, Screaming their tale of wisdom of so silently; yet it's so loud.

They float above the earth, constantly observed by all, Yet no vision comes to the earth's mind.

For it believes there is nothing there to find. While all the time the clouds are crying "Why do so few listen? Why do so few care? Don't they know why they were put down there?"

The clouds continue on their journey yelling their message all the time. Their voices are cracked with grief and concern. And the earth's east are clogged up by the dirt of Immorality and crime. But the unheard messengers will never give up

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Local Riding Club Takes 2nd Place In Lubbock Parade

Abernathy Riding Club took second place honors in the July 3 Bicentennial Parade in Lubbock. The 10:00 a. m. trek down Broadway lasted 2 hours, quite a long time to sit astride a horse. The trophy was red, white and blue with a '76 medallion on top.

Eight members went to Farth, July 9 to ride in the rodeo parade and grand entry. Unfortunately we didn't receive a trophy in that outing although we got honorable mention.

In the next few weeks a lot of miles will be put on rides, homes, pick-ups and trailers as several parades and rodeos are scheduled. Saturday July 17 the riders will be in Tula. Wednesday July 21 we will travel to Snyder for parade and rodeo. Thursday Aug. 12 will be activities in Post. So parade fans come out and support the local riding group in their outings.

--REPORTER.

TEACHERS OFFER SCHOLARSHIP

A \$200 scholarship is to be given this summer for the first time by the Abernathy Classroom Teachers Association. To be eligible to receive it a person must be a full-time student or junior or senior level at an accredited college and majoring in education. The scholarship will be paid in two \$100 installments (one for the fall semester and the other for the spring semester). For an application blank, any student who is interested should contact Mrs. Herbert Hardin (298-2475).

BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Willis were guests here last weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Carmickle. Ray recently had surgery at the hospital in Quanah. They currently reside in Amarillo, but plan to move to Wichita Falls at a later date.



Foodservice workers from Laredo, New Deal, Pleasanton, Slaton, Cooper, Plainview and Odessa attended the two-week 1976 Food Service Workshop at Texas Tech University. Another two week course begins immediately. Among those taking the first course are, left to right, Jerry Castro, Fernando Negrete, Noe Palacios and Veronica Palacios, all of Laredo; Kathryn Tull of New Deal; Peggy Lewis of Pleasanton; Eunice Montgomery and Alene Latham, both of Slaton; Andrea Fredenburg of Lubbock-Cooper; Marie Shipman, Patsy Willborn and Maurine Kirkpatrick, all of Plainview; and Betty Fuquay, Betty McKinney and Nelta all of Odessa. (Tech Photo)

A. H. S. EXES MEET HERE FOR REUNIONS DURING CELEBRATION

1931 AHS CLASS

The 1931 AHS Class reunion was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irvan Rhodes. Assisting were Mmes. Louise Burnett, Joe Thompson, Jessie Webb, and Wesley Pope.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hudgins (Illa Collier) Lubbock; Mrs. James Atcheson (Lucille Heggen) Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Beauford Hayes (Lesa Habbinga) Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Pope; Mrs. Louise Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson, Mrs. Maudie Jones, and Shelton Hardin.

1935 AHS CLASS

The Class of 1935 held their reunion in the home of Dorothy and Buford Davenport, Saturday night, July 3. Other hosts for the dinner were Dorothy and Ralph Stephens, Reneta and Alvin Druessdow and Theo and Jimmie Davis of Diamond Bar, Calif.

Attending were Mrs. Johnie (Rodgers) Hartgraves of Huest, Mrs. Kathleen (Reed) Hamlin of San Diego, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stiles (Alameda

Crow) of Silver City, N. M., Mrs. Edith (Barnett) Gossett of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Davis (Theo Merrill) of Diamond Bar, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Parsons of San Antonio, Delbert Nunn of Lubbock, Otto Curry of Monroe, Louisiana, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Cope (Theida Kelly) of Ralls, Kermit Woodbridge of Pinellas Park, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Druessdow (Renata Neis), Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stephens (Dorothy Petty), Mr. and Mrs. Buford Davenport (Dorothy Chapman), Mrs. Zanette (Williams) Elkins all of Abernathy, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Heggen from Mercedes and Mrs. Bernice (Cope) Gorney from La Bente, Calif. Mrs. Gorney and Mr. Heggen were 1934 graduates.

1945 AHS CLASS

The graduating Class of 1945 had their reunion in the Antelope Inn. Twenty-one members, along with several guests were served sandwiches, chips, homemade ice cream and a cake made by a member of the class, Kathryn Cooper. The cake was decorated with each class members name.

Out of town guests included: Laverne (Rutledge) Fry, Mildred (Brown) Becker, Bobbye (Littleton) Nunn, Kathryn (Hall) Cooper, all of Lubbock; Rachel (Horne) Hunter, Shallowater; Paul Turpen, Portales, N. M.; Frank Kesler, Tulsa; Vandy Parsons, Arlington; Mildred (Heath) Franklin, Stanton; Daphne Conn, Hotchkiss, Colo.

Hosts and Hostesses for the event were Abernathy residents: Beverly (Cumbie) Moorhead, Lewis Lutrick, Dixie (Neis) Barton, Dorothy (Rhodes) Brightbill, Gena Nunn, Dolores (Hodges) Barton, Judy (Stone) Stracener, Billie Harrison.

1967 AHS CLASS

The 1967 Class reunion was held at the First United Methodist Church at 7:30 Saturday, July 3rd. There were twenty-three class members present-plus their families.

Special guest were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hardin of Abernathy. Those who traveled the longest distances to come were Sharon Albers Fuller of Aspen, Colo., Wesley Knight of Little Rock, Arkansas, and Linda Johnson Reedy of Wilcox, Arizona.

The class would like to thank Lanny Newton and the group "Movin' On" for the fine entertainment they presented. Special thanks also to all the members of this year's '67 Committee who worked so diligently to make this reunion a success.

The exes elected a committee to work on the next reunion date for July 4, 1982. If you weren't able to make it this time sure hope to see you in 1982!

1960 AHS CLASS

The Class of 1960 enjoyed a Reunion in the home of Josh and Edith Howard. A Mexican Chef Salad was served to twenty-one members with a total of 58 present.

Out of town guests included: Billy Joe Smith, Lorenzo, Peggy Spruiell, Plainview, Tom and Tommy Jo (Johnson) Matthews, Los Alamos, N. M., Barbara (McGuire) Bell, Muleshoe, Ellis (Brooks) Middleton, Sundown; Barbara (Turner) Lamb, Ralls; Ralph Wright, El Paso; Shirley (Dillinger) Moore, Lubbock; Tom Boone, Lubbock; Harley Franklin, Lubbock; Malcolm Eldridge, Lubbock; Roy Lee Smithman, Lubbock.

The visitors were welcomed by Abernathy residents Frankie (Manley) Mills, Thomas and Betty (Struve) Pettit, Lera (Johnson) Beard, Janeane (Rogers) Herring, Harold Thompson, Jimmy Shuey, and Edith (Johnson) Howard.

Other guests included: Mrs. Billy Joe Smith, Joe Moore and four children; David Middleton and two sons; Mrs. Tom Boone; Mrs. Jimmy Shuey and three children; Dick Herring and sons; Mrs. Harold Thompson, Mrs. Ralph Wright, Billy Beard and four sons; Josh Howard and two children; Mrs. Malcolm Eldridge and three children.

BRIEF

Ron Presley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Presley, had surgery on his hand, Friday, July 9, at Providence Hospital in El Paso. He returned home July 12.

NEWS & COMMENT

By Buford Davenport

NGC--The Abernathy Weekly Review staff extends thanks to all who have cooperated by sending in news items for the July 3-4-5 event. Without your help, news of the three-day celebration would not have been so complete. Our special thanks, if one "Thanks" can be more special than the other, to Arno Struve. Read through this issue of the Review and you will see why we sincerely appreciate his efforts and contributions of news items. Arno did not place his (By Arno Struve) by-lines on the news stories. We did. We wanted you to see how helpful he has been. This is one of many times over the years that Arno has helped us provide interesting news articles for Review readers. The Review publishers and editor joined other members of the Haven family in providing their loving care of Richard's mother, Mrs. Bonnie Havens, who was critically ill prior, during and after the July 3-4-5 event here. She was in St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock.

NGC--Mrs. BFD went through the sheets in which Exes registered July 3, and found that people were here from 17 states and one foreign country, Dacca, Bangladesh. States represented were: Colorado, Kansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, California, Arkansas, Arizona, Iowa, Virginia, Missouri, Florida, Mississippi, Louisiana, Utah, Georgia, Wisconsin and Texas.

Also attending were Joe Barton, Bruce Brightbill, Jerry Moorhead, Woodie Coleman, Mrs. Frank Kesler, Mrs. Gena Nunn, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lester (Oneta Rhodes), Paul Bryant, and Hilbert Rantz of the Class of 1944 also attended.

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Class of 1929 Holds Reunion

The class of 1929 held their reunion in the home of Alvin "Washie" and Burnie Hardin, Saturday afternoon from 4 to 6. Those who gathered around the same table to look at High School pictures, make comments and review the good times we had were: Garland Nystel, Frank Edleman and wife Edna, Thelma Adkisson, Owen Benn, Hayden Pearce, Arno Struve and wife Minnie, Howard Brown and wife Eula, Toni Barker, Major Schroeter and wife Margaret. This class could not have a reunion without including Mrs. Andy Reid. She was one of our teachers. She taught history and a little bit of discipline was included. We also had Mrs. Ray Pinson and Mrs. W. A. Goeth as special guests.

We could not keep from discussing the name of our school "Antelope" and our school colors of maroon and white. When our school was named and colors chosen, which was 1927, each class in high school suggested a name; and then we took a vote. Our class presented "Antelope" and "maroon and white." We won the vote. And we are very proud that our school is carrying it.

California Vacation

Frank and Patsy Perez were on vacation in California last week. They visited Los Angeles, Disneyland, and Hollywood. They also visited other points of interest in New Mexico and Arizona before returning home Sunday, July 11.

Also here from overseas during the celebration was Sam Williams, who is stationed in Germany with the American Red Cross. He visited here with his mother, Esther Williams, June 20/15. Had she arrived here a day earlier, we would have had JoAnn Lovelace in Abernathy for the July 5 portion of the celebration. She teaches school on the Hawaiian Island of Maui. JoAnn is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Lovelace.

NGC--The home of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barton, which was donated to the Ranching Heritage Center at the Texas Tech University Museum, is not open for interior viewing. A Museum PR lady said the reason is: The original wallpaper in the home is being duplicated by a wallpaper factory at a cost of \$15,000.00, and the house will be open for inspection by the public after this project is completed.

Last Sunday, visitors to the Ranching Heritage Center were being allowed to go through the hall on the lower floor only. The lady said it may be a year before the project will be completed at Barton home, including the wallpaper and other arranging to handle the exit flow of viewers after they go to the upper floors to see upstairs rooms.

NGC--Abernathy EMTs will see the whole family.

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Resusci-Andy, Resusci-Anne and Resusci-Baby. These life-size figures will assist the Local Emergency Medical Technicians in refresher workshops on their skills, and to use in teaching first aid classes. Mrs. Myrna Davis, Worthy Matron of Abernathy Chapter No. 877 Order of the Eastern Star, said the \$855.00 the Chapter raised through sales of food and crafts and donations during the July 5 portion of the celebration will go toward purchase of this equipment for the local EMTs. She extends thanks to all who made purchases and gave donations during the OES project.

NGC--In an issue of The Review prior to the celebration, we mentioned a number of professions in which Ex students now are involved. Along with others, we overlooked a profession that has drawn a considerable number of Exes... the Ministry. A number have come from the community as a whole, with the Lakeview area contributing several young men to the preaching profession. Also, we have some Exes in related professions, Youth Directors and Music Directors for churches.

NGC--Mrs. Wynon Mayes, Hale County Extension Agent, warns homemakers NOT to use microwave ovens in their canning process. A pressure canner Clinic will be held at the Hale County Agriculture Center, July 17. Pressure canners will be tested by Mrs.

Ruby Harper of Lubbock between the hours of 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. A small fee of \$3.00 per canner will be charged.

NGC--There's been a change in Field Day arrangements at area agriculture experiment stations. In the past, field days have been held at both the Halfway station west of Plainview and at the agriculture experiment station south of New Deal. There will be only one field day this year, on Tuesday, Sept. 14, at the Halfway station. Next year, the one field day will be at the station south of New Deal.

NGC--The public is invited to a pickle and relish workshop Thursday, July 22, beginning at 2 p. m. The workshop will be held at the Southwestern Public Service Co. Reddy Room, Plainview, according to Wynon Mayes, Hale County Extension agent.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

The Abernathy Girl Scouts entered a float in the July 5 parade with the theme "Girl Scouts Have The Spirit '76." It was a red, white, and blue float with a T-Pee and a girl scout campfire on it. The Fly-Up Brownies rode on the float in Indian costumes that they had made at Day Camp. They also had a bake sale and a snow cone stand on July 5. They made \$235.00 on the bake sale and \$122.00 on their snow cone stand. Reported by Mary Ann Pace

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SPECIALS	<p>Cleanser 3¢ off Label</p> <p>Comet 2 Cans 89¢</p> <p>Wright's 25 LB. PKG. Lard \$9.49</p> <p>Gladiola 25 LB. 99¢</p> <p>Flour \$3.99</p>

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Wedding Solemnized

Miss Gay DaNell Byers and Lt. Jimmie Lynn Reeves were united in marriage Friday, July 2, at 2:00 p. m. in a double ring ceremony in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Byers of Abemathy. Officiating at the ceremony was Condy Billingsley, minister of the Church of Christ. The groom is the

son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Reeves of Abemathy.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white formal gown of cotton and polyester with lace inlaid at the middle of the sleeves and a lace back tie. A single ruffle edged the bottom of the skirt. She carried a bouquet of lilac carnations, pink roses and baby breath.

Maid of honor was Miss Cindy Reeves of San Angelo, Texas, sister of the groom. She wore a formal gown of pink polyester trimmed in white lace with a back tie. She carried a bouquet of lilac carnations and baby breath.

Best man was Mr. James Byers of Brownwood, Texas, brother of the bride. Mrs. Terry Byers, sister-in-law of the bride, and Miss Duchess Wisel, cousin of the bride, served at the reception. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Reeves of McLean, Texas, grandparents of the groom; Clinton Reeves, brother of the groom; and Varric Horne both from San Angelo; Lillian Crews, aunt of the bride, Mrs. Cleo Carver, grandmother of the bride and Mrs. H. H. Thames all from Big Spring, Texas; Janetta Whetsel, aunt of the bride and Troy Whetsel, cousin of the bride from Snyder; Gary Ned Smith from Florida, and Danny Meason from Idalou.

The bride is a 1973 graduate of Abemathy High School and is a junior at Texas Tech University.

The bridegroom is a 1969 graduate of Abemathy High School and is also a 1973 graduate of Virginia Military Institute with a degree in civil engineering. He is presently serving in the U. S. Army.

Following a wedding trip to Ruidosa, New Mexico, the couple will be stationed in Heilbronn, Germany for 15 months. The couple plans to visit places of interest in Europe before returning to the States.



Mrs. Jimmie Lynn Reeves
...the former Gay DaNell Byers



Mrs. Bruce Kinast
...nee Debbi Milliken

Wedding Vows Spoken

Debbi Milliken became the bride of Bruce Kinast during a double ring candle-light ceremony July 2 in the First Baptist Church of Slaton. The Rev. J. L. Cartrite officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Milliken, of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kinast of Abemathy.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white imported organza featuring silk-floss Venice lace motifs adorning the sheer yoke, high neck line, long full sleeves and repeated on the A-line skirt which flowed into a chapel length train.

Her cathedral length tiered veil was of imported usion, bordered with Venice lace and attached to a matching Juliet cap. She carried a cascade of white roses.

Vicki Milliken of Lubbock, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Michelle Neel, cousin of the bride, and Kathy Stone, cousin of the bride.

The groom wore formal length gowns of lavender sheer organza, featuring necklines and full skirts, trimmed with white Venice lace. Their headpieces were

wide brimmed lavender straw hats. They carried pink roses.

The groom wore a white tuxedo. His groomsmen, father of the bride and his father wore black tuxedos and lavender shirts.

The brides mother wore a formal length gown of pink chiffon. The groom's mother gown was of formal length aqua chiffon. Their corsages were gardenias. Mrs. Mennie Jackson, grandmother of the bride wore a long green knit dress. Mrs. L. C. Robertson, grandmother of the groom wore a long blue knit dress. Their corsages were white carnations.

Bobby Kinast, of Abemathy, served his brother as best man. Tony Clark and Dan Harden, both of Lubbock, served as groomsmen. Ushers were Bobby Milliken and Jon Dawson, cousins of the bride.

Candlelighters were Lisa Powers and Wade Neel, cousins of the bride. Mandy Neel served as flower girl. Dan Stroud and David

Prason, both of Lubbock provided traditional wedding music.

A reception followed in the fellowship hall in the church.

After a trip to Houston and Galveston the couple will make their home in Lubbock, where both are employed.

The groom's parents were host for a rehearsal dinner Thursday night on the patio at South Park Inn in Lubbock.

Miss Milliken Is Shower Honoree

Debbi Milliken, bride-elect of Bruce Kinast of Lubbock, was honored with a bridal shower Tuesday in the Slaton Club house.

Special guests were Mrs. Douglas Milliken of Slaton and Mrs. Leonard Kinast of Abemathy, the mother of the couple. The couple was married July 2 in the First Church in Slaton.



Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lamb

JEANNIE FERGERSON, TIM LAMB UNITED IN EVENING MARRIAGE CEREMONY

Jeannie Ferguson and Tim Lamb were united in marriage, June 26 at 8:00 p. m. in the Nazarene Church of Abemathy. Rev. Roswell Bruner performed the ceremony. Jeannie Ferguson is the daughter of Aretia Ferguson of Abemathy and Albert Ferguson of Lubbock. Tim Lamb is the son of Dorothy Lamb and the late Clarence Lamb of Lubbock.

The bride's colors were blue and white. Following the wedding, the bride and groom went to Colorado on their honeymoon. The couple will reside in Friona.

The bride wore a white bridal satin dress with a blue ruffle and train. The veil was white bridal lace with baby blue ribbon in the lace around the edge.

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COUNTY LINE CHIT-CHATS by Faye Ann Nelson

Our hats off to all the people in Abemathy for sponsoring and putting on such a wonderful July Fourth Bicentennial celebration. It was one of the best. The parade gets better every year as it goes along. Our special thanks to Mayor Pete Thompson and all his helpers which would include everyone who took part and helped. One man can't do it alone. It takes everyone's cooperation to sponsor such a big three-day affair. Our thanks to Myrna Davis for working so hard on the Heart Association and the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. What would we do without people like her?

The County Line Community Club met Tuesday June 29 at the County Line Club house for their regular meeting. The business meeting was conducted by president Faye Pope. She stated we had a successful work day and would have another one soon to clean out the storage room on the south end of the building and put it to some good use. Minutes were read by the secretary Audrey McQuire. The program was turned over to Dovie Neel Barron who had a splendid program of acrobatics and singing and piano playing. Guests who participated were Donna Horne, Marilyn Campbell of Brown-

field and Yvonne Colbert of Abemathy. The audience requested that Dovie play a piece on the piano. She played a waltz that was her mother's favorite. She said when she was a little girl her mom had her to play it 10 times a day so that is why she remembered it. Guests present for the program were: Juanita Krebs, Jessie Cathryn Newton, Mrs. Volney Farris, and Mrs. W. A. Carraway of Shallowater. Members present were: Nettie Parrish, Faye Ann Nelson, Audrey McQuire, Faye Pope, Nita Granger, Pam Connell, Barbara Teakell, Mary Ruth Manley and the hostess Dovie Barron and Kate Jones.

... Harry Emerson Fostick

The Class Reunion of the 1937 class of Abemathy High School met in the home of Wayland Nelson for a coffee Saturday night July 3 at 7:00 p. m. Those attending were Glenn Reagan, Preston Amerson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis of Amarillo, Rudolph Richter and his mother Mrs. H. E. Richter. After a lot of chit chat about the "good ole" days in Abemathy High School the guests were served coffee and donuts. All of the ones that could not make it were missed. Two of the class are deceased. Some of the members' addresses have never been found and others misplaced so maybe at the next get together we will have contacted more members and have a more accurate listing of addresses. If you know of any of the members of this class or their whereabouts please contact Glenn Reagan at 757-2330. Pictures were taken and will be printed later.

PEARCE FAMILY HOLDS REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pearce were hosts July 4 for a Pearce Reunion in their home northeast of Abemathy. The Peaces were all raised near Abemathy and were brothers and sisters of the late C. C. (Clint) Pearce. There were forty-one to eat lunch and enjoyed visiting during the day. Old time friends and neighbors dropped by in the afternoon. Those here for the occasion were: Mrs. May Groves, Mrs. Julia Groves, Martin and Glenn, Mrs. Sybil Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Keith all of California. Mr. and Mrs. Will Pearce and Mrs. Jean Boone of Mason, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Pearce of Bellview, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mote, David and Wesley of Broadview, New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Jason Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pearce of Waco, Texas. Troy Roabron of Cleabourn, Texas. Mrs. Maude Pettit, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pettit, Lisa, Teresa, and Janet of Houston, Texas. Mrs. Amyler Smither, Betty Smither, Hayden Pearce, and Mathan Jenkins of Denver, Colorado. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seymour and Carrie of Lubbock.

Mrs. Georgia Lopez visited her son, Gilbert and daughter-in-law, Lisa, their son, Jeffery in Cheyenne, Wyoming last month.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Sparks and family of Modesto, Calif., visited here in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Vic Struve.



Mrs. Joe Bob Via
...nee Kathy Jo King

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED



Kathy Lyn Williams, Ira Dwayne Riggs
...to wed soon in Snyder

Mr. and Mrs. Roice Williams, Jr. of Snyder, Texas announce the engagement approaching marriage of their daughter, Kathy Lyn, to Mr. Ira Dwayne Riggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira T. Riggs, Jr. of Snyder, Texas, formerly of Abemathy. The wedding date has been set for August 21st at the Colonial Hill Baptist Church in Snyder.

Miss Williams is a 1974 graduate of Snyder High School and attended Business School at Western Texas College. She is currently working in Austin. Dwayne is a 1972 graduate of Snyder High School. And a 1974 graduate of Western Texas College. He is in Pharmacy School at the University of Texas, in Austin. Dwayne is the grandson of the late Robert E. Myers of New Deal and Mrs. Lucille Myers, now of Plainview, Texas.

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 I don't like to comment about heaven and hell as I have friends in both places.
 ... Mark Twain
 Bitterness imprisons life; love releases it. Bitterness paralyzes life; love empowers it. Bitterness sours life; love sweetens it. Bitterness sickens life; love sweetens it. Bitterness blinds life; love annoys its eyes.

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