Webb Resigns After Serving 19 Years As Superintendent

Accepts Position At Education Service Center he will head, is located at 4000 22nd Place, Lubbock. It is an intermediate

Following an emergency School Board meeting, Thursday morning, December 3, President Richard Howard released the following statement on behalf of the Board of Trustees.

"It is with deepest regret that the Board of Trustees of the Abernathy Independent School District has accept ed the resignation of Dr. Delwin Webb as Superintendent of Schools. For nineteen years Dr. Webb has unselfishly dedicated himself to the young people of our school, and in a broader sense to boys and girls in the schools across the State of Texas.

His dedication, loyalty, professional attitude, and desire to improve our school has been a credit, not only to himself but to the entire teaching profession. We wish him the greatest success in his new position as Executive Director of the Education Service

Center, Region XVII.

During his nineteen years of service, Dr. Webb has directed many improvements to the local school facilities. All buildings and plants have either been built or renovated during his tenure with the exception of the "Old Red Gymnasium." However, he stated he had more pride in what had been accomplished in staff improvement and curriculum than in the buildings.

Numerous courses and services have been added. The more significant are special education, library services, conseling services, vocational opportunities, health services, title programs, art, journalism, and individualized study and computer instruction.

He emphasized that although he was stepping aside as Superintendent, he was not leaving the Education profes-

The Education Service Center which

agency between public schools and the Texas Education Agency. Service Centers are designed to provide services more economically and effectively than can be provided by each school district.

Services include Media, Computerizded Data Processing, Resource Material, Staff Development, Technical Assistance, Programs for Special Education, Nutrition Education, Drug Education, Adult Education, Bus Driver Training and Texas Assessment of

Education Service Center, Region XVII serves 20 counties with 64 school districts and approximately 80,000 students.

Dr. Webb will replace Dr. O.R. Douglas, who is retiring and has been Executive Director since 1967.

Bruce Rigler, chairman of the service center board of directors, said of the appointment, "We are looking

forward to working with Dr. Webb. We feel there are numerous challenges and a great need for his expertise as we work together to expand services of the

Webb, who received three degrees at Texas Tech University, has served as a teacher and as an administrator in Littlefield and Brownfield and has taught at Tech. He was named superintendent of the Abernathy school

system in August 1963. Webb. who has served in many professional and civic organizations,

was named Abernathy Man of the Year in 1977. He is listed in "Who's Who and Personalities of the Southwest."

He and his wife, Barbara, an English teacher, have two daughters, one a first year teacher at Round Rock and the other a senior at the University of

"Jaws" Frees Man From Trash **Auger At Ross Gin**

The Jaws equipment purchased by Abernathy this summer is "worth it's weight in gold" as it was used to free a man from a trash auger at Ross Gin Sunday night at 11: 40 p.m. Ross gin is located 10 miles northwest of Aber-

The Abernathy EMS volunteers responded to an emergency call at 11:10 Sunday night from Ross Gin after Mario Gonzales, 24, was pulled into a trash auger. Earlier that evening a trash auger was turned off immediately when Gonzales' leg was pulled into it.

Abernathy Firemen came to the rescue bringing the Jaws equipment that would soon release Gonzales. The firemen went to work to cut the heavy thick steel holding the man's leg. First they used the scissors, and after experimenting with this tool switched

to a cutting torch to cut the thick steel. After cutting the steel brace into, the firemen then applied the spreading tool which separated the joint holding the

The entire episode with the jaws tool took some 20 minutes during which time Gonzales fainted. EMS volunteers revived him with oxygen and he was asked to try to remove his leg from under the loosened steel framework Gonzales was able to slide his leg out and EMS team members pulled him out and administered first aid.

Gonzales was taken to Methodist Hospital and was released early this week. There were no fractures to his leg or foot and Gonzales had escaped what could have been a very serious acci-

Santa Wants To Hear From Abernathy Youngsters

It's time for Abernathy youngsters to write their letters to Santa Claus and the Abernathy Weekly Review will print them before December 25 so Santa will know what they want for

Santa informed the Review that he will be reading the paper to see what the youngsters need this year. Simply

which was taken at the gates during the 10 football games, amounted to \$9,243. \$5,368 was collected at home games. and \$3,875 at out-of-town games. The

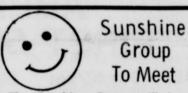
address the letters to Santa Claus c/o The Abernathy Weekly Review,

Drawer D, Abernathy, Texas 79311. The Review will make copies of the letters and then rush them on to Santa at the North Pole.

The Review will publish letters from youngsters of all ages, including teenagers in AHS. Write your Santa letter

Masons To Meet

The Abernathy Mason Lodge 1142 AM and FM will have a regular meeting Thursday. December 10. which is today at 7:30 p.m. All members are urged to be present.



The Sunshine Group will have Christmas lunch at their regular nonthly meeting to be held Thursday, ecember 17.

Don Moore, choir director at the First Baptist Church, will perform at 11 a.m. fore lunch at 12.

Farm Computer Program Monday

The Abernathy Young Farm Chapter will sponsor a special program on Farm Computers Monday, Dec. 14th at 7:00 p.m. in the Ag Building.

Presenting the program will be Tom Sowell, of Agriplex Computer Company in Lubbock. Sowell sells and services the Apple and other small computers for home use and by small businesses.

Young Farmers Selling Turkeys

The Abernathy Young Farmers will be selling Christmas turkeys through the 14th of December. These are smoked turkeys from Country Heritage Farms of Stephenville. The cost will be \$17.00 per turkey.

If you have not been contacted and would like to purchase a turkey, call Scotty Windham or Gerald Kelley at 298-2563, or call Don Stone or Van Riley



Saturday. All day Saturday, Santa Claus will be at Pay-N-Save to talk to youngsters. Pictured is Pay-N-Save Manager Bill Elliott telling Santa what he

VOLUME 61 NO. 5A | Serving Hale, Lubbock Counties | THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1981 U.S.P.S. NO. 003-340 showed an increase of 63 students with 974 enrolled by the end of October. By the end of November, enrollment had increased 24 students to 998. The lunchroom report revealed that the luncrhoom budget is \$5,600 in the Thus far for 1981, 85.75 percent of red, much like last year at this time. school taxes have been collected. The 85 Football financial receipts, money meeting adjourned. percent amounts to \$1,926,381 collected of the \$2,246,471 budgeted for 1982. Collection of school taxes is slower this year due to the Abernathy ISD

SANTA CLAUS will be making a rare appearance in Abernathy this coming would like for Christmas. (Review Photo)

THAT WAS FAST! The Abernathy Arts and Crafts Committee, from left to right, Betty Neve, Jane Murray and Diana Phillips, present Chamber President Charles Bowen with a check for \$490.68 to repay the Chamber for buying the materials used to make the booths for the Bazaar. The Bazaar was a great success and the Arts and Crafts Committee was congratulated for their efforts. (Review

ABERNATHY WEEKLY REVIEW

School Board Sets Probationary Standards For School Personnel

The Abernathy School Board met use charge each time a vehicle is items of business, one of which was to adopt a probationary status for all new school instructors.

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> requires school to evaluate school personnel performance yearly and allows school to put new teachers on probation for a period of up to two years. Following the two-year probationary period, teachers will be given a regular term contract excluding probationary status.

The board voted to put all new teachers on two-year probationary contracts effective next year. New Superintendents and school administrators will not be given probationary contracts, but regular term contracts. The probationary status will only apply to new teachers, but superintendents, administrators and teachers will be evaluated every year. They will be evaluated for their performance each year. In the past they were not evaluated

School Vehicles

The board discussed the possibility of renewing a contract with Don's Chevrolet, who has been furnishing four vehicles to Abernathy Schools this past

The school is charged \$250 per unit

Monday at 8 p.m. to discuss several exchanged at Don's Chevrolet. Two pickups and two cars are usually rented for use by Drivers Education classes and the Vocational Agriculture classes Recently passed Senate Bill 341 at \$4 per day. The board made no decision on whether to renew this contract at this time.

Delinquent Taxes

Letters have been sent to thirty-two people owing property taxes delinquent prior to January 1, 1961. Of these delinquent tax notices, four responed by saying they would pay them in the near future, six paid their taxes, which amounted to \$2,430, seven made partial payments, and tifteen people gave

no response to the notices at all. The board decided to mail a second notice to those who have not paid these delinquent taxes. If they do not respond to the notices by December 19, 1981, the school will take legal action against those who have not attempted to pay

The other option is to mark the delinquent taxes paid, which will take affect January 1 on taxes which have been delinquent for a period of 20 years. The board decided to have an attourney pursue legal action to acquire payment for delinquent tax accounts not paid by December 19.

Tax Collection

On The County Line

By: Keith Tooley

If You Gotta Go... My friend is rather

an old fashioned lady, always quite delicate and elegant, especially in her language. She and her husband were planning a week's vacation in Florida. so she wrote to a particular campground and asked for a reservation.

She wanted to make sure the campground was fully equipped, but didn't quite know how to ask about the toilet in her letter.

After much deliberation, she finally came up with the old fashioned term 'Bathroom commode''. But when she wrote that down she thought she was still being too forward. So, she started all over again, rewrote the entire letter. and referred to the bathroom commode merely as B.C. Does the campground have its own B.C.? is what she actually

Well, the campground owner wasn't old fashioned, and when he got the letter, he just couldn't figure out what the woman was talking about. That B.C. Business really stumped him.

After worrying about it for awhile, he showed the letter to several campers but they couldn't imagine what the lady meant either. So the campground owner, finally coming to the conclusion that the lady must be asking about the location of the local Baptist Church, sat down and wrote the following reply.

Dear Madam:

I regret very much the delay in answering your letter, but I now take the pleasure of informing you that a B.C. is located nine miles North of the campground and is capable of seating 250 people at one time. I admit it is quite a distance away if you are in the habit of going regularly, but no doubt you will be pleased to know that a great number of the people take their lunches along and make a day of it. They usually arrive early and stay late.

The last time my wife and I went was six years ago, and it was so crowded we had to stand up the whole time we were there. It may interest you to know that right now there is a supper planned to raise money to buy more seats. They're going to hold it in the basement of the

I would like to say it pains me very much not to be able to go more regularly, but it surely is no lack of desire on my part. As we grow older, it seems to be more of an effort, particularily in cold weather. If you decide to come down to our campground, perhaps I could go, and sit with you and introduce you to all the other folks. Remember, this is a friendly commu-

David Werst in Big Lake Wildcat.

AN AGGIE WAS DRIVING down the road to Dallas in a pickup with a pig in the back. A policeman pulled the Aggie over and informed the Aggie that it is illegal to drive on the freeway with a pig in the back of his pickup. The Aggie knodded with a confused look on his face and said he was not aware of this law. Then the officer suggested to the Aggie that he take the pig to the zoo just up the road.

The next day the Policeman spotted the Aggie going the opposite direction on the freeway with the pig in the front seat. The Policeman pulled the Aggie over once again and said, "I thought you took the pig to the zoo like I suggested," The Aggie replied, "I took the pig to the zoo and he liked it so well that I am taking him to Six Flags

getting the appraised value for this district from the Hale County Appraisal District a month later than usual.

The drop in collections could also be attributed to confusion for those who are paying taxes on split properties. Due to school taxes being levied later than usual, a 3 percent discount was not given for early payment this year.

Other Business The board renewed Abernathy's membership to the TASB, (Texas Association of School Boards), by agreeing to pay the \$625 membership fee.

Enrollment is up considerably from September, when 911 students were enrolled in Abernathy Schools. October

C Of C Meeting

The Abernathy Chamber of Commerce met Thursday at 7 a.m. for a delicious breakfast followed by a meet-

Eighteen members and three guests were present at the meeting. Richard Boyles and Carl Irlbeck were two of the guests and expressed their intent to become members of the Chamber. The other guest was Hale County Commissioner Henry Reiff.

Charles Bowen reviewed what had taken place the previous month. The Chamber donated the 470 canned goods, gathered at the Octoberfest, to the Abernathy ministerial association.

The Chamber gave a free dinner to VEH Instructor Jim Crites and the VEH students who built the booths for the Arts and Crafts Bazaar.

Christmas decorations were prepared by Arno Struve and Dan Ward who also helped install them with Bill Scott and Judge Stevens

The Arts and Crafts Bazaar Committee, made up of Betty Neve, Diana Phillips and Jane Murray presented Chamber President Charles Bowen with a check for \$490.68 to repay the Chamber for the money used to buy the materials for the booths. They also reported that the Bazaar was such a success that there may be as many as 50 booths next year and possibly have the Bazaar 11 days on a Saturday and

Sunday afternoon. The Chamber urges everyone to decorate the front of their home or office and the most beautifully decorated will be recognized in the Review. The homes or businesses in the contest

will be selected prior to Christmas day. A committee was designated to provide refreshments for the Christmas

A committee was designated to provide refreshments for the Christmas program December 21 at the auditorium lobby. Punch and cookies will probably be served.

Charles Bowen read a letter from Troy and Mildred Brown of Hale Center, who thanked Abernathy for the use of the football field for the Hale Center-Kress play-off game.

Tommy Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Enger and Rod Ellis prepared breaktast. Hoppy Toler, Betty Neve and Bill Scott will cook breakfast at the next

Teston-Parks Wedding Vows Exchanged Nov. 25

Northside Baptist Church was the scene of a candlelight service uniting Pepper Linne Teston and Robert Wayne Parks in marriage. Reverend Ed Scarbrough of Lubbock officiated the cere-

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Teston, of New Deal, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parks, of Abernathy.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a traditional gown of white jersey and re-embroidered schiffli lace. Soft draping attached to a Schiffli peplum formed a chapel train. Seed pearls and crystallettes held the shoulder length veil of silk illusion. She carried a colonial bouquet of tiger

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lillies and talisman roses with tufts of babys' breath.

Miss Tonya Blankenship, of New Deal, was Maid of Honor, and Miss Melanie Parrish, of New Deal, was the bridesmaid. They wore identical gowns of apricot georgette, gathered in back to form a bustle effect, and carried bouquets of apricot and chocolate silk lillies.

Mr. Dan Henley of Abernathy, served as Best Man, and Mr. Albert Watts, of Abernathy, served as groomsman. The groom and his attendants wore brown tuxedos with white shirts trimmed in apricot.

Descending the aisle, the bride presented her mother with a rose and a kiss, and

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ascending the aisle, presented the grooms mother with a rose and a kiss.

Special wedding music of 'The Lords Prayer' and "The Hawaiin Wedding Song" was presented by Mr. Earl Parks of Dallas, and uncle of the groom. He was accompanied at the organ by Nadine Rogers of Aber-

Miss Melanie Parks, sister of the groom, registered

Don Sanders, of Hart and Mike Parks served as ushers

A reception was held in the fellowship hall immediately following the ceremony. The table was covered with a tulle and lace floor length cloth with brass and crystal appointments. The attendants bouquets completed the setting. Assisting with the hospitalities were Mrs. Nita Sanders, sister of the groom, Kelle Teston, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Craig

Stewart of Abernathy

The bride chose a winter white and toast traveling suit for the trip to Dallas.

Mrs. Parks is a senior at New Deal High School. Mr. Parks attended Abernathy High School and is employed by West Texas Industries.



Pepper Linne Teston

Pope-Pulliam Exchange Wedding Vows Nov. 12

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Abernathy High School and Pope announce the marriage of their daughter Dale to Mr. Steve Pulliam Thursday, November 12th in Lubbock Steve is the son of Mr. Carl Pulliam and Mrs. James Cooper, both of Lubbock.

Dale is a 1976 graduate of

is currently employed at Continental Insurance in

Steve is a 1976 graduate of New Deal High School and is employed at American Tur-

Diana Lyn Buford Participant In Pageant

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buford of New Deal, presented oil painting as her talent in the finals of America's Junior Miss Pageant in Lubbock recently.

Diana is a senior student at New Deal High School. She is presently studying

Diana Lyn Buford, 17, oil painting with Pat Isbell of Shallowater.

The paintings she presented at the pageant were painted this year.

Talk Of The Town

Guests at the First United Methodist Church Sunda were: S.L. & Edith Montgomery, Lubbock; Mrs. John Blair, Jr., Justin; Cheryl Edwards; Chuck Thompson, Nelda and Wesly Hardin, Kristy Venable, Delores Bennett, Abernathy;

Houston; Mrs. Virgil C. Thomas. Paola Kansas: Dana, Peggy, Stevan and Keith Reynard, Spearman; Jo Ann Apple, Dallas; Lucy Dillon, Lubbock; Diane Lyng and Ross Bennett of Aber-



Lawrence Amerson was admitted to Methodist HosIris Johnson and Mary Hunley were visitors at the luncheon

Society and Peatures

everyone with a cute December 3rd. crocheted Santa lapel pin. Hostesses for the luncheon were Francis Howard and Those present were: Maurine Hamilton. They decorated the tables in very

the food was delicious. After the meal, they held a short business meeting and drew secret pal names for

pretty Christmas theme and

and Christmas party was

enjoyed by members of the

Hobby Club Thursday,

Dyvena Davis was on the program. Instead of the usual display of crafts, she read two poems that were in keeping with the holiday spirit. They were: "A Little Child Shall Lead" and "A Brother Like That". The poems were very good.

Christmas gifts were exchanged and everyone found out who their secret pal was. All enjoyed the fun and excitement of the event.

The Hobby Club would like to thank President, Glenna Downs, and the Secretary Treasurer, Vera Vaughn, for the good job they did a officers for 1981

New officers for 1982 will be President-Dyvena Davis, Vice-President-Wilma Pope, Secretary Treasurer-Glenna Downs and reporter, Ona Mae Maserang.

Two new members are Iris Johnson and Jennie Slough and the club welcomed them.

Billy Cole, Shallowater; Mark and Tessa Harrison,



pital last week to have sur-

Hobby Club Celebrates Rea, Francis Howard, Nadine Rogers, Ona Mae Nadine Rogers, Ona Mae Maserang, Wynelle Pope, Christmas Early Juanita Bell, Ruby Benn, Dorothy Boggus, Minnie V. Presley, Theo Vineyard, Dyvena Davis, Vaughn, Glenna Downs. Buelah Woods, Wilma Pope Mildred Rea presented and Maurine Hamilton.

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WARD-MARTIN ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED, Mr. and Mrs. Ward, of Levelland and formerly of Abernathy, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jolonna, to Brian Martin, of San Angelo, March 13 in Levelland. Rev. Condy Billingsley, of Abernathy, will perform the ceremony. Pictured is Jolonna Ward and Brian Martin.



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Tuesday Evening At Auditorium BRANT SINGERS, a nationally known Christian singing group headquartered in Visalia, California, will present a concert of contemporary Gospel music Tuesday, December 15 at 7:30 p.m. at the High School Auditorium. This concert is sponsored by the Abernathy Ministerial Association.

Their two-hour musical celebration entitled "Give Him Praise" is an inspiring presentation including contemporary sounds with fresh, new arrangements, smooth choral selections, gospel songs, hymn arrangements, praise songs, and worship choruses, combined with personal witness and sharing. In addition, Mr. Stemkoski, (or one of his associates) will bring a special message.

Members of the group come from many different states, (14 in all), and are chosen from hundreds of nationwide auditions. Composed of ten singers, a ten piece orchestra, and featur-

Jon Stemkoski's CELE- SINGERS are musical ministry team.

THE CELEBRANT SINGERS, a nationally known Christian singing group, will present a

concert of contemporary Gospel music Tuesday, December 15 at the High School Auditorium.

Their dynamic two-hour musical performance will include a variety of musical selections and

Celebrant Singers To Perform

These highly talented young adults have dedicated their lives to sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ around the world. They are not salaried, but rather are responsible for raising approximately one half of the cost of their travel expenses. The remainder of travel costs is raised as a result of concert appearances and record sales

Their founder and director, Jon Stemkoski, is the driving force behind this vital ministry. Mr. Stemkoski has conducted concert tours in all 60 states, Canada, the Bahamas and Caribbean, Latin America, Iran, Egypt, India, Sri Lanka and all parts of the Europe, (including the Iron Curtain countries of East

Germany and Poland.) While similar groups traditionally have had an exclusively Protestant audience. the CELEBRANT SINGERS are the first full time contemporary Christian singing nearly 50 million Roman in music Catholics. Over the past four years, they have provided special music with the liturgy and given concerts in hundreds of Catholic churches throughout the United States and Canada. Due to tremendous response, CELEBRANT SINGERS have increased the number of Catholic churches includ-

ed in their 1982 schedule. Most recently, CELE-BRANT SINCERS were involved in a highly successful overseas outreach throughout Ireland, Egypt, Greece and India. While in New Delhi, India, they sang for Mother Teresa at her all-India Nobel Prize reception.

The team is currently involved in a special "Report" tour throughout North America. Traveling from 100-500 miles daily, they will present nightly concerts in churches, auditoriums, colleges, universities, prayer groups, service clubs, military bases, hospitals, prisons, and outdoor arenas to nearly a quarter of a million people who will

Highlights of their 1982 tour include an extensive outreach throughout Southeast Asia where Mr. Stemkoski and the team will minister in eight Asian nations

The CELEBRANT SING-ERS record a new album each Spring. Their current album "Give Him Praise" has won national acclaim and is available in Christian bookstores throughout North America. Don't miss their performance Tuesday, December 15 (this Tuesday) at the School Auditorium.

Hard Travelers Perform At New Deal

New Deal Church of Christ hosted the Lubbock Christian College and Travelers in concert at 6 p.m. this past Sunday.

The Hard Travelers are a singing quartet who travel across the country performing for youth rallies and activities. They are sponsored by the Admissions Office at LCC and will spend more than 26 weeks on the road this year from Texas, Colorado and New Mexico to the East Coast. Road manager for the group is Jerry Stalkup, assistant director of admissions at LCC.

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Those To Remember Those in Methodist Hospital are: Pearl Givens, Bill Gist, Susie Anderson, Lawrence Amerson, Jewel Graham, Gene Nunn and Wayne Holleman was in ICU Saturday.

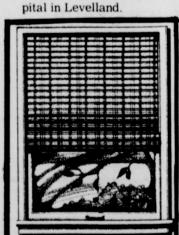
Rev. Tommie Beck is home and doing well. Carrie Nichols, (Janis

Myatt's mother), is in the hospital at Plano. Rosa Robertson is a heart patient in South Park Hos-

Mrs. Bertha Hunt suffered a fractured upper arm at the Nursing Home in Hale Cen-

Clarence Nelson is in a Big Springs Hospital after suffering a heart attack Sunday

Millie Mitchell is in a hos



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Trip Continues Struve

By Arno Struve

Later that day I made it a point to buy more candy at the same place. They seemed very pleased for I bought quite a bit of candy that time. Capitalism, free enterprise or the profit system,, whatever you want to call it, will not die. It is the greatest economic motivator that exists. Animals: We saw no wild

creatures at all. We heard a few birds. We went to several zoos where we saw pandas and some monkeys indigenous to China. There were no bovine cattle at all, but there were many sheep and goats. In the mountains in Kazak country there were ponies that were used to herd sheep work. A demonstration of Kazak horsemanship entertained us in the far west. At this place we were about 100

miles from the U.S.S.R. A National Geographic photographer was at this show taking pictures. He was so red-headed I thought sure he was Irish, but he said he was a New York Jew. The setting for the horsemanship exhibition was a narrow valley with fir-lined slopes on each side, very steep. The grass covered valley was flattened out just enough to make room for 30 or 40 men and women on horseback to do their thing.

Afterwards, some of us rode the little ponies. The stirrups were adjusted so high for the short people, that we had our knees "Under our chins" when we

In the summer, the Kazaks live in yurts, a kind of tent. When they bring their animals down the mountain, they live in more substantial houses. The yurts are made of felt with heavy canvas on the inside and on the outside. Some of them are right

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5: 00 p.m. Evening Worship 6: 00 p.m. WEDNESDAY (Sept.-May adies Class 10:00 a.m. Bible Class 7: 30 p.m. c.s.t. 8: 00 p.m. (d.s.t.)

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fancy. We went into a very nice one and were served

tea. Pictures? Of course! Camels are not uncommon in many of the places we went. Some ran loose. They may have been wild, but more likely they were domesticated and were just outgrazing on open range. They looked pretty "mangy". Some of the double humped ones hardly had any humps at all. It was,

empty and folded over. We saw several camels harnessed to carts along with two or three mules in front of the camels. The method of harnessing any cart is to put a strong and fairly large animal in the shafts of the cart, and then loosely hooking from one to three smaller animals in front of the stronger shaft

just as if the humps were

The camels were always in the position just in front of the carts, thus the cart was held stable regardless of the irregular pull of the front animals. The harness were merely ropes tied together in haphazard fashion. There

when mailed out of Texas.

Keith Tooley.

were no "eveners" to keep the animals pulling together.

Most of the carts were pulled by little mules. Once in a while there might be horses, but not often. These carts were invariably made by building a crude frame on an undercarriage taken from an old truck. I sometimes wondered where all the truck wheels came from in a country where there are so few trucks.

These carts carry very heavy loads. Very often they carried stones for road building and of course all manner of other merchandise. Often the men accompanying the carts would be asleep on top' of the load. The gait of the animals would best be described as plodding. Once in a while the carts would be pulled by oxen.

And I must not forget the lowly donkey; he had his loads to pull, too. There really were quite a few of these little burros. At night the "cloppity-clop" of the little donkey feet could be heard on the pavement when the load was light enough for him to trot along.

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Nativity Scene On Display At F.B.C.

A beautiful Nativity scene is on display at the north entrance of the First Baptist Church.

Please take this opportunity to drive by some night during the Christmas season to see the scene

Other decorations in the church auditorium may be seen any Sunday morning at 10:40. You are invited to come and worship.

News From

First Baptist Church Children's Choir will present a Christmas Musical Sunday night, December 13th at 7:00 p.m.

The Adult Choir will present a Christmas Cantata "Born A King" Sunday morning, December 20th at 10:40 a.m. during the morning service.



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On Christian Growth

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Just as your physical growth must be based upon the laws of nature, your spiritual growth must be based upon the laws of God. No one has ever grown spiritually without the

It is impossible to please God without faith, and faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God. Rom. 10: 17. Why not study the Bible and go to Church this week?

> Lloyd Riddles, First Baptist Church

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Marketing Options For Cotton Growers

swing, he adds.

"Export demand will be

the main factor influencing

cotton prices this fall and

winter," believes Anderson.

"The growing importance of

exports to disappearance of

U.S cotton suggests even

more price uncertainty than

in the past. Export demand

is subject not only to the

uncertainty of foreign pro-

duction but also to political

Any major change in the

cotton market will likely

stem from a change in ex-

ports from current projec-

tions of about 7 million bales,

notes the economist. If the

Faced with a record world cotton crop and a lackluster demand for their product. cotton growers need to map out a sound marketing strategy. A key part of this strategy is keeping a close eye on the market itself.

Dr. Carl Anderson, marketing economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System, suggests a number of marketing options for cotton producers:

* Establish a selling price for forward contracting or hedging in the futures market and arrange delivery at some future date.

* Sell at harvest. * Hold and sell later.

*Place cotton under the Commodity Credit Corporation loan program and hope the price will go up

Growers can develop a

by watching daily and weekly reports on prices and worldwide production and use," says the economist. "Bumper 1980 crops in Rus-

According to Anderson,

"During the summer, the market will move up and down between low supplies and good and bad reports on crop conditions." says Anderson. "A decline in interest rates might also

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'feel' for the cotton market

sia and China have burdened the market, and U.S. prices have fallen about \$35 per bale since January.'

two developments will bear heavily on the cotton market for the season ahead--low carryover stocks and export demand.

give the market a boost."

Periods of market strengths may offer an opportunity to forward-price some cotton between now and the time harvest into full

Many Farmers Surviving On

In contrast to the rest of the state, farm loan demand is strong in the Southern High Plains region of Texas. according to a recent survey of area agribankers by the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas. However, the strength in loan demand does not indicate a growing and prosperous farm economy. Rather, it appears that many farmers and ranchers are substituting credit for income.

For the second consecutive year, farm income has fallen far below early expectations. Bankers reponding to the Federal Reserve survey report that many area farmers and ranchers have endured a prolonged period of low protitability and that a growing number are in relatively weak tinancial condition.

Some bankers appear apprehensive about their ability to continue to finance ting tarm borrowers when

all of their farm customers. As one banker put it, the situation "means more borrowings by less creditworthy individuals

new U.S. crop turns out

about 13.5 to 14 million bales,

market prices will likely go

up or down as exports go

above or below the 7-million-

supplies improve--as it ap-

pears they will in 1981--the

market usually remains

weak. However, the world-

wide supply-demand balance

is expected to remain tight.

So watch for a time when the

market is on the upswing to

'set' your price," Anderson

advises growers. "With the

high cost of holding cotton.

timing your sale is more

important than ever.'

"Historically, when cotton

Among the survey results reported by Don A. Riffe, agricultural economist for the Dallas Bank, were

*Two-thirds of the respondents indicated a greater than usual demand for farm loans in the October survey. compared with about onethird a year ago

* Where half of the bankers surveyed in October 1980 reported collateral requirements to be more stringent than usual, this year none did. In fact, almost a third reported that collateral requirements were lower than normal, suggesting that banks have been accomoda-



COTTON USE RISES: Use of cotton by the U.S. textile mills rose moderately in October to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 5.8 million 480-pound bale-

equivalents. This was 1.2 percent above the September rate but 5.2 percent below October a year ago. Cotton's share of total fiber consumption improved to its best mark since August, 1980, rising to 25.5 percent from 23.6 percent in September. Moreover, cotton's percentage of fiber usage on cotton systems rose

November a year ago, reaching 59.8 percent.

In contrast to cotton's improvement, use of most other fiber types declined, as the seasonally adjusted annual rate use of all fibers declined 6.4percent from the previous month. As a group, manmade fibers sustained a 9.3 percent drop. Rayon and polyester staples, cotton's major competing fibers, declined 6.6 percent and 5.2 percent, respectively.

PRODUCERS SPEAK: Cotton growers are to its highest share since scheduled to play a vital role

FFA Conducting Team Places Second In District

Members of the Abernathy **Future Farmers of America** Chapter recently competed in a District and area leadership contest held at Canyon.

The purpose of these contests is to develop leadership and communication skills. The Abernathy Chapter competed in all contests at district and qualified three teams for area competition. Members of the Senior

Forty percent of the banks had loan-to-deposit ratios greater than 70 percent in the most recent survey, compared with 23 percent of those surveyed a year Chapter Conducting Team were: Melissa Hagstrom, Trey Stone, Randall Stillwell, Ricky Powell, Brian Smith, John Holocker, Regina Powell, and Mark Bell. This team placed 2nd in District and 5th at the area contest

Members of the Senior Skill team were: Bobby Ross, Alan Pettit, Don Barron, and Randy Brightbill. This team placed 3rd in district.

The Junior Chapter Conducting team was 3rd in District. It's members were: Kelly Hill, David Mc-Kinny, Ross Bradley, Donnie Williamson, Kevin Lester, Shawn Knight and Todd Johnson.

at the 1982 Beltwide Cotton Production-Mechanization Conference January 6-7 in

Las Vegas

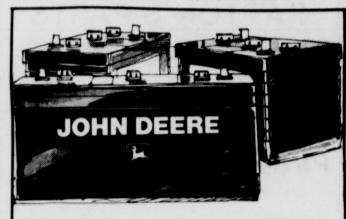
Howard Wuertz, Coolidge. Ariz., cotton producer, will discuss crop financing; John "Duke" Barr, III, Oak Ridge, La., and Larry Bridges, Arlington, Ga., will discuss their experiences in double cropping cotton with other crops.

Analysis of cotton plants for nutrient monitoring will be discussed by R.L. 'Bobby'' Webster, Waynesboro, Ga., and Eric Muller,

agronomist at Salyer Land Co., Corcoran, Calif.

EXPORTS GROW: Net new sales for the 1981-82 marketing year totaled 107,500 running bales during the week ended Nov. 26. This was the 19th consecutive week of sales in excess of

100,000 bales. The week's top buyers were Japan, 31,900 bales and South Korea, 25,400. Export shipments increased to 119,400, the largest weekly total for the season, and brought the yearly total to 1,028,300 bales.





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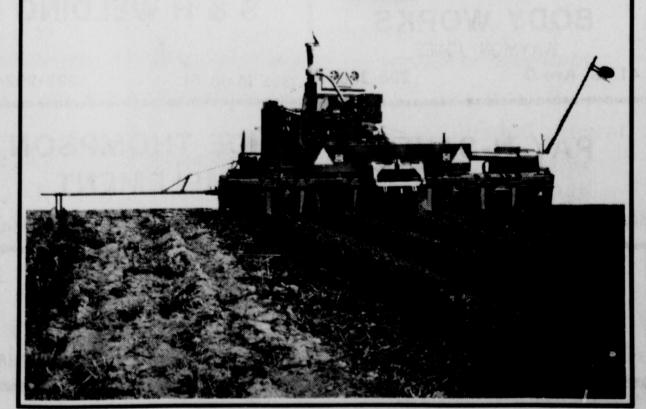
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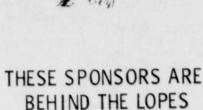
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Abernathy UIL Teams Dominate Roosevelt Meet

Science and Math teams competed at the Roosevelt meet Saturday, December 5 and placed first in several divisions

In the Calculator contest Veteran Division, Mark Kitchens placed first, Ruben Garcia second, Keith Lester ninth and Bobby Morgan tenth.

Number Sense Veteran Division, second place went to Jay Harrison and seventh place to Jon Mark Fulton. In the Number Sense Novice Division, Mark Kitchens placed fourth, Keith Lester eighth and Wade Wesley

Jon Mark Fulton placed first in the Science Veteran Division followed by Mandy Thompson in second place and Hector Ramos in sixth.

In the Science Novice Division, Jimmy Salitros placed first, Jay Harrison third and Robert Brantley sixth.

Talk Of The Town The following people attended Betty Reynard's retirement party from Southwestern Public Service Company: her son Dana Reynard; Mrs. Reynard and their three sons from Spearman; her daughter Diane Lyng from Lytle; and sisters grade) division of the Science competition, Bobby Morgan placed second and John Vandygriff sixth.

Students placing in the top three in any division were awarded medals. Those placing 6-10th received

Jo Ann Apple of Dallas and Mary Ellen Thomas, of Paola, Kansas

Although the standard English dictionary contains be tween 300,000 and 500,000 words, the average person uses only about 3,000.

Basketball Results From Last Week

Canyon Downs JV Lopes

The Abernathy JV Ante-

lopes lost to Canyon last

Tuesday night 71-85. Larry

Perkins was the leading

shooter with 23 points follow-

ed by Chester Cooper with

Canyon

Jessica Thomas and Kathy

Ellis each had 14 points in

8th Grade Girls Edge

Hale Center

nathy gym, the 8th Grade

Yearlings beat Hale Center

Mary Cooper was the lead-

ing scorer with 8 points.

by a score of 20-16.

Monday night at Aber-

night 50-46 at Canyon

this game.

Lopes Lose To Canyon The Abernathy Antelopes lost to Canyon last Tuesday night at Canyon 52-61

The Lopes edged Canyon in the first quarter 17-15. Canyon regained the lead in the second quarter and at halftime the score was 27-30 in favor of Canyon.

Canyon remained in the lead for in the second half and stretched it to 61-52 before the game ended.

Malcolm Dunn was the leading scorer with 12 points and Rodney Cannon and Sammy Galloway both had

Canyon Slips By Lady Lopes The Canyon fems slipped by the Lady Lopes 75-81 last

Tuesday night at Canyon. In the first quarter, Canyon jumped out to a 14-7 point lead over the Lopes. The Lady Lopes rallied in the second quarter but fell behind again in the third quar-

ter losing 43-58 at this time. The Lady Lopes made a dramatic come-back in the fourth quarter scoring 32 points to Canyon's 23. But the scoring came too late in the game and time ran out for the Lady Lopes.

Margaret Cooper had 24 points, just under Vickie McKenzie, the leading scorer of the game, with 28

Scott Norris Fund At First State

A fund for Scott Norris, a second grade student in the Abernathy Elementary, has been started at the First State Bank in Abernathy.

Scott incurred a badly broken leg October 29 and was hospitalized for 4 weeks in Methodist Hospital. He was in traction during the four-week hospital stay and then put in a body-cast before his release Thanksgiving.

Scott will be unable to attend school and a teacher will make house calls to assist Scott with his school work.

fund were collected at the

Breakfast Menu

December 14-18

Monday

Apple Juice

Oatmeal

12pt. Milk

Tuesday

Pineapple Juice

Sausage & Biscuits

12pt. Milk

Wednesday

Orange Juice

Hot Wheat Cereal

2pt. Milk

Thursday

Banana

Cereal

Toast

12pt. Milk

Friday

Orange Juice **Cheese Toast**

2pt. Milk

Lunchroom Menu

December 14-18

Monday

Tostizza

Lettuce & Tomato

Freshman Lady Lopes Lose Mary Cooper 12 points. The Freshman Lady Lopes played Hale Center Monday night at the Abernathy gym. Hale Center beat Abernathy 38-27. Holly Shafer was the

leading scorer of the night

Stomp Hale Center The 7th grade Yearlings stomped Hale Center here Monday night and by a score of 42-13. Sandy Garcia was the top

scorer with 15 points.

JV Lady Lopes Defeated 8th Girls Win The JV Lady Lopes defeated Canyon last Tuesday 2nd Place

The 8th grade girls won 2nd place at the Plainview tournament November 19, 20, 21 at Plainview

The Yearlings defeated Olton in the first round 24-13. Sharon Thomason, Missy Johnson and Phoebe Dunn all scored 6 points in this game.

November 20, the 8th grade girls beat Estacado in the second round with Phoebe Dunn scoring 15, and

In the finals, Abernathy met with Nazareth, and were defeated by one basket, 30-32. Mary Cooper and Phoebe Dunn each had 10

Damon Loper, Rusty Hamil-

ton, Kory Ellis, Rod Lam-

bert, Michael Blanco and

leaders Lorie Forbes and

Dalanna Loper.

Reedy.

Cub Scout Dens Announced

Abernathy Cub Scout Pack 481 holds meetings every third Thursday each month at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. All scouts and families are urged to attend these meetings and join in on the fun.

Dens with their leaders are as follows: Den #1-Chris Pena, David Hernandez, Jason Gould, Jody Barton, Henry Blalock, Ronald Rice and leader Michelle Gould.

Den #2-Scott Attaway, Chris Casey, Michael Casey, Alex Garcia, Dallas Good man, Joe E. Guadalcaser, Jeff Johnson, Matt Kelley, Shawn Reeder and leaders Allen and Shirley Attaway.

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Pears

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Thursday

Turkey & Dressing

Fruit Salad

Green Beans

Cheese Rolls Applesauce Cake

12pt. Milk

Friday

Cheese Burgers Lettuce-Pickles-Onions

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Fruit Cup

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Happy Holidays

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Reedy, or Asst. Cubmaster Jim Barton. **BIRTH**

contact Cubmaster Benny

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Wade of Clarendon, are the proud parents of a son, Roger Ryan, born December 2nd in Hi-Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. He weighed 8 lbs. and 6 ozs. and is 21 inches

long. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith of Clarendon and Mr. and Mrs. Omer Wade of Route 2, Abernathy.

Matthew Boyd Henley was born October 28th to Gary and Nelda Henley, of Abernathy. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Runnels

and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rogers, of Abernathy, and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Henley of Lubbock

employees. (Review Photo)

Webelos-Chris Shuey, Maternal great-grand-Chad Blalock, Chad Douglas, parents are Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jara, Timmy Rice and L.B. Boyd of Sweetwater. leaders Dickie and Ginger Paternal great-grandparents are Mrs. Estelle Lee, of The Abernathy scouts urge Snyder, and Mr. and Mrs. anyone interested in Scouts T.J. Henley, Sr., of Brownas a Cub Scout or Leader to

field.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie McCollum of Shallowater are proud to announce the birth of a son weighing 9 pounds at 6:07 p.m. Thursday in Lubbock General Hos-

The Social Security representative, Janet Jelen from the Plainview Social Security office will be working in the City Hall in Aber-

SS Rep. Coming

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and cooling, most of the

home's energy is consumed. **Garcia Outstanding Player** Odessa College Basketball Team

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS can be seen all over

Abernathy as everyone is getting ready for this festive

occasion. Pictured is one of the Christmas tree decorations

on Avenue D. The decorations were hung by Bill Scott, Dan

Ward, Arno Struve, Judge Stevens and two other city

Joey Garcia, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Garcia, is lege where he was awarded a

scholarship in Basketball. Garcia is a 1981 graduate of Abernathy High School. He played basketball in Abernathy all through

school. He is a freshman at Odessa and doing tremendous in Basketball. Garcia is a member of the all-tourna ment team with nine other players

In his latest game, Garcia scored 12 points against Hill Junior College. Odessa College is 4-3 for the year.

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Joe Head, Consumer Services Manager, Roswell

Southwestern was the first electric utility to install a fabric filter environmental-protection device at a large-scale power generation unit. SPS installed the filter-an efficient, economical device for maintaining air quality around a plant-at its first coal-fired plant. As more electricity is generated by burning coal, interest in coal's environmental impact will grow. Even now, other utility companies and the Environmental Protection Agency are studying the performance of SPS's unique system.

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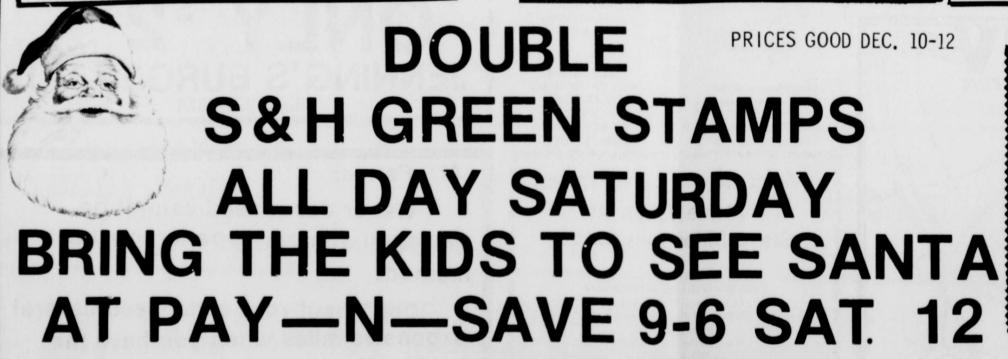
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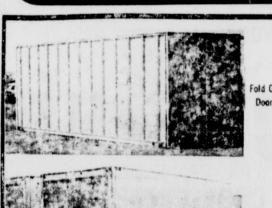
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From The Abernathy Weekly Review dated July 30. 1942:

Men In The U.S. Armed Forces: Colonel Webb, son of Mr. and Mrs. T.O. Webb, was on duty somewhere in the Pacific. Douglas Vineyard, son of Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Vineyard, El Paso, John W. Webb, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.P. Webb, was stationed at Brookley Field, Alabama. Beauford Haynes entered an officers training school in Maryland, going there from Camp Wolters, Texas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes.

Lt. and Mrs. Weldon Nunn visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nunn. Weldon, a 1933 AHS graduate, recently received his army commission in officers school at Fort Riley, Kansas. Pvt. Thomas A. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Williams, is stationed at New Orleans. Wright Williams, another son of the local couple, is in the U.S. Coast Guard, stationed at Charleston, S.C. Rudolph Richter, son of Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Richter, has moved from Langley Field. Va., to the Naval Air Station at Miami, Florida. Navyman Delvis Hallmark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Q.D. Hallmark is in radio training at Nortolk.

From The Abernathy Weekly Review dated December 18, 1958:

With the current cotton crop (1958) 99% gathered, the ginnings to Monday of this week totaled 44,926 bales, with County Line ginning 14,456 bales, and Abernathy 30,470 bales. Estimated worth of total bales is \$6,289,640.00

Births: A son born Dec. 8, 1958, to Mr. and Mrs. Olen Horne. A son born December 12, 1958, to Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy D. Lewis. Mr. and Mrs. H.G. Nunn are parents of a son born Dec. 14, 1958.

Dr. Kennith Gregory went to Dallas Dec. 12, 1958, to attend a seminar at the Baker Hotel

12-18-1958 Continued: W.A. Waters sold the Nu-Vue Theatre on Main Street and the Antelope Drive-In Theatre in South Abernathy to Mr. and Mrs. Will Darden of Elbert, Colo., and their son, C.G. Darden, of Lake Charles, La.

12-18-1958 News Briefs: Pfc. Barney E. Shuey, son of Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Shuey, has returned home after a 17-month tour of Army duty in Korea. Jerry Phillips, who was stationed with the U.S. Army in Germany, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

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W.L. Phillips. Frank, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Reagan, sustained a broken arm when he fell at the family home northwest of Aber-

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Willis planned to visit relatives in Tulsa, Okla., Garland, Wichita Falls and Quanah during the upcoming holidays. Planning to leave for visits in California soon after the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hardin and Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Pharr. Mr. and Mrs. Charley Brewer and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Knox visited relatives in Dallas and Hillsboro.

12-18-1958 Continued:

Board Considers Plans For New School Facility Here. Trustees inspect new school buildings in Lubbock for ideas. Current enrollment in Abernathy Schools: high school (grades 9-12) 258; junior high (grades 6-8) 266; elementary school (grades 1-5) 575. School trustees: J.C. Mills, president, Loren West, vice president, Ralph Davis, Marvin Floyd, Joe Lovelace, Mrs. Dan Z. Ward and Clarence Nelson. Noel superintendent of schools.

From The Abernathy Weekly Review dated March 25, 1943:

Names of E.D. Worthan and G.G. Flinn, both for re-election, and E.H. Attebury will be among those to appear on the ballot in the New Deal School trustee election April 3, 1943.

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Cpl. H.E. Singley, Jr. former Monroe resident and a brother of Mrs. Demp Webster, is on Armed Forces duty in North Africa.

3-25-1943 Continued: During a fund-raising program at New Deal School Wednesday night, people of the community donated \$607.05 to the Red Cross. The following were elected to a committee to make further collections for the Red Cross: School Superintendent A.L. Faubion, chairman, Mrs. Demp Webster, Mrs. Clem chitter, Mrs. E.W. Smith, Mrs. L.L. Watson, Mrs. W.D. James, Mrs. Fred Kveton, Mrs. A.N. Brooks, Mrs. Henry Struve, Mrs. F.A. Goebel, Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Wardroup, Mrs. W.C. Snider, Mrs. John Harrell, Mrs. A.L. Faubion and Mrs. John Med-

WAAC Aux. Beulah M. Lusk has moved from Fort Des Moines, Iowa, to the WAAC Training Center, Ruston, Louisiana.

WAVE Cortez Daniel has been moved from the Navy Training Center, Bronx, New York, to a yoeman school, Ennis Hall, Milledgeville, Georgia.

"Gone With The Wind" was showing at the Rita Theatre in Abernathy.

Miss Lorna Joe Neis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Neis, and Jack K. Saari, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Saari of Beeron, Michigan, were married March 20, 1943, at San Marcos, Texas, with the Rev. S.H. Farmer, minister of the Christian Church of that city, officiating.

Letters received by the Review were from: Rudolph Upchurch, Keesleer Field, Miss. and Lawrence Carter who shipped out of Camp Cooke, Calit., to Camp Forrest, Tenn.

The 16th Annual Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show was scheduled to be held April 13-14, and 15, 1943, in Plain-

Lt. James Robert Nunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nunn, has moved from Ft. Benning, Ga., to the 507th Parachute Intantry. Alliance, Nebraska.

T/4 F.W. Clausen has moved from Camp Carrabelle, Florida, to a post at Thomasville, Georgia. Pvt. Roy Evans moved

from Camp Adair, Oregon, to Fort Lewis, Washington.

New Deal Topples Tahoka 51-47

The New Deal Lions came back from a 28-25 halftime deficit to claim a hardfought 51-47 decision over Tahoka.

Neither team had an exceptionally good game in shoting the ball, but New Deal was able to stay close to he taller Tahoka squad in rebounds and used a marginal, 37.1 percent to 30.3 percent, shooting advantage from the floor to take the

The Lions proved to be their own worst enemy at the free throw line in connecting on only five of their 17 attempts from the free throw

Brian Jerden paced the winners with 14 points while teammates Steve Johnson and Jeff Greenhill had 12 and 10 points, respectively. Tracy Bryson led all scorers and rebounders with 19 points and 22 rebounds for Tahoka. James Wells was also in double digits for the Bulldogs with 11 points.

New Deal Scouts Sponsoring Parade And Party

The New Deal Scouts are sponsoring a parade and party December 12th at 10:00 a.m. at the Community Club House in New

Santa Claus will be present and there will be a hayride for small children. The older youth will ride decorated bicycles. Santa will visit the group after the parade at the Club House

Everyone is invited to participate in the parade and party. There will be a drawing for the turkeys and gift certificates at 11:30 a.m. Register all week at Markham's and Sharp's Grocery Stores.

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the center for a billing adjustment. If calling is not convenient, the charge and the appropriate tax can be deducted from the billing statement, which then should be mailed with the

If customers don't pay their monthly phone bills on time, the center begins collection procedures--which may lead to the temporary denial of telephone service.

"The only reason telephone service is temporarily

denied to a customer is to protect company revenues," Perez emphasized. "We must protect those revenues because ultimately any dollars not collected are paid through higher rates by all other customers. And that is

who pay their bills." Perez pointed out that the center's collection section handles both residential and business accounts, while the center's billing section

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