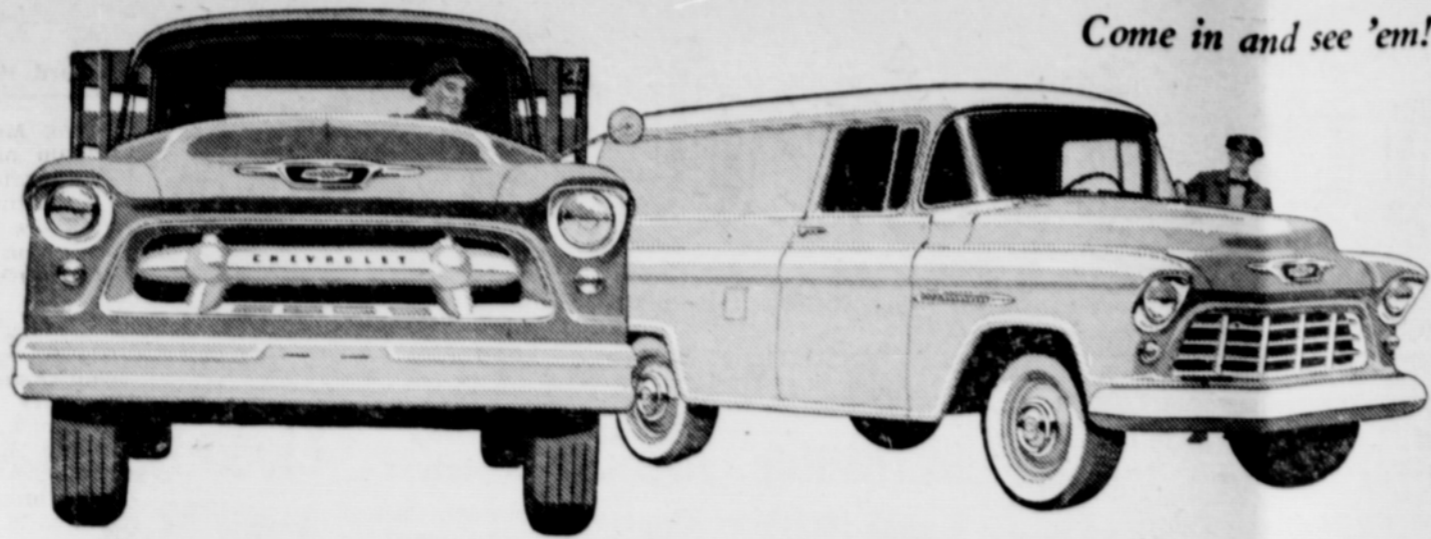


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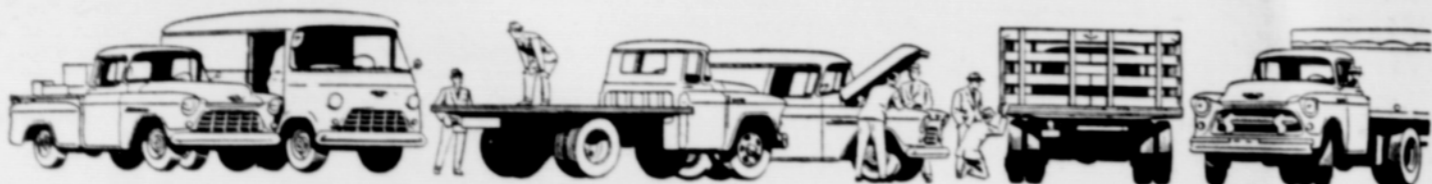
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Mr. and Mrs. Granvel Pieve and Dusty Rhoades of Abilene and Miss Floy McCaw attended the Ice Capades in Ft. Worth last Saturday. Little Jan Pierce visited her grandmother, Mrs. Aubrey Gibson, here while her parents were in Ft. Worth.

J. T. Loper visited his daughter, Mrs. Benny Pierson and family in Beeville last weekend.

Mrs. Dalton Moore and her grandson, Tommy Arledge of Sweetwater spent Tuesday with Mrs. Edna Yonge.

A. L. Barr of Midland, Mrs. Fonia Worthy and Sammy Charles Long of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Smith, Jr., of Admiral were visitors in the Dorse Harris home last Saturday.

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children; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Griffin and children of Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Jones and boys of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Griffin and Julia of Snyder. The Merry Quilters met Monday and made a quilt for Mrs. Dick Griffin.

Dwight Mayes was a visitor in Baird last week while enroute to Sherman. He is being transferred there from Pampa where he will be a field man for the Continental Supply Company.

Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ivey were Mrs. Ralph Wylie, Mrs. John Campbell, Jr. and daughter and Patricia Hennessee of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ferguson and children of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Moring and daughter of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and Mrs. Fred Mitchell of Lamesa were visitors in the Tee Baulch home the first of the week.

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The Putnam News

SCHOOL NEWS

THIRD & FOURTH GRADES
We are glad to be back in school after our Easter holiday. With this week we have only five more weeks of school.
Ricky visited his grandparents in Trent Sunday.
Linda went to the show at Cisco Monday night.
Johnnie Lee went to the show at Waco Saturday.
Gayle spent Sunday night with Alice and Dianne Everett.
Joe Roy went to Merkel Saturday.
Joan visited Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln File at Taylor over the weekend.

Club News

The Women's Study Club met in the home of Mrs. R. L. Clinton Monday.
There were eleven members and two guests present.
The following program was given: Invocation, Mrs. John Cook; Roll call, Cattle Brands; Ranches, Texas Cattle Trails, was most ably given by Mrs. L. L. Blackburn.
Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mrs. L. L. Blackburn and Miss Isadore Grimes and members, Mmes. Mark Burnam, R. L. Clinton, John Cook, Fred Heyser, H. A. Pruet, Tex Herring, Douglas Fry, R. B. Taylor, E. C. Waddell, R. D. Williams and John Petty.

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Veda Yarbrough

Hi neighbor! Well guess where I am. Yes, you guessed it. I am in Vernon. I came home with Gerald this morning. Every thing really looks good up this way. Before we got to Throckmorton the grain really looked good and looks good all the way up. There had been some rain all the way.
Mildred and James Carter went to the Ice Capades in Ft. Worth over the weekend and haven't gotten in yet. They were supposed to have been here by lunch time. Guess they will be in by night.
Oh, yes! I brought Benny the bird with me. He sang all the way up here and is singing now. Made him happy to get to go visiting.
I left Little Boy Jim to home to look after the chickens. Oh, by the way, we had fried chicken for lunch Saturday and I didn't have to go and eat with the neighbors either. We bought some chicks most large enough to eat Monday when we got the baby chicks. We grow them in a hurry.
Last Thursday Mabel and Betty Mobley spent the day with us. In the afternoon we went fishing. Betty and I didn't have any luck but Mabel caught several. She said Betty and I were too lazy to make good fishermen and I guess she is about right.
Gayle Burnam came up to look at TV Wednesday afternoon. She and I have a good time watching TV. When I get back home I will go down and watch her TV. She got one Saturday afternoon on trial too. We are always glad for Gayle to come.
Gerald Carter came Friday night to spend the weekend with us. He spent the afternoon Saturday with the Mobley girls while I got all prettied up at the beauty shop.

Let Your Bank Be Bookkeeper 1ST NATL in Cisco — Member F. D. I. C. — BANK BY MAIL AND SAVE TIME.

We had over a half inch of rain over the weekend. Hope we get a lot more.
Retha Burnam spent the Easter holidays with her parents and Gayle. I didn't get to see her this time.
Mary Alice Everett and children, Mrs. Mary Ramsey spent Friday night with the Mark Burnams.
Last Wednesday night there was singing at the Mark Burnams. Quite a big crowd there as usual. I didn't get to go. Didn't feel too good so thought it best I not go. Hope some time to get to.
I see Mrs. Emmatene Williams has a new car. I don't know what make it is as I can't tell one new car from another unless I see the name on it. Any way I know she is real proud of it.
Mildred and James just now came in. It is 3:30. They had a good time. Saw an awful wreck on the way back close to Bowie. Three were killed out right and several injured.
Clovis and Maurine McCollum went to Ft. Worth Thursday night to the Ice Capades.
We were glad to hear Mr. Herb Sherman, who has been in the Veterans' Hospital in Dallas was able to come home last Saturday a week ago for a few days.
We were very sorry to hear this morning of the passing of Mr. A. W. Warren who lived over in the Hart community for so long. Mr. Warren passed away last night about 9:30 in an Abilene hospital. Our sympathy to all the family. Sorry won't be able to attend the funeral Monday.
Today is Easter Sunday. A very sacred Sabbath or should be. Also a day when all little girls dress up in pretty frilly dresses and pretty Easter bonnets. Saw some going to Church as we passed through Throckmorton this morning. They looked so pretty.
Whom did we see on our way up this morning? None other than Imagelle Shackelford and Ellen. They were on their way to spend Easter with her parents in Seymour. With her was her sister and baby who live in Throckmorton. I know they will

have a good time. We stopped and chatted a while with them and I asked her to keep watch on Little Boy Jim while I am away.
Carl White said he would try to keep track of him too while I am away so guess he will be okay.
Jim and D. A. Yarbrough went to Eastland Sale Tuesday. Just went because had nothing else to do.
D. A. Yarbrough had lunch with us Saturday to help us eat fish and fried chicken.
Jim visited with Mrs. Onie Abernathy Thursday afternoon. She is okay.
We will go to church tonight I suppose. I think their meeting started today and will continue on until next Sunday. Suppose we will go quite a bit.
Can't think of anything to write, so guess I better say so long and I'll be seen' you again next week.

Putnam Personals . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Allen and son, David of Merkel were visiting Mrs. Janie Moore and Eva Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Brown and children, Nancy, Robert and Barry of San Antonio spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown.
Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Gilbert and son, Darrell of San Antonio spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Eubank.
Mrs. Roy Lee Williams and two sons, Marvin Lee and Stanley of Wichita Falls spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Eubank.
Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wadzick and daughters, Robin and Gay Ann of Colorado City visited Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Williams Sunday.
Carrol Tatom of Crane was in Putnam visiting relatives and friends over the weekend.
Mrs. Fred Heyser went to Abilene Sunday to visit her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilson.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe spent Saturday night with their daughter, Mrs. Troy Caraway of Abilene.
Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Slim Taylor Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor and son Gary of Weatherford; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Finley and daughter Debbie and Pete Taylor of Lubbock.
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dale Lowry of Ft. Worth visited with Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Lowry Sunday.
Loren Everett of Eunice, N. M. came by Putnam and he and Jo Verl went to San Antonio to see Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Ross Everett Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Overton were visiting Mr. Tom Butler Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Shackelford and children, Pierce, Reagan and Ellen spent Sunday in Seymour visiting Mrs. Sahckelford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holmes.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reagen of Cisco visited Vena Shackelford Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Reagen are leaving for Florida Wednesday for several weeks vacation.
Donald Bowne, a student of A&M, spent the Easter holidays at home.
Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Wood and daughter, Sandra were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arno Roggenstein Sunday.
Those having lunch with Mrs. D. D. Jones Sunday were: Mrs. Dove Gunn, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Yeager, Mr. and Mrs. Granville Jones and daughter Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. Warlick Jones and children, Lynda and Bert, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones, Mrs. Homer Pruet, Hodge, Donald and Billy Bowne and Johnnie Gunn.
Prentiss Gunn returned to his home in Troy last week.
Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Pruet Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mitchell of Abilene and son, Kenneth, Gary and Ronnie; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mundt and sons, Jerry and Bill of Mineral Wells.
Ray Green of A&M College was home for the Easter holidays.
So sorry to hear of Mrs. Geo. Brown's brother passing away last week. His home was in Fresno, Calif.
Mr. and Mrs. George Middleton of Abilene spent Friday with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown.
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Rutherford of Abilene and Clint Rutherford of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford and family Sunday.
Gayle Williams of Lubbock was home for the Easter holidays.
Miss Aura Francis Waddell was home for the Easter holidays.
Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Mitchell and sons of Midland spent the Easter holidays with her parents.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon.
Mr. and Mrs. Foy Jobe and children of El Paso came in unexpectedly Saturday night for an eight day visit with relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Courets of Rotan visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Maynard.
Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wirt visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Morrison of Trent Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sharpe of Odessa visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fry of Putnam and Mr. and Mrs. Sharpe of Cisco over the weekend.
Mr. and Mrs. Troy Stewart and children of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sargent Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dunaway and sons of Odessa are visiting their parents for a few days, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Dunaway.
Mr. and Mrs. Hamrick visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln File of Taylor Friday. They went to Palestine for a visit with Mrs. Hamrick's mother, Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Park of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mack and son, Macky from San Angelo and Mrs. Frank Cunningham of Baird were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Park Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Park and son, Kermit, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Park.
Mrs. Evie Lovelady of Cisco, Roy and Earl Woodward of Knox City were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Park Sunday.

It was nice seeing Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grantham of Pre-mont present at the sunrise services. They will be visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Scott up in the Denton community and other relatives and friends.
Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Miller had a week of concern last week as their youngest daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Irby of Midland had a five month old son, Mike, in St. Ann Hospital under an oxygen tent most of the week. The baby had a bronchitis croup, which is said to be more serious than pneumonia. Then we all heard of the storm and heavy hail at Stamford. Their sons, Jessie and L. C. Miller, live there. Later in the week the parents learned that all members of their families were well, but they suffered heavy damage to homes, automobiles, etc. Better still the young grandson, Mike Irby was dismissed from the hospital on Friday and returned to Midland. Four little granddaughters, Darlene, Shirley, Karen and Marilyn, visited their grandparents during his illness.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Parrot of Throckmorton were holiday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Johnson.
I was sorry to hear that my favorite boy friend, three-year old Donald Mack Poindexter had the chicken pox. The very idea his mother thinking he would be too mean to take them.
Patsy Papanas of Lawn visited Reba Atwood last weekend.

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Oplin Observations
By Mrs. Daphne Floyd
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Around sixty people were present for the sunrise service last Sunday. Due to the heavy mist and threatening cloudiness the services for the first time were held indoors. By noon the skies had completely cleared and the young lassies appeared at the morning church services in their Easter attire. New frocks and bonnets galore!
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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

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Saw a kid go by the Clarion office on a brand-new coaster wagon yesterday—and it reminded me of when my brother and I were about forty years younger.

Our folks weren't poor, but there wasn't enough to buy two wagons for Christmas. We got one between us. Dad made a rule that we each could have it for a week—but the boy with the wagon was responsible for keeping the kitchen wood-box filled.

Seemed a bargain to Bud and me—at first. But soon we discovered it was no more fun playing

alone than working alone. It wasn't long before we were sharing the wagon in return for sharing the chores.

From where I sit, you can't enjoy a privilege yourself if you're going to deny it to others. There are some folks who want the right to enjoy their favorite beverage—but would deny me my right to an occasional glass of beer. I doubt if such people get their full "share" of happiness, though.

Joe Marsh

Rowden Round-Up

By Theida Crow
Community Activities Reliably Reported by The Star Reporter

(Held Over From Last Week)
The revival of the Rowden Baptist Church ended Sunday night. Bro. Philley of Cross Plains preached the revival. There was some very good sermons heard and a very good song service.

A family reunion was held at Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow and girls' Sunday. There were relatives from Clyde, Baird, Spur, Fort Worth, Abilene and Dallas.

Frank Obanion of Howard Payne College lead the song service at the Rowden Baptist Church Revival the past week.

Donald Stephens of Lubbock visited in Rowden over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Chief Horner and family visited the Gene Mauldin family over the weekend.

Some of the kids of Howard

Payne College visited in the services at the Rowden Baptist Church during the week.

The Rowden Red Cross Drive will be Friday night, April 8th at the Community Center. Everyone is invited. There will be a musical with musicians from Abilene and Rowden. Refreshments of cookies and punch will be served.

A musical and a Red Cross Drive was given at the Community Center Friday night. Games of forty-two and dominoes were played. Punch and cookies were served.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Patterson from Merkel and daughter Bertha and Sandra visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Akin Saturday afternoon. Bertha was with the McMurry Band that returned from Europe.

Misses Theida and Velda Crow visited Mrs. Linnie Stephens and Donald Saturday.

The children of Rowden enjoyed a Easter egg hunt at Rowden Sunday afternoon.

Bro. Jarrell Sharp of Denver, Colo. visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Akin Saturday.

Visiting Mrs. Anne Miller and Ray Boen over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jug Garrett of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Starnes of Midland.

Mrs. Walter Jones visited in Lubbock over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jones and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow and girls visited Mrs. Lella Gibbs Thursday evening.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Avery Sunday were: Kelley Avery of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Avery, Jr.; Mrs. Doris Seals and children of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Parks and sons, Pvt. Douglas Avery and wife, Douglas has returned to Camp Carson, Colo., after a fourteen-day leave. His wife has returned with him. Bobby Bullard of Dallas was visiting Mrs. Avery and friends in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. De Witt Van Pelt of Rochester; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Freeland of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Coppinger of Cross Plains visited Mrs. T. A. Coppinger and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Freeland during the Easter

Down Memory Lane

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Mrs. A. B. Mercer, of Big Spring, spent last week visiting her sister, Mrs. T. B. Hadley. Mrs. Mercer went from here to Dallas to visit her daughter, Mrs. Smithson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hall, after spending some time at their ranch on the Bayou, returned to Vinita, Okla. the past week.

Orin and Miss Dana Moon, who are attending Britton Training School at Cisco, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. M. E. Moon.

Mrs. W. A. Hinds and daughter, Miss Ethel, are visiting C. C. Hinds and family, at Houston.

Miss Verna Miller, who is teaching school at Fish, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. A. M. Miller.

Phil Yost of Oplin came in Tuesday and went to Ft. Worth. J. S. McClendon of Admiral, was in town, Monday.

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Will H. Estes, of Tyler, spent several days this week with his brother, Lee Estes, who has been ill for sometime.

Mrs. Jack Flores and little son, Billie Claude, spent the last weekend in Sweetwater.

Dudley Dabble

Mary Ann Varner
Delectable Needs Delineated To Dazzle and Delight

(Held Over From Last Week)
The people of Dudley were saddened by the death of one of the old timers, Mrs. Louise McKenzie. She was the mother of John and Jim McKenzie. They have our deepest sympathy.

We at Dudley have survived two of the coldest northers of the year and also two real sand storms.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Watts and children from Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. Hawk Roberts over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson visited Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Coughran near Merkel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baston from Texarkana and their son, Gerald Wayne, who is in the Army, and been overseas now stationed in Calif. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charley Varner and other relatives in Dudley and Abilene.

We had a nice Easter after all. There was an Easter egg hunt at the Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cody visited Mr. and Mrs. George Chrane and Franklin over the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Joe Fletcher and children from San Antonio visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chet Davis over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Roberson and two boys from Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Roberson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Varner from Shamrock; Mrs. Bonnie Patterson and granddaughter from Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Charley Varner and family Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lesley Baggett and Mary visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Culpepper.

Visiting Mrs. Joe McGowen on Easter Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mitchell, Caribou, Ma.; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McGowen, Jr. and baby, Anson; Joe, Judy and Karen McGowen, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Walker and son, Mr. and Mrs. Hoot McGowen and Stanley, William McGowen, all of Baird, and Ruby Atwood of Midland. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell left for Ozona to visit his parents and Mrs. Mitchell will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cunningham, Nucla, Colo., before returning to Maine. Mr. Mitchell is stationed at Caribou with the Air Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Norrell of Breckenridge visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Norrell over the weekend.

Billy Manning of Fowlerton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Manning last weekend.

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"And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned." (Mark 16:15-16) Thus Jesus told his disciples what to preach. What would you have understood Jesus to have meant if you had been there? Would you have concluded that both faith and baptism were essential to salvation? If not, what would have been your conclusion? Let us see what these men understood by the words of Jesus.

1. Peter told people they must repent and be baptized for the remission of sins. (Acts 2:38)
2. When Phillip preached the gospel in Samaria the people believed and were baptized. (Acts 8:13)
3. Ananias told Paul to arise and be baptized and wash away his sins. (Acts 22:16)
4. Peter commanded the people to be baptized. (Acts 10:48)
5. Lydia's heart was opened to the word of the Lord and she was baptized. (Acts 16:14-15)
6. The Philippian jailer believed and was baptized. (Acts 16:30-33)
7. When Paul preached to the Corinthians they accepted the message by hearing, believing, and being baptized. (Acts 18:8-9)

Did these men preach what Jesus told them to preach? They did. Were they right in so doing? And are we right today if we follow their example? Friends, baptism is not optional, it is a MUST! And why is it a MUST? Jesus made it that way, and when Jesus says it should be that way that makes it right.

But keep in mind that while baptism is essential to salvation it is not the only essential. Baptism is faith at work. It is taking God at His word. God chooses foolish things sometimes to test man's faith. (1 Corinthians 1:27) When we believe in Christ, repent of our sins and are baptized for the remission of sins we rise to walk in a new life. (Romans 6:3-4)

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Girl Scout News

Girl Scout Troop No. 6 met Tuesday, the president presiding during the meeting. The Troop sang the Girl Scout Song. Roll call was answered and the treasurer collected dues.

The Troop decorated coffee cans which held plants. They also discussed game badges.

Mrs. Drennan appointed a committee to plan a party.

The meeting was closed with the wishing circle after nibbles were served to the members and one new member, Patricia Ann Gray.

Announce Arrival Of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Daniels of Abilene are announcing the arrival of a daughter, Rebecca Ann on April 10 at 10:47 p.m.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Jones of Corpus Christi and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Daniels of Baird.

Miss Suzanne Siadous was home for the Easter holidays. Other guests in the C. H. Siadous home were: Miss Barbara Cockerell of Snyder and Jim Boren of Post.

Mrs. Chester McCarter and Jackie of San Antonio spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gwin.

Mrs. Fulton Hosts Gleaner Class

Mrs. E. C. Fulton entertained the Gleaner Class last Thursday, April 7 at 8 p.m.

The class song was sung by the group and Mrs. Sam Smith led the opening prayer after which the president, Mrs. Joe McGowen presided. A number of projects were discussed to promote the welfare of the class.

After the closing prayer by Mrs. Virgil Hughes, a social hour followed and delicious refreshments were served to: Meses. John Alexander, Harry Berry, Frank Browning, Bessie Mae Borden, George Jones, Arthur Johnson, Virgil Hughes, J. C. Lee, Joe McGowen, Bessie Pass, Sam Smith, Edna Young, Wade Johnson, S. E. Settle, Mary Kehler and Master John Coppinger, guest from Abilene and the hostess.

Girl Scouts Thank Baird Citizens

Through the generosity of the citizens of Baird, six troops of the local Girl Scout organization sold 1,081 boxes of cookies in the recent sale. The money earned from the sale of the cookies will go toward completion of the permanent Girl Scout Camp on Lake Brownwood.

In order to become a member of the Girl Scout "55" Club, girls were to have sold 55 or more boxes of cookies. Baird girls accomplishing this were: Linnea LaCour, 55 boxes, Edwina Reese, 56 boxes and Artie Mae Stokes, 60 boxes.

The Girl Scouts wish to thank each person who made it possible for them to sell this number of cookies.

Mrs. Bill Dehlinger of Big Spring and Mrs. William Dehlinger and son of Abilene spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ebert.

Mr. and Mrs. George Page and daughter, Elaine of Dallas spent the weekend with Mrs. Page's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Conner.

Presbyterian Notes

The Men's Bible Class of the First Presbyterian Church is growing and still there is room. To all men in Baird and surrounding community who are not attending any other Bible Class there is a most cordial welcome here. All regular services on Sunday. Sunday school at ten o'clock followed by the regular morning hour of worship. A special message on the subject "Hands" will be given by the minister. This is based on the scene following the resurrection of Christ when Thomas saw 'the Master for the first time.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Sr., over the Easter holiday were: Mr. and Mrs. Charley Powell, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. David Hull, Abilene; Miss Carleese Powell, Arlington; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Elliott and children and Mrs. James Asbury of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ross, Mary and Janet visited the J. J. Bookhouts and other relatives in Dallas during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Hickman spent the Easter holidays with their daughter, Miss Betsy, in San Marcos.

The Royce Womack family had his parents from Slaton as Easter guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bishop of Dallas spent the Easter weekend with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield.

Miss Yvonne Caldwell, Abilene, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Caldwell and Sonny.

Mrs. Ralph Long, Susie and Butch spent the weekend in Texarkana with her mother, Mrs. Edna Arnold and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hart of Midland and Bill Hart of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart and Mrs. Buddy Hart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Miller, of Euila during the Easter holidays.

The Tom Bartons attended the Ice Capades in Ft. Worth last Friday.

Mrs. Blanche Connally of Abilene visited Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowen and Carol Lynn, last weekend.

Mrs. Ella Farrar spent last weekend in Big Spring with relatives and friends.

Miss Dorthea Hendrick of Corpus Christi and Miss Margie Hendrick of Abilene spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hendrick. Another daughter and her family of Ft. Worth were also guests.

Visiting in the G. A. Gwin home Saturday afternoon were their grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Don Christie and little son Ronnie of Minneapolis, Minn. and Mrs. Dee Peavy of Abilene.

Mrs. Walter Boyd is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Carl West and Mr. West in Ft. Worth.

Mrs. Tom West has been visiting her sons in Houston.

Mrs. Lillian Bailey Shelton of North Hollywood, Calif. is visiting Mrs. J. H. Bailey in Clyde and also with Mrs. John McGowen, other friends and relatives here.

Mrs. T. F. McCarty and son, Johnny, spent Easter with relatives and friends in Spur and Ropesville and enjoyed Easter dinner at Buffalo Lake near Lubbock.

Miss Yvonne Melton of Breckenridge spent Monday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lawrence.

George Jones of Austin spent the Easter holidays with his mother, Mrs. Freda Jones.

Mrs. Jesse Goosby and Miss Mary Jo Goosby visited relatives and friends in Ft. Worth during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Smith of Los Angeles, Calif. are visiting his sister, Mrs. Tee Bauch and family.

CARD OF THANKS

Words are inadequate to express our sincere appreciation of the many words of condolence, the beautiful floral offerings, the lovely food furnished by members of the Methodist and Baptist Church of Baird and Putnam and the O.E.S., Dr. Evans and the nurses and the hospital staff and others during the long illness and at the death of our loved one.

Your kindness to us will always be remembered.

The Family of A. W. Warren

Aubrey Gibson visited his son, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ray Gibson, Mary Kay and Johnny in Seguin during Easter.

Mrs. George Crutchfield accompanied Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Jackson and daughter of Midland to Ft. Worth last weekend to visit Mrs. J. E. Blackshear. They also visited relatives in Cisco.



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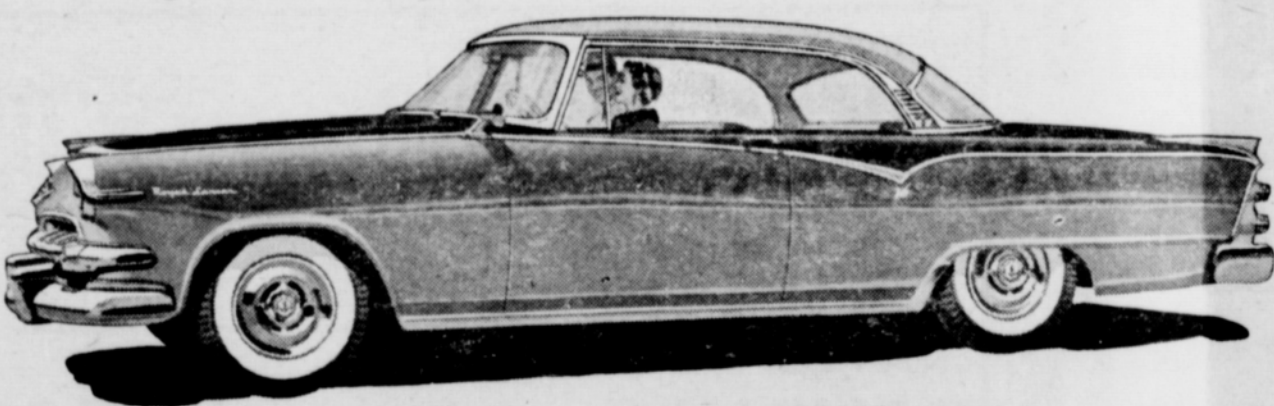
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