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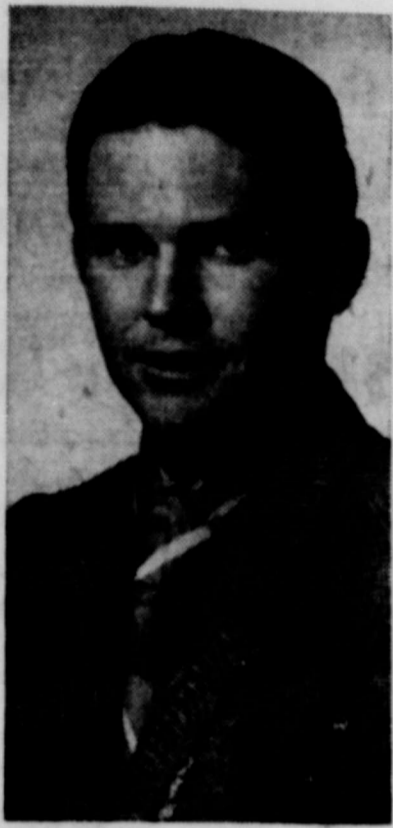
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New County Agent Here September 1

Allen became the Hamilton Agricultural Agent Wednesday, Sept. 1. He is a native of Abilene for the past two and one-half years has served as Assistant Agent in McLennan County. Mr. Allen graduated from Tarleton State College with a degree in Agricultural Education, and has done graduate work at Texas A&M University. Mr. Allen is married to the former Copeland of Breckenridge County. They are the parents of a two-year-old son, Josh. Mr. Allen's former employer, who has served as Hamilton County Agent for the past five years, assumed the Hamilton County Agent post in Milam County September 1.



JOE ALLEN

Funeral Rites Held Monday Morning For Pearl Ratliff

Funeral services were held Friday, Aug. 27 at 10:30 a.m. in the Baptist Church in Iredell for Pearl Ratliff, Rev. Cal Sims, Meridian and Rev. Fred Sellers officiated the services, with burial in Riverside Cemetery. Mrs. Ratliff passed away Wednesday in Hillcrest Hospital in Waco, age 69. She was born July 19 in Greer County, Oklahoma, daughter of John and Georgia Holton. She was married to Anderson Ratliff who was deceased Aug. 24, 1952. Mrs. Ratliff had lived in Bosque since 1904. She was a member of the Iredell Baptist Church Eastern Star. Survivors include one step-daughter, Mrs. G. K. Chandler of Houston, one step-son, Bob R. Ratliff of Fort Worth; two sisters, Mrs. E. Davis and Miss Cleo Hollon of Iredell; four brothers, H. H. Hollon of Meridian and W. Hollon of Waco; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

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School Bus Driver Rules Explained

Following are guidelines which school bus drivers must follow, as set forth by the Department of Public Safety and school officials. General complaints were received from local school officials from drivers who perhaps did not understand the restrictions placed upon the new bus regulations are:

1. Begin to slow approximately 100 feet before stopping.
2. Start moving off main road onto shoulder of road if possible.
3. Step on brake to begin to slow start flashing lights.
4. Stop to load or unload. (Explain to students if traffic has not stopped to a complete stop.)
5. After loading or unloading students, cut off flasher lights and wait until traffic is clear before attempting to get school bus back onto main highway.
6. It shall be unlawful to operate any flashing warning signal on any school bus except when said bus is being stopped or is stopped on highway for the purpose of permitting school children to board or alight from said bus.
7. Standees: It is unlawful for any school bus driver to permit more than one (1) child per seat to stand while the bus is traveling to or from school. This means no moving about or running up and down the aisle while the bus is in motion. Students will stay seated. Driver is subject to fine if violated.

Family Fun Day Planned Monday at Country Club

A family fun day has been planned for Monday, Labor Day, at Bluebonnet Country Club. A Scotch Foursome golf tournament will get activities underway with tee-off time between 8:30 and 10 a.m. A Putting Tournament for the young people ages 8 through 13 will start at 10 a.m. All members and their guests are invited to attend with each member bringing food for their family for a covered dish luncheon at noon.

Sunday Services Held For Mrs. Minnie Chaney Longtime Area Resident

Mrs. Minnie Bell Chaney passed away Friday, Aug. 27, in the Stephenville Hospital following a long illness. Funeral services were held Sunday, Aug. 29 at 2 p.m. in the First Baptist Church, conducted by Rev. J. Henry Cox and Rev. Eddie Malphrus. Interment was in the Duffau Cemetery.

Mrs. Chaney was born June 28, 1886 in Missouri, daughter of William J. and Emily Wright Cox. She was married to Mack J. Chaney, who was deceased Feb. 2, 1966. She was 85 years old, and had lived 83 years in the Hico area. Mrs. Chaney was a member of the Hico Baptist Church. Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Roy Derrick, Mrs. Marion Barnett and Mrs. Carroll McLendon, all of Hico, and Mrs. Dillis Willis of Stephenville; two sons, Louis J. Chaney of Hico and Jesse Chaney of Paris; two sisters, Mrs. Jim Land of Hico and Mrs. J. W. Harris of Stephenville; one brother, Rev. Fred J. Cox of Grover, Okla.; eight grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. Serving as pallbearers were Pal Drake, R. J. Russell, Ira Decker, Earl Shaffer, Earl Simpson and Mike Wise.

TEACHING IN HAMILTON

Miss Kay Jackson has accepted a teaching position in the Hamilton Schools where she will be a fourth grade teacher. Miss Jackson taught last year at Lampasas.

WHAT IS SCOUTING?

Scouting is a boy looking up to a man and wishing in his heart that he could be more like that man—and the man admiring the boy and wishing he were more like him. Scouting is a group of boys sitting around a campfire in silence. No words are spoken, but the group is being welded into a team. Scouting is a group of boys pulling together with a group of men for the common good. It is men doing things WITH rather than FOR boys. Scouting is mother sewing on merit badges and an entire family proud of each advancement. Scouting is noise and action and food and fun. It is play and release from restraint, yet it is purposeful and resultful. It is a boy setting his own goals and pushing himself toward their accomplishment. It is a man rating high what a boy is reaching for. Scouting is the President of the United States—and the newest eight-year-old Cub Scout. It is the youth of America today in earnest about America's tomorrow.—Walter MacPeck.

RALPH TURNER IS NEW PRESIDENT—

Booster Club Membership Totals 41 Thru Wednesday

Ralph Turner, local feed dealer and postal employee, was named president of the Tiger Booster Club in a meeting held Monday night of this week. Also elected were Joe Tooley, who was named first vice-president, and Rickie Jaggars, second vice-president. Bruce Slaughter was re-elected secretary-treasurer. Glenn Ross is retiring president. Next meeting of the organization will be Monday evening, Sept. 13 at 6:30 when films of the Glen Rose football game will be shown. Through Wednesday of this week, 41 members had paid dues in the organization. Dues

are \$10 per year per family, and monies derived will be used to film Tiger games and for other needed equipment for the athletic department. Leaders are also hopeful that enough funds will be available later to purchase a much-needed film projector. Everyone interested in local school athletics are urged to join the booster club and attend the meetings. The membership list through Wednesday was: Joe Horton, James Lindsey, E. V. Meador, Ralph Turner, L. B. McLendon, Jimmie Ramage, H. W. Sherrard, Sam Masarang, O. C.

Cook, W. C. Howard, Glenn Ross, Conda Salmon, H. D. Walker, Huel Lindsey. Also Frankey Williams, Butch Bateman, Jim Hardy, Ed Black, Ralph Jaggars, Jack Allen, Gulf States-United Telephone Co., J. C. Braune, Steve Parks, George Kilgo, Melvin Henderson, B. D. Glidewell, Hollis Percy, Floyd Clifton, Buddy Randalls, Richard Garza, Wayne Rutledge, James Cryer, Roy Ellenburg. Also M. I. Knudson, Ray Cheek, B. C. Dayton, Ricky Jaggars, Milton Rainwater, Lamar Johanson, Bruce Slaughter and L. W. Howard.

Yard of the Month

The pretty home of the Von Scott family has been selected as the Yard of the Month for September. The Garden Club committee has counted the Hillcrest Addition as one of the prettiest all summer. The neatness of the Scott lawn makes it outstanding. Everything is well trimmed, even at the back. Residents are urged to drive by to see these yards and to compliment the home owners that make Hico the pretty town that it is. Committee.

TOWN WILL TAKE MONDAY HOLIDAY

Monday will be observed locally as an official holiday, and most businesses will be closed. The local schools will also take the day off.

Funeral Services Held Sunday Afternoon For Miss Mae Battershell

Funeral services for Miss Eliza Mae Battershell, 84, were held Sunday, Aug. 29 at 4 o'clock in the Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel, with Rev. Eddie Malphrus officiating. Burial was in Cranfills Gap Cemetery. Born Aug. 19, 1887 in Illinois, Miss Battershell was the daughter of T. R. and Ann Raney Battershell. She passed away Saturday in the Hico City Hospital. Miss Battershell was a practical nurse and had lived in this area for 30 years. She was a member of the Baptist Church. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. C. F. Brown of Davidson, Okla. and Mrs. Ben Abel of Hico; two brothers, John Battershell of Stephenville and Virgil Battershell of Cartton; and a host of nieces and nephews. Nephews served as pallbearers.

52 Expected to Die In Holiday Crashes

Austin (Spl.)—Colonel Wilson E. Speir, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, this week estimated that traffic accidents over the long Labor Day weekend will claim 52 lives in the state. Speir called for motorists to avoid drinking while driving, avoid fatigue, and modify their driving speed in accordance with expected heavy traffic conditions. In an effort to hold the toll down, the DPS and local law enforcement agencies, in cooperation with the news media of Texas, will conduct "Operation Motorcade"—a public awareness program designed to

focus attention on the traffic problem. Special reports on fatal traffic accidents will be prepared at DPS Headquarters and released three times daily during the holiday period which runs from 6 p.m. Friday Sept. 3 to midnight Monday, Sept. 6. All available uniformed officers of the DPS will be on the highways during the holiday to enforce state traffic laws, and maximum use will be made of radar and breath testing instruments. Speir said DPS personnel would do all possible to keep traffic flowing smoothly and safely on this final holiday weekend of the summer.

MOVE TO BROWNWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Erick and Amy moved to Brownwood Wednesday of last week where Mr. Erick will be employed with an insurance company.

SEASON FOOTBALL TICKETS ON SALE

Season tickets for five home football games went on sale this week at a reduced price. Adult tickets sell for \$5.00, a saving of \$1.25, and student tickets are priced at \$2.00 for a saving of 50c. Leonard Howard is in charge of the ticket sales, with other Civic Club members helping.

Appliance Service Center Opened Here

A home appliance service store has been opened in Hico, located in the former recreation building on Main Street. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carrol are owners and are from Burleson where they were in business. The Carrols have two children, Rory and Teresa, and are living in Iredell until housing facilities can be obtained here.

Saturday Afternoon Rites Conducted For Harvey W. Howerton

Funeral services were held for Harvey Walter Howerton, 70, Saturday afternoon, Aug. 28 at 2 o'clock in the Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel, with Rev. Oscar Hartsfield officiating. Burial was in the Millerville Cemetery. Born Aug. 21, 1901 at Hico, he was the son of John G. and Ara Ann Hollis Howerton. He passed away Wednesday after suffering an apparent heart attack. Mr. Howerton was a retired carpenter and had lived all his life in this area. Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Goldie Howerton; three daughters, Mrs. Barney Senter of Morgan Mill, Mrs. Bob Manley of Fort Worth and Mrs. Joe Daniel of San Angelo; three sons, Billie Howerton of Mansfield, Freddie Howerton and L. B. Howerton, both of Sacramento, Calif.; four sisters, Mrs. Pearl Holley and Mrs. Estelle Ferguson of Hico, Mrs. Ruth Espirita of San Mateo, Calif., and Mrs. Aretta Leach of Rusk; three brothers, Bloof Howerton of Hico, Johnnie Howerton of Mineral Wells and Arthur Howerton of Dallas; 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Serving as pallbearers were Jimmie Ramage, Pat Harris, P. B. Bolton, Clifford Mackey, Delmas Harris and Jerry Stewart.

SOCIAL SECURITY OFFICER TO VISIT HERE TUESDAY

A representative of the Temple Social Security office will be in Hico at the City Hall at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 7. Persons who wish to apply for Social Security benefits or wish to obtain information about the program should contact the representative.

Driving More Complex With New Rules

Effective August 29, you can now be fined \$200 for leaving your keys in the car. That's just one of the many ways the 1971 legislature made driving more complicated for Texans. The lawmakers also tried to make driving safer by banning slick-tired cars from the road and by making it easier to convict drunk drivers. Motoring was made more expensive, too, with a \$1 increase in the cost of a driver's license. New "rules of the road" were passed to put Texas in line with the Federal Uniform Vehicle Code, a step required for continued Federal Highway Construction aid. For years, police and insurance companies have begged drivers to remove the ignition keys when they leave their cars. Now they've got the law to back them up. The rules of the road prohibit leaving a car unattended without stopping the engine, locking

the ignition, setting the brake and removing the keys. Don't try to get away if a police car tries to stop you. This wasn't an offense under previous laws, but the new rules makes fleeing from a policeman a misdemeanor, with a maximum penalty of six months in jail and a \$500 fine. In an attempt to reduce visual confusion for drivers, the rules prohibit any flashing lights or flashing electric signs within 1,000 feet of an intersection without a highway commission permit. Passengers in a car could not watch a battery-powered television set if it could be seen from the driver's seat. Texas law doesn't have any provision on backing. But the new rules make drivers responsible for making sure backing can be done safely and "without interfering with other traffic." They also prohibit backing on the shoulder or roadway of any controlled access

highway. Also forbidden for the first time is overcrowding—specifically having more than three people in the front seat if they block the driver's view or interfere with his control of the car. Habitual drug users are forbidden to drive and can be jailed up to two years and fined up to \$1,000 if they do. Present law merely prohibits driving under the influence of drugs. The rules also prohibit riding in house trailers while being pulled. Another inspection requirement was added by the legislature effective August 29. If a vehicle is damaged too much in an accident that it apparently would need repair before passing state inspection, the investigating officer will be required to remove its inspection sticker. The owner would receive a dated receipt for the sticker, and would have to get the ve-

hicle reinspected within 30 days. Starting now, all driver's licenses, including ordinary operator's, commercial, chauffeur's occupational and learner's, will cost \$1 more. Licenses will be issued for four years at a time and will cost \$7 instead of \$6. Licenses can now be issued to 15-year-olds when state police find they are necessary to avoid economic hardship or because of sickness in their families. The legislature brought Texas in line with other states by establishing a legal presumption that a driver is intoxicated if chemical tests show that one-tenth of one percent of his blood, by weight, consists of alcohol. Texans already were required to take "breathalyzer" tests if they are suspected of drunk driving. But there are no legal guidelines for juries to use in deciding whether a defendant was intoxicated.

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Clairette Community News

By MRS. LUCILE MAYFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hill and family had as their guests Thursday, her nephew, Eric England and a friend, R. D. Ayers. Both are in the Marines stationed in Hawaii. Her nephew is No. 1 National Record Holder for high-powered rifle, and Ayers is No. 3.

Charlie Koonsman of Selden visited Friday morning at the Henry Mayfield home.

Sorry Mrs. Jake McGuire is on the sick list at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Gage McAnally of Dublin visited Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hoffpauir Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Mack Lee and family of Fort Worth and Ila Boyett and Thelma Baldwin visited Sunday afternoon with Eunice and Nola Lee.

Herman Roberson was a patient in the Hico Hospital last week, but was able to go to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wayne Garner in Stephenville Friday.

Herman Roberson and Lucile Mayfield received a message Monday night, Aug. 23 that their brother, R. Lee Roberson of Kermit had open heart surgery that day at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. At last report he was doing fairly well. Anyone wishing to write him may address it in care of Methodist Hospital, 3615 19th St., Lubbock.

He was still in intensive care last report.

We were sorry to read of the

death of Etheridge Menefee, 69, of Fort Worth Sunday. He was a resident of Clairette a number of years ago and attended school here. His father, the late A. E. Menefee was Superintendent here for a time.

Mrs. Will Cranfill moved a few days ago to Three Rivers to be near her daughter.

A Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Stephenville have rented Mrs. Cranfill's home in Clairette and moved recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Self and family of Fort Worth and the Charlie D. Deishers of Stephenville visited Mr. and Mrs. Les Dowdy Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wolfe, Mrs. Les Dowdy and Mrs. Mattie Walsworth of Pleasant Hill attended the funeral services Sunday in Hico for Mrs. M. J. Chaney.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Koonsman spent the weekend in San Antonio with their son, Ronnie.

Everyone was trying to harvest their hay crops around here last week between the rains. The rains were spotted. We received 1.6 in. at my home. Some got 3 inches, and south of us only 9 inch.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayfield had supper Friday night with the Mitchell Mayfields in Stephenville.

Hugh Koonsman and Mrs. J. R. Wolfe received word Sunday that their cousin, Jesse Koonsman of Snyder had passed away.

Roy Ables of Everman spent from Thursday until Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables.

Visitors over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Waddell were their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs.

Maurice Waddell and two sons of New Orleans, La. and Mr. and Mrs. Lou Waddell and son of McKinney.

Kenneth Knapp and Susan of McGregor spent the weekend with Mrs. Knapp and Leana. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knapp and family of Dub-

lin were luncheon guests in home Saturday.

Mrs. A. C. Odell spent Thursday with Mrs. J. P. Merritt.

Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables were ed awhile Sunday night with M. V. Knapp and Leana.



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Olin Community News

By MRS. CYRUS KING

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spurger of near Carlton visited Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Burnett, and stayed for the evening meal.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Parker visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith of Cleburne. It was Mr. Smith's birthday and all their children were there.

Mrs. Cyrus King was in Hamilton on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fackler of Stephenville returned from their vacation trip Thursday. They visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kane of Houma, La. The Kanes accompanied them and they toured New Orleans. On the way home they visited awhile with Elaine's great uncle, Mr. Sam Williams of Milligan. Also with Mrs.

Dora May Langford and Mrs. Thompson of Milligan. They went on to Dallas to visit with Richard's folks before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Samford of Round Rock visited from Wednesday until Friday with Mrs. A. C. Odell.

Rev. Warren Morehead of Fort Worth filled the pulpit at Olin Baptist Church Sunday, and he and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray and Cynthia were luncheon guests of Mrs. A. C. Odell.

Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables were Sunday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Rodgers and Janice of Hamilton.

Mrs. Larry Ritchie and Race of Odessa visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Burnett and Everett.

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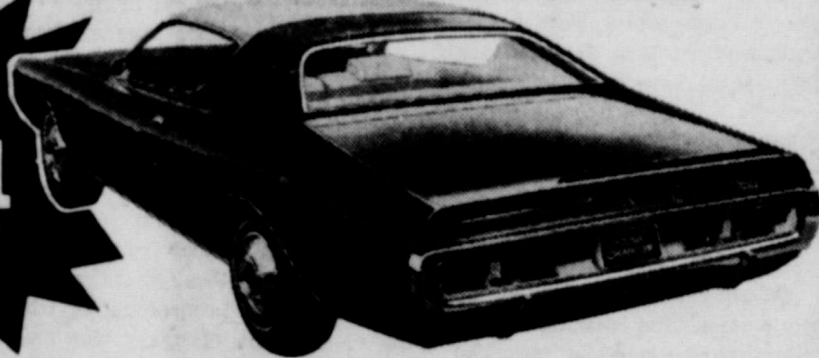
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Fairy Community News

By MRS. KUNTON DANFAY

We have had about one inch of rain since our last writing. The weeds and grass are growing so fast it keeps everyone busy mowing and hoeing.

Work was started again at the cemetery Thursday as we were delayed the first of the week by the death of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Adams. Grassburrs are plentiful this year and seems the dry weather held them under ground until now. So we have double trouble this time as we're going over the grounds and getting them before mowing. This of course is making an added expense and we will appreciate it if those who have lots and are not paying to the support will send in a donation. These lots are having to be mowed and cared for the same as those in use, and we need your help. We hope to have the cemetery work completed by the time this is printed.

Our hearts were torn assunder in the tragic deaths of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Adams of Hamilton. They had just started home from a visit with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Latham and family. Garland who is now on a traveling job, had just left a few minutes prior to the Adam's departure. Mrs. Latham was called and had to bear the sad mission of going and identifying her parents. Garland wasn't located until Monday night. He had gone to Pampa. The 18 year old girl who hit the Adams car was said to have also been killed. I talked with Mrs. Latham and she said the Highway Patrol told her the girl apparently lost control of her car and left the highway, made a circle and came back into the path of the Adams car. It was an awful tragedy, but we read of these things every day. No one is safe now on the highways. Mrs. Adams was a sister of our daughter-in-law, Mrs. Hersal Rich-

ardson and has been in our home quite a bit back when her sister was ill and also when the Richardson's son, Jerry was a baby, being an incubator baby and needing frequent care. Mrs. Adams stayed in our home quite a bit and helped with his care. She was with us quite a bit in 1939 to help care for another sister, the late Mrs. Odessa Poteet. Edna was a very sweet Christian person. To know her was to love her and we grieve along with our daughter-in-law, who is deeply grieved as she was just a mother to her as well as being a sister. Mr. Adams was also a fine person and he had also visited in our home many times. Let us now think of them as being in a land where there will be no heartaches and sorrows. Our deepest sympathy is extended to the son and daughter and sister, and to Mr. Adams sisters and brothers. May God bless and comfort all. Addresses of the son and daughter are: Jimmie Adams, 1700 Park Ridge Terrace, Arlington; Mrs. Garland Latham, 5802 Coventry Lane, Austin.

The writer and Mrs. Lemmie Trantham, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goynes, Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and sister, Mrs. D. E. Allison of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover and Mr. and Mrs. Hersal Richardson were among those from here attending the Adams funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hoover of Dallas spent Thursday in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Turner and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Botkin and family of Killeen, and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Turner and family of Arlington spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Turner.

Mrs. Ernest (Verna) Brummett of Alhambra is visiting at this writing with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Campbell of Hamilton, and at Waco with her son, J. C. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Parks and Becky of Grand Prairie spent the

weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parks and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Streater.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Payne and son of Stephenville visited here recently with her brother, C. M. Broyles of Lanham, and at Hamilton with his sister, Mrs. Mark Carlton who is a hospital patient.

Rev. Bob Ray and family were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parks Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Bob Lindsey were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Edwards Sunday. He is pastor of Agee Baptist Church.

Jimmie Don Edwards left early Monday to enter Tarleton State College. Our best wishes to him.

Robert Grisham of Texas A&M spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Grisham.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Grisham and this scribe attended singing at Evergreen Baptist Church Sunday. Lunch was served at noon and song service in the afternoon.

The writer drove down for a visit with Miss Liza Giese after the singing. She had been in the Hamilton Hospital a few days with a bad back.

The writer attended funeral services for Mr. Harvey Howerton Saturday in Hico and also visited in the home of Mrs. Lucille Battershell and met a number of relatives who had come in for Miss Liza Battershell's funeral on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hersal Richardson spent the weekend in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Richardson at Burleson.

Lemmie Trantham returned home Monday of last week after a two-week stay in the Veterans Hospital in Temple.

Harve Shields has also been a patient at the Temple hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Willeford and Delia visited Mr. and Mrs. Britton

Willeford and family in Abilene Thursday night enroute to Lubbock to take Delia, where she entered Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and Janice and the writer attended a surprise birthday and anniversary party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Allison of Dublin, honoring his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison on their 43rd anniversary and his birthday. The ladies brought in food galore and a delicious supper was served buffet style, along with homemade ice cream. They received many nice gifts and all enjoyed the occasion very much. The Allison's daughter and family, the Wayne Pittmans, Karen and Kay rendered music. We wish for them many more anniversaries and birthdays.

Those from here attending the funerals in Hico Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goynes, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Abel and Mrs. Ruth Cunningham.

Mrs. George (Josie) Leeth and grandson, Drew Campbell of Hamilton visited one day recently in our home. They had visited at the cemetery. Drew left a nice donation of \$10.00 for the cemetery, and we also received \$5 from Mr. and Mrs. Audie Clark of Stephenville, and Mrs. Bethune, daughter of Mrs. Mark Rucker.

Also Mrs. Vera Grisham called and said she was turning in funds for an endowment on the Grisham and Lackey lot, and Mr. Jack Leeth gave us a check Saturday to put his grandparents, the Cole lot, in the endowment. Thanks to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Samford, formerly of Fort Worth, have moved to Bryan where he will attend Texas A&M. Mrs. Samford will teach at Kerens.

Miss Karol Prinz, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Prinz of Fort Worth, a 1971 spring graduate of Paschal High School, will enroll at Sam Houston College in Huntsville where she will major in Spanish. Mrs. Samford and Miss Prinz are granddaughters of Mrs. Ruth Cunningham, and Mr. Samford is a grandson of Mrs. Jewel Odell of Olin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Richardson of Fort Worth are proud parents of a baby son, born Monday morning in All Saints Hospital. The little lad weighed nine pounds and 14 ounces and has been named Tommy Owen. He is the fourth person with the name Owen in the Richardson family. Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Richardson of Fairy and Mrs. Crow of Fort Worth are grandparents and Mrs. Eunice Daniel is great-grandmother.

CARD OF THANKS

We gratefully acknowledge the many expressions of love and sympathy extended to us at the passing of our brother and his wife. Your thoughtfulness and acts of kindness were a comfort to us and will always be remembered.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lowe,
29-1tp.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to all our many friends for their love and thoughtfulness during our sorrow. Especially do we thank the doctors and nurses of the Hico Hospital for their care, and Rev. George Whitfield and Rev. Eddie Malphrus for the words of comfort. And to those who sent food, flowers, cards and said words of sympathy, we say thank you. May God bless each of you.

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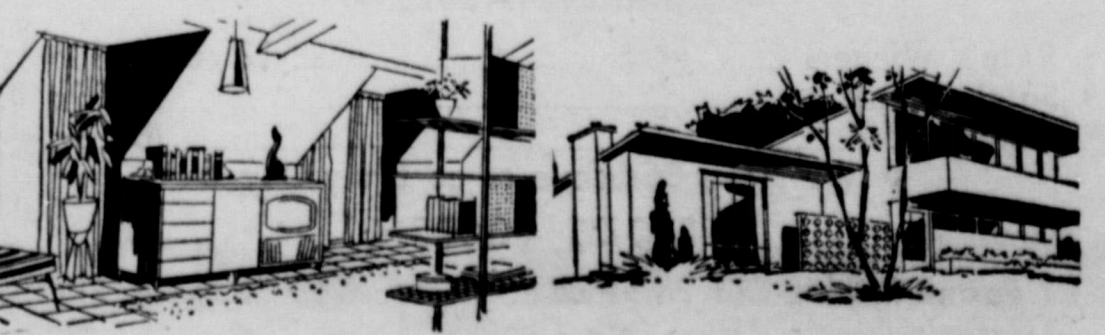
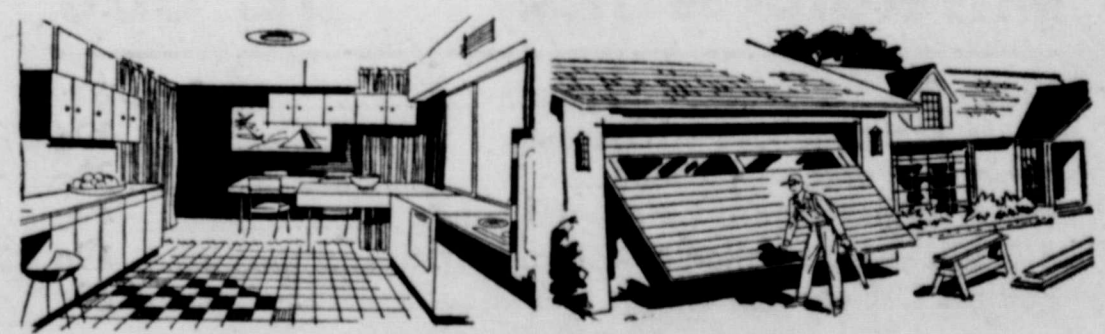
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To serve watermelon, cut into slices or wedges, or into balls and cubes for variety. Or, create a refreshing salad for summer months by combining the cool tastes of watermelon, cantaloupe and honey dew melon balls. Add a few blueberries and peaches for extra taste tingle.

Another watermelon treat that will surprise your family is watermelon rind pickles. These are the ingredients:

4 quarts prepared watermelon rind; 1 cup salt; 2 quarts cold water; 2 tablespoons whole cloves; 2 sticks cinnamon; 2 pieces ginger-root; 1 lemon; 8 cups sugar; 1 quart white vinegar; 1 quart water.

Trim dark skin and pick flesh from thick watermelon rind. Dissolve salt in 2 quarts water; pour over sliced rind. If needed, add more water to cover rind. Cook until tender, drain. Tie spices in this

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cloth bag, add with other ingredients and simmer 10 minutes. Add watermelon rind and simmer until clear. Add boiling water if syrup becomes too thick before rind is clear. Remove spice bag. Pack boiling into hot jars, leaving one-eighth head space, close. Process in boiling water bath 5 minutes. Start to count processing time when water returns to boiling. Makes 6 pints.

To get the most efficient use and longest possible service from the equipment you buy, read the manufacturer's instructions carefully and follow them exactly.

Equipment that is kept clean, oiled and in proper adjustment lasts longer. An alert eye and ear can save costly repairs. If you hear a grind in the motor or notice that an appliance is not working, call a service man.

Refer to your warranty. It may assure you of service on new parts if the appliance does not work properly through no fault of your own.

To help keep the appliance you have in top working condition, follow these tips:

Never force gears, controls or working parts.

Don't overload equipment: overloading causes wear and possible damage.

Set controls according to the manufacturer's instructions.

When connecting an electric appliance, plug the electric cord into the appliance first, then into the outlet.

When disconnecting an electric cord, always grasp the plug. Don't pull the cord.

Allow hot appliances to cool before storing.

Coil electric cords loosely. Hang them over two supports or store in a drawer. Do not wrap cord around a hot appliance or bend sharply.

Avoid overloading electric circuits. If you follow these suggestions, your equipment will last longer and give much better service.

FROM WASHINGTON

Captain Mary Ann McClure, who is a nurse at Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D.C., spent from Saturday until Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd McClure. Other visitors in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McClure and Rachel of Austin. The McClures took their daughter to Dallas Love Field Tuesday where she returned home by plane. En route to Hico they stopped in Cleburne at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allen and family and enjoyed a birthday supper honoring Mr. McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. West and Miss Melba West of Waco were visitors in the home of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. East and Ronnie Sunday evening.

Monday visitors in the homes of Mrs. Bee Hansen and Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Jones were a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Hancock of Los Angeles, Calif., also Mrs. Ruth Hancock and Mrs. Mary Nell Koonsman of Waco and Mrs. Walker Hancock of Walnut Springs.

Social Security Questions & Answers

By CHARLES E. BASS

Question: My wife was getting social security checks on my earnings. She died last month. Will there be a burial benefit payable from social security?

Answer: No. A burial benefit is payable when a deceased person has worked under social security. Since your wife never worked under social security, no benefit is payable.

Question: I will be age 62 in June of this year, but my husband is only 58. Since I never worked under social security, can I get benefits on my husband's number?

Answer: No. For you to get benefits on your husband's record, he has to be entitled to a benefit. You will have to wait until your husband is age 62 and files for benefits.

MRS. J. R. WOOTEN ENJOYS BIRTHDAY

Mrs. J. R. Wooten of Dublin was honored Sunday afternoon with a surprise birthday party when her children met at her home. Gifts were opened and refreshments of cake and homemade ice cream were served.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stringer, Ricky, D'Anne and Janette, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wooten and Clay, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Mayfield, Terri and Jon, Major Dennis Wooten of San Antonio, and J. R. Wooten.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. East spent the weekend in Fort Worth in the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sudham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Slaughter, Kelli, Erik and Cole spent Saturday in Crowley in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Rightmer, Dan and Jan. The Slaughter family enjoyed a ride on the "Goober Special" Sunday afternoon.

Billy McKenzie of Fort Worth visited Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Hamilton Jr. of San Antonio returned home Tuesday following a ten-day visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hamilton and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Robinson and family. Their daughter, Stephanie, remained for a two-week visit in the Robinson home.

Mrs. Fred Blackburn enjoyed a visit Monday with two of her nieces, Mrs. Lee Brownfield of Brownfield and Mrs. Omar Herring of Odessa.

FAMILY GATHERING

A campout was enjoyed last weekend at the JK Camp by Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rainwater and their children. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. James Dowdy, Accantia and Arron of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. John Rumpf, Byron and Beth of Fort Worth, Pete Gray of Mineral Wells, Joan Noble, Becky and Kerry, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Johnson, Dwan and Elm, Mr. and Mrs. Don Rainwater and Lisa, Gary Rainwater, and a guest, D'Ann Meador.

VACATION TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rainwater, Mrs. Joan Noble and Kerry, and Pete Gray of Mineral Wells recently returned from a vacation trip to Red River, also Colorado where they visited Estes Park, Pikes Peak and other scenic places. En route home they saw the production, "Texas" in the open air theatre in Palo Duro Canyon.

TRI-COUNTY LEAGUE SLATES SEPT. MEETING

A meeting of the Tri-County League of Vocational Nurses has been planned for Thursday night, Sept. 2 in Hamilton at the Spotted Horse Restaurant beginning at 8 o'clock.

Dr. D. L. McCord will speak on the subject, "Care of the Burned Patient."

COLORADO TRIP

Mrs. W. C. Howard returned Wednesday of last week following a visit in Durango, Colorado. She was accompanied by Mrs. Roy J. Tiner of Stephenville. They visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Dorsett and attended the wedding of the Dorsett's daughter, Carol Ann, while there.

James Randals of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gregg and Brock of Gatesville were recent visitors in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Randals.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to each and everyone for the gifts, visits, cards, phone calls, and flowers during my stay in St. Joseph Hospital in Fort Worth and since returning home. Your kindness and thoughtfulness will always be remembered. 28-11p. Mrs. Henry Nix

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to everyone for their many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy at the passing of our brother. For the food, flowers, cards, and other kindnesses we are grateful. 28-11p. THE BROTHERS & SISTERS OF HARVEY HOWERTON

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to each and everyone for your thoughtfulness, acts of kindness and words of comfort at the passing of our loved one. To all those who sent flowers, food, cards and offered prayers, and to anyone who sent food and we failed to get your name, we say thank you. May God bless each of you. The Family of Mrs. Minnie Chaney 28-11p.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and relatives for the sympathy and consideration given us at the death of our loved ones. The Family of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Adams 28-11p.

IN GLEATON HOME

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gleaton were a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gleaton of Comanche. Visiting in the home Sunday night and Monday was Mr. Gleaton's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bartlett of Sweetwater.

IN KILLEEN COLLEGE

Miss Andrea Carrington, daughter of Lou Carrington, has enrolled for the fall semester at Central Texas College in Killeen where she is studying art. Mr. Carrington's son, Pat, was recently discharged from the Marines and is at home.

Miss Winnie Eakins of Dallas is visiting this week with her sister, Mrs. Hord Randals, who is a patient in the Hico Hospital. Other visitors last week with Mrs. Randals were Sue McMurray of Camp Polk, La. and Margaret Carol Shelton of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Fred Flores and children of Farmers Branch visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Woody Wilson.

FROM CHILICOTHE

Mrs. Kathrine Massengale Painter of Chillicothe was a guest Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geary Cheek. Mrs. Painter was enroute to Stephenville to be with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Massengale who had eye surgery there Monday. Mrs. Massengale, a former Hico resident, now lives in Fort Worth.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Thornton, San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. A. Giesecke of Comanche.

BIRTHS RECORDED FOR MONTH OF AUGUST

Births recorded at the Hico Hospital for the month of August were:

Sharon Beth Wrinkle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mary Wrinkle, Stephenville, Aug. 4; Arnold G. Pack, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Pack of Dublin, Aug. 12; Dawn Beard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Beard Jr. of Stephenville, Aug. 12; Louise Lee Dyer of Hico, Aug. 12; Lyndell Coan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Coan of DeLeon, Aug. 12; Keisha Lynn Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Jones, Hamilton, Aug. 26; Joe Stebbins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ballard of Carlton, Aug. 26; mile Jean Wagner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Wagner of Hico, Aug. 26; Hal Jay Pender of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Pender, Stephenville, Aug. 26.

J. T. Butler of Carlton returned from Thursday until Sunday in Houston with his brother, Mr. Mrs. F. C. Butler. While there enjoyed deep sea fishing and also saw the Cowboy-Oiler football game in the dome.

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CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE

CLUBS — SOCIETY — PARTIES — PERSONAL MENTION

Baptist WMU Meets and Elects Officers

Members of the Women's Mission Union met Monday morning at First Baptist Church for their regular meeting.

Club Members Enjoy Party in Everett Home

An afternoon of bridge was enjoyed by members and guests of Hico Aces Club Friday of last week when Mrs. Sim Everett entertained with a party.

ILLINOIS VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Chenault and Laura of McComb, Illinois visited Sunday in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Sim Everett and Miss Florence Chenault.

Mrs. Willie Ball and Mr. Kelvey Are Wed Saturday Evening

Mrs. Willie Ball of Stephenville, mother of Mrs. Charles Bale, was married Saturday night to Joseph McKelvey in the Baptist parsonage in Stephenville.

Country Club Scene Of Bridge Party Monday Evening

Bluebonnet Country Club was the setting Monday night for a bridge party when Mrs. Charles Bale was hostess for members and guests of her club.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Armstrong and Adam Anthony of Fort Worth were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Keller, Curtis and Brent. Mrs. Armstrong and baby remained until Tuesday before returning home.

Glen McCoy Honored On 6th Birthday

Glen McCoy, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McCoy, was honored with a party at Kindergarten Friday, Aug. 27, on his sixth birthday.

Cook Home Scene of Saturday '42' Party

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cook were hosts Saturday night for members and guests of their "42" Club.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Woods and Mrs. Lula Mae Smith were Bro. Damon Smith of Comanche, who was holding a revival at Carlton.

Bonnors Entertain With Party Saturday Night

The Saturday Night Bridge Club met last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bonner.

Mrs. Meador Hosts Friday Bridge Club

Four games of bridge were enjoyed last Friday afternoon when Mrs. E. V. Meador entertained members and guests of her club with a party.

SPEND SUMMER IN EUROPE

Mrs. Mary Denison, band teacher in Hico Schools, her husband, Raleigh, who teaches German in Tarleton State College, and their two daughters, Susie and Rebecca spent two and a half months in Europe this summer.

DONALD MAYFIELDS HOST DINNER FOR S.S. TEACHERS

A covered dish dinner for all teachers and their families of the Hico Church of Christ was enjoyed Saturday Aug. 28.

Miss Susan Knudson was a recent visitor in Waco with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Knudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neel were in Quitman during the weekend visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neel and family.

Mr. Garry Gage of Fort Worth was a Sunday guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Emery.

WELDON WAGNERS ARE PARENTS OF DAUGHTER

Tammie Jean is the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Wagner of Carlton, who was born Thursday, Aug. 26 in the Hico City Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Davis visited in Dallas Sunday in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Arrant, Doug and Scotty.

Visitors during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Latham were Mrs. Garland Latham and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Latham of Austin.

RETURNS TO SCHOOL

Miss Nancy Davis was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Davis, to Denton Wednesday of last week where she enrolled as a sophomore nursing student at Texas Women's University.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Early Shepherd were his sister-in-law, Mrs. Jettie Shepherd and her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bradford of Vincent. They also visited in Fairy with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Arrant.

ATTENDING A&M

Larry Decker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Decker, left last week for Bryan where he will enter Texas A&M University in the field of electrical engineering.

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Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Knudson were their children, Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Knudson Jr. of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Knudson of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stipe returned from a vacation trip which took them first to Sam Rayburn Lake for three days where they were met by their sons, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Stipe and family of Crowley, La. and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stipe and family from Bryan.

Mrs. Henry Mackey spent last week in Everman with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Lee Mackey and family.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Vesta Thompson returned home Thursday of last week after a months visit with friends and relatives in Plainview and Lockney.

ATTEND ADAMS SERVICES

Those visiting last Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Latham and attending the funeral services in Hamilton for Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Adams were Mr. and Mrs. Garland Latham and Karen, Walter Lathahm, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Latham and Mrs. Winsor, all of Austin, James Latham of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Atwood, Junior and Patricia Watkins of Euless.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boone of Clair-ette were their daughter and children Mrs. Fred N. Wilson, LaRay and Jay of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Bennett and children, Ann and Russell of Alvin, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie James, Rhonda and Jay Paul of Calimesa, Calif. and Mrs. Leona Ham of Stephenville.

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Items of Interest From Iredell . . .

By VINITA BLAKLEY

DATES TO REMEMBER—

The Iredell Community Improvement Council will have their regular meeting on Friday, Sept. 3. Make your plans to be present at this meeting, when plans will be made for the new year.

The Garden Club will be having its first meeting soon, the date to be announced.

The Iredell Homecoming will be Saturday, Oct. 16. Hope to meet you here.

The highway signs leading into our little city read, "Welcome to Iredell, the little city with a big heart." Hope you have noticed them.

Other new signs, the Iredell City Hall, Iredell Fire Station, and Iredell Hardware & Lumber. If you haven't seen them, look for them.

The opening of the Conoco Cafe under the management of Doris and Dora.

I would like to express my thanks to Mrs. S. A. Dunlap for being correspondent from Iredell for me while I was on vacation in Europe. She did a good job. Don't you think so?

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Culp were among those who were on vacation in August. They visited in Arkansas in the Ozarks.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Tidwell and

Cory of Desdemona and Renee Koonsman of Glen Rose were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Culp.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adkison were Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Gray of Sanderson, Mrs. Iona Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Adkison of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Mary Bass Thompson, Mrs. Barbara Schench Self of Fort Worth and Mr. Warren D. (Pinkie) Schench and daughter of Mississippi were recent visitors in Iredell and at Schench Springs, also waded in the Bosque River.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dunlap, Kim and Linda of Irving were Saturday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dunlap.

Funeral services for Mr. Earl Lundberg were held Saturday afternoon at 2:30. He had been ill for some time and died at his home Thursday night.

Mr. Word Main underwent surgery at the Clifton Hospital Tuesday. He is doing nicely at this time.

Albert Bullard, who has handled trash hauling for Iredell residents, said this week that he could no longer take care of the hauling, and asked residents to make other arrangements.

I would like to share my trip

to Europe with my friends. It would be impossible to tell and describe all I saw and did during the six weeks.

I visited in ten countries, Holland, Belgium, France, Luxembourg, Switzerland, Liechtenstein, Austria, Italy, Germany and Canada. Also four captois, Amsterdam, Brussels, Paris and Bern. Saw the Ardennes and Alps, the Scheldt, Rhine, Seine and Loire Rivers. Six airports, Love Field Dallas, O'Hara at Chicago, Amsterdam at Holland, Brussels in Belgium, Montreal, Canada and the Houston airport.

I left Iredell Sunday, June 28 for Irving where I visited in the home of Mrs. Dee Shackelford until Thursday, July 1 when Frances (Mrs. B. J. Blakley) and I left Love Field at 1 p.m. by American Airlines. We arrived at O'Hara International Airport at 3 p.m. for our flight by KLM Dutch Airlines to Amsterdam. The flight was six hours late and we left Chicago at 9:20 p.m. with 132 tourists returning to Holland and Germany and six passengers. Over Ontario, Canada the captain stated we were 29,000 feet and would reach 33,000 feet at Toronto, which would be the highest of the flight. At 2:15 our time I was privileged to see the sun rise over the Atlantic which was a beautiful sight.

The meals served on the plane were very good and often it seemed. Everything was done to keep all happy. We flew over Northern Ireland and the North Sea at 10 a.m., their time, arriving at Amsterdam at 11:20 July 2 with 60-degree weather and the sun shining.

Billy and Karen with General Motors chauffeur met us. We had to go through the regular routine of checking out our luggage and going through customs. After a two-hour drive we arrived at the Blakley home in Antwerp, very tired and sleepy for it had been nearly 24 hours and only 3 hours sleep. I was afraid I would miss something.

After I rested Billy took me for a drive where I saw General Motors plant No. 2 where he works, visited the ship channel where the ships and barges were docked for the weekend.

In Saturday we took a sight-seeing trip to Brussels, seeing the Kings Palace and grounds. Saw a German Prison and Concentration Camp where the Jews were persecuted in World War I, which is now being used as a museum. Saw the Bell Telephone Plant and the RCA buildings, also the first tank which liberated Belgium.

We next went to the Holland Peninsula on the North Sea, watched the ships and barges going through the raised bridges and saw many sail boats.

When we began the vacation trip we went through the longest tunnel under the Scheldt River which was one mile long and had been built three years. After we reached France the first city we stopped at was Lille. The farther into France we could recognize that war had been in this part of the country, but only because we knew it had. We visited the St. James Military Cemetery which is kept by the U.S. Government. Saw Gen. Patton's Monument which was placed there in 1944, near where he is buried.

The first castle we visited was Mont St. Michelle on an island off France in the English Channel. This was used by the Monks as a Monastery in the 1100 century. There were 23 buses of tourists besides the hundreds of cars. There were many chateaus, or castles, in the Loire Valley but we only toured six of them. The guides on these tours all spoke French. We were fortunate that Karen could speak French and could interpret for us. At one of the castles a French couple from Paris could speak some English and they told many things the guide missed. This was one that had been restored from damage after a train of ammunition was blown up so close by. This was the only castle that had the traditional Gothic Motifs and the Renaissance in Castle Construction. All of the castles were in the Loire Valley and built during the 13th and 16th centuries during the period of the Italian wars and when the Count of France were residents of the Valley. This was a period of the revival of French art of which both Italian and French Architecture were used in the buildings. We lost count of the steps we climbed but approximately

3000. One we had to climb 52 steps before we entered.

We spent one night at a Japanese owned hotel in Paris, within two blocks of the Arc of Triumph. Napoleon had the names of 386 of his generals and 96 of his Triumphs inscribed on the inner walls. In the center beneath the Arc was a grave of an unknown soldier placed there by the French after World War I. An Eternal Flame burns in his honor and a guard is there, also fresh flowers on the tomb.

The Eifel Tower was a beautiful structure. We saw the Kings Palace grounds and the famous Art Museum.

Switzerland and the Alps cannot be described, with their height, snow and glaciers. Also the Alps in Austria are beautiful. The people of these countries, as a whole, seem to be very industrious. The countries are very clean, no litter on the streets and highways. There are beautiful flowers and trees everywhere. No land was wasted. Every inch was used for gardens and fields. You could look every where and see fields of grain, corn, sugar beets, potatoes, cabbage, beans, garlic, onions, and many plants I did not recognize.

Most of the houses are four-story with the cellar. In many places the houses were built in with the barns, and the barns were larger than the houses. Their modes of travel are small cars, bicycles, electric trains, busses or trams.

I attended services at the American Protestant Church of Antwerp. All other churches were Catholic. I did see and visit in two of the largest Catholic Churches where tourists were going, visited the famous Flemish Painter, Peter Paul Reuben's House.

At the church service I met the American Counsellor's wife, Mrs. Tihaney who lives in Antwerp. They are under the American Ambassador, John Eisenhower.

I did not learn to like the food, even with the help of wine, neither red or white, nor did I dare taste the snails. Also I did not learn to use the silver as they did.

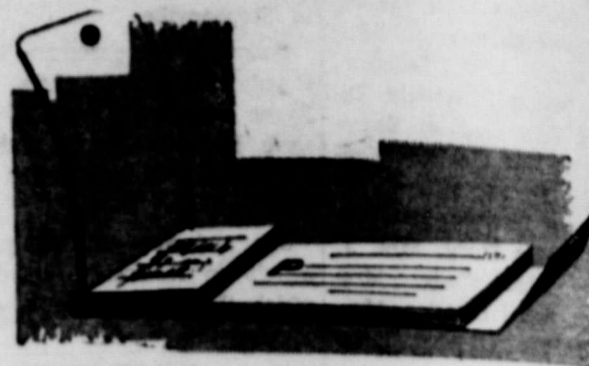
My trip was wonderful, thanks to my son, Billy Jack and family, who made it possible and entertained me. I am still in a dream as I relive some part of it each day.

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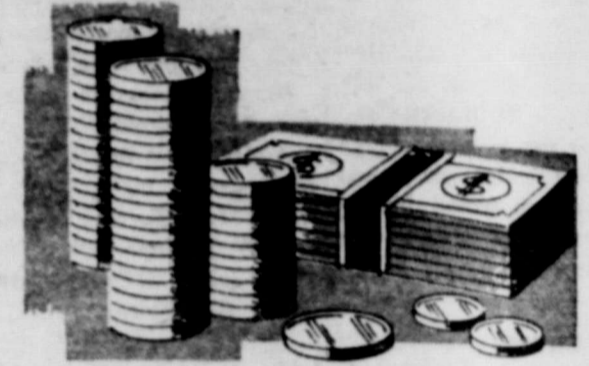
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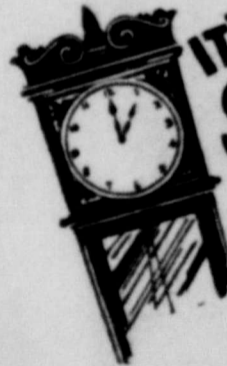


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Carlton Community News
By MRS. FRED GEYE

Mrs. Mark Bryant of Stephenville and daughter, Mrs. Sue Nichols and son, Stephen from Gallup, New Mexico are visiting their daughter, sister and husband, Bro. and Mrs. George Whitfield.

O. C. Thompson and daughters, Ollie Mae and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Childress of Abilene were visitors Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hob Thompson. They were formerly of Carlton before moving to Abilene. Mrs. Sid Fine and Mrs. Lee Tur-

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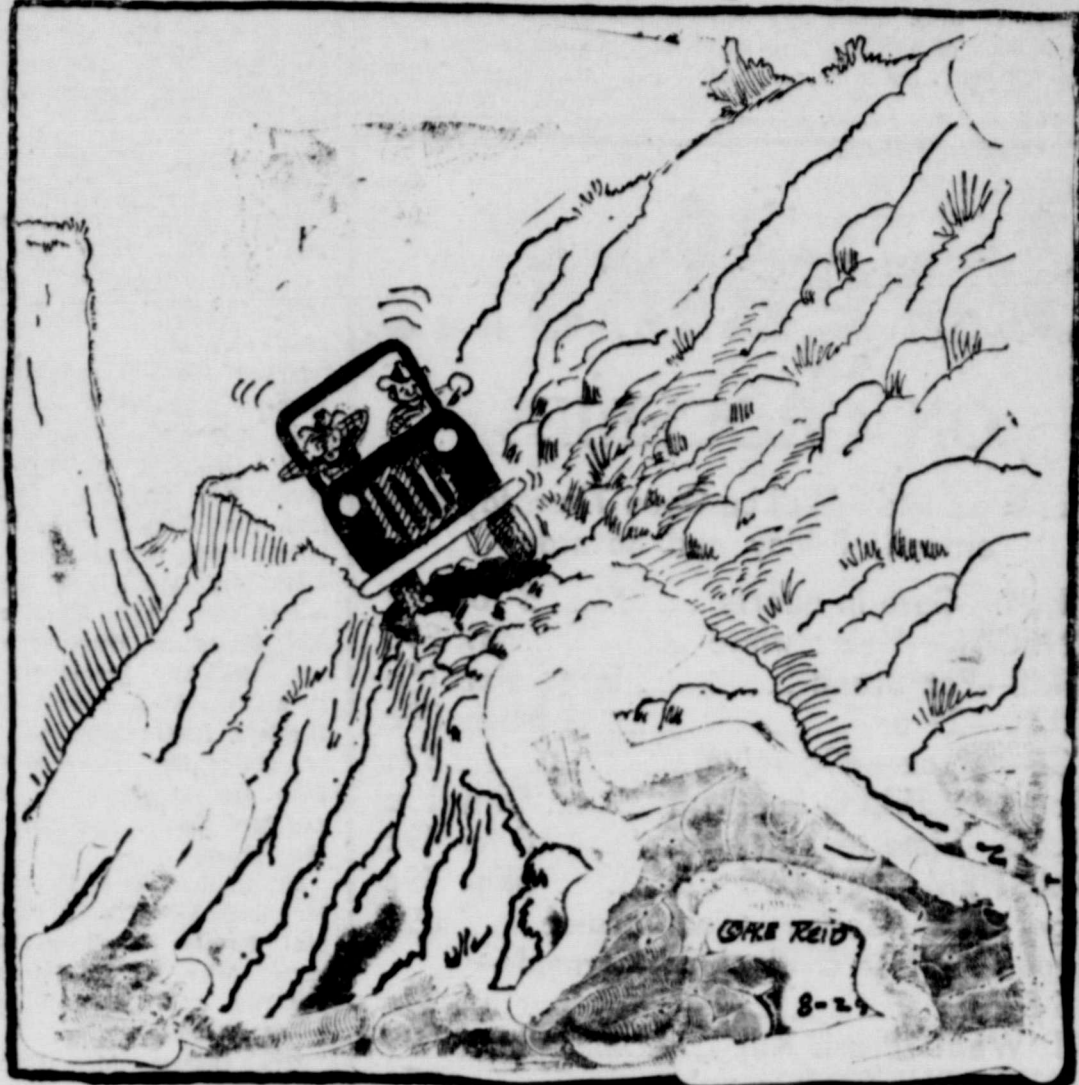
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By Ace Reid



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Duffau Community News
By MRS. PASCAL BROWN

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Herod visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ables and family near Waco the past weekend.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash, Dale, Wendell, and Cheryl, Yvonne Rhea, Greg Stone, Stephen and Clayton Whalley of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Nachtigall and family of Hico visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nachtigall and Max Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Killion of Dallas visited with Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ollie Davis and Mrs. Lester Herod were visitors in Fort Worth Wednesday.

Mrs. Lucy Naul and Mrs. Nelga Naul and daughter visited at the Paschal Brown home awhile Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ryan of Fort Worth visited at their home here during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Herod visited the Paschal Browns Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown moved to San Antonio, where he will be employed at Kelley Air Force Base.

Mr. and Mrs. Elray Davis are remodeling their house. Mrs. Chaney was buried in the Duffau Cemetery Sunday. Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

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By AMYE & RUBY

You have heard it said that some folks carry more than their share of the load. Well that is the shape I am in today. That Ruby Gal got herself a room down at the hospital for several days. Think she is doing some better. Know I thought of a jillion things to write about and now I can't think of anything. But I want to tell you folks to please

overlook all the mistakes in spelling and phrasing. You see my work is doubled up on me. But my grey matter isn't working as it should, and to sum it all up, I am in a hock of a mess.

Mark Emery brought the message Sunday evening, and everyone talked about how much they enjoyed it. Mr. and Mrs. George Griffiths

visited Mr. and Mrs. Berkley; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ogle visited the Britt Ogles; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Woody visited Mrs. Chancellor; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Stringer visited Mrs. Shaffer and Mrs. Cavitt; Jim Word visited Mrs. Connally; Kate Chaffin visited friends at the home; Jerry and Erma Mitchell visited Mrs. Spauking; Vela Nix of Stephenville visited Mrs. Ollie McKnight; Mrs. Sinnie McDonnel of Iredell and Mrs. Ewell Thompson visited Miss Maggie Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Ogle; Mrs. Charles Williams, Barry, Kim and Buddy visited Dock Finley and Betty Fisher; and Austin Fellers visited in the home.

Mrs. Clarence Lindsey of Rockwall, Mr. and Mrs. Bell, Marty, Jimmy and Grady visited friends. Mrs. W. F. O'Reilly Mrs. Joyce Urwin, Mrs. Helen Polk and Mrs. Maude Whatley were also visitors in the home.

Mrs. Nettie Sills and Mrs. Julia Brunson got together for a short visit. Mrs. Kathy Boone and Mrs. Eunice Daniel visited friends in the home. Also Miss Pearl Whiteside, Mrs. Fred Jaggars and Mrs. Ben Wright visited friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick McKeever visited their cousin, Mrs. Connally. Mrs. Scales and daughter of Carlton visited Mrs. Emma Wright. B. D. and Ola McKandless visited the Berkleys. H. G. Coffelt and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Golden. Miss Jane Applegate of Missouri and Mrs. Sandra Applegate visited Mrs. Sharp.

Mr. E. R. Ables of Dallas visited Mr. Ables. Mrs. Charles Conley and Mrs. Fannie Tidwell visited their sister, Miss Maggie Harris. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Oldham visited Mr. and Mrs. Ogle.

Mrs. Oldham, Mrs. Chancellor, Maggie Harris, Ruth Collier and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Britton of Stephenville visited Mrs. Florence Lambert. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Roton and Billie Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moore and Roland Moore of Cleburne visited Sam Pace. Shelia Polk, Vickie Ratliff and Clarice Turner were also visiting in the home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Berkley of Hurst visited the Berkleys. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Arrington visited the E. E. Wrights.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Prater of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Connally. Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Coffelt and Mrs. H. G. Coffelt visited the Golden.

R. L. and Lola Adkison visited relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Proffitt, Mrs. Ray Proffitt, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Proffitt and Mrs. Robert Little visited with Mrs. Gregory. Mr. and Mrs. Jean Golden visited the Golden. Mark Emery and Mrs. Jessie Connally visited in the home.

HICO NURSING HOME

Each visitor and each visit that comes our way brings us a blessing. Some of our visitors are home folks, and some are from quite a distance, but all are appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ruck of Carlton and Mrs. Valley Bowlen visited Mrs. Mattie Roberts.

Mrs. C. R. Conley and Mrs. Hall of Stephenville visited Mrs. C. L. Tidwell and friends Monday.

Mrs. Opal Nabors visited her mother, Mrs. Mollie Lawrence this week.

Visiting Mrs. Zollie Sawyer were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flanary, Mrs. Ora Turney, Mrs. Pat Koonson and Troy, Frankie Flanary, and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dunlap.

Iris Eakins visited her aunt, Mrs. M. E. Laney Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Williams, Barry, Buddy and Kim visited Mrs. Pearl Fisher Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Poff of Stephenville and Ronald Poff of Monterey, Calif. visited Mrs. J. M. Williams.

Mrs. C. R. Horton of San Angelo visited her mother, Mrs. Birtha Taylor.

Mrs. E. C. Tidwell and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gunter, Ervin, Sara and Cathy of Dallas visited Mr. Joe Tidwell.

Allyne Meroney of San Angelo visited her mother, Mrs. Effie Roberson this weekend.

Mrs. Billy Thomasson of Brownwood visited Mrs. Keller and Helen.

Visiting Mrs. Ollie Haile this weekend were Noble and Martha Haile, Tom and Sue Haile, Talma Lu, Janet and Suzanne of Temple, Jim and Bonnie Haile, Nathan, Karen and Jimmy of West, John and Duby Haile, Stephen and David of Comanche, and Billy and Jan Landua, Waylan and Cristie of Gates-

ville. Kate Chaffin, Ila Bates and Mavis Carr of Iredell visited friends in the home Sunday.

Ira Johnson was in charge of our Sunday evening worship service.

Mrs. Wayland Wooton, Paul and Angela of Rainbow were visiting Monday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wooton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hudson and children of Hamilton were weekend visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Hudson.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Patterson, Kippi and Donna were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Machen of Seymour and Elwanda Breeding of Kansas City, Missouri.

ATTENDING TARLETON STATE
Several members of the fall semester at Tarleton State College. Johnette Walker has enrolled and will be living in Stephenville as will Patricia Cox of Carlton. Those commuting will be Debra Scott, Alan Ross, Rickie Jaggars, Eugene Lindsey, Donna Patterson, Rita Robinson, and Floyd Thayer of Carlton.

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