

On The BEAM

By J. W. King, Sr.

Arguments for and against the proposed bond issue by Mitchell County for the purpose of buying right-of-way for the freeway are getting hot and heavy.

As an indication of how the issue will go in the Loraine area, the Loraine Lions Club voted with a majority of almost 6 to 1 against the bonds at Tuesday's meeting.

A meeting at the school house here Thursday night will expound the merits of a freeway in pictures and words by some Colorado City men. Those who care to should attend and learn what they can about the situation.

Some who are in favor of the bonds will tell you that we just as well go ahead and vote the bonds because the road will be built anyway. I don't know where they get their information to that effect. So far as I know neither the federal government nor the highway department at Austin has ever bought a mile of right-of-way for a road and there is no reason to believe they will do so now. No freeway will be built across Mitchell County until the people of the county buy the right-of-way for it.

The highway department does insist that the road be built on the route proposed by the department—but if we refuse to vote the bonds for the right-of-way where they want it to go we might persuade them to change the route to suit us better—it's worth a try anyway.

Some will tell you that a freeway will decrease the death rate on our highways. I seriously doubt if it will so long as the speed demons are loose on the road. We all know that a freeway would invite speed rather than cut it down.

The truth of the matter is that the trucking industry of the nation is pushing as hard or harder than any other organization for freeways. If the proposed freeway is built here the highway department says it will increase traffic immensely. I'll grant you that it will but I would almost wager my last year's straw hat that transcontinental trucks will provide a greater portion of the increase and all the road they would do Mitchell County would be to provide plenty of noise. They would buy nothing in the county; they would pay no taxes in the county to help pay our bonds.

Farm to market roads extended around here would do this county and Loraine a lot more good than a freeway. Lets build roads for our own people first then if we feel prosperous we can build a freeway for coast to coast traffic.

Guests of Mrs. S. H. Hart Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hart and son Hamlin and Mrs. Lee Coles of Colorado City.

Supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Brown Sunday were Mrs. M. A. Thraillkill, Sr. of Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Thraillkill, Jr. of Grand Prairie, and Mrs. Eugene Murphy, Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hitt and children visited relatives in Midland over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rickman and children of Amarillo visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mahon.

Mrs. Jessie Beagle is in Brownwood visiting in the home of her daughter and family.

Mrs. Nora Jones of Albany is here visiting in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Claxton. Others visiting in the Claxton home during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart of Lovington, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Graham and children and Mrs. Della Graham spent the weekend with relatives in Gorman and DeLeon.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Narrell during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart of Lovington, N. M., Mrs. Virginia Kidd Coahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Don Narrell and Dianne and Beth Narrell, Abilene.

Mrs. Claude Neely of Andrews spent Wednesday and Thursday with her sisters here.

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Former Teacher Here Buried Sunday

Miss Daisy Brown, a teacher in Loraine school for seven years, was buried at Grand Saline, Texas, Sunday afternoon April 25.

Miss Brown was teaching here at the time she became ill three years ago. She had been in Abilene and Dallas hospitals much of the time since. She died in a Dallas hospital Saturday, April 24.

Survivors include two brothers, Will Brown of California, Ed Brown of Grand Saline; four sisters, Mrs. J. W. Anders of Grand Saline, Mrs. Ben Hobbs of Abilene, Mrs. Osborne of Willis Point, and Mrs. Fod Shields of South Texas.

STUDENTS TO REGION
Oona Mae Mercer placed third in Ready Writers and Roy Johnson third in broad jump when several Loraine students competed in the regional meet in Brownwood last weekend.

Frank and Roy Beights were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hallmark Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. West visited in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Duke, in Anson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Baird of Big Spring were guests in the Joe Ennett and Mrs. Roy Baird homes Saturday.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Admitted: Virgil Walker, Joe Barrena, Rickie Walker, N. L. Henderson, Mrs. Travis Hallmark, E. M. Carpenter, Mrs. Evert Henderson, Mrs. E. B. Shirley, Dixie Martin, James Herma, Mrs. Tom Scown, Rae Furlow, Frankie Stewart, Mrs. W. S. Thomas, Mrs. G. V. Pantoja, Jr., Charles Coley, Willie G. Bennett, Mark Dawson, Mrs. Joe Garza, Marcia Roberts, Mrs. C. R. Galvan, all of Loraine; Mrs. Raymond Althoff, Shirley Black, Johnny Mac Long, Norman Burns, all of Roscoe.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Galvan, a girl, April 19, whom they named Margarite Ester; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Shirley, a girl, April 16, whom they named Vickie Lynn.

Discharged: Norman Burns, Roscoe; Rickie Walker, Loraine; Dickie Walker, Roscoe; Raymond Althoff, Shirley Black, Mrs. Annie Nunn, Mrs. C. Hamilton, Virgil Walker, Mrs. Ebert Martin, Mrs. Travis Hallmark, E. M. Carpenter, Mrs. Evert Henderson, Dixie Martin, Mrs. E. B. Shirley and baby, Rae Furlow, Mrs. Tom Scown, Mrs. V. R. Galvan and baby, Charles Coley, Mrs. G. V. Pantoja, Jr., Norman Burns, Marcia Roberts, Mrs. J. M. Meek.

Virgil Wimberley was hospitalized Monday for treatment of three broken ribs sustained when he was thrown from a horse while herding cattle at his ranch south of town.

Others admitted were Mrs. Leroy Cornutt, Mrs. Marshall Sanchez, Willie Bennett, Mrs. Vernell Tepleton, Mrs. Floyd Hale, J. C. Hall, Sr., Mrs. Lynn Hamilton, Tim Hamilton, Santiago Villegas, Owen Tarrt, Mrs. Nolan Balmore, L. L. Seales, Mrs. M. C. Bynum, Marlin Moore, Alfonso Calderon, Ed Shultz, Charles Coley, all of Loraine; Jerry and Sherry Zetman, Charles Gray, Roscoe; Joe Garza, H. M. Lomax, Snyder.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Calderon, Roscoe, Route 2, a boy, April 27, whom they named Armando Caleron; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hale, a boy, James Wendell, April 27, of Loraine.

Dismissed: Marcia Roberts, Mrs. W. S. Thomas, Willie Bennett, Mark Dawson, Jerry and Sherry Zetman, Mrs. Vernell Tepleton, Joe Barrena, James Herm, Mrs. B. W. Veazy, Mrs. Leroy Cornutt, Mrs. Lynn Hamilton, Santiago Villegas, N. L. Henderson, Charles Gray, W. M. Lomax, Tim Hamilton.

Mrs. D. R. Smith left Saturday for Los Angeles, California, where she will visit her son.

Paula Coffee Prexy District M. Y. F.

Paula Coffee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffee, was elected president of the Methodist Youth Fellowship of the Big Spring district at a meeting held at the First Methodist Church in Snyder Monday night April 26.

Rev. Bob Harris of Loraine read the vows to Miss Coffee as she lighted a candle and read her vows and pledges. The service was held in front of the pulpit which was centered by a huge white cross adorned with red carnations and greenery.

Other officers installed were: vice president, Phil Daniels of Andrews; secretary, Jerry Roberts, Snyder; treasurer, Kinda McGretton, Big Spring; publicity chairman, Carol Campbell, Lamesa; Christian faith chairman, Harris Wood, Big Spring; Christian fellowship chairman, Richard Tucker, Andrews; Christian witness chairman, Sue Ann Mayo, Hermleigh; Christian citizenship chairman, Walter Dickenson, Big Spring; Christian outreach chairman, Charlene Williams, Coahoma.

After all officers took their pledges, the old officers presented them with M. Y. F. handbooks, then the new president, Paula Coffee, led the M. Y. F. benediction.

A fellowship hour was held and refreshments served to a large group from thirty churches in the district.



Lt. Reagan Martin Back In States

Lt. Reagan Martin, USAF, who has been stationed in Japan since December 1952, will arrive in the States this week and after visiting in California, New York City, and Baltimore, Maryland, is expected to be home on furlough in Loraine early in May. He is the son of Mrs. Doris Martin.

TWO HONORED

On Easter Sunday a birthday dinner was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. May, honoring Mr. May on his 80th birthday and L. D. May on his birthday. Attending were Mrs. L. D. May, Joanne Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert May, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Stahl of Midland, Shelley Bassen, Mrs. Wulfjen, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clardy of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bassum of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Buck May and family, Colorado City, and Mr. and Mrs. Turner May of Roscoe.

HERMLEIGH STUDENTS HAVE TRAIN RIDE
The fifth grade pupils of the Hermleigh school and their teacher, Mrs. A. B. Groseclose, boarded the train here this morning and rode to Sweetwater to have a picnic at the park.

Riding on the train is quite a treat for most children in these days of so many automobiles, and primary teachers of many schools plan such trips for their pupils.

Guests of Mrs. J. B. Mahon Tuesday night were Mrs. Olaf South, Nellin Minnax and Mrs. Harvey Muns of Sweetwater, Mrs. Otis Muns and Mrs. J. S. Muns.

Mrs. Kay McCauley underwent major surgery in the Root Hospital in Colorado City Tuesday. Her sister, Mrs. Florence Smith from New Jersey, is here visiting with her and also visiting in the first if the week was her daughter, Mrs. Charles Walker of Odessa.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin West and Mrs. W. S. Thomas over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin West of Levelland, Willie West of Hermleigh visiting in their home Monday.

Are you a booster for your home town?

Local FFA Team Win Jersey Judging

Loraine FFA cattle judging team competed in the bi-area meet at Lubbock last Saturday in which 100 teams from areas 1 and 2 were present.

The Loraine team tied with Silverton for first place in the Jersey division of the meet, scoring 502 out of a possible 600 points.

Other divisions judged were Guernsey and Holstein. Paducan won the contest with 1305 points. The Loraine team came in 9th with 1247 points.

This qualified the Loraine team to go to the contest at A and M College on May 1.

San Angelo won first place in the 19th district and Loraine took second.

The team is composed of Gary Mathis, Tommie Linam, Edward Beatty and James Hismark. Hallmark was high point man on the team at Lubbock.

V. C. Shipman, vocational agriculture teacher, accompanied the team to Lubbock.

Happy Home Theme At Meet

Happy Home Life for All was the theme of the State F. H. A. meeting held in Fort Worth at the Will Rogers Memorial Auditorium April 22 to 24.

Some of the highlights of the meeting were: Family Happiness Through Play, Ice Capades of '54.

The three general sessions in which Bill Martin, the Winston storyteller, contributed some worthwhile thought as well as telling some interesting stories. Mr. Martin says, regardless of age and personality differences, any group of people can find fellowship in a good story, and that next to group singing and family prayer, story telling is the greatest common denominator of personality. A skit was presented by the Waco chapter on Through Windows of Happy Homes in which various phases of happy family relationships were enacted out inside a house that was part of the stage setting.

The Friday evening general session was a program that was presented by representatives from each area in the state. Most of the program was centered around international good will and happy home life for all.

All Future Homemakers of America feel that they can foster good education in their communities and together with the efforts of their families they can make "Happy Home life for All" a reality, not a dream.

Mrs. Homsley, homemaking teacher, and Mr. Homsley took girls from the local chapter and attended the meet. Girls going were Barbara Small, local president, Gaylene Taylor, Connie Liles and Barbara Homsley.

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Mexican Mission Is Dedicated Sunday

Dedication services for the Myrtle Barber Ware Mission were held on Sunday, April 25, at the Mission Church at 3:30 p. m. The mission is a realization of a dream that the Women's Missionary Union had on March 7, 1952, when they met, hearing a program on home missions. The program was so inspirational that the W. M. U. and their president, Mrs. W. D. Green, set up a fund for the building of a mission for Mexican people in this area.

Congregational singing of hymns in Spanish with Mrs. A. R. Miles pianist, opened the afternoon dedication service. Rev. Jose Lujan, Mitchell-Seury Missionary, offered prayer after the singing. Mrs. George Mahoney gave the history of the mission and instructions on mission management to the people in Spanish.

In relating the history of the mission, Mrs. Mahoney introduced the following people and told of the offices they hold and their part in the building of the mission and their relation to Myrtle Barber Ware. First to be introduced was Mrs. Bertha Barber of Abilene, mother of the one for whom the mission was named; Weston Ware, son of Myrtle Barber Ware, of Baylor University; Mrs. D. W. Haralson, sister; also introduced were Gene Bal-d, Rev. Hartley, Mrs. B. B. Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hallmark.

A special was rendered by the mens quartet of the First Baptist Church, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. J. C. Hall, Jr. Mrs. Barber spoke to the congregation about the desire that her daughter, Myrtle Barber Ware, had to be a foreign missionary. Mrs. Mahoney sang, "Just When I Need Him Most," in Spanish. Rev. Hartley, pastor, gave the dedicatory prayer and Weston Ware gave the message for dedication of the mission. His message was in Spanish. Before his message, he told his mother, "I had dedicated her four sons to the Lord."

After the inspirational message and the invitation, Rev. Lujan spoke in Spanish and then in English as he gave an expression of appreciation on behalf of the Mexican people for this fine mission. Rev. Hartley closed the meeting when he spoke expressing his support and prayers for the services and the Lord through the Lord.

Local people took pictures during the afternoon of the services and speakers and also of the building, both inside and out.

Mrs. Graham Honored At Shower

Mrs. Donald Graham was honored at a bridal gift shower at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Graham Friday afternoon, April 23, with Mrs. Bobbie Graham as hostess.

After refreshments were served and TV enjoyed, the bride opened her many nice and useful gifts. Mrs. Graham is the former Doris Leann Firs of Colorado City.

Those present were Mrs. Donald Graham, T. J. Green, Sr., George Mahoney, Claud Chapman, Elwood Graham, Joe Graham, Harvie Owens, Stanley Graham, E. D. Green, Della Graham, Alton Robertson, Tom Graham, Jim Green, Earl Brown, and LeRoy Lucas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Walker returned Saturday after spending two weeks in Marlin for their health.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Richburg and children of Abilene were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wheeler, Monday.

Mrs. Willie Mae Thompson of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith were supper guests of Mrs. A. B. Smith Saturday evening.

Owen Nelson of Abilene visited his aunts, Miss Lillie Nelson and Mrs. W. E. Dickenson, Monday.

Honor Students Are Announced

Superintendent H. H. Homsley announced this week that Jackie Richey had been named Valedictorian of the 1954 graduating class of Loraine High School and Barbara Small Salutatorian.

Bobbie Reddin was named as honor boy. Honors are determined by the four year high school average of the students.

The two girls ran a very close race for highest honor, Jackie leading with only 31,100 difference in their four year average.

Graduation exercises will be held on Friday night, May 21.



Readers Home From Canal Zone

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reeder are visiting this week in Loraine in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Bennett. They returned to the States April 3, after spending a year in the Panama Canal Zone. They found that area quite interesting, especially the tropical growth, animal life, and climatic conditions. Rainfall there is about 100 inches a year, which is quite a contrast to Texas rainfall.

The Reeds have a large collection of colored slide pictures showing all points of interest in the Canal Zone and the Republic of Panama. These pictures include complete operation of the locks of the canal, various army posts, palm trees and ocean scenes, government buildings, views of Panama City, and its many modern buildings, and its Market Street on which can be bought everything from fine furs to live Iguanas, from sidewalk vendors.

It is easy to understand why Panama is called the Crossroads of the World. People of every nationality can be found, and products from many countries can be purchased there reasonably. These include table linens and silks from Hong Kong, brass and ivory and teakwood from India, perfumes from France, clocks and cameras from Germany, along with Panama straw hats, wooden trays, and alligator products of which Panama can be justly proud.

While stationed there, Lt. Reeder was assigned to 76th anti-aircraft gun battalion. Mrs. Reeder was employed by the Panama Canal Company. Before going overseas, Joe was stationed at Camp Chaffee, Arkansas, Fort Bliss, Texas, and Fort Sill, Oklahoma. He was discharged on April 12, at Ft. Jay, New York, after serving two and a half years.

The Reeder will move to Abilene May 1, where Joe will be with Higginbotham-Battlett Lumber Company.

SINGING

A singing will be held at the Crockett-Simley Street Church of Christ Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Everyone is cordially invited.

Mrs. Bertha Barber of Abilene, Weston Ware of Baylor University, and Hal Haralson of Hardin-Simmons University visited over the weekend in the D. W. Haralson home.

Colored Teachers and Workers Hired

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Brown, Jr. have been re-elected as teachers for the Loraine colored school, a position they have held the past year.

Mrs. W. H. Jean was hired as lunch room supervisor and Mmes J. M. Templeton, James Bennett and Ben Bowlin as her assistants. In a recent board meeting, Coy Wooddell was employed to continue as school custodian and Ralph Alsbrook as bus maintenance man.

Shower Honors Mrs. Bennett

Members of the W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church honored Mrs. Henry Bennett with a wedding shower Wednesday afternoon in the lovely home of Mrs. Earl Hallmark. Mrs. Bennett is the former Jangle Belvin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Purl Belvin. Henry is the son of Mr. Charlie Bennett. The couple married on March 23.

The bride wore a white glaze cotton with a lace yoke. Greeting the guests were Mrs. Percy Bond, Mrs. Hallmark, and Mrs. Wilmon Tarrt. Pouring punch from the crystal and rose decorated table were home economics girls from Jimmie's class in Loraine High School. They also served home baked nut cookies to the guests.

Bobby Note played accordion music and Gaylene Taylor, Barbara Small and Maxie Shepherd played many beautiful love songs on the piano during the evening hours.

Mrs. Howard Homsley brought Jimmie's entire home economics class and Miss Christine Kitchen brought other classmates to the shower.

Miss Vivian Craighead presided at the register.

CHEERO FARTY SUNDAY
The annual Cheerio Party, sponsored by the Philathea Sunday School class of the First Methodist Church in Colorado City, will be held Sunday afternoon in the fellowship hall there from 3 to 5 o'clock.

A special program has been planned for the entertainment of those over 65 years of age who will be honor guests.

NORTH LORAIN H. D. CLUB

North Loraine Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday in the Lions building with Mrs. Ralph Lankford in charge of the business session. Roll call was answered by naming a local leader.

National Home Demonstration Week is May 1-8. In observance of this week, the club will meet in an all-day session in the home of Mrs. Jim Johnson on Tuesday, May 4. The outstanding work of the club for this year will be compiled and printed that week. Mrs. Hamrick gave the council report.

The club adjourned early in order to attend the shower at the home of Mrs. Hallmark.

Present were Mmes Homer Hart, Roy Wells, Jack Linam, Sharon Adams, Jim Johnson, Otis Hamrick, Ralph Lankford, and Willie Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Sanders of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Tarrt Friday.

Fifteen Years Ago

In Loraine

(Taken from files of the Mitchell County News April 27, 1939)

Miss Fannie Jarratt and Frank D. Crowover were married. An old time spelling bee climaxed the entertainment at Ladies Night when members of the Loraine Chamber of Commerce entertained their ladies at the high school band room Tuesday night.

Mrs. M. F. Johnson celebrated her 86th birthday.

The team from the Loraine vocational agriculture class, composed of Billy Joe Hale, Lawrence Graham, and Charles Finley placed 12th at the State Smith-Hughes contest held at

More Than Three Inches Rain In April

Another splendid rain fell in this territory Tuesday afternoon bringing the total for the month of April to 3.30 inches here in town at the official gauge. Parts of the territory have received more rain than has fallen here.

The rain Tuesday came just a few hours less than a week since the three quarter inch received last Wednesday and Thursday and will send the moisture deeper into the earth.

All rains received here so far this month have been for the most part of the gentle soaking variety and has not been accompanied by any wind or hail.

Many farmers north and west of town report rain up to an inch and a half Tuesday, but south and east of town it was lighter.

Around Westbrook and Colorado City Tuesday's rain gauged as much as three inches.

Prospects for a crop this year are getting brighter with each rain. It looks better now than at any time since 1949.



Cpl. Bob Bennett Due Home This Week

Cpl. Robert C. Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Bennett, is due home the latter part of this week. He has completed 14 months of duty with the 11th Machine Records Unit in Southern Germany. He arrived in N. Y. harbor on the General Patch troop ship April 23, and was flown to Camp Chaffee, Arkansas, to await discharge from active military service. His wife met him at Ft. Smith, Ark. on Monday and will accompany him home. The past 14 months she has been an employee of Western in Midland, where she lived with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Watson.

Bob has written his parents of furloughs spent in Holland, Switzerland, Paris, France, and Bremerhausen, Germany, and of other short trips to Heidelberg and Stuttgart, near the camp where he was stationed.

The couple will join the Joe Reeder here for a reunion with their parents before returning to Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Richburg and children Dayne, Ruth Ellen and Rebecca, spent the weekend in San Antonio with her parents Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Lamb. While there they saw the Fiesta Flambeau, the world's largest night parade.

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In Advance



Questions and Answers

Q. I'm planning to take an evening course under the Korean GI Bill. Since I'll be attending less than half time, the VA told me I will receive an allowance equal to the school's established charge which non-veterans are required to pay. Will this established charge include money for books and supplies?

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HINTS From
Home Ec. Dept.

Are you interested in the rejuvenation of feed bag to fashionable frock? The big news is that some manufacturers are using rayon fabrics for their feed bags. This means that the bags are now suitable for all kinds of exciting sewing, from well-tailored garments for the whole family to good looking table linens.

Mascara if used should be used on the upper lashes only by brushing it first on the top, then on the under side of upper lashes. For most persons, the effect is more pleasing when mascara is used toward the outer corner of the eye.

Fabric shoes may be dyed any desired color, shade, or tint. A sample of material of a similar type and weave as that used in the shoe to be used for experiment with the color desired. The shoes should be washed thoroughly, not soaked, and brushed to remove any particles of cleaner or dust, and placed on shoe trees. The dye mixture should be prepared, strained, and simmered for several minutes before it is applied to the shoes. The dye mixture should be applied to the damp shoes with a stiff bristle brush. The dyeing operation should be done evenly to avoid streaking the shoes. The work should be done as quickly as possible. When shoes have been dyed evenly, they should be set in an airy place to dry. All-purpose rit or ordinary rit is a good type of dye to use.

A two-color print dress may be dyed and an entirely new combination of color result. For instance, a white figure on a black background may be changed to a green print on a black background by putting the material into a green dye bath. If desired, the white figure may be changed to red, blue, yellow, or pink since the black background will not be affected.

LUTHERAN WOMEN MEET

The Lutheran W. M. S. opened their meeting in the church basement by singing Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone.

Mrs. R. H. Marth had charge of the meeting. Mrs. Roy Grote led the opening prayer and talked on the subject Does a Christian Have to Be Different, which was very interesting and educational.

The ladies planned to have a Mothers Day program May 8, at 7:30 p. m. In the business meeting they also voted to bake cookies for the Bunton Old Folks Rest Home.

Mrs. Elnora Baumann was appointed to be reporter for the Outlook.

The meeting closed by singing

Rock of Ages and the Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison.

After the meeting, refreshments were served to Rev. and Mrs. Roy Grote, Miss Sophie Klas, Mmes B. O. Mueller, Fred Lassig, Willie Backhaus, R. E. Sauer, August Hendricks, Tilbert Willmon, Fritz Hendricks, Albert Willmon, Wilbert Plettsch, Gilbert Hrbacek, Herbert Plettsch, Walter Watt, Walter Rannsfeld, R. H. Marth, Monro Rannsfeld, John Fogge, Elmer Baumann, August Hackfeld, Gus Baumann, Charley Dowleam.

GIRLS AUXILIARY

The New Harper Girls Auxiliary met at the church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock with 17 girls present.

A full hours work was done on the forward steps. Two of the girls completed their step of Maiden and several others have almost completed this work. At the close of the meeting the G. A. song was sung, the G. A. Alliance was said and Star Ideals. The counselor, Mrs. Roy Little, dismissed the meeting with prayer.

Girls attending were Beth Sheppard, Treva Hays, Patricia Nash, Ann Dickenson, Joretta Hall, Hortense Claxton, Ruth Rieburg, Marvle Joe Robertson, Lois and Joyce Graham, Sherry Eynum, Doris Blair, Shirley and Caroline Black.

BETHEL W. M. U.

The regular meeting of the Bethel W. M. U. was held at the church Monday afternoon with the program given from the Royal Service.

Mrs. Elwood Graham led the opening prayer, followed by the group singing Standing on the Promises. Mrs. Cullen Payne gave the devotional and Mrs. C. A. Land led the closing prayer.

Others giving parts on the program were Mmes Garland Land, Willis Cornutt, A. J. Scarborough and Leroy Cornutt.

The Friendship quilt that the W. M. U. had recently completed was presented to the pastor and his wife. Rev. and Mrs. Ronnie Skaggs after the morning service on Easter Sunday.

H. D. COUNCIL

The Mitchell County H. D. Council met in the county court room April 15. Mrs. Price Hall, chairman, presided. Mrs. Will Berry led a prayer in unison.

Mrs. Ed Roach summarized the meeting. The Carr Club led the recreation which was a spelling bee. Visitors were recognized by Mrs. Hall.

Nine clubs answered roll call with their reports. A letter from the Whipkey family was received in appreciation of the flowers sent.

During National Home Demonstration Week, May 2-10, we

Who, ME?

by Robert Osborn



More than 15,000 persons were killed and nearly 750,000 hurt in week-end accidents last year. Only YOU can prevent traffic accidents!

plan to have a series of articles published to acquaint the public with our work. Some of the clubs are planning to have special program at this time.

Mrs. Alva Bennett, T. H. D. A. chairman, gave the highlights of the district meeting to be held in Post May 5, in the First Methodist Church. Registration will begin at 9:00 a. m.

Yardsticks are due on June 17 for Council meeting.

BAPTIST W. M. U. CIRCLE

All circles of the Baptist W. M. U. met at the church Monday afternoon with the Lottie Moon Circle presenting the program on the theme, The Medical Need in South America. The program led by Mrs. Dan Butler, opened with group singing The Great Physician. Mrs. Ed Small, Mrs. Roy Little and Mrs. Bud Shepherd gave the devotional after which Mrs. Howard Tarrt sang Give of Your Best to the Master.

Mrs. Butler gave the introduction of the program and other giving parts were Mmes Ed Small, Harjo, Hallmark, Roy Shepherd, J. C. Rieburg, Roy

Present were Mmes A. R. Miles, Loyd Wiggins, Virgil Parnell, Lewis Claxton, Alton Robertson, B. W. Tarrt, Ed Small, Earl Phillips, and Jack Richey.

BAUMANN H. D. CLUB

The Bauman Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. C. W. May April 20. Mrs. Price Hall opened with prayer. The minutes of the last meeting were read and a business discussion followed. Mrs. Garland Cary had charge of the meeting and Charles Coley and Arnold Lee Faulkenberry talked and

demonstrated flag etiquette which was most interesting. The club had a skit on parliamentary procedure.

Members present were Mmes Harley Owens, E. J. Schroeder, Wilmon Tarrt, David McKenzie, Stanton Hutchins, Price Hall, Jasper Doyle, Jimmie Morke, Lester Webb, Garland Cary, Olan Lee, Lewis Brown, a guest. Refreshments of cream puffs and punch were served. A grab box was enjoyed by all.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. David McKenzie May 4.

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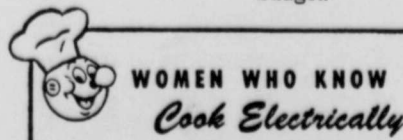
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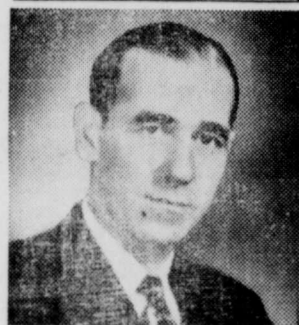
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Watrous H. Irons, above, president of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, has been named Texas campaign chairman for the 1954-55 United Defense Fund. The drive will be launched next fall. Principal agency of the United Defense Fund is the USO, which provides recreational activities for the men and women in the armed forces. Appointment of Mr. Irons as campaign chairman was made by Ben. H. Wooten of Dallas, general chairman for Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. James K. Ayers, Gwen and Jim, of San Angelo, and Mrs. Stella Welch of Colorado City, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Bennett. Other callers include Mrs. C. P. Gary and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Burdine and son of Lubbock.

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LOCAL CIRCLE

Regular monthly meeting of the Local Circle of the W. S. C. S. was held at the home of Mrs. S. E. Meadows Monday afternoon with Mrs. Plez Beaty co-hostess.

Meeting opened with song and prayer. Miss Annie Jarratt gave the devotional, reading 103rd Psalm. Mrs. Marshall Bruce

read responsive scripture endings. Mrs. Harold Martin gave an introduction to the program on the theme, The Prison System, and announced the program which was presented by Misses Lily Benrett, J. D. McDonald, and Martin Dobbs. Mrs. T. C. Wilson led the closing prayer. Eighteen ladies were present.

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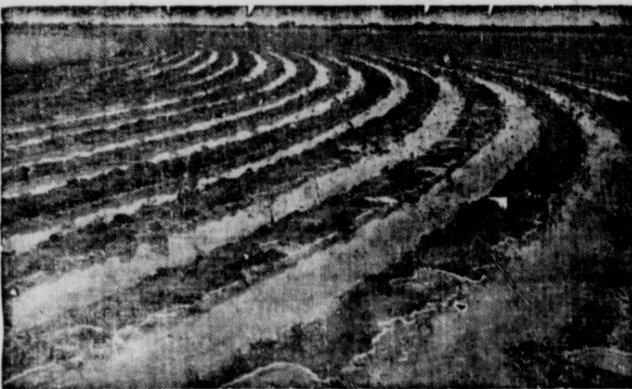
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Mitchell County Soil Conservation News



Grass Planting Under Way

Grass planting is getting well under way in the Mitchell District this week. It is hoped that 1500 to 2000 acres of cropland will be planted to adapted grasses this spring.

Burton Hines, district cooperator in the North Westbrook area, has made a nice start on his proposed grass seeding this spring. He planted 20 acres of sandy loam cropland to blue panic grass last week. He plans to plant another 80 acres to this grass this spring at intervals during the next four or five weeks. Mr. Hines is using his regular Ford tractor planter equipment with maize plate attachments. He used washers to build up the bottom of the box to prevent leakage of seed and stopped other cracks in the planter boxes with roofing compound. He bored new holes in a blank plate to accommodate these small grass seeds. These six new holes were bored to a diameter of 9/32 in. He is planting on the bed and covering the seed an average of half to one inch deep at a rate of 2 1/2 lbs of seed per acre. These minor adjustments which he made in his planting equipment enabled him to plant these small grass seeds in a satisfactory manner.

Mr. Hines planted some of this same kind of grass last spring but was unfortunate in not securing a good stand due to climatic conditions. The scattering stand which he did get up made

such an impressive growth that he became so fond of the merits of this fine grass.

Bunkie Girvin, district cooperator 3 miles NE of Payne Church, has planted a 4 acre patch of side oats grama grass. This planting was made broadcast with the district owned grass seed drill at the rate of 8 pounds of seed per acre. This planting will be irrigated as needed and used as a seed increase plot. He plans to harvest the planting for seed to be used in doing over-seeding work on his range land.

Bodine Prothers, who cooperates with the district on their farms at Buford, are planting 30 acres to blue panic grass this week on 7 different farms. They have rigged up their own planting equipment in a manner similar to Burton Hines and are using about 2 pounds of seed per acre. They are interested in getting a year around pasture program started for their dairy herd and this is a start in that direction for summer grazing. They plan to plant some guar later on in the season. This legume will be planted for soil improvement.

Stripping Gear With Cotton
Recently inquiries were made as to whether the guar leaves in falling from the plant would lodge in the open cotton bolls and cause damage to the sample. No local information was available on this question so an inquiry was directed to the Knox City area where this practice had been going on for several years. Mr. Charlie Cap, Work Unit Conservationist of the Soil

Conservation Service at Knox City, states that they had no trouble with guar leaves lodging to open cotton bolls. He states that it just doesn't do it and that they had all sorts of combinations of plantings such as 2 rows of cotton and one row of guar and also 2 rows of cotton with 2 rows of guar. No ill effects of any kind had been reported to his office. This information will be of benefit to any one who was hesitating planting in strips.

Mr. Cap states further that the strip crop approach in his opinion is a good one. The only trouble with narrow strips of one or two rows is the problem of harvesting the guar without running over the cotton. He believes that it is more practical to have a minimum of 4 rows of guar in a strip so that the seed could be harvested with a self propelled combine. This suggestion by Mr. Cap fits in with the local PMA practice payment for strip cropping of a minimum at 4 rows of guar or other adapted legume.

Mr. Cap states that guar is still a good soil improver if harvested for seed. Results at Knox City have been more than they hoped for. Cotton following guar at Knox City more than doubled cotton following cotton or cotton following grain sorghums. They think they have at last found a well adapted summer legume for West Texas that will not only build up and improve the soil but that it has some cash value to it also.

Inoculation of Guar Seed

Last week we discussed legume inoculation in general and pointed out the great job the proper inoculant does in getting the most out of summer or winter legumes. Since guar planting is so close at hand we think it advisable to point out the necessity for using the proper inoculant on your guar seed before they are planted. There are two kinds of guar inoculant which can be used. The Urbana Special Guar Inoculant and the Nitrogen Formula E inoculant and the kinds available. It requires a small 50 or 60 size can of inoculant to treat a 100 pounds of seed. Complete directions and instructions for inoculating guar

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For Sale—Tomato plants. Mrs. Clint McCollum. 1tc

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are printed on the can of inoculant but should anyone need assistance in this work the technicians assisting the district will be glad to assist you. Guar not inoculated will grow here but will not be the good soil improving legume it would be if it had been properly inoculated before planting. Everyone who plans to plant guar this spring should make this inoculation business a "must." If you will do this you can expect to reap the benefits from this soil improver.

Completes Terraces
S. E. Hallmark, district cooperator in the SE Lorraine area has completed about one and a quarter

miles of new terraces this season. This new work was principally corrected ends of old terraces which were graded. The graded portion was discarded and the terrace lines carried on to the property lines on a water level. He built up the portion of the old lines which were usable to district specifications and he now has about 3 miles of terraces which meet minimum standards. This new work was constructed with a disc-elevator type terracing plow. He has built 23 end closures on all terraces.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hiscor returned home this week after several weeks visit in Louisiana.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Spikes over the weekend were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe R. Spikes of Wichita, Kansas. Mrs. Spikes' mother, Mrs. Ella Ezell, returned to her home in Turkey, Texas, with them after spending six weeks in the Spikes home.

Mrs. Palace Barnes left Wednesday for Dallas, where she will visit her son, Glenn Barnes before returning to her home in Washington, D. C., after visiting her mother and sister, Mrs. J. M. Meek and Mrs. Roy Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis of Fort Bend, Texas, visited Lorraine friends Tuesday.

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MAY 7-8
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Saturday
MAY 8
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Come to Church

Methodist Church

Methodist church calendar
Church School 10 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
M. Y. F. 7:15 p. m.
Prayer Services 7:15 p. m.
Evening Services 8:00 p. m.
Wednesday Prayer Service 8:00 p. m.

Bethel Baptist Church

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Preaching 8:00 p. m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting 8 p. m.
Monday, W.M.U. 3 p. m.

Baptist Church Notes

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching Service 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:00 p. m.
Preaching Service 8:00 p. m.
Week Day Program
W. M. S. Monday 4:00 p. m.
Sunbeams, Monday 4:00 p. m.
"Hour of Power" Wed. 8:00 p. m.
Girls Auxiliary, Wed. 8:00 p. m.
Royal Ambassadors
Saturday 2:00 p. m.

Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Sermon 11 a. m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Sermon 8:15 p. m.
WEDNESDAY NIGHT
Bible Study 8 p. m.
Everyone Invited
LaWayne Hulse, pastor

Gospel Mission

Pastor, Rev. E. L. Dorris
Sunday Services

James Kennedy and son Weldon of Rankin were six o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Doyle Tuesday.

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
Crusaders for Christ 6:15 p. m.
Evangelistic Services 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.

Church of Christ

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Morning Worship 10:30
Communion Service 11:30
Evening Service 7:45
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10:45 a. m. Preaching, and Communion
6:00 p. m. Young People Meet
Preaching Service 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p. m.

Gospel Mission

Regular services will be held at the Lorraine Gospel Mission on Saturday night and Sunday night at 7 o'clock. Bible School will be at 10:30 Sunday morning.

Salem Lutheran Church

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Divine Services 10:45 a. m.

Champion Baptist

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 6:30 p. m.
Wednesday
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p. m.
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Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn Bruce and baby of Midland visited over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bruce.

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Mr. and Mrs. Varnell Templeton and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Templeton and Virginia were dinner guests in the M. B. Templeton home at Sweetwater Sunday.

Mrs. Doris Martin returned Tuesday from an Easter week tour, visiting Shreveport, Tallulah and Monroe, Louisiana, and historic Vicksburg and Natchez, Mississippi.

WILLING WORKERS
Willing Workers Sunday School class met in regular session Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. James Bennett with Mmes Ralph Lankford and Willie Taylor co-hostesses.

A good deed I did this week for Easter was given by everyone present, after which Mrs. K. L. Taylor gave a very inspiring devotional on "Here I am Lord, Send Me" using "He took it upon himself" as the theme. Mrs. Johnson closed with prayer.

Mrs. James Bennett was in charge of the business session. During the social hour, Mmes Lankford and Taylor directed games. Refreshments of strawberry whip, whipped cream, tea and coffee were served to Mmes Jim Johnson, Lily Bennett, Alva Bennett, Wiley Walker, Harold Martin, Plez Beaty, Doris Martin, K. L. Taylor, Clyde Smith, and Ottis Muns.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Webb and son Bill of Odessa visited his mother Mrs. W. S. Walker Sunday.

Billy Jay Long spent the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Cora Hall, in Colorado City.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Zetman Sunday were her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Loyd and children, of Lubbock.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Barmore over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Garland Barmore of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Barmore, and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wiley of Winters, and Mr. and Mrs. Le-man Barmore of Pecos.

Mrs. W. J. Coon visited her niece, Mrs. George Folman, in Roscoe Saturday.

Mrs. Floyd Richey is visiting in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark, in Lubbock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Griffith of Snyder are announcing the birth of a daughter at the Root Hospital in Colorado City April 22, whom they named Patricia Louise. Mrs. Griffith is the former Margaret Bennett, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett.

Dr. and Mrs. Joe Terry and children left Sunday on a two weeks trip to visit relatives in Arkansas and Missouri.

Mrs. T. J. Green, Jr. and baby spent Thursday and Friday in Big Spring, visiting her sister and family. Mrs. Bessie Mahoney accompanied her and visited in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mahoney.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Hester of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Young Hester, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker and son Bill of Odessa visited his mother Mrs. W. S. Walker Sunday.

Guests of Mrs. R. D. Lefevre Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Grady Pruitt and Mrs. Mau Pruitt of Roscoe.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buford Claxton over the weekend were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Claxton and children of Fort Worth, and their daughter and husband, Sgt. and Mrs. Myrl Cheek of Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Ed Claxton visited Saturday night and Sunday in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cain, at Colorado City.

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Mrs. Charlie Brock returned to her home in San Antonio Thursday after visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Sweatt.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jean visited over the weekend in San Antonio with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Vick, and other relatives.

Pete McNally visited in Odessa Friday and Saturday and Mrs. C. W. McNally returned home with him after spending a week in the homes of her daughter, Mrs. Woodrow Freeman, and her sons, Dick and Jack McNally and families.

Miss Mary Kent and Mrs. Frank Corgell and daughter, Pita of Crane visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Leach and Mrs. W. W. Eaves.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook and children of Garden City were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson, Sunday.

Mrs. Doris Martin attended the County Federation tea in Colorado City Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Moody Richardson visited their sons, Deryl Bennett and Lowell Richardson, at Texas Tech Sunday.

E. W. Crouch of Dallas and J. L. Crouch of Dublin visited their mother, Mrs. D. E. Crouch, Saturday and she returned to Dublin with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Burdine and son James of Lubbock visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Martin.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Louisa Carbon Velasquez
Greeting: You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 10 day of May, A. D. 1954, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Mitchell County, at the Court House in Colorado City, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 22 day of March, 1954. The file number of said suit being: No. 7193. The names of the parties in said suit are: Benito Velasquez as Plaintiff, and Louisa Carbon Velasquez as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this 22 day of March A. D. 1954. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at Office in Colorado City, Texas this 22 day of March A. D. 1954.

H. A. Ford, Clerk District Court Mitchell County, Texas.

Political Announcements

The Mitchell County News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to action of the Democratic Primary in July, 1954.

For County Treasurer:
Miss Louise Hardison (Re-election)

For County Clerk:
Gilbert R. Leach (Re-election)

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
Martin Dobbs (Re-election)

For District Clerk:
Harry A. Pond (Re-election)

For County School Supt.:
Olson Sweat (Re-election)

For County Judge:
Sam Bullock (Re-election)

For County Commissioner Precinct 4:
Moody Richardson (Re-election)

For Sheriff:
S. K. Hardegree (Re-election)

For County Attorney:
Frank Ginzler (Re-election)

For Public Weigher Precinct 5:
Bennett B. Blair (Re-election)

For State Senator 24th Senatorial District:
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8th grade: Carolyn Baumann, Jerry Epperson, Patsy Hudgins, Linda Linder, Virginia Templeton, Wanda Wells.

High School
Seniors: Jackie Richey, Barbara Homsley, La Neil Jones, Nancy Spurrier, Melba Noel, Barbara Small.

Juniors: Paula Coffee, Dale Haralson, Jimmy Hall.

Sophomores: Gaylene Taylor, Connie Liles, Faye Nell Jackson, Gerald McCann, John Miles Joyce Jones, Bobbie Mote, Charlene Ross.

Freshmen: Annette Lee, Gary Maths.

Citizenship grade

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Juniors: Angie Adams, Richey Cary, Helen Richard.

Lee A., Tommy Lham B, Clara Lindley A, Frankie Machart B, Gary Mathis A., Joan May B.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Pauce last week were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Boyd of Comanche. Another sister, Mrs. N. M. Chapman, returned to her home in Stanton Friday after spending two weeks in the Bruce home.

Mrs. Lily Bennett and Mrs. Doris Martin were guests at the Business and Professional Women's 25th anniversary tea in the civic house in Colorado City Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Woods visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Yarbrough in Colorado City Sunday.

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State Capitol NEWS

By Vern Sanford

Texas Press Association
Austin, Texas—Texas politics started with a rush as Governor Allan Shivers broke a log jam by announcing that he would ask the voters for an unprecedented third term.

Actually, Shivers is now in his third term, he took over as the state's chief executive upon the death of Governor Beauford

Jester in July, 1949.

When his present term is ended, he will have served longer than any other governor—five years and five months.

Looming as Shivers' chief opposition were Ralph Yarborough, Austin attorney who ran for governor in 1952; and Reuben Senterfitt of San Saba, speaker of the House of Representatives. Both held up their formal announcements for several days after Shivers made his intentions known.

Yarborough is a loyalist Democrat who will ask for the support of those voters who went along with Adlai Stevenson in the last presidential race.

Senterfitt is a conservative who differed with Shivers over several issues during the last special session of the Legisla-

ture.

Officially entered in the governor's race was J. J. Holmes, an Austin contractor.

Congressman Lloyd Bentsen, who recently announced that he would not try for re-election, has been considered a potential candidate for governor if Shivers did not run, said he would seek no political office this year.

Others who had been considered as possible gubernatorial material dropped out of the picture prior to Shivers' announcement.

Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White, and Attorney John Ben Shepperd will ask for another term in their present office.

Opposition Develops
As Ramsey entered his race

for a third term, he had two Association.

Representative George T. Hinson of Mineola filed for a place on the ballot and said he would make an active campaign. He favors increased taxes on natural gas pipelines.

C. T. Johnson, Austin insurance man, is also a candidate who has been traveling over the state and meeting the voters.

Senator A. M. Akin of Paris, who had been discussed as a possible contender in the Lieutenant Governor's race announced that instead he would run for re-election to the Senate.

Water Is Topic
Water conservation was a prime subject for the political speakers.

That problem is one of the state's biggest, and influenced

him in deciding whether to run for governor again, Shivers told reporters.

He said that in his opinion Texas has sufficient water if the supply is conserved, adding: "Texas can solve its own water problems. It ought to be done in large part on the local and state level."

Backing for Shivers came from Guy C. Jackson, president of the Texas Water Conservation Association.

Jackson said he believes that the governor "plans to go all out with his usual energy to see that the next session of the legislature dedicates itself to an intense, patriotic study and ultimate solution of our water situation."

Yarborough, speaking at Hempstead, said that the answer to the water problem "is action, not a continual bickering between the State and Federal Government." He added:

"The State Government is wasting its energy and killing time by continuing to call the Federal Government names."

C. T. Johnson, as part of his platform, proposed the construction of 100,000 small dams in Northwest Texas to hold rainfall.

He also recommended a canal to connect 10 Texas rivers and provide an interchange of water to balance irregular flow.

Senator Lyndon B. Johnson also urged thousands of small dams in the upland areas of Texas for water storage and protection against floods.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Parker visited over the weekend in Haskell with their son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Barzle Parker.

Leon Eaves of Plainview visited in the H. L. Leach home Tuesday and his mother, Mrs. W. W. Eaves, returned home with him after visiting in the Leach home the past ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Horton. The Davises are moving from Sterling City to the Big Bend Park.

ENTERTAINS CLASS
Mrs. Ray Preston complimented her junior class of girls with a chicken dinner Sunday. Spring roses decorated the rooms and tables. In the afternoon, Mrs. Preston showed films. Girls present were Ann Dickenson, Joretta Hall, Janie Lee, Sue Wimberley and Gloria Claxton.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Griffin of Santa Anna, California, are here visiting in the Fred B. Ison home and with other relatives.

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Mrs. Cletus Beights and children of Krum, came in Wednesday and are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riden this week.

ELIZABETH POOL CIRCLE

The Elizabeth Pool Circle of the Baptist W. M. U. met in the home of Mrs. Henry Riden Monday afternoon with Mrs. Dee McCollum teaching the Bible lesson.

Meeting opened with song and prayer. Mrs. Loyd Wiggins gave the devotional, reading from 1 Peter 1:5-7, and Eph. 6:10-13. Mrs. A. G. Mercer closed the meeting with prayer.

One guest, Mrs. W. W. Eaves of Plainview and the following members were present: Mmes. B. B. Lee, H. L. Leach, Edwin Hallmark, A. G. Mercer, Loyd Wiggins, W. C. Black, Homer Wilcox, A. R. Miles and Dee McCollum.

ENJOY PICNIC

Mrs. H. L. Leach took her class of Intermediate girls of the Baptist Sunday School and their guests to Seven Wells for a picnic lunch and outing Saturday afternoon.

Girls enjoying the occasion were Beanie Miles, Beverly Johnson, Shirley Craighead, Olea Jones, Margie Moore, Norma Black, Beverly Harris, Sarah Pratt, Wanda Moore, Mary Ann Wright, Nellene Parnell. Others going were Mrs. Roy Linder and Mrs. W. W. Eaves.

CRUSADERS FOR CHRIST

The Crusaders for Christ of the Lorraine Gospel Mission met with their regular program Sunday evening.

Crusader leader, Mrs. H. E. Wallingsford, began the program with prayer. On the program were: two songs by entire group; memory verses by several members. Program theme was, The Bible. Wayne Oliver gave Clues to Bible Characters; Doris Holdeman, What Book Is It; a reading by Betty Roberts.

The booster band concluded the program by singing two songs led by Mrs. E. L. Dorris.

BETHEL W. M. U.

Ladies of the Bethel W. M. U. met Monday afternoon with Mrs. C. A. Land for mission study. Mrs. Land gave the devotional with Mrs. Garland Land leading the opening prayer.

Mrs. Elwood Graham reviewed the fifth chapter of the mission book, Challenge of Mexico to Mission. Mrs. Cullen Payne led the closing prayer.

Refreshments were served.

Classified Ads Pay

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nunn and children of Midland visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Nunn.

Ed Shultz was brought to the Johnson Hospital from Hendrick Hospital in Abilene this week after having major surgery there last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin and Stanley visited over the weekend in Lubbock in the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Don Opheim.

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ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance and cash items in process of collection	\$360,919.58
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	101,700.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	3,989.69
Corporate stocks (including \$1,500 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	1,800.00
Loans and discounts (including \$1,931.71 overdrafts)	\$96,730.29
Bank premises owned \$1,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$1,800.00	8,800.00
Other assets	2,780.36
TOTAL ASSETS	1,076,719.92

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	938,353.24
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	8,432.38
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	43,212.49
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	1,613.78
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$994,120.89
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	996,612.09

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital*	30,000.00
Surplus	30,000.00
Undivided profits	20,107.83
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	80,107.83
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	1,076,719.92
*This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of \$30,000.00.	

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