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Deck's DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

Quite a number of local people have reported seeing the United States new Echo satellite as it whizzed across the night skies. Some saw it Sunday night and others watched it Monday. It was described as being the brightest star in the heavens as it moved rapidly from the southwest to the northeast. Scientists say it is seven times brighter than the north star at dawn and dusk. It can be seen and heard as it travels around the earth at the rate of 15,975 miles an hour in an orbit that ranges from 945 to 1,049 miles from the earth.

This feat, which was hailed as a step toward global television and inflated bases in the sky is concrete proof of the great strides the U. S. has made in scientific development in the last few years. Add to this the facts that the Navy promptly recovered the cone of a guided missle, an Air Force pilot set a new record in a rocket plane of 2,150 miles an hour and another made a jump from a balloon of 19 miles and you are filled with awe. It also causes you to ponder the motives of some politicians who claim the U. S. is lagging behind the Russians in military prepardness and scientific developments.

Judge and Mrs. Howard Riggs are remodeling the house just north of mine and plan to make it their home. Before the remodeling was completed he had three chances to sell it and two of these offers were from people who do not even live here now, but who would like to move to Wellington. Bill Tarter says that he has had the same experience with modest two and three bedroom houses especially those with two baths.

It would help if each of us would appoint himself as a one-man committee to tell others of the good qualities of our town and its friendly people. Those two couples who wanted to buy Judge Riggs house undobutedly had good reasons for wanting to make Wellington their future home.

It would be well to take time to catalog the many good things of our community that are often taken for granted. Here are just a few: friendly people, nice homes, beautiful lawns, excellent public buildings, fine churches, good schools, interprising and interesting stores, shops and service establishments, a modern clean well run rest home and the best hospital between Amarillo and Wichita Falls.

You might mention if you think it is true, one of the best printed and most interesting weekly newspapers of the area.

I see that Congress does not intend to try to do anything

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For FBI

Sheriff Makes Arrest at Top of New Bridge

A man wanted by the FBI on charges in Louisiana was arrested by Sheriff John Rainey as he worked at the top of the new Salt Fork bridge north of Quail Thursday, August 11.

To make the arrest, Sheriff Rainey had himself hoisted by crane to the top of the bridge, the only way of getting to that point.

Taken into custody was Henry Mason Warr, facing a federal charge of unlawful flight to avoid prosecution on a charge of attempted murder. He allegedly shot James Mead in a bar in historic St. Charles Street, New Orleans, after an argument July 11.

Upon seeing his picture and a story in the Wichita Falls Record News Thursday morning, Aug. 11, Sheriff Rainey contacted FBI agents in Amarillo, who met him and Police Chief Troy March at Quail.

Driving to the base of the bridge at 1:30 p. m. the officers saw Warr being lifted to the top of the bridge by the crane.

"There wasn't any other way to get up to him, so I told the operator, 'Put me up there, too".

The FBI said Warr was to be considered armed and dangerous, but he offered no resistance.

"When I saw you, I knew what was coming," he told Rainey.

Warr admitted the shooting in a signed statement to Rainey, and he also appeared before Judge Raymond Horton, Justice of the peace, to sign a waiver of extradition. He was taken to Childress jail to await Louisiana officials.

This was not Warr's first trip to Wellington. He had been here several times during the last few years and had worked for local men, who considered him a hard worker and good hand. He and Sheriff Rainey also knew each other.

The car he drove as he fled from New Orleans officers was abandoned in Wichita Falls July 13. Nine days later it was towed in and authorities notified Louisiana officials. The car was identified as one Warr had borrowed from a friend.



Judge Luther Gribble

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Judge Gribble New President Wellington State

Judge Luther Gribble has been named by the board of directors of the Wellington State Bank as its president, James Sullivan, chairman of the board, announced this week.

He succeeds the late E. W. Blain.

Judge Gribble was elected to the board of directors early this year, succeeding Mr. Blain in that capacity.

The son of one of the founders of the bank, the late L. W. Gribble, he has had a full understanding of the policies and the traditions of the bank since its formation more than 50 years ago.

Along with his intimate knowledge of the bank and the economic conditions of the area it serves, Judge Gribble has had a distinguished legal career.

Judge Gribble never attended a law school, but while a teacher in Clarendon College, he studied at home, took his bar examination in 1918, and received his license to practice

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DISTRICT MUSIC CHAIRMEN

Mrs. Hiram Cudd, standing, and Mrs. Lowells, seated, have been named district 7 chairmen of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs, Mrs. B. M. Sims, district president, announced. Mrs. Cudd is recording secretary. Mrs. Wells is the rural music chairman for the 7th district on the state board. Both are active in the Wellington Federated Music Club.

Sam Adams to Wholesale Co.

Sam Adams, manager of Wellington Hardware for three years, has resigned to join the sales staff of Hughey-Phillips Wholesale Hardware of Dallas.

Succeeding him here is Mrs. Gorman Owens, his sister-in-law.

Adams began work Monday, going to Dallas for two weeks training before taking over his territory. His family will join him about mid-September to live in Iowa Park. He will travel from Quanah to Burkburnett and from Red River south to Haskell.

Mrs. Owens has worked in the store two years and announced there will be no changes of policy or operation.

Owner of the store is Sam Gholson of Muleshoe.

ASC Community Committees Picked by Mail

1961 ASC community committee elections will be held by mail as in the past years, according to Millard Brown, ASC office manager. Ballots will be mailed to all farmers and ranchers in the county on August 23. These ballots must be marked and returned to the county ASC Office by mail or in person not later than September 7. The wives of eligible farmers are urged to vote also in this election.

The following men have been nominated by their respective community election board: Community "A" North Wellington: J. C. Cason, W. L. Van, Lester Harwell, Jesse Peters, Walter M. Willis, Henry C. Langford, Bob Barton, Shelton Nunnelley, P. J. White, and G. B. Hopper;

Community "B" Dodson: Carthel Lewis, Tom Birchfield, Gilbert Hunt, Orville Vaughan, Harold Keller, J. B. Killian, Roy Thomason, Raymond Ford, Marvin Wynn, W. C. Lewis;

Community "C" Rolla: David Baumgardner, Palo F. Cummings, John L. Brim, Albert Fulcher, Melvin Kiker, Dennis F. Lacy, Ray H. Null, Gilroy Rummel, Cecil Shanks, Raymond Ward;

Community "D" Quail: Raymond Ross, Elmer Feemster, Robert Lacy, Jerry DePauw, Clarence Blevins, H. L. Hartman, Orbie Hartman, Frank Lindsey Jr., Travis McGuire;

Community "E" Samnorwood-Dozier: B. A. Purkey, Jim R. Ray, Albert Oldham, James F. Murry, Oliver Wischkaemper, Doyce Cochran, Pat Bradley, Morris A. Martindale, Herman Oldham, E. E. Darrow;

Community "F" Lutie: Walter Deger, G. M. Tarver, W. M. Paschall, E. S. Hale Jr., Marvin Knoll, Jess Deger.

Additional names may be added to the slate of nominees for any community by a petition signed by 10 or more eligible voters favoring additional persons. The petition must be received by the respective community election board chairman prior to August 23, Brown said.

The Chairman of the respective community election board are as follows: Community A: John Coffee; Community B: Kenneth Hudson; Community C: William O'Rear; Community D: Monty Mitchell; Community E: W. C. Barnett; and Community F: Ernest D. Tate.

Car-Motorcycle Crash Friday

Charles Mike Parks, 16-year-old Jayton youth, escaped serious injury Friday, August 12, when the motorcycle he was riding was struck by a car approximately one-fourth mile north of the northeast corner of the town section, Sheriff John Rainey reported.

The boy, riding directly ahead of the car driven by Wood Coleman, started to make a U-turn on the highway, when a car driven by Mrs. J. G. Morgan of Spearman started to pass Coleman and struck the

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Faith Baptist Revival Opens Friday Night

Final plans were announced by the Rev. Clay Coursey for the revival opening at Faith Baptist Church Friday, August 19, and continuing through Sunday, August 28.

Rev. Coursey will preach and E. B. Seale will direct singing. Mrs. Charles Caison is the pianist and special music will be by Mrs. Alton Pyburn and Miss Alcie Holliman.

Services will be twice daily, at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m., with prayer services preceeding the evening service.

The public is invited to attend these services, the pastor said.

First of 1960 Grain Sorghum Delivered; Good Yields



DIRECTORS AS BANK HAS ANNIVERSARY

These five form the board of directors of the First State Bank of Dodson, which this year is observing the golden anniversary of its founding, which co-incides also with the golden anniversary of the town. From left are Dewey Malone of Crosbyton, formerly of Dodson; Floyd Teutsch, president of the bank; Rachel Deahl Stinnett of Oklahoma City, also formerly of Dodson; Nadine Birchfield, cashier; and Grover C. Mitchell of Lubbock.

Bob Tabor of Dodson delivered the first load of 1960 grain sorghum, opening what may be one of the best harvests of recent years.

Jones Singley of Singley Mill, which received the load, said Tabor delivered it Tuesday evening, August 9. He harvested 7 acres which yielded 2,100 pounds per acre, or a total of 14,700 pounds.

He was paid a 10c premium, receiving $1.50 cwt. The market price is $1.40.

Local buyers are optimistic. "We'll make a good crop, anyway, but if it rains, we'll have one of the best crops in recent years," Singley said.

Both Singley and Earl Keller of Warrick Feed Store estimated at least half the grain sorghum grown here this year is one of the hybrid varieties. It is about double the acreage in 1959.

But this is probably the year that will determine whether the county continues the trend to hybrids, it was indicated.

"If we have a good yield this year, we can expect a lot more hybrid grain sorghum in 1961," Keller estimated.

The county has approximately 75,000 acres of grain sorghum this year, according to Mrs. Dick Richards of the county ASC office. This includes both dryland and irrigated grain.

History of Service, Growth

First State Bank at Dodson Observes Golden Anniversary

The First State Bank in Dodson this year is celebrating its golden anniversary — 50 years of service to the people of that community.

It is the only bank in the county that has rounded out a half-century in the same location and the same building, although remodeling four years ago made it one of the Panhandle's most modern banks.

"The bank is doing the biggest business in its history," Floyd Teutsch, president said this week, as he took the time to talk of the bank's 50 years service.

The policies of First State Bank remain unchanged from the day it was opened," he continued. "Briefly, they are to serve the needs of the customers, to encourage farmers to save their soil and to diversify their crops, and to try to promote those projects that will benefit the community and our customers."

Officers of the bank along with Teutsch are Dewey Malone of Crosbyton, vice-president, and Mrs. Nadine Birchfield, cashier. Directors are these three and Mrs. Rufus Stinnett, the former Rachael Deahl, of Oklahoma City and Grover C. Mitchell of Lubbock. Both Malone and Mrs. Stinnett formerly lived in Dodson and Mitchell has been close to the town through family ties, giving the staff that directs the affairs of the bank a sound and clear-sighted knowledge of the conditions of the community and its needs.

The bank was organized along with the founding of the town, and opened its doors in late 1910, before there was a church or a school.

Some of the organizers were G. W. Wilks, W. S. Cross, T. J. Stewart, J. W. Scott and J. B. Castleberry. J. A. Henry of Altus was president; M. L. Cowan vice president; and Mr. Castleberry, now of Wellington was cashier and the only paid employee. His salary was $100 per month.

It was organized with a capital stock of $10,000.

Most of the records are packed away, but one ledger, from October 1911 to 1913, reveals interesting items.

There was on deposit around $45,000, and the bank's loan policies toward farmers of the community were liberal. It took care of other borrowers too, and men who were to become prominent in the area are found borrowing from $5.00 to $15.00 from time to time. There were a number of farm loans of from $2,500 to $2,750.

Salaries had gone up to $200 per month for three employees, but later dropped back to $150.

About this time the bank installed a water jar, costing $4.00. From time to time, it spent a quarter for gasoline, the ledger records. What for can only be guessed. During the winter, a coal purchase of $2.50 was noted, and a telephone bill of $3.75 paid. That item now runs regularly over $100 per month.

Knox Crews, now of Plainview, came to the bank in 1911 and remained as its head until about 1925, when J. G. Nisbett, his nephew, became president. He moved from Dodson in 1938 to head the First State Bank at Dumas, but remained also as head of the Dodson bank until his death in 1954, when Frank Smith became president, a post he held until ill health forced his retirement and Floyd Teutsch was chosen to head the bank.

Mr. Teutsch began work in the bank while a freshman in high school, about 1935. His first job was filing checks. He later became assistant cashier and after he returned from service in World War II, cashier and still later vice president. His beginning salary was $15 per month — a sum he was glad to get. By the time he graduated from high school, he was getting $100 per month. He recalls that this was more than his English teacher was making. Her salary was $82.

George Deahl was long associated with the bank, and it is recalled that if the bank didn't have the money to make a loan, he made it out of his own pocket. It was commonly said that Mr. Deahl had more money than the bank.

Growth of the First State Bank has been steady through the years, and through its deposit figure dropped, like that

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Funeral Rites Saturday for Former Resident

Mrs. Alice Alexander, formerly of Wellington, died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Glen Houston at Raton, N. M., at 4 a. m., August 11. She had been sick since January. Her home was in Amarillo, but she had been there several weeks.

Funeral services were held Saturday at the First Christian Church, with the Rev. G. A. Adams, pastor of Parkview Christian Church, Amarillo, officiating.

Burial was in West Wellington Cemetery by Kelso Funeral Home.

Pall bearers were Milford Harris, Carl Vernon, Joe Beard, Rodell Byers, Earl Gibbs, and R. J. Branch.

Mrs. Alexander was born March 1, 1886, at Grant, Oklahoma, and was married April

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$100 in Prizes

Premium List for FHA Division of County Fair is Announced

Rules and premiums for the Future Homemakers division of the Collingsworth County Free Fair were announced this week by Mrs. Dee Coleman.

Chairman of the division is Mrs. Ernest Tate of Lutie; Co-chairmen with Mrs. Coleman are Mrs. Buddy Yarbrough, Mrs. C. D. Messer and Mrs. Monty Mitchell of Quail, and Mrs. Arva Knight of Samnorwood.

Approximately $100 in premiums will be paid in this division, which is open to homemaking students in the Wellington, Samnorwood and Quail schools.

The premium list, not given in the Fair catalog, includes:

Homemaking I: dresses, and blouses and skirts, $1.50, $1.00 and 50c. Pajamas and shorts and pedal pushers: $1.00, 75c and 50c.

Homemaking II: dress-up dresses and tailored dresses, $2.25, $1.50 and 75c. Shorts and pedal pushers, and skirts and blouses, $1.00, 75c and 50c.

Homemaking III: dressy dresses and tailored dresses, $2.25, $1.50 and 75c.

Open class for homemaking I, II and III: premiums of $1.00, 75c and 50c will be paid in these sections: aprons, children's clothing, pillow cases, curtains, bedspreads, embroidered articles, aluminum trays and shadow boxes.

Foods and baked products: premiums of 75c, 50c and 25c will be paid for: dropped cookies (12), bar cookies (12), marshmallow fudge (12), standard fudge (12), divinity (12), peanut brittle (12), biscuits (6), cornbread muffins or sticks (6), quick bread loaf, yeast rolls (6), sweet rolls (6), tea ring, bubble loaf or other large roll, fruit pies. Premiums of $1.50, $1.00 and 50c will be paid on uniced angel food cake, uniced sponge cake, German chocolate cake, devil's food cake, iced layer cakes and decorated cakes.

Canning-vegetables; 1 pint containers: premiums of 75c, 50 and 25c will be paid for green beans, peas, corn, plum jelly, grape jelly, peach preserves, tomatoes or tomato juice, peaches, plums, peach pickles, beet pickles, and cucumber pickles.

Rules covering this division: (1) nothing is to be entered that has been entered before; (2) only one article in each division by any one person; (3) no name or number on clothing or handwork; (4) all food must be saran wrapped on paper plate or cardboard.

(5) all canned products in pint jars; (6) jellies and pickles will be opened for judging; (7) all entries must be in place by 2 p. m., August 28 and remain until 5 p. m. Saturday, August 29; (8) each individual must do her own work; (9) each girl will be awarded 3 points for each first place ribbon, two points for second and one for third. The champion will be the girl having the highest number of points. There will be a cash prize for the champion, second and third place winners; (10) there will be first, second and third prizes given to each school according to the number of points each receives.

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Hoover Calls for Rebirth of Nationalism

One of America's "grand old men," Herbert Hoover, bade his Republican party an affectionate good-by for the third time Monday night. God had spared him to the age of almost 87. So once again, the former President was there with a message, and one of the finest of the many thoughtful and prayerful messages he has delivered over the years.

What America needs most, he said, is morality.

Old stuff, isn't it? Moses said it. Isaiah said it. Jesus said it.

Old, but everlastingly true.

At the moment, Hoover said, America is "in the midst of a frightening moral slump." Major crimes have increased since World War II three times as fast as the population. Juvenile delinquency is rampant.

In part, that is the usual post-war reaction. But part of it is due to procedures by which "our courts have been hobbled in the use of punishment as a deterrent to crime." And part of it is due to the poison of doctrines that are "an infection from Communist Russia."

These doctrines "are a destroyer of all morals. They declare there is no God. Lenin himself declared that their foreign policies must be based on 'dodges, tricks and untruths.'

"We have also been brainwashed with another Communist basic tenet. They insist that love of country, pride of a people in their history, their ideals, and their accomplishment is wicked nationalisms. Ever since the war, the Communist 'fronts,' and the beatniks, and the eggheads have conducted a national chorus of denunciation of this wicked nationalism."

What does America need most? Hoover's answer: "A rebirth of the great spiritual force which has been impaired by cynicism and weakened by foreign infections. Call it nationalism if you will.

"Today, we alone among the nations have a multitude of citizens who have sunk to a posture of perpetual apology and seeming shame for ourselves. Yet today the fires of nationalism in its higher sense are burning brightly in almost every nation on earth.

"I do not pretend that a rebirth of that spirit which lies within the word America will cure all ills," he said. But it would go far toward doing so. And:

"The American people have rallied many times in our history to meet even greater tasks. They can be rallied again." —Houston Chronicle

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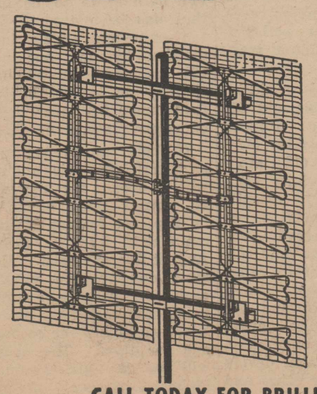
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Other Days and Familiar Names

10 Years Ago—1950

Cpl. Clifton Earl Hunter has arrived at Yokohoma, Japan, from an Air Force Base in Wyoming.

Burglars entered Quail Mercantile Monday night taking 5 new shotguns and a pistol.

Mrs. Gene Cook began work at Production Credit Association this week. She replaces Mrs. Alpha Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pope have bought the Lindsey Jewlery.

W. D. Aldridge fell from a scaffold while painting a house and received a broken back.

Mr. and Mrs. George Graham and daughter are moving this week to Corpus Christi where she will teach in the Elementary school there.

Bronco Drive-In Theatre will hold its grand opening Friday night.

20 Years Ago—1940

J. H. Higdon, employee at Wellington Machine Shop, was injured painfully when he dropped a steel beam on his foot. Three bones were broken.

A new barn, to replace one that burned recently is under construction on the Paul Starr farm.

Florence Terry of Rolla Community is attending the Vandercook School of Music at Abilene this summer.

Miss Mildred Slough has accepted a position this summer in the Wellington Soil Conservation office.

Frank Coleman is building a new home at Marella. It is a 6-room stucco.

Henry Owens, prominent Dodson farmer, died Friday morning of a heart attack.

Pete Moulton, Skyrocket football star will play in the Oil Bowl football game at Coyote Stadium, Wichita Falls.

40 Years Ago—1920

A. J. Bridges and Edd Smith who live west of town report they lost most of their cotton by the hail this week.

Collingsworth County needs 30 more school teachers, reports Judge Small. The maximum salary is $100.00 per month.

Little Sarah Ballard celebrated her birthday this week by giving a party. Twelve children attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Buerger are home this week after a trip to Colorado, Yellowstone Park and Salt Lake City.

Plymouth—A. T. Sherwood has been named the new regular Star Route Carrier from this post office.

Kelly — Carpenters began work this week on a new $3,000.00 school building here.

OIL AND GAS NEWS

Release of Lease: El Paso Natural Gas Co. and others to Mrs. Ben Mott, NE/4 section 52, block 16.

Easement: Alvin W. Brock to El Paso Natural Gas Co.— NE/4 of SE/4 section 55, block 16.

Easement: D. T. Betenbough and wife to El Paso Natural Gas Co. — NE/4 section 81, block 16, less 46.24 acres.

Lucy McDowell Green to El Paso Natural Gas Co. — NE/4 of NE/4 section 103, block 22; and NW/4 of NW/4 section 12, block 22.

Release of lease: El Paso Natural Gas Co. and others to Sallie R. Neece and others— SW/4 section 70, block 16.

New Cars and Trucks

E. M. Hunter, Wellington, Chevrolet pickup.

Donald Nunnelley, Wellington, Chevrolet pickup.

F. O. Masten, Wellington, Oldsmobile sedan.

Howard Hunt of Dodson, Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

Herman Belew, Wellington Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

Real Estate Transactions

Trilton Don Davis and wife to John B. Trew — lots 13, 14 and 15, block 132, Wellington.

Luther Gribble to E. F. White — South 34.24 acres of SE-4 section 18, block 16.

Joyce G. Bunin and others to E. F. White — SE-4 section 75, block 14, and 2 acres out of SW-4 section 76, block 14.

E. F. White and wife to Joyce G. Bunin and L. E. Gribble Jr., SE-4 section 76, block 14.

E. F. White and wife to Luther Gribble — North 34.23 acres in SE-4 section 18, block 16.

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CROSSROADS REPORT

Dear Editor:

My pro-past neighbor says things used to be a lot handier than they are now, what with all of our newfangled inconveniences.

Like now we have to wait on our selves in lots of stores and lug credit cards around, whereas we used to get some attention from storekeepers and could just say "charge it" and walk out.

Says labor-saving devices these days mostly save same for somebody else by putting it on us; like we once could pick up the phone and quote a number for service that we now have to get by making seven passes at a ring of holes.

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I see where automation is threatening the school teaching trade, now that the inventors have got an electronic teaching machine on the market.

My problemeeer neighbor says if they adjust kids to life as well as live teachers, these 110-volt brain trainers will need to have built-in tolerance limits which vary according to the weather, the night before, etc.

So kids can keep on being educated and entertained by gambling on how ornery they can act before the machine will trigger and turn them over its foam-rubber knee.

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I see where the news is that compact autos are selling good, on account of it seems the lower priced a car is, the more people can afford to buy same.

My long-coupled neighbor says he guesses that today's compact prosperity is mostly to blame for these runt cars, and it is getting so more and more people who offer to pick him up are just not equipped to give a man a ride.

Says the compact car fad would die down, anyhow, and folks could afford comfortable cars once more if somebody would just develop a compact government.

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I see where a high business official got accused of taking payola from people his firm was doing business with, and has promised to put it in the company till.

My slow buck neighbor says a man is not very smart, taking his self-heeling talents to a business establishment where they count the money.

Says a fellow with a knack for knocking down ought to always go into the bureaucrat business, where getting caught just gets a transfer to another department with better pay, and you don't have to give up the takings.

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I see where about the same time Mr. H. C. Lodge was nominated to run for Vice President, the news leaked out that he had made grandfather status again.

My coffee break politico neighbor says the Republicans had ought to have classified this information until after the election, on account of it looks odd to have a multi-grandpa running for office in this Rampant Youth era.

Says, though, maybe they can get Mr. Lodge a Little League haircut and bill him as an adult youth.

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I see where the new party platforms come out real firmly for Federal Aid to Education wherever local and state governments don't spend enough money.

My New Frontiersman neighbor says he is in favor of Federalizing schools all the way so we could do away with P.-T.A.s and local school taxes, and get out football teams in Civil Service.

Says, also, the Federals could handle the problem of surplus children by legislation instead of bond issues; say, with something like a Baby Bank program.

Hunting, Fishing Licenses on Sale in Late August

AUSTIN—New hunting and fishing licenses will go on sale in Texas the last week in August at sporting goods stores throughout the state. In the meantime, fishermen still are required to buy this year's license if they fish with rod and reel, or outside their home counties.

Orchids to an Old Friend on Their GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY

As the oldest gin in continuous operation in Collingsworth County The Davis Gin of Dodson welcomes the opportunity of congratulating our friend and contemporary The First State Bank upon the occasion of their 50th Anniversary.

It takes resourcefulness, forsight and devotion to a high set of principles of service for any business of any kind to endure for 50 years.

The First State Bank has not only endured, but it has performed an outstanding service to the people of this community through the changing economics of half a century.

The friendliness, the courtesy and the efficiency of the people who now direct the affairs of this bank are qualities that we admire and appreciate just as we respect the endeavors of the people who first founded this sturdy and useful institution.

We wish you even greater success in the years that lie ahead.

Davis Gin
Dodson Texas
Marvin Wynn, Mgr. & Co-Owner

Personal

Police Chief and Mrs. Troy Marsh, Stevie and Pam, his uncle Russell Marsh and daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Faye Moody have returned from Bakersfield, Calif., where they visited in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Marsh.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McBride last week were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kaker and son, Sammy, of Bridgeport. Mrs. Kaker is a niece of Mrs. McBride.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Agee and Adana of Kilgore were here last week on vacation visiting with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Agee and other relatives.

Mrs. Frances Clubb of Amarillo visited in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith and with other relatives and friends here.

Mrs. David Conant of Clearwater, Florida is here visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hunt. She flew from Florida to Dallas and visited with friends there several days before coming on here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Lynn have had visiting with them recently their granddaughter, Billy Lynn, of Childress; also Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Duke of Amarillo; and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Duke and family of Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Bishop and Oliver accompanied her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arty Greenhill of Plainview to Orlando, Fla., where they visited in the home of the latter's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rassie Myrick and family. The group enjoyed sight-seeing while in Florida and on the return trip home stopped at New Orleans, La., for sightseeing.

Miss Patricia Fales of Bethany, Okla., visited here over the week end in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Rodell Byers and Marilyn and with Mr. and Mrs. Milbern Gibbs and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Courtney and children, Max, Gayla and Betty, are vacationing this week at Monument Lake, 60 miles west of Trinidad, Colo.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Fulton last week were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fulton, David and Robert Jr., of Fort Worth. This week they have as their guest a daughter-in-law and grandson, Mrs. Ralph Fulton and Ralph Jr., of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Cummings and Janie of Austin were here Thursday and Friday of last week visiting in the home of his sister, Mrs. W. W. Neeley. They were en route to Albuquerque, N. M., to vacation for a few days and visit friends. They will return by Lubbock and visit their daughter, Carol, who is attending a work shop there.

Mrs. O. B. Raburn and her sister, Mrs. Lois Clark of Long Beach, California, are visiting relatives in East Texas this week. At Longview they will visit the former's son, Mr. and and Sam Raburn and family and at Texarkana they will visit their brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Haralson and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Haralson. At Dallas they will visit with a sister-in-law of Mrs. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. King and daughters visited last week in Dallas with her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bevan and at Orange with Mrs. Romona Roberts and children. After a trip through Louisiana they returned to Pottsboro to visit with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Gill and boys.

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CHOW HOUND—Stephen John Walters, 4 months, of Eastchester, N.Y., seems surprised at his mealtime visitor.

Plains Research Station Plans Open House

The Fourth Annual Field Day of the High Plains Research Foundation will be held Wednesday, September 14 at Halfway, Texas, Frank Moore, president of the Foundation announced.

Tours of the research plots will start at 1:30 P. M. and continue until 5 P. M. A barbeque will be served all visitors at 6 P. M., followed by an evening program. Visitors will have an opportunity to see the expanded research programs with cotton, and the new basic plant breeding program with soybeans and sesame. Other points of interest include the new research program on weed elimination with flame cultivation; fertilizer studies with cotton, grain sorghum, and castor beans; variety tests on grain sorghum, soybeans, corn, castor beans, and sesame; and irrigation valuation, water conservation, and the recharge well.

In addition to the farm tours, a farm machinery exhibit will show the latest development in farm, irrigation, and agricultural aviation equipment.

The average attendance for the first three Field Days was 2,000.

County Has One Rural Accident During July

The Highway Patrol investigated 1 rural traffic accident in Collingsworth County during the month of July, according to Sergeant D. R. Dowdy, Patrol supervisor of this area.

This wreck accounted for 0 persons killed, 1 injured, and a property damage of $770.00.

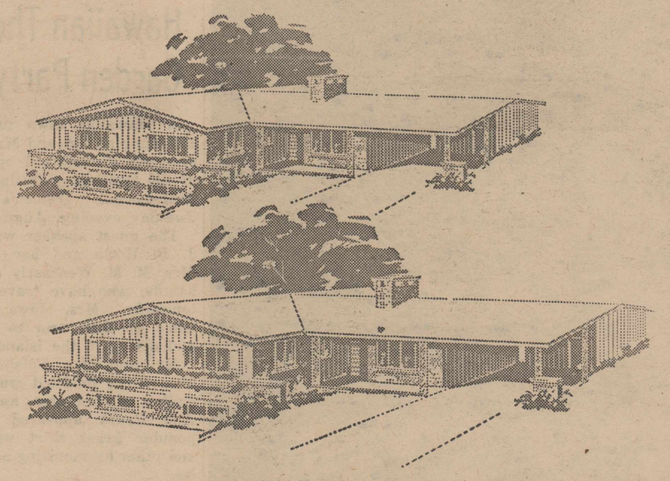
This brings the total for the year in this county to 1 person killed, 9 injured, and a property damage of $4,947.00.

Prior to the first of this month there had been a total of 929 fatal accidents in Texas. These tragedies resulted in 1,134 persons losing their lives.

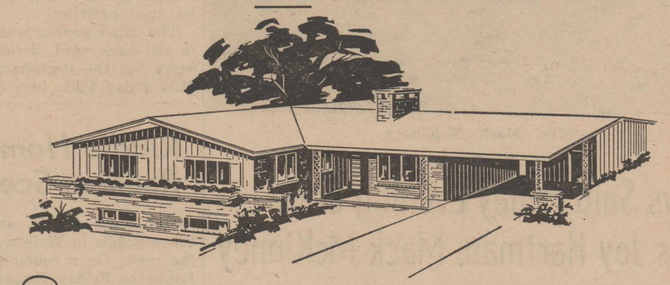
Sergeant Dowdy pointed out, "In order to arrive on time at your destination, start in plenty of time to allow for delays along the way."

Mrs. Frances Dillon and Mike are home after a weeks vacation. They visited the Carlsbad Caverns at Carlsbad, N. M., and spent several days in Big Bend National Park where they took horse back trips down in the canyon. They returned by Monahans to visit the Sand Dunes near there and on to Lake Thomas, near Odessa where they met her sister and family.

Sandra McInnis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Durant McInnis of Las Vegas, N. M., is visiting here this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Cook and with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Atkins at Vinson. Her parents will come for a visit next week and return her home.



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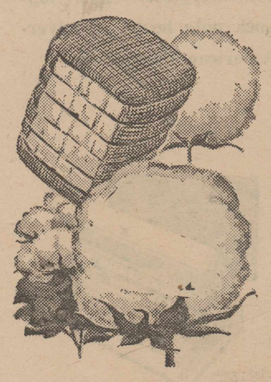
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Society News

Thursday, August 18, 1960



Mrs. Mack McKinney

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Vows Said Friday Evening Unite Miss Joy Hartman, Mack McKinney

Wedding vows were said by Miss Joy Victorine Hartman and B. J. (Mack) McKinney of Dumas, at six o'clock Friday evening, August 12, at Friendship Baptist Church. Elder Elvis Pitts performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hartman, while the bridegroom's parents are Mrs. Mary Alice McKinney of Erick, Oklahoma, and H. C. McKinney.

The altar area was centered with an arch of foliage, and behind this was a basket of gladioli, with lighted tapers in seven-branched candelabra on either side.

Wedding music was given by Miss Celia Anderson, vocalist, and Miss Shirley Peters, pianist.

Mr. Hartman gave his daughter in marriage.

Her wedding gown was of white lace, made with a fitted bodice, round neck and three-quarter sleeves, and the harem skirt was waltz length. Her elbow length veil was attached to a lace cap, and she carried a nosegay of white carnations, touched with blue.

Miss Sheri Gibbs was the maid of honor. She wore a street-length blue satin dress with an overskirt of matching organza and carried a white carnation nosegay.

Serving as the bridegroom's best man was Cager Wilkins, and the ushers were Max Courtney and Jim Forrester.

After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Hartman were hosts at a reception at the church. Members of the house party were Miss Sherry McGuire, Miss Rita Patterson, and Mrs. Carl Daves.

As the couple left on a short wedding trip, the bride wore a black suit with white accessories and a corsage of white carnations. They will make their home in Dumas.

Mrs. McKinney was graduated this summer from Wellington high school. She was a member of the Student Council, and on the staffs of the Skyrocket newspaper and the school annual. She also was a member of the Future Homemakers and Future Teachers chapters, and her social club was Ti-i-ca.

After attending school here, the bridegroom was graduated from Sayre, Oklahoma, high school in 1958. He attended Sayre Junior College and West Texas Barber College in Amarillo and is now employed in Dumas. In high school he was a member of the Future Farmers, the Trade and Industrial Club and Distributive Education Club.

Out of town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Grady Weaver and Sonny of Clyde, Mrs. Nina Mae King of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Underdown and Cindy and Rex of Abilene, 1st Lt. and Mrs. Jim Hartman of Camp Irwin, Calif., and Mrs. Mary Alice McKinney of Erick, Okla.

Girls of 1950 Graduating Class Hold Reunion in Willie Smith Home

The Pi Chi club, organized by the ten senior girls in the graduating class of 1950 met Sunday, August 7 for a reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith. The group meets each 5 years for a reunion and the other meeting was also held here in the Smith home.

Six of the original 10 girls with their families were present for this reunion. They met on Sunday afternoon and the evening meal was prepared there and eaten in the back yard. The group spent the evening renewing friendships and taking pictures.

Attending were Mrs. Charles Caldwell (Doris Darnell), Chris, Cheri and Charles David of Hollis; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bryant (Joyce Watson), Mary Joyce, Renee and Raylean of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Williams (Joyce Dell Wood), Hope, Franchion and Perry of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fike, (Treva Young), Trena and Renda of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Ed White (Almeta Shipley) and Landie of Wellington and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McClendon (Jo Ann Thompson), Karen, Kathe, David and Kerri of Abernathy.

The four members of the club who were unable to attend were Mrs. John D. Ingram (June Ann Robertson) of Amarillo; Mrs. Dillon Bowden (Patsy Smith) of Pasadena, Calif.; Mrs. Red Frazier (Barbara Ward) of Iran and Mrs. Lock M. Olson (Carolyn Cheatham) of San Diego, Calif.

Plans were discussed by the group for their next meeting five years from now.

Hawaiian Theme Carried Out in Garden Party for B&PW Club

A Hawaiian lawn party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman entertained members of the Wellington Business and Professional Women's Club Tuesday evening, August 9.

The guest speaker was Mrs. J. B. Howe and her mother, Mrs. M. M. Weatherly of Panhandle, who have traveled extensively. Mrs. Howe showed films of their trip to Hawaii and discussed the islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Howe modeled traditional clothes of that area, and Mary Ann Roark appeared in the popular grass skirt with leis and other harmonizing accessories.

Each guest was presented a lei upon arriving.

The salad supper was served in the back yard, decorated to carry out the Hawaiian theme. Miss Patsy Falk, in a dress of the islands, played Hawaiian music on her miramba. Recordings of Hawaiian music were used as background music during the evening.

Guests were Mmes. Murray Dodson, Gordon Peters, Pearl Aaron, Mish Dukeminier, Eldon Wildman of Dallas, Weatherly and Howe of Shamrock, and Evelyn Hager, Helen Hardin, Marie Taylor, Merita Bumpers, Nell Adams and Marcille Payne of Shamrock, and Misses Bonnie Willis, Jean Stovall, and Mary Ann Roark.

Members present were Mmes. J. D. Aaron, H. L. Jenkins, Odelle Fenley, Marie Watkins, Cameron Beam, J. P. Cummings, A. V. Lowrie, Jimmie Kelso, Lottie Brock, Dee Coleman, G. W. Lane, Gertrude Cooper, John Justice, Lola Lee Roark, and Misses Falk, Louise Fulcher, and Bessie Rainer, and the hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman.

Riddle Home Reunion Scene

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Riddle in Wellington was the scene for a reunion of her family on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, August 5, 6, and 7. This is the first time the group had all been together in a number of years.

Attending were O. J. Russell of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Troutman, Harrison, Ark.; Mrs. Don Dobson and daughters, Tulsa, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Holland and children of Pampa; Gwynne Russell and Walt Hunsaker of Clovis, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tabor and children of Dodson; Mr. and Mrs. Arlois Holtman and sons of Wellington and the host, Mr. and Mrs. Riddle.

Picnic Honors Vinson Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Perk Myers of Pasadena, were feted Friday night, August 12, with a picnic and ice cream supper at Lugert picnic grounds.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Perk Myers and Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith and Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burnett, Kent Smith, Jack Myers, Mrs. Jan Brown and Kathi, Mrs. Dovie Danields, Mrs. Vennie Talkington, Minnette Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Myers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kromer and boys.

DePauw Family Gathers for Annual Reunion Recently at Amarillo Park

By Mrs. G. T. Stephens

The family of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. P. DePauw, pioneer residents of Collingsworth county, met Sunday, August 7, at Elwood Park in Amarillo for the annual reunion.

Most of the group attended church in Amarillo before going to the park. Lunch was served to 75 relatives, and the afternoon was spent reminiscing, visiting and taking pictures. A number of the teen-age group attended a movie, while others went swimming.

Many of those attending formerly lived in the Quail community.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Poteet, Eddie and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde DePauw, Sharon and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. John DePauw, Suzy, Jeannie, James and John Lee, J. L. DePauw, Mrs. Geraldine Byers and Jerry and Mrs. Annabelle Rawlinson and Vicki, all of Lubbock.

Mrs. Stella James and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lyons of Whiteface; Eugene DePauw of Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur DePauw, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Boyce, Rosalind and Gayle, Mr. and Mrs. Mid Scott and Tommy, Mr. and Mrs. Bill DePauw, Sharon, Dwain and Jerry and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Scott and Jane and Jerry, all of Amarillo;

Eddie Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Scott, Connie, Joyce and Langford of Austin; Mrs. Carter Arnett and Ann of Calistogo, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Byron DePauw, Elaine and Denise of Wheeler;

From Mendon, Ill., were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Maynard Sr., Harold Jr., Charles and Steven, also Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scott, Harold and Kenneth of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Scott and Jack of Wellington;

Mrs. Polly DePauw, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Blevins and Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry DePauw, Margie and Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Stephens, Jerri and James of Quail and Sherry Leigh Stephens of Canyon.

Among those to visit during the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. John Scott of McLean and W. W. White of Amarillo, formerly of Quail.

Plans were made to meet next year at the same place and time, the first Sunday in August.

Party Honors Mark White

Mrs. Delbert White honored her son, Mark, with a party on his 7th birthday, Friday, August 12. The group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Hair then went to the school ground and played baseball.

Books and bubble gum were given each guest as favors.

Ice cream, cake and pops were served to Susan and Richard Gilbreth, Ted Harris, Ronnie and Sue Lester, Kittie Cook, Mickye Blevins, Marie McGill, Danny and Frank Kennedy, Herbert Clay, Tommy Oatman, Clarence, Roger, Walter, Grant and John Long, Betty Lester, Lenora Oatman, Mary Ann and Zane Gilberth, and Lewis Fletcher, Alvin, Lindy and Jeff White all of Amarillo.

Miss Billye Evelyn Lowe and Miss Inois Clay assisted in serving the refreshments.

Bridal Shower at Dozier Honors Miss Joy Martindale on Friday

Miss Joy Martindale of Wellington, bride-elect of DeRay Uselton, was honored at a shower in the home of Mrs. David Clark at Dozier Friday evening, August 12.

Joining Mrs. Clark in hostess duties were Mmes. B. A. Purkey, Hugh Grogan, Tommy Tate, Orville Cunningham, Selba Rainey, Doyce Cochran, Roy Hoffman, Jim Clark, Dub Marchant and J. L. Alexander.

Mrs. David Clark met the guests and presented them to Miss Martindale, her mother, Mrs. Bart Martindale, and Mrs. Ray Uselton, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

Miss Polly Clark registered the guests.

The refreshment table was laid with a white cutwork cloth over orchid and centered with an arrangement of orchid dahlias, with lighted tapers on either side. Appointments were of crystal.

Mrs. Cochran and Mrs. Purkey served the guests, who called between the hours of 8 and 10 p. m.

Bourland Family Holds Reunion

A reunion of the Bourland family was held recently at the home of one of sisters, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Baldwin in Lamesa.

This included the surviving children of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bourland of Quail, along with their children and grandchildren. It was the first time the brothers and sisters had been together in 9 years.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin (Neva Bourland,) their four daughters and sons-in-law, and 12 grandchildren; Ralph Bourland, his daughter, son-in-law and two granddaughters; Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Davis (Lotta Bourland) of Port Arthur;

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bourland and son of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bourland and three daughters of Quail; Mr. and Mrs. George B. Bourland, their two sons and daughter of Agana, Guam; and J. E. Bourland of McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brewer and Mrs. Stanton Trimble visited recently in Antlers and Hugo, Okla., with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brewer and Stanton Trimble. The latter is working there for a few weeks.

Reunion at Camp Site Near Here

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The Land family met August 6 and 7 at the Land Camp 8 miles west of town for their annual picnic and reunion. The group camped out and spent Saturday night at the camp grounds. The men did all the cooking and preparing of meals for the week end while the women visited. Big pots of stew were served Saturday night and barbecue with all the trimmings was served at noon Sunday.

Attending were Mrs. Lea Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Etter, Kenny and Bobbie Jo of Grand Junction, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. John E. Fisher, Charlotte Ann and Madonna of Corona, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Johnson, Mike and Sharon, Fort Worth; Mrs. Gertrude and Doris Cathey, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Driskill, Sara and Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Whisenant, Patrice and Rusty all of Abilene; Mrs. Hazel South, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wiles, Terry and Brenda, Lawton, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Walker, Ben Bob and Marylyn of Childress;

Mr. and Mrs. Geb Goodner and Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Land, Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Land, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bailey, Karen, Joe and Cindy, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stavenhager and Mac all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land and B. J. Land of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Scales, Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Bailey and Nita, Millie and Ellen Faye Land, Mr. and Mrs. Tige Hill and Jane Wood all of Hedley; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cason and Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Land and Jerry Tidrow of Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Izard and grandson, Tommie Turner of Lubbock visited here last week in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Talkington of Vinson Observe Golding Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Talkington celebrated their golden wedding Sunday, August 14, at their home near Vinson.

Serving the guests were Mrs. T. M. Talkington of Ardmore, who poured punch, and Mrs. Bill Burnett, who served cake. Mrs. Harold McCain, Mrs. V. K. Peters and Mrs. Dovie Danield of California assisted.

A three tiered gold and white cake with elaborate decorations and an open Bible centered the refreshment table.

Many friends called during the afternoon, and gifts were presented the couple.

Several telephone calls were recvieed by Mr. and Mrs. Talkington during the afternoon from relatives in California.

They are the parents of eight children. Three of these were present for the celebration, Mrs. Peters, T. M. Talkington and Dallas Talkington.

Former Area Family Gathers

Relatives from six states — 120 altogether gathered for the annual Winegeart Reunion held this year at Leonard Park, Gainesville, on Sunday, August 14.

This was the 10th reunion and it has been in different parts of Texas and once at Glenmora, La. It is held each year on the second Sunday of August.

All except two of the children of the late Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Winegeart were present. Most of these, along with the younger members of the family present, have lived at one time or another in Collingsworth county.

The children present were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Winegeart, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Winegeart, Mr. and Mrs. George Winegeart and Mrs. Bertie Bean of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Winegeart of Texico, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dorsey and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Browning of Gainesville; Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Winegeart of Sherman; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Winegeart of Hamlin; and Mr. and Mrs. Slim Gilbreath of Bakersfield, Calif.

Their children and other members of the family present came from New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Parker, Judy and Diane, attended from Wellington.

The reunion will be held at Gainesville again in 1961.

Mary-Martha Class Holds Social

Mary Martha Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday evening, August 11 in the home of Mrs. Doshia Dix for their monthly social and business.

After the salad supper was served, Mrs. Chas. Slay conducted the business meeting. Each member answered roll call by giving their favorite Bible verse.

Next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Willie Estes.

Attending were Mrs. W. E. Bennett, Mrs. J. T. Baldwin, Mrs. Willie Estes, Mrs. Rene Slay, Mrs. J. L. Burt, Mrs. R. W. Brantley, Mrs. S. W. Elbert, Mrs. P. E. Lowrie, Mrs. Bessie Lowrie, Mrs .Arthur Hudson, Mrs. J. V. Simpson, Mrs. Jimmie DeMoss, Mrs. W. F. Roberts, one visitor Reenie Fast of Port Arthur and the hostess Mrs. Dix.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Simpson of Lutie recently were Mrs. Dorothy Estes and son, Tim, of Lancaster. Her husband was the late Rev. Harold Estes, former pastor of Lutie Baptist Church.

Church Group Holds Box Supper

The CA's, young people of First Assembly of God Church, held an old-fashioned box supper at Ellison Park Friday evening, August 12.

Boxes were auctioned off to the highest bidders and money will be used for out-of-town trips to sectional CA rallys, Mrs. Ralph Martin said.

The Rev. L. A. Buck, pastor, was auctioneer. In charge of plans was Ralph Martin, president of the group.

Attending were Janice Jesse, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wilkerson, Rev. and Mrs. Buck, Laudine Martin, Billy Wilkerson, Laquita Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Martin, Ann Johnson, Damon Buck, Garry Martin, Buster Howard, Dwayne Poteet, Venita Howard, Mrs. George Howard, Mrs. Don Newberry, Craig Buck, Lora Jean Martin, Wayne Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Martin.

Rev. Richardson will Teach in Baptist Seminary

The Rev. and Mrs. Bill Richardson are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell Mallory, of Buffalo, Mo.

They will return soon for Rev. Richardson to enter Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth.

He will assume part-time teaching duties at the seminary this fall.

Wesleyan Guild Presents Playlet

Wesleyan Service Guild met Monday evening August 15 in the home of Mrs. G. B. Hopper. Mrs. Barney Glenn gave the devotional "Drama of Life".

Mrs. Ruth Aaron had charge of the program and presented a play, "Here Be Dragons". Taking part were Mrs. Aaron, Mrs. Glenn, Mrs. N. C. Beam, Mrs. Hopper and Mrs. Richard Bailey.

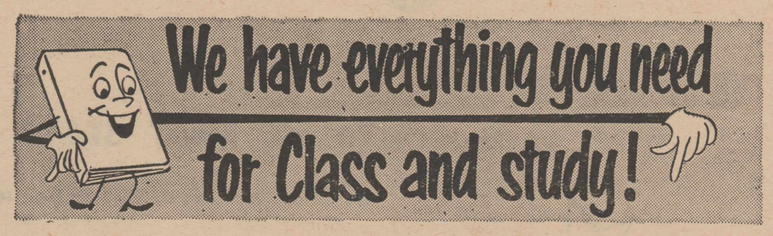
Refreshments were served to Mmes. Glenn, Bailey, Aaron, David Baumgardner, J. P. Cummings, W. C. Reeves, Jack Davis, Beam, Lloyd Wooldridge, Forbis, Jennie Holcomb, Roy Horn and Hopper.

Browns Vacation in Arkansas

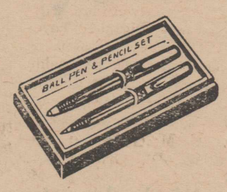
Mr. and Mrs. Millard Brown Sr. and Gene and Mr. and Mrs. Millard Brown Jr. and boys left last Friday for Nashville, Ark., to attend the Brown family reunion over the weekend.

The reunion was held at a community center in a suburb of Nashville. Fifty-three relatives attended with a number coming from California and Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Brown Jr. and sons returned home Monday while Mr. and Mrs. Millard Brown Sr., stayed for a longer visit and will return home last of this week.



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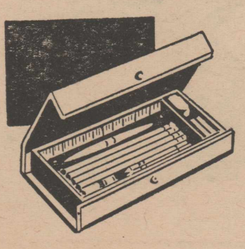


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Post Reunion Thoughts

School and Town 55 Years Ago Recalled by Former Resident

By The Rev. Roy Nunn
Minister, Presbyterian Church
Seymour, Texas

The Wellington High School Ex-Students Association have just celebrated the Golden Anniversary of the first graduating class. Members of that class proudly received their diplomas in May, 1910. In later years it has become quite common to give certificates upon completion of the grades, and the entry into High School. Had that been done these persons would have received the certificates at the end of the school year 1905-6. That is, those who were already at Wellington would have received them, except that no such program was in progress at that time.

Of those who graduated, only four completed grade school at Wellington, viz. Harry Couch, Clyde Penrod, Lenora Stall, and Minnie Wiles. The latter had just come for her first year in the Wellington school that year. Others may have been at about the equivelant stage of education, but dropped out before graduation. Katherine Boverie, Jan Isobell and Irene Clark entered the Wellington school during the high school period.

Wellington was a very different place as that first class prepared for and entered on the course of study for high school. At the Golden Anniversary, R. F. Curry pointed out that the school was not graded then. Actually those four did not simply complete the "grades" before entering High School. However, considering the ususal number of years, their last year in the "grades" would have been 1905-6.

As one looks over the prosperous and good sized town of today it is difficult to realize that this group of pupils began that year of school in a small community that boasted only thirty five dwellings scattered over the original "Town section". Already a plot of 640 acres had been set aside as the town site for the County seat. Several homes were just over the line from the Town section. K. M. Godrey, D. M. Hennard, L. W. Gribble, Dr. Mooney, C. R. Dobbs, S. M. Somerville, and a family named Holtzclaw all lived just over the line. Thus approximately forty residences accounted for the town.

The business section of that day consisted of the Cottage Hotel and a general store operated by Charlie McClasky on the east side of the square. Joe Camp, who had married the widowed Mrs. E. T. O'Neil, had a store on the south side of the square, alongside was the Wellington Hotel, which was much larger than the other, probably having as many as six rooms available for transients. And near it was the little office of the Collingsworth Courier, edited by Alvie Gates. Next was a small drug store operated by J. B. Curtner. The matching business houses on the west side of the courthouse were used by L. W. Gribble, the First National Bank and L. H. Stall and the Wells Brothers. The Post Office was at the outside corner southwest of the square, and Dr. Mooney had a small office a little way south of it. The only building north of the square was the O'Neill-Camp home. About a block south from the southwest corner Milo Brown had a small blacksmith shop, and a Mr. Battles had a livery stable, the business center of Wellington at that time.

Perhaps you missed the location of a railroad depot. There just wasn't one. All goods brought in from the outside came by wagon freight. Kenney Godfrey, Oscar Smith, and Will Hunter, made regular trips to the railroad, usually to Memphis. Others may have been regular "freighters", but these were steadily employed for several years.

Passenger service was available on the stage which brought in the mail. This also came from Memphis. Teams were changed at Rolla. The team arriving at Wellington was fed and watered while the driver ate dinner, and the mail was readied for the return trip. Traveling salesmen, called "Drummers" in that day, often came on the mail stage, arriving one day and returning the next. Five to eight passengers could be accommodated. Small mules were used, four abreast, and about noon each day one could see this rig, a sort of spring wagon with three seats and a top, as the mules brought it in from the SW corner of town at a long lope.

Streets were not used much at the time. Roads ran from the courthouse, diagonally, toward each corner of the Town section. One or two houses might cause a slight turn in the road, but travel moved that way. Several homes were directly south from the square and that made a fair street toward the south side, almost to the door of the L. W. Gribble home, present site of the High School. The same was true as to the west, but the road east wound around to pass the L. H. Stall home and arrive at the Godfrey home. Another ran toward the Cemetery, just along the north side of the section, and a fork in that road turned off to Mr. Somerville's home.

Not only were the prairies open. Livestock roamed at will through the town. The only way to have milk was to own your own milk factory, the cow. Most every family had one or two, which were sometimes staked at a certain spot, but usually allowed to go where they pleased. The same was true with horses and mules, except that they were generally hobbled, so as to be caught more readily.

Many present day residents may be surprised to know that a number of low spots created the so-called buffalo wallows which dotted the Town section in the early days. A large one was just a little more than a block east of the courthouse. It had water in it most of the time in those years. Another, just as large and deeper, was approximately four blocks west and a like distance south from the courthouse. A third was four blocks north from the NE corner of the square and a fourth some four blocks west of that. Many smaller ones appeared after heavy rains. Of course, the largest and deepest water reservoir was the Gin tank. It was about half way from the square toward the SE corner of the section, and caught water from a shallow draw which extends several miles to the north, bearing west a little.

Major construction in 1905 included a cotton gin, erected by the Wiles Brothers and Nunn. L. H. Stall built a frame store building south of the Post Office, which was sold to the Wiles Brothers. And L. W. Gribble built a new home a few blocks SW of the square. He sold his former home and land to L. H. Stall. When the home was completed there was quite a lot of moving. J. A. Wiles, manager of the gin, bought the Stall home, and vacated the Baptist parsonage to move to it.

An outstanding event of excitement in the summer of 1905 was at the A. V. Cocke home, where the five year old daughter Kate, fell into the cistern. An uncle, Ruffin Cocke hurried to the spot and dived in to bring her out and she was revived, little the worse for the experience. Another event ended more tragically. A common sight at the time was the "Prairie Dog town", and these holes were a menace to men working cattle. D. M. Hennard was a prominent rancher, who had a home near town, just off the SE corner. He had a horse to fall in a prairie dog hole and was injured so severely that he died.

The fact that so few houses were there made it possible to see what was going on in the neighborhood. At least one youngster was intrigued at a rig seen moving from the Stall home to that of R. H. Cocke, Sr. It was a two horse surrey, or hack, but was pulled by one horse that time. Mr. Stall walked along holding up the other end of the neck yoke until they reached the Cocke home. Another horse was hitched there, and two trunks and two college students set off for Memphis to catch the train to college. They were Mrs. R. F. Curry, as she was known most of her life, and R. H. Cocke Jr. Among Wellington youths to attend college these were numbered with the first.

A longer procession wended its way toward the southwest one Sunday afternoon. Quite a line of buggies, surries, and wagons headed toward Miller's tank, a stock tank some four miles out, for a Baptising, following a revival meeting at the Local Baptist Church. Later it was common to use the Gin tank for that service, but earlier the Miller tank was most popular.

Although Wellington was a small frontier town it was known to at least one New Yorker that year. The editor, Alvie Gates, had somehow got in touch with an orphan boy from New York City, and gave him a home for a time. This youngster, Andrew Sackabite, lived in Wellington for a few months. Naturally he was considered an oddity at that time.

Wellington had a baseball team almost as soon as it had that many people. Three families made up most of the team, Watkins', Cocke's, and Moores. The catcher was known as "Fatty" Watkins, and Webb Moore did most of the pitching. The boys furnished amusement for the townspeople on Saturday afternoons quite often. They took on teams of like formation from anywhere in horseback distance.

An important event in the building up of the Wellington community began at about that time. It was the breaking up of the Cocke ranch into farm plots. R. H. Cocke, Sr., once owned nine section of land close in to Wellington. This included the section immediately east of the Town section, and thence three miles east and three north. K. M. Godfrey and Julius Stall bought farms in the line of section running east as did Pete Stewart and others. Dr. S. A. Street and J. M. Harper bought the section which cornered with Wellington to the northeast. Ed Blaine and his father bought at least two sections of the original ranch. Others who bought some of the land included the Morrow Brothers, Joe Armentrout, and A. S. J. Lockhart. The latter was located toward the back side of the land, and he developed a watermelon farm. Around the year 1910 no scene was more familiar during the summer than Mr. Lockhart's covered wagon, loaded with melons, and his genial smile ready for prospective customers. The Tom Watson melon was his leader, and fifty to sixty pounds was a common size. He did not sell by the pound, but set a price in proportion to the size. Actually, it usually ran about 1/2 cent per pound, which would be a bargain in our day.

A member of the editorial staff suggested this article. The writer was young enough to be impressed by the "big" boys and girls in that time when they were about ready for High School. At the same time he was old enough to remember much that impressed him. Anyone who doesn't like to read it may quit right here!

A word should be added about the school, however, since that was what got all this started. In that year Wellington boasted a three-room school, with three teachers. A. W. Waddlington was the principal. R. F. Curry the intermediate teacher, and Miss Irene Horner had the primary grades. Romance developed during the year and Mr. Waddlington and Miss Horner were married. The teachers were all quite young, and when the schoolboys got up a baseball game Mr. Waddlington played on one side and Mr. Curry on the other. The principal was very quick tempered and if Mr. Curry had not had good control of his own temper the teachers would have been in more fights than the boys. This building was approximately three blocks east of the square and one block north. However, the following year the Class of 1910 got to start High School in a new, two story, eight room building. For Wellington was growing, and it has kept it up through the years.

Phyllis Riley visited in Amarillo last week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Judd and family.

Patricia Fales of Bethany, Okla., visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Rodell Byers and Marilyn.

OLD HEAD

We all knew Texas was big but we didn't know it was so old until the discovery of the Midland Skull in 1954. Scientists estimated this human skull found in a prehistoric water hole, to be over 12,000 years old. This may be the oldest skull ever discovered on earth. If so, it means that human beings lived in the Ice Age with the huge mammoths.

The Wright Brothers, Glen Curtiss, Charles E. Duryea and George N. Pierce received their early mechanical training in bicycle shops.

Who's New — in the — Wellington Area

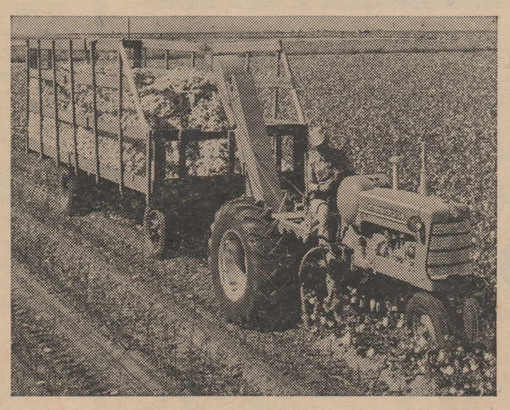
Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Langford are the parents of a son, born August 3 in St. Joseph's Hospital. He was named Jeffery Wayne and weighed eight pounds and six ounces.

Marvin Gene is the name Mr. and Mrs. Bob Yarrington have given their son, born August 5 in St. Joseph's Hospital. He weighed seven pounds and one ounce.

A daughter, Debra Annette, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Darryl Morris in St. Joseph's Hospital August 8. Her weight was seven pounds and two ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed White are the parents of a son, born August 9 in St. Joseph's Hospital. He was named Joe Ed and weighed seven pounds and one ounce.

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FOR SALE — Boy's 26-inch bicycle in good condition. Dwayne Ford. Phone 447-5702. 3-2c

FOR SALE—Indian peaches and grapes at the Capps orchard. 4-1p

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My home at 906 Dalhart Street.

Contact Sam Adams at Wellington Hardware

Wanted

WANTED Man between 35 to 55 years of age to work, in milk processing plant located on farm near Canyon. Prefer family man now or recently employed. No experience required. Write or call D. C. Epps on the Hazelwood Farm Dairy, P. O. Box 2570, telephone Fl 6-1122, Amarillo, Tex. 4-1c

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FOR RENT — Six room house. FOR SALE—House at 1112 Bowie. See owner at 1104 Bowie. 4-1c

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SOCIAL MEETING—
3rd Thursday each month

American Legion

Legal Notice

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Collingsworth County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy:

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: LAWRENCE C. POWELL, Defendant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Collingsworth County at the Courthouse thereof, in Wellington, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 19th day of September A.D. 1960, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 9th day of July A. D. 1960, in this cause, numbered 4034 on the docket of said court and styled

WINNIE RUTH POWELL, Plaintiff, vs.
LAWRENCE C. POWELL, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Suit for Divorce, Control and custody of minor children and child support as is more fully shown in Plaintiff's Original Petition filed in this Court on the 9th day of July, 1960.

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

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Wellington, Texas, this 5th day of August A. D. 1960.

Attest: MRS. H. B. LOWRIE
Clerk, 100th District Court
Collingsworth County, Tex.
(SEAL) 3-4c

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED BUDGET FOR YEAR OF 1961

It appearing to the Commissioners' Court that the budget for the year 1961 has been prepared, it is the order of the Court that August 29, 1960 at 10:00 A.M. be and is hereby set as the date and time for hearing on said budget, and same shall be advertised as provided by law.

By order of the Commissioners' Court this the 8th day of August, A.D. 1960.

LOLA I. JENKINS,
County Clerk,
Collingsworth County, Texas.
(SEAL) 3-2c

ORDER TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR PICKUP FOR COUNTY

Upon the recommendation of the County Road Administrator, Joe A. Coleman, a motion was made by Commissioner Breeding and duly seconded by Commissioner Knoll and carried by a unanimous vote to advertise for bids for a new pickup with the following specifications:

4 -speed transmission
Oil Cleaner
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Front & Rear Directional Signal
Bumper & Trailer Hitch
Short bed & wheel base
Less Trade In:
1958 Dodge, 4-speed Pickup.

Said bids are to be sent to County Judge on or before August 29, A.D. 1960.

The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Attest: LOLA I. JENKINS,
County Clerk,
Collingsworth County, Texas
(SEAL) 3-2c

Card of Thanks

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to all who have helped us in any way during my illness
Horace Clay and family

May we take this means of expressing our deepest gratitude and appreciation for the many acts of kindness and consolation shown us during the illness and passing of our husband, father and brother. May we especially thank the staff of St. Joseph's Hospital, Dr. Holcomb, Rev. Howard Jones, Rev. Glenn Hickey and Jimmie Kelso. For the food, beautiful floral offerings and the many expressions of sympathy, we are so truly grateful.

Your kindness has meant much to us and may God bless each of you.

The family of Earl Harrison

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all those who were so helpful to us in our recent sorrow.

We are especially grateful to Kelso Funeral Home, to the ladies of the First Christian Church who served the dinner and to Mrs. Milford Harris for the use of her home for out of town relatives.

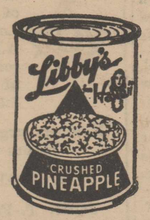
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Comanche District

Winners of Scout Swim Events Named

Forty-two Boy Scouts from troops in the Comanche District participated in the successful swim meet at Marian Airpark Pool Wednesday, August 10, in spite of cool, damp weather.

Jack York announced the following awards: 40 - yard breast stroke, Bobby Chapman; 40-yard free style, Cary Ritter; 40-yard side stroke, Gary Ritter; take one, Gary Ritter; best all around, Gary Ritter; most Scouts there, Troop 30 of Dodson; second place, most Scouts there, Troop 32 of Wellington; best non-swimmer, Larry Ellis; troop with most swimmers, Shamrock, Troop 76; and sucker trophy, Bill Thompson (who managed to take second in all three of the racing events).

The novelty events provided fun and excitement. The tug-of-war saw Scouts on each side of the pool pulling on a long cotton rope — the loosers ended up in the water. Later this same event was run for swimmers with the Scouts swimming and pulling. The ping-pong ball and spoon race saw the swimmers with the spoons in their mouths and the ping-pong balls on and off the spoons as they swam to the far side. Non-swimmers performed this event with the spoons in their left hand as they swam, ran or somehow made it to the other side of the shallow end. Other novelty events saw the non-swimmers jumping or diving into the water and floating for distance. swimmers scrambling for a rubber ball, racing for corks that kept getting fewer in number till there was only one left, and having a relay race with tee-shirts that had to be taken off and put on the next boy in line.

The event was planned and conducted by the Health and Safety committee of the Comanche district, according to E. Byron Range Jr., Chairman of the committee. In charge of the actual meet was Jack York, assisted by Frank Walker, Charles Gragg, and Dr. Range. Troops attending were: Troop 30 from Dodson with 12 boys, Troop 31 from Wellington with 3 boys, Troop 32 from Wellington with 8 boys, Troop 35 from Memphis with 6 boys, Troop 73 from Quail with 5 boys, Troop 76 from Shamrock with 4 boys, and Troop 131 from Memphis with 4 boys.

While registering, each Scout filled out a buddy tag giving his name and troop number. Jack York then reviewed the eight defence plan for safe swimming with the Scouts. Following this, each Scout checked in on the buddy board with Frank Walker. During the meet, several buddy checks were made to insure safety. Also keeping a close check on the safety was Charles Gragg, who observed the pool from his vantage point on the high diving board.

Misses Glenna and Dorrace Eikner of Dumas and Miss Carolyn Keller of Amarillo visited over the week end in the home of the later's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Keller.

Mrs. Warren Cudd and Ann of Perryton visited here over the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson of Amarillo were here over the week end visiting in the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. Frank Johnson. They returned their son Drew home with them. He had been here visiting with his grandparents since Wednesday of last week.

Don Raburn of Denton visited here first of the week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Raburn.

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1960.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 39 proposing an amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto new Sections to be known as Sections 6, 7, and 8, to provide that the Legislature may authorize the creation of Hospital Districts co-extensive with Lamar County, Hidalgo County, and County Commissioners Precinct No. 4 of Comanche County, having certain stated powers and duties and subject to certain stated limitations; providing that any enabling Acts shall not be invalid because of their anticipatory character; providing for an election; prescribing the form of ballot and providing for the necessary proclamation and publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas be, and the same is hereby, amended by adding the following Sections which shall read as follows:

"Section 6. The Legislature may by law authorize the creation of a Hospital District co-extensive with Lamar County, having the powers and duties and with the limitations presently provided in Article IX, Section 5(a), of the Constitution of Texas, as it applies to Wichita County, except that the maximum rate of tax that the said Lamar County Hospital District may be authorized to levy shall be seventy-five cents (75c) per One Hundred Dollar ($100) valuation of taxable property within the District, subject to district taxation.

"Section 7. The Legislature may by law authorize the creation of a Hospital District co-extensive with Hidalgo County, having the powers and duties and with the limitations presently provided in Article IX, Section 5(a), of the Constitution of Texas, as it applies to Hidalgo County, except that the maximum rate of tax that the said Hidalgo County Hospital District may be authorized to levy shall be ten cents (10c) per One Hundred Dollar ($100) valuation of taxable property within the District subject to district taxation.

"Section 8. The Legislature may by law authorize the creation of a Hospital District to be co-extensive with the limits of County Commissioners Precinct No. 4 of Comanche County, Texas.

"If such District is created, it may be authorized to levy a tax not to exceed seventy-five cents (75c) on the One Hundred Dollar ($100) valuation of taxable property within the District; provided, however, no tax may be levied until approved by a majority vote of the participating resident qualified property taxpaying voters who have duly rendered their property for taxation. The maximum rate of tax may be changed at subsequent elections so long as obligations are not impaired, and not to exceed the maximum limit of seventy-five cents (75c) per One Hundred Dollar ($100) valuation, and no election shall be required by subsequent changes in the boundaries of the Commissioners Precinct No. 4 of Comanche County.

"If such tax is authorized, no political subdivision or municipality within or having the same boundaries as the District may levy a tax for medical or hospital care for needy individuals, nor shall they maintain or erect hospital facilities, but the District shall by resolution assume all such responsibilities and shall assume all of the liabilities and obligations (including bonds and warrants) of such subdivisions or municipalities or both. The maximum tax rate submitted shall be sufficient to discharge such obligations, liabilities, and responsibilities, and to maintain and operate the hospital system, and the Legislature may authorize the District to issue tax bonds for the purpose of the purchase, construction, acquisition, repair or renovation of improvements and initially equipping the same, and such bonds shall be payable from said seventy-five cent (75c) tax. The Legislature shall provide for transfer of title to properties to the District.

"(b) The Legislature may by law permit the County of Comanche to render financial aid to that District by paying a part of the expenses of operating and maintaining the system and paying a part of the debts of the District (whether assumed or created by the District) and may authorize the levy of a tax not to exceed ten cents (10c) per One Hundred Dollar ($100) valuation (in addition to other taxes permitted by this Constitution) upon all property within the County but without the County Commissioners Precinct No. 4 of Comanche County at the time such levy is made for such purposes. If such tax is authorized, the District shall by resolution assume the responsibilities, obligations, and liabilities of the County in the manner and to the extent hereinabove provided for political subdivisions having boundaries co-extensive with the District, and the County shall not thereafter levy taxes (other than herein provided) for hospital purposes nor for providing hospital care for needy individuals of the County.

"(c) Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such Acts shall not be invalid because of their anticipatory character."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the general election to be held the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1960, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to create a Hospital District co-extensive with Lamar and Hidalgo Counties, and co-extensive with County Commissioners Precinct No. 4 of Comanche County."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to create a Hospital District co-extensive with Lamar and Hidalgo Counties, and co-extensive with County Commissioners Precinct No. 4 of Comanche County."

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1960.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8 proposing an amendment to Section 24 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas allowing an annual salary of not to exceed Four Thousand, Eight Hundred Dollars ($4,800) per year and a per diem allowance of not to exceed Twelve Dollars ($12) per day for the first one hundred and twenty (120) days only of each Regular Session and for thirty (30) days of each Special Session of the Legislature as the maximum compensation for Members of the Legislature; limiting the Regular Session to one hundred and forty (140) days; and prescribing the form of ballot and providing for the necessary proclamation and publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 24 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Section 24. Members of the Legislature shall receive from the Public Treasury an annual salary of not exceeding Four Thousand, Eight Hundred Dollars ($4,800) per year and a per diem of not exceeding Twelve Dollars ($12) per day for the first one hundred and twenty (120) days only of each Regular Session and for thirty (30) days of each Special Session of the Legislature. No Regular Session shall be of longer duration than one hundred and forty (140) days.

"In addition to the per diem the Members of each House shall be entitled to mileage in going to and returning from the seat of government, which mileage shall not exceed Two Dollars and Fifty Cents ($2.50) for every twenty-five (25) miles, the distance to be computed by the nearest and most direct route of travel, from a table of distances prepared by the Comptroller to each county seat now or hereafter to be established; no Member to be entitled to mileage for any extra Session that may be called within one (1) day after the adjournment of a Regular or Called Session."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the 8th day of November, 1960, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment allowing an annual salary of not to exceed Four Thousand, Eight Hundred Dollars ($4,800) per year and a per diem allowance of not to exceed Twelve Dollars ($12) per day for the first one hundred and twenty (120) days only of each Session of the Legislature as the maximum compensation for Members of the Legislature and limiting the Regular Session to one hundred and forty (140) days."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment allowing an annual salary of not to exceed Four Thousand, Eight Hundred Dollars ($4,800) per year and a per diem allowances of not to exceed Twelve Dollars ($12) per day for the first one hundred and twenty (120) days only of each Session of the Legislature as the maximum compensation for Members of the Legislature and limiting the Regular Session to one hundred and forty (140) days."

Sec. 3. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this Amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1960.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6 proposing an Amendment to Section 11, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to give the Legislature authority to classify loans and lenders, license and regulate lenders, define interest, fix maximum rates of interest, and provide for a maximum rate of interest of ten per centum (10%) per annum in the absence of legislation setting maximum rates of interest; providing that the rate of interest shall not exceed six per cent (6%) per annum in contracts where no interest rate is agreed upon; providing for the right of appeal and trial de novo in the event any regulatory agency cancels or refuses to grant any permit; providing for the necessary election and the form of the ballots; and providing for the necessary proclamation and publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 11, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 11. The Legislature shall have authority to classify loans and lenders, license and regulate lenders, define interest and fix maximum rates of interest; provided, however, in the absence of legislation fixing maximum rates of interest all contracts for a greater rate of interest than ten per centum (10%) per annum shall be deemed usurious; provided, further, that in contracts where no rate of interest is agreed upon, the rate shall not exceed six per centum (6%) per annum. Should any regulatory agency, acting under the provisions of this Section, cancel or refuse to grant any permit under any law passed by the Legislature; then such applicant or holder shall have the right of appeal to the courts and granted a trial de novo as that term is used in appealing from the justice of peace court to the county court."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1960, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment giving the Legislature authority to classify loans and lenders, license and regulate lenders, define interest and fix maximum rates of interest; and providing for a maximum rate of interest of ten per centum (10%) per annum in the absence of legislation fixing maximum rates of interest."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment giving the Legislature authority to classify loans and lenders, license and regulate lenders, define interest and fix maximum rates of interest; and providing for a maximum rate of interest of ten per centum (10%) per annum in the absence of legislation fixing maximum rates of interest."

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for the said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1960.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6 proposing an Amendment to Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, increasing to three and one-half percent (3-½%) the maximum permissible interest rate on bonds hereafter issued by the Veterans' Land Board; providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, be amended by adding thereto the following:

"The foregoing notwithstanding, bonds hereafter issued by the Veterans' Land Board pursuant to the authority of this Section 49-b of the Constitution may bear a rate or rates of interest not to exceed three and one-half percent (3-½%) per annum.

"This Amendment shall become effective upon its adoption."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1960, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Amendment to Section 49-b of Article III of the Constitution of Texas by adding thereto a provision authorizing the Veterans' Land Board to issue the bonds authorized under such Section to bear interest at a rate or rates not to exceed three and one-half percent (3-½%) per annum."

"AGAINST the Amendment to Section 49-b of Article III of the Constitution of Texas by adding thereto a provision authorizing the Veterans' Land Board to issue the bonds authorized under such Section to bear interest at a rate or rates not to exceed three and one-half percent (3-½%) per annum."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast were in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution and be effective from the date set forth in said Amendment, and the Governor shall issue a proclamation in keeping therewith.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of the state.

537 in County Collect Social Security Pay

At the end of 1959, as Federal social security was starting its twenty-fifth year, old-age, survivors, and disability insurance monthly benefits were being paid in Collingsworth to 537 persons at the rate of $316,380. a year, according to Hal Geldon, Manager of the Amarillo Social Security Office.

Payments in the entire Panhandle were going to 17,391 persons at the rate of $11,880,-036 a year.

Nationally, Geldon said, about 13 3/4 million persons were receiving old-age, survivors, and disability insurance monthly benefits at the end of 1959 at an annual rate of more than $10 billion. At the end of 1940 — the first year in which monthly benefits were payable — beneficiaries throughout the Nation totaled 200,000. Almost half a million disabled worker benefaciaries and their dependents receiving benefits at a yearly rate of over $400 million are included in the figures for 1959.

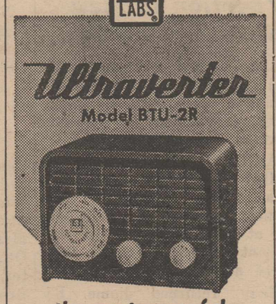
As social security celebrates its Silver Anniversary (the original Act was signed into law on August 14, 1935 about 74 million working people are in covered employment or self-employment in the course of a year. They are building old-age survivors, and disability protection for themselves, their dependents, and their survivors under the social security law.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Clement and family of Lamesa visited here over the week end with his mother, Mrs. E. C. Clement and sisters, Misses Mabel and Inez Clement.

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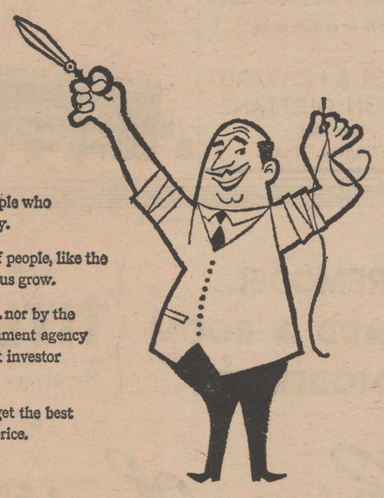
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BUSINESS MAN IN GUAM VISITS RELATIVES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. George Bourland and children, Brooke, Sally and Joe, of Agana, Guam, visited recently with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bourland and daughters at the Bourland Ranch north of Quail.

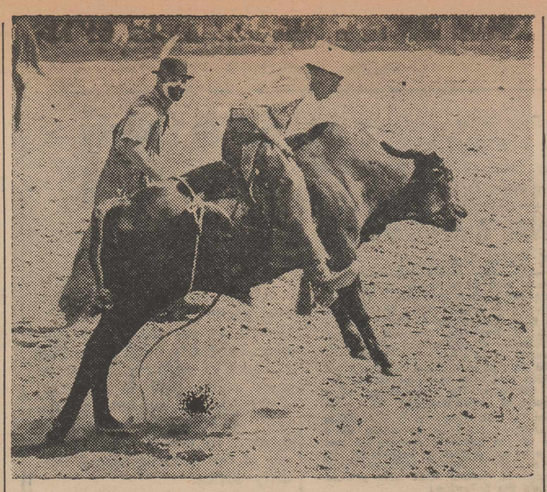
Bourland owns and operates a men's store in Agana, and also is in the cattle business, has an insurance agency and is starting a cocoanut raising project.

This latter, handled on a lease basis under Air Force contract, includes clearing the land and putting it into production.

Several years ago, Bourland flew in several head of Santa Gertrudis cattle, to be crossed with native animals.

Mrs. Bourland is from Bremerton, Washington and the family will visit there before returning to Guam, where they have lived 12 years.

Bourland was reared on the family ranch at Quail and graduated from Clarendon high school. He received an appointment to the Naval Academy, where he was graduated in 1938. He served as a line officer two years and supply officer 8 years, before retiring with the rank of Commander. Bourland was at Pearl Harbor at the time of the Japanese attack.



CAL FARLEY'S BULL RIDER
One of the 261 boys at Cal Farley's Boys Ranch tries his hand at bull riding in the daily practice sessions for the 16th Annual Boys Ranch Rodeo, to be held at the Ranch over the Labor Day weekend, September 4th and 5th. The boys predict it will be the best rodeo yet.

Helps Many Groups

Social Security Has 25th Anniversay

Hal Geldon, District Manager, of the Amarillo Social Security noted today that social security has been serving America for 25 years. August 14 will be the 25th birthday of the signing of the Social Security Act.

Geldon stated that social security means many things. It means aid to the aged, dependent children, and the disabled; it means vocational rehabilitation and old-age, survivors, and disability insurance. The government insurance part of social security — the part called old-age and survivors insurance — has grown over the past quarter of a century until 14 million men, women, and children are receiving monthly checks.

These checks are mailed each month to families whose income has been cut off because of the retirement, disability, or death of the family breadwinner. This program has a hometown touch in that it is administered through district offices located in all parts of our nation.

The social security office servicing the 361,446 persons of the Panhandle area is at Amarillo. The office is open from 7:45 a. m. to 4:30 p. m., Monday through Friday of each week.

Ex-Countians to Amarillo Meet

A reunion of former Collingsworth county residents now living in the Amarillo area will hold a reunion at the northeast corner of Ellwood Park in that city Saturday evening, August 20.

Visiting will begin at 5 p. m. and the picnic supper will be served at 7.

Those attending are to bring picnic suppers and silverware. Paper plates, cups and drinks will be furnished.

All local residents wanting to attend are invited.

County Family has Vacation in New Mexico, Colorado

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Harris and Bryant and her father, B. Johnston have returned home after vacationing in Colorado Springs and Raton, N. M.

At Colorado Springs they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Evert Johnston and James, and did some sight seeing at Cripple Creek. One day Bryant visited the Scout Jamboree at Colorado Springs.

They returned home by Raton, N. M., where they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Houston.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Silas Henry during the week end were her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. John Tucker of Elk City, and Mrs. Belle Mitchell and Mrs. Willie Morris of Quail. Other visitors were her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Blayne Branum and Becky of Lubbock. They came for their son, Duane Branum, who had visited here two weeks.

Proclamation
Social Security Week

The American social security system, which promotes the well-being of individuals and families, has served the Nation for 25 years.

First becoming law August 14, 1935, the Social Security Act now provides income and services to individuals and families. It helps to keep families together and to free our people from fear and want.

Many in this community have been helped and are being helped by one or more of the programs established by the Social Security Act. These include Federal old-age, survivors, and disability insurance; unemployment insurance; public assistance for the needy, the old, the blind, the disabled, and children without parental support; and maternal-and-child-health, crippled-children, and child-welfare services.

Now, therefore, in the 25th year that our national social security has been in existence, I Hiram L. Cudd, Mayor, of Wellington, in recognition of the service of social security to the country and to this community, proclaim the week of August 14 through August 20 as SOCIAL SECURITY WEEK IN WELLINGTON, and further proclaim August 14 as SOCIAL SECURITY DAY IN WELLINGTON.

Three City Students Get Degrees at NTSC

DENTON — Three Wellington seniors are among 454 who have applied for bachelor's degrees at North Texas State College this summer.

Commencement exercises are scheduled for 8 p. m. August 23 in Fouts Field.

These students are:

Anita Lou Savage, daughter of Claude N. Savage, 1512 Graham, bachelor of science degree in education.

Donald C. Van Pelt, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Van Pelt, bachelor of science in education.

Kern Pigg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly A. Pigg, 1201 Amarillo, bachelor of music.

Mrs. Pigg also will receive her degree at this time, and will teach there during the coming year.

Group Gathers at Robinson Home

Visiting during last week and over the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robinson were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Owen, Tonya, Bobby, Kenneth and Debbie of El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Newman, their daughter Betty Jo and her two children and Mrs. Robinson's mother, Mrs. Mary Boyett all of Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Boyett of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. Barney Boyett of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Robinson, Lany, Vondia and Janet, Amarillo; Jess Robinson, Lee and Otis of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Owen and children of El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Robinson of Hereford; Rev. and Mrs. Melvin Mathis and daughters of McAdoo.

Fred Bourland of Quail was in Canyon Friday to pick up two pigs at the West Texas State College boar testing station.

J. E. Fuller and 5 year old son, Jimmy, of Compton, California visited here Monday in the home of his aunts, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Denley and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wolford and daughter Lota of Dublin visited here last week in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Bell.

Guests last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Harris were Mr. and Mrs. Sid Keeton and Mrs. Rella Collier of Hollis, Oklahoma. Mrs. Collier also visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harris.

During the past week Mrs. R. H. Ball visited in Dallas with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bevan and in Pottsboro with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Gill and boys.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Bell were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bell of Amarillo.

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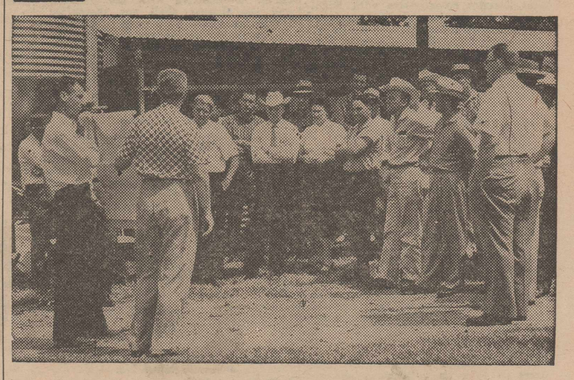


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Farm Bureau Queen Contest Workers Named

Plans are under way for the Farm Bureau Queen contest which will be held at the Community Building Saturday night September 10. Rehearsal will be held on Friday night, September 9.

N. E. Childers of Quail, vice president of the Farm Bureau, is in charge of the Queen contest and he has selected four women from the surrounding communities to help him. From Dodson area Mrs. E. C. Alexander; Mrs. Dee Coleman, Wellington; Mrs. Buck Breeding, Dozier and Samnorwood; and Mrs. Monty Mitchel, Quail. Each of these will choose as many helpers as she needs.

Any girl wishing to enter the contest may contact the Farm Bureau office or any one of these women, Childers said.

Judges for the event will be selected from outside the county and will not be announced until the night of the contest.

The winner from here will go to the district contest in Amarillo September 17.

Didactics

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for the farmer at this session. Well, they may not be intending to do anything "for", but they certainly are going to do something "to" him if they pass that $1.25 minimum wage law.

A lot of people think this country would have been a lot better off if Congress had not reconvened this fall.

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Vinson News

Kent Smith of Mantico, California is here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Smith, and also Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kromer and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest of Lubbock were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Talkington.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anglin of Wheeler attended the 50th anniversary Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Talkington.

Mr. and Mrs. Dayle Shiplet, Butch and Darlene, of Oklahoma City, visited this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Flinn.

The Methodist ladies met one day last week and canned peaches for Rev. and Mrs. French. She has been ill part of the summer and unable to do canning.

Mrs. Bill Tillman is recuperating at home after a recent operation at Southwest Hospital, Mangum.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Casey over the week end were his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Casey of McAllen, also Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howerton of Oklahoma City.

Mrs. W. W. Kennedy and Mrs. Troy Blakley are cooking at the school cafeteria this term of school.

The Sophomore class went to Mangum Friday night for a picnic and party. They were sponsored by the class parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Messenger, and sponsor, Burl Mitchell.

The seventh grade class enjoyed a picnic Friday at Mangum Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith returned Sunday from a trip to Chico, Calif., to see their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper, Larue and Mike.

Visiting their husbands at Camp Hood this last week were Mrs. Ralph Word, Mrs. Bobbie Brown and Mrs. Keith Logan.

Mr. and Mrs. Blasingame of Corpus Christi have been visiting his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Owens.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kromer and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Reeder attended the roping events in Hollis.

W. F. Taylor, who has been seriously ill, is now convalescing at his home. He has been in Southwestern Hospital in Mangum for the past two weeks.

Border Ray Merritt flew home recently from Chicago to see his parents. He is taking an advanced course in accounting in relation to his job in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Myers of California have visited with relatives and friends here recently.

Mrs. E. B. Baker is home from St. Joseph's Hospital in Wellington after a major operation. She is doing fine. A niece is here caring for her.

Mrs. Leona Ray of California is here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor since his illness.

Breaks Arm in Fall from Horse

Susan Sullivan, 12 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sullivan, received a broken left arm when she fell from the horse she was riding Friday, August 12.

Examination at St. Joseph's Hospital showed both bones of the arm broken between her wrist and elbow, Mr. Sullivan said.

The accident occurred as Susan and two cousins, Kent Clark and Jimmy Clark, were riding their horses at the south edge of town, near the Drury Lacy home. Mrs. Lacy and her son, Denzil Lacy, took Susan to the hospital where she remained overnight.

LILLIE NEWS

By Mrs. G. D. Thomas

Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Manuel and Mr. and Mrs. Don Manuel are visiting relatives in El Paso this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haralson were in Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Langford, Jan and Dan, spent the week end with Mrs. Bessie Drake and Mrs. Roy Jackson in Hobbs, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. George Creed and Mrs. Geneva Brown spent their vacation fishing in New Mexico last week.

Miss Judith Wilson vacationed for two weeks with relatives in El Paso and Pasadena.

Mrs. Mable Thomas had as supper guests last Tuesday night Miss Maud Thomas of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Anna McDonald of Carter, Okla., Mrs. Glen Bennett and Sally of Hollis, Mrs. Jim Lowe and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Thomas, and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Stafford and Susan of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lowe of Quail had as dinner guests recently Miss Maud Thomas of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Anna McDonald of Carter, Okla., Mrs. L. D. McMinn and Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bledsoe of Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. R. Z. Wilson of Borger visited in the Woodrow Wilson home last week.

The cotton in the Lillie community is beginning to need rain. Most of the farmers have laid by their crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cross and children of Rockeville, Md., and L. C. Brooks of Waurika, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. Eustace Brooks and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Velman Warrick and children, Frances and Dan, have returned from a short vacation at Red River, Santa Fe, and other points in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Riley and Alan Kent visited over the week end in Amarillo with her sister, Mrs. Buck Judd.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ball Jr., of Lubbock were week end guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ball Sr.

Mrs. D. E. Herring and children, Jane and Deloris, of Panhandle, visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lockhart.

READ THE WANT ADS

St. Joseph's Hospital Notes

Mrs. David Isaacs, medical, August 9 to 12.

Joe Ed White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed White, obstetrical, August 9 to 12.

Mrs. Charles Allen, medical, August 9 to 16.

Jerry Paul Allen, August 9 to 16.

Patsy Sue Clubb, 10, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Clubb, traumatic surgery, August 9 to 10.

Estevan Hernandez, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernesto Solis, traumatic surgery, August 10 to 14.

Granville Clark, medical, August 11 to 13.

Margaret Sue Sosa, 14-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Sosa, medical, August 11 to 12.

Tom Dobbs, medical, August 11.

Mrs. Lonnie Fuson, Norman, Oklahoma, medical, August 12 to 13.

Chester Hunter, medical, August 12 to 16.

Randy Cason, 7 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cason Jr., medical, August 12 to 13.

G. N. Scruggs, medical, has been hospitalized since August 12.

Mrs. Raymond Horton, surgical, was admitted August 12.

Susan Sullivan, 12 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sullivan, traumatic surgery, August 12 and 13.

Allen Comeau of Lawton, Okla., traumatic surgery, August 12 to 16.

Mrs. Frank Turley, surgical, was admitted August 13.

Mrs. Hardy Wright, surgical, admitted August 14.

A. R. Pepper, medical, admitted August 14.

Mrs. W. T. Poff, medical, admitted August 14.

J. J. Burns of Quail, medical, August 14 to 15.

Chester McLain, 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McLain, surgical, admitted August 14.

Luther Gene Wilson of Dodson, admitted August 15 as a medical patient.

Sidney Duncan, 8 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Duncan, surgical, admitted August 16.

Mrs. Bill Miller of Lela, medical, was admitted August 16.

Edgar Hale, 15 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hale, was admitted August 16.

Car-Motorcycle

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youth as he turned, Sheriff Rainey said.

Coleman's car was not involved in the crash.

The Parks youth received emergency treatment at St. Joseph's Hospital for a cut on one eye and bruises.

Rainey said that he and a friend, Beryle Murdock, 18, also of Jayton, were returning from a vacation to Colorado, when Murdock's motorcycle had a blow-out two and one-half miles south of town. He remained with his vehicle while Parks returned to Wellington to get pop for the two.

Parks father was en route to Wellington to pick up the boys when the accident occurred.

Both vehicles received considerable damage, according to Sheriff Rainey.

Lubbock Couple Return for Visit

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wells, now of Lubbock, were here recently to visit relatives, and return to the community where he was postmaster many years ago.

They were guests of his sister, Mrs. J. G. Gardner, and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Littleton.

With them were two sons, Ray Wells of Canyon and Arthur Wells of Shamrock.

The party drove to Rolla, where they lived several years. During this time Mr. Wells was postmaster, and the post office was in their home. The mail hack ran from Memphis to Wellington.

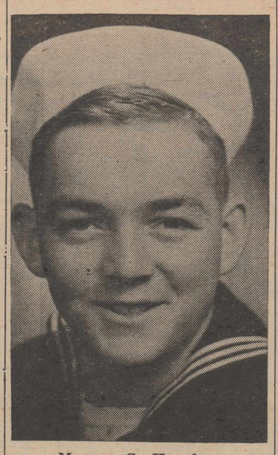
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wells returned with the couple to Lubbock, to help Mr. Wells celebrate his 80th birthday.

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News of Men in Service



Marcus G. Haralson

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Marcus G. Haralson, who entered the Navy in October, 1959, has completed six weeks training at the Navy's Submarine School in New London, Conn.

He was assigned to the Atlantic Fleet and is now stationed on the USS Chappa out of Key West, Florida.

He is due to leave soon on a cruise that will take him to points in Europe.

CRAILSHEIM, GERMANY (AHTNC)—Army PFC Maxie G. Tarver, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tarver, 1509 Dalhart St., Wellington, recently participated with other personnel from the 4th Armored Division's Combat Command C honor guard in ceremonies welcoming the unit's new commander, Colonel Glenn T. Pillsbury.

Tarver, a clerk in the command's Headquarters Company in Crailsheim, entered the Army in December 1958, completed basic training at Fort Hood, Tex., and arrived overseas the following May.

The 21-year-old soldier is a 1957 graduate of Wellington High School and was employed by the Porter Cattle Co. in Vega, before entering the army.

Funeral Rites

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28, 1903 to H. M. Alexander at that place.

She lived in Wellington 26 years, before moving to Amarillo in 1952. She was active in the work of the Christian Church.

Survivors are three sons, Bill Alexander of Amarillo, H. M. Alexander of Shamrock, Bulb Alexander of Shamrock; two daughters, Mrs. Beulah Jones of Fort Lupton, Colo., and Mrs. Murrel Houston of Raton, N.M. There are 18 grandchildren, and five great grandchildren.

A sister, Mrs. Pike of Los Angeles, Calif., also survives.

Vinson Group to Tennessee

Returning Wednesday from an extended trip through Tennessee were Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Myers, also Mrs. W. W. Monroe, Mrs. Spurgeon Brown and daughter, Kathi, of McAllen.

A brother, J. O. Myers, was visited in Murfreesboro, Tenn., and the group attended the sesqui-centennial of Warren County at McMinnville.

They also visited Mrs. Monroe's sister and other relatives at that town.

Later they went to the Oak Ridge project at Knoxsville, the Smoky Mountains, Lookout Mountain and Chickamauga Battlefield in Georgia.

Judge Gribble

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law. He resigned at Clarendon and came back to his native Wellington to open his office January 1, 1919.

He is judge of the 100th Judicial District, and of the 9th Administrative Judicial District. Formerly he was county judge and county attorney.

During this period, he has gained the reputation of seldom having a decision reversed on cases carried to a higher court.

A native of Wellington, he is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Gribble, among the towns earliest settlers. He attended the Wellington schools and was graduated from Clarendon College and Southwestern University at Georgetown. He taught in Cherokee Junior College from 1913 to 1915, and in Hamilton high school part of 1916. He came to Clarendon College, then a senior college, in 1916, and remained until he and the late Mrs. Gribble came here in 1919.

He is a member of the Wellington Rotary Club, the Wellington Chamber of Commerce, the Farm Bureau and an honorary member of the Wellington Fire Department.

A 32nd degree Mason and a Shriner, he is a member of the Dallas Consistory and of Khiva Temple, Amarillo. He is a life member of the University of Texas Dad's Association. He also is a licensed public accountant.

Gospel Meeting Set at Vinson

Minister J. R. Patterson of Wellington will preach at the gospel meeting to be held at the Church of Christ in Vinson.

The meeting will open Sunday, August 21.

Mrs. J. L. Hays returned Monday night from Dallas, where she attended a reunion of her family, the Allen reunion held Sunday. Her daughter, Miss Merle Hays, accompanied her from Wichita Falls.

First State Bank

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of all banks during the depression, it remained a strong institution.

In April, 1931, the bank had $108,231.44 in deposits, according to a published financial statement. At the same time, loans and discounts were $111,756.54.

In 1937, the bank had deposits of approximately $126,000 and loans of approximately $180,000.

Deposits reached their highest point in 1950, following the bumper cotton year of 1949, when they stood at $1,286,000.

Ten years later, in June 1960, the bank's assets totaled $674,669.51.

But while money is important to the operation of the bank, good will, trust, and respect are necessary too, and First State Bank has these in full measure from its loyal customers. A number have done business with the bank from the day it opened.

A few have told Mr. Teutsch they have never been in another bank.

The original charter for the bank was received on January 21, 1910, although it was not opened until later in the year. This year, the bank extended its corporate franchise for another 50 years.

Thomases Vacation at Points in West

Mr. and Mrs. Zook Thomas and daughter, Nancy, and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Alf Thomas of Shamrock, have returned from a vacation to California, with a high point being their visit to Catalina Island.

They went first to Grants, N. M., to visit Zook Thomas' brother, Mr. and Mrs. Trusten Thomas and family, and their next stop was at the annual Indian Festival at Gallup, N.M.

In Phoenix, Arizona, they were guests of Mrs. John Alf Thomas' brother, Wellman White and family, and of Zook Thomas' uncle and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Tiny Pearson.

Ireland's legendary Blarney Stone is kissed by throngs of tourists each year.

Personal

Mrs. Mayme Somerville has returned home from Santa Fe, N. M., where she has been visiting several weeks in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don McCaig.

Miss Sherri Somerville of Dallas visited here recently in the home of her aunt, Miss Daisy Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. John D.Ingram and sons of Amarillo visited here over the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Robertson and with his mother, Mrs. Homer Ingram.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lockhart and sons, Jerry and Ernest of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Morris W. Brown and Rosetta of Bethany, Oklahoma, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lockhart, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Riley and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lockhart.

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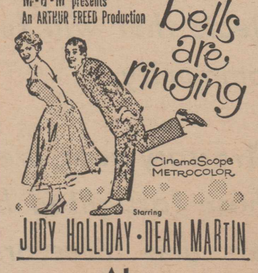
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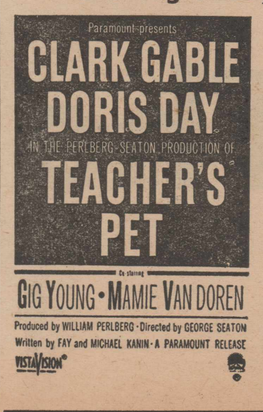
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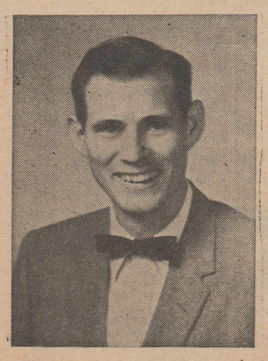
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