

The Mitchell County News

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The Mirror Through Which The Public Views The Community As It Is Week By Week

On The BEAM

By J. W. King, Sr.

This week marks the starting of the 27th year for The Mitchell County News, this being Volume 27, Number 1. The News was established in May 1931.

We read in the Roscoe Times that Roscoe is preparing to celebrate her Golden Jubilee June 21-22. We hope their celebration is as big success as was ours last year.

The rains continue to come at regular intervals for which we are very grateful. A lot of rain has come down the past thirty days, heavier in some spots than others but plentiful everywhere.

A lot of water has gone down the creeks in this area during the rains. A lot of it could have been saved for use here with dams on the creeks. As it is, the water has gone down to fill the lakes on the Colorado River above Austin.

Loraine gave up her rights to water in Champion Creek but there are other creeks around where smaller lakes could be built for recreation and future water use. We ought to do something about it before it is too late.

Fish Available For Tanks and Ponds

The long-dry tanks and ponds of Texas farms and ranches most of which are now filled with water from recent rains—can be restocked with game fish, Senators Ralph Yarborough and Lyndon Johnson have announced.

The two Texas senators said they had been informed by the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service that "fish for restocking are available and orders can be filled without delay."

This is the procedure for securing fish, as outlined to the Texas senators by the Fish and Wildlife Service:

1. The land owner makes application for the fish from the federal fish hatchery nearest him. There are five federal hatcheries in Texas, at Austin, Fort Worth, San Marcos, Burnet and Uvalde.
2. The application is sent by the hatchery to a regional office at Albuquerque, N. M., for processing.
3. Upon application approval, the fish are delivered.

CEMETERY FUND

Contributions to the cemetery fund the past week included: Mrs. W. L. Hester, Lubbock, \$10; Harry Hallmark, Loraine, \$5; Orville Kuykendall, Sudan, Texas, \$4.44; D. S. Riggs, Roscoe, \$5; Joe Williams, Roscoe, \$5; Morgan Hall, Stanton, \$25; Brown Sisters, Loraine, \$12.

MOTHERS HONORED

Members of the third grade and their teacher, Miss Gladys Spikes, honored their mothers at a tea in their class room after school Thursday, May 10.

As guests arrived, Beverly Doyle pinned favors on and Nancy Coffey registered guests. Mrs. Templeton and Barbara Brewer presided at the refreshment table serving cake squares and tea.

Vicki Baird was in charge of the program and announced the numbers which included telling of the origin of Mothers Day by Kenneth Brame and Mothers Day Prayer by Danny Tart.

Janet Sue Hall, Rita Templeton, Della Mae Browning, Sandra Channess, Nancy Coffey and Vicki Baird sang What Will Be Will Be.

Janet Sue Hall played a piano solo and a group from the class gave a little folk dance. Vicki Baird played two piano solos and Tedora Rodriguez and Leora Sanchez sang a Mothers Day song. The program closed with the entire group singing Mother.

The room was decorated with spring flowers, butterflies and birds. Eighteen mothers and two grandmothers were present. On Friday Miss Spikes and a group of parents took the pupils to Ruddick Park in Colorado City where they enjoyed a picnic and play hour. Parents who accompanied the group were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brewer, Mrs. Edw. Graham, Mrs. Price Hall, Mrs. L. O. Gober and Mrs. Loyd Brame.

SUFFERS INJURY

M. D. Cheek suffered injuries to his right thumb Monday when he caught it in a wheel at the Co-op Gin, where he was helping in repair work. Mr. Cheek is being treated at Johnson Hospital and doctors are hopeful the thumb can be saved.

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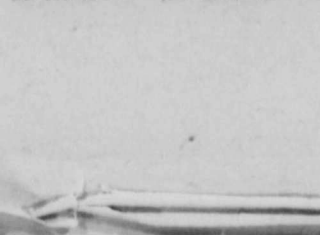
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Billy Cornutt



Linda Cary

Senior Commencement Program Set For Friday Night, May 17.

Commencement exercises for Loraine High School graduating class will be held at the high school auditorium Friday night, May 17.

Program for the evening will include the salutatory address by Maxie Sheppard, a valedictory address by Gary Mathis, and a song by Dana Bodine. Clyde Parnell will give the invocation and Margaret Horton the benediction. Mrs. Rex McDaniel will play the processional and recessional.

High school Principal Vance Dickenson will present the class and Piez Beatty, president of the school board, will present the diplomas. Supt. Don Robbins will present other awards.

Ushers will be Linda Linder, Virginia Templeton, Don Templeton and Jerry Robertson. Tommy Linam is president of the class. Other members are Mima Jane Dobbs, Lavonne Claxton, Nellie Neel, Jean Johnson, Sue Narrell, Margaret Horton, Maxie Sheppard, Marger Lou Thompson, Linda Cary, Kenzie Sue Butler, Arlie Neel, Jack Neel, Clyde Parnell, Wendell Banks, Billy Dale Blair, Franky Machart, Raymond Coldevey, Howard Bryant, Byron Bruce, Gary Mathis, Dana Bodine, Priscilla Givens, Annette Lee, Jimmy Lou Edwards, Joanne May, Barbara Haltom.

LIONS WILL INSTALL

Lions Club officers for the new year will be installed at a ladies night meeting on Tuesday, June 11. Ice cream and cake will be the refreshments.

Westbrook Hosts County Teachers

The county Teachers Association held the last meeting of the school term at the lunch room at Westbrook Tuesday night, May 14, with the president, Earl Cook, presiding.

A buffet supper was served and the election of officers for the new year followed.

Olsen Sweet of Colorado City will serve as president next year and Mrs. B. W. Tarr of Loraine as vice president. Miss Ruby Hines of Westbrook, 2nd vice president; Mrs. Holbert of Colorado City, treasurer; and Mrs. King of Colorado City, secretary.

Attending from Loraine were Mr. and Mrs. Vance Dickenson, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Haralson, Mrs. B. W. Tarr, Mrs. Ray Preston, Mrs. Drew Givens and Mrs. Floyd Coffey.

Plans had been made to hold the last meeting at Colorado Lake but due to high water in that area the meeting was moved to Westbrook.

HOSTS WEDNESDAY CLUB
Mrs. Bessie Johnson entertained with two tables of 42 when she hosted the Wednesday Club last week.

A salad plate with coffee was served to one guest, Mrs. Lydia Collins of Abilene, and Mmes. T. Finley, Henry Riden, Wade Preston, G. A. Hutchins, W. S. Thomas and Cora Hall.

NORTH LORAIN H. D. CLUB
The North Loraine Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Raymond Wheeler May 8, with the president, Mrs. Henry Taylor, in charge.

Mrs. Roy Wells led the club prayer and roll call was answered by current books I have read.

Mrs. Jack Linam gave the Council report and the work sheet was filled out. Mrs. Henry Taylor was nominated as prospective delegate to the state convention in Austin July 31.

Mrs. Jack Linam brought the program on storage for the living room.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served by the hostess to two visitors, Mrs. McGee and Mrs. Floyd Richey, and members Mmes Roy Wells, Willie Taylor, Harold Hallmark, Jack Linam, Henry Taylor, J. E. Price.

Mrs. Harold Hallmark will host the club for the next meeting.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Combs Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Combs and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Haltom of Abilene.

Seniors Go On Trip Next Week

The Loraine seniors, sponsors and room mothers will leave on their annual trip at midnight Monday, May 20.

Their first stop will be in Austin where they plan to have breakfast. In Austin they plan to visit the state capital, Texas University and other points of interest before leaving for San Antonio, where they will have lunch, spend the afternoon sightseeing and spend the night.

On Wednesday they will go to Corpus Christi to spend the night. From Corpus Christi they will go to Galveston where they will spend two days and nights with plans for swimming and other activities.

After leaving Galveston they will visit in San Jacinto Park and the battle grounds, the Battleship Texas and San Jacinto monument. From there they will go to Houston and plan to leave Houston Sunday, May 26, and arrive home that night.

Mrs. Dan Morgan and Miss Gladys Phillips, sponsors, and Mmes Bennett Blair, Jay Thompson, Kenneth Butler and Vel Sheppard, room mothers, will accompany the group. Also with the group will be Robert Taylor, band director, and Raymond Holt, agriculture teacher.

Butlers Host Senior Dinner Sunday

Members of the senior class held their annual dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Butler Sunday, May 12.

The class attended church at Salem Lutheran Church for the morning service and went to the Butler home for the noon dinner and get-together that afternoon before going to the church to prepare for the Baccalaureate service that night.

Room Mothers Mmes Bert Sheppard, Bennett Blair, Jay Thompson and Butler were hosts for the day's activities. Also present were Mr. Jay Thompson and Mr. Butler.

The tables were laid in blue linen with black and white napkins decorated with couples in caps and gowns. Miniature caps and diplomas were used as place favors. Arrangements of roses were used for the table centerpiece.

The theme was used for decorations through the dining and living rooms.

The menu consisted of baked ham, green salad, jello salad, corn, pickles, rolls, pie, tea and coffee.

Members of the class enjoying the occasion were Mima Jane Dobbs, Lavonne Claxton, Nellie Neel, Jean Johnson, Sue Narrell, Margaret Horton, Maxie Sheppard, Marger Lou Thompson, Linda Cary, Kenzie Sue Butler, Arlie Neel, Clyde Parnell, Wendell Banks, Billy Dale Blair, Franky Machart, Raymond Coldevey, Tommy Linam, Howard Bryant, Byron Bruce, Gary Mathis, and the sponsor Miss Gladys Phillips.

TAKE SHRINE DEGREES
Woodrow Pratt, C. L. Lefevre, Raymond Wheeler and Bill Bowles are in Dallas this week where they are taking the Shrine degrees in Masonry.

Hospital Notes
Admitted: Mrs. L. G. Slatyer, Mrs. Dan McFaul, Monroe Rannet, Roscoe; Mrs. Helen Thompson, James E. Morris, Mrs. Anastario Alvarez, Colorado City; Larry Miles, Sweetwater; Mrs. Domingo Morales, Hermleigh; Mrs. Paula Garcia, Mrs. Jose Jimenez, Mrs. S. E. Clements, Mrs. H. E. Wallingsford, Mrs. Young Hester, Mrs. Hazel Henderson, Raymond Lee Rich, Mrs. Katie Crawford, Mrs. Roy Johnson, Mayfield Cheek, Loraine.

Dismissed: Mrs. J. I. Latham, S. H. Garrett, Francisco Lomborn, Sheila Kinzey, Mardell Sheppard, Mrs. J. D. McDaniel, Mary Wallace Jackson, Gabriel Garcia, Mrs. Don McFaul, J. W. Moore, Larry Miles, Hazel Henderson, Yolanda Alvarez, James E. Morris, Mrs. Anastario Alvarez, Mrs. Paula Garcia.

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Pioneer Woman Dies In Dallas

Mrs. Mary Wallace Jackson, a resident of this section all of her life, died at the home of her daughter in Dallas Sunday night May 12. She had been ill several weeks and was taken to Dallas last Thursday from Johnson Hospital here.

Mrs. Jackson was born in Colorado City. She was the daughter of the late John and Laura Wallace. Her father, Daniel Webster Wallace, known as "80 John" first came to Mitchell County in 1879, returning a few years later and acquired considerable land holdings which the heirs still own.

Mrs. Jackson received her education at Texas College, Tyler, Texas, and DePaul University, Green Castle, Indiana, and taught school for many years. She was a member of the Methodist Church and served as President of South Central Jurisdiction of Methodist Church and was a consistent member through the years.

After retiring from the teaching profession several years ago, Mrs. Jackson built a home near the family home where a sister, Hettie Branch, live. Mrs. Jackson took much pride in her home and flower garden and it was indeed a haven for her after many years in the beloved school room. It was then that she had time for her hobbies which had held second place during her teaching career. She dabbled, as she once said, in oil painting, played the piano a little, and wrote many poems, a line in one of them is now a reality, she wrote, "It is then in memory I see Carson, Mother and Dad waiting for me."

Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Friday from the First Methodist Church, Loraine, with the Rev. E. A. Rogers of Abilene officiating.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Bert Mue, Dallas, Mrs. Alfred McMichael, Los Angeles, California; one son, D. C. Fowler, Jr., Loraine; one grandson, Alfred McMichael, Jr., Los Angeles; two sisters, Mrs. Travis Branch, Loraine, Mrs. Eula Wallace Harris, Greenville; one nephew, T. P. Fowler Jr., Loraine.

Palbearers will be Lester Davis, Isaac Elder, Austin Ramey, Norman Hemphill, Loraine, Arthur Ward, Abilene, and Joe Turner, Fort Worth.

Interment will be in the family plot on the estate beside her parents and her brother Carson.

Baptist Vacation Bible Sch. May 27-31

The annual Vacation Bible School, directed by the First Baptist Church, will be held May 27-31. All boys and girls through fifteen years of age are urged to be present for all the school.

The sessions will run from 8:30 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. Singing, Bible study, recreation and hand craft are in store for all who attend.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY
Keith Hamilton was complimented with a party and weiner roast at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hamilton, Thursday with Mrs. Lynn Hamilton and Mrs. C. C. Hamilton co-hosts.

Mrs. Hamilton picked up the group after school and went to the C. C. Hamilton home south of town, where the group spent most of the afternoon playing baseball.

Gifts were presented Keith and the supper was served to Keith and guests James Mahon, Ronnie Blair, Harold Ray Preston, Carroll Bowles, Ann Dickenson and Tim Hamilton.

SEVENTH GRADE HONORED

The seventh grade pupils were honored with a party in the Elwood Graham home Friday night May 10, by the room mothers, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Wilson Kidd and Mrs. Bud Shepherd.

Games were served and refreshments were played to Walter Clouton, Beth Shepherd, Carlos Galvan, Tony Melendez, Marie Galvan, Joyce Simon, Ann Dickenson, Gerald Owen, Don Redwine, Annette Browning, Orallia Morena, Manuel Vasquez, Katrina Wells, Barbara Kidd, Loyce Graham, David Little and James Compton.

Rainfall Double Yearly Average Up To This Date

Up to now 1957 has been the wettest year this part of the country has seen in a long time. April and May have been extra wet with April bringing more than twice the average rainfall and almost as much as the entire year 1956 brought.

The latest rain came last Sunday night. Loraine received only a light shower .25 of an inch, but north of town as much as 2 inches fell.

Through May 13, Loraine had received 13.25 inches of moisture for the year with 9 inches of it coming in April and May. At the moment, Wednesday, the prospects are good for more rain. The weather bureau says a squall line is moving in from the west.

Up to now this section of the country has been fortunate not to receive any extra heavy rain, hail or high wind during the rain period. Although there has been minor flooding and lots of water no serious damage has been caused by it.

Flooding of rivers and creeks in all parts of Texas has been a common occurrence during the past month the town of Lampasas in Central Texas was the hardest hit of all. There almost all the business section was wiped out by flood caused by a break in a levee. Many homes were washed from their foundations and some completely destroyed. Four lives were lost in the flood.

Givens Take Boat Ride In Oat Field

It has rained in this country. Mr. and Mrs. Drew Givens have evidence on their farm South of Loraine to prove it has rained a lot. In one corner of their field they had a diversion dam built to keep the excess water from washing their field away. In the area controlled by the dam was a field of oats before the rains.

After the rains the area became a lake of water and Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Givens and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Givens and son Alan of Hobbs, New Mexico, went motor boating on the lake.

The dam probably caused the loss of the small patch of oats but it kept the water from washing away tons of soil in other parts of the field.

Bobby Haley Wins FFA Speech Contest

Bobby Haley, member of the Loraine F. F. A. chapter, won the district FFA Public Speaking Contest at Roscoe Thursday, May 9. He used the subject "Agriculture, the Great Adventure."

Haley will compete in the Area 2 public speaking contest during the area convention at Brownfield May 31-June 1.

Second place winner in the district contest at Roscoe was Wendell Kent of the Sweetwater F. F. A.

PADGETT COMPLETES RADAR TRAINING

Fort Bliss, Texas. (AHTN)—Army Pvt. James W. Padgett Jr., whose wife, Jean, lives at 906 Howard Dr., Midland, Texas, recently completed radar operator training at Fort Bliss.

Padgett, whose father lives on Route 3, Colorado City, entered the Army last December and received basic combat training at Fort Bliss.

He is a 1953 graduate of Loraine High School and a former employee of Texas Electric Service Company in Midland.

SENIOR BOYS SECOND IN SOFT BALL IN DISTRICT

The high school senior boys won second place in the district soft ball games. The senior girls came out third.

In a game with Westbrook the boys won 19-18 and the grade school boys won 8-2. The girls lost to Westbrook 20-14 and 17-16.

Hermleigh defeated Sr. boys at Hermleigh Tuesday 8-6 and the grade school boys 25-3.

Jimmy Hall and his friend John Thames of Hardin-Simmons University, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall Jr.

Graduation Exercises for Eighth Graders Is Monday, May 20

FHA Honors Seniors and Teacher

In a meeting of the F. H. A. chapter at the homemaking cottage at 6:30 Tuesday night, Mrs. Dan Morgan, sponsor, and the senior girls were honored and new officers for the coming year were elected.

New officers are: Virginia Templeton, President; Wanda Moore, Vice President; Linda Linder, Secretary; Peggy Williams, Treasurer; Melba Thompson, Parliamentarian; Wanda Wells, Reporter; Carolyn Bauman, Historian; Patsy Hudgins, Song Leader; Golda Cary, Pianist.

Following the business meeting the chapter presented Mrs. Morgan a gift and the senior girls were given small measuring spoons tied with red and white ribbon.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served.

Cotton Farmers Told Industry Needs Efficiency

Speaking before a conference of farmers and businessmen at Civic House in Colorado City last Thursday night, Dr. Wayne Bennett, head of the economics department at Texas Tech, said cotton production in Mitchell County is below the national average.

"If cotton farmers wish to remain in business, they are going to have to compete with other cotton producing areas," Bennett said.

Dr. Bennett also pointed out that since synthetics are giving cotton products more and more competition, farmers will have to produce a better grade of cotton at a cheaper price and market it more efficiently.

Several times during his talk Dr. Bennett said that in time cotton farmers might have a better chance of staying in business if side crops, such as vegetables, were grown.

C. E. Fisher, director of the agricultural experiment station at Spur, talked about agriculture in general and touched on brush control, feeding beef cattle and water conservation.

Clinton Harber of West Point, Texas, was also scheduled to speak at the conference but failed to appear.

The conference was held under auspices of the Colorado City Chamber of Commerce agriculture committee. Elmer Martin is chairman of the committee.

HOSTS 1950 CLUB
Mrs. Pauline Smiley entertained with two tables of canasta when she hosted the regular meeting of the 1950 Club Thursday night.

Strawberry pie, fruit punch and coffee were served to Mmes. Bessie Johnson, Lily Bennett, Cora Hall, Troy Jones, Josephine Marshall, G. A. Hutchins, Alfred Richey.

FROM OUR FILES

From the files of The Mitchell County News of May 14, 1942

The high school band enjoyed a picnic at Colorado Park. Geo. Corse was director.

Dr. W. R. White, President of Hardin-Simmons University, addressed the senior class at commencement exercises on Friday, May 15. The class had 32 members.

Rufus F. Walker was elected Superintendent of Loraine public schools to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Ed E. Williams. Mr. Walker had been Principal at Highland.

Mrs. K. L. Taylor presented her piano pupils in recital on Saturday.

Members of the Baptist Church surprised their pastor, the Rev. H. A. Polnac, with a social in the basement. The occasion honored Rev. Polnac who had received his degree at the Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth the previous week.

Announcement was made of the

Exercises for the twenty-five grade school graduates will be held at the high school auditorium on Monday night, May 20.

Maxie Sheppard will play the processional and recessional. Minister A. C. Polk will give the invocation.

Dian Beatty will use the subject "We Count Our Blessings" in giving the salutatory address. Other numbers on the program will include a saxophone solo, "Poem", by Stanley Martin; class history, "A Page From Memory's Book" by Joe Edwards; class prophecy, "Previews of Tomorrow" by Larry Young; a group of 8th grade girls will sing "Blue Bonnets" and "Bless This House".

Ben Clouton Jr. will give "Dreams of Yesterday" as valedictory address.

American Legion Awards will be presented by Leroy White and Supt. Don Robbins will present the diplomas. Rev. Allen Adams will give the benediction.

Members of the class are Culla Armstrong, Jerry Baumann, Dian Beatty, Golda Cary, Ben Clouton, Jr., Joe Edwards, Dorothy Galvan, Anita Garcia, Mary Garcia, Senaida Garcia, Beatrice Goona, Dora Griffin, Barbara Hale, Judy Hudgins, John Jimenez, Kenneth Ray Johnson, Gola Liles, Stanley Martin, Leroy Ragin, Marvie Robertson, A. D. Simon, Floyd Stone, Jerry Templeton, Earnestine White, Larry Douglas Young.

Cullen Payne's Sister Dies In Sweetwater

Funeral services for Mrs. Pearl Hickson, 56, former resident of Colorado City, and sister of Cullen Payne of Loraine, were held at Kiker and Son Funeral Home Chapel at 2 p. m. Saturday, May 11.

Mrs. Hickson died at a Sweetwater hospital Thursday night after a short illness.

She was born July 14, 1900, in Hunt County and married Hubert Hickson in 1919. They moved to Colorado City in 1928 and to Sweetwater in 1930. She was a member of the Assembly of God Church.

Officiating were Rev. V. F. Love of Slaton, assisted by Rev. H. A. Tarkington of Sweetwater. Burial was in the Colorado City Cemetery under direction of Kiker and Son.

Survivors include her husband of Sweetwater; three daughters, Mrs. A. W. Phillips of Colorado City, Mrs. James Parham of Midland, Mrs. Goldie Tarter of Big Spring; two sons, Buford Hickson, Hobbs, N. M., and Hubert Hickson Jr. of Roscoe; three brothers, Cullen Payne of Loraine, Collin Payne, Colorado City, Lester Payne of McGregor; three sisters, Mrs. John Davis, Hermleigh, Mrs. Sam Tarters of Colorado City, and Mrs. Bessie Rummore of Georgia; and 13 grand children.

Visiting Mrs. Sallie Clement and Mrs. Nila Baker during this weekend were Mrs. J. D. Faulkner and Bobby of Fort Stockton, and Mrs. M. M. Page of Snyder.

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In Advance

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Mahon were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rickman and children of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Mahon and children of San Angelo. Other guests Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Mahon and children of Colorado City, Gordon Mahon of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Mahon and children of Loraine.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Land Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stanley and sons Larry and Don of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hall and sons Larry and Kim of Snyder and Hugh Stanley of Pecos.

Mr. and Mrs. Tharon Henderson and sons Jay and Brad of Andrews spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Henderson and Mrs. Pauline Smiley.

Guests of Mrs. Homer Wilson Wednesday were her sister, Mrs. A. L. McCarley, and daughters Mrs. Jim Underwood and Mrs. Virgil Laseter of Andrews, and Mrs. Knox Irvin of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hallmark of Sweetwater spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hallmark and Mrs. A. G. Mercer.

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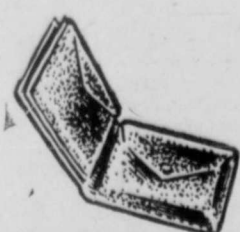
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MARY MARTHA CLASS

Mrs. Lester Webb and Mrs. Virge Wimberly were hosts at the May meeting of the Mary Martha Sunday School class in the Webb home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Raymond Wheeler gave the devotional and Mrs. Bud Shepherd brought the Bible lesson on the Life of Lydia.

Mrs. Laine McCollum directed the business meeting. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and punch were served to Mrs. Bud Shepherd, Laine McCollum, Pauline Smiley, Evert Henderson, Raymond Wheeler by the hostesses.

DORCAS S. S. CLASS

Members of the Dorcas Sunday School class of the Baptist Church held their regular business meeting at the church Monday night.

The meeting opened with singing the class song, Help Somebody Today, with Mrs. Homer Wilson leading and Mrs. Dexter Taylor accompanying.

Mrs. H. L. Leach led the opening prayer and Mrs. Walter Teeters brought a very interesting devotional on What Christ Means to Me, reading John 3:16.

Mrs. Leach had charge of the business meeting and Mrs. Dan Butler read the minutes. Committees were appointed to plan a class social for members and their families.

Those present were Mrs. Clifton Henderson, Homer Wilson, H. L. Leach, W. M. Teeters, Dexter Taylor, Coot Walker and Dan Butler.

BAPTIST W. M. U. CIRCLES

The Baptist W. M. U. met in their circles Monday afternoon. The Willie Mae Kennedy Circle met with Mrs. W. M. Teeters.

Mrs. Teeters read from Mark 4 in bringing the devotional. After the business meeting Mrs. Raymond Wheeler brought the Bible lesson from the study book Mothers of the Bible.

Refreshments of hot chocolate, sandwiches and cake were served to Mrs. Dan Butler, Dexter Taylor, Harold Hallmark, Tony Snyder, Raymond Wheeler, Pauline Smiley, Della Claxton.

The Mae Taylor Circle met with Mrs. W. H. Long with Mrs. H. L. Leach co-host.

Meeting opened with Mrs. W. C. Rogers and Mrs. R. K. Thornhill singing God Leads His Dear Children Along, and prayer led by Mrs. O. C. Lucas.

Mrs. W. D. Green gave the devotional using the words of the song God Leads His Dear Children as her subject.

In the business meeting it was reported that \$14 to send two Mexican boys to summer camp had been given by the circle. It was voted to study the book, A Call Comes Ringing as the next study book which will be started in June.

Mrs. Leach gave the story, The Burma Surgeon Carries On and Mrs. Green led the closing prayer.

Refreshments of cheese sandwiches, potato chips and punch were served by the hostesses to Mrs. W. D. Green, J. W. King, W. C. Rogers, R. K. Thornhill, A. J. Barron, Ed Miles, J. C. Hall, Henry Howell, O. C. Lucas and Jack Richey.

W. S. C. S. MEETING

The regular study meeting of the Womens Society of Christian Service was held at the church Monday afternoon.

After songs and prayer, Mrs. Marshall Bruce brought the lesson from the study book, There Is No End to God's Power, and Mrs. Jim Johnson followed with a devotional on the same subject.

ATTEND MY MEET

A group from the Loraine M. Y. F. attended a sub-district Youth Fellowship meeting at the First Methodist Church in Coahoma Monday night, May 13.

In the business meeting, Fran Griffin was elected secretary and Billy J. Long, Christian Fellowship chairman of the district for the new year.

Those attending from here were Fran Griffin, Beverly Johnson, Barbara Mahon, Katrina Wells, Virginia Templeton, Raymond Coldeve, Billy J. Long and Maylon Beatty. They were accompanied by Rev. Allen Adams and Mrs. Bruce Johnson.

MRS. HALL SPEAKS AT MOTHER-DAUGHTER FETE

Mrs. J. C. Hall, Jr. was guest speaker at the Mother-Daughter banquet sponsored by the Womens Missionary Society of the Oak Street Baptist Church in Colorado City Monday night.

Approximately 72 attended, including the junior and intermediate G. A. and their mothers, and counselors.

The topic of Mrs. Hall's talk was "You Become What You Think and Do." Using the G. A. watchword as the key scripture which is found in Isaiah 6:1.

Mrs. Hall was presented a gift of appreciation at the close of the program.

BAPTIST BROTHERHOOD

The regular Brotherhood meeting of the First Baptist Church was held at the fellowship hall Monday night.

Rev. W. D. Green led the opening prayer and Moody Richardson led the song service with Mrs. Dexter Taylor accompanying.

H. L. Leach had charge of the program on the subject, Southern Baptist Hospitals. Those giving parts were J. C. Hall, Moody Richardson, Rev. Rine and Rev. Green. Dan Butler led the closing prayer.

Evert Henderson served coffee to Rev. Rine, Rev. Green, Gene Baird, Moody Richardson, Clifton Henderson, Watt Hart, Dan Butler, Edgar Baumann, Howard Combs, J. C. Wells, H. L. Leach and J. C. Hall.

HEADS GLEANERS CLASS

In a meeting of the Gleaners Sunday School class at the home of Mrs. C. C. Hamilton Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Hamilton was elected president of the class for the new year.

Mrs. Marshall Bruce was co-hostess. Meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. T. C. Wilson and devotional by Mrs. J. G. Bruce using the subject, Faith, and read from Psalms 105 and closed the devotional with prayer.

Mrs. J. D. McDonald, president, had charge of the business meeting which opened with singing the class song, What a Friend We Have in Jesus, led by Mrs. Hugh Hallmark. Mrs. S. E. Meadows led in prayer.

Reports were heard from all committees and Miss Annie Jarratt gave the treasurer's report for the past year.

The nominating committee recommended the following officers who were elected: President, Mrs. Hamilton; vice president, Mrs. John Mahon; secretary, Mrs. C. T. Beights; treasurer, Miss Annie Jarratt; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Vanda Martin; study leader, Mrs. J. G. Bruce; reporter, Mrs. F. M. Richey; teacher, Mrs. Jim Johnson; assistant teacher, Mrs. E. M. Bruce.

Mrs. Cora Hall led the Lord's Prayer after which a refreshment plate was served by the hostesses to Mrs. C. H. Horton, T. C. Wilson, Hugh Hallmark, Cora Hall, J. D. McDonald, J. E. Price, S. E. Meadows, Joe Bennett, J. G. Bruce, C. T. Beights, C. M. Duke, John Mahon, Lula McGowan, Floyd Richey, a visitor, Mrs. T. T. Boatler, and Miss Annie Jarratt.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Butler Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Butler and Judy of Midland, Mrs. H. B. Wilson, and Danny Butler. Afternoon visitors in the Butler home and with Mrs. H. B. Wilson included Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Elliott and Mrs. Charles Godwin, Marilyn and Joyce of Colorado City; Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wilson of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Martin and Janie of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McFall of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stanley of Sweetwater; and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bruce.

Hester Faulkenberry of Fort Worth visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Faulkenberry, here during the weekend as he was enroute to Pecos, where he will have headquarters as he begins work as driver for the Greyhound Bus Lines.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Smith of Texas Tech spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Templeton, and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Smith in Roscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Preston and Mrs. Clay Graham and children spent Tuesday in Big Spring visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Hill.

Guests in the Mrs. J. E. Spikes home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Burr Brown of Coahoma, Howard Spikes and Mrs. Jack Guley and children of Big Spring.

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Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffee spent Sunday in Lubbock with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Cartwright. The occasion celebrated Mrs. Cartwright's birthday and a Mothers' Day dinner for Mrs. Coffee.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to everyone that did anything in any way for our loved one, Mrs. J. L. Pratt. Our friends and neighbors for the food, flowers and comforting words.

To the doctors and nurses at Johnson Hospital who were so kind and helpful we will always remember you and be grateful. May God's richest blessings be on all of you.

The family of Mrs. J. L. Pratt

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jean Sunday were their two daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nunn and Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn Bruce of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jabus Hall and family of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Doss of Colorado City visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Land, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Deryl Bennett of Andrews spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Loal Brown and family of Odessa spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. D. R. Smith, and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Lee.

Guests of Mrs. W. S. Walker Saturday were Mrs. Maxine Walker and daughter Shirley Jean of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. May and Joan spent the weekend in Odessa with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Stahl and their son Ed Stahl Jr. who was visiting there from Portland, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Hamilton and children of Andrews spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hamilton, and Mrs. W. C. Hock. Others visiting Mrs. Hock were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Payne and Betty of Poteet and Mr. and Mrs. Reese Hays of Olney.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Meadows during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Crippliver of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell Costin and sons of Haskell. Others visiting Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Forest Meadows and baby of Colorado City.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Blair Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Glass of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Blair and children of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Blair and children of Colorado City, and Mr. and Mrs. Moody Richardson.

Visiting in the Cullen Payne home over the weekend and attending the funeral of Mrs. Hubert Hickson in Colorado City Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Payne and children of McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. Parvin Scarborough and children of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Scarborough and Max, Mrs. John Hayslip and son of Hobbs, N. M., Mrs. Clyde Smith of Eunice, N. M., and Mrs. Kenneth Moore and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Campbell of Amarillo spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Campbell. Others visiting in their home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lee Campbell of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Campbell of Champion.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Whitacre and daughter Carol Jane of Fort Stockton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook, Jo and Billy of Garden City, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnson, Jim and Judy of Aspermont.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Shepherd went to Dallas Wednesday and Mrs. Shepherd left from there by plane for Camp Lejeune, N. C., where she will visit her daughter-in-law and grandson while Max is on assignment at Quantico, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Taylor visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hamilton, at Olden Thursday and Friday. The Williams are announcing the birth of a son April 26, named Jerry Dean.

MAKE TOUR OF HOMES

Mrs. J. C. Hall Jr. and Mrs. A. G. Furlow Jr. attended the Pilgrimage of Homes tour sponsored by the 1949 Study Club in Colorado City Thursday night.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. G. C.

Martin Sunday were Mrs. May Martin and Mrs. Loyd Murrell of Sterling City, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. John D. Norris of Roscoe.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart and little sons returned home Tuesday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Stevenson, in Boswell, Oklahoma, and with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hodges, in Paris, Tex.

Mrs. Lois Caswell returned last week from Salt Flat, where she spent a week with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kimsey.

Joe Connor of Big Bend is here this week visiting in the Jeff Davis and W. L. Swafford homes.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Long Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Richburg of Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hodges of Roscoe, and their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Campbell of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bob Long and daughters of Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Marshall visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith, in Ranger over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Jarratt and daughter, Mrs. Ralph Russell and daughter Myra Jean, of Fort Davis, came in last Thursday and visited relatives here until Tuesday. Mrs. Jarratt remained to be with her mother, Mrs. J. F. Reeder, who remains seriously ill in the Johnson Hospital.

Mrs. Pearl Albright left Saturday for Grand Prairie, where she is visiting in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Albright.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Marshall and daughter Nancy of Big Spring spent Sunday with Mrs. Josephine Marshall and Mrs. Ruby Robertson.

Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Rine and little daughter Wanda Ann left Tuesday for Shreveport, La., where they will spend several days with her brother and family.

Mrs. W. O. Stewart returned home Wednesday from Post, where she had spent ten days with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Stewart, Jr.

Mrs. G. A. Hutchins and Mrs. Hunter Looney are visiting Mrs. W. L. Hester in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Looney visited relatives in Coahoma Sunday.

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For Sale—Boston Screw Tail pups, 2 females, 1 male. Jeff Davis. 50-21p

For Sale—Guar seed, 5c per lb. Charles Finley. 1-21p

For Sale—A. C. combine, needs some repairs. Dr. B. H. Johnson. 1-21c

For Sale—Improved Porter tomato plants. Mrs. John Johnson. 11c

Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett, T. R. Bennett, Joe Bennett heard Dr. Wayland Bennett, son of the James Bennetts, when he spoke to Mitchell County cotton farmers at Civic House in Colorado City Thursday night.

Dr. Bennett is head of the economics department at Texas Tech. He and Merlin Bennett were guests of their parents for dinner Thursday evening.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hart Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lankford and children of Westbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Lankford and Do-lores of Ackerly, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lankford and Kaynell, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lankford.



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James Carroll Wilson of Abilene spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thompson and son of Jal, N. M., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Claxton.

Mrs. Douglas Smith and Mrs. Bob Price of Midland spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Narrell.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Reed were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Petty of Fort Worth, and her mother, Mrs. E. G. Ussery of Champion. Others visiting Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lawhon of Sweetwater.

Mrs. W. E. Clopton returned home Friday after spending three weeks in Fort Worth with her daughter, Mrs. Evans.

SON IS CHRISTENED

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Darden had their little son, Roy Dean, Jr., christened at Grace Lutheran Church in Snyder at the service Sunday morning, May 12. Officiating was the pastor, the Rev. Walter Lentz.

Maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bauman, were baptist sponsors.

Mr. and Mrs. Baumann and their children Carolyn, Jerry and R. J., spent Sunday in the Darden home.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Stewart during the weekend were Gene Stewart of Ozona and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brown of Ralls.

Dian Narrell, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Narrell of Abilene, spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Narrell.

Mrs. Laura Kirkman of Fort Worth visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Reed, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Linnam and little son Stevie of El Paso, came in Saturday and are spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Linnam.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Blair over the weekend were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harris of Fort Worth, her sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Nichols of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Yant of Ft. Worth, and Mrs. Bill Druggier and children of Kilgore, and her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Harris and daughter of Sherman.

Others visiting in their home Sunday were Mrs. Richard Blair and baby of Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. David Pierce and son of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Graham visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Chastain, in Midland over the weekend.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Green over the weekend were Mrs. M. D. Cheek Jr. and children of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scrivner and Bill of Rankin.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. White Sunday were Mrs. J. C. Holderman and children of Roscoe, Mrs. Don Cranfill and children of Maryneal, Rev. Wesley Hurt of Comanche, Betty, Marsha and Barbara Roberts of Sweetwater. Others visiting in their home Monday and Tuesday were Mrs. C. C. Oliver of Colorado City, Mrs. Jack Hepponstahl of Big Spring and Mrs. Dale Jennings of Grand Saline.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mahoney and Nubbin visited the Walter Lehmanns in Abilene Sunday afternoon.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wiggins last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wiggins and Mr. and Mrs. Audie Graham of Ackerly, Dois McKee and a friend from Big Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Wiggins of Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Sanders of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Tartt Sunday.

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Strawberries
each 19

Donald Duck
Orange Juice
6 oz can 15

Half Gallon
Frozen
Cream 39

Spuds No. 1
Russets 10 lb
bag 49

Bananas lb 12

Nabisco Graham
Crackers lb 33

Giant Size
Tide 69

Kimbells
Oleo lb 21

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Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Payne accompanied their daughter, Mrs. John Hayslip and little son, to their home in Hobbs, N. M. Sunday and remained until Tuesday, visiting in the Hayslip and Elbert Scarborough homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn Bruce and children of Midland spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bruce. Visiting in their home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Daylon Bruce and son of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Narrell and Cub Narrell spent Thursday in Hamilton visiting their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Narrell.

Mrs. Leo Sawyer and children of Big Spring returned to their home Monday after spending the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. White.

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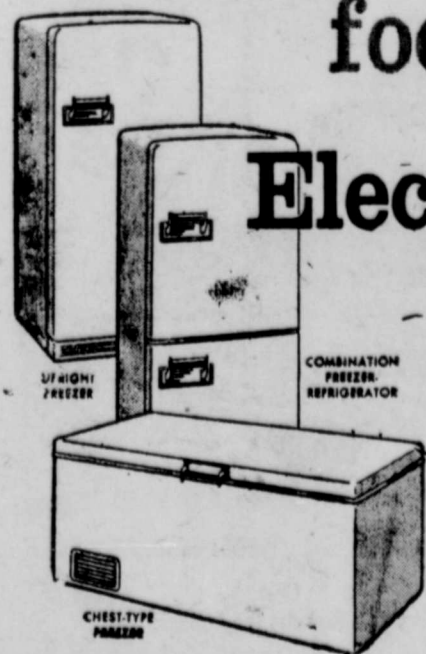
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SON IS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Spence of Abilene are announcing the birth of a son, Keven Douglas, on May 12. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith, maternal grandparents, visited in the Spence home Sunday night and Monday and little Debby Spence returned with them and remained until Thursday.

FOURTH GRADE PICNIC

Mrs. Russell Cope and Mrs. Wilmon Tarrt and their fourth grade pupils and several parents enjoyed a picnic and ball game on the football field Friday as a final party before the closing of school.

EIGHTH GRADE PICNIC

The eighth grade students and their sponsor Miss Edith Wilkerson, and room mothers, Mmes. Harold Martin, Garland Cary, Allen Beatty and Floyd Griffin, enjoyed a picnic at Sweetwater Park to climax activities for the school year.

Lunch was served and the group played games during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Martin of Roscoe visited Mrs. Vanda Martin Saturday night.

FIRST GRADE PICNIC

Pupils of the first grade and their teacher, Mrs. Floyd Coffee, were invited to the Edgar Bauermann home Friday, May 10, where they enjoyed a picnic outing during the noon hour and afternoon.

Parents attending were Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Polk, Mrs. W. D. Cain, Mrs. Charles Finley, Mrs. F. E. Armstrong, Mrs. D. H. Hoover and Mr. and Mrs. Bauermann.

PEP SQUAD NEWS

The pep squad met Monday, May 13, to elect the assistant cheer leader and choose colors for the 1957-58 suits.

Jean Kidd, Mary Ann Wright, Judy Hudgins and Treva Hays were elected assistant cheer leaders and it was voted to make the suits of black corduroy for the skirts, gold corduroy weskets, white blouses and sweaters with black loafers and white socks.

Mrs. Fred Mueller of Lubbock visited Mrs. W. S. Thomas and other friends in Loraine Thursday.

Mrs. J. D. Sheffield visited her sister, Miss Lucy Morris, in Abilene Wednesday and Thursday.

WORKS FOR SHELL OIL CO.

Gordon Mahon has accepted a position with Shell Oil Company at Andrews and went to work there Friday.

Gordon, a graduate of Loraine High School and McMurry College, spent two years in the U. S. Army, most of the time stationed in Alaska. He returned to Loraine recently from Washington, D. C., where he worked for three months.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Stokes of Felt, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Turnbow of Portales, New Mexico, visited Claude and Maggie Craghead and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hale last week.

Mrs. M. T. Turnbow of Floyd, New Mexico, and Mrs. Curtis Rogers of Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hale Saturday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Vest over the weekend were her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Knight of San Diego, California, and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Sturdivant and son Randolph of Lubbock. Others visiting Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Vest and daughters of Hermleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Liles and Gayla spent the weekend at Alba, Texas, visiting their mothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Thomas accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shields of Roscoe to Dublin Sunday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Muns of Sweetwater spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. S. Muns.

Henry Neill spent several days last week in Monahans visiting his son, Floyd Neill and family.

Mrs. C. H. Bell of Odessa spent Sunday and Monday with her mother, Mrs. W. S. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Milsap and sons of Arlington spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall Sr.

Morgan Hall of Stanton and Homer Smith of Midland visited friends in Loraine Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bland and son Kenny of Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. Glen Coon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Gray of San Angelo visited her mother, Mrs. W. J. Coon, Sunday.

Guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sheffield Friday was his nephew Arland Smith, of Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Atwood Sheffield and little daughter visited Miss Lucy Morris in Abilene over the weekend.

The Rev. Cary from Fairbanks, Alaska, visited Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Green during the week end. Rev. Cary is here as representative to the Southern Baptist Convention which meets in Chicago, Illinois, May 27.

Budget Will Be Cut
Sen. Johnson Says

Senator Lyndon B. Johnson declared Sunday, in a statewide radio report to the people of Texas, that President Eisenhower's proposed budget for the next fiscal year can and should be cut, and expressed confidence that it will be cut.

Pointing out that the Senate will be working on appropriations bills during much of May and June, the Texas Senator said every proposed expenditure should be given "the closest possible scrutiny."

"I have no doubt we will find material cuts can be made," he said, "and without impairing our national security, without weakening our position in the world, and without crippling the necessary and accepted domestic functions of our Government."

Senator Johnson pointed out that he recently sent a questionnaire, including one question dealing with the budget, to a large group of representative Texans and asked their opinions on the issues listed.

Out of a total of approximately 9500 replies to date, he reported, 8,035 Texans said the budget should be reduced.

"There is only one way to cut the budget," the Senator said. "That is to trim down in the appropriations bills the expenditures requested by the President."

"That is the responsibility of Congress. It is a responsibility that must be met in a prudent and determined manner."

"We don't have to use a meat ax on the budget. But neither do we need to confine ourselves to a pen knife."

Mrs. Woodrow Pratt and Mrs. Ira Coffee visited their sister, Mrs. Albert Williford, and aunt, Mrs. Hark Haney, in Roscoe Sunday afternoon.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones and Billy Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bob Long and little daughters of Colorado City, Mrs. W. J. Jones and Mrs. Cora Hall. Afternoon visitors were Smith Jones and daughters of Roscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Finch are visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Twaine Price, in Crane this week.

Guests of Mrs. Charlie Lee Sunday were Mrs. Pete Pyle, C. L. Lee Jr. and Mrs. Curtis Baker and children of Midland. Mrs. Baker remained until Wednesday.

Mary Bowlin of Snyder spent Friday night and Saturday with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hamilton. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bowlin visited here Saturday and Mary returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Phillips and little son Pete of Goldsmith spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hallmark.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Coffee and Mrs. T. J. Coffee Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Coffee, Mrs. Robert Bruce and daughters of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Smith and daughter Joy of Sweetwater.

Mrs. W. J. Jones returned home last week after spending three weeks with her sister, Mrs. Homer Johnson, in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Tarrt and daughters spent the weekend in Elmdale visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Young.

Guests present for a dinner honoring Mrs. Bee Wilkerson on Mothers Day were Mrs. Anna Bess Dixon and daughter Judy of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Snyder and Ross Blanton and Miss Edith Wilkerson.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ira Williamson, Sandra and John, of Colorado City, and Mr. and Mrs. Olan Griffith and Patty of Snyder.

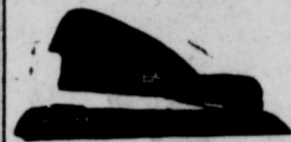
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Barron Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harlow of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Woods of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barron and Wayne, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Barron and Rita of Loraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Kegans and sons Rusty and Chad, left Sunday for Wichita Falls, where they will make their home. Mrs. Kegans and sons have visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Walker, the past six weeks while Mr. Kegans has been in Abilene for an on-the-job training course before he began work for the Commercial Firestone Company in Wichita Falls.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Faulkenberry were Mrs. A. A. Johnson and son Johnnie and Hester Faulkenberry of Fort Worth. Visiting in their home Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. David Faulkenberry and children of Big Spring. Other Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Forest Faulkenberry and children of Lamesa, and Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Faulkenberry and family of Brownfield.

Irma Hays of Hardin-Simmons University spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hays.

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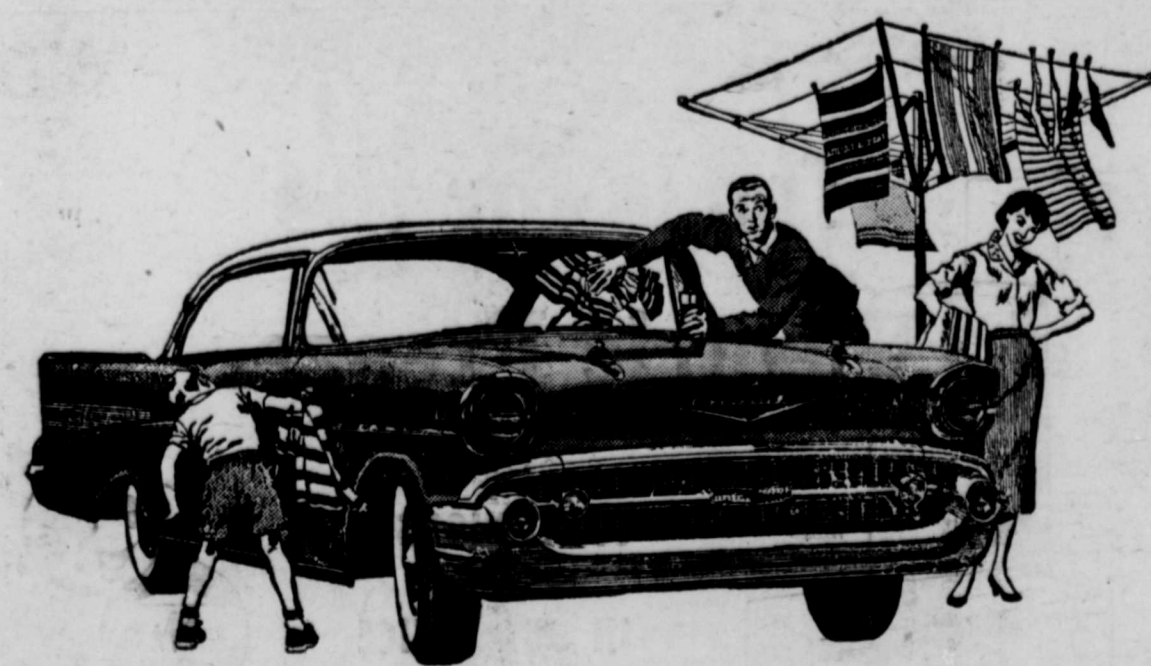
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