

On The BEAM

By J. W. King, Sr.

You know, this town of Loraine has an institution of which every citizen can be proud. That institution is our hospital. We sometimes are prone to forget what a hospital really means to the community. But when pain strikes our body we are mighty glad that we have a hospital in our midst. So many towns the size of Loraine and even larger have no hospital and no doctor. It must be terribly inconvenient when you get sick to have to go miles away from home to get the services of a hospital. We don't know how fortunate we are to have two fine doctors and a hospital staffed with competent and kind nurses to care for the health of this community.

Besides being a comfort to those who are sick in this community our hospital is one of the best assets our town has. It draws patients here from far and near, and with the patients come members of their families.

It looks to me like the days of a small farmer are numbered. That is they are numbered unless the small farmer himself does something to help himself make a living. Cotton acreage continues to be cut year after year and the small farm no longer has enough cotton acreage to produce enough cotton to make all the money the farmer needs to keep up the payments on his place and to live comfortably. More payments from the government are not the answer to the problem. Each farmer will have to produce something besides cotton that he can turn into cash. What that may be can best be determined by the individual farmer.

Casting about to locate some commodity that community does not have in plentiful supply and would bring in some cash we discover there is no milk produced here to speak of, nor are there any eggs, not much pork and few cattle on feed.

Willing Workers Honor Class Member

The January meeting of the Willing Workers Sunday School class was held at the home of Mrs. Bruce Johnson Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. After the business meeting and devotional other guests called for an hour when the class honored a member, Mrs. P. E. Beatty, with a pink and blue shower.

Coffees with Mrs. Johnson were Mrs. James Bennett and Mrs. Jim Johnson.

Mrs. Bennett gave the devotional, reading scriptures from Matthew 5, and talked on the subject "Counting Our Blessings of the Past Year and Setting Our Standards Higher for this New Year."

Mrs. Willie Taylor led in prayer following the devotional after which Mrs. Doris Martin, president, was in charge of the class business meeting when it was voted to buy the new 1956 Sunday School Commentary for the class teacher, Mrs. Jim Johnson. Mrs. Martin closed the meeting with prayer.

During the social hour honoring Mrs. Beatty, Mrs. K. L. Taylor and Mrs. Floyd Coffey directed baby quiz games with prize packages being presented to the honored guest.

During the conversation hour, Mrs. Doris Martin played a melody of cradle songs and lullabies. Refreshments of spiced tea, kabobs, sandwiches and minis were served. Guests were Mrs. Lowell Baird, Mrs. Ray Harmon of Big Spring; Little Debbie Spence, Abilene; Mmes. Vanda Martin, Joe Bennett, Jackie Walker, W. O. Stewart, Sr. and Ida Baird.

The February meeting of the class will be held with Mrs. Jack Linnam, Mrs. J. L. Thomas co-host, and Mrs. Virgil Walker bringing the devotional.

HAS SURGERY IN NAVY

Billy Joe Epperson had major surgery in the U. S. Naval Hospital in San Diego, California, recently.

Billy Joe would appreciate hearing from Loraine friends. His address is US Naval Hospital, Ward 134H, San Diego, California.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Green, Sr. over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scrivner and Bill of Rankin, Mrs. M. D. Cheek, Jr. and children of Abilene, and Mrs. Bert Affleck, Jr. of Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mearse accompanied by her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hoback of Colorado City made a trip to Fort Worth over the week end.

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A BRIGHTER LORAINA PLANNED BY LIONS CLUB COMMITTEE

Feeling that the business section of Loraine could be brightened considerably with the use of more neon signs, the Lions Club has agreed to encourage more business places to install such signs.

There is no doubt but that you have driven through other towns that were blazing with signs then you came into Loraine with very few such signs and it made you feel that somehow Loraine is behind the times. You would like to see the town all bright and shining. It would help your feelings and you know that others would take notice of the town and things would be better.

A committee of three has been appointed to contact business houses and encourage them to install a neon sign. The committee is composed of Wiley Walker, chairman, Percy Bond and J. H. Boone.

CEMETERY FUND

Contributors to the Lions Club Cemetery Fund the past week were Wright Hock \$5; Mrs. C.W. Hock \$5.00; Leon Carroll, Odessa \$5.00.

HOSTS 1956 CLUB

Mrs. Doris Martin entertained with two tables of canasta when she hosted the regular meeting of the 1956 Club Monday night.

Fourteen tables held bud vases of narcissus and refreshments of coconut squares, and punch was served.

Those playing were Mrs. Harold Morris, a guest, and Mmes. Bessie Johnson, Lily Bennett, Fay McCallum, Cora Hall, Alfred Richey, and G. A. Hutchins.

Cage Layers Subject Of Meeting Friday

People of Mitchell County who are interested in cage layers are invited to attend a meeting at civic house in Colorado City Friday night at 7 o'clock.

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SMALL IRRIGATION WELL PAYS COLORADO JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COM.

A small irrigation well will pay its way on a small acreage. A demonstration of that fact was made by the Colorado City Junior Chamber of Commerce in 1955, according to Elmer Martin who heads the agriculture committee of the organization.

The Jaycees leased a small block of land from the city of Colorado and last year drilled a well on the acreage which produced only 58 gallons per minute. In spite of the small well the Jaycees bought a sprinkling system and irrigated 4.3 acres of cotton in 1955. From the small block they gathered 6.6 bales of 500 pound weight which grossed \$872.59. After picking costs were paid the acreage netted \$681.48 and the Jaycees kept four bales of seed to be sold as planting seed in addition.

ENTERTAINS GUESTS

Mrs. G. A. Hutchins had her guests her sister, Mrs. Ida Franklin of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pool of Abilene. They accompanied her to Big Spring where they spent Friday night with a sister, Mrs. Clara Coffey.

On Saturday they visited in the home of their brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Jones, at Lenora, where a joint birthday dinner was served for four brothers and sisters and a niece who had January birthdays.

While away they also visited two other sisters, Mrs. C. E. Willingham and Mrs. K. S. Boone at Midland, and in Stanton with another brother, Paul Jones. They returned home last Thursday and Mrs. Hutchins and Mrs. Hunter Looney took them to Abilene Friday and visited in the Pool home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Tarrt and girls spent the weekend at Elmdale with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Young, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Tarrt accompanied them and visited his brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Tarrt, in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Tarrt visited in the H. T. Sanders home in Big Spring Monday and Mrs. W. H. Tarrt returned with them after visiting several weeks in the Sanders home.

Jeff Manley Dies At Singleton

Funeral services for Jeff Manley, 73, were held at the Navasota Funeral Home at 2 p. m. Sunday, January 29.

Mr. Manley was born in Grimes County, Texas, and he and his wife, the former Annie Horton, and their family lived in Loraine for several years in the 1920s.

Mr. Manley had lived alone at his home in Singleton, Texas, since the death of his wife three years ago. He apparently died in his sleep Thursday night and was found dead in bed early Friday by a neighbor.

Survivors include two sons and three daughters: James and Harold Manley of Houston, Mrs. Stella Wingard of Navasota, Mrs. Maude Long, Houston, and Mrs. Margaret Hayes of College Station; two sisters, Mrs. Phil Horton of Loraine and Mrs. Annie Anderson of Houston; by five brothers, Marion and Bob of Huntsville, Texas, C. H. of Bumble Bee, Arizona, Jim of San Angelo, and Hamp of Lincoln, Nebraska.

MEXICAN SUPPER

The senior class will serve a Mexican Supper at the Lions Club building on the evening of February 18. Proceeds will help to finance the annual senior trip.

HOST BRIDGE

Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Johnson hosted three tables of bridge when they entertained at the regular Bridge Club meeting Tuesday night.

Those playing were Messrs and Mmes. Henry Doss, Glen Coon, Jack Coffey, Woodrow Pratt, Hubert Thomas and B. W. Tarrt. Refreshments of pecan pie and coffee were served.

Classified Ads Pay

Meeting of Farmers Thursday Night

A Farmers Union organization is in the process of being organized in Mitchell County as a result of a meeting of farmers of the county held in District Court room of the courthouse last Friday night which about 40 farmers attended.

Doyle Hester of Loraine was elected temporary chairman of the organization and a committee was appointed to solicit members for the organization. 100 members are required for a charter for the county unit. The committeemen are Don Henderson of Westbrook, Jim Barkley of Valley View, Jack Linnam and Guy Hildebrand of Loraine, Kay McCarley, Jr. of Longview.

Mr. Max Carriker of Roby was the principal speaker. Mr. Alex Dickey of Denton, state president of Farmers Union, was also present.

Hester said in announcing another meeting for Thursday night of this week that "any farmer who hears the explanations of the objectives of Farmers Union will surely be interested in the organization."

Hal and Dale Haralson of Hardin Simmons University spent the mid-semester holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Haralson. Hal accompanied a group from the Life Service Band of HSU to Kermitt Sunday and brought the morning message when the group presented the program at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Faulkenberry Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. David Faulkenberry and children, Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Forest Faulkenberry and family, Lamesa; and Dr. and Mrs. Garland Faulkenberry and family, Brownfield.

Mrs. Wiley Walker spent from Wednesday until Sunday in Odessa visiting in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allbright, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Kegans and Rusty spent Sunday there and she returned with them.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett and Mrs. Jack Linnam spent the week end in Portales, N. M. visiting in the W. A. Jackson home and attended the Golden Wedding anniversary open house for the Jacksons on Sunday afternoon.

Loraine Boxers In Abilene Tournament

For the first time in history a boxing club from Loraine entered competition at the golden gloves tournament held at Abilene Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights of last week.

The boxers were coached by Bill Everett, Loraine High School coach.

Competing in the lightweight division Thursday night Calvin Halton defeated by decision Gilbert Martinez of San Angelo. Elmer Miles lost by decision to Jack Ackers of Cisco. In the welterweight division John Miles lost by TKO in the first round to Tommy Reynolds of Cisco.

In the heavyweight division Bill Narrell lost by decision to Charles Baldwin of Seymour.

Friday night Calvin Halton again won by decision in the lightweight division over William Arledge of Seymour. In the welterweight division Clayton Cleaver won by default over Jihad Warwar of HSU. Darrell Owens lost by TKO to Tommy Collier of Cisco in the lightweight division. In the welterweight division Eddie Galvan won by TKO in the second round over Clay Wimberley of Anson.

Saturday night Calvin Halton lost by decision to David Barrera of Abilene in the lightweight division. Clayton Cleaver lost by TKO in second round to Bob Bente of Cisco in welterweight.

In high school bantamweight division Dale Nash lost by TKO in the third round to Bill Talbot of Sweetwater.

Eddie Galvan of Loraine lost in the finals of the Golden Gloves tournament in Abilene Monday night to Tommy Reynolds by decision. It was a terrific fight all the way with the more experienced Reynolds getting the best of it.

Edgar Halton, fighting for Loraine in the open class, won the title and will appear in the state tournament in Fort Worth next month.

The Loraine boys made a very good showing over all in the tournament considering that it is the first year for the high school to have a boxing team.

Mothers March Nets \$169.49 Here

The Mothers March of Dimes drive Monday night in Loraine netted \$169.49, according to Bill Stribling, who directed the drive.

Only a few mothers volunteered to help, said Mr. Stribling, and 19 mothers helped in the march. They were assisted by senior and junior FFA girls Connie Liles, Gaylene Taylor, Maxie Shepherd and Margie Lou Thompson who are working on their state degree, and Peggy Williams, Virginia Templeton, Beverly Johnson and Linda Linder who are working for junior and chapter degrees and points for state meeting.

The group gathered at the Lions building at 6:30 and at the sound of the siren at 7 the march began. Within an hour the town had been covered and the group returned to the Lions building where refreshments, coffee and cookies were served.

Helping in the drive were Mmes. George Mahoney, Hubert Thomas, Earl Phillips, Gene Baird, Jack Brewer, Lynn Hamilton, Loyd Ray Finc, Joe Terry Howard Tarrt, Ray Preston, Jack Coffey, Jasper Doyle, B. W. Tarrt, A. C. Polk, Gene Britton, Vanda Martin, Woodrow Pratt, Ed Small, Bill Stribling, Ray Preston also assisted Bill in the drive.

A. L. McSpadden, who is chairman for the county, reports that only about 3 percent of the cards mailed Loraine people had been returned and contained only \$74.20.

The county had raised about \$2600 to Tuesday morning he said.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rutherford of San Angelo are announcing the arrival of a son, Donald Coke on Jan. 19th. The Rutherford's other children, Becky, Cliff and Diana have visited the past two weeks with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Olen Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett and Mrs. Jack Linnam spent the week end in Portales, N. M. visiting in the W. A. Jackson home and attended the Golden Wedding anniversary open house for the Jacksons on Sunday afternoon.

Loraine FFA Shows Champion Lamb

Ronnie Haley of the Loraine F. F. A. Chapter showed the champion fine wool lamb at the annual 4-H and F. F. A. stock show held in Colorado City on January 20-21. The champion lamb was bred by the Boyd Ranch of Sweetwater.

Other lambs entered in the fine wool class placed as follows: Ronnie Haley 1st and 2nd; Raymond Coldewey 3rd; Billy Preston 5th.

In the swine division Billy Preston showed the second place heavyweight Duroc barrow; and Sanford Bowlin took 8th and 9th places with his heavyweight Hampshire barrow.

In the fat steer division Byron Bruce took 6th place and Gary Mathis 8th place with lightweight steers. Billy Stribling took 4th and Billy Cornutt 8th with their heavyweight steers.

All the animals were fed under the supervision of Raymond Holt, vocational agriculture teacher, in Loraine High School.

FHA GIRLS HELP IN MARCH OF DIMES

As a community project work on obtaining their State Degree, four of the F. H. A. girls, Connie Liles, Gaylene Taylor, Maxie Shepherd and Marger Lou Thompson, assisted with the Mothers March of Dimes Monday night, January 30.

SCHOOL CENSUS

If any students between the ages of 6-18 were missed in compiling the school census, parents are asked to contact Supt. Don Robbins immediately.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Admitted: James Hare, accident; M. L. Hestand, Mrs. J. C. Richburg, A. G. Mercer, Mrs. Neil Miles, Mrs. Callie Leach, Roy Long, Gayla Liles, Mrs. J. E. Price, Mrs. R. L. Fargason, Hermleigh; Floyd Ray Jones, Mrs. Bert Scrivner, Colorado City; Mrs. B. J. Pilkington, Cuthbert; Mrs. Lou Etta Phillips, Colorado City; Otho Long, Roscoe, accident; Gary Wilson, Colorado City; Mrs. Bobby Graham, Joe Vest, Colorado City; Mrs. Jack Kahler, Boony Lamb, Colorado City.

Tonsillectomy: Mrs. Jack Kahler.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Scrivner, Colorado City, a boy, January 28, named Weldon Keith. Dismissed: Eusebio Garcia, Barbara Combs, Mrs. E. J. Wemken, Mrs. Orbie Ray Linder, J. W. King, O. C. Lucas, Mrs. Jesus Pineda, Mrs. Joe Vasquez, Frank Beights, Roy Long, Mrs. Callie Leach, Mrs. Neil Miles, Mrs. J. C. Richburg, A. G. Mercer, Mrs. J. E. Price, Mrs. B. J. Pilkington, Gayla Liles, Mrs. Lou Etta Phillips.

HOSTS WEDNESDAY CLUB

Mrs. Lester Webb hosted two tables of 42 when she entertained at the regular meeting of the Wednesday Club last week.

Refreshments of cream date pie and fruit punch were served to Mrs. V. H. Wimberley, a guest, and Mmes. Bessie Johnson, Anna Hantsche, Cora Hall, Wade Preston, Minnie Fairbairn, Henry Riden, J. D. McDonald, and W. W. Waggoner, members.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Thursday afternoon, January 26, Danny Butler was honored with a party at his home celebrating his sixteenth birthday.

Games and refreshments were enjoyed by twelve children. The refreshment table was covered with a Happy Birthday cloth. Centering the table was a cow, boy birthday cake. Little animals and suckers were plate favors.

Punch and cake were served to Cindy McDaniel, Bob Furlow, Rusty Kegans, Jean Graham, Mary Miles, Roddy Baumann, Tim Hamilton, David and Susan Compton, David Hoover, Jim and Bill Dockrey.

Others present were Mmes. Troy Kegans, Herman Hoover, Lynn Hamilton, Sheppard Compton, Edgar Baumann, Harry Dockrey, Sid Hart, Dan Butler.

Mrs. John Bullock and Mrs. Johnny Shultz of Abilene visited Mrs. J. M. Meek and Mrs. Ida Baird Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Henderson and Mrs. Pauline Smiley spent Saturday night and Sunday in Andrews visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tharon Henderson and sons.

W. A. Jacksons Observe Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jackson of Portales, New Mexico, long time residents of Loraine observed their golden wedding anniversary on January 31, 1956.

Honoring the couple on this occasion, a number of friends and relatives arrived in Portales on Saturday, January 28, for an evening of visiting.

On Sunday, January 29, the group attended services at the Methodist Church, following which a dinner was served in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jackson of Portales.

Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett of Loraine, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Linnam of Loraine, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weaver of Ft. Sumner, New Mexico; Mrs. Allen Nelson of Clyde; Mrs. J. M. Collins of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Winstead of Lubbock; Mrs. Grace Jackson of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Sharp, Donna, Sylvia and Susan of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Charles, Jo Frances, Joy, and Denny of Albuquerque, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jackson, Janice, Gary, and Jean of Portales; and Mr. and Mrs. Arlos Bullock of Lubbock.

During the afternoon a tea was held in the Lloyd Jackson home during which time friends called. The lace covered refreshment table featured the crystal punch set, gold candle holders with tall white tapers, white napkins imprinted with gold bells and "Minta and Will, 1906-1956", and a centerpiece of white flowers surrounding a gold colored "50".

Registration of the guests was directed by Miss Jo Frances Charles while Miss Janice Jackson presided at the punch bowl. The many lovely gifts presented to the couple were on display during the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson were married in Loraine on January 31, 1906, and lived in this vicinity most of the time until they moved to New Mexico in 1933. They have four children, eleven grandchildren, and two great grandchildren. The children are Lois (Mrs. Morgan Charles) of Albuquerque; Lloyd of Portales; Noel of Ft. Worth; and Neva (Mrs. Arlos Bullock) of Lubbock.

Earl Britton Dies In Big Spring

Funeral services were held in Big Spring Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock for Earl Britton, 55, who died Monday in a Big Spring hospital. Mr. Britton had been bedfast for ten years.

He and his wife, the former Nettie McDermott, were married in Loraine and lived here before moving to Big Spring.

He is survived by his wife and two daughters and two sons, by his mother, Mrs. Lucy Britton of Loraine, and two brothers, Coy and L. T. Britton, Jr. of Carlsbad, New Mexico, and by five sisters, Mrs. Claud Willis, Mrs. D. F. Brians of Abilene, Mrs. Clint McCallum of Ackerly, Mrs. Paul Terrell of Sweetwater and the former Gwen Britton of Mexico.

FHA BROADENS LENDING AUTHORITIES

The Farmers Home Administration has broadened its lending authorities to meet the special needs of established small farmers who, due to drought and other adverse conditions, have been forced to work part time off the farm in order to make a living for the family.

Walter T. McKay, the agency's state director, announced today. The extension of credit to these small farmers who are in need of credit primarily for farm operating expenses which cannot be obtained from their usual source of credit, together with the income from their off-farm work will permit them to continue farming and to maintain a satisfactory standard of living, McKay said.

These loans are short-term credit designed to help farmers finance one year's operations.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hamilton Wednesday and Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richards from Abilene.

Jeff Davis made a trip to Lamesa Thursday and again Sunday to be with his little granddaughter, Marlene Gibson, of Ackerly who had appendectomy in a Lamesa hospital on Thursday.

First Grade Pupils on the honor roll were: Betty Jane Horton, Peggy Beatty, Max Coffey, Max Shepherd, Kenneth Market, Paty Ruth Green and Eugene Grable.

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PLANS ARE IN MAKING FOR GOLDEN JUBILEE CELEBRATION THIS YEAR

Loraine Church Hosts WSCS Meet

"International Understanding" was the theme of the program presented when the Loraine Methodist church was host to the sub-District meeting of the W. S. C. S. of the Big Spring District Thursday, Jan. 26th. Mrs. Chaney Sub-District Leader from Ira was in charge of the meeting.

After group singing, Mrs. Dale Clemmer of Trinity Church of Snyder, gave an inspirational meditation. Roll call was by Mrs. Lida Hardy, District Promotional Secretary.

Special music was by Mrs. Jack Riley from the Trinity church Snyder.

High point of the morning's program was a report from the Seminar, which was held at Lubbock recently and was beautifully given by Mrs. R. D. White of the First church, Snyder.

Women from the Union W. S. C. S., brought a skit, The Sick World, which was very inspirational.

In the short business session new officers were elected. Mrs. Dale Clemmer of Snyder was elected Sub-District Leader; Mrs. Leo Beaver, Fluvanna, Texas, elected Secretary.

Minutes were read and approved. The Dist. Treas., Mrs. J. S. Craddock gave the financial report. It was announced the next district meeting will be held at the Trinity church, Snyder in June.

Mrs. H. H. Stevens of Big Spring announced the annual conference was to be held at Stamford, March 14, 15 and 16.

At this time a Life Membership was given to the retiring Sub-District Leader, Mrs. Chaney of Ira. After the usual offering, the dismissal prayer and grace for our sack lunch was said by Rev. McCartney of Westbrook.

At 1:00 o'clock organ music called the group back to the sanctuary.

The afternoon's program opened with group singing. Take Time to be Holy, after which the Promotional Sec., Mrs. Lida Hardy conducted a school of instruction on The Work of the Woman's Society of Christian Service. After another song, the Rev. Harold Morris brought a very inspirational meditation from the scripture quotation: The Earth Shall be Filled With the Knowledge of the Lord as the Waters Cover the Sea.

Among those present were District Officers, Mrs. H. H. Stevens, President, Big Spring; Mrs. Lida Hardy, District Promotional Secretary; Mrs. J. S. Craddock, Dist. Treas. Mrs. C. C. Berry of Cuthbert, Dist. Student of Women Sect. and Mrs. Hamby, Dist. Vice President of Big Spring. Also present was Dist. Superintendent, Oran Carter from Big Spring.

Most of the chapters in the District were represented by about 60 members.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Woodell and children and Mrs. Bobbie White and daughter of Corpus Christi visited in the Ralph Alsbrook and in Mrs. S. H. Hart home during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Curry and children of Spur visited in the Hubert Thomas home Sunday afternoon.

Fifteen Years Ago

In Loraine

(Taken from files of the Mitchell County News Jan. 30, 1941)

Among the 14 Mitchell County youths, all of them volunteers who reported at Lubbock Tuesday to fill Mitchell County's second quota under the selective service act were: William Isom Cranfill, Van Ciero Sawyer and C. Walter Wiggins, of Loraine.

Funeral services were held for J. A. Florence of Baird, former T&P Agent of Loraine.

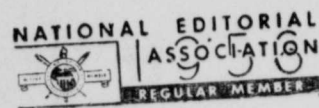
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In Advance

W. S. C. S. MEETING

Mrs. Harold Morris read the poem "Oh, The Breath of God" in opening the regular meeting of the W. S. C. S. Monday afternoon.

Mrs. T. C. Wilson gave the devotion using Prayer as her subject.

Mrs. Jim Johnson gave the life of Thomas Kempis, author of the new study book, The Five Classics. Discussing topics from the book were Mmes S. E. Meadows, Percy Bond, Jack McDowell.

ell and Harold Morris. Mrs. Morris gave a summary of the first chapters and closed the meeting with prayer.

Present were Mmes Percy Bond, K. L. Taylor, Harold Morris, Martin Dobbs, Jack McDowell, Wiley Walker, S. E. Meadows, Jim Johnson, Bessie Johnson, Frank Crownover, T. C. Wilson and Miss Annie Jarrett.

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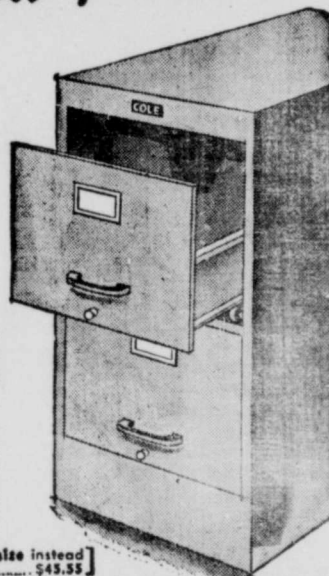
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BAPTIST W. M. U.

Fifteen members of the Baptist W. M. U. and Rev. and Mrs. Rine met at the church at three o'clock Monday in a short meeting before members left to visit shut-ins and others on regular fifth Monday visiting day.

Opening song was The Womans Hymn, followed by prayer led by Mrs. Edwin Hallmark. Rev. Rine used the subject "Go... Tell for the devotional."

Mrs. Howard Tarrt sang "It Is No Secret What God Can Do."

Mrs. B. B. Lee conducted a short business meeting and Mrs. Tarrt led the closing prayer.

HENLEY CIRCLE

Mrs. Pauline Smiley was hostess for a special mission program Tuesday at 2:45 for members of the Sarah Lou Henley Circle.

The subject was "Children of the Plains", covering Southern Baptist mission among 27 bands and tribes of American Indians in Northern and Western Oklahoma. Mrs. Hal Bennett used posters and maps to impress certain ideas and facts of Christian progress among the Indians. Mrs. Roy Little read the Indian version of the 23rd Psalm. The group sang Sweet Hour of Prayer and Mrs. Dexter Taylor led in prayer.

The president, Mrs. W. D. Green, conducted a short business session. Report showed five cartons of used clothing sent to missionary John Abbott for the needy Indians in New Mexico, also a box of used Christmas cards were ready to send to a missionary in Nigeria.

Mrs. Della Claxton was elected social chairman. Closing prayer was led by Mrs. Little. Mrs. Smiley served cookies, fruit cake and coffee to Mmes W. D. Green, R. K. Thornhill, J. C. Hall, Sr., E. D. Miles, Della Claxton, Mark Dawson, D. L. Collier, Pearl Allbright, Roy Little, Dexter Taylor, Hal Bennett, and Mary Miles.

Mrs. Land taught the Bible lesson and Mrs. Cornutt dismissed the meeting with prayer.

Cake, coffee and punch, was served to one visitor, Mrs. Silas Caswell and seven members, Mmes Albert Scarborough, Culen Payne, Ben Adams, Ray Wright and children, Jimmie Merkle and sons, C. A. Land and Cornutt.

Mrs. Doris Martin will leave Friday for a two weeks visit with her son and wife, Lt. and Mrs. Reagan Martin, in El Paso.

Mrs. V. H. Wimberley brought refreshments of cookies and punch.

Present were Barbara Kidd, Glenda Cleaver, Joyce Graham, Joretta Hall, Carroll Little, Sue Wimberley, Peggy Phillips. Giving parts on the program were Joretta, Barbara and Joyce.

MRS. HALL HOST CLASS

The regular social and business meeting of the Ready S. S. Class was hosted by Mrs. Price Hall, Thursday afternoon, Jan. 26. Meeting opened with group singing the class song, Ready and prayer led by Mrs. E. D. Miles.

Mrs. W. D. Green brought the devotional, reading Matt 28:19 and talking on the subject, "Go Ye".

Mrs. Elwood Graham, President had charge of the business meeting. Mrs. Jack Richey read the minutes of the last meeting. In the business meeting it was voted to draw Pal names for three months. The class also voted to set the First Thursday in each month as visitation day in the interest of the class.

A refreshment plate of sandwich loaf, date nut cake topped with whipped cream and coffee was served.

Present were Mmes W. D. Green, Elwood Graham, B. W. Tarrt, E. D. Miles and Jack Richey.

BETHEL W. M. U.

The regular meeting of the Bethel W. M. U. met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Willis Cornutt.

Mrs. C. A. Land led in opening prayer and Mrs. Jimmie Merkle brought the devotional from Matt 7.

Mrs. Land taught the Bible lesson and Mrs. Cornutt dismissed the meeting with prayer.

Cake, coffee and punch, was served to one visitor, Mrs. Silas Caswell and seven members, Mmes Albert Scarborough, Culen Payne, Ben Adams, Ray Wright and children, Jimmie Merkle and sons, C. A. Land and Cornutt.

JUNIOR G. A.

The Junior G. A. met at the home of their counselor, Mrs. Roy Little, Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. Doris Martin will leave Friday for a two weeks visit with her son and wife, Lt. and Mrs. Reagan Martin, in El Paso.

Come to Church

Methodist Church

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

Bethel Baptist Church

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

Baptist Church Notes

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

Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Sermon 8:15 p. m.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Bible Study 8 p. m.
Everyone Invited

Church of Christ

220 Smiley Street
Morning Worship 10:30
Communion Service 11:30
Evening Service 7:45
Radio program each Sunday
8:00 a. m. over KVMC

Salem Lutheran Church

Morning Service 9:45 a. m.
Sunday School 10:45 a. m.

Church of Christ

Corner Lightfoot and Colorado
Sunday
10:00 a. m. Bible Study
10:45 a. m. Preaching, and Communion
6:00 p. m. Young People Meet
Preaching Service 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday
Wednesday Service 7:30 p. m.

Gospel Mission

Sunday Services
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
Evangelistic Services 7:30 p. m.
Crusaders for Christ Wednesday
Evening, sermon follows 7:30
We cordially invite you to worship with us.

PENTACOSTAL HOLINESS

Wednesday night services 7:45
Saturday night services 7:45
Sunday morning S. School 10:00
Sunday morning preaching 11:00
Sunday night preaching 7:30
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Champion Baptist

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
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Wednesday
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p. m.

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Mrs. Bessie Johnson went to Abilene today and will visit until tomorrow with her son, Dr. Dale Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Moos and children of San Angelo visited in the home of her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wilson, Sunday.

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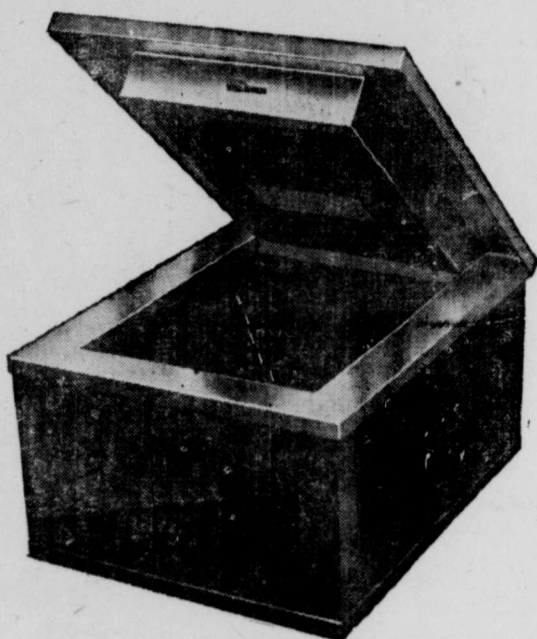
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Lost—Black and yellow mixed Persian cat. Finder please call RA 8-2538, Colorado City, collect. Morris Sloan. 38-1tp

Lost—Six week old blood red male pig. Finder please notify Jack Crawford. 38-1tp

If you are not a subscriber to The News, become one today.

A. G. Mercer was brought to Johnson Hospital Wednesday of last week from Hendrick Hospital in Abilene, where he had been the past week after undergoing major surgery. He was taken home from Johnson Hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lefevre spent the weekend with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Beights, at Crosbyton. They attended the Amos and Andy March of Dimes program in Lubbock Saturday night.

J. B. Mahon spent the weekend in Amarillo visiting in the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rickman. Mrs. Mahon and Karen and John Mark Rickman returned with him Sunday. Mrs. Mahon had visited in the Rickman home the past ten days.

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Political Announcements

The News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

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Tuesday
FEBRUARY 7

Sylvia Sydney, Fred MacMurray
in

TRAIL OF THE
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FEBRUARY 8-9

Margaret Mitchell's story of the
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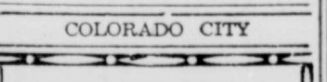
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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jennings of Midland visited her mother, Mrs. Naomi Forbus, Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Muns is visiting in the homes of her sons, Marvey and Claud Muns, in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Muns visited in the Harvey Muns home in Sweetwater Sunday afternoon.

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Mrs. Ada Pierce of Sweetwater spent the first of the week here with relatives.

Frank Hall of San Angelo spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Horton.

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MONEY AND BANKING

In Everyday Living

HOUSEWIVES: A REMINDER. That January is a big month for White Sales you are doubtless well aware. Here we simply emphasize that these sales represent a real money-saving opportunity. Even if you do not currently need new sheets, pillowcases, and so on, it can prove an economy to purchase some now. You may not have a chance to buy at comparable prices for another year.

A "GHOST WRITER" helped the man responsible for penning this column. Here's how it happened. Until well after bedtime one night, the writer was pondering how best to tell you about the advantages of saving at a bank. Eventually he nodded off—and an elfin figure danced into his dreams. Its body was a silver dollar, and wisdom shone in its face. Skipping back

and forth, it chanted this little song: "Bank safeguards keep your savings safe—as safe can be, you know... You don't invest the money—but bank interest helps it grow... You'll find the banker helpful—he likes folks to feel at home... You do all banking at one place—no need to further roam!" Then, bending quite close to the writer's ear, the figure shouted: "THERE'S NOTHING QUITE LIKE MONEY IN THE BANK!" When he awoke, the writer decided that he couldn't have put it better.

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Mrs. Tony Snyder returned home Saturday after spending two weeks in Shreveport, La. visiting her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Smith and family of Port Arthur, Mrs. Florence Smith from Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Davis and family, Roscoe were visitors in the Jeff Davis home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Evert Henderson visited in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Moore at Andrews over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Small and Don and Mr. and Mrs. Price Hall and daughters, Joretta and Janet Sue and Vicki Baird and Mickey and James Epperson visited in the M. A. Gann home at Colorado City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howell of Ozona spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Henry Howell.

Visitors in the Ben Bowlin home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Bowlin and Mrs. S. Y. Bowlin from Ackerley.

Mrs. J. M. Meador spent several days last week at Champion visiting Mrs. Vess Barnes.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones Sunday were Mrs. Buddie Blair and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bob Long and Sherri of Colorado City.

T. R. Bennett visited in the Clifton Gage home in Sweetwater Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hughes spent last week end in Proctor, Texas visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hughes.

Mrs. Naomi Forbes returned Friday from Hot Springs, N. M. where she had spent three weeks with her mother, Mrs. Mary McRae.

Mrs. Josephine Marshall and Mrs. Vanda Martin attended Sunday School and Church at the First Methodist Church in Big Spring Sunday and were dinner guests in the Arnold Marshall home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Spence of Lubbock spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Teeters, and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spence, in Roscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Obrian Bowlin and children of Ackerley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delmas Bowlin during the week end.

Mrs. Juanice Taylor and her daughter Patsy of Monahans, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Faulkenberry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Sturdivant and son Randolph of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Vest, Sunday.

Mrs. S. E. Boyce and sons Robert and Royce of Stanton, visited her mother, Mrs. Sid Compton, Sunday.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Finch were Mr. and Mrs. Twaine Price and Jana Sue of Crane, and Mr. and Mrs. Idus Finch of Midland. Other dinner guests Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Ray Finch and Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Hastings of Roscoe took Mrs. Mark Dawson to Abilene Saturday, where she had checkup for her eyes.

Use Classified Ads

Dinner guests of Mrs. Marion Mahon Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Zetzman and daughters of Roscoe.

Miss Annie Jarratt is visiting in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Norman, in Colorado City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hare and daughter Ann of Imperial visited her father, A. E. Jarratt, during the weekend and he returned with them for a visit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crownover left Tuesday for a visit in Stephenville with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jarratt, and went from there to Ft. Worth to attend the Fat Stock Show.

A2c Charles Epperson, who is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Epperson, visited relatives in Tyler during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Huse and sons of Sweetwater visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Epperson, Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Hester of Lubbock and her daughter, Mrs. Pete Martin from California, visited in the Young Hester home and with other relatives during the weekend. They had been to Dallas with Dr. Hester, who has been a patient in a Dallas hospital the past month.

Dr. Hester is reported recovering satisfactorily after having lung surgery ten days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Coldey visited in the Adolph Hackfeld home in Sweetwater Sunday and attended church there Sunday night.

Mrs. Nora Jones has returned to her home in Abilene after being here several months as companion to Mrs. J. S. Muns.

The over-all demand for eggs and poultry is expected to remain good for 1956. Supplies are expected to be large and prices may be slightly lower.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Faulkenberry Jr. of Lamesa spent Thursday and Friday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Faulkenberry.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Swett during the week end were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McBee from Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Payne visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Healer in Sweetwater Sunday afternoon and were supper guests in the David McKinzie home that evening.

Mrs. Henry Howell left Sunday for El Paso to be with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Turner. Mr. Turner has been hospitalized since suffering a heart attack on Jan. 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Taylor and Gaylen and Mr. and Mrs. Alva Bennett spent the week end in Arlington visiting in the Euel Jacobs home. They also visited in the Marvin Hancey home at Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hughes spent from Wednesday until Saturday visiting in the homes of their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Green at Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Petty at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Richardson spent the week end in Amarillo visiting their son and wife. Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Richardson, Mrs. Maxine Harris accompanied them and visited in the homes of her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Underwood at Clarendon, Texas.

Extension Range Specialists estimate that Texas ranchmen added almost \$3 million to their income last year from changes made in management plans as a result of range improvement demonstrations.

Mrs. Ruby Compton of Memphis, Texas is here visiting Mrs. C. T. Beights and other relatives. Visiting Mrs. Beights over the week end was her daughter, Mrs. Jack McGaughey from Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Graham of Sweetwater were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson Sunday.

Mrs. Alvin Smith of Roscoe spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. R. D. White.

Boy Scouts Mark 46th Birthday



Onward... For God and My Country
46th ANNIVERSARY 1956
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

OFFICIAL BOY SCOUT WEEK POSTER
More than 4,100,000 Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers, and adult leaders throughout the nation will observe Boy Scout Week, February 6 to 12, marking the 46th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America.
Since 1910, Scouting has served over 24,500,000 boys and adult leaders.
The new Four-Year Program, "Onward for God and My Country," is launched in 1956 to help prepare America's boys to live in today's world and to prepare them to carry their full share in the years ahead.
Boy Scout Week observances will feature dedication ceremonies to be conducted by each of the nation's 104,000 units at their meeting places on February 8, the actual birthday of Scouting in America. Demonstrations and exhibits will dramatize the purposes of the Boy Scouts of America and its rich heritage.

Incomplete vaccination programs have reportedly resulted in severe production drops in some laying flocks in the state. L214, "A Suggested Vaccination Program for Chickens" is available at your local county agent's office.

Jackie Richey spent the week end with Linda Bragg in Abilene.

Mrs. W. J. West spent last week with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Jarratt at Fort Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Betram Gray of San Angelo spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. W. J. Coon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Banks and Windell visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Banks in Big Spring Sunday.

Ted Lefevre and W. H. Narrell were in Seagraves last Wednesday inspecting cage layer projects in that vicinity.

Mrs. Floyd Coffee and Paula Jean and Ginnon Cartwright attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth Saturday.

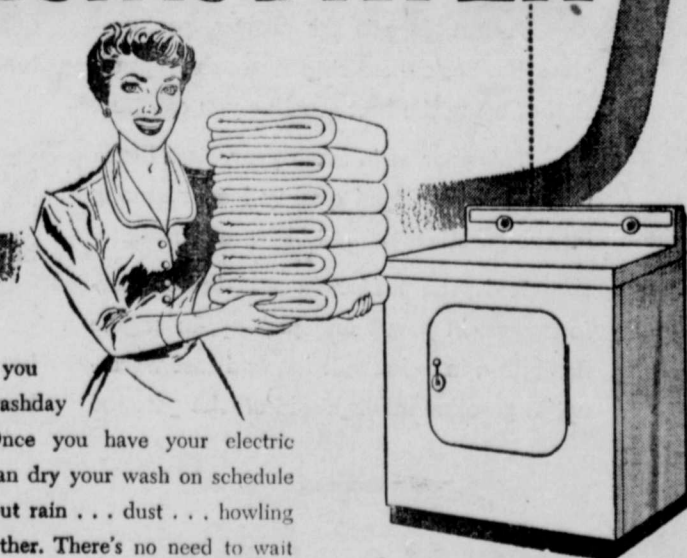


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