

On The BEAM

By J. W. King, Sr.

It is always gratifying when a subscriber sends in the remittance for a two-year subscription to the paper. It is more gratifying when that subscriber encloses a note with his check stating "I really enjoy your paper, it is always the most newsy paper printed in West Texas."

We appreciate such kind remarks. We are happy that someone appreciates our efforts in publishing a newsy paper. It is true that The Mitchell County News publishes more of the every day happenings in the community than most news papers do. We have made The Mitchell County News a "home town newspaper" by publishing the news of the community first. We sometimes have to use some news and information that is not entirely local, but we do that only when local news is not available.

A big portion of the citizens of this community subscribe to their home town newspaper. But there are a few who have never subscribed. Perhaps they haven't subscribed because they think the price is too high or they are just not interested in helping their community keep a "home town newspaper" if they were publishing the newspaper themselves I feel sure they wouldn't think the price of a subscription is too high even at the new price that goes into effect June 1. We make no profit on a subscription but the revenue derived from subscriptions helps to provide more pictures and more news of every kind.

Take advantage of the subscription offer now in effect until June 1. You will not regret it. In an effort to maintain our equipment used in publishing the paper so that we can keep up as near as possible with the publishing business it has been necessary to replace and repair some that had become worn. The publisher hoped that response to the subscription offer would be great enough to bear a large portion of the cost of repairs. The response has been real good and we are grateful but we do hope that others will take advantage of the offer before June 1.

One of Loraine's most distinguished citizens made the headlines in newspapers throughout the United States last week when he was elevated to the chairmanship of the Appropriations Committee in the House of Representatives. He was already chairman of the Appropriations Subcommittee which he will retain.

George Herman Mahon grew up on a farm a few miles north of Loraine, was graduated from high school here in 1918, then took his degree from Simmons College in 1924. He served Mitchell County as county attorney then served as district attorney, the position he held at the time he was first elected to represent the 19th District in Congress in 1934.

Even though George Mahon holds one of the most powerful positions in the nation he remains just "George" to his many friends in this part of the country. George is a very brilliant man, even tempered, careful but firm. He is among the few who have gone to Washington and retains his honor and integrity and his sense of decency. George Mahon is the type man I would like to see as President of the United States.

A NEW LOOK

Henderson Cafe is taking on a "new look". The ceiling has been lowered and new light fixtures installed which adds greatly to the pleasing appearance of the popular place to eat. The cafe is owned by Mr. and Mrs. Evert Henderson.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Johnson Hospital the past week were Mrs. Bonnie Clark, Mrs. W. P. Wiggins, Mrs. Charles Dowlearn, Mrs. J. R. Hale Richey Cary, Domingo Espinoza, Mrs. Ignasio Regalado, Mrs. Gertrude Felts, Billy Nix. Dismissed: Mrs. Tom Finley, A. D. Palmer, Mrs. W. R. Woods, Mrs. John Compton, Mrs. Bonnie Clark, Mrs. Charlie Dowlearn, Richey Cary, Domingo Espinoza, Mrs. O. P. Blair.

CEMETERY FUND

Contributions to the Lions Club Cemetery Fund the past week included Mrs. Earl R. Smith \$10; R. H. Bennett \$5; J. W. Howell \$10; C. W. Spikes \$20; Woodrow Kidd \$5; Mrs. Jewel Wimberley \$5; Mrs. Nila Pearl Baker \$3.

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Commencement Thursday Night Ended School Term For Loraine High

Former Supt Here Dies In Stephenville

Funeral services were held at Comanche Funeral Home on Wednesday May 13 for J. C. Helm, Sr., a retired school teacher. Services were conducted by the Rev. Jackson Oglesby a former student of Mr. Helm at Mertzson who is now pastor of the Methodist Church at Euless.

Mr. Helms was born December 30, 1875 at Charleston, Delta County, and was 88 years of age at the time of death. Mr. Helms had lived at Comanche for many years after retiring from the teaching profession. He died in a Stephenville hospital where he was taken to be near his son J. C. Helm, Jr., who is superintendent of school there.

Mr. Helms graduated from Sam Houston Teachers College in 1901, married Miss Beatrice Sanders in 1905, and they came to Loraine in 1907 where he was superintendent of schools through 1911. Harvey Muns, now of Sweetwater, was a member of the graduating class under Mr. Helms in 1910. Later, Harvey taught school with Mr. Helms for two years at Mertzson 1913-1915.

Survivors are his wife and the son J. C. Helm, Jr. of Stephenville.

KEEP YOUR DOG UP

Jack Brewer warns residents of Loraine to keep their pet dogs in their own yard. In the past few days he has had to kill three dogs that were evidently sick or mad and he fears that an outbreak of rabies may result unless dogs are kept off the streets.

SON IS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Bruce are announcing the birth of a son at Root Memorial Hospital in Colorado City on Wednesday May 13. He weighed 6 pounds, 3 1/2 ounces and he has been named Jon Gregory. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gregory of Colorado City and the paternal grandmother is Mrs. W. R. Bruce.

BRIDGE CLUB

Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Johnson were hosts for the Loraine Bridge Club Tuesday evening with three tables of players.

Ice cream topped with strawberries and cake were served by the hosts to one visitor, Mrs. Harris Hamilton, and members Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Thomas, Dr. and Mrs. John Hamblen of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Does of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coffee, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Pratt and Mrs. Glen Coon.

Methodist Conference In Amarillo May 25-29

The annual meeting of the Northwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Church will be held at Polk Street Methodist Church in Amarillo, beginning Monday 25. At this meeting the Conference Boards will be reorganized for the next quinquennium. Also the reports of the districts will be reviewed and the work for the next year will be outlined.

Highlight of the Conference will be the reading of the assignment of the ministers for the ensuing year.

Bishop Paul V. Galloway of the San Antonio Episcopal Area will preside during the sessions. Rev. and Mrs. Frank Story and several lay delegates from the local church will attend the Conference.

HURT IN PRACTICE

Lowry Smallwood, student in McMurry College in Abilene, was seriously injured in football practice during spring training has been taken to his home after spending some time in the hospital. He is reported to be getting along fine. He is the grandson of Mrs. L. J. Tillson of Loraine.

Mrs. Bertha Troutt Was Buried Monday

Funeral services were held Monday at 3 p.m. in the First Baptist Church here for Mrs. Bertha Troutt, 71, who died at Morris Nursing Home in Roscoe at 10 a.m. Sunday. Rev. Jimmy Turner, pastor, officiated.

Burial was in the Lone Wolf Cemetery under the direction of Wells Funeral Home of Roscoe.

Mrs. Troutt was born March 28, 1893 in Coryell County. She married J. B. Troutt there in 1911. He died in 1934. The family moved to the Inadale Community from Hamilton County in 1941 and she moved to Loraine in 1949. She had been a resident of the nursing home six months.

She was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

Survivors include four sons, Robert, LeRoy and Harvey Troutt all of Loraine, and Billy Earl Troutt of Strawn; two daughters, Mrs. Joe Morgan of Hamilton, and Mrs. R. J. Hale of Loraine; five brothers, Luther Hedgpath of Hamilton, O. N. of McCamey, Floyd and Lloyd, both of Fort Worth, and B. W. Hedgpath of Banquet; three sisters, Mrs. Eddy Hebbes of Houston, Mrs. Dixie Davenport of Beeville, and Mrs. O. O. Barrett of Andrews; seven grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Hershel Williams, E. A. Narrell, Roy Beights, Billy Don Green, Bob Hale, and Doyle Wenken.

Funeral Monday For J. I. Carter

Funeral services were held Monday at 3 p.m. in the Flower Mound Presbyterian Church at Lewisville, for James I. Carter, 83, who died Saturday morning at Valley Fair Lodge in Colorado City where he had lived for several weeks. Burial will be in the Flower Mound Cemetery.

Mr. Carter was born in Milan, Ala., Jan. 8, 1881. He came to Loraine in 1952 where he operated a fruit stand. He moved to Colorado City a few months ago. He married the former Laura Bell Tankersley Dec. 18, 1904 in Ala.

Survivors include two sons, Clyde of Dallas and Arthur of Colorado City; four daughters, Mrs. Arlie Simmons of Dallas, Mrs. Opal Johnson of Corsicana, Mrs. Elsie Hillard of Lewisville, and Mrs. Hazel Boyd of Lake Dallas 12 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Pink and Blue Shower Honors Mrs. Galvan

Mrs. John Miles was hostess last Friday afternoon for a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Eddie Galvan. The serving table was covered with a pink cloth and held a baby tree of pink roses and blue flowers with babies hanging from it. Also decorating the table were pink colored booties with babies inside of them.

Refreshments served were pieces of cake with a stork on each and punch. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Hubert Meadows and Mrs. Edgar Haltom.

Mrs. Galvan received many gifts. Guests were Mmes Lupe Galvan, Victor Galvan, Martin Dobbs, Elwood Graham, Shep Compton, Jim Turner, Paul Vasquez, Bill Scarber, Eddie Galvan, the honoree and Cindy Galvan, Pam Haltom, Wes and Jimmy Miles.

HAVE BOUGHT BUILDING

Mr. and Mrs. Evert Henderson have purchased the building their cafe occupies from the Ohlenbusch family and are doing extensive repairs, lowering the ceiling, putting in new light fixtures and putting in duct for air conditioning.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Parker and Bruce, David, Marilyn and children, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, spent the weekend with her mother Mrs. Irene Stewart, and her brother and family Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart.

Volunteers Needed To Help In Little League Baseball Program

An Editorial

One of the finest programs for boys in Loraine during the summer is on the verge of being abandoned. All because there are no managers at the moment for the baseball teams.

Surley we will not let this happen. Volunteers should come forward at once for these gratifying positions. If we let the program die we as a community will do something we will always regret.

You need not be a baseball expert to handle the job of managing one of the teams though experience in baseball would help a lot. To manage one of the teams you need to like boys and have the neck of leadership. The boys will follow their leaders. During the season there will be around 50 boys, maybe more, interested in playing. Surely you will not want to deprive them of the privilege. You can volunteer for the age group you like to work with, the PeeWees, the Little League, the Pony League or the Teen Age group. But you must volunteer your services right away because the season will open on June 1. It will close with the tournaments on July 18 which is only a little more than a month and a half. Surely there are men in the community who can spare that much time for boys.

Won't you volunteer your services now to Ray Preston for one of the positions of manager? It will be a noble gesture on your part. You will have a part in the training of our youth.

Volunteers among men of the community to manage the baseball program this summer are needed badly. Men who like to work with boys are needed for managers of the PeeWee, The Little League and the TeenAge baseball teams during the summer. The season starts June 1 and will end July 18th with the tournaments.

Ray Preston who is overall manager for the baseball program for the Lions Club, is anxious for the program to continue this summer but he says it cannot do so unless managers are found for the teams. If you are interested at all see Ray right away before the season starts.

The baseball program for boys of the community is one of the finest things the community can do for them. The program not only trains the boys in baseball it trains them in cooperation with others of their team, and keeps them occupied. The program is operated entirely on free-will contributions from baseball fans who attend the games and by volunteers who manage the teams.

Ray says that unless managers are found for the teams there can be no baseball program this summer. So if you are interested in boys and want the baseball program to continue volunteer your services. Four managers are needed but it wouldn't hurt anything if there are a dozen volunteers.

8th Grade Program Held Tuesday Night

The graduation program for the elementary school held at the gymnasium Tuesday night marked the close of elementary work for thirty students who will enter high school as freshmen next fall.

The program for the evening was built around the Salutatory and Valedictory addresses. Gail Richard gave the Salutatory, "As Today Ends, Tomorrow Begins".

Roberta Dale Furlow gave the class history, "Our Yesterdays"; Ronnie Finley the class prophecy, "Current Events of Tomorrow".

The processional and recessional were played by Marilyn Forbes. High school principal Vance Dickenson gave the invocation. Mrs. Glenda Pruitt presented two solos "May You Always" and "Suddenly There's A Valley". Diplomas were presented by Supt. J. B. Cushing and the benediction was given by Coach Bobby Dodds.

Members of the class are Judy Belvin, Donnie Mack Bowles, Brenda Bradbury, Danny Butler, Kathalene Cain, Pedro Castro, Robert Castro, Irene Chavez, Dennis Cornutt, Ronnie Finley, Robert Dale Furlow, Guadalupe Galvan, Jr., Peter Galvan, Jean Graham, Roland Graham, Chester Jernigan, Stanley Long, Cecilia Lujan, Esperanza Marentes, Nifafa Marentes, Manuel Moreno, Audelia Juan, Jesse M. Munoz, Jr., Juan Pantoja, Gail Richard, Sharon Sanford, Julia Lou Yruzegaz. Sponsor is Miss Edith Wilkerson.

Class officers are Ronnie Finley, president; Robert Dale Furlow, vice president; Jean Graham secretary; Gail Richard, treasurer; Esperanza Marentes, reporter; Kathalene Cain and Mary Helen Lujan, librarians.

Room mothers are Mmes Elwood Graham, Charles Finley, Roy Richard, Bill Bowles, Kenneth Butler, W. D. Cain, Lee Roy Cornutt.

N. H. S. Elects New Officers

The Loraine High School Chapter of the National Honor Society had its final meeting of the year Friday with Judy McDaniel, president, presiding.

Loretta Tartt, secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting and Judy McDaniel gave the treasurer's report in the absence of the treasurer, Cindy Mahon.

Names of the members of the local chapter are being written by the members in the library book which was recently given to the library as one of its projects.

Joyce Furlow, chairman, Loretta Tartt, and Larry Beights were selected at the last meeting to a nominating committee for the purpose of nominating officers for 1964-1965. Joyce Furlow gave the report for the committee and the following new officers were elected by acclamation.

For president, Dennis Worrell; vice-president, Danny Tartt; secretary, Linda Cornutt; treasurer, Harold Preston; reporter, Keith Hamilton; historian, Charla Martin.

Preceding the National Honor Society meeting the following seniors received at a special awards assembly in the cafeteria special certificates showing the length of time they had been members of the local chapter: Larry Beights, Carla Britton, Joe Cushing, Barbara Doyle, Joyce Furlow, Cindy Mahon, Judy McDaniel, Stanley Moore, Don Small, and Loretta Tartt.

Olan A. Griffith Dies In Oklahoma

Olan A. Griffith of Snyder, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett of Loraine, died at 9 p.m. Tuesday in Baptist Memorial Hospital in Oklahoma City, Okla., where he had had surgery. He was manager of the C. R. Anthony Store in Snyder and lived at 2309 Sunset Drive. He had worked in the Anthony chain 20 years.

Funeral arrangements were to be announced by Boiger Funeral Home in Snyder.

Survivors are his wife and one daughter Pat, both of the home.

Mrs. K. L. Taylor and Mrs. C. C. Thompson visited their niece Mr. and Mrs. John Mayse and daughter Michelle in San Angelo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harrison of Colorado City visited Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hays Friday afternoon.

GIRL SCOUTS HOLD FLY-UP CEREMONY

A Fly-up Ceremony was held Tuesday May 19 for ten Brownie Girl Scouts going into the Junior Girl Scout Troop No. 105. Brownies formed a Brownie Ring at one side of the room with Junior Scouts on the other in the form of a horseshoe. After Brownies received their Badge Sashes wings were pinned on their sashes by the Brownie Leader. They crossed over a bridge between the Troops each saying a Girl Scout Law.

After crossing the bridge the new Juniors were received by the Junior Leader who gave them their trefol pins after they made their Girl Scout Promise.

Brownies Flying-up were Rita Sue Barron, Debra Fay Belvin, Debbie Brame, Catherine Emerson, Betty Graham, Cindy Hackfield, Erma Landin, Belinda Sheffield, Marsha Troutt and Teresa Walker.

Gwen Tartt, one of the Junior Patrol Leaders, welcomed each new girl and the Troop then gave her the Girl Scout Sign.

Refreshments of Cokes and cookies were served. Guests present were Mmes: Atwood Sheffield, A. J. Barron, Raymond Hackfield, Clarence Maynard, Lawnce Graham. Leaders in charge were Mmes: Eugene Smith, Shep Compton and James T. Green, Jr.

Williams Opens Welding Shop Here

Hershel Williams has opened a welding shop in the Hackfield building which he recently bought and repaired. He is prepared to do welding of all kinds and will also do some dirt work, possibly keep a stock of used tractors and other items used by farmers.

Williams is no stranger to Loraine people. He has lived in this area for many years and of recent years has been doing dirt work around Roscoe and Loraine. Mrs. Williams will be connected with the business in the office.

Mrs. Paris Yarborough had surgery in a San Angelo Hospital Tuesday and is reported to be getting along nicely. Visiting her there Thursday were Mmes Don Ritchey, Jasper Doyle, Gene Smith and Lester Webb.

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For Sale-Western Stormproof and Lankard 57 cotton seed. Arthur Lehmann. 4 miles East of Lorraine. 50-tfc

For Sale-1965 Ford custom 4-door, 8 cylinder with overdrive. Byron Bruce. Phone 734-2696. 51-tfc

For Sale - First year delinted Western Prolific cotton seed. W. H. Narrell. 51-tfc

For Sale-Irrigation pipe: 11 joints 40"x6" mainline; 5 joints 40"x6" with pressure valves and valve openers. R. J. Hackfeld, Rt. 2, Lorraine Phone 734-2470. 2-3tfc

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Carpenter attended church services at 9th and Pine Street Church of Christ in Colorado City Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Hastings and children Teddy, Paul and Reba of Sweetwater also attended the services and accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter home for dinner.

Mrs. Claude Woods of Fort Wentworth, Georgia, came in Wednesday for a visit with her husband's mother Mrs. W. R. Woods who has been ill for several weeks, and with other relatives.

For Sale-Big fan, ideal for shop speed, oscillates. Harold Johnson. 1-2tp

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**LOST**

Lost-Blade for dirt work belongs to Soil Conservation District If you have it please return to Leroy Lucas. 52-tfc

Those who took dishes to Mrs. Trout's services please call for them at Hershel Williams Machine Shop in front of the post office or call 2443 or 2957. 2-1tp

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. White visited over the weekend in Ranger with their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Robinson and attended the band concert in which their twin grandsons Leslie and Lester played. They also visited her sister Mrs. W. B. Tarver in Abilene Sunday.

Mrs. George M. Lee and sons Johnny and Joe Don, accompanied her sister-in-law Mrs. C. J. Prewitt of Odessa, to Straud, Okla., where they visited through Mothers Day with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Prewitt, Sr.

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**CARD OF THANKS**

May we take this opportunity to say "thank you" to all the good people in and around Lorraine and Roscoe who have been so gracious and helpful during the illness and passing of our beloved mother, sister and grandmother, Mrs. Bertha Trout. For every expression of sympathy, every act of kindness, and every deed of service may we say thank you sincerely. Special thanks to Dr. Terry for his trips to the home and to Dr. Johnson for his help in the last hours. May God bless and reward you.

The family and relatives of Mrs. Trout

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Smith and children who have been living in the Wheeler house on Looby Street moved to Colorado City Monday where they have purchased a house and will make their home. Mr. and Mrs. John McRay of Roscoe moved into the Wheeler house Tuesday.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Our sincere thanks to all of you who were so kind and helpful during the long illness and death of our husband and father, J. J. Land. We appreciate so much the flowers, memorials, cards, food and each word of comfort. Especially do we thank the staff of Johnson Hospital and Dr. Terry. May God bless each of you.

Mrs. J. J. Land  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stanley and sons  
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hall and sons

Out of town relatives here to attend the funeral for Mrs. Bertha Trout included Mrs. Ina Hebbes of Houston; Mrs. Bebie Davenport of Beeville; Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Hedgpeth of Banquette; Luther Hedgpeth, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Trout, Mrs. Dovie Brown, Mrs. Ruth Coston, Mrs. Martin Waggoner, Mrs. Vernie Register, Mrs. Bettie Reed and Lavern, all of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hedgpeth and Floyd Hedgpeth of Fort Worth; Buster Hedgpeth of McCamey; Mr. and Mrs. Osey Barrett of Andrews; Mrs. Willie Hedgpeth of Rule; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Millford, Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Hale of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Valton Hedgpeth, Coy and Roy Hedgpeth of Odessa; Mrs. Pearl Claxton and Alton Davis of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Wemken of Hemleigh; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Trout of Killean; Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Oden of Colorado City; Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Wilson of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Wilma Adams and Mrs. Roy Baird attended the recital of the piano and voice pupils of Mrs. Preston Lightfoot in the First Baptist Church in Sweetwater Sunday.

Pastors of the Big Spring District of the Methodist Church, including Rev. and Mrs. Frank Story of Lorraine, met last Friday at the district parsonage for the purpose of handling in annual reports to the district auditors. After the reports were checked in the ministers and their families enjoyed an old fashioned basket picnic.

**LOCAL FARM YOUTH RECEIVES HONOR**



Stanley Andrew Moore pictured above, has been announced as the winner of the 1964 DeKalb Agricultural Accomplishment Award given to outstanding seniors in vocational agriculture department to receive this award, he excelled in scholarship, leadership and farm program activities during his four years in high school. Stanley attends the Lorraine High School in Lorraine and has been an active member of the Lorraine FFA Chapter, serving as chapter officer, on various leadership and judging teams. He has been very active in other school activities. His farming program consisted of cotton for lint, cows for calf, and lambs for mutton. His junior year he exhibited the Champion Crossbred lamb of the Mitchell County 4-H and FFA Show and also won the Lamb Showmanship Award. Stanley is the 10th DeKalb Agricultural Award winner for Lorraine High School, and as such his name will be engraved with other winners on a special plaque provided by the sponsor. He was presented with a certificate and medal at a recent awards program at Lorraine High School.

Mrs. J. D. McDonald returned home Friday after visiting with her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee and Jodie, and with her sisters Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Whitten in Stanton and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hannan at Midland Sunday through Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Marshall visited his sister Mrs. Eunice Durden in Odessa Sunday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charlie House who visited in the home of their son Mr. and Mrs. Cari House.

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Mr. and Mrs. Eucl Ferguson and daughter Nealu of Stanton visited Mrs. J. G. Bruce Sunday. Other visitors in her home during the weekend were her nephew and wife Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bartlett of Sweetwater, friends, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Waggoner, also of Sweetwater and her sister Mrs. N. M. Chapman of Stanton who is here for an extended visit.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. E. B. Hale Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Stokes of Felt, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hale and children, Marilyn, Harlan and Sharon, Claude and Meggie Craighead, Mrs. Muriel Thurman and daughter Mrs. Jack Autry and five children of Colorado City, and Mr. and Mrs. John Craighead of Colorado City.

**CHURCH NEWS**

Loraine Gospel Mission Services  
Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Saturday ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday ..... 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.  
Rev. K. W. Gurley, Pastor

**BAPTIST W. M. S.**  
The Baptist WMS will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 2:30 for a Royal Service program. The subject for the program will be Encouraging Trends in Baptist Missions which will be led by Mrs. Dexter Taylor. Members of the Willie Mae Kennedy Circle will present the program. All members are urged to be present.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**  
The annual Vacation Bible School for the First Baptist Church will be held at the church beginning Monday June 1 and continue through Saturday.

Preparation Day for the school will be on Saturday May 30 at the church when those who plan to attend the school will meet at 10 a.m. for a parade and refreshments.

**FRIENDSHIP CLASS**  
Mrs. John Miles hosted the monthly meeting of the Friendship Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church Monday night. Mrs. Jim Childress gave the devotional. Refreshments of Cokes and cake were served to Mmes Clay Graham, Delmar McDaniel, Joe Graham, Jim Childress, Bill Scarber, Shep Compton, Hubert Meadows by the hostess.

**COMPANION CLASS**  
Mrs. J. C. Hall was hostess and Mrs. R. K. Thornhill co-hostess when the Companion Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday afternoon. The meeting was under the direction of the vice president Mrs. W. H. Long.

To open the meeting Mrs. Dottie Marshall led and Mrs. W. C. Rogers accompanied as the group sang Sweet Hour of Prayer. Mrs. Thornhill gave a very inspirational devotional on the Lord's Prayer, reading Matt. 4, John 20:25. It is a common custom among the people of God to speak the model prayer in Matt. 6 as the Lord's Prayer. Mrs. Thornhill said, but He did not so designate it. He simply told His disciples where to pray and how to pray. It has been suggested many times, Mrs. Thornhill said, that if any prayer He offered should be called the Lord's Prayer it would be the one found in John 17:20-25.

During the business meeting Mrs. Hall read the minutes and gave the report of the secretary and treasurer. Group leaders gave good reports. For the social hour Mrs. W. M. Teeters led a Bible quiz. Refreshments of Cokes, coffee and party sandwiches were served to Mmes: Shultz, Furlow, Rogers, Mahoney, Marshall, Long, Land, Lucas and Teeters by the hostesses.

**JEAN KING CIRCLE**  
Mrs. Roy Baird was hostess at the meeting of the Jean King Circle of the Baptist WMS at 9:30 last Wednesday morning. Mrs. Leach read the prayer calendar and offered prayer. Mmes Roy Baird, Roy Linder and H. L. Leach presented the program from the Royal Service on the subject For Liberty and Light.

The next meeting of the circle will be on Wednesday May 27 in the home of Mrs. Lynn Compton at 9:30 a.m. for Bible study. Mrs. Baird served refreshments to Mmes Bernice Hallmark, Myrtle Martin, Lynn Compton, H. E. Leach and Roy Linder.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Turner of Rising Star visited in the home of their son Rev. and Mrs. Jimmy Turner and family Sunday and attended services at the Baptist Church.

Mrs. Frank Crownover visited with a former school friend Mrs. Lola Harkins Cooper in the home of her sister Mrs. Ethel Swain in Sweetwater Monday. Mrs. Crownover and Mrs. Cooper graduated from Roscoe High School together in 1914.

Mrs. Robert Bruce and daughters Betty Ann and Becky of Snyder visited Mrs. J. G. Bruce Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Haynes of Roscoe and their grandson Thad, were callers in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Frank Story Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Haynes are long time acquaintances of the Storys.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank those who have helped us in the illness of Mrs. Compton. For prayers, food cards and flowers; our special thanks to the doctors and nurses.  
The John Compton Family

Terri Gay Strange, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Strange of Denton, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Linder of Loraine, was taken to their home in Denton recently from Medical Center Hospital in Tyler where she was born March 11. Her twin sister Tamri Kay died when they were only a few days old and her body was brought to Losaine for burial. Terri Gay is doing fine.

Mrs. D. A. Thornburg of Dallas is here for a month's visit with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Teeters. She has been a patient at the Baptist Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee, for the past month.

**GAME CLUB**  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Linam were hosts for the monthly meeting of the Game Club Tuesday night with three tables of players. Punch and German chocolate cake were served to Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffee, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Templeton, Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hester, Mrs. Kirk Taylor and Mrs. Doris Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Watson of Midland were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Bennett Sunday.

Pattie Griffith of Snyder is here with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett while her parents are in Oklahoma where Mr. Griffith is a patient in a hospital. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore of Sweetwater visited Mrs. W. R. Bessie Schrimsher of Sweetwater visited in the home of Miss Davis' brother Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis Wednesday afternoon.

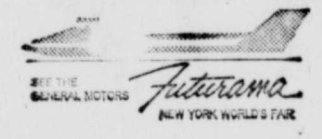


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Guests of Mrs. Dottie Marshall on Mothers Day were her grand-daughter Christy Marshall of Kansas City, Mo., her son Jim Marshall of Abilene and daughter Mrs. Forest Porter.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hamilton Wednesday and Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richards, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. McCombs of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Clark of Hamlin.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Campbell Sunday were Loyd Campbell of Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Campbell and son Durrell Glenn of Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell and three children of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Marlan Hestand and son David of Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Joe Campbell, a grandson, of Lamesa visited them Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook of Maryneal and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bassinger of Colorado City were guests of their mother Mrs. H. B. Cook on Mothers Day.

Spending Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mahon were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Mahon and children of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Mahon and family of San Angelo, Gordon Mahon of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Mahon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hall and son Chris of Fort Sill, Oklahoma, visited with their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall Jr. and his grandmother Mrs. J. C. Hall Sr. during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hays were in Big Spring on Mothers Day visiting in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Faulkenberry. Their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hays and children, Linda, Sheila, Nancy and Larry, of Lubbock were also visiting in the Faulkenberry home. Jerry Arnett of Lamesa was also a visitor. Ice cream was served during the afternoon by Mrs. Faulkenberry.

**ATTENDS CONFERENCE**  
Sue Faulkenberry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Faulkenberry of Big Spring and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hays of Lorraine, attended the Interscholastic League press conference in Austin May 7, 8, 9. She has been chosen associate editor of the Big Spring High School paper. She will attend a journalism workshop at Texas Tech in August.

Friends visiting in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Frank Story Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Bynum of Snyder.

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