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On The BEAM

J. W. KING, SR.

Loraine people last Saturday put their approval on the water improvement program asked for by the City Council to the tune of almost 3 to 1, even though the number voting was very small.

When the work is completed it will be a step forward for Loraine for it is designed to furnish an ample supply of water for any purpose.

The rains Saturday afternoon and Monday morning were very welcome after a long hot summer. The rains in June stopped on June 17 with .15 inch, and aside from .15 of an inch received in two showers in July we had no rain until Saturday, August 23. Temperatures during most of that time were searing hot, and crops and other vegetation were suffering.

Someone asked me a few days ago if the Loraine Improvement Program is dead. It is not dead, for some committees have been at work and have a few results to show for their efforts. I am of the opinion that another meeting of at least the officers and the committee is in order now. There are other projects that need to be started and some that have been started need rejuvenating. The organization does not have enough money to do much with, leaders were hoping that several hundred people would join the organization, but hot dry weather has probably held up some who would have joined. Maybe a fire needs to be set under the membership committee to get it out of its lethargy, I would have thought that the sun was hot enough during the past several weeks but maybe it wasn't.

Galvan Brothers Scattered

Two of the four Galvan brothers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Galvan, have received their release from the Army. Henry and Victor are now working in Abilene after two years of service.

Carlos, their oldest son, is in Vietnam and has been in the U. N. Navy the last five years. Mrs. Galvan said Carlos had recently been injured in his right hand, and had a buddy write them that he and his buddies really had a feast when he received the box of goodies she had sent him - his favorites of tortilla, can beans, can jalapenos, etc.

Manuel is in the Air Force is now stationed in Korea. He has been in the Air Force four years next Saturday, when he expects to get his discharge.

Peter, a 1968 graduate of Loraine High School, is entering H-SU to begin his sophomore work.

Visits Here From Montana

Mrs. Lily Bennett met her son, Dr. Byron Bennett of Bozeman, Montana, in Midland Friday. They spent Friday night with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Crownover in Odessa.

Dr. Bennett spent the weekend here with her and she carried him to Midland Monday and he flew to San Antonio to attend an Engineer Examiners meeting.

Dr. Bennett is Dean of Engineering at Montana University in Bozeman.

LORAIN SCHOOL HAS 335 ENROLLED ON FIRST DAY

According to High School principal, Vance Dickenson 335 were enrolled for classes at the opening of school, Monday, Aug. 25.

101 of these were in high school and 234 in grade school. School opened Monday with an assembly program in the high school gymnasium at 8:30 a. m.

Band Director, Mrs. Barbara Davis presented the band in several numbers. Supt. Scott gave the welcome and Mr. Dickenson made announcements and stated some rules of the school regarding dress of the students, leaving the school grounds, etc.

New members of the faculty were introduced.

To Teach In Colorado City Schools

Judy McDaniel has accepted a position as Freshman English teacher in Colorado City High School, and went to work there this week.

Judy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex McDaniel, is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons and did some graduate work there the past year.

1.10 Inches of Rain Received Sat.

The first rain of any consequence recorded by Loraine's volunteer weather observer since June 17, fell Saturday afternoon, amounting to 1.15 inch. On Friday .05 of an inch fell and Monday morning .50 inch fell, bringing the total for the weekend to 1.70 inches. The total for the year to August 25 is 14.20 inches.

LORAIN STUDENTS LEAVE FOR COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES

Loraine young people began leaving this week to enter colleges and universities of their choice to further their education.

Hardin-Simmons University will get the largest group as far as we could determine. Several we were unable to contact, but there are three spring graduates of Loraine High School enrolled there this week. They are Gaye Green, Cindy McDaniel Scott and Joey Lucas. Others returning to H-SU will be Peter Galvan and Danny Butler as sophomores, Judy Tartt, Marilyn Forbus, Mike and Janet Mearse as juniors, and Mike McDaniel, senior.

David Terry, spring graduate has enrolled at NTSU, Denton.

Danny Tartt returns to Texas U. at Arlington as a senior.

Debbie Oliver, also a spring graduate, will be enrolling in Tarleton State College at Stephenville.

Six have enrolled in Texas Tech: Stanley Hackfeld, freshman; Keith Hackfeld, R. J. Baumann, Sharon Payne, juniors; Ronnie Finley returned as a sophomore, and Gary Finley enrolled last spring as soon as he was released from the Army. Gary completed one year there before entering service.

Patrice Baumann has enrolled in Abilene Christian College as a freshman.

Larry and Ronnie Blair and Linton Ray return to Sul Ross in Apline, all seniors.

Twirlers Kristi Walker, Karen Long, Teresa Walker and Becky Merket, and Cheerleaders Pam Sanford, Rhonda Oliver, Gwen Tartt and Marshal Green performed.

After the short program the students went to their class rooms and got started off with a full schedule for the day.

MRS. EMILY MILES BURIED IN ROSCOE CEMETERY FRIDAY

Funeral services were held at 4 p. m. Friday at the First Baptist Church in Roscoe for Mrs. Emily (D. R.) Miles, 88, a former resident of Loraine.

The Rev. Charles Bush officiated, assisted by Wallace Myratt.

Mrs. Miles died at 5:20 p. m. Wednesday in the Roland Nursing Home here, where she had resided the past five years.

Born December 25, 1880 in South Texas, she was the former Emily Jones before her marriage to D. R. Miles. They moved to Howard County in 1908, from there to Loraine, and she was living in Roscoe at the time her health failed and she came to the Roland Home.

Mr. Miles, a railroad worker, died in the 1930's.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Jack Pennington of Rotan and Mrs. Zora Harrison of Big Spring; one son, A. R. Miles of Loraine; two sisters; 10 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Grandsons W. A. Miles, Car-

Kenneth Brame To Begin Training

Kenneth Brame will leave Saturday for Fort Ord, Calif., to begin his active training in the Army Reserve.

Kenneth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Brame, is a senior student at Texas Tech, and expects to resume his studies after the 4½ months of training.

He has been working in Dallas this summer and came in last weekend and is spending this weekend with his parents before leaving Saturday.

WATER IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM APPROVED

A very light turnout of voters last Saturday approved the water improvement program and the issuance of \$85,000 in bonds to be paid from water revenue. Only 95 voters went to the polls but they approved the issue almost three to one, the count being 71 for and 24 against the proposition.

An inch rain that started about 4 o'clock and continued for more than an hour probably cut down the number of votes as did the fact that many people had not taken the trouble to register for voting.

The City Council was to meet Monday night of this week to canvass the votes and continue plans to get the work started on the project as soon as possible.

The improvement program includes the laying of larger water mains and building a 100,000 gallon water storage tank. The city engineer has designed

the program to take care of objections raised by the Board of Insurance against the present system in Loraine. When completed the program should lower the base rate for fire insurance, which will mean a saving to insurance buyers.

Graham Family Holds Reunion

The annual reunion of the Graham-Warren families was held at the Fireman's Hall in Eastland Sunday, Aug. 24.

Mrs. Della Graham of Loraine and all of her children, with their families, were present. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Graham, Glenda, Diane and Debbie, Colorado City; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Graham, Roland and Patsy, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Graham and Tommy, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Browning and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lucas, Joey and Rick, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Graham and Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Graham, Ken and Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Graham, Doug and Don, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham, Steve and Jerry, all of Loraine.

Others were there from Mississippi, Houston, Pasadena and Brownwood.

In the business meeting the group voted to change the time and place for the next meeting. In 1970, the reunion will be held in Mississippi and has been changed to the third Sunday in August, from the 4th Sunday. It was also voted to alternate the place for the reunion from Mississippi to a site in the German area.

Stanton Hutchins Director Of Rolling Plains Cotton Inc.

Stanton Hutchins, Mitchell County farmer, south of Loraine, has been renominated for

a three-year term, beginning on Jan. 1, 1970, as a member of the board of directors of the Rolling Plains Cotton Growers Inc., with headquarters in Stamford.

Hutchins present term expires Dec. 31st of this year.

The RPCG Inc. is a non-profit organization, chartered by the State of Texas to promote and protect the interest of the cotton producers in the 32-county area making up the Rolling Plains of West Texas.

While the association's by-laws do not specify that a director must live in a particular county, the organization has attempted in the past to elect two members of the board from each of the 32 counties comprising the area.

The Association's by-laws do require that directors be bona-fide cotton growers, that they be dues-paying members of the RPCG and be willing to serve as directors.

Members of the committee renominating Hutchins was composed of Linden Solomon, Preston Morris, Pete Hester, W. H. Narrell, Willis Curnutt and R. B. Bruce.

The nominee will be voted on at the annual meeting of the organization to be held in September.

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MEMORIAL SERVICES HELD MONDAY FOR OSCAR BRUCE

Memorial services for the Rev. Oscar Bruce, a former Loraine man, were held at the Trinity Methodist Church in Amarillo, at 11 a. m. Monday. Dr. Howard Crawford, Dr. Jack Kirk and Rev. Raymond Riley officiated.

Rev. Bruce died in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Friday night after an illness of four months. He was pastor of the First Methodist Church of Shamrock when he became ill.

He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bruce of Loraine. He was reared here and attended the local schools. He attended McMurry College in Abilene, and S.M.U., and later taught school before becoming a minister. He married Irene Ripley in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McAdoo in November 1937. He was a minister serving in the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference for many years.

He is survived by his wife; a daughter, Carolyn Bruce; two

sons, Joe Bruce of Dallas and Gene Bruce of Maryland; two grandsons; two sisters, Miss Ila Bruce of Loraine, and Mrs. Era Mulroy of Mesa, Ari.; four brothers, Marshall and Malcolm of Loraine, Robert of Andrews and Duane of Lubbock.

Attending the funeral from here were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Bruce, Ralston and Ronald Bruce, Rev. Cecil Tune, Ben Bowlin, and Mrs. W. B. Crockett and Juanice Bruce of Colorado City.

BROWNE FAMILY HOLDS ANNUAL REUNION IN SNYDER

The annual reunion of descendants of the pioneer family of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. P. Browne was held in Snyder's Towle Park, Saturday and Sunday, August 23 - 24. This was the initial meeting place in November, 1961. Mrs. Leon Light, president of the Association, and Mrs. Weldon Wiggins, secretary, made all necessary arrangements for the meeting.

Sixty-one persons registered. This represented 8 of the 11 children of the Brownes, who had family members present. The youngest son, Polk, was the only one present of the first generation. Coming the farthest were Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hartsfield of Merlin, Oregon.

Jimmy and Don Browne, great-grandsons, showed special interest in the "family tree" compiled in 1961-62, and in the military record of N. P. P. Browne, who was a Civil War veteran. He volunteered at age 18 and soon was named a Cor-

poral of 3rd Regiment of Texas Inf. He was paroled Sept. 11, 1865. After attending Baylor College at Old Independence, he was married to Mary E. Ellis, Feb. 11, 1868. She had five brothers who were veterans of the Civil War.

This year, 1969, is the 100th anniversary of the birth of the N. P. P. Brownes in Gonzales. She was the late Mrs. L. L. Welch, mother of Mrs. Hal Bennett.

August 15th and 16th of 1970 was voted as the date of the next Browne reunion, in Ira Community Center.

ATTENDS DALLAS MARKET

Ray Preston spent the first of the week in Dallas buying merchandise at the Dallas markets.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riden accompanied him and visited a daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. Cletus Belghts.

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**Rev., Mrs. Kennedy,
Missionaries To Speak
Here Sunday**

The Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Kennedy will be guest speakers at the First Baptist Church here Sunday, Aug. 31, at the 11 o'clock service.

Rev. and Mrs. Kennedy arrived in the States July 5th from Zaria, Nigeria, Africa, where they have served under the Southern Baptist Board of Missions for many years.

Mrs. Kennedy is the former Willie Mae Rankin of Loraine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Rankin, who now live in Big Spring.

The Kennedys have five children, who will be with them for the Loraine visit.

**Brenda Rose Bride
Of Jack Woodson**

Miss Brenda Rose became the bride of Jack Woodson of Palm Springs, Calif., at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Rose, at 8:30 p. m. Friday August 22nd.

The Rev. M. Ashford officiated at the double ring vows. The bride wore a blue street-length dress with matching shoes and a shoulder corsage of white and blue flowers.

The parents hosted the reception following the ceremony. Members of the houseparty were Mrs. Rose Etta Smith of Snyder, Mrs. Katie Crawford, Mrs. Verna Atkins, and Mrs. Mildred Morgan of Loraine.

White and blue cake squares were served with pineapple punch from a lovely appointed table laid in lace over blue.

Wedding guests were Mrs. Ollie Sample of Sweetwater, Misses Bertha Starling, Shirley Atkins, Sherry Rose, Beverly Smith, Flora Rose, Louise Rose, Sandra Rose, Mary Devorce, Bobby Ray Rose, Joel Rose and Elroy Devorce of Loraine, Mr. and Mrs. Booker Jennings, Mrs. Verna Mae Devorce, Colorado City.

The couple will make their home in Palm Springs, California.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Admitted - Mrs. Peggy Cline, Mrs. Mattie Jones, Jidy C. Harris, Olen Howell, James Coker, Mrs. Sallie Griffith, Mrs. Fannie Campbell, Mrs. Jose L. Rodriguez.

Born to:
Mr. and Mrs. Jose Rodriguez, a 7 lb. 9 oz. boy, Aug. 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Jose Benitez, Loraine, a 6 lb. 4 oz. boy, Aug. 24.

Mrs. Paul Romero Jr., Snyder, a 6 lb. boy, Aug. 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Reed, Loraine, a 7 lb. 1 oz. boy, Aug. 25.

Dismissed - Ernest Russell, Mrs. Mary E. Phillips, Jidy Harris, Mrs. Peggy Cline, Mrs. Sarah Brame, Mrs. Hester Williams, Mrs. Lessie McCollum, Mrs. Pearl Allbright, Mrs. Fannie Campbell, Mrs. Sallie Griffith, Mrs. Jose Rodriguez and baby, Mrs. Jose Benitez and baby, Mrs. Ethel Teeters, Mrs. Paul Romero and baby, Mrs. Lonnie Reed.

School Menu Sept. 1-5

Monday - Bologna sandwich, slice cheese, lettuce, tomato, potato salad, banana pudding, butter, milk.

Tuesday - Salisbury steak, buttered peas, mashed potatoes, carrot sticks, apple sauce, butter, wheat muffins, milk.

Wednesday - Pinto beans seasoned with ham, fried okra, fresh tomatoes, relish, stewed prunes, cornbread, butter, milk.

Thursday - Texas hash, green beans, lettuce and tomato salad, hot rolls, butter, syrup, milk.

Friday - Hot dogs, buttered corn, tomato wedge, green pepper, potato chips, fresh grapes.

**Kenneth Johnson To
Teach In C-City**

Kenneth (Sonny) Johnson son of Dr. and Mrs. B. H. Johnson has accepted a position on the faculty of Colorado City High School. He will be teaching high school math and science.

Kenneth is a graduate of McMurry College and recently returned after an assignment with the U. S. Army in Vietnam. He has done graduate work at Abilene Christian College this summer.

**Attends Wedding
In Dublin**

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Templeton, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. O. I. Griffin of Colorado City and Mrs. W. F. Martin of Big Spring, attended the wedding of Mr. Templeton's and Mrs. Griffin's nephew, Ben Templeton and Susan Palmer in Dublin Sunday.

They visited with other members of the family at the home of their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pendergrass.

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**Butler's Entertain
Visitors**

Mrs. J. E. Coles and daughter, Mrs. Charles Lafoon and two daughters from Iraan, and Mrs. Ella Drake from Fabens visited Wednesday and Thursday in the Kenneth Butler home. Mrs. Drake remained and visited until Sunday in the Butler and Wiley Walker homes.

Other dinner guests of the Butlers Sunday and at the Walker home for a picnic supper Saturday night were Mrs. Golda Sharp of Fabens, Frank Drake of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Arden Drake and Rob of Tow, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hart of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hart, Mrs. Max Irwin and Tama of Abilene, the Walkers and Butlers.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Beaty during the weekend was her aunt, Mrs. C. B. Gaither, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gaither and Judy of Midlothian

Mr. and Mrs. Price Hall, accompanied by a daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mearse of Abilene, spent the weekend in Houston visiting a daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gustafson.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Lee spent the weekend in Rankin visiting a daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson. Roy is a member of the school faculty there and Mrs. Johnson is secretary to the Principal.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Weinman from Great Lakes, Ill., came in Sunday for a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hamilton and with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Richey.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Small of Arlington spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Small. Others visiting Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Stratton Beesley and son Worth of Beaumont, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Haring and Jim of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Gene McGee, Doug and Donna of Snyder.

Mrs. R. C. Henderson of Hawley is spending this week with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Linam.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Henderson spent Saturday night and Sunday in Lubbock with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tharon Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Beights, Ray and Donna of Texas City, visited from Thursday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Bond, as they were enroute to Tahlequah, Okla. Enroute to Oklahoma, they spent Saturday night with the Harvey Beights in Dallas.

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**Attends Wedding
Of Nephew**

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Beights, Renee and Tracy attended the wedding of Miss Claudia Donley and Ray Lynn Beights in Tahlequah, Okla., Aug. 23rd.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Miles Friday were Mrs. John Rainwater of Eden, Mrs. Tone Rainwater of Rock Springs, W. A. Miles and Billy of Midland, Mrs. D. L. Lindsey and daughter Layette of Houston. Billy remained with his grandparents and has enrolled for kindergarten classes in Loraine school.

**Band Boosters To
Meet August 28th**

Mrs. Barbara Davis, band director of Loraine High School, announced that there would be a Band Boosters meeting, in the band hall, Thursday night Aug. 28th at 8 p. m.

She urges all old members to attend and new members are needed.

Plans for the band for the new years will be discussed, projects for the year, etc. will be the main topic of discussion.

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Mr. and Mrs. Atwood Sheffield and children spent from Thursday until Saturday touring Carlsbad Caverns and visiting other places in that area.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Bodine and Jackie Jr. of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Collier and Jimmy of Inadale, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jap Doyle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hamilton spent Sunday night in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McCombs and attended the funeral of Mrs. Lee Pruitt in Abilene Monday.

Guests of Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Minton Sunday was her mother, Mrs. Louis Loveall of Chilhowee, Mo. Mrs. Loveall is visiting another daughter and son and families in Odessa this week, and will return here next week for a longer visit.

VISITS SIX FLAGS

Mr. and Mrs. Shep Compton and children, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Jean Fruge and children of Lubbock, spent Friday at Six Flags.

Mrs. Alma Horton returned to her home in Corpus Christi Friday after spending the summer here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Richey.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mayse and children returned Friday after a week's vacation in Durango and other places in Colorado.

Patsy Shoffit returned to her home in Andrews Tuesday after spending the weekend and first of the week with Betty Tune.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Linam and children of El Paso spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Linam, after a weeks vacation in Colorado.

Meadow's Host Ice Cream Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Meadows were hosts for the annual ice cream supper for members of the Friendship Class of the First Baptist Church, and their families, Friday night.

As Catherine Meadows was also celebrating her birthday, the ice cream was served with her birthday cake to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hackfeld and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. George Lee and sons, and the Meadows family.

Mrs. B. O. Joyce has returned home after spending the summer in El Paso with her daughter, Hilma, and accompanying her to Colorado where they visited their son and brother.



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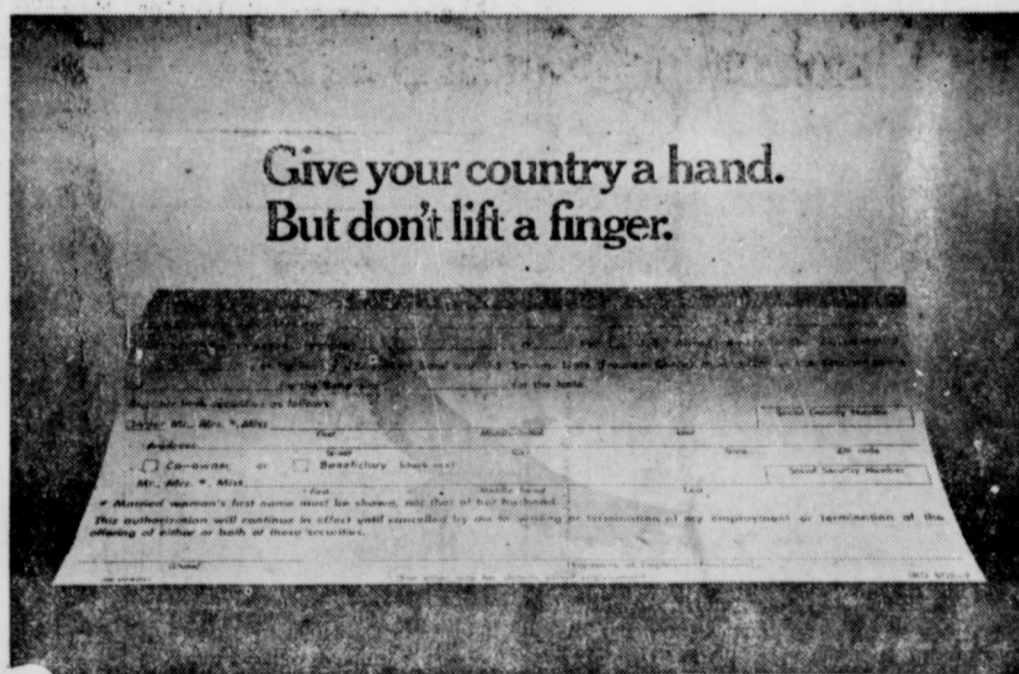
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PERSONALS

Dennis Fulcher of San Angelo accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Gary Parnell of Post, leaving here for Boston, Mass., where they will visit relatives. They will return the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Crutcher and son Jess, of Phoenix, Ariz., were guests of Mrs. L. E. Crutcher Thursday afternoon.

Guests of Mrs. Frank Beights last week was a cousin, George Caldwell and two friends from Alexander City, Ala. Mrs. Beights returned with them for a visit.

Mrs. Homer Mearse spent from Tuesday until Saturday in Abilene visiting in the homes of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Mearse, and with her grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mearse.

Mr. and Mrs. Eill Crutcher of Lubbock were guests of Mrs. L. E. Crutcher Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Helt of San Antonio visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett, as she was returning after spending a month at her cabin in Monument, Colo. Mrs. Bennett returned home with her Friday and visited until Wednesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Bennett and Kristi of Pecos, and Dr. and Mrs. Wayland Bennett of Lubbock, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Cain and children have moved from Abilene to Big Spring. They visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cain last week.

BASIC H will remove ball-point ink from clothes, so nice to use for general house cleaning. More information write Lorene Haygood, Loraine, Texas. 17-3-p

WANTED

WANTED - Woman to work in snack bar. Apply in person. Bernard's Tourist Town. 15tc

WANTED - Carpenter or laborer with serviceable car to drive part time to Abilene five days a week. Contact 737-2965. 17-tf-c

Am still operating my "Fix-It" business. Now can replace yard chair webbing. Ralph Alsbrook. 14-4-c

FOR RENT

FOR RENT - 4-room furnished apartment. Phone 737-2983. Mrs. Jim Merket. 10-tf-c

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to friends for their sympathy in our sorrow. Your visits, phone calls, food, flowers and cards will always be remembered. We ask Gods blessing on each of you. The Family of Emily Miles

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Graham and Tommy visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moser and Johnny in Lubbock, and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Graham in Mineral Wells, while on vacation last week. Returning they visited Mrs. Iona Adecock and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Graham in Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Bass Johnson and in the Tom Johnson home in De Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. Evert Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bowlin spent from Sunday until Wednesday vacationing in Ruidosa and Cloudcroft, N. M. Enroute they visited the Henderson's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Moore in Andrews.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Graham and Mrs. Della Graham Thursday and Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Graham and Gary, and Mr. and Mrs. Dock Graham, Brenda and Neva, of Pontotoc, Mississippi.

Judy Tarrt spent last week in Lubbock with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Daniels, and they brought her home and spent the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Preston, Mrs. Delmar McDaniel, Mike, Cindy, Mark and Jana visited relatives in Cross Plains Sunday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McDaniel Sunday night were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Crockett of Brownwood.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Meadows Sunday were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McDermott of Abilene.

Jerry Brannon of Anchorage, Alaska, left for Corpus Christi where he will enter the University of Corpus Christi, after spending two weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hays and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brannon of Inadale.

Sunday guests of Mrs. A. J. Scarborough were a nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hixon and son of Grand Prairie, a grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scarborough and children of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sells of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierson of Carbondale, Ill., came in Friday for a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allbright of Andrews visited his mother, Mrs. Pearl Allbright Sunday afternoon as they returned home from Waco after attending the funeral of a friend.

Mrs. R. B. Miller returned to her home in Poughkeepsie, N. Y. after visiting her mother, Mrs. G. W. Hendricks in Roland Home. Also visiting her was another daughter, Mrs. Lillian McDowell of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Moore and Tony, of Andrews, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Parnell and children of Waco and Mrs. Frank Parnell of Chilton visited in the Virgil Parnell home last week and Mrs. Frank Parnell remained for a longer visit. Here spending two weeks with the Parnells, and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Campbell in Colorado City, are Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Parnell and daughter of Fort Stockton.

A VIGNETTE FROM THE PAST

AUGUST 20, 1936

BARRETT STORE BURNED AT CHAMPION THURSDAY

The grocery store of E. O. Barrett at Champion was completely destroyed by fire in the early morning hours last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Barrett were sleeping in the yard at the store and were not awakened in time to save anything.

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FOLGER'S COFFEE LB. **73c**

COCA-COLA, 12 oz. can ... 11c

1 Case of 24 \$2.60



CRISCO

3 lb. tin 79c

GANDY'S

ICE CREAM, 1/2 gal. ... 69c

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TFA, 3 oz. jar \$1.09

PURE CANE

SUGAR, 10 lb. bag ... \$1.17

BETTY CROCKER

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HAIR SPRAY 69c



BANANAS

lb. 10c

Hubert Thomas Food Store

