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On The

BEAM

J. W. KING, SR.

It seems there are a number of people in the United States who are determined that our government give the communists in Vietnam everything they want, even to turning over to them South Vietnam, who is struggling to become a free and peaceful nation.

Those clabber-headed members of Congress and other so-called leaders through the United States ought to know (and they do know) that there is no freedom under communism. The people of Czechoslovakia can testify to that.

Communist Russia vowed to destroy the United States not by war but from working within the U. S. They are at work now and some of those clabber-headed so-called leaders are giving them aid and comfort from every side (perhaps not intentional but helping them nevertheless). Even a half-witted person ought to know that if the United States should suddenly withdraw all of its troops from Vietnam, the communists would immediately take over and the people of the world would lose confidence in the United States and our own country would be so disrupted that it would be ripe for takeover by communists too. Is that what we want? I think not. But to prove it we had - all of us - better let our government know that those who advocate "peace at any price" are in the minority.

Joe Hester Rites Held Saturday

Joe Hester, 77, died about 5:35 p. m. Thursday at Johnson Hospital, after a short illness.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday at the First United Methodist Church, with the pastor, Rev. Cecil Tune, officiating. Burial was in Loraine Cemetery under direction of Kiker & Son Funeral Home.

Born Dec. 17, 1891 in Brown County, Mr. Hester came to Loraine in 1945. He had been a miner, an employee of Gulf Oil Co., and a farmer. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include a brother, Doyle, of Loraine; two sisters, Mrs. E. D. Richardson and Mrs. Sherman Boyd, both of Midland.

Pallbearers were George Mahoney, Olen Mayes, Ralph Lankford, Glen Coon, Floyd Coffee and Jack Walker.

GRANDSON HOME FROM JAPAN

Steven Shultz, grandson of Mrs. Ed Shultz of Loraine, arrived at Travis AFB in California Saturday and on to his home in Dallas Sunday after receiving his discharge at Travis. He spent four years in the service.

Steven, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Shultz of Dallas, was in the medical corps, stationed at a hospital in Japan.

COTTON REPORT

The two Loraine gins had processed a total of 560 bales of cotton for the season, at noon Tuesday.

SCHOOL OUT FOR THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS

Supt. Scott announced this week that classes would dismiss at 2:30 Wednesday, Nov. 26 for Thanksgiving holidays and resume classes at the regular hour, Monday, Dec. 1.

COUNTY OFFICES WILL HAVE FARM CENSUS INFORMATION

Information about the 1969 Census of Agriculture is expected to be available in all county ASCS offices by December 1st, according to Eddie R. Braswell, Mitchell Co. ASCS Office Manager.

Braswell said in late November, the Bureau of Census in Washington will send to all county ASCS offices an information packet containing a reference handbook, an introductory letter and a sample questionnaire. Information in the packet will help county office

employees answer questions from farmers about the 1969 Agricultural Census.

The Office Manager said farmers will receive the 1969 Agricultural Census questionnaire by mail on or about January 1, 1970. The questionnaire should be filled out and mailed back to the Census Bureau not later than February 15.

Braswell said farmer cooperation in this census is very important because decisions that will lead to improved farm programs must be based on reliable facts and those facts can only be obtained through a nationwide census of all farms and ranches.

He said ASCS is one of the key agencies in the U. S. Department of Agriculture through which information on the 1969 Census of Agriculture will be handled.

Cousin Killed While Hunting

Alton Ray Chapman, 28, of 898 Sammons, Abilene, was dead on arrival at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Saturday afternoon, after being brought in by his neighbor and hunting companion, Charles Howell of Abilene. Mr. Chapman was a cousin of Hershel Williams of Loraine.

The two had been hunting on the Shotwell Ranch, near Buffalo Gap, when Howell said he winged a spike buck. After alerting Chapman, who was in a stand, by a small walkie-talkie radio, Howell said he went after the buck and saw a movement through the brush and thought it was the buck. Chapman was hit in the right side of the back by a 30-06 bullet.

Funeral was held Monday in Southern Hills Church of Christ in Abilene with Clem Thurman, minister, officiating.

Mr. Chapman is survived by his wife and two sons of the home; his mother; one brother and three sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams visited in the home Monday and attended the funeral.

Attend Burned Man's Rites in Abilene

Mrs. Hal Bennett accompanied her son, Bob, of Midland, to Abilene Saturday for the funeral of H. V. Warford. The deceased was a maternal uncle of Mrs. Bob Bennett. His body had been flown from Fredericksburg, Va., where he had been seriously burned in an explosion of gasoline on Oct. 17.

Mrs. Bob Bennett had gone to Abilene Friday to join a large group of relatives and friends for the memorial service at the Southside Baptist Church at 10:30 a. m. Nov. 16.

Attend Joe Hester Rites Here

Among those here to attend the funeral of Joe Hester Saturday were Mrs. W. L. Hester and Peter Martin of Lubbock, Mrs. Lura Hester and Mrs. Effie Jacks of Brownwood, and a group of friends from Abilene and Cleburne.

HERE ON FURLOUGH

Lt. and Mrs. Harold Ray Preston of Abilene were here during the weekend visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Preston and Dr. and Mrs. Joe Terry.

Harold completed advanced training at Ft. Sill, Okla., last week and is home for a 21-day leave before leaving for Vietnam.

Roscoe Rites For Mrs. Collett

Funeral services were held at the First United Methodist Church in Roscoe Friday for Mrs. Suda Mary Collett, 87, who died at 8:15 a. m. Wednesday after and 18-day illness.

The Rev. Tommy Taylor, Cotton Center, officiated at the rites, assisted by the Rev. Weldon Rives.

Burial was in the Sweetwater Cemetery under direction of Patterson-McCoy Funeral Home.

Mrs. Collett, sister of the late Ed Shultz of Loraine, was born Feb. 11, 1882 in Sipe Springs. She was the former Suda Mary Schultz and married William Burl Collett in Sweetwater Sept. 23, 1923. He died in 1964. They had lived in the Roscoe area since 1927.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Frank L. Howton of Tucson, Ariz.; a grandson, Raymond Vaughn of Niagara Falls, N. Y.; two sisters, Mrs. Mattie Holder of Abilene and Mrs. Myrtle Butts of Houston; seven great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Prestons Visiting In California

Mr. and Mrs. Ham Preston left Friday for Ontario, Calif., where their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Preston, Janet and Paul met them for the weekend, and they attended a reception for Mrs. Vern Preston's parents on their 50th wedding anniversary.

They returned to Fresno, with Vern and family for a visit. While in California, they will also visit Mr. Preston's sister, Mrs. Edna Armstrong in Ontario.

BLAIR VISITORS

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dual Blair were their two sons and wives, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Blair and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Blair of Alpine. Others were Miss Aleta June Bierschwald and Kirk Presley, Mrs. Wilda Meixner, Shane, Michael and Hugh, all of Alpine.

Visiting Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wall and children of Snyder, Keith Hamilton and Frances Lavier of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Kidd.

Lunchroom Menu

Monday - Barbecued wieners, blackeye peas, buttered rice, cole slaw, applesauce, milk, butter, bread.

Tuesday - Fish sticks, tartar sauce, pork & beans, Mex-I-Hominy, carrot sticks, orange half, milk, bread, butter.

Wednesday - Turkey, dressing, gravy, candied yams, stuffed celery, cranberry sauce, fruit salad, milk, bread, butter.

Thursday - Friday - Holidays.

HOSPITAL

Admitted - Tina De Long, Mrs. Elmata Thompson, Mrs. Flossie Carlisle, Mrs. Cora Hall, Mrs. Bernard Hackfeld and baby son, Mrs. Joe Torres and Percy Bond.

Dismissed - Mrs. Bob McClure, Vicki Sullivan, Earl Chitsey, Tina De Long, Mrs. Adaline Finley, H. A. Dever, Mrs. Joe Torres.

Baptist Women Review Mission Book, "Sons of Ishmael"

Women of the Baptist WMS met at the church at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday, Nov. 12, to review the Foreign Mission Book, "Sons of Ishmael," with Mrs. Thomas Riden in charge.

Mrs. Dexter Taylor brought the devotional and read the prayer calendar.

Maps of the country and flip charts were used by Mrs. Riden after she had read from Romans, "How shall they hear" in her introduction and in giving the first three chapters of the book.

The primary work of the church is to bring the gospel to every nation, and in Sons of Ishmael, it was learned that one-seventh of our world is Moslem, and some on hundred million of these worshipers are the Arabic-speaking sons of Ishmael, living in the Middle East. "How shall they hear without a preacher?" Prayers were offered that we at home would heed this challenge to support the work there.

Mrs. George Lee and Mrs. Clarence Minton told something about the schools there, and as the students accepted Christ, they were disowned by their families.

Jesus said "I am in the Father, and the Father in me. John 14:11, while the Moslem's creed says "there is no God but Allah, and Mohammed is the prophet." Not all Moslems are Arabs, but nearly all Arabs are Moslems.

Lebanon is the only Arab country in which a majority of the population is nominally Christian instead of Moslem.

Mrs. Lee was narrator as Mrs. Minton showed a film of the Baptist work in the Middle East.

Mrs. Dan Butler introduced the chapter telling of the areas of the Arab world where Southern Baptists are engaged in the ministry of healing, and what response is being made to this type of mission work. Mrs. Lynne Compton, Mrs. Roy Baird and Mrs. H. L. Leach discussed the hospital work in Jordan, Gaza and Yemen, and the influence doctors and nurses have with the people.

Bro. Minton reviewed the last chapter, discussing the various types of mission work in which Southern Baptists are engaged in the Arab world, their response, and what is our hope for

Loraine 4-H'ers Among Co. Award Winners at Achievement Program

There were several 4-H Club members from Loraine who received awards at the 4-H Achievement program held Saturday in the high school cafeteria at Colorado City.

The program was the highlight of the 4-H'ers year, stated Janet Shettlesworth and Bobby Lemons, County Extension Agents.

Linda Banks and David Stubblefield were recognized as Gold Star girl and boy. The announcement of Gold Star winners highlighted the presentation of 62 Achievement Awards to outstanding members.

Linda Banks is the 17-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Banks Jr. She is a senior at Colorado High School and is head cheerleader. She has been elected Most Deserving Girl as a Freshman, Sophomore and

Junior. She received the Clothing Award in 1963, the Food and Nutrition Award in 1964. She is active in the Order of the Rainbow.

David Stubblefield is the 17-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Stubblefield. He is a senior at Colorado High School and president of the Student Council. David is presently serving as Chairman of the Mitchell Co. 4-H Council and is Co-Chairman of the Lone Wolf 4-H Club. He carried Beef Cattle and Junior Leadership as projects.

The Spur Clip Award for outstanding support of 4-H Club work was presented to three friends of 4-H, Mr. C. C. Thompson, President of the Board of City National Bank, was presented a Spur Clip for his support on 4-H Club projects and activities. Mr. Thompson has given 4-H members beef cattle to feed, as well as helped finance their projects. Mr. Joe Bell, Editor of the Colorado City Record, was presented a Spur Clip for his outstanding support of 4-H work through publicity. Mr. Leo Thompson was presented a Spur Clip for his assistance to the Westbrook 4-H Club in helping them set up and carry out their Horse and Pony Playdays.

Darlene Forbes and Steve Hill were presented the Danforth I Dare You Award to the most outstanding four-square boy and girl. Christy Stubblefield and Jim Dockrey were awarded a trophy for submitting the Outstanding Senior 4-H Record Book. The Outstanding Junior 4-H Record Book was submitted by Toni Wulfjen and Bill Dockrey. Beverly Fuller and Randy Andrews received the Best First Year Record Book. Other awards and their recipients were as follows:

Agriculture - Jim Bob Holman, Eddy Merket, and Mike McClure.

Achievement - Linda Banks, David Stubblefield, Leslie Anderson, Darlene Forbes.

Bicycle - Lee Roy Miller.

Bread - Julie King, Theresa Smith and Toni Wulfjen.

Clothing - Nancy Smith, Emerlinda Reyes and Martha Martinez.

Conservation of Natural Resources - Eldon Harris.

Field Crop Science - Steve Hamrick.

Food and Nutrition - Sheryl Hamrick, Jeanette Smith, Susan Blasingame, Mary Martinez.

Health - Georgeann Smith, Datha Byrne and Diana McClure.

Horse - Brenda Conard, Byron Byrne, Bruce Rich and Joyce McKenney.

Leadership - Sherry Williams and Becky Merket.

Safety - Randy Anderson.

Sheep - Bobby Moody.

Swine - Tim Oden, Ray Ritchey, Ronnie Miller and Brent Hamrick.

Veterinary Science - Jim Dockrey.

Citizenship - Christy Stubblefield and Bill Dockrey.

Public Speaking - Woody Anderson.

Dress Review - Marsha Brownfield, Vickie Beach and Beverly Fuller.

Beef Cattle Business Junior Symposium - Lee Roy Miller, David Sweatt, coached by Jim Moody.

Beef - Bruce Hill, Jeff Merket, Larry and Kenny McClure, Texas Junior Leadership Contest - Tim Oden, Bruce Hill, David Stubblefield, Darlene Forbes, Becky Merket and Theresa Selvera.

Buck Taylors Return From Eastern Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Taylor returned Friday after a ten-day trip, traveling as far as Neosho and Joplin, Mo., where they visited her brother and family.

Enroute home, they traveled through Arkansas, seeing places of interest, and on to Oklahoma, spending one night at Lake Arrowhead State Park. Then they traveled to Calvin, Okla., where Buck was anxious to locate his former home - his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Taylor, took their family there, which was then Indian Territory, when they left Tennessee in the early 1900's. They lived there three years before moving to Loraine.

They located the small cemetery and graves of his 16-year old sister, who died of malaria, and of an uncle and two cousins. The father had a steel fence built around the grave of his sister when they left Oklahoma, and it was still standing.

Leaving Oklahoma, they spent Thursday night in Saint Jo with her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. E. Leslie.

This enjoyable trip convinced Mrs. Taylor of the advantages of traveling in their camper, which she had been hesitant about accepting with too much enthusiasm.

SURGERY IN ABILENE

Mrs. Jack Richey entered Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Tuesday, and underwent major surgery Wednesday.

Hays Return From Arkansas Trip

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hays returned home last Wednesday after a week's trip to Arkansas and Oklahoma.

They went to Oklahoma City where they were joined by a daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Goodman, and joined Mr. Hays' sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Buel Smith of Wichita, Kansas, at their cabin at Eureka Springs, Ark. Also joining the group were the Smith's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Monty Kister and sons.

They toured that area and report the Ozark Mountains are beautiful at this season. They visited the Statue of Christ of the Ozarks, Little Jerusalem, where they stage the Passion

play each year, and also the Beaver Dam.

They returned to Sulphur and Roff, Okla., and visited relatives before returning home.

Guests of Mrs. Homer Wilson Saturday night was a nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McCarley of Odessa.

Guest of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Mayes over the weekend was Mrs. W. A. Norcross of Lubbock.

Friday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Anders were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Claxton of Houston.

WANT ADS PAY OFF!

Mr., Mrs. Ronnie Blair Honored at Party

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Blair were complimented at a post-nuptial gift tea, in the home of Mrs. K. L. Taylor, from 7 to 9:30 p. m. Saturday evening. Mrs. Taylor welcomed guests and introduced the honorees, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dual Blair. Mrs. Lynn Hamilton presided at the register and Mrs. J. M. Templeton played organ music during the calling hours.

The dining table was laid in white linen embroidered cloth. A lovely arrangement of pink and white carnations and greenery in a silver bowl, was flanked by three branched candelabras holding pink candles.

Mrs. Larry Blair, Mrs. Danny Galey, Aleta June Bierschwale and Bobbie Lou Schroeder alternated at serving cake squares iced with white and topped with pink confection rose buds, nuts, mints and punch.

Gifts were on display in the den and bedrooms, and were shown by other members of the houseparty.

Out of town callers included Mrs. Wilda Meixner, Shane Michael and Hugh of Alpine, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wall of Snyder, Kirk Presley and Aleta June Bierschwale of Alpine.

Co-hostesses with Mrs. Taylor were Mmes. Wilson Kidd, Lynne Hamilton, Earl Phillips, Wayne Oliver, Jack Brewer, W. D. Cain, Lester Webb, R. J. Hale, Calvin Forbus, Don Redwine, Ted Leffevre, Hubert Thomas, E. A. Narrell, Royce Beights and Charles Finley.

W.S.C.S. Meet Wednesday, Nov. 12

"Are you building walls or bridges," was the subject Mrs. S. E. Meadows discussed in bringing the devotional at the regular WSCS meeting Wednesday morning.

She read from Matthew and Ephesians and closed her devotional talk with prayer.

Mrs. James Watkins had charge of the program on the subject, "War and Peace," and Mrs. Watkins, Mrs. James Bennett and Mrs. Jack Linam gave a pantomime on this subject.

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Mrs. Jim Johnson read an editorial from the Methodist magazine titled "No Work From The Lord." The question was asked, What can Christians do about this war?, and stressed that we should support our President, or do we disagree? We dare not take the easy way out.

The topic was closed with a prayer, in unison, for peace in our world, and Mrs. Wiley Walker led the closing prayer.

Present were Mmes. Jim Johnson, James Bennett, Jack Linam, S. E. Meadows, C. H. Martin, Cecil Tune, Claude Neely, Marshall Bruce, Lily Bennett, James Watkins, Martin Dobbs and Wiley Walker.

2, at the home of Mrs. Lester Webb.

Gifts were made at this meeting for residents of the Roland Home for their Christmas.

Present were Mmes. Lynne Compton, Harvey Leach, Lester Webb, Dan Butler, L. E. Crutcher, Pauline Smiley, Cullen Payne, Fay McCollum, one visitor, Miss Janice Shettlesworth, Agent, and the hostess.

Mrs. Richey Hosts Gleaners Class

Mrs. F. M. Richey was hostess for the November meeting of the Gleaner Class of the United Methodist Church Tuesday, Nov. 11th.

Mrs. C. C. Hamilton, president, presided over the meeting which opened with group singing the class song, "What A Friend We Have In Jesus."

Mrs. C. M. Duke led the opening prayer. Mrs. Richey read the minutes of the last meeting and Mrs. J. E. Price gave the treasurer's report. Plans were made for the Christmas party to be held at the December meeting.

Mrs. Marshall Bruce, study leader, taught the Bible lesson from the 15th chapter of Matthew, and Mrs. Cecil Tune led in prayer.

The hostess served a delicious salad plate with coffee and hot apple juice to Mmes. C. E. Meadows, J. D. McDonald, C. C. Hamilton, Hugh Hallmark, J. E. Mahon, Joe Bennett, Marshall Bruce, Cecil Tune, C. M. Duke, J. E. Price and Jim Johnson.

Mrs. Vest Hosts Baumann Club

The annual Thanksgiving luncheon for members of the Baumann H. D. Club was held in the home of Mrs. Thomas Vest, Tuesday, Nov. 18.

Baked chicken, dressing and trimmings were served at the noon hour.

Mrs. L. E. Crutcher presided over the business session and roll call was answered with "What I have to be thankful for today."

Plans were made to join in the County-wide Educational Tour Friday, Nov. 21, when they will visit the Veterans Hospital in Big Spring and the Plastic Plant there. They will have a lunch period at Furr's Cafeteria. Plans were also made for the Christmas Party on December

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PERSONALS

Visitors of Mrs. Ed Shultz Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Frank Howton, of Tucson, Ariz., and Mrs. Mable Taylor of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Ed Shultz spent from Wednesday until Friday in Roscoe visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Shultz, and attended the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mary Collett Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Armstrong of Tulsa, Okla., and Mrs. Joe Armstrong of Colorado City were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Richey Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Wilma Adams visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mayo and David Jay in Dallas last week, and Mrs. Mayo and David Jay returned with her and are spending this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Belvin and little son of Fort Worth, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sanford and Mr. and Mrs. Burl Belvin. Others visiting in the Sanford home were Mr. and Mrs. Truman Sanford and children and Barry Sanford of Lubbock. Barry, who received his discharge from the service and arrived home last week, has gone to work for Boswell Construction Co. in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Holman returned Thursday after visiting since Thursday in Dallas with her sister, Mrs. Clara White, who had undergone major surgery at Dallas Methodist Hospital.

Mrs. Hugh Hallmark returned home the first of the week after visiting a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hallmark at Kingsland.

Thanksgiving Dinner For T.E.L. Class

The T.E.L. Class of the First Baptist Church enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner at the Cree-Mee Drive in at 6:30 Monday evening.

The group met at the church at 6 p. m. for a short devotional period. Mrs. T. L. Holman, class president, presided for the meeting. Rev. and Mrs. Minton and Cathy sang a special, after Bro. Minton had brought the devotional on Giving Thanks, and offered a prayer.

At the close of the devotional period, the group went to the Drive In.

Rev. Minton gave the invocation before the meal of baked turkey and trimmings was served from a U-shaped table, laid in orange cloth, decorated with turkeys, pumpkins, and other fall motifs. Matching napkins were used and table were centered with fall floral arrangements.

Enjoying the occasion were Rev. and Mrs. Minton, David and Cathy, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Webb, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Narrell, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Holman, and Mmes. H. G. Denson, Cullen Payne, H. L. Leach, G. K. Baker, H. G. Hallmark, Lynne Compton, Pauline Smiley, Vada Preston and Roy Baird.

Attend Wedding Of Sister in Amarillo

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith were in Amarillo over the weekend to attend the wedding of her sister, Miss Velma Ware, and Bill Kirk. The wedding was held at West Amarillo Church of Christ at 6:30 in the evening on Nov. 15th.

Mrs. Smith was matron of honor for her sister, and Mr. Smith was best man. They returned home Sunday night.

Guests of Mrs. S. E. Meadows Saturday night was her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Reeder of Weatherford.

Archie Forbus of Lamesa visited with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sanford Sunday.

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TWO NEW GENERATING FACILITIES UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Right now, steel is going up for two big power generating units. One is a 375,000 kilowatt addition to the company's Eagle Mountain generating station in Fort Worth. Work on this new unit is scheduled for completion in time to meet summer peak loads in 1971.

The other is a 1,150,000 kilowatt generating station being constructed jointly by Texas Electric Service Company, Dallas Power & Light Company and Texas Power & Light Company in Freestone County. This new plant will burn lignite from nearby deposits for boiler fuel.

UNIT TO BE ADDED TO PERMIAN BASIN PLANT

Another project, recently announced, involves construction of an additional generating unit with a capacity in excess of 500,000 kilowatts at the company's Permian Basin power plant near Monahans.

SYSTEM GENERATING CAPABILITY INCREASED BY 20 TIMES

These new projects continue a program of system development that since 1948 has increased the net generating capability of the system by 20 times. During this period, 21 new generating units have been added, the latest being a 375,000 kilowatt unit which went into service at the Graham power plant early in 1969.

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TRANSMISSION LINE SYSTEM STRENGTHENED

Development of the company's transmission system has kept pace with the increase in generating capability. A strong network of high voltage transmission lines delivers electric power where and when it is needed in

the area served by the company. And strong interconnections with the systems of other companies in Texas make possible the exchange of large blocks of power in any emergency situation.

PLANNING AND CONSTRUCTION PROGRAMS TO CONTINUE

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ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON - Mr. and Mrs. David Little of Midland are announcing the arrival of a son, Nov. 18, whom they have named David Scott. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Little of Loraine, who visited the new grandson and parents Sunday.

ELROD-WILLIS WEDDING HELD IN ABILENE

Wedding rites for Miss Dorothy Jean Elrod and Kirk Ed Willis were read at the Golden Gate Baptist Church in Abilene at 8 p. m. Friday, Nov. 14. Mr. Willis is a nephew of Mrs. Martin Dobbs of Loraine. Mr. and Mrs. Dobbs and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dobbs and Miklyn of Euless, and Mrs. Dell Kirby, Sandra and Steve of Levelland attended the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett accompanied their son, Merlin Bennett of Pecos and attended the Texas Tech-Baylor game in Lubbock Saturday.

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Ruth Class Holds Thanksgiving Dinner

Mrs. Dan Butler, class president, voiced the opening prayer when the Ruth Sunday School class met at the First Baptist Church Thursday morning, for their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Dexter Taylor, teacher, gave the devotional, reading Luke 17: 11-19, telling the story about Christ healing the ten lepers, and only one of them returned to thank him. She asked the question "do we thank the ones who do things for us?" To conclude her talk, she asked each member to tell about the things she was thankful for.

The regular monthly reports were given by the Secretary, Treasurer and Group Leaders. The class had voted recently to buy one book each month to be given to the church library. "Keepers of the Faith," by Emily Loring, and "Marcia Schuyler" by Grace Livingston Hill, were the first to be placed in the library. "Blest Be The Tie That Binds" was sung to close the meeting.

After the meeting, the group went to the Cree-Mee Drive In where a Thanksgiving luncheon had been prepared for them. Rev. Minton gave the invocation before the meal of baked turkey, dressing and trimmings were served. The table was laid in an orange cloth sprinkled with Thanksgiving motifs, with matching napkins, and held a beautiful centerpiece, an orange felt turkey on felt mat.

Present were two guests, Rev. Minton and Edwin Hallmark, and members Mmes. Dan Butler, Hal Bennett, L. E. Crutcher, Edwin Hallmark, J. W. King, C. A. Land, H. L. Leach, W. H. Long, Charlie Lee, A. C. Mercer, Homer Mearse and Dexter Taylor.

Mrs. K. L. Taylor Hosts Game Club

Mrs. K. L. Taylor hosted four tables of 42 when she entertained at the regular meeting of the Game Club Tuesday night Nov. 11.

Guests were Rev. and Mrs. Ray Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett and Mrs. Roy Baird. Members playing were Messrs. and Mmes. Jack Linam, Floyd Coffee, Doyle Hester, Wiley Walker, J. M. Templeton and Otis Muns.

The patriotic theme was used for tallies, napkins, etc., and foursome tables were laid with placemats with Texas scenes. A refreshment plate of apple pie topped with whipped cream, nuts, candy and fruit punch were served.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hackfeld are announcing the birth of a son, Nov. 9th, at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene, whom they have named Michael Wayne.

Mrs. Hackfeld and Michael Wayne were brought back to Johnson Hospital last Friday and home on Wednesday of this week.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vick of Alpine are announcing the birth of a son on Nov. 7th. The 8 pound boy has been named Jason Albright.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Albright of Grand Prairie, and maternal great grandmother is Mrs. Pearl Albright of Loraine.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Watkins were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Watkins and Rachel, and his grandmother, Mrs. Lee Watkins from Mule Creek, N. M. Mrs. Lee Watkins remained and will be at home in the Charlie House Apt., where the Jesse Watkins now live. They will move to the home of the late Mrs. H. G. Wilson.

A VIGNETTE FROM THE PAST

JANUARY 6, 1938

First State Bank Elects Officers

Stockholders of the First State Bank in their annual meeting Tuesday elected the following directors and officers for the new year. Directors are J. C. Hall, W. S. Wimberley, S. M. Hallmark, K. L. Taylor, T. R. Bennett, Mrs. Lillie E. Bennett and O. W. Baumann. Officers elected are J. C. Hall, President; W. S. Wimberley, Vice-President; S. M. Hallmark, Vice-President; K. L. Taylor, Cashier, J. C. Hall, Jr., Assistant Cashier, and Douglas Taylor, Bookkeeper.

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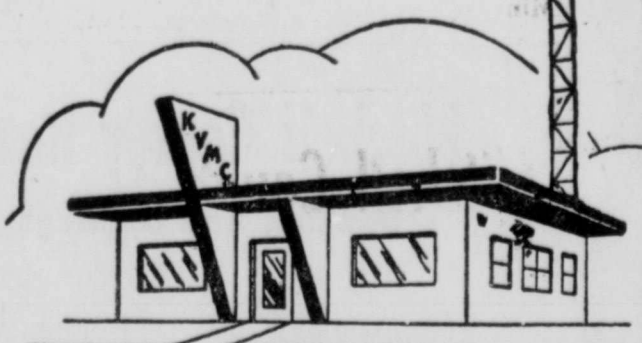
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