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Fish Dinner Is Provided Lions Club By Franks

Fishermen's luck provided a tasty meal Tuesday for Olton Lions and a number of guests. Fish for the dinner was provided by Lion Eldon Franks whose recent outing to Old Mexico answered a longtime dream, a large enough fish catch to feed the club.

Out of town guests were Jack Young of Isabel, S.D. and presently staying in Plainview; Gary Woodley of Lubbock, special agent for Republic Insurance Company; and Nicholas Mongilardi and Eduardo Mercado, foregin exchange youth from Peru.

Lion Boss Doug Goen announced the District Convention to be held April 26-27 in Plainview. Club members voted to send Lions Sweetheart Chesna Dickenson as a representative of the local club.

Robert Sively, Wayne Cole and Leon Noack were approved to serve on a committee to select a student to participate in the exchange youth program.

Mrs. Owen Norfleet and Harold Dean Carson provided the leadership for a "Sing Along With Mitch" program with Lions and their guests joining in a number of "oldies." Carson accompanied Mrs. Norfleet as she sang "Bill Bailey" and "Let There Be Peace On Earth."

Note Correct Street Address

Residents and businesses of Olton are being urged to list correct street addresses in the telephone directory which will be released later this year. Deadline for making any change in listings is in the very near future a spokesman says.

Frances Redinger, CCA secretary, stated this week that General Telephone Company advised that at present there is no charge for making a change in directory listings but that the company will begin charging for the service in the near future.

Chamber officials urge all telephone subscribers to check with the City Hall for the correct street address and to call Mrs. Day at 285-2540 to list addresses or make corrections or additions.

Orian Hackler has completed a town-wide numbering assignment and each lot in the city has been numbered. These numbers have been filed with Pioneer Natural Gas, Southwestern Public Service and the Water Department.



ELDON FRANKS

Volunteer Fireman Recalls Experiences

"When they gave me that plaque it made me want to go back to being a fireman," Eldon Franks said this week of the recent recognition paid him for 20-plus years as a member of Olton Volunteer Department.

Retiring the first of the year after "22" or "23" years in the department, Franks was honored at the Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture Banquet by his fellow firemen. The inscription on the plaque reads: "For many years of service."

R.A. Green, now of Plainview, was fire chief when Franks joined the volunteer group. He recalls the organization's inexperience and lack of knowledge.

"We didn't know much about putting out fires. We'd just go and put all the water on it we could. Later we learned that you don't fight fires just by pouring lots of water on them."

When Franks began as a volunteer fireman, the city's fire truck was kept in a garage built as a part of the city hall in the portion which is now the office of the city judge.

Laughing, he remembers one humorous instance when haste made the fireman in the driver's seat forget to wait till the door was raised.

"The old truck we had then didn't even have a cab but it had a windshield until he drove the truck through the garage door."

Franks noted that when he began with the department the city had no insurance key rate. Since that time the department has helped Olton to become a "first key town," thereby enabling residents to obtain fire protection insurance at premium reduced rates.

Equipment of the department and participation in fire school each year are credits for the town in the key rate.

"For our size town, there's no better fire department," Franks says. "I'm prejudiced, I know but it's true, we've got one of the best fire departments of any town."

Each year the city sends the fire marshal and two members to firemen's school at Texas A&M University for concentrated instruction in the latest and most up-to-date methods of fire prevention and fire department fighting.

It was through education that the department learned fire fighting was "more than pouring water on it."

"Volunteer firemen are a dedicated bunch," Franks says of his former fellow firemen. "It's not easy to crawl out of bed at 3 a.m. And many of them are businessmen who leave their place of business to go put out a fire for someone."

Franks notes, too, that a volunteer fireman never knows what awaits him when the siren sounds. Perhaps it's a minor grass fire or it may be major. It may be a simple task to answer or it may be serious blaze. It might even be a threat to his own safety or life.

Tragedy did await one fire call the retiring member helped answer.

"We'd learned at fire school that if we couldn't save what was burning we should try to prevent the fire from spreading to something else. When we got to this little two room house it was completely in flames so we began hosing down everything around it. Then a woman came running across the street crying out that there were babies sleeping in the burning house."

Three small children lost their lives in that fire which occurred in December 1966.

Reporting fires can be so important to the fire department, Franks adds. Fire tends to create panic but it is very vital that the person reporting a fire give some necessary information.

"Persons need to tell where the fire is with directions for its location and what the fire is. The department can be ready if they know what to expect."

(Editor's note: This was made more vivid a few days ago when the fire which destroyed the Ray Rodriquez' home near Hart Camp was first reported to the Littlefield fire department with the alarm, "There's a house on fire, send the fire truck." A second alarm, after critical minutes had passed, was made to the local department with the necessary information but too much time had elapsed for the home to be saved.)

Looking back over the years Franks can now see humor in some calls which were not so regarded at the happening. He recalls one winter night when he arrived at the station just as the truck was pulling out.

"I jumped on back without any idea where the fire was and we went nearly to Dimmitt! I was nearly frozen solid," he laughs now at the memory. Then he adds, "but I learned to find out where we were going before I did that again."

The little golden fireman mounted on the plaque of appreciation will serve as an ever-ready reminder to him of those 20-plus years when he was an Olton Volunteer Fireman.

First United Methodist To Begin Revival Services

Revival services will begin Sunday, March 3 and continue through Thursday evening, March 7 at the First United Methodist Church.

The Rev. Jim Smith, pastor of Northridge United Methodist Church in Lamesa, will be evangelist. Song services will be directed by Dale Hood of Lubbock.

Sunday services will be held at the regular worship hours of 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Weekday services will feature 7:30 a.m. breakfasts with informal devotional type meetings. Evening preaching services are slated for 8 p.m.



REV. JIM SMITH

The Rev. Smith a native of Memphis, was converted and accepted a call to enter the ministry while attending Tulia High School. Following graduation, he attended McMurry College and participated in youth witness teams, worked as summer youth director and preached youth revivals in Texas, New Mexico, Arkansas and Kentucky.

After receiving his bachelor's degree from McMurry, he completed his education in Asbury Theological Seminary in Wilmore, Ky. where he received a Master of Divinity degree in 1969.

The Rev. Al E. Jennings, pastor, extends an invitation to the public to attend each of the services.

Campaigners Are Needed

"Wanted: an organization or group to conduct this year's American Red Cross fund drive." This was the plea this week of Eldon Franks, veteran worker with the annual campaign.

Franks said this week that the bountiful harvest locally should not blind persons to less fortunate areas where the Red Cross has stepped in to fill vital needs. Floods of 1973, along with other disasters, have caused Red Cross funds to be at their lowest ebb.

"Not only would you (sponsoring group) be doing a needed task, you'll feel very rewarded for your efforts," Franks said. Any group willing to accept this challenge should contact Franks at the Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture office or at home.

Cookie Sales To Begin Soon

Small salesgirls wearing neat uniforms and big smiles began a march this weekend offering delicious cookies for sale.

It is Girl Scout Cookie Week again with local sales beginning after school Friday and continuing through March 9 or until their supply is exhausted.

Packaged by Burry, a division of Quaker Oats Company, the cookies sell for $1 per box and may be purchased in five choices--Lemon Cremes, Sandwiches Cremes, Soct-Teas (butter cookies), Mint and Savannahs (peanut butter).

Connie Thomas Named Betty Crocker Leader

Miss Connie Thomas has been named Betty Crocker Family Leader of Tomorrow for Olton High School. The honor was achieved by her high score in a written knowledge and aptitude test administered to high school seniors here and throughout the country Dec. 4.

Daughter of Mrs. Juanita Thomas, she will now be considered with other winner in Texas for the title of State Family Leader of Tomorrow. State winner will receive a $1,500 college scholarship; runner-up will receive a $500 scholarship.



CONNIE THOMAS

State winners along with a winner from the District of Columbia will compete for the All-American Family Leader of Tomorrow. Each of the 51 winners will be given expense-paid educational tours of the nation's capital and Minneapolis, Minn., home of the General Mills, sponsors of the annual Betty Crocker Search.

Miss Thomas has been active in Future Homemakers of America four years serving as reporter her freshman year and stock show superintendent her junior and senior years. She is a four-year member of Future Teachers and has been a member of the Mustang Band four years.

She was in basketball and volleyball her freshman and sophomore years and was officer of her junior class. She was named to Who's Who in American High Schools as a junior.

A member of the UIL one-act play cast that qualified for regional her junior year, she was selected district best actress and was a district winner in debate, finishing second in regional.

Cast as "Mammy" in the drama and choral department's production of "Li'l Abner," she is presently in rehearsal for the UIL one-act play this year.

Miss Thomas' sister, Margaret, was selected Betty Crocker Homemaker for Olton High School in 1970.

New Business Opens Here

A new business, Yard Boy Drilling, has been opened in Olton by Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Freeman. The new company will offer such services as ditch work, cesspool drilling and underground trash facilities.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman, who also own a similar business in Canyon, state they are eager to get acquainted with the people of Olton and invite everyone to come by for a visit.

Yard Boy Drilling is located in the building formerly occupied by Vaughn's Grinding and Machine on Highway 70.

Natives of Muleshoe, the Freemans are parents of two children; Jarrett, three and a half, and Nikki, two and a half. They are Presbyterians.

Police Chief Has Surgery

Chief of Police Ped Hunt underwent surgery Thursday in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock for the removal of a malignant tumor from his left lung.

A check late Thursday afternoon revealed he would be confined to intensive care unit for several days.

Butane Business Boomed In '40's

Progress came to the prime agriculture area of the Panhandle-South Plains with great bounds when butane arrived on the scene in the early 40's. The marvelous new "energy source" for homes and the more economical fuel for farming enterprises provided the need for Olton's second butane business and early in 1946 Olton Butane began helping meet those ever increasing demands.

It was a blow to the butane business however when still another step of progress was notched with the advent of natural gas to the scene.

Commenting that progress does not usually come without cost somewhere, Jess Parker recalls a remark of a longtime friend in Plainview.

Jess quotes the father of Plainview Mayor John Stoneham, "I thought I had it made when I bought out my competitor's livery table. I owned the town's livery stables and then Henry Ford made the car."

Olton Butane was begun two farmers, J.C. Hamby and Frank Cornelius. Parker began his association with the business very soon after beginning when he emuted from Plainview was the firm's bookkeeper. He moved to Olton 953.

Tom Sluder began with firm as "service man." Millard Smith was an early day employee and Basil Sherman also worked with the business about two years.

Hamby's son, Houston, grew into the business becoming a full time part of it after graduation from Olton High School.

Cornelius sold his interest in the business in 1960.

Present day employees include O.Z. Findley, who has been with the business nine years, and Freddy Burgess, with the butane division of the company; Daniel Rey, gas and diesel; and Roy Harman and Eddie Saldovar, shop men.

Servicing pickups or well motors, the two shop men are always busy and are frequently behind.

The business began with one truck with everyone, at times, taking turns at driving. Butane was as low as a nickle at one time but averaged seven or eight cents, Jess recalls.

At the peak usage of LP gas for farming operations, Olton Butane had five delivery trucks. Today they have two for butane and a third for diesel. During that prime time the company had two transports that couldn't keep with the needs.

After local storage was built, Jess says that the transport would pick up a load of butane from Johnny's Butane of Kress, bring it to Olton to be emptied into the storage facilities and immediately go after another load. That marked a big stride over the trips to more distant points such as Sundown or into the Panhandle. Butane pipelines marked a big advancement for the business, too.

In their earlier days, the business also sold appliances. For many housewives, it was a great day when they were able to replace their old kerosene cookstoves with the modern, efficient LP range.

One of the greatest aids to the business, Jess agrees, was their two-way radio system. "I don't know what we'd do without it, it saves many miles. It's just great."

The office building for Olton Butane is still in the original building although a small office was later added at the back.

Established to fill the needs of Oltonites and people of the surrounding area, Olton Butane has maintained that as their aim through the years. Mixed in with service there has always been a friendliness and an air of comraderie about the business. Almost any customer can recall the years of Olton Butane with a chuckle and "Remember that time....?"



NOT JUST THE POSTMAN - the U.S. Postal Service's famous slogan about snow not stopping the mail was appropriate too for employees of Olton Butane Company in February 1956 when many people in the Olton area were snowbound. Olton Butane delivery trucks struggled valiantly to deliver fuel through the massive snowstorm that began on Thursday evening. Three employees - Guy Porter, Weldon Owens and Charles Black- became stranded while making a delivery and were forced to spend Saturday night in the T.J. Roberson farm home. (Photo courtesy Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cornelius)

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Editorials

A New City Hall For Olton

Very likely, we, the residents of the city of Olton are going to be called upon to decide the fate of a proposed new city hall.

Of course, the question that first comes to mind is "how are we going to pay for it?"

No doubt, we will have to pay for it, some way or another. And any thing worth having is worth working for.

And we think a new city hall is worth having. If for no other reason than the fact that it will house the Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture office.

Can you imagine the impression that visitors (those who might be looking for a business home) might have when they have to go to the city hall or to the Chamber of Commerce office? Neither are vey appealing in appearance.

Another meeting has been set up with the council and the committee working toward a city hall in the near future and we hope that out of that meeting will come a decision to at least put it before the people and let them decide if they want to improve their city facilities or just continue to set idly by and let Olton continue to "go downhill."

W.F. Nichols Services Held

Services were conducted Friday for W.F. Nichols, 70, of Twilight Acres Nursing Home of Seminole, where he had been a resident for two years.

Born May 1, 1903, he died Feb. 21. Graveside services were conducted by Parsons Funeral Home at Olton Cemetery. Officiating was John Lewis, minister of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Willie of Littlefield and a number of nieces and nephews. Among those are Joe and W.T. Hall and Mrs. Sam Clark.

IN CLOVIS

A.B. Jeffrey recently was a patient four days in a hospital in Clovis, N.M.

Important!!!!! Baseball Meeting

A meeting of all interested in the baseball program for the youth of Olton is scheduled for Thursday, Feb. 28 at 7:30 p.m. in the PCA party room.

This is an important meeting and the future of the program will be determined by the interest shown, a spokesman said. "If you want a program, you'd better be there!" he warned.

IN ARTESIA

Mr. and Mrs. D.Y. Ray and Mrs. G.F. Parker visited Wednesday until Friday with the ladies' brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. C.T. Gaskins of Artesia, N.M.

Renee Jones On Dean's List

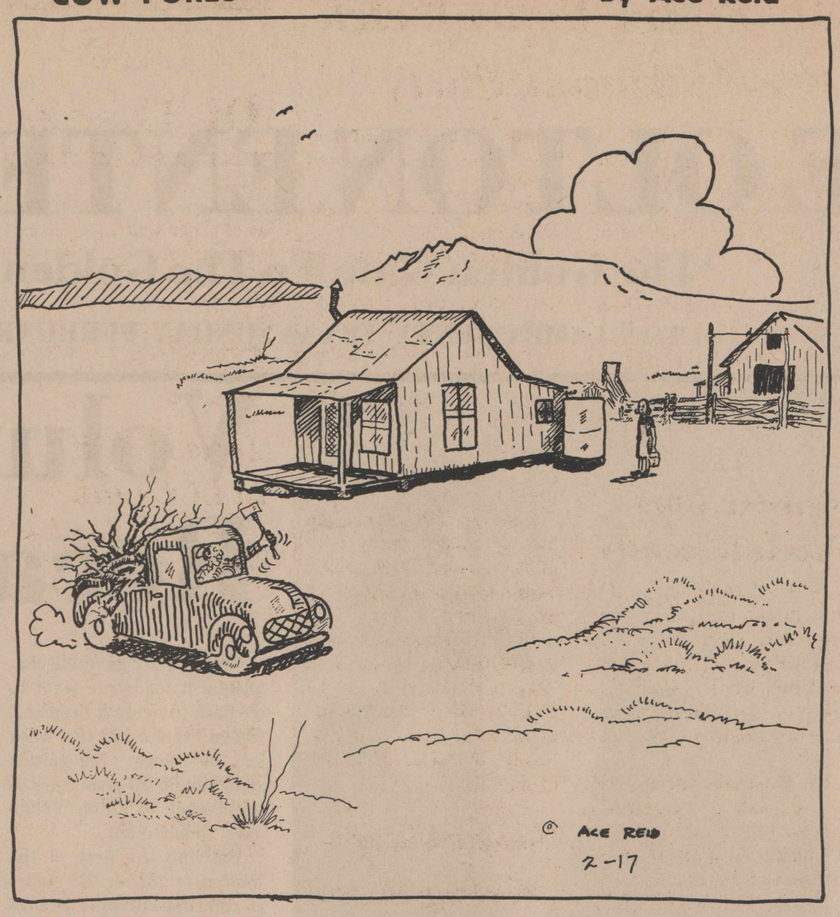
Renee Jones, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jones, was named to the dean's honor list at South Plains College for the fall semester.

Miss Jones posted a 3.25 grade point average from a possible 4.0. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Jones of Hart.

FROM OKLAHOMA

Mrs. Floyd Pyle of Pearson, Okla., stayed during the weekend with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Davis, Gerald, Glen, Gary, Gregg and Jennie. With Mrs. Pyle were her children, Keith, Rolinda, Brenda and Mike.

COW POKES — By Ace Reid



"Maw, you have been so concerned about the fuel shortage I solved it, bought you a new axe and a load of wood!"

FAMILY DINNER

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Huguley, Garland, John and Janet were the host couple's daughter and son and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Galloway and Heath of Clovis, N.M., and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Huguley, Cody and Misty of Hale Center.

Other guests included the hostess' sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Johnson and Ruthie of Plainview, Huguley's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Kersh and his brothers and sisters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Huguley, Rickey and Carla of Clovis, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Huguley, Doniece, Stacy and Preston. The Marvin Huguley's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Broomfield and Kristy of Clovis also attended.

IN HARTLEY

Mr. and Mrs. E.S. Huckabee were in Hartley Sunday with their granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Bryant and Amy. Visiting the Bryant's were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Autry of Colorado Springs, and the Huckabee's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Huckabee of Texhoma.

FROM AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Dorris of Amarillo visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Mitchell.

IN EARTH

Mrs. Lenoa Shaefer and Mrs. R.H. Campbell visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. Schaefer's sister, Mrs. Jim Griffin of Earth.

VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Green, Tammy, Lisa and Mandy were here Saturday with Mrs. Green's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon May.

TO SAN ANTONIO

Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Kennedy attended San Antonio Live Stock Exposition last week. Their son Chuck won Reserve Champion with his Poland China. He placed eighth with his crossbreed barrow in a class of 57 entries. The Kennedys visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Wood and Aimee, of San Antonio.

SUFFERS FALL

W.M. Keating fell recently at the City Yard. He factured two ribs and cut his chin.

Everything But The Kitchen Sink

BY MOZELLE TROTTER

Fringe benefits of this work can really be worthwhile! For instance, being 'specially invited to Lions Club when a lucky fisherman feeds the crowd!

Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture manager Eldon Franks took off a few days this month for a fishing trip to Old Mexico. He confided his dream had long been to catch enough fish to feed his fellow Lions. Well, he did catch enough and he did feed 'em. Me too.

Umm-mm, good! In fact, the memory makes my mouth water.

Wonder how many guppies it would take to make a meal?

We've been having babies at our place and we're about to reach the saturation point. We're either going to have to eat them, give up baths and let them have our tub for living quarters or find some terrific demand for the little critters.

Of course, you know who "went ape" over the tropical fish craze! After all my protests that I didn't want tropical fish, I wasn't going to have tropical fish, I was the one who got hooked!

Golden Gloves Needs Members

Golden Gloves practice sessions are held each Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evening for all boys interested in participating in the program. Meetings begin at 8 p.m. and are held in the building formerly occupied by Leon's Grocery.

The local team has been making plans to participate in a number of tournaments in the Lubbock and Amarillo districts.

All interested boys are invited.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Raiford Daniel had as guests Sunday his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniel of Hereford and the host's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Pork Jr. of Floydada.

Mrs. Schreier Resigns Post

Directors of Olton Cemetery Association met Friday, Feb. 8, in the Coachman Restaurant. Fred Hicks, president presided. Directors present were Ernest Jones, Mrs. J.E. Fuller, Mrs. A.S. Nafzger, Mrs. A.D. Melton and Mrs. Pearl Schreier.

Minutes were read and approved and treasurer's report was presented by Mrs. Schreier.

The resignation of Mrs. Schreier as secretary-treasurer of the association was accepted, and a vote of thanks was extended to her for ten years of service in the organization.

Nominated to fill this office was Mrs. Tom Sluder, who was elected by a unanimous vote.

Future donations, memorials and other correspondence should be addressed to Mrs. Sluder, according to Hicks.

TO FORT WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Welch returned Monday from Fort Worth where they stayed several days with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bridgeman, Billy and Ronnie. Mr. and Mrs. Welch visited their grandson and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bridgeman of Saginaw.



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MARTHA SMYTH

Cook Of The Week

There's not much time in the busy life of a high school senior for cooking but our Cook of the Week, Martha Smyth, enjoys it when she can find the opportunity.

Martha's mother, who not only turns out dishes that taste good but those that are "picture pretty", says her daughter's chocolate pies are "the best."

Daughter of Eleanor and Aubrey Smyth, Martha has two sisters and two brothers. Sarah, the eldest, is Mrs. Gregg Sweatt of Denver, Colo. Mary Lee, the youngest Smyth, is an eighth grader. Paul is helping farm and David is a student at West Texas State University.

Singing is one of Martha's greatest pleasures. She sings with the OHS Choir and was a "wife" in the speech and choral departments' production of "Lil Abner." Active in her church, First United Methodist, Martha sings in the church choir and sings also with the First Baptist Church Chapel Choir. She has sung with the Chapel Choir's "Celebrate Life" musical and with the Methodist young peoples' "The Happy Side."

Martha is secretary of her senior class, a member of the Student Council and has been in National Honor Society three years. She served as vice president of this year's Pep Squad and has been a member of Future Teachers of America four years.

Unsure right now what she'll study come college days, Martha has decided that McMurry College will probably be her choice of schools.

CHOCOLATE PIE
¾ c. sugar
⅓ c. flour or 3 T. corn starch
¼ t. salt
2 c. milk
2 squares chocolate
3 egg yolks-slightly beaten
2 T. butter
1 t. vanilla

In sauce pan combine flour, sugar, salt and chocolate; gradually stir in milk. Cook and stir until bubbly. Cook two minutes. Remove from heat. Stir small amount into egg yolks. Return to hot misture and cook two minutes stirring constantly. Remove from heat. Stir in butter and vannilla. Pour into baked pastry shell. When cool top with whipped topping.

MILK CHOCOLATE CAKE
[illegible] flour
[illegible] c. sugar
[illegible] baking powder
[illegible] salt
[illegible], cocoa
[illegible] c. shortening
[illegible] c. evaporated milk (diluted, half water)
[illegible] t. vanilla
[illegible] eggs

Sift first five ingredients together; add milk, shortening and vanilla. Beat two minutes. Add eggs and beat two more minutes. Bake in greased and floured 8 or 9" pans for 30 minutes at 350°. Cool in pans 10 minutes then finish cooling on wire racks. Split layers and fill with whipped cream. Frost top and sides with milk chocolate frosting.

MILK CHOCOLATE FROSTING
Melt together:
5 T. shortening
½ c. cocoa
Stir in:
2⅔ c. sifted confectioner's sugar
7 T. evaporated milk
1⅓ t. vanilla

Beat until thick enough to spread.

NUTMEG COFFEE CAKE
3½ c. flour
2 c. sugar
1½ c. milk
1 c. softened margarine
1 T. baking powder
1 T. nutmeg
1½ t. salt
2 t. vanilla
3 eggs
1 c. dark raisins

Mix all ingredients, except raisins, beat 3 minutes. Pour into greased 10 inch tube pan. Sprinkle raisins evenly over top and carefully stir into batter. Cook 1 hour and 15 minutes. Cool in pan on wire rack 10 minutes. Remove from pan.

Mr. & Mrs. James Welch Host Valentine Party

Miss Teresa Griffith, bride-elect of Johnny Adams, was feted last Thursday afternoon with a miscellaneous bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Lester Cox.

Special guests were Mrs. Billy Griffith and Mrs. Clifton Adams, mothers of prospective bride and groom. Grandmothers of the couple, Mrs. L.J. Griffith, Lockney, and Mrs. Lucille Matlock of Springlake were also honored guests.

Mrs. C.W. Leathers registered guests.

Mrs. Neilan Smith served punch, coffee, cookies and nuts from a party table laid with an ecru lace tablecloth over blue. Centerpiece was a blue and white arrangement in a blue basket flanked by two crystal candelabras with blue tapers. Appointments were of crystal.

Hostess gifts were an electric skillet, heavy duty mixer, Corning Ware, percolator and salad plates of her chosen china.

Out of town guests were Miss Griffith's aunts, Mrs. Wayne Allen and Syndonua and Mrs. Jerry Griffith and Sherry of Lubbock and Mrs. Robert Williams and Robby of Lockney.

Garden Club Meets Recently

A scheduled field trip to a hot house in Canyon was cancelled recently so the regularly scheduled meeting of Olton Garden Club was devoted to fellowship and playing games of "42" and "84."

A Valentine theme was carried out in the refreshment plate with heart shaped cherry tarts, nuts, coffee and punch.

Attending were Mmes. A.D. Melton, L.G. Elkins, Pearl Schreier, Jack Allcorn, Helen Bohner, Doyle Pinson, May Silcott and hostesses, Mmes. Jack Estes and John Lambright.

SUNDAY VISIT

Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Crabtree visited Sunday evening with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Carlisle, Clay and Cole, in their new home five miles west of Tulia on the Dimmitt Highway.

Senior Citizen Meeting Slated

Home Demonstration Club will sponsor a meeting of Senior Citizens Club Thursday, Feb. 28.

To be held in Woman's Club House, the event will begin at 2:30 p.m. All interested persons are cordially invited to attend, according to Mrs. Tom Smith, one of the sponsors.

Members should bring white elephant gifts for bingo.

IN BORGER

Mr. and Mrs. A.R. Bostick, Mrs. F.M. Holland and Mrs. Merle Sharp were in Borger last weekend with their sister-in-law and nephew, Mrs. C.B. Bostick and Carroll.

IN VERNON

Mr. and Mrs. John Ratliff were in Vernon recently with their daughter, Mrs. Retha Wilson. The Ratliffs visited friends, Mrs. Will Helton, Tom Helton and Mrs. Viola Kitchen.

Card Of Thanks

Thank you so much for the bit of cheer that came from home each day while I was in the hospital. The flowers, cards and prayers were all so welcome. Praise the Lord for good friends. I'll be back with you soon.

Jean Hall

Jane McGill In LCC Club

Jane McGill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McGill, has been selected to be a member of Metah Moe women's social club at Lubbock Christian College.

Miss McGill, a 1974 graduate of Lubbock Christian High School in Lubbock, is a freshman Secretarial Science major.

Metah Moe is one of the six women's social clubs at the College.

LITTLEFIELD VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. L.L. LaDuke called recently on Mr. and Mrs. Dale Walthall of Littlefield.

SUFFERS INJURY

Mrs. L.B. Gray, 91, broke her hip and was taken Tuesday morning to Muleshoe Hospital. After x-ray, she was transferred to Lubbock Methodist Hospital where she was scheduled for surgery Wednesday morning.

Bridal Shower Honors Teresa Griffith Thursday

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. James Welch and Mark of Dimmitt entertained members of Olton Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints with a Valentine party in the Welch home.

The party table was covered with a white linen cloth and centered by an arrangement of yellow roses and iris.

Refreshments of finger sandwiches, punch and cookies were served to Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Graef and Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Davis and Rita Sue, all of Lazbuddie, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Church Dean and Perry of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Phillips and Kody and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton R. Graef, Leisa, Brent, David and Carl, all of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carson.

FROM GROOM

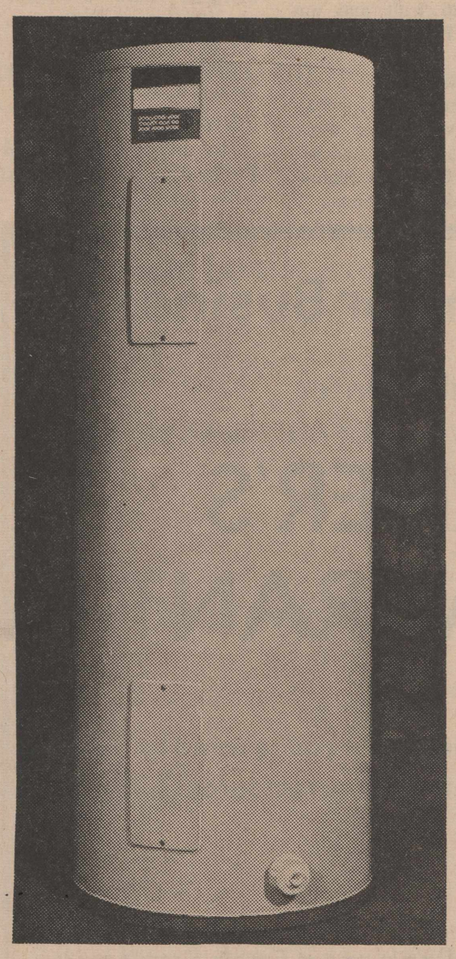
Lynn Wilkinson of Groom stayed Thursday until Saturday with his mother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Manuel and Patti. Lynn was accompanied by David Weller, also of Groom.

FROM LOCKNEY

Staying last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Schaefer were their daughter and granddaughters, Mrs. Martin Stephan, Wanda, Janette, and Linda of Lockney.

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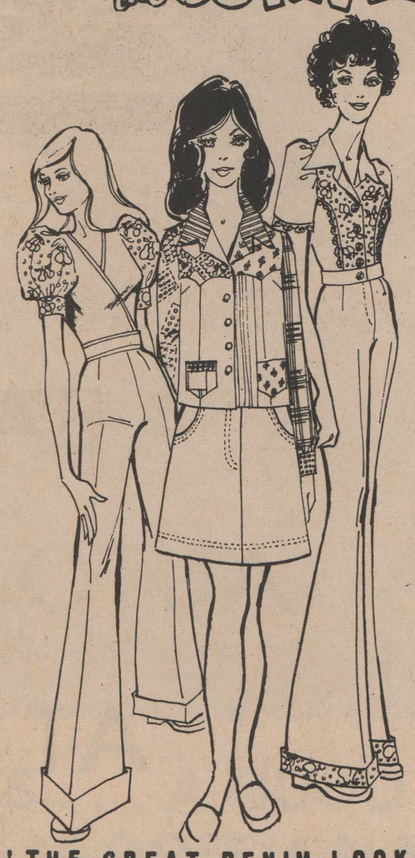
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IN ABERNATHY

Mrs. Ethel Schreier and Mrs. Pearl Schreier stayed Saturday night with their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schreier of Abernathy. Sunday the Olton ladies were guests at a dinner observing Bill's birthday. His wife was hostess to the event which was held in their home.

FROM PLAINVIEW

Friday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Callie Miller and Miss Ann Warren were Mrs. Miller's daughter-in-law and grandson, Mrs. Fred Warren and Shane of Plainview.

HOUSE GUESTS

Recent house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Copeland were her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Malone of Fort Stockton

IS HOSPITALIZED.

Mrs. Lillie McGill was admitted to the Hale Center Hospital Wednesday of last week and at last report was still undergoing tests.

Gift-Tea Compliments Mrs. Ronnie Redinger

Mrs. Ronnie Redinger was honoree Saturday at a gift-tea held in the home of Mrs. W.T. Hankins.

Receiving guests with Mrs. Hankins and the honoree were Mrs. Larry Manuel, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Quentin Redinger, mother of the groom.

Guests were registered by Miss Brenda Leathers. Registering gifts was Mrs. Terry Snider.

The party table was laid with a white linen heirloom cloth and centered with yellow and white daisies arranged in a basket.

Crystal and silver were used to serve hot punch, coffee, and fruit and nut breads. Presiding at the table were Mrs. Diane Hall and Miss Patti Wilkenson.

Hostess gifts included green cookware with matching electric skillet, linens, place mats and decorative tray.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Cline, Dimmitt, grandparents of the bride, and Mrs. Travis Wilson, Bracketville, aunt of the groom.

IN DUMAS

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Copeland visited last week with their son and grandchildren, Bob Copeland, Shaunalee and Mike of Dumas.

The Jefferies To Be Honored

Mr. and Mrs. John Jefferies and family will be honored with a house warming to be held Sunday, March 10, at 8 p.m.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

VISITS SISTER

Mrs. Lillian Green visited Friday with her sister, Mrs. Viola Paxton of Lubbock.

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MRS. JOHNNY ADAMS

Mr. Adams - Miss Griffith Pledge Double Ring Vows

The marriage of Miss Teresa Lynn Griffith and Johnny Jess Adams was solemnized Friday, Feb. 22, in First Baptist Church of Halfway. The Rev. Gene Thurber officiated the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Billy Griffith. Adams is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Adams.

Nuptial selections were presented by Mrs. Johnny Downey, organist and Mrs. Darwin Cox, soloist.

The altar area was centered with a white wrought iron candelabra fitted with white tapers and entwined with tropical greenery. Flanking candelabra were hung with crystal prisms. Floor baskets filled with white gladoli, chrysanthemums and pompoms extended to candle trees entwined with tropical foliage. The bridal aisle was marked with bows of white stain and gypsophila.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a Princess style gown of white organza accented in Rachel lace and dimensional Venice lace appliques. The deep waist length yoke of Rachel lace was outlined in lace, ruffling and center scallops outlined in pearl beading, with a high Duchess neckline of lace.

Long fitted sleeves repeated the scalloped beading and were cuffed with a lace flounce over the hands.

The full circular skirt was appliqued in Venice lace medallions, and the hemline encircled in a deep lace flounce extending around the chapel length train.

Matching lace edged triple tiers of silk illusion veiling cascading from a pearl encrusted Camelot caplet.

For "something old" the bride wore a wedding ring having belonged to her great grandmother, the late Mrs. John Griffith; "something new", her bridal attire; "borrowed" was a white Bible, property of Mrs. Jimmy Lively, sister of the groom. She wore the traditional blue and carried in her shoe pennies minted in the years of birth of both bride and groom.

Atop the white Bible she carried a cascade arrangement of pink sweetheart roses, stephanotis and gypsophila showered with white sating streamers and love knots.

Miss Carol Walden, Canyon, served as maid of honor. Other bridal attendants were Misses Sydonua Allen and Diane Williams, both of Lubbock, cousins of the bride.

Feminine attendants were gowned in pale blue slipper satin. The formal length gowns were designed with Mandarin necklines and leg-o-mutton sleeves. Each carried a nosegay of roses, pompoms and gypsophila tied with streamers of velvet and satin ribbon.

Jerry Jenkins served as best man. Groomsmen were Larry Williams, Lubbock, cousin of the bride; and Billy W. Griffith, brother of the bride. Candles were lighted by Tammy Williams, Lockney, cousin of the bride, and Terry Griffith, brother of the bride.

Little Sherri Griffith, Lubbock, cousin of the bride served as flower girl. Ring bearer was Michael Allen, Lubbock, cousin of the bride.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Griffith chose a formal length gown of pink. The mother of the groom wore a formal length gown of aqua.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception in Fellowship Hall of the church honored the couple. The reception table, laid with white lace over blue, was centered with a silver and crystal epergne filled with white stock, carnations and pompons. Traditional three tiered wedding cake and Reception punch were served, using silver and crystal appointments.

For travel the bride wore a multi-colored plaid pant suit, styled with short waist length blouse and matching jacket. She wore the corsage lifted from the bridal bouquet. Following a wedding trip to New Mexico the couple will be at home in Lubbock.

Both are graduates of Olton High School. The bride attended West Texas State Universtiy at Canyon. The groom is presently employed with a meat packing company in Lubbock.

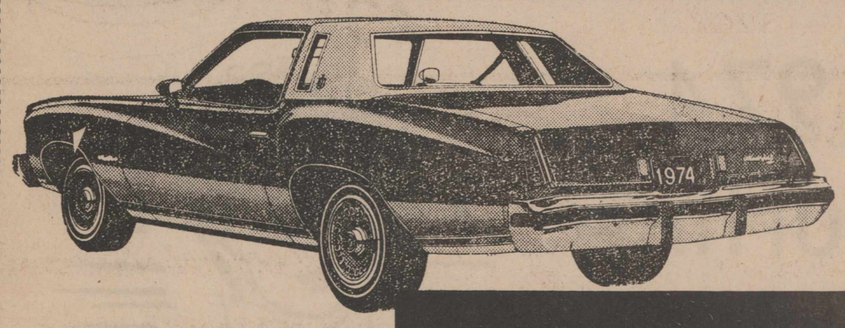
Miss Nicholas To Be Honored

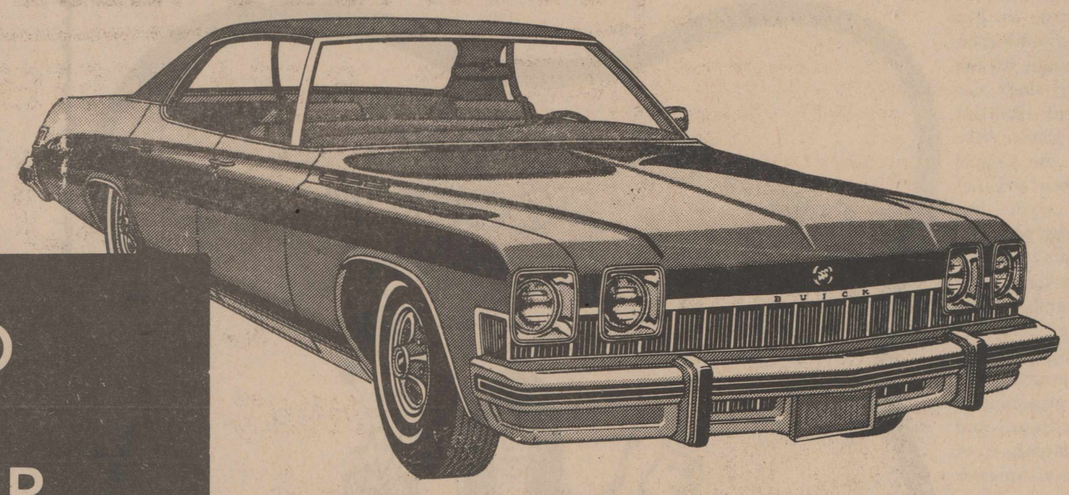
A pre-nuptial gift tea Saturday, Mar. 9, in the home of Mrs. Lowell McGill, will honor Miss Susan Nicholas, bride-elect of O.L. Plymell.

Friends and relatives are invited to call between the hours of 3 to 5 p.m.

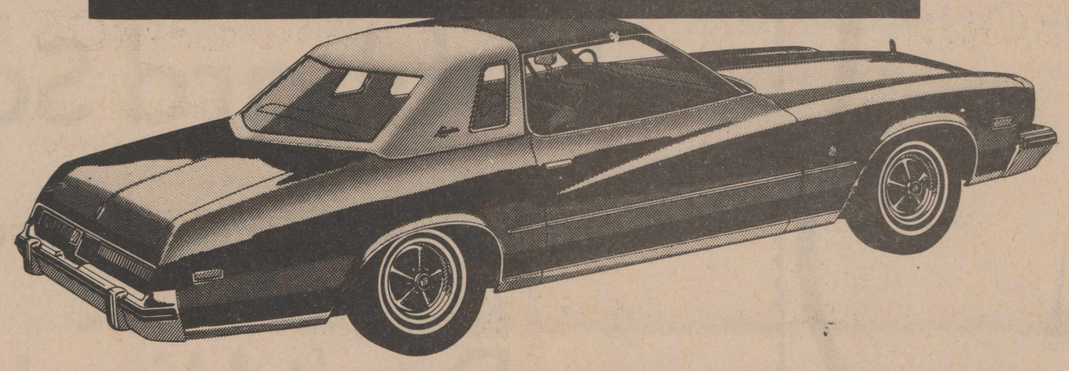
ATTEND SERVICES

Mrs. L.G. Elkins and her cousin and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dyer of Hart attended funeral services for a cousin, Seldon Dyer, 64, in Stephenvill recently. Mrs. Elkins lost another cousin, Miss Leta Stavenhaggen.





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By Jan Sherman

This week I'll have to speak of my first-hand experiences and the way I feel about the subject, but then I usually do, I may be expressing your feelings too on some things.

The subject, still staying with the feeling and deeds of love, is our parents and the home.

As parents we take care of our families. We try to see to it that they are served good meals and are kept warm and protected. What about mental health? Do you take just as good care of their health in this way as you do physically? A baby can die due to lack of nuitrition..that's called malnutrition. Did you also know a baby can die due to lack of love...what is that called?

As a young adult, my thoughts so often are of the times when I was younger and the good times I had when I was a little girl. That memory is worth quite a bit to me. Adult dreams are made from childhood memories. Watching my little girl, I think about the times Mom and I used to go to town together and when Dad and I used to work in the yard. None of those took a lot of money, it couldn't have, we didn't have it. Those were the best of times. I had the security of knowing my Mother and Daddy loved me. Not all children will have that to look back to when they get older.

Not everyone is a sentimental as I am, I know. My family is important to me and I'm glad I have that to look back to when raising our children. However, a memory is pretty hard to match.

In my thoughts, also, I can remember being a teenager and the way I treated Mom and Dad and I'm sorry to say it didn't equal what they had done for me and continued to do. Why is it people usually say, "Well, that's just the teen years?" I wonder why we should have such an excuse. We're not blind at that age, not physically anyway. Why can't we, at that age, realize what's going on?

It's too bad that it takes growing up and having a family of our own before we can see the sacrifices and pains our parents went through for us. Oh, I know they did it because they loved us, but why couldn't we or why can't most teens appreciate that when it's taking place.

Both Rusty and I have such terrific parents. They have the right combination between them for causing this retrospect. If it weren't for them, we couldn't look back and see where and when memories were made and incorporate those activities into our home lives. Whether it's a shopping trip to town with Mom as a little girl, or being Mama's little cowboy. They can give us something to strive for and that's a recipe for a Happy Home.

1. To ½ c. of friendship,
2. Add ½ c. of thoughtfulness.
3. Cream together with a pinch of powdered tenderness.
4. Very lightly beat into a bowl of loyalty, with
5. 1 c. of faith, confidence,
6. 1 c. of Hope, and
7. 1 c. of Charity.
8. Be sure to add a teaspoon full of gaiety that sings.
9. Moisten with sudden tears of heartfelt sympathy.
10. Bake in a good natured pan and
11. Serve repeatedly.

I have another poem for you this week. I'm very big on poetry, it seems to express my feeling far better than anything else I know. So if poetry is not your thing, turn the page, and I'll say goodbye.

THOUGHTS OF HOME

Home is where the heart is,
Where the children's scribbled art is,
Where the random blocks and skates are,
Where the socks without their mates are.
Home is where the chills are,
Where the fevers and the chills are.
Where the crumbs of bread and cakes are,
Where no one knows the rakes are.
Home is where the weeds grow,
Where the dogs and frogs and cats are,
Where the scratches, cuts and spats are.
Home is where the salami is
And thank Heaven,
Where the mommy is.

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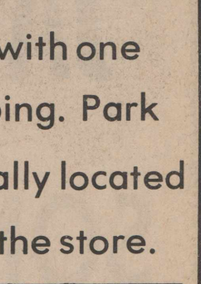
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Baptist Pastor To Washington

The Rev. John Lewis, pastor of First Baptist Church, is one of a group of ministers participating in area revivals in Washington and Oregon this week.

Led by the Rev. Gerald Tidwell, pastor of First Baptist Church, Tulia, the group will leave Lubbock Monday traveling via Denver to Seattle. The group will conduct revival meetings along the west coast of the two states, returning to Lubbock Mar. 4.

Next month another group of ministers will hold area meetings in the eastern side of the two states.

The Rev. Lewis will be evangelist for Kitsap Lake Baptist Church at Bremmerton Wash., where the Rev. Edwin Fielder is pastor.

SATURDAY VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Adams had visiting them Saturday their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Wells of Tulia, and their daughter, Miss Sandi Wells of Wayland College. The Wells daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Ricky Sharp and Tamara of Odessa and Mrs. Jackie Burkhalter of Stratford.

IN PLAINVIEW

Mrs. Wendell Green of Plainview had as callers Saturday afternoon her aunts, Mrs. J.E. Fuller and Mrs. J.T. Gibson and Mrs. Gibson's daughter and family, Mrs. Hollis Cain, Cathy, Connie and Suzanne.

LUNCHEON GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davis had as luncheon guests Sunday her sister, Mrs. Birdie Godfrey of Hart and their brothers-in-law and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Higdon of Hart and Mr. and Mrs. E.E. Burrows.

TO LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Cain, Cathy, Connie and Suzanne were in Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

1974-75 School Calendar

The calendar was approved as Follows:

Aug. 19-General Faculty Meeting.

Aug. 19-21-In-Service, 3 days.

Aug. 22-Begin School.

Oct. 4-End 1st. 6-weeks, 32 days.

Oct. 25-TSTA, 1 day.

Nov. 14-End 2nd 6-weeks, 28 days.

Nov. 14-End 1st Quarter.

Nov. 15-In-Service, 1 day.

Nov. 28-29-Thanksgiving Holidays.

Dec. 20-Begin Christmas Holidays-2:30 p.m.

Jan. 2-3-In-Service, 2 days.

Jan. 6-Resume Classes

Jan. 10-End 3rd 6-Weeks, 28 days.

Feb. 27-End 4th 6-Weeks, 34 days.

Feb. 27-End 2nd quarter.

Feb. 28-In-Service, 1 day.

March 24-28-Easter Holidays.

March 31-Resume Classes

April 18-End 5th 6-weeks, 30 days.

May 28-End 6th 6-weeks, 28 days.

May 28-End 3rd quarter.

May 29-30-In-Service, 2 days.

DINNER GUESTS

Monday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davis were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wendtes of Omaha, Neb., and Mr. and Mrs. Doc Key. Calling later in the evening were Mrs. Wendtes' brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. G.L. Peterson.

SUNDAY VISITOR

Visiting Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Adams and her mother, Mrs. L. B. Gray, were Mrs. Gray's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gray, Jim and Jay of Slaton. Other guests were Mrs. Floyd Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lemon and Susan and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Gene Lemon and Amy, all of Lubbock, and Mrs. Doris Watt, Tim and Mark.

LEAVES HOSPITAL

Mrs. Floyd Prentice came home Friday Feb. 15 from West Texas Hospital, Lubbock, where she had undergone surgery Feb. 6.

LUBBOCK VISITS

Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Eby visited recently in Lubbock with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ausbrooks, Mrs. Eby's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Hall, and Eby's brother, Jesse Eby.

VISIT DOWNSTATE

Will Russell and his daughter, Mrs. John Kerbow of Olympia, Wash., visited friends and relatives from Wednesday until Saturday of last week. They were in Marble Falls with Russell's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Kenyon. In New Braunfels they visited Mrs. Kerbow's friend, Mrs. Elsie Gallet and at Kerville they were guests of Russell's nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Kenyon.

MONDAY CALLERS

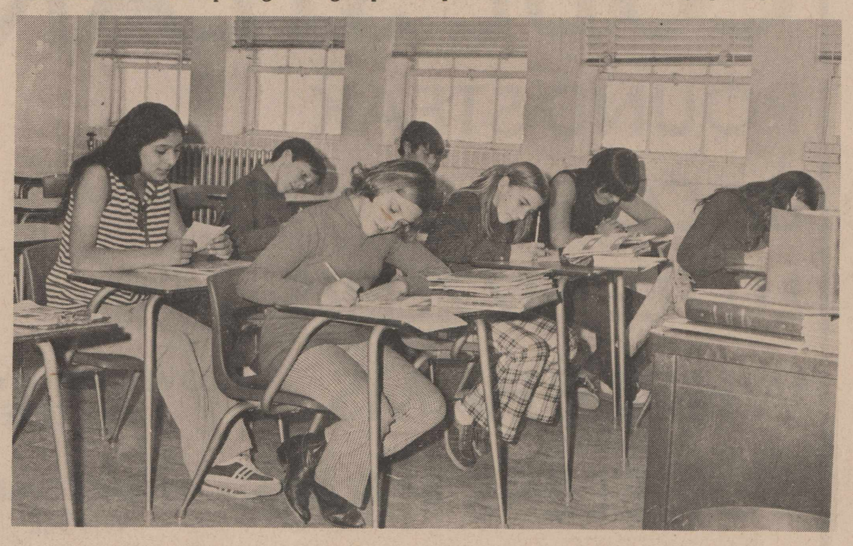
Mr. and Mrs. Will Russell and their daughter, Mrs. John Kerbow of Olympia, Wash. had as callers Monday afternoon, Mrs. Dub Holley of Hart, Mrs. W. E. Miller and Mrs. Don Franks.

LUNCHEON GUESTS

Wednesday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Uil Gunter were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Strait and Melody of Tulsa, Okla., where Strait is music and youth director of Calvary Baptist Church. He formerly served Olton's First Baptist Church in the same capacity.



CREATIONS OF CLAY - Students in the photo above are enrolled in pottery making in the hobby class at Olton Junior High. Forming the clay into objects of their choice, the group has turned out bowls, candlesticks and many free form articles. Viewed in the photo below are students absorbed in spelling. This group will represent OJH in UIL Literary spelling events.



VISITS COUSIN

Rev. Gerald Keele, Penticostal Holiness missionary on the island of Trinidad, stayed a few days last week with his cousin and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. E.S. Huckabee.

FROM FRIONA

Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. I.D. Grimsley were her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. David Grimsley and the their granddaughter Holly all of Friona, accompanied by Mrs. Esther Bomar of Springlake.

TO COLORADO CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Sweatt went to Colorado City Friday and visited until Sunday with his mother, Mrs. T.G. Sweatt; Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Sweatt, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Costin.

OVERNIGHT GUESTS

Mrs. M.E. Taylor had as Saturday overnight guests her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Taylor and Lynn and the J.D. Taylor's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Evans, all of Clovis, N.M. Others visiting Mrs. Taylor Sunday were her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Taylor, Brian, Doniece and Loren of Earth.

IN ANDREWS

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Singleterry were in Andrews last weekend with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Singleterry, Susan, Linda and Nancy.

FISH SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. L.L. LaDuke were recent guests at a fish supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Pickrell of Littlefield. Other guests were Pickrell's mother and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Jones, residents of Littlefield.

HAS SURGERY

Mrs. J.B. James underwent emergency surgery Saturday in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital. She was reported improving Wednesday night but is still confined to intensive care.

IN PORTALES

Mr. and Mrs. Will Russell and their daughter, Mrs. John Kerbow of Olympia, Wash., visited Sunday afternoon in Portales, N.M. with the Russell's nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kenyon and family.

FROM ARKANSAS

Mrs. D.W. Duvall of Lowell, Ark., is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Prentice, Carol, Chris and Cathy.

ATTENDS SHOW

Mrs. Inez Yates attended the Dimmitt Stock Show Saturday and saw her grandsons, Norris and Morris Cole, show their animals. They boys are members of 4-H.

TUESDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bannister had as Tuesday overnight guests their mothers, Mrs. Esther Bannister and Mrs. Chester Walker, both of Plainview.

Political Calendar

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FROM LOVINGTON

Mrs. Jessie Lu Osborn and her sister, Mrs. Katie Windsor both of Lovington, N.M., stayed from Sunday until Tuesday with Mrs. Osborn's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walden, Cindy and Leisa.

FROM DIMMITT

Katrina Keating, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Keating of Dimmitt, stayed Thursday until Saturday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Keating.

Baptist Choirs Enter Contest

Two choirs from the First Baptist Church entered competition in the Staked Plains Association and were awarded an "excellent" rating for the adult choir and a "superior" rating for the chapel choir.

Five girls entered the piano competition and in Division III, Jennie Lynn Gunter and Relda Strain were given the highest rating possible, a "superior" rating and are eligible to compete on the state level.

Melanie Witten, Carol Prentice and Tonya Brooks received "excellent" ratings in their division.

VISITS FATHER

Mrs. A.E. Hudgens visited her father Willie Daffron Thursday and Friday of last week and Monday of this week. Daffron is a resident of Hill Crest Nursing Home, Plainview.

GRANDCHILDREN VISIT

Tony and Missy Anderson of Plainview stayed last weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Hudgens.

FROM DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hair of Dallas were recent guests of his brothers and sisters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hair and Mr. and Mrs. Lauis Hair.

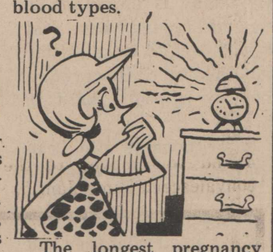
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The longest pregnancy for a live-born baby was one of 381 days attributed to Mrs. Christine Houghton, 28, of Walberton, Sussex, England, on May 22, 1971. The baby, Tina, weighed 7 lbs. 7 oz.



The greatest number of children produced by mother is 69, by Madame Fyodor Vassilet, a Russian. In 27 confinements, she gave birth to 16 pairs of twins, 7 sets of triplets, and 4 sets of quadruplets!

IN CLOVIS

Mrs. L.E. Silcott spent last weekend with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Irby of Clovis, N.M.

IN LEVELLAND

Mrs.C.L. Bowers recently stayed several days in Levelland with her father and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Flournoy. Mrs. Flournoy was in the hospital but is much improved and has returned to her home.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. S Clair of Muleshoe we Sunday dinner guests their son and family, Mr. an Mrs. J.A. St. Clair an Johnny.

IN QUANAH

Mr. and Mrs. Claren Davis of Quanah had w them during the weeke their daughter and fam Mr. and Mrs. Ver Britton, Pat and Nancy.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Spending Sunday v Mr. and Mrs. Mal Ogletree were their son family, Mr. and Mrs. Da Ogletree and Shawn Littlefield, and the host sister, Miss Theo Hack

VISIT MOTHER

Mr. and Mrs. Leon were in Childress Sun with her mother, Mrs. F Williams.

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BOWLING CHAMPIONS - Odessa Mitchell, left, and Inez Yates recently captured the doubles championship in the annual Plainview Women's Bowling Tournament. They will receive trophies at the annual meeting and banquet in April.

Oltonite Bowlers Win Doubles Championship

Odessa Mitchell and Inez Yates teamed up recently and won the doubles event in the 17th Annual Plainview Women's Bowling Tournament at Plainview Lanes. The two rolled up 1,230 pins to win the division by 14 points.

Other Oltonites participating in the tourney were Jessie Yandell, Irene Stamps and Prudy Jeffries.

"The Mix-Ups" (the five Oltonites) placed third in team competition. Mrs. Stamps finished second in handicap all-events.

FISHING TRIP

Leon Noack, Joe Harrell, Juan Jose Mercado, Nicolas Mongilardi and Eduardo Mercado spent Saturday and Sunday at White River Lake. Mongilardi and the Mercado cousins are from Peru.

STUDENT VISITS

Miss Margaret Thomas who is attending West Texas State University spent the weekend with her mother and family, Mrs. Juanita Thomas, Harry Max and Connie.

IN HALE CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hammonds of Farwell and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hammonds, Brick and Shawn, dined Tuesday evening in Turner Restaurant in Hale Center.

SATURDAY VISIT

Saturday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harrell, Jay, Robert and Pam were Harrell's mother and brother, Mrs. Evelyn Harrell and Bill of Lubbock.

ATTEND RITES

Mmes. Bill Yates, Barton Prestridge, Jack Estes and B.C. Daugherty attended funeral services for Nebs Warren, 64, in First Methodist Church, Lubbock, Tuesday morning, Feb. 12.

TO LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Foster were in Lubbock Monday. Mrs. Foster received examination of eye surgery which she had recently.

LEAVES HOSPITAL

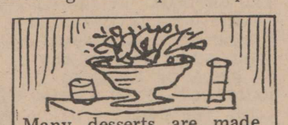
Mrs. Vandra Milloy of Canyon was dismissed Wednesday of last week from an Amarillo hospital. She is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Straw.

IN DALHART

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Jones spent Monday and Monday night with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carson, Kirk and Jill of Dalhart.

LEAVES HOSPITAL .

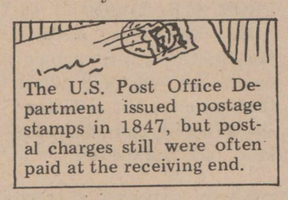
Mrs. Cora Wozencraft was brought from a convalescent home in Lubbock to the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sluder, Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Wozencraft was hospitalized in Lubbock Dec. 4 and was moved to the convalescent home Jan. 5.



Many desserts are made from agar, a product of seaweed.

ATTEND SERVICES

Mrs. L. G. Elkins and her cousin and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dyer of Hart attended funeral services for a cousin, Seldon Dyer, 64, in Stephenville recently. Mrs. Elkins lost another cousin, Miss Leta Stavenhaggen, Friday. Her home was Granbury.



The U.S. Post Office Department issued postage stamps in 1847, but postal charges still were often paid at the receiving end.

TO DALLAS

Mrs. I.D. Grimsley returned Saturday from Dallas where she stayed about two weeks with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. T.H. Smith, Stephanie and Beverly.

Founder's Day Program Held

Mrs. Winston Bley presented a Founder's Day program Thursday evening at a meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association. A "pops" concert by the OHS Mustang Band followed.

Brownie Troop 60 presented the flag ceremony. Mrs. George Stewart presided. Devotional thoughts were shared by the Rev. John E. Lewis, pastor of First Baptist Church, based on Romans XII.

IS HOSPITALIZED

Paul Spain has been a patient in St. Davis Hospital of Austin for some three weeks due to a heart attack. He is reported making slow improvement.

VISIT HOWARDS

Mrs. Joe Hoover and JoLisa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Howard Thursday night.

IN TULIA

Visiting Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Butch Hudgens and Tammany of Tulia were Mrs. Hudgen's mother and brother, Mrs. Denver Offield and Robert.

SUNDAY CALLERS

Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Shackelford were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Robertson of Cotton Center. The Robertsons have recently returned from Spain.

HH IS
HALLMARK
HABIT

TEST YOURSELF

Answer True Or False

1. First United Methodists will be holding their annual winter revival March 3 - 7.

2. Services will be twice daily.

3. Billy Graham will be the evangelist.

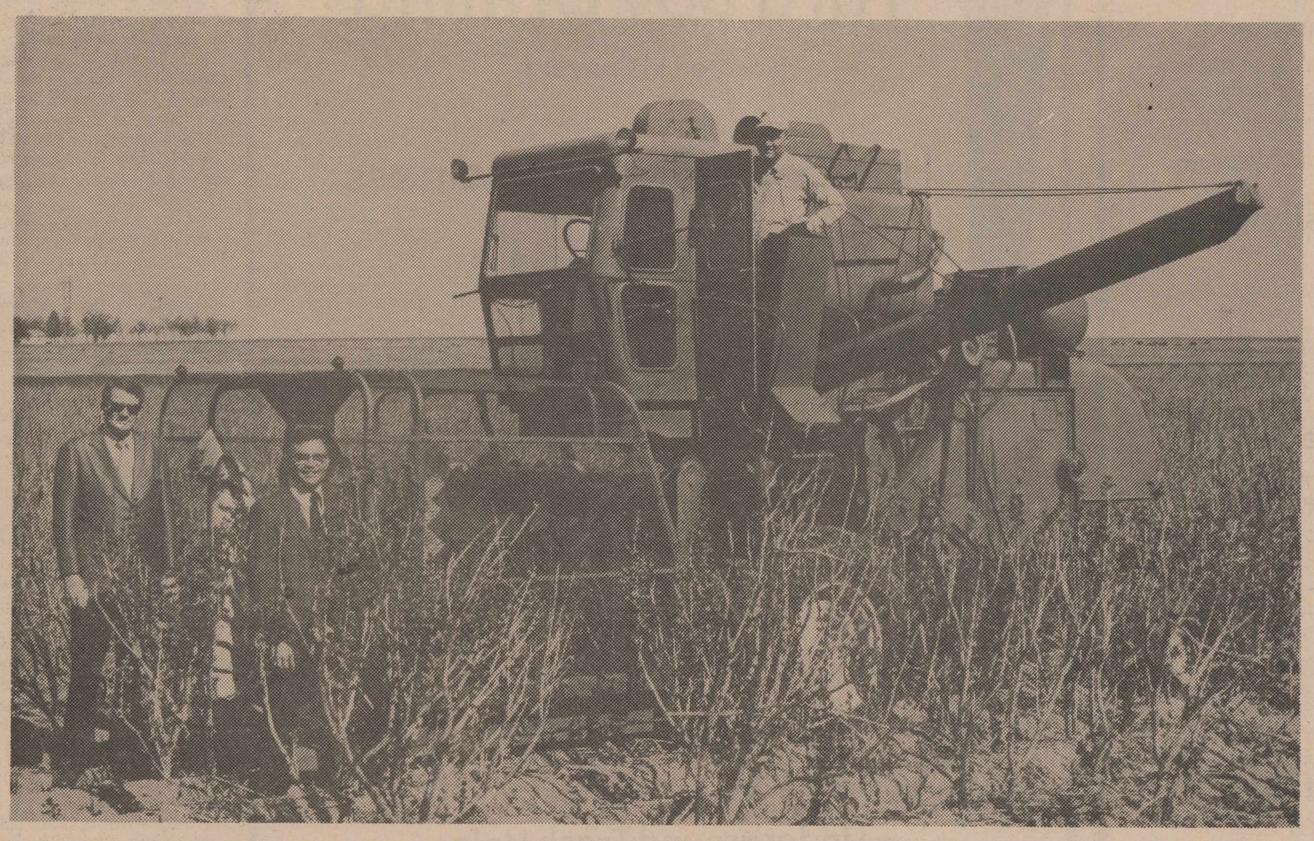
4. Liberace will be musician for the services.

5. Rev. Smith will be preaching nightly on Watergate.

6. No one is invited.

Answers on page 8.

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News Of Our Servicemen

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Airman Edward L. Surrett, son of Mrs. Mary L. Surrett of Littlefield has graduated at Lowry AFB, Colo., from the U.S. Air Force weapons mechanic course conducted by the Air Training Command.

Airman Surrett, who was trained to load and inspect the weapons used in Air Force jet aircraft, is being assigned to U-Tapao Airfield, Thailand, for duty with a unit of the Strategic Air Command.

The airman is a 1973 graduate of Littlefield High School. His wife, Vicki, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Grimes of Littlefield and granddaughter of Mrs. Ann Grimes.

LEAVES HOSPITAL

Guy Martin returned Monday from Central Plains Hospital, Plainview where he had surgery Tuesday of last week.

DAUGHTER VISITS

Mrs. Neal Wade of Dumas stayed several days recently with her mother, Mrs. Norman Smith.

TO CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Ola Pasich of Riverside, Calif. went home Thursday after visiting her cousin and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hair and other relatives in this area.

FROM NEW MEXICO

Roy Granbery of Truth or Consequences, N.M. has been here since Friday of last week with his mother, Mrs. L.E. Silcott and her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. D.M. Granbery.

TO FLOYDADA

Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Huckabee visited Sunday afternoon with her uncle and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Barton of Floydada.

IN HOSPITAL

B.C. Cooner was taken to Hale Center Hospital Sunday afternoon and at last report was still there. Among his visitors Tuesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Franks.

IN LUBBOCK

Mrs. Elbert Hooper spent the weekend in Lubbock with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hooper.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. A.S. Nafzger was in Central Plains Hospital at Plainview Sunday until Tuesday.



ENTERPRISE PRESENTS - Shawn Dee Loveless, five months old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Loveless. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Criswell. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Loveless are paternal grandparents. The little lad has three great-grandparents, Mrs. Criswell of Plainview, Mrs. Maudie Cure and Henry Miller.

FROM FRIONA

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bradshaw of Friona were recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Howard and Rhonda.

SISTER ILL

Mrs. George R. Hansen, sister of Mrs. C.T. Lokey, had major surgery Monday in St. John's Hospital of Tulsa, Okla.

W.E. Millers Attend New York Board Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Miller flew to New York City where he attended the meeting of Cotton Incorporated Board of Directors held in Plaza Hotel Feb. 6 to 10. Miller is one of the thirty nine directors of the organization which deals with all phases of the cotton industry, including research and promotion of production and marketing. One purpose of the work sessions was the appropriations of the budget for the fiscal year which begins April 1.

Of the eight directors from Texas, two are from Lamb County, Miller and J.D. Smith of Sudan.

Cotton, Inc. was organized in 1970. Before that time it was known as Cotton Producers' Institute. Directors meet four times each year with the next session beginning March 9 in Raleigh, N.C.

In New York City, Mrs. Miller accompanied the ladies on a tour of Museum of Arts, United Nation Building and saw theatre productions. They saw a filming of "Jeopardy".

Mr. and Mrs. Miller flew from New York City to San Antonio where they attended the cooperative convention. Miller is president of Lubbock Co-op Oil Mill and a director of Springlake Co-op Gin.

LAKE OUTING

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Hasha stayed Thursday until Saturday at Lake Amistead near Del Rio.

SUNDAY VISITORS

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Sherry were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Anderson, Mona, John, Matt, and Cenda of Shallowater.

FAMILY VISITS

Visiting during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. G.L. Peterson were their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ballard and Bobby of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pirkle and Glenn of Amarillo; a son and family, Jerry Peterson, Trevor and Tracy of Muleshoe, and a son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Coleman of Canyon.

UNDERGOES TESTS

Mrs. C.T. Lokey started a series of tests Wednesday in a Plainview clinic. She will be permitted to stay in her home at night.



FROM CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Beulah White of Long Beach, Calif., is presently visiting her sisters, Mrs. E.R. Spain and Mrs. L.W. Howard.

FROM STRATFORD

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Burkhalter of Stratford spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burkhalter.

DINNER GUESTS

Having dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roberts were his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Roberts and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Monty Roberts, all of Sudan; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelton of Muleshoe.

WEEKEND VISITS

Mrs. Garland Rose visited Friday with her grandfather and aunt, A.K. Kirby and Mrs. Ovie Copeland both of Hale Center. Mrs. Rose went on to Lubbock where she spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Kirby.

FROM BORGER

Mrs. C.B. Turner had visiting her Monday her grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Turner and Bryan of Borger.

Answers To Test On Page 7

1. **True.**
2. **True. Informal breakfast-devotions will begin at 7:30 and conclude at 8:30 a.m. Evening worship is 8 p.m.**
3. **False. Billy couldn't come so we got a good Methodist instead.**
4. **False. We have our own dedicated, talented musicians.**
5. **False. He will be bringing messages of Christian commitment and discipleship.**
6. **False. Everyone is invited! We want a full house at every service.**

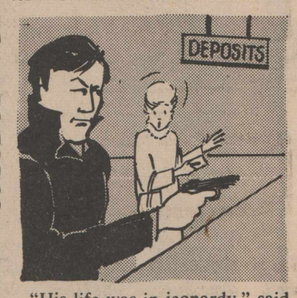
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Peril At The Bank

Henrietta was waiting to cash a check at the neighborhood bank when a man in the next line began firing a pistol. One of the bullets struck her in the leg. Later, after getting more facts, she decided she was entitled to collect damages from the bank.

"It was a holdup," Henrietta explained in a court hearing, "and the man ordered the teller not to move. Instead of obeying, the teller dived down behind the counter. That is when the holdup man started to shoot. If the teller had not panicked, I would not have been injured. And a bank is legally liable for the negligent acts of its employees."

But the court turned down her claim, refusing to condemn the teller for his instinctive reaction.



"His life was in jeopardy," said the court. "He cannot be held to perfect judgment under the circumstances."

Although a bank does owe extraordinary care for the safety of your money, it owes only ordinary care for the safety of your person. If you get hurt on the bank's premises, you cannot collect damages unless you can prove negligence.

Thus, in a more everyday situation, a bank was held not liable to a man who slipped on its front step. The step, although somewhat worn, was no more hazardous than one might encounter almost anywhere.

Of course, reasonable precautions must be taken. In another holdup case, a man with a bomb told bank officials he would blow the place up if they did not hand over $10,000.

They managed to stall him for almost 20 minutes. Yet, they neglected to warn an unsuspecting customer to get out of harm's way.

Finally the bomb did go off, injuring the customer. In due course a court held the bank liable. The court said even though the bank was not to blame for the bombing it was indeed to blame for not giving the customer fair warning of his peril.

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6th & Avenue G
JOHN LEWIS, PASTOR

Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship.....11:05 a.m.
Christian Training.....6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship.....7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
Evening Worship.....7:30 p.m.

Main Street Church Of Christ

3rd & Main
MILTON CARAWAY, MINISTER

Bible Study.....10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship.....10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
Ladies Bible Class.....10:00 a.m.
Evening Worship.....7:30 p.m.

St. Peter's Catholic

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Sunday Morning Mass.....9:30 a.m.
Confessions (Sunday morn.).....9:00 a.m.
Monday Evening Mass.....7:30 p.m.
First Friday Mass.....7:30 p.m.

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13th Street
AUGUSTINE VALENCIA, PASTOR

Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.
Sermon.....11:00 a.m.
Lord's Supper & Feet Washing.....11:30 a.m.
Evening Services.....6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Services.....7:30 p.m.

Bohner Chapel Baptist

1510 Avenue A
REV. W. JOHNSON, OF CANYON, PASTOR

Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship.....11:00 a.m.

Northside Church Of Christ

2nd & Avenue G

Sunday Morning Worship.....10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.

Church Of The Nazarene

10th & Avenue E
E.A. RAWLINGS, PASTOR

Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship.....11:00 a.m.
Youth Service.....6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship.....7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
Evening Worship.....7:00 p.m.

Trinity Baptist Mission

14th & Avenue I
PAT GLORIA, PASTOR

Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship.....11:15 a.m.
Training Union.....5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship.....6:15 p.m.
TUESDAY
Prayer Meeting (In Homes).....8:00 p.m.
Mid-Week Service.....8:00 p.m.

Hopewell Baptist

5th & Avenue B
RONNIE TRAVIS, PASTOR

Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship.....11:00 a.m.
Training Service.....6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship.....7:00 p.m.
TUESDAY
W.M.A.....9:30 a.m.
WEDNESDAY
G.A.'s & Sunbeams.....4:00 p.m.
Evening Worship.....8:00 p.m.

Reorganized Church Of Jesus Christ Of Latter Day Saints

6th & Avenue H
JOHN R. CARSON, PASTOR

Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.
Worship Service.....11:00 a.m.
Scripture Study.....7:00 p.m.
SECOND WEDNESDAY
Prayer Service.....7:30 p.m.

Cumberland Presbyterian

9th & Avenue G
E.M. JENNINGS, PASTOR

1st & 3rd Sundays
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship.....11:00 a.m.

First United Methodist

312 3rd Street
AL E. JENNINGS, PASTOR

Church School.....9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship.....11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.
Study Groups.....7:00 p.m.
TUESDAY
Youth Prayer Breakfast.....7:00 a.m.
WEDNESDAY
Men's Prayer Breakfast.....7:00 a.m.
W.S.C.S.....9:30 a.m.

Assembly Of God

11th & Avenue G
PERRY SHUFFIELD, PASTOR

Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship.....11:00 a.m.
Youth Service.....6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship.....7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
Evening Worship.....7:00 p.m.

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...YAN ALLCORN AND FREDDY STOCKDALE

Beautiful Sunday, huh? While all the young and old of Olton in Texas are sitting around picking dust out of their teeth and reading this dirty thing, we shall be skiing slopes in the clean, clean, crisp New Mexico mountain air. As most of you know, the OHS Band went to Red River Friday and will be back in Olton Sunday.

A great crowd from Olton went to see the girls play for Bi-District against Floyda-da. The game was played at Plainview. The girls fought to the end and came up short by 2 points. Players making the All-District team were guards Laurie Gallagher and Carla Moses. Forward chosen was Susie Culwell. Donna Muller and Melanie Cowart received honorable mention. Two Mustangs were awarded honorable mention - Stan Sampler and Vic Allcorn. Congratulations! We are proud of all of you!

An idea was brought up at the last student council meeting to maybe start having talent shows if the interest is great enough. If you can remember the old Junior High days you might remember some of the great talent shows we had. There will be one rule: No exposing Act! If you have any interest, please tell a studen acts! If you have any interest, please tell a student council member. We think it will be a great experience for all you talented OHS'ers.

Speaking of talent, we hope you all got out to the track Saturday to see our own Olton Invitational Track Meet. One of the highligts was the debut of our mile-relay team that went to the Regional track meet last year. We feel we have a young promising team. There should be a boys and girls track meet every Saturday during March, so get out to these meets and support our tracksters.

Kim B. - Sassy
Ken B. - Try the old foot in ...e mouth trick, eh?
...hn Carl - Don't worry ...out it!

Sharon Q. - Have a little accident?
Brad K. - Love that jackrabbit!
Pat B. - Happy Day of Birth!

Freshman of the Week - Cynthia Light
Sophomore of the week - Edward Garcia
Junior of the week - Susie Culwell
Senior of the Week - Joe "Highway" Villanueva
Teacher of the Week - Lee Moore

Top Twenty (Courtesy KLBK)
1. Sunshine on My Shoulder
2. Let Me Be There
3. I Love
4. The Way We Were
5. Seasons In The Sun
6. Last Kiss
7. Spiders and Snakes
8. Love Song
9. Americans
10. Joy Part I
11. Love Theme
12. You're Sixteen
13. Use My Imagination
14. Show and Tell
15. Walk Like a Man
16. Are You Lonesome Tonight?
17. Dark Lady
18. Daddy, What If?
19. I Shall Sing

Someone ripped off No. 20 this week, sorry 'bout that.

As we close, we would like to welcome back Coach Buddy Ables, who spent a few days in the hospital. Also, a little advice for handball players: Stay out of the way and 'Write in the Groove.'

Ferd and Bryon

SUNDAY CALLERS

Sunday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Howard and Rhonda were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ausmus of Plainview.

BIRTHDAY GUESTS

Mrs. E.M. Venable was visited by her children Monday on her birthday. They are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brooks, Cindy, Sheila, Ronda and Robin of Hart and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Venable and Kristy of Lubbock.

HAS SURGERY

Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Venable were in Lubbock Tuesday morning with her brother, H.G. Preston of Shallowater who underwent surgery.

This Was Olton



NEW CAR TO COURT A BRIDE - Bob Daughterty was a fortunate young man in 1921 with this new car to use in courting Miss Cassie Carlton. The two were married in December 1923 and continued to drive this car for several years. (Personal photo)

What's Cooking At School



Feb. 25-March 1
MONDAY-Tuna casserole, mashed potatoes, pea salad, fruit salad, sugar cookie, rolls and milk.
TUESDAY-Barbecued turkey, broccoli, blackeyed peas, purple plum, cherry cobbler, roll and milk.
WEDNESDAY-No school.
THURSDAY-Lasagne, spinach, French Fries, catsup, cranberry-orange salad, pineapple cake, rolls and milk.
FRIDAY-Fried chicken, cream gravy, green beans, peach, Special K cookie, rolls and milk.

HOSPITAL VISIT

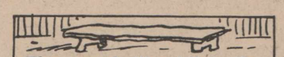
Visiting Thursday of last week with Guy Martin in Central Plains Hospital of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. V.O. Harrod and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Carty.

FROM LUBBOCK

Visiting during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Miller were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Parsons and Tawni of Lubbock.

TO LEAVE HOSPITAL

Mrs. Ben Henson was hospitalized in Hale Center Monday Feb. 11. She was to be released Feb. 20.



The word "bank" is derived from the Italian word "banca," meaning bench, on which Italian money-changers did business in the street centuries ago.

IN AUSTIN

Mrs. E.R. Spain returned last week from Austin where she stayed two weeks in the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spain.

VISIT MOTHER

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Campbell of Amherst visited Monday with his mother, Mrs. R.H. Campbell.

FROM HEREFORD

Spending Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Kelley was his daughter, Mrs. Helen Owens of Hereford.

SURGERY SLATED

Lonnie Kelley is scheduled to enter a Lubbock hospital March 4, and is to have surgery March 6.

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FOR SALE - Soy Bean Hay. Contact Roy Taack. Phone Edmonson 864-3378 9-tfc

FOR SALE: 1970 Buick La ...abre Air, PS, PB. Clean. ...hone 285-3362 or 295-2641. ...-tfc

FOR SALE-38 ft. hopper ...ottom Trailmobile grain ...iler and tarp. Leo Smith, ...5-2817. 41-tfc

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FOR SALE: 1968 Ford Galaxie 500. Call 285-2987. 052-tfc

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FOR SALE: Sylvania Home Entertainment Center. Call 285-2535. 50-tfc

FOR SALE: 3 bdrm, 1 bath, 1 car garage in Olton. 20x20 bldg on back w/gas & elect. Central forced heat, FHA approved. Phone [806] 272-3003 for appointment. 01-tfc

FOR SALE: Baby bed and mattress. Call 285-2288 after 6 p.m. or come by 217 East 4th st. 4-tfc.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE-Corn Silage. Leo Smith, 285-2817. 46-tfc

FOR SALE-Large chair with Ottoman, Boston Rocker, antique straight chair, solid maple twin bedroom suite, excellent condition. Phone 285-2852 after 7:30 p.m. 45-tfc

FOR SALE : NEW Feed Commodities, 32% Protein, high fat, molasses block. Olton Farm Supply. 0-52-tfc

FOR SALE-Two bedroom, 1 and ¾ bath, carpeted. Cellar, garage, storage. Good location. Billy McAlister, call after 6 p.m. 364-5948. 51-tfc.

FOR SALE-White O'Keefe-Merritt stove with grill, coppertone Tappan refrigerator. Herman Howard 285-2754 after 6 p.m. 3-tfc

FOR SALE- 3-bedroom house, fenced backyard, financing available, 1020 Main. 285-2882. 52-tfc

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FOR SALE: Liquid Compensator feed containing 32% protein. See Olton Farm Supply. 03-tfc

1966 Olds Starfire, PB, PS, Clean. Phone 285-2560. 5-2tc

Olds Delta Royal 2 door, all extras. Cheap. Phone 285-2256. 5-1tc

FOR SALE: Sofa, $10.00. Come by 508 Ave. E after 6 p.m. 5-tfc.

FOR SALE-Registered Border Collie. Call L.W. Howard, Olton 285-2387. 307 Ave. G. 5-1tc

Lost & Found

LOST: Black Mini-toy poodle 9 mo., answers to KOKO. Wearing rhinestone collar and tags. Reward, no questions asked. Contact 5-2671. 05-2tc

FOUND: Bird Dog. Call 285-2226. 5-tfc

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Miscellaneous

DEAD STOCK removed, 7 day week service. Pease call a soon as possible. Tulia Bi-Products, 627-3800. 12-tfc

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CUSTOM FARM WORK - Offset discing, deep breaking, chiseling, "hoeme-ing", listing and shredding. Ralph Contreras, 285-2538 or Joe Pedroza, 285-3369. 46-tfc

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LET ME do your custom farm work. Charles Shipley, 889-3808 39-tfc

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FOR YOUR TREFLAN, Atrazine or Sutan applications see Bud of Jim Huckabee or call 285-2455. 3-4tc

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NOTICE

FOR RENT: New supply Blue Luster machines. Call 285-2269. Mrs. Walter Struve. 05-tfc.

$1000 REWARD

For information leading to the arrest and conviction of person or persons caught vandalizing or stealing property of Stephen Smith.

Bill Duncan Services Held

Funeral services were held Wednesday for Bill Duncan, 62, in First Baptist Church of Sterling, Okla. He was brother-in-law of Mrs. Ross Carty and a former Olton resident.

He is survived by his wife, Connie; two sons and one daughter, two brothers, John Duncan of Pauls Valley, Okla. and Jim Duncan of Tucson, Ariz.; and three sisters, Mrs. Dennis Stephens of Coleman, Okla., Mrs. Ren Stephens of Lindsay, Okla and Mrs. Jack Lauterdale of Levelland. A number of grandchildren survive.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lunsford, Johnny, Teresa and Rocky had as dinner guests Wednesday evening her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.W.Kersh. Others were her sister and brother and their families, Mrs. Chester West, Kim, Pam and Dee of Guymon, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. David Kersh.



SOUTH AMERICAN VISITORS were treated to a party at the school lunchroom recently by several Oltonites. Visitors from throughout the South Plains area were in attendance.

FROM BLACK

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Nichols, Denise and Terry of Black spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Durham, Marilyn and Carolyn.

IN PLAINVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Kersh were in Plainview Monday with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith and with Kersh's mother, Mrs. Ellen Kersh.

Exchange Students Given Official Lions Emblem

Olton Lions Club in a recent meeting, honored six foreign exchange students currently visiting in the community as guests of the club and members.

Guests presented with the official pin were Eduardo Mercado and Cesar Rosales Castrilli both of Peru; and Jose Fernando Amdriami, Paulo Roberto Rebello, and Miss Claudia Carvalho all of Brazil.

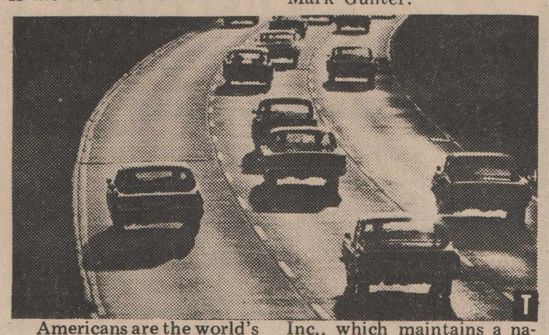
Also presented a pin was Juan Jose Ducadodohes Mercado of Peru, who has been a guest in an Idalou home.

Report was made upon the District 2T2 Lions Club Youth Exchange party held Sunday afternoon in school cafeteria. Some 85 people were in attendance from Brownfield, Morton, Lamesa, Tahoka, Hale Center, Plainview and the local area.

Program of the day was presented by students of Mrs. Marilyn Miller, head of high school speech department. Appearing on the program were John Rodriquez, Robin Criswell and Mark Gunter.

MONDAY CALL

Mrs. R.H. Campbell and Mrs. Lenoa Schaefer called Monday afternoon on Mrs. Callie Walker in Heritage Home in Plainview.



Americans are the world's most inveterate drivers. For that distinction they spend a staggering $25 billion every year on automotive parts and accessories—good times or bad. One company which plays a vital role in keeping the wheels of America rolling is A.P.S., Inc., a unit of Gulf+ Western Industries, Inc., which maintains a nationwide network of regional warehouses and local parts jobbers, plays a vital and growing role in keeping the wheels of America rolling. For the do-it-yourself mechanic A.P.S. offers everything from parts for customizing to prepackaged tune-up kits.

Two Peruvians Arrive Here

Two more young men from South America have arrived in Olton and are guests in the Leon Noack home. Joining other Brazilian and Peruvian youth who have visited in Olton since late December are Nicolas Mongilardi of Lima, Peru and Juan Jose Indacochea of Arequipa, Peru.

In the States on an exchange program sponsored by Lions Clubs, the Olton visitors are among some 60 Peruvian youth who landed in Miami, Fla. just before Christmas and disbursed to various parts of the country. The two who arrived Friday have been visiting in Lubbock and Idalou.

Already visiting in the Noack home were Cesar Rosales Castrilli and Eduardo Mercado. A fishing excursion to White River Lake over the weekend was planned for the quartet but Castrilli had to remain in Olton nursing a cold.

The fishermen had poor luck. "All I caught was a cold," Mercado explained.

Back home, the four say, it's summer vacation time with "everyone down at the coast." Untroubled by the exchange of their summer for winter in the States, all are finding the tour a pleasure.

IN WELLINGTON

Mrs. Marlin Edwards recently visited her aunt Mrs. R.L. Johnson of Wellington who had as a houseguest Mrs. Edward's grandmother, Mrs. Bill McBroom of Snider, Okla.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. John Kerbow, who has been visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Will Russell since Feb. 1, returned Thursday to her home in Olympia, Wash. The former Betty Russell, Mrs. Kerbow and her husband have lived six and a half years in Washington. A graduate of Texas Tech, he is biologist with the Bureau of Sport, Fishery and Wild Life.

ACROSS THE COUNTY LINE

MRS. C. D. TANNER — PH. 889-3820 HALFWAY

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell Young, John and Paul were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Sanders of Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sanders, Terry, Michelle and Sharon of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Stan Murcheski of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. David Dean, Pam and Colley.

Kamber Carson was a guest of Londi Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Landon Smith, on her third birthday. Her cake and favors carried out the "Raggedy Ann" theme. In the afternoon they were joined by Londi's grandmother, Mrs. Ray Copeland and her brother and sister, Rodney and Kelli.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fargason returned home from Mayo Clinic Tuesday afternoon.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberts were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberts of Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. David Parsons and Amy of Amarillo. They were joined Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Dorris of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Howell and Mr. and Mrs. Lauis Hair went on a weekend shopping trip to Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Huddleston accompanied by their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sherman and Jennifer of Plainview made a trip to Ruidoso, N.M., over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Smith and Dannise of Canyon visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gregory and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hambright, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Witten and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kimball attended the South Plains Telephone Cooperation annual meeting in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark visited their son, Rodger, in Oklahoma City, Okla., over the weekend. Carla stayed with her aunt, Mrs. Mildred Beasley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Burrus and Boe visited her mother, Mrs. Lucille Witten of Plainview, Sunday. Later that evening, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Struve, Shelli and Tulley were dinner guests of the Burrus.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Jones were weekend guests of her sister, Mrs. Esther Wolfe of Coahoma.

S.C. Witten of Kress, brother of Clyde Witten, has been dismissed from Central Plains Hospital, Plainview, following surgery.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Witten Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Witten and children.

Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Tanner spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Smith of Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neal Jones and Justin of Lubbock visited his mother, Mrs. Pauline Jones, Friday night and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Centchfield, Saturday. The Joneses have moved from Waxachie to Lubbock where he is working on his masters degree at Texas Tech and doing work with the extension service.

The Halfway Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Goree with Mrs. Robert Graham presiding.

Mrs. Wymon Mayes, Hale County Extension Agent, presented "Voice of Clothing. She stated clothing affects personality by making one feel comfortable or depressed.

Mrs. Mayes ended with the question, will science or women decide the clothes of the future? Will clothes be synthetic or natural fibers?

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Mayes, Graham, E.C. Patterson, Wilbur Morris, Arthur Morris, J.S. Bell and Harold Goree.

Fritz Hervey of Abilene came for his wife over the weekend. Mrs. Hervey has been convalescing at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Sisemore.

Members of the Sunday School class and their husbands of the First Baptist Church of Halfway held a secial Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham. Mr. and Mrs. John Downey were co-hostess. Valentine theme was used throughout the home. Rev. Gene Thurber gave a devotion.

The group played games followed by "42." Snacks of nuts were placed at each table.

Refreshments of pie and coffee were served to Messrs. and Mmes. Lester Cox, Clyde Harrell, Dwayne Fleming, Neilan Smith, Eddy Pruitt, Gene Thurber, Lewellen Hooper, Mrs. Benson Ethridge and children.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper of Morton were weekend quests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Derwood Copeland.

ATTEND RITES

Mr. and Mrs. L.G. Elkins attended funeral service Saturday, Feb. 9 for Scott Prather in First Baptist Church of Cotton Center.

TO HEREFORD

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Foster visited Sunday with his sister, Mrs. O.G. Hill of Hereford.

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WELCOME TO OLTON



Welcome is extended this week to newcomers, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Hudson, who moved here from Plainview. Rick and Nancy are parents of two sons, Jeremy, 2 years old and Jason, 1 year old.

Youth and music director at the First Baptist Church, Rick is a student at Wayland Baptist College in Plainview.

He and his wife are both natives of Amarillo, where they attended schools.

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