

On The BEAM

By J. W. King, Sr.

This issue of The Mitchell County News starts off a new year—1933. The new year is starting with prospects for a crop next fall looking much brighter than a year ago.

With the drawing of the new year we can forget the failures of the past two years, as far as possible, and look to the future hoping the weather will be more kind to this section.

None of us know what the future will bring but we can all face it with courage and a determination to do the best we can with the opportunities that confront us.

May the New Year bring happiness and prosperity to every citizen of this community.

HUMBLE TO BROADCAST LAST BIG GAME

Humble Oil & Refining Company will climax its season of football broadcasts with a play by play account of the New Year's Day Cotton Bowl game when Texas University, winner of the Southwest Conference, will be host to the University of Tennessee for the second time in three years.

Popular announcer, Ves Box, will describe the action of the game direct from Dallas, and Alec Chessler will be on hand to bring radio listeners the half-time activities and "color" of the game. The broadcast will begin at 12:30 p. m. Thursday, and will be heard on the following stations: KRGV, Weslaco; WFAX, WYAP-820, Dallas; Fort Worth; WYAL, San Antonio; KFRC, Houston; KGNG, Amarillo; KCBD, Lubbock; KRIS, Corpus Christi; and KTBC, Austin.

TEMPLETON FAMILY

The family of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Templeton met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Templeton for their family dinner on Sunday, December 28.

The turkey dinner was served at noon and visiting enjoyed in the afternoon. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Templeton of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McConnell and Pat of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pendergrass of Fort Campbell, Kentucky, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pendergrass, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Templeton and Carolyn of Sweetwater, T. A. McGee and Noble McGee of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Griffin of Hermleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Griffin of Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Varnell Templeton and children, Mrs. F. H. Baumann, Mrs. D. E. Crouch and Mary Rose, Dixie and Virginia Templeton.

PATTERSON FAMILY TOGETHER AT XMAS

Visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Patterson, Christmas day were their children, Cpl. and Mrs. Bobbie Patterson of Lake Charles, Louisiana, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cunningham and Eileen Patterson of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Geiger and Rusty of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Reese of Snyder, Mrs. Arlie Kidd and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tillison of Lorraine. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kidd and Gary of Hobbs, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark and Mrs. Mart Nichols of Snyder; Stelvin Kidd of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers of Lorraine. Patsy Patterson, Mrs. Winters remained for this week with her grandparents.

JOHNSON FAMILY TOGETHER CHRISTMAS

The annual Christmas dinner for the family of Mrs. Frank Johnson was held in her home Wednesday evening. After the dinner they went to the home of Dr. Bruce Johnson for their regular Christmas tree party.

Present were Dr. and Mrs. Homer Johnson and children of Midland, Dr. and Mrs. Dale Johnson and daughters of Abilene, Mrs. E. P. Kuck, Mrs. Johnson, Beverly and Sonny.

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Former Lorainian Buried At Cisco

Mrs. Rawley Fairbairn, a former Lorainian woman, died at her home in Odessa December 16, and was buried the following day at Cisco beside her husband who preceded her in death two years ago.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Moore and Pattie over Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Moore, Joy, Myrna and Lynn of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burton, Ann and Fran of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey and Wanda of Albany, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dennis, Linda, Judy, Maurie and Cella of Corsicana, and W. A. Dennis and Glynn of Sylvester.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Richardson

and Ronnie of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hallmark and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hallmark and Rodney spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Nuke Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Pendergrass

returned to their home in Alhambra, California, Sunday night after spending last week with their father, J. W. Richburg, and with his parents in Gustine, Texas.

HOSTS FAMILY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stewart were hosts at the annual Christmas dinner for members of the Stewart family.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Stewart and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Narrell, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lanford and Sue and Mrs. Douglas Smith of Lorraine, Don Narrell of Carswell Air Force Base and Mrs. Don Narrell of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stewart and their grandson of Lovington, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shelburne and children of Coahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Roberts and baby of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart and son of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Parker and son of Rockdale, Texas.

Mrs. David Hunt of Dallas

spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Doris Martin, and accompanied Mrs. Martin to Odessa and Big Spring Tuesday where they visited relatives.

FAULKENBERRY FAMILY TOGETHER CHRISTMAS

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Faulkenberry had all of their family together for a turkey dinner on Christmas day except two sons, Sam of Seattle, Washington, and Sgt. Hester, who is stationed in Germany.

Present were Dr. and Mrs. Garland Faulkenberry and child of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Faulkenberry, Jr. and Frances of Lamesa, Pauline and Vonelle Faulkenberry of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Faulkenberry and Pamela of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. David Faulkenberry and Sus of Colorado City, and Mrs. Faulkenberry's sister, Mrs. E. J. Eaver of Lamesa and D. E. Jackson.

HOST SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Richey entertained with a supper Christmas evening for members of the Richey family. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Armstrong and granddaughter Kay Armstrong and Boyd Richey of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. August Armstrong from Kansas, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richey and Jackie.

HAYS FAMILY TOGETHER

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hays during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Hays and children and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lee Hays of Cotton Center, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McGuire and daughter of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. David Faulkenberry and Sue of Colorado City, Daniel Hays of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Ada Crownover, Lorraine.

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Wife Of Former Pastor Here Buried

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church in Abilene, Wednesday, December 24 for Mrs. Hamilton Wright, of Abilene who died in the Hendrick Memorial hospital December 23, after a long illness.

Rev. and Mrs. Wright and family lived in Lorraine several years ago when he was pastor of the local Methodist Church.

Mrs. Wright was born Josie Lee Slatton at Seranton, Texas June 12, 1887. She and Rev. Wright were married October 16, 1911 at Blackwell.

Survivors include her husband, four children, Mrs. Paul Honeycutt of Merkel, W. H. Wright, Jr., Mrs. Maxine Kelton and Ramona Wright all of Fort Worth, Texas; three grandchildren, a brother and six sisters.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Banks entertained with a joint birthday dinner for their son Windell and Idus Finch on Christmas day.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Redus, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Flippo, and Mr. and Mrs. Noel Redus and children of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Twaine Price and Jana Sue of Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bagwell of Colorado City, Billy Finch of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Finch of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Idus Finch and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Ray Finch and son Clayton of Lorraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baird

and Mrs. M. E. Meek during the holidays were their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hallmark of Beaumont, and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Walker and children of Odessa.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wimberley

of Seminole visited in the V. L. Wimberley home during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wimberley

and Sue spent Monday night in Odessa with Mrs. M. C. Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson

and Mrs. Daryl Stafford and children visited relatives in Abilene Monday.

THOMPSON FAMILY TOGETHER

The annual Christmas dinner party for members of the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Thompson was held at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thompson near Colorado City at noon Christmas day.

The Thompson home was beautifully decorated with holly sent her from her sister in Arkansas and other yuletide decorations. The dinner was served buffet from four o'clock tables.

After the dinner gifts were exchanged from the tree. All of the brothers and sisters were present. This was the first time in 35 years that Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thompson had been with the family on Christmas day.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bennett, Mrs. Cora Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones, Thomas Bob and Billy Jay Long, Lorraine; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bennett and Tom Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thompson, Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Gage Jerry and Dalton, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson and Delbert and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Griffin, Charles, Mattie Euel Frances and Dora, Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Armon Shultz and daughter of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shultz Christmas.

Lt. and Mrs. E. O. Sandlin, Jr. of Hidelberg, Germany, are announcing the birth of a son. Mrs. Sandlin is the former Jane Coffee.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Riden Christmas day were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Jennings, Dorothy and Sandra of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reed and Roger Dale of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Lane McCollum and Mr. and Mrs. Rex McDaniel and Judy.

REAGAN MARTIN IS IN HONOLULU

Mrs. Doris Martin had Christmas greetings from her son, Lt. Reagan Martin, sent from Honolulu. Reagan said that he would be flying turkey dinners to boys in that section from his base in Tokyo, which he would reach before the holidays. Lt. Martin left the States December 10.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boone during the holidays were Jimmie Boone Jr. from Stephenville, Charles Smith and Bill Hale of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gunn spent the holidays with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Al Bodine in Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sheffield and Atwood spent the holidays with relatives in Abilene.

Guests of Mrs. W. C. Farrar Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Nick Farrar and Bonnie of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cramer, Coahoma and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McCreight of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King, Jr. and daughter attended the funeral of her uncle Tuesday, who died at Lubbock Sunday night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Hughes, a daughter December 30.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pratt Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wilson of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Pratt of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Pratt and Sarah.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Martin and children and Mrs. Mae Martin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Martin in Colorado City when they entertained with a Christmas dinner and tree Sunday for the Martin family.

Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.—Pvt. Charles L. Goodlett, Dunn route Colorado City, Texas, has completed a 10 week automotive mechanics course at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Conducted at the Army Specialist School, the course included instruction in the maintenance and repair of the engines and chassis of Army vehicles.

Private Goodlett, a former student at Texas Tech in Lubbock entered the Army in July 1932 and is presently assigned to Company B of the 25th Armored Engineer Battalion.

HOST FAMILY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett were hosts on Christmas day at a turkey dinner for members of the N. L. Henderson family.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Troy Moore, Larry and Diane, Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bynum, Dale and Freddie, Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Henderson, Jay and Brad, N. L. Henderson, Deryl and Merlin Bennett.

BRUCE FAMILY TOGETHER

Christmas visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bruce were Rev. and Mrs. Oscar Bruce of Knox City, Rev. and Mrs. Duane Bruce and children of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce and children of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Bruce and family of Midland and Lt. and Mrs. Worth Bruce and sons.

Mrs. T. F. Finley underwent surgery in an Abilene hospital Tuesday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gas Baumann during Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Baumann and Richard of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Baumann and Roddy of Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bauman and family of Midland and Lt. and Mrs. Edward Bauman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scrivner

and son of Rankin spent the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Green.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hallmark Tuesday were Mrs. F. R. Pickens from Plains, Texas; Mrs. J. D. Shukleford and daughter Mary and Jerry Parker of Sweetwater.

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T. R. BENNETT HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. T. R. Bennett entertained Saturday night, Dec. 27, honoring Mr. Bennett on his birthday.

A turkey dinner was served buffet from foursome tables. The dining table was laid with a hand crocheted cloth over pink and centered with the white and pink birthday cake flanked by double candle holders holding red and pink tapers.

After the dinner pictures were made, visiting enjoyed and Mrs. Alva Bennett directed games.

Guests included their son, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bennett and Tom, Snyder; and all of his brothers and their wives Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett, Lorraine; Virgil Bennett, Sweetwater, and Mrs. Lily Bennett, Lorraine; and all of Mrs. Bennett's brothers and sisters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thompson of Stephenville, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Gage and Dalton, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Griffin all of Colorado City; Mrs. Cora Hall and Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Taylor all of Lorraine.

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Mr. and Mrs. Allen Nelson of Abilene spent Sunday with his sisters, Miss Lillie Nelson and Mrs. W. E. Dickenson.



New Baptist Pastor Comes To Lorraine

Rev. and Mrs. Leonard Hartley moved to Lorraine this week and Rev. Hartley will begin work as pastor of the First Baptist Church here next Sunday, January 4. He accepted the call extended him last Sunday.

Rev. Hartley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hartley of Edmondson, Texas, was born in Lockney in 1922. The family moved to Edmondson in 1947 where Rev. Hartley was ordained a deacon of the Baptist Church at the age of 20. In the spring of 1950 he surrendered to preach and soon after was called as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Edmondson, where he served until resigning to accept the call here.

He was also serving as Association A. leader of the Staked Plains Association.

Mrs. Hartley, before her marriage in 1942, was the former Frances Collins. Both are graduates of Lockney High School and are students at Wayland College, Plainview. They plan to return to Plainview to complete this semester in January and for the next three weeks will be in Lorraine only on weekends.

ATTEND FUNERAL OF AUNT

Mrs. Floyd Richey accompanied her brother, Tom Clark of Lubbock, to Dallas Tuesday after receiving the message of the death of her aunt, Mrs. Mae Cosby.

RICHBURG FAMILY TOGETHER SUNDAY

J. W. Richburg and fourteen of his sixteen children and their families met in the Lions building after church Sunday, Dec. 28, for their Christmas dinner. The menu consisted of turkey and all the trimmings. The afternoon was spent in talking and singing religious songs.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Richburg of Dunn, Mrs. Lillie Faulkenberry, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Wilson and Pamela of Monahans, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Richburg and children of Kress, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Richburg and sons of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Adrian and children of Knott, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Richburg and children of Inadale, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Richburg and children of Roscoe Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Richburg and LaVelle of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Pendergrass of Alhambra, California, Mr. and Mrs. James Watkins and Beverly of Morenci, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Richburg and children, Mrs. Nola Forsythe and Kitty and J. W. Richburg of Lorraine, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Richburg and children of Sweetwater, Charles Richburg of Snyder, M. A. Richburg of Roscoe, and Rev. and Mrs. Rufus Kitchens and Christine.

The two children unable to be present are Furman Richburg of Silver City, N. M., and Mrs. G. L. Bryant of Floydada.

Other visitors in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Crist Richburg, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Martin, Ollie Mae Martin and Mrs. Emma Land.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. J. F. Reeder was given a surprise visit by her neighbors Saturday afternoon when they called to wish her Happy Birthday with gifts and cards on her 88th birthday.

Mrs. Gunn Found Insane By Jury

Mrs. Olevia E. Gunn was found to be insane by a 32nd District Court jury in Colorado City Monday in a hearing requested by defense counsel. The jury took only about ten minutes to arrive at a decision.

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C. W. McAnally Died Christmas Day

Funeral services for C. W. McAnally, 66, were held at the Baptist Church Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m. with the Rev. C. E. Leslie, retired Baptist minister of Hermleigh, and the Rev. Virgil Drewery of Wastella officiating.

Mr. McAnally was stricken with a heart attack Thursday night and was taken to Root Memorial Hospital in Colorado City, where he was pronounced dead on arrival.

Charles Winston McAnally was born in Jacksonville, Texas, July 29, 1866. He was married to Miss Lou Reeves at Troup, Texas, September 15, 1912. They had lived in Mitchell County 23 years and was engaged in farming near Lorraine. He was a member of the Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, three daughters, Mrs. C. H. Epack Bowen of Big Spring; four sons, Jesse of El Paso, Jack and Dick of Odessa and Pete of Lorraine; two sisters, Mrs. Edna Womack of Lufkin, Mrs. Maggie Dummahoe of Corpus Christi; and two brothers, Lee of Peecos and Joe of Barstow.

Burial was in the Lorraine cemetery with Kiler and Son in charge.

Palacekeepers were C. D. Chapman, E. C. Gale, P. P. Hays, E. B. Hale, Floyd Richey, D. M. Manning, A. G. Mercer and Bill Wood.

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CASWELL FAMILY HAS CHRISTMAS GATHERING

The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Caswell of the Lorraine community was the scene for a family gathering Christmas day when nine of their thirteen children and their families were present for a turkey dinner.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Caswell, Elvie, Rex and Wanda and Joy of Colorado City Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ferguson, Ann, Peggy, Linda and Glenda of Ralls, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Caswell, Carolyn, Larry and Darwin of Silver, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Caswell of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Johnson of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Arley McAdams and Karen of Big Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Caswell and Wayne of Notrees.

Children calling in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Caswell, Pauline, Carroll and Richard of Hermleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Yarbrough, Joyce, Harold, David and Dale of Roscoe.

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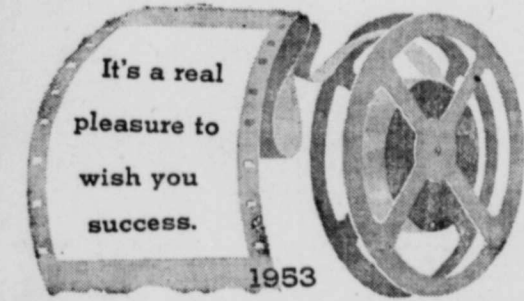
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Guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Meadows for a Christmas dinner Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Crippliver of Fort Worth, A2c Hubert Meadows and wife from Kelley Field, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Costin and children of McCamey and Mr. and Mrs. Meadows of Loraine. Other guests Friday were Mr. and Mrs. William Fezell of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Carl McIntire of Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Thomas hosted a Christmas dinner at noon Christmas day for members of the family of the late, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mayes. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mayes and Mike and Mrs. Albert Williford of Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mayes of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Festus Elrod and Dian of Texarkana, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Coffee of Grandfalls, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Neeley of Andrews, Major and Mrs. George Nichols and children of Colorado Springs Colorado, and Mr. and Mrs. Olen Mayes of Loraine. Afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Pratt and Sarah, Mr. and Mrs. William Pratt and Mrs. Harry Hallmark.

Mrs. Pauline Sadley entertained with a six o'clock dinner of Christmas Eve for members of her family. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Wright Hock and Susan of Spade Ranch, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Crownover and Mary of Winters, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crownover and Mr. and Mrs. Tharon Henderson, Jay and Brad of Loraine.

Merlin Bruce of Fort Hill, Oklahoma, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Payne and children of Poteet spent Friday night and the first of the week in the home of her father, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Richard, and with other relatives.

Mrs. Louise Knight spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. R. C. Norris, in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hazelwood of Hobbs, New Mexico, and Mrs. Alice Hazelwood of Sterling City, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richard Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore and family of Kingsville spent the holiday here with relatives.

Fern Coon of El Paso spent last week with her mother, and sister, Mrs. John Coon and Ruth, and accompanied them and Glen Coon to Hobbs, N. M. Friday, where they met the Oren Coons of Lingo, N. M., in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Greer for a family get-together. Mrs. Greer is the former Mary Coon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oren Coon.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. White during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Garland Emfinger and Lynn from Sterling City and Mr. and Mrs. Clay Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Roberts and children from Inadale.

Mr and Mrs. E. B. McDaniel hosted a six o'clock dinner on Christmas day for members of their family. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Rex McDaniel and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Delmar McDaniel and children and Billy Preston, Loraine and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Crockett and Sandra from Big Spring.

HOSTS PARTY FOR VISITORS
Mrs. Minnie Fairbairn entertained with two tables of canasta Friday night honoring her guests, Miss Richard Looby from Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Looby from Kenedy. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Coon and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hester. Fruit cake and coffee was served.

Pvt. Buddy Crenshaw, Route 1 of Loraine, Texas, has arrived at North Fort Hood, Texas, where he will be assigned to the famed First Armored Division for basic training.

Pvt. Buddy Crenshaw is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Crenshaw. He attended Hermleigh high school. Famed as a combat division in World War II, the First Armored Division was reactivated in 1951 under Major General Bruce C. Clarke and is at present undergoing combat training at Ft. Hood, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Little and children of Oklahoma City spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. L. W. Rhodes, and they all visited Mr. Rhodes, who is a patient in the Veterans Hospital in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Blair entertained members of the Blair family at a dinner Christmas day. Present were Virgil Bennett of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilmon and children of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Glass of Hermleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Dual Blair and sons of Inadale, Mr. and Mrs. Moody Richardson and Lowell, Patsy Green, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Blair, Doris Dee and Tommie, Bennett Blair and Billy Dale, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reddin and Mr. and Mrs. Lance Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Woods and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Woods and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Carpenter spent the holidays in Levelland with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Chamness.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Moore and family moved back to Loraine last week from Kingsville, where they have lived the past several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Looby and children of Kennedy and Miss Richard Looby of Midland spent the holidays with their aunt, Mrs. Minnie Fairbairn.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stanley and sons of Pecos and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hall and sons were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Land, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Pratt and Sarah visited Mr. and Mrs. Willard Pratt in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmon Tartt Loretta and Judy, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Young, at Elm-dale.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Preston entertained with a dinner at noon Christmas day for members of their family. Present were Mrs. J. H. Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Graham and son, Mr. and Mrs. Delmar McDaniel and children of Loraine, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Preston and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Wilson and children of Andrews.

A2c Bobbie Patterson and Mrs. Patterson from Lake Charles, La. spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hackfeld. Other visitors in the Hackfeld home Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Green, Glenda and David of Sweetwater, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Backhaus and Leona. Glenda and David remained and will visit until Sunday.

Little Tom Bennett of Snyder is spending this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin spent Christmas in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Burdine, in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis spent the holidays in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Gibson, at Ackerley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bowlin and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Deimas Bowlin and baby spent Christmas day with relatives in Ackerley.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dobbs during the holidays were his mother and aunt, Mrs. T. J. Dobbs of Tishomingo, Oklahoma, and Mrs. J. K. Mitchell of Pierre, S. D.

Mrs. Juanita Wyatt of Midland visited her aunt, Mrs. S. M. Hallmark, Friday.

Mrs. Frank Johnson and Mrs. Cora Hall spent Sunday and Monday in San Angelo visiting Mrs. Matt Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Green of Chickasha, Oklahoma, spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Meador, and sister Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cope. Mrs. Meador returned home with them for a visit.

HOCK FAMILY TOGETHER
Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hock during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Payne and Betty of Poteet, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Hamilton and children of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Reese Hays of Albany, Mrs. Parks Bryant and children Jimmie and Parka of Toyah, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Bryant and son of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Wright Hock and Susan of Spade Ranch.



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Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Barron had their three sons and their families on December 21 when they entertained with a dinner. Present were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Barron RedWing, Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. James Barron and Iris Lee Winters and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barron. On Sunday, December 28 visitors were Mr. and Mrs. James Barron, Winters; Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Woods, Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harlowe and Mrs. A. J. Barron, Red Wing, Colorado.

HONORED ON ANNIVERSARY
A group of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett Tuesday evening December 30, for a surprise to honor them on their 30th wedding anniversary. Pie and coffee were served and games of 42 played. Present were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jean, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Templeton, Mr. and Mrs. Moody Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Butler, and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bruce.

Visitors of Mrs. Marion Mahon during the holidays were Virginia Renfro of Midland, Gaylon Parris of Dallas, George Hoover Jr. of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hare and baby of Poteet, Sarah and Irene Norman of Colorado City, Mrs. David Hunt of Dallas, and Mrs. Doris Martin of Loraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and Mrs. A. B. Smith spent Sunday in the Phil Smith home at Eunice, New Mexico, where all of the Smith family gathered for their holidays reunion.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Crawford and Mary Jo spent the holidays with their parents at Perrin.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Kelley, a daughter, December 27.

HOLIDAY GUESTS
 Lt. and Mrs. Joe F. Reeder left Wednesday for Fort Silo, Oklahoma, enroute they will visit Mrs. R. E. Bennett in Lubbock and the C. B. Reeder in Abernathy. Pvt. and Mrs. Robert C. Bennett will leave for Fort Benjamin Harris, Indianapolis, Indiana, Friday. He will report there January 7 to attend a machine accounting school for eight weeks.

The four have been holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Bennett. Other guests in the Bennett home Christmas day were Mrs. R. E. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jackson of Lubbock, Mrs. R. H. Looney of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reeder, Lu Ann and Gail, all of Midland. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bennett of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Walker.

Holiday visitors in the Malcolm Bruce home were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hallman and children of Roswell, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Crockett, Jr. and son of Colorado City.

Guests of Mrs. Lucy Britton and Mr. and Mrs. Clint McCollum during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Britton and son Billy Lee of Carlsbad, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Brians and Darla of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coffee and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord McCollum of Long Beach, California, are announcing the birth of a daughter on Christmas Eve, whom they named Valerie Sue. Gaylord is in the Navy and is due to fly to his ship off Sasebo, Japan, on January 2.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Johnson Christmas day were their daughters and son and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jones and baby and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Johnson of Coleman, and Mr. and Mrs. John Glass and children of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mahoney returned Sunday night after spending the holidays with relatives in Laredo and San Antonio.

Guests of Mrs. J. R. Troutt for a Christmas dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Morgan and Mrs. W. Brown of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Troutt of Big Spring, Sgt. Billy Earl Troutt, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Troutt and girls of Lorraine. Afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Narrell and children.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Brians during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Brians and daughter of Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Kelley and children of McCamey, and Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Brians and Darla, Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. James Watkins and Beverly left Monday for their home in Morenci, Arizona, after visiting last week in the J. W. Rieburg home and in Dallas with their daughter, Jimmie Watkins.

Mrs. Luther Whitehead of Balls spent the weekend here visiting her cousin, Mrs. Nuke Henderson.

Joe Bennett and Nuke Henderson spent Friday in Big Spring visiting Vernon Baird who is a patient in Hogan-Malone hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allbright and Mary Jean of Odessa spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Walker.

Guests of Mrs. W. M. Mahoney over the week end were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dunsterhoefe from Fort Worth. Other guests Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mahoney and sons from Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webber and daughter of Colorado City.

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I want to thank everyone of the nurses at the hospital for their love and kindness shown me while I was there. And I also want to thank all of our neighbors and friends for everything they have done to help us in any way, and to the T. E. L. and Dorcas Sunday School classes and the W. M. U. for their gifts and cards sent me. May God's richest blessings be bestowed upon each and everyone in my prayer. Mrs. H. E. Patterson and family.

Mrs. J. A. McGowen of Odessa is spending this week in the home of her sister. Rev. and Mrs. Dee Van Pelt.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Ellers, Jr., a son, December 17, and Mrs. John Horton and Johnnie returned to Corpus Christi Sunday after spending last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Horton and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Richey.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Evert Henderson during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Troy Moore, Larry and Diane of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Derryberry, Sandra and Danny of Highmore, South Dakota, and L. D. Teaff of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Doyle and girls spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Pinkerton, at Toyah.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett visited her brother, Vernon Baird, in a Big Spring hospital Sunday. Vernon was stricken with a heart attack December 23.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Lee during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slaughter and children of Eagle Pass, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Turnbow and boys of Sweetwater, Mrs. L. W. Compton and children of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lee and children of Westbrook, and James Clifton of Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Lee and Jean spent Christmas day with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hindman, at Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Richburg and children spent the holidays with her parents in San Antonio.

Holidays guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers were Mr. and Mrs. Olen D. Hair and daughter Helen LaRue of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Rogers and daughter Rita Kay of Big Spring, and Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Rogers and sons Joe and Bill of Vernon.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Compton Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carlile and Lois of Colorado City, Miss Alma Lee and Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Lee and children, Loraine.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jean Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nunn and son of Midland, Lora Nell Jean of Texas Tech and Merlin Bruce of Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Crosley of Lubbock visited her mother, Mrs. D. E. Crouch, Sunday afternoon. Other guests Saturday were Mrs. Florence Crouch and son Raymond of Lamesa.

Bob Templeton of Dublin and Ruth Pendergrass of State University spent Friday night in the J. M. Templeton home.

Mrs. J. E. Spikes, Mrs. Fay McCollum and Miss Gladys Spikes spent Christmas Eve night and Christmas day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burr Brown in Coahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones and Billy Jay and Mrs. W. J. Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sisson in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ray and Billy attended the wedding of Mary Crowover and Roy D. Wilkins at Ballinger Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Tartt entertained with a Christmas dinner and tree Christmas Eve. Enjoying the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Wilmon Tartt, Loretta and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Robertson Green and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tartt and Danny.

Mrs. J. D. Green and children of Houston visited over the weekend and first of the week with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. McAllister left Tuesday night for Henderson, Texas where they will visit during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Rankin spent Christmas day in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Miles, in Colorado City, and went from there to spend the weekend with relatives in Big Spring and Forsan.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Little and children visited in the homes of his brothers and with other relatives in Houston last week. Mrs. Mattie Herm and James accompanied them to Austin and visited in the homes of Bud Martzloff and W. C. and Harold Herm.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lankford Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Lankford and Dalores of Ackley, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lankford, Dayce and Darlene, of Coahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lankford and Kaynell and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hart, Loraine. After dinner, gifts were exchanged from the tree.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jacobs Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jacobs and children of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Taylor and Gaylene of Loraine, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Renfro of Roscoe, and Miss Virginia Renfro and Mrs. James Hull of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Nix and sons of Andrews are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Webb and Mrs. Dink Nix.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hale and children of Kingsville spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hale and with her parents at Sand Springs.

Dinner guests of A. E. Jarratt Friday were Mr. and Mrs. John Jarratt of Anson, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Jarratt and children, Arnold, Art and Jena of Colorado City, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hare and Ann of Pyote.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Jarratt spent the holidays with her parents at Hobbs, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Yarborough and children of Tucson, Arizona visited in the home of her sister Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Peterson, the first of the week and the Petersons accompanied them to Lubbock to spend the holidays with their mother, Mrs. J. E. Sinclair.

Royce Beights of Lubbock visited his mother, Mrs. Harvey Beights, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kennamer of Andrews spent Thursday and Friday in the Roy Richard home.

Patricia Brown of Odessa spent the first of the week with Helen Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Furlow of Corpus Christi spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Furlow, Sr., and in the homes of his brothers A. G. Jr. and Rae.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. White and Tina moved back to their home in Loraine last week after living in Midland several weeks.

Mrs. Pearl Albright returned to her home in Odessa Monday after spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. S. M. Hallmark.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Land had all of their children and their families for a dinner and tree Christmas night except two daughters. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Homan and children of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Jabus Hall and children of Hermleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Doss and Dian of Colorado City and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Land and children of Loraine.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Mathis during the holidays were Miss Pauline Burk of Belen, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Burk of Roscoe and Don Mathis of Texas Tech.

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