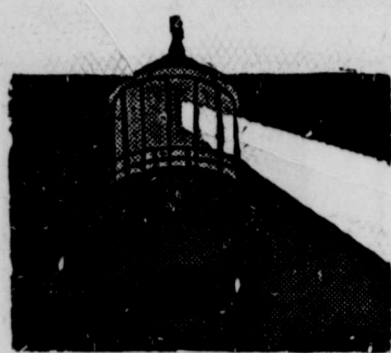




On The BEAM

J. W. KING, SR.

It seems that many people in this day and time think more of saving a few pennies than they do of helping to keep a healthy and prosperous town nearby where they can go for necessities or luxuries. Most everyone is price conscious; we don't buy merchandise for its quality like we did a few years ago; we buy it because it looks good and the price is right - we think. What became of the mutual admiration between merchant and customer. In former days when a family came to town to do the shopping they chose a store where they had confidence in the owner. They knew he would stand behind the merchandise he sold. On the other hand, when a trip to a city was necessary for some item, the shopping was done with caution because the family had no confidence in "that city slicker" behind the counter. Really this business of keeping a small town active is a two-way street. Both the customer and the merchant must cooperate. The merchant must keep his prices at a reasonable level and the quality of his merchandise high; the customer must be reasonable in his demands on the local merchant. But above all the merchant must create confidence in himself and his merchandise. This can be done in various ways but the more simple and least costly way is to ADVERTISE himself and his wares through the home town newspaper.

One of the best projects that could be taken up by the recently organized Loraine Improvement Program would be to create a committee, consisting of both merchant and customer, that would strive for better relations among the citizens of the community.

Some other committees have done some work and the result is visible in a few places. Recently the Masonic Lodge built new awnings and had the woodwork painted. Who will be next?

Prayer Services For Revival

The Membership and Evangelism Commission of the United Methodist Church, in preparation for the revival beginning July 20th, have planned daily prayer at 10 o'clock each morning, beginning this week.

The church bell will be rung each morning as a reminder of the prayer time and as you are reminded, take time out from your daily tasks if possible to join in these prayers that will be offered in the interest of the series of services to begin July 20.

All who are interested in a revival in our town are urged to join their prayers with this church group.

MRS. BATES MOVES TO MILSAP

Mrs. Twyla Bates completed the move of her household goods to Milsap last week where she will assume duties as Home-making teacher in the Milsap school system.

Mrs. Bates has headed the Homemaking Department in Loraine High School the past seven years.

LEFEVRE GUESTS

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lefevre were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bowles of Rule and Bjorn Malmberg from Asgatan, Hedemora, Sweden.

Bjorn is a Rule exchange student and is making his home with the Bowles.

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Miss Craighead Rites Saturday

Funeral services for Miss Maggie Ann Craighead, 88, were held at 2 p. m. Saturday in Kiker & Son Chapel in Colorado City, with the Rev. Wellhorn Stewart, Baptist minister, officiating.

Burial was in Lone Wolf Cemetery, north of Loraine.

Miss Craighead died early Friday morning in the Roland Nursing Home here, where she had been a resident since last December.

She was born August 26, 1880 in Bell County and came to Mitchell County in 1915. She was a member of the Baptist church in the Valley View Community.

Survivors include two brothers, John Craighead of Colorado City and Claude Craighead of Loraine; four sisters, Mrs. O. O. Murry of Denton, Mrs. W. G. Stokes of Felt, Okla., Mrs. E. B. Hale of Valley View Community and Mrs. H. P. Turnbow of Portales, N. M.

HOSPITAL

Admitted — Mrs. Dwight Clayton, Mrs. John McCartney, Mrs. Orpha Beeks, Albert Morales, Mrs. Wayne Johnson, Kent Kolen, Floyd Richey, Roy Rannefeld, Earl Chitsey, Eddie Salazar, Marvin Johnson Jr., Mary Helen De Loera, Mrs. John Hash, Dr. Bruce Johnson, Matilde Omelas, Mrs. Matio Lara, Carl Seawright, O. J. Beck, Mrs. Ben Mueller, Mrs. Peggy Cline, Dorothy Lois Lee, E. B. Compton and Mrs. Kenneth Merket.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Clayton of Roscoe, a 5 lb. 14 oz. boy, June 25.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Rosas, a 6 lb. 15 oz. girl, June 27.

Born to Mrs. Peggy Cline, Roscoe, an 8 lb. 9 oz. boy, July 7.

Dismissed — R. J. Baumann, Mrs. Jack Martin and baby, Mrs. Rosendo De La Paz and baby, Mrs. John McCartney, Marvin Collier, Jerry De Loera, Mrs. J. R. Hale, I. J. Latham, Mrs. Lorene Lawhorn, Kent Kabu, Albert Morales, Mrs. Domingo Rosas and baby, Floyd Richey, Mrs. John Hash, John W. DeLong, Roy Rannefeld, Eddie Salazar, Mary Helen De Loera, Marvin Jackson Jr., Mrs. Matio Lara, Carl J. Seawright.

BLUE RIBBON CLUB

Members of the Blue Ribbon Club and guest enjoyed a supper and party in the home of Mrs. Opal Rose, June 30th.

The party complimented Mrs. Willie Rose, Verna Mae Dovorice, Mrs. Ollie Samble on their birthdays.

The menu consisted of roast beef and gravy, greens, corn, potato salad, cream pie, cake and iced tea.

Guests were Mrs. Clara Hudie, Mrs. Ruthie Griffin, Miss C. G. Atkins, L. C. Dovorice, James Curington and Mr. Jay.

RENEE BEIGHTS VISITING IN HOUSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Beights and Tracy accompanied Renee to Abilene Wednesday and she went via jet to Houston to visit Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Beights and Donna. The Archie Scarbrough family of Abilene also were at the airport to see her off.

CEMETERY FUND

Donations to Loraine cemetery fund the past week include: Mrs. Carl Sleet of El Paso, \$5.00; Mrs. S. E. Meadows, Loraine, \$2.50; Mrs. W. S. Love of Fort Worth, \$10.00.



DUE IN MITCHELL COUNTY — Three Hardin-Simmons University graduate students, (from left) Philip Kung of Hong Kong, Leonard Osborne and Harry Bradley, both of Abilene, will be visiting some 30 Texas counties as a part of a statewide study on economy. The trio are research assistants with the H-SU Bureau of Economics and Business research, one of eight school chosen by Gov. Preston Smith to assist in the massive study.

FIVE BAND STUDENTS TO ATTEND McMURRY TWIRLING SCHOOL

Five band students from Loraine will attend the 22nd annual McMurry College Band and Twirling School in Abilene on July 13-26.

The band school, directed by Dr. Raymond T. Bynum, McMurry's veteran bandmaster, features two weeks of intensive emphasis on band and individual instruments for college and high school players. The school annually draws hundreds of students from the West Texas - New Mexico area.

Faculty for the band and twirling school includes some of the most outstanding band teachers in the state, people who excel in theory but also practical bandmen.

Among the faculty are Fred Smith, Brownfield; Tim Jones, Hamlin; Warren Thaxton, Cooper High School, Abilene; Ed George, Lincoln Junior High School, Abilene; Darryl Phillips, Memphis; Willis Giddens, Friona; Kyle Ellison, Graham; Judy Mathis, Roscoe and Bobbie Brooks, Clyde.

The drum majoring and twirling faculty will be coordinated by Jerry Tate, Jefferson Junior High School, Abilene.

The students will live in air-conditioned dormitories or off-campus if it is more convenient. Appropriate social activities and sports, under experienced guidance, are arranged for the off hours and evening.

Attending the Band School from Loraine will be Karen Givens, Susan Compton, Becky Merket, Kristi Walker and Teresa Walker.

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Claxton-Lankford Reunion, July 13th

The annual reunion of the Claxton-Lankford families will be held at the Cooperatorium in Colorado City Saturday night and Sunday, July 12-13.

A basket lunch will be served at noon.

All descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Claxton and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lankford are invited to attend.

BJORN MALMBERG, OF SWEDEN, SPEAKS TO LORAIN LIONS

A young man from Sweden, Bjorn Malmberg, spoke to the Loraine Lions Club at their regular noon luncheon Tuesday.

Bjorn, 19, with another young man, Olaf Jacobsson from that country, are guests in the homes of Lions Club members in Rule. Bjorn is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bowles, and in the Delbert Ashbrook home, and was a guest with the Bowles in the Ted Lefevre and Royce Beights home here Monday and Tuesday.

It was a pleasure to have this young man in the Mitchell County News office and hear him tell of the customs of his country.

There are 160 foreign students on the four week tour in the States, sponsored by Lions International, through the local clubs. 150 of these are from Sweden and 10 from Denmark. 140 of them are in Texas and the other 20 have toured Michigan.

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Loraine Takes First Place In PeeWee Tournament Here

Loraine PeeWees won their game over Hermleigh 4-1, in the PeeWee Tournament, hosted by the local team, Thursday night, July 3rd, to give them first place in the tournament.

Monday night, June 30, Loraine won over Roscoe 6-2 and Hermleigh won over Ira 7-1.

On Tuesday night's game, Roscoe scored 5 to Hermleigh's 10.

Hermleigh placed 2nd and Roscoe 3rd in the tournament.

LITTLE LEAGUE TOURNEY HELD AT ROSCOE

Roscoe hosted the Little League Tournament, beginning

Stewart Reunion Held Sunday

Descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stewart held their annual reunion at the V.F.W. in Sweetwater Sunday, July 6th.

A noon meal was served, visiting enjoyed and the young folk enjoyed swimming.

Attending from Loraine were Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Stewart and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lankford, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cornutt and Mark, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Narrell and Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart and sons.

Others were there from Graham, Lubbock, Monahans, Big Spring, Coahoma, Wichita Falls, Sterling City, Plainview, Snyder, Colorado City, Andrews, Cumby, Garland, Abilene and Roscoe.

Eighty-one were present.

Tune Family Enjoys Trip to Arkansas

Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Tune, Buddy and Betty, have returned after a trip to Arkansas last week.

While in Arkansas they visited with a former pastor of the Loraine Methodist Church, the Rev. Frank Story and his wife in Bella Vista.

In Eureka Springs, called the Little Switzerland, they saw the statue of Christ near the setting of the Great Passion Play, which is recognized as the greatest production of its kind in Christian history. Buildings and scenic effects for this presentation with a cast of 250 performers, including Golgotha, the Mount of Olives, the Garden of Gethsemane, etc.

The first presentation for 1969 was May 30, and continued every night of the week except Monday and Thursday through mid-October.

Attend Stamford Rodeo Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riden, and Claud Neely and grandson Jay, attended the Stamford Rodeo and Parade last Thursday.

They visited in the home of Mrs. Riden's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Akers, and with her niece and husband, Capt. and Mrs. James Hairston, who have just returned after three years in Tokyo, Japan.

After his 30-day leave, Capt. Hairston will be stationed at Dyess AFB, Abilene.

CITY GETS SALES TAX

The City of Loraine received the amount of \$979.59 in Sales Tax for the months of January, February and March, as reported this week by city officials.

July 4th, with Hermleigh 12 and Loraine 2 in the 1st game played, Ira scored 3 to Roscoe's 2 in the second game.

Saturday night, July 5th, Roscoe scored 10 to Loraine's 9. Hermleigh played Ira and won by a score of 6-2.

PONY LEAGUE TOURNAMENT BEGINS AT IRA

Ira will host the Pony League Tournament, beginning Thursday night, July 10th.

The first game will be played between Loraine and Roscoe, starting at 6:30. Ira and Hermleigh will play the second game.

The games will be played Thursday and Friday nights.

TEENAGE TOURNAMENT AT HERMLEIGH MONDAY

The Teenage Tournament will start Monday in Hermleigh, with Loraine and Ira meeting in the first game, and the second between Roscoe and Hermleigh.

Attend Rites For Mrs. Land

Relatives from out of town here to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. J. Land included: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Darby of Houston; Mrs. Billie Keathley, Mrs. Odessa Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Hill, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Don Stanley, Sweetwater; Mrs. Kim Hall, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Martin, Roscoe; Mrs. Ola Hall, Jim Hall and Debbie, Perryton; Raymond Hall, Eldorado; Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Murrell, Sterling City; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Willingham, Ballinger; Mrs. Floyd Shelton, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Homan, Garland Land, Miss Catherine Homan, Big Spring; Judge and Mrs. Elmer Martin, Mrs. Henry Doss, Colorado City; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall and family, Snyder.

Friends were here from Sweetwater, Snyder, Abilene, Maryneal, Roscoe, Colorado City and Houma, La.

Attend Mayhew Reunion Friday

The annual reunion of the Mayhew family was held in McKenzie Park in Lubbock Friday.

There were 53 members of the family present. Ava Tune of Grand Prairie joined them there and returned with them and spent the weekend.

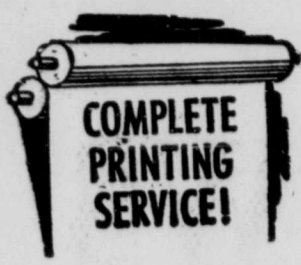
Also present for the reunion was Mrs. Merriel Abbott, and three of the Abbott children from Amarillo. Rev. Abbott, a former pastor here, is pastor of the Wesley Methodist Church in Amarillo. He remained with Ken, who was recovering from an attack of mononucleosis.

Visitors last week of Mrs. Pearl Johnson were two sisters, Mrs. Darel Smothers and Mr. Smothers from Camden, and Mrs. Lottie Court of Dublin.

Mrs. Johnson joined them Thursday for a trip to Clovis, N. M., where they visited a sister, Mrs. Ann Pyburn, and to Lovington, N. M., to visit a friend.

They visited a brother in Andrews, and the Smothers and the Y. Z. Hancocks and children made a trip to Carlsbad Caverns.

They returned here Sunday and spent the night with Mrs. Johnson, returning to Dublin Monday.



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UNDERGOES SURGERY IN ABILENE

Lester Jarratt was admitted Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Sunday, and after tests the first of the week, he underwent surgery Wednesday.

His daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Russell and little daughter, of Fort Davis, are there with him this week. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crownover visited him Tuesday.



AUSTIN — Now it's official. The special 30-day legislative session to draft a biennial budget and a \$300 million tax bill will start July 28.

Gov. Preston Smith has issued the call and put lawmakers on notice to report back to work on the final Monday in this month.

As expected, Smith worded session-summoning proclamation so as to try to prevent the legislators from giving him another one-year appropriations bill like he vetoed on June 21.

However, the Governor told newsmen that if Texans approve a Constitutional Amendment on August 5 calling for annual legislative sessions he might relax his directive to permit a single-year spending pattern. Actually, Smith sees no chance of the amendment being approved. What he expects is for voters to strengthen his demand for biennial budgeting by firmly rejecting annual sessions - as they have done before.

Governor Smith will permit lawmakers to consider other subjects in the 30-day session only after they have completed their mandatory duties of financing the government for a two-year fiscal period extending until August 31, 1971.

Apparently Smith will hold no pre-season conferences on taxation with House Speaker Gus Mutscher and Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes since Barnes is now in Tokyo, Japan.

However, Mutscher plans to hold a series of appropriations committee meetings on the budget before July 28 and also endeavor to arrive at a negotiated understanding with the Senate on the perimeters of spending.

"The real key to the success of the session," commented Mutscher, "is how much work we put in before it actually opens." He has already conferred with his tax and appropriations committee chairmen and most of the individual House members.

The speaker wants the House Committee to complete both appropriations and tax bill hearings during the first week of the session and send the measures to the Senate by the end of the second week.

Smith indicates that he will spell out his tax program on the opening day of the session. He had been swapping revenue ideas with staff members but still isn't offering any hints as to his final decision on the type of tax or taxes he will propose.

COURTS SPEAK — An historic federal court decision prohibiting a cut in welfare payments to mothers with dependent children also prevents the State Welfare Department from receiving federal funds unless a new plan for aid to families with dependent children is worked out.

So, the Welfare Department is boxed in.

A Constitutional restriction limits welfare payments to \$60 million a year. At the same time, court rulings continue to make more families eligible for AFDC. This problem will be relieved only if voters approve a Constitutional amendment on August 5 to increase the welfare fund to \$80 million. If this amendment fails, an emergency condition will exist which may bring federal action to invalidate the constitutional restriction altogether.

Liquor Control Board has no authority to prevent managers of private locker clubs from buying liquor for club members. So held the Third Court of Civil Appeals in affirming a trial court decision.

Even a "basically illegal" and "fundamentally erroneous" school district assessment procedure does not restrict a district from collecting taxes, says the same court in a Bertram school case. Twenty-eight taxpayers, alleging that assessments ignored market values, sought an injunction to prevent collections on 1968 tax rolls.

Texas Supreme Court refused to reverse two lower courts' decisions and ruled against 80 Sanger ISD taxpayers in their suit to keep the district from raising taxes by more than doubling assessed valuation of property.

Port of Beaumont Navigation District lost a \$6,300 damages judgment awarded by a local jury when the Texas Supreme Court upheld a court of Civil Appeals reversal. Suit was against the AT&SF Railroad for an accident in the port's facilities. High court held that AT&SF employees were working for the navigation district when the accident happened.

APPOINTMENTS — Governor Smith named Rep. R. G. (Randy) Pendleton of Andrews to head the governor's Washington office on state-federal relations. Then he called a special election for July 22 in the 73rd district (Andrews, Dawson, Gaines, Lynn, Martin and Yockum counties) to pick Pendleton's House successor.

Nine members of Texas Tech University board of regents were appointed by Governor Smith. They are: Marshall Formby of Plainview, Roy Furr Sr. and Retha R. Martin of Lubbock, Waggoner Carr of Austin, Charles D. Mathews of Dallas, Judson F. Williams of El Paso, R. Trent Campbell of Houston, Frank Junnell of San Angelo and James J. Ling of Dallas.

Smith also named nine to the State Manpower Advisory Committee and designated Thomas M. Maes II of Beaumont chairman. Other members include

James D. Abrams of El Paso, Gerald R. Brown of Austin, Fred Dillard Coy of San Antonio, Jose L. Gonzales of Laredo, Marion A. Graham of Houston, Harold D. Levy of Fort Worth, Odus Rhodes of Nacogdoches and Mrs. Mae Simmons of Lubbock.

Dr. Billy M. Jones of San Angelo will become president of Southwest Texas State University at San Marcos on September 1. Dr. Frank Harrison, who has been acting president of the University of Texas at Arlington was made president effective July 1.

Former House Speaker Jim Lindsey of Texarkana has been named chairman of the Real Estate Developers group, a subdivision of the Governor's Committee of 500.

REPUBLICANS REORGANIZE — First complete change in the state Republican guard in seven years has just been approved by the GOP executive committee.

William M. (Bill) Steger, Tyler attorney, was elected state party chairman in a close race with Millard K. Neptune of Austin. Mrs. Malcolm Milburn of Austin was designated vice chairman. She won over Mrs. John Andujar of Fort Worth. Peter O'Donnell Jr. of Dallas, who has served as chairman since 1962, moved into a national GOP committee post in Washington thus creating the opening in Texas. Steger pledged his efforts to improve communications with all elements of party.

DRUG CLAIM PROCEDURE VOID — Texans with claims against five major drug companies involved in a state antitrust suit were advised by Attorney Gen. Martin to file their claim by August 16.

Under Federal court order, consumers must file a verified statement certified by a local pharmacist showing their total expenditure for 1964-1966 for Aureomycin, Terramycin and tetracycline products, the name of the product and where purchased.

Martin urged all citizens who bought the antibiotic drug during this period to submit their claims for refunds of overcharge. Refunds probably will be delayed at least six months.

ON THE ROADS — The Highway Commission has been busy with two days of hearings. Requests were heard for big roads, little roads and farm to market roads from lots of folks, including the delegations from Franklin, Titus, Reeves, Anderson and Borden counties.

East Texans came to suggest routes for connection from Houston to the Indian Nation Turnpike, with Kilgore, Palestine and Tyler-Jacksonville routes proposed.

Gregg County presented a

TAX MAN SAM SEZ: If you are getting a divorce during the year you may be creating a tax problem to add to all of the other problems that go with marital troubles.

Since Texas is a community property state, Internal Revenue is required to consider the income earned by each spouse up to the date of divorce as community income. This should be split with the withholding credits also being split between the spouses at the time of divorce. Internal Revenue and probably your attorney will advise you to agree on who will support the children and who will claim the income tax exemption for the children.

Internal Revenue reports that thousands of Texans prolong old marital problems through their failure to settle this issue. The Internal Revenue auditor has to settle the disagreement and he doesn't find it pleasant, but only one parent can claim the dependency. Congress has simplified the rules, but it is up to the individuals involved to reach an agreement.

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12-point highway-need package and Jefferson County asked for the State to take back a bridge linking Port Arthur and Pleasure Island and Louisiana -- a bridge the State built and gave to Jefferson County.

Calhoun County wants a road from Indianola to Port O'Connor with a bridge over Powderhorn Lake.

Chairman DeWitt Greer says the department won't know how many roads it can build until it gets some money -- which is up to the legislators.

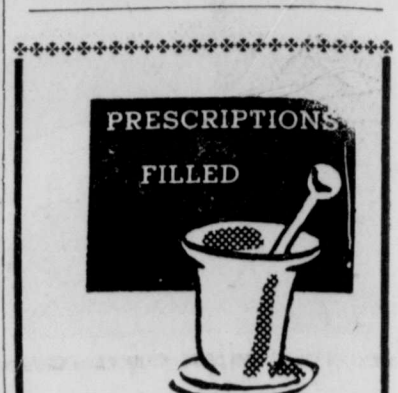
SHORT SNORTS
State Commissioner of Health Dr. James E. Peavy has been named as an adviser on the United States delegation to the 22nd World Health Assembly in Boston, July 8-26.

Planning assistance grants of \$27,000 were awarded by the State to Nortex Regional Planning Commission, Ark-Texas Council of Governments, Brazos-Valley Development Council, Deep East Texas Development Council and Smith County-Tyler Area COG.

Secretary of State Martin Dies Jr. told a six-state crim-

al justice council meeting cooperation between all law enforcement groups is the key to combatting crime.

State Board of Dental Examiners will meet in San Angelo on September 19.



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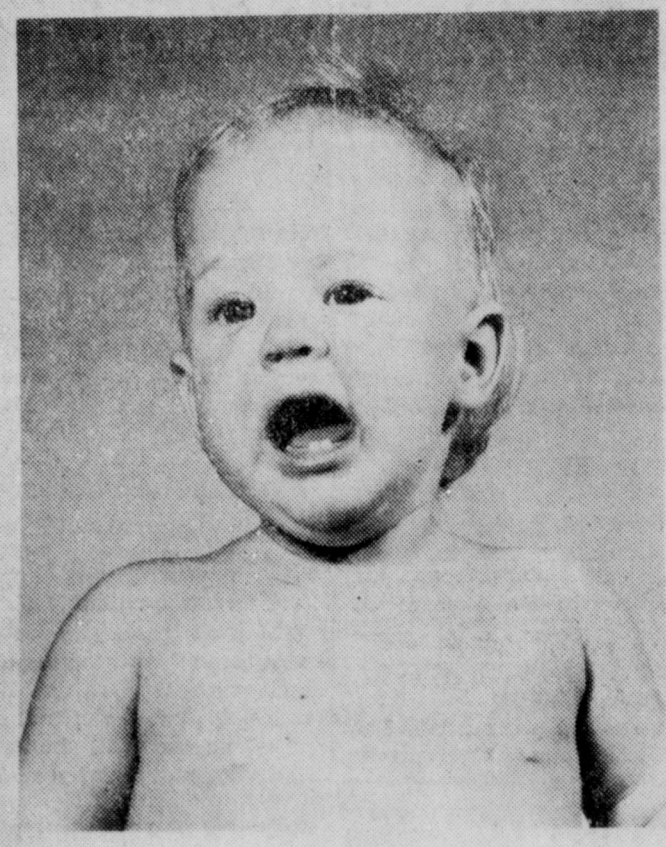
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CARD OF THANKS

Thank you, kind neighbors and friends, and Dr. Terry and the hospital staff for your care and concern for our mother through the years of her illness. And for the food, flowers and every kindness shown us, we express our sincere thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stanley
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hall

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Mrs. Hamilton Hosts Gleaner Class

Mrs. J. D. McDonald led the song, "What A Friend" to open the meeting of the Gleaners SS Class in the home of Mrs. C. C. Hamilton Tuesday morning. Sentence prayers were said for the revival.

Mrs. Hamilton presided over the business meeting when reports were given and dues paid, and other projects in the interest of the class discussed.

Mrs. Marshall Bruce, study leader, led the Bible lesson from Matt. 12.

Mrs. J. E. Price led the closing prayer, and the hostess served coffee, punch, cake and sandwiches to Mmes. S. E. Meadows, J. D. McDonald, Floyd Richey, C. M. Duke, Cecil Tume, Marshall Bruce, J. E. Price, Jim Johnson and J. B. Mahon.

Mrs. Carl Sleet of El Paso is here visiting her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hallmark. Others visiting last Wednesday were a nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Harris of El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Eaves and children of Brownsville and Mrs. W. W. Eaves of Plainview visited Mrs. H. L. Leach Wednesday and she accompanied them to Crane for a short visit in the Fred Davidson and Al Walker homes before going to Plainview where Mrs. Leach will visit her sister this week.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Mahon during the weekend were their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Couk of Kerrville, and a son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Mahon of Abilene.

Mrs. Fred Helt returned to her home in San Antonio last Tuesday after spending a week with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett. Mrs. K. L. Taylor and Mrs. Roy Baird returned with her and visited in her home and Mrs. Taylor visited, a niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Blackwell. Mrs. Baird joined her sister, Mrs. Palace Barnes of Dallas and they visited their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Meek in New Braunfels. Mr. Meek brought them home Sunday and visited through Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Daniel and Judy Tarrt spent July 4th in Loraine. The Daniels are living Lubbock where he is employed at Sears, and she is a teller at Citizens National Bank. Judy is attending H-SU the first semester this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hallmark of Houston spent the weekend at their home here and visiting relatives.

Mrs. W. N. Porter and Margie returned to their home in Denison Friday after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Jim Johnson. While here, Mrs. Johnson joined them and visited in the Jack Cook home in Garden City.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Mahon and children of San Angelo, Gordon Mahon and Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Mahon and family, of Lubbock, visited in the J. B. Mahon home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Beights and Tracy were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Scarbrough in Abilene Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Templeton and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Martin of Big Spring were guests of the Jimmy Smiths of Roscoe for a hamburger supper and freezer ice cream on the 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allbright, Gordon and Jeanie of Odessa, spent Saturday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Walker and Mrs. Pearl Allbright.

Jackie Hickman spent the weekend in McKinney with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Johnson.

Tom Clark of Lubbock spent Tuesday and Wednesday with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Richey, while Mr. Richey was a patient in Johnson Hospital.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Carpenter were Mr. and Mrs. Myrl Carpenter, Gary and Judy of Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Woods and daughters of Enid, Okla.

Mrs. Bennett Blair spent the weekend in Fort Worth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harris, and reports her mother's condition to be no worse. She had been seriously ill with a heart ailment.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Denson were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Denson of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Denson and sons of Junction, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Early of Roscoe visited on Sunday.

Captain and Mrs. Charles Schwertner of Abilene and little son, Jim Johnson, great-grandson of Mrs. Jim Johnson, were guests in her home Sunday afternoon.

Rusty Kegans of Richardson and a friend, Monte Zychek, exchange student from Sweden, spent the holiday weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Richardson and Dual Blair visited in Blanket Sunday with Mrs. O. P. Blair, in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Hughes.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Taylor and in the A. J. Barron home this week are Vanda and Eleanor Taylor of Kermit.

Shermie Anne Croom is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Croom of Sulphur, La. She is the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edgar (Loeta Martin) of Houston the first great-grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin J. Martin of Abilene, formerly of Loraine. During the month of June, Shermie visited Clara Butler, Elizabeth Elliott, Beatrice and Marshall Brues, Kenneth and Juanice Butler, Sue and Tama Kay, T. C. Wilson and Marie, Emma Land, Ollie Mae Martin, Elbert and Velta Martin, Dewey and Leona Wilson, Rossie Richburg, Carl and Evelyn Stanley, Bob and Dot Edgar.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Martin visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Opheim in Lubbock last Monday as they were enroute to Oklahoma City to visit a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Martin. Lanny Opheim went with them to Oklahoma and Randy Martin returned to Lubbock with him for a visit. The Martins returned home Sunday.

How Much Will The Bonds Cost Me?

Each individual citizen will determine the amount the bonds will cost him by the amount of water he uses as the bonds will be paid entirely from revenue received from the sale of water. The cost to the average water user will be very little. The Council has not determined yet the exact amount the water rate will be raised, but the City Auditor has suggested that 25 cents added to each water bill will be sufficient. The Council will set the amount soon.

Water Is A Necessity!

Water is one of the most necessary items in our daily lives. Our city is more fortunate than some in that we have good water and for the present at least an ample supply IF we build the storage needed. We can be thankful that we do not have to build a pipeline to a lake several miles away for our water. That would cost us a lot of money and our water would really be high. Loraine citizens are fortunate that we have good underground water and we can get it to the customers at the very low cost it is sold. Loraine has now, and will have after the bonds are voted, one of the lowest water rates of just about any town or city. The low cost of the water and the saving that will be possible on fire insurance, it seems to the Council, should be an inducement for a big vote in favor of the bonds.

Ample Water Is Essential To Growth!

Loraine cannot possibly grow unless an ample supply of water is available to all who want and need it. The City Council wants Loraine to grow but the main reason for the water improvement program is the necessity for it. People who live here now need the water.

City Of Loraine, Texas



TALL CORN BACON
lb. 69c

ARM ROAST, lb. 79c

CLUB STEAK, lb. 89c
BEEF RIBS, lb. 49c

CHUCK ROAST, lb. 69c

LIPTON'S 100% PURE INSTANT TEA, 3 oz. jar .. \$1.09
JELLO, pkg. 10c

HUNT'S - 14 OZ. BOTTLE TOMATO CATSUP, 4 for \$1.00
DEL MONTE DRINK - 46 OZ. CAN Pineapple-Grapefruit, 29c

Del Monte TUNA 2 for 69c

DEL MONTE PEAS 4 - 303 cans 89c

GANDY'S ICE CREAM, 1/2 gal. 69c

CANTALOUPE, lb. 10c

DEL MONTE Tomato Wedges, 303 can .. 29c

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1-3 off on All Ladies & Children's Summer Dresses, Shorts & Blouses

1-3 off on All Men's Straw Hats

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