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Louis Allred Delivers First Wheat of 1958 Season Tuesday

Louis Allred, of Wellington, delivered the first 1958 wheat here Tuesday, June 3, from a field that cut a 40 bushel per acre yield.

This was grown on Allred's farm southeast of town, on FM road 338, at Atteberry hill.

The first appreciable crop of barley grown here in recent years, started coming in Thursday, May 29, and yields up to 70 bushels have been reported.

Allred's wheat was delivered to Singley Mill and Elevator, and Jones Singley said he delivered 411 bushels from 10.4 measured acres. It tested 61 and the moisture content was 15 per cent.

Allred delivered a second load of wheat to Singley's Tuesday that tested 64 and had a moisture content down to 12½. This was not yielding as high as the smaller tract, but the owner estimated a 25 bushel average on his entire crop.

Allred's wheat is going in the loan at $1.63 per bushel and Singley's are paying him a 25c per bushel premium.

It is considered, however, that the real beginning of wheat harvest for the county is still three to four days away.

Earl Keller of Warrick Feed Store said their first barley was delivered by Bill Harbin of Loco.

Much of the barley crop is yielding from 30 to 50 bushels per acre, and a number of reports of 65 and 70 bushels have come in.

The entire barley crop is going in the government loan at 82c per bushel, as compared to 70c cents for the market price.

Mrs. C. B. Morrow Dies Monday of Short Illness

Mrs. C. B. Morrow, a resident of the Samnorwood community 21 years, died in St. Joseph's Hospital at 12:15 p. m. Monday, June 2. She had suffered a stroke at her home two and a half miles south of Samnorwood Friday morning.

Mrs. Morrow had not been ill, and in recent weeks she had been going each day to help care for a neighbor who is ill.

Funeral services were held at First Baptist Church, Wellington, Tuesday, at 3 p. m., with the Rev. Robert Webb of Oklahoma City, her former pastor, and the Rev. Wilson Hill of Faith Baptist Church, officiating.

Pall bearers were John Simpson, Selba Rainey, Burl Gulley, E. B. Seale, Leon Hartman, and Keith Smith. Burial was in the West Wellington Cemetery under the direction of Kelso Funeral Home.

Mrs. Morrow was the former

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Civic Club for Farmers-Ranchers

Norwood Lions Plan Community Projects

A civic club that operates for and by farmers and ranchers is the Samnorwood Lions Club, organized in March and now launched in to a series of community-wide projects.

Buck Breeding is Lions president; Donald Coleman and Orville Cunningham are vice presidents; Dub Marchant, secretary; James Throckmorton, treasurer; Doug Coleman, tail twister, and A. F. Wischkaemper Jr., lion tamer. Karon Breeding is the club queen.

Directors are the 7 officers and Wood Coleman, J. C. Breeding, L. A. Richards, and B. A. Purkey.

The club had 25 charter members and the goal is 40, coming from an area covering nearly a third of the county. It was sponsored by the Shamrock and McLean Lions Clubs, and at the Charter night banquet in early May, had Boyd Meador of McLean, International Counselor for the Lions Clubs was toastmaster and Bill Smith of Ralls, district governor was speaker.

The Samnorwood Lions meet on the second and fourth Thursday nights of each month, with dinner on the second Thursday and business and refreshments on the fourth. Ladies night comes four times a year. The school cafeteria is their meeting place.

The first project the club has adopted is identification of unmarked graves in the three cemeteries north of Salt Fork River, Needwood, Plymouth, and Dozier.

Next will be the installation of picnic facilities at Samnorwood.

Car Damaged in Friday Collision

Drivers of two cars envolved in a Memorial Day collision at the corner of Bowie and 12th Streets, escaped injury, Police Chief Jack Brisbin reported, after investigating the accident.

Joan Ogletree, 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ogletree, was driving a 1951 Studebaker west on 12th Street, while Bynum Hightower of Dodson was driving a 1957 Plymouth south on Bowie. The collision occurred in the intersection, Brisbin said.

He reported considerable damage to the Hightower car.

Mrs. Flo Sterling Dies May 30 in St. Joseph's

Mrs. Flo M. Sterling, 1502 B. Lipscomb, Amarillo, died in St. Joseph's Hospital at 2 a. m. Friday, May 30, after an illness of about four months. She was the aunt of Mrs. J. W. Wells.

She had been a frequent visitor here during the last 20 years, and had many friends in Wellington.

Mrs. Sterling worked with the Railroad Retirement Board in Amarillo for a number of years, retiring in August 1955. Since then she had developed flowers as her hobby.

She had lived in Amarillo 24 years, moving there from Dalhart. Mrs. Sterling had traveled widely and worked in many parts of the United States, both in the east and on the West Coast.

The former Flo M. Robinson, she was born December 14, 1890,

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Jack Sanford Joins Firm of Wells and Wells

Announcement was made this week by Morris Wells of Wells & Wells Insurance that Jack Sanford of Victoria has bought an interest in that business and is now a member of the firm.

Sanford, 37, was with the General Adjustment Bureau in Childress 7 years, and for the last four years there was manager of that office. During this period he was in Wellington frequently and worked in close contact with the firm which he has joined.

Because of his outstanding work as manager of the Childress office, and the service he rendered Wellington after the 1955 cyclone, he was promoted to branch manager of General Adjustment Bureau at Victoria, where he has lived three years.

"We are happy to have Jack Sanford as a member of our firm. He is already familiar with Wells and Wells, he knows many of our customers already, and he is thoroughly familiar with conditions in the area we serve," Mr. Wells said in making the announcement.

Sanford is a native of Childress and grew up at Wichita Falls. He was graduated from high school there and attended Hardin College, now Midwestern University.

He enlisted in the U. S. Air Force in 1942 and served until

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Youth Escapes Copperhead Bite

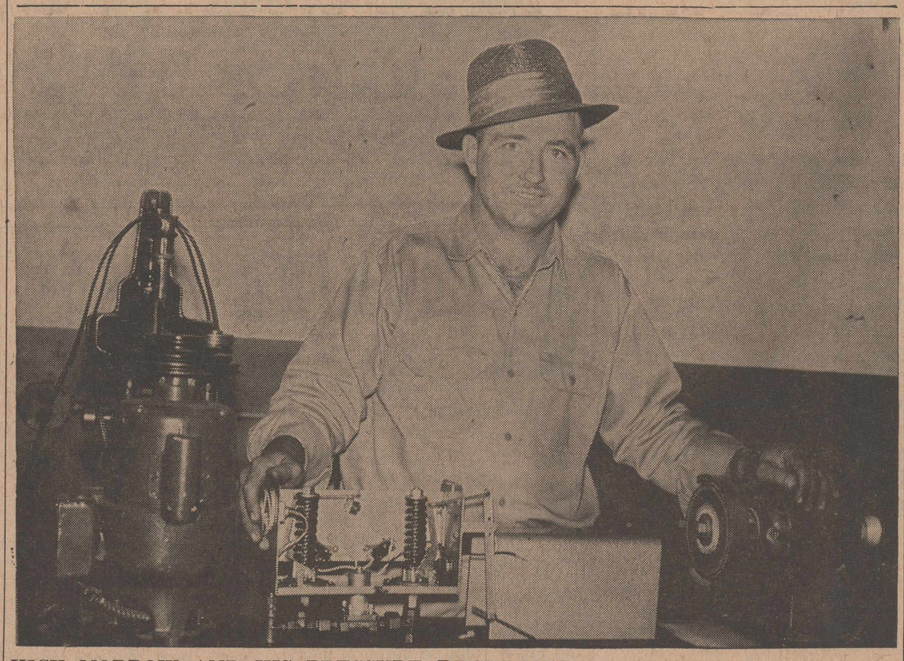
Pat Templeton, son of Judge and Mrs. R. L. Templeton, narrowly escaped being bitten by a copperhead snake Saturday, May 31, at Lugert.

Pat walked into some weeds to clean a fish at a spot where he had cleaned other fish. The old fish heads had attracted a copperhead about two feet long, but he failed to see it until he stepped on it and struck. The fangs of the snake went through his tennis shoes and into the sock, but did not penetrate the skin.

He was unable to get his foot away from the snake, since the fangs were stuck in the sock, so he stomped the snake to death with his other foot.

The group continued fishing.

Judge Dent Urges Development of Water Resources of Collingsworth



HICK MORROW AND HIS PRESSURE REGULATOR

Hick Morrow demonstrates one of his pressure regulators that are now coming off the assembly line in the Wellington plant of Morrow Industries, Inc. His right hand is on the regulator, from which the case has been removed to show the working parts. It is also shown in the position in which it will work on an irrigation pump. Companies who distribute equipment on a world-wide basis have shown much interest in the regulator.

—Allen Graves Photo.

Judge Otho Dent, member of the State Board of Water Engineers, Saturday, May 31, advised a group of water-minded local men to develop the entire water-resources of Collingsworth county, and he named over Buck Creek, Elm Creek and Richardson Creek as possibilities for development, as well as Salt Fork.

"You will need all the water developed in the Greenbelt and all the other projects in West Texas in the foreseeable future," he declared.

Judge Dent, a high plains man who knows the value of water conservation, was here for a meeting called by the Collingsworth county Water Authority, which is working toward a second dam on Salt Fork.

He injected the possibility of county-wide development of water resources early in the meeting.

"Look at all the possibilities," he said, ". . . develop all the waters that are feisible. The engineers will tell you where you should build your dams."

"Salt Fork may be best. Something else may be best. That is an engineering thing," he continued.

Judge Dent noted that interest in water conservation is keener than it has ever been and that it is not dropping since the drouth has ended. He outlined the steps to take in a water conservation program.

1. First, petition the commissioners court to call an election for the creation of a county wide Water Control and Development District.

"A water district can contract with the federal government, the state or anybody else," Judge Dent told the men. It was the concensus that such an election could be held this summer, possibly in connection with one of the primaries.

2. After your water district is organized, hire an engineer and go into the work of selection of dam sites and other survey work.

The group, headed by Charles Allen, president of the Collingsworth County Water Authority, pointed out to Judge Dent that there is no conflict between the Greenbelt Dam on Salt Fork and the second dam which his group seeks. Greenbelt will back up water for human consumption, other developments for other uses.

Judge Dent showed a remarkable knowledge of creeks in Collingsworth and called them by name.

He told the group that the deeper the reservoir the better the project would be.

"You have about 90" evaporation from a body of water per year and with 20 inches of rain per year, that still leaves a 70" net evaporation," he pointed out.

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In Wellington Plant

Morrow Industries Begins, Inc. Production of Regulators

Assembly line production of the Morrow Pressure Regulators has started in the Wellington plant, with approximately 200 units delivered or ready for delivery, Hick Morrow, general manager, said this week.

Paul Hanrahan, with Chrysler, Corporation in its design and development of automatic equipment at Cleveland for the last year, has joined the production staff for Morrow Industries.

Morrow's regulator, a small instrument to keep water pressure constant, is the center of mounting interest wherever irrigation farming is practiced.

Demonstrations are planned in the immediate future at Denver, Dallas, and Elk City, Okla., and representatives of companies handling irrigation and industrial equipment will be there from such states as California, Nebraska, New York, Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas. Wet weather has delayed these.

A field day will be held in Wellington in the near future, too, Morrow said.

The Wellington plant is now turning out about 35 units per day, and production can be uped to 150 if the need arises.

Every unit produced so far is tested individually, with the Keith Smith irrigation well in the Houselog community as the proving ground.

Now that his pressure regulator is in production, how does Morrow feel about it?

"It's more sensitive than we ever hoped it would be", he declared this week. "The more we abuse it, the better it works."

"In closing off laterals, the regulator works within seconds and keeps pressure within the pound. We had thought if we closed it down real fast, that might throw it out of kilter, but what we found was that the faster we closed it down, the better it operates. It's real sensitive."

Morrow received reports Monday of two units operating at Honey Grove, and both are working perfectly. There was praise and encouragement from the operators.

"These were big systems and the regulators got the extreme test," he declared.

Hanrhan, whose wife is Morrow's cousin, brings to Morrow Industries wide experience in industrial design and poduction. Prior to his going to Chrysler Corp., he was maintenance foreman for Gladding-McBean Corp., ceramic tile manufacturers in Los Angeles; plant superintendent of W. G. Johnson & Son, tile manufacturers; and did research and design of automative equipment for Angelinos, also in Los Angeles.

Reared on the west coast, he attended El Camino College, El Camino, Calif., where he studied manufacturing methods and traffic management.

His wife is the former Jean Lindsey of Eastland, and they have two daughters, Colleen, four, and Marlene, three.

Musical Program

Summer Flower Show Planned for Saturday

Flowers of early summer will be featured in the flower show scheduled Saturday, June 7, by the Wellington Garden Club. It will be held in the newly air conditioned community building between the hours of 8 a. m. and 6 p. m.

Although many flowers have been damaged by heat during the the last week, there will still be a full show, Mrs. Chester Fires predicted this week, with most of the varieties blooming in early summer included.

All entries must be in place between 8 and 10:30 a. m., and those brought in later will be exhibited but will not be eligible for prizes.

All persons interested are eligible to enter flowers, and those planning entries may refer to the schedule published recently in The Wellington Leader.

There will be special divisions for men and children, and merchants will have dispays of gardening equipment.

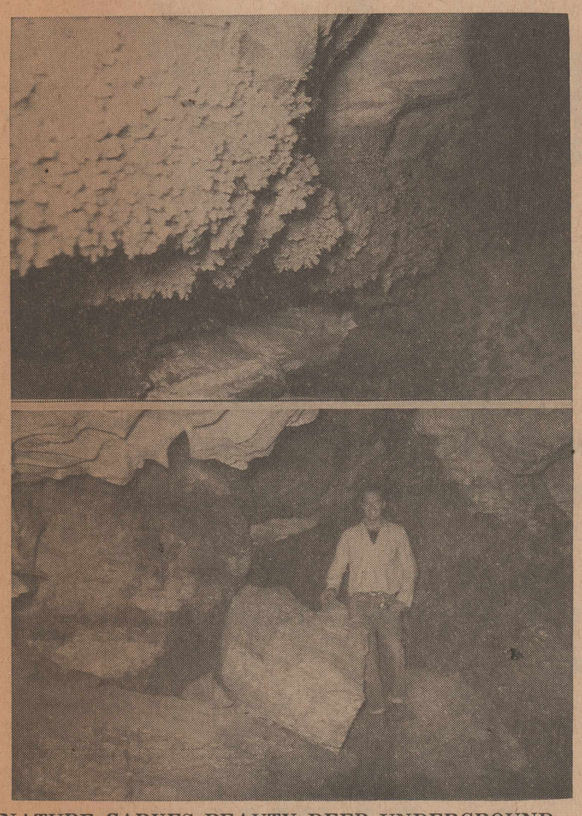
A musical program is planned to be given at intervals during the day. Musicians featured will be Miss Nancy Elliott, music student in Southern Methodist University; Mrs. John Harper, Mrs. Frank Weir, Miss Vada Bell, Kern Pigg, music student in North Texas State College, and Mrs. Mack Bush.

Installation of air conditioning is being completed this week and the flower show will be the first event since this is added.

The public is urged to attend.

Unsafe at Present, Their Location Is Not Revealed

Collingsworth Gyp Caves Offer Beauty And Adventure to the Discoverers



NATURE CARVES BEAUTY DEEP UNDERGROUND

The largest gypsum cave known to exist in Collingsworth county was photographed for the first time recently by the discoverer, James Bruton. Above are two scenes. Gypsum formations are pictured above, and in the bottom picture, Bruton stands beside a rock deep inside the cave. In his own words, he has told the story of the discovery of these caverns.

(Editor's Note: James Bruton of south of Shamrock, tells in the following article about discovering and exploring a spacious cave in the northeastern part of Collingsworth county. Bruton, an employee of General Telephone Company and now living in Claude, does not disclose the location of the caverns for safety reasons.)

By JAMES BRUTON

For the past few years, I have found and explored several small caves in the northeastern part of Collingsworth county.

These small caves, for the most part, go an average of some 50 feet below the surface. However, there are some that penetrate far into the ground.

Carved by the slow process of running waters. and over a great length of time, these passages into the earth are things of rare beauty. Most of the caves are worn through thick layers of snow-white gypsum.

In two of these caves, there are several large clusters of bats. Each cluster is composed of approximately 300 bats. I have found bats far below the surface, clinging in closely packed bunches high on the ceilings of the caves. To have gotten there, they

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June 8 through 22

National Guard Unit To Ft. Hood Camp

The full enlistment of the Medical Company of the 142nd Infantry Regiment, Texas National Guard, will attend the summer camp at Fort Hood, with the first man leaving Wednesday and the others following on Thursday and Saturday.

The unit will be at Fort Hood two weeks, returning June 23, according to Lt. Jim Cochran, information officer.

The unit, commanded by Lt. Col. D. V. Watkins, will give medical support to the 142nd Infantry Regiment, and it will also be required to take basic combat instruction.

"All men in the Medical Company will be combat qualified when we return," Cochran said.

"They will work with live grenades and in the field course, they will advance under live ammunition."

The medical unit provides all medical care for minor injuries, snake bites, poison ivy and oak infection, and illnesses,

First man to go will be Sp/2 Don Wheeler, who leaves Wednesday to attend the cook's school. An advanced Detachment of 12, headed by M-Sgt. Raymond McGill, will leave Thusday and the remainder is to go Saturday.

Going are Lt. Col. Dale V. Watkins, Major Paul E. Smith, 1st Lt. James W. Cochran, 2nd Lt. David C. Andrews Jr., 2nd Lt. Billy E. Leonard, M-Sgt. Raymond V. McGill, M-Sgt. Jesse H. Wilson, M-Sgt. James C. Yeary Jr., Sfc. Carlos J. Austin, Sfc. Joe

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In Appointments Friday

Wellington Methodist Pastors Return Here

The Rev. Frank Weir was returned to First Methodist Church and the Rev. C. D. Damron to Trinity Methodist by the Northwest Texas Conference which closed Friday, May 30.

The Rev. J. F. Michael who had planned to retire from the ministry and live in Wellington, was named pastor of the churches at Kelley and Dodson. He and Mrs. Michael will live in the home provided for a retired minister by the Methodist Men of First Methodist Church. He has been pastor of First Methodist Church, Munday, for two years, after a pastorate of 5 years here.

The Rev. Fred Brown, pastor of Dodson-Kelley churches two years, was transferred to Sylvester in the Abilene district. He has attended Clarendon Junior College, and he will enter McMurry College, Abilene, to work toward his degree.

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Organize Sunday at Airpark Diamond

5 Teams Due in Kid Baseball This Season

Kid baseball in Wellington starts Sunday, June 8, with at least 5 teams planned for boys 8 through 14 years of age, county judge R. L. Templeton announced this week.

The organiation will be at Marian Airpark Diamond at 1:30 p. m.

"We have uniforms for 55 boys, but we need three managers to work with these youngsters," Templeton said. Fred Squyres and Woody Wood are helping Templeton.

"There's lots of interest among the kids, and about 25 came out last Sunday on short notice to start the season," the judge said.

Present plans are to have two pee wee teams for boys 8 through 10 years of age; two Little League teams for boys 11 and 12; and one Pony League team for boys 13 and 14.

If a local organiation can be set up, games with out of town teams will be scheduled.

The older boys will be at Marian Airpark, the smaller groups at the diamond at 14th and Graham streets.

In making his appeal for adult helpers, Templeton said that many have women managers, and if any woman wants to take on a team, he'll turn one over to her.

Dodson Church to Have Program Fri.

The Vacation Bible School of the Dodson Church of the Nazarene will have a program and display at 8 p. m. Friday, June 6.

They will also have a picnic at the noon hour after the last morning session Friday.

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We Need a Reduction of Oil Imports Now

Imports of oil from foreign countries is causing Texas a loss of $1,500,000 a day counting production, taxes, salaries to people in the oil industry, etc. How does this affect you if you have no income from oil whatsoever? It means that somewhere or other we are going to have to raise between $75,000,000 and $100,000,000 from some new tax source. That is **millions** of dollars, mind you, not thousands. And that ugly two-headed tax monster that most Texans hate is raising its head again — the sales tax and the state income tax.

Most of us in the agricultural communities simply do not realize what an important part of the industry plays in our tax structure. We know about the gasoline tax, three-fourths of which goes to keep up highways and one-fourth to the school systems of the state. We have failed to evaluate the tax on raw crude and its effect in keeping taxes down on homes, farms, ranches, business firms. Senator Lyndon Johnson and Rep. Walter Rogers are very much on the right track in this matter; but it won't hurt to write, giving your opinion and urging continued effort on the national level. One of the main leaders trying to get something done about it is Gov. Price Daniel, and so is Rep. Grainger McIlhany. It will help to write to them and give encouragement of the work they have already done on the state level.

We need to do some thinking about how to prevent a sales tax or a state income tax from being saddled on us. Of course, if the worst comes to the worst The Leader would prefer a sales tax and state income tax to more taxes on homes, farms and other real property. It has been our observation that once these taxes on real property are raised people seldom manage to get them down.

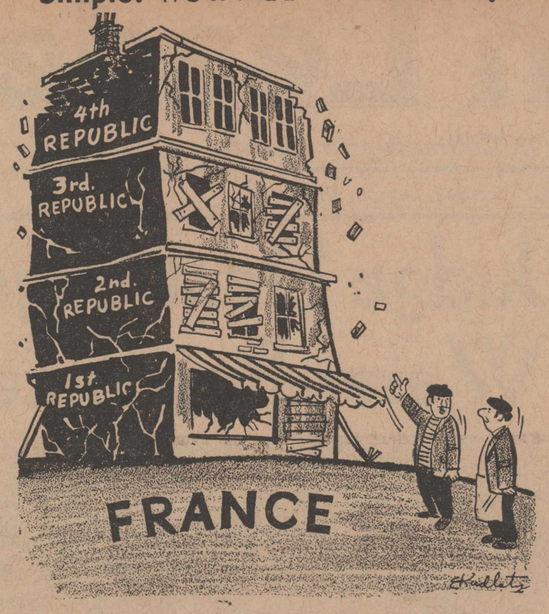
Texas has an excellent oil conservation law and administration, designed to promote the fullest use of our oil resources over a long period of time. The pumping period has been cut from 16 days to 8 days. Commissioner Olin Culbertson warned recently that this is not only breaking many independent operators who do most of the wildcatting as well as putting their employees out of work. Economically this is regrettable, but the real danger is that the enterprising, daring know-how of the independent oil operators may be lost in the American scene. The South American supply could be cut off at any time by revolution and a hostile government. The mid-East supply could be taken over by Russia or the Arabs at any time. If this should happen what would be our plight if we lost the men who provide our ability to explore, to gamble and to risk life and fortune to find new sources of oil on the North American continent under the free enterprise system?

We need a reasonable reduction in the imports of foreign oil, and we need it now for our future safety.

One San Francisco father is having a hard time convincing his 11-year-old son that crime doesn't pay. Some weeks ago the youngster played hookey, "borrowed" $5 from the family's guarded New Car Fund, and went downtown. He took in three westerns, bought a dollar chance on a new car, played all the machines in the penny arcade, stuffed himself with food and arrived home at the usual hour he was due after school. He got away with it, and his crime might still be undiscovered except that a man called the boy's father and wanted to know where his son wanted the new car delivered.—Cranston (R. I.) Herald.

It has been said: "This country has made such social and economic strides that most families manage to have all the comforts of home except money."—Amery (Wis.) Free-Press.

Simple! We'll Add Another Story





LOOKING AHEAD

by Dr. George S. Benson

"Featherbedding" Hurts Everyone

One of my long-time friends is a building contractor specializing in the construction of school buildings and small industrial plants. Recently on a construction job in an Arkansas city the handling of some steel beams required the use of a piece of hoisting equipment. The equipment was a one-man hoisting machine. The union rules in force in this city required the employer using such a piece of equipment to hire five men although four of them were not needed on the job and would draw high wages for doing virtually nothing.

This is known as union "featherbedding". It is a practice forced upon employers and the public by some major and strategic union labor organizations. The public has to pay for it with higher prices for whatever commodity or service is involved, since labor costs are a large part of production costs in every article and service. Featherbedding and other such restrictive labor practices are to a degree strangling the great productive power of this nation. They are soaking up the benefits of America's advancing technology, penalizing every citizen.

Creates Inflation

Harold B. Wess, former vice president of Macy's department store in New York, calls union featherbedding a key factor in "our economy's most dangerous problem—inflation. If the average worker knew where this process will lead him and our country," said Professor Wess, now a member of the faculty of the American University, Washington, D. C., "I am certain that he would stop, look and listen; for the inevitable outcome will be the complete elimination of the profit incentive, resulting in socialism and slave labor."

A number of labor organizations have recognized the unfairness and long range danger of featherbedding and have refused to adopt the practice of forcing employers to pay for work not needed and in many cases not done. A group of citizens in Arkansas have formed an organization to place before the state's voters next November a state constitutional amendment outlawing the practice of featherbedding. It is a wholesome amendment which will produce benefits for everyone, including particularly the wage earners.

Worst Areas

Featherbedding practices are at their worst in four major areas of employment—on the railroads, in the entertainment world, and in the printing and construction businesses. Railroads are forced to spend many millions of dollars for crewmen who have no genuine function at all to perform. For instance, locomotive firemen of the old type are not needed on a modern diesel locomotive. Originally no seat was provided on the left side of the cab—since there is nothing for a "fireman" sitting there to do. But seats had to be provided and "firemen" employed to sit in the cab (at wages as high as $4.85 an hour) doing nothing.

One railroad operating in the state of Arkansas pays out more than $1,500,000 a year on featherbedding jobs, according to one of its officials. On some railways a full train crew must be paid a full days' wages for working less than one hour and a half. Some of the practices in the printing business are ridiculous. Because some typographers' unions enforce the practice through union rules and threats of strikes, many newspapers in the U.S. are required to set (and then throw away!) "bogus" type for advertisements which are actually printed from matrices which improve the efficiency of the printing process. The advertisers, their customers, and the newspaper subscribers pay the bill for this "bogus" work.

A $628.51 Trombone Note

A painters' union frequently requires contractors to employ its members to apply an extra, unnecessary coat of paint to material that has been pre-painted at the factory. And some carpenters' unions force contractors to hire their members to actually take apart units of pre-fabricated houses and put them back together again before they will assemble them. There are many examples of featherbedding in the enterainment world. A classic example is the "stand-by" musician.

When the character actor Charles Laughton picked up a trombone and pretended to play it in a five-second sequence of the play "Major Barbara" the actual trombone sound came from a recording. But the producers of the play had to pay $628.51 a week for four "standby" musicians who sat for an hour or so in the wings of the stage but played not one note.

Perhaps the Arkansas law, if enacted, will become a pattern for the nation. It is my feeling that most workers—as well as the citizenry—will welcome the abandoning of featherbedding.

I SAW . . . by Virginia Robey

Mary Jane Hiett, already busy about her wedding plans. She'll be married to Aubry Lynn Jenkins on July 19—and it is the 19th and not the 9th as The Leader reported. But she told enough for me to know it will be one of the loveliest weddings of the summer.

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The Civil Defense and Disaster practice, held Wednesday as a St. Joseph's Hospital - National Guard project, was a well-kept secret, so well kept that many people thought there had been a real accident involving 17 Explorer Scouts.

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In this deadly serious practice there were amusing incidents — one youngster forgot to tell his mother he was going to be "injured" . . . she didn't know until someone phoned her, thinking it was the real thing. . . . Each youngster was tagged with his supposed injury. Jerry Rainey, with "two broken legs," stayed put in x-ray as long as he could stand it, then walked over to see what Dr. Carter Holcomb was doing to another boy. "Look, get back in there, you can't even walk," Carter told him.

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The two casualties finished their part first, and went around among the other boys, saying "I'm Dead. What are you?" . . . Creed Hill visited with whoever came by, then remembered that he was "unconscious" . . . Ernest Lee Maxwell, who was an apprentice on this newspaper, was probably the calmest person there . . . someone asked him a question and he pointed to his tag. It read "hysterical." . . . But to adults there was one disturbing note. Those who were "unconscious" were instructed by their leader, Judge R. L. Templeton, that they were not to talk or answer any questions, but that the admission staff would go through their clothing for identification. Pockets of several of these youngsters turned up the usual small change, knives, lots of pictures of darling girls, but not a single thing that would have identified these boys had the accident been real and in a strange place.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fleet Pruden are still enjoying their recent trip to the Quarterhorse Association meeting in Arizona. Their pictures are in the latest Quarterhorse Journal . . . in fact, Etha's is in three times. . .

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Those who remember the Stanley Letchers when he was pastor of the First Christian church will be interested in knowing he's doing an excellent job as pastor of a large church in Clovis now. . . City Manager Bura Handley wishing more people would use the swimming pool at night. Often it's nearly deserted. . . Anyway, it's had a complete overhaul for the present season.

CROSSROADS * REPORT

Dear Editor:

I see where a federal district judge the other day ordered some striking union members not to wreck the employer's property as part of their bargaining effort.

My labor neighbor says it seems like the courts are getting very meddlesome here lately and doing a lot of tampering with people's civil rights.

Like in this case, where the judge butts in to restrain some citizens from enjoying their rights to illustrate for their bosses the many advantages of paying them higher wages.

I see where one big city has got a committee which will look into the matter of juveniles carrying weapons to school, and maybe hold a disarmament conference with their children.

My soured neighbor says it's plain that adults have escaped extermination so far only because when the kiddies get mad enough they ain't big enough.

But it looks bad now that lots of them are getting size-equalizers like knives, guns and chains, and are being trained in the use of same by hourly TV lectures and demonstrations.

I see where Congress is working on a law which will make auto dealers put price tags on their cars like items in the super market.

It appears that the government is trying desperately to protect us suckers from our bad judgment.

My took-in neighbor says now what we need is a law to put price tags on political candidates, so as we can tell how much each one of them is going to cost us if we buy him.

I see where some Kansas welfare officials have decided to quit helping clients who own TV sets.

Which, if this news gets around, is liable to slow down business worse than ever, and it will take even more offensive salesmanship to get the economy back in to overdrive again.

On account of if welfare goes to looking into how come you are broke, folks will continue to hang on to their money, so as not to get up against the problem of whether to go hungry or eat their TV set.

I see where Texas Congressman Rogers is worried by how the committee-virus has got Washington in a state of static confusion.

He says even the committees are now appointing committees, and all of them working toward the noble objective of getting bigger appropriations for carrying on their work of getting bigger appropriations.

My apprehenesive neighbor says before the committee - appointed committees start appointing committees, we need a committee to research up some anti-committee vaccine.

I note that Washington has been all stirred up on account of South Americans threw rocks at our Mr. Nixon when he was on a trip down there to see if they need some more money.

But my understanding neighbor don't think this rough welcome was entirely due to the Latins being mad at us.

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Dodson Church Sets Bible School From June 9 to 13

Preparation Day for the Vacation Bible School of South Baptist Church is Friday, June 6 at 3 p. m., to be followed by the school June 9 through 13, the Rev. Billy J. Walsh has announced.

The school will be from 8 to 11 a. m. each day. Rev. Walsh is principal and Mrs. Truitt Holland is secretary and pianist.

In charge of the various departments are nursery, Mrs. Jack Holscmback, Mrs. Herschel Tabor and Mrs. C. B. Balch.

Beginners, Mrs. Glen Lewis, Mrs. Fred Powers, and Mrs. Frank Ford.

Primary: Mrs. Floyd Teutsch, Mrs. Woodrow Whitson and Myra Hernandez;

Juniors, Mrs. Billy J. Walsh and Mrs. Mert Johnson.

Intermediates, Mrs. P. M. Scott, and Mrs. Lake Sachse.

St. Joseph's Hospital Notes

Patsy Cummins, 12, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Cummins of Hollis, tonsilectomy, May 29 and 30.

Mrs. Calvin Aaron, May 29 to June 1, medical.

Mrs. Roy Tisdale, medical, May 29 to June 1.

Mrs. Bill James, medical, May 29 and 30.

Mrs. Ivan Mitchell, Vinson, surgical, May 29 to June 1.

Hugh Longino was admitted for medical treatment May 31.

Mrs. M. E. Jones of Amarillo, medical, May 31 and June 1.

Mrs. R. L. Young, Shamrock, Route 3, admitted June 1 for medical treatment.

W. J. Uselton, medical, was admitted June 1.

L. F. Holley, medical, admitted June 1.

Mrs. Bryan Denley took her daughter, Molly Ann, to Canyon Monday where she will attend summer school at West Texas State College.

OIL AND GAS NEWS

Release of oil and gas lease: Loyd Refley to Mrs. Pearl Clements and others — 85 acres out of section 30, block 15.

Royalty Deed from R. G. Lewis and wife to Eugene R. Lewis — and the E/2 of NW/4 section 52, block 10, and W/2 of NE/4 section 54, block 14.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Jacob Lawrence Troxel and Mrs. Gertrude Doreta May of Custer county, Oklahoma, May 3.

Kenneth C. Sherman and Mrs. Alice Cecelia Jarvis of Beckham county, Oklahoma, May 16.

William Donald Hamrick and Mrs. Juanita Laverne (Dittmeyer) Peacock, May 17.

Bobby Jack Powers and Mrs. Judith Lynn Conner of Custer County, Oklahoma, May 18.

Malcolm Leon Belote and Miss Jawanna Beatrice Ussery of Randall county, May 22.

Jerry Don Nelson and Miss Lola Mae Lewallen of Harmon county, Okla., May 23.

Jimmy Jackson Cook and Miss Grace Evelyn Ervin of Greer county, Oklahoma, May 24.

Roy Allen Newman, and Miss Gloria Janice Downs, of Collingsworth County, May 27.

John Edward Royal and Miss Mureta Jo Goodpasture, of Caddo county, Oklahoma, May 29.

Car Damaged In Collision

A collision at the intersection of Dalhart and 9th Streets Wednesday, May 28, envolved the cars driven by Judy Forbis, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Eron Forbis of the Fesno Community, and Emory Brownlow of Hereford, working here on the housing project, Sheriff John Rainey reported. Neither driver was injured.

Miss Forbis was driving west on 9th Steet, while Brownlow, driving a 1958 half ton pickup, was traveling south on Dalhart.

The Forbis car, a 1955 Chevrolet sedan, was heavily damaged, the sheriff said. No tickets were issued in connection with the collision.

Lone Star Gas Changes Listed

Kenneth Wynn was transferred June 1 from the Lone Star Gas office here to the engineering department of Lone Star Gas in Childress, D. C. McKinney, district manager, announced.

Wynn formerly was in the Childress office.

Taking his place here is Jerry Allday, who was graduated from Wellington high school in 1957 and has been working for Stingel Plumbing and Sheet Metal.

A Lone Star employee for the summer months is Billy Bratten, student in Texas Tech. He will be assigned to the work crew at Memphis, but most of the work for that group will be in Wellington replacing gas mains and pipes.

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Church services were well attended Sunday with Bro. J. E. Murdock, pastor, preaching.

Mrs. Johnny Woodard and children and Mrs. Norma Howard and girls have been visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Oatman.

Mrs. Jennie Oatman is visiting in Bend, Oregon.

Mrs. Bill Clay spent Sunday in Floydada.

Real Estate Transactions

J. S. Warlick to Effie Tippie — lots 11 and 12, block 20, Wellington.

H. L. Peters and wife to Murl Lacy and wife — 16 acres out of the NW/4 section 91, block 10.

Alma P. Clements to Warren Carter — 94 acres out of the central southern part of section 30, block 15, and 85 acres out of the eastern part of section 30, block 15.

B. B. Bennett to Ethel D. Bennett — SE/4 section 96. block 21.

New Cars and Trucks

George N. Shadid, Wellington, Oldsmobile 4-door sedan.

H. A. Davis, Ford Pickup.

Grace Knoll, Route 3, Shamrock, Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

Arthur Belew, Wellington, Chevrolet pickup.

W. A. Bettis, Wellington, Chevrolet pickup.

Miss Bonnie Willis, Wellington, Ford Fordor.

J. W. Cochran, Wellington, Oldsmobile sedan.

Bob D. Ray, Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Cartwright went to Canyon Sunday to visit with their new grandson, Jeffrey Neal Cartwright, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cartwight. Mr. Cartwright returned home Monday and Mrs. Cartwight stayed to help with the new baby. Mrs. Cartwright and the baby went home to Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Harper Jr. and three daughters of Bartlesville, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. John Harper over the weekend. Also visiting in the John Haper home was their granddaughter, Lynn Moore, of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ball left Friday, May 30, for Tucson, Arizona, where they will spend their vacation visiting their son and daughter-in-law, T/Sgt. and Mrs. Howard Ball. T/Sgt. Ball is stationed at Davis-Monthan Air Force Base. On their return trip home they plan to visit his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Manson Ball, in Lubbock for a few days.

Miss Joyce Wood of Amarillo is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wood. She plans to leave Tuesday, June 10 for Boulder, Colorado, to attend summer school.

NOTICE

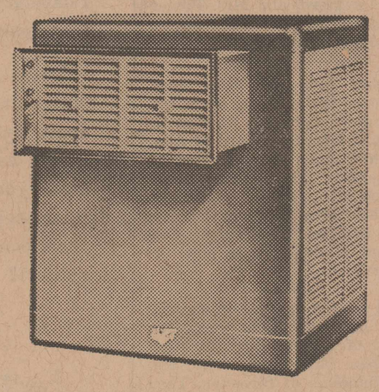
Sealed bids will be received in the Office of the Wellington School Superintendent on June 6th, 1958 at 10:00 a. m. o'clock on 48 passenger Ford School Bus, 1950 model being offered for sale. This equipment may be seen at the Wellington school bus garage. Bid proposals may be secured by contacting Supt. Bennett Goodloe.

The School reserves the right to accept or reject any bid submitted for the best interest of the School.



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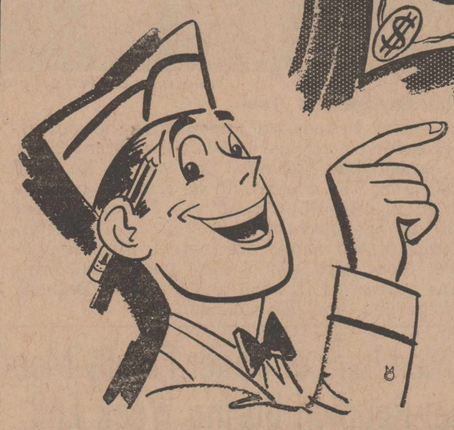
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Mrs. Calvin Hiett

Miss Kirleen Jaggers and Calvin Hiett Marry in Ceremony at Spearman Sat.

Miss Wanda Kirleen Jaggers, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zack Jaggers of Cuidad Trujillo, Dominican Republic, formerly of Spearman, became the bride of Calvin Hiett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hiett, in the Church of Christ at Spearman Saturday, May 31, at six o'clock in the evening.

Minister John Gay officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Decorating the altar area was an arch of greenery and white carnations, along with baskets of white stock and foliage, and lighted tapers in tall candelabra. Pews were marked with white ribbon. Recorded music was by the A Capella Choir of Harding College, Searcy, Arkansas, and included "Faithful and True", "The Lord Bless You and Keep You", and the Mendelssohn recessional.

The bride was escorted to the altar and given in marriage by her father. Her wedding gown was of white embroidered crystaline over net and taffeta, fashioned with a round scalloped neckline trimmed with seed pearls, long pointed sleeves, and a full skirt which fell into a short train. Her waist-length veil of white illusion was attached to a headpiece of illusion and seed pearls, and she carried a bouquet of white gardenias, with sprays of stephanotis and greenery.

Miss Mary Jane Hiett, sister of the bridegroom, was maid of honor, while bridesmaids were Miss Carol Snethen and Miss Nancy Archer. They wore identical dresses of pink crystaline over lace and taffeta, while their pink lace headpieces held short veils. Miss Hiett carried a bouquet of white rosebuds, while the bridesmaids' bouquets were of pink rosebuds.

Donald Hiett of Amarillo was his brother's best man, while the ushers were Dan Hiett, brother of the bridegroom, and Perry Sheets, cousin of the bride. Lynn Derryberry was ring bearer.

Lighting the candles were Miss Nan Sheets and Miss Mary Ellen Barkley, who wore dresses of pink crystaline over taffeta, complimented by headpieces of white velvet and pink flowers. Their wrist corsages were of pink rosebuds.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Jaggers wore a rose beige lace dress with black and white accessories. Mrs. Hiett chose a pink linen dress accented with white lace and pink accessories. Both had corsages of white rosebuds.

A reception in the home demonstration building followed the ceremony.

The reception tables were covered with white net over pink, and bouquets of the bridesmaids and candlelighters formed the center pieces.

In the house party were Mrs. Ted Collier, Miss Lorene Mundy and Mrs. Donald Hiett.

For her wedding trip, the bride wore a rose-beige silk shantung suit with a matching straw hat and other accessories of black patent. Her corsage was of white gardenias.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Hiett have been students in Abilene Christian College, and they will return there in September, when they will be members of the junior class.

Who's New — in the — Wellington Area

State Representative and Mrs. Grainger McIlhany of Wheeler are the parents of a son, William Ray, born May 16, weighing six pounds. He is already called Bill.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Grimsley of Erick, Oklahoma, are the parents of a daughter, Carla Ellen, born in St. Joseph's Hospital May 27. She weighed seven pounds and three ounces.

Pamela Susan is the name Mr. and Mrs. Jan Tucker have chosen for their daughter, born June 1 in St. Joseph's Hospital. Her weight at birth was seven pounds, one and one-half ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Holton are the parents of a son, whom they have named James Craig. He was born June 1 in St. Joseph's Hospital and weighed eight pounds and four ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cartwright of Amarillo are parents of a boy, Jeffrey Neal, born Memorial Day in the Nesbitt Hospital in Canyon. The baby weighed 6 pounds and 11½ ounces. Grandparents of the baby are Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Cartwright of Wellington and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Coleman of Amarillo.

Local Merchants Attend Market

Four local merchants attended the Fall and Back to School Ladies Ready to Wear and Fabric Market in Dallas last week.

Misses Rose and Marie Shadid, Mrs. J. L. Burt, and Mack Saied Jr., and Mrs. Percy Wells attended Sunday through Wednesday.

Mrs. Joe Baumgardner accompanied Mrs. Burt to Grapevine where she visited her daughter, Mrs. C. M. Gordon. Mrs. Burt and Mr. and Mrs. Wells also visited their children.



Miss Tharp Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Tharp of Cleburne, formerly of Wellington, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Doris Ann to Jack P. Ford, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ford of Cleburne. The wedding date has been set for July 25 at the Westside Church of Christ, Cleburne.

Society News

Couple Marry in Quiet Ceremony

Mrs. Mae Castleberry and George S. Hutchings were married Saturday, May 31, at seven o'clock in the evening in a quiet single ring ceremony at the home of the Rev. John R. Ferguson, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene.

Mrs. Hutchings wore a royal blue dress with white accessories.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Tenison and is an assistant cashier of the Wellington State Bank.

Mr. Hutchings is a graduate of Texas A&M College and is on the staff of the Soil Conservation Service here.

The couple is at home at 802 Eleventh Street.

Mote-Dockins Marriage Read

Marriage rites for Miss Kathleen Joyce Dockins of Wellington and Ansul Eugene Mote of Childress were read in the Childress Church of Christ parsonage at high noon on May 17.

W. R. Craig, pastor, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Roy Dockins of Wellington and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Mote of Childress, formerly of Quail.

For her wedding gown the bride wore a dress of white cotton satin in floral design. Her corsage was of red rosebuds.

Miss Catherine Dockins was her sister's only attendant and wore a summer dress of pastel hue.

The couple left for a wedding trip to Hereford following the ceremony and on their return will be in residence at 105 7th Street, Northwest in Childress.

She is a graduate of Wellington High School and he is a graduate of Quail. He is engaged in farming and in custom combining.

Auxiliary Units On WMU Program

The Auxiliaries of the WMU of First Baptist Church presented the program Monday, June 2. Opening the program were Mrs. Rufus Sweat, Mrs. Noble Murray, and Mrs. Henry Davidson.

Mrs. Chas. Cason Sr., had charge of the meeting.

The Junior G. A. presented a skit. Participating were: Alvina Roberts, Charlotte Isaacs, Donna Jo Isaacs, Bonnie Farrar, Judy Clement, Linda and Jo Ann Garrison, Gayle Barnett, Laquinta Hollingsworth, Lois Pogue, and Loraine Porter. Mrs. J. G. Finley and Mrs. Ray King are the leaders for the group.

The Sunbeams sang.

Mrs. Olan Lowe, Mrs. J. D. Farrar, and Mrs. Roy Tigert are the leaders of this group.

Sherry Smith and Katherine Sanders, representing the YWA presented parts. Mrs. Lynn Wright is their leader.

Mrs. Ben Wilhelm, vice president of the WMU had charge of a short business meeting. Mrs. Charles Cason Jr., was elected president of the WMU to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. Ed Miller and to serve for the coming year.



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Bounds-McNabb Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Bounds are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Sherry Nelleene, to Ernest Lee McNabb, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McNabb. The couple will be married on Sunday, August 3, in the Church of the Nazarene. The ceremony will be at three-thirty o'clock in the afternoon. All friends of the couple are invited. Miss Bounds was graduated from high school here last week, while her fiance was graduated in 1956 and attended Bethany Nazarene College and Amarillo College.

Hundred Members of Deger Family Meet For Annual Reunion During Week End

Almost one hundred members of the Deger family and close friends met Sunday, June 1, for the annual reunion of that group. The event was held at the Women's Department Building in Childress.

As in the past, the day was spent visiting and most of those attending had formerly lived here.

Registering were Mr. and Mrs. Colie Austin and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Deger and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Deger and Brenda Kay of Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Deger and family and Mrs. Sallie Short of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cornell and boys of Hugoton, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wischkaemper of El Paso;

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Hill, Clark Hill Jr. and daughters and Kathy Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Rountree and Stephen, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Rountree and Darle, of Littlefield; C. H. Collines and Loyd of Amhest;

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Owens of Dimmitt; Mr. and Mrs. George Collins of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alseys of Olney; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Deger, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Deger, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Deger and Lagena of Duncan, Oklahoma;

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Melton, Jo Lynn and Kevin of Dalhart; Mrs. May Cooper of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Sam White and Gail and Miss Sonia Gresham of Childress.

Attending form this county were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Deger, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Deger and Rocky, Walter Deger, Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Deger and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Deger, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rountree and Janice, Mrs. M. E. Rountree, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sweat, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Deger, Alan Blasingame, and Mrs. Bill Janes and Kim and Kyle.

Annual DePauw Reunion Held Sunday In Wellington Community Building

By MRS. G. T. STEPHENS

The Community Building in Wellington was the scene of the fourth annual family reunion of the DePauw relatives. A number of the group attended church at Quail Sunday morning at the Church of Christ, others attended church in Wellington. Then they all met and spread lunch about one o'clock.

The afternoon was spent visiting and some of the young folk attended the show, others went swimming. A number of friends called in the afternoon to visit.

Those attending were: Mrs. Geraldine Byers, and Jerri, Mrs. Annie Belle DePauw and Vicki of Lubbock, Mrs. May Layne of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scott, and boys of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Scott, Jerry and James, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur DePauw, Mr. and Mrs. Byron DePauw and daughters of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Scott, and Jack Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bell Sr., Vada, Andy, and Dana, and Patti and Tommy Holton of Wellington. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry DePauw, Margie, Jackie and Patricia, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blevins, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Stephens, Jerri and James, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Stephens, and Sherry Leigh, Mrs. Polly DePauw of Quail.

The guests attending for lunch were: Mrs. K. A. Wood of Lubbock, Mrs. Kay Dozier of Childress and Tommy Brewer of Memphis.

The family plan to have the reunion again next year, but the date is undecided at present.



June Bride

Mrs. Edgar Bryant has announced the approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Edna Fay Bryant, to G. C. Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Baker of Quail. The couple will be married Sunday, June 8, in the home of the bride's mother. The Rev. C. D. Damron will officiate.

Senior Mothers Honor Class

Mrs. Bernice Welch and Mrs. Bill Reeves, mothers of two graduating seniors, Charles Welch and Glen Reeves, were hostesses at a back yard party at the Welch home following the baccalaureate services Sunday evening, May 26.

Attending were Walter Abney, James Amomns, Betty Belew, Vada Bell, Jerry Buske, Dorothy Burkhart, Richard Carter, Jo Ann Crane, Carl Daves, Francis Drake, Jerry Elbert, Jimmy Forrester, Carolyn Gammill,

Denny Harris, Larry Hammons, Sharon Herring, Willie Johnson, Jerry Lacy, Bobby Langford, Barbara Mayhugh, Loretta Phipps, Maxine Prince, Randall Raburn, Glen Reeves, Katherine Sanders,

Leta Mae Savage, Cloyce Scarberry, Reginald Scott, Maxie Tarver, Ray Thomas, Ronnie Thomason, Richard Tigert, Glen Warrick, Marvin Turner, Edlaine West, Charles Welch and Farris Wood.

Also the class sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McAlister and children; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Maxey McKnight and children, E. W. Clement, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Reeves and Mr. and Mrs. Welch.

Sandra Faulkner Shower Honoree

Miss Sandra Faulkner, bride-elect of Bill Jonas, was complimented with a pre-nuptial shower in the home of Mrs. Ralph Martin, 1602 Garfield, Wichita Falls.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Martin, C. R. Harrell, Doyle Churchman, and Bill Archer Jr.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Martin, Miss Faulkner, Mrs. J. B. Faulkner, mother of the bride-elect, Mrs. A. G. Tyler of Wellington, her grandmother, and Mrs. Harrell.

Mrs. Churchman and Mrs. Archer served at the refreshment table, and guests were registered by Mrs. Jimmy Maxwell, III.

Lingerie Shower For Bride-to-Be

Miss Nell Wilkerson, bride-elect of Euris Phipps, was honored with a lingerie shower recently in the home of Mrs. Murl D. Phipps. Cohostess was her daughter, Mrs. Kyle Helms of Wichita Falls.

Spring flowers decorated the entertaining room.

Games were played by the guests with the prize of the shower gifts going to the honor guest.

Fruit punch and decorated cookies were served.

The guest list included Mmes. Joe Calabrese, C. O. Wilkerson, J. G. Gardner, Decie Bryant, Amos Phipps, C. E. Escoe; and Misses Patsy Wilkerson, Doris Wolf, Edna Bryant, Loretta Phipps, Delores Sasser, Laudine Martin, Zenith Phipps, Jo Ann Crane, Pauline Martin, Elaine Ledbetter of Amarillo, and Doris Ann Kelley of Amarillo.

Missionary Speaks At Circle Meeting

The Business Womens Circle of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Donna Huston Monday evening, June 2, for the monthly missionary lesson and covered dish supper.

Mrs. Ernest Harwell was in charge of the program. The devotional was given by Rev. Russell Pogue. Missionary work and the needs and opportunities among Spanish migrants here was discussed by Mrs. Ed Taylor the missionary worker here now. Mrs. J. C. Whisenant gave a report on the mission work she had heard while at the convention at Houston.

Rev. Taylor closed the meeting with prayer.

The following members were present: Mrs. Ernest Harwell, Miss Doris White, Mrs. H. A. Davis, Mrs. J. L. Hays, Mrs. Whisenant, Miss Mary Hays, Mrs. Dora Ryan, W. F. Roberts; guests, Rev. and Mrs. Russell Pogue and children, Rev. and Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Ina Jeffers, and Mrs. Earl Prince, and the hostess, Mrs. Huston.

Belles Lettres Club Receives Citation

The Belle Lettres Club met Tuesday night, May 30, in the home of Mrs. Zook Thomas for a covered dish luncheon. Mrs. A. B. Clark and Mrs. Cicero Gulley shared hostess duties with Mrs. Thomas.

Mrs. Gulley, president, presided at a short business meeting. A citation of service received on behalf of a better commonity as a participant in 1957 and 1958 achievement contest sponsored by the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, was read by Mrs. Gulley.

Committees were appointed to furnish flowers for the Smith Rest Home during June.

The remainder of the evening was spent in visiting.

Those attending were: Mesdames E. F. Bartlett, Bryan Denley, F. A. Hatch, J. W. Holder, O. D. Holton, Ben Ratliff, J. M. Stowell, J. H. Wood; visitors, Mrs. Henry Langford, and Mrs. Buster Ratliff; and the hostesses, Mmes. Clark, Thomas and Gulley.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis over the weekend were her mother and sister, Mrs. Thomas H. Ward and Miss Sue Ward of Ada, Oklahoma; John Gordon Thomas of Hereford; Miss Lavena Murdock and Miss Janice Davis, their daughter. Miss Murdock has returned to West Texas State College and Miss Davis is now attending Tech.

Here for the graduation of their cousin, Charles Welch, were Don Curnett of Abilene Christian College, Miss Brenda Cornett and Jerry Bingham of Silverton. They were accompanied by Miss Glenda Thompson of Silverton. The group were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Welch.



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Mrs. Billy Ray Lockhart

The Wedding of Miss Mary Alice Parsons And Billy Lockhart Announced Last Week

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Parsons Jr., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Alice Parsons, to Billy Ray Lockhart, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lockhart.

The couple was married on January 11, 1958, in San Jon, New Mexico, by the Rev. Mr. Hawkins, pastor of the Methodist Church.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart were students in Wellington high school. She was a twirler with the Skyrocket Band, a member of the student council, and was chosen high school queen for the year just ending. She is secretary of Ko Shari, high school social club.

Lockhart has been active in athletics, playing football, basketball, and participating in track. He has been a class officer two years and a member of the student council. This year he was chosen class favorite.

The couple will make their home in Wellington and will continue their school work next year, when both will be seniors.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Neil Davis and sons, Mike and Keith, of Ralls spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Buske. They came to attend the graduation exercises of her brother, Jerry Buske.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Young and children, Jimmy, John and Diane, of Johnstown, Colorado, are house-guests of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wells.

Mrs. Louise Templeton returned to Dalhart with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Bolliger, for two days visit last week.

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Wilkins Honor Senior Class

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilkins and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilkins were hosts at a dinner honoring members of the senior class Tuesday evening, May 28. Pat Wilkins, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilkins, was a member of the class.

It has been the custom of these couples to honor many school groups, particularly athletes, with dinners upon special occasions, and this marked the last which this group will attend at Tom's Red Top Cafe.

Seniors registering were Charlie Welch, Pat Wilkins, Ronnie Thomason, Randall Raburn, Jerry Elbert, Reggie Scott, Athen Lowrie, James Ammons, Ray Thomas, Joe Davis, Richard Carter, Glen Reeves, Betty Belew, Barbara Mayhugh, Carolyn Gammill, Katherine Sanders,

Maxie Tarver, Jo Ann Crane, Francis Drake, Maxine Prince, Sherry Bounds, Marvin Turner, Carl Daves, Cloyce Scarberry, Walter Abney, Farris Wood, Vada Bell, Jerry Buske, Glen Warrick, Jim Forrester, Bobby Langford, and Denny Harris.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Maxey McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McAlister, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Clark, Miss Virginia Robey, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Crawford, E. W. Clement, Frank D. Lindsey and John Hurley.

Picnic Honors Senior Boys

The mothers of four senior boys entertained boys of the class with a picnic in Ellison Park Monday, May 26. Hostesses were Mrs. Woodrow Wood, Mrs. Cecil Elbert, Mrs. O. B. Raburn and Mrs. Velman Warrick, whose sons are Farris Wood, Jerry Elbert, Randall Raburn and Glen Warrick.

The group played volleyball and other games, then were served hamburgers and freezer ice cream.

Twenty-seven boys of the class attended including Bobby Langford, Denny Harris, Cloyce Scarberry, Walter Abney, James Ammons, Richard Carter, Jerry Buske, Jerry Elbert, Joe Davis, Jimmy Forrester, Carl Daves, Mike Glenn, Willie Johnson, Athen Lowrie, Jerry Lacy, Reggie Scott, Randal Raburn, Richard Tigert, Glenn Warrick, Maxie Tarver, Ray Thomas, Ronnie Thomason, Dickie Sweat, Charles Welch, Farris Wood, Pat Wilkins and Glenn Reeves.

C-C Visitation Group Reports

The City Federation of Women's Club met Saturday, May 31, when the Chamber of Commerce visitation committee told of new comers that are officially welcome to Wellington. Members of this committee are Mrs. Ernest Harwell, Mrs. Byron Duncan, and Mrs. Robert Lewis.

Mrs. John Coleman reported on convention of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs held recently in Ft. Worth. A committee study plans for the story telling hour for children was appointed and includes Mrs. Chester Fires, Mrs. Pete Cummings, and Mrs. R. L. Templeton.

Federation representatives attending were Mrs. Fires, Mrs. E. F. Bartlett, Mrs. Henry Vaughan, Mrs. Cummings, Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. R. W. Brantley and Mrs. Templeton.

Personal

Rev. James Glasscock, student in Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, is here to spend part of the summer with his father, John Glasscock. Later he will conduct revival meetings at Tulia, Clarendon, and at Seminole, where the Rev. L. L. Hill, former pastor here, is now pastor. Glasscock also will be the speaker for Youth Activities Week at Pecos.

Guests of Dr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Jones are their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gilles and children, Stephen and Michelle of Midland, and another granddaughter, Mary Helen Langford of Dallas.

Wichita Falls residents visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wilkerson and family were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Rogers and sons, and her sister, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scott and sons. The Scott family also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Scott.

Miss Mary Beth Kelso was here from Wednesday of last week until Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Kelso. She has returned to Abilene to attend the first term of summer school at ACC.

Miss Edith Manley of Salt Lake City, Utah, was here during the week end as guest of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Kelso, Mary Beth and Anna K. She also is visiting relatives in Hollis.

Mrs. Mary Clay, teacher in the Sudan schools, arrived last week to spend the summer here with and at Vinson with her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Kromer and family.

Mrs. Don Scott of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Scott and Mrs. E. W Carter, her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Medford Crowder of Fort Worth spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Motley of Hollis. They also visited with other friends and relatives.

Mrs. Glen Shook and daughter, Sheryl, of Pecos, visited with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Tiffin Young, and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fike and girls Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Fike and daughters, Dorwina, Emma, Clara, and Katherine, of Canon City, Colo., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fike, Trena and Renda, Mr. A. J. Fike and Raymond, and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Watts, Jo Ann and Curtis. A. J. Fike returned home with them for an extended visit. He had returned Thursday from a weeks visit with relatives at Guymon, Okla.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Melton over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Melton and family of Dalhart; Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Elliott and family of Littlefield; and Raymond Melton Jr., of Clarendon.

Dr. A. E. Sandberg, who is head of the Geology Department of the University of Louisiana, stopped by Monday to visit with his brother-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Burquist and Adell. Dr. Sandberg was on his way to the University geology camp near Colorado Springs, Colorado.

H. D. Willoughbys Visit Wellington

Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Willoughby Jr., and children of Mexico City, have been visiting the past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D Willoughby Sr.

Rev. Willoughby, formerly of Wellington, and his family have been independent missionaries for four years among the people of Mexico City. They are on their way back to the mission field, and hope to obtain residential papers which will entitle them to stay in Mexico for a five year period.

The Willoughbys live at Apartado 1572, Mexico 1, D. F. Mexico.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Young last week were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childers and family of Tulia, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young and children of Corpus Cristi, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Young and Mr. and Mrs. James Paul Jones and children of Amarillo, and Mrs. and Mrs. Jesse Dale Young of Norman, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Raburn and Douglas spent the weekend in Tyler visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Raburn and children. Mrs. Sam Raburn and children returned with the O. B. Raburn family for a visit. Mrs. Sam Raburn and children will visit her parents in Dumas before going home.

Mother of Joe Thompson Dies

Mrs. B. C. Thompson, of Elmer, pioneer of Jackson County, Oklahoma, died at 1:05 p. m. Saturday, May 24, in Lawton Memorial Hospital. She was 90 years of age, and the mother of Joe Thompson.

Funeral services were conducted at 4 p. m. Sunday, May 25, at the Elmer Methodist Church, with the Rev. Windle Turley, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Elmer cemetery.

Mrs. Thompson was the former Sarah Cordelia Barr, and was born November 1, 1867 in Benton county, Tenn., and moved to Old Greer county in 1893. Her husband preceded her in death in 1946.

Mrs. Thompson had visited here many times, the last being for the month of December.

Survivors are three sons, Claude, Thompson of Altus, Okla.; Joe Thompson of Wellington, and W. L. Thompson of Sacramento, California.

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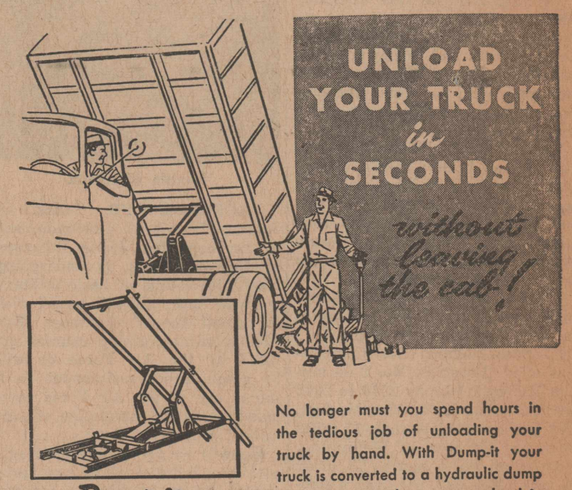
Mary Ruth Stall To Graduate Sat.

Miss Mary Ruth Stall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Stall, will graduate from the Southwest School of X-ray at Dallas Saturday, June 7, as a graduate technician.

She has attended this school for the past 18 months. While there she was president of the x-ray class and a student instructor. She graduated from Wellington High School in 1955.

Miss Stall will begin work with the Highland General Hospital in Pampa June 16 as a graduate technician.

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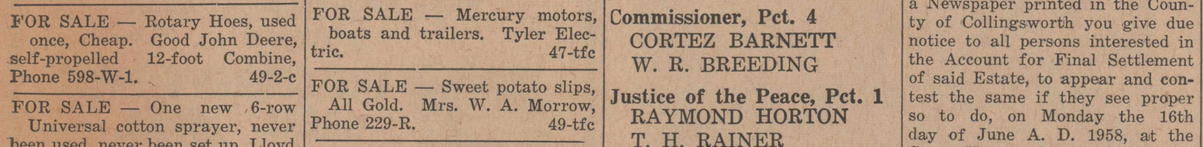
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LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION BY PUBLICATION OF FINAL ACCOUNT
THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Collingsworth County, Greeting:

R. E. Leggitt, brother of C. R. Leggitt, deceased, who was administrator of the Estate of Mrs. Kate Leggitt, deceased, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said Mrs. Kate Leggitt, deceased, numbered 1002 on the Probate Docket of Collingsworth County, together with an application to close this administration and finally discharge the bondsmen of C. R. Leggitt.

You are hereby commanded, That by pulication of this Writ one time and said publication shall be not less than ten days before the return day hereof in a Newspaper printed in the County of Collingsworth you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on Monday the 16th day of June A. D. 1958, at the Court House of said County, in Wellington, Texas, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the County of Collingsworth this 28th day of May A. D. 1958.

BETTY WHITE, Clerk, County Court Collingsworth County.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.

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The northeast section of Collingsworth County hit the gas spotlight the past week with nine wells gauged for a total of 83,300,000 cubic feet. In all, 21 gas wells were tested in the Panhandle area, for a total of 108,950,000 cubic feet.

El Paso Natural Gas Company which is staging a strong gas drilling program in Gray, Wheeler, Collingsworth and Donley counties, completed 10 wells in that area last week with La Cima Corporation of Oklahoma City testing four good wells.

The area of shallow gas production has been a small volume production field, wells gauging all the way from a quarter of a million cubic feet to three and four million feet. The big producers completed last week may give the area a new shot in the arm.

El Paso has two 14,000,000-foot gassers with La Cima getting a pair of 10,000,000-foot wells.

El Paso Natural Gas Completions are: Bergman No. 2 — section 73, block 16, pay 2036 to 2072 feet, potential 5,600,000 cubic feet, rock pressure 411 pounds, 17 miles north and six west of Wellington.

Bergman No. 4, section 73, block 16, pay 1964-1982, potential 4,600,000 cubic feet, rock pressure 423 pounds, 17 miles north, 6 west of Wellington.

Betenbough No. 2 — section 91, block 12, pay 1738-1905 feet, potential 14,000,000 cubic feet, rock pressure 390 pounds, 20 miles north, one east of Wellington.

Hayes No. 1 — section 99, block 16, pay 1815 to 1858 feet, potential 7,100,000 cubic feet, rock pressure 411 pounds, 20 miles north of Wellington.

Schoonover No. 1, section 86, block 16, pay 1910 to 1982 feet, potential 14,500,000 cubic feet, rock pressure 414 pounds, 19 miles north and 7 west of Wellington.

Schoonover No. 2 — section 86, block 16, pay 1901-1938 feet, potential 8,500,000 cubic feet, rock pressure 402 pounds, 19 miles north, 7 west of Wellington.

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Laycock No. 21 — section 20, block 17, pay 1914-1955 feet, potential 10,250,000 feet, rock pressure 373 pounds.

Laycock No. 22 — section 11, block 13 — pay 1862-1948 feet, potential 10,750,000 cubic feet, rock pressure 364 pounds, 22 miles north, one east of Wellington.

News of Men in Service



Lonnie Roberson

LACKLAND AFB, Texas. — Airman Lonnie G. Roberson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Roberson of Dodson, Texas, is undergoing his initial course of basic military training here. He will be selected to attend one of the more than 400 technical training courses offered by the Air Force or will be given direct assignment to a job in one of the Air Force commands upon his completion of military training.

He will be given necessary orientation, indoctrination and processing to assist him in making the transition from civilian to military life while here. His future training and job assignment will be determined through a series of aptitude tests and individual interviews to determine his prior experience, training and desires.

The length of his duty here will be either four or eleven weeks, depending upon the training or the job for which he is found to be most qualified.

FORT GORDON, Ga. (AHTNC) —Ronald D. Blalock, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Blalock, 905 S. Madison, Shamrock, recently was promoted to private first class at Fort Gordon, Ga., while attending the Army's Southeastern Signal School.

Blalock entered the Army last September and completed basic training at Fort Carson, Colo.

He attended Shamrock High school.

Quail Seniors Vacation at Royal Gorge

CANON CITY, Colo. — May 29, 1958 — Members of the Quail high school visited Colorado's famed Royal Gorge on their recent tour.

It was a highlight of a trip that included points of scenic and historical interest in Colorado namely, Seven Falls, Pikes Peak, Garden of the Gods, Cave of the Winds, Cripple Creek, Denver Museum, Denver Capitol, Denver Bears Ball Game, Reptile Garden, Rainbow Falls, State Prison, in Canon City.

At the Royal Gorge, they crossed the world's highest bridge (1,100 feet above the roaring Arkansas River), rode the world's steepest incline railway (100 per cent grade) and viewed some of Colorado's most magnificient scenery.

Sponsor on the tour was Lois K. Ratliff, Mary Lee Gilbreth, Herman Moseley, supt., Mrs. C.D. Messer, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, and J. Parker, driver.

Students were Edith Messer, Ronald Cummings, Jerry DeBord, Carolyn Wright, James Colson, Troy Harison, Marion Tidwell, Joel Young, Raymond Minatrea, Gano Wilson, Marvin Newman, Dee Blasingame, Billie Duckworth, Don McGill, Dale Ratliff, and Loyd Langford.

Former Dodson Man Killed

J. W. Filpot, 62, who lived at Dodson a number of years ago was killed May 20 in California when the truck he was driving went out of control and a crash followed.

He also formerly lived at Levelland, and funeral services were held there May 22.

Relatives from this area going were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Fillpot, Mrs. Wayne Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wilson, Hollis; Tommie Filpot, of Dodson and Buster Filpot of Childress.

Mr. Filpot is survived by his wife, a son and six daughters.

Guests in the Earl Prince home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Prince and Vickie of Roswell, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Scott, Ricky and James, and Mrs. Webb and Linda Ann, mother and sister, all of Oklahoma City.

Personal

Returning to their home at Shreveport, La., Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones, who had visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wheeler. Mrs. Jones was here three weeks, and her husband joined her during the Memorial Day week end. Accompanying them home were Mrs. Don Wheeler and baby daughter. They will remain three weeks, while Sp/2 Wheeler is at Fort Hood with the National Guard. Also visiting were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wheeler and children of Leuders.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hite, Bill, Roger, and Susan, of Borger, spent Memorial Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hite and Guthrie. Bill and Roger are staying with their grandparents for a visit. Guthrie, a student at Southwesten State College, Weatherford, Oklahoma, is visiting with his parents between semesters.

Roy Brown of Los Angeles, California., was here Sunday for a short visit with his sister, Mrs. R. L. Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Beam and son, Eric, of Austin, is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Beam Sr., between semesters. Cameron is a senior at the University of Texas. Other guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Beam for Memorial Day were Louie Beam of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Beam of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Clement, Judy and Stan, and her mother, Mrs. R. D. Dunham, were in Bowie over the weekend for a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Graves, Linda Kay and Walter Allen, of Las Vegas, New Mexico, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Graves, and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Roberson. Little Linda Kay and Walter Allen will spend two weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. Graves. Jimmy will graduate from Highland University at Las Vegas in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Hankins of Amarillo and Mrs. Rhome Hankins of Tulia were here during the Memorial Day week end. The latter remained to visit her sister, Mrs. Lucy B. Wells, while her son and daughter-in-law went on to Oklahoma.

Tommy Bryant In Blue Key

DENTON.—Thomas Floyd Bryant, formerly of Wellington has been named a member of Blue Key, national honor fraternity for men, at North Texas State College.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom F. Bryant, Sr., now of Fort Worth, Bryant is a junior biology major. He is also a member of Phi Mu Alpha, national music fraternity for men, and Beta Beta Beta, national biological society.

LILLIE

By MRS. HASKELL MANUEL

The crowd was small at the Lillie Baptist Church Sunday morning, Rev. Virgil Smith, the pastor, preached a good sermon and he, Mrs. Smith and daughter, Lana, were dinner guests in the Elmer Haralson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Horton, Rose Mary and Shirley, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Barnett of Amarillo, spent the week end in Oklahoma City visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McGarry and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Finley and boys spent the week end in Perryton, visiting Mr. Finley's mother, Mrs. J. O. Finley.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bown of Duncan, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Brown and daughter and Mrs. Geneva Brown.

Mrs. Geneva Brown and Mrs. Mac Horton and girls, spent last Tuesday in Hollis.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Jenkins and Linda and Mrs. Beatrice Jenkins of Wellington spent three days last week at Meridan, Texas, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Jenkins.

Miss Judith Wilson, pianist at the Lillie Baptist Church, gave a fifteen minute program with her accordian Sunday morning at the Nazarene Church in Wellington.

M. Massey, of Oklahoma City, father of Mrs. Geneva Langford, spent the weekend in the Langford home.

Mrs. Haskell Manuel received word Sunday morning that her mother, Mrs. Bessie Fletcher, was sick in the hospital at Throckmorton.

Miss Elizabeth Gillentine of Amarillo was here to visit friends and attend to business Memorial Day.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Hutchins and son spent the Memorial Day week end in Albuquerque, N. M., visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. Spencer Coleman.

Mrs. Dudley McMillin returned during the week end after a week in Big Spring with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Keith McMillin, and their new son, Dudley Mark.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McBride had visiting in their home during the week end their son, Cecil McBride, and his 4-year-old son, Edwin. McBride will leave in a few days for Austin, to study toward his PhD degree at the University of Texas. He plans to be there two years. He has been teaching government in West Texas State College, Canyon. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McBride also are the parents of a three-weeks old son, Royce Dwain. She and the two children will join McBride at Austin later.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stansbury of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jones Singley over the weekend.

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Every one interested in good government is invited to a dinner to be held in Plainview June 16th honoring Democratic elected officials and Democratic party candidates. Governor Price Daniel will be the speaker. The dinner will be held in the new Armory Building at the Airport site on the Lubbock highway just south of Plainview.

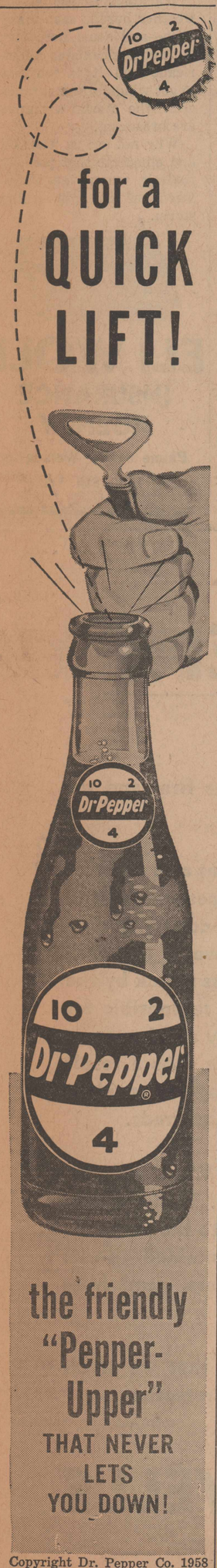
Already over 400 tickets have been requested outside of Hale county. The Armory will accomodate a large group.

Tickets in Collingsworth county may be secured from L. B. Bratten. Tickets are $2.50 per plate.

As Democratic County Chairman of Hale County Gene Owen will be officials host. People over the 15-county area of the 30th Senatorial District are invited:

The purpose of the meeting is to unite the Democratic party under the majority.

John Thomas Boyd of Plainview is chairman of the committee that planned the dinner program, and D. E. Mouser and Joe Webb of Plainview have charge of the food and table arrangements.



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All Stars Win From Childress

Baseball game between Shamblee All Stars and Chidress Sluges was played Sunday, June 1, at the old fair ground.

The All Stars won the game 6 to 5 with M. J. Randon coming in as a relief pitcher when the Sluges were leading four to one.

The All Stars return the game in Childress Sunday, June 8.

At present the All Stars have won four and havn't lost any. Shamblee All Stars line up for Sunday, June 1:

Harry Ingram, ss; J. C. Hunnicutt, sb; Percy Price, 3b; R. L. Ingram, c; Robert Powell, cf; Tal Kilgo, 1b; J. R. Jones, lf; A. Rayford, rf; James Meadow, p.

John Thomas In Entomology Work

John Gordon Thomas, senior in Texas A&M, will work as an entomologist with the United States Department of Agriculture, in coordination with the Extension Service during the summer.

He will have headquarters at Lubbock and will do survey work on cotton insects and public relations work. Thomas also will be in charge of compiling this information for publication.

Rummel With Idalou Gin

Don Rummel, student in Texas A&M will be employed by the Idalou Co-op Gin at Idalou during the summer months.

He will do insect inspection for cotton farmers who are customers of that gin.

Rummel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilroy Rummel of Wellington. His wife, the former Ada Thomas, will be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas, at Hereford during the summer.

New Book by Laura Hamner Published Soon

Forthcoming publication of Laura V. Hamner's fourth book, "Light and Hitch", was announced this week by American Guild Press of Dallas. In making the announcement the publisher called the book "a collection of Miss Hamner's finest historical writings, depicting the beginning of life on the high plains and the resourcefulness of the pioneers in bringing civilization to the area."

In response to the announcement of the book, J. Harold Dunn, president of Shamrock Oil and Gas Corporation, commented, "Miss Hamner's historical writing is not only factual and full of human interest, it is priceless. It cannot be duplicated".

S. Omar Barker, well-known author of Western Americana, said, Her wide and authentic knowledge of Panhandle history is more than matched by her warm and sympathetic understanding of the pioneer plains people who made that history."

The collection is grouped around the following basic areas: I. Settling the Panhandle; II. Town Building; III. Pioneer Women; IV. Law and Order; V. Transportation; VI. Social and Religious Life; VII. Miscellaneous. The book will be completely indexed and illustrated with paintings, maps, documents, and a collection of brands from the plains country.

Paintings and sketches illustrating actions and events described in the book will be prepared by Dord Fitz, noted Panhandle artist and teacher. In addition to ranching near Higgins, Texas, Mr. Fitz teaches over 200 art students throughout the Panhandle area. He left the faculty of the University of Kentucky's School of Fine Arts to return to his native state.

Miss Hamner's previously published books are "No Gun Man of Texas", "Short Grass and Longhorns", and "Prairie Vagabonds". Another book, "Somebory Might Come", is a delightful account of life on the farm of a prominent Birmingham physician. It is scheduled for fall publication.

"Light and Hitch" will be released in two editions, the Regular Edition and the Limited Edition. The Limited Edition, limited to only 600 copies will be boxed, autographed, and bound in buckram.

The release date is July 17.

Thomas Praises Cemetery Work

Work done by individuals in the two Wellington cemeteries during the week of Memorial Day will make it possible for these plots to be kept in good condition through the summer, Zook Thomas, president of the cemetery Association, said.

"Lots of work was done. In fact, the co-operation was the finest we have ever had," he declared.

"We had more people working through the whole week than we have ever had before in our cemeteries."

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bowen over the weekend were: Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Green and family, of Sacramento, Calif., niece of Mrs. Bowen; visiting Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nored of San Marcos, nephew of Mrs. Bowen.

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QUAIL NEWS

By MRS. G. T. STEPHENS

Mrs. Herman Moseley, Betty and Diane and Mr. and Mrs. George W. Stephens and Sherry Leigh moved to Canyon Monday, June 2, where Mrs. Moseley and Mr. and Mrs. Stephens will attend WTSC this summer.

J. S. Jett of Tulaire, Calif., came last week to spend an extended visit in the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shields.

Jack Morgan who attended Sam Houston College in Huntsville, Texas, last term has returned home for the summer vacation.



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Deck's DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

Eleven members of the Collingsworth Farm Bureau heard O. K. Hoyle tell cotton farmers at Memphis that they faced approximately 25 per cent cut in acreage unless the present law is changed. He said that the 17,000,000 allotment of 1958 would be cut to 13,600,000 in 1959 and that Texas' 7,474,661 acres in 1958 would be 5,760,859.

He outlined the Farm Bureau's suggested program for the next three years. The suggestion for 1959 is that the cotton grower be given two choices. A. Plant his reduced allotment under the 13,600,000 quota with 90 per cent parity supports or B. Plant 40 per cent more than his reduced acreage with 75 per cent support.

The suggested program is slightly different for 1960 and 61. The Farm Bureau feels that the grower has not been getting market prices for his cotton. This program is designed to force the spinner to buy from the producer and not from the commodity credit corporation.

Collingsworth had the largest representation at the meeting which included members from Hall, Wheeler and Childress. Those who went from Collingsworth were Dudley Phipps, Johnnie Carson, Darrell Crooks, W. C. Harwell, Wallace O'Rear, Monte Mitchell, Ed Crowder, Ray Scott, Fred Bourland, Zook Thomas and the writer.

Judge Otho Dent, chairman of the Board of Water Engineers, was in Wellington last week conferring with those who are seeking to hold the water rights below the proposed Greenbelt Dam. He suggested that they also consider Buck Creek, Richardson Creek and Elm Creek. He said that the engineering surveys might show more desirable sites on these streams, and he suggested that water rights in the whole county be protected. He said that there was a possibility that a dam on Salt Fork might provide too shallow a lake with too much evaporation where as some of the others might provide deeper lakes with a less percentage of evaporation per acre foot of water.

Was out near Elm the other day and saw a fat old cow bedded down with seven young calves lying around her, which is a most common sight to cattlemen. She was standing guard while the other mothers went to drink or graze. This is a very well known habit. What I want to know is how does each cow know when it is her time to stay? Cattlemen tell me they alternate.

Cattle can't count anymore than a dog or a cat. Some people think the latter can because a mother dog or cat never leaves a young one behind when she moves her litter. They simply make one extra trip, sniff all around and go back satisfied. The action of the herd animals is a little more difficult for me to understand. Is it the cow with the youngest calf that stays? Is it the one who is least thirsty with the thirstiest moving off and she knowing that she must remain? Perhaps somebody can tell me. Anyhow one cow stays until some of the others get back.

Wheat ought to be pouring into the elevators in this immediate area by next week. The yield is expected to be 25 to 30 bushels per acre with some going higher. That sort of a yield is not hay even if the four foot stalks do leave considerable on the ground.

George Roberts says that I should have been writing about the flowers at Swearingen this spring instead of Canadian and Turkey. O. K. I will drive out to Swearingen next spring; but they were not bad on Elm.

An eastern artist asked a Texan:

"Do you have any unusual flora and fauna in Texas?"

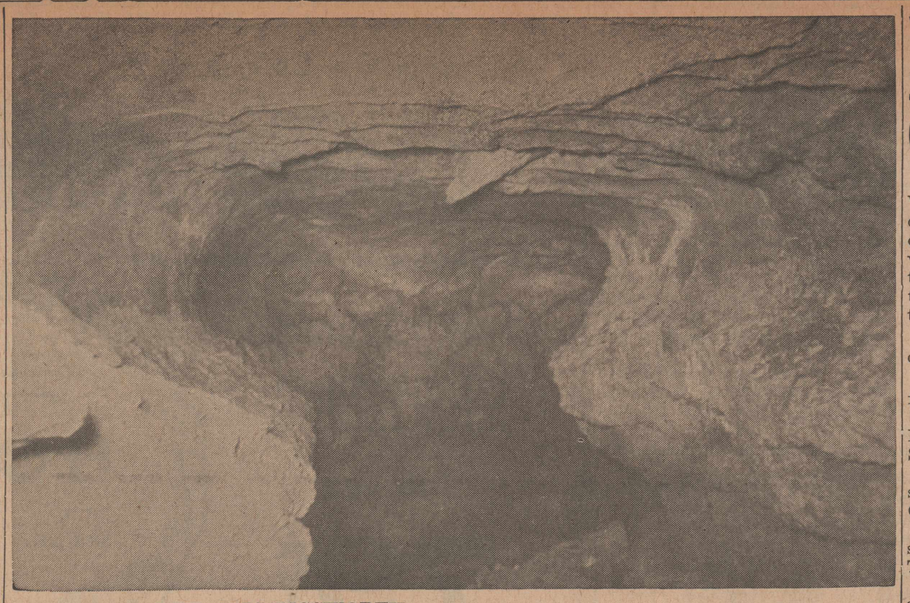
Don't know anything about flora and fauna", was the reply, "but we sure have a lot of different kinds of plants and animals."

Dr. John Jones In Naval Reserve

Dr. John Jones, Houston, was commissioned a lieutenant senior grade in the Naval Reserve, attached to the 6th Marine Infantry as assistant battalion surgeon.

Under the terms of his commission he will remain in Houston to complete his residency in pediatrics at Jefferson Davis Hospital.

He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Jones.



CAVE IN NORTH COLLINGSWORTH

This shows the largest of the rooms of a cave in the northern part of the county discovered recently by James Bruton and explored by him and two friends. There are numerous gypsum formations, such as the one hanging from the top at center, and pictures cannot show the delicate and beautiful coloring, Bruton says. He can find no evidence that any other human has preceded his group into this room.

★ Cave Explored—

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had to fly through intricate passages of total darkness. To me, this is one of the most mystifying plans of nature.

The creatures that inhabit these subterranean caverns are many and varied. Far below the surface, in the crystal clear waters of underground springs, large crawfish dwell. Coons hide in these underground lairs. Salamanders, commonly called waterdogs, crawl about in the black depths.

Snakes are found only a short distance inside the entrances. They never go much farther than the entrance because of the dampness.

There are other critters, too numerous to list, that live and die in these black haunts. and never see daylight.

Recently, accompanied by Jerry and W. H. Riley, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Riley, I found what I believe to be the largest cave in this area.

We discovered the entrance late one Sunday afternoon, and explored only enough to learn that the cave was a large one. Jerry and I returned the next weekend and began the enjoyable task of exploring the many passages and rooms.

The entrance to the cave has several initials carved in the rocks along with such dates as 1918, 1927—and others. The people who placed these initials never passed beyond the first tiny passage. Or if they did, then they have kept from the people the knowledge of a beautiful work of nature.

Working our way into the inky depths of the caverns, we found corridors of snow-white gypsum, worn smooth by the waters of time. Beautiful formations hang from the ceiling, left by the eroding of the softer layers of stone.

We found pools of subterranean water with crawfish moving about in the transparent depths.

Moving on, we came to a division of the passage. One way led off to our left and the other straight ahead. As we progressed, the passage around us became steadily larger, the walls having many unusual accumulations of interesting shapes. Gypsum has a tendency to collect in unbelievable forms and fashions.

Thus, we came at last to a narrowing of the walls. Upon reaching this point, we felt that this was only another small hole like the many that we had explored previously.

We had to crawl over a big rock and then worm our way forward. I was in the lead and as I reached a place large enough to stand, I began to shine my flashlight about the small room. Seeing an opening between two rocks, I moved over and shined my light upward.

Far above the opening I was looking through, a big room spread away on either side. After gaining entrance to the large chamber, we set about shining our lights along the high walls. Almost breathless in the dead silence, we saw the water carved fixtures of solid stone. Water fell from high on the ceiling in tiny drops; and tints of silver and gold colors appeared splashed on drapes of stone.

The ceiling lies almost 30 feet high in this room. The walls are about 45 feet apart and the full length of the room is perhaps close to 100 feet. Truly unbelievable, but all the same, there to be seen.

From the big chamber, many passageways lead away from the upper levels. These side channels are the most beautiful, having walls of crystallized gypsum of many hues and colors. The colors range from blood-red, soft tints of pink and orange, snow-white, interlaced with gray and gold, to the colors of tarnished gold and silver. These side passages are small and difficult to enter, but are well worth the effort.

From the big room, the main channel goes on for another 150 feet and comes out in a sink hole. This entrance is well concealed by grass and the contour of the ground.

Whether this cave can be made available to the public is something I don't know, but I like to think of it as one day being possible. There are many things that would have to be done and, all in all, it seems that it might require a lot of work and financing. But if these caverns were cleaned and well-lighted, and another accessible entrance made, they would be as pretty as the Alabaster Caverns near Waynoka, Okla.

I have not disclosed the location of these caverns for several reasons. First of all, I want to prevent anyone getting injured or maybe bitten by a snake, and I would like to keep vandals from destroying the formations. It is my advice to would-be seekers of the caverns not to attempt to find them. They are on private property and they are not safe in their present state.

Paducah Woman Dies at Home of Daughter Here

Mrs. W. C. Walker of Paducah died Friday, May 30, at 1 p. m., at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. H. Franklin here. She had been in ill health three years and confined to her bed since December. She was brought to the home of her daughter and son-in-law March 7.

Funeral services were held at the Missionary Baptist Church in Paducah Sunday with the Rev. John R. Ferguson, pastor of the Nazarene and the Rev. Anthony Thibodeaux of First Christian Church, officiating. Burial was in the Garden of Memories Cemetery at Paducah.

Mrs. Walker and her husband lived in the Valley View community west of Paducah, where he farmed. Born December 3, 1891, in Luling, she had lived in Cottle county since 1919.
1919.

Survivors are her husband; a son and five daughters: W. E. Pierce Jr., Austin; Mrs. Franklin; Mrs. Raymond Wall of San Francisco, Calif.; Mrs. Loyd Karnes of Silsbee; Mrs. D. H. Moore of Memphis and Mrs. Lillie Mae Jones of Electra. Also surviving are 6 sisters, three brothers, 15 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren.

Hugh Longino In Hospital

Hugh Longino, 80, veteran mail carrier and resident of the county for more than half a century, was admitted to St. Joseph's Hospital Satuday, May 31, for treatment.

Mr. Longino suffered a light stroke several weeks ago and has been confined to his home since then. He is not in severe pain, and is resting, his daughter, Mrs. Lola Roark, said this week.

Another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stacy and daughter of Amarillo visited him during the week end.

★ Methodist—

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The Rev. O. C. Evans, pastor of Glen Davis Memorial Methodist Church, Dozier, retired, and he is succeeded by the Rev. Dale Swain, who also will serve Lela and Heald.

Appointments of other pastors who have served churches in the county or lived here are:

Abilene District superintendent, Rev. Hubert Thomson; Canyon, the Rev. Doyle Ragle; Friona, the Rev. Hugh Blaylock; Groom, the Rev. Bill Hankins; St. Marks Church, Midland, Dr. Edmund Kirby; Hart, Rev. Lyman Wood; St. John's Church, Plainview, Rev. Vernon Willard; Rocky, James Kirby; Hedley, Rev. Melvin Mathis; Goodlett, Rev. Hardy Cole; Texas Street Church, Vernon, Rev. John Fitzjerrel; Wheeler, Rev. Carlton Thomason; and Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, Rev. James Glasscock.

Car Rolls Over Wright Baby

Larry Wright, year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Wright, received a broken left leg Tuesday evening, June 3, when the family car rolled backward in the driveway, the front left wheel passing over him.

The accident occurred when Larry's brother, three - year - old Gary Dan, started to get out of the car and accidently put it in neutral gear, starting it rolling, Mrs. Lynn Wright, their mother said.

Larry's left leg was broken above the knee, and he received bruises and lacerations. He will be in St. Joseph's Hospital for the next two weeks.

★ Judge Dent—

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He advised that any lake backed up by a dam the group would build be set up for all purposes — industrial, municipal, agricultural, recreational, etc.

He said that Salt Fork may be too wide for a dam, that the lake it would back up may be too shallow and broad to be practical, but time and again he went back to his point that all the water resources of Collingsworth should be developed.

"Oklahoma has no water rights in Texas except on the North Canadian," he told the group in answer to the question of the possibile loss of Salt Fork water rights to Oklahoma towns.

"Texas and Oklahoma are trying to negotiate on Red River, but that must be confirmed by the legislatures," he explained.

★ Mrs. Sterling—

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in Callahan county, the daughter of Dolphus and Rebecca Robinson. As a girl she also lived in Brownfield, Tahoka and Lubbock.

Besides the public schools, she attended Kidd Key College at Sherman.

She was a member of the Episcopal Church.

Funeral services were held at the Episcopal Church in Dalhart Saturday at 10 a. m., with the Rev. John A. Todd, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the family plot in Dalhart Memorial Park, with the Kelso Funeral home officiating.

Pall bearers were Jones Singley of Wellington; Rex Baxter, Ed Hatton, Paul Pendleton, Barron Chapman and Bourland Vance of Amarillo.

The family requested that memorials be in the form of donations to St. Joseph's Hospital or the favorite charity of the donor.

Surviving Mrs. Sterling are two nieces and two nephews: Mrs. Wells; Mrs. Jesse James of Eads, Colorado; Alton Robinson of Tulsa, Okla.; and Milton Robinson of Felt, Oklahoma. There are two cousins, Mrs. Albert Taylor of Lubbock and Mrs. C. M. Welch of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Joe Baumgardner visited last week with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gordon and family, in Grapevine.

Vacation Bible School Set at Church of Christ

The Vacation Bible School of West Avenue Church of Christ opens Monday, June 9, and will continue through Friday, June 13, with classes from children three through high school and an additional class for adults if there is the demand.

Min. Howard Mitchell is in charge.

The school will be each morning from 9 to 11 a. m.

Teachers will be: nursery, Mrs. Howard Mitchell and Mrs. J. L. Souder.

Beginners, Mrs. Frank Thompson, Mrs. J. D. Gibson and Mrs. Goldie Wilson;

Primary: Mrs. D. C. Thomason, LaVerne Moore and Vivian Thomason.

Juniors, Mrs. L. A. Gilmore and Mrs. Roy Thomason.

Intermediate: Mrs. Buddy Yarbrough and Mrs. L. A. Davis.

Junior high: Mrs. Eugene Jenkins and Mrs. Lewis Green.

Senior high: Howard Mitchell.

★ Jack Sanford—

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1946, with overseas duty in the Pacific theatre. He was released with the rank of captain and is now a major in the Air Force reserve.

Sanford is married to the former Mary Helen Burnside, who is known among her friends as Penny. She, too, was reared at Wichita Falls. They have two children, Bob 14, and Nancy, 9.

They are active members of First Christian Church, and he has served as a deacon at Victoria and she as president of the Christian Women's Fellowship.

The Sanford family is living at 1301 Amarillo Street, in the house Frank Light recently bought from O. D. Holton.

Singing to Be Held Sunday

The Second Sunday Singing will be held Sunday, June 8, at 2:00 p. m. at the Trinity Methodist Church, 9th and Haskell. The newest convention books will be in use, Mrs. W. A. Morrow said. Everyone is invited.

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Car-Cow Collision Injures Woman

Mrs. James Russell Smith, 20, of Pampa, was hospitalized overnight at St. Joseph's for head lacerations after the car in which she was riding collided with a cow two miles north of Wellington on highway 83. The accident occured about 11 p. m. Sunday, June 1, as the family was returning from a visit with relatives at Abilene.

Smith, 23, the driver, was treated for a cut over one eye and released. The couple's two small children were asleep in the back seat of the car and were uninjured.

When the car struck the cow, it went out of control, crossed the west bar ditch and crashed head-on into a tree, according to highway patrolmen who investigated the accident. The cow, whose owner is unknown, was killed, and the car was described as a total loss.

Sheriff John Rainey and Deputy Kenneth Hodge assisted in the investigation.

★ Mrs. Morrow—

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Maude Lindsey, daughter of W. L. and Mary E. Lindsey. She was born in Denton county December 14, 1903, and at the time of her death was 54 years of age.

She was married to Mr. Morrow in Wood county July 16, 1918 and they lived in Collin county before coming here.

Mrs. Morrow was known through her community for her kindliness and neighborliness, and her care for the friend who was sick during the closing days of her life was but typical of the many thoughtful and neighborly deeds she performed during her years of residence here.

Her hobby was raising flowers, and many who passed her home remarked at the beauty of her yard.

She had been a member of the Baptist Church since she was 10 years of age, and at the time of her death her membership was in Lutie Baptist Church.

Surviving Mrs. Morrow are her husband, C. B. Morrow; and two sons, Eugene Morrow of Hearne and H. C. Morrow of Wellington. Other survivors are a sister and two brothers; Mrs. Nellie Anderson of Melissa; B. O. Lindsey of Helensdale, Calif.; and Bryan Lindsey of McKinney. There are three grandchildren.

Massachusetts is known as the Bay State.

L. A. Winney, Pioneer Resident, Buried Here

John Ladell Winney, whose family was among the earliest settlers of Collingsworth county, died suddenly of a heart attack Friday, May 30, while visiting in the home of his sister and niece, Mrs. T. T. Fain and Mrs. Robert Oldham in Canyon.

His home had been in Tacoma, Washington, for many years, and he returned to Texas to visit relatives only a few weeks ago. He observed his 79th birthday April 29, while visiting his sister, Mrs. L. T. Alexander, here.

Funeral services were held here Sunday at 2:30 p. m. in First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Strauss Atkinson, Canyon, and the Rev. Russell Pogue officiating. Burial was in the Wellington cemetery.

Mr. Winney was a retired farmer and stockman.

He was born April 29, 1879, at Belton and came to the Indian Creek community with his family in 1892. He left here in 1908, but had returned many times to visit.

He had been a member of the Baptist Church since early in life.

Pall bearers were nephews, Earl Alexander, J. L. Alexander, Everett Fain, and R. R. Crawley, of Wellington, Robert Oldham and Watters Fain of Canyon.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Howard S. Stahle of Tacoma; two sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Fain; Mrs. Alexander; L. A. Winney of Denver, and T. A. Winney of Texhoma, Okla. There are two grandchildren.

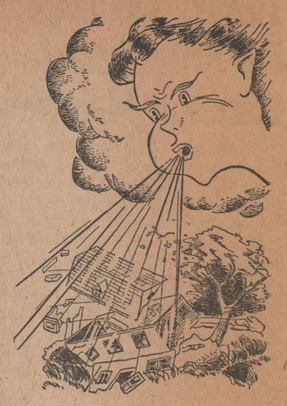
Mrs. Winney preceded him in death in August 1957.

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