

FUNERAL SERVICES SUNDAY FOR CARBON INFANT

Funeral services were held on Sunday for the infant daughter of Mr and Mrs W G Gray of Carbon. Rev Lee Fields conducted the services.

Interment was made in the Old Carbon Cemetery.

DESDEMONA NEWS

Reporter, Mrs. Ethel Keith

Mrs Iva Buchan is home again after spending several days in the Gorman Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Chubbie Foreman of Ranger visited the week end with her parents, Mr and Mrs Roy Guthery. Also a son, Mr and Mrs Rob Guthery of Ranger visited on Sunday with the Roy Gutherys.

Mr and Mrs Blackie Foreman of Ranger visited with her parents, Mr and Mrs Ferrel Lewis, the past week end.

Mrs Bob Carlton and son of Gorman is spending the week with her mother, Mrs J N Abernathy, and family.

Mrs Nina Lohman of Dallas was here a couple of days last week visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs Sally Eaton and Mrs Juanita Pilgrim spent the week end in Comanche with a son and uncle, Mr and Mrs Tom Eaton.

Mr and Mrs Bennie Northcutt of Rising Star spent Wednesday of last week with his parents, Mr and Mrs Tom Northcutt.

Mr and Mrs Jr Moore of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents, Mr and Mrs Floyd Moore, and her parents, Mr and Mrs Hyson Echols.

Mr and Mrs Kenneth Wittie and little daughter of Kermit are spending their vacation here with his mother, Mrs Lillie Wittie, and her parents, Mr and Mrs Scott Lemaster.

Mr and Mrs Alton Clagorn have been here visiting with old friends, the H H Williams, Raymon Joiners, John Arnolds, and others.

Miss Sharon Lou Echols, daughter of Mr and Mrs Hyson Echols, became the bride of Mr Jack Boyd, son of Mr and Mrs Orville Boyd, Sunday afternoon in a double ring ceremony.

Mrs G L Hooper and children, Ladona and Jerry, left Saturday for their home in Odessa after spending several days with her parents, Mr and Mrs M H Byrd.

OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS FOR WEEK OF JULY 2

John Ed Henderson of Fort Worth was a Sunday morning Church visitor.

Billy Hunton, who has been making his home with Mr and Mrs J E Daniels for the past several months, has gone to live with his father in El Paso.

A wedding shower was given last Friday night at the home of Mrs J E Daniels for the newly weds, Mr and Mrs Velton Moore. Games were played on the lawn. After the many beautiful gifts were opened and displayed, refreshments were served to almost the entire community and several families from other communities.

Clyde Setzler had the misfortune to step on a nail Saturday injuring his foot. He went to Gorman to the hospital Sunday for medical treatment.

Mrs J E Daniels spent two days last week with her daughter, Mrs Alvis Scitern, in the New Hope Community. They were dressing chickens for the frozen food locker.

Visiting with the O C Reids Friday of last week were her sister, Mrs C Pittman, and son Merl, and wife. Also Mr and Mrs Lyn May.

Mr and Mrs O C Reid visited Mr and Mrs Kenneth Locke at St Joe Thursday.

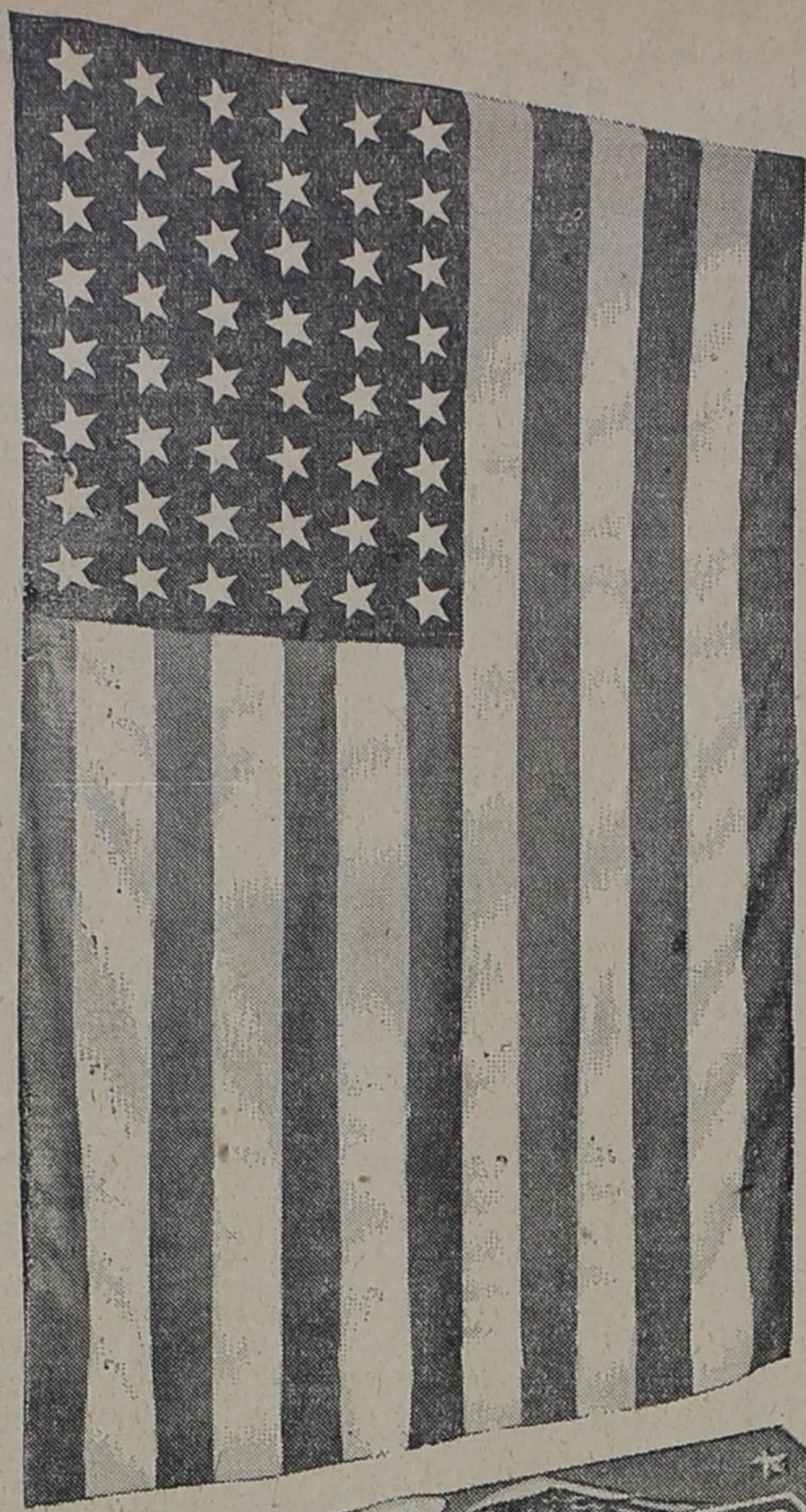
Mrs Arvil Setzler of De Leon was at church here Sunday morning. Her brother, Dearl Fuller, and family have been visiting her from Arizona. Also a cousin, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Fenwick and daughter of Monterey, California.

Mrs Bassed Hirst, Mrs Homer Richardson, Mrs Honnoll Watson, and Mrs Buel Bryan are planning to go to Breckenridge Thursday where they will spend the night with their sister, Mrs Harvey O'Neal. Accompanied by Mrs O'Neal they will go on to Crane for a visit of several days duration with another sister, Mrs Lula Brandon. (Have fun girls!)

Mr and Mrs J Q Eakin and Mr and Mrs Carl Stacy and baby have returned from a vacation trip.

Their tour took them across Texas and through four other states, Arkansas, Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma.

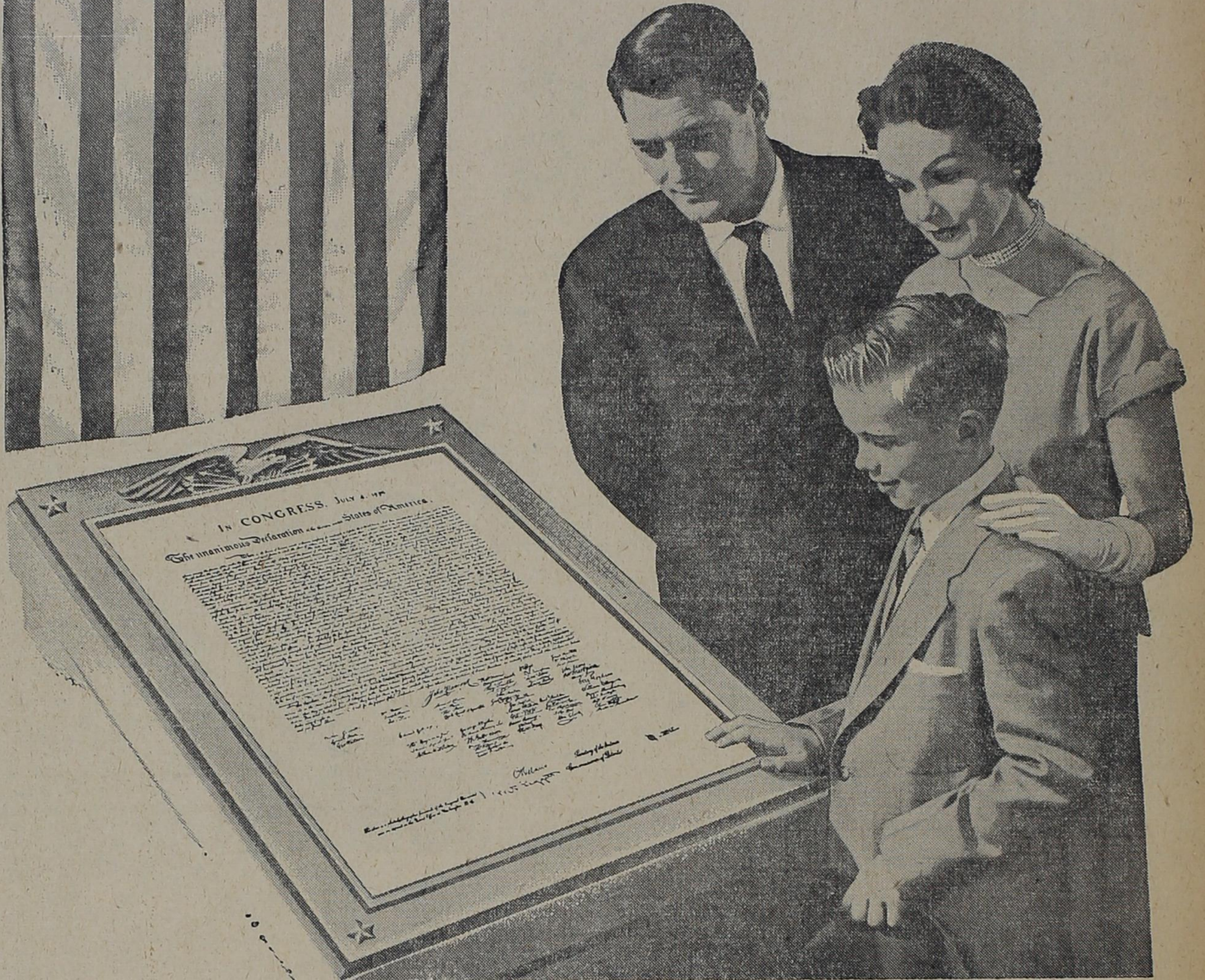
Mrs Eakin stopped over in Dallas to visit relatives as they were enroute home.



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"We hold these truths to be self evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness."

From the Declaration of Independence, adopted by the Continental Congress, July 4, 1776.



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The Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association is a cooperative Marketing Association, organized without capital stock and conducted on non-profit basis. Its charter was approved by the Secretary of State, September 2, 1937. From 1943 to September 1952, your Association operated as a Designated Agency of CCC, Designated by the Secretary of Agriculture, to help carry out the price support program. In September, 1952, your Association was released as a Designated Agency and has operated since as a true Cooperative.

The business and property of the Association is managed and controlled by a Board of six Directors. These Directors are elected by members of the Association, to carry on the activities of your Association in the interest of each individual farmer.

Membership to the Association is confined only to persons, firms, or cooperations engaged in the production of agricultural products, including owners, lessors, and the lessees of land used for the production of agricultural products. The voting power of each member in equal and every member has one vote.

During the period of 1943 to 1952, your Directors operated your Association under contract with the Government. Your Government paid your Association in fee, for helping carry out the price support program. Since 1952 your Association has not received any income. Your Association cannot continue to operate many years without income. Although your Association bought no peanuts in 1952, farmers were protected and there was a market available in all areas at loan price, \$216 per ton. In all probability this made all peanut farmers money and this service was provided without cost to the individual farmer or your Government. Since 1942 Peanut farmers have not had to worry about prices for peanuts. There has always been a market available at good prices.

Conditions are rapidly changing. Peanut programs don't just happen. Much work and expense

is involved. Individual farmers cannot form programs, provide markets, storage facilities, carry on research, etc; however, this can be done by working together through your cooperative.

Our Secretary of Agriculture, Mr Benson, has a tremendous job. He is calling on all groups to do things for themselves. This can only be done by working together in the interest of each other and our Nation. The one great problem which is confronting us now on peanuts is consumption. Exports are decreasing rapidly. Prices of all commodities are down.

More publicity must be carried on that we may gain new customers in increased population, and hold customers we now have. Research must be carried on. Quality must be improved. A Sound Conservation Program must be carried out by peanut producers in order to increase yield to compete with other areas.

Your Directors are trying to inform you through the Southwestern Peanut Growers' News on all phases of the peanut industry, that you may see the urgent need of working together, through your organization, to obtain a market at a fair price, at all times. With every peanut farmers help, we cannot fail, without your help little can be done. Join your Association. Invest \$1.00 in membership today. You are not obligated to sell through your Association. You are not liable for debts incurred by the Association. If the Association makes money in handling peanuts, Dividends must be paid you.

In 1942, the last year your Association operated as a true cooperative, your Directors borrowed approximately twenty-five million dollars and bought a large percent of the peanut crop. Peanut farmers were paid in dividends approximately four and one-half million dollars.

As to the future, our organization is resolved to increase its membership throughout the Southwest, offer marketing facilities where needed, maintain the price of peanut where they can be grown for a profit, and to offer every assistance possible to the peanut growers. The peanut farm

SUNNYSIDE



H D C ENJOY LUNCHEON AND SEE DEMONSTRATION

To discuss the place of vegetables in the diet, to teach the principles of cooking vegetables, learning to prepare vegetables and an accompaniment and learning how to serve vegetables attractively was the purpose of the demonstration given Thursday morning by the Cheaney H D Club leader, Mrs Bill Tucker, when the club met in the home of Mrs Gene Ferrell.

Menu prepared consisted of Irish potatoes, baked in oil, steamed whole carrots and Cauliflower, with Lemon-Butter sauce and whole wheat muffins. Other members brought salad, Lemon pie and the hostess served the fried chicken which completed the meal. The vegetables were arranged with sprigs of celery hearts, on a large platter.

After the luncheon, Mrs R W Gordon led the group in the weaving demonstration on basket making. Material used was red which the group ordered cooperatively.

Members who attended were Mrs Gordon, Mrs Moody, Mrs Jones, Mrs Tucker, two visitors, Mrs Ruby Blackwell and Mrs Ima Clark of Cisco, and the hostess, Mrs Ferrell.

Next meeting will be on Friday July 10, with Mrs Lena Jones as hostess.

er's success depends on cooperation. Keep your organization strong and ready to perform the vital tasks ahead. It is much easier to maintain a strong capable organization than it is to build one from the ground up when it becomes needed.

FRIENDLY LADIES MEET IN FAIRBETTER HOME

Members of the Friendly Ladies met in the home of their teacher, Mrs Milton Fairbetter, for their regular monthly meeting on Thursday last.

Those present enjoying the devotional, the fellowship, and refreshments were members and associate members: Mesdames Keith Whitt, J M Nix, Dean Kirk, Dorothy Hatcher, G C Acrea, J W Ramsey, Othel Clark, Jack Ramsey, James Jobe, Frank Rhymes, Ed Harrison, Miss Vibella Baker, and the hostess.

Investigations And Hearings On Imports Of Peanuts

On May 7, 1953 The Tariff Commission held a public hearing in Washington, D C to determine whether or not peanuts should be imported. The present law governing imports of peanuts and peanut products will expire June 30, 1953.

The Directors of Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association opposed lifting restrictions on imports on peanuts and peanut products, due to the fact we are now operating under strict acreage control through 1954 and it would be unjust to import peanuts that would disrupt the Price Support Program as now established by law through 1954.

The Department of Agriculture presented two lengthy briefs supported by voluminous statistics in which it was argued that peanut imports would adversely effect the peanut support program and would thrust upon the Commodity Credit Corporation unprecedented peanut investments. The USDA case presented by six government attorneys and consultants including George L Prichard.

Congressman Watt Abbitt of Virginia led the attack of the Virginia-Carolina growers and shellers as the hearings opened. Witnesses from that area who followed Mr Abbitt were Ben M Bird-

BASIC COMMODITIES

End-users have gone on record that peanuts should not be considered a basic commodity. (Why?) Basic commodities are supported by law, within the range of 75 - 90%-of-parity. Marketing Quotas if voted by 3/4 majority of farmers, will continue to be in effect through 1954 on peanuts.

Non-Basic Commodities are supported at a lower rate and to a great extent at the discretion of the Secretary of Agriculture.

What is a Basic Commodity? Peanuts are valuable as food, feed, and fiber. All parts of peanuts can be used, is it not basic? Compare peanuts with the other five Basic Commodities. Cotton, Tobacco, Rice, Corn, and Wheat.

National average - Price Support of Peanuts - \$237.60 per Ton

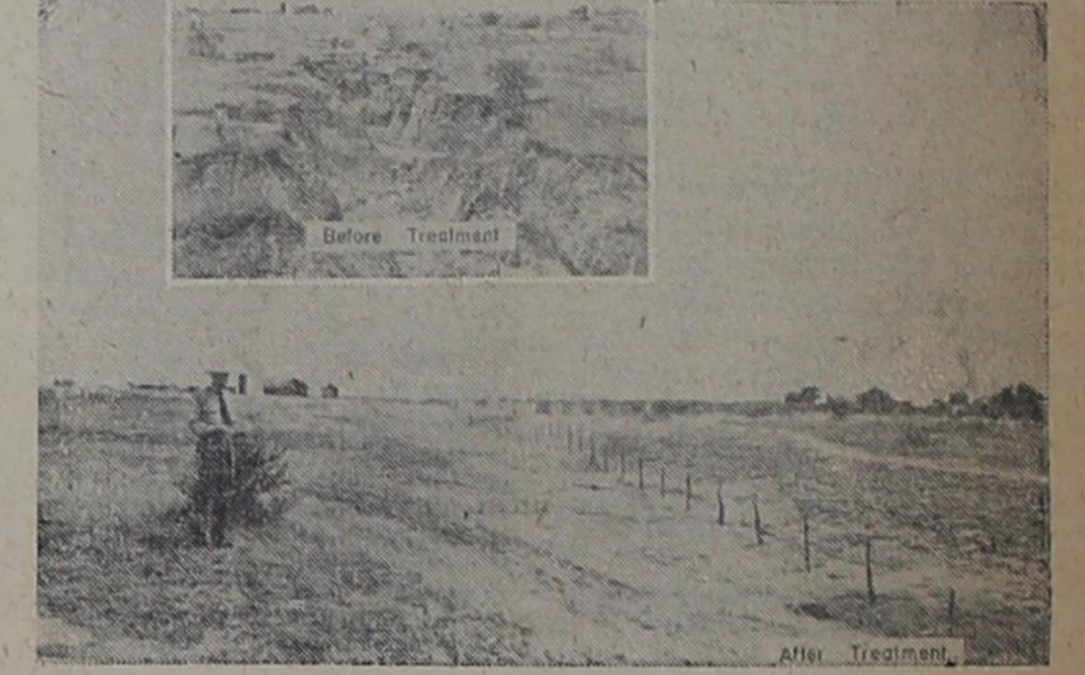
The U S Department of Agriculture has announced that price support will be available to producers in 1953, on farmers stock peanuts (70% SMK) merchantable at \$237.60 per ton. This is \$1.80 lower than national average last year (\$239.40) and \$5.60 above price support (\$232.00) for this area last year. Price support on peanuts in Southwest area will be approximately \$7.40 per ton less than the national average (237.60) as of March 15, 1953, which will give us a price support on Southwest peanuts of approximately

song, Tom Odom, W T Pond, Jr, and W V Rawlings.

Roy Parrish, representing the Southeastern shellers, endorsed the testimony of the Virginia group with regard to shelled and unshelled peanuts. In the 2nd section of his testimony, Mr Parrish asked the Commission to recommend the importation of peanut oil. Mike English presented a similar argument and pointed out the necessity of importing peanut oil because of current restrictions on peanuts for oil in this country.

The growers and shellers were unanimous in opposing importation of peanuts and presented many forceful points.

Watch Your Terraces



\$230.20 per ton. Don't let the National Average confuse you.

No announcement has been made yet as to how price support program will be carried out, methods of procedure will be announced later. In all probability to get price support, peanut farmers will be required to assume more individual responsibility, in order to make the price support program operate with maximum efficiency in 1953.

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CHEANEY NEWS
Reporter, Mrs. Bill Tucker

FOR WEEK OF JUNE 25

Several congregations were represented at the Sunday afternoon singing at the Church of Christ. Some of the visitors noted were the McClellans of Comanche, Ross Hines, Ike Butler and a group from Carbon, Mrs Palmer and others of Flatwood, the Bruce Laminacks and Mr and Mrs Files from Gorman, the Dee Rodgers and Leon of Alameda, also the Melva Loves of Alameda, Mrs Callie Lee, Mrs DeWitt Young of Ranger, Mr and Mrs M A Wooten, Dorothy, Zimrude, and Jimmy of Stephenville, the Earl Stricklers of Caddo.

Out of town visitors were Mr and Mrs Marvin Seward and Fern of Kermit, Misses Berle Blackwell, Jane Thompson of Lubbock, and Ray Blackwell from Quanah, Texas, and Dwight Love from Odessa, Texas.

A gospel meeting is announced for Cheaney beginning on Saturday night, July 18, continuing through Sunday night, July 26. Minister Bill Grasham of Abilene will do the preaching. A cordial invitation is extended to every person to come and ask your neighbors and friends to come out and enjoy these out-door services.

Mr and Mrs Thebert Jones made a recent visit with her mother, Mrs Clara Sherman, in the Ray Harrel home in Abilene. Mrs Sherman is improved from her illness of the past few weeks.

Mr and Mrs Carlos Clayton, Linda and David of Jacksboro, visited their friends, the Hatley Deans, during the week end.

Guy Sullivan and wife from Ranger attended church Sunday night at Cheaney. Guy is a nephew of former Cheaneyites, Mr and Mrs Carl Sullivan, who lived here several years.

It was pleasant to talk to the M A Wootens of Stephenville again. They are also former neighbors from near the Staff community and keep up with us through the news column.

Dee Rodgers and family visited the J D Rodgers, following the Alameda church services Sunday.

Mrs Aurthur Love and Mrs Eva Underwood of Alameda were callers in the John Tucker home one afternoon last week. Also Mr and Mrs Herbert Love of Odessa, who have been visiting for several days with his mother, Mrs Ann

WHITLEYS ATTEND PREMIER PICNIC

Mr and Mrs G W Whitley and Mr and Mrs J O Jackson attended the annual picnic and barbecue of the Premier Oil Company at Ranger Country Club on Saturday night.

Love, and other members of the family.

Visitors in the Bill Tucker home over the week end were cousins, Mr and Mrs Marvin Seward and their daughter, Miss Fern Seward of Kermit. The Seward were enroute home from a vacation trip to Richland Springs, Lampasas, Killeen, Cleburne, then Ranger, Eastland, and Abilene. Mr Seward is employed by Stanolin Oil and reports they have had higher temperatures and more high wind and sand than Eastland County. Hm-m-m

Mrs Etta Brittain of Graham has visited her sisters, Mrs Maud Dean, Mrs Sophie Freeman, and Mrs Jennie Kimbrough, who is, at this reporting, a patient in the Ranger hospital.

The Monroe Ainsworth family spent Friday night in Ranger with the grandmother, Mrs Victoria Smith. Virginia Strickler of Caddo, visited LaVerne Ainsworth Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Bill Grasham took dinner with the Elmer Blackwell family on Sunday, then supper with the Guy Sullivans in Ranger. Bill and Guy are former classmates in Abilene Christian College.

Mrs Horace T Miller and small daughter Olene of Hobbs, N M visited her sister, Miss Betty Tucker, John and Ellen Tucker during the past week. She also visited the Ann Love family, accompanied by Mrs Claude Tucker and Mrs Ima Howard of Ranger. Tom Tucker and son, Jimmy of Artesia New Mexico, have also visited relatives here the past week.

Loresta Dale Wallace and Martha Gale Love, spent part time last week with a cousin, Joy Love. The H A Nergers of Alameda were Cheaney church visitors on Sunday night, also Cicero Rogers and the Willis Blackwell family.

Orchids to Mrs Eunice Love - who always brings joy to shut-in family, the John Tuckers, each week - does this in the form of a delicious cake, or other items of nutritive value. These people deeply appreciate this thoughtful ness.

BURLESON GIVES SUMMARY OF 1953 QUESTIONNAIRE

Congressman Omar Burleson has mailed to various publications the resulting summary of the 19-53 Questionnaire mailed to 43,897 constituents and published numerous weekly or daily papers.

The report is on the 7720 questionnaires returned to the Congressman. They were sent to 12 counties. Burleson mailed 6150 to Eastland County. Only 927 were returned.

Note the figures. Counting the newspaper reprints of the Questionnaire an estimated not less than 75,000 would have reached the people of the 17th Congressional District. This should make the average citizen think only 10% interested enough to put their views in writing with only a few checks of the pencil.

The following is taken from the complete report which may be seen at the Gorman Progress:

Eastland County answers to the questionnaire parallels the totals of the 12 counties and these figures are for Eastland County.

1. (a) Reduce taxes only if budget can be balanced. 456.
(b) Leave taxes as are to balance budget and pay off debt. 326.
(c) Reduce taxes immediately regardless. 145

2 Majority for equal reduction in percentage of personal income taxes.

3 Majority for increased limitation on earnings to draw Social Security.

4 Majority 7 to 2 for turning governmental authority to States.

5 Majority favors government getting out of business competing with private enterprise.

6 Majority, app 31, favor Hoover Commission recommendation for government reorganization.

7 Majority, very small, against industry-wide bargaining.

8 Majority, near 3 to 1, favor outlawing "Union Shop."

9 Majority, appx 8 to 1, would obligate Union to publish financial reports.

10 Majority, 5 to 1-plus, favor continued military support of Western Europe.

11 Majority, more than 10 to 1, favor more strict immigration laws.



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OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS
Reporter, Mrs. C. E. Atchison

FOR WEEK OF JUNE 25

Sunday morning church visitors were Mr and Mrs Glen Vickers and daughters of Leuders, Darlene and Delores Henderson of Ft Worth, Mrs Wesley Kimmell, Mrs Sarah Wilson, and Mrs Milton Underwood and children. Visitors Sunday night were Mr and Mrs Frank Hagood of Gorman.

Rev Dixie Clement and family were luncheon guests in the G W Pinson home Sunday.

Mrs Rex Kinser from this community has been helping out as a faculty member in a vacation Bible school at Midway Baptist Church. Pupils attending the school from here were the Kinser children, Margaret and Ray, Roger Woodall, and Linda Bryan.

Mrs Homer Richardson attended the singing school last week at De Leon that was taught by Rev Ernest Rippetoe.

Mr and Mrs Bruce Hirst and son, Derrell Wayne of Gorman, were Sunday visitors of his parents, Mr and Mrs B A Hirst.

Recent visitors in the Arthur Bryan home were Mr and Mrs Travis Wallis and daughters of Phillips, Texas and a niece of Mr Bryans from Arizona.

Guests of Mr and Mrs Buel Bryan Saturday night were Mr and Mrs Norman Woodall and Margaret. Ray and Roger; Mr and Mrs Rex Kinser and children; Jackie Abbe, and Glenda Sue Wallis.

Visitors in the Norman Woodall home Sunday, June 14 were, the Rex Kinser family, Mr and Mrs Ben Koonce and daughter, Mr and Mrs Fountain Woodall, Mr Jim Stacy and Mr Stacy's niece from California.

The children of Mr D L Bond, who visited him on Father's Day, with their families were, Mrs Harvey O'Neal of Breckenridge, Mrs

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RETIRED ARMY COLONEL WILLIAM G PURDY ATTENDS HANKINS REUNION

Among the most distinguished Ex-Students to attend the Hankins College Reunion Sunday, June 7 at the new High School Auditorium was Colonel William G Purdy who on April 30th was retired from the United States Army after having served 39 years. The Colonel began his advancement as an officer after being in the service three years. Purdy had been Provost Marshal all of the Fifth Army for three years previous to his retirement. The Journal, a military publica-

Bassed Hirst, Mrs Florence Richardson, Mrs Honnoll Watson, and Mrs Buel Bryan. Mrs Lula Brandon of Crane was unable to be present. Friends who came were Mr and Mrs Lloyd Glasson and son, Lloyd Wayne of Desdemona.

The Parker and Atchison families enjoyed an outing together at Frank A Gray Memorial Park on Sunday. Those present were Mrs Anna Atchison and Mr and Mrs Irby Mauney and son of Goldswaite; Mr and Mrs G H Parker, Mr and Mrs C G Jenkins and daughters; Mr Alvin Parker and son, and Miss Martha Harrison, all of De Leon; Mr and Mrs Harvey Parker and children, Mrs G H Porter and children and Mr J M Parker, all of Gorman, and Mr and Mrs Dewey Lindley, Mr and Mrs Roy Parker, and Mr and Mrs Charlie Atchison and Anna Jean from this community.

All the children of Mr and Mrs C C Setzler were with their parents here on Father's Day with the exception of Mr and Mrs Velt Setzler of Monohans and Wayne, who is somewhere in Korea.

Visiting Mr and Mrs E P Gregory Saturday night were Mrs Maude Cogburn and Mr and Mrs Roy Parker and children.

Mr and Mrs Jack Adcock called on Mr and Mrs Roy Parker Sunday afternoon.

Mrs H H Tomilson and son, Tommy, came from Hamilton on Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr and Mrs O C Reid.

Little Mike Stewart, son of Mr and Mrs A J Stewart of Robinson Springs celebrated his fifth birthday Sunday. Those attending the celebration from here were his grandparents, Mr and Mrs Garland Perry, and uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs E P Gregory.

tion says of him, "Recognized as one of the Army's best known leaders in the field of military law and order." He wrote a study in staff relationship and functions of military police, which is considered instrumental in bringing the MPC to its present stature.

Colonel Purdy has some twenty medals and ribbons to his credit included among which are Distinguished Service Medal, Legion of Merit and Bronze Star Medal. A native of Gorman he was born in 1891. At present he with his family live in Chicago. Two sons have made West Point. A third son and a son-in-law were war casualties.

His parents are Mrs Jim Purdy of Sulphur Springs and the late Jim Purdy who passed away in 1941.

A most colorful part of the Colonel's career was his mission in the Pacific Theater and Provost Marshall on MacArthur's Staff when his police beat reached from Japan to the southern tip of Australia.

An impromptu speaker at the Hankins College Reunion on Sunday Purdy in speaking of his education credit his success at State University and West Point largely to the foundations and principles instilled in him by the teachers at Hankins Normal College.

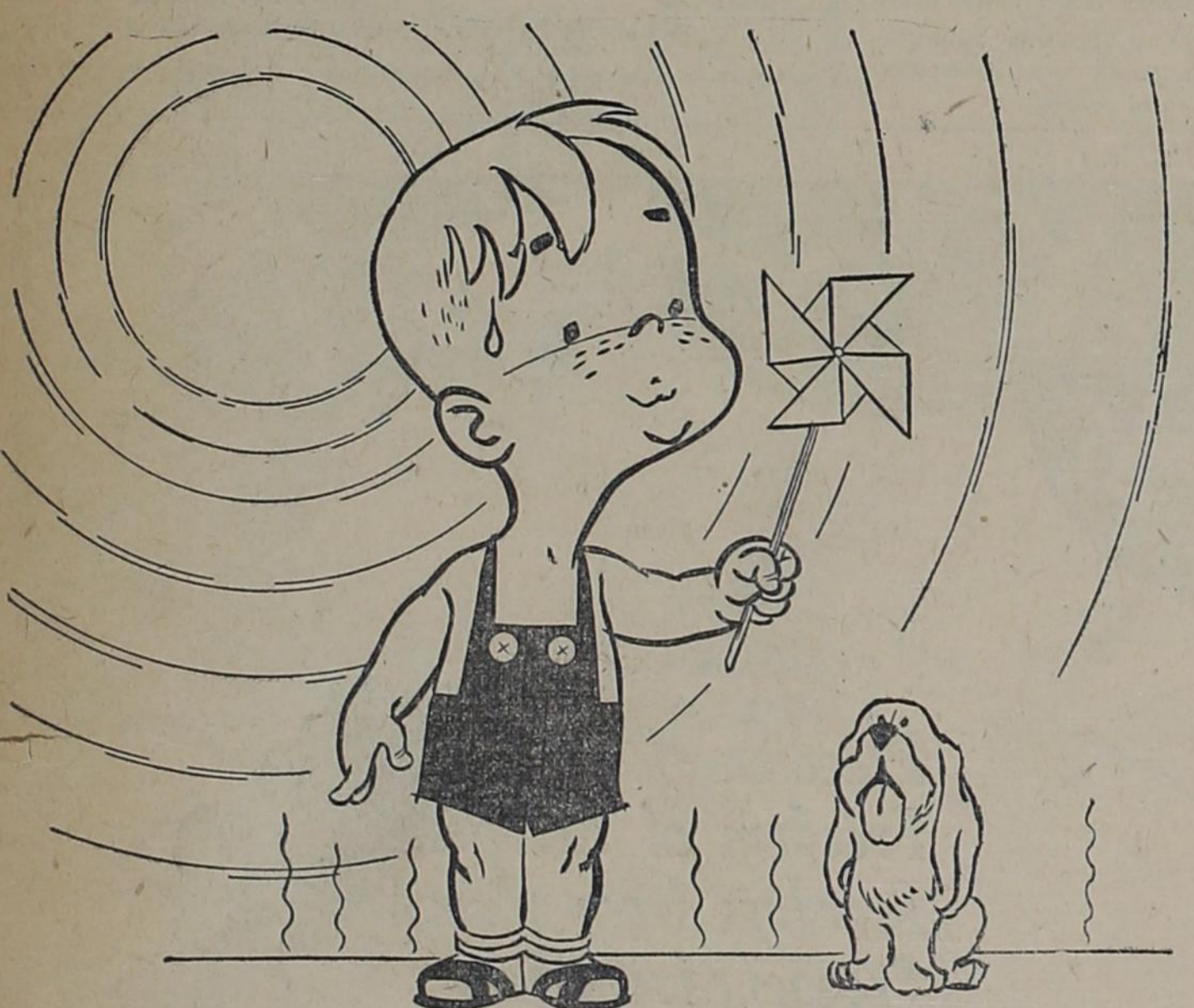
In company with Colonel Purdy and having rooms at the Gorman Hotel were his mother and Miss Ethel Purdy, and Mr and Mrs Aubrey Purdy of Dallas.

J A BAZE FAMILY HAVE REUNION AT PARK

Members of the J A Baze family with their children met in the Frank A Gray Park on Sunday for their reunion and picnic dinner.

Those present were Mr and Mrs J A Baze and the children, with their families, Mr and Mrs Earl Baze of California, Mr and Mrs Clarence Baze of Dallas, Mr and Mrs J B Baze of Fort Worth, Mr and Mrs Graydon Baze of Boling, Texas, Mr and Mrs Ray Neal Baze of Carbon, Mr and Mrs Mavis Baze of Montana, and Mrs A C Andry and children of Ralls, Texas. With Mrs Baze's mother, Mrs J B Carter, and also a brother to Mrs Baze, Mr J F Carter of Fort Worth, and Mrs Carter.

All of the Baze Brothers are veterans of the armed services.



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Rain Breaks Heat Wave - Brightens Prospects

Who ever saw it rain in Gorman in June? Well, we have. In the town vicinity the small amount of rain, 5/8 inch, would have been negligible in normal times. But times had failed to be normal in the protracted drouth.

So the rain despite the small amount has been declared to be worth a million dollars. Certainly it has turned many frowns to smiles. It will probably ruin all the little peas and beans and even some of the peanuts because it will make big ones out of the little ones.

Rain over the county, however, varies from 1/2 inch to near three inches. And it could be the heavy rains to the north and west would bring down enough flow to bring the springs out of the hills.

It is true the rain is too late for the past but it is fine for the future.

Card of Thanks

We want to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the doctors, nurses, and all other hospital attendants and our many good friends for your kindness and the many ways you helped us during the illness and death of our loved one. Your visits, your cards, and your prayers have been a comfort to us.

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LAKE CISCO PLANS CELEBRATION 4TH

Starting at 9 a m both July 4th and 5th, Lake Cisco is planning its biggest holiday week end in many years. The chief attraction will be the huge Lake Cisco swimming pool, 300 by 430 in size. It is the nation's largest man-made, outdoor pool.

A Mystery prize will be awarded the adult-ticket-buyer who guesses closest to the total number of adult tickets sold on July Fourth.

Swimming races are scheduled for 2:30 P M on July 4th in three classes: Junior High, Senior High and Open. If sufficient interest develops, girls' races will be staged.

Additional prizes will be offered for the largest family in swimming, the swimmer whose home is the farthest from Cisco, and for the swimmer wearing the oldest bathing suit.

Besides swimming, other stellar attractions are roller-skating, miniature golf, kiddie rides and a big carnival with rides for adults. A feature of Lake Cisco park that impresses most visitors is the fact that so many attractions are offered while parking free, and all these attractions are so near. There is ample parking space, free tables and a few barbecue pits. Nothing is reserved; it's a case of "first come - first served."

Swimmers like the big pool because they say that they are not "fenced-in" like in smaller pools. The pool and skating rink are operated by Cisco Post No 123 of the American Legion as a community project. Any profits are spent on pool and rink maintenance and expansion.

Fireworks at 9 P M will climax the July Fourth festivities.

90 M Y F'ers Enjoy Worship And Fun At Sub-District Meet

More than ninety members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship and Junior M Y Fers with their sponsors enjoyed two hours of worship and fun at the Methodist Church on Monday evening.

There were five churches represented: Carbon, De Leon, De-Leon Circuit, Dublin, and Gorman.

The Gorman group conducted the worship service which was followed by a brief business session. New Pastors in the district were presented and each responded with an appreciation of his new church.

Charades portraying Biblical events were given by each group entitled Samson and Delilah, Daniel in the Lion's Den, The Good Samaritan, Jesus in the Temple, and David Slays the Giant.

Refreshments were served in the annex after which those present sang "Climbing Jacob's Ladder" and then joined in the Friendship Circle for prayer and parting.

TSTA SEEK SPECIAL SESSION SALARIES OR SHORTAGES OF TEACHERS CONTINUES

Officials of the Texas State Teachers Association have asked Governor Shivers to call a special session of the Texas Legislature to increase the teacher's salaries through state revenue without raising local property tax.

Bob Proffer, president of the TSTA and former state senator, wired the Governor, "Our schools are facing a critical shortage of teachers and the failure to alleviate this shortage will work undue hardship on the 1,650,000 children of school age in Texas. The Legislature was never allowed to consider a tax bill. Administration leaders refused to consider any pay raise bill that did not call for an increase in local property taxes and for eliminating some services in our Gilmer-Aiken school program.

The fact is the Legislature approved the raise of \$600 but nothing has been done to finance the raise.

Teachers and college graduates with teaching qualifications are passing up the teaching profession with WAGES for a job with a salary.

Mr and Mrs Gail Bennett, Herman Bennett, and Mr and Mrs B E Wilson have returned from a trip to Hot Springs, Arkansas.

CHEANEY NEWS FOR WEEK OF JULY 2

The inside of the Cheaney Church of Christ has been given a new coat of paint in a soft sea-foam green, the past week. The members doing the work-themselves, in readying the building for the meeting which begins on July 18 and continues through the 26th. Minister Bill Grasham of Abilene in charge.

Vacation Bible School has been the past week's activity at the Baptist Church. Thursday nights speaker was a returned missionary from overseas, with a record attendance to hear the lecture.

House guests in the Joe Butler home from Wednesday until Sunday were Mr and Mrs Kay Gillispie and children, Mary Helen, Donald and Paul from Dallas, Mr and Mrs Ralph Gillispie of Me-Camey and their daughter, Mrs Troy Abbott, and baby from Clovis, New Mexico.

Counting the cars parked around the parental J L Yancey home at Alameda on Sunday, its our guess that all the children were there for the day - the twins, J L and wife, and J T from Fort Worth. Mrs Eunice Gregory and family from Lubbock, and

Ike and Sam and their families of nearby Salem community.

Mrs Bonnie Goswick of Odessa visited her sister, Mrs Lottie Ainsworth, and family on Sunday.

Recent visitors in the Jack Revel home were Mr and Mrs W E Smallwood and daughter, Tommie of Odessa, also Mrs Yvonne Revel and children.

Nieces of Mrs Maud Dean, who visited her on Sunday were Mrs Hazel Jankowick and Joe, Betty Frank Weeks and a friend, Peggy Tully, all of Midland.

Minister and Mrs Bill Grasham were dinner guests of the J D Rogers on Sunday.

Recent visitors in the Ann Love home were Mr and Mrs Dave Love of Odessa. They returned to Lubbock Friday, accompanied by his mother, who will stay a few days.

Mr and Mrs John Love also made the trek to Lubbock to attend the National Cotton Council being held there. Mrs Belle Blackwell accompanied them for a visit with her daughter, Mrs Cora Love and family. The John Loves continued their vacation trip to the Davis Mountains.

Doc Brian of Ranger made a short call in the home of his

WOMAN'S STUDY CLUB MEETS IN HOME OF PREXY

The Woman's Study Club met in the home of its President, Miss Orella Pulley.

Things discussed were the Bathing Beauty Revue to be held during the Indian Trail Festival. Many local girls will be chosen with many of the neighboring towns represented.

The men's contest, similar to the one that was held last year is planned, so you good looking men start planning now to strut your stuff again this year.

The Float was discussed that will be in the Parade this year and Mrs G L Whitley was voted into the Club.

cousin, Mrs Mattie Moody, Thursday.

Mr and Mrs Billy A Tucker and Garland of Jal, New Mexico spent from Friday until Wednesday with the parental Fred Joiners at Gorman and the Bill Tuckers at Cheaney.

Helen Blackwell went home from church with Rita Underwood. Charlene Blackwells guest was Jessie Underwood for the afternoon.

VACATIONERS COME AND GO

Ernestine Todd has returned from her vacation in Groveton where she visited her aunt, Mrs Ben De La Foss, Mr De La Foss, and Mr and Mrs Earney Todd and Mr and Mrs D O Munn and Gene went to Groveton on Sunday to bring her home.

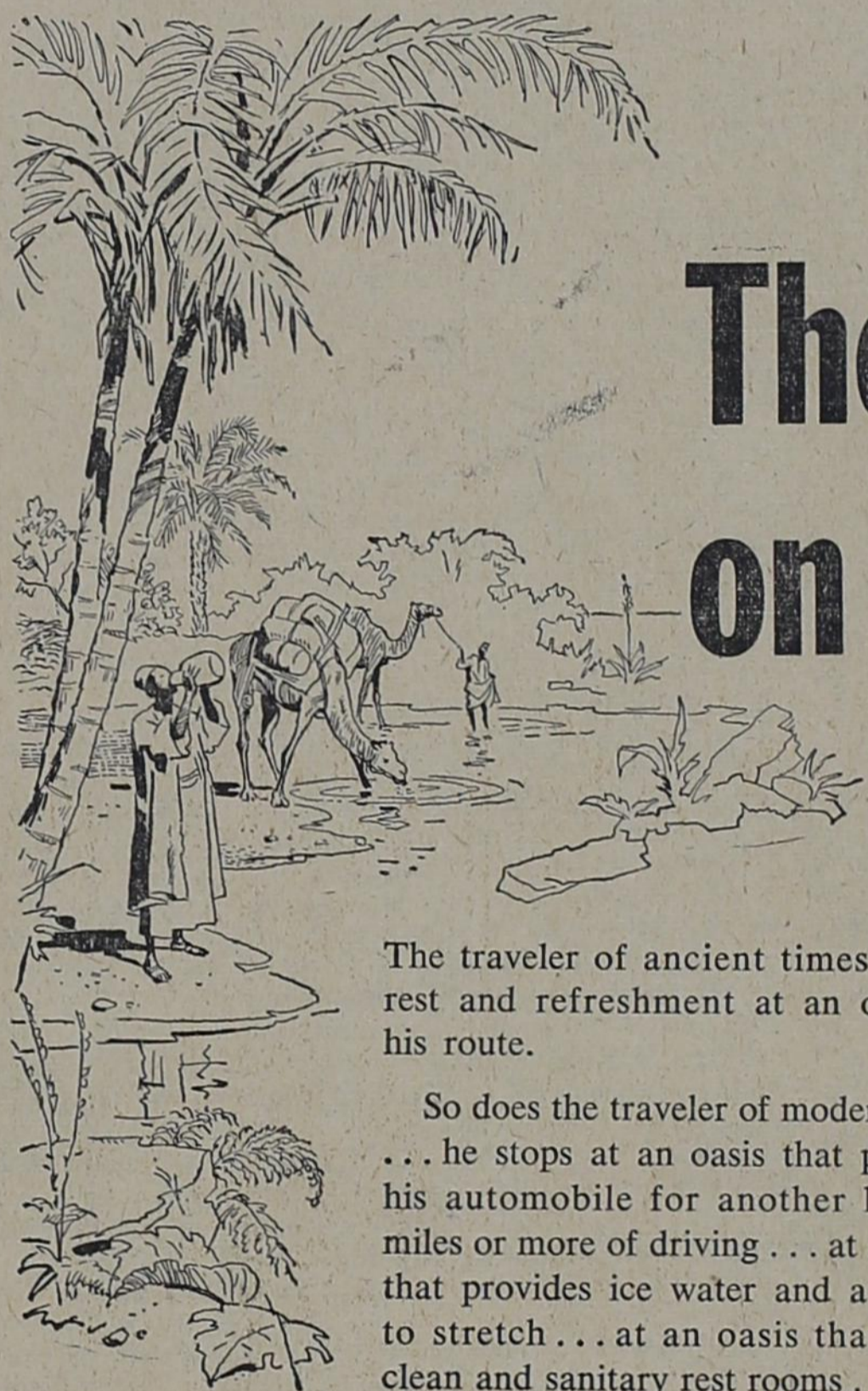
Mr and Mrs Keith Whitt and Robert left last Friday for a vacation along the Gulf Coast and in the State of Georgia. Tomatine who attended camp at Glen Rose last week joined them on Friday morning.

Mr and Mrs J W Ramsey, Kay Ann and Carole, left on Wednesday for the Coast where they will spend their two weeks vacation.

Mr and Mrs Bill Parr left Monday for a months visit with her mother in North Carolina.

J W Ramsey's brother, Bob, and family of Morenci, Arizona arrived on Tuesday and joined the Ramsey's for their trip to the coast.

Mr and Mrs S E Cloninger planned to leave on Wednesday for Louisiana.



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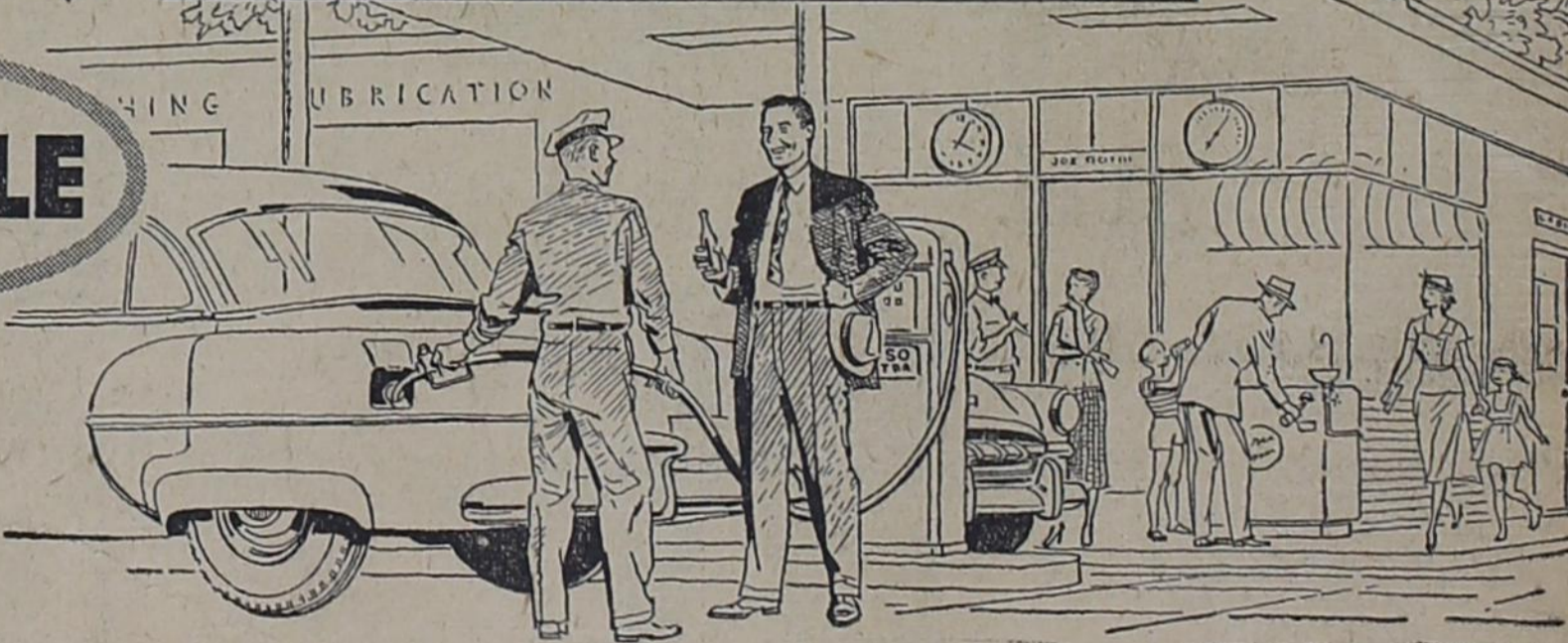
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Mrs. Shugart Marks 36th Year Of Photography CLOSERS FOR SUMMER

Mrs L A Shugart is this summer marking her 36th anniversary as a photographer. She is closing her studio for the rest of the summer season and joining her son, Beebe (W H) Shugart, on his show circuit.

Seeing no fun in loafing, she is joining the company as a book-keeper and something of a business manager.

However she, unlike her son, is not leaving photography but expects to be behind the camera when fall closes in.

In an interview Mrs Shugart recalled how she had first met her husband, the late L A Shugart. As Zona Kinney, daughter of Mrs H A Kinney and the late H A Kinney, she had returned home from San Marcos College where she was majoring in art.

Mr Shugart of Dublin was in town making pictures. Like many photographers he had learned about developing acid in his four years as a druggist at Dublin.

Her marriage and her career were immediately in the making as soon as she had met Mr Shugart.

The towns which the Shugarts made pictures in stretch from coast to coast. Many of the Texas towns they made annually prior to the demise of the husband several months past.

The years saw much development in their art. Before achieving ultimate success in oil portrait photography Mrs Shugart attended a school of photography in California where she learned the fine points of photo coloring.

Living on the road for the greater part of their married life Mrs Shugart feels confident despite their much going from school to school that their children have a well-rounded education.

Their children are L A Jr, who has a photography studio in Levelland, Mrs Doris (G W) Bryan, who has a studio in Wichita Falls and Beebe (W H) Shugart, who recently deserted photography for the show business.

A visit to Mrs Shugart's studio will reveal life-like and glamorous portraits of many Gorman folk.

Mrs Doyle Burchfield of Cross Plains has been attending her husband at the local hospital. She attended the local Methodist Church on Sunday. Rev Thrash formerly pastored the Cross Plains Church where she is a member.

Graydon Baze Gets High School Post

Graydon Baze, son of Mr and Mrs J A Baze, is the new high school principal succeeding Ross Wilson, who was elevated to the superintendency.

Baze is one of the six Baze brothers all of whom have made careers creditable to their hometown of Gorman. He is a brother to Mrs A C Andry, the former Dorothy Baze.

The new principal begins his work with five years teaching to his credit, two years in Denison and two at Boling. His third year he had been elected to the Boling staff but his Army Reserve status sent him as an instructor in the Armed Forces to England.

Having worked as a classroom teacher and assistant coach, Baze took his B A and his M A Degrees from the Southwestern State Teachers College in San Marcos, the latter in August 1952.

Many folks will remember Gorman's winning football team of 1940 when Graydon and Jack Crawley carried the pigskin inevitably effectually. Football is in the Baze blood as will be shown from their records at Gorman High. It was in San Marcos, however, that Graydon rated as the outstanding basketball star.

A Master Sergeant in the Army Baze is a veteran of World War II.

Mrs Baze is also a homemaker, the former Johnnie Mae Capers, daughter of Mr and Mrs L E Capers. The young son is called "Joe Ed." He is a third grader. Congratulations to the school board for what we believe to be a good selection and a welcome home to Graydon, Johnnie and Joe Ed.

STANLEY PORTERS SPEND VACATION IN EL PASO

Mr and Mrs Stanley Porter and Sue Clement have returned from a vacation trip to El Paso where they visited with their daughter, Mrs Dwayne Clement and Pfc Clement.

Going by way of Colorado City and Andrews they visited with relatives and friends. And while enroute they went to Carlsbad Cavern.

In El Paso and Juarez they enjoyed seeing many sights of Old Mexico.

Returning via Monohans they visited with other relatives.

Gordon Claitor of Dublin and family visited with his brother, J C Claitor, and Mrs Claitor on Sunday.

PERSONALS

L A Noell of Oklahoma City and Mrs Noell are visiting his sister, Mrs Joe McNeely, and Mr McNeely.

Mrs Tom Eldridge and Jana was delayed from a week end visit with her parents, Mr and Mrs McNeely when Mr Eldridge happened to an accident crushing his foot.

Mr and Mrs T D Taylor of Newberry, California visited Mr and Mrs J A Baze and Mrs Craig Smith this week.

Mr and Mrs Billy C Pittman are visiting relative and friends in Gorman this week.

Mary Beth Watson has returned from a visit in Dallas with Sylvia Enloe.

Mr and Mrs Glen Mehaffey and children visited in Gorman last week. They are liking Big Spring fine.

Minnie Beth Brightwell is visiting with her sister, Mrs Gerald Hale, and family in Denver City. Myrna Sue is visiting her sister and family, Mrs Joe Ormsby. Jimmy Brightwell is visiting in Ballinger with Mrs James Wright and family.

Mr and Mrs James McCoy attended a family reunion at Brady during the week end.

Mr and Mrs Doyle Ward of Clute, Texas visited with her father, E L Dennis, and Mrs Dennis on Sunday night.

G L Whitley visited with Bob Love in Dallas during the week end.

Mr and Mrs J W Ramsey have returned from a trip to the coast.

Mr E E Rachel, Jimmy Ray Rachel, Dwayne Watson, and Joe Broom were in Dallas on Thursday.

Pamela Underwood of Kermit visited with Bobbie Jean Rachel last week end.

Mrs W H Dean and daughter, Virginia Ann of Big Spring, are visiting with Mr and Mrs C O Revels and David.

Mr and Mrs Milton Fairbetter, Milton Jr and Manning visited with the Bob Chapman family in Fort Worth on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs G C Denton of Artesia, New Mexico and children are visiting her mother and sister, Mrs Ethel Harrell and Mrs Alec Phillips, and Mr Phillips.

Jack Sims will arrive this week from Odessa to visit his sister and mother, Mrs Charles Underwood and Mrs W M Sims. Mrs Sims will return with him to Odessa for an extended visit.

Mr and Mrs Jack Powers and children of Beaumont are visiting with Dr and Mrs T G Jackson.

DUSTER ROCK BLUFF NEWS Reporter, Mrs Ernest Johnson

Rock Bluff Baptist Church had a good attendance and some visitors. Sunday is regular Church day also evening singing and prayer meeting every Wednesday night.

Church of Christ and Duster Baptist had a fair attendance.

Miss Billie Bruce of Ft Worth became the bride of Bill Coan of this community last Saturday, June 27th at Cleburne. This community wishes for them a long and happy life together.

We regret to report Mrs Irvin

Miss Vergie Shaw and Mrs Hulton Pullig visited in Eastland and Ranger on Saturday.

Mr and Mrs J L Glasson had some of their children home on vacation from West Texas visiting them. Mr and Mrs R C Glasson and family of Lamesa, Mr and Mrs Dale Glasson of Baird, Myrna Sue is visiting her sister and family, Mrs Joe Ormsby. Jimmy Brightwell is visiting in Ballinger with Mrs James Wright and family.

Norman and Dorothy Anglin have returned to Gorman and are re-opening their shoe repair shop.

Mr and Mrs George West of Gorman had as their guest Sunday their daughter, Mrs George Moore of Aspermont, and their granddaughter and husband, Mr and Mrs Jack M Swartout of Austin. Also their son and family, Darwin West, Mrs West and children, James and Janet of Morton Valley, and Mrs Ernest Norris.

Visiting Hugh Baskin and Miss Dora Baskin the week end were Mr and Mrs Roy Baskin and Roy Lee, Mr and Mrs Fred Yonker and children from Rio Grande City.

Mrs W T Maynard spent the evening of June 1 with her daughter, Mrs Edward Roberts.

The Roberts children have the measles.

Vernon Warren and family spent Sunday at Pumpkin Center with C C Raspberry and family.

Mrs W T Maynard and little grandsons, Bobby and Lyndon Maynard, spent Thursday with her daughter and family, the Vernon Warrens.

Mrs Gus Ogle of Gorman spent last week end in Goldthwaite with her sister who is ill.

Melvin Maynard of Center Point and his three sons visited his parents, the W T Maynards, and his brother, Ray Maynard, Sunday.

Bryl Gene Warren spent Wednesday night with Bobby and Lyndon Maynard at the home of his grandma Maynards.

Charlie Petree and wife of Cisco and Mrs W T Eaton and son of Eastland visited her parents, the W T Maynards, Friday night.

W T Maynard spent last week with his son, Truman Maynard, and family in Eastland.

Mrs Thelma Raspberry and daughter, Ruth of Pumpkin Center, visited her parents, the W T Maynards, Monday.

Truman Maynard and family of Eastland visited his parents, the W T Maynards, Monday night.

BIRTHS

Zenna Lynn Rice born to Mr and Mrs J T Rice of Woodson June 18th weighed 7 pounds and 6 ounces.

Randy Newman Hogue born to Mr and Mrs Charles Billy Hogue on June 24 weighed 7 pounds and 7 ounces.

Roger William Isley born to Mr and Mrs Warren Ellsworth Isley of Route 1, Rising Star on June 25 weighed 7 pounds and 6 ounces.

Patrician June Varner born to Mr and Mrs Delmar Lloyd Varner of Benbrook on June 29 weighed 6 pounds and 11 ounces. Mrs Varner is the former Billie Maxine Putty.

Gary Michael Huddleston born to Mr and Mrs Bobby Neal Huddleston on June 29 weighed 6 pounds and 15 ounces.

Pamela Jo Lane born to Mr and Mrs Robert I Lane of Custine on June 30 weighed 8 pounds and 15 ounces.

FRANK FRASIER'S ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF HAROLD RON

Mr and Mrs Frank Frasier of Midland have announced the birth of their new son, Harold Ron Frasier, born at Blackwell Hospital on June 26th. Young Harold has been named for his Uncle, Harold Dillinder, of the United States Air Force.

Mrs Frasier is the former Louise Dillinder, daughter of Mr and Mrs L H Dillinder, the maternal grandparents. The paternal grandparents are Mr and Mrs I F Frasier of Duster.

Frasier is in the Gorman hospital. But she is doing fine after an appendectomy.

Mr and Mrs Frank Frasier of Midland are the proud parents of a baby boy born at the Gorman Hospital.

Misses Linda Terry, Lynda Boswell, and Mary Lou spent Friday night and Saturday with Audrey Gray and enjoyed a slumber party.

Joy Martin of Galveston is visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs Jim Smith, a few days.

Mr and Mrs Hip Franks, Mrs Mary Winkles and girls, Mr and Mrs Cyrus Kinnard, Miss Nelda Coan and Jay Franks of Ft Worth enjoyed Sunday on a picnic in Glen Rose.

Mr Ernest Johnson accompan-

ied Mr Jim Norton of Comanche and Mr Stanley Cozby of Abilene on a few days fishing trip in Mexico.

Mike Barnes of Fort Worth and Phillip Brewer of San Angelo grandsons of Mr and Mrs George Scott, spent the week with them.

Mr and Mrs S N Haynes and daughters, Mary, Martha, and Patsy of Rising Star, and Miss Clyde Coan of Brownwood visited Mr and Mrs Will Haynes Sunday. They also visited their sister, Mrs Irvin Frasier, who is ill in the Gorman hospital.

Mrs Frank Prentice of Whitney who has been spending the week with her sister, Mrs Will Haynes, returned home Friday. Mrs Prentice recently underwent major surgery at the De Leon Hospital.

Mrs John and Mrs Walter Henderson of Gorman and May spent last Tuesday with their niece, Mrs Will Haynes.

Mr and Mrs J C Holland and children of Denver City are spending a few days with her parents, Mr and Mrs Carl Graham.

Mr and Mrs Doyle Ward of Clute, Texas, Mrs Wayne Pimentata of McGregor, and Mr and Mrs Sam Broom of Gorman spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Alfred Thompson and family.

Mr and Mrs N D Graham and son of Stephenville visited his parents, Mr and Mrs Carl Graham, Sunday.

Mrs Lindsey Hodges of DeLeon has been visiting her son, Mr and Mrs J B Hodges, this week.

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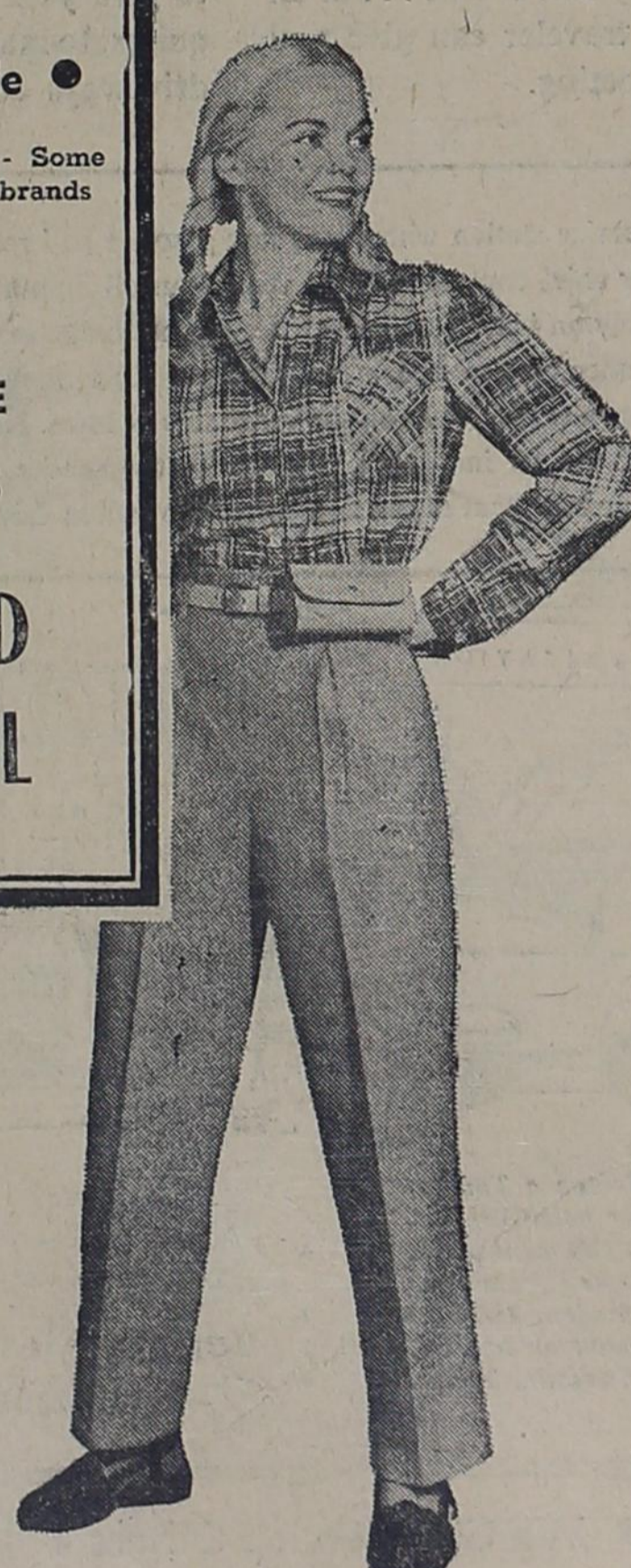


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