

NEWS FROM LAWDALE

I. B. Wharton of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Neill of Odessa and Mrs. Glenn Jordan of Kokomo visited Susie Wharton.

Ava Taylor and Rosa Taylor of Cisco and Mrs. W. Griffith of Carban visited Mae Jones.

Leola Keith of De Leon visited Lola Smith.

Renee Townley, Mae Richardson and Molly Dean of Gorman visited Eva Stout and Pearl Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Nubb and Jim of Floydada visited Eva Stout and Pearl Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith of Midland visited Etha Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. and J. C. Watson of Gorcee visited Betty Richburg.

Jessie and Ora Mae Atchison of Gorman visited Iva Perry, Betty Richburg and Etta Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lee of Cisco visited Ed Meglasson.

L. S. Fagg of Breckenridge visited Viola Havens.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Akers of Fort Worth visited Seth Bowles.

Jack and Lola Underwood of O'Brien visited Noah Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Perkins of Port Neches visited Helen Claxton.

Bessie Chambers of De Leon and Myrtle Chambers and family visited Betty Richburg, Lizzie Skaggs and Mary Overstreet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cagle of Skaggs and Mrs. Ronald Olden and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald

NEW HOPE NEWS

By Mrs. Gerald Scitern

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Treadway and Windell, Mr. and Mrs. Lane Campbell, Gary and James, and Mr. and Mrs. Butch Boyd and girls of Eastland visited in Gorman with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cornwell of San Antonio.

Mrs. Ernest Weaver visited in Gorman on Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Lonnie Capers.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Cook and boys were Jerry Cook of Ennis, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wood-ell and daughters of Duncanville and Mrs. Ruth Craighead of Carbon. They all visited in Eastland with Mrs. Woodell's mother, Mrs. Dora Craighead of Odessa, and her grandmother, Mrs. Loughry, of Eastland.

Cagle and Ricky of Sweetwater visited Mary Overstreet.

Louise Hall of Brownwood visited Helen Claxton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Fletcher, Mrs. Bert Fletcher and Miss Ann Baker, all of Ballinger visited with Claude Curb.

Mrs. J. H. Campbell of Plainview visited in the home.

R. Holloway of Carbon, Mrs. C. McCullough of Fort Worth, Mrs. E. C. Bethany of Moran, Mrs. Leslie Tonn of Ropesmith, and B. B. Skaggs of De Leon visited Virgil and Nancy Holloway.

Mrs. Lennie Montgomery of Gorman visited Mrs. Cook on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Treadway of Eastland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Orval Treadway and Windell.

M. and Mrs. Cecil Self visited in Fort Worth with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Burns. Mrs. Donnie Self of Gorman accompanied them.

Recent visitors of the Harley Hobbs were Mr. and Mrs. Pool of Stephenville and Mr. C. E. Ragland of Desdemona.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Newton Bennett were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dorsett of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parker and boys of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Collins and girls of Gorman.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lane Campbell and boys were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Campbell and children of Dennison, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Campbell of Springtown and Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Campbell of Lake Leon, and Mr. and Mrs. Ful-

KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Sorry I missed the news last week, but I was just too busy.

The farmers have gone back to irrigating their peanuts once again. Some of the rain and cool weather that we received during August would be appreciated now

too.

Mrs. Nat Mearse of Snyder with Mrs. Claude Fuller at the piano, render the special music at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning. Other visitors were Mr. Mearse, Denice and Teresa, Mrs. Roy Buchanan and Kelly of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dean Rodgers and family of Midlothian, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Browning of Carbon, Kristi and Karley Clearman of Ovalla and Arleen Little of Tyler.

Sunday night visitors were Mrs. Elver Sverton, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stewart and Melissa Ann of Tulsa, Okla., Mrs. Finis Johnson and Mrs. Linda Hammer and Darla of Flatwood, Mrs. Marvin Jones of Gorman, Mrs. J. A. Neill of Odessa, Mrs. Bertha Hazard and two friends of Eastland, Karley and Kristi Clearman of Ovalla, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Mearse and family of Snyder and Doug Little of Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Jordan were in Abilene on Saturday for him to get a checkup on the eye he had surgery on several weeks ago. He got a good report.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clearman were in Abilene on Saturday to help their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Clearman and family, move to their new home at Ovalla. Karley and Kristi returned home with their grandparents for a weekend visit. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Clearman, and Keith came for them on Monday.

Mrs. Roddy Miles and Joe of Abilene visited on Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan and Teddy. They also visited with Mrs. Clifford Nelson at the Gorman hospital.

Others visiting with Mrs. Nelson during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Nelson and family of Andrews.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks during the Labor Day weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan and Kelly of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Don O'Neal and Mike of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Mearse, Denice and Teresa of Snyder, Mrs. David Willoughby and Kristen of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal of Gorman. Roy Buchanan and Albert Hendricks visited in Winters on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Mearse and family of Snyder spent the weekend holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dean Rodgers and family of Midlothian

were visiting during the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stewart and Melissa Ann of Tulsa, Okla. spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elver Everton, and Cecil.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Neill of Odessa spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan and visited with Mrs. Clifford Nelson at the Gorman hospital and Mrs. Susie Wharton at Lawndale Home on Monday.

The Claude Fullers were visiting with the Glenn Jordans on Saturday night.

Christi Fuller of Tarleton spent the weekend here with her parents, the Claude Fullers.

Vern Garrett was admitted to the Eastland Hospital on Tuesday evening. We wish him a speedy recovery.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Nelson honored their daughter, Tena Lyn, with a party on her third birthday on September 7th.

Raggedy Ann was the party decoration theme used. The beautifully decorated birthday cake held three candles and had the inscription "Happy Birthday". The cake was served with punch.

Helping Tena Lyn celebrate were her little brother, Travis, granddaddy, Clifford Nelson, her grandmother, Mrs. Vivian Westbrook, great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan and Mrs. Ollie Nelson, aunts, Cassie Nelson and Brenda Westbrook, and great-aunt,

THE GORDON SPOT

By DeMarquis Gordon

Eastland County Agric. Agent Nitrogen deficiency is beginning to show up in many lawns. Several folks have called and asked why their lawns are turning yellowish-green color and the grass is "firing" even when there is plenty of moisture. Nitrogen deficiency is often confused with lack of moisture. When nitrogen is needed the tips of the grass turn yellow to brown and later this color extends down the midrib. A moisture deficiency is indicated by wilting of the plants or curling of the leaves.

The abundant moisture since July 23 has caused maximum growth of lawn grasses and most of the nitrogen has been used. If your lawn shows symptoms of nitrogen deficiency you may apply nitrogen at the rate of one to two pounds per 1000 square feet. For example if you apply 33-0-0 it would take three to six pounds per 1000 square feet. It would take five to nine pounds of 21-0-0 per



1000 square feet to give you one to two pounds of nitrogen.

Your lawn should have a more balanced fertilizer around October 15 to help feed the grass roots through the winter. This will help the grass to come out strong and vigorous next spring. This fertilizer should be applied at the rate of two pounds of actual nitrogen per 1000 square feet.

If your grass continues to be yellow after nitrogen has been applied you may have an iron deficiency which is very common in the area. An application of iron sulfate at the rate of five pounds per 1000 square feet will correct this yellowing problem.

The Pioneer Farmers Cooperative had their annual meeting and barbecue Monday night, August 30. They were kind enough to invite my family and me to be their guests for this annual meeting.

About five years ago these peanut producers got together to solve a peanut marketing problem. Their success is a good example of the progress that can be made when people work together to solve common problems.

Their organization is run very efficiently. Credit is due their board of directors, chaired by Cowan Hutton, and the manager, James Cox. Vernon Phillips was elected as a new director for the Coop.

I've been told that cotton was once King in Eastland County. Have you seen a field of cotton recently? It's unusual to see cotton growing in this area. However, Robert Tucker of Carbon has about 70 acres of cotton and at first look you think it should make one bale per acre. The cotton is three to four feet tall and has blooms and bolls from top to bottom. However, the cotton insects, which ran cotton out of the county in the first place, have almost destroyed the crop.

Do you have month left over at the end of the money? If so, you are among a large group including myself. Make plans now to attend the meeting on income-budgiting September 21 at the Texas Electric Reddy Room in Eastland. This will be the first night of the Family Business Institute. It will be an evening meeting and there is no attendance fee.

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**KEEPING UP
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Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Webb and Joni of Floydada spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Rob Kinser and Mrs. Berta Poyner. Kay Ann Craddock of Plano and Estelle Craddock spent the Labor Day weekend in Longview with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nix and Mr. and Mrs. Bette Peterson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Clark and family of San Antonio visited over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rodgers and D. R. Clark.

Cindy and Beverly Tindall of Garland were holiday visitors with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crawley.

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STONE FAMILY REUNION HELD IN HALLMARK HOME
The fifth annual Stone family reunion was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hallmark in Gorman over the Labor Day weekend. All four of the Hallmark children and their grandchildren were home for the occasion.

Other relatives attending were: Mrs. Otho Stone and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Seay of Monahans, Mr. and Mrs. Goodloe Meason of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Stone and family of Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Roaul Begley and family of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Williams and family of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hallmark and family of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barton and family of Holliday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Duren and family of Electra, Mr. and Mrs. Howell Hallmark of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fauth of Eastland, Mrs. Edd Bushell of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Beadie Meason of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hallmark.

Friends attending were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Redman and Lori of Gorman.

—GP—
FOSTER FLORAL PERSONNEL ATTEND DESIGN SCHOOL

Gene Foster, Mary Clark and Barbara Regian of Foster Floral attended a design school and showing of new fall merchandise at San Lorenzo in Dallas on Sunday.

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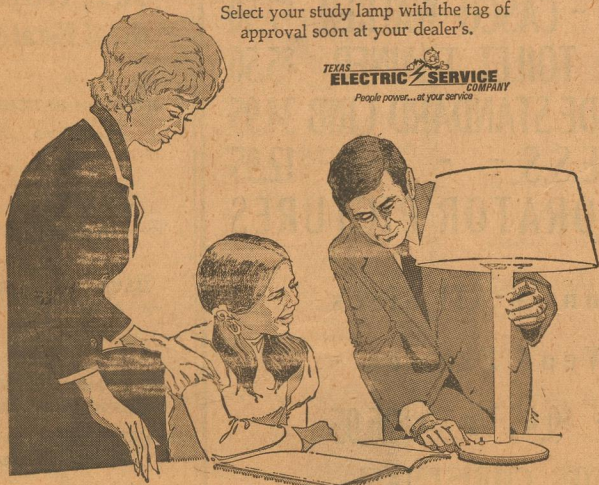
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