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Just Talk

MARY JO PATTERSON

I felt like I needed to talk a little this week to fill up space, and I remembered this story Bess Lackey wrote. It's a small world according to the Lackey family. Bess Lackey decided to do a little thing so he went to El Paso on Friday recently. The following day his son, Jim Bill and Judy, left for their home in El Paso after a visit here. Her son, Andy, left Dallas Monday, went by El Paso, picked up his Dad and started on for El Paso. In Phoenix, Arizona they had a restaurant for an evening meal, and who should drive and park beside them but Jim and Judy. It's a small world.

The rancher had his turn at bat the other day when Tex Knudson, a car dealer, went out to his place to buy a cow.

The woman gave him this price breakdown:

Basic cow, \$200. Two-toned extra, \$45. Extra stomach, \$75. Large compartment and dispenser device, \$60. Four spigots at each, \$40. Genuine cowhide upholstery, \$125. Dual horns at \$7.50 each, \$15. Automatic fly swatter, \$10. Total list price, \$395.00.

I saw a fellow from Carlton last week and asked him if they had any rain. He said it was so hot out there that nothing was coming but kids and Johnson and not many kids.

A local lady feted her little son at a birthday party recently. After awarding prizes, the mother said, "I have a special prize for the boy who goes home first."

A Masonic medal was found in Elmore, Calif. recently by Vic H. Hendricks, a mason, who had sent it on to the secretary of the Hico Lodge, James Brown. The medal belonged to John Henry Bermilk, a U.S. serviceman who had come to San Francisco with his family this summer from Honolulu and vacationed enroute to California through that part of California. This is a demonstration of fraternal brotherly love.

Did you hear about the pioneer in Texas in the 1840's whose horse was to a sudden stop? Injun.

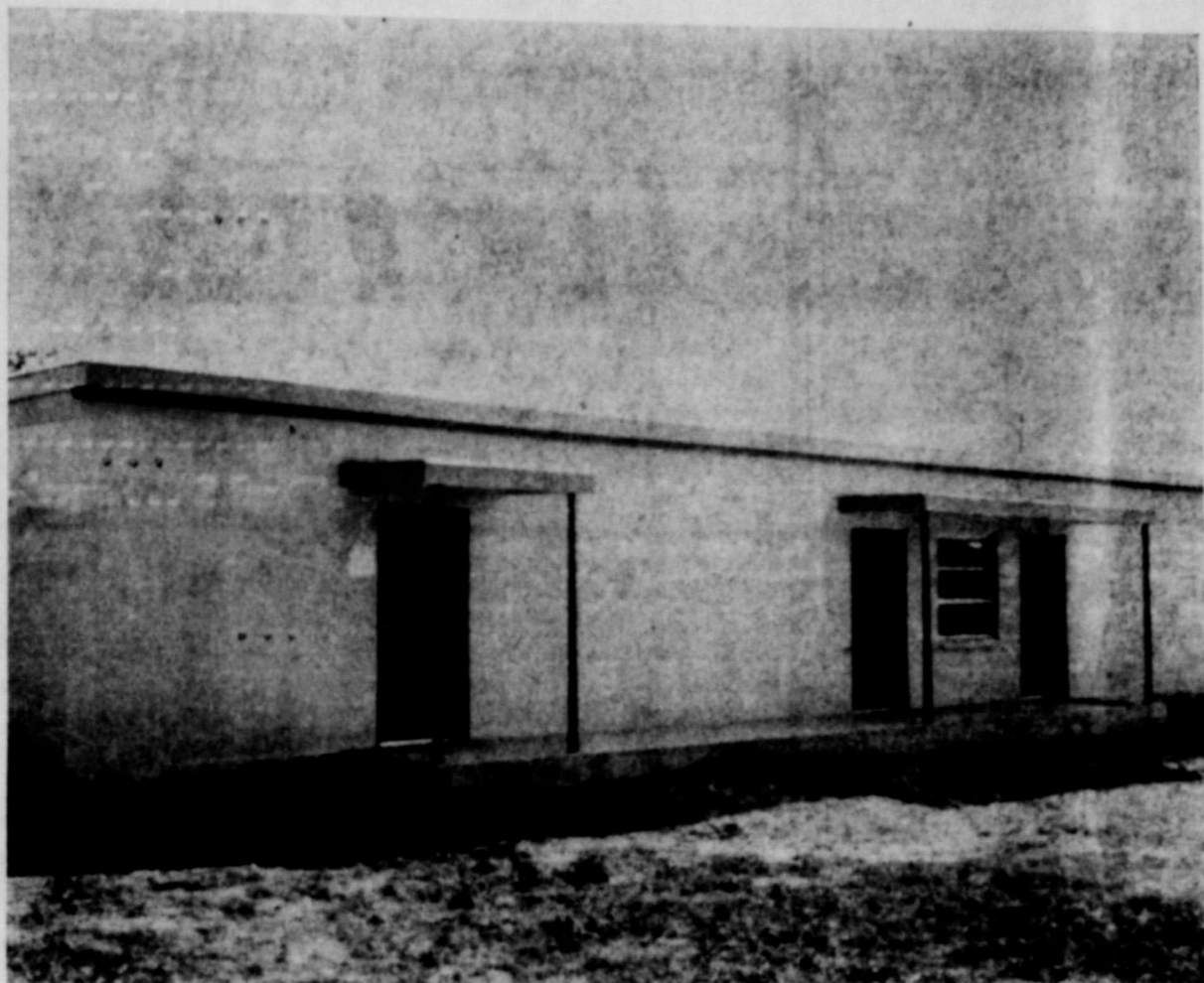
ASC Boundaries Being Reviewed

Community boundaries will be reviewed by the Hamilton County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee in preparation of elections for county and community committeemen this year.

The reviewing committees will compare the boundaries of farms and eligible voters in each area. They also consider the availability of communication and transportation facilities, type of farming, general conditions, and local political subdivisions.

Members may present their opinion on community boundaries during this review period which will close by October.

After evaluating each community, the County Committee will send a letter with any proposed changes to the State ASCS Committee for approval. Communities as now designated are:



FOR NEW FIELD HOUSE—

Open House Slated Tuesday

Open house has been slated at the new Athletic Field House for Tuesday night, Sept. 5, at 8 o'clock. The new facility, completed this summer at a cost of around \$17,000, is being used this year for the first time, and adds greatly to the local athletic program.

The Tuesday open house will also mark the first meeting for the Tiger Booster Club this year.

Coach Dwain Gray, who is organizing the open house, said that all members of the coaching staff would be present, plus members of the Tiger football team who would be introduced during the evening.

Leslie Royal Completes Graduate School at East Texas State

Leslie Royal received a Master of Education degree Friday evening, Aug. 18 at East Texas State University in Commerce.

Royal is employed as an instructor for Women's Job Corps at McKinney, a division of the U.S. Department of Labor. He and his wife, the former Martha Stuckey of Carlton, make their home in McKinney.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen of Hico.

Members of the Booster Club refreshment committee will also function that night, providing light refreshments for those present.

Coach Gray stressed that the open house and meeting was not just for Booster Club members, but for the general public. He said that he was anxious for fans to view the new and improved facilities.

Gray also said that a film would be shown if available, possibly on Southwest Conference Highlights.

Membership in the Booster Club, which stood at an even 30 at last report, has grown to 67 through Tuesday afternoon.

Social Security Checks Will Be More in Oct.

The 20-percent increase in social security benefits, recently signed into law by President Nixon, will first show up on the October 3rd checks, Jack Calvert, Temple social security district manager said this week. These checks, dated Oct. 3, will be for the month of September, the first month for which the increased amounts can be paid, Calvert added.

No application is needed for this increase, as every social security benefit check for the nearly 28 million people who get checks every month will be refigured.

In addition to increases in cash monthly benefits, the new law will increase future social security benefit increases to the cost of living. If the cost of living increases three or more percent in a year, monthly social security benefit checks will also increase, starting the following January, unless a general benefit increase was voted by Congress or became effective during the prior year, Calvert said.

Family Fun Day Planned Monday at Country Club

A family fun day has been planned for Monday—Labor Day—at Bluebonnet Country Club.

A Scotch Foursome golf tournament will get activities underway with tee-off time at 8 a.m.

All members and their guests are invited to attend, with each member bringing food for their family for a covered dish luncheon at noon.

Those paying the \$10-per-year dues since last report were Glenn Ross, Conda Salmon, Don Ross, Jerry Casey, Don Warren, Jimmie Ramage, Ray Keller, Jim Jameson, Bill Christian, Dr. B. C. Dayton, Kenneth Lesley, Tom Reitzer, Lee Ramage, Sunny Christian, Raby Bruner, H. R. Kennedy, Alton Rainwater, Don Rainwater, Rusty Roberson, Jim Hardy, Ed Black, C. D. Wright, J. T. Grissom, and Clyde Grimes.

Also George Holladay, Gene Hicks, Derwood Polk, Harvey Kinney, Kenneth Knapp, Jerry Needham, Steve Ogle, Cecil Parks, and Dorothy Randals.

GARY WOOTON IS PATIENT IN FT. WORTH HOSPITAL

Gary Wooton, who has been seriously ill in Harris Hospital in Fort Worth, is slightly improved, and was moved to a private room Tuesday. He has been in the Cardiac Intensive Care Unit since last Thursday when he was transferred by ambulance from the Hico Hospital to Fort Worth.

ENROLLMENT UP FROM FIRST DAY AT LOCAL SCHOOL

Hico Schools, bulging from a near-record 353 students on opening day, were even more crowded Wednesday with ten more new students in the fold.

Of the new enrollees, nine were listed in Elementary School, and one in High School. Total enrollment now stands at 363 students.

Don Jernigan Receives Doctorate in Baylor Commencement

Donald Lynn Jernigan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernell Jernigan of Hico, was graduated from Baylor University Aug. 19 with a Ph.D. in Physical Chemistry.

Jernigan, a graduate of Hico High School, received a B.S. degree in Chemistry from University of Texas, Arlington, in 1967 with high honors. He served two and one-half years as a commissioned officer in the Navy at Bethesda Naval Hospital near Washington, D.C., before completing his studies at Baylor.

The title of his Doctoral Dissertation was "Formation of Complex Transition Metal Carbides on an Electron Microscope Heating Stage." Graduate advisor was Dr. James L. McAtee, Jr.

Dr. Jernigan is now Chairman of the Chemistry Dept. at Mary Hardin-Baylor College in Belton.

He is married to the former Jane Akin, and they have two daughters, Jill and Janna. They make their home in Temple.

Civic Club Prexy Seeks Cooperation In Movie Operation

Dr. B. C. Dayton, president of Hico Civic Club, sponsoring organization for operation of Hico Theatre, this week appealed to the general public for more support of the local entertainment facility.

Dr. Dayton commented, "It has been brought to my attention by members of the theatre committee that problems have arisen that require immediate and definite action. First, the support of the theatre by a greater number of

paid admissions is imperative in order to continue to operate sufficiently. The number of adult admissions must increase in order to pay expenses. This past Saturday night the intake for tickets totalled \$37.00. Of this, \$5.00 came from adult tickets, \$32.00 from children."

"Secondly, there needs to be better cooperation from some of the junior high and high school students in helping to keep down the noise level," Dr. Dayton continued.

"We welcome suggestions, criticisms, and solicit your support. Without these items I foresee an early demise to the theatre. I urge each and everyone to do his share in lending a helping hand. Please leave suggestions at the theatre as to how we can better serve this community, and please come to the show and bring someone with you," Dr. Dayton concluded.

The Civic Club took on operation of the theatre early this year after an extensive refurbishing program, and has maintained the facility through volunteer workers on a twice-a-week basis.

During the football season, the theatre will be open only on Saturday nights, the schedule starting this week.

Dr. James Shields Will Speak Sunday At Baptist Church

Dr. James Shields, Professor of Religion at Howard Payne College in Brownwood, will speak at the morning and evening worship services Sunday, Sept. 3, at the Hico Baptist Church.

Rev. J. C. Collins of Fort Worth filled the pulpit this past Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Eddie Malphrus, who with his family is on vacation.

BUDGET HEARING SET SEPT. 18 BY HICO SCHOOL BOARD

Hico School Board will meet Monday, Sept. 18, at the school to discuss the budget and handle other business.

Dove Season Opens Friday at Noon

The ever-popular dove hunting season opens Friday, Sept. 1, at 12 noon, and runs to Oct. 14 in a shortened season from last year.

The new dates are being tried this year, with hunters getting another crack at the birds from Jan. 6 through Jan. 21.

Bag limits this year remain the same, 10 birds daily with 20 in possession after the first day. Shooting hours are from 12 noon until sunset each day.

As a reminder, game officials warned that all shotguns must be plugged permanently to three-shell capacity.

Dove hunting has become extremely popular in Hamilton County, and a great number of out-of-county hunters are expected to open fire on the sporty bird Friday.

John Willis Fouts Receives Degree From North Texas

John Willis Fouts was one of 1180 graduate students at North Texas State University in Denton, and received a Bachelor of Business Administration Degree in Marketing.

The formal exercises were held at Fouts Field Stadium Saturday evening, Aug. 19.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Fouts of Hico.

Tigers Successful In First Scrimmage

Hico's Tigers got their first taste of action last Friday night by hosting Meridian in the first scrimmage session of the year.

The Tigers over-powered a good Meridian team three touchdowns to none in a game played partly in the rain.

Coach Dwain Gray said he was pleased with the overall performance of the team, but noted several mistakes on both offense and defense.

Electing not to single out any particular phase of the Tiger attack, the coach said that there were areas that needed improvement, while others were up to last year's level. He cited the team's lack of depth as perhaps the weakest link in the team, and said that the squad could certainly not stand any injuries to key personnel.

The Tigers get their second taste of action this Friday night when they travel to Perrin for a scrimmage. The game had originally been set at Troy but rules prohibit a three-team scrimmage, and the Perrin session was slated at 7:30.

All fans are invited to attend the scrimmage. This will be the final outing before regular season play starts Sept. 8 with the Tigers hosting Grandview.

TOWN WILL TAKE MONDAY HOLIDAY

Most Hico businesses will be closed Monday, Sept. 4, in observance of the Labor Day holiday. The date is one of the official holidays taken each year by local merchants.

The Hico Schools will also take the day off.

Co. Dove Festival Now in Progress

The first Annual County Dove Festival got underway Thursday at Hamilton, with a rodeo and square dance kicking off the event.

The rodeo is being staged each of the three nights at 8 o'clock.

Friday night entertainment will feature a Rock Dance, and the second production of the rodeo.

Saturday night, Billy Gray and the Cowtowners with Don Thomp-

son of WBAP Radio will be featured.

Other attractions of the three-day event are C & R Carnival Shows, local food and game concessions, a skeet shoot, Tug-O-War, Crop Show, Food Show, Handicraft Show, Flower Show, Art Show, and various other exhibits.

Admission to the fairgrounds is free with 25c parking being charged.

Clairette Community News

BY MRS. LUCILE MAYFIELD

A shower fell in this area late Friday afternoon. It varied from one to 1.9 inches.

Sherman Reed, who was seriously injured in an auto accident last Tuesday in Alexander is a patient in the VA Hospital at Temple. Last report he was some better but still in intensive care.

The Busy Bee Club is scheduled to meet the first Thursday in September after disbanding through July and August.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Decker of Hico

visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake McGuire Wednesday night.

Mrs. Vera Mayfield of Abilene and Mrs. Mollie Mayfield of Stephenville visited Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayfield.

Mrs. Fay Rene Throp and Mrs. Sally Ragsdale of Clifton visited Sunday afternoon with the Mayfields.

Julian Havens and Emmitt Burks were weekend visitors at Knox City.

Mrs. Will Cranfill is having

some repair work done at her place in Clairette.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyn Duke are repairing their filling station building.

T. B. Roberson of Haskell, brother of Herman Roberson and this correspondent, has been ill several days in the hospital. Last report he was not doing too well.

Mr. and Mrs. Burette Stamford of Dallas visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edwards. Dave Alexander of Duffau, son-in-law of Mrs. L. W. Hoffpauir, is still seriously ill in Scott & White Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McVein of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Burette Stamford of Dallas and Myrtle Thompson visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hoffpauir.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lyles of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny King and Tanya of Stephenville visited Sunday night at the Henry Mayfield home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel D. Head of Iredell visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Head Sunday.

Mrs. M. L. Gage purchased a new organ recently. Mrs. Iva Golightly spent the weekend in Dallas with the Lowell Higginbothams.

Those enjoying a birthday dinner and visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edwards Sunday were Carl Edwards and son of Whitewright, James Edwards and son and a friend, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lambert and family and Mr. and Mrs. Burette Stamford and family, all of Dallas. It was Carl and James' birthday.

Mrs. Cleone Salmon and daughter, Becky and children of Stephenville visited Saturday afternoon at the cemetery, and with Herman Roberson and Mayfield homes.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith, Larry and Susan of Stephenville. Susan has been a counselor at a Girls Camp in Colorado for the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander of Stephenville were visitors Thursday night in the home of Mrs. Zena

DUFFAU

BY MRS. PASCHAL BROWN

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones and family of Houston spent the weekend at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ryan and family of Fort Worth spent the weekend at their home here.

Bro. and Mrs. John Miller and children of Mamdon, North Dakota visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lindsey, Gene and Galen during the weekend.

Bro. Miller, who preaches at the Baptist Temple Church at Mamdon preached at the Duffau Baptist Church Sunday. He formerly preached here. They were on vacation.

There was a social at the Baptist Church Saturday night. A good crowd attended.

Mrs. Dan Robinson and Rita visited in Winters with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lowe, and in Abilene, where Rita went for an eye checkup.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul and Mr. and Mrs. Aron Naul were in Henderson to attend funeral services for Mr. Naul's brother, Mr. W. H. Naul. Our sympathy is extended to the family.

Mrs. Harry Norrell, Ruth Ann and Frank of New Gulf are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Grant.

Mrs. Raymond Mayhew of Sweetwater is visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Land and sons.

Mr. Chester Land was admitted to the Stephenville Hospital Sunday where he will undergo surgery on Monday. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones are having a new room and fireplace added to their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Naul and children of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul during the weekend.

Havens. Sunday visitors in the home were Mr. and Mrs. John Havens of San Antonio and his daughter, Miss Janet Havens of Tiberon, Cal.

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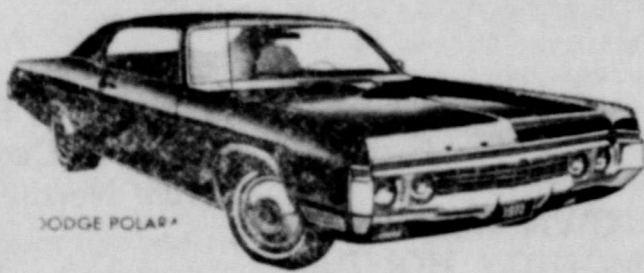
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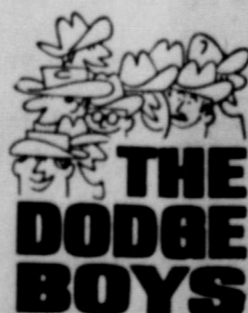
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Items of Interest From Iredell . . .

By MRS. VINITA BLAKLEY

The Iredell Community Improvement Council will be meeting Saturday, Sept. 9 at 8 p.m. This is to be a planning meeting for the year and all interested in the community are urged to attend. This organization has done much for the improvement of the community and much more is waiting for things to be done. Remember the slogan, "Iredell, the little city with a big heart."

The Iredell Homecoming will be Saturday, Oct. 14. Please notify those you think will be coming, or better still, send or call their addresses to the secretary, Mrs. Mike Phillips and a letter of information will be sent. Begin making plans to attend for an enjoyable get-together.

Funeral services for Mrs. Marvin (Pearl) Tidwell were held in Dublin Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Tidwell had been making her home in Dublin since the death of Marvin. Burial was made in the New Iredell Cemetery. She is survived by a number of nieces and nephews, three sisters-in-law, Mrs. Mary Parks of Stephenville, Mrs. Maggie Tidwell of Hico and Mrs. Idell Ragsdale of Whitney.

The Iredell FHA girls held their first meeting Wed., Aug. 23. It was a business meeting and officers for the year elected were: Vicki McCoy, president, Cindy Porter, vice-president, Sharon Ensminger, secretary, Teresa Carrol, treasurer, Karen Musick, reporter, and Donna Maness, program chairman.

Among those attending the Flanary reunion Sunday at Hico City Park were Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Go-

thand, Mrs. Viola H. Echt, all of Killeen; Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Newman, Venus; Mr. and Mrs. John Haile, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Anderson and son of Comanche; Mrs. Valeta Sullivan of Tracey, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Landria, Waylan and Christi of Gatesville; Mr. and Mrs. Luke Koonsman, Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Haile of West; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ledger, Temple; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Haile, Mr. Henry Davis, Mr. L. M. Flanary, Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Hanshaw and daughters of Mansfield; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Haile, Talma, Janet and Susann of Temple; Mrs. Ona Turner, Mrs. Donnie Koonsman and Troy, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flanary, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Flanary, all of Fort Worth and Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Ivis Hanshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Tyn Davis, Mrs. Frankie Flanary and Mrs. Lula Graves of Iredell.

Mr. David (Pinkie) Schneck and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Marble of Mississippi, Mrs. Sid Thompson and Mrs. Barbara Self of Fort Worth were Tuesday visitors in the homes of Mrs. Fannie Dawson and Vinita Blakley.

Mrs. Rachael Harris and Mrs. Brenda Phillips were Wednesday visitors at the Stephenville Hospital with Mr. Quince Fouts, who has been seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cicciolla and son of Kansas, Mrs. Sue Cicciolla of Fort Worth were Friday night visitors in the home of Mrs. Homer Whitley. Mrs. Horace Whitley visited in the home Saturday.

Vinita Blakley accompanied Mrs. Mauzee Whitson of Hico to Dublin Saturday to attend funeral services for Mrs. Marvin Tidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Edwards of Houston were recent visitors with

his grandmother, Mrs. W. E. Rogers.

Mrs. Birdie Simpson of the Glen Rose Nursing Home spent a short time at her home Sunday. She is still unable to walk due to arthritis. Mrs. Bill Ross and son of Poolville, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Harris and son of Weatherford accompanied her here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Parsons have a new grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Biddy of Cranfills Gap. He weighed 7 lbs., 6 oz. and was named Jeffrey Arden. He has a brother, Bill, to welcome him.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Flanary of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flanary, Mrs. Ona Turner, Mrs. Donnie Koonsman and Troy, all of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Flanary Sr. of Nolanville were weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Frankie Flanary.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dunlap, Linda and Kim of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dunlap, Austin Ray and Jack of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dunlap, David and Teresa of Hico were Saturday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dunlap.

Miss Pat Benson of near Houston is visiting in the home of Miss Joy Van Winkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders visited Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sanders and Harold Sanders at Lake Whitney Sunday.

Mrs. E. B. Van Winkle and Mrs. Lee Mize attended the Baylor house-party at Waco recently. They report an enjoyable time at fellowship and study.

Mrs. W. E. Boyd, Max and Lowell were in Austin during the weekend assisting Mr. and Mrs. Rickey

Graves and son move to San Antonio where he is employed.

Mrs. Trixie Myers, Mrs. Rachael Harris, Mrs. Stuart Myers and Paul, Mrs. Bob Tidwell visited in DeLeon Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kos Myers, who are residents of a nursing home there.

Mrs. Rosa McAden is visiting in Waco in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McAden.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Reed were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Compton at Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Van Winkle were Sunday visitors in Glen Rose in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Van Winkle.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Hugh Harris were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris and family of Helotes, Mike Petty and friend of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gibson of Fort Worth were Sunday visitors in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Dale Yant and Martin and attended services at the Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Oldham accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Patterson to Gatesville Sunday where they visited their uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Phillips, who were to have had their 50th wedding anniversary, but Mrs. Phillips is in the Gatesville Hospital recuperating from a broken hip.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gustafson of Fort Worth were Sunday visitors with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Denny Proffitt and family and attended church services here.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Rainwater are now living in a mobile home. They moved it in on Saturday to the Chubby Howard lot.

The McCoy family entertained

their sister, Mrs. Ruby Coffield of Walnut Springs with a birthday dinner at the home of Chub and Kenneth McCoy Sunday.

Mr. John McCoy has sold his service station and cafe to Mr. James Turner and son. John has been in business approximately 17 years, but due to health he has had to retire. He will be greatly missed by his customers, as he always was so very accommodating.

Arthur Dunlap and Albert Bul-lard went to Temple Monday for a checkup at the VA Hospital.

Mrs. W. J. Cunningham moved to the former Henry Newson residence Saturday. Her son, Kenneth of Menard came and moved her. They have sold their home to Mr. and Mrs. George Barry of Waco who will be moving soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Barnhill were recent visitors in Oklahoma in the home of their daughter, Le-Verne and family. They also visited their son, Donald in the VA Hospital at Dallas, and in Duncanville in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barnhill and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley were in Rio Vista Sunday where they were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Fred Bennett. The occasion was Mrs. Bennett's birthday and she cooked her own birthday dinner.

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NOTICE

Regular Masonic meetings 2nd Thursday night each month. Floor school every 1st and 4th Thursday nights. All Masons invited.

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MRS. RONALD LEE TAYLOR, JR.

SHERMAN WEDDING VOWS REPEATED BY MISS ELLEN BLAIR AND RONALD TAYLOR

The sanctuary of the First Presbyterian Church in Sherman was the setting for the formal candlelight wedding uniting Miss Ellen Rhone Blair and Mr. Ronald Lee Taylor, Jr. The doubling ceremony was performed by Dr. Henry Acklen of Collierville, Tenn. at 7 o'clock Saturday evening, Aug. 19.

Parents of the couple are Mrs. S. E. Blair Jr. of Sherman and the late Mr. Blair, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lee Taylor of Memphis, Tenn.

Dr. Richard J. Tappa of Austin College was organist and played for the processional "Gavotte," and for the recessional "Toccata." Miss Laurie Benold of Georgetown sang "The Wedding Song."

Nuptial vows were pledged before an archway of candlelight banked in greenery and accented with white bridal flowers.

The bride wore a formal sleeveless gown of white peau de soie overlaid with silk organza. The neckline and sleeves were edged with embroidered medallions. Rows of eyelet woven with frost blue satin ribbon accented the princess lines of the gown and extended around the hemline. The chapel length train, which extended from the back waistline was bordered with identical eyelet and ribbon. Wider frost blue satin ribbon accented the high back waistline. The chapel length veil of imported illusion fell from a Stuart cap trimmed with matching eyelet and ribbon. She carried a colonial bouquet of white gardenias and stephanotis accented with blue gypsophelia and Hahn's jvy with blue streamers. She wore a diamond and opal necklace, an engagement gift from the bridegroom.

Miss Catherine Blair, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Susan Mc-

Carley of Sherman and Miss Anne Fortney of Houston. They were attired in identical formal length gowns in a modern design of multi-hued blue on a white background. The gowns had scooped necklines and cap sleeves, and the empire waistlines were accented with frost blue velvet ribbon. White picture hats with frost blue velvet trim and short white gloves completed their costumes. They carried bouquets of white gladiolus with white velvet streamers.

Miss Barbara Rairigh of Houston read selections on "Marriage" and "Love" from the Prophet by Kahlil Gibran as a part of the ceremony.

Jennifer Woodson of Waco served as flower girl. She wore a formal length gown of frost blue crepe with white lace accents at the empire waistline and short puffed sleeves. She wore a matching bow in her hair and carried a white basket of flowers. Short white gloves completed her costume.

Michael Rutledge of Plainview served as best man to the groom. Groomsmen were Mark Beardley of Sherman and Bill Swann of San Antonio. Ushers were John D. Moseley Jr. of Sherman, Mark Hudson of San Antonio and Brad Wieland of Euless.

Reception.

Mrs. Blair was hostess for a reception in Wharton Hall of the church.

The bride's table was covered with white satin, with blue organza overlay edged with wide bands of lace. A crystal and silver epergne with white bridal flowers and blue gypsophelia centered the table, flanked by silver candelabra with white tapers. Simlax entwined the length of the table.

A four tiered wedding cake topped with white roses was served

Dale Polk Feted With Birthday Party

Mrs. Derwood Polk honored her son, Dale, with a party Saturday morning from 10 until 11:30 in observance of his fourth birthday.

Guests were presented with favors of windmills and were served refreshments of birthday cake and punch.

Present for the party were Clay Cavitt, Brandon Scott, Toby and Kristi Koonsman, Chris Meador, D. H. Park, Brandon and Shaye Carpenter and Jody Solsbery.

Adults attending were Mrs. Billy Carpenter, Mrs. Yvonne Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Solsbery, Mrs. Helen Polk, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Whatley, Vicky Ratliff and Cindy and Sheila Polk.

RETURNS TO HICO

Mrs. May Russell has returned to Hico from Boyd, and is a resident of Village Nursing Home. She has been living with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Axford Russell and family following a stay in Harris Hospital after becoming ill a few months ago.

Mrs. E. L. Parks and Dianne of Fort Worth visited Saturday with her mother, Mrs. E. R. Seago.

with punch from a silver service. Presiding at the table were Miss Tamara Chancey of Lubbock, Miss Ellen Smith of Durham, N.C., and Miss Nancy Eubank of Waco.

The bridegroom's table was laid with a Wedgewood blue cloth with ice blue tapers in brass candelabra entwined with smilax and accented with grape clusters. Chocolate cake was served from brass appointments and a brass coffee service completed the table setting. Miss Bobbie Affieck of Waco and Miss Laura Acklen of Collierville, Tenn. served at the table.

Mrs. Rollin Khoury of Waco registered guests at a table covered with white satin overlaid with white organza and lace. The table was accented with silver candelabra with white tapers entwined with smilax.

Miss Laurie Benold provided piano music during the reception. The reception room was decorated with potted palms and urns of white flowers.

Miss Melanie Woodson of Waco dispensed rice from a silver bowl to guests at the entranceway.

The bride graduated from Richfield High School in Waco and attended Schiller College in Kleingensheim, Germany. She is a graduate of Austin College and will enter graduate school at Florida State University, Tallahassee.

Mr. Taylor is a graduate of Central High School in Memphis and Austin College. He is currently completing work toward the Masters degree in psychology at Trinity University, San Antonio.

The couple will make their home in Tallahassee following a wedding trip to the Bahama Islands.

The bride's grandparents are Mrs. P. T. Hammack of Winnsboro, and the late Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Blair of Hico.



MRS. GREGORY HAMMOND

WILLIAMS-HAMMONDS WEDDING VOWS EXCHANGED IN CARLTON AUGUST 19TH

Wedding vows for Deborah Lee Williams and Gregory James Hammond were recited in a doubling ceremony in the Carlton Baptist Church, Saturday, Aug. 19 at 8 p.m.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mercer of Carlton and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hammond of Salt Flat.

Performing the candlelight ceremony, which was held under an archway of greenery, white carnations and orchid asters, were Rev. George A. Whitfield and Father John Sweeney.

Mrs. B. F. Thomas, organist, played the traditional wedding music.

Given in marriage by her stepfather, the bride wore a Victorian gown fashioned of white crepe with Georgette leg of mutton sleeves and trimmed with chantilly lace and medallion daisies. Her Cathedral veil was a mantilla of chantilly lace and silk illusion. The bride carried a cascade bouquet of roses centered with an orchid, complimented by satin streamers and sweetheart knots.

Mrs. Chester Bouquet of Carlton attended the bride as matron of honor. Bridesmaid was Miss Donna Hightower of Lometa, and Miss Lisa Mercer of Lubbock was junior bridesmaid. Their empire designed dresses with angel-winged sleeves were of orchid flocked batiste. The orchid picture hats were trimmed with purple bows. Each carried a nosegay of orchid asters and white roses.

Candlelighters were Miss Teresa Mercer of Lubbock and Joe Spotts of Hurst. Flower girls were Miss

MOVE TO NEW YORK

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hutton and family left Tuesday following a visit here with his mother, Mrs. Robert Hutton. Mr. Hutton, who is employed with the Mobil Oil Company, has been transferred from Houston to a New York City office, and the family was enroute there to make their home.

Spotts of Hurst, cousin of the groom.

The groom was attended by his brother-in-law, Roger Ellison of Dallas. Bill Tanner and Mike Tanner of Stephenville were groomsmen. Ushers were Charles Hammond of Salt Flat and Rodney Williams of Rockville, Maryland.

Reception.

The bride's parents were hosts at the reception following the ceremony, held in Fellowship Hall of the church.

The bride's table was covered with lace and net tablecloth and featured crystal and silver appointments. The three tiered cake was served by Mrs. H. Lynn Mercer of Lubbock, and Mrs. Roger Ellison of Carlton was at the punch service. Miss DeLayne Mercer of Stephenville registered the guests.

The bride, a graduate of Carlton High School, is a student at Tarleton State College. Mr. Hammond, a graduate of Kermit High School, is also a student at Tarleton State College.

For travel the bride chose white hot pants of double knit with a long orchid overskirt. Her corsage was a white orchid from the bridal bouquet.

Following a trip to Possum Kingdom the couple will make their home in Stephenville where they will continue their education at TSC.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the bride's aunt, Mrs. Cecil Mercer of Austin, in Fellowship Hall of Carlton Baptist Church on Friday night.

Miss June Long and Stephen Jones Are United in Marriage

Miss June Elizabeth Long and Stephen Jay Jones were united in marriage Saturday, Aug. 26 at 10 o'clock in Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. James Long of West New York, New Jersey, parents of the bride, and Mr. Mrs. J. J. Jones Jr. of Hico, parents of the groom.

Brenda Bradshaw of Fort Worth was the bride's attendant, Charles Young of Dallas was man. James Long, father of bride, gave her away.

Shortly after the ceremony wedding party and guests went to the Farmer's Daughter in Worth where the parents hosted for a dinner. From Fort Worth the bridal pair left for a wedding trip. Next month they go to Europe for an extended honeymoon.

The bride is a graduate of Taylor School of Business in Newfield, New Jersey, and attended University of Texas at Arlington. He is now employed by Kinro Industries Inc., in Mansfield, and the couple will reside in Arlington.

Attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jones and Bryan.

IN SHERMAN

Miss Louise Blair spent the end of last week in Sherman, guest in the home of Mrs. Blair Jr., Ellen and Catherine. She attended graduation exercises her niece, Ellen, from Austin College on Friday night, Aug. 18. She attended the wedding ceremony following night, Aug. 19, for Ronald Lee Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond spent the weekend in Logan, La. with friends.

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VISITORS IN THE HOME
Visitors in the home of Helen Polk were Mr. and Mrs. Polk, Tammy, Ricky and Dennis. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Sols and Jody of Big Spring, and Mrs. Derwood Polk, Sheila, and Dale.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES
Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Meador, who all had wedding anniversaries last week, celebrated by attending the production, "My Fair Lady" at Casa Manana last Thursday night.

ATTEND GRADUATION
Mr. and Mrs. Bernell Jernigan were in Waco Saturday, Aug. 19, to attend the graduation exercises at Baylor University, when their son, Don, received a Ph.D. in Physical Chemistry. Also attending from Hico were Mrs. N. N. Akin and Mrs. Zuella Strother. Others present were Mrs. Jan Daehnert, Lori and Todd of Denton, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barnard, Dale and Kim of Italy.

MOVING TO WACO
Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Bulloch were in Brownwood last weekend to assist in the moving of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Stovall and Dennis to Waco, where they will make their home.

CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARIES
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THE MACK HICKS HOST CHURCH GROUP

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hicks were hosts Sunday, August 27, for a get-together of young married couples of the Hico Church of Christ. The time was spent discussing the formation of a Bible class for the group. Refreshments were served at conclusion.

MOVE TO HICO

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Elder of Grandfalls, formerly of Hico, moved back here last week to make their home. They purchased the former L. J. Wood home north of the school. Visitors in the home during last week were Mrs. Imogene Wilks of Oklahoma City and Mrs. Janell Higgins and two children of Artesia, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Odis Criswell and Mrs. Elsie Criswell of Rising Star.

SUCCESSORS IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Ann Pierson Jones passed away in San Diego, Calif. Aug. 21, with services and interment there. She was a former Hico resident, a member of the Hico Baptist Church and was employed by the gas company here at that time. She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Syble Johnson of Alvarado and several nieces and nephews.

MRS. ADA McELROY BURIED HERE THURSDAY

Graveside services were held for Mrs. Ada McElroy, 85, at the Hico Cemetery Thursday afternoon of last week, following funeral rites at Granbury at 2 o'clock. Mrs. McElroy passed away Tuesday in Granbury.

She was a former resident of Stephenville and Erath County. Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Corena Cole of Snyder; four sons, T. G. and L. S. McElroy of Granbury, I. V. McElroy of Bluff Dale and Elvis McElroy of Stephenville; two sisters, Mrs. Ida Blue of Hico and Mrs. Cora Reed of Granbury; eight grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Friday Club Meets With Mrs. Hafer

The Friday Afternoon Bridge Club was entertained last week in the home of Mrs. W. F. Hafer. Club guests were Mrs. Ellis Rands, Mrs. Ray Smith and Mrs. Bruce Slaughter. Members attending were Mrs. Sarah Reeves, Mrs. B. C. Dayton, Mrs. Jimmie Ramage, Mrs. E. V. Meador, and Mrs. Sandy Ogle. Refreshments were served during the afternoon, and at conclusion of games Mrs. Rands held high score and Mrs. Reeves held second high.

Mrs. McClammy Hosts Monday Club Party

The Monday Night Bridge Club met this week at Bluebonnet Country Club, with Mrs. Jake McClammy as hostess.

Mrs. Ray Keller, Mrs. Floyd Clifton and Mrs. Harry Hudson were guests. Members present were Mrs. Steve Parks, Mrs. E. V. Meador, Mrs. Bruce Slaughter and Mrs. Charles Bailey.

Following bridge play Mrs. Parks held high score with Mrs. Meador holding second high. Mrs. McClammy served refreshments during the evening.

Enjoy Lake Camp-Out

An overnight camp-out for the fathers and sons of Cub Scout Pack 378 was held at Bundrant Lake August 18.

Scouts attending were Jimmy Bell, Morty Bell, Danny Parks, David West, Tony Ellichman, Kevin Robinson, Michael Smith, Tracey Kash, Kevin Kash, Randy Smith, Timmie Pierce, Dwain Addison, Kendall Walters and Curtis Maserang and Danny Drake.

Fathers attending were Sam Kash, Dan Bell, Marvin Walters, Raymond Addison, Leonard Leming, Tommie Pierce, Floyd Drake and Will Scott.

Everyone enjoyed the barbecued goat which was graciously donated by Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Ochojski. The Scouts also want to thank Nathan Bundrant for the use of his lake as the campsite. The help of these are appreciated and aids in making these events possible.

The regular weekly Scout meetings will begin next week. Contact either Scoutmaster Sam Kash or one of the Den Mothers, Mrs. John Parks or Mrs. Ruby Robinson to enroll your son in a program designed to teach them skills and to enjoy outdoor activities.

The next monthly Pack meeting will be held at City Park on Aug. 31. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mrs. D. E. Bulloch, Mrs. J. B. Woodard and Mrs. Cora Williams were in Stephenville Monday for a visit with the Irvin Poffs, whose son, Ronald, was home on furlough from the U.S. Army in New Jersey.

CARLTON
By
MRS. FRED GEYE

Z. L. (Dock) Sharp of Andrews, formerly of Carlton visited last week here and at Lake Whitney with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Watt Sharp.

E. R. Conley, who lives alone on his farm south of Carlton, a faithful member of the Carlton Baptist Church, presented the church a beautiful piano last week in memory of his late wife.

Mrs. Battle Moore of Gustine and her sister, Mrs. Dell Fine of Carlton visited last week in Lubbock with Mrs. Moore's son, Jack Moore and family, and visited in Plainview with the Earl Roberson family. They explored the Palo Duro Canyon and attended the play, "Texas". Then back by Stamford to visit a cousin, Desima Matthews.

Mrs. Hazel Curry of Hico attended services at the Baptist Church Sunday morning.

The mother of A. E. Reich and Johnny Reich of Carlton passed away Friday in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hob Thompson and Mrs. Bertha Turney visited Sunday after church in Waco with Mr. and Mrs. Don Thompson and family and Mrs. Lee McKnight and family.

Bob Finley of Walnut Springs visited Friday night with his grandmother, Mrs. Jessie Finley.

Mrs. Lee Turney visited Wednesday in Walnut Springs with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Finley and Bob.

GREAT-GRANDSON FOR THE J. T. JACKSONS

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jackson were in Grand Prairie last Thursday getting acquainted with a new great-grandson, Spencer Jackson Clemson. The little lad was born Friday, Aug. 18 and weighed 8 pounds and 11½ ounces. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Dan Clemson of Grand Prairie. Mrs. Clemson is the former Jorga Jackson. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jackson of Grand Prairie and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Clemson of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Koci and children of Fort Worth visited Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Clarence Spaulding.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

The Koffee Kup Cafe was the setting Saturday night for a dinner honoring Sonny Christian, Von Scott, and Lawrence Hancock of Stephenville, who all had recent birthdays. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parks of Stephenville, Mrs. Christian, Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Hancock.

WEEKEND AT LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neel spent the weekend at Lake Bridgeport as guests of Mrs. Loneta Overton at her lake home. Mrs. Overton lives in Fort Worth.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Woods were Mr. and Mrs. John S. Woods of Fort Worth. Visiting in the home last week were Mrs. Alice Parks and children of Sherman.

RECENT VACATION

Mrs. Marie Rainwater and Gary accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Don Rainwater, Lisa and Teresa on a vacation trip recently. They visited the Carlsbad Caverns in New Mexico, toured through Colorado seeing Pikes Peak, went through the Wax Museum in Dodge City, Kansas, and saw other scenic points enroute.

MOVE TO HICO

Miss Grace Phillips, who has been living in Mineral Wells for the past several years, moved to Hico last weekend and is residing in one of the downtown housing units.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Loudermilk spent the weekend with their son, Staff Sgt. and Mrs. John Henry Loudermilk and family in Copperas Cove.

J. C. Malone of Waco visited Saturday with his mother, Mrs. W. L. Malone.

WEEKEND IN FORT WORTH

Mrs. Arrie Miller, Mrs. Ray Cheek and Mrs. Addie Mae Gist, Cheri and Greg, who are visiting here from California, spent the weekend in Fort Worth with Mrs. Kay Lackey and Neil.

NEW DAUGHTER FOR THE TERRY COMPTONS


Mr. and Mrs. Terry Compton of Crawford are the proud parents of a new daughter, born Tuesday, Aug. 29 in a Clifton hospital. The little Miss weighed six and one-half pounds, and has been named Traca Lynn. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Reed of Iredell, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Compton of Crawford. Mrs. Compton is the former Linda Reed of Iredell.

EXPLORER POST 378 PLAYS MINIATURE GOLF

Explorer Post 378, accompanied by their advisor, Austin Emery and Mrs. Emery were in Stephenville Monday night for an evening of recreation. The group played miniature golf. Next regular meeting of the Scout unit is Monday, Sept. 11 at 6 p.m. in Scout Hall.

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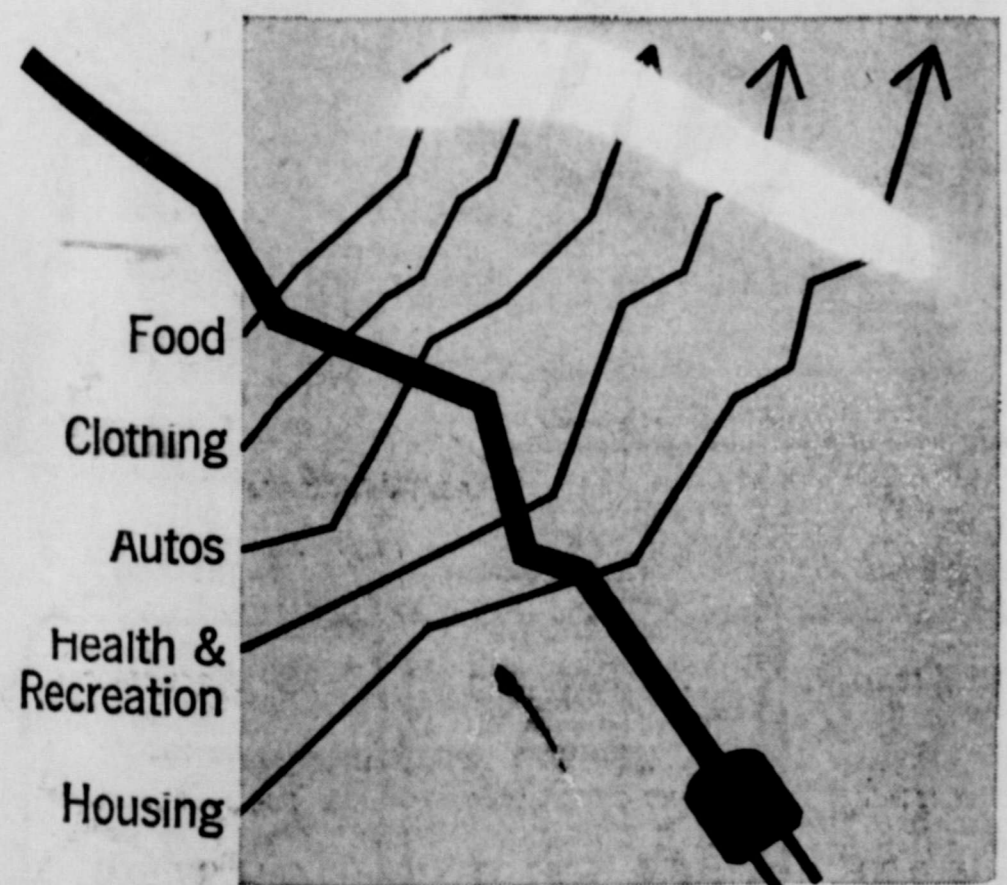


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By "IRA EUNICE DANT"

We are still dry and hot in this section. However, Hico received another good rain Friday night.

We were sorry to learn of the passing of Mrs. Kate Edwards of Hamilton. She lived for a time

with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Haile near Fairy. She was the former Kate Haile. Services were held Monday, Aug. 28 at 10 a.m. with burial in the Fairy Cemetery. She was 79 years of age. She was a sister of Mrs. Babe Garner.

Survivors include three daughters, one step-daughter, one step-son, one grandson, a great-grandchild, two sisters and a half brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Porterfield of Waco visited Sunday in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Porterfield and Billy.

We were also sorry to learn of the recent passing of R. D. Foster of Gatesville. He formerly resided in the Lanham community and attended Fairy school. He was in the drug business with A. J. Koen of Hamilton for a number of years before moving to Gatesville where he operated a drug store.

An announcement of the marriage of Miss Barbara Jean Thompson and Roland Dale Roberson of Everman appeared in the Star-Telegram recently. Roland Dale's mother is the former Ione Arrant of Fairy. Our congratulations to them.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Parks and Becky of Grand Prairie spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parks and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Streater.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Overton and Robby of Fort Worth visited during the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goyno.

Miss Becky Garza of Hico was a luncheon guest of Miss D'Ann Bolstad Sunday.

The writer visited awhile late Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Ben Wright of Hico and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Trantham. Mr. Trantham was home from the VA Hospital in Temple for the weekend. He returned late Sunday.

Rev. Bob Ray of Fort Worth filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church Sunday and he and his family were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Clark.

The writer was in Hamilton Monday to attend funeral services for Mrs. Kate Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Guinn and

baby of Arlington spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Guinn and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harrison at Hamilton. Mr. Harrison suffered a light heart attack during the weekend and is a patient in the Hamilton Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Richardson spent the weekend in Burleson in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Richardson and Tommy Owen.

Sorry we overlooked mentioning a letter we received from Mrs. Ola Francis Grimes Clary of Santa Ana, Calif., informing us of the death of her brother-in-law, Leamon Weatherford, husband of the former Otha May Grimes, who passed away July 29 from open heart surgery. He and Otha May had been married since Oct. 19, 1948. They had three children ages 14, 12 and 9. Otha May is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nat Grimes, formerly of Fairy but now of Santa Ana. Our sympathy to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bullard were in Fort Worth Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. Willie Bullard at All Saints Hospital. They have not reset her hip yet as she was in such a weakened condition. She is doing much better and they plan to reset the hip as soon as she is able.

They also visited at Arlington with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Don Bullard and family.

Visitors in the C. A. Bullard home Thursday night were her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kirkland and Mrs. R. L. Bailey of Hamilton, and Mr. and Mrs. Justin Bullard, Carolyn and Vickie.

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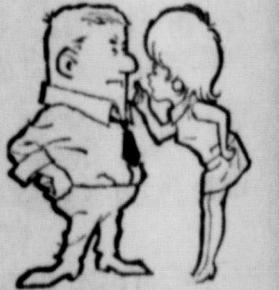
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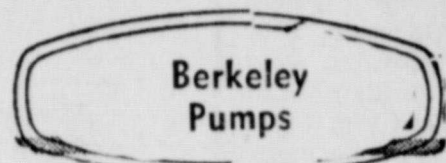
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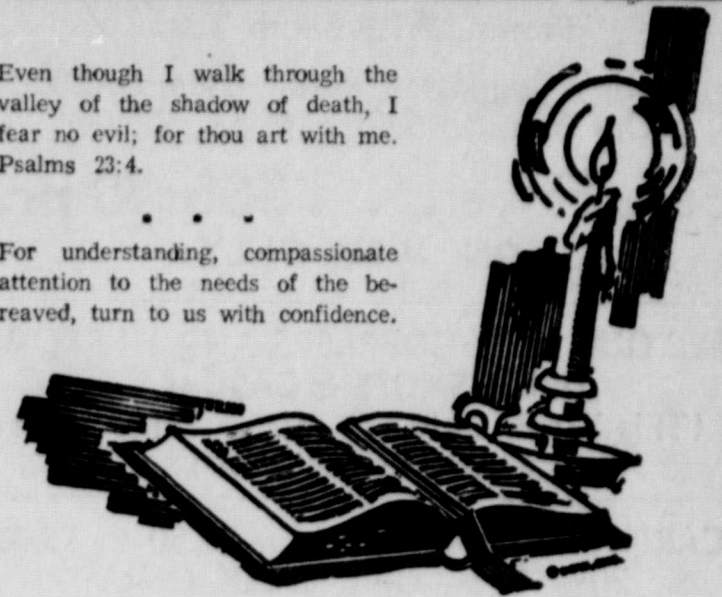
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County Salary Raises

The Commissioners Court met in regular meeting Aug. 14, 1972 and after transacting the regular routine business, the item of salary raises was discussed and it was unanimously decided that a moderate rate across the board can be without a raise in the tax structure in 1972. The suggested raises are to become effective Sept. 1, 1972. Salaries were raised across the board three years ago. Salaries are adjusted as follows:

	Salary	Raised to
County Agent	124.59	137.04
Travel Expense	83.34	83.34
Secretary 2 days wk.	20.00	20.00
Home Dem. Agent	107.33	118.06
Travel	58.34	58.34
Custodian	258.75	284.62
Vet. Service Officer	75.00	82.50
District Clerk	275.52	325.00
Sheriff	416.87	450.00
Sheriff Deputy	300.00	330.00
Radio Dis., 5 days wk.	50.00	253.00
Radio Dis., 6 night wk.	60.00	60.00
Tax Assessor-Col.	416.87	450.00
County Clerk	416.87	450.00
County Atty.	416.87	450.00
County Judge	416.87	450.00
County Treasurer	273.12	350.00
J.P. Precinct 1	258.75	284.62
J.P. Precinct 3	161.00	177.10
Constable Prec. 1	57.50	63.25
Constable Prec. 3	161.00	177.10
Commissioners	372.51	425.00
Com. Hands	279.85	310.00
Chief Deputies	230.00	253.00
Deputies	200.00	230.00
Deputies in Training	50.00	210.00
	(wk.)	(mo.)

Out of the county travel on county business by an elected official, 10¢ per mile when turned in to the Commissioners Court.

This will be finalized Sept. 11, 1972 at a hearing open to the public.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Solsbery and Mrs. Derwood Polk and Mr. and Jody of Big Spring were weekend visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Solsbery, Jody remained for a longer visit.

**RUMBLINS' FROM THE VILLAGE
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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hancock and Lora of Covington visited their grandmother, Mrs. Julia Brunson Monday. Also Mrs. M. A. Linch visited her Tuesday and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Halle, Juliann, Russell and Sharon of Weatherford visited on Wednesday.

Mrs. Vella Nix of Stephenville visited her mother, Mrs. Ollie McKnight Tuesday.

Mrs. L. F. Trantham visited the Twins, Minnie and Mittie Tuesday. Mrs. Lillie Stanford visited Mrs. Mattie Segrest.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Rucker and Mrs. J. H. Word visited Mrs. J. T. Connally Wednesday.

Thazel Wheelchel visited Mr. and Mrs. Berkeley Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. McKain visited Tom Hale Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Golden of Fort Worth and Mrs. H. G. Coffelt of Meridian visited Mr. and Mrs. Golden Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Russell of Fort Worth brought his mother, Mrs. Mae Russell from a Fort Worth hospital to our home last Friday. We are happy to welcome her, and also Mrs. Irene Crow. Mrs. Crow was the first in our new north wing and Mrs. Russell second.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell remained over the weekend. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffiths, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ellis, Mrs. Virgil Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Profit and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hollon visited friends Saturday.

J. J. Cole of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Minnie Cole Saturday. Horace

Griffitts of Arlington visited his grandmother during the weekend.

Mrs. Ira Johnson and Mrs. Delbert Wilson visited Mrs. Jaggars and Mrs. Mae Russell Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Berkley of Hurst visited Mr. and Mrs. Berkeley Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Havens of San Antonio, Janice Havens of San Francisco and Mrs. Zena Havens of Clairette visited Bunnie Alexander Saturday.

Mrs. Kate Chaffin, Mrs. Ila Bates and Mrs. Mavis Carr of Iredell, and Mrs. Clarice Turner visited with friends.

Mrs. Bill McCoy, Vicki and Don of Iredell and Mrs. Mack Ferguson visited Mrs. Norwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Redens and granddaughter, Charlotte Martin of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Whitfield of Houma, La., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitfield of Iredell visited Mr. Dan Whitfield Saturday. The Whitfield family met in City Park Sunday to celebrate their father's 80th birthday which was Aug. 29.

James Harris visited friends Sunday evening.

Mr. Roscoe Scarborough, Miss Eula Scarborough, Mrs. Bess Finney and Mrs. Lydia Glasco of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Florence Lambert Sunday.

Hubert and Jeri Stuckey of Carlton visited Bettie Fisher, Dock Finley and Ruby Sunday.

Mrs. Bobby Ogle, Kathy and Bobby and Mrs. Larry Ogle of McKinney visited Mr. and Mrs. Britt Ogle Friday. Bobby Ogle and son, Larry visited his parents Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell and grandsons, Carter and Marshall Campbell of Dallas visited Ruby

Rodgers Sunday afternoon. Ruby went with them to Hamilton to visit his brother, Fritz and Vera Campbell. On our way back we turned at Olin and came by Honey Creek Cemetery so Bill and Fran could see the work that has been done there. From lack of time we were unable to drive down to the cemetery but from the road it looked real nice and in good condition. Thanks to those taking care of it.

We wish to thank Barry Christian for his interesting talk Sunday night, sharing and telling us about his trip to Canada.

HICO NURSING HOME

Mrs. Lee Harrison and Mrs. Walter Stanford of Hamilton visited Mrs. Mattie Roberts Monday.

Mrs. Betty Loyd and Mrs. Maybell Lively visited Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Adcock Wednesday.

Mrs. Claude Herrin of Cleburne visited her mother, Mrs. Floy McLendon Thursday.

Mrs. Velma Bowie of Duffau visited Effie Roberson Friday.

Mrs. John Tidwell of Iredell and Mrs. R. J. Grant of Dublin visited Mrs. Fannie Tidwell Saturday.

Mrs. Hugh Harris and Mrs. Howard Myers visited in the home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams of Sweetwater and Irene Williams of Abilene visited Mrs. J. M. Williams Sunday.

Vesta Linch and Vera Jones visited their mothers, Mrs. Hattie King and Mrs. Lou Thompson Sunday.

Mrs. Billy Thomason of Brownwood visited in the home Sunday.

Jim Turner and Tim Emery had charge of the worship services Sunday night. Those visiting were Jessie Connally, Beulah Betts and Eileen Woodward.

RETURN FROM TRIP

Mrs. Sonny Christian was at Dallas Love Field Aug. 22 to meet her son, Barry, and Mrs. Eileen Woodward, who returned from a trip to Edmonton, Alberta, Canada where they participated in a Campaign for Christ.

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