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DR. A. A. BRIAN, Brownwood, Texas

First Baptist Church Revival Will Start August 14

Dr. A. A. Brian, Howard Payne College, Brownwood, Texas, will conduct a ten day revival at the First Baptist Church, starting Friday night, August 14. Hours for morning and evening services will be announced later, Rev. G. A. Elrod, local pastor, stated.

W. G. Byrd Family Reunion Held Last Friday Evening

The family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Byrd was well attended Friday evening with a picnic and barbecue on the lawn at the family home at 6:30 p. m. It was the first time in thirty years that every member of the immediate family had been present on such an occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Byrd have been married sixty two years and have six children. Besides their two sons and four daughters there were six grandchildren and eight great grandchildren present.

Group pictures were taken by a photographer from a studio in Tulsa. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Byrd, parents; J. W. Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Byrd and baby, of Happy; R. B. Byrd and wife, Pomona, California; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Word, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCracken, Silvertown; Mrs. I. M. Austin and Jane, Robert Lee; Mrs. Jack Dixon and Donell, Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. John F. Toles and girls, Happy; Mr. and Mrs. Corless Curry and children, Happy; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McCutchen and family, Silvertown.

F. F. A. NEWS

The August three meeting of local F. F. A. Chapter will be put off until the last of August since the local adviser, G. H. Bunch will leave for vacation on August 2, to be gone two weeks. All the boys should remember the donkey baseball game on Saturday, August 29.

Anyone desiring to rent land-levelers or grass seeder, see Spud Tiffin.

ADULTS CLASS ENJOY BASKET SUPPER

The senior adult class of the Baptist Training Union met in the local park last Friday evening. Fourteen members were present. A basket supper was enjoyed. Shelly Tomlin is president of this class. Luke Thompson, director of the B. T. U. is a member of the class, also.

NOTICE !

Everyone building any kind of buildings in Silvertown or moving any building into the business district must have a permit from the City Council.

Peaches for Home Freezer Should be Well Selected

College Station, July 29—Certain varieties of peaches are excellent for storing in the home freezer.

Foods and nutrition specialists for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service say certain kinds and varieties of peaches give a better product than others. They suggest freezing the Elberta, Dixigem, Hale Haven, and the Frank, a cling peach.

Use only sound, ripe peaches for freezing—the fruit should be slightly riper than for canning, but certainly not soft or mushy. The specialists say tree ripened fruit contains more vitamins and richer flavor than fruits picked green and allowed to ripen before freezing.

Prepare the peaches as you would for eating. Keep them cool from the time the peaches are gathered until they are frozen.

Wash peaches in cold water, peel, and treat to prevent them from turning dark. The specialists say there are several ways to prevent discoloration: ascorbic acid (vitamin C) in tablet, crystalline or powdered form may be used. Dissolve 1,000 milligrams (or ten 100 milligram tablets) per quart of sugar syrup which is used to cover the fruit. Powdered or crystalline ascorbic acid may also be added to the syrup using 1-2 teaspoon per quart of syrup just before pouring over the fruit.

Another method of preventing discoloration in peaches is to dissolve a fourth teaspoon of citric acid in a quart of cool water and let the fruit stand in the solution about 15 minutes before packing in sugar syrup.

There are some special commercial preparations of ascorbic acid for frozen fruits on the market. These usually contain added sugar and citric acid. When using commercial mixes, follow manufacturers' directions and be sure to use enough liquid to cover the fruit.

Peaches are best packed in a sugar syrup, although a dry-sugar pack may be used. Sugar or sugar syrup helps peaches hold their shape, color and flavor. To pack peaches for freezing, after they have been washed, peeled and treated to prevent discoloration, cover with sugar syrup in freezing containers, using three cups to four cups of water. The syrup is made by dissolving the sugar in boiling water, and chilling thoroughly before pouring over the peaches. For a dry sugar pack add 2-3 cup sugar to each quart of prepared peaches.

Allow about a half inch at top of container for expansion. Label container with kind of peach, type of pack and date.

Information on freezing foods is available at county extension agents' offices. Ask for B-175 Frozen Foods, How to Freeze, How to Cook.

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gaither, of Fort Worth, Texas, are the proud parents of a baby girl born July 21, 1953, at Fort Worth, Texas. She was named Pamela Kay and weighed 7 pounds and six and one half ounces. Pamela Kay has a big sister Sharon Ann, is two years old. Mrs. Gaither will be remembered in Silvertown as Bonnie Lou Hays.

Major J. R. Clanahan and family left Saturday for Chattanooga, Tennessee, where they will make their home. Mr. Clanahan will teach in the University at Chattanooga. The Clanahans have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Fowler for several weeks, having recently returned from Japan.

Brother in Law of Mrs. Edwin Crass In Fire-Explosion

Mrs. Edwin Crass received word that her brother in law, Roy Ott, had been killed last Friday. He was an engineer on a ship which caught on fire, causing the engine to explode, killing the entire crew.

Mrs. Roy Ott will be remembered her as the former Ivy Strange. Mrs. Ott said in a telephone conversation that there was some confusion about the funeral but that it would be held in Galveston, probably on Tuesday afternoon.

Gloria Wheeler and Melvin Hamilton Married July 19

The wedding of Gloria Wheeler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wheeler, of Lorraine, and Melvin Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Winston Hamilton of Silvertown, Texas, was solemnized at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, July 19, at the Wheeler home.

The double ring ceremony was read by the Rev. Elrod, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Silvertown, as the couple stood before the mantle flanked by tall baskets of white gladioli and greenery.

Recorded music was played during the ceremony.

Miss Beth Narrell of Lorraine was bridesmaid and Freddie Hamilton of Silvertown served his brother as best man.

Miss Narrell wore a navy and white linen suit, navy velvet hat and white accessories, and carried a colonial nosegay of white carnations.

The bride wore a white and navy celenee Hamdmacher suit, a white lace and velvet hat, navy velvet accessories, and carried a white Bible topped with an orchid set in lace and ribbon. The Bible was a gift from Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hess of Hermleigh.

For wedding traditionals of something old, borrowed, new and blue, the bride carried a white silk handkerchief belonging to her mother, a gift of her grandmother, a blue garter, a gift from the pep squad of 52-53 and a penny in her shoe.

The bride's mother wore an ice blue linen and lace two piece dress with navy accessories and a shoulder corsage of pink carnations.

The bridegroom's mother wore a navy nylon linen dress, navy accessories and white carnation corsage.

At the reception following the wedding the bride's sisters, Mrs. Mason Richburg of Abilene, and Mrs. Robert Montgomery of San Diego, California, presided at the refreshment table.

The crystal punch service encircled with greenery and white daisies, centered the lace laid table. The three tiered wedding cake featured the bride's colors pale green and yellow. Table appointments were silver and crystal.

Mrs. Richard Brown of Silvertown registered guests.

For traveling, Mrs. Hamilton wore her wedding suit and orchid corsage. After a short wedding trip they are at home in Silvertown, where Mr. Hamilton is engaged in farming and operates a Texaco service station.

Mrs. Hamilton is a graduate of Lorraine High School, class of 1953, and Mr. Hamilton is a graduate of Silvertown High School, class of 1952.

Among those attending from Silvertown were Mr. and Mrs. Winston Hamilton and son, Freddie, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hamilton and son, Max, and Mrs. Richard Brown.

Forum Lists Voting Trends in Dallas District

Dallas, Texas, July 29—Voting trends in the current public opinion poll of Facts Forum, national public affairs organization, were announced by President Robert H. Dedman.

The issues presented on the poll, which closes July 29, and the preliminary results from the Dallas District, showing the percentages of "yes" votes, were:

Should we settle in Korea with all troops to be withdrawn? 34 percent. Are tariffs necessary? 79 percent. Should taxes be lowered now? 45 percent. Are the increased interest rates good for the economy? 50 percent. Are the pink segments of the press losing their power? 55 percent. Should the former number of mail deliveries per day be restored? 39 percent. Should we enact more stringent laws dealing with subversion? 86 percent. Can pinkies filch the word freedom as they have others of fine U. S. tradition? 77 percent. Can Japan survive without trade with communist occupied territory? 66 percent. Can refusal to testify on the grounds of the 5th Amendment be construed as guilt? 69 percent. Should we aid the underground movements behind the Iron Curtain? 38 percent. Is the appropriation for an Air Force less than 143 wings adequate? 64 percent. Is the Administration living up to its pledge to economize? 57 percent. Should literature favoring Communism be supplied free to readers? 13 percent. Was Ike's ruling making possible a reduction in Civil Service rolls sound? 87 percent. Do you favor Ike over the man likely to be the next Democrat nominee? 81 percent.

Mrs. Melvin Hamilton Complimented With Gift Shower

Mrs. Melvin Hamilton was complimented at a gift shower in the home of Mrs. Vincent Smith Friday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock. Co-hostesses were: Mesdames Arthur Arnold, Bill Edwards, Richard Brown, Doc Minyard, Charles Cowart and Miss Bonnie Watters.

Mrs. Smith welcomed the guests and introduced the honoree and her mother. Mrs. Richard Brown and Miss Bonnie Watters presided at the refreshment table. The table was laid with a white lace cloth, and centered with the crystal punch service.

Gifts were on display in the bedroom, and were shown by Mesdames Arnold, Edwards and Minyard.

Mrs. Wayne Hamilton presided at the brides book. Out of town guests registered were: Mrs. Raymond Wheeler, the honoree's mother, and Mrs. J. S. Martin, of Lorraine, and Mrs. Bailey Henderson, of Lockney.

BIRTHDAY DINNER HONORS BROTHER AND SISTER

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Green, of Turkey, were hosts at a twelve o'clock dinner on Sunday in honor of Mrs. Gordon Montague and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Amel Smith who all had birthday anniversaries near that date. Guests for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Strickland and Kaynelle, of Denton; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Amel Smith, of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Montague and Teddy Gail Hancock and Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith, Silvertown.

Rev. and Mrs. Porter Arnold, of Hurlwood, Texas, visited their daughter, Mrs. Roy Mack Walker, and Mr. Walker and sons from Thursday until Saturday.



FUTURE FARMERS ELECT OFFICERS

The 3000 Future Farmers of Texas who attended the 25th annual FFA convention, July 22-24 in Fort Worth elected Jon (cq) Hagler of La Grange, center of front row, as state president for 1953-54. The new 17 year old president, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hagler of La Grange, will be a high school senior this fall. He plans to attend A and M College after his graduation. The other Future

Farmers pictured above will serve as state vice presidents under Jon. In the back row, left to right are Damon Campbell, Hamilton; Hugh Spring, Luling; Bobby Beathard, Kirbyville; Derrell Rogers, Lamesa; and Raymond Hinders, Canyon. In the front row, left to right, are Ardis Barnes, Commerce; Kenneth Reynolds, Pittsburg; the new president; Kenneth Richardson, Lat-Poyner school at LaRue; and John Posz, Alamo.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bunch Will Leave on Vacation Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bunch and children, Pax Leigh, Cheri Glynn and Arthur Frederic will leave early Sunday morning for two weeks vacation trip. They will stop in Amarillo where Cheri will celebrate her fifth birthday by appearing on KGNC program. From there they will go to St. Louis for two days, and on to Chicago where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Frederic Otis, friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bunch. Mr. Bunch and Mr. and Mrs. Otis' son, Arthur Frederic were buddies in World War Two, and their son was killed in service.

Mr. and Mrs. Bunch have tickets to Welcome Travelers program on radio and television, and hope to be able to appear on the program. From Chicago they plan to visit the Blackhills of Dakota, before returning home.

MORE FUNDS NEEDED FOR LOCAL CEMETERY

Since the recent rains there is considerable work to be done at the local cemetery, and in order to do this work they need funds to pay the labor. Mr. Seaneey, who has charge of the cemetery, urges every one who possibly can to contribute to the fund so they can keep the weeds down and the cemetery in good condition.

WILLIE SCOGGINS, COLORED MAN THOUGHT TO HAVE POLIOMELITIS—POLIO

Willie Scoggins, colored, aged 22, was taken by ambulance to Plainview on Sunday where it was thought that he was suffering from poliomyelitis or spinal meningitis and that he was in a serious condition. It was thought that he was some better on Tuesday.

Willie has lived for quite some time with his sister and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gallington, on the Rhoderick farm north east of Silvertown.

SILVERTON PEE-WEE BASEBALL CLUB WILL PLAY TURKEY

The Silvertown Pee-Wee Baseball Club will play the Turkey Pee-Wee team Sunday afternoon in Turkey. The game will be called at 3:00 sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hodges went to Big Spring on Saturday where they are guests of their daughter, Mrs. Robert Maguire, and Mr. Maguire and children.

Robert M. Ledbetter Takes Over Duties of Briscoe County Agent

Robert M. Ledbetter assumed duties of County Agent of Briscoe County Thursday, July 23. Ledbetter comes here from Graham where he was Assistant County Agent for the past nine months. Previous to that, he had farmed near Breckenridge and had been assistant county agent in Wheeler County for a year and a half after his graduation from Texas A. and M. in 1950.

Mr. Ledbetter was graduated from A. and M. with a degree in Animal Husbandry. While in school, Ledbetter made Alpha Zeta, National Honor Society for agriculture students. He was a Captain in the Corps of Cadets and now holds a 1st Lt. rating in the Army Reserve.

Mr. Ledbetter states that he is glad to be in Briscoe County and hopes to be of assistance to farmers and 4-H Club boys. "It is the 4-H Club Boys and a good soil conservation program that I am really interested in now," says Ledbetter. "I hope all the farmers and ranchers in the County will call on me as I would like to know everyone here."

Mr. Ledbetter says that he does not know all the answers to questions in regard to agriculture, but feel free to call on him anytime.

"4-H Club work has always been close to my heart ever since I was a Club Boy, so I am going to expect to have one of the best programs in this part of the State," quoted Mr. Ledbetter.

"Statistical Picture of Briscoe County's Population Etc

A "statistical picture" of Briscoe County's population, homes, business and agriculture is presented in the recently published 1952 edition of the County and City Data Book, according to Supervisor James M. Hamilton of the Census Bureau's district office at Fort Worth, Texas.

The frame of the picture consists of the basic data which show that Briscoe County has 3,528 inhabitants (1950), 1,151 dwelling units (1950), 464 farms (1950), 51 retail stores (1948) and 4 manufacturing establishments (1947). In the frame are some detailed figures concerning each of these items, such as:

Population: The median age of the county's 3,528 inhabitants was 27.0 years; citizens 21 years old and over numbered 2,076; families totalled 1,030; the median income (1949) was \$2,990; the median school years completed of persons 25 years old and over was 9.7.

Housing: 1,024 of the county's 1,151 dwelling units were occupied in 1950; 5.8 percent of the occupied dwelling units were equipped with central heating, 83.6 percent had mechanical refrigerators, and 94.8 percent had radios. The median value of one-dwelling unit nonfarm structures occupied by owners was \$3,794.

Agriculture: The average value of land and buildings per farm was \$39,320; 371 of the county's 464 farms were electrified; total value of farm products sold in 1949 was \$6,773,000.

Retail Trade: The 51 retail stores had 86 paid employees and reported sales totalling \$2,533,000 in 1949.

Manufacturing: The 4 manufacturing establishments employed 25 (average for year) production workers in 1947 and paid \$43,000 in wages; value added by manufacturers in 1947 amounted to \$94,000.

Pvt. Richard T. Merrell Stationed On Okinawa

With U. S. Forces on Okinawa—Pvt. Richard T. Merrell, whose wife, Melba Jo, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Merrell, live in Quitaque, Texas, recently joined the 97th Antiaircraft Artillery Group on Okinawa.

Private Merrell entered the army in October, 1952 and is a gun crewman in Battery A of the 65th AAA Battalion. He is a 1948 graduate of Quitaque High School.

Okinawa, located off the coast of China between Formosa and the southern tip of Japan, was the principal Japanese base in the Ryukyus island group during World War II. It is now one of the strongest U. S. outposts in the Far East.

ON FIVE DAY CAMP AT CETA GLEN

Mrs. Lem Weaver took the following Methodist intermediate girls to Ceta Glen on Monday for a five day stay there in camp: Gwelyn Paige, Carlye Monroe, Karla Weaver and Annette Shelton.

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Misses Joy Ann Gatewood and Venita Sweek are spending this week in Lubbock, guests of Mesdames W. T. Davis and Verne Bearden.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Strickland and Kaynell, of Denton, visited relatives here from Saturday until Tuesday.

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PERSONALS

T. J. Crass returned recently from a two months visit with relatives at Dallas, Palestine and Belton and other places in Bell County. Relatives visited included four brothers, one sister and a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernis Welch and John Charles, of Wellington, were recent visitors here recently with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bingham and Mr. and Mrs. Oner Cornett. Mr. and Mrs. Welch are former residents here; he is a brother to Mesdames Bingham and Cornett.

Darrell O'Connor, of Hobbs, New Mexico, arrived early Tuesday of last week for a visit with local friends. Darrell has attended high school here the past three years and was a participant in all athletic activities. He returned home Thursday night.

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Mrs. Martha Christophel of Goshen, Indiana, winner of blue ribbons at state and county fairs and Chicago's Century of Progress Exposition, believes in the extra touch which makes a jar of canned fruit or vegetables "taste good to the eye" as well as to the palate. And her home canned foods are a picture! You wonder how she got those huge juicy peaches into the jars. Your mouth waters when you see creamy white corn kernels in jars with stars cut from sweet red pepper pressed against the inside of the glass.

Her jars of mixed pickles hold dark green olives stuffed with pimento, pearly white small onions, sprigs of cauliflower, bright green chunks of cucumber, and golden carrot wheels. She always puts up some peaches with sirup colored with red hots, always adds a tablespoonful of lemon juice to such foods as corn, asparagus, peas, pickles, cherries, to preserve the color.

Each year she puts up hundreds of jars of food, beginning with the first rhubarb and strawberries and

going on through the late fruit season. She finds time for other household and fine arts. She paints in oil, does pastels, water colors, pen and ink drawings; quilts, crochets, and deals in antiques!

During the canning season she attaches to her large "Antiques" sign a smaller one: "Shop closed. Busy." Trouble is that people are then more determined than ever to see her antiques. "I make more sales than at any other time, but I get my canning done, you bet!"

Do you save money by home canning? That's obvious. "Buy fruits and vegetables by the bulk from your local markets and can them. Then you've got them!" she says. Mrs. Christophel won her first ribbon at the age of six for bread baking. Since then she has won hundreds. In an antique sugar bucket are scores, including 15 from the 1952 Indiana State Fair alone. Over a hundred more fill an old-fashioned churn. There are two "rag" rugs, one made of blue prize ribbons, the other of red. This expert home canner prefers Dome Lids and Bands and says

one should not attempt to can without them. "Sometimes there may be a tiny nick in the top of the jar and you don't see it. With the Dome Lid you know whether or not you have a perfect seal," she says emphatically, "because the Dome goes down." One of her favorite recipes is for pickled wax beans. Here it is:

Wash and sort long, yellow wax beans. Snip off ends. Do not string completely or pods will come apart when cooked. Boil until just done. Put 1 onion or half garlic clove and juice of 1 lemon in each jar. Boil 1 cup sugar, 3 cups vinegar, 1 teaspoonful celery seed, 1 heaping teaspoonful mustard seed. Pack beans lengthwise into jars and cover with hot pickling mixture. Put on Dome Lids and screw bands tight. Process in boiling water bath one minute.

If you'd like more of Mrs. Christophel's favorite recipes, write to Ball Brothers Company, Dept. P.B., Muncie, Indiana, because that busy sign is being hung out again in Goshen. It's time to can for this year's fair contests!

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bingham were Mr. and Mrs. J. Custer, of Petersburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Reeves, of South Plains. Mr. and Mrs. Oner Cornett called in the afternoon. Mesdames Custer, Cornett and Bingham are sisters. Mrs. Reeves is a daughter of the Bingham. Mr. and Mrs. Custer were to move to Snyder, Oklahoma on Monday where they recently bought a farm.

Pvt. Johnny Bingham wrote his parents that he had landed in Japan and would be sent to Korea in about a week. The letter was postmarked July 19. The Bingham are hopeful that the armistice came in time to prevent Johnny's participation in actual combat.

Mrs. W. K. Grimland accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Durham and children, of Turkey, to Amarillo on Saturday where they were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grimland. On Sunday afternoon Mrs. W. K. Grimland went home with the Durhams and visited until Monday afternoon. Mrs. W. K. Grimland is the mother of Mrs. Durham and of Roy Grimland.

BOY SCOUTS ATTEND CAMP AT CAMP HAYNES

The following Boy Scouts accompanied by their scout master, A. H. Jackson, went to Camp Haynes July 16, and had to return home before their time was up due to rain. Kenneth Sharp assistant scoutmaster, went down each night, to help with the boys. E. E. Minter and Mr. Wyatt also attended camp at night.

Among the boys attending were Gene Minter, Gerald Garvin, Donnie Perkins, Donald Perkins, Floyd Perkins, John Mercer, Varnon Davis, Doyle Maple, Howard Newberry, Jerry McWilliams, Jerry Reynolds, Jerry Patton, Joe Patton, James Roy Brown, John Schott, Bobbie Stafford, Frankie Bingham and Richard Jarnigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn spent Sunday in Amarillo with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins. They were accompanied to Amarillo by Miss Lala Brown who had been visiting friends and relatives here for a week.

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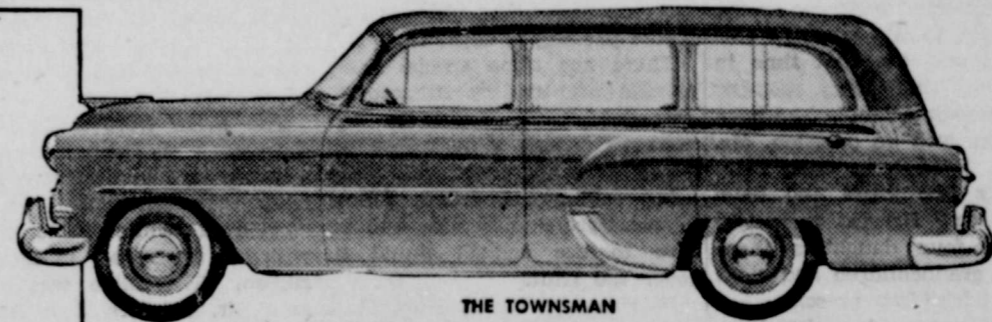
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Miss Frances Tunnell is spending the week in Memphis, a guest of her sister, Mrs. Willie Amel Smithee, and Mr. Smithee and children.

Mr. and Mrs. George Long, Nancy Kay and Nicky Wayne were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Frizzell at Happy. Mrs. Long and Mr. Frizzell are sister and brother.

Mrs. Marvin Denton and daughter, Carolyn Ann, of Brownwood, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Fuller. They returned home Sunday evening.

Vel Newman returned home by ambulance on Saturday from the Plainview Hospital and Clinic where he had been a patient for a week. He is doing all right but is to remain quietly in bed for two weeks and is not to have company during that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Rexrod, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Word, of Lockney, came by Silverton Sunday morning enroute to Shamrock, to attend the funeral services at 4 p. m. of their uncle, Carl Raney, who died of a heart ailment Thursday in a Dallas hospital. They were accompanied to Shamrock by Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Word and T. J. Word, of Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bingham and children visited her mother, Mrs. C. L. McWilliams, Sr., and Guy last Thursday night. They were enroute home after having carried Myrna Sue to Dallas for her regular check up at the Shriners hospital. She was doing all right.

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Clinic open Monday through Saturday 9 a. m. to 12 noon; 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. Closed Sunday except for emergencies.

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AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY ELECT OFFICERS

The American Legion Auxiliary Williams-Graves Post 402, met in the home of Georgia Allard on Thursday evening, July 23, and elected the following officers:

President—Mrs. Georgia Allard.
Vice president—Vivian Hughes.
Second Vice president—Fay Salf.

Correspondent secretary and Treasurer—Mary Dee Minyard.
Recording Secretary—Donnaletta Garrison.

Sgt. of Arms—Leota Alexander.
Chaplin—Agnes Seaney.
Reporter—Dureene Nance.
Historian—Alice Bundy.

Mrs. Alvin Redin, Girls State Chairman had charge of the program. Miss Ann Brown gave a very interesting report on her trip to Girls State at Austin, Texas. Misses Ann Brown and Patsy Cross attended Girls State at Austin and was sponsored by The American Legion Auxiliary and the Silverton Lions Club.

The American Legion Auxiliary initiation ceremony will be held at the Methodist Church, Thursday evening, August 27, at 8 p. m. All members are asked to be present.

James Clemmer went down on Monday of last week for a two week's visit with his sister, Mrs. Orman D. Suter, and 1st Sgt. Suter, at Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn visited Friday evening in Hale Center with Mr. and Mrs. Travis McMinn. Travis is able to be back on the job.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Zimmell and Jacque Jo, of Dial, Texas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith, Sr. from Thursday until Sunday. The entire party visited J. B. Smith at Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith, Ann and Van, at Hereford. Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith, Sr., are parents of Mrs. Zimmell and of Messrs. J. B. Smith and Joe H. Smith, Jr.

On Thursday of last week Mrs. Harold Ownby, of Phoenix, Arizona, who, with her daughters, Diane and Carol, have been here visiting since early July, and her father, C. D. Wright, went to Amarillo to meet her brother in law, Bob Ownby, and Mrs. Ownby and their son, Mike, of Waterloo, Iowa. On Saturday Mr. Harold Ownby arrived to join his wife and children and his brother and family in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wright. All enjoyed the lavish hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Wright until Monday morning when both of the Ownby families left for Colorado.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester E. Paige included, his mother, Mrs. Emma Paige, of Crestline, California; Jack Paige and Miss Carol Jean Sandlin, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Paige and Donald Glen, Mrs. T. R. Whiteside, L. E. Paige and Gwenlyn Paige, all of Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Orland Donnell and children, of Dallas, arrived on Saturday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Cora Donnell, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Judd Donnell and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Arnold and son, Gene Arnold, of Union South Calorina, spent the weekend in Melrose, New Mexico, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall. "Mother" Arnold, Mrs. A. C. Arnold, returned home with them for a visit with local relatives. Mother Arnold is the mother of Mr. A. D. Arnold and of Mrs. Hall.

Mesdames W. T. Davis and Verne Bearden, of Lubbock, visited Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gatewood, Sr. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Davis, of Portales, New Mexico were overnight guests on Sunday with his brother, Mr. Jeff T. Davis, and Mrs. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McKay and his mother, Mrs. Eugenia McKay, left last Friday morning for their home in Delano, California, after having visited relatives in this vicinity the past several days. They were accompanied home by his brother, Lon McKay, of Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Yancy and Judy, of Tulla, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Arnold, and other relatives here over the weekend.

Freddie Stafford is spending his vacation in Hedley, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sutton and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wynne in Plainview on Sunday.

Jerry Bingham spent last week in Wellington with his cousin, John Charles Welch.

Mesdames E. W. Yancy and Doyle Stephens were business visitors in Plainview on Monday.

Messrs. and Mesdames D. T. Northcutt and True Burson attended a barn dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Avery Adams, at Kress, on Saturday night.

Jack Stafford, Sr., of Lefors, is visiting in the home of his son, Jack Stafford, Jr. and Mrs. Stafford and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Eddleman and Galeta visited friends and relatives in Quitaque on Sunday.

Mrs. Bernice Hancock and son, Don, of Lubbock, were guests of her mother, Mrs. M. L. Porter, on Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wood, of Lubbock, visited friends here Saturday afternoon. They were over night guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Sewell, of Plainview, were seven o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Womack and Lee Ann on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. (Brown) Byrd, of Pomona, California, have returned home after having visited relatives and friends here the past several days.

Messrs. and Mesdames W. G. Byrd and J. W. McCracken and Miss Joy Ann McCutcheon spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Byrd near Happy.

Miss Lucille Clemmer returned home last week after a months visit in Hart with her sister, Mrs. Bill Swindle, and Mr. Swindle and family.

Buford Clemer returned recently from a trip to Oregon. He visited in Eugene, Portland and other points. Upon arriving home he learned that his brother, Milton Clemmer, and Mrs. Clemmer had been in Eugene, Oregon, when he was there but they did not see each other.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stafford, Jr., included Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spaulding and daughters of Hedley, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Guffee, of Floydada. Mrs. Stafford is a sister to Mrs. Spaulding; Mrs. Guffee is their niece. Martha Jo Spaulding remained here for a longer visit with her aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wulfman, of Chicago, arrived here on Monday of last week and are visiting his mother, Mrs. D. F. Wulfman and sister, Mrs. Eunice Elkins and children for a couple of weeks. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Dowell and children and Miss Annette Wulfman, of Lubbock, spent the weekend here. Anette remained for a longer visit. Mrs. Wulfman is quite happy to have had all her children and grand children "home" again.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Elrod and Diana, of Dallas, visited his parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. H. S. Crow went to Lubbock on Saturday to stay a few days with relatives who had been injured in a car wreck. Her sister, Mrs. Ethel Hulsey, was in a hospital for treatment for injuries she sustained in the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward May and family, of Gunter, Texas visited relatives here from Saturday until Monday. They were overnight guests of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer May, but visited his mother, Mrs. J. H. May and others during the day.

Mrs. W. A. Rowell and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rowell and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Ellos Rowell and family at Wheeler from Monday until Wednesday of last week. Mrs. W. A. Rowell is the mother of Aubrey and Ellis Rowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buchanan and Martha Ruth, of Plainview, former Silverton residents were greeting old friends here on the streets Saturday afternoon. They visited Mrs. H. P. Rampley, a patient at the local hospital. Mrs. Buchanan is the former Ruth Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Smith and Jan, of Richmond, Washington, have visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Merrell, and other local relatives the past ten days. Mrs. Smith will be remembered here as the former Eula Merrell.

Mrs. Hallie Johnson, of Floydada, also visited the Merrells last week. She is mother of Mrs. Merrell.

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Sponsored by the Quitaque Lions Club the bloodmobile hopes to have 200 people sign up as donors.

People in Silverton wanting to sign up contact Spud Tiffin at the variety store or Joe's Conoco station. All of those not wanting to sign up had better dodge Spud because he will be after them.

Reported.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Service and son, of Robert Lee, Texas, were recent visitors in the home of her brother, Wayne McCutcheon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCracken entertained in their home last Thursday with both a twelve o'clock dinner and a six o'clock dinner honoring their son in law, Wayne McCutcheon, on his birthday. Those enjoying the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Byrd, of Pomona, California; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dixon and daughter, of Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Byrd; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McCutcheon and three children and Mr. and Mrs. McCracken.

Mrs. Jack Dixon and daughter Danel, of Bronte, have returned home after having visited Messrs and Mesdames W. G. Byrd, J. W. McCracken and T. J. Word.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Chishshire and children have moved to Dimmitt where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones and Billy and Mrs. Wallace have recently moved to their farm near Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Thompson and family spent the weekend in Abilene, guests of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Pyburn. They were met there by Luke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thompson, of Brownwood, who accompanied them here for a visit.

Mrs. N. L. Moseley, of Longview, Texas, came last Saturday and is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Allard and her daughter, Mrs. Orland Simmons, and Mr. Simmons and family.

Mesdames Nettles and Ralph Glover and Darnell Glover returned on Friday from a trip down state. They visited at Palestine, Larue, Athens, Waxahachie and Tyler. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lela Walker, of Amherst, and her grand child, Sandra Lee Walker, of Brownfield. Mrs. Nettles is the mother of Mesdames Glover and Walker.

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