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Highway Organization Set Up Last Wednesday

Fred Mercer, Dist. Deputy Governor Pays Official Visit

Fred Mercer, District Deputy Governor of District 27-1, of the Lion's International, was present last Thursday at the noon meeting of the Lion's Club, to pay his official visit to the Silverton club. Fred said that this district was the third largest district, in number of clubs in the world.

He and Mrs. Mercer were enrolled in the Dale Carnegie course last winter at Plainview, and he amazed his audience with a memory test. Twenty-two items were called out from the floor, and he was able to give back every one of them, and when asked the number of such an item, was able to correctly identify it.

Ladies night has been set for June 30, the meeting is scheduled for 8:30 p. m. at the Methodist Church. At this time there will also be installation of officers for the club year beginning in July.

There was one visitor present for the meeting. Mr. J. E. Whittington of El Paso was the guest of H. A. Cagle.

Representatives from Silverton, Quitaque, Clarendon, and Memphis met last Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the intersection of highway 70 leading from Silverton to Memphis, for the purpose of making plans and arrangements for the dedication of this important highway which has just been completed.

Two men were selected from each town to serve on this committee. Hugh Nance and Jack Strange were selected to represent Silverton. The committee is to contact Mr. D. C. Greer, state highway representative of Austin, for a date when he could be present. A barbecue and program have been planned to be held at the new roadside park at the top of Schott Canyon. The date to be announced later.

The group discussed the possibility of getting a state and maybe a Federal highway number for this new road. Plans were made to contact representatives who will attend the Federal Highway meeting which will be held in San Francisco, with the idea of getting approval for this to become a Federal highway. Judge J. W. Lyon Jr. has been elected to head the group in a permanent organization.

Men from Silverton attending this meeting were: Judge J. W. Lyon, Jr., J. E. Minyard, Hugh Nance, and Jack Strange.

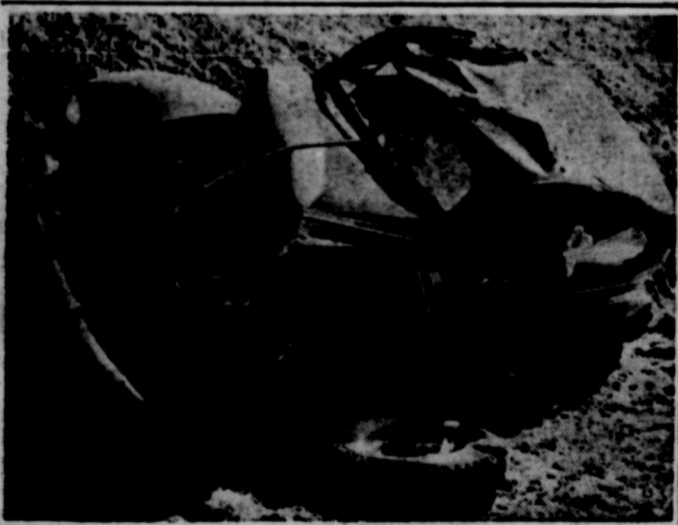
PROUD OF NEW BROTHER

Mr. and Mrs. Datis Martin are the parents of a baby son, William Stanley, weight 7 pounds and 14 ounces, born at 2 A. M. at a Lockney hospital, on Sunday, June 12th. Both Cheryl and Dana, the other Martin children are very proud of their new brother, Stanley.

Grandparents include Mrs. W. W. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Earl I Cantwell.

"Speed kills, take it easy!"

VACATIONISTS—BE CAREFUL!



THIS OLE CAR

This ole car once knew some children,
This ole car once knew a wife,
This ole car, once knew a husband
And a merry family life . . .

But this family's trips are over,
Picked a dang'rous spot to pass—
Then they saw death's angel peekin'
Through the broken windshield glass.

Ain't gonna need this car no longer,
Ain't gonna need this car no more—
Had no time to fix the brakes up,
Had no time to fix the door,
Had no time to fix the steerin'
Or to drive with more restraint—
Ain't gonna need this car no longer,
They've been taken to meet the Saint . . .

—Accident Prevention Department
Employee Mutuals of Waco

Pfc Delbert Matthews Soldier Of Week

Another local boy is making good in the service of his country. Word has reached the News that special honors have recently come to Pfc. Delbert Matthews, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Matthews of Silverton. Recently he was chosen as "Soldier of the Week," and a letter of appreciation from Thomas V. Messer, Captain, Sig C. Storage Officer, written through Commanding Officer of the 181st Signal Company (Depot). The letter in part reads as follows: "1. I want to take this opportunity to thank you for your contribution to the operational success of the Storage Division. 2. Your execution of duty as Supply Handler MOS 5832 in the Bin Stock Security Section, Warehousing Branch, from 23 November 1954 to 20 May 1955, has been commendable. 3. You have shown initiative and pride in your work. You have continuously demonstrated perseverance and ambition. 4. I have always been proud of your appearance, character and sense of duty. 5. It is a pleasure to thank you for a job well done and to wish you every continued success."

Christian Education Essay Contest Open

Any individual who has been graduated from a Texas high school during 1955 or will graduate during 1956 is eligible to enter the Christian Education Essay Contest sponsored by a layman of Wichita Falls, Texas. The winner will receive a \$1,000 journalism scholarship at a Texas Baptist College.

The topic is "Christian Education and My Career". The essay is to be typed double spaced on an 8 1/2 x 11 sheet of paper in triplicate, and is to be from 750 to 1000 words in length. The name of the contestant must not appear on the manuscript. An attached letter should accompany the entry, giving name, address, age, school, and school classification.

Mail entries to: Christian Education Essay Contest, Room 306, Baptist Building, Dallas 1, Texas. All entries should be postmarked on or before August 1, 1955.

The winning essay will be published in the September 2 issue of the Baptist Standard.

Entries must be the original work of each contestant and will be judged on the basis of content only.

REPORTED FOR MILITARY DUTY

Messrs. Milton Thornton and Joe Ned Vardell reported, voluntarily, for military duty to Childress, Texas, on Wednesday, June 15th. They went to Amarillo and left there by train for Fort Ord, California, Friday morning. They did not know where they would be sent from there.

Mrs. Milton Thornton and daughter, Rhonda Sue, expect to join Milton when he is permanently located. Joe Ned just hopes he is not sent too far from home and mother, Mrs. Jim Norris.

WENT TO CUSHING

Mrs. W. E. Autry and Margie have been recent visitors with their son and brother, and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Autry, Kay and David, at Cushing, stayed over night and brought his wife and daughter home next day.

Our Trip To Girls State

by Pat Redin

Only junior girls in high schools are eligible to attend or to become citizens of Girls State, and Roxanna McJimsey and I were very fortunate and very, very thankful to be selected to go from Silverton. There were 360 girls from various counties in Texas present. The purpose of Girls State is "to inculcate and educate the youth of Texas in the duties, rights, and responsibilities of American Citizenship."

When we arrived in Austin, we registered and were assigned to cottages at the School for the Blind. Each cottage housed 45 girls and was organized into a city. Two cities made up one county. We organized four counties with complete county governments. The eight cities in the four counties composed our state. I lived in the city of "Sodie" in "Pop" county. Our other city was "Too Pooped to". Other cities and counties were: "She's A" and "And She's A" in "Pretty Girl" county; "You Said It" and "We've Had It" in "Man" county; and "Pop" and "Goof" in "Off" county.

City and county meetings, elections, and political rallies were interesting, but the real excitement came in state affairs. We had two parties — the Nationalists and the Federalists. Each party was determined to elect its candidates and worked enthusiastically — campaigning, making speeches, and planning. The inauguration was a thrilling experience. It was a joint inauguration for the officials of Boys State and Girls State. We met at Gregory Gymnasium on the Campus of the University of Texas. The girls went in buses and were met by the boys who sang "The Eyes of Texas." After the procession composed of the state officers, citizens, and counselors, the officers were sworn in by Judge Meade Griffin. Entertainment and a social hour followed.

One of the things we'll never forget about Girls State is meeting many famous people. We heard Gov. Shivers, Attorney General John Ben Shepherd and several others. The two who impressed me most were Mrs. R. Max Brooks and Dr. Fred Schwartz. Mrs. Brooks talked on "Women in the Armed Forces." She thought that girls could have no more useful career than in the armed forces. They will never be called on to fight as they are in Russia, but they can do much of the office work and help in a wonderful way to keep up morale. Women who apply for the armed forces are carefully selected, and only those with good characters and high I. Q.'s are accepted.

Dr. Schwartz from Sidney, Australia, talked about Communism and how we must ever be alert to recognize and fight it.

After our strenuous campaigning and the elections were over, we spent one delightful day at Barton Springs picnicking and swimming. We visited the capitol, governor's mansion, and other places of interest. The governor's mansion was beautiful, but I was disappointed because it was so much smaller than I expected. Everything else about Texas is large, and I had thought the mansion would be large too.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer May, Vicki and Mike left on Saturday for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Resgan, in Vian, Oklahoma. Mmes. May and Resgan are sisters.

1955 Wheat Began Arriving In Silverton Last Week

Study Clubs of Silverton Join With National Safety Council In Safe Driving on July 4th

Silverton study clubs are making arrangements to join in the telephone chain calls on June 29th. The clubs and their presidents are: The 1925 Study Club, Mrs. A. H. Jackson; The March of Times Study Club, Mrs. Clarence Anderson; The Century of Progress Study Club, Mrs. James Davis; The 1952 Study Club, Mrs. Ray Teeple; The Hy-Lands Study Club, Mrs. Bill Edwards.

MAYOR REDIN SAYS

Therefore, I, As Mayor of Silverton, do hereby designate the week of July 3rd, 1955 as Traffic Safety Week in Silverton, and call upon all our citizens to join in these worthwhile endeavors sponsored by the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mayor, Alvin Redin

The clubs which are affiliated with the Texas Federation and General Federation of Women's Clubs, has announced that members of the club will join the 1,000,000 members of the national organization, Wednesday, June 29th in a series of chain telephone calls to appeal to Fourth-of-July holiday travelers to exercise care and courtesy in driving as a measure to prevent the disastrous toll of deaths from Highway traffic.

In 1954 there were 348 deaths during the same holiday period, with ten times that many injured. Your local call may be the means of preventing the dread long distance call reporting tragedy and heartbreak.

VISIT FIRST GRAND CHILD

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Moreland have visited in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cox and William Morris in Lubbock since Wednesday of last week. Mr. Moreland returned home on Monday but Mrs. Moreland remained there for a longer visit with the new grandson, their first grand child.

Farmers Union To Hold Meeting Thurs. June 30

On June 30 the Farmers Union will meet in the basement of the Methodist Church at 8:30 for a very special meeting. At this time the Farmers Union of Briscoe County will receive its Charter and new officers will be elected. Some interesting speakers will be present.

All Farmers Union members and their wives are urged to be present. And all farmers and their wives are invited whether a member or not.

After this meeting homemade ice cream and cake will be served.

The group held a regular meeting Monday June 20 with a good attendance reported.

MRS. HENRY PRICE UNDERWENT SURGERY

Mrs. Henry Price underwent surgery last Thursday morning for the second time during that week. She is at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Mr. Price was at home here on Sunday and said she was doing as well as could be expected. However he thought that learning that their farm crops, near Floydada, had been completely wiped out by hail had been a severe shock to her.

Rev. and Mrs. Elrod visited Mrs. Price, at the hospital on Monday and she seemed to be doing fine. It was thought that she would be able to come home in a few days.

NOON DAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison, of Los Angeles, California, were noon day dinner guests of his paternal uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hodges, last Friday.

The Silverton Co-op Elevator received the first load of wheat in Briscoe County, on Wednesday, June 15, according to Bob Hill local manager. The grain was brought in by F. C. Benson who lives southeast of Quitaque. The load consisted of 60 bushels testing 60, and with a moisture content of 11. The wheat was dryland wheat Early Triumph variety, producing 7 bushels per acre.

On Thursday, June 16, Vaughn Stephens who lives 3 miles east of Silverton, brought in a load to the Co-op Elevator. The Test weight on this load was 62, and the moisture content 13.5. Mr. Stephens' wheat averaged 26 bushels to the acre, on 45 acres. It was of Wichita variety.

G. W. Lee brought a load Thursday, June 16, to the Wilson Grain Company. It was from irrigated land, of Early Wichita variety, and was making 30 bushels.

Harvest Queen Grain Company received their first load Tuesday at their elevator at South Plains. It was brought in by Calvin Potet and it tested 60.

If the hail holds off a few more days, what wheat there is left, despite the drought and hail, will be harvested.

The market price is \$2.05, Government Loan \$1.94.

Jerry Reynolds Received \$25.00 Award Saturday

Jerry Reynolds with a ticket stamped by Tiffin's received the \$25.00 award in Saturday's You All Come Day Program.

Lillie Mercer, with a ticket from Doc Minyard's Implement Co., received the \$15.00 award.

Zelda Dudley received the \$10.00 award. Her ticket was stamped by Silverton Auto Parts.

Davy Crockett Sunday and Monday

The Palace Theater is featuring Walt Disney's Davy Crockett Sunday afternoon at their Matinee. It is in technicolor, a full-length feature adapted from the original "Disneyland" television productions.

The movie will be shown at the Arena Drive-In Sunday and Monday evenings, June 26 and 27.

Plan to see this unusual movie, depicting the brave, heroic character of early Texas and the — Alamo — David Crockett; featuring Fess Parker and Buddy Ebsen.

The picture tells the story of Davy, Davy Crockett, King of the Wild Frontier! He fought single-handed through the Injun War, Till the Creeks was whipped an' peace was in store, An' while he was handlin' this risky chore, Made hisself a legend for evermore. Davy, Davy Crockett, King of the wild frontier!

TO OPERATE TOURIST COURT

Mr. and Mrs. Judd Donnell, Janice and Kareen, were here last week visiting relatives and friends for a few days. They left on Saturday, taking their household goods and other possessions to their new home near Las Vegas, New Mexico, where they will operate a tourist court. The Donnells have been in Las Vegas for quite some time.

GONE TO CALIFORNIA

Mr and Mrs. Doyle Stephens, Judy and Donna left on Wednesday of last week for a ten day visit with relatives in California.

Holding Revival



Curtis L. Dean



Bryan Mock

Curtis L. Dean and Bryan Mock are leading the Assembly of God in revival which began Sunday, June 19 and will continue through July 3.

Services begin each evening at 8:00 p. m. in the Assembly of God church located south of the water tower. They extend a cordial invitation for the public to attend these services.

These young men are students of the Central Bible Institute, Springfield, Missouri, and are engaged in conducting Youth Revivals for the summer.

FUNERAL OF JIM MARTIN HELD AT LORRAINE

Messrs. and Mmes. S. P. Brown, Roy S. Brown, G. M. Brown and Mr. Johnnie Lanham attended the funeral of Mr. Jim Martin of Lorraine, Texas, held in the First Baptist church at Lorraine, Sunday afternoon, June 19th. Mr. Martin was the father of Mrs. R. L. Brown, Silverton.

Mr and Mrs P L Brown were in Amarillo on Monday and visited his sister, Miss Lilla Brown.

Guests in Mart Self Home

Those enjoying Father's Day at the home of Mr and Mrs Mart Self were Mrs J B Sweek, Mr and Mrs Nye Sweek and children, and Mr Leon Teddy, all of Mineral Wells; Mr and Mrs R E Sweek and girls, Mr and Mrs H L O Riddell of Silverton.

All the children and grandchildren were home for the first time in several years. They are Mr and Mrs O L McGowan and Steve of Plainview; Mr and Mrs Walter Massey and boys, Mr and Mrs J L Self and family Mr and Mrs Bill Self and Thomas, Mrs Eva Lou Cowan and children, and Miss Zobia Self all of Silverton.

Calling in the afternoon were Mr Alton Riddell and Mr Jim Brooks.

Mrs Sweek is the mother of Nye, R E and Mart.

VISITED HOME AFTER 30 YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vardell and their son Leroy were recent visitors with old time friends near Decatur, Texas. This is the first time Mrs. Vardell had been back to her old home in 30 years. She says the trees had grown into giants where none grew when she was there; the distances had shortened and the roads had shrunk into mere trails.

Leroy stole a march on his parents, took his girl friend, Mrs. Naomi Milligan, out for a drive and made her his wife she and her two children Larry and Sandra Milligan, returned home with the Vardells and are at home to their friends in the east part of town.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McCain and children, of Tullia, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Thomas. The ladies are sisters.

TWO NEW GRAND CHILDREN "ALL IN A DAY"

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley were quite excited last Wednesday when they had two grand children to arrive on the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. W H Graham, Jr., of Farwell, are the parents of a baby son, William Halbert, weight 7 pounds and 3 ounces, born June 15th, at a Clovis, N. M., hospital at 10:38 a. m. The Grahams have another son, Ronny, aged two years. Grandparents are Mrs. W H Graham, Sr., of Farwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley, Silverton. Mr. and Mrs. H Roy Brown, Silverton, are the baby's great grand parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Norland Dudley, of Petersburg, are the parents of a baby girl, Laura Faye, weight 7 pounds and 11 ounces, born June 15th, at the Methodist Hospital, in Lubbock. They have another child, Joan, two and one half years old.

Grandparents include Mr. Charley Holt, Amarillo, Mrs. Irene Holt, Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley, Silverton. Mr. and Mrs. H Roy Brown, Silverton, are the baby's great grand parents.

OF MONDAY LEFT ON TUESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. J C Morton, of Goree and Mrs. Welton Leflar and children, of Monday, left on Tuesday morning after a weeks visit here with Mr and Mrs Lee D Bomar and Patsy Mr and Mrs Wayne Crawford and Mary and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Alexander, James Ross and Donlyn. The mortons are parents of Mmes. Leflar, Bomar, Crawford and Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. J W Anderson and Mr and Mrs Bill Ellis, of Hereford, were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs P L Brown. Mrs Anderson is the mother of Mmes Ellis and Brown.

Mrs. Wade Steele Club Hostess

The Francis Helping Hand Club met June 16 with Mrs. Wade Steele. Roll was called by Mrs. Jack Harris. Mrs. Alva Jasper presided over the business.

Mrs. Jask Sutton was surprised with a Pink and Blue shower. Refreshments were served to Mmes Virgil Baldwin, U D Brown, Frank Fisch, Garland Francis, J Lee Francis, Son Gaunt, John Gill, Jack Harris, Alva Jasper, Jack Jewell, Lenton Lanham, J D McGavock, Frank Mercer, Aubrey Rowell, Scott Smith, Jack Sutton and Miss Patsy Crass, a visitor, and several children who were present.

The next meeting will be July 7 with Mrs Jack Sutton. Roll call will be answered with "Recipes or suggestions for cooling summer foods"

Y. W. A. Met With Mrs. Wimberly Sat.

The Y. W. A. of the First Baptist Church, met at 9:30 Saturday morning in the home of Mrs. Grady Wimberly. Mrs. G. A. Elrod led the opening prayer, followed by the Devotional Reading by Billie Fay Heckman.

Roxanna McJimsey and Pat Redin reported on the trip to Girls State and Patsy Bomar and Sharon Gilkeyson gave reports of their weeks stay at the Glorieta Baptist Assembly, Glorieta, New Mexico.

Betty Nan Tiffin was surprised with a kitchen shower.

Members present were: Patsy Bomar, Betty Nan Tiffin, Sharon Gilkeyson, Billie Fay Heckman, Pat Redin and Roxana McJimsey. Guests present were Mrs. G. A. Elrod, Mrs. C. O. Allard, and Mrs. Alvin Redin.

BWC Met Monday in Amburn Home

The Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist Church met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. W A Amburn. Mrs. Charis Arnold, chairman, presided over the business meeting. Mrs. Ray Bomar, program chairman, directed the program. Mrs. J W Lyon, Jr. brought the devotional, followed by a mission program given by Mrs W A Amburn, Mrs. Charis Arnold and Mrs C C Garrison. Mrs Lillian Lindsey brought a part on old Minister's relief.

Present to enjoy the program and fellowship were: Mrs. A. D. Arnold, Mrs. Lillian Lindsey, Mrs. C. C. Garrison, Mrs. Lillie Patton, Mrs. Ray Bomar, Mrs. Jewell Lyon and Mrs W A Amburn.

LEFT FOR FT. SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. John Couch and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Merrian and sons, of Tracy, California, were recent visitors here with her sister, Mrs. W. A. McJimsey, Helen and Harvey. The entire group went to Vernon on Monday of last week and visited the ladies mother, Mrs. M. A. Noblett, a patient in a rest home, and found her feeling better than in a long time.

Monday afternoon the group left to visit relatives at Ft. Smith, Arkansas, Duncan, Oklahoma. In Norman, Oklahoma they visited Helen and Harvey's half sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Misze, and their paternal grandmother, who was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bessie Molder, in Norman.

On Sunday, June 19th, all of the Noblett brothers and sisters met in Springlake Park, in Oklahoma City, for a picnic dinner and a family reunion.

Mrs. McJimsey, Helen and Harvey returned home on Monday afternoon. Mrs. McJimsey says she saw many people, whom were nieces and nephews, whom she had not seen in twenty years or more.

VISITING MR. AND MRS. WILMETH

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wilmeth drove to Cordell, Oklahoma, Sunday morning and spent father's Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R N Watson. The Wilmeths returned home Monday afternoon bringing her parents home with them for a few days stay. The Wilmeth's say they rode detour roads most all the way to Cordell on Sunday and drove through water up to the running boards in several places; it rained hard on them most all the way.

DAVE ZEIGLER SPENT SUNDAY WITH HIS FATHER

Dave Zeigler spent the week end in Dallas with his father, Mr. J. C. Zeigler, and other relatives. On Sunday all of J. C. Zeigler's sons and daughters, except J. A. Zeigler, Silverton, gathered to pay tribute to their aged father; one son, Charlie Zeigler, a resident of Honolulu, Hawaii, since W.W.I was present.

Being a deacon in his local church he was sent to the United States as a representative to a National Baptist Convention being held in New Jersey at this time. Nearly every member of the Zeigler family have lived in Silverton at some time.

PARENTS OF A BABY SON

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hamilton are the parents of a baby son, Arthur Winston, weight 8 pounds, born at a Lockney hospital, at 8:45 a.m. on Monday, June 20th The Hamiltons have one other son, Max.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Winston Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arnold, Silverton.

Mrs. A C Arnold, Melrose, N. M., and Mrs. Ona Hamilton, of Dimmitt, are the great grand parents.

MORELAND'S HAVE NEW GRANDSON

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cox, of Lubbock, are the parents of a son, William Morris, weight 7 pounds and three ounces, born at the Methodist Memorial Hospital, in Lubbock, on Wednesday, June 16th.

Mrs. Neely Cox, of Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Moreland, Silverton, are the grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Jarvis, of Whitewright, Texas, are the great-grand parents.

SPENT THE NIGHT IN STORM CELLAR

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Rowell and family of Guymon, Oklahoma were Sunday guests of his mother, Mrs. W. A. Rowell. Other guests in Mrs. Rowell's home included her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W V Baldwin, and a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rowell, Silverton.

The Lowell Rowells had a harrowing experience Saturday night while spending the night with relatives near Clarendon. Due to storm conditions they spent the night in a storm cellar with water up to their knees. Sunday morning, due to the wash out of bridges. They were forced to detour via Estelline in order to reach Silverton.

The Lowell Rowells went to Plainview Sunday afternoon to visit her mother and brother, Mrs. E. L. Strange and George, and to try to help finish up a new house for them. The Strange family lived here many years and while living here George had the misfortune of breaking his back, an injury from which he has never completely recovered.

ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chitty, Laquita and Troy, and Pete's father, Mr. L. N. Chitty, of Tullia, left Monday morning for a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill and family, at Springfield, Oregon. The ladies are sisters, the former Myrtle, Jaunita and Pauline Shaw, who grew up here in Silverton. The Chitty's plan to be away about two weeks while Pete and Pauline are both enjoying their vacations.

GUEST OF MRS. BURSON

Mr. S D Swann, of Dallas, spent the week end here and took home, on Sunday, his wife and children, Susan and John Douglas, who had visited in the home of Mrs. Una Burson for more than a week.

Other relatives with Mrs. Burson from Friday until Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Bland Burson, of Channing, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Luke and sons, of Almogordo, N. M. Mrs. Burson is the mother of Mrs. Swann and Bland Burson and the grandmother of Mrs. Luke.

FATHER'S DAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. George Long and children were hosts on Sunday, Father's Day, at a family dinner for her father, Mrs. A. E. Frizzell, of Lockney, and George's father, Mr. Eugene Long, were honor guests; Mrs. Long was also present but Mrs. Frizzell had been called to Oklahoma due to the critical illness of her brother.

Father's Day Dinner In Fuller Home

Mrs. Tobe Fuller gave a dinner on Father's Day in honor of her husband, Tobe Fuller, and her father, Mr. and Mrs. A E Smith. Other dinner guests in the home were their daughters Mrs. Marvin Denton and two children of Brownwood, Mr and Mrs Melvin Lee and two children of Crosbyton, who are pastors of the Pentecostal Church of God church of that city. Mr and Mrs Lee entertained the group in the afternoon with singing hymns while Mrs. Lee played the guitar.

Carolyn Ann Denton remained for a weeks' visit with her grandparents while her mother and little brother returned home. Mr Tobe Fuller is up and doing fine after a lengthy illness of the mumps and a 2 weeks stay in bed.

RETURNED HOME

Rusty Arnold returned home on Saturday from a trip to Tucson, Arizona where he went to take Mrs. Alice Miller, of Quitaque, Mother of Mrs. John Garner, Silverton, to visit relatives. Enroute home Rusty stopped in El Paso, Texas, for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer-Dean Baird and family. Elmer Dean, a former Silverton boy, grew up here, is a graduate of the local high school and is a brother to Mrs. Rusty Arnold. Elmer Dean was stationed in El Paso several years while in military service and has made the town his home since that time.

VISITED RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Brown, Silverton, and his sister, Mrs. W. T. Davis, now of Lubbock, but a Silverton resident for many years have recently returned from a trip to their old home near Gordonville, Grayson County, Texas. They had not been there in many years and visited relatives while there.

A SING SONG

Mr. and Mrs. John E Arnold and Mr and Mrs C L Wilson spent Sunday afternoon with Mr and Mrs Johnny Wilson and family, near South Plains. The Messrs Wilson are brothers. All present were musically inclined and a musical feast was enjoyed. The Johnny Wilson home has a Hammond electric organ, a piano, a guitar, an accordion and a mandolin. Each member can play one or more of these instruments. A sing song was enjoyed and then Mr. Johnny Wilson played beautiful organ music for more than an hour.

Mrs. A L Phillips, of Lockney, visited Mr and Mrs G H Thomas and Mr and Mrs B A Thomas and children several days last week. The G H Thomases are parents of Mrs Phillips and of B A Thomas.

Mr and Mrs Garland Harris, of Hereford, came Monday and brought his mother, Mrs. R C Harris, a television, Mrs R C Harris who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs Dave Ziegler, and Mr Zeigler fell some time ago and broke her right shoulder.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner visited her cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Gunn, at Levelland, one day last week.

ATTEND WEDDING
Mrs W H Newman, Mr and Mrs E C Newman and Mr and Mrs Roy M Walker and sons attended the wedding of Miss Tommie Fletcher and Dawson Malone on Saturday evening at the First Baptist Church in Plainview.

Glen Watters of Amarillo Veterans spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watters.

MISS PAT PORTER
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Porter, Sr. took their daughter Pat Porter, she entrained for Saint Louis, Missouri. While in Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Porter, Sr., visited with their son and family Mr. and Mrs. Earl Porter, and children.

Mrs. Elmer Vaughan, Lola Mae and Mrs Morris Kitchens were in Tullia Tuesday.

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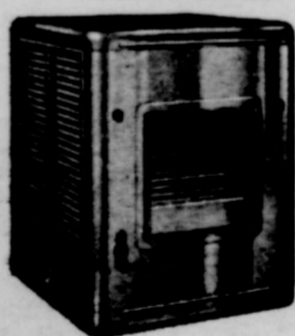
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The World As I See It

Doris Amburn

On these days when I go to Plainview I have plenty of time to think. Now that is the time I do my noble and high thinking! What I need is a stenographer along or a dictaphone, then maybe I could get my column written on time. Of course, my thoughts might be rather distracted if taken as is, for I'll be thinking hard on something and I'll have to dodge a turtle or a dog. I might be like a lot of drivers, just hit whatever crosses the road. One morning there were four cats and two dogs dead, either on the road, or beside the road. That makes my heart sick. For I remember the one instance in which my kitty was run over and killed. It meant sad hearts, and a funeral procession for the neighborhood kids.

I especially enjoy the fifteen mile drive toward Tullia. There are a lot of baby calves, and they are so plump and springy, I want to get out and cuddle them. Every since I read "My Zoo Family", I have wanted a fawn — by now you must know

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I love animals. Anything that is a baby, fat and innocent, I love it. As an animal grows older, he then doesn't seem so much like an animal, but he takes on personality and seems almost human.

Since we are a two-car family, we try to have one car in running order most of the time! After five months of "setting", W. A. felt plush or "tired footed" or something, and fixed the gad-about up. Well, he hadn't paid the license fees, so he almost got arrested by the local sheriff. Anyway he finally got the tags paid for and between flat tires and other minor difficulties has managed to have one or two rides. So last night he talked me into taking a ride with him. We made a few blocks with but one mishap, when the thing went dead. Wouldn't go. So he had to walk home and get the other car and push the '47 home.

I told him I didn't think I'd go riding with him any more. He said "well he was just sorry it it stopped in town, he had intended for it to be in the country" Since he's been complaining about his feet recently and I have had to do all the work, I'd probably have had to walk home alone. He said he was going to see that I went riding in his car more often, then I would appreciate the '54.

Notice To The Public

NOTICE OF PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF CURB AND GUTTER ALONG AND UPON PORTIONS OF CERTAIN STREETS IN THE CITY OF SILVERTON, TEXAS

Notice is hereby given that on the 27 day of June 1955, 8:30 P. M., the City Council of the City of Silverton, Texas, will take up for consideration the question of construction of curb and gutter upon and along the portions of the following streets: Saye, Stalbird, Briscoe, Loreta, Braidfoot, Pulitzer, Main, Broadways and Grady streets joining Lone Star street on the north and south.

The engineer has furnished said City Council of the City of Silverton, Texas, an estimate of \$3.00 per lineal foot as a probable cost of construction. Therefore all persons interested in the installation and construction of the curb and gutter will take notice thereof and make known their objection on said date. Witness my hand the seal of the City of Silverton, Texas, by its Secretary this 6th day of June, 1955.

Fred A. Strange
City Secretary 23-3tc

The golden age is before us, not behind us.

BOOK REVIEW

By Doris Amburn

I have chosen the book "In His Steps" to review at this time with the hope that other young people might practice early some of its teachings, in order that you might know how to answer, and when to answer, your many problems. I first read this book when I was 14 years old. Perchance I obtained a copy, just how I don't remember.

Charles Sheldon wrote this book as a special feature for his Sunday evening congregation. He gave a portion of it each Sunday evening over a long period of time, and the people responded by coming in great numbers to hear him.

The four words "What would Jesus Do", are taken literally by countless numbers of people in this book. He relates the situations which arose in different one's lives and what a difference it made in their lives, when they were willing to ask the question, and seek the true answer, "What would Jesus Do."

The flapper, the debutante, the drunkard, the society minded people, the lowly, the rich, the poor — characters from all forms and walks of life are portrayed here. Each age has its own problems, they are different; they are all serious, but regardless of the time or age, the same God is heaven today as two thousand years ago. These modern Americans who pledge themselves to follow "in His steps" for a year, to be tested and to test their God, offer inspiration and direction to us today. Whatever problem arises, we too can find the correct answer in his steps, "What would Jesus Do".

TWO WEEKS WITH GRANDMOTHER

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Carter, Alfred, Bobby and Cheryl spent last week-end in Wellington with Mrs. O. V. Seago and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Seago and family. Mrs. O. V. Seago is the mother of Mrs. Carter and S. A. Seago. The W. P. Carters brought their daughter, Sharon home; she had spent a two weeks visit with her grandmother and other relatives. Bobby remained in Wellington for a two weeks visit with her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. John Francis visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Davis, in Quitaque, on Sunday.

Miss Jeanett Brown, of Plainview, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy Brown, and other relatives here this week.

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end with his parents.
 Wayne McMurtry who has been seriously ill is reported to be better.

Mrs. George Seaney is seriously ill with food poisoning.
 Miss Claudine Haley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill.

Mrs. Mary Daniel from Canyon and Miss Billy Haynes from Amarillo visited in the home of Mrs. N. W. Haynes Sunday.
 Miss Lizzie Gregg was in Quitaque and Gasoline electioneering Friday and Saturday.

WORKING IN TULIA

Dr. W. A. Sedgwick has been working the past several days in Tulia. He has been serving as optometrist in the office of Dr. Glen McCarty while the McCarty family are enjoying a vacation trip in Old Mexico. Mrs. Sedgwick went to Tulia with Dr. Sedgwick on Friday.

Mrs. Cecil McKay, of Delano, California, arrived here Friday afternoon for an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. W. K. Grimland and other relatives. She will be remembered here as the former Edna Mae Grimland.

Mr. H. B. Peek, of Dallas, was an over night guest of his sister, Mrs. J. S. Fisher on Tuesday night.

Social Security Aids 69 In Briscoe County

In Briscoe County at the end of last year 34 retired workers were receiving \$1707 in monthly social security payments, according to figures just released by John R. Sanderson, District Manager of the Social Security Office in Amarillo.

In addition to the retired workers themselves, 35 people were receiving \$1211 a month as dependents of the retired workers or as survivors of deceased workers.

Although this is a considerable increase as compared with payments a year ago, it is certain that more people will receive larger payments in years to come because of changes in the Social Security Law in 1954, Sanderson says. Among the major changes were the following:

1. Computation of payments after "dropping out" up to 5 years of lowest social security covered earnings.
2. Extension of social security coverage to more farm workers and to self-employed farmers, as well as many other kinds of work.
3. Increasing of the maximum wages creditable toward benefits from \$3600 to \$4200.
4. Allowing disabled workers

to "freeze" their social security wage records while disabled.

5. Increasing the amount of earnings which a retired worker can receive and still get all or a part of his retirement payments. (There is no restriction on earnings after a worker is 72 years old)

Persons with social security questions are invited to contact the Amarillo Social Security Office, or contact a representative who will be in Silverton at the Courthouse on Wednesday, July 6, at 10:00 a. m. on a regular visit.

BAND DIRECTOR

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. McDonald, of Liberty, Texas, were recent guests of their aunt and family. Mr. and Mrs. Oner Cornett, Don and Brenda. Mr. McDonald is band director for the Liberty High School Band.

Mrs. H. A. Cagle and Patricia spent last Thursday and Friday with friends and relatives in Childress.

HERE FROM GALVESTON

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Cornett, of Galveston, spent a recent week here visiting his parents, Mr. Oner Cornett, Don and Brenda, other relatives and friends.

IN CALIFORNIA

Buford Clemmer is spending the summer in California working and visiting with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Clemmer, in Los Angeles.

VISITED HER PARENTS

Dr. and Mrs. Odell Wall, Jerry, Larry, and Karen, of Wewoka, Oklahoma, sent a recent week end here with Mrs. Wall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hill, and her sister, Mrs. Betty Curby and children.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ewing, of Quitaque, spent last Wednesday night with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Gregg.

Mrs. Joe Williams of Fort Worth, sister to Mrs. U. D. Brown, is critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith and children, of Plainview, visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Marshall, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Bonnie Watters will teach and supervise athletics at Camp Birchwood, Near Brandon, Vermont, during the next eight weeks.

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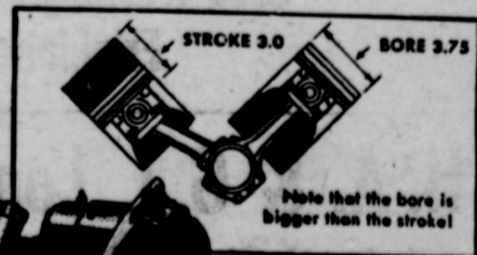
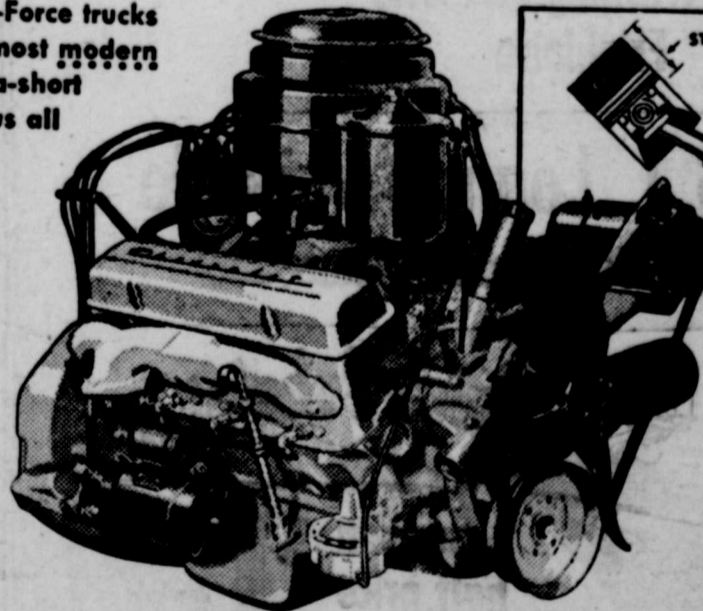


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Mrs. Hansen Honored With Dinner On Sunday

Mrs. Donie Taylor Hansen, of Danli, Honduras, Central America, was a guest of her maternal uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy Brown, in Silverton, from Saturday Evening until Monday afternoon. She will visit relatives in Floyd county for a few days before leaving for home.

Mrs. Hansen spent her girlhood in Floyd county and was a teacher for many years, having taught in various places over the United States and in Juno, Alaska and Manilla, Phillipine Islands. She and her husband, Rolf Hansen, have lived in Central America the past six years. Since her marriage she has only worked as a home maker but will assume her teaching career upon her return home; for pupils she will have both white and native children whom she will teach in English.

On Sunday, May 12th, many of the relatives of Mrs. Hansen met in the City park in Plainview for an old fashioned family reunion, held in her honor. The Brown, Taylor and Fortenberry families of Floyd county were represented in this meeting. A basket dinner, spread picnic style was served at the noon hour. Conservation and happy reminiscence was the main entertainment of the day.

Those attending the picnic dinner at the Park in Plainview were: Mrs. Donie Taylor Hansen, of Danli, Honduras, Central America, the honor guest; Mrs. Milton Dudley and Connie; Messrs. and Mmes. H. Roy Brown; Arnold Brown, James and Rita, of Silverton; Norland Dudley and Joan and Gail Holt, of Petersburg; Durward Brown, Betty, Jeanett and Lewis; and Boone Hall, of Plainview; Sid Brown, Milledge Taylor; Junior Taylor and Shelia; Bishop Wigington and Donald; Mr. Joe Fortenberry and Mrs. Eula Mae Lyles, of Cedar Hill; Messrs. and Mmes. Winston Brown, Ronny and Barry; Goldie Cypert and Gayle; R. J. Teal, Judy and Robert, and Mrs. Guy Davis, of Lubbock; Messrs and Mmes. Howard Gene Bishop and Mike; Pete Calloway, Kay and Sheryle; Messrs. Edd Brown and Joe Fortenberry and Mrs. Fred Brown and Dale, of Floydada; Messrs. and Mmes. Monroe Smith; George Taylor, Lawrence and Jerry; Homer Roy Cypert, Jerry, James and Gene; Bob Smith; and W. L. Strickland, Carol and Tommy, of Lockney; M. James Wigington, Nancy and Joyce, of Lone Star.

MADE A PLEASURE TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred (Snooks) Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Carl (Pewee) Tidwell and children spent the week end in New Mexico. They took the Judd Donnell household goods to Los Vegas and decided to make a pleasure trip out of this business trip.

VISITED PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Oneal Watson and family, of Amarillo, were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Watson and Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Turner.

SHOPPING IN AMARILLO

Mmes. E. A. Frizzell, of Lockney, George Long and William Strange were shopping in Amarillo on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. A. L. McMurtry and daughters, Mmes. L. D. Griffin and Carl D. Bomar were in Amarillo last Thursday where Mrs. McMurtry had a routine checkup on her eyes. The eye on which she had surgery some time ago is improving.

Mrs. Noble Lyde and daughters, of Lubbock spent last Friday and Saturday here with her mother, Mrs. Wiley Bomar, Sr. On Sunday Mrs. Bomar returned to Lubbock with Wynona and the children and will spend the week with them and other relatives in Lubbock.

Mrs. W. H. Tension entered the Methodist hospital in Lubbock Sunday afternoon, June 19th and underwent surgery early the following morning. Mr. Tension visited her Monday evening and reports that she is doing fine.

Mrs. W. E. Schott, Jr., Mary Lyn and Bill left last Friday to spend a couple of weeks with Miss Mary Ollie Persons, of Amarillo, at her cabin in Tres Ritos, New Mexico. Mrs. Schott and Miss Persons are sisters.

Mrs. A. L. McMurtry was a visitor with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Price and other relatives in Plainview, one day last week.

Mrs. T. C. Bomar and son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Carl D. Bomar, were in Lubbock last Friday where they visited Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Bomar, brother to the late T. C. Bomar.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Allard attended the Annual Allard family reunion at Glenrose, Texas. A large crowd of relatives were there.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Beavers were recent Sunday visitors with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer (Brubs) Beavers and Sherry, at Adrian, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Amburn visited Sunday in Floydada with Mrs. W. A. Amburn, Sr., of Amarillo.

ENROUTE TO NORTH CAROLINA

Mrs. Clyde Wright has written to friends from New Orleans, Louisiana, that she was enroute to Raleigh, North Carolina, for a visit with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wright. Mrs. Wright and a lady friend, from Phoenix, Arizona, were driving through enjoying the scenery. While at Jack's home her address is 2812 Anderson Drive, Raleigh, North Carolina. Mrs. Wright has been visiting her daughter, Elva, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ownby, at Phoenix, Arizona, for some time.

LYTLE REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Stephens, Kenneth, Bill, Elaine and Don attended a Lytle family reunion in Lubbock on Sunday. A basket picnic lunch was the main attraction. Little Jean Lytle, of Douglas, Arizona, niece to Mrs. Stephens, returned home with them to visit until Thursday.

FROM SUNRAY

Mrs. Johnny Cagle and Rhonda, of Sunray, brought Mrs. Cagle's mother, Mrs. H. E. Curtis, home on Saturday and spent the week end here with Mrs. Curtis and other relatives. Mrs. Curtis had been a guest in the Cagle home for the past month.

Mrs. Arthur Carter and sons, also of Sunray, came with Mrs. Cagle and visited in the Curtis home.

Mrs. Dan Montague and her daughter, Mrs. Ray Teeple, Veneta and Karen left early Monday for Denver, Colorado, where they will visit Mrs. Montague's brother, Mrs. W. A. Bryant, and sisters, Misses Bryant. Little Monte Teeple will stay with his paternal grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Teeple, at Lone Star; Ray says he is needed in his crops to take a vacation at this time. These folks planned to leave Sunday night but were afraid of the clouds. Actually they didn't receive any rain or hail at their home.

James Stevenson spent the week end in Hedley and brought home his wife, Mrs. Stevenson. Mrs. Stevenson, her sister, Mrs. Joe Childress, of Borger, and their mother, Mrs. B. M. Meeks, of Hedley, had returned on Friday from a visit with relatives in east Texas.

Patricia Van Meter, of Quitaque, is visiting her maternal aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Allard and Sue Lyn, this week.

John Curtis Wimberly II of Abilene is spending a week with his grandmother Mrs. Grady Wimberly and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Oner Cornett and Brenda attended a Cornett family reunion at Stephenville, Texas, on the 11th and 12th of June.

VISITING IN WEAST AND WALLACE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jones and children of Slaton spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Willie West; Mrs. Jones and the children remained here for a longer visit.

On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith and children, of Tampa, Florida, arrived for an indefinite visit Mr. and Mrs. West.

Mrs. Jones and the Smith family will also visit Mr. and Mrs. West.

Mrs. Maggie Jones, who spends some of the time here with her sister, Mrs. Una Burson, has gone to Gravette, Arkansas, to visit her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Jones. She stopped over a few days in Alvord, Texas to attend a Jones - Watson family reunion and to visit relatives there.

VISITED IN TEXAS CITY

Mrs. Travis Marshall left on Friday for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kendrick and family in Texas City; she accompanied Mrs. Charles Heinager and children, of Plainview, a daughter to the Kendricks. Mmes. Marshall and Kendricks are sisters; all parties lived in Silverton most of their lives.

On Saturday Mrs. Bob Mooney, daughter to Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Marshall, and Mr. Mooney of Lubbock arrived for a visit; Bettie was really disappointed to find her mother gone from home. However, since she and Bob are both on vacation, they plan to stay several days and she hopes mother gets home before they have to leave for home.

VISITED HER SISTER

Mrs. Bill Mitchell, of Pampa, visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver and children, from Tuesday until Friday of last week. Miss Judy Johnson, foster daughter of the Mitchells, returned home with her mother; Judy had been visiting Misses Valettria and Karla Weaver for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell Cate, Jerrilla and Marlan visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Stacy.

BRUNNIE'S HAVE HAIL LOSS

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Montague, John and Carol Ann spent Sunday, Father's Day, with Mrs. Montague's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brunner, in Lockney. Mrs. Brunner has been ill and has not yet entirely recovered. Mrs. Montague says she spent a rather busy day preparing the dinner and cleaning up the broken glass in her mother's home. All windows and storm windows on the north side were a complete wreck. The plate glass windows on the north at Mr. Brunner's lumber yard were unbroken. All shrubbery in the yard was left in shambles. The stained glass windows on the north in the Lockney Methodist church were a total loss. All destruction was caused by Saturday evening's hail storm in the Lockney area.

GUESTS IN SEDGWICK HOME

Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Sedgwick included Mrs. Eugene Sedgwick and son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sedgwick and family, of Turkey, Bob Dickerson, Will Smith, Scott Smith, Ernest Dickerson and son and Mrs. Cora Donnell. Dr. and Mrs. Sedgwick are parents of the late Eugene Sedgwick; (they are very proud of their only great grand child, Lisa Sedgwick). Mmes. W. A. Sedgwick, Bob Dickerson and Donnell are sisters to Will and Scott Smith; Mrs. Green is a niece of Mrs. Sedgwick and Ernest Dickerson is Mrs. Sedgwick's nephew.

HERE ON SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allard, of Brice, visited his mother, Mrs. W. Allard on Saturday. Ray planned to go back to Amarillo on Wednesday for a check up on his leg which he severely injured some time ago. The leg is probably doing as well as can be expected considering the critical injury he suffered.

THANKS

Eta Chi Chapter of ESA wishes to thank the girls who rode on our float in the parade, and we especially thank John Earl Simpson for letting us use his building and pickup.

OF PADUCAH

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Tye, of Wichita Falls, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Davis and children. The Tyes were to come Saturday evening but were afraid to start due to tornado warnings in their vicinity; it was raining hard in Paducah when they left Sunday morning.

VISITING DAUGHTER

Mrs. Hilda Stalcup, of Tucuman, N. M. is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Welch, Mary and Denny.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wimberly

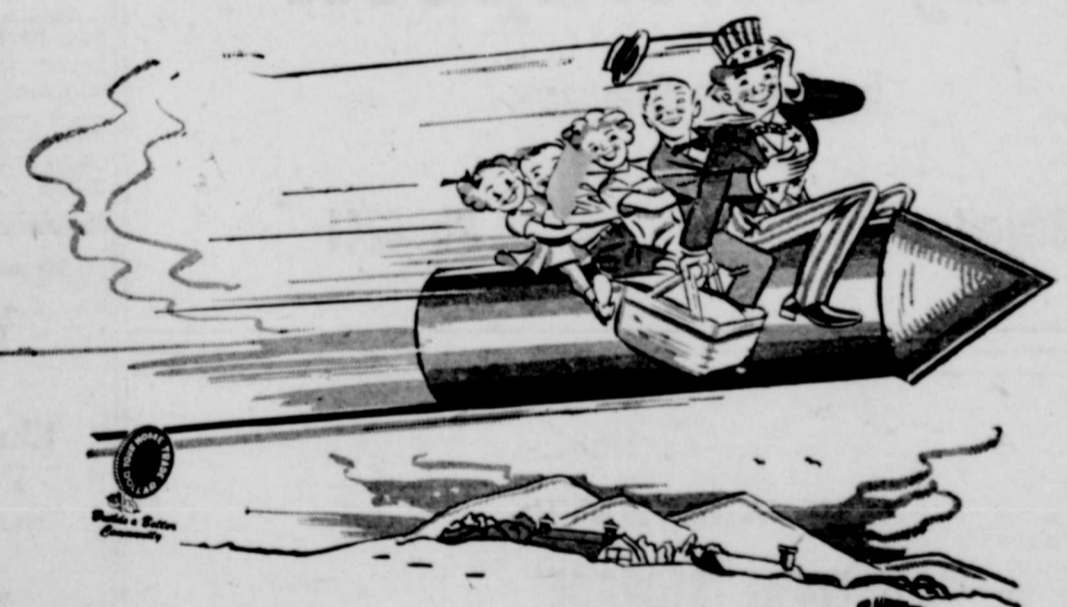
spent last Thursday night with Mrs. Grady Wimberly.

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Day, is set aside each year, therefore, as an American tribute to those who had faith in their country and the courage to declare "that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness".

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Advertisement for Whirlpool Washers and Dryers. Text: '5 Models of Whirlpool Washers as Low as \$189.00', '3 Models of Whirlpool Dryers', 'New Furniture Arriving', 'See us before you buy Wool, Nylon and Cotton Carpets', 'Full Line Of Snowbreeze Air Conditioners', 'SEANEY Hardware & Appliance, Inc.'

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TOO MUDDY FOR FISHING

Mrs. H. A. Morris returned home early last week from a twelve day visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Autry and children, at Cushing, Oklahoma. She says it rained, thundered and stormed most all the time she was there but they had no hail or tornadoes; they had hoped to go fishing but it was too muddy and the lakes were all too full. She attended church several times and Bible school commencement in which her grandchildren, Kay and David Autry, took part.

QUITE A SURPRISE ON FATHER'S DAY

Both Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Zeigler were given quite a surprise on Father's Day when all their children and their families, except A. S. N. Riley Zeigler and his wife came home bringing well filled dinner basets and an abundance of cake and home made ice cream.

Riley Zeigler is stationed with the Navy in Chula Vista, California. He expects to be home in September. Mrs. Riley Zeigler is visiting relatives in Oklahoma.

SPENDING SUMMER WITH HIS FATHER

Mike Edens, who lives with his maternal grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morris, Silvertown, is spending the summer with his father and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Eden, near Clarendon. Mike says he makes a real hand driving a tractor on the farm six days each week but gets to drive the car to church and Sunday school each Sunday and is having lots of fun.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Overcash of Amarillo recently visited in the H. T. Myers home.

SUNDAY DINNER

Guests of Mrs. W. K. Grimland included, Mrs. Cecil McKay, of Delano, California; Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Durham and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Grimland and sons, Silvertown. Mrs. W. K. Grimland is the mother of Mmes. McKay and Durham and of Jesse Grimland.

Mrs. C. L. Cowart returned home on Saturday after a week's stay in the Plainview Foundation and Clinic. Says that she didn't tell her anything that she didn't already know; she is suffering considerably from arthritis and various other ailments of long standing.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE—Very Clean Oliver 70 Row Crop, with 4 row equipment. Priced to sell. — Ray Thompson Implement Co.

FOR SALE — New 80 ft. 16 in. casing, 3-16's in. thick, can be seen at Dick Garvin's. 22-1tp.

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FOR SALE — 10 ft. John Deere One way on rubber. 12-A John Deere Combine, two row John Deere Lister planter, 10 ft. grain loader, two row slide go-devil. See Harvey McJimsey. 19-2tp.

FOR RENT — Business Building, former location of Post Office. Wayland Fitzgerald. 23-4tc.

FOR RENT—4 room house. See G. H. Thomas or Ted Hester. 25-3tp

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FOR SALE—Two Clean John Deere Tractors A and G. No equipment. — Ray Thompson Implement Co.

FOR SALE — Martha Martin's "Home on the Bear's Domain" — sequel to "O Rugged Land of Gold", price \$3.50. Briscoe County News.

NEED A SIGN — Tom's Sign Shop Box 771, Phone 5-3368 Tullia, Texas. 18-4tp.

SEVERAL PIECES of Used Equipment. Tractors and Go-devils. See at Dick Garvin Garage. ttc.

PIANOS

Will have representative in this area shortly to dispose of two SPINETs (One blonde oak), one small Studio and two nice Upright Pianos. These instrument must be sold AT ONCE to retire present obligations against them. If you want a bargain. Cash or Terms, Write or Phone Credit Department, McBRAYER PIANO CO. Childress, Texas, P. O. Box 442 Phone WE2eter 7-2682

Early Students Of West Texas State Will Meet July 9

Canyon. — A reunion for early ex-students of West Texas State College will be held here on the campus on July 9, and a day of "reminiscing and visiting" is planned. The "old-timers gathering" is for persons who attended the college from its opening in 1910 until 1915.

About 500 people are expected for the reunion, according to Milton (Buff) Morris, executive secretary of the WT-Students Association. Between 1200 and 1500 attended the college during the six early years, he said.

Exes from as far away as North Carolina and Mississippi have written that they are coming for the reunion, Morris said. Letters have been sent to many early exes as the association's records show, but there are hundreds throughout the Tri-State region who have not received a personal invitation. Morris urged exes from the classes of 1910-15 to "come and bring their families."

Registration at 9 a. m. at WT's new Student Union, and a coffee period opens the planned program. A luncheon, tour of the campus, and a period "for reminiscing" are also planned. Dr. J. A. Hill, President emeritus who has been on the campus since the college's founding, will attend the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Holt, of Amarillo, came by Saturday afternoon and took his grand daughter, Joan, to her home in Petersburg. Joan had been visiting her paternal grand parents here, the Milton Dudleys, for several days.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCracken were Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kirkland and three daughters of Bronte, Texas; Misses LaWanda Reed and Carol Ann Grundy and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McCutchen and three children.

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CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY'S

Mrs. Nash Blasengame, of the J. A. ranch near Clarendon, came Wednesday of last week and took a group of local children through the museum, in celebration of the birthday's of Freddie Durham, who was twelve on Wednesday, and Benny Bingham, who was twelve, Thursday.

Others enjoying the trip were: Judy Bingham, Walter Lyn Dunham, Jerry and Stevie Bingham. Benny Bingham, Freddie and Walter Lyn Dunham returned home with Mrs. Blasengame for a few days visit with her and Mr. Blasengame at the ranch. Their parents, the Ben Bingham and Mrs. Maxine Morris, expect the boys home early this week.

CHILDRESS PASTOR

Rev. H. W. Barnett, pastor of a church in Childress, called on Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hodges Saturday afternoon. Rev. Barnett is a former pastor of the Silvertown Methodist church a few years ago.

Miss Jewel Hodges, of Lubbock, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hodges, and other relatives. Jewel had just come through Floydada when the hailstorm struck that vicinity.

Mrs. Betty Nan Penn and Mrs. Jim Jackson and Jimmy have been enjoying a vacation at the home of Mrs. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Payne, at Hinsdale, Montana.

CROPS DESTROYED

Messrs. T. J. Hodges and J. J. Vardell were in Tullia on business Monday morning. They saw lots of evidence of Saturday afternoon hailstorm between Rock Creek store and Tullia. One man had pulled a combine into his wheat field Saturday afternoon but didn't start cutting; he didn't have a single stalk to cut after the storm.

Other crops were equally destroyed over an area several miles wide. The crops on the Vernon Garrison farm home were not a total loss but crops on land he rents from others were completely wiped out. Mrs. Garrison is Mr. Hodges daughter.

Mrs. Alec Luster, of Plainview, and her niece, Miss Barbara Warren, of Arlington, Texas called on Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughan, Mr. Ed Vaughan and Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stephens and Grandma Vaughan on Thursday of last week. Mrs. Luster is a niece of Messrs. Vaughan and Mrs. Stephens; Miss Warren is their great niece. Mrs. Luster and Mrs. McMinn granddaughters to Grandma Vaughan and Miss Warren is Grandma's great grand daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Shellborne and son, of Amarillo, were 6 o'clock dinner guests of Mr and Mrs. Elbert Dickerson on Sunday. Mr. Shellborne held morning and evening services at the Rock Creek Church of Christ.

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