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Around the Town

by Mary Ann Sarchet

ing acquired a company car, officials of the First State of Silvertown, decided early week to take full advantage of take an afternoon tour over surrounding area.

and Perry entered the car remarked that they didn't number having a full tank of out, oh well, they were too us to get on with their "ey-playing" to be bothered details. They had a grand inspecting crops, etc. over de area.

en they arrived home, Perry ck out at his home and drove rs. Strange inquired as to car and Jack assured her belonged to the bank.

ry arrived home, parked the cketed the keys, and didn't the matter further thought— Dee McWilliams called for eys to his car.

efaced, Perry handed them rather than facing the pros- of Johnny Lanham's jail to theft charges.

company car", meanwhile, ned at the bank.

pecial attention is drawn this to the free TB Patch tests sponsored by the Century of ess Study Club on October 6. The test will be given school child who has the en permission of his parent ardian. We'd like to urge and every parent to sit down while this is fresh in your and write your note of per- on.

s. Dell Kleman, school nurse, read and interpret the tests. Kleman may be new to of our readers, but is no ger to us, our having known in Tullia for years. We'd like d that Silvertown is most for- to have secured the ser- of such an excellent and ble registered nurse. You no cause to worry about the given your child should be be- ill at school as long as Mrs. an is there.

TRADE GOES ELSEWHERE

the ancient ballad tells, for of a nail a kingdom was lost. Modern paraphrase could be for want of advertising great ents of business are lost.

chief competitors of the city retailer are not other lo- merchants. His most serious petition comes from nearby ropolitan centers. Prices on ard brands of merchandise virtually the same everywhere. verhead sometimes gives the town retailer a competitive ntage over the big-city mer- al. Why, then, do so many pers travel fifty or a hundred ts to buy the same items they d obtain at home for the same —less gasoline? Many re- who ask this question d look to themselves to find blame. Inadequate advertising kely to be the answer.

ou may have noted articles re- ly in the daily papers regard- the large chain companies' ades toward advertising. Sears- ck, for instance, last year set tremendous budget for adver- g, and when that year ended were so pleased that they de- to continue spending large e every week for advertising. e small city merchants can e similar results on a much ller advertising budget. Our s, for one thing, are much low- an the big-city dailies.

ery often a person will have ed for some item, but thinking e to be too expensive will not in- re as to price. When a mer- nt displays the item in an ad- sment, that person might just o himself, "It doesn't cost



Cecil Ayers of the Agronomy Department of Texas Tech at Lubbock will judge in DeKalb's "world's greatest sorghum show" to be held in connection with the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo. In this photo, Ayers displays the trophies and winning samples in last year's DeKalb show at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, which was held with the National Mechanical Corn Picking Contest. The sample at the left was from South Dakota, the one at the right was exhibited by C. J. Miller of Slaton, Texas and was national champion. 6,000 heads of sorghum will be on display at the Amarillo show.

Local Farmers Plan DeKalb Exhibit

Sam Lewis, Elton Cantwell and Alvie Francis have been preparing DeKalb Sorghum samples for entry in the huge Sorghum Show to be held in connection with the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo beginning on September 21. Lewis will show F 62A (in the knot head class); Cantwell display a fine

BOARD OF TRUSTEES TO MEET NEXT THURSDAY

The board of trustees of the High Plains Research Foundation will hold their annual meeting at McGrath's dining room in Plainview at 11:00 a.m., Thursday, September 24. The dinner meeting will precede the annual field day at the research farm at Halfway that afternoon.

At this meeting, the board of trustees set the research program for the Foundation for 1960 and decide the budget for the 1960 operations. Mr. Harold Hinn, chairman of the board of trustees, announced today. This will be the first meeting of the board of the new Foundation since its creation in May 1959 following the separation from the Texas Research Foundation. Prior to that date, the research station was operated as the High Plains Station of the Texas Research Foundation.

Following the annual meeting, the members of the board of trustees will be host to the large number of visitors who will tour the Foundation farm during the annual field day Thursday afternoon.

Members of the board of trustees from Briscoe County are Fred Mercer, Shellie Tomlin, and O. R. Stark, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Peugh, Darla and Kathy spent Sunday in Portales, New Mexico, visiting Mrs. W. M. Peugh and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Peugh.

Estimated Plains Cotton Production is Up

Texas High Plains cotton crop prospects for the 1959-60 season continue to look good and estimated production in early September was placed at 1,775,000 bales.

This is up about 5,000 bales from the August 1 crop estimate made by officials of the Lubbock Cotton Exchange and the Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

Crop reports throughout the area continue to be good. Late-planted June cotton is said to be making excellent progress. Some dryland cotton is possibly suffering now from lack of moisture but much of the dryland area is in good shape and farmers report heavily loaded stalks. Most noticeable change in the crop estimate is the decrease in production on dryland and increase from irrigated areas.

Most cotton authorities now agree that weather the next six weeks on the Plains will mean the difference between a good and bad crop year, as far as cotton is concerned. Most farmers will hope for a warm, dry fall and late frost.

If the 1,775,000 bale estimate does materialize, it would be the second largest cotton crop ever produced in the 23-county Texas High Plains area. Tops was the 1958 season which produced 2,025,433 bales. About 100,000 more acres were planted this year since there was no soil bank, but adverse weather in May and June wiped out as high as 600,000 acres and much of it was late in being replanted. Standing acreage on the Plains as of August 1 this year was 2,159,650 acres, just about the same as the standing acreage in 1958 at this time.

Here are September 1 estimates by counties:

Bailey	85,000
Borden	10,000
Briscoe	23,000
Castro	30,000
Cocharan	60,000
Crosby	105,000
Dawson	130,000
Deaf Smith	9,000
Dickens	25,000
Floyd	104,000
Gaines	60,000
Garza	20,000
Hale	170,000
Hockley	165,000
Howard	38,000
Lamb	165,000
Lubbock	195,000
Lynn	130,000
Motley	11,000
Parmer	35,000
Swisher	50,000
Terry	130,000
Yoakum	25,000
TOTAL	1,775,000

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West Texas State FB Tickets On Sale

This fall residents of the panhandle will be fortunate to have major college football in the new 20,000 seat stadium at West Texas State College, Canyon. The schedule of home games includes: September 26 - U. of Arizona (Dedicatory Game); October 17 - Mississippi Southern (Senior Day); October 24 - Hardin-Simmons (Mom and Dad Day); October 31 - Drake (Boy Scout Day); November 7 - Virginia Tech (Home-Coming). Tickets are on sale in Silvertown at Jennings Supply Company.

County Farm Labor Committee Named

Three Briscoe County citizens, G. W. Lee, Ben A. Whitfill, and Bill Long, will serve as a County Farm Labor Committee and met with Mr. William E. Day, Manager of the Texas Employment Commission office, to review the total seasonal employment needs developed by the TEC.

The Committee was presented with the figures of the TEC that Briscoe County will be short 350 cotton pullers during the peak period of the cotton harvest. This shortage will be met by the importation of Mexican National Bracero workers.

The Committee will function under Public Law 78, obtaining facts relevant to the supply of domestic farm workers existing in Briscoe County and the shortage of workers, if any, which must be met by importing Mexican Nationals to harvest cotton crop. Under Public Law 78 the TEC must supply this information to the Secretary of Labor who must limit the number of Mexican Nationals to be used in this county by granting a "ceiling". The Committee consults with the Local Office Manager to assist him in estimating the number of workers who will be needed, based on current local conditions affecting the cotton crop.

"Ceiling" granted by the Secretary of Labor limiting the importation of Mexican Nationals into this area will be posted in the Post Office in Silvertown, in the County Agent's Office, and in the County Courthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. West of DeLeon, have been here visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. West.



NOAH SPARKS, JR.

Church of Christ To Have Gospel Meeting

Evangelist Noah Sparks, Jr., of Houston, Texas, will lead the gospel meetings to be held at the Church of Christ in Silvertown, beginning September 21 and ending September 27. Services will be held on weekdays at 9:30 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. and at 6:00 p.m. on Sunday.

A friendly welcome awaits you at all services.

STUDY CLUB TO SPONSOR FREE TB PATCH TEST FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN

The Century of Progress Study Club is sponsoring a free TB Patch test for school children of the local school.

With the cooperation of the school system and Mrs. Viola Whitfill and Mrs. Dell Kleman, the patches will be placed on the children's arms on Monday and Tuesday, October 5 and 6. The patch should have no reaction and is simple to give. It will need to remain in place for four days, at which time it will be removed and read by Mrs. Kleman, school nurse.

Each child who takes the patch test will be required to have a note of permission signed by his parent or guardian.

It is hoped that all parents will cooperate for total cooperation will make these tests much more effective.

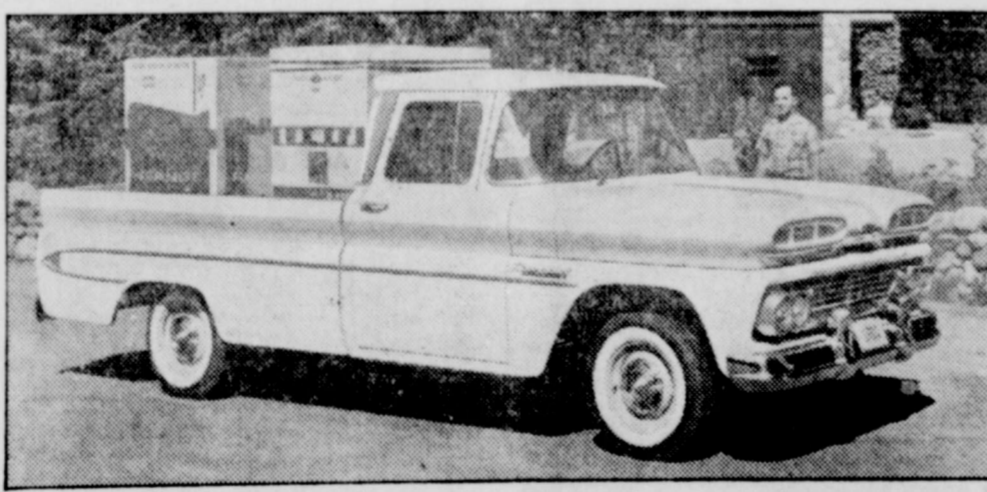
USS MILLS (DER 383) TAKES VACATION

Instead of the USS MILLS (383) returning to Newport, Rhode Island, where she usually spends the whole period in type or supplying the ship for the next thirty days picket, she was permitted to go first to Lisbon, Portugal for one week and then to Gijon Spain for a second week.

L. B. Loudermilk, the MILL'S Captain and the crew enjoyed a wonderful vacation in Europe and were received by hundreds of people waiting on the pier to see the American ship dock and the first officials go aboard. LCDR Loudermilk paid official calls on Mayors and other officials of the cities and countries they visited. Varied entertainment was provided for the men.

Loudermilk, son of C. T. Loudermilk of Silvertown, is serving in his twenty-second year with the United States Navy. He assumed command of the USS Mills on July 3, 1958.

Steel bar cushions jar in REDESIGNED '60 CHEVY TRUCKS



A revolutionary new suspension system gives vast improvement in ride, durability, and control to 1960 Chevrolet trucks. Front wheels are independently sprung on frictionless torsion rods. Rear suspensions are new, with coil springs on light-duty models and stronger, softer riding leaf springs on heavier models for improved cushioning of load and driver. New frames reduce height up to seven inches, with some cab floors at step-in level from the ground. Styling is new with rubber-mounted, roomier cabs. Inside steps have been eliminated, providing a full-width floor.

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Thinking Back

SEVEN YEARS AGO . . . Silvertown home coming will be Saturday. . . \$100.00 premium presented to Robert Isabell for the first bale of cotton. . . Silvertown Owls defeated by Demmitt. . . Lanham-Tunnell was said in recent home wedding. . . Mrs. D. T. Northcutt entered

the Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church. . . 1925 Study Club met with Mrs. Ray Teepie. . . Century of Progress Study Club held opening meeting. . . Garden party in C. D. Wright home. . . Farewell coffee compliments Mrs. Avis Cowart and Mrs. T. R. Whiteside. . . Haylake Club met with Mrs. Mary Rampley. . . Rock Creek Club met with Mrs.

D. Oneal. . . Eta Chi Chapter met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Margie Moreland. . . Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kalbe of Walnut, Kansas, arrived here to harvest grain. . . Mmes. J. E. Minyard and H. A. Cagle and Patricia were in Plainview last Friday afternoon. . . Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grimland of Amarillo spent the week end here with his mother, Mrs. W. K. Grimland, who returned home with them for a few days' visit. . . Freshman class elects new officers: Bill Baird, President; Bud Strange, Vice President; Kay Garrison, Secretary-Treasurer; Donnie Stephens, Reporter and Buddy Travis, class sponsor. . .

TEN YEARS AGO . . . Owls fight Price College in over-weighted lineup Friday night. . . Family reunion at Milton Ford home in Amarillo. . . Messimer family holds reunion at McKenzie Park. . . L. B. Garvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Garvin, left Monday for Lubbock where he will enroll at Tech. . . Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar spent the week end with his niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson at Ordway, Colorado. . . Mrs. J. H. Burson is in Amarillo for medical treatment this week. . . Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brookshier made a business trip to Lubbock on Wednesday. . . D. H. Davis and daughter, Mrs. O. C. Rampley and Mrs. Ada Cox were in Grandview for medical treatment. . .

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO . . . Mrs. Leo Comer spent Monday night and Tuesday in Lockney with Mr. and Mrs. Summer Comer. . . Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCracken have moved into their home south of town. . . Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wheelock and John Robert left after a two weeks vacation spent here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wheelock. . . John Earl Simpson arrived home last week to visit his parents. . . Mrs. J. W. Lyon, Jr. entertained the L.T.D. Club Tuesday afternoon. . . F. C. Gatewood, owner of the Gatewood Blacksmith Shop just installed some new machinery and is planning to enlarge his shop. . . Wayne Mayfield spent Saturday in Tullia. . .

TWENTY YEARS AGO . . . The Willing Workers Club met with Mrs. Albert Mallow. . . Mr. and Mrs. George Seanev visited Mrs. S. A. Shearer Sunday. . . Mr. and Mrs. Dee Garvin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carter. . . Mrs. Grace Irion spent the week end at home. . . Sunday afternoon a group of boys and girls were entertained with a picnic given by Jean Northcutt in the Canyons near Rock Creek. Those present were Freda and Curtis Wimberly, Evelyn Coffee, Jonnie Allard, Winona Francis, Lou Ann Williamson, Dorothy Roy McMurtry, Ruby, Opal and Donald West, Faye Tice and Patricia Bomar, Esdell Hutsell, Joe Earl Deavenport, Clyde Mercer, Carl Dean Bomar, Willie Amel Smithee, Wayne McMurtry, Raymond Lee Womack, Pat Northcutt, and Mr. Lee Deavenport. . . Mrs. Gabe Garrison was in Plainview Tuesday on business. . . Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Shelton and family visited in Plainview Saturday and Sunday with her parents. . .

THIRTY YEARS AGO . . . Mesdames Walter and Bill Watters treated the school to a watermelon feast Thursday afternoon which was enjoyed by everyone present. . . Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McCutchen and family and Mrs. M. E. Smith and children visited relatives and friends at Olton last week end. . . Gerald Smith is driving a new Ford sedan. . . Mr. and Mrs. Bob McDaniel and son were visitors in the W. W. Reid home on Monday. . . Mrs. U. D. Brown and daughter, Avanelle, were afternoon visitors in the J. Y. Bradford home on Monday. . .

here and there by Dooya Read

When I read on August 6th that Edgar A. Guest had died the day before, I felt as if I had lost a very dear friend. The many poems that Guest wrote have been and will continue to be an inspiration to many people. His writing was not considered to be great poetry in any sense of greatness but his poems were gentle, sincere, and inspiring. Even though Guest was not a great poet, he was a great man. He rendered a great service to the world. What better measure of greatness than service rendered?

I have carried in my purse for years one of Guest's poems that I cut from the Fort Worth Star Telegram. It stresses the importance of honesty, self-respect and labor. Although written twenty years ago, it sounds much like the ideas that are being expressed today by educators and government officials.

Reading the Future
What about the future? What should a youngster learn today That will truly chart and plot Conduct fifteen years away? Everything is now so strange.

So confused and tossed away, Where in such a world of change Does the certain pathway lie?

Boy, I know not what will be After fifteen years are spent, Or what methods, slave or free, Will be tried by government, But I tell you this today, Pride will never grace the shirk, Youth will have no other way To achievement than by work.

Whatever change may be These will be rewarded still: Honor, Courage, Industry, Self-respect and Strength of will. Never mind what curious creed Government at times invades. These the world will always need; Skillful workers at the trades.

Would you live with dignity, Walk the street with head erect, Where you wander welcomed be, Crowned with honor and respect? Then don't let your head be turned By some code that teaches ease; Pride and triumph must be earned. Work alone can give you these!

—Edgar A. Guest

REEDA RIME

by Ryma Line

Today, should you have spoken Just a little word of cheer? Words of comfort in deep sorrow, Or a word of stoutest courage, When a heart was filled with fear? Did you fail to speak of sunshine, When skies were grey above? In an atmosphere of hatred, Did you softly mention love? Did you scowl in sullen silence, When you might have joined in song?

Or did you say, "Forgive me?", When you knew that you were wrong?

Yes, a word that's fitly spoken, Is like apples of pure gold. And the worth of it in silver, Even yet cannot be told.

Now an apple of gold from God's Pictures of Siver:

"A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in pictures of silver." Proverbs 25:11

ALL AROUND THE TOWN

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nearly as much as I had thought and I don't see why I should do without one any longer!"

The merchant who just opens his doors and waits for the customers to enter, without attracting them through advertising, is going to do a minimum of business. The merchant who sees to it that the people know what he has to offer is going to do the maximum. And the local newspaper is the outstanding advertising medium for the retailer!

To keep our readers informed on the race for space, we recently read an article that we'd like to pass on to you. If the Russians announced today that their intention was to send a man to hell, undoubtedly before noon tomorrow, there would be at least two groups before House Appropriations committees demanding that we be first!

We are pleased to note that our circulation is increasing everyday. Some of the ones who have subscribed to the NEWS for the first time this month are: Beth Joiner; M. G. Blackerby, Vernon; Diane Fogerson, Abilene; Charles Mayfield, Ft. Collins, Colorado; Harvey McJimsey; A. H. Anderson, Clarendon; Mrs. Robert Isbell, Estes Park, Colorado; Bill Baird; L. R. Bain, Plainview; Alga Turner, Turkey; George Miller; Don Cornett; Norman Strange; Glenn Jones; L. G. Arnold and Chester Hidalgo, South Plains.

Latest guesses of the identity of Dooya Read are Mrs. Ben O. King and Mrs. Gordon Alexander.

We're looking forward to the football game Friday night. So far as the season records of the two teams indicate, it should be a good game. Quitaque has lost to both Kress and Happy by about the same margin as Silvertown suffered at Mator's hands.

Cheering pep squads and klieg lights have brought football a long way from the days when the English stubbed their toes kicking around the skull of a Dane.

That's the theory of how the game started.

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To refuse to believe that there are any circumstances sufficiently strong to defeat you in the accomplishment of your purposes.

Hard? We should say so. That's why so many men never attempt to acquire success, answer the siren call of the rut and remain on the beaten paths that are for beaten men. Nothing worthwhile has ever been achieved without constant endeavor, some pain, and constant application of the lash of ambition.

That's the price of success as we see it. And we believe every man should ask himself: Am I willing to endure the pain of this struggle for the comforts and the rewards and the glory that go with achievements? Or shall I accept the uneasy and inadequate contentment that comes with mediocrity? Am I willing to pay the price of success?

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IF I WERE ON THE SCHOOL BOARD

What do you know about your local school board? How does it operate? What are its problems? Thoughts of the school board often bring on the delicious daydream, "If I could serve on the board..."

It is not surprising that school boards come in for misunderstandings and criticisms. Too many citizens, including some teachers and school board members themselves, do not understand the legal framework within which the school board functions or the community high pressure center which it occupies. Like teaching, school board service looks easy to the uninitiated and quite complicated and unending to the experienced.

As you know, the only legal qualification for school board members in independent school districts in Texas is residency for six months. If you desire to run for a county board or common or rural high school district board you would also have to be a qualified voter and read and speak the English language.

The real test of your qualifications and perhaps of your motivations for offering for the school board will be administered by the voters. If you live in a typical Texas district, not many voters will know there is an election or that you are a candidate. You will likely be elected if you make much effort of any kind.

Now you are on the school board! Now for those self-promised changes!

Very likely the first lesson you will learn is that you have no more legal authority now than you had before. The only time your new position means a thing is when you are in a board meeting.

And then all it means is that you to ask questions and the right to express your ideas (all of which you could have done before with the exception of recording a vote).

Of course, your friends who voted for you don't understand why you are unable to deliver the goods on the changes you have promised and you begin to dread the eventuality of the election three (or six) years from now.

As you meet with the board and become more familiar with its operation and functioning, you discover many things which may be new to you. For example, you find that the board is legally restricted from employing relatives of board members, that board members cannot legally do business with the school district, and that the board has written policies under which the schools are operated and that these policies carry the weight of law within the district.

You discover that the board has the legal authority to establish qualifications for the employment of teachers and the admittance of pupils, above and beyond that statutory qualification; that the board can set the tax rates within the limits granted by law and the voters of the district, issue bonds upon voter approval and assess and collect taxes for the operation of the schools.

You learn that the board has legal authority to: enforce curriculum requirements to those set by statute or regulation; to frame and enforce policies concerning pupil discipline, placement, promotion, assignment, transfer, or continuance; to employ, assign, and establish salary schedules for all personnel; and to control instruction within the school.

In fact, you find that the local board of education is an arm of the State government with authorities and responsibilities imposed upon it by the State Constitution as well as by statute.

Within the framework of these laws, the board has legislative, judicial and executive powers to provide, operate, and control the schools as it sees fit, or, in most instances, as it interprets the community to see fit.

As a local governmental unit, the board is responsible for establishing the school district bud-

get, raising the funds to meet this budget, providing school buildings, planning to meet the growing needs of the district, and, in general, overseeing the entire function of providing public education for the community. In addition to constituting a policy-making body, the board has the responsibility to evaluate the results of their policies, the responsibility least often met by the average board.

Once the importance of the board as a governmental unit has registered with you, you take a closer look at the methods of operation of the board. Because the board meets periodically and because no one member has any legal authority to act for the board in meeting interims, the board has wisely delegated a large measure of responsibility and commensurate authority to the superintendent and his staff.

You will probably not be surprised to find that the board's policies often break down in the instance of extracurricular activities. Your board may interview applicants for coaching positions, whereas the interviewing of teachers and other personnel is left (correctly so) to the administration. Your board may also be one of the one in four which takes a very active role in trying to assure good athletic teams, good bands, or outstanding programs in other nonacademic activities.

As your term as a board member wears on, you will likely suddenly discover that the purposes which you brought with you to the board have changed or disappeared. As you have suffered first-hand the pressures of small but strong-voiced community groups, as the wide range of responsibility of the school board has opened to you and as you have learned more of the facts of life about local efforts for schools, you find your purposes more objective and more concerned with education, efficiency and economy than those with which you started.

Certainly these boards blunder on occasions. Some of them may be guilty of placing economy before education. But when these things happen too often or when the schools suffer serious results, the people of your community

can correct the errors. They can elect people like you to the board of education, people who may start out to get a selfish interest satisfied or a specific job done, but who stay to expend important efforts for the betterment of our schools.

—Texas Outlook

HAYLAKE CLUB OPENS NEW CLUB YEAR

The Haylake Club started off the club year with a meeting in the home of Mildred Brooks on Thursday, September 10.

Time was spent playing games and electing officers for the coming year. Names were drawn for peanut pals.

The new president elected was Ruby Brannon, Vice President - Ikie Bingham, Secretary-Treasurer - Mary Lee Watters, Reporter - Peggy Garvin.

Refreshments were served to Elsie Cornett, Ella Leah Riddell, Ruby Brannon, Blanche Newman, Mary Lee Watters, Ikie Bingham, Bessie Vaughan, Eudean Crow, Maud McJimsey, Ione Brooks, June Anderson, Viola Boyles, and Peggy Garvin.

Next meeting will be an all-day affair on September 24 in the home of June Anderson.

The Haylake Club had an ice cream supper in City Park last Friday night. A good time was reported by those attending.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Thornton were in Amarillo on Wednesday of last week.

Mmes. R. M. Hill and C. O. Alford visited Mrs. Jeff Simpson and Mrs. J. T. Neese at the Inez Rest Home in Clarendon Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Simpson seems to be improving from her broken hip.

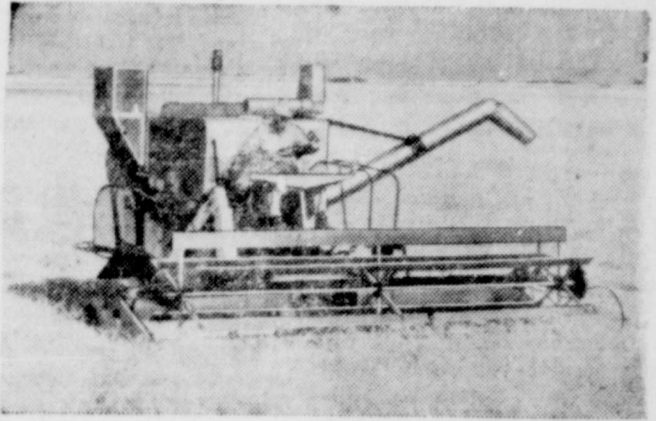
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whitfill and Scott and Mr. and Mrs. James Ross Alexander left for Lubbock on Tuesday where Jim Whitfill and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander are students at Texas Tech College.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Lanham

spent Friday night of last week with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Tunnell, Lisa and Donna in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Heckman, Gloria and Lewis of Amarillo, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Martin and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Harris, Ed and Don recently spent several days in Dallas with relatives. His mother, Mrs. C. B. White, has been seriously ill but is improving. J. B. Finley, father of Mrs. Harris, returned home with them on the day of last week and visited until Saturday.



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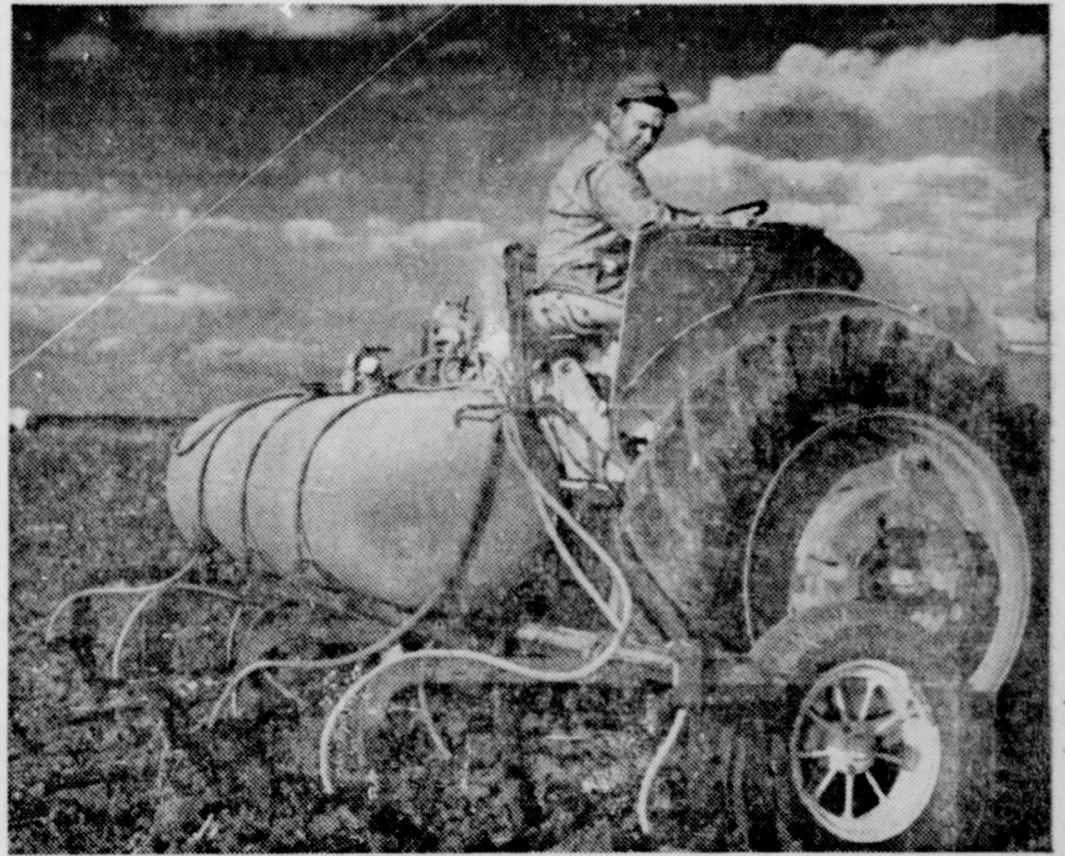
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1959 HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Sept. 4	Matador	Matador	8:00
Sept. 11	Open		
Sept. 18	Quitaque	Quitaque	8:00
Sept. 25	Happy	Silverton	8:00
Oct. 2	Kress	Silverton	8:00
Oct. 9	Turkey	Turkey	8:00
Oct. 16	*Crosbyton	Crosbyton	8:00
Oct. 23	*Ralls	Silverton	8:00
Oct. 30	*Petersburg	Silverton	8:00
Nov. 6	*Idalou	Idalou	8:00
Nov. 13	*Hale Center	Silverton	8:00

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HIGH SCHOOL "B" TEAM FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Sept. 10	Matador	Silverton
Sept. 17	Happy	Silverton
Sept. 24	Open	
Oct. 1	Kress	Kress
Oct. 8	Happy	Happy
Oct. 15	Crosbyton	6:30 Silverton
Oct. 22	Matador	Matador
Oct. 29	Petersburg	Petersburg
Nov. 5	Idalou	Silverton
Nov. 12	Hale Center	Hale Center

JR. HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Sept. 15	Quitaque	Silverton
Sept. 22	Happy	Silverton
Sept. 29	Hale Center	Hale Center
Oct. 1	Kress	Kress
Oct. 6	Hale Center	Silverton
Oct. 13	Quitaque	Quitaque
Oct. 15	Crosbyton	Silverton
Oct. 27	Happy	Happy
Oct. 29	Petersburg	Petersburg
Nov. 5	Open	



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Local News
reported by
MRS. CARL CROW

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lowrey of Dalhart, spent Thursday night with his aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Brannon, Jerry and Wade were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young and Peggy, of Floydada. Mrs. Doug Merriweather and Monte of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Young and Kirk were guests. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brannon, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brannon called in the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young are parents of Mrs. Seymour Brannon, Mrs. Merriweather and Travis Young.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brannon, Jr. are teaching in Panhandle. They and Truitt are commuting from Amarillo until they get a house in Panhandle. They are former Silvertown residents.

Mesdames Seymour Brannon and Joe Brannon were in Floydada on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. W. N. West left for Garden City, Kansas, Sunday afternoon where F. L. West, father of Mrs. Davis and W. N. West, is seriously ill.

W. Coffee, Jr. of Amarillo, has been a recent visitor here. He formerly lived here for many years.

John and Jeanette Perkins of Tipton's Orphanage, Tipton, Oklahoma, children of Marion Perkins, recently spent the week end here with relatives. They were guests of their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Edwards and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Garrison

and Jerry spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer White and Laurel Ruth in Grady, N.M. Mrs. White, nee Kay Garrison, is a daughter of the Carroll Garrisons.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Homfield and Loyd of Adrian, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Swinney and Barbara, Messrs. R.L.O. Riddell, Alton Riddell, and Dud Watters, Mr. and Mrs. Don Cornett and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brannon attended the rodeo and steer roping in Clovis, N. M. on Sunday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. J. E. Vaughan included her father, D. T. Johnston of Hollis, Oklahoma, who has been here for several days, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ragland, Jr., of Lockney, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Vaughan, Danny and Ronny.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Morris and Joel are in El Paso with her sister, Mrs. Mel Jowell. Mr. Jowell was seriously injured in a car wreck there on August 21, and his condition remains about the same. Mrs. Morris went to El Paso on the 22nd.

Mrs. A. E. Tate, B. A. Tate of Dozier and Mrs. Buster Stokes of Shamrock, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Tate and Jackie Carol. Mrs. A. E. Tate is the mother of the Messrs. Tate and Mrs. Stokes.

Mesdames Euel Newman, H. P. Rampley and W. H. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Garrison and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Stephens and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Thornton and Roni, Royce and Kenny Thornton attended the rodeo and other festivities at Boys Ranch on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. R.L.O. Riddell were there on Mon-

day. Mrs. W. H. Newman enjoyed visiting with her grandson, Kelly Dean Newman, who lives at the ranch.

Mrs. Frank Fisch is critically ill in the Lockney General Hospital. Mr. Fisch, their daughter, Mrs. Bood Myers and their son Berle Fisch, and their families have been staying in Lockney much of their time with her. Her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Zearl Thomas, of Lamar, Colorado, and other relatives are here with the Fisch family.

John E. Arnold, who has been ill with encephalitis since September 25, 1958, is not improving, according to Mrs. Arnold. He was quite restless Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bomar and Mrs. Freeman Tate and Jackie Carol spent Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Long, Kit and Mike at Alanreed. The Bomars are parents of Mesdames Tate and Long.

Bailey Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Childress and family of Astin, and George W. Childress of Stephenville, have recently been visitors with Mrs. Bailey Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Vance Childress and children. Bailey Childress and George Childress are brothers. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Childress are parents of Ted and Vance Childress.

Mrs. Bud McMinn, LaWanda Reid and Helen McMinn were in Tulia Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Owens and Eddie of Wichita Falls, spent the Labor Day week end here and at Quitaque with relatives.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mrs. Vernelle Cowart was happily surprised on Tuesday morning when Mrs. Mollie Riddle, Mrs. Ed McDaniel, Mrs. Pat McKenney, Mrs. Fairy Hickman and Janet came bringing coffee and cake and a birthday present for her. Although it was her birthday, she couldn't have been more surprised nor have been made more happy.

WELCOME TO SILVERTON!

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunt, Jackie, Vicky, Kenny, and Kathleen and Wendall Miller, brother to Mrs. Hunt, have recently moved into our community from Wellington. They live on the Lightsey farm about 10 miles northwest of town. Mr. Hunt is employed by Jennings Farm Supply.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fike, Rena and Trena have recently moved here from Wellington. They live in the Charles Cowart apartments and Mr. Fike is employed by Jennings Farm Supply.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cowart visited his mother, Mrs. C. L. Cowart, in Paducah Saturday afternoon and found her much improved. They returned via Flomot and spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Anderson. Mrs. Charles Cowart and Mrs. Anderson are cousins.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hammonds and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Anderson and children of Flomot, and Mrs. Roy L. McKenney visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cowart Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. James Patton entered the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Sunday afternoon for examination and possible medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cowart and Chyrrel visited Rev. and Mrs. Tommy Ewing and family in Aiken Sunday evening and attended services at the Methodist Church there. Rev. Ewing is pastor there.

CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Shellie Tomlin and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Tiffin, Bruce and Jeff went to Wichita Falls Friday afternoon and helped celebrate the birthday of Mrs. Tomlin's father, R. T. O'Brien, and her sister, Mrs. Helen Goodin. Mr. O'Brien was 75.

A seven o'clock family dinner was held in the home of Mrs. Goodin and her son, Gary. Two sons and five daughters were present along with all grandchildren and great grandchildren and all in-laws except one grand son-in-law. The Tomlins returned home Saturday but the Tiffins remained for a longer visit with relatives in that vicinity.

MARRIED AT PRAIRIEVIEW

Danny Mack McKenney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. (Mack) McKenney, was married to G. C. Newberry at 3:00, Saturday, Sept-

ember 5 in the First Methodist Church in Prairieview, Arkansas. Mack was born and spent her early childhood here. Having visited here many times she is well known in the community.

Boyd Bingham, who recently underwent open heart surgery in the Harris Hospital in Fort Worth, returned home last Thursday. Mrs. Bingham says that he has had days and bad days and stayed with him in Fort Worth.



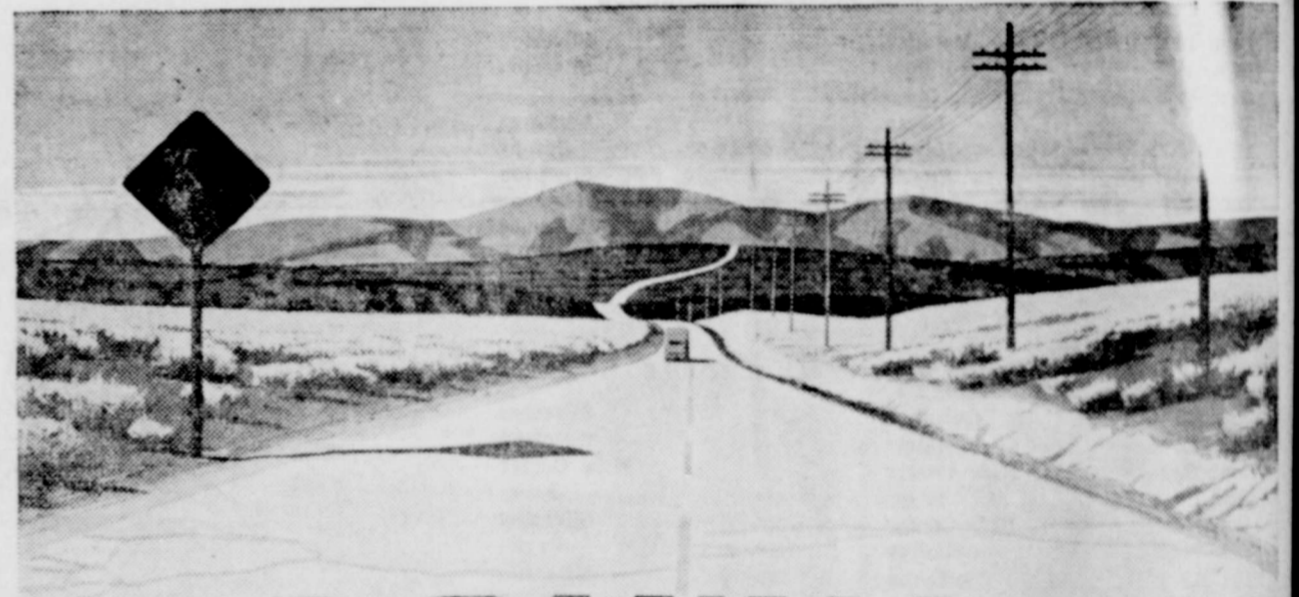
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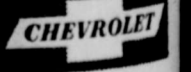
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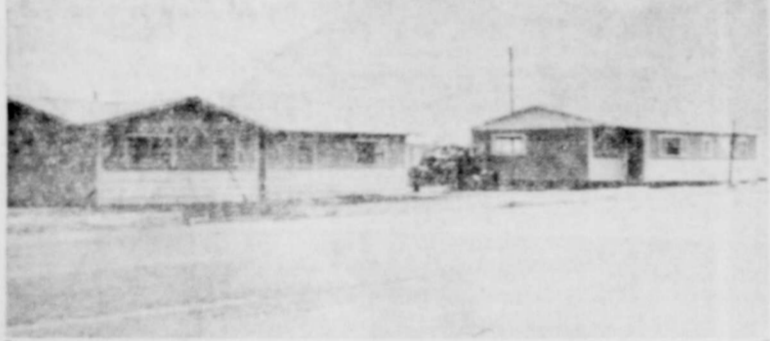
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Especially is the name of Christ important. Before his birth an angel announced to Mary, "And, behold, thou shalt bring forth a son and call his name JESUS (Luke 1:31). Jesus pointed out to the apostles "If ye ask anything IN MY NAME, I will do it." (John 14:14). Paul later said, "And whatsoever ye do in word or in deed, do all IN THE NAME OF THE LORD JESUS." (Col. 3:17).

When Peter spoke of Christ he said, "Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is NONE OTHER NAME under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved." (Acts 4:12).

In New Testament days the disciples were called Christians (Acts 11:26). They were commanded to glorify God in this name (1 Peter 4:16). In our day we should strive to be nothing more or less than Christians.

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A report was heard recently from Lubbock, where a man had grazed 77 head of cattle all summer on 7 acres of Midland Bermuda grass. This report is supposed to be reliable.

The secret to good grazing on Bermuda grass is management. It will have to be irrigated in the area. It will need fertilization every few years to keep it producing high yields and palatable.

It appears that we are too far north for coastal Bermuda, as it is better suited to a warmer and more humid climate.

Mr. Joe Oneal, southwest of Silverton, intends to sprig some Midland Bermuda next spring; so we will soon know more about what it will do in this area.

We in the S.C.S. think enough of its potential that we hope to include it in the Great Plains handbook for cost share assistance in the next year.

Those interested in Midland or Coastal Bermuda grass should feel free to contact the S.C.S. office for further information.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF **ABBIE MAE HAWKINS**, a person of unsound mind, No. 429, County Court, Briscoe County, Texas.

ELBERT HAWKINS, Guardian in the above numbered and entitled estate, filed on the 11th day of September, 1959, his verified account for final settlement of said estate and requests that said estate be settled and closed, and said applicant be discharged from his trust.

Said application will be heard and acted on by said Court at 10 o'clock a.m. on the first Monday next after the expiration of ten day from date of service, exclusive of the day of such service, which day and date of service shall be the date of publication that

SP/4 CARL W. GUANTT RECOGNIZED FOR SERVICE

Specialist Fourth Class Carl W. Gauntt, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Don Garrison, of this city was, in a brief ceremony, recognized for "outstanding performance of duty" during recent Army and Air Force maneuvers near Yakima, Washington.

SP/4 Gauntt, one of 30,000 troops from across the United States who participated in a two week maneuver known as "Exercise DRY HILLS", was awarded a Certificate of Achievement. This award is the second highest award given in peacetime for outstanding performance of duty.

SP/4 Gauntt was cited by Lieutenant General Charles D. Palmer, Sixth United States Army Commander, and by Major General Louis W. Truman, 4th Infantry Division Commander, for his "preparation and dissemination of technical data and all around outstanding performance of duty which contributed greatly to the success of 'Exercise DRY HILLS'".

SP/4 Gauntt, one of fifty men to receive this award has been stationed with Headquarters Battery, 30th Artillery, Fort Lewis, Washington, since November of 1958. He and his family reside at 12917 Naamilawn Drive, Tacoma, Washington.

this newspaper bears, and which appearance shall be at such time on such Monday, which will be the 28th day of September, 1959.

All persons interested in said estate are hereby cited to appear before said Honorable Court at said above mentioned time and place by filing a written answer contesting such application should they desire to do so.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and same according to requirements of law, and make due return as the law directs.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF SAID COURT and issued at office in Silverton, Texas, this 11th day of September, A.D. 1959.

DEE McWILLIAMS
Clerk of the County Court
Briscoe County, Texas
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ENJOY TRIP TO WASHINGTON

Mrs. Don Garrison, Raye and Roy visited relatives in Washington several days recently, returning home last week. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gauntt, Micky and Shonda in Tacoma, Washington, for six days.

While there they visited a large aquarium, one of the largest in the world, a large zoo and Old Fort Misqually which was built in 1833 and has recently been restored. They went swimming in Puget Sound Lake and drove across the \$18 million bridge. In Spokane, Washington, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Boyce, Danny and Bobby for four days. They took a sightseeing tour and walked on Grand Coulee Dam. Mrs. Gauntt is the daughter of Mrs. Garrison; Carrol Boyce is the brother of Mrs. Garrison; he and the Gauntt family formerly lived here. Mrs. Garrison says they enjoyed every minute of the trip, including the bus drive there and back.

HONORED WITH SHOWER

Mrs. Donnie Perkins was honored with a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. P. H. McKenney Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. White cake squares with pink decoration, nuts, mints and Punch were served with crystal appointments to about twenty guests; other sent gifts who could not attend.

THOMAS FAMILY DINNER

A Thomas family dinner was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Phillips in Lockney on Sunday honoring those members of the family whose birthday anniversaries are in September. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Thomas, Mrs. Ted Hester, Rickey and Janice, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith, Ann and Lynn, Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Phillip and Brenda, of Tullia, and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Carthel and Karen, of Petersburg.

Mrs. Bud Brooks was moved to her home on Friday of last week; her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Demic, has come to stay with her. Mrs. Brooks, who has been staying in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lindsey, is thought to

be recuperating satisfactorily from a broken hip.

G. W. Lee received his private pilot's license last week and made a trip to Pierre, South Dakota, in his Bellanca plane on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Womack returned home late Tuesday of last week after having spent the Labor Day week end with relatives in Gordonville, Denison, Sherman and Dallas. His mother, Mrs. W. C. Womack, of Gordonville, returned home with them.

Mrs. E. E. Tomlin and Mr. and Mrs. Shellie Tomlin were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fleming in Friona. Mrs. E. E. Tomlin is the mother of the Messrs. Tomlin.

Mrs. K. M. Fleming and daughter, Mrs. Doodle Zachry and Ken spent Sunday in Friona with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Fleming.

Truman Fleming of Fort Worth spent last week end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mayfield, Zane and Roy Dane left for Fort Collins, Colorado, on Thursday of last week. Mr. Mayfield will attend the University of Colorado there. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mayfield accompanied them and helped them get settled in their new home. The entire group took a side trip into the mountains after "the work was done."

Rev. Edwin Norris of Vallejo, California, and Rev. Elvin Norris of Berkeley, California, are students at the Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary in Berkeley, California. The men are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Mart Norris and grew up in Silverton. Edwin is a graduate of Wayland College in Plainview. He earned a portion of his credits in the California school. Elvin is a graduate of Decatur Baptist Junior College, and of Hardin Simmons University at Brownwood, and has been a student at the California school for semester.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fleming were in Tullia on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Childress and children were in Tullia one afternoon last week.

Mrs. Monroe Lowrey has been a patient in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo recently.

Joe Smalley of Floydada, spent Wednesday of last week here with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Tate. Joe left Friday for Waco where he is a student at Baylor University.

HOST FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Francis were hosts at the annual reunion of the descendants of his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Francis. Eighty-three people attended the gathering held in the Community House in the Lone Star Community on Sunday September 13, 1959. A basket lunch was enjoyed at the non hour. Those present included all sons and daughters of

the immediate family, all grandchildren and all great grandchildren and all in-laws except two grand-sons-in-law. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Lovvorn, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Francis and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Steele, Silverton, and Mrs. Minnie May Bell, Lubbock, who are all members of the immediate family. Mr. and Mrs. Urcel Taylor of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Jim West of DeLeon, were also guests.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Fore and Mary of Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Comer, Camellia, Buddy and Larry spent the week end at Lake Stanford.

Mrs. C. C. Blackwell of Amarillo, was a week end guest of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McGavock, Johnny and Champ.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bean were patients in the Lockney hospital for several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kellum were in Lubbock on business Saturday. They also visited their daughter, Leah Dare Kellum, who is a student nurse at Methodist Hospital.

Mesdames H. P. Rampley and Albert Mallow returned home on Sunday after a week's visit with relatives at Roswell, New Mexico. Their grandson, Doug Rampley, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Rampley came home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen C. Green and children of San Jon, New Mexico, visited Mrs. W. C. Womack and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Womack in the Bruce Womack home on Saturday and Sunday. They spent the night in Quitaque.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce Bell, Della and Holly, of Mangum, Oklahoma, spent Sunday with Mrs. Alva Jasper, mother of Mrs. Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Dolen Rackley and Mrs. Gloria and Larry were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Don Wallace in Lubbock.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alva Jasper, Vicki and Nicki have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elma Anglin in Salt Lake City, Utah. The ladies are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Oner Cornett and Brenda have been recent week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Cornett and David in Longview.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt and Mr. and Mrs. True Burson were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cobb in Tullia Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Clement, of Muscogee, Oklahoma, former Silvertton residents, have recently been here to return home their

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williamson and granddaughter of Lubbock, former Silvertton residents, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hardwick and Kathy of Dallas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Harris and sons on Saturday. Mesdames Harris and Hardwick are sisters. Mr. Hardwick is a nephew to Mrs. Williamson. The Williamsons enjoyed greeting many of their friends of former years here.

R. J. Marsh and David L. Farnsworth, of Mannsville, Oklahoma, are here working during the cotton harvest. They have been employed by Tomlin & Fleming Gin Company. Mr. Marsh worked at the gin in 1956 and thanks there has been considerable building going on since he was here and not all of it in replacing property destroyed in the 1957 tornado.

Several local folks attended the Floyd county fair held in Lockney last week.

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