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FIRST LOAD OF NEW WHEAT DELIVERED TO SILVERTON CO-OP

TOWER ELECTED TO SENATE SEAT

Texas has elected a Republican United States Senator. This arouses quite a controversy by those who ask, "Has Texas left the Democratic fold?"

Briscoe Countians have twice voted against the majority of Texans who have given Tower the lead in both the election and the runoff. Candidate William Blakely received 201 votes as compared with the 154 received by John Tower in our county.

Blakely led in every precinct. In Silvertown, 129 votes were cast for Blakely and 106 for Tower.

At Quitaque, Blakely received 49 votes and Tower polled 41. In the San Jacinto box, 19 were counted for Blakely and 5 for Tower. In the Antelope box, 4 were cast for Blakely and 2 for Tower.

Helping Hand Club Meets In Rowell Home

The Helping Hand Club met on May 25, in the home of Mrs. Aubrey Rowell. An interesting demonstration on Fire Prevention was given by Tony Allison and Joe Bob Watson. The members enjoyed the demonstration and wish the team luck in the State competition at Texas A & M College next week.

Refreshments were served to Meses. Virgil Baldwin, Ethel Fitzgerald, Fannie Francis, Nelda Jasper, Miriam Jowell, LaVerne Mercer, Lois Nance, Zoe Steele, Wilma Lewis, Modean Callaway, Verma Allison and Vici and Micki Jasper, Dan Baldwin and the hostess.

The club will meet with Zoe Steele on June 8.

METHODIST MEN ELECT OFFICERS FOR COMING YEAR

Methodist Men met last Tuesday morning in regular session and enjoyed a well cooked meal.

Election of officers was held. Charles Sarchet was elected to serve as President; Jack Strange, Secretary-Treasurer; and H. A. Cagle to assign cooks.

The Methodist Men meet at 6:00 a.m. on Tuesday morning twice monthly.

Mrs. Gordon Montague and Jene and Mrs. Ted Hancock of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bern May were in Borger Sunday.

Mrs. E. W. Yancey and children were in Amarillo on Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday where they visited Mr. Yancey in the VA Hospital. He is thought to be improving and will probably be able to return home by the middle of this week.

Mrs. Oren Burnside left for Phoenix, Arizona, early this week after visiting Mrs. Lela Kellum, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kellum and family and Mrs. Grady Wimberly, other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Carl Hawkins of Lubbock, and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar went to Portales, New Mexico, Tuesday, where they met their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McCallon and Betty of Albuquerque, who had come to return home their daughter, Wanda, who has been a student at ENMU during the past school year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar spent last week visiting relatives down state. They were guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roland DeFee and children at Palestine. They spent some time at Greenville, Caddo Mills, Merit, Farmersville, and McKinney.

The hot, dry winds have hastened the drying of grain crops in Briscoe County, and the first load of new wheat has been delivered in Silvertown. Silvertown Co-Op received the first load from the Schott Brothers on Saturday, May 27. The moisture content was 15% and the test weight was 60-pounds per bushel.

This first load of wheat received a premium price from Silvertown Co-Op. It was cut below the cap.

Several loads of new barley are arriving at Silvertown elevators daily. It is generally thought that the dryland wheat will yield approximately 15 bushels to the acre.

Last year the first load of new wheat was delivered in Silvertown on May 27 by W. E. Schott. That first load tested 61-pounds to the bushel with a 13% moisture content.



T. J. HODGES

T. J. HODGES IS LAID TO REST

Funeral services for T. J. Hodges were conducted at 3:00 p.m. Tuesday, May 30, in the First Methodist Church in Silvertown. Officiating were Rev. Frank Story, pastor of the Silvertown Methodist Church, Rev. James Patterson, of Cotton Center, former pastor of the Silvertown Methodist Church, and the Rev. G. A. Elrod of Roscoe, Texas, former pastor of the Silvertown First Baptist Church.

Mr. Hodges died at 6:15 p.m. Sunday, May 23, in Swisher County Hospital at Tulia. He had been ill for more than two months, but had been under a doctor's care at his home for the past several weeks.

Thomas Jefferson Hodges was born on February 1, 1878, in Grayson County, Texas, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Hodges.

Mr. Hodges was married to the former Miss Anna Pearl Castleberry on October 22, 1898, at Gardenville, Texas. They moved to Silvertown in Briscoe County from Knox County in 1925, and had made their home here since that time. He had engaged in farming until his retirement.

Mr. Hodges was converted as a young man of 23 years and united with the Methodist Church. He was a former Sunday School teacher in the First Methodist Church in Silvertown and was active in all phases of church work until his health began to fail him. He was a member of long standing of the Silvertown Masonic Lodge.

Mr. Hodges had a self-appointed duty at which he worked every single day. This was to extend a warm hand, cheery greeting and friendly smile to every single person he met. And he often related that most of the citizens of this community were quick to return a cheerful greeting.

Last fall Mr. and Mrs. Hodges were privileged to celebrate their sixty-second wedding anniversary. On the occasion he wrote a few paragraphs about his life, from which comes the following:

"Some we have loved have reached the end, but some with us may stay. Their faith and help still girding us, we will walk the 'King's Highway.' Then why

LITTLE LEAGUE SCORES

On Tuesday, May 30, the Little League season opened with a double header which saw the Blue Sox defeat the Indians, 12 to 8, and the Gold Sox defeat the White Sox, 6 to 3.

Johnny Roy (Left) Weaver thrilled the Little League fans by knocking the first home run of the season for the Indians.

Eti Chi Sorority Installs Officers

Eti Chi Sorority met May 22 in the hospitality room of the PCA building to install officers for the coming year, and also to perform the ritual of the Jewels for their newest member, Ima Jo Bingham.

In a very impressive candlelight ceremony, the following officers were installed: Rosalie Chitty, President; Jackie Stafford, Vice President; Eunice Yates, Treasurer; Ruby Brannon, Educational Director; and Lallie Patton, Parliamentarian.

Bonnie May was the installing officer. She presented each incoming officer with a rose from her rose garden as a reminder to them of the love and devotion to duty all their predecessors have had.

She also pronounced the Jewel Ritual for Ima Jo.

Rosalie Chitty gave the last educational program of the year, a most interesting program on Japan.

A gift of love was presented to the outgoing president, Bonnie May. This was a charm bracelet with an individual "heart" charm from each member of the chapter with her name engraved on it.

Delicious refreshments of sandwiches, stuffed tomatoes, cake squares and spiced tea were served by Lallie Patton and Rosalie Chitty.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hawkins and daughters of Lubbock, were Sunday visitors with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cantwell were his niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Beddingford and children of near Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Cantwell and children and Mr. and Mrs. Datis Martin and family.

Carolyn and Raye Garrison and Pam Rampley visited with the club.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Gabe Garrison.

GOES FOR CHECKUP

Mrs. C. R. Badgett and daughter, Mrs. Frank King, left for Houston early on Wednesday of last week. They had spent several days here while having storm damage to the Badgett property repaired.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Paige, Jr., of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whitfill, Scott and Dawn, of Lubbock, were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Paige, Sr., over the long weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. McClendon of Childress and Mrs. T. C. Bomar spent a few days last week down state with relatives. They visited Mrs. Leo Slaughter in Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hardecastle at Meridian. Mr. Hardecastle is a brother to Meses. McClendon, Bomar and Slaughter.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. T. C. Bomar were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shives of Tulia, and Mrs. Wylie Bomar, Sr. The ladies are sisters-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Thornton, Ronny and Darrell of Lubbock, spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stephens and Mrs. Georgia Thornton.

Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes were in Amarillo on Monday for a checkup with his doctor.

LAST RITES FOR MRS. BROOKS

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Eva Brooks, 82, a long-time resident of Briscoe County, were held at 3:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 31, in the First Baptist Church in Silvertown. The Rev. G. A. Elrod, of Roscoe, Texas, and the Rev. Robert J. Beck, of Quitaque, officiated.

Burial was in the Silvertown Cemetery under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home.

Active pallbearers were J. L. Self, J. C. Fowler, Dee McWilliams, Bailey Hill, Johnny Burson, Onar Cornett, Virgil Crow and Wade Welch. Honorary pallbearers were Dick Bomar, Ray C. Bomar, Dean Allard, Walter Walters, Roy Mayfield, Ware Fegerson, and Manley Woods.

Mrs. Brooks died at 10:00 p.m. Monday in Lockney General Hospital after a lengthy illness. She was born on November 24, 1878, in Jackson County, Texas.

She was united in marriage to Aaron Brooks on May 3, 1896, in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Askey, in Silvertown.

Mrs. Brooks was a member of the First Baptist Church. She had been a resident of this county for seventy years.

Survivors include five sons, Jim, Joe and A. T. Brooks, all of Silvertown, W. H. Brooks of Borger, and A. N. Brooks of Oakland, California; two daughters, Mrs. Marie McCutchen of Abilene, and Mrs. Glen Lindsey of Silvertown; one sister, Mrs. Myrtle Bemie of Tucson, Arizona; 24 grandchildren and 31 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Garrison Is Hostess To Claude Crossing Club

Members of the Claude Crossing Club met in the home of Mrs. Pascal Garrison.

Refreshments were served to the following members, Jo Mallow, Lottie Garrison, Janie Garrison, Ruby Lee Eddleman, Helen Eddleman, Lois Posey, Dottie Long, Ora Alexander, and the hostess, Donnie Garrison.

Carolyn and Raye Garrison and Pam Rampley visited with the club.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Gabe Garrison.

HERE FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Mrs. Nora Livingston of Wichita Falls, arrived here on Tuesday of last week for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Newman, and other of her friends. Meses. Newman and L. C. Yates met her in Floydada. Meses. Newman and Livingston were in Plainview on Friday where they visited Mrs. J. H. Lovett and Mrs. Elma Baker, sisters to Mrs. Newman. Mrs. Baker, who injured her back recently, has not yet fully recovered.

Harvey D. McJimsey spent part of his vacation last week at Crowell, where he worked a day or two in the wheat harvest. On Thursday, he joined his wife and baby, Douglas, at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. E. Lawrence, where they spent the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey D. McJimsey and Douglas recently attended the graduation exercises at Lakeview, where her brother, Jerry Lawrence, was a member of the graduating class.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Kellam, Celia, Lou and Michael of Torrington, Wyoming, are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northeutt and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Northeutt, other relatives and friends.

Bill Long took his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Long to Lubbock on Monday, where Eugene Long had a checkup on surgery he recently underwent.

Mrs. E. D. Wilmet returned home from Methodist Hospital in Lubbock on Friday of last week. She hopes to soon be walking without the aid of crutches.



NEW STUDY CLUB OFFICERS — Mrs. Jim Mercer, Mrs. L. D. Griffin, Jr., Mrs. Gene Morris, Mrs. Wayne Vaughan, Mrs. Carl D. Bomar and Mrs. Wayne McMurtry.

SWIMMING LESSONS TO BE OFFERED IN SILVERTOWN

A meeting to organize and arrange swimming classes will be Monday, June 5, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon. All those who are interested should report to the pool at that time and the dates and times of classes will be arranged.

Children will be taught beginning with four-year-olds. Non-members are also invited to participate in the swimming classes. Darrel Cole will be the instructor.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Story and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Alexander were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Posey.

GLORIA WALLACE WINS HONORABLE MENTION IN STATE CONTEST

In a recent letter of commendation received by O. C. Rampley, Principal of Silvertown High School, it was disclosed that Gloria Wallace has received an honorable mention for her Fire Prevention Poster which was submitted for judging in the state contest along with 1600 other entries.

The contest was sponsored by the State Board of Insurance Underwriters, in an effort to focus public attention on the subject of fire prevention.

Gloria is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Wallace, and will be a Sophomore student in Silvertown High School next fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stallings of Brownfield; Mr. and Mrs. Neal Ruppert and Linda of Carlsbad, New Mexico; and Mrs. Rex Miller of Denver City, have been recent visitors with their aunts, Meses. Una Burson and Ruth Moore, and other relatives.

Mrs. W. M. Peugh and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Peugh and family of Portales, New Mexico, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Peugh and family.

Mrs. Charles Francis and Sharla of Plainview visited Mrs. W. D. Peugh and Kathy Saturday afternoon.

Mary Ann Crawford of Claytonville community spent last week here with Chryel Cowart. Mary Ann and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Crawford, formerly lived here.

Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes, Robert and Randy visited Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall and Linda in Memphis Sunday afternoon. Randy remained in Memphis for a week's visit with his aunt and family.

Century of Progress Study Club Officers Are Installed By Mrs. Winnie Wimberly



Mrs. Winnie Wimberly

The Century of Progress Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Wayne McMurtry Wednesday, May 24, 1961, for the installation of their newly-elected officers for the ensuing year. The installing officer was Mrs. Winnie Wimberly.

A "Wheel" theme was carried out on a table decorated with yellow. Mrs. Wimberly used the rim of the wheel to represent the club members, and the spokes represented each new officer. The hub represented the club chairman.

Those installed were President, Mrs. Gene Morris; Vice President, Mrs. O. C. Rampley; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. L. D. Griffin; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Jim Mercer; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Wayne Vaughan; Treasurer, Mrs. Carl D. Bomar; Reporter, Mrs. Wayne McMurtry; Parliamentarian, Mrs. George Miller.

Coffee and wheel cookies carried out the theme of the installation by co-hostess, Mrs. Bob Wheelchel. The meeting was adjourned by the new club chairman, Mrs. Gene Morris.

VISIT IN TURKEY

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee visited Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Green and Cozette in Turkey Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Green was one of four Turkey women who accompanied the Turkey High School Senior Class on their annual trip. Cozette was a member of the class. They returned home Saturday after a ten-day tour of San Antonio, Laredo, Mexico, Corpus Christi, and Galveston.

HOME FROM AMARILLO

Mrs. J. H. Burson returned home last Friday from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clifford Davis, in Amarillo, where she had been staying following her recent eye surgery. Mrs. Strickland is staying with Mrs. Burson, who is to return to Amarillo for a checkup in two weeks.

ATTEND GRADUATION

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Stephens, Mrs. Doug Forbes and Mrs. W. A. Stephens were in Lubbock Monday night where they attended the graduation exercises at Texas Tech College. Kenneth Stephens was a member of the graduating class.

HOLDS SERVICES HERE

Rev. Carlus McLeod, a senior student at the Baptist Seminary in Dallas, preached at the local First Baptist Church Sunday evening. Mrs. McLeod accompanied her husband here.

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Mrs. J. T. Persons, Joe Seay and Mrs. Charles Gowin went to Lubbock Wednesday. They visited Mrs. Rayford Hewett and Mrs. Taylor Smith and Mrs. Mattie Smith. The Smiths send greetings to all their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lyon were in Amarillo on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Hewett of Lubbock spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Persons. Joe Seay accompanied them home on his way to Post, where he will be an instructor in the Boy Scout Camp for five weeks.

Murry Wayne Morrison, Neva Dale and Judy Collins went to Plainview Saturday to return Mrs. W. E. Morrison home. She had spent the week visiting her daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Setliff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Law-

rence Bedwell and family and Mr. and Mrs. Birt Lane and family. Neva Dale remained to visit a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Bradshaw Mr. Eulan Bradshaw and sons of South Plains visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tracy and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morris and family of Tulia were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hamner, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morris, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Corky Morris and Celia Ann of Hereford visited his parents Saturday. They were enroute to spend a few days fishing at Lake Kemp. Celia Ann remained to visit her grandparents.

Jerry, Bobby and Bruce Edwards and Stogie Bumpas of Guthrie, spent Saturday and Sunday with the Edwards boys' sister, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brummett and family.

Other visitors in the home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards and family of Turkey, Mrs. Ted Green and children of Matador, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Edwards and children of Amarillo, Mrs. Lonnie Payne of Vigo Park, Mrs. Nolan Kell and children of Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Price and family of Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Price. Other visitors in the home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Landry of Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Montgomery and family of Kress visited Sunday morning with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith. Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith and Mrs. Willie Bradshaw and son of Turkey visited their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. George Richer of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lutts of Estelline and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Whitehorn and boys of Hereford visited Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James May and Carolyn. They all went to Burson Lake and enjoyed boat riding.

Miss Frizzell Feted With Pre-Nuptial Courtesy

Miss Carolyn Frizzell was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Grady Martin recently. Miss Frizzell, the bride-elect of Mr. Benny Reagan of Quitaque, her mother, Mrs. Milton Frizzell, and the mother of the prospective bridegroom, Mrs. Cecil Reagan, received the guests.

Brenda Cornett presided at the guest book. Carolyn's chosen colors of orchid and white were used in refreshments and table decoration. The table was laid with a white lace cloth over orchid. The centerpiece was a lovely arrangement of orchid iris. Misses Doris Estes and Darla Peugh served the guests.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Grady Martin, Datis Martin, W. D. Peugh, Robert Whelchel, Willie McAlpine, Onar Cornett, Walter Brannon, P. D. Jasper, Jim Brooks, Wayland Fitzgerald, Elton Cantwell, Elbert Stephens, Claude Allison, Carroll Garrison, and Aubrey Rowell.

Among those who attended from out of town were Mrs. Ray Payne and Sheila, Mrs. Willie Gragon, Mrs. Ronnie Carpenter, Mrs. Hubert Frizzell, Mrs. Jack Frizzell, Mamba, Jay and Jackie Lou, Mrs. Pat Frizzell, and Mrs. Robert Caraway.

The bride received a lovely array of gifts for her new home.

Mrs. Dean Rowell Honored With Bridal Shower

Mrs. Dean Rowell, nee Theda Holt, a recent bride, was honored with a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Charles Cowart on Wednesday, May 24, 1961, from 2 to 4 p.m. Classmates of Theda and some of their mothers were co-hostesses for the occasion.

The bride's chosen colors of pink and green were carried out in garden bouquets throughout the receiving rooms and in refreshments and table decor. The bride's table was laid with a white cloth over green, centered with a ceramic bride and groom on a white styrofoam base with flower and ribbon decorations in pink. Pink napkins and crystal and silver appointments were used in serving green punch, nuts and white cake squares decorated in pink.

Mrs. Ralph Stewart, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Charlie Rowell, mother of the groom attended. Mrs. Lige Hooten and Miss Alice Holt, sisters of the groom and bride, were also guests.

Girls assisting with the hospitalities were Gloria Wallace, Martina Williams, Fern Brooks, Sandra Watters, Martha Mills, Jeanne Davis, Patricia Cagle, Brenda Martin, Chyrel Cowart and Janice Lewis. Mothers who helped the girls were Mrs. Dock Wallace, Mrs. Farris Martin, Mrs. Floyd Williams, Mrs. Roy Morris and Mrs. Charles Cowart.

Theda was the recipient of a beautiful array of gifts with which to begin housekeeping.

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Mr. and Mrs. Boone McCracken and Mary Ellen of Quitaque visited with Barry Gene Francis on May 26. They came for lunch with Barry and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Francis, and to help Barry celebrate his fifth birthday.

P. J. Edwards of Maywood, California, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Marie Bishop, his grandmother, Mrs. J. N. Cantwell, and his aunt, Mrs. Katie Hill.

Mrs. Katie Hill, Mrs. Marie Bishop and Mrs. J. N. Cantwell enjoyed the Old Settler's reunion at Floydada Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Riney and son, Joe, of Olton, visited in the Luke Thompson home Friday night after attending the high school graduation exercises here.

Mr. and Mrs. Uil Gunter of Canyon, were recent visitors with her parents, the M. J. Oneals.

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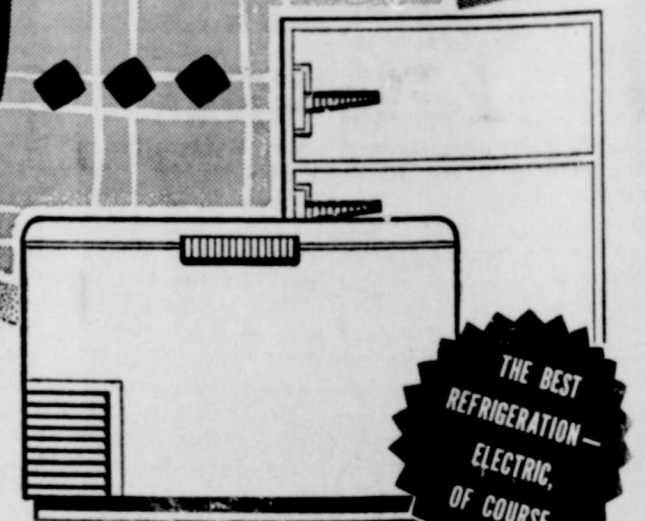
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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wayne Brooks, Mark and Kelly, spent the weekend in Midland visiting Mrs. S. M. Stevenson, aunt of Mrs. Joe Brooks, and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wayne Brooks, Mark and Kelly, moved here for the summer months on Thursday of last week from Hereford, where they lived during the school term.

Mrs. George Long and Nancy were in Lubbock Saturday.

Dwain Wilmeth, who teaches in Amarillo, spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wilmeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Long, Kit and Mike of Alanreed, arrived here Sunday morning in time to enjoy breakfast with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bomar. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Tate and Jackie Carol, came for lunch. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Long came in the afternoon, and all enjoyed supper together.

Mrs. H. L. McWatters has been a patient in the Lockney Hospital since Saturday. Mr. McWatters has been there with his wife much of the time.

Mrs. Nora Livingston and Mrs. E. C. Newman met Mrs. Ben Martin of Pampa in Tulia Monday. Mmes. Martin and Livingston, former Silvertown residents, came especially to be here for Memorial Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Snell, teachers in the local school, spent most of last week in Lamesa visiting relatives. The group went to Lake Thomas, near Big Spring, on Tuesday for several days enjoyment together.

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THE BIBLE TEACHES THE EXISTENCE OF GOD. It begins with the majestic statement, "In the beginning God." And declares His existence throughout. This argument, of course has no weight with the person who does not accept the Bible as a credible witness. But we have already established the fact that the Bible is a qualified witness, then its testimony does have weight. In last weeks lesson we presented reasons for believing the Bible. And evidence was presented to show that the Bible is a supernatural book, that it has revealed facts which could have been known only by revelation. And since it has been established that the Bible is a supernatural book and that it has been verified in every case where verification has been possible, then we should be prepared to accept its testimony in matters in which verification by the five senses is not possible. Since the Bible has proved its ability as a witness, and since it declares the existence of God, I believe that it tells the truth here. I believe there is a God. There is plenty of corroborating testimony.

NATURE ITSELF TESTIFIES TO THE EXISTENCE OF A SUPREME BEING. "The invisible things of Him . . . are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made" Rom. 1:20. "The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament sheweth his handywork" Psalms 19:1. "When I consider thy heavens the work of thy fingers, the moon and the stars which thou hast ordained: What is man that thou art mindful of him?" Psalms 8:3-4. We can survey the wondrous universe even as David did in the long ago. In fact, man has the facilities that enable him to know far more about the universe than could be known by man in the time of David. And each new discovery lends weight to the idea of the existence of God.

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