



Mary Dell Rogers Weds Wichita Falls Man, to Move There

Mary Dell Rogers of Iowa Park and Ivan Robert Tiberghien of Wichita Falls were married December 26 at Wichita Falls. Attending the service with the young couple were Ray Tiberghien, Mildred Lambert, Ora Williams and Martha Lambert.

TO OUR FRIENDS

We want to take this opportunity to express a big "Thank You" to the many friends in Iowa Park and to our church family for remembering us with the beautiful cards at Christmas. We thank you for your kind thoughts and wish for each of you a New Year as bright and prosperous as the promise of God. Sincerely, The Easterwood Family.

H. Phipps, brother of Mrs. T. M. Black from Borger, was a Sunday dinner guest with Mr. and Mrs. Black.

MRS. PRESTON, 68, PIONEER RESIDENT, BURIED MONDAY

Mrs. Minnie Leona Preston, mother of Dee Preston with whom she was making her home, died here on Monday, December 27. Funeral services were conducted under direction of Tanner Funeral Home at the Pentecostal church with the Rev. Mr. Cecil M. Powers officiating.

Mrs. Preston came to this community 24 years ago, her husband, Taylor Preston died five years ago.

Sixty-eight years of age, Mrs. Preston is survived by her mother Mrs. Betty Hammons of Childress; a brother A. J. Hammons, also of Childress; two sisters Mrs. Sally Strickland of California and Mrs. Ellen Love of Floydada.

Children surviving are Mrs. M. J. Stephenson of Henrietta, Tom Preston of Graham, Mrs. Vina Boggess of Iowa Park, and Dee Preston.

She left 18 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

Serving as pallbearers were Hubert Tatom, George Richter, J. D. Morrison, Jessie Terral, Wayne Ketchum and Willie Downs.

23 Study Club Party Was Beautiful Affair

Christmas decorations of almost indescribable beauty were used by Mrs. Earle Denny throughout her home when she was hostess to members of the 23 Study club recently for the annual Christmas party. Upon entering the home, guests were impressed with its loveliness and that image persisted throughout the afternoon.

In the living room the mantle above the fireplace held particular appeal. Covered with angel hair and centered with a crystal harp with a rim of gold, it also held a miniature bust statue of Mary and an angelic chorus which represented various races of people. The large mirror over the mantle had the appearance of a sky flecked with clouds on which a golden musical scale seemed to convey the message of the song of the angelic host. The piano held a unique arrangement of silver leaves, berries and bells rising from a mound of snow and a group of figurine carolers.

The ingenuity of the hostess was further reflected in the decorations on the buffet in the dining room which featured out of doors winter scenes. Snow covered trees and fences were made more interesting by the realistic birds, deer and carolers which completed the setting. Many other decorations in the home emphasized the true sentiments of the Yuletide and the festive aspects of Christmas.

Designated as Fine Arts Day, the program featured carols by the club members, a trio by Mesdames Fenton Dale, James Sewell and C. W. Coppock, and a Christmas story by Mrs. Homer Blalock. The last named told the "Story of the Elder Brother," which is a stirring story of human love, and she showed how it fades into insignificance in the light of the most wonderful love story of the ages, that of Jesus Christ, our Elder Brother. Concluding, the reader said, "As the Christmas season approaches, let us worship, honor and adore our Elder Brother; let us bring our choicest love gifts and lay them at His feet, and let each one resolve to make this season 'Christmas for Christ.'"

During the social hour, gifts were distributed by Mrs. Sam Hill and Mrs. May Turner from the brilliantly decorated tree. To bring the activities of the afternoon to a close the hostess served delicious refreshments from the attractive dining table.

Enjoying the lovely affair were two guests, Mrs. Fenton Dale and Mrs. Roy Gegeman of Dumas, and the following members: Mesdames Richey Abernathy, C. Birk, L. E. Brooks, Homer Blalock, C. W. Coppock, Carrol Duke, Taylor George, Herman Mitchell, J. A. Sewell, R. A. Tanner, Fred Widmoyer, S. L. Denny, May Turner, Florence Sherwood, M. C. Yeargan, H. W. Weaver, C. J. Simpson, Gayle Park, Sam Hill, James N. Easterwood, King Abernathy, C. E. Birk and John Barbour.

Miss Hudson Hostess To 1946 Classmates

A group of 1946 seniors met at the home of Miss Martha Kate Hudson Monday night for the fourth annual December 27th party. During the evening bridge, hearts, monopoly and Chinese checkers were enjoyed by the college set.

The living and dining rooms of Mrs. Bonnie Hudson's home were decorated with silver pine and red candles. Refreshments were served to Misses Helen Dale Clark, Betty Jean Denny, Rebecca Shaw, Mary Anne Hill, all of Iowa Park; Bobbie Ann Gibbs and Helen Brannan of Wichita Falls; and George Koonce, Charles Roby, Randolph Clark, Malcolm Nichols, Gene Jackson, Joe Chandler, Rodney Weaver, Gerald Walsh, Thomas Pace, Miffon Taylor, all of Iowa Park; and Jimmy Roby of Stinnett, Jesse Lee Ladd of Conroe and Frank Mills of Fayetteville, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sisk had as Christmas company this weekend their daughter Betty and her friend Beverly Wark of Enid, Okla., and their son and his wife Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sisk Jr. and their two children Brad and Barbara Janelle. Mr. and Mrs. Charley Coppock and Mrs. Georgia Wells went to Grand Prairie for Christmas where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Chennault. Where there the group was joined by Mr. and Mrs. H. L. O'Brian of Mount Pleasant. The Coppocks returned to Iowa Park on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neuhardt of Midland were home with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Earle Denny for the Christmas season.



Larry George, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. George, is approaching a brand new year with a smile on his face that forecasts a happy year ahead for his parents and friends. The Herald and the Blake Smith Studio wish for our town and its citizens all the joy and prosperity possible to them during 1949. It is our deep conviction that we live in a community that will do its utmost to wipe away tears of adversity, should they come; as well as rejoice in any good fortune that might happen to any of us.

Methodist Women Are Recognition Banquet Hosts to Young People

Between 40 and 50 young people of the Methodist church enjoyed a delicious meal prepared and served by a group of ladies of the WSCS on Tuesday evening of this week. The occasion was a Student Recognition banquet given by the women of the church. The Rev. Mr. Kirk M. Beard pronounced the invocation.

After eating the young people enjoyed a sing-song led by Betty Perry and accompanied by Betty Jo Hatten.

Mr. Beard introduced the after-dinner speaker, Gerald P. McCollom, district superintendent of the Methodist church. His talk concerned the young people and their place in the work of the church.

Lucy Lee Dale closed the evening by leading the group in the MYF benediction.

Mrs. Paul Griffin and children Paula Ann and Gene, of Childress, were with Mrs. A. H. Estes last week. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Martin and children arrived here from Lake Charles, La., on Thursday before Christmas and returned home Sunday after a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Brubaker.

Mrs. Rowena Parker spent the Christmas holidays with a daughter in Clarendon.

Fred Comstock of Grandfield, Okla., visited in the Fred Widmoyer home for Christmas. He is an uncle of Mrs. Widmoyer.

Dr. and Mrs. Bill Kitchell and daughter Kathy Lynn returned to Wesleyaco, Tuesday morning after spending the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John E. Barbour. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hatten and Betty Jo visited Mrs. Hatten's parents Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Seales at Chico during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jones and children spent Christmas with Mrs. Jones's sister Mrs. Floyd White and Mr. White.

Presbyterian young people will celebrate Twelfth Night with a farewell to Christmas season observance at the Manse at 7:00 o'clock.

Valley Farms 4-H Girls Enjoy Party With Patsy Trigg

The Wichita Valley Farms 4-H girls had a party at the home of Patsy Trigg, Monday night, December 27.

The guests made candy, played games and exchanged gifts. Refreshments were served to Eva Nell Clements, Blanton Wood, Joyce Partney, Sandra Stermer, Lucille Wesley, Joann Moer, Norma Jean Moer and Patsy Trigg.

— Lucille Wesley, reporter

Cecil Powers Joins Blake Smith Studio

Cecil M. Powers has been employed by the Blake Smith Studio as darkroom technician and will begin work immediately, according to announcement of Mrs. Smith this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Powers and son Cecil have recently moved here from Waco. In addition to his duties at the studio, Mr. Powers will work with the Pentecostal church of Iowa Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith were in Dallas on Monday to purchase new equipment for the studio.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Scott entertained in their home on Christmas day with dinner and a family reunion.

Present to enjoy the festivities were Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Scott and son Howard of Corpus Christi; Mrs. Larry Schwamb and daughters Mary Katherine and Lavinda of Chicago; Jim Scott of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott and son Glen; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Scott and daughters Ann and Joy of Denton; Mr. and Mrs. Burk Scott and children Burk Jr., Angela and Tommy.

There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at the morning service in the First Presbyterian church of Iowa Park on Sunday, January 2, according to announcement of the pastor Rev. Mr. M. C. Yeargan.

MRS. CATO BURIED AT ELECTRA; DIED HERE DECEMBER 23

Mrs. Mellissa Jane Cato, 76 years of age, was buried at Electra on Christmas day, having died at the Iowa Park home of her son I. E. Cato on Thursday, Dec. 23.

Mrs. Cato came here from Electra a month ago to be with her son and had been sick a week.

Born Nov. 8, 1872 in Bexar county, Mrs. Cato became a member of the Baptist church at an early age. She came to this vicinity in 1905 and settled at Fowkes Station. She made her home near Electra until 1923 when the family removed to Sunset. They lived there until the death of her husband R. P. Cato six years ago.

The surviving children are Mrs. G. L. Smith of Bowie, Mrs. Wesley Jones of Electra, and I. E. Cato.

Two step daughters, Mrs. Hattie Barnett of College Station, and Mrs. Clara Warton of Beaumont; and a stepson G. H. Cato of Springtown, also survive.

Mrs. Cato also has a brother J. A. Goff of Abilene, 37 grandchildren and 33 great grandchildren.

Services for Mrs. Cato were conducted here at the Tanner Funeral home, with interment beside her husband at Electra. The following grandsons served as pallbearers:

- T. A. Miller of Sunset. John Jones of Electra. C. W. Byerley of Jesper. G. H. Abernathy of Hooker, Okla. Luther Smith of Fort Worth. E. J. Brooks of Wichita Falls.

YOUR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE —

RUTH HILL YEARGAN The Iowa Park Chamber of Commerce has three things for sale, each related, and dependent on the other: Membership, Good Will and Town Progress.

Without Membership the chamber cannot live; Without Good Will the chamber cannot really succeed in any undertaking;

Without Town Progress the chamber might as well be dead.

There are no bargains in this Chamber of Commerce sale — we do not offer something for nothing. Membership means investing in Our Town time and money according to ability.

Probably the most difficult height to which man can attain is a genuine feeling of Good Will: that nice warm feeling for the other fellow which results in our rejoicing with him when good fortune comes his way and sympathizing with him when hard luck strikes. (Sometimes we do rejoice, but not at the right time, if you know what we mean.)

Progress is not just motion, it is intellectual advance. And with wise planning and concerted efforts we can get for Iowa Park the things necessary for the increased happiness and prosperity of its citizens.

The New Year is here — glowing with possibilities.

We invite your Membership, we crave your Good Will, and promise to put to the best advantage the time and money you invest with us for Town Progress.

Your Chamber of Commerce wishes you a Happy and Successful New Year.

SON FOR INMANS BORN ON CHRISTMAS DAY

Mr. and Mrs. Auberden J. Inman are announcing the arrival of a son on December 25. They have a daughter 19 months old.

Fred Warren of Joy has been spending Christmas with his son Fenton L. Warren and family, and with James F. Warren Jr. and Dr. John H. Warren, all of Iowa Park. Mrs. G. E. Gravley of Dallas spent Christmas with her daughter Mrs. Floyd White and Mr. White.

Presbyterian young people gathered at the Manse on Thursday evening of last week preparatory to going caroling over the town and the countryside. Twelve homes were visited. Traveling was done in the truck belonging to Gene Lowrance.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Smith visited Rev. W. F. Smith in Garmon recently. He is recovering from a bone injury received in his chest.

The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Yeargan and daughter Cecilia will entertain their Presbyterian friends at open house on New Year's Day from seven to nine in the evening at the Manse.

Mrs. J. C. Roby had her tonsils removed Monday. Visitors here with her are E. A. Roby and family of Borger, A. L. Anable of Graham and Mrs. Dora Roby of Graham.

Class of 1929 Has First of Series of Reunion Banquets; Eighteen Were Here with Families

Iowa Park To Have New Jewelry Store: The Time Shop

A new business will open in Iowa Park on January 3 — The Time Shop — in the Blake Smith Studio at 105 Park street. Partners in the new watch repair and jewelry store will be Harold Leonard and Bill McLean.

The men are horology students at Hardin college in Wichita Falls and have been spending all their spare time making ready for the opening.

Although they will not have a large stock of jewelry on hand, the Time Shop is prepared to take orders for any merchandise in the jewelry and time keeping lines.

The two families are residents of Iowa Park. McLean has bought the T. M. Exater home at 418 Bank. He and Mrs. McLean have a 10-month-old child Gene, and attend the Methodist church here.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard have two children, Jerry and Gary. Jerry is in school. They have bought the Copeland home at 122 Penn which is also on Cash street. The Leonards are members of the Christian church.

The Time Shop will be able to give prompt service on watch and clock repair. The partners will be in school part of the time but there will always be someone on hand to receive the work and show the merchandise. Both men will be in their shop from 4:00 to 6:00 daily and from 9:00 to 6:00 on Saturdays.

Church People Have Surprise Party for Miles Hines Family

Thursday night, Dec. 23, the M. L. Hines family returned home to find a large group of friends gathered around their Christmas tree singing Christmas carols. The occasion was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Hines and Travis Neal, who have been such faithful workers in the Methodist church and outstanding citizens in the community for many years.

During the past forty years members of the family have at one time or another held practically every office and position in the local church and church school, as well as many county and district offices.

After the singing of carols, T. J. Pace and Mrs. Gordon Clark expressed the appreciation of members of the various church departments by presenting the Hineses a handsome three-piece set of Samsonite luggage.

In the dining room Mrs. Joel A. Harris of Austin presided at the crystal punch bowl and Mrs. Harry W. Weaver served dainty cookies to the many guests. They were assisted by Mesdames Scott Morris, S. L. Denny, Hugh Stockton, D. O. Smith, and Carl Sullivan of the refreshment committee.

Mrs. T. J. Pace served as chairman of arrangements for the affair and was assisted by Mesdames Weaver, Hugh Thomas, M. L. Smith, Miles Thompson and Della Craft.

Although it is impossible to get an accurate record of those who participated in the evening's affair, names on the registry include Mrs. D. O. Smith, Bobby Pace, Mrs. Scott Morris, Mrs. Carl Sullivan, Mrs. Eunice Sewell, Jas. A. Sewell, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Willard, M. L. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Clark, Mrs. M. L. Smith, Elgin W. Denny, Mrs. Emma Gaunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Coppock, Mrs. Lucy Dale, Mrs. Jessie Mae Owens, Mrs. A. E. Bailey, Mrs. Elgin Denny, Mrs. Lee Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Horn, Jim Hatten, Kathleen Hatten, Joe Harris, Miss Jane Gaunt, Don Owens, Eiga Ann Denny.

And Mrs. Ilo Elizabeth Weaver, Betty Smith Harris, Miles V. Thompson, W. M. Owens, C. O. Davis, T. J. Pace, Rev. and Mrs. Kirk M. Beard, Robert J. Beard, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Gay, Mrs. Rowena Parker, Mrs. John Tidwell, Jack Ralston, Louise Ralston, Mrs. Mary Bishop, Mrs. Mollie Miller, Ann, Paula, Allie Jack and Mary Ralston, J. C. Ralston, Mrs. J. C. Ralston, Mrs. Dave O. Harbour, Claydene Bell, Orville Bell, Harry W. Weaver, Miss Lou Ann Duke, Miss Patsy Horn, Mrs. Evie Teal, D. O. Smith, Kathy Teal, Joe Bell, Carl Sullivan, James Owens, Jackie Teal, Mrs. Perle Pace, Velva Bell, Mrs. J. N. George, John Mixon and Mar Mixon.

Back in 1928-29 Iowa Park had a class of seniors who to hear them tell it last Monday night, were outstanding in every department of class activities. The occasion was a banquet called "Twenty Years Later," and brought together 18 of the former classmates and their families and friends. Most of the other 13 members were heard from and expressed regret at their inability to be present.

Meeting in the school cafeteria for a banquet, the class of 1929 spent more than three hours recalling old times and exchanging bits of history of the class since graduation.

The meeting was the culmination of six months intensive effort on the part of local graduates, and especially of Loyd D. Barbour, himself president of the class while they were seniors. Mr. Barbour acted as toastmaster at the meeting and drew many chuckles as he recounted some of the events of the senior year. The memorable class day, in which the juniors and seniors spent most of the entire daylight hours at internecine warfare, claimed most of the attention of the class and brought forth a great deal of information about activities of that day. Newspaper clipping had been brought by one of the members of the class to refresh their memories of that occasion.

Among the invited guests besides class members and their spouses were Mr. and Mrs. Locke Lowrance, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Pace, Mrs. Miles L. Hines, Mrs. Nora Fields, and Mr. and Mrs. George R. Huckaby.

Some of the highlights and accomplishments of the class are carried in other columns of this issue of the Herald. Members present at this year's affair voted to have another reunion each five years at Christmas time. The next session will be in 1953.

George Jones Heads Fire Department for Coming Year's Work

Officers for Iowa Park's volunteer fire department were elected at the regular monthly meeting of the boys Monday evening. Carl Walsh, retiring president, directed the business session held in the firemen's headquarters.

Those who will take over officially on January 10 are: George E. Jones, president; Albert May Jr., vice-president; Uriah Blum, chief; W. A. George, assistant chief; R. R. Brubaker, secretary-treasurer; John Mixon, Harrell Sullivan and Clayton Baldwin, trustees.

The department will elect its trustee for the state Firemen's Pension fund at a meeting on January 3.

Refreshments of home-made pecan pies and coffee were served by R. R. Brubaker. Bob was caught last month in a slight misstep and stuck for the eats. He responded in the customary manner and will join the group next time that finds another culprit to feed the following session.

CHAMBER BOARD TO MEET TUESDAY NIGHT AT 7:30

Board of directors of the Iowa Park Chamber of Commerce will meet on Tuesday night at 7:30 at the City Hall for the first meeting of the new year. Newly elected officers will preside and new directors will be present, according to an announcement from Mrs. M. C. Yeargan, secretary.

Mrs. J. W. Matthews' Children All Came Home for Christmas

A truly enjoyable Christmas was when all her children came to her ent were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McKittrick of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Wallace of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Matthews of Channing, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gwynn of Wichita Falls; and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Gay and family.

Visitors in Iowa Park, Sunday, with Mrs. J. W. Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Walsh were Mr. and Mrs. Will Thomas of Archer City and Mr. and Mrs. Art Daniels of Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Nance, Sam Queen and son of Wichita Falls were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd White last Sunday. Mrs. Tirzah Portis and Miss Hazel Crites spent the Christmas week-end with relatives and friends in Hobart, Okla.

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JUNIOR NEWS

I bet I have surprised a few people this week. They probably thought I wouldn't have anything to report, but I do!

I wonder what's going to become of Johnnie W. He has sure caused a terrible mess. She doesn't mind though, Johnnie.

Believe it or not, we had a party this week. Guess where. Yes, you guessed it, Mrs. Perry's house. I'll go into detail next week.

If you hear someone going "psssss" don't get excited — it's just one of those seniors. I hear it in my sleep!

Poor Virginia, seems as though we can't have a party and Jackie be able to come. He had the mumps last time and is gone this time. We told Va. to come on though, because she wouldn't be the only without a date. "Us all is dateless!"

Bless Patsy Steed's heart! I bet she really enjoys her pretty little gold purse. I wish I had one. Another senior boy could wake up to a few things if he wanted to. But, why should I worry — don't affect me — affect me!

Va. got an awfully pretty sweet-heart bracelet and necklace. Lucky dog! Jerry Cope got a pretty new sweater too. Don't ask how I knew.

Just do. Jackie B. got one too (a sweater, that is).

Before we say farewell to this week I'd like to give a hint to girls who think just because you sit in the front seat of a car with a boy you have a date with him. You don't (I was very formally informed). And here is a hint to L.A.D. — you may get talked about so be careful!

That's all this week. Happy New Year.

The Junior Reporter.

Young Pals Meet for Annual Season Party

Miss Betty Denny entertained a group of her former school mates in their annual Christmas party on Christmas eve in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Earle Denny.

The young ladies met early in the evening for an exchange of gifts around a lovely Christmas tree. This has been the custom of the group since school days in Iowa Park.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Pat O'Neal, the former Miss Eva Joy Sumrall, and the Misses Helen Dale Clark, Mary Anne Hill, Rebecca Shaw, Dorothy Faye Sewell, Martha Kate Hudson, Carolyn Duke.

Three young men dropped in to wish them Merry Christmas: Randolph Clark, Jessie Lee Ladd and Joe Chandler.

WATCH NIGHT PART AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Friday evening is New Year's Eve and there will be a fine program of fun and good fellowship to be enjoyed by all ages at the Baptist church of Iowa Park, according to announcement of the Rev. Mr. J. N. Easterwood, pastor. The program will begin at 9:30 in the main auditorium with a singspiration and will last until 12:01 of the first day of the New Year 1949. There is no better place to usher the Old Year out and the New Year in than in your church, the pastor said.

Dinner guests Monday evening with Mrs. John Tidwell were Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Howard of Lubbock and Mrs. John Cox of Vernon.

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Wedding of Molly Jo Thomas at Whitesboro Is of Interest to Her Iowa Park Friends

Another holiday wedding of interest to friends in Iowa Park was that of Miss Molly Jo Thomas of Whitesboro and Mr. John Scott McDonald of Dorchester. The bride is daughter of Mrs. Frank Dillard Thomas and the late Mr. Thomas.

The wedding was solemnized on Sunday afternoon, December 19, at the First Baptist church of Whitesboro. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Jack Selcraig, pastor of the Forest Avenue Baptist church of Sherman.

The couple exchanged their vows before an altar banked with palms, fern and artistic arrangements of white gladiolus. Cathedral candles added to the beauty of the altar.

Pre-nuptial music featured organ selections played by Mrs. Oscar Baker Neal of Dallas, aunt of the bride, and vocal numbers given by Miss Dorothy Faye Sewell of Iowa Park.

The traditional bridal compositions included "The Sweetest Story Ever Told," "Traumerie" and "Liebestraum." Miss Sewell sang Griegs "I Love Thee" and "Because" by D'Hardelot. Lohengrin's wedding march and Mendelssohn's recessional were played for the entrance and departure of the wedding party.

The bride's wedding gown of ivory slipper satin featured a drop yoke with a lace trimmed bertha, long fitted sleeves which tapered to points over the hands, a close fitted basque with a very full skirt with a chapel length train. Her finger tip veil of imported Chantilly lace was caught to her headdress by a coronet of lilies of the valley. She carried a cascade type of bouquet of white gardenias and sweetpeas with a shower of white satin ribbon and stephanotis.

She was given in marriage by her brother Frank Dillard Thomas of San Antonio. Mrs. Frank D. Thomas Jr. was matron of honor. She was attired in a dress of aqua taffeta styled similar to the bride's wedding gown. Her headdress was a taffeta bonnet with net streamers tied under the chin. She carried a bouquet of rose carnations with rose satin

ribbons. Miss Laverne Davis, maid of honor, wore a rose taffeta dress. Both her gown and headdress were similar to those of the matron of honor. She carried a bouquet of aqua carnations with aqua satin ribbons.

Other attendants, Mrs. T. L. Taylor of Dorchester, Miss Yvonne Keith of Dallas and Mrs. Laurence Saye Jr. of Whitesboro, wore rose and aqua taffeta dresses and coronet headdresses. Their bouquets were of contrasting carnations. Little Sue Nell Taylor was flower girl. George Green of Sherman and Clarence Wooten of Celina, groomsmen, lighted the candles. Edward Hunter of Dorchester was the best man for the groom.

The bride is a graduate of Whitesboro high school and has been attending TSCW at Denton.

Mr. McDonald is a graduate of Dorchester high school and Decatur Baptist college, and is now a senior student at Austin college, Sherman.

WEDDING RECEPTION

Following the ceremony a wedding reception was held at the home of the bride. Receiving with the couple were their mothers and the bride's attendants. Baskets of white gladiolus and fern decorated the home.

Centering the lace covered refreshment table was a crystal bowl of white chrysanthemums on each side of which were white tapers in crystal holders. The three tiered wedding cake and frozen punch were served by Mrs. Sam Hill of Iowa Park and Mrs. H. H. Womack of Fort Worth, aunts of the bride.

When the bridal couple left for their honeymoon Mrs. McDonald was wearing a swing back suit of charcoal gray. Her accessories were dark green and brown, and her corsage was of gardenias. When they return they will be at home at 1001 South Travis, Sherman.

Among guests attending the wedding were the following from Iowa Park: Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Brooks, Miss Sheri Ann Brooks, Miss Doro-

thy Faye Sewell and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hill.

REHEARSAL DINNER

On Saturday evening Mrs. Womack and Mrs. Sam Hill entertained the wedding party with a rehearsal dinner. Members of the wedding party were presented gifts by Miss Thomas and Mr. McDonald.

Texas Polio Fund Is Still Short

Texans have been responding generously to appeals for funds for the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation, Ross Booth, president, said this week. The fund drive however is still short of the \$350,000 goal and Booth urged subscribers of this newspaper to mail in their contributions as soon as possible.

Donations should be mailed to the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation, P. O. Box 58, Gonzales, Texas.

The foundation is an institution supported by Texans to restore Texas victims of polio to normal healthy lives, and personnel of the foundation are extremely grateful for the way people of Texas are answering the call for financial assistance, Mr. Booth said.

The work of helping crippled children is a year round project and all Christmas contributions will put some polio victim on the road to health and happiness during 1949.

H. C. Davis Named by Lone Star Gas Co. As Sales Supervisor

Appointment of H. C. Davis of Abilene as sales supervisor for Lone Star Gas company's west Texas territory has been announced by M. L. Bird of Abilene, division superintendent. Mr. Davis succeeds Charles



G. Brandt who has been named superintendent of all distribution properties of Lone Star in Oklahoma.

As sales supervisor Mr. Davis will be in charge of merchandising and new business activities for Lone Star in its west Texas division of distribution which comprises Iowa Park and 77 other cities and communities. He will have headquarters in Abilene.

Mr. Davis joined the Lone Star Gas company in 1936 and served as salesman at Corsicana, Cleburne, Mexia and Handley until April 1941 when he was appointed dealer sales supervisor in the Abilene division. He was assigned to the Waco division the following November and in 1943 was made manager of the Ennis district.

He returned to Abilene as division dealer sales assistance representative in 1945 and held that assignment until his appointment as sales supervisor in the west Texas territory. Mr. Davis was manager of the Eastland chamber of commerce prior to joining Lone Star.

Mr. Davis was born in Navarro county at Dawson. He is a steward in the First Methodist church of Abilene, a member of the Lions club there, and has served as district Boy Scout commissioner. He was chancellor - commander of the Knights of Pythias lodge at Eastland and Ennis and was district Boy Scout chairman at Ennis.

Miss Mina Troutman spent Christmas in Floydada with her brother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rawlins Clark visited with relatives and friends here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Smith went to Greenville for Christmas and returned through Dallas, Monday evening.

The Sawyer twins, Glenda and Linda were out for some sunshine Tuesday.

Mrs. H. R. Walters and daughter Laverne, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Washington of Wichita Falls went to Corsicana for Christmas.

Mrs. L. L. Talley and daughters Margaret, Laverne and Beverly were in Electra with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Back for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Larsen and son Otis Gene of Houston returned home Monday after spending the holiday with her parents Mrs. and Mrs. P. S. Smith, 525 East Cash.

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Curtis Sewell, Pat Sewell and Bill Weiler of Iowa Park attended the Eable Scout dinner in Wichita Falls Tuesday night. Mr. Sewell is holder of the Silver Beaver, highest award made to Scouters.

Mr. and Mrs. George Logan and daughter Lorene of Abilene spent Christmas with his mother Mrs. Mary Logan.

The T. J. Pace family plans to spend the New Year weekend in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Weiler and son Bill are planning to be in Dallas for New Year's celebrations with friends and relatives. The men will see the Cotton Bowl football game.

Jack Moss, senior student at A and M, visited in the T. M. Clark home during the past weekend.

R. B. Harmon of Austin spent Christmas in the John B. Barbour home.



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Holiday company in the Lee Warren home included Lt. and Mrs. Orville L. Hall and daughter Devon of Roselyn, New York.

Dulan Tidwell and family of Wichita Falls spent Christmas with his mother Mrs. John Tidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Long visited in Tulsa during Christmas where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Kays.

Mrs. W. B. Rolling of Electra was in Iowa Park on business Monday.

Mrs. Otis Hendrick visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Farr in Blair, Okla., during the Christmas holidays.

Otis Hendrick went to Morrilton, Ark., during Christmas where he visited his mother Mrs. May Hendrick and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Watson spent Christmas with her mother Mrs. J. C. Sneed in Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Watson of Duncan, Okla., visited with Mrs. M. F. Watson during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis O. Martin and daughters Barbara, Patricia and Marilyn Jo have returned to Lake Charles, La., after spending Christ-

mas with Mrs. Martin's parents Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Brubaker. Another daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Dickey Jr. of Wichita Falls were guests in the Brubaker home.

Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Simpson left Tuesday for a trip to San Antonio where they are visiting their son George Simpson and Mrs. Simpson. They are to return Friday.

Present in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kit Coats for a family reunion and Christmas dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Osa Coats and daughter Pat of Gainesville; Mr. and Mrs. Ola Coats and family of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Sims and children; Mrs. J. J. Cadill of Petrolia; and Mrs. J. J. Jones of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zink, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bob McDonald and Robin of Dallas, went to Pampa where they were met by Mr. and Mrs. Gene Holderby and children of Duncan, Okla. The family group had Christmas dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McCabe. The Zinks returned home Sunday night.

Howard-Blalock Wedding Thursday, Dec. 23 Has Beauty and Dignity of Christmas Season



As the organ sounded versions of significant selections, several hundred relatives and friends assembled at the First Baptist church at 8:00 o'clock Thursday evening, December 23 to witness the formal marriage of Miss Marjorie Eugene Howard and Rev. James Keith Blalock, prominent young local couple. The Rev. Mr. James N. Easterwood, pastor of the church, officiated at the double ring ceremony which united the daughter of Mrs. Charles Starr of Denton and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blalock of Iowa Park.

Mrs. R. A. Tanner, organist, and Mrs. Warren McDonald, vocalist, provided the unusually beautiful pre-nuptial concert. The former, who has been a close friend of the groom for many years, introduced the young couple and her presence at the console was the first suggestion of the sentiment which characterized the wedding. The organist opened the musical concert with beautiful interpretations of "Traumerie," by Schumann, "Meditation ed Thais" by Massenet, and "To the Evening Star," by Wagner. She also presented Schubert's "Serenade" as a solo selection between the vocal numbers of Mrs. McDonald, whose lovely voice gave fresh meaning to "Because" and "I Love You Truly."

Mr. Tanner remained at the organ to play the processional from Wagner's "Lohengrin" to give a muted interpretation of "Liebestraum" while the bride and groom exchanged vows and to accompany the departure of the wedding party from the church.

Participants in the wedding stood on a white covered platform. The unusually beautiful decorations in the nuptial space featured a large central arrangement of white mums tied with matching ribbons. Fine tree garlanding swept sideward from the bouquet linking that arrangement to two duplicate floral bouquets at the outer extremities of the nuptial space. The central arrangement was flanked by white candles burning in branched candelabra. Tall palm-like trees of greenery were effectively used in the background and woodwardia fern filled the space between the floral groupings and the candelabra.

A. M. Moshier Jr. of Dallas, a cousin, gave the bride in marriage. She was an exquisite picture in her cousin's wife's wedding gown of heavy white slipper satin, designed with a sweetheart neckline, fitted bodice, long sleeves which extended to point over her wrists, and a full skirt which swept into a cathedral-length train from beneath a huge bustle-type bow at the back, the bow being an interesting termination of a treatment of bias folds at the waistline. Seed pearl embroidery was the featured ornamentation for the gown. The embroidered design outlined the neckline and was used also on the pointed sleeves. Self covered buttons extending to the midriff trimmed the back of the bodice. The bride's finger-tip length veil of imported bridal silk net cascaded from a tiara ornamented with seed pearls and sequins. She observed all of the sentimental additions, and she completed the rhyme with "a sixpence in her shoe." The bride's bouquet was an interesting shower creation of white gardenias, her favorite flower.

Matron of honor for the bride was her sister-in-law Mrs. Harry Howard of Dallas. She was an attractive picture in a gown of aqua taffeta which was styled with a tight bodice, an off-shoulder neckline, accented by a wide bias fold and a gathered skirt which featured a bustle in the back. She wore matching mits and in her hair, she

wore a velvet landeau. A colonial bouquet completed her costume.

Wearing pink and orchid taffeta frocks styled along identical lines were the bride's maids, Miss Mary Ann Means of Grand Saline and Miss Patricia Ann Ward of Sanger, former classmates of the bride at NTSC. Their dresses were duplicates of the matron's except for the bustle effect in the back. They too wore matching gloves and carried colonial bouquets.

Serving as flower girl was Kay Quick. Her dress of white satin was designed like the bride's gown except for the train. She wore clustered chrysanthemums in her hair, and the same flowers decorated the baskets which she carried containing the petals.

Forrest Lynn Lucy was ring bearer and carried the rings tied to the streamers of an imposing white satin ribbon bow.

Serving as best man for the groom was his father, Homer Blalock. Groomsman were Bill Starcher of Spur and Billy Guthrie. Ushers were Allen D. Guthrie and Noah Guthrie Jr.

The bride's mother was attired in a formal aqua crepe frock. She wore white gloves and a pink carnation head dress. The groom's mother chose a Kelly green costume and white gauntlets and her head-dress was fashioned of gold chrysanthemums.

RECEPTION

The wedding preceded a reception held in the church parlor. The lace-laid refreshment table was of particular beauty and was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake, this confection being elaborately decorated and topped with a bride and groom on a dais beneath an archway of flowers. Extremities of the board were marked by the crystal punch bowl and a low bowl of white chrysanthemums combined with lighted tapers. Presiding at the bride's book was Mrs. Bob Lindsay of Dallas, aunt of the bride. Another aunt, Mrs. A. M. Moshier sr. of Dallas, and the groom's aunt Mrs. Wesley Davis of Sherman, and his cousin Mrs. Jack Aderholt of Dallas, shared duties of serving. Other members of the house party were Mesdames Sam Hill, J. Louis Quick, Taylor George and O. H. K. Ross and E. E. Alred of Wichita Falls.

Following the reception the bride and groom departed for a short honeymoon trip which took them to points of interest in Texas and terminated at Waco where they will establish residence.

For travel, the bride chose a coffee colored taffeta frock with which she wore green accessories.

The bride is a graduate of Adamson high school in Dallas, where she was a member of the National Honor Society. She holds a B.S. degree in home economics from NTSC at Denton. While on the campus her affiliations included membership in the L and H Richardson club, W. N. Masters Chemical society and House President club. This fall she has been head of the home economics department of the Iowa Park High School.

The groom was born and reared here and was an honor graduate of the W. F. George high school. Following graduation he entered Baylor university at Waco where he is studies were interrupted by 18 months in the armed forces. He is now working toward his degree at Baylor and is serving as pastor of the Downsville Baptist church near Waco. At Baylor he has taken an active part in athletics, participating in football, basketball and baseball. He is also a member of the West Texas club, Volunteer Band, Minis-

terial alliance and is manager of the Campus Bowling club.

Out of town guests other than those participating in the wedding and reception were A. M. Moshier sr., Mrs. A. M. Moshier Jr., of Dallas, Staff Sgt. Howard Hughes of Fort Riley, Kans.; Bill West, of Vernon; Armand Sonnek Jr. of Buchanan, North Dakota; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Shumake Jr., Mrs. Stella McDuffy, Mrs. Carrie Dixon, Mrs. Chas. Milliron, Mrs. Katie Laudamy and Miss Maridean Laudamy of Wichita Falls; and Bobby White of Tomball.

REHEARSAL DINNER

Colors of aqua and white were given emphasis in appointments selected for the dinner party Wednesday evening for members of the wedding party. The affair took place

at a local restaurant with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blalock the hosts.

On the table special attention was paid to the floral centerpiece of aqua and white chrysanthemums. Covers were marked with cards adorned with lilies of the valley. During the meal the engaged couple presented their attendants with suitable remembrances.

Attending the dinner with the host couple were Mr. and Mrs. Eastwood, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. Allen D. Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. J. Louis Quick, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Guthrie Jr., Mrs. Charles Starr, Mrs. Warren McDonald, Mrs. Mae Lucy; Misses Marjorie Howard, Patricia Ann Ward, Mary Ann Means, Kay Quick; and Messrs. Bill Starcher, Billy Guthrie, Forrest Lynn Lucy and Keith Blalock.

HISTORY — 1929 - 1949

Class of '29

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INTRODUCTION

Loys D. Barbour, President
Class of '29

For months I have been turning over in my mind the idea of a reunion for the members of the 1929 graduating class of the Iowa Park High School. The fellowship we enjoyed as a high school aggregation was so pronounced I felt sure we would enjoy meeting together again and reviewing our experiences during the intervening twenty years.

With the aid of my memory and information secured through correspondence with members of the class, I have compiled a short history. It is by no means complete and lack of space forbids printing more than just a paragraph about each one of us. Five did not reply to letters asking about their activities and interests. Just the same, the task has been an enjoyable one for me, for my high school days are a most pleasant memory.

So, here we are, gathered in the Iowa Park School Cafeteria on this, the 27th day of December, 1948, in a reunion banquet, with the members of the class who still live in this community as hosts. They are: Mesdames G. E. Payne, Maurice Alred, Geo. A. Lewis, J. P. Gard, Bruce Freeman, and Billy James; and Joe P. Cunningham, Loys D. Barbour, and Franklin M. Love.

ACTIVITIES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- I. Were leaders in publishing "The Talon," a full page of school news in Iowa Park Herald.
- II. Left the school a present of \$103 to purchase a program clock, which has been in continuous use since that time.
- III. Organized the first high school alumni association, with an annual banquet observance.
- IV. Pearl, Shirley, and Ruth were members of the senior volleyball team which won 23 consecutive games without a defeat and came out district champions, 1929.
- V. Loys, Loyd, Walter, and Theo were four of the first string basketball team which won county championships in 1928 and in 1929 and were runner-up district champions.
- VI. Earnestine was valedictorian and Walter received the Balfour Award for outstanding scholarship, achievement, and loyalty.
- VII. 100% co-operation in all activities of the class exemplified by the following:
 - 1. Every member purchased season football and basketball tickets.
 - 2. Every member of the class was in the group that attended the State Fair at Dallas.
 - 3. Every member was present for all social occasions of the class.
 - 4. Had greatest exhibition ever staged by any class on Class Day. The Class Flag is still in the possession of the president.
 - 5. Reserved every seat in the auditorium for four lyceum numbers and sold season tickets for every seat.

SUMMARY HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PAST 20 YEARS

With twenty-five replies out of a possible thirty, the following items of interest have been compiled:

- Every member of the class has married, but no one married a classmate.
- Only one member of the class is deceased.
- Included among the children born to members of the class are 25 boys and 21 girls, with one set of twins.
- Twenty-two of the class are members of the church and twelve engage in various types of community service and welfare projects.
- Eleven have had some college training, with two of that number receiving college degrees.
- Listed under "occupation" we find the following: 4 teacher, 1 service station operator, 1 saleslady, 1 pipe-line inspector, 1 glass factory employee, 13 housewives, 3 farmers, 1 service manager, 2 oil operators, 1 store-manager, and 1 civil engineer.
- Under the heading of amusements and hobbies, we noted that 13 favor sports, 5 fishing, 7 movies, 4 bridge, 1 cooking, 1 photography, 1 reading, and 2 golf.

GLIMPSES OF EACH INDIVIDUAL

MORRIS A. ATKINSON, Modesto State Hospital, Modesto, California. — Have received no reply. Understand that Morris is employed at the state hospital and is married.

LOYS D. BARBOUR, Iowa Park Texas. — Has been engaged in farming since graduation, doing extensive work in Farm Bureau, being director in the Texas Farm Bureau Federation for 7 years. Married Mattye Marye Kiker, Oct. 20, 1935. Has one son, James Loys, 8 years of age.

ERCEL LEE BOONE, Mrs. J. D. Vaughn, 1070 1st Way, N. Longbeach 5, California. — Did not reply. Has lived in California since 1938.

OPAL MAY BROWN, Mrs. George D. Cossey, Box 757, Kermit, Texas. — Has two sons, ages 12 and 15. Attended Draughtons Business in Wichita Falls prior to marriage.

ELLA VIOLA CAMBRON, Mrs. Curtis Franklin, Box 5, Avenal, California. — Has one girl 12 years old. Is active in women's clubs and Girl Scout organization.

ORVILLE THEO CHEVES, Box 925, Midland, Texas. — Is a civil engineer and has one son ten months old. Served overseas in World War II.

LOYD P. COPELAND, 1547 Proctor Street, Port Arthur, Texas. — Did not reply, but we understand Loyd is married and employed at a refinery.

JOE P. CUNNINGHAM, 2207 Taft Street, Wichita Falls, Texas. — Is an oil operator. Married and has one son and two daughters. Is a graduate of North Texas State College at Denton. Is a member of the Masonic Lodge.

EULA DAVIS, Mrs. W. R. Norwood, Route 3, Box 332B, Arlington, Texas. — Lives on a farm with husband. Has one son and one daughter, ages 12 and 9, respectively. Is active in Parent-Teacher Association work and in Baptist Church.

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CURTIS F. DAVIS, 1507 7th Street, Lubbock, Texas. — Is Service Manager for Berryhill Equipment Company. Is married, has one daughter, 13 years of age. Hobby is golf and photography. Served in the navy in World War II.

WALTER F. DAVIS, Route 3, Whitesboro, Texas. — Graduate of North Texas State College. Is engaged in farming at the present time. Has a son 13 and a daughter 9.

RUTH DORRIS, Mrs. J. P. Gard, Box 131, Iowa Park, Texas. — Is a housewife, has one son, Jimmie, 6, and twin girls, Dorris and Diane, 2. Ruth is the only classmate who has twins. She would like to remind the class that she is the youngest of the group.

RUBY LEE PAULK, Mrs. R. K. Baisden, 5724 Bellvedere, McGregor Park Estate, Houston 4, Texas. — Ruby is the last member of the class to marry. Has one daughter 4 months old. Is active in church and civic affairs.

LAWRENCE G. FARMER, 1633 Glen Ave., Dallas, Texas. — Is manager of a retail shoe store. Has one daughter, Shirley Ann, 9 years of age.

BONNIE FAYE FIELDS, Mrs. Carroll F. Wooley, Iowa Park, Texas. — Deceased Jan. 9, 1935. This is the only member of the class to be claimed by death.

PAULINE GLADDEN, Mrs. Billy James, Holliday, Texas. — Is housewife and school teacher for 13 years. Has one daughter 5 years of age. She says she finally got married after 12 years of courting.

LOIS HOWELL, Mrs. Lois Steiner, 1115 1/2 Truro Ave., Inglewood, California. — Has two daughters, ages 12 and 15. Lois is the only widow in the class, having lost her husband, Henry Steiner, May 27, 1937, in an oil field accident. She says her future is indefinite, but she is looking forward to a second marriage. She is employed by Jewel Tea Company.

FRANKLIN M. LOVE, 3211 Glenwood, Wichita Falls, Texas. — Owns and operates an oil well cleaning business in North Texas. Is married and has one daughter about two years of age. Did not reply to our inquiry as to children, etc.

JESSIE KATHRYN MAY, Mrs. Ray Nowlin, Route 2, Lewisville, Texas. — Lives on farm and devotes all her time to housekeeping. Has no children. Is active in church and civic affairs.

BESSIE RILEY, Mrs. W. L. Johnson, Box 606, Hawkins, Texas. — Bessie has devoted her time to being mother and housewife, taking care of husband, three boys ages 13, 15, and 17, and one girl, 13. Is also active in church and civic affairs.

WILLIE L. SAVAGE, 2528 Oakwood Terrace St., Fort Worth, Texas. — Is service station operator, married, and has no children. Fishing is his hobby.

MARY LEA SMITH, Mrs. I. L. Phipps, 905 Tenth St., Ballinger, Texas. — Mary Lea is housewife and mother of four boys, ages 20 months, 5, 7, and 11 years. No other class member has four boys. We have hopes she will give us a quintet to replace our '29 basketball team.

CAROL THURBER, Mrs. Bruce Freeman, 1812 7th St., Wichita Falls, Texas. — Probably Carol has the youngest child of any classmate, a daughter born Dec. 11, 1948. Attended C.I.A., Draughtons Business College, and has been stenographer along with housekeeping.

THELMA PEARL SMYTH, Mrs. G. E. Payne, 1208 Brook, Wichita Falls, Texas. — Married a school teacher who turned out to be a banker. Has a son, 13. Active in church work. Music is her avocation.

SHIRLEY MAY SMYTH, Mrs. Maurice L. Alred, 1674 Dayton St., Wichita Falls, Texas. — Shirley married a financier (he owns a finance company). Her occupation is housewife and mother of 3 children. Very much employed, she says, but without material compensation. One son is 8, daughters are 10 and 12. Active in church and civic groups.

EARNESTINE TOWERTON, Mrs. Comer Tuck, Route 2, Bellevue, Texas. — Lives on farm, is housewife and dairyman's helper. Has one girl, 15, and one boy, 2 1/2. Is active in church and civic affairs.

JAMES C. THOMPSON, 2537 Dupont St., Shreveport, Louisiana. — Employee at glass plant. Has a girl 3, a boy 2. Woodwork is hobby. Veteran of World War II.

DOROTHY WATKINS, Mrs. W. E. Miley, 3523 East Rose-dale, Fort Worth, Texas. — Did not reply. We understand that she has two boys by a former marriage, her first husband having died, and that she and her husband now operate a beauty shop.

LORENE WILLIAMS, Mrs. Geo. A. Lewis, Route 2, Iowa Park, Texas. — Has lived on farm since graduation. Has two boys, Harold and Loyd, ages 15 and 12. Active in church and civic affairs and enjoys sports of all kinds.

ROBERT L. SUNDAY, Box 341, Paducah, Texas. — Engaged in farming. Has two sons, 4 and 9 years of age, one girl, 5. Member of Methodist Church. Favorite recreation is fishing.

THOMAS W. DETLEFS, 1412 West 10th St., Odessa, Texas. — Employed by Humble Pipeline as construction inspector. Has no children. Is member of Christian Church. Served as engineer in World War II.

Mrs. Roy L. Perry and children of Odessa are guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Perry and family. Mr. and Mrs. John Maier were visiting friends and relatives here on Christmas Day.

Jimmy Portis talked with his mother Mrs. Tirzah Portis by telephone from Long Beach, Monday night. He also got to talk with her grandson Jimmy Don.

Mrs. Neal P. McKinstry is recovering in the Clinic hospital, Wichita Falls, from an operation performed

Tuesday morning. She will be in the hospital ten days and then come to the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Widmoyer, who are keeping the 2-year-old son Bruce. Mr. McKinstry has returned to Brigsdale, Colo., where he is employed with the Soil Conservation Service. Home for Christmas with their parents Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Simpson were their daughters Mrs. Mark Lowrey and Mr. Lowrey of Tyler and Mrs. W. H. Coyle and family of Garland.

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An electric roaster is a useful addition to the kitchen, and need not be considered a substitute for the range, Mrs. Bernice Claytor, extension home management specialist of Texas A and M college thinks.

A roaster may be too small for convenient general family cooking, except in emergencies, but it is very useful whenever you are preparing meals for a large group or whenever the range is crowded, she says.

The U.S. department of agriculture has had many queries regarding the use of the electric roaster, and in answer, the specialists have several suggestions which will put the electric roaster to the best use.

Many farm families use a roaster for summer cooking, when larger stoves make the kitchen uncomfortably hot. A roaster can cook a whole meal for a small family, and apartment dwellers will find that a roaster plus a hotplate will do the meal very satisfactorily.

Two important advantages of the appliance are the ease with which it can be moved and the fact that it can be plugged into any outlet. It can be moved from the kitchen to the recreation room, for instance, or used in community halls for special occasions.

It's a good idea to have a convenient spot in the kitchen for the roaster, preferably a stand or table near an electric outlet, Mrs. Claytor concludes. It's a nuisance to have to lift it out of a cabinet or cupboard each time it is to be used.

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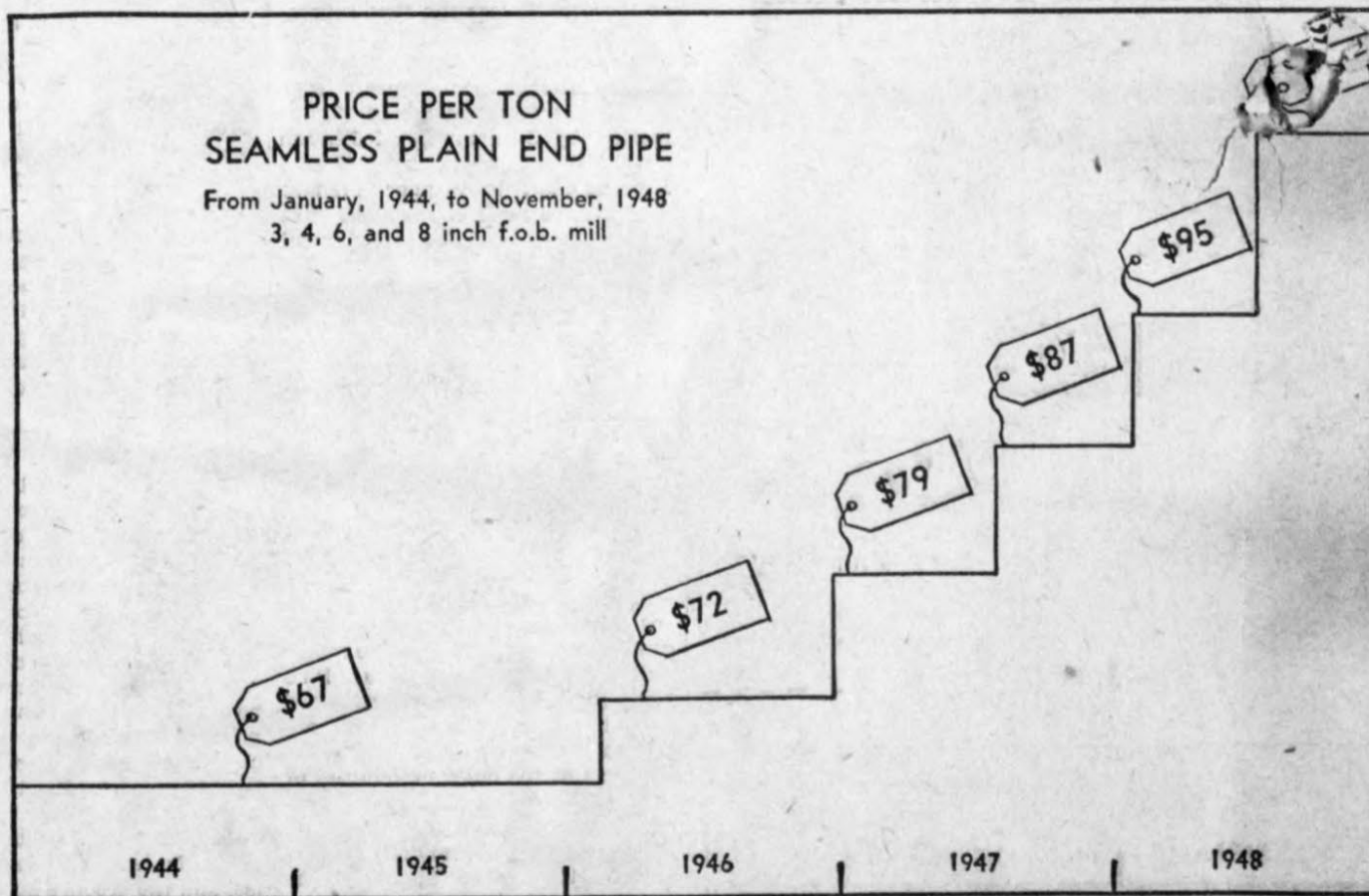
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