

MR. AND MRS. T. J. REEVES OBSERVE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY



Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Reeves, 1503 Floydada St., Plainview, celebrated their Golden Anniversary Sunday, September 24 with Open House at

their home. They were married in Howard County, near Mineral Springs in Arkansas at the home of her parents, September 24, 1911.

The reception, held Sunday in their beautiful new home, which was decorated throughout with golden dahlias, mums, and a bouquet of rosebuds sprayed with gold, a gift from friends at Childress. The latter gift adorned a table in the living room.

The serving table was laid with a white cutwork cloth over gold. The centerpiece was an archway covered with gold flowers. A bride and groom were standing before the archway, with the flower girls directly behind them. The wedding cake was topped with a miniature stagecoach, drawn by horses carried a bride and groom. A white lace doily behind the stagecoach was centered with the letters "50" in gold. Guests were registered in a white leather guest book, inscribed with "50th Anniversary" in gold and a gold feather pen.

Granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. Reeves took turns at the register and at the serving table. The wedding cake and golden punch were served with crystal and silver appointments to approximately 150 guests. The napkins were inscribed with "Mae and Thomas—1911-1961", in gold ink.

The couple received many lovely gifts, among them a bedspread from friend at Quitaque; a beautiful gold trimmed mirror, presented

to them by their former Sunday School class at Edmonson; several tablecloths, pillowcases, bath sets, towels, and wash cloths, glasses, vases, a pair of golden candlesticks, blankets, a beautiful plaque depicting the Lord's Supper, a gold trimmed serving cart, a gift from their children, a book "Leaves of Gold", and other gifts too numerous to mention.

The four Reeves children and their families were present. They are Alex of Edmondson; Mrs. Bud Bailey of Quitaque; Mrs. Gene Purcell of Dublin and Mrs. Woodrow Kessinger, Grenola, Kansas. There were 12 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild present. Two grand-

children were unable to be present. Mrs. Oscar Wisdom, a sister of Mr. Reeves from Nashville, Ark.; Glen Smith, a brother of Mrs. Reeves from Clovis, N. M.; her two sisters, Mrs. Carey Cassady of Farwell, and Mrs. James Barefield of Quitaque, were among those attending the anniversary celebration. Other guests came from Dublin, Lampasas, Edmonson, Bovina, Farwell, Pettit, Amarillo, Hale Center, Lubbock, Lockney, Kress, Floydada, Childress, Wichita Falls, Iowa Park, and Plainview, in Texas; Texico and Clovis, New Mexico; National, Murfreesboro, and Nashville in Arkansas and Grenola, Kansas.

The Reeves lived in Quitaque for many years before moving to Edmonson in 1945.

WHO DO FARM PROGRAMS HELP MOST?

How is it that the American farmer keeps getting it in the neck repeatedly and increasingly as being a burden on taxpayers, a depressant on the economy, a costly necessity for the nation?

It is most likely that those who malign the farmer as being a drain on the country's pocketbook don't realize that it is the public—not the farmer—who would pay most dearly if farm programs should be abolished.

What about surpluses? The fact that surpluses are produced—and that alone—holds retail prices for many foods as low as they are today. The slightest shortage would result in sky-rocketing consumer prices.

This is but one instance in which farm programs work primarily for the public. Here are some others:

Water reservoirs and flood control. The city dweller who lives near a river which used to wreak havoc by flooding probably doesn't realize the series of reservoirs which regulate the water in upper reaches of the river were charged to the farmer on whose land they

are located. The farmer may get little or no benefit from the reservoirs—but they are charged to the farm program.

School lunches. Every citizen's child who eats at a public school cafeteria is benefitted by low-cost meals made up partially from surplus products given to the school and charged to the farm program.

Foreign aid and military assistance. Billions of dollars worth of foreign aid programs and military assistance for other countries are paid for with agricultural commodities, the cost of which is charged to farm programs.

Merchant Marine service. Fifty million dollars a year accrues to the Merchant Marine for transporting farm commodities to other countries.

The armed forces. How many people realize that part of the cost of the milk and dairy products used by our armed forces is charged against the farm program?

Forests. A billion forest trees a year are being planted on eroded and tired land. The farmer who plants those trees will not likely ever harvest any of them. The cost of all public reforestation is charged against agricultural appropriations.

Consumer services. Research on preparation and handling of food for the housewife's benefit is billed to the farm program. Inspection of meats and other food products, charged to the farm program, is primarily for the benefit of the non-farm population.

Conserving national resources. The soil and water of our land is our most vital possession. Nearly all the cost of conservation work on soil and water is charged to the farm program.

American agriculture has been called the greatest stabilizing influence in the world's economy. If we had not the assurance of abundant food in our nation, chaos would be felt throughout the world. That food supply must be sustained, for by sustaining it and those who produce it, we sustain ourselves and our families.

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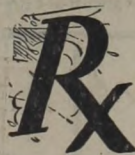
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Flomot News

Mrs. L. B. Turner

METHODISTS OBSERVED FAMILY NIGHT WEDNESDAY

Methodist Family Night was observed Wednesday evening as members of the Church and their families gathered for a fellowship hour, business meeting and an interesting film was shown. Refreshment were also enjoyed by those present.

The young people and children had games in the basement of the church while the business meeting was in progress in the church auditorium.

A film "Immortal Love", which is related to the current study of

the Woman's Bible Course, "The Meaning of Suffering", was enjoyed by everyone. Refreshments consisted of cookies and punch, served in the church basement.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bourland and children of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Green and children of Matador were dinner guests and afternoon visitors in the home of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. F. S. Bourland, Sunday.

Mrs. Edna Lackey of Cedar Hill was an overnight guest in the home of her sister-in-law Mrs. Mattie Mae Cogdill Friday night.

Mrs. J. B. Barnett and children of Bovina visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. George several days the past week.

Mrs. Dean Turner is a new gro-

cery clerk in the J. H. George Grocery Store, here. She began work on Friday, September 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pope and children came Friday and visited over the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Pope.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Turner, his brother, Donnie Turner and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Martin were in Amarillo over the week-end visiting relatives. They visited the Martin's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cardell C. Light and family and Mr. and Mrs. Benny Tusner.

FLOMOT HOME DEMO. CLUB MET IN REGULAR SESSION

The Flomot Home Demonstration Club at their regular meeting

Tuesday afternoon had as their gem for thought: "It is everybody's job to make a better world; that's what we're here for." Nineteen answered to roll call with "Something I've learned from a teenager." The program was "How a Bill Becomes a Law." This subject was very ably discussed by the guest speaker, Rodney Hammons, a high school student.

New officers for the year 1962 were elected. They are as follows: President, Mrs. Ray Cruse; Vice-president, Mrs. Doyle Calvert; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. L. W. Crowell; and Council Delegate, Mrs. L. B. Isbell.

LOCAL BRIEFS

The Sophomore Class of Quitaque High School went to Plainview Friday night for a swimming party.

Ray Gene Hutcheson accompanied them as a guest.

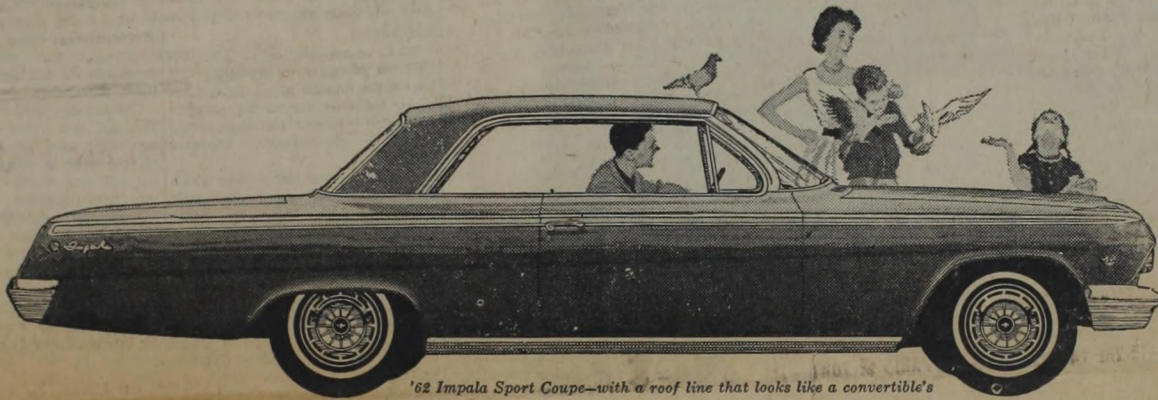
Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Owens and Eddie were business visitors in Amarillo Saturday. They visited the Fair Saturday afternoon and returned by way of Canyon where they attended the West Texas State-Brigham Young U. football game Saturday night.

Mr. N. L. Bedwell spent from Saturday until the following Friday in Lamesa with his daughters and their families, the Reed Bethels, and the Jean Grundys. Mrs. Bethel and Mrs. Grundy returned him to his home in Quitaque on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Myer and family were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

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