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We Must Not Give In

Americans should resist the temptation to join the sorry crowd who blamed the late President Kennedy's assassination on the conservatives until they learned a Communist had allegedly shot him before blaming their own country for the trouble in Panama.

We heard one announcer on a major network say that "those people had a right to fly their flag down there." That's a stupid excuse for the start of the revolt in Panama. The flag-flying incident was attributed to a bunch of school kids. The uprising is more deeply imbedded. It was launched after planning by Communist. The blueprint for the trouble in Panama was probably sent to Havana from Moscow. We know, because our state department has said so, that Cuban communists have fanned the trouble in Panama.

The real villains in the riots just happen to be the ruling Panamanian clique. This band of elegant bandits, who operate from the theory that certain families are endowed with a divine right to own the government, has so consistently looted the little country that there is no money left for social reforms.

It has been said that 20 wealthy Panamanian families own 90 per cent of the country's land wealth. The United States created the nation of Panama in 1903. Since that time the influential Panamanian families have been in charge of everything but the Canal Zone. Panama's royalty has always used the Americans presence in the Canal Zone as its personal whipping boy, fanning the passions of the poorer people to take their minds off the native Panamanian imperialists. It would be reckless for the United States to hand over a big slice of the Canal to Panama because the gift would be to the ruling clique and the communists and not to the people. The Panama Canal was and is a project of vital necessity to America. We simply must not budge an inch. We owe no apologies to either the regime of Panama's President Chiara or the Communist agitators for this home-cooked mess.

Sands Loses In Final Go

Kenneth Cheatham hit a field goal in the final 30 seconds of play to bring Union Terry from behind and the Bobcats went on to defeat Sands, 46-44, in the boys' finals of the annual Loop Tournament at Loop Saturday night.

McCahey turned back the Sands B team, 46-34, in the consolation finals of the girls' division.

Cheatham wound up with 19 points for the Union-Terry boys. Eddie Herm had 23 for Sands, which now has a 10-11 record.

All-Tournament selections were Cheatham and Floyd, Union-Terry; Herm and Gary

Mattingley To Receive BS Degree

Edgar Leon Mattingley of Tarzan, is one of 395 seniors who have applied for bachelor's degrees at North Texas State University this semester.

Winter commencement exercises are scheduled for 2 p.m. January 28, in the Main Auditorium.

Mattingley, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Mattingley of Tarzan, is a candidate for the bachelor of science degree in elementary education.

Green, Sands, and Jackie Schnieder, Klondike.

The Exchange Desk

THE WINK BULLETIN: "The Winkler County Commissioner's Court Monday morning designated Saturday, February 8, as the date of a special bond election for the financing of a new civic center. The commissioners voted to call the election after they were presented with a petition bearing more than 200 names."

THE MERKEL MAIL: "These will always be a special group to me," Coach Bob Byerly said of the 17 Merkel Badgers who suited up each week on the way to the Class A state quarter finals, as he and his assistants introduced them to the audience at the annual football banquet Thursday night."

THE FORT STOCKTON PIONEER: "Construction of a gas recycling plant in the Coyanosa multi-play field is planned by Mobil Oil Co., to be located on land purchased recently from John J. Dorr of Pecos."

THE GRAHAM REPORTER: "Fifty-one thousand dollars in child support payments passed through the district clerk's office last year, according to District Clerk George Berry. 'This represents about 250 children in 125 cases,' said Berry."

MATADOR TRIBUNE: "First consignment of mule deer arrived Tuesday night in the foothill country for the newly-created Caprock Mule Deer Restoration Area in Motley and Floyd counties. It is the beginning of stocking the 131,771-acre preserve. At least 50 doe deer and as many buck deer as are caught in the traps will be released in the area. The deer will be protected under strict supervision for a five year period."

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS: "An adequate supply of good water for Crowell and area cities came much closer to being a reality last week as engineers for the Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority completed preliminary work on the project."

Philosopher Says He's Found A Farm Doesn't Have To Get Big To Be Inefficient

(Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw discusses, of all things, efficiency in his letter this week.)

Dear editor: The trend in agriculture toward fewer and fewer farmers and bigger and bigger farms throughout the United States has caused a lot of comment in recent years, and one of the most interesting was one I read in a farm magazine last night.

According to the expert doing the commenting, there is a grave danger in a farm's getting too big.

"A farm can get so big it's inefficient," he said. His point was that as a farmer takes in more and more land, he can give detailed attention to less and less, to where he winds up spread out too far and costs soar and efficiency drops off.

This is probably true, as Mr. Khrushchev is finding out as he tries to farm the entire Soviet Union as one homestead. Moreover, the expert went on, the same is true of cities. A city can get so big it's no longer efficient.

This is probably true too, but it doesn't cover the entire situation. I mean, a farmer doesn't have to get big just to be inefficient. You can do it on a little farm the same as you can on a big one. I don't care how big a farmer is, I'll compare my inefficiency with his any day.

Also, a small city can be just as inefficient as a big one. While it's true that some cities in this country have grown so big it's almost impossible to move around in them and you can spend almost as much time getting to work as working, I doubt if the smaller a city is the more efficient it is. There are just

Bible Comment—

Man Is A Partner In Concept Of Creation

The foundation of a great religion was laid when man dared to conceive of himself as made in the image and likeness of the God who made him. Here was spiritual insight, the full significance of which we can appreciate when we see the type of religion that had man cowering before the forces of nature, or bowing down to grotesque idols.

The writer of Genesis saw man in God's image, with dominion over lesser creatures and with dominion over his world. It is this view of man that is demonstrated throughout the centuries. Man, like God the Creator, is himself a creator.

He has conquered seas and oceans; he has bridged great rivers and chasms; he has ascended high mountains and delved far into the depths of the earth. In spite of the limitations of human weakness, we see man as exercising dominion.

God who created man is on the side of man to help strengthen him. Man, consecrated to God, may live a life of faith above fear and anxiety. To seek first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness is to establish all of life upon an unshakeable foundation.

It is the tragedy of our times that God-like man should choose to make himself so devil-like, destroying where the whole purpose of God and of man at his best is to create and build.

The Bible is the great revelation of what man and human society could be, if men fulfilled the character and destiny for which God made them.

Questions And Answers

Q— For years, the VA deducted my monthly insurance premium payments from my disability compensation payments. However, my compensation has been reduced and will not cover the insurance payments. Will the VA now take my compensation and let me mail them the balance due?

A— No, this cannot be done. Since your compensation will no longer cover your insurance premiums, you will have to pay the total insurance premium direct.

Q— I am eligible for educational benefits under the so-called Korea GI Bill. How long have I to take advantage of this benefit?

A— Only a year left. The educational program under the Korean GI Bill comes to a close on January 31, 1965. Veterans with service-connected disabilities take their training under another program.

Q— Do eligible war orphans have a deadline by which they must have started on their education program?

A— No. No deadline expect their own age. You may begin school at any time as long as you are between 18 and 23 years of age. In certain circumstances, it is possible to begin before 18 and continue after 23. See any VA office for details.

Billy Graves, student at Texas Western College in El Paso, is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. June Graham and family are moving to Alpine, where Mr. Graham will enroll in college.

Pat Thrailkill spent the weekend in Big Spring visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stribling.

Eighteen Years Ago

The hospital directors have purchased the Hall Clinic and arrangements are being made to open for business by February 15, or not later than March 1. The clinic will be operated until the new building for the hospital can be completed.

The Stanton High School Buffaloes remained undefeated as they swept past Lamesa Golden Tornadoes in both classes A and B games played in the local gym Thursday night. In the A game the Buffaloes led by guard Billy Avery, humbled the AA team 53-19. Stanton also won the B game 34-9. Lamesa was the second class AA team to fall before Class B Buffaloes.

Boyce House was guest speaker at a meeting of the Stanton Lions Thursday at the basement of the First Methodist Church. House also spoke to Stanton school students. Out-of-town guests for the meeting were Judge Cecil Collings of Big Spring, judge of the 70th judicial district, and Bob Hamilton, prominent lawyer from Midland.

The bank statement of the First National Bank, as of December 31, 1945, showed individual deposits in the bank at an all-time high of \$2,007,098.96. The bank's capital is \$50,000 and its surplus \$75,000.

Rex L. Kelly announced this week for the office of sheriff, tax assessor-collector. Also announcing was Mrs. Lenorah B. Epley, who is seeking re-election to the office of county and district clerk.

Monday morning a blanket of snow covered the ground, and the snow continued falling through the day. It was estimated about 4 1/2 inches of snow fell, and residents agree that Martin County has never had a better season in the ground at this time of year.

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Favorites Selected At Flower Grove

Teachers at Flower Grove High School selected favorites last week. They are: Maryette Glaze and Jack Webb, most athletic; Diana Massingale and Richard Cabellero, best all around; and Brenda Davis and Norbert Gonzales, best citizens.

The second annual FHA Mother - Daughter banquet was held Monday. New members were initiated. Food was prepared and served by the Future Homemakers.

The Flower Grove grade school held a basketball tournament January 9-11. Cindy Glaze, David Schrader, and Mike Waldrop received trophies from Flower Grove. The high school basketball team defeated Loop at Flower Grove Tuesday. Flower Grove teams will play at Loop Thursday - Saturday.

Sands Honor Roll Released

The semester honor roll at Sands High School was released this week by Bill Underwood, principal.

High school students on the list are: Senior — Ozell Campbell, Joyce Graham, Doris Martin, and Vickie Menix; Juniors — Ruth Lemon, Darlene Wright, and Martha Robinson; Sophomores — Linda Bowlin, and Ann Lemon, Freshmen — Vickie Brinson, and Lynn Maxwell.

Junior High students making the honor roll are: Sara Bledsoe, Cheryl Williams, Londa Kemp, Larry Newcomer, and Charles Jones, eighth grade; Brenda Beal, Brenda Ingram, Beverly Snell, Debra Williams, Aurora Robels, and Johnny McGregor, seventh grade.

Mrs. Virgie Johnson was a patient in the local hospital this week.

Community Calendar

- LIONS CLUB—Each Tuesday at noon.
- ROTARY CLUB—Each Wednesday at noon.
- ORDER OF EASTERN STAR — First Tuesday night of each month.
- REBEKAH LODGE—Each Monday night.
- ODDFELLOW LODGE—Each Thursday night.
- MASONIC LODGE — Second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.
- AMERICAN LEGION—Third Tuesday night of each month.
- MEN'S DEPARTMENT, First Methodist Church—Third Monday night of each month.
- BROTHERHOOD, First Baptist Church — Second Thursday of each month.
- BETA SIGMA PHI CITY COUNCIL — First Monday of each month.
- AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY—Third Tuesday of every other month.
- BETA SIGMA PHI—
 - Xi Alpha Beta Chapter—First and third Thursdays.
 - Xi Epsilon Delta Chapter — Second and fourth Tuesday of each month.
 - Rho Xi Chapter—First and third Thursdays.
 - Mu Lambda Chapter—First and third Tuesdays.
 - Xi Theta Nu Chapter—First and third Thursday.
- BAND BOOSTERS CLUB — Fourth Tuesday night of each month.
- STITCH AND CHATTER CLUB—Every other Wednesday.
- STUDY CLUB—Fourth Tuesday of each month.
- GRADY PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION—Third Tuesday of each month.
- GIRL SCOUT NEIGHBORHOOD LEADERS — First Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. of each month.
- STANTON PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION — Second Tuesday afternoon of each month.
- WOMEN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE—First Methodist Church each Monday afternoon.
- YOUNG LADIES DEPT. OF WOMEN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE—First Methodist Church each Tuesday morning.
- STANTON MUSIC CLUB—First and third Wednesday of each month.
- WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT, Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints—First and third Thursday mornings of each month.
- WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION, Courtney Baptist Church—Each Tuesday.
- WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION, Lenorah Baptist Church—each Monday afternoon at 4 p.m.
- WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION, Tarzan Baptist Church — each Thursday morning at 9:30 a.m. at the church.
- WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION, Lakeview Baptist Church —second and fourth Thursday afternoons at the church.
- STANTON GARDEN CLUB—Fourth Tuesday of each month.
- WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD, First Methodist Church — Second Monday evening of each month.
- WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION, First Baptist Church—Mary Stamps Circle—Third and fourth Mondays.
- Vivian Hickerson Circle — Third and fourth Tuesday mornings.
- Jody Towery Circle—Third and fourth Tuesday mornings.
- Blanche Grove Circle—First Monday night of each month.
- All circles on the first Tuesday at the church, and a general WMU Missionary Program on the second Tuesday of each month.
- ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC ALTAR SOCIETY—Second Wednesday of each month.
- LEGION OF MARY, St. Joseph's Catholic Church—Each Monday.
- 9:30 a.m. each Thursday at the church.
- HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS—
 - Stanton HD Club—First and third Wednesday.
 - Courtney HD Club—First and third Thursday.
 - Courtney Morning HD Club—Second and fourth Thursday.
 - Valley View HD Club—Second and fourth Thursday.
 - Tarzan HD Club—First and third Wednesday.
 - Lakeview HD Club—First and third Thursday.
 - Koffee Kup Craft HD Club—Second and fourth Thursday mornings.
- QUARTERBACK CLUB—Every Monday night at the Stanton High School Cafeteria at 7:30 p.m.
- FIRE DEPARTMENT—First and third Monday night of each month at 7:30 p.m. at City Hall.
- CANCER SOCIETY—First Monday night of each month at Cap Rock Electric Auditorium at 7:30 p.m.
- GRADY LIONS CLUB—Second and fourth Monday night of each month at 7:30 at the Grady School.
- HOME DEMONSTRATION COUNCIL MEETING—Third Tuesday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Cap Rock Building.
- BROTHERHOOD, Lenorah Baptist Church, first and third Monday at 8 p.m.
- MARTIN COUNTY FARM BUREAU MEETING—Third Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at Belvue Restaurant.

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Rebekah Lodge Met Monday

Stanton Rebekah Lodge met Monday night at the I. O. O. F. Hall in regular session. Mrs. Leroy Fincher assisted by Mrs. Granville Graves conducted the business meeting. Before the meeting, members met in the home of Mrs. T. W. Angel to celebrate her 86th birthday. The honoree was presented with gifts from the lodge members. Refreshments were served by Mrs. John Pinkston, Mrs. Ola Clements, and Mrs. Bill Williams of Midland. Members attending the meeting were: Mrs. H. C. Warner, Mrs. H. C. Burnam, Mrs. C. E. Christopher, Mrs. Fannie Graves, Mrs. Walter Graves, Mrs. Granville Graves, Miss Sammie Laws, Mrs. Travis Roberson, Mrs. C. S. Bevers, Jr., Mrs. Leroy Fincher, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkes, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Mason Coggin.

High School News

Hapner the Magician presented the assembly program on Tuesday at the Stanton High School auditorium. Report cards will be distributed Thursday, and the Honor Roll will be released next week. The A and B boys' basketball teams will play McCamey here next Tuesday. Game time will be 6:30 p.m. for the B team and 8:00 p.m. for the A team. This will be a district game. Stanton A boys' team is leading the district at this time.

Students from the Stenographic Institute of Abilene, will present the assembly program at the high school on January 30. The students will discuss court reporting and stenography and give demonstrations with stenographic machines.

The A girls' basketball team and the A boys' team will play Alpine here in district games on Friday, January 31. Game time will be 2:30 p.m.

The Stanton FFA boys will have teams competing in the El Paso Stock Show, to be held February 1.



BACK TO NORMAL—Viewed from West Texas Compress and Warehouse Company east of Stanton, cotton bales seem to spill out of the city. Martin County production, now standing at 50,000 bales, is expected to at least equal the five-year average, not counting last year's low output.

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Methodist Church Activities

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Monday, January 30, in the church chapel.

President Mrs. J. A. Stallings conducted the business meeting.

Mrs. Stallings read a report of conference work from the conference president, Mrs. M. L. Hines.

Preparations are being made for the 25th anniversary of the Women's Society of Christian Services, which will be celebrated in 1965.

Mrs. O. B. Bryan gave a history of the first organization of the women's work. The local group was organized September 16, 1940. There were 56 charter members.

Members attending were: Mrs. J. W. Graham, Mrs. C. R. LeMond, Mrs. Martin Gibson, Mrs. Jessie Burns, Mrs. Aaron Donelson, Miss Ima Kelly, Mrs. O. B. Bryan, and Mrs. J. A. Stallings.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carr and family are moving to Arizona soon.

Martin Cotton Production Nears Five-Year Average

Cotton output this season probably will restore Martin County production to near the five-year average, not counting the disappointing 1962-63 season when yields slumped to 38,000 bales.

Floyd Walker, superintendent of West Texas Compress and Warehouse Company here, said his firm has handled 30,000 bales to date. He looks for Martin County production to hit 65,000 bales.

The five-year average, exclusive of 1962, is 55,000 bales. This would include the banner year of 1961, with its output of 89,000 bales.

West Texas Compress presses approximately 1,000 bales a day, reducing the size of each bale about one half to make rail shipment easier and less expensive. Walker estimated the company will take 65 per cent of the Martin County production and 50 per cent of the Midland output.

"With the cotton left, we ought to come up to the five-year average, not counting last year," commented Bob Johnson, Martin County agricultural agent. He added that the high cost of insecticides and losses due to insects had cut both profits and production.

"Dryland made more in actual profit than irrigation, because of reduced cost," he said. Spotted, sectional rainfall brought a wide variation in

dryland yields, Johnson estimated the range at from one third of a bale to a bale to the acre.

Insects, in some instances, reduced irrigated production as much as 50 per cent from previous years. Unfavorable weather also

caused cotton grades to run "probably a little lower, overall," the agent said.

"We're back up to near the average production, rather than decreasing such as last year—that's the only bright prospect."

Fellowship Held At Local Church

First Baptist Church held a church-wide fellowship Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

A barbecue dinner and all the trimmings was served to those attending.

Following the dinner highlights of the church program for 1964 was presented by the department heads. Those taking part on the program were: Rev. W. H. Uhlman, Kenneth Gilmore, Woodford Sale, Mrs. Carlos Brantley, Mr. and Mrs. Tull Ray Louder, and Bob Priddy.

Approximately 200 attended the affair.

Grady Tourney Starts Today

The Grady School basketball tournament will start today, Thursday, at 12:00 noon.

Teams to enter the tournament are: Courtney, Greenwood, Garden City, Forsan A and B, Union, Flower Grove, Grady A and B, and Sands schools.

The games will start on Friday at noon. Two games will be played on Saturday morning, beginning at 9:00 p.m.

The final playoffs will begin at 3:00 p.m. Saturday. Trophies will be awarded to the first, second, third, and fourth place winners, and to the first and second consolation. A sportsmanship trophy will be given.

Youth Rally To Be Held In Stanton

The First Baptist Church will be host to the Big Spring Association Youth Rally at 8:00 p.m. Saturday night.

The speaker will be Rev. Horace Whiteside, pastor of Bethel Baptist Church in Big Spring.

Refreshments will be served by the youth committee of First Baptist Church.

Those on the committee are: Mrs. Elmer Long, chairman; Carlos Brantley, James Doyle, Mrs. Gene Clements, Mrs. Lewis Roten, and Mrs. Ralph Caffey.

Read the classified ads!

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Martin County Chamber Of Commerce Livestock Committee

Home Demonstration Club Activities

The Stanton Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Sr., Wednesday, January 15, in their regular meeting.

President Mrs. N. L. Riggin conducted the business meeting.

Roy Pickett presented the program on "Citizenship and Voting."

Refreshments of chocolate pie, coffee and cokes were served to those present.

Mrs. U. H. Butler, Mrs. W. L. Clements, and Diana Wells were guests at the meeting.

Members attending were: Mrs. Tom Glynn, Mrs. T. W. Haynie, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. N. L. Riggin, Mrs. Sam Wilkinson, Mrs. John Roueche, Mrs. Lewis Carlile, Mrs. W. T. Wells, and Mrs. J. A. Wilson, hostess.

Next meeting will be February 5, in the home of Mrs. Sam Wilkinson.

Courtney Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, January 16, in their regular meeting at 2:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Byron McCracken.

Mrs. Byron McCracken, president, conducted the business meeting.

The program was presented by Mrs. Mildred Eiland, county home demonstration agent, on "Flowers and Shrubs."

Mrs. Albert Pittman was selected by the club as delegate to the district meeting to be held in Andrews in March.

The club finished their yearbooks and they were distributed.

Refreshments were served to those present.

Members attending were: Mrs. W. E. Kelly, Mrs. Owen Kelly, Mrs. Albert Pittman, Mrs. Chalmers Wren, Mrs. Byron McCracken, and one visitor, Miss Melvina Cross.

The Lakeview Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, January 16, at 2:00 p.m. in their regular meeting, at the home of Mrs. Lee Castle.

President Mrs. Horace Tubb conducted the meeting.

Beta Sigma Phi Activities

Xi Alpha Beta chapter met Thursday night, January 16, in the home of Mrs. Bob Latimer.

Mrs. Leo Turner, president, conducted the business meeting.

Mrs. Joyce Woody, program chairman, introduced the program, "The House and Home," which was presented by Mrs. P. M. Bristow.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to the following members: Mrs. P. M. Bristow, Mrs. Glenn L. Brown, Mrs. George Dawson, Mrs. Glen Gates, Mrs. Bob Halslip, Miss Sammie Laws, Mrs. Elmer Long, Mrs. Stanley Reid, Mrs. Jess Talton, Mrs. Leo Turner, Mrs. John Wood, Mrs. Joyce Woody, Mrs. J. N. Woody, Jr., Mrs. J. M. Yater, and the hostess, Mrs. Latimer.

Mu Lambda chapter met Tuesday night, January 14, in the home of Mrs. Jim Webb.

President Mrs. J. C. Epley, presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. Bill Hicks presented the program on "Literature."

Refreshments were served to those present.

Members attending were: Mrs. J. C. Epley, Mrs. John McIntyre, Mrs. Roy Koonce, Mrs. D. M. Costlow, Mrs. Bill Hicks, and the hostess, Mrs. Jim Webb.

Rho Xi chapter met Thursday night, January 16, in the home of Mrs. Fiji Brandt.

President Mrs. Benny Welch conducted the business meeting.

Members discussed the spring rushing program. The model meeting will be held March 5, and a rush party will be held the last of February. Plans were also formulated for the spring book review to be held March 19, for all Stanton sorority chapters of Beta Sigma Phi. The Rho Xi chapter is in charge of arrangements for the book review.

The chapter also planned a Valentine's party for members and husbands to be held on February 15, at Coker's Restaurant in Big Spring.

Members present were: Mrs. Tom Ed Angel, Mrs. Chuck Elmore, Mrs. Jimmy Conners, Mrs. Butch Cain, Mrs. Nolan Simpson, Mrs. Richard Lewis, Mrs. John Calvin Jones, Mrs. Benny Welch, Mrs. Jay Dee House, and Mrs. Fiji Brandt.

Xi Epsilon Delta chapter met Tuesday night, January 14, at the home of Mrs. Henry "Landscaping."

The Valley View Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2:00 p.m. Thursday at the home of Mrs. M. T. Hursh.

The Courtney Morning Club will meet at 9:30 a.m. Thursday at the home of Mrs. Donnie Jones.

Music Club Met Wednesday At Belvue

Stanton Music Club of Texas Federation of Music Clubs met Wednesday, January 15, at the Belvue Restaurant, with Mrs. Harry Echols as hostess.

Mrs. James Wheeler gave a reading of "The Panorama of American Music on Hollywood." She played the following selections from composers of this period: "Come to Me, Bend To Me," from the show, "Brigadoon," "You'll Never Walk Alone," from Carousel, and "There's Nothing Like a Dame," from South Pacific.

Mrs. Roy Pickett played the hymn of the month, "Be Still My Soul."

The meeting was dismissed by the reading of the Collect.

Members attending were: Mrs. Lawrence Adkins, Mrs. Glenn L. Brown, Mrs. Jess Burns, Mrs. Eugene Byrd, Mrs. Beryl Clinton, Mrs. George Dawson, Mrs. Neil Fryar, Mrs. T. E. Newman, Mrs. Roy Pickett, Mrs. Homer Schwalbe, Mrs. James Wheeler, Mrs. Arthur Wilson, Mrs. Carl Leonard, Jr., Mrs. Bill Varnadore, and the hostess, Mrs. Harry Echols.

Louder.

President Mrs. Homer Schwalbe, presided over the business meeting.

The program was presented by Mrs. Jul Reid on, "Bantu, Africa."

Gifts were presented by the sorority to Mrs. Leland B. Nelson, and Mrs. Arthur Melxner, who are moving from Stanton.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to those present.

Members attending were: Mrs. Homer Schwalbe, Mrs. Arthur Melxner, Mrs. Tull Ray Louder, Mrs. Floyd Walker, Mrs. John Roueche, Mrs. R. C. Thraikill, Mrs. Jul Reid, Mrs. Dallas Thompson, Mrs. Euell Ferguson, Mrs. Lois Powell, the hostess, Mrs. Henry Louder, and one guest, Mrs. J. C. Greenhaw.

Xi Theta Nu chapter met Thursday night, January 16, in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Henson.

President Mrs. Henson, conducted the business meeting.

Members discussed the Valentine's party to be held on February 14.

Mrs. Gerald Hanson gave the program on "Various Men."

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. Bob Cox, Mrs. Ellis Britton, Mrs. Gene Perry, Mrs. Gerald Hanson, Mrs. Eldon Hopkins, Mrs. Kenneth Gilmore, Mrs. Homer Henson, and the hostess, Mrs. Henson.

Patricia Miller, a student at Sul Ross State College in Alpine, is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Miller.

L. B. Nelsons Honored At Dinner

Dr. and Mrs. Leland B. Nelson were honored with a surprise dinner recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Priddy.

Co-hostess with Mrs. Priddy was Mrs. John Graves.

Guests attending were: Dr. J. M. Shy, Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Bone, Dr. and Mrs. Leland B. Nelson and Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. John Graves, Debra, Richard, and Sharon, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Priddy, Greg, and Carla.

The Nelsons have moved to Lubbock from Stanton.

Neldia Carr Honored At Coke Party

Susan Brandt and Cindy Britton honored Neldia Carr with a coke party in the Brandt home Saturday afternoon at 3:30 p.m.

Gifts were presented to the honoree.

Refreshments of cokes, and cookies were served to the following guests: Linda Manning, Delores Shipp, Linda Louder, Beverly Tucker, Linda Caffey, and the honoree, Neldia Carr.

Miss Carr is moving to Arizona soon with her family.

New Arrivals

Mrs. James Roy Simpson and the late Mr. Simpson, are the parents of a daughter, born January 13 at 10:42 a.m. in the Midland Memorial Hospital.

The baby weighed eight pounds, one-half ounce, and was named Kresli JaNa.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Simpson of Midkiff. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pinkerton of Stanton.

Mrs. Simpson has one other child, a son, Shandal Todd, age two.

Dr. and Mrs. John W. Huff of Bryan, are the proud parents of a son, John Scott, born on December 24 at St. Joseph Hospital in Bryan. The baby weighed three pounds, 14 ounces. The Huffs have another daughter, Julia Ann, two and one-half years old.

Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Ann Davis of Stanton. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Huff of Weston.

RLDS Women's Department Met Thursday

The Women's Department of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints met Thursday morning at the church.

Mrs. O. E. Saunders was in charge of the meeting. Mrs. Steve Church gave the invocation. The devotional was presented by Mrs. Douglas Church on "How to Make Right Popular."

Mrs. Fred Church brought the lesson on "How Good Can We Become."

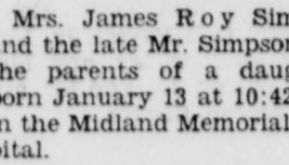
Those present were: Mrs. Cecil Scheulke, Mrs. Paul Pe-tree, Mrs. O. E. Saunders, Mrs. Fred Church, Mrs. Douglas Church, Mrs. Steve Church, Mrs. Carl Leonard, Jr., Mrs. Delmar Hamm, and Mrs. Tommy Hursh.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Hursh.

The next meeting will be February 6 at the church.

Leon Mattingly a student at North Texas State College, is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Mattingley.

Mrs. Jim Thomas from Dublin, visited with her sister, Mrs. Claude Edwards, over the weekend.



Miss Shain Is Party Honoree

Miss Edwenna Shain, bride-elect of Rufus Tom of Stanton, was honored with a bridal shower Monday in the home of Mrs. W. C. Shoemaker, 1903 Huntington Street, Midland.

Sharing hostess duties with Mrs. Shoemaker were Mrs. Geneva Crismam, Mrs. H. D. Copeland, and Mrs. Myrtle Stubbs.

The bride-elect's chosen colors of royal blue and white were used to decorate. An arrangement of white gladioli surrounded a miniature bride and groom on the serving table.

Mrs. Stayner Dugan, the bride-elect's sister, presided at the silver service, and Mrs. Stubbs was at the punch bowl.

Receiving the 20 guests were the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Garnett Shain, and the prospective groom's mother, Mrs. Edmund Tom, of Stanton.

The couple will exchange wedding vows January 24 in St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Stanton.

Mrs. Webb Hostess To Dinner

Mrs. Jim Webb honored Mrs. Rose Eldson of Midland, with a birthday dinner in her home January 18. Mrs. Eldson is a sister of Mrs. Lillie Harvard, and Mr. Webb.

Those attending the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. John Harvard, Mrs. Lillie Harvard, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Foreman, and Sam of Lenorah, Mrs. Viola McClain and Vestal, Miss Ova Webb, and Mrs. Inez Luce of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. James Webb and Jeri of Midland.

Mrs. Brown Guest Speaker At Snyder Club

Mrs. Glenn L. Brown, state chairman of Music in Hospitals, Texas Federation of Music Clubs, was guest speaker recently for the Musical Coterie Club of Snyder, Texas.

Mrs. Brown spoke on the subject of "Musical Therapy as Used in Mental and VA Hospitals." She told the group of the need for musical therapy in all hospitals and nursing homes. She also emphasized the shortage of musical therapists in this field.

The event was held in the Snyder Women's Club.

The local music club often gives programs at the Big Spring State Hospital.

Lt. and Mrs. Virgil Miller are visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Miller. He and his wife are enroute to Florida, where he will be stationed with the Air Force.

Mrs. Nelson Honored At Coffee

Mrs. Leland B. Nelson was honored at a coffee in the home of Mrs. Leo Turner, Thursday, January 16.

Co-hostesses for the affair were Mrs. Glenn L. Brown, and Mrs. Floyd McArthur.

Approximately 35 guests called between the hours of 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.

Bronze chrysanthemums in an antique silver bowl formed the centerpiece. The table was laid with a green linen cloth, and silver appointments were used.

The honoree was presented with a hostess gift. Mrs. Nelson is moving to Lubbock.

Bone, and Mr. and Mrs. John Graves, Richard, Sharon, and Debbie.

Debra Graves Is Honored On Birthday

Debbie Graves was honored by her parents on her tenth birthday with a dinner in Midland, Thursday, January 16.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Priddy, Greg and Carla, Dr. and Mrs. J. D.

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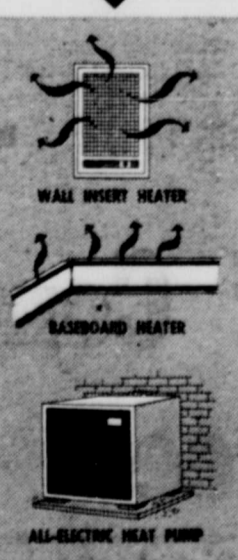
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Ford Wins Motor Trend's "Car of the Year" Award

January 8: Motor Trend magazine's "Car of the Year" Award goes to an engineering breakthrough! It honors all the '64s from Ford "For engineering advancement in the concept of Total Performance, proven in open competition."



Here's what the Motor Trend Award means to you...

The editors of Motor Trend, America's largest general automotive magazine, watched Ford's total performance in open competition... saw competition-modified Fords win every 500-mile stock car race in the last year, saw Ford-built engines end an era at Indianapolis and sweep the sports car circuits.

Then they drove the 1964 Fords, Falcons, Fairlanes and Thunderbirds and discovered how the lessons of open competition have helped breed into them a new kind of total performance for the open road, for your kind of driving. And then they made their award!

The "Car of the Year" Award is an impressive testimonial, but see for yourself—take the wheel of a '64 from Ford. These cars speak for themselves with their ease of handling in a supermarket parking lot or their greater stability on a rain-slick blacktop.

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The Launching Pad

By NEAL ESTES

It was our delight and pleasure to be privileged to visit with our brother, his wife, several friends from the TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY family, several brother newsmen, some bankers, a bunch of Chamber of Commerce workers, and several oilmen and their wives the past weekend. My big brother from Longview, CARL, his wife, MARGARET, PRESIDENT BEEMAN FISHER, his wife, MARY, of Texas Electric; BILL MARQUART of Fort Worth, the Western Division manager for TESCO; DALE SCARTH, Midland manager for TESCO, and former Attorney General of Texas, JOHN BEN SHEPPARD, arrived in Midland Saturday morning by plane and Midland newspaperman and my friend, JIM ALLISON, JR., was on hand with me when the plane touched down. The group was deeply impressed by the growth of Midland and this area of West Texas. After a fine visit in Midland and a tour through the MIDLAND REPORTER-TELEGRAM, the party journeyed over to Odessa for the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet held in the Ector County city Saturday night. JIM ALLISON, SR., publisher of THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM and his son, JIM, JR., C. E. UNDERWOOD, BILL COLLYNS, and others of the newspaper staff of the paper helped make our brother's visit to Midland a successful event. CARL met another old friend and former pressman on THE LONGVIEW NEWS in the Midland plant, ED (SALTY) JOHNSON. My brother was amazed at the completeness of the REPORTER-TELEGRAM facilities and declared it to be the best planned newspaper plant he had ever seen. Young and able DALE SCARTH of Midland recently gained a lion's share of civic honors when he was named Jaycee Boss of the Year and also Midland's outstanding young man. His wife, HELEN, a very charming lady, is a sister of MRS. WENDELL THOMAS. While in Odessa we were visitors in the home of WINSTON BARCLAY, his wife, DOROTHY, and their children. BARCLAY is manager of TEXAS ELECTRIC in Odessa. He was installed as the new president of the Odessa Chamber of Commerce at the banquet in Bonham Junior High School Saturday night. We went to the banquet with BILL MARQUART and HELEN and DALE SCARTH. The affair was attended by nearly 700 persons. Our brother and his wife and the FISHERS attended with the W. D. (BILL) NOELS. MR. NOEL, an outstanding Texas executive, oilman, and director of several banks, including one in Odessa, San Antonio, Fort Worth, San Angelo, Big Spring, and Lubbock, was named 'Outstanding Citizen' at the banquet. JOHN BEN SHEPPARD, attorney for the RODMAN-NOEL group of enterprises, and a long-time friend of my family, is now living in Odessa. JOHN BEN is a protégé of our brother. CARL was one of the leading backers of SHEPPARD when he was elected President of the Junior Chamber of Commerce of the United States and later when he ran successfully for Attorney General of Texas. JOHN BEN and MRS. SHEPPARD are parents of two fine boys, one a senior in the law school at Texas University this year. At the banquet we were pleased to visit with several friends from the ranks of the area chambers of commerce. We saw JIM OXFORD again and met the new manager of the Jal, New Mexico chamber, a very attractive lady who said she knew and admired MAURYNE VARNADORE, our Stanton manager. The master of ceremonies at the Odessa affair presented our brother with a glowing introduction and when he referred to CARL as 'Mr. East Texas' naturally we were proud for him. We heard many nice compliments about our own local TESCO manager, CECIL BRIDGES. The former Lions District Governor is well known in the area and has the admiration of all the fellows in the Texas Electric organization. We also met a Fort Worth banker, ELLIS BOYD, who knew banker JIM TOM well. As a matter-of-fact, he told us at a Sunday morning breakfast in Hotel Lincoln that he had a good two-hour visit with MR. TOM on Friday afternoon before driving on over to Odessa. Our splendid weekend found us being thankful and grateful once more for knowing many fine people and many of these fine people have friends and relatives here in one of the greatest communities in West Texas. You see it's really a small world after all.

We were glad to see our neighbor JOE REYNOLDS back home from El Paso where he recently underwent surgery. We learned from the REYNOLDS that her mother, MRS. CHARLEY BROWN, had also recovered from a recent operation. MRS. BROWN was stricken on Christmas Day and really had a very close call for awhile.

Jim Yells Observe 60th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yell observed their 60th wedding anniversary Tuesday, January 21.

The couple was married in Dallas County in 1904 at the county courthouse. Mrs. Yell is the former Lela McIntosh of Lancaster, Texas. Prior to his marriage Mr. Yell lived in Ferris, Texas.

They have resided in Martin County 29 years, moving here from Big Spring. Mr. Yell farmed in the Courtney community nine years before moving to Stanton, where he was manager of the Co-Op and Guitlar Gins. He retired in August, 1956.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Yell are members of the First Baptist Church in Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Hamm visited recently in San Diego, Calif., with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hamm and family.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Schreckhise of Missouri, were visitors last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Miller. They are on their way to South America. Mrs. Schreckhise is a sister of Mr. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hamilton and son of Brownwood, visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adkins, Charlie Cravens, Mrs. Lolie Badgett, and Mrs. Kenneth Yates were in Duncan, Oklahoma, last week attending funeral services for Mr. Adkins father.

The Jim Franklin family spent the weekend in Hereford visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Harlin Barber, and Mr. and Mrs. James Bullard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Meixner and family have moved to Kent, Texas.



TOPS IN STANTON — Johnny McIntyre holds his champion Southdown, one of the three lamb champions the 13-year-old boy had in the annual Martin County Junior Livestock Show in Stanton.

Chamber Chatter

By MAURYNE VARNADORE

The Martin County Junior Livestock Show was held last Friday and Saturday and was a tremendous success, thanks to the boys and girls and to all who participated. The animals were in very good condition and brought top prices. The buyers will be recognized in an ad in another section of this paper. We do want to say 'Thanks' to each and everyone who helped in any way. Bucks' Bar-B-Q catered the barbecue and served approximately 85 persons. Eddie Owens of Big Spring generously gave of his time to auctioneer the sale. We do appreciate all those who donated time and money to insure these boys and girls a good show.

Time for our annual banquet is at hand, so get your tickets before next Monday night and join us at the Cap Rock Electric auditorium for a very fine evening. We are having excellent response from out of town chambers and businesses. At this writing, there are approximately 40 tickets reserved from other cities and we expect a number of other reservations to be made at the last minute. The committees are working like beavers to assure each and every one of you a good and enjoyable evening. Be sure you are with us at 7:30 p.m. next Monday night.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce will hold an industrial conference in Midland February 12-13. This is an instruction conference on how and what to do to attract new industry to an area. Beeman Fisher, president of Texas Electric Service Company of Dallas, will give the keynote address.

We are planning to attend the Midland Annual Banquet on the 28th. There are a few tickets left. If anyone would like to go, give us a call and we will be happy to make reservations.

Your chamber is glad to welcome Mr. Ellmore Johnson, minister of the Church of Christ, into the ranks of membership. He has graciously consented to be the master of ceremonies at our banquet and we know he will be an excellent one.

Time is of the essence so bye, now.

Bill Lane of Lubbock, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Epley.

Baptist Church Activities

The Girl's Auxiliary of Lenoir Baptist Church met in regular session Wednesday, January 15, at the church. Opening prayer was given by Rhonda Kuhlman.

Charlotte Martin read the Calendar of Prayer, and Mrs. C. R. Mathis led in prayer for the missionaries in all lands.

The group studied their mission book, and also the Star Ideals.

Refreshments were served to the following: Darla Sawyer, Virginia Springer, Rhonda Kuhlman, Charlotte Martin, Nancy Madison, and leader, Mrs. C. R. Mathis. Nancy Madison led the closing prayer.

The Vivian Hickerson and Judy Towery circles of the Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church, met in joint session at the church Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. January 21.

Mrs. Ralph Caffey presented the first chapter of the mission study book, which is entitled "Apogee."

Refreshments were served to those present. Members attending were: Mrs. Paige Eiland, Mrs. Darrell Payne, Mrs. Joel Stallo, Mrs. John McIntyre, Mrs. Gerald Hanson, Mrs. Kenneth Gilmore, Mrs. Bob Friddy, Mrs. James Doyle, Mrs. Gene Butler, Mrs. R. O. Anderson, Mrs. Bob Johnson, Mrs. Tull Ray Louder, Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mrs. Eugene Byrd, and Mrs. Ralph Caffey.

Mrs. Caffey will give the second chapter of the book at the next meeting, Tuesday, January 28.

Philip Bryant Graduates From A & M

Philip Bryant received a Bachelor of Landscaping degree in graduation exercises January 18 at Texas A & M University.

Bryant is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bryant. He is a 1958 graduate of Stanton High School. He attended Howard County Junior College before entering Texas A & M.

He is married to the former Lela Quaid. They have one child, Angela, age one.

The couple will live in Midland where he will do landscaping for the city of Midland.

Miss Lynn Miller of McAllen, Texas, was a visitor in the J. C. Epley home over the weekend. Miss Miller is a roommate of Joanna Epley at Hardin-Simmons University.

WTCC To Meet In El Paso

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce's top leadership will gather in El Paso January 29 and 30 for a meeting of the WTCC board of directors at the Hilton Hotel.

Under the direction of E. H. Danner of San Angelo, president of the West Texas Chamber, the board will review a number of important issues facing West Texas businessmen during 1964, including legislation which will be before Congress this year. The board will also hear reports from the various committees of the WTCC who are working in a number of different areas to improve the economic picture in West Texas.

The executive board of the regional chamber will gather at 2 p.m. on January 29 for its meeting. Registration for the full board meeting begins at 4 p.m. (Mountain Standard Time) on the same day, with the main business session scheduled at 9:15 a.m. on January 30.

The El Paso Chamber of Commerce will be host for a reception and dinner for visiting WTCC board members and wives at 6:30 p.m. on January 29. A special luncheon is scheduled for directors and their wives on January 30, and the wrap-up of the business meeting will begin at 1:15 p.m.

The West Texas Chamber staff, headed by new executive vice-president Jack G. Springer, will make the trip to El Paso from Abilene.

The WTCC has more than 150 directors in its vast 132-county territory.

The WTCC director for Stanton is Mr. Cecil Bridges, Manager, Texas Electric Service Company.

Virgil Miller Graduates From A & M

Virgil Miller was one of 37 students to receive a degree in mechanical engineering at A & M University at 10:00 a.m. January 18.

Miller, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Miller, is a 1959 graduate of Stanton High School. He is married to the former Catherine Elaine Rogers from Palacios.

In exercises held Saturday afternoon at the college, Miller was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the United States Air Force. He will be stationed at Pensacola, Florida, where he will be associated with the biological and chemical warfare department at the base.

Lt. and Mrs. Miller are visiting in Stanton with his parents.

Ball moss does not feed upon the host tree but draws its sustenance from the air, dew and dust lodging on it.

The Civil Service Act providing for competitive examinations for government positions was passed in 1883.

The total area of land administered by the National Park Service is about 21,000,000 acres.



DOUBLE WINNER—Gerald Crockett, 15, who lives in the Greenwood community of Midland County, but attends high school in Stanton, had the grand champion and reserve champion barrows in the annual Martin County Junior Livestock Show in Stanton.

Industrial Meet Set At Midland

With the president of Texas Electric Service Company as keynote speaker, the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will hold its 11th annual West Texas Industrial Conference in Midland February 12-13.

Beeman Fisher, president and general manager of Texas Electric Service, will head a list of six speakers on the two-day Industrial Conference program.

The industrial conference is one of the WTCC's most important events each year, and more than 300 business and industrial leaders from across Texas attend. Theme of this year's conference is "Plan and Sell—1964."

Other speakers and their topics are: Rex Jennings, executive vice president, Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce, "Coordination of Community Efforts"; R. M. Weible, project planner with the Austin Company of Dallas, "Know Your Product and Sell the Package"; Paul D. Marable, Jr., general manager, Waco Chamber of Commerce, "Planned Industrial District"; Millard Shivers, director of organization, Texas Farm Bureau, Waco, "Your Gold Mine on Main Street, Agri-Business"; and Dan Dillingham, president of the Master Corporation of Abilene, "New Markets Through Exports."

The sky is clear in Seattle only 80 days a year on the average.

Palm beetles burrow into young palms and stunt or kill them.

Harper's Ferry Arsenal was established by George Washington.

The State of Washington has the greatest average cloudiness.

J. S. Manning, Former County Resident Dies

James S. Manning, Sr., 78, a former resident of Martin County, died Sunday, January 19, in a San Antonio hospital.

Funeral services were held at the First Presbyterian Church in Lamesa at 2:00 p.m. Monday. Interment was in Lamesa Cemetery.

Manning, a long time resident of Lamesa, resided in Stanton for two years with a son, James Manning, who preceded him in death.

At the time of his death he resided in San Antonio with a daughter, Mrs. Harold Crum.

Other survivors are a daughter, Mrs. M. E. Gosdin of Bryan, and 11 grandchildren, including Sheila and Linda Manning of Stanton.

Mrs. Corene Manning, Sheila and Linda attended the funeral in Lamesa.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Moore, Kevin and Mike, of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bassham, and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Bassham and family of Colorado City, visited with Mrs. Carl Clardy over the weekend.

Mrs. Jim McCoy is a patient in the local hospital.

Visiting over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. G. Tunnell were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Tunnell and family of Houston.

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