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Wednesday Parade Sets Stage For 87th Reunion

Firm Seeks Employee Applicants

A representative from a major manufacturing company will be in Hico Saturday, July 28, at Community Public Service Co. building to accept applications for employment in a proposed factory to be established here.

A spokesman for the firm said applications would be accepted between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 noon for both men and women employees.

Sought are both experienced and unexperienced personnel, according to the spokesman, who was in Hico last Friday surveying the town.

Anyone who might be interested in such work (garment manufacturing) are urged to make application with the company representative.

Dr. John Barnett Named to Important Education Committee

Dr. John B. Barnett, chairman of the department of curriculum and teaching at Kansas State College, Pittsburg, Kansas, has been named to an important national committee of the Association of Teachers of Education. As a member of ATE's Ad Hoc Committee on Problems of Rural Educators, he will concentrate on problems relating to rural education in the southern and eastern United States.

The committee will report to the ATE Executive Committee in February, 1974, and its preliminary study will help serve as a basis of the national organization's future efforts in rural education. The seven-member committee grew out of a Chicago meeting last February.

Dr. Barnett has been a member of the Kansas State faculty since 1968 and chairman of the department of curriculum and teaching since 1970.

Dr. Barnett was high school principal at Hico from 1958 to 1966, following three years as history teacher and athletic coach.

O. C. Cooks Are Honored In Pre-Parade Activities

"School Days of Hico," theme for this year's Old Settler's Reunion Parade, brought back vivid memories to many people as events and activities of the past were depicted in what was described as "the best parade ever" by the thousands of visitors present.

Honored at the opening exercises were Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cook, who retired at the end of the past school term after 23 devoted years as leaders in the local school system.

An ever-humble couple, the two retirees were deeply touched by all the fanfare, and each expressed an opinion that they felt unworthy of such recognition.

However, the ceremonies, which were emceed by Supt.-Elect Harold Walker, were great crowd pleasers, and showed the love and affection that Hico citizens have for the educators.

After a ride down the full length of Main Street with Lee Raamage the Cooks were escorted to the reviewing stand by Lt. Michael Canty of Fort Hood. Following their seating, Mr. Walker read communications from many people over the country, most of whom were expressing their regrets for not being able to be present. Among letters and telegrams received included one from Cong. W. R. (Bob) Poage of Waco, State Senator Grant Jones of Abilene, and State Rep. Jerry Donaldson of Gatesville. Ralph Moser of Stephenville brought greetings from the Texas Education Agency, and Mrs. J. C. Braune did likewise from the Hamilton Co. Teachers Association, of which she is president.

One of the highlights of the special program was when Bryan Jones, a 1973 graduate of Hico High School, read the message that will appear in the current school annual, dedicating the yearbook to the Cooks.

Another highlight was presentation of an appropriate plaque to the Cooks for their loyal and dedicated service, and their acceptance comments, which will not be quoted here due to lack of space.

Still another highlight was when

School Board member Dr. B. C. Dayton read a resolution of commendation to the Cooks which will be permanently placed in the official minutes of that governing body.

Concluding the ceremonies, and prior to start of the parade, Mrs. Braune led the audience in singing the Hico School Song.

Parade is Largest

An exceptionally large parade followed the ceremonies, and was acclaimed the "best ever" for a Hico Reunion.

As is tradition, a Fire Dept. truck led off, followed by the 1st Calvary Division Band from Fort Hood. Several military vehicles followed, with the remainder being decorated floats, cars, bicycles, horses and riders, and the usual assorted entries.

At conclusion, out-of-town judges selected the following winners in each division:

Float: Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home; Garden Club 2nd.

Cars: Koffee Kup Kafe; Leona's Fashions.

Antique Vehicle: Depot Hack (E. A. Blanchard, Stephenville); Howard Drug.

Bicycle or Scooter: D'Ann Fillingim; Kim Johnson.

Golf Cart: Hiro Review Club.

Comic: Mary, Kay and Judy Liveley; Sylvia and Jamie Dayton.

Horse & Rider: Tawnya Pack, Stephenville; Alicia Griffin.

Motorcycle: Beth Wagner and Kerry Noble; Newt Farrar.

Unusual & Original: Unicycle (Pat and Henry Hefner, Dallas); Jackie Putty, Cindy Christian and Dori Ross.

Riding Club: Erath Co. Sheriff's posse.

Louise Blair and Marilyn Johnson were in charge of parade activities.

At the Park

Remaining activities at City Park include a performance by Joe Paul Nichols Thursday night, the Miss Reunion Contest Friday night, and a return of Nichols Saturday night. A local band, "The Rhythm Masters," performed Wednesday night.



HUMBLE Mr. and Mrs. O. Cook accept plaque during ceremonies preceding the anniversary parade late Wednesday afternoon. Both bespoke

their appreciation for the honors, and both said they felt they were "unworthy of such recognition." However, the

thousands of people in attendance felt differently, and gave the Cooks a standing ovation on their special day.

Trash Pickup Due August 6th Start

Residents can ready themselves for the approaching trash pickup when it moved to new routes in Dumas recently.

Service to residential areas will begin Monday, August 6. Working on a three-day pickup schedule, the Kings said their routes would be as follows:

MONDAY: Everything to the east of Highway 220, and everything south of Highway 6 westward to Highway 281.

TUESDAY: Everything west of Highway 281, and also everything west of the school and stadium.

THURSDAY: Everything east of the school to Highway 220.

Wednesday will be the day that the city dump will remain open on a supervised basis.

Friday and the weekends will be pickup time for the business section.

The Kings said that all trash pickup would start at 7 a.m., and residents should place trash in bags at the front curb of their home.

Mrs. Boone Attends HECE Training Session in Austin

Mrs. Sharon Boone, home economics teacher at Hico High School, has completed training at a five-day workshop in Austin for Home Economics Cooperative Education (HECE) teachers. Mrs. Boone is now certified to teach in Hico's HECE program.

This will be the second year for the HECE program to be offered here, which includes in-class instruction and on-the-job training for students who are interested in home economics related occupations.

Harold Walker, superintendent, said students of junior and senior standing who are 16 years of age or older are eligible to participate in the program.

The workshop was held at the University of Texas July 16-20.

RICHARD M. BLYTHE TO PREACH AT CHURCH OF CHRIST

Richard M. Blythe, Executive Director, Foster Home for Children, Stephenville, will be guest preacher for both the 10:45 a.m. and 7 p.m. worship services at the Hico Church of Christ Sunday, July 29.

Mr. Blythe is no stranger to Hico, having been a speaker at the church and also for the February meeting of the Hico P.T.A.

Parents Asked to Meet in Regard to Kindergarten Program

School Supt. Harold Walker has asked that all parents of children age five or between five and six years of age prior to Sept. 1, to meet in the High School Auditorium Thursday night, Aug. 2 at 7:30 for a discussion of the new kindergarten program.

Beauty Pageant Draws 30 Entries; Nine in Tots Contest

Thirty local beauties will vie for the Miss Reunion title Friday night at 8:30 o'clock when the annual contest will be unreeled at the 87th Old Settlers Reunion.

The Little Miss division of the popular event drew nine contestants.

Mrs. Roy Ellenburg is in charge of the pageant, with Mrs. Voa Scott, chairman of the senior division and Mrs. Edd Schneider heading the "Little Misses." Other committee members are Mrs. Jerry Casey, Mrs. Curtis Keller, Miss Kay Jackson, Miss Brenda Randals and Mrs. Dwan Gray.

Contestants in the senior division will be judged in hot pants and evening attire, on poise, personality and beauty, and will be observed by the judges at a tea to be held at 6 p.m. Friday in the Hico Community Center.

Miss Reunion of 1972 was Miss Cynthia Gray, and runnersup were

HICO MAJORETTES PLAN BOTTLE ROUNDUP

The Hico Majorettes have planned a bottle roundup for Wednesday, Aug. 1.

They will be calling on Hico residents for extra soft drink bottles and will also place a box in front of the Hico Theater for bottle collection.

CEMETERY COMMITTEE ASKS FOR COOPERATION

The Hico Cemetery Committee members said this week that it had been brought to their attention that people were cleaning lots and placing the trash between the lot curbs and in the streets. The committee spokesman said that a place was provided for dumping such refuse, and asked for the cooperation of everyone on the matter.

Miss Donna McCameron, now Mrs. Cecil Holley, and Miss Cindy Polk. Carla Herrin was named "Little Miss" over 16 other contestants with Bunny Hankins and Lisa Rainwater as runnersup.

"Sign of the Times" will be the theme for the beauty pageant, that will be emceed by Bryan Jones, a 1973 graduate of Hico High School, who was awarded honors as best actor in Regional One-Act Play contests held in Stephenville last April.

Entertainment during the event will be provided by Edd Schneider, Jerry Casey, James Mayfield and Gary Wooton.

The complete entry list in both divisions of the contest was released as follows:

Entries in the senior division are: Cindy Polk, Hyles' Dress Shop; Tanja Scott, Randals Feed Mill; Freda Jaggars, Salmon-Ross Dept. Store; Wendy Walker, Randals Store; Vicki Cornett, Koffee Kup Kafe; Kim Fillingim, Hico Review Club; Teresa Carroll, Hutchings Boot Shop; Melanie Bonner, Check Furniture; Melissa Bonner, Marguerite's Dress Shop; Judy Morrison, Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home.

Also Rebecca Garza, Hico Florist; Jennifer Blum, Mayfield's Grocery; Linda Walker, Blair's Hardware; Evelyn Holley, Country Girl Beauty Shop; Pam Addison, Petsick Insurance; Janet Odom, Hico Garden Club; Julie McAnally, Gulf States-United Telephone Co.; Diana Park, Russell's Dry Goods; Lisa Bell, Howard Drug; Karen Culver, Jackson's Superette; Dana McGavock, Leona's Fashions; and Donna Williams, Hico News Review.

Also Debbie Hanes, Hamilton County Farm Bureau; Eldena Black, Big Red Car Wash; Cheryl Waddell and Mona Murphy, Waddell Seafood Co.; Donna Mayfield,

Christian Dairy; Carolyn Anderson, Alva's Jewelry; Clarice Huggins, Toegen Feed Mill; and Dianna Lesley, First National Bank.

"Little Miss" entries: Christi Black (Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Black); Darla Jill Knight (Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Knight); Lisa Ann Rainwater (Mr. and Mrs. Don Rainwater); Tracy Shannon (Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Shannon); Beth Fillingim (Mr. and Mrs. Derel Fillingim); Shaye Carpenter (Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carpenter); Lisa Ann Ferguson (Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ferguson); Regina Kay Owen (Mr. and Mrs. Larry Owen); Melissa Oxley (Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oxley).



A HAPPY PAIR, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cook accept "an apple for the teacher" from young Tracy Kash, son of Mr. and

Mrs. Sam Kash, after the float on which he was riding paused briefly at the reviewing stand. Incidentally, the float was en-

tered by Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home, and depicted an old-time classroom. Young Kash was a modern day Husk Pom.



WINFORD PARR

Clairette Community News

BY MRS. LOUISE MAYFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McKay of Bakersfield, Calif. visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Partain last Tuesday and Wednesday.

The old fence on the east side of the cemetery was torn down last week. The new fence will be erected soon as possible. Thanks to those who contributed to this worthy cause, and invite others to help

on the west side fence. Mrs. Sam Ownby brought her mother, Mrs. M. L. Etheridge of Stratford home with her last week. Mrs. Etheridge has been ill.

Frank Johnson, Mrs. Arvy Dowdy, Mrs. Iva Golightly and grandson, Charles of Tyler visited Saturday in Marble Falls with Frank's brother, Len Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mayfield of

Millsap visited his mother, Mrs. Jessie Mayfield Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Thompson of Irving visited his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Thompson during last week. They all visited in Brownwood Friday with the Bishop Stammers.

Glad to report Jake McGuire of Hico was able to go home from the hospital last Wednesday. Seemed to be getting along as well as could be expected. I visited in the home Friday afternoon. They live in the Jaggars addition.

Mrs. Velma Alexander went to her doctor in Fort Worth Friday for a checkup.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Martin spent 4 days last week at Spearman with the Doane Martin family. They all went to Oklahoma and Kansas.

Mrs. Martin attended the singing revival at Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church Sunday.

A large crowd attended singing Saturday night at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Head, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayfield, and Fieldon Haley of Clairette, and Mrs. Mabel Craddock of Dublin attended the singing revival at Pleasant Hill.

The Jesse McGuire family of Arlington and Harold Latta family of Seminole visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake McGuire during the week.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Alexander were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Butler and sons of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. James Lambert and family of Alvarado, Mr. and Mrs. Grear Alexander of Waco, and Neal Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Grear Alexander al-

CARLTON By MRS. FRED GEYE

Mr. and Mrs. Hob Thompson and Mrs. Lee Turney visited in Walnut Springs Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Finley.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Drees of Pittsburg are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Smith and Ashley.

Mrs. Joe A. Hardin passed away Sunday night. Funeral services were held Wednesday in the Baptist Church.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Harbour is her mother, Mrs. R. A. Broadway of Corpus Christi. Also recent visitors in the home were Rev. and Mrs. Ralph J. James, Jana and John of Monroe, La., and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harbour, Melinda and Dennis of Millsap.

Mrs. Guy Sibley and Mrs. Mickey Bender hosted a birthday dinner Sunday in the Sibley home honoring Mrs. John D. Smith and her uncle, Emil Holubec. Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Smith and Ashley, Mrs. Bender, Lotte and Benny and Mr. and Mrs. Holubec.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Beene and Steve of Texas City visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Purley Sharp over the week.

Mrs. Jack Marron and Matt visited in the J. D. Smith home Wednesday.

Mrs. L. H. Lunsford was in Brownwood Thursday to pick up her grandson, Charles, and return him home. On her way back she visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Luns-

so visited Mrs. Zena Havens.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Carr spent from Thursday until Sunday in Monahans with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duncan and sons of Irving spent awhile Wednesday night with Mrs. Zena Havens.

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ford in Brady and her granddaughter, Jackie returned home with her. Visiting them Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Brown and children of Brownwood.

Wade Court and sons of Houston

visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Roberson and family. They enjoyed several days at Lake Proctor at the Roberson's lake home. Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Holubec are invited to

call at their home Sunday, between the hours of 2 and 5 on occasion being their 25th anniversary celebration. Hosting the will be Mrs. Guy Sibley, Mrs. D. Smith and Mrs. Mickey



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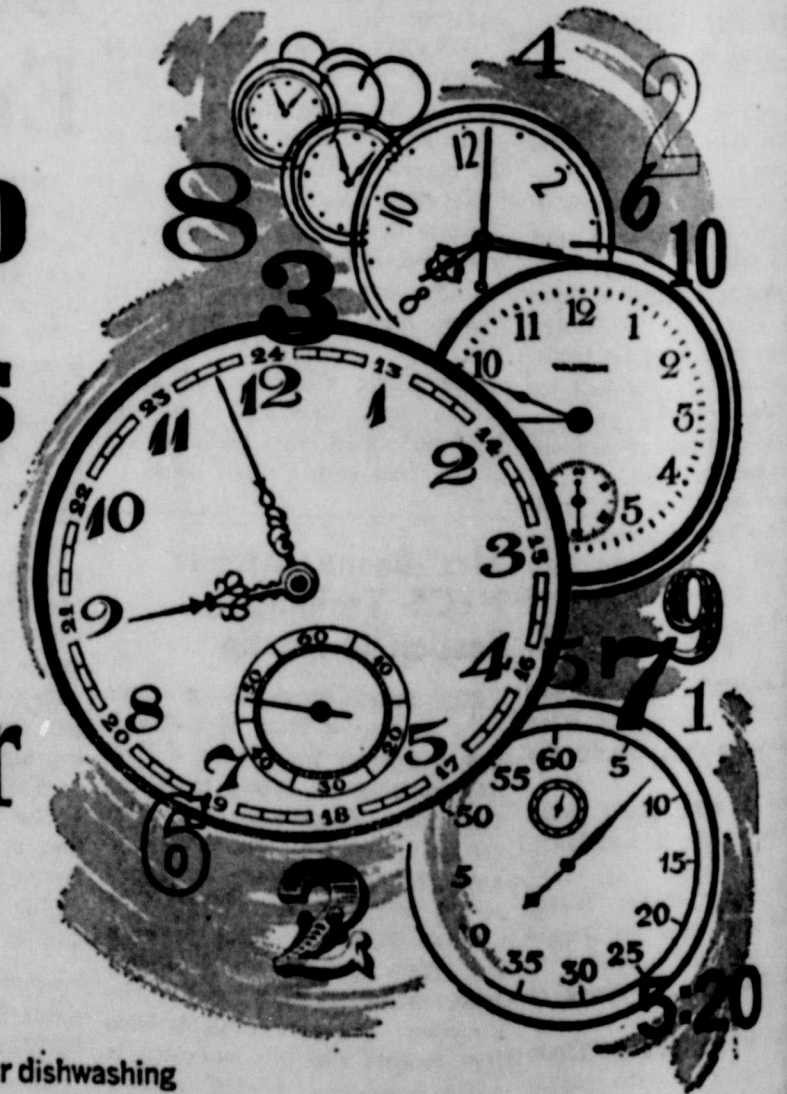
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Fairy Community News

Hot dry weather during the week. However we had a freeze at night. Baptist Revival started Sunday night services at 8. Rev. Lester is doing the preaching. Robert Ray is pastor and his wife and Mrs. Wallace are in charge of music. Services began Monday on another day at the cemetery. Seems we had a rain to keep everything from drying out. Mr. Marvin Lanham is a patient in hospital. He was able to return home early last week but had to return Thurs. and has suffered another attack since then, but reported some better at last word. He is the father of Mrs. Marvin Porterfield. Marvin Porterfield also had an attack at his home Sunday. Thought to be a heart attack or effects of insulin. Mrs. Porterfield, who works at the Hamilton Hospital was called by Billy and she rushed home and administered aid. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Turner, Keith and Kimberly and some friends spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers. The couples left early Saturday for a vacation trip. Keith and Kimberly remained with the grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Wood of Burleson spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lesley New. Archie Duncan visited his mother, Mrs. Olga Duncan during the weekend. The writer attended singing at Clairette Saturday night. A large crowd was present. Refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Abel of Dallas visited Thursday of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Abel. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Trantham of Big Spring spent their vacation at their home here. We hated to see them leave and will be so glad when he retires and they move here permanently. They had a peach tree here which happened to get by the freeze and had some peaches ripe enough to take home with them. We learned last week that we have two peach trees out of eight that have a dozen peaches each on them. We hadn't been looking for any since we figured the freeze got them. Mr. and Mrs. Don Bullard and children visited during the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bullard and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones. The children remained for a visit this week and to attend the Hico Reunion. The annual Burriss Reunion will be held this weekend at the Youth Center in Hamilton. Friends and relatives are invited. Relatives of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Crow will hold their reunion Sunday, July 29 at the home of Mrs. Wilma J. Crow in Hico. All friends and relatives are invited.

Mrs. Ruby Moore of Hamilton and her mother, Mrs. Dewey Massingill visited Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Arrant. Mrs. Mittie Phillips of San Antonio is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Mignon Anderson. They stopped at our home last week when Mrs. Anderson left \$10 for her cemetery lot. Also Ernest McCoy left \$5 recently on his lot and \$5 for the mower. The Jake Tranthams finished payment on the endowment while they were here. We had our helper set four perpetual markers last week, at the Jake Trantham lot, H. S. Pitts, Algert Dare and S. D. Crow lots. Thanks to all.

Twenty-eight were present for the Senior Citizens meeting last week. So many housewives are so busy this time of year canning and preparing food for their freezers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Richardson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Richardson and Tommy spent Sunday in Austin in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Latham and making acquaintance with the new son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Latham.

Will Scott is now the agent for Central Freight Lines, having assumed his duties Monday of this week.

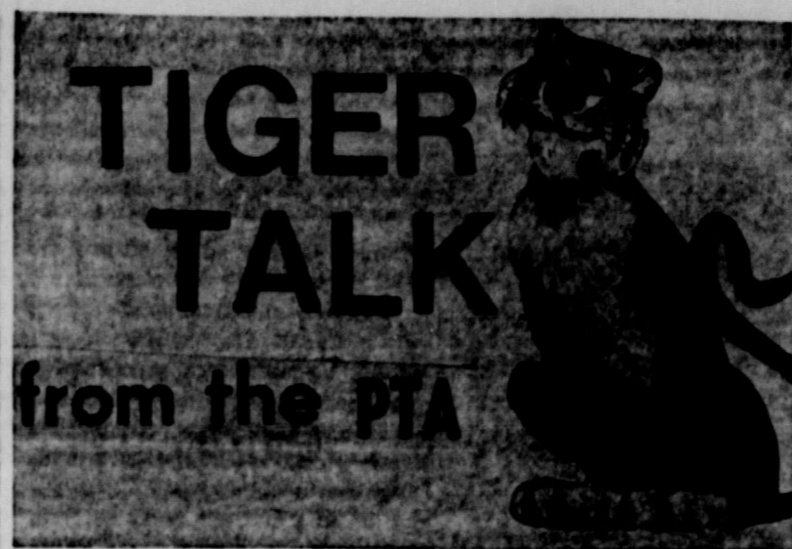
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He further added that tax collectors and school superintendents often lose their jobs if they attempt to rectify outdated property assessments. Inform yourself about this current legislation, write to your representative in Austin, and make your voice count. Your school stands to gain or lose a lot.

Be alert to news items and information regarding education bills that are currently before the legislature. House Bill 946 is especially important in that it will substantially affect the way in which our school system is financed. Rep. Dan Kubiak, chairman of the Interim Committee on School Finance, said in a television interview that many school systems suffer because of inequitable taxation.

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By BECKY FARRAR
1st Vice President

"School days . . . dear old Golden Rule days . . ." During Reunion Week, on their special day, we had an opportunity to "do unto" Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cook as they have "done unto" us for the last 23 years.

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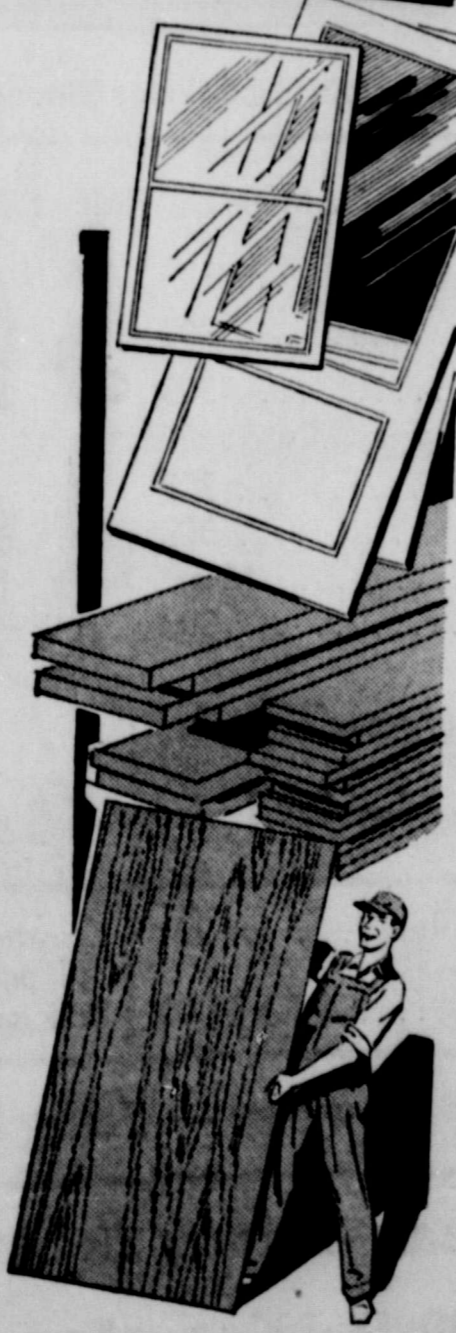


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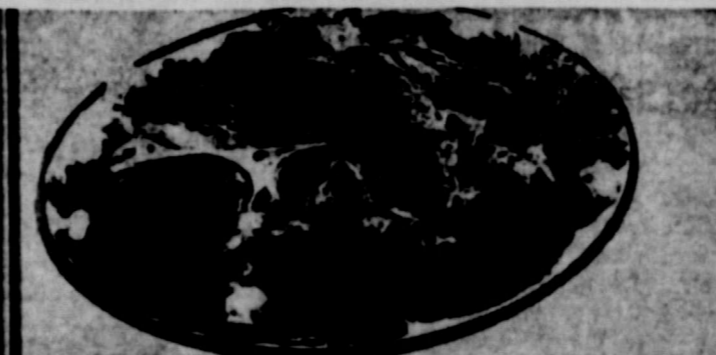


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MRS. MELVIN RAY POWER

IMPRESSIVE HOME CEREMONY UNITES MISS NANCY DAVIS AND MELVIN POWER

Miss Nancy Lee Davis became the bride of Mr. Melvin Ray Power on Saturday evening, July 21, at 8:00 p.m. Banked greenery, arrangements of orange gladiolas, and candelabra formed the background for the impressive doubling ceremony held in the home of the bride's parents. Minister Oran Rhodes of Northside Church of Christ in Stephenville performed the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Davis of Hico and Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Myers of Fort Worth.

Organ music presented the traditional wedding songs.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length formal gown of silk organza, fashioned with a high neckline and long, bouffant sleeves. Tiny floral cotton Venise fanned from the trans-

parent bodice. The waist and cuffs were accented with bands of cotton Venise Schiffli embroidery. A deep flounce circled the entire hemline and swept to form a Watteau chapel train in the back. Her headpiece was accented with seed pearls and lace petals, and the shoulder length veil was of imported silk illusion. She carried a Colonial nosegay of orange and white carnations.

The bride carried out the tradition of wearing something old, new, borrowed and blue, and a penny for the year of her birth in her shoe. She wore the golden wedding band of her maternal grandmother, the late Mrs. Jennie Barrow Haines, and a diamond necklace given to her by her great aunt, the late Mrs. Nell Haines Russ.

Mrs. James Arrant of Dallas was her sister's matron of honor.

Flower girl was little Miss Janis Rae Davis of Odessa, niece of the bride. The attendants were attired in identical floor-length formal gowns of white organza, accented with floral designs of orange and white flocked daisies with touches of green, all over orange taffeta. They were fashioned with fitted empire bodices and full, sheer sleeves. Orange velvet ribbons accented the gowns at the waistlines. Mrs. Arrant carried a long stemmed white mum, and Miss Davis carried a white basket of orange and white Spring flowers.

Mr. Randy Scott of Fort Worth was his cousin's best man. Serving as ushers and candlelighters were Doug Arrant of Dallas, nephew of the bride, and John Myers of Fort Worth, brother of the groom.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Davis chose a pale orange knit dress with full length Miramist, bouffant sleeves, and matching accessories. The mother of the groom wore a beige dress with orange and white accessories.

Reception.

Immediately following the ceremony, the bride's parents hosted the reception in their home.

The serving table was laid with a white lace cloth over orange taffeta. The table arrangement was a flower centerpiece of orange and white carnations, accented with orange tapers in crystal holders.

Guests were served wedding cake, orange punch, mints and nuts.

Mrs. Donald Davis of Odessa, sister-in-law of the bride, served the three-tiered wedding cake, which was topped with bells, doves and featured an engagement ring and wedding band. The cake was decorated with orange roses and green bows.

Serving the punch was Mrs. James Arrant, sister of the bride.

Mr. Scotty Arrant of Dallas, nephew of the bride, distributed a mixture of orange and white rice bags to guests during the reception.

Wedding Trip.

Following a wedding trip to the mountains of Colorado, the newlyweds will be at home at 2620 Reagan Street, Apt. 111, Dallas.

For travel the bride chose a black and white knit dress with white accessories.

Mrs. Power is a senior student at Texas Woman's University College of Nursing in Dallas, with a major in nursing and a double minor in Psychology and Sociology. The groom is a graduate of Chapman College of Court Reporting in

Miss Paula Gardner Is Shower Honoree Tuesday Evening

A bridal shower honoring Miss Paula Gardner, bride-elect of Barry Christian, was held Tuesday evening, July 17 in the home of Mrs. Ralph Turner from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Turner and presented to the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Paul Gardner of Hamilton. Mrs. R. C. Christian, Jr., mother of the prospective bridegroom, to grandmothers Mrs. Alvin Hicks and Mrs. Ruby Thompson, and to cousins of Miss Gardner, Misses Betty and Debra Thompson.

The serving table was covered with a white linen cutwork cloth and centered with a bride and groom encircled with blue pom mums, flanked by blue candles. Crystal and silver appointments were used.

Dainty cake squares, frosted punch, nuts and mints were served by Mrs. Roy Ellenburg and Miss Susan Christian.

Mrs. Lawrence Hancock presided at the guest register.

Hostesses with Mrs. Turner were Mrs. Chester Martin, Mrs. Ray Keller, Mrs. V. H. Jenkins, Mrs. Roy Seal, Mrs. Donald Mayfield, Mrs. Morris Berger, Mrs. Lloyd Bolstad, Mrs. C. L. Woodward, Mrs. Ellenburg, and Mrs. Hancock.

The couple plan an August 11 wedding in the Park Heights Church of Christ in Hamilton.

NEW RESIDENTS

CWO and Mrs. Cecil L. Caraway, Teri and Bud of Ft. Bliss, have moved to Hico this week to make their permanent home. They have bought the place owned by Mrs. J. P. Rodgers, Jr. on Highway 281 South. Mr. Caraway, who is retiring from the U.S. Army after 20 years, formerly taught school at Ireddell and Fairy before his service career. Their children, Teri, is a junior in High School, and Bud will be a freshman.

Fort Worth, and is presently employed with Associated Reporters in Dallas.

Sherri Barnett Feted On 10th Birthday

Sherri LeDan Barnett was honored on her 10th birthday with a swimming party at Stephenville by her mother, Mrs. Danny Barnett. After a long period of swimming the children enjoyed sandwiches, chips, dips, drinks and birthday cake.

Those attending the party were Debbi and Justin Barnett, Bobby and Christa Doggett, Peggy Carlile, Jean Ann Turner, Monti, Michelle and Nique McCormick, Cindy Thedford, Dee Ann Fillingim, Kim and Dwayne Johnson, Kay Lively, Sylvia and Jamie Dayton, Pam Ross, James Needham, Danny Drake, Dori and Sheri Ross, Tony Elichman and Keiven Robinson.

Mrs. Dixie McCormick and Mrs.

Cheryl Doggett assisted with the party.

IN DUNCAN HOME

Visiting in the home of Mrs. B. E. Duncan this week were her sister-in-law, Mrs. George Barry of Amarillo, and her son and grandson, R. D. Barry and Johnathan of Caracas, Venezuela.

Alvin Beard of Del Rio spent the weekend with his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Loden. He is in the process of retiring from the U.S. Air Force and is now stationed at Laughlin AFB with his family. The family plans to make Waco their permanent home.

FROM CALIFORNIA

Mrs. R. T. Moffitt of Texas California is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. T. A. B. The ladies visited part of the day in DeLeon with Mrs. B. daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Smith and family.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Marilyn and Lonnie were Mr. Mrs. E. W. Behrens and family of Fort Worth.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wooten their children, Mr. and Mrs. land Wooten, Paul and Amy Rainbow, Mrs. Larry Ervin Steven of Irving, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilse Brown of Kames Co.

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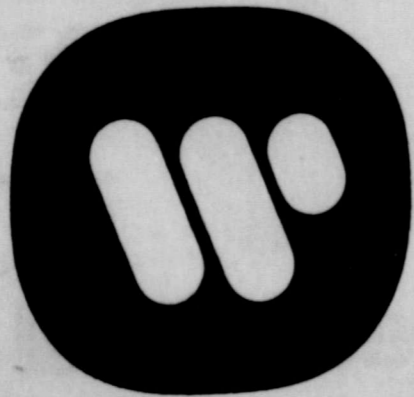
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Ruth Class Enjoys Thursday Salad Supper

A salad supper was enjoyed Thursday night by members of the Ruth Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church.

The social, held at the church, was opened with prayer by the class teacher, Mrs. Jeannette Verduzco. Mrs. Dean Hyles gave a very inspiring devotional entitled "Soul Winning" and "Witnessing for Christ," reading Bible scriptures in reference to her subjects.

The salad table was attractively laid with a white linen cloth edged with lace, accented with two

yellow candles in candle rings of mixed summer flowers.

Following supper Mrs. Emma Mae Stipe had charge of the social period.

Hostesses present for the meeting were Mrs. Maida Christian, Mrs. Vaughn Phillips, Miss Lucy Hudson, Mrs. Hyles and Mrs. Stipe. Other members present were Mrs. Jewell Russell, Mrs. Alice Fellers, Mrs. Jane Fouts, Mrs. Joyce Urwin, Mrs. Mary Jo Patterson and Mrs. Verduzco.

ATTENDING CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. George Loden are in San Antonio this week as delegates to the World War I Department Convention. Mr. Loden will be installed as Commander of the 17th District and Mrs. Loden as president of the Auxiliary.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Christian and Cindy spent the weekend in Scrogins with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David Weatherford.

Mrs. J. C. Kilcrease and Johnny visited in Haskell recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Langford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ellis of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Ellis and children of Hurst visited Saturday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ellis. Visiting Monday and Tuesday in the Ellis home were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vernon of Electra.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ramage for the weekend was their daughter, Miss Cherry Ramage of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Patterson spent Sunday in Springtown with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Patterson and Jody.

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Report of Condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Hico, in the State of Texas

At the close of business on June 30, 1973, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Title 12, United States Code, Section 161.

ASSETS

Cash and due from banks	824,525.53
U.S. Treasury securities	749,775.00
Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	224,937.56
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	928,999.12
Other securities (including \$25,375.00 corporate stock)	32,875.00
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreement to resell	600,000.00
Loans	2,760,780.90
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	70,600.00
Other assets (including \$3,153.79 direct lease financing)	6,438.64
TOTAL ASSETS	6,198,931.75

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3,090,172.34
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,335,818.13
Deposits of United States Government	27,513.03
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	243,661.49
Deposits of commercial banks	9,235.00
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	15,886.00
TOTAL DEPOSITS	5,722,285.99
(a) Total demand deposits	3,243,467.86
(b) Total time and savings deposits	2,478,818.13
Other liabilities	5,000.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES	5,727,285.99

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS ruling)	23,621.34
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS & SECURITIES	23,621.34

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Equity capital-total	448,024.42
Common Stock-total par value	100,000.00
No. shares authorized	1,000
No. shares outstanding	1,000
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	116,811.42
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves ..	81,213.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	448,024.42

TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 6,198,931.75

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	5,631,603.07
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	2,780,696.55
Interest collected not earned on installment loans included in total capital accounts	41,798.53

I, Marlene Kilgo, Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MARLENE KILGO

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

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Items of Interest From Iredell . . .

By MRS. VINITA BLAKLEY

Dates to Remember:

Aug. 1, ICIC will meet at the school at 7:30 p.m. This will be an important meeting, so if you are interested in your community please come and have a part.

Aug. 18, The Iredell School will begin the new year.

Aug. 5-10, The Revival at the Methodist Church, with Rev. Jack Hopkins of Ranger preaching.

Aug. 19, The Gospel meeting at the Iredell Church of Christ will begin.

Sept. 29, Iredell Homecoming.

Mrs. Ada Myers of Meridian and her brother, Mr. Oran Moffett of Clairmore, Okla. were recent visitors with friends in Iredell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Woody and her brother of Hobbs, N.M. were recent weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Woody.

Little Misses Kim and Terri Henson of Waco spent the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Woody.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller and Tracey of Tulsa, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris of Helotis, and Mrs. J. G. Helm of Cranfills Gap were weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Rachael Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Culp were weekend visitors in Grapeland in the home of her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Earl New.

Quinton Fleming has returned home from a summer visit with his father in England.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wellborn Sr. were recent visitors at Oakwood in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Luckie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wellborn Jr., Jim and Jesse, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Wellborn, Joey and Troy of Joshua left Sunday for a vacation trip to Fort Parker where the men will do some fishing. Then the Bobby Wellborn family will visit in Corpus Christi with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley visited her mother, Mrs. W. A. Long at the Granbury Nursing Home Saturday. Mrs. Long returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Mark Dunlap, David and Teresa of Hico were Monday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dunlap.

Ralph Mitchell of Houston visited in Iredell during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scruggs, David and Phillip of DeSota were Saturday visitors in the home of Mrs. C. A. Mitchell. Also Mr. James Bernhardt, Tammy and Julia of DeSota. Tammy and Julia remained for a longer visit with their grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Duff McDonel of Arlington were weekend visitors with his mother, Mrs. Sinia McDonel.

Mrs. W. E. Boyd Jr. is in San Antonio getting acquainted with their new granddaughter, Amy Nicole, who was born Monday, July 16. She weighed 6 lbs. 13½ oz., and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Graves. She has a little brother to welcome her. Also grand parents Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Boyd Jr. of Iredell and Mr. and Mrs. Cokey Graves of Austin. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Lula Graves, Mrs. W. E. Boyd Sr., and Mr. and

Mrs. Tom Low, all of Iredell.

Mrs. Ruby Burns and Mrs. May Phillips visited the Truett Blackburn family at their home near Hico Sunday afternoon.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wick Simpson were

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Simpson and little friend, Bobby of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Doak Simpson and Paula of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dunlap were Saturday visitors in Irving and Dallas in the homes of their sons, the

Roy and Raymond Dunlap families. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McAden of Waco were Sunday visitors in the home of his mother, Mrs. Rosa McAden.

Mrs. Frances Boyette and Harriett of Stephenville were Saturday visitors in the home of Mrs. Mae Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Woody Jr. and Rickey of Hobbs, N.M. were

weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Woody Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Blakley of Houston were weekend visitors in the home of his mother, Vinita Blakley. Brian returned home with them after a weeks visit with her and at Hico.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Word Main were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McCroskey of Glen

Rose, Miss Betty Ann McCroskey, who teaches in the Dallas school system, Dr. and Mrs. Jimmy McCroskey and three daughters, who have just returned from Greece and Holland. They were enroute to their new home in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Helm were weekend visitors in Arlington in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Helm and daughters.

The MYF of the Methodist Church spent Friday night at Lake Lantana. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John F. Word, Rev. and Mrs. Dale Yant and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Woody Sr. and A. D. Jr. are now living in their new home in Iredell. They moved from their farm south of Iredell.



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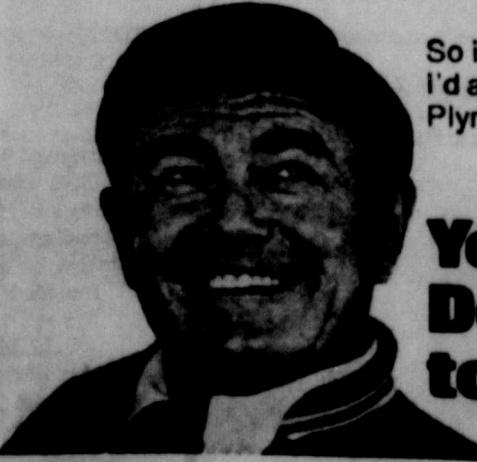


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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McPherson visited his mother, Maggie McPherson Monday. Bill and Edith McPherson visited her Sunday.

Charles and Kathy Roberts visited Mrs. Mattie Roberts Monday, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roberts visited her Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Poff of Stephenville visited Mrs. J. M. Williams Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. C. R. Conley and son of Stephenville visited Mrs. C. L. Tidwell Thursday. Mrs. Albert Hensley and daughter, Ruth of Stephenville visited her Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tidwell of Albuquerque, N.M. visited his father, Joe Tidwell Sunday.

Austin and Tim Emery were in charge of the worship services Sunday night. We all enjoy worshipping together.

NO MEETING FOR SENIOR CITIZENS THIS FRIDAY

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Mrs. Martin Hosts Clairette H.D. Club

The Clairette Home Demonstration Club met July 20 in the home of Mrs. Chester Martin. Club president Mrs. W. W. Head called the

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meeting to order. Singing was under the direction of Mrs. Martin. Pledge and prayer was led by Mrs. James Johnson.

A picnic supper for members and their families was planned for Aug. 23 at 7:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Loden.

Program for the afternoon was filling out year books under the

leadership of Mrs. John Golightly. Mrs. Martin served refreshments to Mmes. Loden, James Johnson, Head, Golightly, J. G. Edwards, Bud Burnett, C. E. Barr, Hub Alexander and Melvin Henderson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harion Koonmaa spent the weekend in Snyder in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Elcke and attended the Snyder rodeo.

Miss D'Ann Meador returned home last weekend following a two-week visit in Lawa in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dodd.

Miss Sharon Hill of Levelland left Thursday of last week following a visit here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Wolfe and Terry.

Miss Hawthorne Weds Michael Jackson in Odessa Ceremony

Baskets of lavender and purple carnations on pedestals flanked a memory candle for the marriage of Miss Barbara Joy Hawthorne, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hawthorne of Hico, to Michael Wayne Jackson, recently in Odessa.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hawthorne Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jackson, both of Odessa.

The bride wore a gown of bridal satin, fashioned with teardrop pearls around the empire waist and square neckline. The gown featured long, pointed bell-shaped sleeves, edged in narrow lace. A cluster of daisies held her veil of tiered illusion and she carried a bouquet of white carnations in a cascade tied with lavender ribbons.

Miss Valerie Reed was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Misses Connie Voss, Janice White and Dorinda Langford.

Mitchell Jackson served his brother as best man and groomsmen were Monte Jackson, brother of the bridegroom, Eddie Albritton and Steve Taylor.

Following a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N.M., the couple will be at home in Odessa.

Mrs. J. C. Braune and Cindy visited a part of this week with their son and brother, Brad, in Lubbock, and with relatives in Abilene. Mrs. A. C. Braune, and Misses Chris and Beverly Hutchens of Abilene returned home with them for a visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stipe spent the weekend in Bryan in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stipe and family.

LARGE CROWD ATTENDS CLAIRETTE SINGING

A large crowd attended the singing held Saturday night at the Clairette Baptist Church.

Special songs were rendered by Cindy Brown and Linda McElroy of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert, Frances Dalton and Frances Craddock of Dublin, and Marvin Jones, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Carr and Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Williams Jr. of Clairette.

Refreshments were served during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burleson of Austin spent last weekend in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Randals.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Loyd and Dena were Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Carl Kammerzell, Bill, Tammy and Elisha from Bossier City, La., who are moving to Guam.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lackey last week were their grandchildren, Drew, Dave and Caroline of Dallas, children of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Lackey, and Mr. Lackey's sister, Mrs. Mary Frances of Terrell.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Clark of Fairy were their children, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Clark Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Clark and Greg of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Barnett and family of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Lee Mackey and Joe of Everman visited during the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Henry Mackey.

Hico Aces Club

Mrs. John L. Wilson won high bridge score and Mrs. Odis Pet-sick won second high score when they were guests last week at the Hico Aces Club when it met in the home of Mrs. R. B. Jackson.

Others present for the afternoon of bridge games were Mrs. Marvin Marshall, Mrs. Edwin Tolon Sr., Mrs. L. J. Chaney, Mrs. A. T. Blackstock and Mrs. D. E. Bulloch.

Friday Bridge Club

Mrs. E. V. Meador was hostess last week for members and guests of the Friday Afternoon Bridge Club.

At conclusion of games Mrs. Harold Walker held high score and Mrs. B. C. Dayton held second high. Others present were Mrs. Sarah Reeves, Mrs. Ray Cheek, Mrs. Sandy Ogle, and guests, Mrs. Ray Parks and Mrs. Bruce Slaught-ter.

ENJOY VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hicks and Mr. and Mrs. Don Patterson enjoyed a vacation last week. They saw sights of interest in Red River and Taos, N.M., then went on into Colorado. Highlights of their trip there were seeing places of interest at Pagosa Springs, Durango and Silverton, and visiting the Mesa Verde National Park.

Mrs. Carl Lively of Irving spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Higginbotham. Mr. and Mrs. Don Ross and family were Sunday luncheon guests in the home.

WEEKEND OUTING

Enjoying a fish fry and outing during the weekend at the Wootton farm were Mr. and Mrs. Frazier Crow and their children, Mr. and Mrs. John Crow of Clifton and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barber of Denton. Also Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cook and Ronnie of Wylie and Mr. and Mrs. Derral Patton, Melissa, Kyle and Toby of Irving.

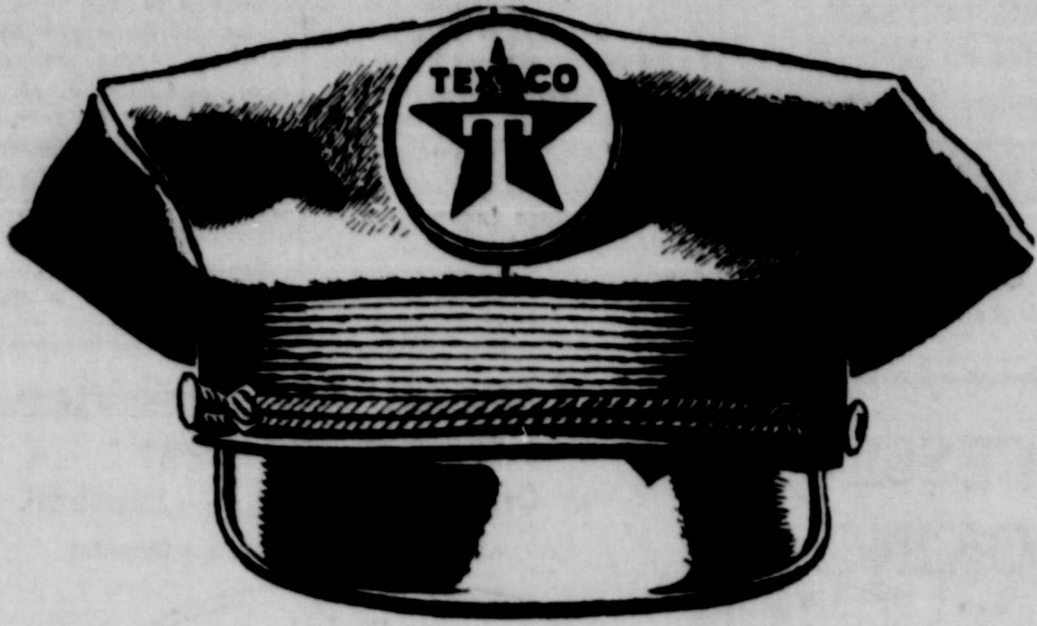
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Greene of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Rippy Guitar and John of Big Spring visited a part of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Early Shepherd.

Kim and Dale Barnard of Hico spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernall nigan, and enjoyed a trip to Seas at Arlington on Tuesday. Children returned when their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barnard came for them and spent the weekend.

Steve Smith of Austin spent weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Clayton visited Friday in Comanche with mother, Mrs. D. F. Clayton.

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