

Mrs. Enger Hostess For WSCS
Womens Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Billy Gist in Abernathy with her mother, Mrs. Clayton Enger as hostess. The president, Mrs. Jack Jackson was in charge of the meeting with Mrs. Laura Watson bringing the devt. from Isaiah, 56th chpt., 12-13. Mrs. T. W. Driver offered the opening prayer. A varied program was given by Mesdames L. P. Amtrson, T. W. Driver, N. Matthews, Jimmy Belt and A. B. Colwell. Closing prayer by Mrs. Colwell. The hostess served sandwiches, potato chips, cookies, coffee and cocoa to eleven members and two visitors, Mrs. Gist and Mrs. Charlie Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Timms Jr. and family moved to a farm near Spade last week where they will be engaged in farming.

Mr. and Mrs. Udell Adams and family visited friends in Ft. Worth and San Antonio last week returning home Friday night.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Bristow last week were Mrs. Bob Wyatt and daughters, Terry and Joan of Visalia, Calif., Mrs. Carl Fugate and children of Corcoran, Calif. and Mrs. Charlie Bristow, Albuquerque, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Berry of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Smith visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Carnes at Slaton Friday night.

Mrs. Charles Fuller of Los Cruces N. M. and Rev. and Mrs. Beardin Chaney and children of Monrovia, N. M. visited their mother, Mrs. L. Ragland during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Turner and family who have resided on the O. D. Rhodes farm the past two years moved to a farm near Abernathy Thursday and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and family of Perryton moved the house vacated by the Turners.

Mrs. Edie Hammond of Lubbock spent the week end with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. DuBoise.

A group of ladies gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fisher Friday afternoon for a surprise party for them. Mrs. Clyde Gordon gave a reading. The Fishers were presented gifts and served refreshments by the group. Those attending were Mesdames Vernon Smith, H. G. Timms, Jimmy Belt, A. B. Colwell, E. L. McGaugh, T. L. King, L. P. Amerson, T. W. Driver, C. S. Smith, Clyde Gordon and N. Matthews, the honorees and Miss Edie Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harrison and boys were in Ft. Worth and Ada, Okla. last week and drove a new 1959 Oldsmobile home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Timms and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Belt visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Timms Jr. at Spade Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Berlyn Anonett and family of Lake Jackson, Texas moved to the Leo Anonett farm last week. Berlyn will operate his fathers farm.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Matthews and family returned to their home in Wichita, Kansas New Years Day after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Matthews and the Gem Matthews family in Petersburg, also Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cowart of Colorado Springs, Colo., were visitors in the Matthews home during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Watson and Nancy spent New Years Day in Tahoka with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Timms visited in Slaton Saturday night with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carnes.

Petersburg Beaten

By Lorenzo, 37-34

Lorenzo Hornets rallied in the second half to overcome a four-point halftime deficit and defeat Petersburg, 37-34 at Lorenzo Monday night.

The visitors led, 11-5, at the end of the first period and 21-17 at half time. Lorenzo tied the score at 25-25 after three quarters.

Joe Dunham, George Pollock and Garland Pachman, each scored 8 points for the winners. Winston Watkins and Thompson also hit 8 each for Petersburg.

Lorenzo won the girls game 38-24. Rhonda Dorsey scored nine for Lorenzo and Miller got 11 for the losers.

All kinds of office supplies at the Journal.



SMILE, PLEASE - Kankakee, Ill. - The photographer led a dog's life trying to pose these 93 pooches for a picture at Kankakee, Ill. Getting the frisky canines to sit still was like "piling up 93 marbles on a glass-top desk," says Dr. John Bernotavicz, Director of the Gaines Research Kennels at Kankakee. It took seven hours to pose the dogs for a ten-second TV commercial to introduce a new dog meal. All pedigreed, the dogs represent 23 different breeds.

To Discuss One-Variety Cotton Program

There will be a meeting Tuesday afternoon Jan. 13, at 2:30 in the Edmondson Community House to discuss results of one variety cotton community, which the Edmondson Co-Op Gin and Board of Directors started in that area.

There will be a program with many speakers that you would like to hear. Also a discussion will be held on A and B plan Cotton program for 59.

Refreshments of coffee and donuts will be served. The public is invited and urged to attend this meeting.

Last Rites For Mrs. O'Dell Held Here Last Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Mollie O'Dell, 79, who died at 4:15 a. m. Wednesday in Methodist Hospital, were held at 2:30 p. m. Saturday in Petersburg First Methodist church.

The Rev. W. H. Hughes, pastor of Maple Baptist Church officiated. Burial was in Petersburg Cemetery under the direction of Rix Funeral Home.

Mrs. O'Dell was living at the home of a daughter in Lubbock at the time of her death. She moved to Floyd County in 1917 from Hall County, and was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include seven daughters, Mrs. Susie Poarch, Mrs. Alice B. McNeil, Lubbock, Mrs. Delia Black, Petersburg, Mrs. Opal O'Connor, Levelland, Mrs. Pauline Jarry, Tucumcari, N. M., Mrs. Velma Lee Luttrell, Borger, Mrs. Mary Joseph Oakley, Calif., one son, Johnny J. O'Dell of Lubbock; one sister, Mrs. Sarah Bilderback, Amherst; one brother, L. R. Watson, Peterville, Calif.; 34 grandchildren, and 26 great-grandchildren.

Annual Scholastic Census Underway

The month of January is the month when the local schools will be taking a census of all school-age children born after September 1, 1951 and before September 1, 1953.

All census blanks will be sent out through the school children, and parents are urged to return them immediately. Any family whose children are not in school should contact the superintendent's office and ask for a census enumerator. Any one knowing of a child that will be starting to school next year that does not have an older brother or sister in school is urgently requested to contact the superintendent's office. Mrs. Wanda Hall is acting as census enumerator, and she will be available at the superintendent's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Groce of Chattanooga, Tennessee visited the former mother, Mrs. Otto Groce and other relatives Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bilberry and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bilberry left Monday for a visit with their brother and son, Mr. and Mrs. Thurber Bilberry in Oregon City, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ellerd, and children returned Wednesday from a trip to California where they spent Christmas with her family. Mr. and Mrs. Price Scott, formerly of Petersburg, The Scott family was all together for Christmas for the first reunion in 5 years.

Rubber Bands, Journal

John Deere Day To Be Next Thursday

The Plains Farm Machinery will hold their annual John Deere Day, next Thursday, Jan. 15th, starting at 10:30 a. m. and continuing on through the day.

There will be a Free lunch served at noon at the Place of business of the Plains Farm Machinery in North Petersburg. A Free Show will be shown at the Wallace Theatre starting at 1:30 p. m. and should be a good one.

The Plains Farm Machinery will have on display some of the latest in farm machinery, and will have someone to explain and show you how it is operated.

You sure don't want to miss this, mark it down now as a must.

Band Boosters Special Meeting Monday Night

Band Boosters are having a Special meeting Monday night Jan. 12, at 7:30 at the Band Hall, in place of the regular meeting this month. The material is here for us to begin the advertising for the Magician Show so each and every Band Parent is urged to attend to do your part toward making this show a success. This will be the main Money-making project for the Band this year, so please come help with it, if you have a child in any of the Band classes.

Thank you,
Mrs. Chas. Ellerd, Pres.

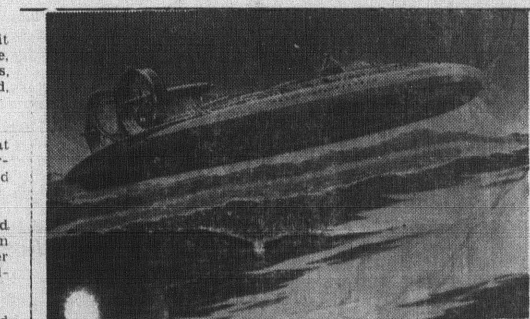
Visiting in the W. H. Johnson home during the Holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gill, Judith and Herbert Lee from Lovington, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Woodard and Dwan, La Von and Doris Johnson all of Odessa, and Mr. Fleet Gill of Levelland.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jordan and A. L. through the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Filppin and sons of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hiser and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jordan and girls of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Jordan and sons of Petersburg.

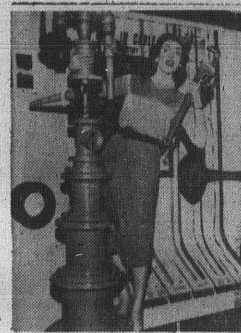
Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Jordan spent from Friday until Monday visiting relatives in Cisco, Abilene, and Hico Texas.

Mrs. Myrtle Ousan, husband and three children, Mrs. Nellie Merle Boase, husband and two children all of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Higgins and two children of Midland all visited their mother, Mrs. Dollie Higgins and brothers Jack and Roy Lee and family through the Christmas holidays.

Lon and Lois McDaniel, and B. V. Phillips all of Plainview, and Mr. Senter, of here visited with T. B. Phillips Sunday.



AIR SHIP - New York - A ship that can cross the ocean without touching water is presently under development by a British aircraft company, according to a science publication. In this sketch by artist-author Frank Tinsley for the January 1959 issue of Mechanix Illustrated magazine, the ship floats on compressed air forced through nozzles in its bottom. Shaped like an elongated saucer, the vessel would carry up to 1,000 passengers, and would be pushed at speeds up to 100 miles an hour by two giant airplane-type propellers driven by gas turbines.



PIPE TREE - Chicago, Ill. - Man-sized pipe wrench and pretty Chicagoan Bettie Thomas yield in strength test to unusual "tree" of pipe flanges. The pipe flanges, fittings and valves are all made of rigid vinyl plastics developed by B. F. Goodrich Chemical Company.

Graveside Rites For Fullingim Infant Saturday

Graveside services for Jimmy Ray Fullingim Jr., who died in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock about 6 p. m. Friday, 20 hours after birth, were held at 11 a. m. Saturday in Petersburg Cemetery.

Dr. J. Harvey Scott, pastor of Petersburg First Baptist Church officiated. Carter Funeral Home of Ralls were in charge of burial.

Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ray Fullingim Sr., Petersburg; the paternal grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Fullingim, Lubbock; the maternal grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. True Rosser, Petersburg; paternal great-grand mothers, Mrs. H. E. Fullingim and Mrs. M. J. Gregory, maternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Alma Mayo all of Petersburg.

Petersburg Wilson

Teams Split Cage

Double-Header

Petersburg and Wilson split a basketball doubleheader here Friday night, Jan. 2, the host girls winning 49-17, and the visiting boys taking a 36-27 verdict.

Willie Pat Baxley scored 21 points and Jeannette Schneider 20 to lead Wilson while Miller was high for Petersburg with 8. Pat Scarborough had 12 for Petersburg and Billy Weaver nine for Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson left Tuesday morning for Denton, Texas. They are to close a land transaction there.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Millican, Jr. and children left Wednesday morning for their home in South America. They have been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Herman Millican, Sr., and his sister Mrs. Arthur Hegi and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bearden of El Paso visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Troy Bearden last week. Milton is stationed at Fort Bliss.

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Happy New Year! It is our advice that you live through 1959 if you can. If you don't do so, you'd most likely miss a lot of excitement.

"De Gaulle Prescribes Anusterity for France." Maybe he can put this over, but it's difficult to imagine the French being austere.

According to a reliable index, people of the U. S. enjoyed one of the merriest Christmas ever. The index: The number of people killed in traffic, this being directly proportionate, on the whole, to the degree of enjoyment.

Nothing unusual in Utican's Death, Syracuse (N. Y.) Post-Standard. It was probably unusual for the Utican.

Each of two prominent recently divorced Atlantans have married each other's former wife. At the turn of year, it seems that in all fields optimism is rampant.

"The virus is the missing link between life and non-life; it is about two-thirds dead and one-third alive, says a scientist. In this respect, it is comparable to a person suffering from a New Year's hangover.

The Atlas satellite has one distinctly feminine characteristic. It tells all it knows, and keeps repeating it.

Civilization is a slow process where by man moves out of the wilderness builds machinery and cities and unthinkingly creates conditions that expose him to more trouble and danger than he had in the wilderness.

It wasn't anything of a feat for President Eisenhower to balance the budget in advance. Almost anybody could have done it.

The worst outbreak of lousy puns of 1958 came at year's end. They were precipitated by a report of Helen's Trouble in trying to teach Margaret Truman to sing.

Many a person, one of whose favorite ways of pursuing happiness is to drive fast, overtakes death first.

Thousands of people have volunteered to be rocketed into space recently not only didn't volunteer, but he didn't give his consent to make the trip. Now, who has more sense, people or monkeys?

The oft-repeated remark, "You're as old as you feel," is silly. A per-

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son couldn't be various and widely different ages in a single week.

"An agricultural department survey shows the average farm owner works longer and harder than his hired help." Of course, if he didn't, he wouldn't long remain a farm owner.

The man who bought a mountain several years ago is meeting with difficulty in trying to sell it. It seems there is scarcely any demand for second-hand mountains.

"We believe in a future and that it is futile to deny it," says Sen. George Akin of Vermont. No doubt there will be at least as much future as anybody living now or later will be able to use.

The best way for a person to avoid blowing his top is for him to keep an open mind.

"Time hasn't always existed," says the stock market boom reminded he's mistaken, as it is impossible that there could have been a time when there was no time.

It's becoming more difficult all

the time to avoid being hemmed up and overtalked to.

"The chickadee not only stays in Massachusetts all winter, but continues to sing." Chickadee? Sounds to us like a cuckoo.

In many an instance a person asks your advice in order to have an excuse to, tell you his troubles.

When Morona was following a recipe and came to "Grease your pan she cold-creamed her face before proceeding further.

A person can easily avoid having a long face. All he has to do is to keep his chin up.

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Shaggy Cat Story

A top government official said the stock market boom reminded he's mistaken, as it is impossible that there could have been a time when there was no time.

A friend somewhat incredulous, asked if the man had received cash. "No, two \$12,500 cats," was the reply.

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SCHOOL NEWS

6-B Students Go Visiting

Six-B returned Monday morning eager to tell of their holiday visits and experiences.

We found from our visit with one another here in the classroom that our trips ranged from Ladeland, Florida on the Atlantic Coast to Los Angeles, California on the Pacific Coast, and as far south as Mexico. All parts of Texas were traveled as far North as Amarillo, South to Corpus Christi, East to Tyler, and West to Roy New Mexico.

2-B News

Johnny Diox is visiting in Old Mexico this week. We have a new pupil, Ben Adams, from California.

1-B News

Room 1-D has two new pupils, Juanita Adams and Maria Molina.

4-A News

Elvis Kelly went to see his grand mother Wednesday and he visited

**HALE COUNTY, TEXAS
PRECINCT NO. 2 ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND**

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Year Ending December 31, 1958

RECEIPTS	
Tax Collector	\$22,532.05
Motor Vehicle Reg.	45,000.00
Use of Equipment	4,132.65
Sale of Culverts	21.00
	71,685.70

DISBURSEMENTS

Land Easements	\$ 225.00
Sodium Chlorate	211.09
Operators Salaries	13,011.65
Extra Labor	945.25
Overtime	9.00
Bonuses	245.48
Test Holes	192.00
Equip. Main. and Repair	8,813.33
Lumber and Hardware	46.73
Gas, Oil and Diesel	5,405.41
Culverts	517.12
Sand and Gravel	136.90
Tires and Tubes	1,749.49
Withholding Tax	1,271.46
Social Security	371.18
Insurance	1,703.42
Utilities	837.83
Travel Allowance	900.00
Business Trips	300.00
Janitor Supplies	16.43
Postage	35.00
Contributions	210.00
Plumbing and Electrical Repair	3.00
Miscellaneous	189.00

Excess of Receipts Over Disbursements	\$ 37,149.87
Precinct Balance January 1, 1958	\$ 34,535.83
	36,718.24
Balance December 31, 1958	71,254.07

LATERAL ROAD PRECINCT No. 2

RECEIPTS	
State Treasurer	\$ 8,378.13
DISBURSEMENTS	
Labor	\$ 733.40
Culverts	776.54
Equipment	6,000.00
Paving	1,000.00
Purchase of Right-of-Way	500.00
Storm Celler	1,171.05
Contribution	750.00
Treasurers Commission	124.83
Miscellaneous	40.00

Excess of Disbursements Over Receipts	2,716.89
Precinct Balance January 1, 1958	11,464.87
Balance December 31, 1958	8,747.98

**FARM TO MARKET AND LATERAL ROAD
Precinct No. 2**

RECEIPTS	
Tax Collector	\$ 10,731.54
DISBURSEMENTS	
Equipment	\$ 6,000.00
Sodium Chlorate	33.33
Contributions, Petersburg Fire Dep	1,000.00
Treasurers Commission	178.74

Excess Of Receipts Over Disbursements	3,510.47
Precinct Balance January 1, 1958	12,431.77
Balance December 31, 1958	15,951.24

RECAPITULATION

Road and Bridge Prec. 2 Balance	71,254.07
Lateral Road, Prec. 2 Balance	8,747.98
Farm to Mkt. and Lateral Road Precinct No. 2 Balance	15,951.24

TOTAL ON DEPOSIT TO THE CREDIT OF HALE COUNTY PRECINCT No. 2 \$ 95,953.29

Before me, the undersigned authority on this day personally appeared M. L. REA, County Treasurer of Hale County, Texas, who being by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

M. L. REA,
County Treasurer

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 30 day of December 1958.
(Seal)

MILDRED TUCKER,
Clerk, County Court, Hale County, Texas

3-A News

We are back in school after the Christmas Holidays working as though we had not been out at all. Those visiting during Christmas were Rita Williams visited her grandparents in Oklahoma, Kathy Hunt visited her Great Grandmother in Pioneer, Alan Stephens visited in California, and Victor Garza visited in Victoria.

2-A News

David Cave visited relatives in Dallas, Corsicana, and Glen Rose during Christmas Holidays. Others visiting during the holidays were Gerald Pierson at Dimmitt, Donna Clevenger at Brady, Beverly at Rankin and San Antonio Jerry Lynn at Corpus Christi, Jan Justice at Lake Park, Florida, and Mrs. Winningham at Meadow.

1-B News

Tommy Lee Thomas visited a grandmother in Odessa, Texas. Susie Morales went to visit grand parents in Rosebud, Texas. Mrs. Hassie Taylor spent the holidays at Seminole and Pecos and Fabens. And went sightseeing in El Paso and Jaurez on New Years Day.

Jr. High News

We are very sorry to report that the boys lost their basketball game with Hale (center last Thursday (before the holidays).

8-B News

8-B is glad to report that some of 8-b students had very nice trips along with a happy Christmas this year. They are; Tommy Chastelberry who went to California, Jimmy Robertson who went to El Paso and Carolyn Haffark who went to California.

4-C News

Steve Olive's cousin and uncle came to see him from Colorado, and his aunt and uncle and cousin came from Turkey. Harriet Dunlap had relatives from Plainview, Post, Slaton, and Spur visiting in her home. Harriet Dunlap went to Slaton to see her aunt and uncle. Mike Armstrong visited his grand

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Dear Aunt;

A man owes it to himself to be successful, and when he becomes successful he owes it to the Internal Revenue Department—That time of the year again—

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Aunt, a sense of humor will reduce your troubles to their proper proportions — So guess we will smile and get back to work for another year—

Love,
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BECTON NEWS

Attend Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Tudor and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, Al and Gary all attended a dinner last Sunday in the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wood Tudor when the Tudor families gathered for a reunion in their home. A quality dinner with all the trimmings was served at the noon hour.

Joe Becton is much better and it was believed that he might soon be able to get out of the house some. He is able to have company. Becton sustained a heart attack several weeks ago.

Mrs. Emmett Williams and Miss Carolyn Elkins of Abernathy visited Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Adkisson Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dean of Falls visited his mother Mrs. Flora Dean Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Linnecum and Betty have returned from San Francisco where they visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Meade and sons. Betty has returned to classes at Wayland College, Plainsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Smith and daughters spent the past two weeks in Calif., visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Killian and children. They returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. King and J. D. and other relatives here left Tuesday for Madison, Wis., where he is attending college working on his Master's Degree in agriculture. They also visited his parents at Weimert, Texas.

Rev. and Mrs. Luther Baker of Halfway accompanied by Mr. Baker's mother visited in the Morris Waters home Friday.

Visit Relatives in Georgia

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ferguson and Mary Lynn spent the holidays in Quitman, Ga., visiting their daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. William J. Smith, Sharon and Stephen. They returned Tuesday.

Visit In Iowa

Mr. and Mrs. Otis King have returned from Ames, Iowa where they visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene King and children over the holidays. The Eugene Kings will move back to Becton as soon as this semester's work is finished. He will have completed his Master's Degree in Agriculture at a Scholarship he was awarded after finishing Texas Tech.

Return From Houston

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Reid have returned from Houston where they spent the holidays with her parents and family. They are busy getting things in shape to move into the home formerly occupied by the J. W. Ferguson family. He will farm this place.

Couple Return From Columbia, S. C. L. J. F. Wiley and his wife, the former Sandra Johnson have been spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Johnson. He has completed his service training and they have moved back from Columbia, S. C., where he was stationed and have established residence in Lubbock.

Have Visitors From Nacogdoches Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Lance and children, Greg, Patti, Becky and Paula of Nacogdoches visited Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lance, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Lance and Jimmie and Stevie, and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lance and Susan here during the holidays. Hubert is attending Stephen F. Austin College where he is majoring in Forestry.

Sneed Family Have Gathering

All the children of Mrs. Minnie Sneed with the exception of one daughter, Mrs. Miller McConnell and family of Detroit, Mich., were present for a post-Christmas gathering in her home. They included Miss Joyce Sneed, Vernon and George Sneed of Becton, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Sneed and family of Idalou, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dean Sneed and family of Idalou, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Sneed and family of Stinnett and Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Sneed Jr., and family.

Tom Gordon Returns in Another Star-Studded JOHN DEERE DAY All-Family Film Program

DATE: Thursday, January 15th
TIME: At 10:30 A. M.
PLACE: Plains Farm Machinery

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★GIC! The Great Johnstone, a musical comic, presents Max the Magnificent in an unforgettable escape act.

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Pork Chops	Pound 55c	Del Monte, Cream Style 300 can CORN	2 FOR 37c
KIMBELL'S Shortening 3 LB. CAN	69c	SAVORY, 12 oz. Jar, All Flavors Preserves	3 FOR \$1.00

Lemons Grocery & Mkt.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Waters and Dean visited Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Miller and family of Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Adkisson attended the wedding of their niece at Abernathy on Friday.

(Monday) and will stay in the home of her parents in Idalou until she is able to be up and about. Her friends here are glad to know that at last she is making progress toward a complete recovery.

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SOCIAL SECURITY JUMPS TO 3 PERCENT THIS MONTH

With their first paychecks of the New Year, the Nation's workers will begin to pay more for their social security protection. The increase amounts to 25 cents more on each \$100 of earnings.

For the first time, annual earnings of up to \$4800 will be subject to the social security tax and credited toward social security benefits. Until now, only the first \$4800 of earnings in a year has been taxed and counted toward the amount of bene-

fits payable to a worker or his family.

If you are one of the 75 million Americans whose work is covered by social security, you'll begin this month to pay a social security tax of 2 1/2 percent on the first \$4800 of your earnings. Your employer will match this tax with an equal amount out of his own pocket.

The tax in 1958 was 2 1/4 percent on wages up to \$4800. The new tax rate applies to wages paid in 1959, unless the wages are paid for work done in 1958.

The New Year will also bring increased benefit checks to the 12 1/2 million men, women, and children now receiving monthly old-age, survivors, or disability insurance benefits. Effective with the checks delivered early in February, retired workers will get an increase of about 7 percent, some slightly less.

Retired workers' payments now range from \$30 (except for women who retired when they were between 62 and 66) to \$108.50. Beginning with benefit payments for the month of January, the minimum retirement payment for those now on the benefit rolls will be raised from \$30 to \$33, and the maximum will be \$118. For those who become eligible for benefits in the future, payments may be as high as \$127 (as a result of counting earnings of up to \$4800 in years after 1958).

Payments to those receiving benefits as dependents and survivors will also be increased by about 7 percent effective with the checks mailed out in February. But where several members of one family are getting payments, each person may not get full seven percent increase in his individual benefit amount.

The maximum payment to a family group, until now limited to \$200, may now be as high as \$254.

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 Official Board (First Monday 8 p. m.)

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 Sunday Morning Worship 10:30
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 Welcome to our Services.
 Lynn Fisher, Minister

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 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
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 Hour of Power 8:00 p. m.

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 Sunday school 10:00 a. m.
 Worship 11:00 a. m.
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Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
 Morning Worship 10:30 a. m.
 Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.
 C. P. Y. 7:15 p. m.
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 Missionary Auxiliary 3:00 p. m. On 1st and 3rd Wednesday.

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Wedding Read In
Littlefield, December 26

A wide arch covered with holly and banked on either side with

greenery and baskets of poinsettias decorated the First Baptist church in Littlefield for the candlelight wedding vows of Miss Georgeann Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. (Jack) Walker of Littlefield and Earl Byerley, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Byerley of Petersburg. Dr. Lee Hemphill officiated at the

double ring ceremony which took place Friday evening, December 26 at 7:30 in Littlefield.

Mr. Woody Coleman of Abernathy was soloist, and Miss Gracie Russell was organist. "Because and Bless This House" were the vocal selections, and traditional wedding music was used for the organ selections.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a gown of white peau de sole fashioned with sabrina neck line of re-embroidered Alencon lace dusted with iridescent sequins. The fitted bodice had long sleeves tapered to petal points and terminated with a point at the center front waistline. A huge butterfly bow at center back added interest to a bouffant waist length harem skirt. Her shoulder length veil of silk illusion was attached to a crown of seed pearls. She carried a white Bible topped with an orchid and showered with Stephanotis. For something old, she wore a birth stone ring belonging to the groom's grandmother, Mrs. Maude Jones of Muleshoe.

Miss Gay Minyard was maid of honor and the brides' sister, Miss Neida Walker was Junior bridesmaid. They wore identical red, peau de se, princess style dresses fashioned with scooped neckline and cap sleeves, a large butterfly bow accented the waist in back. They wore white fur hats and carried fur mufflers topped with poinsettias.

Miss Jackie Outlaw of Morton, (college room mate of the bride) and Neal Walker, the brides' brother, lighted the candles. Miss Outlaw's dress was similar to that of the maid of honor, but she wore a red velvet bow hat and a wrist corsage.

Mr. Jack Culp of Petersburg served as best man. The groom's nephew, Chris Byerley of Hale Center was Junior groomsman. Ushers were Winston Watkins and James Sell both of Petersburg, and Neal Walker.

The reception was held in the home of the bride on the Levelland highway. Red and white Christmas flowers and candles decorated the house. The brides' table was laid with a white imported linen and lace cloth. Silver and crystal were used to serve coffee and punch. A three-tiered all white wedding cake topped with two wedding bells was served.

Members of the houseparty were Misses Sharon Westmoreland of Levelland and Linda Kilpatrick of Onida, S. Dakota, cousins of the bride and Misses Carol Caldwell and Jan Hampton and Mesdames W. D. Smith, James Durham and Boyne McCurry. Mrs. J. J. Bonner, brides' aunt from Lubbock, also assisted.

Following a wedding trip to Dallas the Byerleys will be at home in Abilene at 1226 North 26th St., after January 1.

The bride traveled in a blue wool suit with a boxy jacket. She wore a small white feathered hat and white gloves, and she chose brown lizard bag and shoes to complete her costume. She wore the orchid from her bridal bouquet.

The bride is a sophomore student at Hardin-Simmons University. The groom attended H-S last year and will resume his college work at mid-semester.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to take this means of thanking the Petersburg Fire Department for their efforts, when our building, which houses the Biscuit Cafe caught fire. If it had not been for the efficient job the Fire Boys did it would have been a total loss. As it was it was held to just some smoke damage. Thanks a million. Vince Manning

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of extending our thanks and appreciation for the flowers, kind words and thoughtfulness shown following our Mother's death. Your kindness will linger in our memory always. The family of Mrs. Mollie O'Dell

Mrs. Rex Marshall Jr. and children of Lubbock visited Tuesday night in the home of her father and brother, J. C. and Loy Jay.

Dr. and Mrs. John Rapel and children of Marshfield, Wisconsin have been visiting his sister, Mrs. Don Hegel and family the past week.

Rev. and Mrs. Luther Baker of Halfway accompanied by Mr. Baker's mother visited in the Morris Waters home Friday.

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