

# Santa Anna News

"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

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## Directors of The Santa Anna Hospital



PICTURED ABOVE ARE the directors of the Santa Anna Hospital. The first meeting of the board was held last week and plans are being made for the addition of considerable new equipment to the hospital. Pictured from left to right are: Dr. William Tryon, staff member and junior partner in the operation of the Santa Anna Clinic; C. Dudley Tomblinson, Fort Worth, medical secretary of the Texas Conference of S. D. A.; N. R. Dower, president of the Texas Conference, S. D. A.; O. J. Bell, treasurer of the conference; H. E. Schnieder, secretary-treasurer of Union Conference, S. D. A.; Altus Hays of Fort Worth; W. Tilden Jones, board secretary and hospital administrator; and Dr. Charles M. Henner, senior partner in the operation of the local clinic.

The hospital was presented to the Seventh-day Adventist by Dr. Henner several months ago.

## High School Honor Roll

J. W. Simpson, principal of the Santa Anna High School, announces the following students as being on the honor roll for the fifth six-weeks period:

Seniors: Diane Williams, Jo Beth Cooper, Ruth Milligan, Carol McClellan, Olivia McIntire, Jerry Scarborough, Joan Niell, Janice Donham, Barbara House, Elizabeth Smith, Carolyn Woods, Pauline Voss, Kathryn King, and Betty Vinson.

Juniors: O. B. Smith, Carolyn McClellan, Doane McIver, Joyce Mills, Grady James, Larry Donham, Joyce Jackson and Shirley Little.

Sophomores: Judy Ford, Linda Riley, Robert Perry and Eugene White.

Freshmen: Jean Smith, Kay Kingsbery, and Bill McIntire.

High point students taking four subjects are: Diane Williams, Jo Beth Cooper, Ruth Milligan and Carol McClellan. High students taking five subjects are O. B. Smith and Carolyn McClellan.

## OUR APOLOGIES!

Two weeks ago we announced the Santa Fe Railway would re-enact the train robbery that was held at Coleman Junction in 1898 at the scene where it actually took place. On Friday morning, after The News had already been mailed for about 24 hours, we received word the re-enactment of the attempted robbery would be held south of Brownwood.

If there had been anyway we could have notified our readers of the change, we would have done so. We understand there was a large number of people at Coleman Junction on that Sunday morning and to those people we certainly want to express our sincere apologies for the article appearing as it did.

However your editor discussed the robbery with some of the Santa Fe officials and we told them our centennial anniversary was coming up in two years and asked them if they would re-enact the robbery in the actual place where it took place and they assured us they would be glad to do so. So, in about two years time there is a good possibility that all will get a chance to see the re-enactment at the spot where it took place in 1898.

Mrs. Hugh Glasson, who lives on Santa Anna Route One, has accepted a position as Assistant Supt., of the Old Folks Home in Coleman, effective as of Monday of next week.

Mrs. Luther Talley, who has been quite sick at her home for two weeks or more, is reported to be somewhat improved.

## Ward School Honor Roll

James A. Harris, principal of the Santa Anna Ward School, announces the following students as being on the honor roll for the fifth six-weeks period:

Fourth Grade: Earla Buse, Mary Elizabeth Miller, Freddie Cullins, Leland Williams, Donnie Neff, Glen Gilbreath, Karen Jones, Bobby Clifton, Terry McIver, Sandra Davis, Kay Haynes and Wanda James.

Fifth Grade: John Dillingham, Steven Fisher, Larry Fowler, Tommy Stewardson, Arlene Welch, Larry Wardlow, Sherman Starnes, Pete Simmons, Clayton Jackson, Carole Sue Campbell, Linda Evans, Elaine McClure, and Peggy Hawkins.

Sixth Grade: Dayton Jackson, Juanell Mercer, Linda Sudderth, Mary Ford, Anne Stiles, Louise Cooper.

Seventh Grade: Dixie Baugh, LaQuinn Cooper, Mary Rehm, and Janice Smith.

Eighth Grade: Eddie Hartman, Naomi Henderson, Sandra Fowler, Dixie Deal and Travis Buse.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thigpen and Mrs. Arnold Hudier of Fort Worth and Leland Thigpen and Don of Stanton, were here for several days at the weekend to be with their mother, Mrs. Frank Thigpen. She was moved to her home on Tuesday after being a patient since Friday in the Santa Anna Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Mace Blanton Jr. and children, Mike and Karla, of Fort Worth, spent the weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mace Blanton. Also visiting in the Blanton home Sunday were Mrs. Henry Gregg and Miss Glenda Cain of Rising Star. Mrs. Gregg is a cousin of Mrs. Blanton and Mrs. Sue Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Richardson and their young daughters, Judy and Donna, of Temple, visited a part of Monday and Tuesday with her grandmother, Mrs. Ann Kulp. Together they visited awhile late Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Howard. Mrs. Richardson is the former Doris Zenor of Santa Anna. On a 5 day vacation, the Richardsons went from here to Amarillo to visit his brother.

Mrs. M. A. Pritchard returned to Santa Anna last weekend from Grandbury, where she had been visiting with a daughter, Mrs. M. F. Blanton and family.

Mrs. Vernon Parker, Mrs. Will Parker, and Mrs. Ben Vinson, visited their children in Abilene Sunday. Mrs. Will Parker remained for a longer visit in the Dewey Dunn home.

## Senior Play To Be Presented On Friday Night

"The Able Miss Cain" a three act comedy drama, will be presented at the high school auditorium Friday, April 20, at 8:00 p. m. by the senior class of the high school. Mr. A. D. Pettit and Mrs. Sherman Conner are the class sponsors. Mr. Page Mays is make-up director and Miss Janice Donham will act as Mistress of Ceremonies.

The program will last for about 2½ hours and additional entertainment is planned for between the acts. "The Able Miss Cain" is entirely free from questionable material and assures the audience of the most howl-arious evening's entertainment. Admission prices are 25 cents for students and 50 cents for adults.

The play is based on a prosperous middle-class family who learns the father's rich aunt intends to leave her fortune to one of her kin who is in the most dire circumstances, and she is paying a visit to the Prescotts to learn what their financial status is. Being a prosperous family, they decide to fool the aunt and the evening's entertainment is on.

Leaper Prescott, papa, who leaps when mama speaks, is portrayed by Wess Wise; Jo Beth Cooper acts the part of Mama, who rules the roost; Beverly Gilbreath acts the part of Cheryl Prescott, Mama's pet, the spoiled daughter; Jerry Scarborough plays the part of Petey Prescott, the kid brother who is crazy over hypnotism; Barbara House plays the part of Mary-Jo Jennings, Leaper's niece, the household drudge; Willene French plays the part of Mamie Magoon, the dumb maid of all work; a nosy neighbor, Gussie Smoot, is played by Carol McClellan; Jed Lawford, in love with Cheryl, is played by Donald Ray Owen; The town's aristocrat, Orpha Van Ostade, is played by Paulene Voss; her darling boy, Alvie Van Ostade, is played by Jerry Clark; Diane Williams portrays the part of Mrs. Pillsbury Livermore, the cranky boarder; Aunt Molly Cain, rich, eccentric and VERY ABLE, is portrayed by Olivia McIntire; Ozzie Taylor plays the part of Iffy Finklestain, who tries to deliver a mink coat right at the most inopportune time; Mile. Fifi is played by Joan Niell, and she tries to deliver a Paris hat at the same time Iffy Finklestain is trying to deliver the mink coat.

After all the preparations are made Aunt Molly arrives and it is not long until she takes over. She is a vitamin bug who thinks she knows more than the medical profession about nutritional problems, and she really puts the family on some wholesome diets.

Don't miss "The Able Miss Cain." It is one of the top comedys of the year.

Mrs. Curtis Richardson and daughters, Misses Eula Marie and Barbara Ann of Abilene, visited awhile Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson. They also visited in Coleman with Mr. Sides, father of Mrs. Curtis Richardson, who has not been well of late.

Major and Mrs. H. A. Mooney and their 4 children of San Antonio are expected to arrive on Thursday night for a long weekend visit with her mother, Mrs. B. M. McCain and Louie. The children are being given Friday off for San Jacinto day.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rutherford attended the annual Memorial Service at the Clear Creek school house in Brown County on last Sunday. A big dinner and singing in the afternoon were enjoyable features.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hammonds and daughters, Carol and Betty, who have been living at Talpa for some time, have moved back to Santa Anna and have bought the Bill Hunter place east of town.

## Mrs. Billie Guthrie Elected President Of Sorority Group

Decorations of miniature umbrellas lying in greenery were used at the April 15th meeting of District VII Council of Texas Epsilon Alpha with the Alpha Epsilon chapter of Brady as hostesses.

Registration and coffee was between the hours of 11:00 a. m. and 12:30 p. m. after which Emmalou Brink of Coleman led the invocation and luncheon of ham, green beans, yams, ice tea and ice cream were served to 53 members of District VII.

Madalene Davenport, president of the Brady Chapter gave the welcome address and the meeting was called to order by the district president, Margaret Poulter, of San Angelo. A thank you note was read from the Handicapped Children's Treatment Center of San Angelo. The treasurer, Quida Dunsworth, of Brownwood reported that \$388.00 had been received from different chapters to contribute to the children's Center.

A district outstanding E.S.A.'er was selected from nominees from each chapter of the district. Experience, qualifications and achievements were written before the meeting and given to the selection committee which consisted of Mrs. H. L. Markland of Santa Anna.

No names were given and Marie Phillips of the Alpha Delta Chapter in San Angelo was selected as the District VII Outstanding E.S.A.'er.

The newly elected officers of District VII are as follows: President: Billie Guthrie, Delta Omicron, Santa Anna; Vice President: Mary Gorder, Delta Iota, Coleman; Recording Secretary: Daphne Dockery, Delta Omicron, Santa Anna and Treasurer: Josephine Turner, Alpha Epsilon, Brady. These new officers will be installed at the July "meeting to be held in Brownwood.

The president thanked the Brady chapter for a successful meeting and the meeting adjourned.

Those attending from Santa Anna were: Mrs. H. L. Markland, Mrs. Roy Horne, Mrs. Kenneth Bowker, Mrs. Montie Guthrie, Mrs. Allyn Gill, Mrs. James Simpson, Mrs. Bill Campbell, Mrs. James Dockery, Miss Patricia Davis and Miss Theola Stewardson.

## George Stewardson, Sr., Dies Wednesday

George Stewardson, Sr., a resident of the Shields, community for about the past 77 years and one of the original pioneers of this section of the state, died in the Coleman Old Folks Home early Wednesday, after an illness of several months. He had been in failing health for the past several years and had been in a critical condition the past few days. He and Mrs. Stewardson had been residents at the Old Folks Home for several months.

Mr. Stewardson was 91 years of age the past December 31st.

Funeral services are tentatively scheduled to be held at the Shields Baptist Church on Thursday afternoon.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. George Stewardson, Sr.; two sons, George Stewardson, Jr., and John Stewardson, and one daughter, Mrs. Dan Wheatley, all of the Shields community.

Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Oliver, former residents of Santa Anna who have been living at Moody, have moved back to Santa Anna and he has assumed duties as pastor of the Assembly of God Church, a position he formerly held.

Mrs. Van Casey of Coleman visited last Saturday with Mrs. B. M. McCain and Louie. Mrs. Murray McCain and son, Gene, from Rankin, visited with them Sunday and took Mrs. McCain to the Santa Anna Hospital for treatment of injuries she received in a fall at her home early Saturday morning.

## Billy J. Harvey Commands Local National Guard

First Lieutenant Billy Joe Harvey was put in command of the local Tank Company, Texas National Guard, last week when Capt. Jesse K. Barton was transferred to Headquarters Company of the 142nd Infantry of the Texas National Guard. His headquarters is located at Amarillo, Texas.

Capt. Barton has been in command of the local Guard Company since it was organized soon after World War II. Through his leadership, the local company has gained considerable national and state recognition and during the year his company has always received some of the top honors at their annual summer encampment. Capt. Barton also was very instrumental in the local company getting the beautiful National Guard building, located in the southeast part of town.

Capt. Barton said most of his work would be done here in Santa Anna, with a few trips to Abilene and Amarillo for field problems.

Lt. Harvey has been the Tank Company Platoon leader for the past several months and is at present the ranking officer in the company.

Jimmy Robinett is expected to receive his commission as Second Lieutenant within the next few days. He has already appeared before the board and passed all his tests. He will be advanced from the rank of Sergeant.

## Cub Scout Pack Organized Here Monday Night

A number of parents of boys between the ages of 8 through 10 years met at the ward school Monday night for the purpose of organizing a Cub Scout Program in Santa Anna. About 25 parents were present and a number of boys. Two Scout officials from Abilene and Travis Bohannon, Cub Master of Coleman, were present to help in the organization.

After an interesting game of "Cub Bingo", the Scouting officials described some of the important functions of Cub Scouting. Later the men met in one group and elected Pat Hosh as Cub Master and Add Walker as Assistant Cub Master. The women met in a group and elected Mrs. Cullen Perry, Mrs. Milton House and Mrs. Pat Hosh as Den Mothers.

Discussions were held on a number of items of interest to the parents and the second meeting was set for Thursday, May 3 at 7:30 p. m. All parents of boys between the ages of 8 through 10 years who are interested in their boys becoming Cub Scouts are urged to make plans to attend the meeting and join the other parents in getting the Cub Scouting program underway.

We have been having very freakish weather last week and this week. Quite cold a good part of the time and occasionally quite hot. Ice was reported at Trickham two mornings last week and there was frost around Santa Anna. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herrington, who have lovely white rabbits, as a hobby, lost several of them last week. Some died from being chilled and about two days later others died from the heat.

Fiern Benge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Benge, is expected home next weekend for a two weeks vacation from Atlanta, Ga., where he is employed at Lockheed.

Kay Goodwin of Brownwood visited over the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goodwin. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goodwin, Jr. came Monday, visited awhile with the homelinks and took Kay back home with them.

## Cancer Drive To Be Held In Santa Anna Monday

Mrs. Charles M. Henner, local chairman for the American Cancer Society Drive, announces the drive will be held in Santa Anna on Monday, April 23 and members of the Delta Omicron Sorority and Parent-Teachers Association will help in the house to house canvas. Mrs. Henner urged all residents to be prepared to contribute to the drive when one of the workers calls at your homes.

Scheduled to participate in the drive from the Delta Omicron Sorority are: Mmes. Billie Guthrie, Coyita Bowker, Jean Van Breemen, Wilma Simpson, Alice Horne, Besse Gill, Ione Caton, Janet Chamberler, Sylvia Herring, Sammie McCreary, Ethel Horton, Lorene Rice, Daphne Dockery, Wanda Campbell, Maurice Mallow and Misses Patricia Davis and Gay Turner.

Although some of the following are not members of the P.T.A., they have volunteered their services: Mmes. Jesse K. Barton, A. B. Davis, Richard Horner, Nap Watson, Johnnie Ruth Walker, E. A. Densman, Milton House, Add Walker, Chester Galloway, Norman Hosh, Fay Mobley, Calvin Campbell, A. D. Donham, Jr., Glen Copeland, Walker Tatum, Billy Jo Harvey, Ed Hartman, Cullen Perry, D. H. Moore and Miss Pauline Eubank.

The county goal has been set at \$1400 and Santa Anna is expected to raise their part of the goal.

Cancer is one of the most vicious killers in America today. In an average it will strike two out of every three homes in America and last year took a toll of 245,000 lives.

The money contributed to this Cancer Drive will go for research and study. Cancer, in most instances, is curable if detected in the early stages, but has never been cured by pills, powders, or any home remedy or by any quack wonder doctor using some secret method, gadget or medicine. The only approved method of treating cancer is by radium and surgery. Every effort is being made to find more ways of fighting cancer and your contributions to the Cancer Drive will help do this.

## Brotherhood Quarterly Meeting At First Baptist

The Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church announced its Quarterly Brotherhood Meeting, April 24. This is to be an all-church meeting with all members of the family, as well as any prospective member of the Brotherhood invited. Sandwiches, ice cream, and cookies will be served. The services will commence at 7:00 p. m. in the Church Annex. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Rainbolt of Fort Worth were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Standly.

Mr. and Mrs. Leman Lowry and son of Fort Worth were weekend visitors with his sister, Mrs. E. B. Morgan and family and in the J. Y. Brannan home.

## Happy Birthday

"Happy Birthday" to all who have birthdays during the next week. Below are listed the birthdays we have this week. If you would like your name added to our list, please let us know when your birthday is.

APRIL 23

Mrs. Glynda Myrl Pricer

Mrs. Bob Garrett

APRIL 24

Judy Ann Wright

APRIL 25

Mrs. Dorothy Dillingham

Next week we will publish the names of those having birthdays between Friday, April 27 and Thursday, May 3. If you would like for the date of your birth to be published, please be sure to let us know.

### Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Friends are happy Uless Maness is home after being critically ill in the Brady hospital about three weeks. Callers during the weekend in the Maness home were the Rev. Charles Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick, Joyce Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mobley and Gregg, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Maness, Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell, Mr. George Ryan, Mr. N. J. Butry, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan and Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mobley and Gregg of San Angelo spent Sunday with Mrs. Kate McIlvain and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwane.

Mr. and Mrs. James Estes and Kathy of Santa Anna spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Estes and attended morning church services.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim West and Cleve of Bridgeport, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson, also visitors at church.

Mrs. C. F. Nevans of San Angelo visited Thursday to Sun-

day with Mr. R. W. Nevans and the John Hunters.

Mrs. Roy England of Graham and Mrs. Berv Turney of Whon were recent callers with Mrs. Kate McIlvain.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Maness of Brownwood were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Uless Maness.

Garland McSwane, a student in Tarleton College in Stephenville, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwane.

Misses Neva and Bobble Rehm of Tarleton College spent Friday night with the Tony Rehm family.

Morris Straughan, student at Tarleton College, spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Straughan and Betty.

Miss Bernice Johnson of Coleman and Betty Straughan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fox Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford spent Friday night at Cisco with Mr. and Mrs. Dumphy Rutherford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan of San Angelo were greeting their friends Monday.

Mrs. Tennie Campbell of San Antonio and Mrs. Claud Box spent the weekend in Eastland with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Campbell and Johnny Pat.

Mrs. Mena Shuford visited Mrs. A. L. Crutcher Friday afternoon.

Mr. Crutcher attended funeral services for Mr. Hill at Waldrip Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Estes and Phyllis of McGregor, visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Drury Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Mankin and Gaylon of Coleman visited Sunday in the Estes home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hall of Goldthwaite visited Sunday morning in the A. S. Hall home.

Mrs. Minta Scoggins of Wichita Falls visited in the Hall home Sunday to Wednesday.

Jackie Turner of Midland and Douglas Avants of Brady spent Sunday in the John X. Steward home. Their families accompanied them home after a weeks visit with the Stewards.

Bill Steward who is employed at Irving, spent the weekend with his family. He was accompanied by Mrs. Miller Box of Fort Worth who visited Mrs. J. W. Wise and Mrs. J. W. Box and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Davenport and Lanelle of Coleman visited Sunday afternoon, with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller.

Mrs. Bill Steward is in Galveston this week with his sister, Mrs. Howard Pearson of Eola, who has her son, Eddie, in John Sealy hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wise, Mrs. Miller Box and Mrs. Bill Steward and Sonsy were Sunday luncheon guests with Mrs. J. W. Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. Ercell Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. Denver Ellis visited Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ellis. They also visited in the Jack Cooper home and did some fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bray and girls of Waldrip spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Avants, Melvin and Larry.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Butry spent Sunday in San Angelo with Mrs. Elton Halmon, Jerry Carl and Milana Kay.

Mr. T. B. Hallford of San Antonio visited during the past week with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McCarrell, Harold and Goldie. Mr. and Mrs. John Kemp and Mr. Hallford enjoyed a fish fry with the McCarrell family last

### NIWOT NEWS

BY THE NIWOT KIDS

There was a good attendance at Sunday School Sunday morning. Next Sunday being the 4th Sunday Rev. Miller of Rockwood will be in charge of the morning and evening services.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hodge and Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rowden and Tommie of Abilene visited last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbetts, also Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Benge visited in the afternoon.

Mrs. D. S. Baugh and girls visited in Bangs Saturday morning.

Campbell and Theodore Spencer of California visited in the William Cupps home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes were bedtime visitors Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner and Fb.

Miss Euna and Mannie Ray of Anson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis Sunday.

Miss Connie Mae Blair of Rockwood visited Friday afternoon with Juanita Naron.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ford and boys visited Saturday night in the Silas Wagner home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perry had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. James Perry and Brenda and Mr. Buster Woodard of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbetts visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace and family Sunday night, also called on Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Benge in Santa Anna.

Anita Ellis was a dinner guest in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis Sunday, in the afternoon they

Friday.

Visiting this week with the C. H. McCarrell's were Mr. W. M. McCarrell and Mrs. J. D. Oxford of Electra, on Sunday and Mrs. M. T. Traylor of Coleman called Monday morning.

visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis and Jerry. Anita and Jerry are recovering from the measles.

Mrs. Joe Wallace and children visited Mr. and Mrs. William Cupps and Mrs. John Naron on Saturday night.

Michael and Regina Cupps spent Saturday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perry and Robert visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner.

Those attending the F. H. A. and F. F. A. Chicken Fry Friday night at the Ranger Park were Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Baugh and girls, Fb Wagner, Robert Perry and Juanita Naron.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner and Fb were TV viewers Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Perry and Robert.

Mrs. J. E. Carpenter returned to her home at Whitesboro, on Monday after a visit here since Thursday with her sister, Mrs. E. H. Wylie. The Wylie's daughter, Mrs. A. P. Petree and daughters, Kay and Jane of Abilene, came Saturday and spent the weekend with them and Mrs. Lonnie Sikes and Virginia spent Sunday with them.

Visitors with Mrs. Bealslee Hall and children and Mrs. Matie Gilbert Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Knox and children and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Gilbert and children of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Allie Gilbert and children of Odessa.

Attend church regularly.

### REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE SANTA ANNA NATIONAL BANK OF SANTA ANNA IN THE STATE OF TEXAS AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 10, 1956

Charter No. 13854 Reserve District No. 11

Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes

ASSETS	
1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$630,451.54
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	351,000.00
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	28,585.00
4. Corporate stocks (including \$4,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	4,500.00
5. Loans and discounts (including \$4,305.12 overdrafts)	822,462.73
6. Bank premises owned \$2,400.00, furniture and fixtures \$3,350.00	5,750.00
7. Other assets	300.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$1,842,749.27</b>
LIABILITIES	
8. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,532,164.62
9. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	56,132.21
10. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	70,597.02
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$1,658,893.85</b>
11. Other liabilities	5,000.00
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$1,658,893.85</b>
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
12. Capital Stock:	
(a) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
13. Surplus	100,000.00
14. Undivided profits	33,855.42
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>183,855.42</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$1,842,749.27</b>
MEMORANDA	
15. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	\$76,000.00

I, O. L. Cheaney, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

O. L. CHEANEY, Cashier

CORRECT-ATTEST: Clinton Lowe, J. L. Boggus, J. W. Riley DIRECTORS

State of Texas, County of Coleman, ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of April, 1956, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

LEROY V. STOCKARD, Notary Public

(SEAL) My commission expires June 1, 1957.

### CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE SANTA ANNA NATIONAL BANK SANTA ANNA, TEXAS AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 10, 1956

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts .. \$506,542.05	Capital Stock .....
Overdrafts .....	\$50,000.00
Stock Fed. Res. Bank .. 4,305.12	Surplus .....
Banking House F. & F. .. 4,500.00	100,000.00
	Undivided Profits .....
<b>QUICK ASSETS</b>	33,855.42
C C C Loans .....	Deposits .....
311,615.56	1,658,893.85
Bonds and Warrants .....	
379,585.00	
Cash and Due from Banks .....	
630,451.54	
Other assets .....	
1,321,652.10	
300.00	
<b>\$1,842,749.27</b>	<b>\$1,842,749.27</b>

I, O. L. Cheaney, Executive Vice President and Cashier Certify the above to be Correct.

**OFFICERS**

W. T. Stewardson ..... President  
 V. L. Grady ..... Chairman of Board  
 Mrs. B. Weaver ..... Vice President  
 O. L. Cheaney ..... Exec. Vice Pres. & Cashier  
 Dawson (See) ..... Assistant Cashier  
 Glen Copeland ..... Assistant Cashier  
 Ethel W. Davis ..... Assistant Cashier  
 LaVerne H. Evans ..... Assistant Cashier

**DIRECTORS**

W. T. Stewardson  
 V. L. Grady  
 Mrs. B. Weaver  
 O. L. Cheaney  
 J. W. Riley  
 C. H. Wise  
 Ozro Eubank  
 J. L. Boggus  
 Clinton Lowe

# WELCOME

TO THE NORTH SIDE

## Church Of Christ

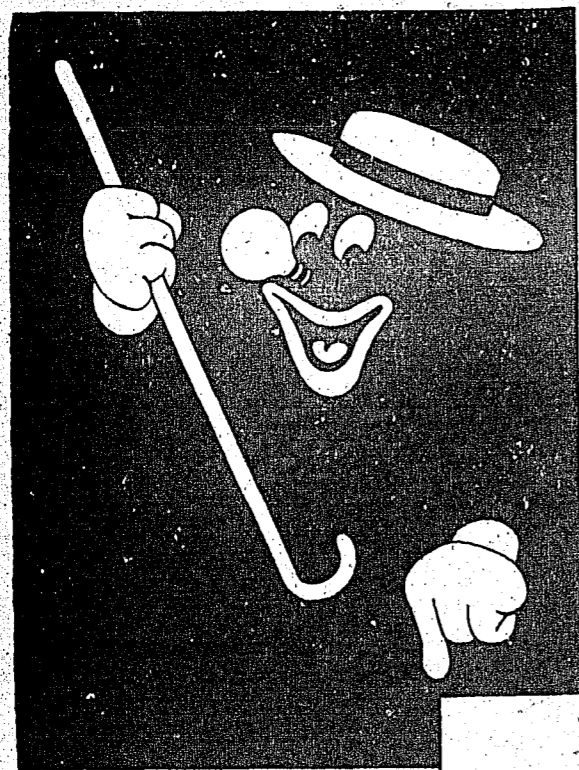
BILL TALLEY, MINISTER

### SERVICES

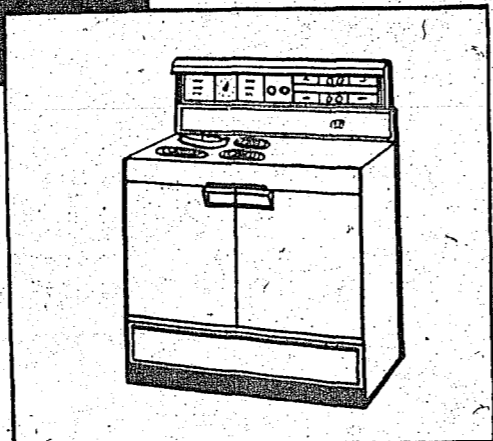
SUNDAY	
Bible Classes .....	10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship Service .....	10:45 a. m.
Young Peoples Meeting .....	7:00 p. m.
Evening Worship Service .....	8:00 p. m.
Wednesday Evening Service .....	8:00 p. m.
Ladies Bible Class Thursdays .....	10:00 a. m.

Prov. 14:12 -- There is a way which seemeth right unto a man; but the end thereof are the ways of death.

**YOU ARE WELCOME**



Yes ma'am,  
 Only flameless  
 Electric  
 Cooking  
 is  
 "WHITE GLOVE  
 CLEAN"



#### Clean Walls

Walls stay cleaner and brighter longer when you cook electrically. There's no greasy, hard-to-remove film deposited over your kitchen colors.

#### Clean Curtains

Curtains stay bright and sparkling... for electric cooking is clean as electric light.

#### Clean Pans

Aluminum, copper, stainless steel - cooking utensils will no longer need scouring to keep them shining.

#### Clean Pots

Use the "white glove" test to see how smudge-free your pots will remain.

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**Our WASHINGTON Letter**

By Congressman **O. C. FISHER**

This Being Election Year, it kind of automatically becomes Civil Rights Year. Just like mocking birds in Springtime and the frost that descends on the pumpkins in Autumn. It's a battle for votes between the two Parties.

Therefore it was no surprise last week when Attorney General Brownell sent proposals to Congress solely designed to lure the Negro vote back into the GOP fold from which it strayed during the Roosevelt-Truman regimes.

Brownell's bait this year includes a bill to give Uncle Sam the power to police Federal elections, determine who shall vote, and also decide when citizens are "being subjected to unwarranted economic pressures by reason of their color, race, religion or national origin". That covers a lot of country.

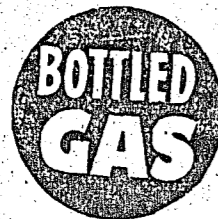
It smacks of the old discredited post-war FEPC which Truman dangled successfully in front of gullible bloc voters.

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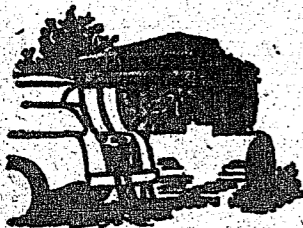
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They were promised a Bureau in Washington with power to dictate to employers all over the country whom they could hire, fire or promote. It virtually guaranteed good jobs to anyone in a "minority" status. It served as a prime vote-getter.

For A Long Time there were four key measures on civil rights which provided the text for many a tear-jerking sermon on the mount of applied politics.

Running a close second to FEPC was the perennial clamor against segregation. Many northern politicians counted on that issue to keep them in office. And Presidential candidates were not timid about exploiting the subject.

But the Supreme Court played havoc two years ago with that issue when it scuttled a hundred years of court precedents which had held that under the Constitution only the States could legislate on that topic, and handed down what has been generally recognized as a politically-inspired de-segregation order. Now the politicians seem a bit bewildered as they scamper about for something to take the place of the segregation issue on the legislative calendar.

Then, too, the professionals go all-out on election years for a Federal anti-poll tax law — this despite the fact that the Constitution plainly says that State legislatures shall decide the qualifications of voters in their States.

And the same crowd calls for a Federal anti-lynching law. Although lynching has always been a capital offense in all States, and lynching is partially a thing of the past, politicians have found that in some districts the issue, properly oiled, is what they call "a built-in vote snatcher". So far as need and logic are concerned, they might just as well agitate for a Federal anti-stage coach robbery law.

So, Hold Your Hats, Folks! If you're allergic to demagoguery, see your doctor. This is election



**PARTNERSHIPS**

Have you ever toyed with the idea of going into a little business with your brother-in-law or a friend? With all the opportunities these days, maybe you've thought about tying up with someone in an enterprise of your own.

Any time you go into business with somebody else, there is a question of what kind of a relationship to work out; for example, whether to form a partnership or a corporation.

The partnership is one of the most popular because it can be formed without much trouble and in a hurry. It is an easy way to combine talent, effort and finances with someone you know and trust.

Generally speaking, whenever one or more persons get together and (1) share profits, (2) share losses, and (3) both participate in the control or management of a business, the law will regard them as partners, whether or not they have formally agreed to call themselves partners.

One of the most important legal consequences to keep in mind in forming a general partnership is that each partner is responsible for the debts incurred by the other on behalf of the business. What is more, under certain circumstances one might be held responsible in damages for acts of the other

Righters will get you if you don't watch out! year and the professional Civil

partner committed in the course of the joint business.

A partnership may be dissolved at any time by any one of the partners, but a withdrawal in violation of the terms of the partnership agreement may cause liability for damages. Death or bankruptcy of a partner are other causes for dissolution.

The important thing is to understand what you are getting into and what your responsibilities and liabilities are if things don't go so well.

The best way to start a partnership is to enter into a written partnership agreement prepared by your attorney, setting out in clear detail the rights and responsibilities of each partner.

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform — not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts because the

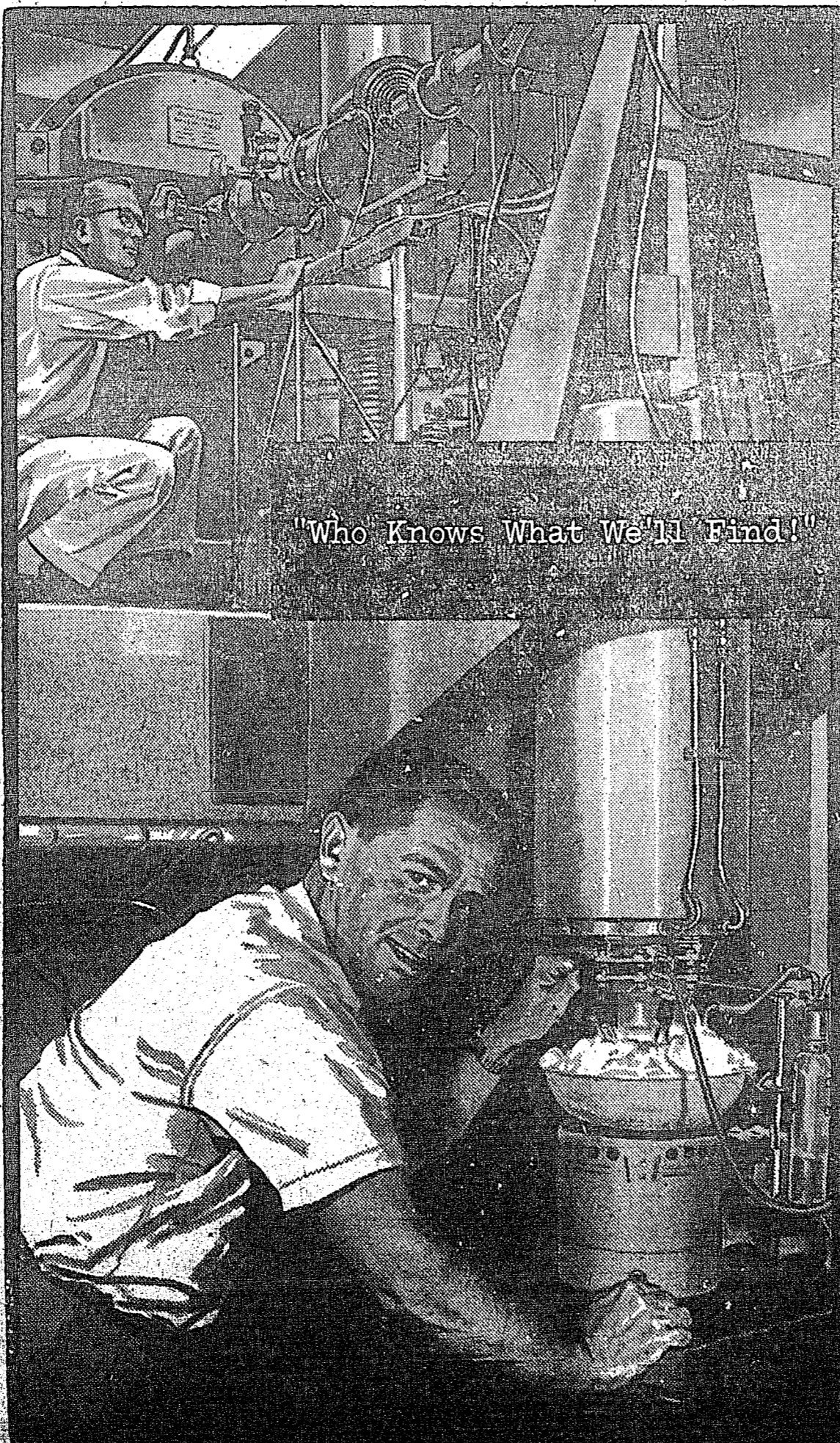
facts may change the application of the law.)

Mrs. J. H. Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Brown visited over the weekend at Keene, where they formerly lived. Mrs. Freeman visited with friends and the Browns visited with her father, Mr. Chitty, who is 102 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kelley of Uvalde, visited several days last weekend with her sister, Mrs. Dan Wristen and family. Together they made a trip to Leadaway. Others visiting with the Wristens at the weekend were: Mr. and Mrs. James Hipp and Linda. Wayne Wristen, who has been visiting with the Hipps, returned home with them.

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In this small way we want to show our appreciation to all who were so nice to us in our recent sorrow.

We can't seem to find words to tell what every flower, card, word of sympathy and comfort has meant to us. It is at a time like this that you realize what

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We wish to express our thanks and appreciation for the many kind deeds, words, floral offerings, food and any other kindness shown us and our dear Dad during his recent illness and passing. We will remember you in our prayers. The E. R. Tucker family. 16p.

**Political Announcements**

The Santa Anna News is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following persons for elective offices, subject to action of the Democratic Primaries in July and August, 1956.

**FOR COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR**

JOHN SKELTON, JR.  
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**FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY**

JOE B. DIBRELL, JR. (Re-election)

**Military Reserve Week To Be Observed April 22-28**

Austin (Spl.) — "Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their country." These familiar words are particularly applicable to the young Texans of today, says Major General Lewis S. Griffing, Chief of the Texas Military District.

"The Armed Forces Reserve has a program whereby all qualified young men can come to the aid of their country," General Griffing explained, "and with the least interruption to their civilian careers."

General Griffing, speaking in connection with Military Reserve Week (April 22-28), pointed out that the U. S. Army is implementing a program designed, especially for the youths of America. This program permits a young man to fulfill his military obligation while completing his education or working at his civilian job.

Here's the way it works — he joins a Ready Reserve unit or a National Guard unit. He can

finish high school (if he doesn't reach the age of 20 first), then go on six months active duty for training. He is then prepared for his Ready Reserve service. Normally he will have 7½ years left. During this 7½ years if he trains satisfactorily, he will not have to worry about a draft call. In most instances he can train with a unit right in his own home town. The only time he is called away from home is for two weeks each summer to attend training camp. All of this is designed to interrupt, to the very smallest degree, his higher educational pursuits or his civilian occupation.

"Every young Texan should think very seriously about his future military obligation," General Griffing pointed out. "If he doesn't, Uncle Sam is likely to point a finger at him sooner or later. He should consider this program from a standpoint of how it benefits him as an individual. But most important of all he should consider it from a patriotic point of view."

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Members of the 20th Century Club are reminded of the Coffee at Mrs. John Perry's on next Friday morning, April 20th. It is planned to leave town about 9:30.

All members of the First Christian Church, their families, and all in any way connected with the church or Sunday School are reminded of the supper to be held in the church Annex next Saturday night. The young people are especially urged to attend and all are asked to stay for features following the supper.

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### FHA Installs Officers For 1956-'57 Term

The Santa Anna Future Homemakers of America Chapter met April 5 to install incoming officers for the 1956-1957 school year. These officers had been elected at a previous meeting.

Chapter mothers and dads and boy sponsors were also elected at this meeting.

New officers installed were: Ann Autrey, president; Judy Ford, Vice President; Sharon Hoke, Secretary; Joyce Jackson, Treasurer; Carolee Campbell, Public Relations Officer; Jean Smith, Sergeant-at-Arms; Civilia Slate, Historian; Clois Cullins, Parliamentarian; Anfi Stewardson, Pianist; and Kay Kingsbery

and Belva Hellman, song leaders. Chapter mothers and dads are: Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wise, freshman; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Kingsbery, sophomore; Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Campbell, junior; Mr. and Mrs. Carl D. Autrey, senior.

Boy sponsors are: Loyd Ruthertford, freshman; Jerry Johnson, sophomore; Randy Stovall, junior; and James Curtis, senior.

Delegates to the State Meeting, to be held in Fort Worth on April 20 and 21, were also elected. Judy Ford was elected as voting delegate and Linda Moore was elected to accompany her.

Visitors at the installation service were the Eighth Grade girls from elementary school and one mother, Mrs. Fern Hoke.

The FHA has enjoyed many activities this year, the most recent being the annual FHA and FFA chicken fry, which was held in Ranger Park on Friday, April 13. Everyone enjoyed the fun, food and fellowship.

The president, Mrs. Coyita Bowker, read the ritual. Pledges taking the vows by candle light, receiving jewel pins and becoming members of the sorority were: Mrs. Mozelle Manley, Mrs. Jean Van Breemen, Mrs. Maurice Mallow, Mrs. Janet Chandler, Mrs. Johnnie Ethel Horton, Mrs. Alice Horne, Mrs. Wilma Simpson and Mrs. Wanda Campbell.

Officers installed were: President, Mrs. Coyita Bowker, re-elected; Vice President, Lorene Rice; Secretary, Patricia Davis, re-elected; Treasurer, Mrs. Ruby Markland.

Following the jewel pin ceremony and the installation of officers, games were enjoyed by the 19 members present. The hostesses served a refreshment plate of strawberry short cake and coffee.

### Self Culture Club Met With Mrs. Wylie

The Self Culture Club met in regular session on Friday, April 13th, in the home of Mrs. Norval Wylie with Mrs. J. H. Martin of Trickham as hostess. Mrs. Martin provided gorgeous floral arrangements of blue iris, and bridal wreath and one of yellow and white dutch iris.

Mrs. Martin graciously left the flowers for Mrs. Wylie and family to enjoy at the weekend.

Mrs. Wylie the president was in charge and routine business was attended to.

Mrs. Jodie Mathews, program chairman, read off the program for next year beginning with September. The study will be based on Texas and promises to be very interesting.

The program for last Friday was based on Prominent Texas Women. Omelia Anthony, Founder of Girlstown, U. S. A., was ably discussed by Mrs. Preston Bailey. Grace Noll Crowell, Poet, for years a bedfast invalid, was Mrs. Otis Bivins subject and was handled in an interesting way. Mrs. A. L. Oder told of the work of Lena Pope, and her work with children in Fort Worth.

She also told of a prominent Texas woman better known to many of us, Mrs. John R. Banis-

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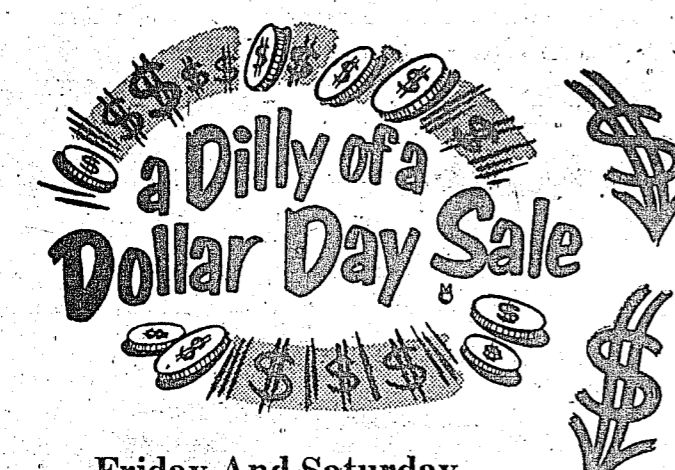
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Mrs. Mathews had her subject Sarah Hughes, Texas Only Woman Jurist. This being an unusual profession for women, was quite interesting. Others attending the meeting besides the above mentioned were: Mrs. Hardy Blue, Mrs. C. L. Eeds, Mrs. J. L. Harris, Mrs. F. Z. Payne,

Mrs. W. B. Sparkman, Mrs. Sam Collier, Misses Betty Blue, Alta Lovelady and Miss Dora Kirkpatrick and our new member, Mrs. J. W. Taylor.

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BY EDNA R. DEAN

Rev. Frank Haynes, Baptist pastor, was with us for both the morning and the evening services. We had a good attendance for Sunday School with visitors from Coleman, Brownwood and Santa Anna. Rev. and Mrs. Haynes were dinner guests in the Will Haynes home, in the afternoon they visited in the Fred Haynes, Jesse Earl York, and Mrs. Beula Kingston homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke spent Sunday with a group of relatives at Miss Pauline Boenicke's home in Brownwood.

Mrs. Marion Ford and Mary and Mrs. Leston Cozart were visitors of Mrs. Zona Stacy last week.

Mrs. Harry Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke and Mrs. Zona Stacy were visitors with Mrs. Beula Kingston last week.

Mrs. Albert Dean and Ruth visited with Mrs. Dean's cousin, Miss Mollie A. Lowe and Mrs. Stephenson of Santa Anna on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner of Cleveland visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes.

Mrs. Wylie McClatchy visited in Coleman Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. John McClatchy and Mrs. Maud Burney. Later in the afternoon she visited Mrs. Dean and Ruth.

Mrs. O. L. Oakes and children of Brownwood visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster and Mrs. Nita Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ford and boys of Santa Anna were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haynes were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haynes and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster and Mrs. Nita Williamson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy Saturday afternoon.

Bro. and Mrs. Haynes visited briefly Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Howell Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mitchell and Lea and Doc Mathews were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold James and Wanda one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Bowden of Cherokee and Jackie Ray Laughlin of Brownwood, were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson, Bud, and Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy attended the singing at Clear Creek Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Stearns and family, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and son, visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stearns Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Martin visited Sunday in Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. John McClatchy.

Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Stephens and family visited Sunday afternoon with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Henderson and family visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Rosa Henderson.

Visitors in the Grady McIver home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver and Sabrina, Mr. and Mrs. Marlon Ford and family, and Sherman Stearns.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson and Dana of Santa Anna were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Henderson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean and Ruth visited Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Haynes of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Haynes visited in our community Thursday with their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Franke and son, Manoh, of Millersview, were weekend visitors with her sister, Mrs. Charles Benge and family. Mrs. Franke and Mrs. Benge attended the gift tea in Coleman Saturday night for Mrs. Charles E. Benge, a recent bride. The affair was held in the home of Mrs. R. T. Ransburger. Other hostesses were: Misses Bernice Johnson, Evelyn Thompson, Shirley Crawford, Betty McDowell, Edna Jackson, Alma Lou Alter, Billie Marie Garrett and Mrs. Bob Thompson, Mrs. N. D. Van Dalsem, Mrs. Fred Jackson, and Mrs. Charlotte Burney. The newly weds are living in Lubbock, where the groom is a student at Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wallace, her father, Earl McClintock, LaVelle McClintock, and Mr. McClintock's sister, Mrs. Erv McGregor of May, visited on Sunday with a brother, Cory McClintock, of Stamford, a patient in Baylor Hospital in Dallas. He is very ill. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace also visited briefly with an aunt of his.

Mrs. Dora Stone from Houston is here visiting her sisters, Mrs. J. D. Whetstone and Mrs. R. F. Miller. Mrs. Stone will stay with Mrs. Miller when she is able to be moved home from the Santa Anna Hospital and will help care for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Toy Post of Fort Worth brought her mother, Mrs. G. H. Diserens home last Saturday from an extended visit with them.

Mrs. Elgean Harris hears from her grandfather, M. E. Harvey, that he is getting along quite well in the home of his son, James Harvey and family. He was for some time in a hospital there.

The Bill Hunters moved recently from the place east of town where they had lived, to a place in the northeast part of town, near the Evans home, formerly known as the Densman place which they bought.

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**Unto Death**

Lesson for April 22, 1956

Why do people get killed for being Christians? It seems incredible, and it hasn't happened to most Christians. But it does happen. Christianity was perhaps only a few months old when the first martyr, Stephen, met his death at the hands of a mob. Now the peculiar feature of that mob was that it was so respectable. Not a hoodlum in the lot. They were all civic leaders, men high in religious circles. In fact, it was the high court that adjourned and became the stonethrowing mob. They would not have said that Dr. Foreman they murdered Stephen. They would have said they executed him. But that makes it all the more of a puzzle. A hoodlum might shoot down a good Christian just for meanness, but why should men of distinction kill a man for no other crime than being a Christian?



**Blood of the Martyrs**

Before trying to answer that question, we might glance through history and see a few other cases. Circumstances vary, but the kind of martyrdom that was Stephen's is always essentially the same. No one ever brings the killers into court. Who would have brought suit against the Sanhedrin for killing Stephen? They were the court. Who could arrest the Emperor Nero for burning the Christians alive in his gardens? Who could have written a letter to the paper (if there had been one) complaining about the mass murders, by great emperors like Diocletian or Marcus Aurelius, of innocent Christians? So it was when Joan of Arc was burned at the stakes, or when "Bloody Mary" was running wild against the Protestants, or when the Russian revolution caused the death of nobody knows how many hundreds of priests, or when the Chinese

revolution has brought death to Christians again in our time. The persecutors may be bishops, and arch-bishops, heathen emperors, "people's governments," or African chiefs, they always have the law on their side, and what is more serious, they have public opinion. When the early French missionaries to the American Indians were tomahawked, as so many of them were, does any one suppose that their scalps were buried to destroy traces of the crime? Not a bit of it,—some Indian warrior wore the scalp and was the envy of everybody in his village. Always the murder of the Christians is done with public knowledge.

**Persecution Can Be Avoided**

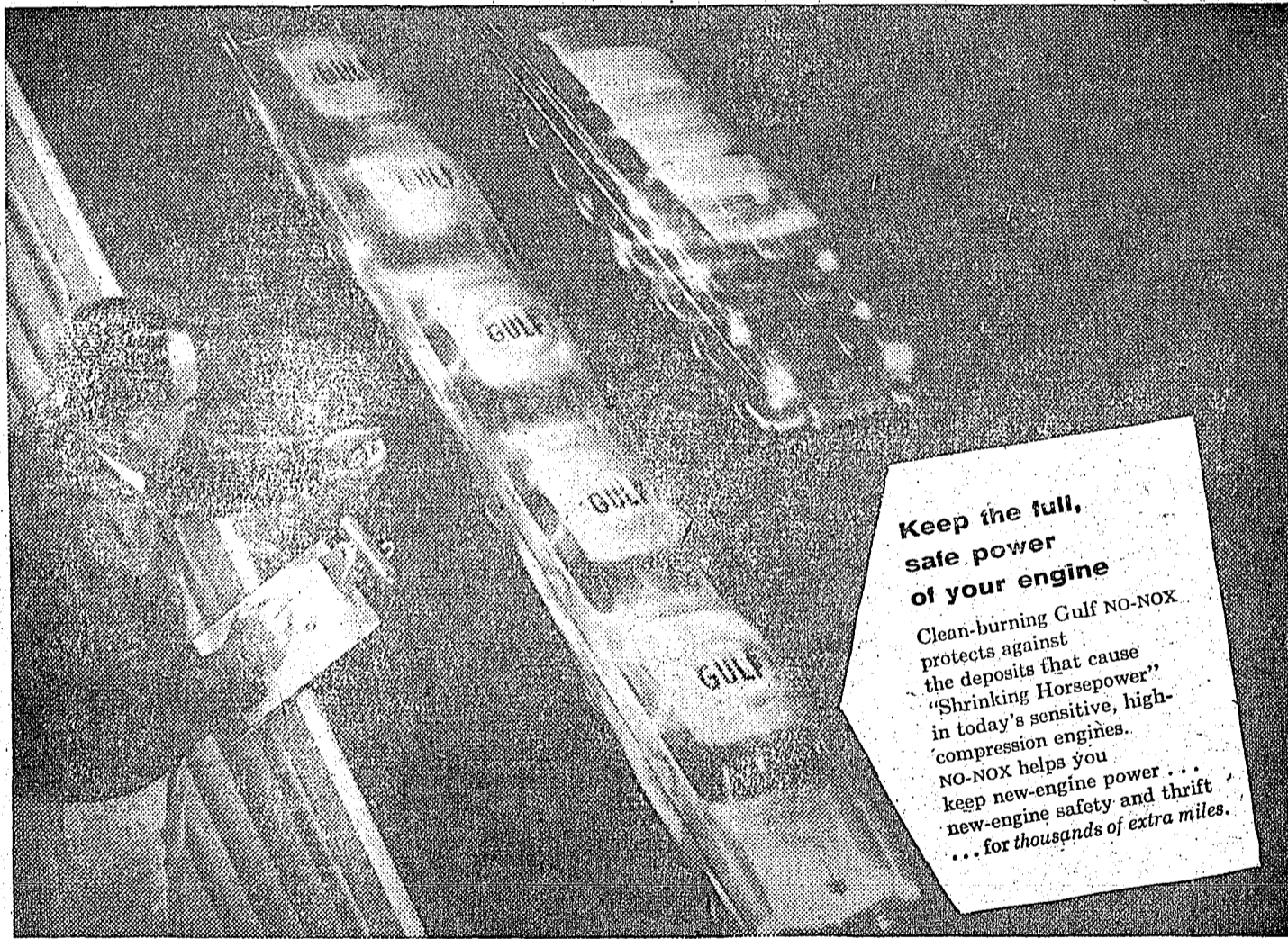
We can move a little closer to our question by remembering that the church has not always been persecuted. Sometimes it has been highly praised, welcomed, honored. It may even succeed in running the country. Nobody would dream of persecuting it,—in fact, it may turn the tables and persecute other people. Oh—you say at once—when that happens, it isn't the church of God any more; the true church will always be persecuted, and when it isn't, it is a sign it is no longer the true church.—There is some truth in that; but it is saying too much. A church may be free from persecution and still be largely Christian. However, you can set it down as a rule: Whenever the church, and the people in it, do just what everybody else does and think what every one thinks, then it will not be persecuted.

**"I Had a Higher Fuehrer"**

Martin Niemöller is a case in point. He was a hero of World War I who later became a minister when Hitler took over Germany. Pastor Niemöller went along with what Hitler did, or at any rate he said nothing, for a long time. And all that time, Martin Niemöller went right on with his church work undisturbed. Then finally Hitler was too much even for Niemöller's strong stomach, and he defied Hitler. "I had a higher Fuehrer," he said years later, a higher Leader. So the police came and marched that minister off to jail, one morning after church. You see? The church is never persecuted when all it says to the world around it is "Yes, yes, we agree!" The church has been persecuted, and will be persecuted here in America even, if and when—like Stephen of old—it dares to set above public opinion, custom, "mores," respectabilities, authorities and powers, the Higher Leader.

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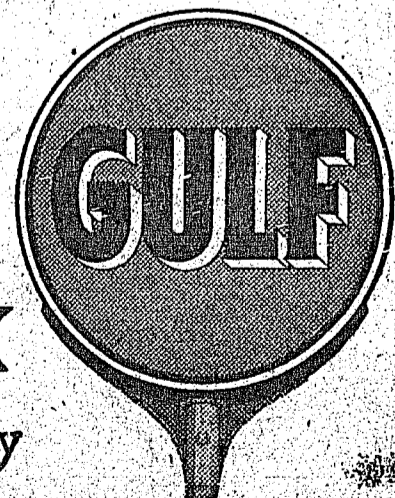
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By MRS. TOM RUTHERFORD



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Mrs. Wimpy Watson was a Coleman County Delegate to a District VII Home Demonstration Meeting in Sweetwater last Wednesday and reported a good day well spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avants and children of Brady visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants and James Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lovelady of Gatesville, were Saturday night and Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Kelley visited with Mr. and Mrs. Zack Bible Sunday.

Mrs. Dave Shields and boys visited with relatives in Cross Plains Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Foster and children visited Sunday in Brooks Nickleson's home in Mason.

Mr. Robert Johnson of Odessa visited with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart Saturday night.

Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and son visited Mrs. Floyd Morris one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Strickland and Mell Shields and C. D. of Cross Plains visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shields and boys Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Babe Gardainer

were shopping and transacting business in Brady Saturday.

Earla Buse was back on the school bus Monday morning after over a weeks absence due to illness, but never did have the measles.

Mrs. Thomas Switzer and children visited with Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and son one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright of Brady visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Greham Fitzpatrick and children last Friday.

Mr. Dick Deal is to leave tonight (Monday) for Galveston, where he will undergo surgery on his hand. We are certainly wishing for Dick a speedy recovery and that his hand will soon be completely well.

I surely do appreciate the news that has been handed to me during the past week. Please remember if you visit or have company that that is news.

Mrs. Wimpy Watson visited briefly in the Tom Rutherford home Sunday afternoon.

**Shields News**

MRS. RALPH McWILLIAMS

The Workers Conference met at the Double Gates Baptist Church Monday night. Rev. Glen Purvis brought a good message. Sorry so many of our people were unable to attend, due to illness. The relatives of Mr. George Stewardson Sr., were at his bedside in Coleman as he is very sick. We extend to them our sympathy.

Mrs. Booker Watson, Mrs. Ura Dillingham and Mrs. Eppler are in the hospital. We hope they will soon be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Evans, Jim, Janet and Howell, of Stephenville, visited relatives and

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friends in our community during the weekend.

Rayford Evans brought his father from Bangs to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shelton, where several of his relatives and friends visited him.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester McDonald of Vick, visited friends and relatives of the Shields community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Elliott, Gloria Jane and Mr. Charles Barton of Coleman visited Mr. and Mrs. Elton Jones and Karen Sunday.

Sharon Gilbreath, Anita Carol Nalley and Janet Evans visited

Karen Jones during the weekend.

Jim Evans spent the weekend with Tommie Watson.

Mr. Louis Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Green McClure visited relatives in Austin during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Powers visited several of their sick friends Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Louis Newman, the Otis Powers' and the Ralph McWilliam's spent an enjoyable evening with the George Cobbs.

Mrs. Emma D. McClain visited Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jones Saturday night.

Saturday night, April 21st, will be Community Supper Night. Everyone in the Community come and have a good time.

Bring dominoes and tables and of course food. Either meat and vegetable or dessert and salad.

Rev. Conner was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Jones. Sorry Mrs. Conner was ill and unable to be in church Sunday.

Those visiting in the Ralph McWilliams home during the

weekend were: Mr. and Mrs. Neal Nalley, Anita, Tom, Randy, and Grady of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Ken McWilliams, Jo Lynn and Kerry of Talpa and Mr. and Mrs. George Allen of Gouldbusk.

Tom Bailey was here from Snyder, Texas, where he had recently been transferred from Midland, visiting at the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Bailey.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

They Travel "In Class"

Our high school correspondent says that Economics and Geography students are going in for "grass roots" studying.

They're going to charter buses and take off on Operation See-For-Yourself—have a ten-day look at some of the things they've been studying about.

As I remember, it was hard to keep your mind on schoolbooks at this time of year. Today's kids can give in to that old urge to bust out of the classroom—with a clear conscience. Wish they'd take me along.

From where I sit, it doesn't hurt us adults, either, to get out and see how the rest of the country lives. We find the "typical American" doing everything from herding cattle to flying planes... with everything from steak to chowder for his favorite dish... everything from beer to butter-milk for his favorite beverage. And the more we study our differences the more we learn how alike everyone is underneath.

Joe Marsh

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**Norma Allen Killed  
In Accident Near  
Eureka Church Sun.**

Norma Allen, nine-year-old daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Earl Allen of Floydada was killed instantly about 9:30 a. m. on Sunday, when the car in which she was riding with her mother, the former Joyce Lovelace, went out of control and overturned on a corner near the Eureka Church, about 12 miles northeast of Santa Anna. Mrs. Allen is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Lovelace.

Norma was thrown from the car as it overturned and apparently died instantly from a basic skull fracture. Her son, Todd, 2, also in the car, was uninjured. Mrs. Allen received minor bruises and was hospitalized in Coleman briefly for treatment of severe shock. She applied artificial respiration in hopes of reviving her daughter at the scene of the accident.

Funeral services for the child were held at Floydada Tuesday morning.

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**Mrs. Rebecca O.  
Wilhelm Buried Tues.**

Funeral services were held Tuesday, April 17th, at 9:00 a. m. for Mrs. Rebecca O. Wilhelm, at the Seventh Day Adventist Church, following her death at her home here at 4:15 a. m. Sunday. She came to Santa Anna several months ago from Paris, Texas, with her daughter, Miss Beatrice Wilhelm, who is connected with the Santa Anna Hospital.

Mrs. Wilhelm, 85 years old, was a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church and had been in failing health for a long time.

Elder Harry Gray of Temple and Elder James Gray of Santa Anna officiated at the services.

Survivors are the afflicted husband, Edgar Wilhelm of Paris, Texas; four sons, Glenn of Denver, Colo, Arch of Fort Worth, Fred of Phoenix, Ariz., and Arthur of Lodi, Calif; three daughters, Mrs. L. R. Alexander of Seattle, Wash., Miss Ollie Wilhelm of Chicago, and Miss Beatrice of Santa Anna; three brothers, two sisters, ten grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren.

Following the services here the body was taken by Wrights Funeral Home to Paris, Texas, for burial in the Evergreen Cemetery.

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GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

**Methodist Circles  
Hold Joint Meeting**

The W. S. C. S. and the Nitia Daniell Circle of the First Methodist Church had a combined meeting Thursday, April 12th, in the home of Mrs. W. B. Griffin.

The special occasion was arranged for the opening of the Treasure Chests.

Mrs. T. M. Hays, president of the W. S. C. S., led in the dedication of the Treasure Chest fund aided by Mrs. Griffin representing the W. S. C. S., Mrs. Dorothy Watson, representing the Nitia Daniell Circle and Mrs. Jess Upchurch, representing the children of the Sunday School.

The theme for the program was "Discipleship". Mrs. Nolan Fisher gave the devotional and three inspirational talks on examples of discipleship were given respectively by Mrs. Cliff Herndon, Mrs. Roy Horne and Mrs. Ora Hunter. A duet was presented by Jane Horn and Janet Scarborough, accompanied by Elsie Lee Harper.

A refreshment plate was served by four members of the M. Y. F. Each girl was dressed in an authentic costume of other nations. Jane Horn represented a Dutch girl, Janet Scarborough was dressed in a Spanish costume, Linda Rae Riley represented the Japanese and Christine Carpenter was dressed as an American Indian. The brilliant costumes added much to the occasion and emphasized the arrangement of United Nation flags, that gave everyone a feeling of World Missions and International Cooperation.

**W. M. S. MEETING**

"Personal Revival", was the subject of the Bible study taught by Mrs. F. E. McCreary when the W. M. S. met on Monday afternoon. Those present were:

Mrs. Evan Wise, Mrs. Matt Estes, Mrs. F. E. McCreary, Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. Lon Gray, Mrs. Joe Wise, Mrs. Ray Steward, Mrs. Jim Rutherford and Mrs. Goldie Milberger. Mrs. Ray Steward had charge of the Sunbeams.

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