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Teachers Elected For Next Year; May Lose One

All the present teaching staff of the Santa Anna Schools were re-elected to another term at the regular meeting of the School Board last week. The band director was re-elected subject to confirmation by the County School Board and there is a possibility that one teacher may be lost next year due to a drop in the average daily attendance of students.

The present faculty is composed of 23 teachers and administration officials. Cullen N. Perry is superintendent of schools; Roy B. Mathews was re-employed as high school principal and given a two-year contract; James A. Harris was re-employed as principal of the elementary school and given another two-year contract.

Teachers in the elementary school are: Margaret Crews, A. D. Donham, Ruth Dodson, Mattie Beth Davenport, Johnny Ethel Horton, Maud Harris, Nadean Harris, Gertrude Martin, Ruth Odom, Leta Parker, Beulah Sparkman and Myrtle Taylor.

Teachers in the high school are: Mary Helen Baxter, Maud Evans, James A. Mallow, Page Mays, A. D. Pettit, Jack Rucker, Beecher Huff and Doris Beard.

Supt Perry said it would be necessary for the average daily attendance of the school system to be brought up at least 13 percentage points during the present six-weeks period and the last six-weeks period in order to keep the school system from losing one teacher. The school board is paying one teacher now from the general fund, but under present financial conditions could not carry two teachers in this manner. The State Aid program is based entirely on the number of students in average daily attendance, and the average at the end of the last six-weeks was 13 percentage points below the necessary amount to continue the present teaching staff.

Every parent is urged to see that their children are in school every day possible during the next six-weeks period. In order for the attendance to be counted, the student must be in school all day. Your cooperation is urgently requested by the school officials.

Good Attendance At Sunrise Easter Service Sunday

The Sunrise Easter Service, held at the First Baptist Church at 7:00 a. m. last Sunday, was well attended and all the features were carried out as advertised.

All announced participants were on hand and did their parts well.

Decorations were lovely. There was good congregational singing and the special music was extra good.

Mrs. Chester Galloway became a patient in the Coleman Hospital Monday, where she is reported to be doing very well.

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Light Vote Very Close In School Trustee Election

Only 97 persons of the entire Santa Anna Independent School District took the few minutes necessary to go to the polls Saturday and cast a vote in the school trustee election. Dick Baugh and Add T. Walker were elected to a three-year term on the board by a very close margin.

Baugh received a total of 63 votes; Walker received 62 votes; and Mrs. Robert L. Markland received 11 votes. Never in the history of your editor has anything like this happened before.

It would seem that as closely divided as those who went to the polls were, considerably more voters would have taken the time to express an opinion.

George Pauley of Valera, received 94 votes for County School Trustee at Large, in the second election being held at the same time.

The unofficial returns will be canvassed by the County Commissioners Court at their next regular meeting.

McMurry Band To Play Concert Here On Friday, April 18

ABILENE (Spl) — Four Santa Anna High School graduates will perform with the McMurry College Band in a concert in Santa Anna Friday, April 18th. The concert will be at the high school auditorium at 3:00 p. m.

The quartet includes Don Davis, president of the band, and a trombonist; Carol McClellan, bassoon player; Sharon Hoke, french horn; and Melvin Pollock, vocalist.

Directed by Raymond Bynum, the band will stop in Santa Anna on a return trip from Monterrey, Mexico. While in Mexico, the 50-piece aggregation will give a two-night concert performance in Monterrey Technological Institute.

On the return trip, they also will appear in high schools in Mission, Taft and Burnet. They will play in Carrizo Springs High School enroute to Monterrey.

One of the most traveled bands in the Southwest, the Indian musicians completed a tour of Europe in March, 1955. They often accept invitations to appear in concert and parade functions along the U. S.-Mexican border and in other sections of the country.

Bynum has been director of the McMurry band the last 11 years. A veteran musician, he holds membership in the American Bandmaster's Association, and exclusive organization with approximately 130 members across the country. He also is a past president of the Texas Bandmaster's Association, the Texas Educator's Association and the Abilene Rotary Club.

Rites For Alex Ludy Crutcher At Rockwood Tuesday

Funeral services were held in the Rockwood Methodist Church at 4:00 p. m. Tuesday, April 8, for Alex Ludy Crutcher, 62, a stock farmer, Mr. Crutcher had been a resident of the county since 1903. He died at his home near Rockwood at 6:20 p. m. Monday.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Crutcher, Mr. Crutcher was born in Limestone County August 30, 1895. He was married to Miss Rutella Lagatha Atchison in November, 1921, at Rockwood. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include the wife, Mrs. A. L. Crutcher of Rockwood; his mother, Mrs. Lula B. Crutcher of Coleman; one son, Otis T. Crutcher of Hobart, Okla.; six daughters, Mrs. Lagatha B. Andrews of Amarillo, Mrs. Nelly Bell of Lubbock, Mrs. Arless Garner of Amarillo, Mrs. Edrene Hodges of Coleman, Mrs. Edith Norris of Oklahoma City, and Miss Ludy Jane Crutcher of Rockwood; two brothers, Luther Crutcher of Bangs and F. E. Crutcher of Stanton; two sisters, Mrs. Hetty Pearson and Mrs. Bertha Cleveland of Coleman. Thirteen grandchildren also survive.

Burial was in the Rockwood Cemetery under the direction of the funeral home.

Cemetery Ass'n. Meeting To Be Held At Trickham Sun.

Mrs. Minnie L. Wilson, secretary of the Trickham Cemetery Association, reminds those interested that the annual meeting of the association will be held at Trickham Sunday, April 13. From 10:00 to 11:00 a. m. will be visiting the cemetery. From 11:00 to 12:00 noon there will be services in the Union Church with Rev. Howell Martin bringing the message. At noon lunch will be served in the school house.

The Trickham Cemetery, one of the oldest in this area, has been kept in excellent condition since the association was organized several years ago.

Singing and visiting will take care of the afternoon hours of the day.

Central Colorado Soil Conservation District News

Directors of the Middle Colorado Supervisors Association met in Coleman Friday and discussed plans for further development of upstream flood prevention and watershed protection in the Middle Colorado Watershed. Present for the discussion were District Supervisors from each of the five soil districts comprising the Middle Colorado Association; representatives from Watershed Associations for Mukewater, Turkey Creek, and Upper Jim Ned; officials of Coleman County, Central Colorado River Authority and Soil Conservation Service.

E. J. Hughes, Area Conservationist for SCS at Brownwood, reported on progress of construction in watersheds already operating in that phase of the watershed protection program. Hughes stated that beginning July 1, 1958 less than one year's work will remain to be done in the watersheds of Brady Creek, Clear Creek and Lower San Sabá.

Hughes advised that watershed plans have been completed on Mukewater and Upper Jim Ned Creeks and that the construction phase of the work is ready to be started when the few remaining easements are obtained and other construction requirements are met. Other watershed work plans are being developed at present which would bring the total number of floodwater retarding dams being readied for construction to near 50 in the Central Colorado Soil Conservation District.

O. B. Harkey of San Saba, Chairman of the Association, told the group that he had been advised by SCS officials responsible to USDA for administering funds in the Middle Colorado watershed program to expect another increase in the number of dams to be built in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1958, as has been the case for the past several years. The construction rate is expected to be increased from 18 to 20 dams up to 28 to 30, depending on the size of the structure. Harkey reported the funds expected to be available for construction beginning July 1, 1958 would approximate two million dollars.

Harkey emphasized to the group that each district has agreed to furnish necessary easements and to operate and perform normal maintenance on all structures within its boundaries. District Supervisors and watershed representatives present agreed that water control and improvement districts would be the most favorable device for meeting these needs and speeding up the watershed program.

BEN PARKER, JR. DIES
Word was received here early Wednesday morning of the death of Ben Parker, Jr., at 10:30 p. m. Tuesday night. No other information was received at The News office.

Mrs. E. H. Wylie's brother, U. G. White, died in Miami, Fla. on Tuesday of last week. He was her only brother. His home was in Mt. Vernon, Ill., but he was spending the winter with a daughter in Florida, and was buried there.

Mrs. Annie Stovall and Mrs. Ethel Tabor and Bert spent Sunday at May with relatives, the E. F. Tabor.

Mother of Mrs. O. A. Etheredge Buried In San Angelo

Funeral services for Mrs. C. C. Myers were held at 10:00 a. m. Thursday, April 3, at the Johnson-Cox Chapel in San Angelo. Mrs. Myers was the mother of Mrs. O. A. Etheredge of Santa Anna.

A member of the First Methodist Church in San Angelo, Mrs. Myers had been living there since 1929. She had spent considerable time with her daughter and son-in-law here. She was the widow of Dr. C. C. Myers of Alvarado. After his death in 1912 she moved to Cleburne and then to San Angelo in 1929.

Survivors include a son, Russell Myers of San Angelo; two daughters, Mrs. O. A. Etheredge of Santa Anna and Mrs. Gordon Kenley of San Angelo, a granddaughter, Miss Martha Kenley; a brother, Frank Metz of Cleburne; and a sister, Miss Blanche Stinnet of Cleburne.

Burial was in the Fairmont Cemetery in San Angelo.

MRS. BOENICKE ENTERTAINS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS WITH EASTER EGG HUNT

Mrs. Oscar Boenicke, who teaches the tiny tots in the Sunday School of the First Christian Church, and also directs the Junior Choir, entertained for the tiny tots with an Easter egg hunt at her home near Trickham last Friday. Little ones who could be present were: Lurn, Jimmy and Paul Henderson, Lucretia and Theresa Herring, Becky Turner and Ruth Ann Walker.

The children enjoyed the egg hunt and other features. Mrs. Vernon Herring and Mrs. Jimmy Henderson assisted Mrs. Boenicke in the entertainment and serving the refreshments of punch and cookies.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Wamon McClure had quite a surprise Monday when a cousin of hers, Mrs. Rosser and husband, stopped to visit them. Mrs. Rosser is the former Beryl Visor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Visor, formerly longtime residents of this vicinity. They left here in 1914 and she had not seen Santa Anna since. The Rossers were returning to their home near Lubbock, after spending Easter at Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Talley and their three boys from Odessa, and her brother, Carl Curtis of A & M College, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Talley. Mr. Talley, who was quite ill for sometime, is now able to be up and around.

Mrs. L. O. Garrett and Mrs. Jess Howard and her granddaughter, Donna Sue Howard, visited a hospital in Temple last Friday. Mrs. Garrett visited her brother, M. W. Taylor, a helpless bed patient, but active mentally and Mrs. Howard visited a daughter-in-law, Donna Sue's mother, who had surgery recently and is getting along quite well.

Mrs. Ford Barnes has been visiting her son, W. Ford Barnes, Jr., and two sisters, Miss Jewel Christi and Mrs. Austin Boler at Weslaco and Pharr. She has also visited her son, Dr. James Q. Barnes in San Antonio, going and returning from the Rio Grande Valley.

Visitors on Thursday of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Preston Bailey were Mrs. Nora Bailey See of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Morales of Mexico City, Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray McCain of Rankin, came last Friday and spent the night with his sister, Mrs. Lew Story and Mr. Story. On Saturday all of them attended the Whon April Picnic. This is an annual affair. Murray won the electric freezer.

Visitors with Mrs. J. J. Gregg over the Easter holidays were her daughter, Mrs. Mary Jo Schulle and children, Jack and Willene of Watonga, Okla., and J. B. Jones and son, Buddy, of Bishop, Texas. The Jones' spent part of the holiday in Leuders with his step-mother, Mrs. Paul Jones.

Mrs. Artie Magill of Ft. Worth came Monday for a visit through the week with her sisters, Mrs. V. E. Penny, Mrs. Jewell Powers and Mrs. Ruby Howard in the Liberty Community, and another sister, Mrs. George Etheredge in Brownwood.

Lions Club Variety Program To Be Presented At High School Friday Night

Grade School Takes First Place In District Meet

The Santa Anna Grade School made a total of 33 1/2 points at the District Track Meet in Mason last Thursday to take first place by a wide margin. Mason was in second place with a total of 14 points. Nine Grade School boys participated in the events of the day.

Charles Strength set a new record in pull-ups (chinning the bar). He was credited with 41 pull-ups and his coach, A. D. Donham, said he could have gone two or three more. The old record was 40 pull-ups, set last year.

Harold Walker took second in pull-ups with 27 and Randy Brown took third with 25 pull-ups.

In other events, John Dockery took first place in shot put with a distance of 38 feet, 4 inches; Randy Brown took first place in the 100-yard dash in 11.4 seconds; Dayton Jackson took first place in the 75-yard dash in 9.4 seconds; Jackson also took second place in the 50-yard dash and Harold Walker took fourth place in board jump.

The Santa Anna boys took first place in the 440-yard relay with Brown, Lynn Dockery, John Dockery and Jackson filling the four places. Time was 52.0 seconds.

Denny Densman and Freddie Cullins were the other boys taking part in the track meet from Santa Anna.

SECOND SUNDAY SINGING WILL BE SUNDAY

The regular Second Sunday Singing will be held Sunday afternoon in the First Christian Church, from 2:00 to 4:00 p. m.

These singings are usually well attended. An invitation is extended to all who care to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Erwin and daughter, Jan. of Fort Worth, spent the Easter holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker.

Centennial Observance For Coleman County Being Planned; To Be In July

Plans for a Centennial observance for Coleman County have progressed considerably during the past few days and further plans will be made at other meetings of a steering committee during the next few days.

The first meeting was a county-wide meeting held at the Courthouse last Thursday night. Some forty persons were present, many of them representing civic and cultural clubs of the county. At this time a steering committee was appointed and Mrs. Eula Norwood of Goudbusk was elected as the Centennial Queen. Mrs. Norwood is a pioneer of Coleman County and will participate in many of the Centennial activities.

The steering committee named Thursday night is composed of Cecil Horne, Mrs. Wylie Gillespie, Mrs. M. T. White, Jr., Mrs. Topsy Beaver, Mrs. David Mercer, Mrs. Nathan Cliett and Milton Autrey. At a meeting of this group and W. F. Barnes Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. C. D. Bruce and Cullen N. Perry were added to the Steering Committee.

John C. Gregg was named as a committee to attempt to get the old Santa Fe passenger train, the Cyrus K. Holliday, to be in Santa Anna and Coleman during the Centennial observance. Present plans call for at least one day of Centennial observance in Santa Anna and one in Coleman. The Coleman day will likely be held in the City Park. A site has not been selected for Santa Anna as yet. Other communities of the county are urged to join in the Centennial observance.

Most of the activities will be held during the first week of July, with the big days being on Friday, July 4 and Saturday, July 5. The Centennial will also participate in the Coleman Rodeo Parade the following week.

Plans in Santa Anna at the present are to decorate several local windows, using the early-day theme. Anyone having early day pictures, old clothes or other

The Santa Anna Lions Club will present their annual Variety Show at the high school auditorium Friday evening, April 11, beginning at 8:00 p. m. Admission prices are 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students. Tickets are on sale by every member of the Lions Club. It would be appreciated if you would purchase your tickets as early as possible. However, admission tickets will be on sale at the door Friday night.

Lots of entertainment is planned for the evening. Specialty acts have been worked out with several members of the Lions Club to be blacked up and having a number of comedy roles. A large number of band and other students will participate on the program.

A large number of prizes will be awarded during the evening and home-made candy will be sold during an intermission period. There is some 12 or more silver dollars to be given as prizes along with merchandise contributed by various business firms in Santa Anna.

Proceeds from the Variety Show will go into the Lions Club Charity Fund, to be used where needed in the community for the purchase of glasses and other necessities for the underprivileged of the area.

Help your community by being present at the Lions Club Variety Show Friday night.

A. J. Bishop Seeks Re-election As Representative

A. J. Bishop, Jr., of Winters, this week authorized The News to announce that he is a candidate for re-election as State Representative of the 77th Texas District, which includes Coke, Coleman, Comcho and Runnels Counties. Bishop is seeking his third elective term.

In making his announcement, Bishop said he would have a formal statement for the public at a later date.

Adding machine paper at the Santa Anna News office.

er articles of county pioneers is requested to contact Mrs. C. D. Bruce, Ford Barnes or John C. Gregg. All articles used during this time will be kept locked up and will be taken care of, and returned to the owners in the same condition as when loaned to the committee.

Plans are also being made for the men and women of the county to wear some type of garment typical of early day dress, during the observance, but just what this will be has not been decided.

At the first meeting it was definitely decided it would not be requested that the men grow beards, but any who actually want to may do so. Also it was voted not to have a professional group to put on the Centennial observance, as some counties have in the past.

Right now, all the historical pieces in the county need to be rounded up and plans for their use made. Your cooperation in this matter will be appreciated.

Happy Birthday

"Happy Birthday" to all who have birthdays during the next week. Below are listed the birthdays we have this week.

- APRIL 11
Mrs. J. J. Gregg
Reynold Buse
Otis Switzer, Texas City
- APRIL 12
Randal Wayne Lovelady
- APRIL 14
Wanda Jean Kline
- APRIL 15
Stanley Hartman
- APRIL 17
C. J. Deer

Would you like for your name to be published on your birthday? If so, please be sure to let us know when it is. Next week we will publish names of those having birthdays between April 18th and April 24th.

Trickham News
BY MRS. ANNA YORK

Bro. Frank Haynes, our Baptist pastor, preached here Sunday to a large attendance, with quite a few visitors present.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bowden of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Harlie Stearns and son of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny James and boys of Colorado City, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene James and family on Sunday. The ladies attended church services here

later visiting briefly with others in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Ray Stacy and children of Hobbs, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sullivan and family of San Antonio spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Grubbs of Fort Worth and Mr. Burnie Roy McIver of Guymon, Okla., were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice McIver, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sharp of Garland, were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Stephens, Wandá and Otis and also with his relatives at Bangs, over the Easter holidays.

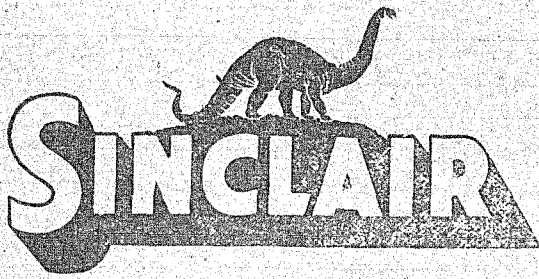
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SCANNING THE NEWS

THE "baby boom" so significant on the American family scene for the past decade is expected to taper off in the next few years and, possibly, by 1965 to be replaced by the early teen group (10-14) as the largest single age group in the population.

The latest Bureau of the Census figures show that the age group under five numbered just about 19 million as of July 1 last year, the equivalent of one out of every nine in the entire population. Projections into the middle of the next decade anticipate a halt in this group's rapid growth, with a decline of somewhat over a million by 1960 and a rise to near the current number by 1965.

The early teen group, which totaled 15 million at the middle of last year, is expected to add up to over 17 million in 1960, and to cross the 19 million level in 1965 to become the largest single age group in the population at that time. And the age group between 15 and 19, which numbered under 12 million last July, will according to projections increase to nearly 13 1/2 million in 1960 and cross the 17 million mark by 1965.

These changes are certain to have far-reaching effect on the saving and spending patterns of the American family. Raising children becomes progressively more costly each year as they grow up, reaching the costliest period when they are ready for college or other institutions of higher learning in their late teens.

This inevitable strain on the average family budget has been accentuated in recent years by two

developments in the economy and in the composition of the population. The first is inflation, which has raised the cost of living and of education and other necessities to record high levels. The second is the growth in the number of large families, with families of three and four children more common now than they have been in many years.

Whatever effect this changing structure of the population may have on personal consumption expenditures over the next decade, it points up the average family's need for more personal protection and more saving to meet the financial responsibilities that, for many, are just around the corner.

Something else to look for: a change in voting patterns brought about by the increasing number of voters in the young age group.

"As the bumper crop of babies born since World War II matures into 21-year-old voters," says Economist Frank G. Dickinson, Director of the A.M.A. Bureau of Medical Research, "the electorates of the Western nations will start 'younging'."

This means that: As the proportion of older voters, which has been rising rapidly in the 20th century, reaches a peak and then declines, the accent will again be on youth.

"... The 'younging' of the electorate—one force of many—will lessen the clamor for the guaranteed future, the riskless society."

"... Political leaders will want to please the younger voters at every turn, instead of the older voters."

of Hamlin were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes and boys Sunday, taking their children, Debbie and Freddie, back home after they had spent a week with their grandparents here.

Recent visitors in the Marion Ford home were Mrs. Minnie Craig, Mrs. Lula Hancock of Zephyr, Mrs. Desta Bagley of Brownwood, Mrs. Clara Fellers, Mrs. Beula Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice McIver, Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver, Doyne and Gayla, Mrs. Frankie Davis and son of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ford and son of Spur, Mr. Del Ray Stacy and daughter of Hobbs, N. M., Mr. Bob Sullivan and Carolyn of San Antonio,

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lancaster of Bangs, Mrs. Zona Stacy and Miss Lea Mitchell of Post.

Bro. Frank Haynes and wife were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Zona Stacy. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stacy of Brooksmith and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy and family.

Terry McIver, Donnie York and Weldon Haynes visited with Jerry and Billy Haynes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Wilson of Mt. View visited with Mrs. Beula Kingston Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Clara Haynes visited Friday night in Brooksmith with a daughter, Mrs. W. D. Mathews. Doyne McIver of McMurry College, Abilene, spent the week end at home with Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver, Gayla and Terry.

Mrs. Kettie Haynes visited in Bangs Sunday with Mrs. Irene Triplett and Mrs. Ruth Linroth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laughlin and son of Brownwood visited his dad, Mr. Bud Laughlin and other relatives, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dudley of Comanche visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Haynes, Sunday. In the afternoon they visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haynes in Santa Anna.

Other guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Haynes the past week include Mrs. R. E. Hilburn and Mrs. Ina B. Johnson of Wichita Falls, Miss Nancy Streetman of Brownwood, Mr. Elmer Haynes.

W.M.S. SOCIAL AT ROCKWOOD

Mrs. Jim Rutherford was hostess to the social meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society at the Rockwood Community Center Monday, April 7th, at 2:00 p. m. Mrs. Bill Bryan directed recreation. A box of clothing was packed to be sent to Buckner's Orphans Home.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. L. Brusenhan, Sr., Mrs. Claud Box, Mrs. Matt Estes, Mrs. Ray Caldwell, Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. Lee McMillan, Mrs. Rutherford and Mrs. Bryan.

Shields News

By Mrs. E. S. Jones

Misses Edna and Ellen Lewis of Santa Anna and Miss Carol Quinn of Round Rock, Texas, spent Sunday with Jeannie Stewardson. Afternoon visitors in the Stewardson home were Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Wagner and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wagner and family.

Relatives other than local who spent the weekend with Mr. E. R. Eppler were Mr. and Mrs. Wenton Eppler and family of Granbury, Mrs. Janie Burrus and Barbara of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hiller of Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cobb of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Jesse Fowler of Bangs visited the Bert Fowler and George Cobb families Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Beatrice Vercher of Coleman, spent Tuesday night with Mrs. E. S. Jones. Mrs. Vercher is having her house moved from the farm to Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Newman and Susan of Midland, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Milligan and other relatives.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Varrell McClain and baby of San Angelo to our community. They have moved to the Troy Fitzhugh farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Bivins of Abilene visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Milligan.

Fifty-six young people and adults of the community enjoyed a hot dog supper at the community center Friday night, sponsored by Bro. and Mrs. Naramore. The young folks skated, the older ones played "42".

Mr. and Mrs. Booker Watson returned Saturday from Weslaco where they had visited several days.

Visitors at the Church of Christ Sunday morning were Mrs. Wenton Eppler, Joan and Bernie Lou of Grandbury, Mrs. Janie Burrus and Barbara of Ft.

Worth, Mrs. Oscar Hiller of Hamilton, Misses Sarah Livingston of Gouldbusk and Barbara Coffey of Eunice, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler, Sandra and Larry, spent Thursday night at Vick with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McDonald.

John Dillingham visited Sunday with Glenn Gilbreath.

Georgia Eppler was a patient in the Santa Anna Hospital from Wednesday until Friday with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace and children spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Wallace of the Leedy Community.

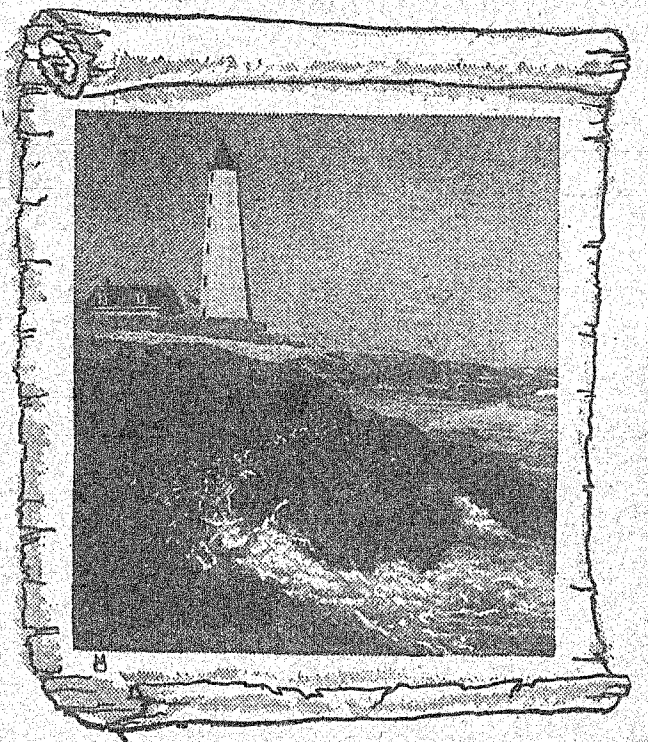
Mr. Richard Dillingham of San Antonio, visited during the holidays with his mother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stephenson and children, Gary and Barbara of Abilene, visited here Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stephenson. On Saturday night and Sunday they visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wallace in Brownwood.

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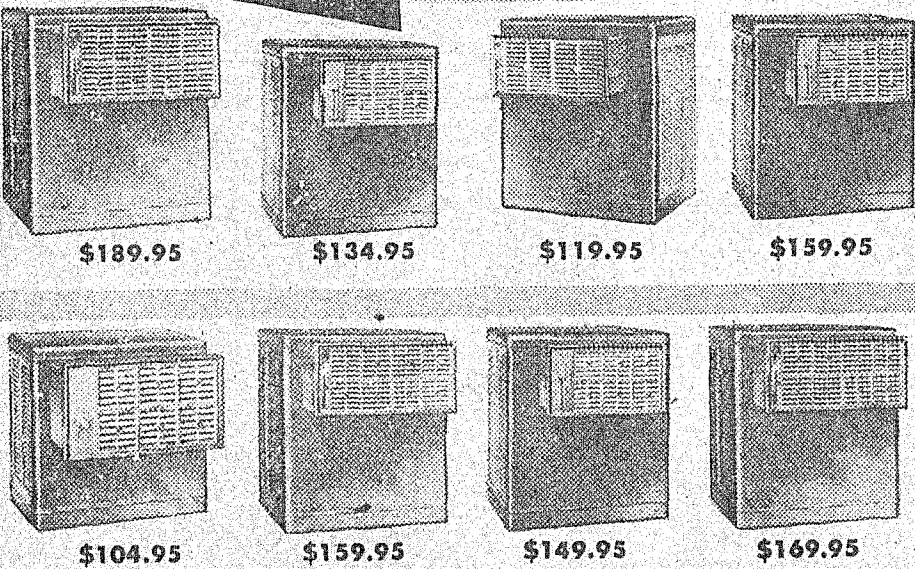


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NIWOT NEWS

BY THE NIWOT KIDS

Those attending the picnic Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbets, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Avants and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes and Dana Evans, Mr. and Mrs. John Perry and Robert, Bill Jennings, Miss Dixie Deal, Mrs. Joe Wallace and children. Everyone had a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reid and Kathie spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh.

Mrs. Ruth Hibbets and Mrs. Eva Nell Bengel visited with Mrs. Thelma Fleming Sunday afternoon.

Marty and Lynn Avants spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bengel.

Mrs. John Perry called on Mrs. Tona Moore Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Harrell Cupps and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Cupps.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clifton visited at home over the week end. They returned Tuesday morning to Dallas, where they will be for another week.

Dixie Jo Baugh visited with Dixie Deal of Whon Saturday night.

Little Brenda Kay Perry visited several days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Perry, this week.

Mrs. Oia Brusenhan of Coleman, formerly of Santa Anna, spent the weekend with Mrs. J. H. Freeman. She also visited other friends.

About Your HEALTH

A weekly public service feature from the Texas State Department of Health. HENRY A. HOLLE, D. D., Commissioner of Health.



New brucellosis control regulations become effective September 1. Texas dairymen who market Grade A milk products have until then to adopt one of two plans designed to eradicate brucellosis infection from their herds.

The need for regulations is evident in a 1956 survey by livestock sanitation officials. Of 2,500 dairy herds checked, more than 71 per cent showed evidence of infection.

Cases of brucellosis — sometimes called undulant fever — are increasing among livestock handlers and people who drink unpasteurized milk. Enforcing known control measures will help prevent human infection.

The new regulations will also mean increased profits for producers, once brucellosis has been eliminated from herds. A and M College veterinarians report that infected cattle produce up to 20 per cent less milk. They calve less frequently, and the calves they do bear are weak and affected.

Beginning September 1, every dairyman producing milk under a Grade A label must have adopted one or the other of the following two plans. Since 95 per cent of all milk sold in Texas is Grade A, only a fraction of total production will be unaffected. Both plans have been approved by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and are

contained in the milk ordinance and code recommended by the U. S. Public Health Service.

Plan A: All breeding cattle over six months of age must be blood tested. Vaccinated cattle under 30 months of age are exempt. Animals reacting positively must be removed for slaughter within 15 days, and non-reactors must be retested between 30 and 60 days to insure they are free of disease.

Under Plan A, only cattle vaccinated in calfhood may be added to the herd. It recommends, but does not require, that female calves from the original herd be vaccinated between four and eight months of age.

Plan B: All breeding stock over six months old, exclusive of those which have been previously vaccinated, must be blood tested. Reactors must be branded and segregated from non-reactors. To prevent economic hardship to producers, this plan allows branded animals to be kept for milk production for three years. All female calves must be vaccinated between four and eight months of age, without exception.

Records — including blood test certificates on each animal — must be kept by all dairymen. Copies must be filed with city or county health officers for periodic inspection by the State Department of Health.

Two successive violations of the brucellosis control requirements will bring immediate revocation of the Grade A milk permit. No extension of time beyond the September 1 date is being considered by the Department.

TAX-MAN SAM SEZ:

By this time we hope you have already filed your 1957 income tax return without any errors and sent along your check if you owed any tax. In case you haven't, it's almost certain that you wish you had filed on January 1 instead of April 15. Your tax problems for 1958 are not over, however, if you make over \$100 income on which tax has not been withheld. April 15 is also the deadline for filing an estimated tax on how much money you are going to make this year. Payments on this estimate are due on April 15, June 15, September 15 and January 15, 1959. If you have income outside of a salary on which tax has been withheld, you ought to read the instructions on preparing an estimated tax return.

W.S.C.S. PROGRAM AT ROCKWOOD

Mrs. Jack Bostick directed the printed program, entitled, "Christian Action on the March", when the Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the Rockwood Methodist Church Monday afternoon. Present were Mrs. Fox Johnson, Mrs. J. C. Ferguson, Mrs. M. A. Richardson, Mrs. J. A. Avants, Mrs. John Hunter, Mrs. C. A. Miller and Mr. Bostick.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

EXPLAINING AWAY SOME EGG LAW FEARS

Anything new is eyed with suspicion, and often we tend to place blame for our disappointments on something foreign to us either because we don't understand it or because of convenience.

So it is with the new Texas Egg Law. Some misunderstandings and fears have come up on occasion which, although without real basis, are genuine fears and therefore need to be explained.

Reports have reached the Texas Department of Agriculture that certain retailers and buyers have refused to handle eggs from small producers with limited flocks, falsely blaming the Texas Egg Law as their reason for not doing business with the farmer who wants to sell only two or three dozen eggs at a time.

There is no such trade-restricting provisions anywhere in the law, nothing whatsoever that interferes with or prohibits this long-standing business relationship between producers and buyers. A retailer, dealer, or other egg handler can purchase any amount of eggs from a producer at any time. A small producer can market his eggs in the same manner as he has always done — either graded or ungraded. If he claims a grade he must comply with the simple provisions of the law.

In other words, eggs do not have to be graded at any level of trade. Ungraded eggs may be sold in the channels of trade

but they must be represented as ungraded eggs.

However, it is better for all concerned, if producers and handlers do participate in the egg grading program so that high quality eggs will not be sold without the quality being represented by the advertised grade which attests to the value and quality of the eggs.

When a grading system is used, cartons or containers have to be labeled according to actual size and grade of eggs.

Anyone having a question on the egg law and its effect is urged to contact the Texas Department of Agriculture in Austin. All inquiries will be fully and promptly answered.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bengel and their grandchildren, Joe, Jimmy and Jana Eubank, visited Sunday afternoon with relatives in Millersview.

Mrs. Jimmy Kimmey of Tulsa, Okla., was an Easter guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Lewellen. Mrs. Kimmey and husband moved rather recently from Abilene, Texas to Tulsa.

Mrs. J. W. Taylor, Mrs. Sue Walker and Mrs. Mace Blanton spent the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Roesch at Henrietta. While there, they also visited in Waurika and Fox, Okla.

Carol Guinn, who lives at the Baptist Orphan's Home at Round Rock, visited here over the Easter holidays. Sponsored by the Y. W. A. of the First Baptist Church, she was a guest in several homes while here. She was also honored with a slumber party and surprise breakfast. She returned to Round Rock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Priddy had all their family with them at Easter. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vercher and boys, Paul Edward and James, came from Fort Worth, and Mrs. E. D. Floyd were here from Snyder. Mrs. Vercher and boys are remaining through the week.

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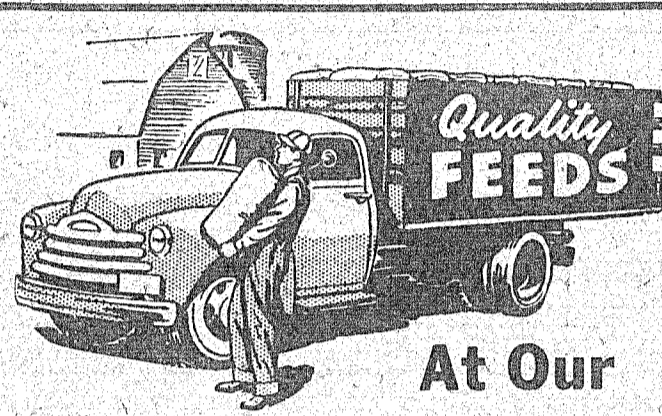
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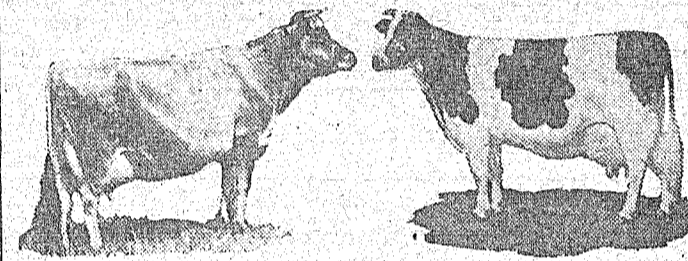
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CARD OF THANKS

THANKS...
I wish to express my thanks to all those who placed their confidence in me in last Saturday's Trustee election.
Mrs. Robert L. Markland

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

NOTICE
All political announcements are accepted on a cash basis only, and must be paid in advance. All statements of candidates must be published before May 15, which date is the deadline for filing for a place on the ballot. All candidates are entitled to an announcement statement of not more than 400 words with your announcements.

The Santa Anna News has been authorized to announce the candidacy of the following persons for elective offices, subject to action of the Democratic Primaries in July and August, 1958:

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Of Coleman
GORDON GRIFFIN, JR.
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Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Reynolds had as guests on Easter Sunday her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Walters and son, Ronnie, of Ft. Worth. Friends who came were Mrs. Kate Bodine of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wood and three daughters of Crews. All had an enjoyable time together.

Mrs. Cora George came from Wichita Fall recently, where she had been since October with a daughter, Mrs. Fern Matthews, who has not been well. While here Mrs. George visited with her father, J. W. Price and her mother, Mrs. Price in a Bangs rest home. On Tuesday she returned to Wichita Falls and this week she and Mrs. Mathews will leave for an indefinite stay at Perry, Ark., where Mrs. Matthews was born.

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Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Early and children, Cynthia, Marianne and Tommie, of Dallas, visited at the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Dorothy Clark and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Baird visited several days last week with their children in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Preston Bailey recently returned from a visit of several days with their daughter, Mrs. J. B. Hartman and family in Odessa.

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Read John 14:1-7.
"And when I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also." (John 14:3 RSV.)

A minister friend was conducting a revival far from home when he received this brief telegram from his sister: "Daddy with Christ, 10:30 a. m. Thursday." Their beloved father had left them for another world, but there was no feeling of regret or doubt, only the affirmation of victory.

This simple message expresses features of the Christian belief in the immortality of the soul. It affirms that those who live in Christ never really die, but live on after this present life. We have this promise from Jesus' own lips: "Whoever lives and believes in me shall never die."

The message contained in the telegram affirms also that when we leave this world we do not go to some strange, foreign place. We go to be with Christ. Did not the resurrected and living Lord say He would go to prepare a place that where He is there we may be also?

PRAYER
Our Father, we humble ourselves before Thee. By Thy grace, enable us, we beseech Thee, so to live in Christ here that we will find ourselves at home with Him in the life to come. This we ask of Thee, our Father almighty, through Jesus Christ, Thy Son and our redeemer. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY
To be alive forever is to be with Christ.
Frank R. Snavely
(Tennessee)

HALF-PAST TEEN

YOU HAD THREE IMPORTANT PHONE CALLS. JUDY WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT YOUR NEW HAIR-DO, SUSIE WANTED TO TALK ABOUT RICKY NELSON AND BIG BOBO FORGOT WHY HE CALLED UP AT ALL.

Miss Fannie Ada Traver of Dallas spent last week with Mrs. Burgess Weaver and other local friends and attended to business while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harlowe and children of Ohio, were here for the weekend, visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Erick, Sr.

THE FIGHTER ALWAYS WINS

By F. L. Rowley

KERMIT SPENCER was the shy type. In the ten odd years he'd been in Hillcrest no one had heard him say more than a dozen words at one time. People liked him though, mostly because he minded his own business. When you went into his hardware store to buy something you never came out with a handful of things you didn't need. Kermit was not a high pressure salesman.

The only time I saw Kermit prick up his ears and look interested was one afternoon in Art Mullins' Coffee Shop. Art's pretty sister Eileen had just trotted in to announce:

"Ray is trying to get himself killed!"

Maybe I ought to tell you right here that Ray Jensen and Eileen Mullins were planning to get married.

Art sighed. "Ray been fighting again? Who did he pick on this time?"

"Gus Pappas. Ray's going to fight him tonight," moaned Eileen, "and everyone says that Ray will get his block knocked off this time."

"And it's just what he needs," Art grunted. "Only we can't let him do it; not ten days before your wedding. He wouldn't be out of the hospital in time. Gus Pappas is tough. Can't you talk Ray out of it?"

Kermit was studying my head. "You need a haircut," he said. "So do I. Wait until I get a few clippings from my store and we'll go over to Gus' place together."

"Clippings?" I didn't get it. Kermit ran into his hardware store and came out a few minutes later with a loose-leaf notebook under his arm.

When we reached the barber shop there were three men ahead of us. Gus was having a good day. No sooner had we settled ourselves than Kermit whipped open his loose-leaf book.

"This is my collection of fight

ers," he explained. His voice was loud. I kind of got the idea that Kermit wasn't trying to keep any secrets.

"Fighters?" I asked. "You mean boxers?"

"Right. Now look at this fellow here. Doesn't he look familiar?"

"Not especially. Is he supposed to be good?"

And Kermit began to reel off an impressive list of boxers who had kissed the canvas with the help of Battling Barton. Gus was looking our way now, and soaking up every word.

"How come we ain't heard about this wonder man?" asked Gus at length.

"Because of the accidents," said Kermit.

"What accidents?" Gus wanted to know. He sidled over to get a better look at Kermit's clippings.

Kermit shook his head sadly and said: "Battling Barton sent so many good men to the hospital that the commission advised him to give up boxing. And if you fellows promise not to breathe a word of it I'll let you in on a little secret."

Raising our right hands to our midriffs we solemnly promised.

"Look at this picture good," Kermit invited. "He was younger when it was taken, but doesn't he look like someone we all know?" Here Kermit gave me a kick in the shins.

"It looks a bit like Ray Jensen," I said slowly.

Gus nodded numbly. "Yeh—it does at that."

"But don't even mention this," warned Kermit. "If Eileen ever finds out that Ray was a professional she'll drop him—and Ray will kill the man who squeals."

Once again we solemnly promised—especially Gus.

The next day I heard that Ray and Gus had shaken hands and called the fight off right after Kermit and I had gotten our haircuts.

Our WASHINGTON Letter
By Congressman
O. C. FISHER

THE EASTER SEASON is more of a big deal in Washington than in most places. There is usually an Easter egg hunt on the White House lawn, with thousands of children taking part. And tourists by the hundreds of thousands jam the city to feast their eyes on the fabulous Japanese cherry blossoms which have a way of showing off at their very best on Easter Day. Adding to the festive spirit there is the annual crowning of Miss Cherry Blossom, with a charmer from each of the 48 States and territories contesting.

Texas chose Miss Ramona Wire, one of the twin daughters of the Raymond Wires of Chevy Chase, and a good choice she was. But the winner is determined by the spin of a huge wheel, spun by Mrs. Dick Nixon, and Maine got the break. Incidentally Ramona's mother is a daughter of the late Guinn Williams, formerly a Texas Congressman from Decatur before moving to San Angelo in the mid-thirties.

NEW YORK CITY is getting a taste of a new twist on integration which is novel in a free enterprise country. Observers claim the new scheme is quite a deviation from basic freedoms that date back to the time of Magda Charta. Under minority racial pressures a city law has gone into effect, making it illegal to refuse to rent private housing on the basis of race, creed or color.

Mrs. Ellen Ogle of Mertzon was a weekend visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Curry.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Richards and sons, Ronald and Bryan, of Lubbock, visited at the weekend with his parents, Elder and Mrs. C. H. Richards and Ellen. Other members of the family who have visited with the Richards recently were Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Barnard of O'Brien.

B. L. Parks visited on Easter with his brother, W. H. Parks at Baird, while his wife is visiting with relatives in California.

Rev. Frank Turner, Jim Danelle and Miss Pauline Eibank attended the funeral of Mrs. C. C. Myers in San Angelo last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Story made a business trip to Abilene on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bouchillon, of Midland, visited during last week with Mrs. Lloyd Price.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Kirkpatrick and children of Houston, visited with Misses Jettie and Dora Kirkpatrick on Saturday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Tune of Coleman came by on Friday and took Mrs. J. F. Simmons to Ft. Worth, where they visited until Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. Neely Evans visited at the weekend with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Cliett and Molly at Hurst.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Oakes have heard that their little granddaughter, Charlotte Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Oakes of Brownwood, is getting along just fine. She had surgery on Thursday of last week in a Houston hospital. Charlotte Ann's other grandmother, Mrs. Lige Lancaster of Trickham, is with them.

WORDS or Just Being Human

by Brad Anderson

THOUGHTS

I CAN'T STAY LONG - I'VE GOT TO GET RIGHT HOME

BUT LET'S FACE IT

in two or three hours

NOTICE

TO TELEPHONE PATRONS

Our New Telephone Directory For 1958 Is In The Process Of Being Printed.

Anyone Wishing A New Listing or A Change In Present Listing Should Contact the Business Office At Once. This Opportunity Will Expire April 23rd.

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Travis Harris, Abilene Woman, Wed Friday



Pictured above are Mr. and Mrs. Travis Harris of Abilene, immediately after their wedding Friday, April 4. The double ring vows were read in the chapel of the Aldersgate Methodist Church in Abilene with the Rev. William Penn officiating.

Mr. Harris is the son of Mrs. E. A. Harris of Santa Anna. He is in the Air Force, stationed at Dyess AFB, Abilene. Mrs. Harris, the former Mrs. Iola Tate Marsh, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Tate of Abilene.

Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Roark of Abilene. Mrs. Harris is dependent youth director at Dyess AFB. Her husband is with the vehicle registration at Dyess.

The couple took a short wedding trip to Fort Worth and Dallas and spent a part of the Easter weekend in Santa Anna with his mother. They will make their home at 1949 South 15th Street in Abilene.

Sunshine Class Has Pleasant Meeting

The Sunshine Class of the First Baptist Church met in a business and social meeting on Tuesday night of last week, with Mrs. W. B. Sparkman.

The hostess entertained with a talk on her trip through the east and Canada last summer. She showed her scrapbook and pictures made on her trip.

Those attending were Mrs. Charles Ing, Mrs. Nona Woodruff, Mrs. J. C. Mathews, Mrs. D. R. Hill, Mrs. Lola Stephens, Mrs. Arthur Turner, Mrs. Burgess Weaver and Miss Pearl Wilburn. Miss Fannie Ada Traver of Dallas was a guest.

Nice refreshments were enjoyed.

20th Century Club Enjoys Program With Easter Theme

There was very good attendance and a pleasant time for all when the 20th Century Club met with Mrs. Sam Rutherford last Friday.

Mrs. Warren Aldridge, president, was in charge. It was agreed to continue remembering members with birthday gifts, not costing over 50 cents, and for each member to continue giving their weight in pennies into the treasury.

For the program, Mrs. Oder gave, "The Significance of Easter." Mrs. Aldridge discussed, "San Jacinto Day." On April 21, 1836, at the battle of San Jacinto, Texas won her independence. Each year at this time the Battle of Flowers and the fiesta in San Antonio keep in memory the event.

Mrs. Stockard told of happenings in Coleman Thursday night when she and Mrs. Goen attended a meeting at which the county Centennial was discussed. The 20th Century Club is for it and will be in there pitching. The Centennial will likely be held in July.

The hostess served refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, candies, cake, ice cream and hot coffee, ice tea and soft drinks.

Following the refreshments, Mrs. Goen directed games. While participants were standing in a circle, general Easter songs were sung with Mrs. Rutherford at the piano.

Other members not mentioned above attending, were: Mrs. Edd Jones, Mrs. Arthur Talley, Mrs. W. E. Vanderford, Mrs. Charles Benge and Mrs. Clifford Stephenson.

Sandra Davis and Paulette Craig assisted in serving the refreshments.

Visitors were Mrs. Raz Bilbrey, Mrs. J. W. Clark, Brenda and Mary of Brownwood and Verma Neil Talley and Roy Mike McCluskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kingsbery and children, Ann, Bob and Kay Ellen of Crystal City, came Thursday for the Easter holidays, visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kingsbery and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce, and other relatives. They returned home Monday.

Mrs. Sheffield Honoree At Pink and Blue Shower Sat.

A pink and blue shower in honor of Mrs. Charles Sheffield was held at the Rockwood Community Center Saturday afternoon, April 5. Hostesses were Mrs. Johnny Steward, Mrs. Tony Rehm, Mrs. Veoma Jackson, Mrs. Bill Steward.

Miss Bobbie Rehm was at the register. Vida Rehm directed games. Mrs. Tony Rehm was at the gift table.

Refreshments of cake squares, punch and mints were served from a lace covered table with appointments of crystal. Cut flowers decorated the party room. Mrs. Pat Patterson ladled punch and Mrs. Mack Ham-bright served cake.

About 40 guests were present. Others sent gifts.

W. S. C. S. Has Interesting Meeting

The W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church met in the church Monday afternoon. Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. O. L. Cheaney and Mrs. Dale Smith.

The program was on "Youth." The leader was Mrs. Frank L. Turner. Several high school girls assisted in the program: Janet Scarborough and Jane Horne gave a skit; Kay Kingsbery, Arlene Welch, Christine and Carolyn Carpenter sang a song.

Mrs. Roy Horne, president, conducted a short business session. Mrs. Turner gave a brief report of a recent meeting she attended in Temple.

Others present were Misses Elsie Lee Harper and Bettie Blue, Mmes. Hardy Blue, Tom Hays, W. B. Griffin, Ladd, Dan Blake, T. R. Sealy, Jesse Upchurch, T. A. Mills, Carol Kingsbery and Arch Hunter.

The hostesses served refreshments.

SELF CULTURE CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY

The Self Culture Club will meet in regular session Friday, April 11 at 3:45 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Norval Wylie.

Topic for discussion will be, "Religions of the Bible." A good attendance is urged.

Mrs. George Thomas of Abilene, visited here Sunday afternoon with her grandmother, Mrs. W. A. Featherston. Mrs. Featherston gave her granddaughter, Geraldine, a lovely quilt top she had pieced. Though 86 years of age, Mrs. Featherston still does lovely work.

Boys leather Regulation Little League Shoes, Special \$4.49. Kerr's Shoe Store, Coleman.

Visitors in the Collin Price home over the weekend were their daughters and families of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Selman and Mrs. Mrs. Alfred England and Alan. Also Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bennett of Fort Worth and Mrs. C. C. Bennett of Coleman, were Saturday visitors.

Needlecraft Club Met With Mrs. T. H. Upton on Thursday

The Needlecraft Club met Thursday, April 3, in the home of Mrs. T. H. Upton. Sr. Flower arrangements of blue irises were used in decorations.

The home has been newly decorated and all club members enjoyed looking through the beautiful arrangement of the rooms.

A short business session was presided over by Mrs. J. Edd Bartlett, who has automatically assumed duties of the president.

Several items of business were discussed and disposed of. Mrs. Cera Shield and Mrs. L. O. Garrett were guests of the club.

A refreshment plate of punch and cake was served to the above mentioned and Mrs. Fred Turner, Mrs. W. E. Wallace, Mrs. Taylor Wheeler, Mrs. Cecil Curry, Mrs. Dovie Chapman, Mrs. Louis Zachary, Mrs. Myrtle Scott, Mrs. M. L. Guthrie, Sr., Mrs. John C. Brown, Mrs. A. R. Brown, Misses Jettie and Dora Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Ella Stiles.

Housewarming At New Seale Home Saturday Afternoon

A pleasant affair was the Housewarming in the new home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Seale, just out of town on the Trickham Road, Saturday, April 5th.

Receiving hours were from 2 to 4 p. m. Archie Seale greeted the guests and Mrs. Seale and her sister, Mrs. D. Shipman of San Angelo, were in the receiving line. Those attending were shown through the new home with its modern features, by members of the family.

The hostess was glad to meet many of her new neighbors.

Refreshments of cookies and punch were served to those attending. Many nice gifts were brought for the new home and some were received from other towns.

The affair was largely attended.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF WMU MEETING

The Executive Committee of the local Woman's Missionary Union met at the First Baptist Church Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Brosig of Paint Rock and Mrs. Arthur Kerby of Ballinger, attended the meeting and discussed plans for the District Sixteen W. M. U. Retreat at Lake Brownwood later in the month, April 17-18. Mrs. Brosig is President of the District W. M. U.

Others attending the meeting were Maurice Smith, Miss Alta Lovelady and Mmes. John Brown, Tom Kingsbery, Elton McDonald, Glynn McClure, Bud Griffin, Fred Rollins and Carl Autrey.

PARIS MEET DRAWS EX-COLEMAN OFFICER

Walter M. Martin, a career security officer for the Army, formerly of Coleman, is to go to Paris, France, for the defense ministers' meeting this month. Rep. O. C. Fisher reports. Martin was one of the visitors in Fisher's office at Washington last week. Mrs. Martin is the former Mattie Ella Estes of Rockwood.

Other callers in the Washington office of the 21st District Congressman were Capt. Garland M. Midgett of Uvalde, an Army Finance Officer, and Terry B. Sanders, Santa Anna, a ranking career officer in the State Department.

Don Davis, Carol McClellan and Sharon Hoke were home for the Easter holidays from McMurry College, Abilene, visiting with the home folks. The three will leave on April 12 with the McMurry Band on a tour to Monterrey, Mexico and other points in Mexico and Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Richardson of Abilene were here at the weekend, visiting with his mother, Mrs. George Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Tatum and son, Tommy, of Black, Texas, and Mrs. Ben Dillingham and Joe of Albany, formerly of this vicinity, stopped by on Monday afternoon to visit with Mrs. Lee Tatum. But she had not returned from Louisiana. The group had been visiting during the Easter holidays with relatives at Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Bruce Benton of Dallas, Mrs. J. B. Long, Mrs. Elva Irby and Mrs. Jamie Long and boys of Seagoville, visited with Mrs. Lloyd Price and Mrs. N. L. Evans over the weekend.

Archie Seale became a patient in the Santa Anna Hospital on Monday afternoon, for a few days stay. D. A. Seale, whose right hand became injured several months ago, has been released from the doctor and is now working again.

Mrs. Lula Taylor has returned home after a ten-day visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craig in Abilene.

STOCK UP ON

APRIL FOOD BUYS

Apple Pie Filling	LUCKY LEAF No. 2 Can	29c
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PAPER NAPKINS	ZEE BRAND 80 COUNT 2 for	25c
COOKIES	JAN HAGEL BY SUPREME 1-lb. Pkg.	45c
PEANUTS	PLANTER'S UNBLANCHED SALTED. 7 1/4 OZ. CAN	25c
CORN	OUR DARLING 303 CAN	2 Cans 35c
CRACKERS	Sunshine 1-lb. Box	27c
BLEACH	Purex Qt. Bottle	19c
COFFEE	Folgers Instant 2-Oz. Jar	49c
Beef	ARM ROAST lb. 55c Hamburger lb.	39c
FRYERS	Heart-O-Texas Grade "A" lb.	39c

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PERSONALS (Held Over From Last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Schrader of Marfa, spent last Friday night in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schrader. Darwin is stationed at Marfa with the Soil Conservation Service, and is now at Tarleton College for a four-week course of study.

Mrs. Christine Smith received a letter this week from her son, O. B. Smith, mailed from Mathier AFB, California. He was leaving for Morocco, Africa, to serve with the Air Force.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Herring-ton, Dickey and Mike, Mrs. Ada Carter and Loll Cabaniss of Belton, Mrs. Georgia Jones of the Liberty Community and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carroll and Kenneth of Bangs, were visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Campbell and Carolee.

Mrs. Charles Haynes and two sons, Doug and Ben, of Albuquerque, N. M., came Saturday night for an indefinite visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lovelady.

Mrs. A. L. Freeman and son, Leslie, of New Iberia, La., are here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Newman. Mr. Freeman will come for them at the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Newman and Susan of Midland, will visit this weekend with the home folks, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howard went to Glen-Rose Sunday to spend the day. They visited at the Morrow Ranch with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morrow of Fort Worth. Mrs. Artie McGill of Fort Worth, sister of Mrs. Howard, returned with them to stay a few days.

Mrs. W. W. Hunter returned home Sunday night from Texas City, where she visited during last week with her children. Her teeth were giving her trouble before making the trip and she was hospitalized with blood poisoning while there. Extracting the teeth corrected the trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Barnard of O'Brien were here at the weekend visiting with her parents, Elder and Mrs. C. H. Richards and Ellen.

Among the number of out of town who attended funeral services Friday for Mrs. J. E. Watkins were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Peamy and Mrs. Odell Box of Crane, Texas.

Mrs. Brosig of Paint Rock, District President of the W.M.U., attended a meeting of the executive committee of the local organization at the Baptist Church Monday afternoon.

Mrs. W. S. Stacy suffered a painful accident at her home on Wednesday of last week. She was wearing rubber gloves while operating her washing machine. The glove fingers were rather long and as she was putting garments through the ring-er, the left hand caught and went through the wringer. When released, blood was in the glove. The result was quite painful and she was rather handicapped as she is left handed.

Mr. William E. Tryon returned home Monday from Fort Worth, where he had surgery on Friday. He is now a patient in the Santa Anna Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Thigpen and little son, Durwood, of Laurel, Miss., visited during last week with their grandmother and great-grandmother, Mrs. H. M. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Strawn and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Allen and children, all from Fort Worth, were here visiting with the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Manley, at the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McNeil and children, Don and Howard, of Oklahoma City, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. L. Dahlberg, Marsha and Rickie, of Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burcham and Sherry of Midland, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Harris from Friday until Sunday afternoon. Other members of the family, Mr. and Mrs. Elgean Harris, Debbie and Sandra, of Santa Anna, had dinner with all of them Sunday.

Extra Special: First quality, full fashion hose 98c each or 3 pair for \$2.69. Ladies Shop

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henderson of Brownwood visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. S. L. Cannon.

They came to help celebrate Mr. Manley's 73rd birthday. This was done with a big birthday dinner, served on Sunday in the home of other members of the family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Horner.

Mrs. Lee Tatum left on Tuesday night of last week to be with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Allen, after being informed their little daughter, Becky, was quite ill in a Shreveport, La. hospital. Later the other little girl, Tony, was hospitalized. Both had measles. They were released Saturday night and are doing very well.

TELL US YOUR PROBLEM

AND LET US PASS IT ON TO HELP OTHERS IN SOLVING THEIRS

BY JOHN and JANE STRICKLAND

PROBLEM: Self Reliance

ONCE Gerry Thomas, 709 Stockbridge Avenue, Kalamazoo, Michigan, came home in the evening facing a task that he didn't relish: helping his young son with his homework. He knew this boy was perfectly capable of doing his homework himself, but a variety of threats did not serve to make him do it. Every month the report showed mostly C's, a B injected now and then. So he had formed the habit of practically "learning" the boy what he had to know. He kept on until both became irritable and unfriendly toward each other and Gerry gave the boy some good "bawlings out."

There was one subject on which the boy never needed help: history. For some reason, probably the excitement of adventure, the boy did his history work satisfactorily and it was frequently given an A.

Gerry decided to use history as a ladder. He praised his son's knowledge of history to a friend at the boy's presence. A few minutes later when the boy came to the dinner table he noticed he was more self confident than usual.

That night before tackling the other subjects, he gave the boy an examination which he knew full well he could pass. He praised the boy for his answers. All of a sudden the atmosphere seemed to clear. He took up the next subject in the same spirit. Same result.

Then one Monday he said to his wife, "I'd like to take Bobby hunting on Saturdays now that Spring is here, if I didn't have to do my own work on Saturdays." "Why not do your work at night?" asked his wife, who had been primed for this interview. "Oh, I'm too tired after helping Bobby with his lessons." Bobby of course was within earshot.

That night Bobby said to his father: "Dad, my work's not so hard tonight; I can do it by myself." And he did.

The next night the same thing happened; and the next; and the next. Bobby got his work done in short order with only an occasional reference to his father.

Came Saturday: "Bobby, how would you like to go off on a day's hunting?" Gerry asked.

Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. SUTTER

The Rev. C. A. Miller, pastor, brought an Easter Message at the morning worship hour at the Methodist Church. A large number of visitors were present. Towns represented were Shamrock, San Angelo, Midland, Ozona, Jayton, Fort Worth, Coleman, Waldrip, Sweetwater and Brownwood.

The young people of the community presented a beautiful Easter Pageant at the Methodist Church Sunday evening, directed by Mrs. C. A. Miller.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Richardson, Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Richardson, Kelley and Elmer, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hogue and Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hogue of Fort Worth; Mrs. F. T. Richardson and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Adkisson and Mr. and Mrs. Don Giddings of Brownwood; Kenneth Bates of Santa Anna. All the group visited in Brownwood on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Bryan and family of Houston spent the weekend in the M. D. Bryan home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Black, Gary and Elaine of San Angelo were Easter weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Brisco and children of Irving, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter and Don. Sunday guests in the Hunter home were Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Trent and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Trent and family and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Trent and family, all of Denver City.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mobley and Greg of Odessa were Easter weekend guests of Mrs. Kate McElvahn and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Phenix and Cynthia of Midkoff, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson Thursday to Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim West and Cleve of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dudley of Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cooper, O. L. Bide Allen, and Arheta of Jayton, were Saturday and Sunday visitors in the Richardson home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Richardson and boys and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Richardson and Betty of Coleman visited with the Richards-sons Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan spent Easter Sunday in Brady with the C. W. McMillan family. Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams

and Barney spent Sunday in Brownwood with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Williams and Donald Lynn.

Mrs. Fox Johnson was dismissed from Brady Hospital on Saturday. She was a patient several days for a check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Carey and Mr. and Mrs. Luther McWhirter of Brownwood were Sunday guests of the Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Miller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Mankins and Gaylon of Coleman visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Drury Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes visited Sunday afternoon in the J. A. Estes home and with Mr. and Mrs. Billy McIntire and family.

Mrs. Hattie Williams, her daughter and grandson of Oklahoma City, visited Wednesday to Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Heilman and family and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ellis Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Heilman and the guests visited Thursday in Coleman with Mrs. Marie Fulbright when they were joined by Mrs. Fannie Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Winstlett of Novice.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson of Irving were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward and Sonly.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheffield of Gatesville, were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper and LaQuinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Altos Davis of Snyder visited with relatives on Saturday.

Easter weekend guests with Mrs. J. W. Box and Miss Linnie were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Box and family of Freeport, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stry and Bill of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Patrick, Patsy, Steve and Brenda of Richland Springs were Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter. Afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Kelley of Santa Anna.

Everyone appreciates the new drive opened on the west side of the cemetery. Mr. Holt, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, opened an old road for more parking space, which will be known as McCarrell Drive, in memory of Uncle Charlie McCarrell, who kept our cemetery beautiful for so many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes of Sweetwater spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hyatt Moore, Raymond Estes of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Estes and Steve of Abilene, were Saturday night guests of Mrs. Rosa Belle Heilman. All of the group were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Heilman.

Miss Bernice Johnson of Coleman spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fox Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Crutcher and Ludy Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Straghan, Morris and Betty, Marcus Johnson and Nikki were Sunday afternoon guests in the Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Valicek, Mike and Terri Lynn of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mueller and Stony of Houston, were Easter guests of Mr. and

Mrs. Egan Wise. Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Hughes of Christine came Monday to visit in the Wise home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Eckles of Fort Worth and Mrs. Gussie Wise of Coleman visited relatives during Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCreary and family of Memphis, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McCreary.

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Mr. Ludy Crutcher, who passed away suddenly at his home near Rockwood, Monday, April 7, at 6:20.

The Home Demonstration Club will hold their regular meeting at the Community Center Wednesday, April 16, at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. Aubrey McSwane as hostess. Mrs. Henry Smith will give a program on "Citizenship".

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Frank Smith and Belinda of Andrews visited Friday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Dorothy and David Gray of San Angelo visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Friday to Sunday and attended the Whon Picnic. Mr. and Mrs. Don Gray came for them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith were in San Angelo Monday, taking his mother, Mrs. Ben Smith, for a check-up. X-rays showed she is doing nicely, after surgery for her hip, following a fall recently.

Mrs. Winifred Stark of Santa Anna spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Tucker of Waldrip, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Ulstad of Leesville, La., and Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Tucker of Brady, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan and girls, joining the group for supper were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown of Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Campbell and Johnny Pat of Eastland, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pearson and boys of Eola, visited Sunday with Mrs. J. W. Wise and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward and Sonly.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Davenport of Coleman visited Sunday with Mrs. Lee Miller, who returned home with them to visit to Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Davis of Hermleigh visited the Jack and Elec Cooper families Saturday afternoon.

Dr. Ray Martin will be at the Community Center Monday, April 14, at 9:30 a. m. to give anti-rabies shots to our pets. Price is \$2.00 each. This is sponsored by the Rockwood Home Demonstration Club.

Mrs. E. Richter is leaving this week, after a years stay in the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Kollwitz and family. She will make stops in Atlantic City and New York City and then will leave for a stay of 18 months in Europe. After staying awhile in La Harve and Paris, France, she will go to Germany, where she was reared, for a long stay.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Whon News

By MRS. TOM RUTHERFORD

Rev. and Mrs. Eugene Traylor and son were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Babe Gardiner. The children enjoyed an Easter egg hunt on the church grounds Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal had all their children home during the weekend. The family attended church Easter Sunday in a group, with one absent, A3c John Richard Deal, who had to report to Dyess AFB Saturday night. The entire family attended the picnic Saturday. They are: Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Deal and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Deal and children and John Richard Deal of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Deal and children of Fort Stockton; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal and Dixie. This was quite an occasion for the Deal family. It was the first time in several years the family had all been together on Easter holidays.

Patsy June Rutherford of Abilene came home Friday and attended the picnic on Saturday. She returned to Abilene Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Deal.

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

As most everyone knows, Saturday's weather was terrible for the Whon Picnic. But a large crowd came out for the barbecue dinner. I wish it was possible to give names of all visitors but that is quite impossible for me. But I will attempt to give representatives for different towns. We had people from Uvalde, San Antonio, Houston, Austin, Fort Worth, Benjamin, Rising Star, Killeen, Snyder, Andrews, Odessa, Marshall, Bangs, Brownwood, Santa Anna, Coleman, Ballinger, San Angelo, Rockwood, Lohn, Brady, Trickham, Abilene, Hamlin, Lubbock.

We wish it had been a beautiful day, but it surely wasn't. We always welcome anyone who cares to come to our annual picnic, the first Saturday in April. The barbecue was the best we have had. Mr. Lee Abernathy and Mr. Floyd Morris sponsored the cooking, and did a wonderful job.

We surely missed Uncle Boney Wright this year. Sorry to hear he is not able to be out of bed but very little. We also missed others who always attend, but were absent due to death. We will be looking for you in 1959.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Bible and daughter of Houston spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Bible.

Dixie Jo Baugh spent Saturday night with Dixie Deal. Dixie Deal spent Sunday night with Dixie Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Abernathy and children, Rev. and Mrs. Traylor and son, visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Nick Buse and Earla.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Alma Forehand of Bangs is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart.

Naoma Henderson of Trickham spent Monday night with Frances Bryan.

Jackie Shields of San Antonio spent Friday night with his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney. Jackie is the son of the late Edgar (Jack) Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt of Fort Worth spent the weekend with Mrs. Dewitt's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Buse and Earla.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson and Cindy of Bay Town, spent Friday and Saturday nights with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nick Buse.

Mr. and Mrs. Greham Fitzpatrick and children spent Easter Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Snowden of Lohn.

Mr. Earl Cozart spent the weekend with his sisters in Goldthwaite. Sorry a brother-in-law

Cleveland News

By MRS. MANLEY F. BLANTON

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Terry and daughters of Fort Worth, spent the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cupps.

Mrs. Duane Williams and children and Jerry Phillips from Pecos, spent from Thursday to Monday with Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Blanton. Mrs. Williams and children visited Friday evening and night with Mr. and Mrs. Westly Williams.

Mrs. Nelda Clifton and son of Andrews are spending the week in the Robert Clifton home. Mr. and Mrs. Clifton came home from Dallas Sunday, where Mr. Clifton has been in Maxfield Clinic for two weeks.

Those spending Easter Sunday in our home were Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Blanton and children of Kemper, Mrs. Andy Gibbs and children of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Blanton and sons, Mrs. Duane Williams and children and Jerry Phillips, all of Pecos.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sikes and son of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Schulle and daughter of Coleman, attended church at Cleveland Sunday.

Mrs. M. F. Blanton and Mrs. Duane Williams were business visitors in Coleman Friday.

Mrs. B. C. Cox of Brownwood visited here Monday with her sister, Miss Mollie Lowe.

Boys leather Regulation Little League Shoes, Special \$4.99, Kerr's Shoe Store, Coleman.

Mr. P. K. Caraway is in very poor health. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lovelady of Gatesville, visited with Earl in Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris attended memorial services for Mr. Bush in Richland Springs, Wednesday. We extend sympathy to the bereaved family. The Bush family are former residents of our community.

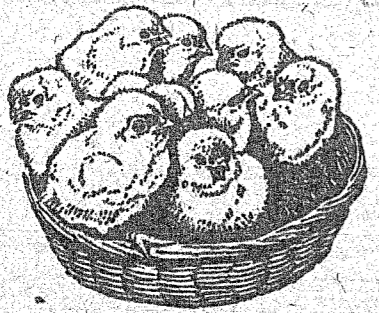
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rehm of Uvalde, visited in the Dick Deal home Sunday afternoon.

Sammie Shields attended church at the Nazarene Church in Brownwood Sunday.

Curtis Lee Shields of Dyess AFB, spent the weekend in the Dave Shields home.

Mrs. Zack Bible spent Wednesday with Mrs. Earl Cozart and Mrs. Alma Forehand.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackman and children of Dallas spent Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart.



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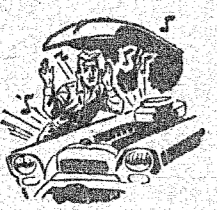
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A TALE OF OLD SHOES

By Alice Wernherr

"HEELS, please," the lady said, putting a pair of worn brown shoes on the counter. "Leather?" asked Fred. "Leather," answered the lady. Fred nodded, took the shoes and returned to his workbench. For a heart throb or two, he sat still and looked out of the window. School was over, boys and girls filled the square, walking and running, swinging their cases with books. Fred sat on his workbench, pressing the pair of old brown shoes against his heart, on the spot, where the pain was and the longing. He looked at the last girl, who came running out of the building across the square, a dancing red dot against the gray of the houses and the blue of the sky. The skirt of the poppy red dress swirled around her brown knees, the ponytail bounced like a wild little horse's mane. "Will the shoes be ready soon?" the lady asked. She sat in the booth and wriggled her stockinged toes. "No time at all," Fred replied. Shoes—shoes—shoes—downtrodden, wornout shoes, begging for help. A hospital for ailing shoes, Fred thought. Not that he disliked shoes. He understood that his father wanted him to help with the business, because times were hard and he could not afford hired help. What else could he do than take Fred out of school and put him into the world of heels and soles, leather and rubber? Personalities No, he did not mind the shoes, Fred mused, one could come to like shoes and understand them if one lived with them eight hours a day. There were shoes that looked like gentlemen and ladies, slightly impoverished, perhaps, but still of a nobility. Others looked like tramps, shamelessly displaying their defects, a devil-may-care grin in the wrinkles of their never-polished leather. Some looked like

dancehall-dandies, their heels all worn down from bee-pop and rock n'roll. I wonder, Fred thought, who is going to take Carol to the high school dance next Saturday—last year, it was I. School days, school dreams, school love, Fred told himself. He lived in the somber and responsible world of shoes now, and could not be bothered with a poppy red dress over sunburned knees and a provocative pony tail. "Here are your shoes," Fred said to the lady. "As good as new." "Thank you," the lady said pleased "you are a very efficient young man." Fred returned to his bench. "Let's start with the dancehall dandy shoes," he thought "may belong to some kid from high school—maybe the guy, who is going to take Carol." There was the throbbing again, on the left side of his chest, just where the heart is beating. "Hi, Fred," a voice said from the door. "Carol," stammered Fred. "Here are my slippers," Carol said, "the ones I wore at the last dance. Mom said, they are like new yet—only the heels are all crooked, because we danced the whole night through—remember, Fred?" "Yes," Fred said, "I remember." "You can fix them, though, can't you, Fred? We want to dance all night through again, don't we, Fred?" "We—"Fred stammered, "you mean, you are not going with one of the boys from school?" "Oh, the school boys—" Carol said disdainfully and wrinkled her little nose. "I would like to go with a business man like you, Fred. Will you take me?" "Of course," Fred said and hoped the shoes would muffle the loud beating of his heart, "of course I'll take you, Carol. I am not at all hardboiled businessman yet."

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Farm Housing Program Expanded

An expanded farm housing loan program, designed to speed up farm building construction improvement as well as act as an additional anti-recession measure, was announced recently by Walter T. McKay, Farmers Home Administration State Director, according to John H. Curry, the agency's local County Supervisor.

Now an owner of a farm in agricultural production and on which the operator plans to produce at least \$400 worth of farm commodities for sale or home use may qualify for the 4 percent long-term housing loan provided that he meets other standard eligibility requirements.

Formerly an eligible applicant had to own a farm that produced a more substantial part of the operator's annual cash income.

Loans may be made to build, improve, or repair farm houses or other essential farm buildings, and to provide water for farmstead and household use. Mr. Curry said that in addition to financing major construction, the loan funds can help meet many other needs for farm and farm home modernization such as adding bathrooms, utility rooms, better kitchens, and many other improvements to the home as well as to farm service buildings. While tenants and farm laborers are not eligible, the owner may borrow to do the construction work or make improvements for them.

The loans are made to farm owners who need credit to finance building improvements or repairs, but find that adequate credit is not available through banks or other regular credit channels. The interest rate is 4 percent and loans may be amortized over periods up to 33 years.

Eligibility for loan assistance is determined by the three-member County Farmers Home Administration committee, and applications are now being accepted in FHA County offices.

The Coleman County office is located in room 414, County State Bank Building.

Liberty Community Month Meeting Has Good Attendance

By Mrs. A. L. Oder

The regular once-a-month Community Get-together was held in the Community Building at Liberty, Saturday night.

Those going out from town to enjoy the occasion were: Cecil Curry, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith, Mrs. John Gray, Mrs. J. F. Goen, Mrs. Roy Stockard and Mrs. A. L. Oder.

The night was rather chilly but their nice building was very comfortable with good fires.

There was a very good local attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pittard were missed. Mrs. Pittard was moved to her home from the Coleman hospital on Saturday. She had been a patient in the hospital about a week.

Those present mostly engaged in games of dominoes or "42". All partook of the nice refreshments of a variety of cakes, cookies and pies and there was plenty of coffee and hot chocolate for refills. One lovely big white cake was made by Glenda Vineyard, just 12 years old. She has demonstrated her culinary ability on several occasions in the other clubs and communities besides her own.

Mrs. A. D. Hunter had members of her family with her for Easter, as follows: Harper Hunter of Midland, and David Hunter and family of Abilene. The David Hunters also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunn.

Extra Special: First quality, full fashion hose 98c each or 3 pair for \$2.69. Ladies Shop

E. B. Morgan came in on Friday night from Mexico, where he is employed. He got his wife home on Sunday from a stay of about a week in the Santa Anna Hospital. She and the son stay in the W. M. Morgan home, while the husband and father is away working.

The four children of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Frangle of Lamarque, Texas, Richard, Carolyn Barlett and Jeanette, visited a part of the Easter holidays with their aunt, Mrs. Martin Lehnis, Mr. Lehnis and Marti in Brownwood and part of the time in Santa Anna with their grandmother, Mrs. G. F. Barlett. The Frangles and the Lehnises all had supper with Mrs. Barlett Sunday night. The Frangles left for home from Brownwood Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Norval Wylie visited Saturday night and Sunday in Fort Worth with the Basil Gilmores. Mr. Gilmore, who recently had surgery, is reported to be doing very well.

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 - MIXED VEGETABLES - Package 19¢
 - PEAS, Green - Package 19¢
 - SPINACH, Leaf - Package 19¢
 - STRAWBERRIES - Package 19¢

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- SQUASH lb. 10c
 - GREEN BEANS lb. 19c
 - NEW POTATOES lb. 10c
 - ORANGES, Texas Sweet 5-lb. Sack 49c
 - GRAPEFRUIT, Texas 5-lb. Sack 49c
 - BANANAS lb. 12c
 - CORN Kounty Kist Can 15c

- 25-Oz. Square Jar Libby's Home Style PICKLES 34c
- Reynolds Aluminum FOIL 25 Ft. 29c
- HEINZ VINEGAR Qt. 25c

FRESH STRAWBERRIES
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ROAST 7-Bone
Pound .49

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