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Mountain Echoes

By Barbara Kingsbery

Congratulations to the 4-H singing group for winning a blue ribbon at the state talent contest last week. Adult sponsors say the youngsters are already planning to enter the contest again next year, with the sweepstakes award as their goal.

A group of enterprising children had brisk business on Monday at their lemonade stand on the downtown sidewalk. They had walk-up, drive-in, and delivery service most of the day, and the lemonade was extra good, too.

We all have heard stories of the dangers of frontier life, and that men and women were armed most of the time. However we thought Coleman County was a little less dangerous until just recently. A friend stopped by the Hollis Watson home to visit with Mrs. Watson who was picking beans in her garden. "Tony" was wearing a pistol and holster in the pea patch! It seems the Watsons have killed so many rattlesnakes in the garden that it is simpler to have a gun available than to go get one, and perhaps lose the snake in the process. Mrs. Watson had killed two snakes the morning she had her visitor.

Much is being said about the changes in the postal service in our town. Beginning Sunday there will be no postal service on Sundays. Several people have phoned and written our congressmen to protest the change, and we will know soon if the order can be rescinded. Most of us protest the lack of Sunday service more than the change (no window service) on Saturdays.

If the Post Office is not open on Sunday, local newsstands can expect a booming business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes are experts on gardenia gardening and have thriving gardenias at their home. Mrs. Barnes has shared the fragrant blossoms with friends and neighbors each time they bloom, and this week Mr. Barnes was passing out the blooms to friends in town.

The local little league ball team has had a fine season, winning many games and being tied for the county championship during the first half of the season. Local people are encouraged to attend the games here and out-of-town, and to support the boys as they vie for the Coleman County championship.

We also add our praises to the men in the community who serve as coaches and managers of the ball teams. They help provide the summer activities for many local boys.

TRAFFIC LAWS MAKE PROGRAM FOR HD COUNCIL

The Coleman County Home Demonstration Council is sponsoring a county-wide program, "New Traffic Safety Laws in Texas," at 2:00 p. m. Thursday, June 11 (today). The meeting will be held in Coleman with Bob Hutchins, Safety Patrolman of Abilene, in charge.

The 30-minute program will be on the five new traffic safety laws, with some time for questions and answers. The public is invited to attend.

LOCAL DAIRYMAN NOMINEE FOR NATIONAL DIRECTOR OF JERSEY ORGANIZATION

Felton Martin of Trickham, prominent Jersey breeder and dairyman, has been nominated for director of the American Jersey Cattle Club from one of the 12 districts represented in the national organization. Martin is a third

Time Extended For Enrollment In H. S. English

Registration is continuing through this week for the summer English classes at Santa Anna High School. Plans are for courses in sophomore and junior English to be taught for credit during the next six weeks.

Students who have failed the courses may be taught free of charge. Students who wish to take the course for initial credit will be charged tuition.

Mrs. Terry McIver will be teacher for the classes, and students interested are urged to enroll this week.

ECHO CUTOFF FM PROJECT TO BE PAVED

Contracts for highway construction in the Brownwood district have been awarded by the Texas Highway Commission. The work will be under the supervision of the District Engineer E. M. Pritchard of Brownwood, and will include a five mile project north of Santa Anna.

J. P. Brocksch Construction Co. of Brownwood was awarded a contract for grading structures, base and surfacing of the project which will be an extension of FM 1176. Low bid was \$190,402.47.

The project extends from the junction of FM 2302, south to the junction of FM 568. J. P. McWilliams of Coleman is the Highway Dept. engineer in charge of the project which will take an estimated 180 working days.

The FM extension is the unpaved section of road known as the Echo "cutoff" north of Santa Anna.

Tom Stewardson Gets DDS Degree

Tom Stewardson, son of Mrs. Tom Stewardson and the late Mr. Stewardson, graduated from the University of Texas Dental School in Houston on Monday, June 1. A 1963 graduate of Santa Anna High School, Dr. Stewardson plans to open his practice in Brownwood. His new office is under construction in the Camp Bowie area near the Brownwood Community hospital with completion expected in August.

Attending the graduation last week were Mrs. Tom Stewardson, Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Dunaway of Dallas and Mrs. Linda Slusher and Steve of Odessa.

REV. BREWER AT CAMP

Rev. Bill Brewer is at North Fort Hood for two weeks attending the National Guard camp. He left last Sunday and will return Sunday, June 21.

Rev. Brewer, who is a chaplain, holds the rank of captain in the National Guard.

generation Jersey breeder and with his father, J. H. Martin, operates the Martin Dairy and Jersey farm at Trickham. Felton Martin has been active in dairy circles of Texas since 1948 and has served as officer in the Texas Purebred Dairy Cattle Association and the Texas Jersey Cattle Club, including president during the Diamond Jubilee Year in 1968. He is currently on the executive board of directors of the Texas Jersey Cattle Club.

Martin served as a B-17 bomber pilot during World War II, and is presently a lieutenant colonel in the Air Force Reserve. He taught school for one year after receiving his degree from Howard Payne College, and before entering the Jersey business with his father.

The Martin family is active in all phases of leadership in the dairy and Jersey industry, working with 4-H and FHA youth programs, including promotion of the Jersey show at the West Texas State Fair at Abilene. The Martin children have all exhibited Jerseys in shows throughout the nation, including the All-American show.

The Martins are parents of four children: Bill, Ann, Janice and Paul. Bill is currently serving with the armed forces in Panama after attending Texas Tech University as a dairying student. Ann is a spring graduate of SAHS and will attend Texas Tech this fall. Janice is a sophomore at SAHS and Paul is a student in the elementary school.

"GARAGE" SALE SET SATURDAY

The SAHS drill team is planning a "garage" sale on Saturday at the Lions Club building. The sale will begin at 9:00 a. m. and continue until 6:00 p. m.

Proceeds from the fund raising project will be used to purchase uniforms for the newly organized group.

Local people are invited to go by Saturday and browse around among the miscellaneous items.

GRAIN HARVEST NOW UNDERWAY

Area farmers have had a week of good weather in which to harvest their grain crops, and both local elevators are busy handling the grain.

The Santa Anna Coop elevator is handling only wheat and has unloaded over 6,000 bushels early in the week. The wheat quality is very good, according to Pierre Rowe, but yields are light—eight to 25 bushels per acre. The wheat is bringing \$1.20 per bushel.

Over 60,000 bushels of oats and about 7,000 bushels of wheat have been unloaded early this week at the Continental Grain elevator in town, according to R. C. Smith. The oats will mostly go into government storage at Brownwood, netting 65 cents per bushel. The oats is of good quality but the yield is poor, averaging about 30 bushels per acre for most farmers.

A grain elevator has been opened at Gouldbusk, and good yields are reported in that area. There is a large wheat acreage in the Mozelle-Gouldbusk area and the test and yield is reported to be very good.

SUMMER SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED FOR CITY LIBRARY PATRONS

The City Library will be open each weekday during the summer under the Neighborhood Youth Corps program. Kitty Phillips, a NYC worker, will serve as summer librarian with the hours to be from 9:00 to 12:00 a. m. and 1:00 to 3:00 p. m.

Many new books have been added to the local library in recent months under an exchange-loan program with the Brownwood public library, and almost any book can be obtained for local readers through the program, including many large print editions for those with impaired eyesight.

SWIM PROGRAM TO BEGIN HERE MON., JUNE 29

The summer swimming program for local children is scheduled to begin on Monday, June 29. The Summer Recreation Association, sponsor of the program, is headed by Mrs. Elgean Harris.

Local children will be taken by bus to the Coleman pool each weekday for the swimming lessons. Only children needing basic instruction will be taken this year as there will be no classes for advanced swimmers. Members of the Coleman school athletic staff will teach the swimming.

The cost will be 15c a day for each child, which will include cost of instruction and transportation. The bus will leave the high school at 10:30 each morning and return at about 12:30 p. m.

Mothers are needed to chaperone the group each day and volunteers are asked to contact Mrs. Harris.

The swimming program has been held for years and hundreds of local children have learned to swim with the instruction. The program is made possible through the cooperation of many local people.

Ronald L. Mackey Gets Promotion With Mobil Oil

R. L. Mackey, a native of Abilene, has been promoted to field auditor in Mobil Oil Corporation's southwest marketing division, Dallas. He has been with Mobil since July, 1956.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Mackey of Clyde, R. L. attended Santa Anna High School with the class of 1950, and also attended Ranger Junior College and Hardin-Simmons University.

He is married to the former Iris Beavers of Terrell. The couple has three children.

CORRECTION

The name of Mrs. Edd Hartman was inadvertently omitted from the list of people completing the Red Cross first aid course, published in the NEWS last week.

Singers Win Blue Ribbon At State 4-H Round-up

Local Group Entertains At Program



STATE WINNERS . . . The Santa Anna senior 4-H singing group were blue ribbon winners in the Texas 4-H Roundup at A&M University last week. Members of the group are seated left to right, Sherrie McIver, Ricky Jones, Jana Eubank, Janice Martin, and Tony Allen, and back row, Randy Long, Rickey Beal, Jimmy Benton and David Horner. Mrs. Bruce Hornell and Mrs. Terry McIver are adult sponsors of the group.

The Santa Anna 4-H singing group, winners of the district talent contest, received a blue ribbon in the state Stare-the-Fun contest at the annual Texas 4-H Roundup held at A&M University last week. There were six blue ribbons awarded from the 24 entries from throughout the state. The entry from Ochiltree County was sweepstakes winner for the state contest.

The local group was one of three singing groups chosen to entertain at the Thursday night program for the entire Roundup delegation.

Members of the group are Jana Eubank, Janice Martin, Tony Allen, Sherrie McIver, Randy Long, Rickey Beal, David Horner, Ricky Jones, and Jimmy Benton. Also accompanying the group to College Station were Meses Terry McIver, Bruce Hornell, Carl Benton, and Richard Hornell. Mr. and Mrs. James Eubank and Norma Jo attended the Thursday contest.

An Editorial

People of the Santa Anna community have enthusiastically joined in the drive to purchase the National Guard Armory building for use as a community civic center. We all feel fortunate to be able to obtain such a fine facility at such a reasonable price.

Most local clubs and organizations have made substantial donations for the purchase of the building, with the first installment already made. However, many people in the area have wished to help with the promotion of the new center but hesitated to make small donations. Large oaks from small acorns grow! The few dollars from many interested citizens can help furnish and improve the much needed civic center.

The Community Civic Center committee, composed of city and community leaders, is planning a drive for sustaining memberships in the CCC association, with donors to the fund to be acknowledged for their contributions. Letters inviting donations will be mailed soon to all local and area people. Those who have expressed interest in the CCC project and offered to help may now do so.

Santa Anna people have always worked for the improvement of the community, and what better way can we show our support than to help equip the spacious and convenient new Community Civic Center.

B. K.

SUMMER PRE-SCHOOL PROGRAM GETS UNDERWAY NEXT MONDAY

The summer Headstart program for pre-school children is to begin next Monday, June 15, for an eight-weeks session. Mrs. Sue Newman and Tommie Tate will be teachers for the class, assisted by Mrs. Syble Dean and Mrs. Fern Baker, aides.

Mrs. Loeta Pape is part-time supervisor of the session, coordinating activities, volunteer workers, and special programs. Mrs. Edna Wells is nurse for the class, in charge of health services.

About 20 children, including five or six from the Mozelle school district, are to be enrolled for the season. Classes will be from about 9:00 a. m. until 1:30 p. m. each weekday.

Buses will pick up children beginning next Monday, but it may be several days before all routes are adjusted to serve all locations adequately. The Headstart program is the fourth in as many years, and has proved beneficial to students and teachers in the primary grades.

Parents and other visitors

CIC MEETING TONIGHT

The Community Improvement Club will meet Thursday night (tonight) at the telephone building at 7:00 p. m. All interested people are urged to be present for the meeting.

Norman Walters is chairman of the community organization.

are welcome to visit the class at any time during the eight weeks session.

S. A. METS LEAD COUNTY LEAGUE

The Santa Anna Mets little league ball team is tied for the lead in the Coleman County league at the beginning of the second half of play, and are also tied with the Coleman Tigers for the first half championship. The playoff for the first half will be scheduled soon, according to Mets manager Bob Burton.

The next game on the schedule for the Mets will be on Friday night at 8:00 p. m. at the local ball park with the Talpa Yankees.

SENIOR LEAGUE

The Orioles, the senior league team, was defeated by the Coleman Astros on Monday night at Coleman. The local boys will play Thursday night (tonight) at 8:00 o'clock with the Coleman Pirates at the local ball park.

The Orioles have two losses, one win and one tie in the second half of play.

MINOR LEAGUE

The minor league Cats won their game 19-5 over the Coleman Bears Monday night at the local ball park. They are scheduled to play tonight at the local park with the Mozelle Aggies.

Self Culture Will Sponsor Relief Project

Collection will be made all day Friday at the Santa Anna Lions' Club building of articles for relief of victims of the recent Lubbock tornado. The project is being sponsored by the Self Culture Club.

Mrs. C. D. Bruce is chairman of the project and Mrs. J. C. Mathews is co-chairman, and other members of the club will also be on hand at the Lions' Club to accept and bundle the donations.

Most needed of anything, the Lubbock Salvation Army head told Mrs. Bruce, is every kind of bedding, and after that the need is for summer clothing of every size and kind.

The City of Santa Anna will transport the donations to the Salvation Army warehouse at Lubbock. Posters for store windows were made by Leslie McCreary and Serena Brown, and assisting the club members in handling the articles will be a number of teen-agers.

C. W. AUTRY, 42, DIES SUDDENLY

Funeral services were held in Lubbock on Wednesday afternoon for C. W. Autry, 42, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Autry of Santa Anna, who died of a heart attack Monday night in a Lubbock hospital. Burial was in Lubbock.

Born in San Angelo on August 20, 1928, he was married to the former Patsy Fulton of Santa Anna in 1950. He had lived in Lubbock for the past 15 years where he was in business.

Survivors are the wife and four sons, Mike, Wayne, Steve and Keith, all of Lubbock; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Autry of Santa Anna; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Jo Ricks of San Angelo and Mrs. Ann Smith of McCombs; one brother, Martin L. Autry of San Angelo.

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In Our Opinion

By W. T. HAYS

THE STOCK MARKET is a good barometer for business in the United States and as the market falls, usually business falls off with it. Then when it begins to climb, up goes business. It seems to be a psychological thing, and people react by tightening up on spending when the market looks bad, whether it really affects them or not.

The market has steadily dropped in the last couple of months, and business has reflected it somewhat.

The bad thing is that the market reflects the people and what the administration in power does is reflected in the market. At best, it is a gamble and when people lose confidence in government or began to wonder what will happen next, the economy of the nation reacts adversely.

There are a lot of things wrong right now, and this writer wouldn't presume to know all the answers, but it is our firm belief that if some of those in government who see nothing good, and everything bad, could be shut up, things might look a little better. In this day of mass and speedy communication, the news media tends to play up sensational items until these characters are about all the people read about. In turn the people began to wonder what will come next.

The administration's lack of action in trying to stem inflation is responsible for a lot of the loss of confidence. They have done nothing to help the people caught in the middle with fixed incomes and rising prices. The result is that people don't know what to expect so they tighten up with their money, business falls off, industry lays off employees, business falls off again, and so on goes the cycle, until we are in a recession whether the administration will admit it or not.

To top it all off, there is no indication that there will be any changes. Much of the attitudes taken by the administration has tended to aggravate the situation rather than help.

Wouldn't it be great to go back to the days of private enterprise, without government intervention, and see just what individual initiative could do again?

WELL ON FOR THE DAY when the situation in the United States warrants editorials that can be optimistic. We get awfully tired of writing week after week things that are critical of something, but it has been said that newspaper editors have to be crusaders at heart in order to be successful. That does not mean successful financially, because sometimes they are penalized financially for standing up for what they believe to be right. But usually they are a hard-headed lot. They continue to write what they believe.

Most of them feel an obligation to inform the people as to what is going on. They are egotistic in thinking that they know the true situation, and have a conviction that if the people are informed they will react and errors will be corrected.

This writer was elated at the reaction to the editorial on the postal situation last week. We know of many people who did as we suggested and wrote to their Congressman and Senators in protest. We will soon know whether it helped or not.

But if editorials can accomplish one thing they will be successful. That is stimulating an interest in a passive people to the point where they get active in shaping the destiny of their own country. Americans, unlike many other nationalities, are slow to wake up to situations that they disagree with. They have to be driven to the wall, almost, before they get into the act. However, when they do start, there is usually plenty of action.

We would like to see the people of this area let the Congress know they exist. They don't realize the impact that letters have on a public official. Most of the Legislators want to do what their constituents want them to, and mail is the best way to inform them.

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STATE Capital NEWS By VERN SANFORD

AUSTIN—Pollution of Texas beaches brought strong recommendations to Senate committees for curbs on offshore oil exploration, vigorous enforcement of anti-spill regulations and creation of a national oil company.

Senate beach and pipeline study committees listened to a full day of testimony. Highlights included:

• Complaint of pipeline committee consultant Terence O'Rourke said Texas would have a fund of "millions of dollars" from fines to combat pollution of strong enforcement were the rule. Railroad Commission Chief Enforcement Officer Roy Payne acknowledged under questioning that the Commission has never filed lawsuit to punish accidental pollution through spills.

• Statement by Sen. A. R. Schwartz of Galveston that the oil industry should not be permitted to drill in coastal waters until it can give assurances it has technology to prevent spills.

Recommendation of Sen. D. Roy Harrington of Port Arthur that double safety devices be installed on high coastal rigs so emergency manual shut-offs could be used when automated equipment fails or is destroyed by fires.

• Suggestion by Austin journalist Ronnie Dugger that a national oil company be established to produce oil on public lands. Dugger said former Gov. Ross Sterling, himself an oil company executive, as far back as 1931 had proposed the state drill its own oil and that President Nixon's task force wants the federal government to finance exploration and development of an emergency standby reserve.

• Recommendation by governor's aide John Shanahan Jr. for tighter rules over oil industry operating in state waters and legislative designation of responsibility for oil spill contingency planning.

COURTS SPEAK — In district court cases at Houston and El Paso, Atty. Gen. Crawford C. Martin won first judicial orders checking air pollution by trash burning and industrial smoke. Civil penalties were assessed in the Robert's Dump case, Houston. An El Paso smelting and refining firm was given deadlines for installing anti-pollution devices.

Supreme Court held that cities under 5,000 (Lindale) cannot annex territory without consent of the people living in the area.

High Court set July arguments on the issue of whether an insurance company (Allstate) issuing uninsured motorist coverage should be allowed to enter court against its own policy holder on the side of uninsured drivers to prove its client was partly at fault or his injuries less than claimed.

Supreme Court reversed the \$42,892 judgement awarded a 79-year-old woman injured in

a stairway fall at Houston's Astrodome.

Attorney General announced acceptance of voluntary compliance from a Beaumont housewares franchiser, agreeing to discontinue advertising and sales practices questioned as deceptive.

APPOINTMENTS — Former State Rep. Bill Hollowell of Grand Saline is the new director of hearings and permits for Texas Water Quality Board. Jim Showen, who served as acting director, will continue to serve as senior hearing examiner.

Houston Mayor Louis Welch was named to a vacancy (succeeding Al Henry, also of Houston) on the Texas Criminal Justice Council.

San Antonio public relations man Jim Battersby was named executive vice-president of Discover Texas Association to replace James M. Gaines, who became director of HemisFair Plaza in San Antonio. Headquarters of the privately-supported tourist-promotion group also moved with Battersby from Austin to San Antonio.

SHOULD JP'S BE LAWYERS? — State Bar will take up a resolution at its San Antonio convention July 2 urging the legislature to require urban county judges and justices of the peace have credentials as lawyers.

Resolution suggests attorney qualifications for judges of counties over 50,000 and for JP's in counties over 200,000. Among other resolutions on the agenda is one seeking higher pay for lawyers in military service.

REGULATORY AUTHORITY SOUGHT — State Department of Agriculture has requested power to outlaw chemical compounds harmful to public health.

Commissioner John C. White also proposed in a meeting of the Interim Legislative Study Committee on Land Use and Environmental Control that the legislature regulate disposing of pesticides and chemical compounds that are no longer needed, no longer used or banned from use.

Committee called the meeting following a report on cumulative effects of the pesticide DDT on animals.

White repeated his previous statement that he knows of no case in which humans have been harmed as a result of the use of DDT in agriculture.

Same Committee was told by a Florida biologist that oysters taken from the Arroyo Colorado area of Laguna Madre had the highest DDT concentrations of any in the nation. This, the biologist said, is a reflection of intense agricultural activity in the Rio Grande Valley. Oysters, according to the same authority, are not killed by DDT, but fish that eat them are.

A Texas Parks and Wildlife Department spokesman said hydrocarbons (such as DDT)

cannot continue to be used without serious degradation of the world ecological system.

OBSCENITY CRACKDOWN — Federal court in Dallas held that almost all of the new state obscenity control law is constitutional, and Attorney General Martin predicted a crackdown on distribution of obscene material will result.

Only section of the law invalidated was one allowing seizure of material without a hearing.

Ruling rejected requests for injunction by book stores and movie houses in Dallas, Arlington and Lubbock.

SMALL TOWNS IN TROUBLE — Noting preliminary census figures discouraging to many communities, Gov. Preston Smith said revitalizing small towns of Texas may be tougher than starting them.

"Right now," said Smith in a speech at Crane, "the people of Texas — whether they live in the largest city or the smallest rural community — have some problems as tough for them as were those that confronted the 'frontier busters.' In many respects, our challenge and our task are more demanding and much more complex. The preliminary reports on the census of so many of our smaller cities spell out in box-car size letters that as much tenacity — just plain guts — is required to tackle that job as the old-timers needed."

WEIGHTS EQUIPMENT ACCEPTED — National Bureau of Standards presented the state with \$80,000 worth of weights and measures standards and calibration equipment.

Precision instruments will be used in the new Department of Agriculture Weights and Measures Laboratory just dedicated here. Equipment is first of kind officially issued to states by the federal government since the 1840's, and the Governor said it will benefit industry, commerce and consumers by insuring just and fair transactions.

SHORT SNORTS
State received \$35,000 federal grant for its training program for local government personnel.

School teachers attending inservice training during August must be paid at higher new salary schedules for 1970-71, Attorney General Martin held in a recent opinion.

Revenue from cigarette taxes increased \$4,598,990 to \$15,516,491 from May, 1969, to

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ASC News...

by Joe K. Taylor

The County Committee will check all 1969 oats that are offered for resale. The bins will be rechecked and the quality of the oats will be checked, particularly to determine if any weevils are in the grain. If we find weevils, farmers will be required to treat the grain in order to kill the weevils. This will be done before the resale is approved.

Farmers are again reminded that they are responsible for the condition of the grain. If and when it is delivered and it is poor quality, the deterioration could mean a loss to the farmer.

There are provisions in the cotton and feed grain programs for crop loss due to natural disaster. Approval of program benefits including

May, 1970, Treasurer Jesse James reports.

City of Corpus Christi's plan for emergency oil spill action is being held up as a model for other communities.

University of Texas regents authorized a project for examining artifacts recovered from sunken Spanish ships in the Gulf of Mexico.

Removal of litter from Texas highways cost \$1.9 million a year — enough to build 45 miles of farm-to-market roads or three miles of primary highways — says Texas Highway Department.

Liberal Democrat "Rebuilding Committee" has launched a campaign against Democratic Gov. Preston Smith and Democratic Senate nominee Lloyd Bentsen.

natural disaster cases rest with the county ASC committee. Producers filing a request for acreage credit must have made genuine efforts to plant and grow the crop in a workmanlike manner.

Each farmer who files for this provision of the program will have the farm visited to determine if it was possible to plant a crop or a part of the crop. The land to be planted must appear to have been unable to be planted within the final planting date for cotton which is June 15.

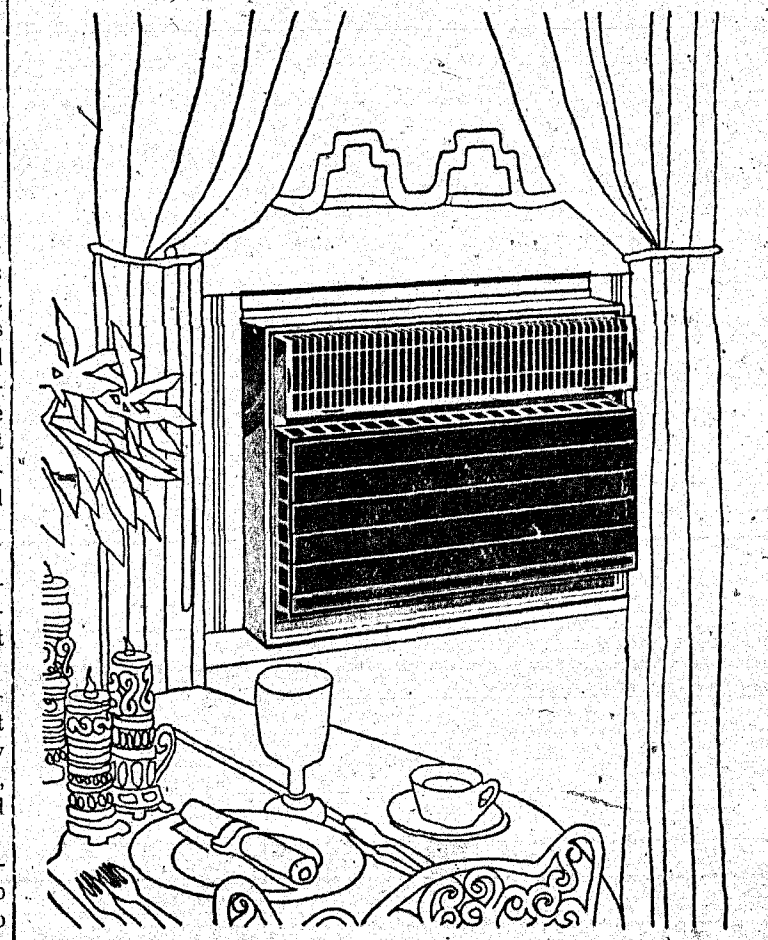
Farmers who fall to get a stand of cotton are required to replant this cotton by June 15 if at all possible.

The provisions apply only to farmers who signed up in the 1970 feed grain and cotton programs and then were unable to plant or grow the program crops because of natural disaster.

Farmers are again reminded to certify their crops when their planting is completed. Early certification may mean early payment.

Only two persons had signed the Declaration of Independence when it was proclaimed July 4, 1776.

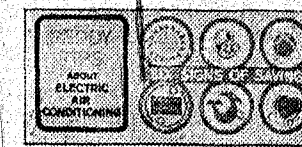
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28 Years Ago In The News

The following stories are from the December 1942 issues of the NEWS:

Miss Gale Collier, who will receive her A. B. degree from Daniel Baker College in May, is among those students who will be listed in the new issue of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

Santa Anna will probably hear the air raid alarm system in action Monday, Dec. 7. The system will be tested on that date.

Everyone will listen for this alarm Monday. The fire siren and the bells of the Presbyterian and Christian Churches will constitute the alarm system.

The public is urged to report in event you fail to hear the test alarm; unless we hear from you it will be accepted that our Air Raid System is sufficient.

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Piano pupils of Mrs. Arthur Turner were presented in informal recital Saturday in the home of Mrs. Turner. Those appearing were Paula Ruth Holt, Patsy Crump, Elaine Burgett, Ann Priddy, Sue England Peggy Crump, Rita Campbell, Betty Sue Todd, Linda Stewardson, La Wanda Benton, Fred Oakes, Helen Day, Sarah Frances Moseley, and Syble Simpson.

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H. W. Norris, student at A. & M. College, spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Norris. H. W. came by way of Austin and attended the sensational football game between the Texas Aggies and the Texas Longhorns.

FEATHERSTONE NEWS

Many people seem to think that our community is dead. Well, regardless of what they think we are very much alive and still able to buy war bonds and stamps, and enjoy ourselves. The folks here are so used to saying they are from Whom or Trickham one would scarcely know that Featherstone Community existed. But there really is.

Most other places have schools and churches, we have neither. But the people attend services at other places so you see we are not a backward place at all.

Frank E. McCreary, Jr., coach and teacher in the high school for the past two years, has resigned and joined the Army. Dorothy Sumner, who has been teaching social studies in the elementary school, has been moved to high school. This created a vacancy in the grade school that has not yet been filled.

Jurors called for the January session by Judge O. L.

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Trickham News Notes

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke

Rev. Travis Gibson, the Baptist minister of Lake Brownwood, filled his appointment Sunday morning and night. His wife was with him Sunday night.

Next Sunday the new Methodist minister, Rev. Ben McBride of Bangs, will preach here at 9:30 a. m. He would like to meet all members and others next Sunday.

Gayla Hornell and Orabeth McIver are sponsors of the 4-H singing group that went to the 4-H Roundup at A&M last Wednesday and came back Friday night. Also Sherrie McIver and Janice Martin from Trickham are in the group. We congratulate this group for getting a blue ribbon on their singing.

Visitors with the Grady McIvers last week were Royce and Wanda McIver and Sabrina and Britt of Abilene. Mrs. R. C. Smith and Vikki, Dick and Lori of Santa Anna.

Parish include the following from Santa Anna: N. R. Oakes, Roy West, O. A. Etheridge, Arty Irby, John Howard, Joe C. Barnes R. B. Hibbits, William Brown, George Johnson, M. C. Switzer, D. S. Baugh, L. E. Abernathy and Calvin Fuller.

Misses Myrie Ferguson, Carolyn Kingsbery, and Dorothy Douglas of TSCW, Denton are home for the holidays with their parents.

visited Sunday night. Doyne and Wanda McIver and children of Mesquite visited them from Monday to Wednesday. Terry McIver spent some time with the Grady McIvers while Orabeth was at A & M.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Bolton of Rockwall and grandson of Dallas visited over the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Florence Stearns, and Saturday evening they all visited the Ray Wells family in Coleman.

Tuesday morning Florence visited Fay Whitley at Bangs. Lou Vaughn visited Florence Sunday evening.

Jackie Fröge of Brownwood and Clyde Wooley of El Paso, daughter of Mrs. Robert Haynes of Brownwood were married Saturday night. They had a home wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes attended the wedding.

Berdie Miller of Santa Anna visited Irene Haynes, one evening last week.

We were sorry to hear Lula (Stacy) Hancock's husband had a stroke at his home in Brownwood Saturday and is in the Brownwood Community Hospital. The last report the doctor is running tests on him Monday. If affected him on one side.

Mrs. Zona Stacy is about the same, some of the children are with her all the time at the Twilight Nursing Home in Bangs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Griffin of Mathis visited his sister and husband and family, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mitchell. Also Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Mock and children and Mr. and Mrs. Damon Miller and children were with them over the weekend. Angela and J. Miller are spending this week with their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Martin went to Fort Worth last week to attend the graduation of their granddaughter, Donna Beth McSwain, from Paschal High School. Donna Beth graduated with honors and will attend Fort Worth Junior College this summer, en-

Shield News

By Mrs. E. S. Jones

Larry Rector of Albuquerque N. M., a student at ACC, Abilene and assistant minister of the Church of Christ, was here for services Sunday, and was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler.

Mrs. Hazel Jones of Burney, Calif., spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Scarborough. Weekend visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scarborough, Carol Ann and Charlie. Carol Ann remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McClure visited Sunday in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Eppler. Lea Meredith of El Paso is here for several weeks visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Milligan.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yancy and Mary during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Densman of Abilene, Mrs. Larry Sanders of Big Springs, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Densman of Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Densman and Dona Kay of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McDonald visited Wednesday in Stephenville with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Cobb and in Hico with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Murrell.

Visitors during the weekend of Mrs. E. S. Jones were: Francene Nix of Midland, David Watson of Fort Worth, Mrs. Allen Anderson, Mrs. tering TCU in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bransford of Kingsland visited her sister, Mrs. Bond Featherston on Thursday afternoon. They were on their way to Idaho for the summer. Keith Featherston and boys visited briefly with the Bond Featherstons Thursday evening.

Russie James and grandson, Pat, Jr. McShan visited us Saturday morning and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Looney visited the Oscar Boenicke's Saturday evening.

Visitors with Mamie Lancaster were Mr. and Mrs. Richey and Lucille and John Carter of Brownwood. Veta Lancaster of Bangs visited on Saturday evening. Doyne and Wanda McIver and children and Genia McIver and Allen visited one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy had most of their family with them over the weekend. Margie and Bob Sullivan and Carolyn and Robert of San Antonio, O. T. and Sue Stacy of Abilene, Tavy Marie and Bill Heidbrier of Ft. Worth.

The Oscar Boenicke's had dinner with part of the Boenicke family Wednesday at Pauline Boenicke's at Brownwood. In the afternoon we visited some friends, Mrs. Kathleen Lacy and mother. Her mother is able to be up most of the time.

Mrs. Wiley McClatchy visited Mrs. Grover Robertson and her sister, Mrs. Arnold, near Bangs Thursday evening, and Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hop Ashmore.

We are happy to have some pretty weather to combine the grain. So many combines are running in our community. If it stays pretty this week most of the grain will be cut.

Accent On Health

The season of fishing and boating enthusiasm is now in full swing. But those enjoyable occasions out at the lake or stream could turn into catastrophe unless a few simple rules are followed. The Texas State Department of Health reminds you that a safe summer of excitement and fun is in your hands.

All fishermen—experts and novices alike—should know how to swim, should know basic first aid, and have a first aid kit with them. Since fish hooks sometimes "catch" anglers as well as fish, carry needlenose pliers, wire cutters, and a pocket knife in your tackle box. Always keep hooks in covered containers. Always look before casting, and make certain you have room to do so without hooking someone else. Use an overhead cast when in a boat with others. It's much safer to fish with a companion, but when fishing alone, always leave word as to where you will be and when you plan to return. Wear thick-soled boots in densely wooded or masty areas. Do not wear waders while in a boat. Wade cautiously to avoid slipping on unseen rocks or stepping suddenly into deep water. Stay in open areas. Avoid swimmers, water skiers, and skin and scuba divers. Learn how to hold a fish properly while extracting a hook. Many species have sharp teeth or fins that can cause deep hand wounds.

All water skiers should know it takes a team effort, with at least three people involved—one person to ride behind the boat, one to steer with eyes front, and another to watch the skier and his hand signals. Although skimming 75 feet behind a powerboat doing 30 miles per hour may look dangerous, it need not be if you use the right sign language and follow a few safety rules. Even qualified swimmers should wear a flotation device while skiing, preferably a life jacket. Have a good communication system between the driver, the observer, and the skier. Learn the hand signal system developed by the American Water Ski Association. The skier can use these signals for everything from making turns to adjusting speed.

If you are involved in a boating accident, do not panic. The one most important factor in avoiding panic is training and preparation. Boaters wear life preservers. If you don't lose your head. Never overload the boat, and always insist that all passengers wear lift preservers. If the boat overturns, stay with the boat—it will float. Keep a level head, and practice the most important rule of them all—use common sense.

HOUSTON PEOPLE VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Robin, Joan and Walter, of Houston, visited during the past weekend in Santa Anna with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce, and with his father, Jim Robin who is a resident of Rolling Hills Lodge in Coleman. They returned to Houston Sunday.

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FOR SALE: Used TVs Refrigerators, Stoves, Washers and Freezers. Buy on terms to suit you. Geo. D. Rhone Co., Coleman, Texas. 31-tfc

FOR SALE: Napko Paints, inside and outside latex and enamels to match. Will mix any colors, desired. Winsteads Paint & Paper Store, 107 East Pecan, Coleman, Texas. 51-tfc

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Miscellaneous

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Special Notices

LODGE MEETING

Mountain Lodge No. 661 AF & AM will meet on Third Thursday each month at 7:30 p. m. Visitors are welcome. Clifford Elanton, Worshipful Master and H. A. Burden, Secretary.

Brownwood Cattle Auction

Date 6-3-70

MARKET: Buyer attendance was excellent. All classes, fat cattle, stockers, and feeders \$75 to \$150 higher. Fat cows were fully \$1.50 higher. Feeder steers and heifers were \$1.00 higher. Cow and calf pairs steady to \$10.00 higher.

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Bull Yearlings	28-30
Heifer Yearlings	26.50-30
Plain Feeder Steers	27-30
Plain Feeder Heifers	24-29
Cows and calves - pr.	
Good	240.00-265.00
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Stocker Cows	21-25
per head	160.00-190.0
Slaughter Cattle	
Fat calves	29-31
Fat cows	19-20.50
Utility and cutter cows	19-21.50
Canners	16-18.50
Shells	16-down
Stocker bulls	26-29
Slaughter bulls	25-27.25
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Willie Dudley, Gustine, 345 lb. blk. wf. str., 41.75; Ed Snodgrass, Brady, 1400 lb. hol. cow, 21.00 and 1280 lb. hol. cow, 20.80; L. S. Damon, B'wd, 1050 lb. wf. cow and calf \$287.50; Bate Atkinson, Grosvener, 785 lb. blk. cow, 20.25; C. A. Schuman, Comanche, 430 lb. wf. str., 37.75; Gore Bros. Comanche, 1340 hol. cow, 21.50; Joe Green, Zephyr, 200 lb. wf. calf, 50.00; John Carl Smith, Zephyr, 805 lb. char. bull, 29.25; A. P. Spence, Rising Star, 1430 lb. wf. bull, 27.50; Ed Fiveash, B'wd., 1615 lb. wf. bull, 27.10; C. M. Penn, B'wd., 465 lb. blk. str. 35.00; Ed Nabers, Blanket, 315 lb. wf. str., 43.50 and 330 lb. wf. hef. 35.50; Oliver Steel, B'wd., 510 lb. wf. str., 34.00.

Attend church regularly.

County Records Warranty Deeds

Raymond Moore to James T. Bledsoe—Property in Coleman County.

Ira D. Stone to Glenn L. Hagler—Property in the town of Coleman.

Jackie L. Mills to Ben J. Scott—Lots in the town of Coleman.

Thomas T. Laughlin to John J. Decker—Property in the town of Talpa.

Donald Ross Williams to Joe F. Grant—Property in the town of Coleman.

J. L. Crump, Jr., to Neoma Walker Collins—Property in Coleman County.

Santa Anna Independent School District to Wm. C. Mueller—Being 2 acres in Coleman County.

T. C. Rutherford to Jewell Owen—Property in the town of Coleman.

Thomas Dewitt Snead to Weldon Joyce—Lots in the town of Talpa.

Luling Oil and Gas Co., Inc. to Fred H. Harwell & Son—Three tracts in Coleman County.

J. D. Crawford to Ranch Properties, Inc.—Property in Coleman County.

A. Bickle to Vivian Stroheim—One lot in the town of Coleman.

A. E. Clevenger to Alvin Walker—Property in the town of Coleman.

R. L. Mitchell to George Holloway—Land in the town of Coleman.

Mrs. Elizabeth Reynolds to W. F. Barnes—Part of the J. W. Parker Addition to the town of Santa Anna.

M. E. Lear to William Frank Savage—1576.8 acres out of various surveys.

Oil, Gas, and Mineral Leases:

G. A. Cresswell to W. D. Young—Two tracts of land.

W. B. Johnson to Erwin E. Grimes—99.5 acres in Coleman County.

Assignments:

Pultz Oil Company to Otis Thompson—Carson—Crump Lease, containing 80 acres, more or less.

Luling Oil and Gas Co., Inc. to Fred H. Harwell & Son—Various surveys.

Marriage Licenses

Jackie Harold Miller to Terri Lynn Sluder
Terry Dale Middleton to Martha Lynn Willis
John Charles Richardson to Brenda Elaine Phillips
Gary Daniel Hector to Donna Kathleen Horton
Eddie Wayne Knight to Cynthia Elaine Moore
Donnie Lynn Campbell to Nancy Yvonne Alexander
Jimmie Don Fleming to Sharon Ann Steffey.

Fire Checklist Made By Gas Co. For Home Safety

Home fires in the U. S. take the lives of thousands of adults and children annually and injure many thousands more.

"Most of the victims," Lone Star Gas Co. manager, Travis Bohannon said, "will be children under five or senior citizens in the 65 and over age group."

Bohannon noted that Lone Star is sponsoring a home safety program through the company's Texas - Oklahoma distribution system to offer homeowners safety tips.

"Most of the potential fire hazards around our homes can be eliminated with a brief safety check," Bohannon added.

The following safety checklist, prepared in cooperation with the American Red Cross, is offered as a public service by Lone Star and the Santa Anna News:

Have your heating systems checked regularly by an expert.

Make sure several electrical appliances aren't connected to one outlet.

Free standing gas heaters should be fitted with semi-rigid connections (not rubber).

Keep clothes or drapes away from heating equipment.

Keep extension cords in the open and not strung around the room, over hooks or under carpet where they may wear and short circuit.

Have frayed cords replaced immediately by a competent electrician.

Never smoke in bed! Keep matches and lighters out of the reach of children. Put out all matches and cigarettes before disposing of them.

Keep your garage free of clutter and oil drippings. Do not let oil or chemical-soaked cloths accumulate in your garage or home. Store those you must keep in closed metal containers.

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The following are those who have renewed their subscriptions to the NEWS or are new subscribers:

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FATHER OF LOCAL MAN DIES IN DALLAS SUNDAY

Funeral services were scheduled to be held in Coleman this week for Herman J. Puckett, 62, of Fisk, the father of James Puckett of Santa Anna. Mr. Puckett died in the Baylor Hospital in Dallas where he had surgery on Saturday. Burial was to be in the Gouldbusk cemetery. Survivors are the wife of Fisk; three daughters, four sons, and 11 grandchildren.

MRS. WRISTEN ILL

Mrs. Thomas Wristen, Jr., is a patient in the West Texas Medical Center in Abilene. She was admitted Friday and is undergoing tests.

THE FAMILY LAWYER

Pupil Accident Insurance
Growing in popularity are insurance policies that cover the schoolchild in case of an accident. Since the idea is relatively new, a number of legal questions have arisen—notably, as to accidents that happen somewhere between the school and the home. Consider this case:

A schoolboy, starting home-ward after school, decided to make a slight detour in order to accompany a friend on a shopping errand. During the detour, the boy suffered a painful fall.

In due course, his parents tried to collect on a student accident policy, claiming that it covered their son while he was travelling to or from school, but the insurance company denied liability. "Our policy did cover him on the way home from school," the

company conceded in court, "but only if he was going 'directly' home. Here, although he was going home, he was not going directly. Therefore, this accident is not covered by the policy."

Nevertheless, the court decided the company would have to pay off.

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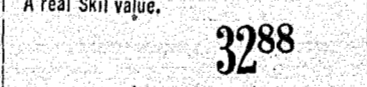
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CHAPTER OFFICERS INSTALLED AT EASTERN STAR CEREMONY

Mrs. Richard Bass was installed as Worthy Matron of the Santa Anna Eastern Star chapter in a closed installation service on Tuesday, June 2, at the Masonic Hall. This is the highest office in the local chapter.

Mrs. T. R. Damron of Blauvelt was installing officer. Others assisting were Mrs. Charlie Davis of Brownwood, installing marshal; Mrs. D. H. Williams of Coleman, installing chaplain; Mrs. Lee Lampkin of Brownwood, installing organist; Mrs. Hubert Lane of Bangs, installing secretary; Charlie Davis of Brownwood, installing warder, and D. H. Williams of Coleman, installing sentinel.

Other officers installed were: Mrs. Henry Newman, associate matron; H. A. Burden, worthy patron; Jack Bostick, associate patron;

Mrs. Cliff Herndon, secretary; Mrs. Blanche Grantham, treasurer; Mrs. Roy West, conductress; Mrs. Mae McDonald, organist; Mrs. Ethel Judd, associate conductress; Mrs. Jack Bostick, chaplain; Mrs. Zuda Henderson, marshal; Mrs. Janice Cozart, Adah; Mrs. Nora Goen, Ruth; Mrs. Edna Henderson, Esther; H. W. Gray, warder.

The colors of blue and white and the star emblem were used in decorations. Large blue stars outlined with ruffled net and centered with flowers were used throughout the room. Blue and white candles and arrangements of day lilies, abella, cannas and roses were used at focal points.

The theme for the year, "Light," and the motto and scripture were revealed. A large white Bible was flanked by candles in crystal hold-

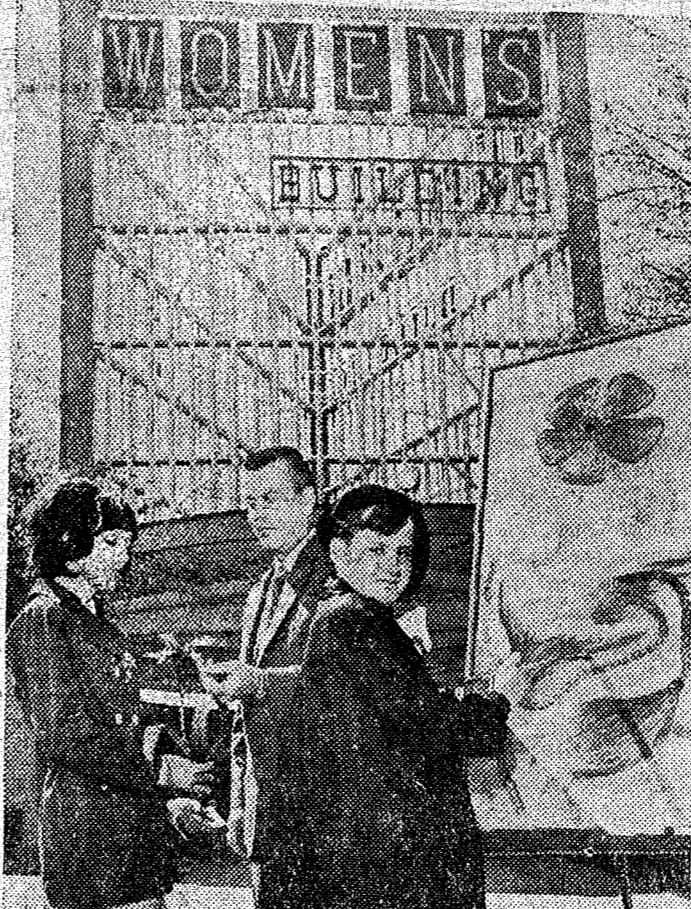
ers and arrangements of flowers.

Following the installation, an informal reception was held at the fellowship hall. The refreshment table was covered with a white linen cutwork cloth over blue, and centered with an arrangement of pink hydrangias, gladiolas and lilies. A candelabra held slender blue tapers.

Mrs. Zuda Henderson, junior past matron, ladled punch from the crystal bowl. Also assisting with the serving was Mrs. Blanche Grantham. Tiny assorted flower cakes and mints were served.

Attending the installation were Eastern Star members from Brownwood, Bangs, Coleman and Santa Anna.

Grand officers attending were Lee Lampkin of Brownwood, grand high priest of Royal Arch Masons of Texas, and Jack Bostick, deputy grand master of District 76 of Texas, AF and AM.



Would-be artist Kelly Simpson lends his touch to this modern oil painting by Saeton Tillery, artist and fashion writer, who admires the metal flower created by Robert F. Beckner, sculptor and Wood Shop instructor. Both will be among the some 150 artists who will have booths in the Artists' Market of all art media in the Women's Building during the Spring Jubilee, April 4-12, at Fair Park in Dallas. A lavish "Viennese Holiday" Flower and Garden Show, a giant Garage sale, nine museums and exciting Midway rides will provide family fun in the spectacularly landscaped park. Fair Park admission and ample parking inside the gates are free.

GARDEN CLUB TO BE HEADED BY MRS. CASEY

The Mountain City Garden Club met for the final meeting of the club year last Friday afternoon. Fifteen members and one guest were present for the meeting which was held at the clubroom of the library building.

The program featured a discussion of the year's work. Mrs. C. D. Bruce installed officers for the coming year including Mrs. Arthur Casey, president; Mrs. C. M. Moseley, vice-president; Mrs. J. E. Howard, secretary; Mrs. Elton McDonald, treasurer; Mrs. Hardy Blue, librarian; and Mrs. Bert Turney, reporter.

During the business session the club voted to assist with the furnishing of the new community civic center, collecting trading stamps to be used for game tables and silverware.

Improvements at the Kate Mathews memorial park will be added soon, including a litter barrel and lawn furniture donated by Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes.

Horticulture specimens were displayed by members attending.

A membership drive will be held during the summer, and any local women interested in joining the club are invited to do so.

Although the official meetings of the club have concluded for the summer, the group will go to Brownwood on Tuesday, June 16, for a tour of day lily gardens. Members will meet at the Library building at 9:30 a. m. Each member is to take a sack lunch for the noon meal.

New Garbage Truck, Rate Hike Approved by S. A. City Council

The Santa Anna City Council met for the regular monthly session on Thursday night

Mrs. Hardy Blue WSCS Hostess

The Womens' Society of Christian Service of the United Methodist Church met on Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Hardy Blue. Miss E. Lee Harper was the co-hostess.

During the business meeting the group voted to help with improvement of the parsonage.

The program, "This is Calcutta," was presented by Mrs. Lura Winger, Mrs. Dale Smith, Mrs. Blue, Mrs. Ora Hunter, Mrs. O. A. Etheredge, Mrs. O. L. Cheaney and Mrs. Ethel Judd.

During the social hour the hostesses served cake and coffee to the members mentioned and also Mmes. W. B. Griffin, Archi Hull, Kitty Adams, Tom Hays, Joe Baker, Roy Horne, Mae McDonald, Cennie Ladd, Annie Mae Wall, and Misses Ruby and Florence Harper and Xuma Myers.

The next meeting of the group is scheduled for Monday, July 6.

of last week. Councilmen approved purchase of a new garbage disposal truck for the city and voted to raise the rate of garbage collection from \$1.00 per month to \$1.50. Councilmen voted to retain the \$1.35 tax rate per \$100 valuation used last year.

Santa Anna volunteer firemen were granted permission to operate a coffee stop at the Ranger Park on July 4.

Mayor Thomas Wristen designated July 25 as Firemen Appreciation Day, with activities planned to honor the department members on that day.

Prior to the meeting/heads of local civic clubs and others met with the Community Civic Center board to discuss plans for furnishing the new center. Several clubs represented agreed to sponsor a benefit for the center.

The next regular meeting of the City Council will be held on Thursday, July 9.

ON VACATION

Pastor Dennis, and his family and Mrs. Dennis' mother, Mrs. Hargis of Fort Worth, are vacationing for a few days in Big Bend National Park.

Mission Prexy Gives Program At SDA Church

Pastor Abner Villarin, president of Davao Mission, Philippines, was the guest speaker in the local Seventh-day Adventist Church on June 1. With him were Pastor Anastacio Gayao, dean of students, Mountain View College, and Quintin Valendez, auditor of Southern Mindanao Mission.

Villarin brought reports of the advance of the Adventist work in the islands. In his territory are 147 churches. 372 people were baptized in one day. Most of these are taken out of heathenism. The total church membership in the Davao Mission is nearly 9,000, with 63 organized churches, and 11 mission schools. The secondary school in Mindanao has an enrollment of 823 elementary and secondary students.

Pastor Villarin showed moving pictures of Manila and other points of interest in the Philippines. Pastor Gayao conducted worship at Ranger Park Inn Tuesday morning.

Gayao is grandfather to Emil Villafranca, business manager at the Inn. Valendez is an old classmate of Villafranca's. These men are enroute to the world conference of Adventists this month in Atlantic City, N. J.

NITIA DANIELL MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Aubrey Edwards was hostess for the monthly meeting of the Nitia Daniell Circle of United Methodist Church when the group met in her home last Wednesday night. Mrs. Cliff Herndon presided during the business meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Harry Crews.

The group voted to award a life membership from the organization and also voted to present a gift to Mrs. Tom Mills, now a patient at Ranger Park Inn.

Mrs. Dayton Jackson was in charge of the program which included films of a recent trip made and shown by Mrs. Norval Wylie.

Chips and dips, cake and coffee were served by the hostesses to the above mentioned, also Mmes. Chester Galloway, Nap Watson, Jesse Upchurch, Ken Bowker, V. I. Dean, and one visitor Mrs. P. B. Snook.

The next meeting of the group will be held at the home of Mrs. Ken Bowker on Wednesday, July 1.

HOUSTON VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Dunn, former residents of this area, were in Santa Anna during the weekend visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lillie Horsemann, and attending the Estes family reunion. Mrs. Dunn will be remembered here as the former Gladys Horsemann.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith spent several days recently with their son, Glen Smith and family in Austin. Their granddaughters, Fran and Jan, had visited here while their parents were in Indianapolis attending the auto races.

Stamp pads and inks at The News office.

VFD AUXILIARY MEETS

The Ladies Auxiliary of the VFD met on Monday night, June 1, at the clubroom of the fire station. Mrs. Ray Owen led the business meeting which was attended by about seven members.

Plans were made for the benefit supper to be held on Wednesday, June 10, at the Lions Club building. Also planned is an ice cream supper for members and their husbands on Monday, July 6, the regular meeting date of the group.

BURNET PEOPLE HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Banister of Burnet are visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce and other relatives and friends.

Miss Belinda Nystel, who resides at Ranger Park Inn, attended church services last Saturday at Brownwood, as guest of Miss Sarah Barnettzke.

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Others attending the family gathering were Loyce Myers, of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Jones and Michael, and Ronnie Myers, all of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Singleton of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Blanton, Debbie and Roy of Kempner; and Mr. and Mrs. Donald McBeth and Kelly of Andrews.

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Cleveland News

Mrs. Bruce Hibbetts

Everyone is busy combining and trying to get their cotton planted.

W. H. Cupps was dismissed from the Coleman Hospital Sunday evening.

Mrs. Juanita Naron and children went back home on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Joan Schulle of Coleman is visiting a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring and Pamela. Mr. Kenneth Herring and Max of Odessa are here helping Casey Herring with the combine work.

Royce Cupps visited Randy and Ivy Sikes in the home of Mrs. Thelma Fleming, Rodger and Randy Sikes of Brownwood are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sikes on Sunday in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Chambers and Kevin were dinner guests of Mrs. Lela Hodges last Tuesday. Also visiting Mrs. Hodges were J. T. Jannera, Jodie and Jennifer Naron. They spent the day while their parents visited Bill Cupps at the hospital.

Bruce and I visited at the hospital on Wednesday evening with Bill. I went back on Monday and visited Sparks Boatright.

Mrs. Patsy Pollock and children came on Tuesday of last week to visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moore and will return home this Wednesday.

Mrs. M. R. Pollock visited with Patsy in the home of Mrs. Sandra Walker and family at Bangs on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howard and Mrs. Bess Parish visited in Zephyr on Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Howard of Levelland visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard last Monday. They left here to go on to Houston for a visit and then will go to Sam Rayburn Lake to fish awhile.

J. D. Howard and Elaine ate Saturday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Russell and Mrs. Jewel Powers were Saturday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. John Howard went to Bangs to visit Mrs. G. W. Howard and George.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Evans visited Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Earl York and Nikki visited on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace and Denise came for a little while Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sims of Early visited Mrs. Tennie Campbell on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Griffin visited Mrs. Campbell Saturday evening, and on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Campbell and grandchildren, Deana and Lance were Mrs. Campbell's visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Campbell and Mrs. Tennie Campbell visited in Early with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sim Saturday evening.

Mrs. Edna Mae Hunter and Mrs. Billie Boykin and son, visited until bedtime with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gould, Sr., Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cupps visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams and Russell Sunday

VICKY

by Leona Bruce

Luxuries and wealth don't make a lady; there was Vicky Thomas Jordan, who cooked on a wood stove, rubbed the wash with lye soap swept her dirt yard with an old broom, and by any standards she was a lady.

You would never understand the relationships of the members of her household, if you had not lived there. The lovely Vicky and her much older husband, Frank Jordan, were heads of the family, and nieces and nephews, cousins and cousins' cousins clustered by the fireplace and at the long table.

Jordan had been married before, to Lenora Knight; they had no children but had given a home to five of his brothers' who had died, Ella, Edna, Jessie, Johnnie and Willie.

Running a store at Trickham several miles southwest, was the Widow Thomas, who had three daughters. Of these, Belle married a Tooke and Betty a Ford, who was killed, leaving two small sons. The third, Vicky married the handsome and vigorous Jordan.

Betty's husband, R. A. Ford, had driven a herd of horses to South Texas to sell, and did not return. His brother-in-law, John Haley, found the body in the fork of a mesquite tree, robbed and murdered; a ring with Betty's name was there, and his watch and gun had been left for some reason, but the money was gone. Of Betty's two little boys, James died when two years old, and when Rial A. was five she married Drayt Matthews, the noted scout and Texas Ranger.

Besides the Knight children, the Jordans also took in Rial Ford, and he lived most of his life with them, marrying Edna when he was a young man.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith of Fort Worth spent Thursday and Friday with Mrs. Beulah Fleming and family.

Mr. Mack Boyet of Dallas visited Mrs. Beulah Fleming and family Sunday morning.

Mrs. Lillie Horseman of Santa Anna and Mrs. Gladys Dunn of Houston visited Mrs. Beulah Fleming and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Leonard of Coleman were bedtime visitors with Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Cupps, Rickey and Sydney Saturday night.

When Vicky's sister, Bella Tooke, died while quite young, leaving three little children; she took Annie and John, and little Cappie spent a part of her childhood with the Jordans.

The story is not yet told. Edna Ford, Vicky's oldest stepdaughter, died and her four small children, Ollie Frank, Bess, Kate and Tina were taken to the Jordans' to live.

Vicky was not a sad or even a serious woman. Her light-hearted approach to life and her merry comments brought the children through many an hour of homesick longing for the mothers and the homes they had lost. Punishment in that household was seldom if ever needed; the little ones knew that they were loved and wanted, and Vicky had a way of reaching through their mistakes and giving them a reason for being good. "You boys had better not be roping those little calves," she would say. "It'll worry Uncle Frank too much, and you don't want to do that," or she might warn them, "You're really ought to wash your faces and brush your hair; someone may think I'm not trying to raise you right."

When the dinner dishes were put away, she always washed and dressed for the afternoon, combed her long hair and used the chamomiskin powder on her clear white skin. Then she might sit fanning herself for a little while before the afternoon work began.

There were the countless hours to sit at the sewing machine, making the chemises and tight-bodies and drawers, the dresses with puffs and tucks, the tight knepants and the ruffled shirts. The only fasteners were buttons, needing button-holes by the hundreds, all hand done. The store of clean bedding in the big quilt box must be constantly increased; so that all in the household could cuddle in warmth during the bitter cold nights of winter. Or some neighbor woman might come to sit awhile, bringing her hand sewing, or Vicky might saddle her horse and ride to visit a friend or to get the mail at Trickham, eight miles away.

On Sundays, if there were preaching close enough, the crowded Jordan surrey would go across the creeks and over the hills, perhaps with baskets of dinner under the seat. Vicky and the children laughing and singing all the way. Vicky was always the kind and sympathetic neighbor. Some of the children remembered one Christmas Day when the bountiful dinner was nearly ready, and a strange man galloped up, his family was living in a sort of camp, his wife was sick, he thought, dying. Could she get help?

"Yes," said Vicky, "you saddle my horse, and then ride to Trickham for a doctor." What to take with her? Many pioneer settlers had not a washpan or even soap, and slept on deerskins on the dirt floor. Into a valise she put clean rags, a white gown, soap and towels and a comb. Part of the Christmas dinner the man could carry, and she could hold a folded quilt in her lap. "Now don't ride old Buck too hard," she told the boys, "and don't try to keep up with the doctor coming back. You girls wait on Uncle Frank and keep the house clean. If I'm not back in time to cook breakfast, you know how to do it."

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Through the years the children had love; they knew they were beloved and cherished. The story was told of a neighbor woman who caught her son, 8 or 9 years old, and another boy sampling some potatoes she was frying. She kicked her little boy, slamming him to the floor, she cursed him roundly and threatened to kill him. The Jordan children, along with most others, thought this was hilarious, but Vicky was appalled that anyone could so mistreat a child.

Frank Jordan was a prosperous man, with a fine ranch and many cattle. One thinks how different the lives of the Jordans would have been without the children, and marvels that they so eagerly welcomed them. Vicky always took time to take a little heartbroken child into her lap, rock without a word until the worst sobbing was past, and then perhaps remark, "Have you noticed how beautiful the sky is? We might have time to take a walk, if you want to."

Death was commonplace in

those days. Jordan had buried his first wife, Lenora Knight Jordan, near the ranch house, in the same grave with her, Ella Knight Burns, who died the same day, Feb. 28, 1885 both of

some kind of fever. Within four days there were two other graves there Willie Knight, aged 17, and an Alexander girl. Another Alexander girl, Francis, died at 13 in May of '88 and 4 year old Oscar Burns in March of that year. One duty of the children in the Jordan household was to keep this little cemetery weedless and neat, helping with the funerals of their relatives who were brought there now and then, for burial.

Frank Jordan's grave is there, the marker noting that he lived to the age of 92.

Vicky outlived him by several years, managing her ranch, attending her cattle, in the world and of it with a keen interest and enjoyment. She was a lady to the last; her surroundings were fastidiously kept, company was always welcome, she was always vivacious and kind. Her rare trips to town were a social occasion for her; beautifully dressed, hatted and gloved, she would make an entrance into bank and store as one who expects and gets a queenly reception. The ranch house was modernized, the dirt yard became a nice lawn, memories of the voices and forms of the homeless children she took lovingly to keep made the place never lonely or sad. With no children of her own, she could still treasure the sound of the plaintive and sweet voices; "Aunt Vicky, why doesn't my mama come back?" or better yet, "Aunt Vicky, I love you."

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MEN'S WEAR

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By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brooks of Eldorado, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richardson of Dallas and Walker Richardson and his sister visited Miss Linnie Box Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson of San Antonio visited Mrs. John Hunter Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Harms and Gay of Lamesa spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hellman. Other Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford, Dena and Rocky, Mr. and Mrs. John Fulbright and J. W. and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Fulbright of Coleman.

Mrs. Jim Dunn visited Mrs. A. L. Crutcher Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Myrtle Ward of Midland spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sluder of Rockwall spent Friday to Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes and family. Mrs. Flora Thomas of Milsap spent Saturday night. Other relatives visiting during the Estes reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes of Fort Worth, Weldon and

Gordon Estes of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Ruffie Thomas, Wayne and Brian and Mr. and Mrs. Rob Thomas of Tolar. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Overton and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Overton and Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Overton of Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Estes and family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie McCarrell of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Day and family and Mrs. Leona Nixon of Coleman, Mrs. Lee Smith of Valera, Mrs. and Mrs. James Estes and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Ingram of El Paso spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. F. E. McCreary. Bob Vinson and Woodrow Vinson of Abilene visited Saturday. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ashmore and Mrs. J. D. Ashmore of Fort Worth, Mrs. Edgar Spender and son and three grandchildren of Eldorado. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Hop Ashmore of Bangs, Mrs. A. L. King and Mrs. Claud Box.

Miss Judy McIntire of Austin came Friday to spend the week with Mrs. Billy McIntire

and Larry and Tommy. Other weekend visitors and attending the Estes reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hibbs and boys of Manor, Mrs. James Thornton and girls of Azle, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jones and Lori of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. George Osburn of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Bob Mobley and Gregg of Odessa spent last week with Mrs. Kate McIlvain and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smith and family of Bovina visited Thursday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes and attended the Estes reunion. Others visiting and attending the reunion were Kenneth Estes and family of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Flora Thomas and family of Milsap and Fort Worth, and Vernon Estes of Bovina.

Mrs. Mena Stuford was admitted to the Santa Anna Hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Denny Densman, Dorinda and Byron spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and Ronnie. Mr. and Mrs. David Cooper of Comanche spent Sunday with the Coopers.

Mrs. C. H. McCarrell of Ranger Park Inn spent Friday to Monday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith visited Sunday at the Coleman Hospital with Mrs. A. J. Smith. Sunday afternoon with an uncle, W. A. Wells and Mrs. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. J. S. Martin. Mrs. Lon Gray visited Mrs. Smith Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper entertained last Thursday with a birthday supper honoring Mrs. Johnnie Steward. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Steward, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward, Miss Sissy

Steward, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nevans; Mr. and Mrs. Denver Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. James Steward and Jamie Kay of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Olin Horton, Johnny and Denise of Andrews, and Mrs. Lily Horton of Austin.

The Rev. Bob Scott preached at the Baptist Church at the morning worship service. He and Mrs. Scott were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper.

The Rev. Louis Shambeck, new pastor of the Santa Anna Parish, preached at the Methodist Church Sunday at 9:30 a. m.; he will preach on Sunday, June 21, at 3:00 p. m. Everyone is invited to meet the new pastor.

Roy Smith and Mrs. Noble Smith of Austin visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward.

Mrs. Bill Steward and Mrs. Claud Box visited Saturday afternoon in Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hodges.

S. H. Estes and son, Kelley, of Sweetwater spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes and attended the reunion.

Mrs. Sadie Billings of Wickett spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McSwain.

Miss Mary Rehm of Fort Worth is home for the summer. Other guests are Mrs. Monte Robicheaux and girls of Fort Worth, Mrs. Roger Gilpin and Judd and Tammy White of Laredo and Gregg Smith of Tyler.

Mrs. A. L. King spent the night Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Hop Ashmore near Bangs. Friday night and Saturday with Miss Sammie Steward and Mrs. C. A. Crump in Coleman. Miss Sammie had a family dinner Saturday.

Mrs. King was a business visitor in Santa Anna Monday.

day. She visited Friday morning with Mrs. Claud Box and Mrs. Boss Estes.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes during the weekend of the family reunion were Weldon and Gordon Estes of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Estes and children of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smith and children of Bovina, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Overton of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Estes of San Angelo and Vernon Estes of Bovina.

Mrs. Claud Box talked by phone Monday night with Mrs. Garnet Reeves in Lubbock and her mother, Mrs. J. O. Harkey, who had arrived from Downey, Calif. Mrs. Harkey and Mr. and Mrs. Oran Harkey and Byron of Downey arrived Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Box and Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Stanford of Fort Worth were at their home briefly Saturday.

Mrs. Bessie Standley of Odessa spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Lon Gray. Mrs. Dovie Chapman of Santa Anna was a supper guest. Bob and Woodrow Vinson visited Mrs. Gray Saturday afternoon.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan went by Brady for Uncles Joe and John McCreary and on to Eden to visit Mrs. Mary Brusenhan at the Eden Rest Home.

Jody Brusenhan had Sunday dinner at Dick Deals with the visiting grandchildren.

Jody and Judy Brusenhan went to Nancy Baugh's and all went swimming.

Mr. and Mrs. John X. Steward were in Brady Sunday for the reunion of the family of the late Will Howard, at the

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NEWS FROM

RANGER PARK INN . . .

June birthdays to be celebrated are Mrs. Tom Mills or June 7, and Mrs. Elizabeth Reynolds on June 22.

Mr. Oline McGregor of Winters is a new guest at the Inn.

Mrs. Blanche Grantham and Mrs. Joe Baktr visited their sister, Mrs. Ella Stiles. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stiles of Coleman attended the birthday party in honor of his mother, Mrs. Ella Stiles, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Moore, Mrs. Edd Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Moore, and Mrs. Buck Mills recently visited their mother, Mrs. Nola Moore.

Joe Watson and son, Bobby, of Irving, visited Tuesday with their grandmother, Mrs. Dora Vanderford.

Mrs. Ola Niell and Miss Alta Niell of Temple visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Vanderford and other friends. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eton of Fort Worth visited on Sunday evening with their aunt, Mrs. Vanderford.

Mrs. J. W. Williams visited guests at the Inn.

The O. C. Barkers also visited at the Inn.

Visiting the George Simmons were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alexander of Talpa.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Blount visited with his grandmother.

Jesse Lowry visited friends at the Inn, including Mrs. Emma Ann Brannon.

Pat and Mrs. Annie Campbell of Coleman visited with Clem.

Mrs. Mabel Burrage visited on Saturday at the Inn.

Ruby Glasco and Elsie Dodson visited Mrs. Thorp.

Mrs. Ruth Breeden, Schmidt and John of Loma Linda, Calif., visited at the Inn. Also

from Loma Lindt was Mrs. Irene Schmidt, who visited her sister and others.

Mrs. Alfred Williams visited her sister, Mrs. Cassie Stiles and other friends.

Pattie Williams and Janice Williams of Wingate visited at the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Woodward visited several friends and Mrs. Cassie Stiles.

Rev. Vernon Parnell and Phil, Mrs. Emily Carnes and Mrs. Selma Hasserdot, members of the Northside Baptist Church, visited guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kuykendal and children and Mrs. Lula Bilbrey visited.

Dale Gilliam of Tacoma, Wash., visited his aunt, Mrs. Emma Penny.

Elsie Dodson visited Mrs. Thorp.

Rev. A. B. Lightfoot of Odessa and Lynn Garrett of Seminole, visited at the Inn. Mrs. Kemp of Coleman visited her mother, Mrs. Ella Folk.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Blount of Santa Anna visited with his mother, Mrs. Maggie Dount.

Elder Abner A. Villarni, of Davis City, Philippines, and Anastacio B. Gayas visited at the Inn.

Mrs. Katherine Drake and Rhonda Sheppard and May Stephens visited with Mrs. Irene Triplett.

Ruth Limroth of Bangs visited the guests during the last week.

The Bill Curries visited her parents, the George Simmons. Mr. and Mrs. Starkely and Mr. and Mrs. Green signed the guest book.

Mrs. Sam Rutherford visited at the Inn.

NEW CARS

Brady Park. There were 17 present.

Mrs. Lela Baker of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. John Briscoe of Irving spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barker. Mrs. Baker remained for a longer visit. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Briscoe of Lohn visited last Friday with the Barkers.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box have been Marion Holland and grandson, Ricky Holland, of Waltrip. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal, Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. F. E. McCreary, Mrs. Boss Estes and Mrs. Rosa Belle Heilman.

Mr. and Mrs. Box were business visitors in Brownwood Monday and visited in Coleman last Wednesday, briefly, with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Deal. Mr. Deal and Ricky were in Abilene last Wednesday and visited the Gene Deals. Johnny Deal of Brownwood was a Saturday luncheon guest.

Rev. W. H. Hallford of Balingier, Baptist area missionary, visited Mr. and Mrs. Deal last week.

James W. Griffin, Coleman, Dodge pickup
Jessie J. Smith, Novice, Ford
Gary L. Ryan, Springtown, Chevrolet
Charles J. Barnes, Burleson, Ford
O. M. Nicks, Coleman, Oldsmobile
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Sunday, Monday and Tuesday
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Jason Robards and Stella
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Local People Are Attending SDA Conference

Two members of the Santa Anna Seventh-day Adventist Church will attend the world conference of denomination this week, which is to be held in Atlantic City, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ferris and little daughter, Christie will attend.

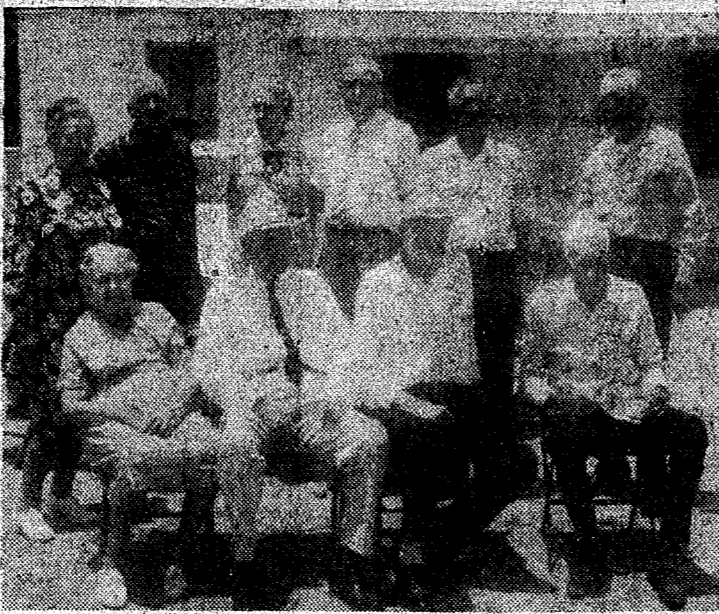
Word from the world church headquarters state that more than 25,000 are anticipated in the attendance at Convention Hall in Atlantic City. Of this number 15000 will be official delegates, casting votes on the various business items to be decided upon. These voting delegates will represent 193 countries. Among these delegates will be administrators, selected workers, and also some laymen who will come from mission fields as well as from the United States, Australia, and Canada.

The object of this conference session is to transact business incident to carry on the church activities in the world-wide field. General officers will be elected. The present president is Robert H. Pierson, who was once president of the Southwestern Union Conference, of which Texas is a member. Also heads of the mission fields and divisions throughout the world will be elected.

Besides the elections reports will be given from various fields which will outline the progress of the world program during the past four years.

It is expected that about 50 professionally done exhibits on the various phases of the church will occupy the ground floor of Convention Hall. These exhibits will focus on the early beginnings of the church's mission program compared with the present program.

Attend church regularly.



ESTES REUNION . . . Attending the recent reunion of the J. A. Estes family were the ten surviving children pictured here. They are Mrs. Flora Thomas of Millsap, Matt Estes of Santa Anna, Drury Estes of Ranger Park Inn, and William Estes of Coleman, seated, and standing are Mrs. Edna Alexander of San Angelo, Leffel Estes of Rockwood, Myrtle Hester of Bovina, Boss Estes of Rockwood, Woodrow Estes of Clyde, and Sam Estes of Rockwood. About 150 relatives and friends attended the annual reunion at Rockwood on Sunday, June 7.

28TH ANNUAL FAMILY REUNION HELD BY ESTES DESCENDANTS

The descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Estes held their 28th annual family reunion Sunday, June 7, at the Rockwood Community Center. There were some 150 relatives in attendance and 12 visitors. All 10 of the surviving children and families, grandchildren and great grandchildren and in-laws were present.

Rev. J. N. Hester, a son-in-law, who was a Methodist minister, first suggested the family reunion and each family would come and bring food for the noon meal. Later the group organized and set the first Sunday in June as regular reunion day.

New officers elected this year were Donnie Estes, San Angelo, president; Clinton Estes, Houston, vice president; and Mrs. Susie Smith, Bovina, secretary.

The late Mr. Estes was born in Murfreesboro, Tenn., June 19, 1860 and he and Miss Fannie Dunaway were married in 1883. He and his family came to Texas in 1891, Waco.

When asked about his "urge to go west" he said a brother who had been in Texas two years wrote he had a riding plow and Mr. Estes had nothing but a walking plow in Tennessee, so he put Mrs. Estes and the kids on the train and headed west.

After some four years in

Waco they came to Coleman County, traveling 12 days, with two wagons. They scraped the snow off the ground to make down beds. They had heard of cheap leases on land in this area. They moved to the Estes homeplace, north of Rockwood in 1900.

There were 14 children born to this union.

Mrs. Estes was 85 when she died in 1953, and Mr. Estes died in 1960 at the age of 99.

Surviving children are Drury and Matt Estes, both of Santa Anna; Leffel, Boss and Sam, all of Rockwood; Mrs. Flora Thomas of Millsap; William Estes of Coleman; Woodrow Estes of Clyde; Mrs. Myrtle Hester of Bovina; and Mrs. Edna Alexander of San Angelo.

Drury Estes is the oldest surviving child and 85 years of age. He now resides at the Ranger Park Inn. Woodrow Estes is the youngest of the children, being nearly 57.

CHURCH GROUPS MEET

The Santa Anna Seventh-day Adventist church met last Saturday with the Brownwood church. Elder T. E. Dennis spoke at the church service hour. After the meeting both church groups met in the park for potluck dinner. The fellowship hour was enjoyed very much by all who attended.

Attend Church Regularly

Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson of Lubbock came to their farm here Saturday night. They are on vacation and are spending a few days at other points of interest.

Mr. Buster Wynn of Coleman was a dinner guest with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants on Thursday. His wife was at Glen Rose for a series of treatments and supposed to have come home Saturday.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Darwin Lovelady was a patient in a San Angelo Hospital for a week, returning to her home in Santa Anna the past Thursday and feeling very well. Her sisters, Mrs. Lon Minica of Goldthwaite, and Mrs. Cecil Baker of Mullen, visited with Mrs. Lovelady Thursday.

Marsha and C. W. Brown of Brownwood spent Saturday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley. Mr. and Mrs. Randy Brown came for Marsha Sunday morning. C. W. is still with his grandparents.

Little Miss Tonna Rutherford of Bangs spent Saturday night with her grandparents, the Tom Rutherfords. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rutherford, came for her on Sunday and had dinner with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Bearden and children of Amarillo visited while Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady.

The combines are really cutting grain in our community. The hail of over a week ago really damaged our grain and some of the grain was damaged too much to cut. The farmers' luck. The hail also damaged Wampy Watson's grain. Some of it won't be harvested.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and children, Rocky and Dena of Coleman visited with us Sunday afternoon. Doctor Lovelady of Coleman visited his brother, Mr. Oscar Lovelady Friday afternoon and also with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and Randel.

HOME FROM COAST

Cliff Herndon and a nephew, Warren Wilborn of Big Lake, spent last weekend at Corpus Christi fishing. They returned to Santa Anna Sunday afternoon. Warren left Monday morning for his home at Big Lake.

ON STREET RACING

A SAFETY MESSAGE

from Dodge's TV "Sheriff" JOE HIGGINS



Look heah, boy, racin' at the traffic light ain't only unsafe and agin the law like I been tellin' ya, it's kinda dumb.

Screechin' those tires and roarin' the engine shows ya got no respect for other drivers, pedestrians, or that fine bit of machinery you're drivin'.

Shows ya ain't got much brains, neither.

Takin' a "hole shot"—that's racin' talk if ya don't know it for "jumpin' away from the light before the other fella—puts a big strain on the engine, transmission, differential, tires and the wallet. Ya must have a lotta money if you can play those kinda games.

Treat that shiny car with respect and it'll last a long time and give you a heap of pleasure.

Ya'll drive careful now, heah!

SCHOOL BOARD SESSION HELD

President Jesse Williams led the business meeting at the June 2 meeting of the Santa Anna School District board of trustees. All members were present except Mr. Richard Horner.

The budget was reviewed, amended and bills were approved for payment.

Resignations from principals R. C. Smith and assistant coach Larry Coffman were read and accepted.

Annual enrollment reports were studied, and information was given on student transfers.

The next regular meeting of the board will be held Tuesday, July 7.

Cardboard for posters at The News office.

WAGNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Baker and children of Garland, are spending this week in Santa Anna visiting her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Wagner, and other relatives. Mrs. Baker is the former Viola Wagner.

Dauphin was a title given to the eldest son of a King of France.

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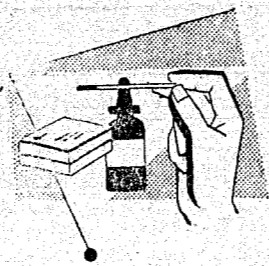
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