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German Armies Surrender to Allies

The prayers of the Christian people every where were partially answered this week when the German armies surrendered to the Allied Nations. The sensational event took place in a little red school house in France, where General Eisenhower made his office quarters at the time.

Celebrations started throughout the world as soon as the news was flashed by the Associated Press, and has not let up yet. Sunday, May 13th, was designated by President Harry S. Truman, in his Victory Proclamation Tuesday morning from the White House, as a day of praise and thanksgiving in America. Many cities and communities have held praise and thanksgiving services the main service for Santa Anna being held in a joint service with the other churches at the First Baptist Church Tuesday evening, beginning at 8:30.

The surrender was unconditional, effective at twelve o'clock, midnight, Tuesday. Hostilities ceased in some places Saturday, others Sunday, and still others Monday and Tuesday.

A great victory has been won, and the greatest enemy the civilized world has ever faced has been conquered, but the war is not over and according to some the hardest part of the war is yet to be fought in the Pacific area, where the Japs are carrying on a rugged and determined struggle. A guess as to when the war will be over with Japan is anybody's guess, but it will be over some day, and we hope the world will be free from wars in the future.

Slaughter Permits Are Cancelled

All Slaughter permits were automatically cancelled the night of April 30, 1945. All slaughters must apply to OPA for new slaughterers permits.

Groups 1 and 2 should apply direct to the District Office located in Fort Worth. Group 3 Farm Slaughters who sell from no pounds to 6000 pounds dressed weight, must register with their Local Board applying for a new permit and quota. This application should be made by May 14th.

REVIVAL IN PROGRESS

A revival meeting began Sunday, May 6 at the Assembly of God Church.

Services every night at 8:30 p.m. Evang. Velma Davis, of Madison, Kansas, will be the guest speaker. The old fashioned Gospel preaching and singing will be enjoyed by all.

Pastor, Gladys Lutke.

Buy That Bond Today



15TH AAF IN ITALY.—Two Santa Anna, Texas youths who went to high school together met for the first time in four years at a 15th AAF Liberator bomber base.

Shown above near a drinking well, Cpl. Bob E. Henderson, 19, of Rt. 1, Santa Anna, Tex., ball turret gunner (at right) drinks a cup of water offered him by Sgt. Barney F. Holt, 23, (at left) a former Santa Anna farmer now an airplane mechanic in the

15th AAF group commanded by Col. Thomas W. Steed, of Etowah, Tenn.

Sgt. Holt, stationed in Italy the last 16 months, took the youthful gunner in tow and has been showing him around the base since he joined the group a month ago.

Sgt. Holt always "sweats out" the gunner's return from bombing mission, and the two exchange news they have received in letters from home.

Piano Recital Friday Evening

Mrs. Mae E. McDonald will present her piano pupils in recital Friday night, May 11, at the First Baptist Church, Santa Anna. The public is invited.

The following being on the program:

Donnie Oakes, Evelyn Oakes, Virginia Day, Betty Ruth Goen, Nancy Williams, Joan McClellan, Frances McClellan, Novelle McClellan, Barbara Bruce, Zona Douglas, Calice Jane Overby, Sue England, Mary Jane Turner, David Pinkerton, Julia Ann Bailey, Fred Oakes, Jeanette Eubank, Nancy Flores, Hazel Jean Rowe, Janice Donham, Coyita Griffin, Mrs. Durward Hartsfield, Elaine Burgett, La Juana Burgett, Ann Priddy, Peggy Crump, Patsy Crump, Wanda Griffin, Ruby Goodgion, Marjorie Martin, Nora Leverett, Freddie Smith, Leta Pearl Horn, Mary Cecile Horn, Glen Gill, Leona Gill, Neva Wise, Neta Wise, Paula Holt, Ann Averett, Marilyn England, and Vermell Newman.

MOZELLE SINGING CLASS TO MEET SUNDAY, MAY 13

The Mozelle singing class will meet with the class at Calvary Baptist Church, one mile north, west of Mozelle High School, next Sunday afternoon. The public invited.

1st. Lt. John B. Lamb Missing In Germany

First Lt. John B. Lamb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin W. Lamb, 6932 Lovett, Dallas, P-38 pilot, is missing over Germany, his mother has been informed. Lamb's father is in the Merchant Marine, somewhere in the South Pacific. Lieutenant Lamb had completed a combat tour that took him through more than seventy missions over enemy territory. He wears the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters.

A sister, Miss Ruth Lamb, lives at the Dallas address.

Lt. Lamb is reported missing since April 17.

Announcements for Closing of Schools

Santa Anna Schools close officially May 18th. During the week will be given at the High School last week the following programs Auditorium:

Sunday evening, May 13, 8:30: Baccalaureate Sermon.

Wednesday evening, 8:30: Seniors will present "Class Night."

Thursday evening, 8:30: Ward School graduation exercises.

Friday evening, 8:30: High School Commencement exercises.

7th War Loan Drive Starts May Fourteenth

Baptist Requested To Contribute To Hospital Fund

Mother's Day will be observed by Baptists throughout Texas in a concerted effort of all Sunday Schools and churches to provide hospital care for the sick and poor in the five Baptists hospitals of the state.

Every Baptist is invited to make a gift to the sick and needy on that day, May 13, as a personal tribute in honor, or in memory, of his own mother.

Gifts will be collected into a special fund which will be used solely for giving hospitalization to critically ill patients in need of hospital therapy but unable to pay for such treatment. The five hospitals which will give this service are Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene; Baylor University Hospital, Dallas; Valley Baptist Hospital, Harlingen; Memorial Hospital, Houston; and Hillcrest Memorial Hospital Waco. Patients will be accepted from all parts of the state.

The annual charity service of the five hospitals runs to more than \$175,000 a year and in the past has been paid for out of operating budgets, administrators announced. There is a great need for enlarging such service but financial help is essential, as the budgets are inadequate to allow for complete coverage of the need, they said. It is in the hope of providing sufficient funds specifically allocated to care of the sick poor that the Mother's Day observance has been instigated. The observance has been approved by the Texas Baptists Executive Board and the Women's Missionary Union Board, and will be made an annual event.

Patients cared for under the plan will, upon discharge from the hospital, be given a bill marked "Paid by the Baptist churches of Texas."

Directors of plans for the observance are Robert Jolly, Houston; Lawrence Payne, Dallas; E. M. Collier, Abilene; Julian H. Pace, Waco; and K. P. Walker, Harlingen.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. E. N. VOSS TODAY

Funeral services for Mrs. E. N. Voss, 88, who passed away at her home Thursday morning, will be held today, Friday, May 11, at the Santa Anna Methodist Church at 1 p. m. Following the services at the church the body will be taken to Miles for interment.

Next Monday, May 14th, this country starts out on its Seventh War Loan Drive to raise \$14,000,000,000. This drive differs from our former drives, in that Four Billion Dollars are called for of the E-Bond series.

Coleman county's quota is \$875,000 with more than one-half of the amount to be E Bonds. Santa Anna's quota is \$168,446. Ben W. Yarbrough is to head the local committees. The following will take part in the drive:

To work in Santa Anna, Northeast section, J. W. Parker, Mrs. Jeanette Hensley; Southeast, J. L. Boggus and Rev. S. R. Smith; Southwest, W. B. Griffin and W. R. Mulroy; Northwest, L. A. Welch and W. F. Barnes; Line community, C. L. Eeds; Liberty, A. K. Sanderson; Mayo, Lester Newman; Plainview, J. J. Horner and Pierre Rowe; Leedy, Curtis Collins; Cleveland, M. F. Blanton.

Any committee chairman will be expected to choose other help as they see fit.

This is our Community War Loan Drive and each individual should consider themselves a part of the community and take part in the drive.

Den Mothers To Be Chosen For Cub Scouts Friday Night

Cub Scouts and all boys of Cub Scout age, 8 to 12, and their parents are urged to attend the Cub Scout meeting to be held in the basement of the Methodist Church Friday night, May 11, at 8:30. Den Mothers will be chosen for the different troops and plans for the summer activities will be discussed.

Rev. S. R. Smith, pastor of the Baptist Church is Cub Scoutmaster and Neal Oakes is Assistant Cub Scoutmaster. Committeemen who are to assist in Cub Scout work and organization are Roscoe Hosch, T. K. Martin, Mark Davis and M. D. Pinkerton.

It is necessary for parents of Cub Scouts to take active interest in this work in order for it to accomplish the desired worthwhile results, so, parents, please attend this meeting with your sons.

Methodists Attend Conference At Brownwood Tuesday

Rev. J. D. F. Williams, pastor of the Methodist Church, and the following delegates: Hardy Blue, O. A. Etheredge, Mrs. T. R. Sealy, Mrs. Tom Hays, Mrs. O. L. Cheaney, Mrs. J. D. F. Williams and Rev. C. P. Morgan attended the Quarterly Conference of the Brownwood District of M. E. Churches which convened in Brownwood Tuesday.

Bishop A. Frank Smith made his first visit to the Brownwood district.

Buy That Bond Today

Mothers' Day, Sunday, May 13th

Next Sunday has been proclaimed Mother's Day, and we hope every Mother in the United States has cause to rejoice and be glad all day, as the result of deeds of kindness from their children, companions and friends.

Whether she is young and glamorous, or aging and toil worn, each Mother's heart should be stirred with a joyous delight from the kindnesses showered upon her in

the many forms people can bestow them.

To those who have mothers, may we urge that you exert yourselves to make her happy all the day. To those whose mothers have passed on, look around and find some mother you can cheer upward and onward by some kindly act or deed.

Some one said, in paying a tribute to Mother, that God could not be everywhere, so

He created Mothers. A very true adage that has been passed from person to person, that has been lingering in the hearts of many for years, is that good one defining three of the greatest words in the English language, Mother, Home and Heaven.

Make next Sunday a real day for some Mother, the satisfaction of which should be adequate compensation.

**STATE OF TEXAS
County of Coleman**

TO: L. R. Minchew and wife, Mrs. L. R. Minchew; J. B. Dibrell, Jr., heirs and legal representatives of Mrs. Bertha C. Marshall and John Marshall; W. E. Bartlett; W. D. Wilson, and the heirs and legal representatives of said parties; unknown owner and unknown owners and the heirs and legal representatives of said unknown owner and unknown owners, Defendant, and all other proper persons, including all record lien holders, owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, same being delinquent for taxes to City of Coleman, Texas, Plaintiff; and State of Texas, Coleman County, Texas, and Coleman Independent School District, taxing units in said State herein impleaded by plaintiff (and taxing units heretofore having intervened in this suit).

AND YOU ARE HEREBY, COMMANDED to be and appear before the Honorable 119th District Court of Coleman County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Court-house of said County, in the city of Coleman on the first Monday in June A. D. 1945 the same being the 4th day of June A. D. 1945, to plead and answer plaintiff's petition, (together with pleas of intervention and claims of impleaded parties defendant) filed in said Court in a certain suit No. 6544-B, and then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you, and said land and lots sold under foreclosure of lien to satisfy the following taxes being delinquent on the said property, to-wit:

Said real estate being located in Coleman County, Texas, and within the corporate limits of City of Coleman, Texas, and being Lot No. 4, Block C, J. M. Wood Addition to the town of Coleman, Texas.

City of Coleman, Texas, 1935-1943, \$5.84.

Coleman Independent School District, 1921-26, 1933, 1935-1944, \$6.45.

State of Texas, and Coleman County, Texas, 1926-1931, 1935-1944, \$41.48, aggregating \$53.77, together with all interest, penalties and costs allowed by law.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Coleman, in the County of Coleman, this 18th day of April, A. D. 1945.

(SEAL) JAY R. PEARCE, Clerk, District Court, Coleman County, Texas

**STATE OF TEXAS
County of Coleman**

TO: Joe Allison, Defendant, and all other proper persons, including all record lien holders, owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, same being delinquent for taxes to City of Coleman, Texas, Plaintiff; and State of Texas, Coleman County, Texas, and Coleman Independent School District an independent school

district of Coleman County, Texas, taxing units in said State herein impleaded by plaintiff (and taxing units heretofore having intervened in this suit).

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Said real estate being located in Coleman County, Texas, and within the corporate limits of City of Coleman, Texas, and being all of Lot No. 3, Block D, of the J. M. Wood Addition to the town of Coleman, Texas.

City of Coleman, 1920-1944, \$20.50.

Coleman Independent School District, 1921-1944, \$10.65.

State of Texas, Coleman County, Texas, \$40.20, aggregating \$71.35 together with all interest, penalties and costs allowed by law.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Coleman, in the County of Coleman, this 18th day of April A. D. 1945.

(SEAL) JAY R. PEARCE, Clerk, District Court, Coleman County, Texas

**STATE OF TEXAS
County of Coleman**

TO: Unknown Owner and or Unknown Owners, Defendant, and all other proper persons, including all record lien holders, owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described same being delinquent for taxes to The City of Coleman, Texas Plaintiff; and State of Texas, Coleman County, Texas, and Coleman Independent School District an independent school district of Coleman County, Texas, taxing units in said State herein impleaded by plaintiff (and taxing units heretofore having intervened in this suit).

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**Santa Anna Man
Serves Aboard
New US Cruiser**

Aboard a New U. S. Cruiser Somewhere in the Pacific, March 18 (Delayed)—Claude H. Dimblery, machinist's mate, third class, husband of Mrs. C. H. Dimblery Barton Ranch, Santa

Anna, Tex., helped take this new ship into battle for the first time today against the Japanese.

Her guns sent two Japanese bombers crashing into the sea not far from Japan, and the carriers she defended so well are free to launch their planes.

Yesterday, "business as usual" was the plan of the day, and outwardly the officers and men carried on as if they had no notion of the imminence of battle. But they all knew that just over the horizon lay the mainland of Japan.

Within each officer and man there was a mounting tension that made itself known in little things. A few Bibles appeared, some new, some dog-eared and worn; there was louder laughter than usual, more zealous attempts at horse-play. A quiet checking of battle gear, or the studied writing of letters gave evidence of serious thought. Men asked each other what difference there was between a Jap plane and the hundreds of targets they had so efficiently knocked from the skies.

Today, shortly after dawn, when the first Jap "Betty" stole through a curtain of ack-ack and let loose its bombs the men knew there was a difference.

The next plane did not get through; it dissolved in the focal fire of a barrage from the ships of the task force. A third one, intent on sowing destruction on the deck of a carrier, broke through but it was riddled with flack and diverted. Other planes

came in to meet the fierce anti-aircraft fire of this cruiser and other ships of the force, but they were repelled. The carriers moved on toward their goal.

This evening the Captain of this newly-baptized cruiser spoke from his station on the bridge to the men at their battle stations. The planes of returning U. S. airmen speckled the sky as they maneuvered for landings. The Captain's words were proud: "Objective realized... losses of task force aircraft light damage to the enemy severe."

"For this ship, two Jap planes, one probable. For you of the crew, well done shipmates!" The Jap is aware that a new ship has joined Uncle Sam's first team.

"I believe in facing facts!"



"I could use a new car now. But the fact is I may not get one for 2 or 3 years after victory. It's tough, but..."



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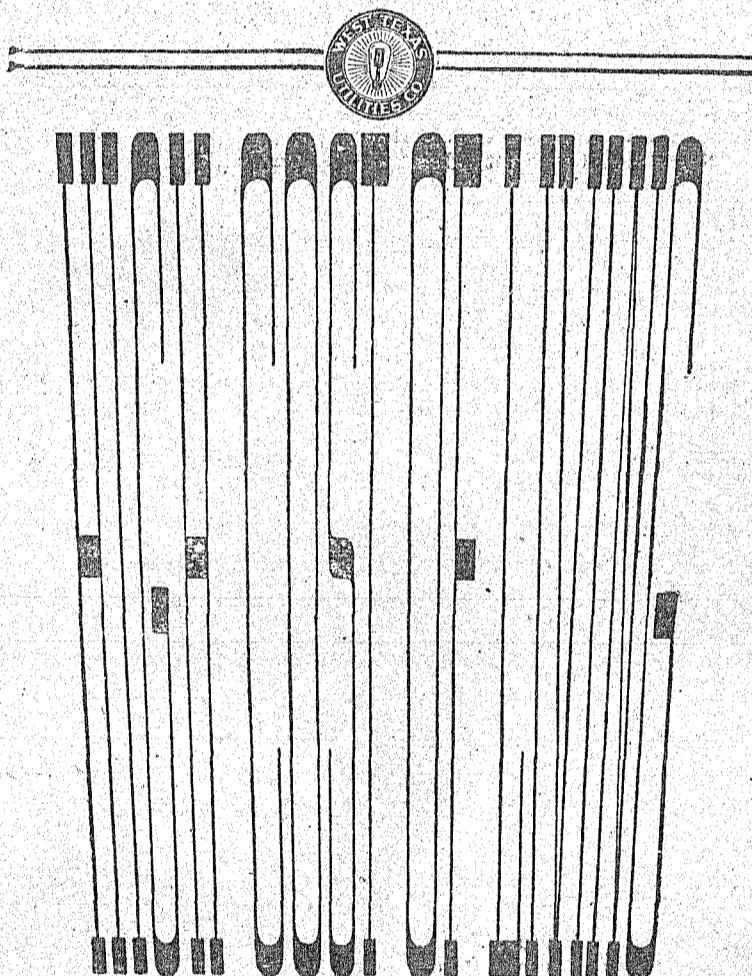
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MAYBE you won't thank us for reminding you of the H C of L. But it doesn't seem nearly so high when you look at it in the light of your electric bills!

Almost alone among household necessities, the price of electricity has not spiraled upward with war. In fact, official government figures* show that the average price of electricity has actually dropped 3.2% since 1939!

That's especially good news now, but it continues a long-time trend. Electric prices have been coming down so steadily that the average American family gets about twice as much electricity for its money today as it did 15 years ago.

If your bill is no smaller, it's because you're using more electricity to do more jobs than you did then. But the saving is there.

It has been accomplished by America's light and power companies in spite of rising costs and taxes—on top of huge war demands for service that were met without delay, shortage or rationing.

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*Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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Texans of the famed 36th Division set new records in Naziland last week when they spearheaded the final allied drive against the fanatical Germans caught in last stand pockets. They added many hundreds more to the list of prisoners taken by the division, and topped their many battle accomplishments by capturing German General von Rundstedt, the former commander of Hitler's western front forces.

The high-ranking Nazi, who planned the surprise attack of the bulge last December, told his captors that he was retired, and his story was borne out by the fact that he was in civilian clothes when taken.

If all the Germans forced into "retirement" by the 36th Division

were laid end to end, it would probably be good for the world—and the line would be long enough to reach around Hitler's once powerful but now beaten homeland.

A Texan also helped capture the infamous Dachau prison, where the Nazi held more than 32,000 men, women and children in conditions too horrible to describe.

When men of the 42nd and 45 Divisions rolled up to the concentration camp on tanks, long-tom rifles and every other sort of vehicle that would carry troops, Lt. Col. Walter Fellenz of San Antonio was in the front of the line. Fellenz and his fellow Americans quickly took over the horror camp and freed its horde of pitiful captives.

And back home in Texas, a warning was issued against any let-down at the end of the European war. Judge Ben H. Powell, president of the United War Chest of Texas, reminded Texans that the big part of the war that against Japan . . . still must be won before our men can come home to rest on their laurels.

"Our boys will be transferred to the Pacific as soon as possible," he said, "and must keep on fighting until the Japs are conquered. They will strike hard and fast, for a hard and fast attack means a quicker end to the war—and fewer American casualties.

"It is our job here at home to strike hard too, in our campaigns to support our fighting men. The war chest is now laying plans for its annual drive for funds with which to support the USO, War Prisoners Aid, and the 19 other agencies of the National War Fund which serve our fighting men, our allies, and war victims throughout the world.

"As the fighting men do their job abroad, so must we do ours on the home front."

Texas air fighters in Italy took time off recently to celebrate Texas Independence Day with a dinner staged at Naples. Before a Lone Star flag made for them by Red Cross girls, Sgt. Eddie Cope, Capt. L. S. Wilkerson, Bill Mc. Gill and Maj. James H. Parks sliced a large cake imprinted with the words "The Eyes of Texas." They then ended the celebration by singing Texas songs.

ington Wednesday.

Mrs. Roy Phillips and son, Leroy visited Mrs. M. F. Blanton and Oneta Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moore visited with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Phillips of Bangs Sunday.

S F 3-c and Mrs. S. E. Blanton and S F 3-c and Mrs. Henry Gilliam and son left Monday morning for Camp Parks, Calif., after spending a seven day leave with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Joe Phillips and children, Mrs. Fannie Anderson of Camp Bowie and Mrs. Jack Montgomery of Palmyra, Arkansas have been visiting in the M. F. Blanton home since Thursday.

A large crowd attended the party Saturday night at the Stube Phillips home.

Those who enjoyed the fish fry at Manley Blanton's Friday night were: The R. C. Rainey's, the Joe Phillip's, Mrs. Fannie Anderson and Loyce of Bowie, S. F. 3-c and Mrs. Sir Blanton, Mrs. Clara Cupps and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phillips and James.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillips Monday night were: Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Heffington and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brandon of Santa Anna.

Mrs. M. F. Blanton left Wednesday night to visit her father, Clem Scott, who is ill at Afton, Texas.

Lee Phillips spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rade.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Kelley visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cupps Sunday. Little Miss Juanita Cupps went home with them to spend the night.

Mrs. W. L. Baugh is visiting

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this week with Mrs. Tennie Campbell in the Liberty community.

A large crowd attended the ice cream supper and weiner roast given in honor of S. F. 3-c and Mrs. S. E. Blanton Saturday. Thanks to Mrs. Woods and Mrs. Flemming and others who made the party a success.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Moore visited Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Taylor and Mrs. Dollie Joplin and daughter of New Mexico attended church at Cleveland Sunday.

Miss Juanita Cozby spent Sat-

urday night with Miss Winnie Hartman.

Bro. Allen of Coleman filled his regular appointment at the church Sunday. A nice crowd was present.

Mrs. Clara Cupps and girls visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Genz of Cross Roads Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips and children and Oneta Blanton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phillips and Sealy.

Nearly one dollar's worth of electricity is consumed in swinging open the giant doors of the airship dock housing the U.S.S. Akron.

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Cleveland News

Loyce Blanton

Most of the farmers have their planting done and are getting ready to cut the big grain crop.

Those visiting in the Manley Blanton home for dinner Sunday were: S F 3-c and Mrs. S. E. Blanton of Camp Parks, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rainey and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips and family, Mrs. Evan Anderson and Miss Loyce Blanton all of Camp Bowie, Mr. A. E. Genz, Mrs. Clara Cupps and girls, Mrs. S. L. Blanton and Sld of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Hill Blanton of Owens, Pfc. Charles Graham Blanton who is here on a 30-day leave, and Mrs. Mildred Dees and sons of Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cupps called during the evening.

S F 3-c and Mrs. Henry Gilliam and son came by from Cleburne, Texas and spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Blanton. They left Monday for Camp Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillips and family, Stube Phillips and Edna Goldman visited with Mrs. Cora Phillips and family Sunday.

Mrs. Rheba Hartman's mother has returned to her home after visiting here for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Burden of Camp Bowie spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Burden.

Mrs. John Geer and children from Concord visited Jewel Heff-

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Trickham News

By Mrs. Beula Kingston

Mrs. James G. Laughlin of Brownwood, who spent several days here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Craig, has returned home.

The body of Gloria, six weeks old babe of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cargill, of Abilene, who died from whooping cough, was brought here last Tuesday afternoon for funeral services, conducted by Rev. J. H. Martin. Burial was in the local cemetery.

Mrs. Robert Stearns received a V-mail letter from her brother Pfc. Houston Grant, last week saying that he had arrived at Honolulu. Houston is on his way back to the States and left China some time in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Craig of Menard spent the weekend here with his parents. His sister, Mrs. Polly Woolridge and daughter, Melbadean returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Martin attended the funeral of an old friend, Mrs. Mary Smith of Coleman, last Thursday. Services were held at the Northside Baptist Church and the body was taken to Indian Creek in Brown county for burial.

Miss Mary V. Burney of Brownwood visited her parents over the weekend.

Mrs. Gordon Stearns and son, Tommy, were brief visitors with Mrs. Kingston Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Charlie Thompson's sister, Mrs. Pearl, and sister-in-law, Mrs. Ernest Thompson of Brownwood visited with he and Mrs. Thompson over the weekend and attended church here.

Our Sunday School board shows there were 98 out for Sunday School.

Mrs. Paul Tackett of Killeen is here for a few days while her husband is in the hospital at Camp Hood.

Mr. A. F. Ford of Novice is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. Leston Cozart and family.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Stearns Sunday were Mrs. F. L. Stearns, Mrs. Jack Laughlin, Edd Stearns and family and Mrs. Clyde Haynes and Kenneth.

Mrs. Virgil Lancaster of Santa Anna spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haynes.

Mrs. Leta Price and Truman, Mrs. Tom Stacy and Mrs. Beula Kingston spent Sunday at Whon and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wynn. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Gus Fiveash in the afternoon.

Those to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Haynes and Nancy Jo were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haynes and family, Mrs. Fred Haynes and children, Mrs. Jack Laughlin and her mother, Mrs. Clyde Haynes and Kenneth and Mrs. Pearl of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy, Mr. Homer Goodgion, Ruby and Reba attended the singing at the Nazarene Church in Coleman Sunday afternoon.

The body of Mr. Andrew J. Walton (formerly of Trickham community) who died at Dallas, was brought here Monday for burial. Funeral services were held in Coleman at the North-

side Baptist Church. Mr. Walton's wife was buried here Dec. 16, 1943, also three children and a son-in-law are buried here.

T. Sgt. Bob Woolridge and wife gave his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Craig, quite a happy surprise yesterday by coming in. Bob served 2 years in the 14th Air Force in China, was wounded and sent back to the States. He is to report to some reassignment camp in Florida in a few days.

A letter came to Mrs. Walter Stacy Monday from her brother, Houston Grant, saying he arrived in the States at San Francisco May 2nd on his 41st birthday, and would be at home in a few days.

We heard President Truman give his proclamation of today, May 8 as V-E day. No more fighting with Germany and we truly thank God for victories won. But we still have a hard fight before us as we continue to fight the Japs, and only by God's help can we win. Remember next Sunday has been set aside as a day of prayer and thanksgiving, as well as Mother's Day.

Your news reporter is almost too sick to be up and going at all today, so my news will be cut short for this week.

Whon News

Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Rev. Nellie Hill received the sad news Saturday afternoon of the death of a sister at Midland. Rev. Hill and Miss Laura left Sunday morning for Midland to attend the funeral Monday afternoon. Our sympathy is with the bereaved.

Pvt. Von Lee Sudduth of Paris Island, S. Carolina arrived here Sunday to be with his wife and baby until May 16. Mrs. Sudduth and Sylvia Fiveash went to Brownwood Sunday evening to meet him.

Mrs. Tom Stacy of Trickham had charge of services at the Nazarene Church Sunday during the absence of Rev. Hill.

Rev. and Mrs. Bailey were here Sunday for the services at the Baptist Church. A candlelight service was given at the church Sunday night.

Thomas Roe Rutherford spent Sunday with Jimmie Frank Smith.

Orna Gene Mitchell returned home Monday evening after visiting several days in Brownwood. Orna Gene's home is with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Bible.

Mrs. Beula Kingston, Mrs. Leta Price and son and Mrs. Stacy of Trickham were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wynn. In the afternoon they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Fiveash. We truly hope the Trickham folk always feel welcome to come to Whon.

Rev. and Mrs. Bailey were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Everett and Sonny.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin, who have been working on the Gill ranch, moved near Bangs Monday. We regret losing them from our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal and children and Mrs. Fannie Ellis spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bengé and family.

Lt. and Mrs. Joe Will Fowler spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Bible and Charles Donald spent Sunday in Whon visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Fiveash and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wynn. Mrs. Bible was able to attend church services Sunday morning for the first time in seven months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Martin and son, Hollis Dean, of Bangs spent Sunday with Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith.

Mrs. Kate Holmes and Tommie Sue returned home Monday evening after spending the week end in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford

and son, Loyd Earl, took Mr. Busch to Boerne Friday where he saw a sister, Mrs. Nort, for the first time in 43 years. The Busch family were having a reunion in San Antonio Sunday, celebrating a sisters 90th birthday. We enjoyed visiting with Mrs. Nort and also a niece, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Norris of Boerne, Texas.

Mrs. Maye Gill visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Tom Rutherford.

Gene Deal spent Sunday night with Flern Bengé.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schulze were business visitors in Coleman Saturday.

Willie Fiveash of Abilene was visiting relatives here during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith and children went to Santa Anna Saturday.

Bobbie Raddle spent Sunday night with Joe and Herschel Wynn.

Mrs. May Gill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McNutt of Goldthwaite, spent last Tuesday night with Mrs. Gill and daughters.

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Lesson for May 13

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THE TRAGEDY OF THE NORTHERN KINGDOM

LESSON TEXT—I Kings 12:26-30; 19:1-4, 15b-18; II Kings 17:7, 8.
GOLDEN TEXT—O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt His name together.—Psalms 34:3.

Nations as well as people come to crossroads in their history, and taking the wrong road then means future disaster. Solomon had built up a great national prosperity, but at the expense of heavy taxes. He had forgotten God, and was succeeded by a son who followed in his footsteps.

Offered an opportunity to ease the burden of the people (I Kings 12-14), Rehoboam in his folly made it greater, and the nation was divided. The ten northern tribes, which were henceforth to be known as Israel, followed Jeroboam, and the two southern tribes under Rehoboam became the kingdom of Judah.

Jeroboam started with God's favor, and might have led his people aright, but instead he became the king whose name stood for wickedness (see II Kings 15:18). The story of that downfall is a sad picture of unbelief and failure.

I. Religion Meets Politics (I Kings 12:26-30).

Jerusalem, now in the rival kingdom of Judah, was the center of Hebrew worship. While the people of Israel were free to go there to worship, Jeroboam saw that it might lead to their being led away from him. It was a shrewd political deduction, but it left God out of the picture.

He established new centers of worship, where calves of gold were set up. They were probably intended to be a symbol of God, but they bespeak the folly of mixing worldly things with the things of God. They become an abomination and a snare.

The people responded to the apparent interest of the king in their welfare, and worshiped at the most convenient place. Religion had met politics, and had let politics take the upper hand.

Someone has suggested that when we begin to find ways to make our religion easy, we can be certain that it is the enemy of our souls who is at work. When Satan begins to be solicitous about our welfare, and suggest that it is too far to go to church, or that the weather is too cold (or too warm), etc., etc., we should be on guard.

Religious ease was a big step downward for Israel, and it can be for any other nation. Where does America stand in that important matter?

II. A Queen Meets a Prophet (I Kings 19:1-4, 15b-18).

Elijah under the mighty hand of God had defied the wicked king, Ahab, and his more wicked queen, Jezebel; yes, and all the prophets of Baal, and had been gloriously victorious (I Kings 18:17-41).

The queen, who was devilish in her wickedness and determination to destroy the worship of the true God, threatened the prophet. He who had met the challenge of the hundreds of prophets fled in fear before the relentless hatred of this venomous woman.

The prophet felt that all was lost, but God revealed to him that even in that dark day there were many who were still true to Him (v. 18). It is a precious and encouraging bit of light in an otherwise dark scene.

Our main interest in this lesson is not the experience of the prophet, but in seeing the cause of Israel's downfall. Here we see one great reason—every king of Israel was a wicked man. Some were better and some worse, but all of them forgot God.

A nation is on the downward path when its rulers forget God. What about our own nation? What about the elected representatives of the people? Do we choose men for public office because of their Christian faith and character, or on the basis of political expediency or affiliation?

III. A Nation Meets Its Doom (II

Church Notices

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Bible School 10 A. M. Geo. P. Richardson, Supt.
Communion and preaching service 11 A. M.
Ernest H. Wylle, Pastor.

First Baptist Church
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching services 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 8:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting 8:00 p. m.
S. R. Smith, pastor.

Cumberland Presbyterian Church
Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening 9:00 p. m.
Preaching Services first and second Sunday evenings. Fourth Sunday morning and evening.
J. W. Burgett, pastor.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Church School 10:00 a. m., Mr. Hardy Blue, Supt.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Youth Fellowship 5:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.
I was glad when they said unto me,

Let us go into the house of the Lord."
J. D. F. Williams, pastor

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday School 10 a. m. J. T. Oakes, Supt.
Preaching service 11 a. m. on first, third and fifth Sundays by Rev. Ben H. Moore, pastor.

Auxiliary meets on Mondays following second and fourth Sundays.

Choir practice Sunday afternoons 5:00 o'clock, Gale Collier, director.

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Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evangelistic Service 8:00 p. m.
Services, Thurs. and Sat. 8 p. m.
We extend a hearty welcome to everyone. Come and join us in these services. You are always welcome at the Assembly.
Gladys Lutke, pastor.

Germans Planning To Rebuild Nazi Party After Five Years

AT THE GERMAN FRONT, April 28 (AP)—New plans for a postwar Nazi party contemplate work by a directing committee that will not get started until five years after the end of hostilities, it was learned today through reliable channels from Berlin.

The reports said Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels, Labor Front Director Dr. Robert Ley and Nazi Party Chancellor Chief Martin Bormann made the plans at a meeting April 12 in Berlin.

It was decided to divide Germany into four "groups," north, south, east and west, the reports said.

The new organization was expected to follow the Communist Party plan of creating "cells."

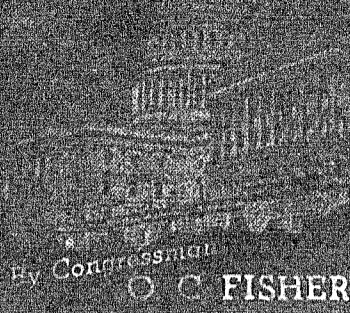
Kings 17:7, 8).

The hour had struck when God's heavy hand of judgment had to fall on Israel, the northern kingdom of 10 tribes. Verse 6 of this chapter relates their carrying away into captivity to Assyria, and verses 7-9 tell us the reason for that judgment.

Ingratitude for God's blessing (v. 7) led to the worship of other gods (v. 8). They knew God's hatred for the sin of idolatry, and His judgment upon those who walked in that way, but they went right on.

Note in verse 9 that these things were done "secretly." "The same thing is true today of many who profess to be the people of God. The line of demarcation between the church and the world is not clearly drawn. We do well to note carefully the outcome of this course of procedure on Israel's part (vv. 6, 18). The fact that Israel did these things secretly did not hide them from the eyes of Jehovah (Ps. 139:1, 2; Heb. 4:13)" (John W. Bradbury).

Our WASHINGTON Letter



Turkish Mohair Sells
Right now the big question bothering Texas goatmen is what effect in dollars and cents the sale of the Turkish mohair will have on our own domestic market.

The long expected sale of the 7-million pound stockpile of Turkish hair was completed last week and went to five buyers. It brought 35 cents a pound. This may well mean that the mills will use just that much less of home production. So the effect on our own prices will depend largely on the ability of the market to absorb this additional amount. Fred Earwood and Frank Montague inspected the Turkish clip, and I believe they consider it of such quality as may be competitive with our Texas fiber.

This Turkish mohair was bought nearly two years ago by this government and Britain from Turkey in order to keep Germany from getting it. Ben Reese of the Foreign Economic Administration tells me Germany bid so high for the clip that our agents had to pay a dollar a pound to keep the Nazis from getting it.

Texas producers have insisted all along that it is unfair to our own growers to sell this imported hair in a way that will reduce the price at home. The Turkish clip having been bought and brought here purely as a war measure, why shouldn't the entire nation share equally in the damage its sale will do to the market? As it is, I fear our own domestic growers will absorb most of the blow, whatever it amounts to.

We have repeatedly urged that every effort be made to sell this imported lot to some of the foreign countries, and thereby keep it off the American market where it is needed. Reese has reported to me that during the past three months his department has tried to sell to France, Spain, Mexico, Russia and other countries, but to no avail.

The FEA official explains that the preceding year Britain handled all the Turkish fleece, and by agreement the U. S. had agreed to dispose of the batch brought here last year.

Mohair Future

This brings up the question of how imports, tariffs, synthetics, and the like, may affect the American producer in the future.

Will the use of Turkish mohair cause private importers to seek

more of the cheaper fiber in the future, now that the mills will have a good sample of how it can be used and marketed?

Moreover, what about the proposed authorization for a 50% reduction in tariff on mohair, wool, etc., now pending in Congress? The authorization itself might not mean a reduction, but it would be a threat.

Normally, American Angora growers, of whom 85% are in Texas, produce about all the mohair our domestic market will consume. That fact, coupled with the fact our quality is the highest, has resulted in but little occasion for competitive imports.

In 1937, 894 thousand pounds were imported, 90% coming from South Africa. The following year only 106 thousand pounds came in. In 1940 the figure was 252 thousand pounds, with 166,000 of that coming from the Cape Town country. Of the 900 thousand pounds in 1942, practically all came from the same place. The following year that figure was stepped up to one and a third million pounds. There is a sprinkling that comes in from Mexico and Argentina each year.

Home Production Adequate

From these figures it is apparent that our own growers who produce better than 20 million pounds a year just about fill the needs of our domestic markets.

After having spent a lot of time and money improving the quality and building up a stable market, the growers are entitled to continued reasonable protection by the government against outside competition which would tend to drive prices down and upset the high standard that has been achieved.

Sound international trade should be confined, for the most part, to exchange of goods that are non-competitive. If every country could sell everything it uses abroad, where would the gain be? Obviously, there would be a net loss in shipping and handling costs as applied to goods available on the spot. In the final analysis, American prosperity depends on our great domestic market.

The future of the Texas mohair grower is bright. It must be kept that way.

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THANKS TO YOU

We, the editor and assistant editor, would like to thank the Press Clubbers for the wonderful response that we have gotten from everyone of our 60 members. Yes, readers, there were 60 of us writing the news this year. They have had humorous ideas to put in and serious ones.

Also we have a lot of thanks to drop for our sponsor, Mrs. J. D. F. Williams, who has censored it and given us ideas to better our "Mountaineer." People, there are a lot of things that we have not touched, but we are speechless for once. Just thanks for all your help.

Your editor, Elizabeth Eeds.
Asst. editor, Sybil Simpson.

PRESS CLUB NEWS

The Press Club of 1944-45 has been one of the best SAHS has ever had with over fifty active members.

Our Constitution (written by club members) has set very high standards and we have lived up to them to the best of our ability.

Our Editor-in-Chief, Elizabeth Eeds, and club president, Elizabeth Ann Stewardson, (both seniors) were the best and our Club Sponsor, Mrs. J. D. F. Williams, was great, helping us in every way.

Also each member has helped a little in turning in news, giving interesting reports in meeting, or writing something now and then.

We wish to take this time to thank the editor of this paper for his interest.

GOSSIP

Well, kids, the end has come! No more harm from us to you but plenty from you to us. School is ending ahmen—and are thrilled!!

Here are the latest (!!) couples in S.A.H.S.—just summing up a years work.

Of course, the Steward girls are still after the Bostick boys, and the Bostick boys don't seem to be trying to get away.

Dayton still loves Coleman girls, or does he, Doretha Faye? Alice Anna and that certain boy from Wingate are sure cute together. His name's Far, isn't it, Polly?

And there are those two twosomes—James Ruby, Vance and Reba.

Wayne still likes that eighth grader—Donieta. How's it coming?

Howard has finally taught little pickup of his the way to Suzie's. How many trips did it take, Howard?

Jean, what are you going to do next year with Roland gone? Oh well, absence makes the heart grow fonder.

Say! we're really beginning to believe that an old flame never dies. Donald Ray and Doris Jane are still at it.

Tommy Sue, what happened to that 1945 class ring you were wearing? Could it be Oneta's fault that it's gone?

Tommy must have eyes only for Earl Jean! After all those rivals and she still has him. Good luck in the future tho, E. J.

Vernon, being a soda jerk, makes you popular, doesn't it? Maybe we should ask that cute little brown headed girl that was flirting with you Sunday evening.

Well, naturally, we still have Maurine and J. D.

Jeanette maybe still going strong for Maurice. Who knows and who wouldn't?

Mineola is doing o.k. on the McClatchey front, so we see, as of today.

Now, we gotta go and dig a foxhole for the oncoming blitz.

Fearfully yours,
Nitty (Betty Ann McCaughan)
Witty (Alice Anna Guthrie).

JUNIOR NEWS

We Juniors really had a swell time at the barn party the Seniors gave us Friday night. This gala affair was held in the snazziest hen house you ever saw, as Bill Mulroy, Jr., said in his response, "There were plenty of chicks there too." Thanks, Seniors.

This is our last chance to give you readers news about us through a Junior column but look for us next year as Seniors.

HOMEMAKING CLUB BANQUET

The Homemaking Club of SAHS had a Mother-Daughter banquet at the hotel May 3, at 9:00 p.m.

Joyce Richardson, president gave the welcome and Mrs. J. D. F. Williams gave the response. A solo, "I'm Beginning to See the Light" was sung by Wanda Price.

Mrs. C. D. Bruce made a talk on "The Challenge to the F.H.T." Earl Jean Woodard, Virginia Lewellen, Billie Warren, and Jeanette Eubank sang "I'm a Little on the Lonely Side."

The program ended with every one singing the club song.

The menu was cocktail, fruit salad, fried chicken, gravy, potatoes, peas, iced tea, and ice cream.

Place cards were blue and white butterflies.

Things That Make You Swear

Cleaning the Foods Lab.
Making speeches in History class.

Writing themes.
Standing in line at the lunch room.

People that brag.
Clinton Estes.
General Science drawings.

People who don't agree with you.
Forgetting your part in a program.

Unexcused absences.
Being late to class.

WHAT IF

All geometry students passed?
The Juniors didn't go for under classmen.

The Juniors got to march with who they wanted to at the Baccalaureate sermon.

Mrs. Williamson had a victory bob?
Melba Earl J. wasn't married?
Bing Crosby had sung Friday morning?

Mary Lots didn't go with Denney?
Alton Bishop and Geneva M. weren't seen together?

All notebooks were in on time?
We didn't have so many themes to write?

HIT PARADE OF S.A.H.S.

A Little on the Lonely Side—Allene Allen.
Stuff Like That There—King A

Gonna Build a Big Fence Around Texas—Ray McSwain and Marion D.

I'm Beginning to See the Light—Artie J. K.

Rendezvous—Juniors and Seniors.

Makin' Believe—Alton (Frank Sinatra) Bishop.

It Had to Be You—From Sybil to Dick.

Saturday Night—Vernetta.
All of My Life—Bonnie Balke and Clinton E.

Southern Friend—Kenneth Moredock.

Candy—Iris Kirk.
Blues on My Mind—Fred Oakes to Calice Jane.

My Dreams are Getting Better All the Time—Wayne Horton.
Whispering—Danny and Mary Lois.

Long Ago and Far Away—Doris Jane to W. H.

SPANISH PROGRAM

The members of the Spanish Club and Mrs. Davis are planning a program for May 11 in assembly.

Three piano solos will be played by Calice Jane Overby, Fred Oakes and Novelle McClellan. A short play "El Dio de Fiest" will be put on by Winnie Thompson, Nancy Norris, Ann Bagby and Leroy Stockard. Several songs will be sung by the group and a quartet by four members of the club will be sung.

We hope it is enjoyed as much as we have enjoyed putting it on.

MY GREATEST DESIRE

I think "My Greatest Desire" is not a proper name for this because I have so many great desires.

The first one is to make good grades in Plane Geometry and all other math courses throughout my high school and college days.

The second is to have all the chocolate candy and tires and gasoline I want so I can go places and eat candy.

The third is to have all comic pages filled with fun instead of Jack burying Joy on a lonely South Pacific Island; and, also, for Wagon Wheels and Bunny Beam to get married and live happily ever after.

The fourth is for all Seniors to graduate.

The fifth is to have all teachers in good ole' SAHS to try and see just how easy they can make final exams.

But after thinking these over I do believe I have one "Greatest Desire." It is for all the students of SAHS to start to school next year in a world of peace and security.

The Last Day Of School

The last day of school! Just think the "warden" is going to set us free for three whole months!

Everyone is going around with a broad smile on thier faces and the dignified seniors have actually gotten kind-hearted toward the Fish.

The last day of school is something we have been looking forward to since last Sept. 7. So here's wishing everyone a joyful time till September.

Howard Lee Lovelady.

WHAT A SITE

Red Baugh was, with a GI haircut.

Billy Warren was, singing.
Coyita G. was, rolling in the grass.

Howard Lee was, at Ethel S. party.

Everyone is, playing kiss the pillow.
Virginia L. is.

Joyce M. is, with her hair set.
What a site she is with it cut short.

Marion D. is, in a full skirt.
Kenneth Moredock is, in that run down car.
Sybil S. is, chasing Dick S.

JUNIOR SENIOR BARN PARTY

Last Friday, May 5, the Senior

class honored the Junior class with a barn party. The party was given in a large new building at Bill Griffin's turkey farm.

Pot luck stew was the main course of food. It was assisted by pork and beans, buns, and punch.

Various games were played including apple eating, etc. Several couples enjoyed dancing a Paul Jones under the direction of Buford Dodgen. Both classes had a very good time.

DID YOU KNOW

The sophomore class is going to Brownwood again soon?

This is the last week of school The Freshman class put on the best program in assembly?

Seniors and Juniors had a barn party Friday night?

Maurice K. was at the Mother and Daughter banquet?

Doretha Faye still likes Howard L.?

Mrs. Davis will teach here next year?

Dayton and Novelle make a cute couple?

Odell W. really gets around? That Sybil S. liked Dick S.?

That Jo Anna P. had a swell disposition?

That Ken and Joyce M. were brothers and sisters?

That Carlyn R. was beautiful? That Doneita R. was catty?

That Elizabeth E. made a pretty May Queen?

That Coyita was another swell pal?

That I had fun during my freshman year?

That Mrs. Williams is my favorite teacher?

That Mrs. Evans would have more true friends if she would break "Ole Iron Side"?

That the Freshmen have had two parties?

That the Junior boys are cute? That Joyce M. likes chocolate ice cream?

That Marion D. could sing well and to top that, she's pretty too?

That Ray Dean is funny? That Red Baugh made the cutest Red Skeleton?

That Jo French should quit telling stories?

That Virginia L. was fun? That LaVonia broke her engagement?

That Mr. Byrne is a swell guy? That Mrs. Davis knows her history?

Jeannine S. loves to go dancing?

Vivian was in the show with Ray Wells Friday night?

Vada Talley wanted to fight Billie McCoy Friday evening?

Leroy S. has curly hair? Sarah Moseley took Maurice to Coleman Sunday?

Rhoda P. likes Audrie Robbins?

Why Gladys B. is called chicken?

Joyce Baugh was with Boots Morris Friday night?

SOPHOMORE NEWS

On Friday, April 27, the Sophomore class entertained in assembly with a very cute program (we thought) entitled "Mysterious Drugs."

Mrs. Evans took the part of the old witch with Mr. Byrne taking the part of the Wizard of Oz. They were asked questions by Maurice Kingsbery and Howard L. Lovelady about the future of Santa Anna High School. By the use of the mysterious drug of Dayton McDonald's they could only answer, "I the old witch promise this" or "I the Wizard of Oz promise this."

Say Dayton, please bring some more drugs we would like for a few of those answers to come true.

BAND NEWS

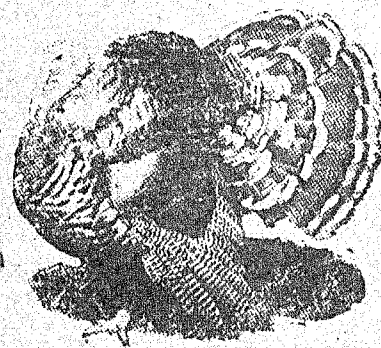
This year the band has been very active. By the end of the year it will have given four concerts. It has also taken part in four other programs. Another big occasion was when we participated in the Armistice Day parade at Brownwood. The big parties we have had have been swell. Thanks to our director for all interesting and helpful year.

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All persons having watch work at R. J. Fulton's will please call for it by May 16.
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H. B. MONROE

NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Sgt. Willie A. McCrary, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McCrary, arrived last Thursday night for a 60-day furlough visit with his parents. Sgt. McCrary entered the service in May, 1943 and trained at Camp Wolters. He went overseas in June, 1944 and was a member of the 45th Infantry Division. He was captured in January of this year in Northern France and placed in German Prison Camp Stalag 9A where he was held until March 30 when the prisoners were liberated by the 80th Division of the American Army.

Pvt. Finis Ray Wells has returned to Camp Lee, Va. after a nine-day furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Emma Wells and family.

Marine Corporal Wilbur H. Elkins, who has been in the Pacific theater of war for the past 29 months, came Monday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Elkins who live in the Buffalo community. For more than a year Cpl. Elkins has been Assistant Navy Mail Clerk at the Transit Center at Pearl Harbor. He will report to the Marine Base at Corpus Christi June 7 for re-assignment.

Cpl. E. J. Ellis, stationed at Columbia AAF in South Carolina came in Wednesday for a 14-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Ellis of Rockwood.

Pfc. Houston Grant was due to arrive at Fort Sam Houston this week from 32 months in the China-Burma-India theater of operations in the AAF. He is a brother to Sam Grant of Rockwood.

Pfc. Joe R. Taylor, 2nd Infantry Division was recently awarded the Combat Infantry Badge for participating in the war theater in Germany, as a truck driver, according to information reaching this office through Public Relations Office, War Information. His wife, Helen, and baby daughter live with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pleman Cruger.

Mrs. Durward Hartsfield received a telegram from the post commander at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey, Sunday morning stating that her husband, Pfc. Hartsfield was there, furlough was being arranged and that he was being arranged.

Pvt. Hartsfield arrived at 5:30 Thursday morning and is apparently in good health. Mrs. Hartsfield and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Parker met him in Brownwood.

Pfc. Atwell Parsons of Amar-

illo Army Air Field is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Parsons.

Pvt. Charles Henderson was here from Camp Swift last weekend for a visit with his family.

H. P. Higgins Funeral Is Held Wednesday

Funeral services for Harrison Paul (Bill) Higgins, 34, were held from the Pierre Rowe residence in the Plainview community Wednesday afternoon, May 9, 1945 at 3 o'clock. Mr. Higgins died Tuesday morning, May 8, at his home of gunshot wounds, self-inflicted. He and his mother, Mrs. Evelyn Blanton, lived on the Rowe place, where Mr. Higgins engaged in farming.

Born November 28, 1910 at Rosebud, Texas, Mr. Higgins moved to Coleman County with his family in December, 1910, and has lived in and near Santa Anna practically all his life. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Evelyn Blanton of Santa Anna; one sister, Mrs. Elvin Whitfield of Oklahoma City, Okla.; two half-sisters, Mrs. Ruth Whitfield of Coleman and Mrs. Edna Lee of McCamey; and three half-brothers, Edmon Blanton of Santa Anna, Sgt. Leman Blanton, now in England and Cpl. James E. Blanton, also in the service. His father passed away July 2, 1910.

Pallbearers were Tommy Starnes, Homer Vinson, Pierre Rowe, Jim Daniell, Ernest England and Paul Rowe.

Flower ladies were Mrs. Ernest England, Mrs. Homer Vinson, Mrs. Jim Daniell, Miss Valma Strickland, Mrs. Pierre Rowe and Mrs. Sylvous Benton.

Rev. J. D. F. Williams, pastor of the Methodist Church, conducted the funeral services and interment was made in the Santa Anna Cemetery, under the direction of Hosh Funeral Directors.

The Mountaineer

Dear Aunt Agatha,

I am a lonely pin-up girl like the ones in True Magazine and Esquire. I have long black hair and I am very attractive. I am having a very difficult problem of choosing between two very handsome boys. Which one would you advise me to choose? Please call me at Rwd. 2103.

Yours truly,
Brown Eyes.

Dear Brown Eyes,

Since my wife, Agatha, has already left on her vacation. It looks like I'll have to fill-in. But,

since I don't know how to give advice to the lovelorn, maybe someone who reads this column can advise you as to which wolf you should choose. If I were you I would choose the other one.

Yours till the wolves show up,
Uncle Uriah H. Heep

FOR SALE: One Coolerator refrigerator, pre-war design, in good condition: \$37.50. One bed and springs: \$8.00. One dresser and mirror: \$8.50. One small table \$1.00. See or call Julian Whitley on home farm on Rockwood Highway. (Lee Land).

Mrs. Paul Van Dalsem is in Christoval for treatment this week.

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- Powder Boxes
- Toilet Sets
- Mirrors
- Body Powder
- Coffee Makers
- Stationery
- Kitchen Memo Pads
- Photo Albums
- Scrap Books
- Vases
- Other Items

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WE LIFT OUR PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING

"Now, therefore, I, Harry S. Truman, President of the United States of America, do hereby appoint Sunday, May 13, 1945, to be a day of prayer.

I call upon the people of the United States, whatever their faith, to unite in offering joyful thanks to God for the victory we have won and to pray that He will support us to the end of our present struggle and guide us into the way of peace.

I also call upon my countrymen to dedicate this day of prayer to the memory of those who have given their lives to make possible our victory."

—From The President's Proclamation.

We join with Christian People around the world in petitions for...

- A just and lasting peace.
- The comfort of all who have lost loved ones.
- The recovery of the wounded.
- The leaders of Nations as they plan the peace... that it may lead to world unity.

GO TO THE CHURCH OF YOUR FAITH THIS SUNDAY AND JOIN THE NATION IN GIVING THANKS

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- PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Ben H. Moore, Pastor

- CHURCH OF CHRIST
- CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
J. W. Burgett, Pastor
- METHODIST CHURCH
J. D. F. Williams, Pastor
- PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
C. H. Richards, Elder

Funeral Services Held For Rev. R. Welton Oakes

Funeral services were held Sunday, May 6, 1945 at the First Presbyterian Church at 3 o'clock for Rev. R. Welton Oakes, 70, who passed away May 5, in San Antonio, Texas. Rev. Ben H. Moore, pastor, had charge of the service.

Rufus Welton, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Oakes, was born June 3, 1874, near Kossuth, Mississippi. He came to Texas in 1895 with his parents but later returned to Tennessee to complete his education for the Ministry. In 1904 he was married to Miss Ona Mae Huguley, of Plano, Texas. To this union were born three children that preceded him in death.

When 18 years of age he joined the Presbyterian Church. In 1893 he was admitted to Bell Presbytery at Shiloh, Miss. as a candidate for the ministry. Six years later was ordained by O. Bian Presbytery in Tennessee. Soon after ordination he came back to Texas where he hoped to spend many years in ministry but in the course of events was injured in an accident with a motorcycle in 1915 that left him and invalid. In 1904-1906 he served as pastor of the Coleman and Santa Anna churches and during his pastorate the foundation of the present building of the First Presbyterian Church was laid.

He is survived by two brothers and two sisters. J. T. Oakes, Sr. Santa Anna; John Oakes, San Diego, Calif.; Mrs. Annie Johnson, Hampton, Va.; Mrs. Eva Poston, Edgewood, Tex.

Pallbearers were Neal Oakes, Jasper McClellan, Walter and Welton Holt, T. J. McCaughan and Dennis Kelley.

Flower bearers were, Misses Novelle McClellan, Mary Lela Woodward, Mrs. Walter Holt, Mrs. Welton Holt, and Mrs. Ted McCaughan.

Interment was made in Santa Anna Cemetery with Hosch Funeral Directors in charge.

Miss Cody Wallace and Mrs. L. A. Singleton attended the Knife and Fork Club banquet at Brownwood Tuesday night.

Personals

J. W. Davis of Fort Worth spent last weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Woods and children are here this week from Orange visiting his mother, Mrs. E. M. Woods.

Mrs. Daisy Laws of Cross Plains is spending several days here with her brother, Jim Robin.

Norman Hosch, manager of the Hosch Furniture Co., has been ill at his home for the past two weeks and is still unable to return to work. His sister, Miss Lilly Hosch, is in charge at the store during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Medlin and little son left Thursday morning for Alpine where they will visit with his parents.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Emma Wells Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hull and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Hull of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Shields, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Shields and boys, and John Shields of Whon, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shields and children of Santa Anna, Mrs. Tucker and Vivian, Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Talley and Vada, Mr. and Mrs. Sloan, and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Fellers, all of Trickham, and Mrs. Pearl Holder, Mrs. Odus Stokes and Betty of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Monroe visited Mrs. Pete Williams in Abilene Sunday. They also visited friends in Clyde.

Miss Norma Nell Parnell of Paducah spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Campbell.

Misses Ruby and Elsie Lee Harper visited their brother, S. D. Harper, Jr. and family in Eldorado Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Arthur Turner and Mrs. Ross Kelley are visiting Miss Doris Belle Turner in Fort Worth this week.

Mrs. H. Stephens went to Wolf City Saturday to be with an aunt who is seriously ill.

Judge and Mrs. Leman Brown moved to Coleman last week.

Lee Woodward of Alva, Okla., and Alva Woodward of Lamesa, who were here for several days because of the illness of their mother, Mrs. E. L. Woodward, went to Lamesa Tuesday. Mrs. Woodward's condition has improved slightly.

Mrs. W. W. Ragsdale and Miss Ara Belle Ragsdale of San Angelo spent Sunday in the W. E. Ragsdale home.

Mrs. J. E. Henry and son returned from a ten day visit in Houston with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berryman and Mrs. Cora Turlington. While there they attended a birthday party on April 28 given for Mrs. Henry's son and her brother, Jack Berryman. On Sunday they were

members of a party given by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wall, Jr., that went on weiner roast and boat ride at Clear Lake. On Thursday night they were guests at a dance given by the Mason Park Civic Club.

Mrs. Zula Cannon and Miss Jo Evans were Brownwood visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Chaffin of Waldrip spent Tuesday with Mrs. Halle Bissett.

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A RECITAL TEA

Last Saturday afternoon, a recital tea was given at the home of Mrs. Ford Barnes, by her Speech Art class. The guests were mothers and teachers of the class.

Larry Donham and Joe Gilbert Barnes admitted guests to the living room where they were received by the girl members of the group.

The living room and dining room were profusely decorated with vases of Spring flowers.

Presiding at the register were Edna Ruth Griffin and Nancy Ann Wylie.

Linda Stewardson, Beverly Vinson, Patsy and Peggy Crump poured tea from the dining table which was covered in a hand-made lace cloth and centered with a silver bowl of pink larkspur and Queen Anne's lace.

Assisting in the dining room were: Herma Jean Corder, Ann Stewardson, Dixie Griffin, Janice Donham and Christine Barnes.

After a formal welcome by Patsy Crump, the following pupils read popular numbers by current authors: Ann Stewardson, Larry Donham, Dixie Griffin, Janice Donham, Christine Barnes, Nancy Wylie, Herma Jean Corder, Joe Gilbert Barnes, Edna Ruth Griffin, Peggy Crump, Beverly Vinson, Linda Lou Stewardson and Patsy Crump.

The Speech Art Class will give their next recital at the High School auditorium on the evening of May 15th. Public invited.

COPELAND-HOLT WEDDING

Sgt. R. L. Copeland, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Copeland, stationed at the Davis Mountain Field in Arizona, and Miss Martha Holt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Holt of Poplar Bluff, Missouri, were united in marriage at the home of Dr. E. D. Dunlap, pastor of the Coggin Ave. Baptist Church in Brownwood last Friday evening.

The couple met in the state of Michigan two years ago, while Sergeant Copeland was there in training for the Army Air Force, and their friendship culminated in marriage as above stated.

Sgt. and Mrs. Copeland left Wednesday afternoon to return to Davis Mountain Field.

ENS. AND MRS. T. M. HAYS, JR. VISIT HERE LAST WEEK

Ens. and Mrs. Thomas M. Hays, Jr. spent several days here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Hays, Sr. Mrs. Hays is the former Miss Avis Edwards of Athens, Ga. The couple met while Ens. Hays was taking pre-flight training at the University of Georgia in Athens. They were married in the home of her parents the day after Ens. Hays finished his training at Pensacola, Florida and was commissioned an Ensign. The young couple left by plane from Fort Worth last Friday night and went to Jacksonville, Florida where Ens. Hays will continue his Fighter Operational Training.

Last Wednesday night Mrs. C. F. Chamberlain, Jr. of San Angelo, aunt of Ensign Hays, honored the young couple with a dinner at her home there. Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Hays, Sr. also attended the dinner.

The Wesleyan Service Guild

Mrs. Blanche Grantham and Mrs. Cliff Herndon were hostesses Monday night, May 7th when they entertained the Guild members with a picnic supper which consisted of Irish stew, deviled eggs, pickles, crackers, chocolate pie and iced tea.

These members were present: Mrs. J. D. F. Williams, Mrs. Bill Griffin, Misses Evelyn Kirkpatrick, Mary Lela Woodward, Mary Gladys Pope, Louise Purdy, Gale Collier, Mrs. L. A. Singleton, and the hostesses, Mrs. Blanche Grantham and Mrs. Cliff Herndon.

Following the picnic supper the Guild members attended the picture show.

The Wesleyan Service Guild will hold its next meeting in the Methodist Church May 21 at 8:15 Mrs. Jeanette Hensley has charge of the devotional and Miss Lonella Taylor has charge of the program.

Reporter.

SENIORS ENTERTAINED

The Methodist Youth Fellowship entertained the senior class of the Santa Anna High School with a party at the Methodist Church Tuesday night.

H.D. CLUB TO MEET WITH MRS. CAMPBELL

The Santa Anna H. D. Club will meet Friday, May 11, at 2:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. W. L. Campbell for a demonstration of cake making—a new method. All members who can are requested to attend this meeting.

SELF CULTURE CLUB

The Self Culture Club will meet with Mrs. A. D. Donham, Jr., Friday, May 11, at 3:30 p.m.

Mrs. C. D. Bruce will give a book review on "Report on the Russians" by William L. White.

THANK YOU

I want to thank each of my friends and customers for their most loyal patronage during my garage business here. I am having to quit business on account of my health. Thanks to you.

Henry Goodwin,
Goodwin Garage.

Mrs. Ethel Switzer and her mother, Mrs. Hicks have moved here from Monahans and have an apartment at Mrs. Fred Turners. Mrs. Switzer is a sister to Mrs. Leman Brown.

J. W. Riley went to Fort Worth last Friday and purchased an air-conditioning unit for the Phillips Drug Co. Store.

Mrs. Roger Hunter of Austin will return Sunday after a 10 days visit with her father, S. J. Pieratt in Coleman and relatives and friends here.

Mrs. W. R. Mulroy, Billy and Evangeline went to Colorado City Tuesday to attend the wedding of her nephew, Douglas Earl Bibby.

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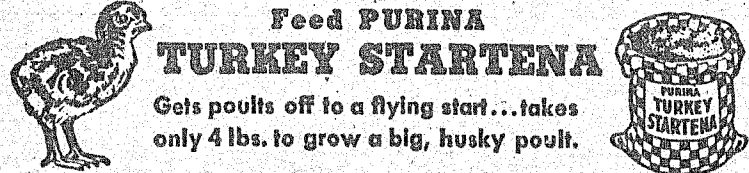
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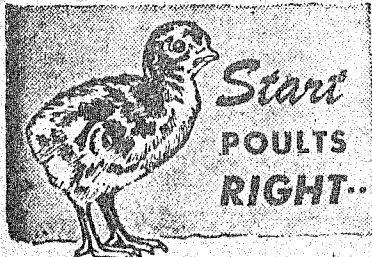
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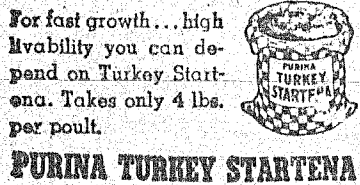


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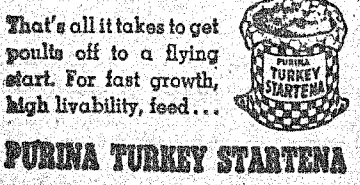


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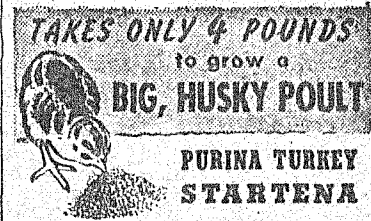
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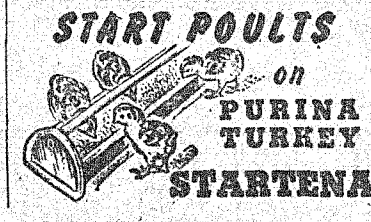
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