

Santa Anna News

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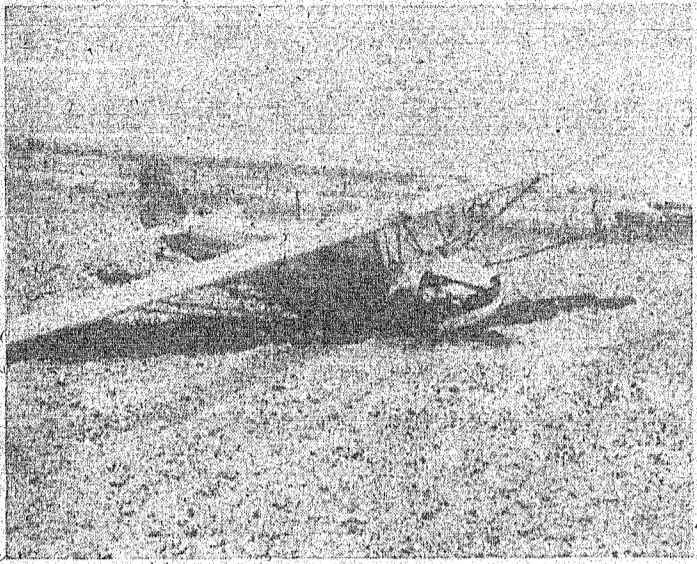
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MESQUITE DUSTING PLANE CRASH



Pictured above is the Piper Super Cub which crashed last Wednesday morning on the Stewardson Rockwood Turkey Ranch, about 12 miles south of Santa Anna. The pilot, Horton Brandon, was not seriously injured in the crash.

Brandon was spraying mesquite on the Stewardson Ranch when his engine cut out on him. In attempting to glide the plane in for a forced landing in the field, he did not have enough altitude to get over the telephone and electric wires strung along the roadside. The plane went through the wires and crashed on a terrace, then bounced one time to the other side of the terrace. Brandon said if he had not had on a driller's steel helmet, he would likely have been killed when his head broke out the windshield of the plane.

The plane was dismantled and taken back to Ballinger Wednesday night. It belonged to Whites, Inc. of Ballinger.

Players For Each Team In League Announced

The organization of baseball teams for the summer program is just about complete with the announcement this week of a list of players for each team entered in the program.

The schedule for the Coleman County Pony League will get underway on Thursday night of this week with one of the first games being played in the local field at 8:00 p. m. The game will be between the Santa Anna Cardinals and the Talpa team.

The Little League games will get underway on Tuesday, June 2, the first week after school is out.

Listed below are the managers, team colors, players and practice times of each of the teams in the two leagues.

PONY LEAGUE TEAM

Managers: W. B. Gilbreath and Ed Hartman.
Name: Cardinals
Colors: Red

PLAYERS

Larry Makuta
Terry Moore
Lynn Dockery
Pete Simmons
Tommy Stewardson
Travis Allen
Larry Wardlow
Randy Brown
John Dillingham
Billy McCrary
Jerrold Elliott
Freddie Cullins
Bill Wristen
Stanley Hartman
Glenn Gilbreath

PRACTICE TIME

Mondays, 5:30 p. m.
Wednesdays, 5:00 p. m.

WHITE SOX (Little League)

Managers, Garland, Morgan and Maynard Brown
Colors — Navy Blue

PLAYERS

Ronald Bates
Bob House
Bobby Morgan
Mike Hosch
Phillip Bates
Jimmy Walker
Stephen Hogue
Floyd Carpenter
Buddy Campbell
Marty Donham
Dickie Horner
Johnny Bates
Doyle Wright
Walter Robbins
Lin Wristen

PRACTICE TIME

Mondays, 5:00 p. m. on school ground
Fridays, 5:00 p. m. on baseball field.

ORIOLES (Little League)

Managers, Lee Ray Huggins and Bobbie Densman.
Colors — Orange

PLAYERS

Mickey Dodson
John Brown
Billy Don Cupps
James Gilbreath
Jackie Swindell
John Hensley

Mrs. J. S. Shepperd has just returned from Terrell, where she was visiting a new grandchild, Gregory Scott Smith, who was born April 23, weighing 5 lbs. Mrs. Shepperd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Odom of Hillsboro, spent the weekend with she and the Rev. Mr. Shepperd.

Wendel Rice
Dana Evans
Donnie Campbell
Bill Martin
Phil Huggins
Jimmy Eubank
Michael Cupps
Reggie Tryon
Ricky Tryon

PRACTICE TIME

Wednesdays, 3:30 p. m.
Saturdays, 8:30 a. m.

INDIANS (Little League) Rockwood Team

Managers, Jim Rutherford and Joe Wise.

Colors — Red

PLAYERS

Wade Rehm
Frank Valdez
Leland Williams
David Cooper
Joe Edd Wise
Nikki Johnson
Larry Avants
Stanley McSwain
Gary Williams
Larry Rutherford
Ray Valdez
Korky Wise
Davey Mac Beal
Larry Williams
Larry McIntire
Michael Roy England
Bob Rutherford
Ricky W. Abernathy
Steve Valdez

Managers will set practice time on Rockwood field.

TIGERS (Little League)

Managers, M. L. Guthrie Jr. and Eddie Hartman.
Colors — Royal Blue

PLAYERS

Charles Eubank
Donald Makuta
Les Guthrie
Freddie Blount
Ronnie McCarrell
James Keeney
Ronnie Hartman
Burton Makuta
Charlie Slate
Roy Joe Harvey
Joe Al McClusky
Eddie Paul Voss
Allen Hawkins

PRACTICE TIME

Wednesdays, 8:30 a. m.
Fridays, 8:30 a. m.

ATHLETICS (Little League)

Managers, Travis Buse and one needed.

Colors — Green

PLAYERS

Bill Horne
Wallace Cornett
Nelson Perry
Larry Cornett
John Gregg
Warren Wallace
Lyndon Wells
Lupe Diaz
Kenneth Moore
Freddie Cornett
Tommy Wardlow
Bacterina Diaz
Douglas Cornett
Gordon Copeland

PRACTICE TIME

Mondays, 9:00 a. m. and other time to be set.

A. W. Box Service At Rockwood Tues. Afternoon

Funeral services for M/Sgt. A. W. Box were held at the Rockwood Baptist Church at 3:00 p. m. Tuesday, May 12. Sgt. Box was killed in an auto wreck near Fort Hood Saturday night. He was stationed at Fort Hood, and riding in a car with another soldier at the time of the accident.

Box was born in Rockwood September 28, 1921, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box. He had been in the Army since during World War II, and had spent a number of years in Europe. He returned to the United States several months ago. He had been married about six months.

A chaplain from Fort Hood assisted the Rev. Jimmy Ford in the services. Pallbearers were military personnel from the Army camp. A military service was conducted at the Rockwood Cemetery. Civilian rites were under the direction of Hosch Funeral Home.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box, of Rockwood; his wife, Mrs. A. W. Box of near Fort Hood; one sister, Mrs. Marshall Campbell of Eastland; and one brother, John Earl Box of Los Angeles, Calif. One nephew also survives.

A number of relatives from California arrived in Abilene by plane Tuesday morning to attend the services.

Resolution Honors W. H. Pittard By School Board

At the regular meeting of the Santa Anna School Board Tuesday, May 5th, the new board unanimously adopted the following resolution, honoring Mr. W. H. Pittard for the years he served on the board:

RESOLUTION

"The Board of Trustees of the Santa Anna Independent School District assembled in regular session on this, the 5th day of May, 1959, after due consideration, proposes and adopts the following resolution:

Be it known that Mr. W. H. Pittard has served as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Santa Anna Independent School District for a period of seven (7) years, from April 1952, and that during that time Mr. Pittard has served as president of the board for a period of five (5) years. During his tenure on the board Mr. Pittard has, without reservation, served the patrons, the students, and the corporation of the Santa Anna Independent School District in a manner to deserve the great confidence and respect now due him.

Be it therefore resolved that by their signatures the members of the present board hereby express individual and collective appreciation for the long and efficient service of Mr. W. H. Pittard, and do also resolve to pass to Mr. Pittard a copy of this resolution, to request publication of said resolution in The Santa Anna News, and to also make this resolution of record in the minutes of the board.

Signed this 5th day of May, 1959.

(Add T. Walker)
(William R. Brown)
(D. S. Baugh)
(O. R. Boenicke)
(J. W. McClellan)
(Tom Stewardson)
(Catherine Ladd Markland)

In other actions by the board, the Santa Anna National Bank was again selected as the depository for the coming year, all bill for the month's operation were paid and other routine business was taken care of.

A motion by Mrs. Markland was adopted that the board send one of the ladies in the lunchroom to a Dietitian's school this summer. The lady to be sent is to be selected by Supt. Perry.

Eastern Star To Meet Monday

The Santa Anna Chapter No. 247, Order of Eastern Star, will meet in regular session Monday evening, May 18, at 7:30 o'clock in the Masonic Hall.

All members are requested to be present. Host and hostesses for the meeting will be Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Donham and Mrs. Lorene Rice.

High School Honor Graduates Announced



JEAN SMITH
... VALEDICTORIAN



KAY KINGSBERY
... SALUTATORIAN



MAX L. PRICE
... HIGHEST BOY

Roy B. Mathews, principal of the Santa Anna High School, announces Miss Jean Smith, daughter of Mrs. Christine Smith, is the Valedictorian of the Senior Class of 1959, with an average grade of 94.578. Miss Smith was also the Valedictorian of the class when they graduated into high school four years ago.

Salutatorium for the 1959 class is Miss Kay Kingsbery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kingsbery, with an average grade of 92.205. Miss Kingsbery tied for third place in the class when they graduated into high school.

During her high school career Miss Smith has received many honors for outstanding scholarship achievements. Among them are three scholarship medals for having the highest average in the class, a Home Economics Merit medal; the Comer Blue Loving Cup, twice, which is presented to the undergraduate girl with the highest scholastic standing. She was recently named the recipient of a \$100 grant-in-aid to be used toward a college education, presented by the Delta Alpha Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma.

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Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at 3:00 p. m. for M/Sgt. A. W. Box, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box, who was killed Saturday night in a car wreck. We extend our deepest sympathy to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Tisdale of Brady and Mrs. Evan Wise were Mother's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wise and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Winifred Weaver and boys of San Angelo visited

Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Box of San Angelo spent Saturday night with Miss Linnie Box.

Mrs. Gussie Wise of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary and girls were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutherford and children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ashmore of Eldorado spent Friday night of last week with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McCreary and Mrs. McCreary accompanied them on a trip to Murchison and Blooming Grove, where they visited relatives Saturday to Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Estes and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cullins visited Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes and Geneva Saturday night.

Mrs. Lee Miller, Mrs. Mena Shuford, Mrs. Lee McMillan and Mrs. Kate McIlvain visited last Wednesday with Mrs. A. L. Crutcher and Ludy Jane. Mrs. Sid Lawson of Waldrip visited Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Weldon Estes and Gordon of Abilene and Mrs. Boss Estes visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Drury Estes, Mr.

and Mrs. Dee Mankins and Gaylon of Coleman, and Mrs. Wayne Thompson and Mike of Dallas spent Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Drury Estes and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick and Mrs. J. C. Ferguson of Coleman visited Sunday afternoon. Other recent guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Estes and Phyllis of McGregor.

Mrs. Matt Estes received a Mother's Day call from her son, Don and family, at Merkel. Visitors in the Estes home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan and Mrs. J. W. Tickner.

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

There will be a pink and blue shower at the Rockwood Community Center Saturday night, May 16, at 2:30 p. m. for Mrs. Nettie Mae Evins.

Miss Bernice Johnson of Coleman and Mrs. John Hunter were visiting in Austin Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ward of Coleman visited Mr. and Mrs. Uless Maness last Wednesday afternoon. Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schulze of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick and Mrs. J. C. Ferguson of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Maness of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes were Sunday evening callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes of Sweetwater spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hyatt Moore. Other Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Moore of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Moore of Brady and Mrs. Rosa Belle Hellman, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Haines of Corpus Christi are visiting in the Moore home. Mr. Haines went to Fort Hood Sunday for assignment.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCreary and children of Shallowater spent Mother's Day weekend with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McCreary.

Mrs. Doug Avants and children and Mrs. Henry Barker of Brady visited Mr. and Mrs. John X. Steward Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper, Mrs. Elec Cooper and Mrs. Charles Sheffield were in Bangs last Friday to attend funeral services for Frank Schulze, father of Mrs. Alfred Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith were visiting in Santa Anna Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith and Mrs. Dora White.

Judy Bryan and Sue Wise were in Austin to spend Friday night with Patricia Bryan, a student in the University of Texas. Patricia spent the weekend at home with her family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King visited last Wednesday afternoon in Santa Anna with Mrs. Fred Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney, near Whon, and Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Patrick at Mercury.

Mother's Day guests with Mr. and Mrs. Fox Johnson were Miss Bernice Johnson of Coleman, Marcus Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Straughan and Bettie.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver and Sabrina of Wink spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges and James.

Mother's Day guests in the R. L. Steward home were Mr. and Mrs. Ted McCarthy and Mrs. Ida Mae Wansley of Dallas. They visited Friday to Sunday and brought a completely prepared dinner for Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lankford of Harriett were Sunday guests; also bringing a Mother's Day dinner with all the trimmings. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kendricks of Lampasas and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell, Mrs. T. J. Allen of Los Angeles, called and talked to the group on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Steward of San Angelo and Jimmy Steward of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Steward were last Friday visitors with the R. L. Stewards.

The Home Demonstration Club will meet at the Community Center Wednesday, May 20, at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Drury Estes will give a demonstration on Making Sofa Pillows. Mrs. Aubrey McSwane will be afternoon hostess.

Mrs. Bill Bryan and Serena visited with Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Ustard at Leesville, La. Tuesday to Friday.

Mrs. A. N. McSwane was a Sunday dinner guest with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwane.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Wise and family of Hillsboro visited with Mrs. J. W. Wise Saturday night and Sunday. P. L. Wise of Brownwood, Evan Wise, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward and Sonsy were also Sunday dinner guests. Mrs. Gussie Wise of Coleman and Mrs. Evan Wise were Sunday supper guests.

Mrs. Frank Bryan went to Ft. Worth Friday for medical examination. Mrs. Howard Pearson also took her son, Eddie, to a specialist for examination.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Rehm and Ginger, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ross and children of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Porter of Utopia, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Black and children of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Steward, visited in the Tony Rehm home Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Steward were also Sunday guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Caudle and Ricky of Stephenville, visited Mrs. Roy Blackwell Saturday to Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Watt, Mike and John of Albuquerque, New Mexico, came Tuesday to visit with Mrs. Roy Blackwell and George Ryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes and Geneva were Sunday dinner guests in the J. A. Estes home.

Weekend guests in the Tom Bryan home were Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Black, Gary, Elame and Jana Kay, of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. John Whetstone, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Irick and Mrs. Winifred Stark of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan and Leann.

Mrs. K. G. Gore, Mrs. O. B. Owen and Mrs. Julie McGonagill left for Arizona Friday morning. Mrs. McGonagill going to Winslow to visit a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. George McGonagill. Mrs. Gore and Mrs. Owen going to Sedona to visit a daughter and sister and family. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lehman and Jimmy.

NIWOT NEWS

BY THE NIWOT KIDS

The Methodist Quarterly Conference will meet at the Cleveland Methodist Church Sunday, May 17. A basket lunch will be spread at the noon hour. Every one is invited. Sunday school will be at 10:00 a. m.

Those visiting Mrs. Myrtle Wagner Mother's Day were Mr. and Mrs. Watt Ingram and boys of Dallas, his mother, Mrs. Ingram of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Harrel Cupps and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller.

Mrs. James Reid and Kathy are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perry and Miss Dixie Deal were visiting in Austin Sunday with Robert R. Perry.

Those having dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bengel and Timmy Sunday were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bengel and Anita Bengel, Mr. and Mrs. James Eubanks and family.

Mrs. John Perry was visiting in Coleman Saturday afternoon with Mrs. James Perry and Brenda.

Mrs. Mae Flores visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh and girls Sunday.

DAVE ELLIS FAMILY

MOTHER'S DAY OBSERVANCE
Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ellis and their family enjoyed a Mother's Day get-together at the Rockwood Community Center Sunday.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Ellis, Mrs. Nettie May Evins, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Ellis, Mrs. Kenneth Moore and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Erzell Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Ellis and Sissie Steward, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hellman, Mr. and Mrs. John Fulbright and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford.

In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper and La Quinn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheffield and Mike and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Harnes and Barbara called.

ROCKWOOD WMS

MET AT CHURCH MONDAY
Mrs. F. E. McCreary directed Bible Study when the Woman's Missionary Society met at the Rockwood Baptist Church Monday afternoon. Topic under discussion was "Man in Sin." Opening hymn was, "Make Me A Channel

of Blessings."

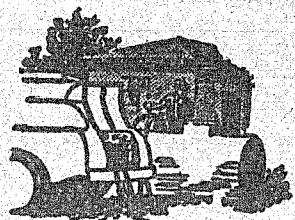
Present were Mrs. Evan Wise, Mrs. Bill Bryan, Mrs. McCreary, Mrs. Goldie Milberger, Mrs. A. L. King and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Mrs. J. E. Baker, who is visiting her son, Joe Baker Jr., and family in Lafayette, La., has been very ill but is reported improved.

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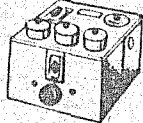
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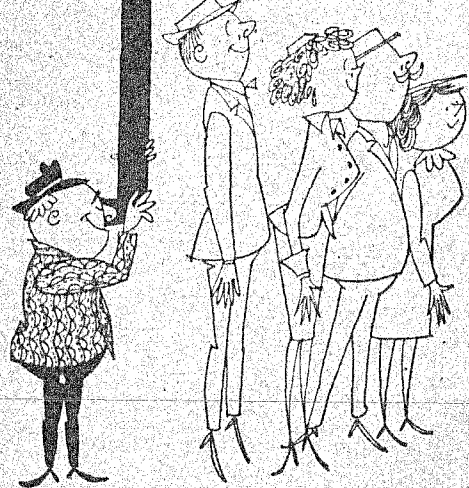
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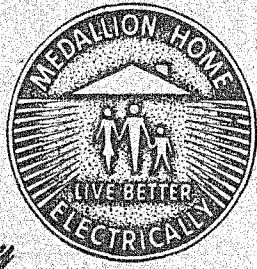
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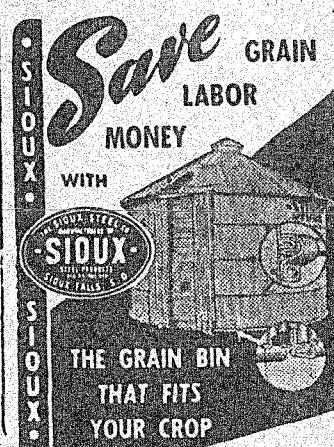
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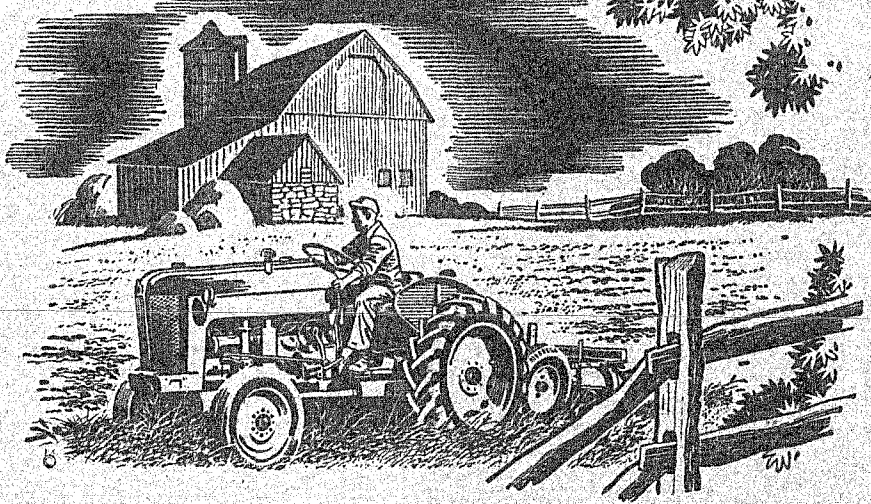


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Austin — Senators and Representatives will have only a brief breather between regular and special sessions of the Legislature. Gov. Price Daniel announced that lawmakers would convene again, the first of next week.

Big question around the Capitol now is how many special sessions will be needed to solve the state's tax problem.

Since the lawmakers failed during their 120-day regular

session, to erase the \$65,000,000 deficit and balance the budget for 1960-61, that chore will be number one on their agenda. And most observers think it will take at least two and maybe more, 30-day special sessions to iron things out.

Only matters specifically offered by the Governor may be considered during a special session of the Legislature, and all legislation started during the regular session must start over, practically from scratch. Revenue-raising proposals will have to be introduced again in the House, heard in committee, etc., before they can go to the Senate.

"OPEN SHOP" TEACHING
Any college graduate could teach school in Texas — at least for a year or two — under a House-passed bill.

Bill would grant a teacher's certificate good for one year to any bachelor's degree holder, whether he had had teacher training or not. Certificates could be renewed twice. After that, the applicant would have to take 12 semester hours of teacher education.

Miss Maud Isaacks of El Paso, herself a teacher for many years, sponsored the bill. Professional educators were divided on the merits of the plan.

Some said it would increase qualified personnel; others, that it would attract to Texas the misfits and ne'er-do-wells from "all the freshwater colleges" in the nation.

PLOUGHED UNDER
In the final days of a session, there usually isn't time to revive a bill that gets pushed aside. Among the bills whose setbacks were interpreted as death for this year are these:

MILK IMPORT REGULATIONS, sponsored by Sen. Grady Hazlewood of Amarillo. House supporters couldn't muster the two-thirds majority to take the bill out of order. Proponents said the restriction on milk brought across the state line was needed for health reasons. Opponents

called it a trade barrier that would raise the price of milk.

BROADENING THE COMMON PURCHASER OIL LAW, by Sen. Hazlewood. Senate refused to take up the bill which would require pipelines to provide connections to new fields or transport the oil to market by truck.

BAN ON SUNDAY AUTO SALES, by Sen. George Parkhouse of Dallas. It passed Senate, but House refused twice to take it up.

BAN ON NUDIST CAMPS, by Rep. James Truman of Gober. Senate passed, but House refused to call it out of committee. Committee had referred it to the Attorney General who said it would be legal.

HIGHWAY ZONING
Both houses moved quickly toward passage of a bill to protect smaller roads from heavier truck loads.

Governor Daniel asked for such regulation when he signed the bill to increase permitted truck loads from 58,400 to 72,000 pounds.

Proposed bill would allow the State Highway Department to zone state highways and farm roads for lighter truck loads and give same authority to County Commissioners for county roads.

INSURANCE QUESTION MARK
Whether the State Board of Insurance should operate full-time or part-time was an issue expected to carry over into the special session.

House made its preference clear by putting full-time salaries in the House appropriations bill and by passing a bill specifically providing for a full-time Board.

Senate version of the appropriation bill provided for what would amount to about one-third time salaries (\$5,000 a year) for Insurance Board members. Many senators opposed a full-time Board in addition to a full-time Commissioner when the Department was re-organized two years ago. Since then, they have been angered because the Board retained (William A. Harrison as Commissioner after the Senate had disapproved him.

Since no conference committee was appointed to adjust difference between the two houses' appropriation bills, it was obvious the insurance hassle could not be resolved in the regular session.

TOURIST BILL PASSES

The much discussed and battered bill to permit the state of Texas to advertise its tourist advantages finally was approved by both houses of the Legislature before adjournment of the regular session.

As passed, the bill puts into effect the constitutional amendment approved by a close margin by the voters at the election last November. It differs in one important respect, however. It does not provide that industries shall match state funds — which was the sales pitch that was used to effect passage of the amendment by Texas voters.

Designated to handle the program is the Governor, the Chairman of the State Highway Commission, and the Chairman of the Texas Industrial Commission.

SHORT SNORTS

House passed a resolution opposing federal regulation of wages to import farm labor. It was sent to the U. S. Dept. of Labor and to Congress. Some called it the "get your cotton picking hands off our cotton picking hands" measure.

Senate approved the House-passed bill to allow for abolishing the office of county school superintendent in counties not needing one. But it was amended so it applied to only two counties, Young and Parker.

REA 24 Years Old; Only One Borrower Behind in Payments

The Rural Electrification Administration marked its 24th anniversary on May 11 with only one of its electric borrowers behind in its loan payments to the Federal Government, the U. S. Department of Agriculture announced recently.

This is the lowest delinquency record in REA's history.

Since the REA electric program began in 1935, the agency has made loans totaling more than \$3.8 billion to 1,082 rural electric systems. These utilities have made payments to the Government of nearly \$1.1 billion, including \$599.7 million repaid on principal, \$357.6 million paid in interest, and 141.7 million paid in advance of due dates.

Commenting on this record, REA Administrator David A. Hamill said:

"In the latter 1930's, a lot of people were wondering if those new rural electric systems were going to be able to meet the payments on their Government loans when due. Today they have their answer. The rural electrification program has proved one of the soundest investments ever made by the people of this country."

REA electrification loans have been used by member-owned cooperatives and other private organizations to construct 1,480,000 miles of distribution lines, and other electric facilities, to serve 5,140,000 rural consumers.

When REA began operations, only about 11 of every 100 U. S. farms had central station electric service. Today 96 of every 100 farms are electrified. REA borrowers serve slightly more than half of these farms.

The typical REA-financed electric system is a cooperative serving 3,640 consumers over 1,300 miles of line. It obtained its first loan from REA in 1937, and it has borrowed a total of \$2.9 million from the Government. It has repaid approximately \$500,000 of this obligation, and its net worth is about 164 percent of its total assets.

"In the beginning," Administrator Hamill observed, "these systems were organized and operated by farm men and women who were, by and large, amateurs in the utility business. Despite the handicap of inexperience in this field, they built sound enterprises which have met a variety of challenges. Rural utilities survived the material shortages during the war years; they increased capacity to meet the sharply rising demand for electricity which followed the war. Today the typical rural system is professionally managed, an important local employer, and a reliable source of low-cost power for rural consumers."

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ing the office of county school superintendent in counties not needing one. But it was amended so it applied to only two counties, Young and Parker.

Number of persons receiving unemployment payments in Texas is one-third fewer this month than in the recession spring of a year ago. The Texas Employment Commission reported 58,410 jobless now compared to 90,946 in May, 1958.

It was a rough session for a presiding officer, but House Speaker Waggoner Carr had "his day." Many colleagues paid tribute to Carr on Speaker's Day, and Carr and his family received numerous gifts.

paid by residential consumers on the lines of REA borrowers is about 2.68 cents per kilowatt hour at present, the lowest in REA history.

In REA's much newer telephone program which marks its 10th anniversary next fall, results also tell the story. So far, REA has made loans totaling \$557 million to 657 rural telephone companies and cooperatives. When invested in plant this money will have built 310,000 miles of line and other facilities to bring modern dial telephone service to about 1,160,000 rural subscribers.

Telephone borrowers already

have paid REA \$7.8 million in interest, \$10 million in principal, and \$1.26 million in payments in advance of due dates. Fifteen telephone borrowers currently are behind in their payments.

Mr. and Mrs. Mace Blanton Jr. Mike and Karla Kay of Fort Worth spent Mother's Day with his mother, Mrs. Mace Blanton, Sr.

M/Sgt. and Mrs. W. C. Spencer Tom and Bill of Dyess AFB, at Abilene, spent Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Mills, who accompanied them home for an indefinite stay.

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I would like to express my sincere appreciation to friends for your cards, flowers, visits and other kindnesses while I was in the hospital recently. Your friendship is valued very highly. E. K. Purdy. 20c

Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy in our recent sorrow. For the beautiful services, floral offerings and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful. Mr. and Mrs. A. Heifer and relatives. 20p

Shields News

By Mrs. E. S. Jones

The rain in the past week has been spotted. Some areas received more than others. Some received hail, but not enough to do heavy damage.

Visitors with the A. B. Carrolls last week were Mr. J. Fred Davis of Apache, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carroll of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Eppler, Mrs. Ora Dillingham and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe attended funeral services for Mr. Frank Schulze of Bangs, father of Homer Schulze.

Mrs. Jack Dillingham accompanied the Seniors of Santa Anna High School on the Senior Trip, as a sponsor. The group spent three days at the Bar-Kal Dude Ranch near Austin. Local seniors, Christene Carpenter, Ann Stewardson and Jackie Dillingham, made the trip.

Mrs. Tom Newman, Susan and Elaine of Midland, spent several days with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Milligan and Mary.

G. C. McDonald Jr. of Odessa spent Thursday night with the Bert Fowlers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Jones of San Angelo spent Friday night with Mrs. E. S. Jones. She returned home with them to visit for a week with relatives in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cobb visited their son and family, Vance Cobb, of Odessa, Saturday night in Brownwood. Mrs. Vance Cobb's father is very ill in a Brownwood Hospital.

Mrs. Emma D. McClain had four generations to spend Mother's Day with her. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McNeely of Doole, her children and families, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Baker and sons of Hardin; Mr. and Mrs. Varrall McClain and daughter of Odessa, Cleburne Riley of Santa Anna was also a visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jones of McCamey and Mr. and Mrs. Cap Holder and children of Iraan visited Saturday night and Sunday with the Aubrey Epplers.

Dan McElrath is a patient in the Coleman hospital. Mr. W. B. Watson returned home Sunday after a week in the Santa Anna Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Walters and sons of Fort Worth spent the weekend with the W. B. Watsons.

Mrs. Bert Fowler, Sandra and Larry spent Friday night at Vick with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McDonald. Mrs. Nadine Bynum of San Antonio was also visiting the McDonalds.

Several children participated in the Kiwanis Little Olympics in Coleman Monday night. Quite a few ribbons were won by John Dillingham, Tommy Stewardson, Georgia Eppler and Vic McElrath and Edwina McCarroll, a former resident, won a trophy as high point girl in the contest.

Cleveland News

By MRS. MANLEY F. BLANTON

Visiting Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cupps were Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Terry and daughter of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Granad and daughter of Santa Anna visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard.

Attending church from Coleman Sunday were Mrs. Jimmy Schulle and two daughters.

Visiting in Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming's home Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sikes of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ray Fleming of Abilene.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Blanton Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Paul Voss.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moore and Terry and Mrs. Nola Moore spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Phillips.

Those visiting with Mrs. S. E. Blanton Friday were Mrs. C. T. Moore, Mrs. Ruby Hartman, Mrs. R. W. Cupps and Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Covey of Abilene visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Oder and children, Lee Beth and Paul of Abilene, visited here Sunday with his mother, Mrs. A. L. Oder. All attended Mother's Day services at the First Christian Church.

Whon News

By MRS. TOM RUTHERFORD

We extend our deepest sympathy to the Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris family during their hours of grief. Mr. Morris' mother passed away in Brady Friday night. Memorial services were conducted today (Monday) at 3:00 p. m. in Brady. Burial was in the Brady Cemetery.

Mrs. Ellen Rawlins of Corpus Christi visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Bible last week. Linda Lee and Ricky Abernathy spent Saturday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Abernathy in Millersville.

Had a lovely telephone conversation with my son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rutherford and son, in Concord, New Hampshire, for Mother's Day. They are all fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Babe Gardiner.

Our sympathy is deeply extended to the family of Mr. Frank Schulze of Bangs, who passed away in the Santa Fe Hospital in Temple, very suddenly last Wednesday night. Mr. Schulze attended the picnic at Whon the first of April and was in awfully good spirits and seemed to enjoy himself so much. He is the father of Homer Schulze of San Antonio, Mrs. Alfred Cooper of Snyder and Mr. Punk Schulze of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ellis of Woodson visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal and Dixie Saturday.

We are very sorry to report the condition of Mrs. Alma Forehand, who had surgery in the Brownwood Memorial Hospital last Monday, is not very good. Mrs. Cozart and Mrs. Wimpy Watson visited her briefly Thursday afternoon.

Freddie Cobough spent Friday night and Saturday with Ricky Abernathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilday Rutherford of Brownwood, Patsy Rutherford of Abilene, spent Saturday night with the Tom Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal spent Sunday in Abilene with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Deal and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Deal.

We extend sympathy to our neighboring community friends, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box, over the death of their son, A. W. Box, who was killed in an automobile accident Saturday night. A. W. was stationed at Fort Hood. Services were conducted in Rockwood Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford and children, Loyd, Patsy and Lynda, were in San Angelo Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Flippin and son. We were met there by Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Smith and boys of Iraan, Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford of Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Deal and children of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. Etoile Cozart and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Fuller Sunday afternoon, and briefly visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal and Dixie.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Buse and Earla were Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Pete White and family of the Concord Community.

We are glad to report Mrs. Bert Turney feeling much improved and returned to her home here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hellman of Rockwood, their grandsons, D. L. and J. W. Fulbright of Coleman, visited in the Tom Rutherford home Saturday night.

Dixie Deal spent Sunday with Robert Pery in Austin. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yancy were Sunday dinner guests with his grandmother in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams of Brownwood spent Mother's Day with her mother, Mrs. Annie Munger.

WTU Co. Magazine

Wins First In Natl. Copy Contest

The Electric Times, employees' monthly magazine edited by Jimmie Martin of the Public Service Department of the West Texas Utilities Company, was named first place winner in the 1959 Better Copy Contest, sponsored by the Public Utilities Association.

Cal Young, WTU President, announced today that WTU again has won outstanding honors in the field of advertising but in a new category. The company has won several first awards in this contest in recent years in advertising and window displays, but this is the first time to win honors in the magazine category. The awards were made May 9 at the annual PUA convention in Dallas.

The Electric Times is one of the pioneers in the employee magazine field and is now in its thirty-second year of publication. Jimmie Martin has served as publication editor for the past 14 years.

This is the second national honor to be awarded to the Electric Times in recent years. In 1951 the magazine was awarded the Freedom Foundation Medal for editorials and feature articles promoting a better understanding of the American Way of Life. One was awarded the company, a second to Martin.

More than 2,000 entries were received in this year's Better Copy Contest, which is the 36th annual contest conducted by the association and the oldest continuous advertising competition. The Electric Times was awarded first place in the top category which includes employee publications of all privately managed electric utilities companies with 100,000 or more customers.

The contest included newspaper advertisements, magazines, employee newspapers, direct mail, publications, display, posters, billboards, annual reports, radio and television and motion pictures.

Sunday Singing Has Good Attendance

The regular Second Sunday Singing was well attended when it met at the First Christian Church Sunday afternoon. Quite a rain fell before the assembly was dismissed. There were plenty of good leaders and pianists attending.

The 20th Century Club sang two numbers, "Mother's Calling Me," by J. B. F. Wright, who has written a book of songs, and "Tell Mother I'll Be There." This was in memory of Mrs. W. A. Standly, a former longtime member of the club. This was her favorite song, and was sung at her funeral at her request.

As usual, quite a number of people from other communities were present.

The next meeting will be at the North Side Baptist Church on the second Sunday in June.

Stamp pads at the Santa Anna News office.

BOBBY'S
Beauty Salon
Telephone - Red 59

NOTICE

Of Board of Equalization Meeting

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Coleman, Coleman County, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., beginning on Wednesday the 3rd day of June 1959, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Coleman County, Texas, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1959, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

Lee F. Craig, County Clerk
Coleman County, Tex.

Coleman County, Coleman, Texas
This 11th day of May, 1959.

Egg and Cookie Shower Successful

The egg and cookie shower, sponsored by the C. W. F. of the First Christian Church on Wednesday of last week, was a big success. The shower for the Orphans and Aged of Juliette Fowler Homes in Dallas, was held in the church annex.

A great many cookies along with 108 dozen eggs were brought in. Mrs. Oscar Boenicke and Mrs. Clifford Stephenson did most of the packing. Eggs and cookies were taken to Dallas by bus.

On Saturday morning of last week, Mrs. Roy Stockard and members of her family met in the Coggin Avenue Park in Brownwood to observe her father's 90th birthday. Mr. J. B. Tomlinson, who makes his home at Locker with a niece and husband. Three of the children were present along with 13 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Week End SPECIALS At HARVEY'S

HILL COUNTRY - ALL FLAVORS
MELLORINE 1/2-Gal. .35

HILL COUNTRY HOMO
MILK 1/2-Gal. .39

GLADIOLA 10 Lb. Bag
FLOUR .79

GIANT SIZE
TIDE .65

WHITE SWAN 3 Lb. Can
SHORTENING .59

WHITE SWAN
TEA 1/4 lb. Pkg. 25¢
1/2 lb. Pkg. 49¢

WHITE SWAN 12 Oz. Bottle
CATSUP 5 Bottles \$1

TEXO-MAID 3 Large Jars
Preserves \$1

COMSTOCK - PIE No. 2 Can
APPLES 4 for \$1

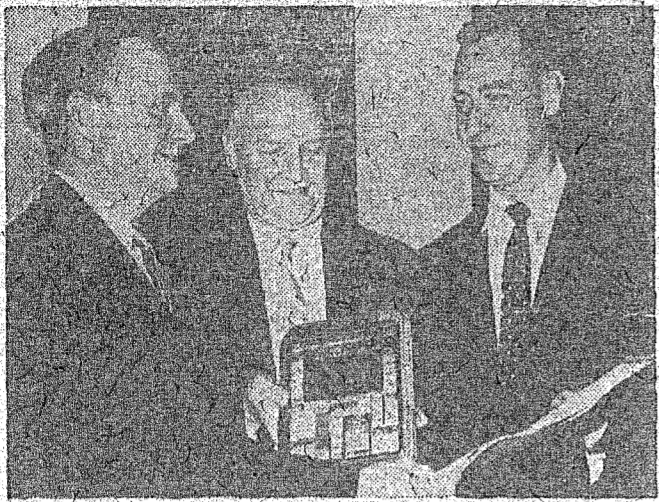
CONCHO - White or Yellow, 303 cans
CORN 2 Cans .29

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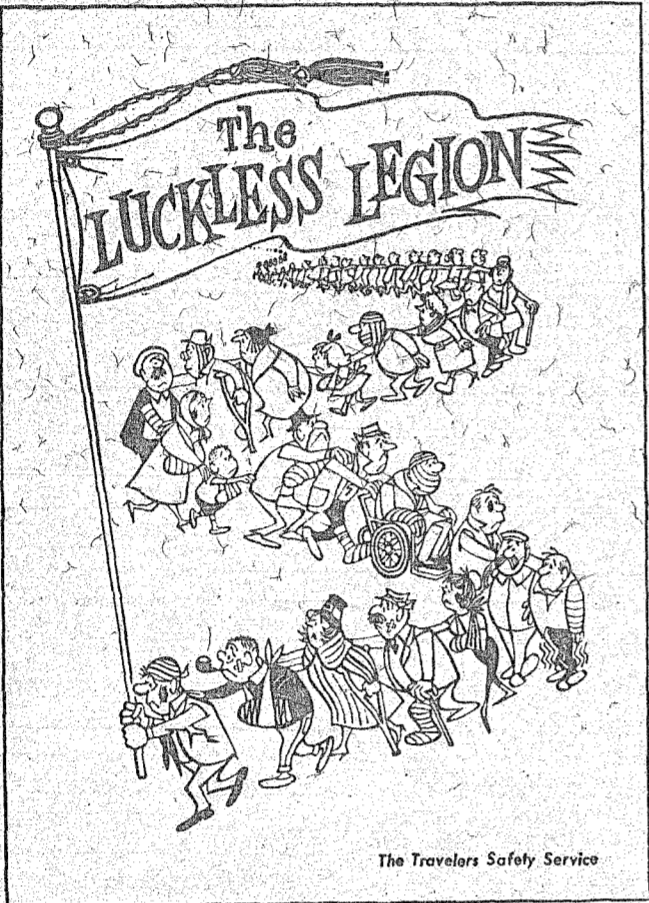
PHONE 30 WE DELIVER
NO DELIVERY AFTER 5:00 O'CLOCK

BARBECUE
Beef - Pork - Chicken
COOKED DAILY



Recognizing a "remarkable record of achievement in the public interest," Gov. Price Daniel cites Sigma Delta Chi, national journalism fraternity for men, on the organization's 50th anniversary. Daniel hands an official memorandum to Bo Byers, capital correspondent for the Houston Chronicle. Byers is president of the Austin Professional Chapter. Center is Don Reid, Huntsville Item editor, immediate past president of the Gulf Coast Chapter which will host the Texas Association of Sigma Delta Chi at its convention in Galveston, May 1-3. Reid holds a plaque recently presented to Governor Daniel by the Gulf Coast Press Association, honoring him as one of the past presidents of that organization.

The Luckless Legion by Irwin Caplan



The Travelers Safety Service

Motor vehicle accidents caused more than 2,860,000 casualties in 1958.

Delta Omicron Sorority Has Last Meeting of Season

The Delta Omicron Sorority held its last regular meeting of the current season in the Community room of the Santa Anna National Bank Monday evening, May 11. No meeting will be held during the summer months. During the meeting those present made favors for Emma Lou Brink, to be used at the State Convention. A history of the past year's events was read by Wanda Campbell and Besse Gill. The new president, Besse Gill, read the names of each committee for next year. They are as follows: Ways and Means — Alice Horne, chairman; Lorene Rice and Avis Hays. Membership — Wanda Campbell, chairman; Betty Henderson and Betty Martin. Scrapbook — Patricia Davis, chairman; Maurice Mallow, Gale Stewardson and Sammy McCreary. Publicity — Charlotte Moseley, chairman; Marjorie Huff and Patsy Granad. Social — Sylvia Herring. Contact — Betty Rucker,

chairman; and Ruby Markland. Program — Coyita Bowker, chairman; and Dilly Dockery. Welfare — Claudia Rutherford, chairman; and Ety Swindell. Yearbook — Billie Guthrie, chairman; and Besse Gill. Jonquil Girl — Ety Swindell. Style Show — Bettye Rucker and Besse Gill, co-chairmen. Those attending were: Charlotte Moseley, Patricia Davis, Lorene Rice, Wanda Campbell, Marjorie Huff, Bettye Rucker, Besse Gill, Ety Swindell, Ruby Markland, Coyita Bowker, Sammy McCreary.

Mrs. Cobb Gives Report On District Meet At H. D. Club

Mrs. George Cobb of the Goulbusk Home Demonstration Club was guest speaker when the Rockwood Home Demonstration Club met at the Community Center Wednesday, May 6, at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Cobb gave the high lights of the District Home Demonstration meeting, attended recently in Ballinger. She says the first thing you notice is the friendly spirit of the women at the club meetings. The party room was decorated with cut flowers. The speaker's table was covered with a pastel yellow cloth. The meeting opened with the Club Song, "Ever Onward," led by Mrs. Charles Sheffield with Mrs. James Steward at the piano. Mrs. Jack Cooper presided during the business session and presented corsages to the youngest mother present, Mrs. James Steward, and the oldest mother present, Mrs. Lawrence Brusenhan. Mrs. Curtis Bryan and Mrs. Sheffield directed recreation. Mrs. Henry Smith served refreshments to Mmes. L. Brusenhan, Evan Wise, Harold, Straughan, John Hunter, George Cobb, Drury Estes, Aubrey McSwane, Sherman Heilman, Jack Cooper, Charles Sheffield, James Steward, Curtis Bryan, Lee Miller and four children.

20TH CENTURY CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY
The 20th Century Club will meet Friday, May 15, in the home of Mrs. Warren Aldridge. The meeting will be at 2:00 p. m. All members are urged to be present. During the business meeting, new officers for the coming year will be elected. Stapling machines and punch at the News office.

PTA Has Final Meeting of School Year on Wed., May 6

The PTA met in regular session last Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Robert L. Markland presided in the absence of the president. The program was presented by the Junior Band, under the direction of Mr. Mallow. Susanna Hays, Dianna Copeland and Velda Cullins presented individual parts. The nominating committee reported their suggestions for a complete slate of officers. Their report was voted and accepted. The new officers will be installed at the first meeting in the fall.

TAX-MAN SAM SEZ:

Well, it's only a few more days now until this year's school session is over. Thousands of students will rush off to play but every year there are more boys and girls who work during the summer. It is worth noting that Dad doesn't have to knock them off his income tax exemptions. In spite of the law having been changed for five years a lot of Dads still give the younger generation a bad time about not making over \$600. It doesn't matter any more, Dad, how much they make. You still get your exemption and the student also gets their own. That's the way the law reads. If Junior doesn't understand how it works, he had better take the income tax course for high school and college students next year. The 75,000 young North Texans who studied this fine little course this year know how to take the extra exemption.

Visitors in the Casey Herring home Sunday for lunch were Mrs. Ben Herring, Mrs. Danny Bryan and boys, Mike and Ronnie, all of Abilene, and Mrs. Charlene Schulle and girls, Joan and Rena, of Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Herring and Kemaril Pamela June went home with her sister, Charlene, at Coleman for a visit.

Mrs. G. F. Barlett visited Sunday in Brownwood with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lehman and Marty. She had Mother's Day dinner with them on Sunday and they brought her home Monday.

Visitors in the Roy Stockard home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Sawyer and children of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Powell and Marilyn of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Morris McFadden, Lynn and Marlinda of Abilene.

Thursday to Sunday guests with Mrs. H. M. Smith were her daughter, Mrs. R. O. White and Mr. White and great-grandson, Terry Jordan of Rankin. Sunday afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Thigpen, Joyce and Sue of Abilene.

Miss Evelyn James, a student in Beaumont, spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Rex. Golston, who accompanied her home, enroute to Baton Rouge, La., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Paul James.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harrison of Brownwood visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Hosh.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hunter and family of Abilene spent Mother's Day with Mrs. Ora Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mulroy spent the weekend in Houston with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Horton. They brought their granddaughter, Stephanie, home with them for a visit.

We cooked up Savings for you on

QUALITY FOODS

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

SUGAR IMPERIAL PURE CANE	10 lbs.	89c
Limit One		
MARGARINE Decker's	1-lb. Pkg.	15c
PRESERVES KRAFT'S PURE PEACH	20-oz. Jar	39c
PICKLES BETTY BRAND SOUR OR DILL	Qt.	39c
TISSUE SOFTEE SNOW WHITE	Roll Only	5c
PEACHES Libby's	Large 2½ Can	35c
KIMBELL'S — TALL CANS		
PORK & BEANS	3 for 29c	
THE BEST! CRISCO	6 lb. can	\$1.59
SUPREME — FIG BARS		
COOKIES	1 lb. pkg.	39c
SUN SPUN — 1 lb. 6 oz. Can		
YAMS—Whole	2 Cans	55c
SWIFT'S PURE LARD	3 lbs.	45c
SUNSHINE CRACKERS	lb. box	27c
SALAD DRESSING Kraft's	Qt.	59c
BARBECUE SAUCE Kraft's	19-oz.	39c
Charcoal Briquets	Large 10-lb. Bag	69c
BACON ARMOUR'S MATCHLESS BRAND - SLICED	lb.	45c

HOSCH GROCERY

PHONE 56

Linda Riley, a student in the University of Texas at Austin, was with home folks for the weekend.

A3c and Mrs. Gwin McKee of Dover, Del. came Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McKee, before reporting back on June 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henderson of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. A. Humphries of Ozona, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. S. L. Cannon.

Weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hunter were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hunter and Ed Lee of Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Don Coursey of Coleman.

A. G. Weaver and son, Burgess, of Dallas, were weekend guests with Mrs. Burgess Weaver and Miss Pearl Wilburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Baker of Breckenridge, spent Sunday in the O. L. Cheaney home.

Mrs. Hildegard Everett of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Everett, Shelly and Sherry of Abilene, visited Mrs. Frances Everett over the weekend. All of them spent Saturday night and Sunday at Mrs. Dywers ranch near Brownwood, attending Sunday services in Brownwood.

H. W. Kingsbery of Beaumont spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kingsbery.

Mrs. Barry Sullivan and boys of Austin, spent the weekend with the Charlie Moseley family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes left Sunday for Washington, D. C., where they will spend about two weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Terry Sanders and family. Mr. Sanders will go to India soon with the U. S. Counsel Service.

Mrs. Leon Slusher and son, Stevie, of Odessa, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stewardson.

Visitors over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Tucker and Davis were their children, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Norris of Indian Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tucker and children of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rutherford and Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Rutherford.

Weekend guests with Mrs. Byrd Arnold were Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Burklow and son of San Antonio and Mrs. Prebble Gregory of Fort Worth. Mrs. Gregory has recently moved to Fort Worth from Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wright, Carolyn, Judy and Erny of Abilene visited Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Dixie Wright.

Sgt. Lichon Coley of Ft. Carson, Colo., is home on leave and is visiting his family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coley.

Mrs. Erin Day and Mrs. Lee Strother visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Slusher and family of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. T aylor and Jinks of Ballinger, visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. R. S. T aylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen and Sammy of Odessa, were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Collier.

J. W. McClellan, Carole and Donnie Simmons spent the weekend in Austin, visiting relatives.

Friedrich Elbert was the first president of the German Republic.

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Who Makes The Laws Here, Anyway?

Does Congress make the laws that govern this country, based on the needs of the majority of citizens who live therein, or are we governed by a small — but fantastically powerful — dictatorship of men who run certain unions? Judging by the news, it would seem that the unions are in charge of the governing.

Just look at the record. The McClellan Committee uncovered endless abuses in unions . . . acid throwing, blackmailing, picketing, violation of democratic rights, vicious evils . . . Laws to reform these evils were obviously necessary.

Senator Kennedy introduced a bill supposed to correct these abuses. It is not an effective bill, not by any means, and it has since been even further watered-down from its original state because of "sweetening" concessions to unions.

But there has to be an end to it somewhere.

When a man like George Meany, President of the AFL-CIO, comes right out and says that the Federation will not support the Kennedy-Ervin bill if certain concessions he wants included are not in it . . . well, the time has come for some kind of concrete action.

Are we going to sit by and just watch powerful labor bosses threaten and dictate to the Congress, just the way they do to their own members?

Are we going to allow people in Congress who want to put through worthwhile laws to be intimidated by the support or non-support of the Meany's and the Reuthers and the Hoffas? And they are not the only ones . . . this growth of fascistic unionism has got to stop. What are we building here? How far are we going to allow this tyranny of unions to grow?

Unfortunately, though it started out with the best intentions in the world, the current Kennedy-Ervin bill is not the way to stop union abuses! It is worse than a weak bill. It is simply ineffective. Instead of setting-up laws that make unions behave, it "requests" that they act like gentlemen.

Instead of a bill with the "teeth" to correct abuses, it asks the union only to report their constitution (many unions don't even have a constitution) and the names and addresses of their officers. Instead of protecting small business so that the cult of unionism-at-any price will not coerce people into joining unions, it allows them to continue what they now do — and hog-ties an employer's efforts to bring his case to his workers.

Instead of telling-off a man like Meany: "This country is governed by the people, represented in Congress! . . . it allows his unions to directly or indirectly own stock in the very companies he is unfairly picketing . . . allows him to tell Congress he will "not support this bill unless!"

The kind of law Mr. Meany and his pals are insisting upon will only extend his power . . . make unions more tyrannical . . . make unions more pressure-powerful.

If this continues, what can the individual worker or the small business man do? How can he maintain his rights against unions allowed to spend millions of dollars to propagandize . . . while the employer must report anything that can be construed as an "influence" on his employees' right to unionize — even as small an item as a coffee break.

Are we to sit back and let men like Mr. Meany and their pressure groups make the laws?

Are we to settle for a Kennedy-Ervin bill and piddling reform . . . when this country needs a strong measure to root out evil? Mr. Kennedy knew what was needed — punishment that fits the crime! How did it get bogged down?

And who makes the laws in this country, anyway?

1959 Guide To Better Business

Dr. J. A. Bryant, Chiropractor

1305 Austin — Phone MI 3-3161 — Brownwood

No profession has made greater and more rapid strides in recent years than chiropractic. The efforts and results are being recognized by more and more people each day.

The unusual success of Chiropractic, its doctors claim, lies in the fact that it goes to the root, the cause of the trouble, and then takes immediate steps to remedy the cause.

Dr. J. A. Bryant, who is located in Brownwood at 1305 Austin Avenue, Phone MI 3-3161, is a Chiropractor with 22 years of experience. He believes that if your health has not been the best, you owe it to yourself to come to his office and let him show you how his adjustments will remedy the existing cause. He states that that nerve system is so constructed that it leads to, and conveys life to

every distant part of the body. If there is the slightest interference with the balance of this delicate nerve system, complications are bound to set in which will cause illness.

Dr. J. A. Bryant in Brownwood can adjust this interference, which he states, removes the cause, thus restoring normal conditions, and permitting nature to take its natural course to heal.

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One of the essential features of a house, store or any structure, is that it will weather the years. The same is true of the reputation of any business firm, and that is why Pierce Bros. Lumber Co. enjoys an ever increasing volume of business and popularity.

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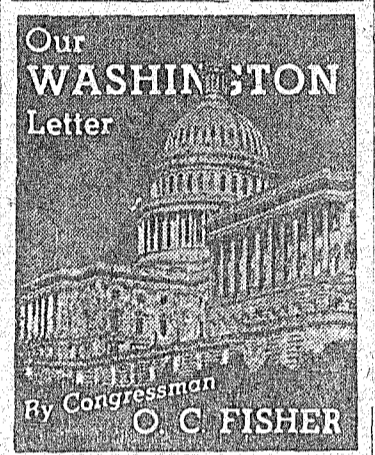
They have wrecked and used cars and vehicles able them to get the parts, which in many cases are as good as new and are sold at prices that cannot fail to appeal to anyone that uses an automobile.

We are pleased to give this public spirited, and progressive concern mention in this edition, and to say that whenever you are in need of a used part for your car, you will find that you will save money if you pay them a visit. You can be assured of a square deal at all times.

Last Wednesday Mrs. Walter Stuart and Mrs. Henry Stuart of Coleman and Mrs. Clarence Bertram of Meadota, Calif., visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vanderford. Mrs. Bertram is the former Dale Stuart. Mrs. Bill Pritchard of Post visited in the Vanderford home from Wednesday to Sunday, also visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Robbons and Mr. and Mrs. Don Pritchard. Bill Pritchard and the children, Robert and Sue, came Saturday. All of the folks were Mother's Day guests with the Vanderfords.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Prier were in Pleasant Valley, north of Brownwood, Sunday, to attend Decoration Day services.

Sgt. Pleaman Cruger of Omaha, Neb., was home for the past ten days, visiting his mother, Mrs. Pleaman Cruger. He and his mother visited in Waco with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hinkle and family.



OUR WASHINGTON LETTER
By Congressman C. FISHER

MORE SPENDING and increased public debt comprise the chief demands upon Congress by the Democrats for Democratic Action (D.A.) voted at its annual convention held the past week in Washington.

The ultra-liberal group, claiming 40,000 members, is trying to take over control of the Democratic Party as well as claiming the right to speak for the American people in prodding Congress for ever more spending for welfare and socialized programs.

Last week the ADAers threatened the Democratic leaders in Congress by saying they might quit the Democrats and support liberal Gov. Nelson Rockefeller for President next year if the Democrats fail to heed their demands.

A favorite target of the ADA has been Senator Lyndon Johnson, their main beef being that he comes from Texas. Any person who comes from the South, unless he be an ultra-liberal, is persona non grata to this motley crowd of left wing zealots.

If followed, the ADA program would up the public debt by some \$20 billion during the next year; would admit Red China to membership in the UN; would increase the minimum wage to \$1.25; would push union wages higher, while demanding that business voluntarily reduce consumer prices. They want to increase immigration substantially by repealing the quota system that now restricts immigrants percentage-wise according to national origin of citizens who were here in 1920. They denounce any criticism of the Supreme Court decisions that have benefited domestic communists, subversives, etc., and

New Texas Travel Map Ready For Free Distribution

The new 1959 Official Highway Travel Map is now ready for distribution by the Texas Highway Department. Copies of the "travel encyclopedia" of Texas, as it has been called, may be obtained by writing the Texas Highway Department, Austin 14, Texas, or at the highway district offices and travel information bureaus. County tax offices have map cards available for requesting copies of the map.

The new map is the answer to today's demand for more and more travel information. The steady growth of Texas from a state with a population of slightly over seven million just ten years ago to its present estimated population of more than nine million is reflected by the information appearing on the 1959 map.

Nine more cities and towns

are shown than on last year's map, making a total of 1,821. The increased mileage in U. S. state and farm-to-market roads is much in evidence. The map reflects some 1,600 miles of multiple divided highway now complete in Texas, including the completed sections of the National System of Interstate and Defense highways located in the state.

The map now shows approximately 61 major lakes and reservoirs, and includes countless rivers, creeks and streams. Roadside parks, long cherished as rest stops and picnic areas by Texans and tourists alike, now number 1,046 as compared to the 1,026 shown on last year's map.

City route maps are provided of the state's 12 largest cities.

The reverse side of the map, with a theme of "Texas, Land of Contrasts," reflects, in 20 full-color pictures, some of the out-

standing scenic, historical, and recreational attractions in Texas. A section entitled "Facts About Texas" gives facts and figures on Texas' natural resources, recreational opportunities, state and national parks, historic points of interest, flora, farming and ranching, terrain features, and climate.

The official Highway Travel Map is used by all state and governmental agencies in the state for determining highway distances, mileages, zones, and like information. The same map is equally as useful to tourists seeking roads leading to good times in Texas.

Mrs. Bessie Standly of Odessa spent the weekend with Mrs. Dovie Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Gray of Rockwood were Saturday dinner guests with Mrs. Chapman.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

denounce any actions by the Congress to correct such decisions by legislation.

Thus, it may be that opposition by this group will in the long run advance the cause of Senator Lyndon Johnson. The American people have a way of judging candidates at times by the type of opposition that asserts itself.

MICHIGAN, one of the Nation's richest states, is in financial troubles. Under Governor G. Mennen Williams' direction, a souped-up high-tax welfare program has depleted the state's finances to the point approaching bankruptcy.

Unable to meet its current payroll, state employees must wait for perhaps months to get their pay. Schools are hard-pressed. Voluntary advanced payment of taxes by Ford and other corporations helped for a while but that money is exhausted.

Williams' cast in the modern-day role of Nero, has with CIO and ADA support placated the voters with hand-outs, social welfare and artificial prosperity, but the chickens seem to be coming home to roost. The goose that laid the golden egg appears to be a bit groggy. Maybe it is a lesson in disguise, sent to prove the truth of the old adage that you can't have your cake and eat it too — that the 'something for nothing' philosophy is but a share and delusion.

Weekend guests with Mrs. M. E. Waller were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Waller of Brecksbridge, Pat Waller and daughter, Paula of San Angelo; Raymond Waller of Graham; Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Waller of Albany; Mrs. Neely Evans and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Garrett and family.



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County of Coleman Condensed Statement

Coleman, Texas
FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED MAR. 31, 1959

FUND	Balance In Bank Jan. 1, 1959	Receipts	Total Available Cash	Disbursements	Balance In Bank Mar. 31, 1959
Road and Bridge					
Precinct No. 1	\$ 19,304.94	\$ 5,224.32	\$ 24,529.26	\$ 9,464.32	\$ 15,064.94
Precinct No. 2	5,420.51	13,039.40	18,459.91	16,660.09	1,799.82
Precinct No. 3	6,258.80	5,169.50	11,428.30	7,347.34	4,080.96
Precinct No. 4	9,780.47	12,524.42	22,304.89	17,812.25	4,492.64
Precinct Totals	40,764.72	35,957.64	76,722.36	51,284.00	25,438.36
Boad and Bridge General	46,694.84	56,465.08	103,159.92	34,649.11	68,510.81
Lateral Road and F-M	1,386.24	6,265.15	7,651.39		7,651.39
Total R & B and F-M	88,845.80	98,687.87	187,533.67	85,933.11	101,600.56
Less Interfund Transfer		20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	
Net R & B and F-M	88,845.80	78,687.87	167,533.67	65,933.11	101,600.56
Jury Fund	12,421.16	747.61	13,168.77	1,697.41	11,471.36
Flood Control Fund	3,709.47	696.13	4,405.60		4,405.60
General Fund	26,802.76	17,504.17	44,306.93	21,190.71	23,116.22
Permanent Improvement	20,375.21	2,870.48	23,245.69	2,420.50	20,825.19
Officers Salary	16,016.18	11,264.68	27,280.86	16,818.44	10,462.42
Social Security	775.89	9,092.00	9,867.89	1,754.00	8,113.89
Interest and Sinking	1,386.82	51.67	1,438.49	1,004.50	433.99
	\$170,333.29	\$120,914.61	\$291,247.90	\$110,818.67	\$180,429.23
Undivided Tax Fund	3,699.72	25,731.64	29,431.36	29,023.26	408.10

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

Permanent Improvement Fund \$138,000.00
Coleman County Courthouse Improvement Refunding Bonds of 1952. Original Issue of \$190,000.00. Bonds payable \$10,000.00 each September 1. Interest payable semi-annually.

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND

Precinct No. 1 \$10,606.07
Time warrants for machinery: \$5,303.03 due Nov. 15, 1959; \$5,303.04 due Nov. 15, 1960.

Precinct No. 2 \$ 7,500.00
Time warrants for machinery: \$2,500.00 due April 15, 1959; \$2,500.00 due Nov. 15, 1959; \$2,500.00 due April 15, 1960.

Precinct No. 3 \$11,335.00
Time warrants for machinery: \$2,500.00 due April 15, 1959; \$4,415.00 due Nov. 15, 1959; \$4,420.00 due Nov. 15, 1960.

Precinct No. 4 \$10,950.00
Time warrants for machinery: \$3,450.00 due April 15, 1959; \$5,000.00 due Nov. 15, 1959; \$2,500.00 due April 15, 1960.

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NOTICE

THIS NOTICE CONCERNS YOU

AS OF JUNE 1, 1959, ALL NOTARY PUBLIC COMMISSIONS IN THE STATE OF TEXAS EXPIRE.

Persons holding Notary Commissions for the term ending June 1, 1959 will be re-appointed by the Secretary of State, and they will be required to file a new Bond and Oath with the County Clerk in order to obtain a new Commission for the term beginning June 1, 1959.

Persons who are not Notaries Public under this present term, and who desire to become Notaries Public for the term beginning June 1, 1959, may apply for appointment at the office of the County Clerk at any time after May 10, 1959.

Lee F. Craig, County Clerk
Coleman County, Texas

Public Opinion Poll On What Is Wrong With Children

Nearly all Texans have ideas about the problems of children and youth today, but seldom do they get the chance to tell it to their President or Governor. Now they can by simply filling out the Public Opinion Poll on this page and mailing it to Governor Price Daniel in Austin.

Actually, President Eisenhower and Governor Daniel want each citizen's ideas about the state and nation's future citizens. President Eisenhower has called a White House Conference on Children and Youth, as each president has done every ten years since Teddy Roosevelt. This week Governor Daniel issued a call for all Texans to look at barriers to the future development of the state's most precious resource — its children.

Governor Daniel has asked officials in every county to organize a large local committee to study all welfare, education, health, and spiritual resources available in each community to the juvenile delinquent, the hungry child, the student in each independent school district, the ill and handicapped, those in day care while their mothers work, and children who need protection.

At the first meeting of the 129 prominent Texas civic leaders on the Governor's Committee for the 1960 White House Conference on Children and Youth, Daniel told his appointees, "Our purpose is not to go to Washington for someone to tell us what to do about our children. Rather, it is to generate public interest in how we in Texas can meet the needs and problems of our youngsters. Responsibility rests upon our homes, our churches and our schools to give training to qualify our children for citizenship."

Governor Daniel has asked that every Texan use time and thoughtful interest in express-

ing his ideas through the poll on this page, and mail it directly to him. The results will be tabulated and will represent Texas' demand for attention at the White House Conference.

Trickham News

Mr. and Mrs. Oil Martin and Mrs. Zona Stacy attended the Baccalaureate Sermon at Brooksmith Sunday morning. Among those graduating from the high school are Martin Stacy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stacy and Wanda Stephens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Stephens.

Mrs. Stacy's children, Walter, Lula, Desta, Joe and Tavy were visiting her on Mother's Day afternoon. Rev. Charles Miller called Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie R. Fleming of Abilene visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stearns and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming and Margie, over the weekend.

Visitors with Mrs. Beula Kingston the past week were her niece, Mrs. Lucille Jones and James, her daughter, Mrs. Ruby Lee Anderson and three children, all of Brownwood, Mrs. Jesse York and Nikki, Mrs. S. M. Fellers, Mrs. Oscar Boenicke and Mrs. Clara James.

Mrs. Elmer Woods and two daughters were dinner guests with her mother, Mrs. Lee Dockery on Mother's Day. In the afternoon they, and Mrs. Dockery, visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vaughan.

Mrs. Neta Williamson is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Oakes and family of Brownwood, spent the weekend in the Lige Lancaster home.

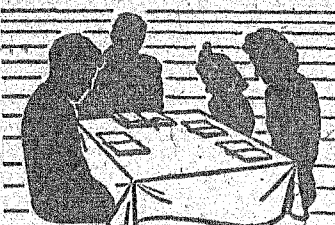
Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster attended funeral services for Mr. Frank Schulze in Bangs on Friday.

Ben McIver of Big Spring visited Dooyne McIver Saturday afternoon.

Visitors in the Grady McIver home Saturday afternoon and evening were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cook of Pampa, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Don Cook and Miss Wanda Cook of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver and Sabrina of Wink, Texas. Dooyne McIver spent Saturday night and Sunday at home, returning to Abilene Sunday afternoon.

A nice crowd attended the shower at the Trickham Community Center Saturday night, honoring Wanda Cook, bride-elect of Dooyne McIver. Many

Today's MEDITATION from The World's Most Widely Used Devotional Guide



The Upper Room

Read John 13:33-38. Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life, (John 14:6.)

When teaching in another state, I left my first grade classroom for only a few moments one day. Upon returning to it I found all the children's hands raised high in the air. When I

nice gifts were presented the happy couple.

Mrs. Keetie Haynes visited Sunday in the Grady McIver home.

Visitors in the Laughlin home over the weekend were: Dr. Mathew, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Craig, Jack Hale of Santa Anna, Mrs. Doyle Laughlin, Mr. Billy R. Laughlin, Cheryl and Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laughlin and Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. McDaniel, all of Brownwood.

Mrs. Fred Haynes, Mrs. John Dockery, Mrs. Bill Vaughan and Ray Laughlin went to Cherokee Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Carol Bowden. They found Mr. Bowden some better.

Mother's Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Martin were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cole and Delma Martin of Brownwood, also Howell Martin, and a niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Laza of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Chleo James visited over the weekend in Austin with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pat McShan and Cindy.

Dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sheffield, honoring Mrs. E. D. Sheffield on Mother's Day, were the honoree daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bain of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Williams of Bangs, two grandsons and families, Mr. and Mrs. J. Floyd Williams and Denise and Mr. and Mrs. Duwane Williams and Dianna.

NOTE: Please turn in your news items to Mrs. Wilson at the Post Office. Be sure all names are spelled correctly and print names that are hard to spell. Thanks. The Editor.

looked around in wonder at what was going on, I saw a precious blue-eyed child sitting in my seat at the front of the room. Quickly I said, "What is this? What's the matter?"

With a most sincere face — angelic with childlike faith — he said, "Oh! I was just asking the children how many love Jesus."

Here was a simple testimony given by a child in the presence of all his classmates in the first grade.

I smiled at him as he left my desk and returned to his place. I offered a silent prayer to God for his testimony that indicated his love for Jesus.

PRAYER

Lord, give us faith to trust Thee, as little children trust Thee. We thank Thee for giving to us little ones who show forth Christ in heart and life. We pray in the name of Jesus who said, "Whosoever shall not receive the kingdom of God as a little child shall in no wise enter therein." Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Through faith in God we become instruments of His love to others.

—Mrs. C. W. Harris (South Carolina)

Manager Urges Early Claims For Those Retiring On S. S.

One of the goals of the Social Security Administration is to pay benefits as promptly as possible to those persons entitled to payments. R. R. Tuley Jr., manager of the Abilene office stated today.

To do this, Tuley said, it is necessary for the person claiming benefits to make inquiry for payments at his local social security office. A worker should inquire for payments before he retires if he knows he will be retiring on a certain date. This will give the Social Security Administration and the person claiming benefits time to get the information and evidence together to establish his rights to the payment before the time his first check is due.

Generally, evidence will be required to prove the age of the retired person and the age of his wife. This may be an old

birth certificate or other record of age that is old and reliable. Delayed birth certificates set up recently are not accepted without supporting evidence. Also, evidence of the worker's earnings in the taxable year that ended before he plans to retire is necessary. This may be a copy of the income tax return for self-employed persons or the W-2 forms for wage earners.

Tuley again stressed that for prompt payment of your first social security check "inquire before you retire" at your Abilene social security office, or meet a representative of that office when he is next in your community. Your local post office has a current schedule of such visits.

Mrs. Don Parks and Rae Lynn went to Abilene Sunday, where she is employed.

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By A. L. SPERRY, O.D.
Director Public Education
Texas Optometric Association

Abnormal Blind Spots In The Eye
Several months ago we wrote a column about the blindspot present in every normal eye. Blindspots always seem such a fascinating subject to the average person that much discussion is created. How an eye can have a blindspot all a person's life and that person never be aware of its existence. At the time we pointed out that having never had vision in this particular area of the eye, where the Optic Nerve enters the eye from the brain, we are not aware of any loss. It is only in some forms of testing his eye that the patient may realize that the doctor has "discovered" a blindspot. It is essential that the doctor quickly explain what the blind area is and relieve the patient's anxiety about it.
However, not all blind spots are normal. There are many ways that a previously normal eye can develop an abnormal blindspot, or in fact, several of them. Unfortunately these blind areas are usually hard for the individual himself to detect.
There are two general types of blind areas: 1. those which involve the eye itself and 2. those which involve a part of the brain or the optic nerve behind the eye and cause a blind area in the eye because that part of the eye is not being "received" in the brain due to the "lines being down" somewhere after leaving the eye.
But we should go back a little in order to explain to those of you who are not students of physiology the way in which the eye works. Actually the brain

dear the seeing. Light coming into the eye is focused on tiny nerve endings at the back of the eye. These nerve endings are like the telephones at the end of an area telephone service cable. They form the retina and cover the entire inside of the back of the eye except where they all join together to form the "cable" of nerves, called the Optic Nerve, which leads out of the eye and back to the brain (switchboard).
Let's imagine that a group of houses in the area serviced by the telephone switchboard burned. Naturally, the switchboard would receive no calls from these houses — the telephones were all destroyed and there would be a "dead" area on the switchboard although the switchboard itself was in operating order and not affected by the fire. This is what happens to the retina when disease or poison kills an area of the nerve cells of the retina. These areas can usually be seen by examining the interior of the eye as should be routinely done on every eye examination. These areas of dead retina are now "blind spots" and can be measured for size and extent by several methods.
Similarly, damage to the telephone cable (Optic Nerve) which cuts some of the wires will cut off communications between those telephones, (the eye) and switchboard, (the brain). It is easy to now follow that damage to part of the switchboard, the brain; it will also cut off reception from the telephones the damaged area serviced.
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PUBLIC OPINION POLL
—FOR—
1960 White House Conference on Children & Youth
—ABOUT—
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In my opinion the ten biggest problems of children and youth in Texas are: (examples: hunger, lack of spiritual training, juvenile crime, education, etc.)

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College Crush Affects Very Few Colleges

The brighter a student is, the more he and his parents worry about his not being admitted to a "good school." Yet, according to the editors of Changing Times, these fears are groundless.

Any high school graduate who is qualified to do college work can get into college. This will continue to be so, despite the oncoming rush of applicants.

If he is a good student, he can get into a good college, one that he can be proud of going to and where he will have ample opportunity to do honors work and to meet other bright students.

In any case, he can get into a college that is well suited to him and where he will be able to make the most of his abilities and interests.

Even the student whose marks are only fair can go to a college that will give him what he needs — and as much of it as he can take.

If that's all true, then what is the fuss about? Namely, say the editors, that over the years certain colleges have become famous. Some 50 to 75 colleges and universities bear the brunt of the rising tide of applications while scores of other good colleges are not so crowded or, in many cases, have plenty of room that is going begging.

Understandably, it is the bright student who fixes his aim on the prestige colleges and is most bitterly disappointed if he isn't admitted. Yet he is the student with the widest choice and the one who could benefit most from any of dozens of other good colleges. The trouble is that neither his parents nor his friends have heard about them.

The answer then is to begin gathering information about colleges early in the student's high school career and to talk about them often with teachers, parents and friends. His final choice should be in terms of his own needs and his own interests.

Other suggestions for students by Changing Times:

Don't only take the right courses in high school and build a solid record. All your work from the sixth grade on will be looked at by the college admission officer.

Think hard about your reasons for wanting to go to college and the type you want to go to, regardless of "name."

Talk your plans over with your parents and high school counselor.

Learn about the many different institutions that might be okay for you in terms of your grades, your scores on standardized tests, your interest and finances.

The simple fact that must be stressed, particularly for parents, is that there is nothing magical about any college. What is important is the student's attitude. Surveys of college alumni show that 70 percent to 90 percent would return to their alma mater if they had college to do over again, despite the fact that many went to a college that was no originally their first choice.

Large Group Added To Membership Of Quarterback Club

This week a large number of names have been added to the membership roll of the Santa Anna Quarterback Club. Annual membership dues are \$5.00 per year for a man and wife, or \$3.00 per year for a single person.

If you are interested in the functions of the Quarterback Club and their activities, you are urged to become a member of the organization. Following is the list of names added to the membership this week:

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Riley, Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swindell, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Rice, Freddie Dodson, George M. Johnson, W. C. Price, Roy L. West, Doyle Evans, John Guthrie, Rip Keeney, E. V. Campbell, H. F. Fenton, Jr., Mrs. Erin Day, John Skelton, Western Auto Associate Store, G. Preston Tate, Toad Hensley, Kenneth Henderson, Mrs. J. B. Gipson, McKee Cleaners, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bogus, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moore, Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Wardlow, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wristen, C. T. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Martin, Donald Trull, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes.

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