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## Mountain Echoes

By Barbara Kingsbery

Four Texas constitutional amendments will be voted on May 18, and we urge everyone to study the propositions and go to the polls. An article giving information on the proposed amendments, is published elsewhere in the News.

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Our thanks and appreciation to Boy Scouts for their work at the Ranger Park. The boys and their sponsors have repaired the park building and are now using it as their scout house and have cleaned up the area around the building.

Since it was built about 30 years ago, the Ranger Park building has been occupied and abandoned several times. We hope the attractive rock building will now be maintained and used.

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The Santa Anna 4-H Club talent group is in demand for entertaining throughout the area and they will have several more appearances before going to College Station for the State 4-H contest in June.

The talented youngsters will take part in the music festival at Novice on Friday night of this week. On Wednesday of next week, May 19, the singers will appear on the Sandy Chapel TV show on KRBC-TV in Abilene.

The 4-H'ers are sponsoring a talent show on May 20, and will present special music at the Sunday, May 23, morning service at the First Baptist Church.

We hope everyone will have an opportunity to hear and see this group of teenagers perform.

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Local people are sorry to know of the senseless vandalism that has occurred in Santa Anna in recent months. At the Community Civic Center a number of window lights have been shot out with pellet guns, causing unwarranted expense and damage. The C. C. Center is federal property, being under a lease-purchase arrangement, and penalties for destroying government property are quite strict.

Local people are urged to report any vandalism and try to prevent more.

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Many people in town collected "prime" hail stone specimens after the Saturday night storm and were displaying them—or at least telling about the large size.

Joe Riley is said to have the largest hailstone in town, but an Aggie friend suggested that Joe was sprinkling it with water every few hours to add to its size.

Sizie Riley says the hailstone is in a frostless freezer, so will automatically get smaller every day.

Anyway, it's too late to measure it now—no one would believe it arrived that way.

## Glen Copeland Announces Site For Election

Glen Copeland will be the election judge for the constitutional amendment election next Tuesday, May 18. The election will be held in the Community Center at the Mountain City Apartments from 8:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m. People going to vote may park at the back of the center or may park on the street and walk through the patio at the apartment building.



GAIL ROBINETT  
Outstanding Student  
in Homemaking Dept.

## GAIL ROBINETT AWARD WINNER IN HOMEMAKING

Gail Robinett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robinett of Santa Anna, was awarded the Crisco trophy for her outstanding work in homemaking and the Santa Anna chapter of Future Homemakers of America.

The gold trophy given annually was presented to Miss Robinett by Mr. Floyd Marshall, high school principal, at the annual graduates' tea and installation service held at the high school on Monday, May 3.

Gail, a senior at SAHS, has been a member of the local chapter for four years and an officer of the chapter for the past three years. She attended and participated in the last two area FFA meetings as a member of the Area IV chorus. She holds junior and chapter degrees in FFA.

## NURSES AIDES FROM S-ANNA GET DIPLOMAS

Four Santa Anna women were among the group of 23 who recently were awarded diplomas and pins upon completion of a nurses aide course in Coleman. The class was sponsored by the Central Texas Opportunities and taught by Mrs. Ann Turner, R. N., director of Nurses at the Over-all-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman.

The course included 100 hours of instruction with the completion of 70 being required for a diploma. Completion of the course makes members of the class eligible for employment as aides at hospital or nursing homes.

The four from Santa Anna who completed the course were Buna Baucom, Billie Lovelady, Katherine Horner, and Carmen Rendon.

A graduation party for the class was held in the hospital cafeteria and the diplomas and pins were presented.

## PTO WILL MEET THURSDAY NITE

The first grade class of Mrs. Elgean Harris will present a program entitled "Who Knows" at the Thursday night (tonight) meeting of the Parent Teacher Organization. The group will meet at 7:00 p. m. at the elementary school auditorium.

Also on the program will be the 4-H singing group. During the business session new officers for the coming year will be elected and reports given for the year.

Parents of all school children are urged to attend the meeting which is the final one of the school year.

## WIND AND HAIL CAUSE DAMAGE IN COMMUNITY SATURDAY NIGHT

Rain, hail and a cyclone-type wind hit Santa Anna just about dark Saturday night, inflicting damage to a number of roofs and buildings. The hail was mostly marble sized with a few stone as large as baseballs. One hailstone, the size of a soft ball, was picked up at the Joe Riley home and others, including one 9 1/2 inches in circumference, was displayed by Mrs. Clara Traylor.

Roof damage in most cases is a few large holes on each roof, apparently caused when the scattered large hail fell. The wind damage caused garages at the Quinton Daniel home and Mrs. Curren Pieratts' home to collapse, and the carport at the Billy Riley house was damaged in the storm.

The small tile storage building south of the high school gymnasium was destroyed in the storm. Only one wall of the former concession stand was left standing.

Television antennas over town were blown down by the wind and two poles on the

cable TV system were broken. Only one WTU electric pole on the Plainview road was broken by the wind. The fireworks stand belonging to Ray Owen and located west of the Santana Motel was blown completely across the highway into a field, missing the fence entirely.

A number of large trees and limbs were broken off in the Saturday night windstorm. A large tree at the home of Mrs. C. M. Moseley was broken off and blown across the house, knocking the chimney off at the roof. Barns and sheds were also damaged at the Moseley place which is located southeast of town.

The official Santa Anna rain report for Saturday was .85 inch. Other areas in the community reported from one inch to 1.75 inches with some water caught in tanks and creeks.

Heavy hail in Coleman caused thousands of dollars damage Saturday night, and REA service to a large part of the area was disrupted for several hours as a result of the storm.



AREA FFA WINNERS... Cline Smith, center, was chosen Area IV FFA Star Chapter Farmer at last week's convention at Tarleton State College. He will compete for the State award in July. Mark Wise, left, and Lane Guthrie, right, were second place winners in the Star Lone Star Farmer and Star Greenhand Farmer competition at the Area IV meeting.

## Cline Smith Chosen For Award At Area FFA Meeting Saturday

Cline Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith, was chosen Area IV Star Chapter Farmer at the meeting held at Tarleton State College last weekend.

Cline was representing the Coleman District and will go on to the State FFA contest in Houston on July 14-16.

As winner of the area award Cline received an \$80.00 cash prize.

A sophomore student at SAHS, Smith has had FFA projects for two years which now include six brood sows, 14 barrows for show, one boar for breeding, and four pairs of commercial cows and calves.

Showing swine in all the major stock shows for the past two years, he had the reserve champion barrow in the Fort Worth show the past year.

He is an active member of the local FFA chapter and has helped with all projects and activities. He is also a member of the Registered Hampshire Swine Association.

Lane Guthrie and Mark Wise each won second place in the area competition for Star Greenhand Farmer and Star Lone Star Farmer. The two boys are sons of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Guthrie, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wise.

Mark is a junior student at SAHS and one of the outstanding showmen in the area. His projects include lambs, swine, calves, and he has been on the judging teams and a local officer. A three-year letterman on the Mountaineer football team, Mark is also a member of the SAHS student council. Mark has been recipient of district

and area greenhand award and was named district chapter farmer in 1970.

Freshman class president Lane Guthrie has as his FFA projects 10 mutton lambs for show purposes, and five pairs of registered Angus cows and calves for commercial breeding. He has also attended all major stock shows and helped with chapter exhibits and displays. He is active in all school affairs and a member of the football, basketball and golf teams, Beta Club and band.

The three FFA students were accompanied to the area meeting by their advisor, Billy Riley. The FFA talent team consisting of Terry and Sharon Loyd, Roberta Barton and Johnny Williams participated in the area talent contest on Friday night.

## Garage Burned In Blaze Friday At Holland Home

The garage at the Harvey Holland home on Jefferson St. was destroyed by fire last Friday afternoon and hay, tools and equipment stored in the building were lost in the blaze.

The call to the fire department was answered by 17 firemen and two trucks. Fire hoses were connected at the elementary school property which is just north of the Holland residence.

A high wind prevented ignition of the house which is north of the garage. Firemen were on hand to control the fire and prevent further damage to any surrounding property.

## Half-Mile State Championship Won By Dwight Eppler of SAHS

Dwight Eppler, SAHS senior student, posted his best time of his track career last Saturday to win the state championship trophy in the Class B 880 yard run. The state victory came on his

third attempt, placing third for the past two years in the Class A event. The winning time at the Saturday meet was 1:56.8, better than the Class A champion who had 1:58.5.

The state championship is ending the high school track career for Eppler who has been a consistent winner in meets for the past three years. He has set track records at several meets and has scored points in the steeplechase and broad jump as well as the 880 yard run.

Mike Baker, Mozelle broad jumper, placed third in the state meet on Friday. Dwight and Mike were the only local boys entered in the Class B competition at Austin.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Eppler, Dwight was coached this year by David Haldaday.

A special assembly was held at high school Monday morning and the state championship medal was presented to Eppler. A gift from the student body was presented and the entire assembly gave Dwight a standing ovation.



JIM SEE  
1971 VALEDICTORIAN  
95.87 Grade Average



NANCY BAUGH  
SAHS Salutatorian  
92.67 Grade Average

## Class of 71 Honor Students Are Jim See and Nancy Baugh

Honor students for the 1971 graduating class have been announced this week by Principal Floyd Marshall.

Valedictorian of the graduating class is Jim See, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dawson See. He has a four-year grade average of 95.87. Salutatorian is Nancy Baugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh, with an average of 92.67.

Jim is a four-year member of the Beta Club and serving as president this year. He was president of the junior class and received the scholarship medal for highest class average in his freshman and junior years.

A winner of the district science contest the past two years, Jim was regional winner and second place in the State UIL science contest this month.

As a freshman, Jim was the

class representative on the Student Council. He was the winner of the S. H. Phillips scholarship trophy for three years and was a National Merit Commended Scholar for 1970-71.

Miss Baugh is editor of the annual this year after serving as assistant editor for two years. She has been a class officer all four years in high school and was high point girl as a freshman and sophomore.

As a sophomore Nancy received the Homemaking medal and was recipient of the Crisco award for outstanding homemaking student in 1968-69. She has been active in FFA as a member and officer and was representative at the National FFA meeting in New York last summer.

Head twirler with the Mountaineer band this year, Nancy has won many medals and awards with her twirling. She is also a medal winner for clarinet ensembles and solos and is a member of the All-District Band.



GAYLA HORNELL  
BS Degree From HPC

## Gayla Hornell Gets BS Degree At HPC May 16

Gayla Hornell will be among the Howard Payne College students who will receive degrees at the Sunday, May 16, commencement exercises. Mrs. Hornell will be awarded a bachelor of science degree in secondary education.

A graduate of Santa Anna High School, she attended McMurry College, Texas Wesleyan College and Hill Junior College before entering HPC. Her major is English and Speech.

Mrs. Hornell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver of Trickham. Dr. Guy D. Newman, HPC president, will confer degrees at the 2:30 program at Mims auditorium.

## Outstand Band Trophy Is Given To S. A. Stage Band

The Santa Anna Stage Band directed by Aubrey Edwards was winner of the outstanding band trophy at the recent Goldthwaite stage band festival. The Santa Anna group competed with about 12 other area stage bands in the one-day contest.

At Ballinger last Tuesday the band did not win any award but Deborah Aldridge was named as flutist in the all-star band, chosen from bands of all classifications.

The stage band has two more appearances planned for this year. They will play at the 4-H variety program on May 20, and present several selections in the spring concert on Monday night, May 24.

Members of the stage band are saxophone players: Bill Gilbreath, Judy Brusenhan, Lucinda Smith, Rebecca Rendon, Nancy Perkins, and Larry Benton; trombones: Suvane Smith, David Robinett, Jody Day and Gus Morgan; trumpets: Jimmy Benton, Jay Lynn Moseley; Raul Guerrero and Lane Guthrie; piano: Nancy Baugh; string bass: Carol Kingsbery; drums: Lonnie Lowry; tuba: Phil Parnell; flute: Deborah Aldridge; and guitar: Sammy Allen.

## Class Favorites Chosen At SAHS

Santa Anna High School students elected their class favorites last week and the students chosen will be featured in the 1971 annual.

Leslie McCreary and David Huggins were chosen by their freshman classmates as favorites for the 1970-71 year. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ray Huggins.

Janice Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felton Martin, and Terry Loyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Loyd, were named favorites of the sophomore class.

Junior class favorites are Glenda Strickland and Tommy Lewis. Glenda is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Strickland and Tommy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Lewis of Brownwood.

Nancy Horton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Horton, and Dwight Eppler, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Eppler, were chosen as senior class favorites.



AIRMAN JOE HAWKINS  
Ends Basic Training

## Airman Hawkins Completes Basic At Lackland AB

Airman Allen L. H. (Joe) Hawkins, Jr., has completed six weeks basic training at Lackland Air Base at San Antonio. He is presently stationed at Biloxi, Miss., attending technical school for seven weeks for training as a printers systems operator.

The husband of the former Patricia Beard, Hawkins is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hawkins of Santa Anna. He is a graduate of Santa Anna High School and Central Texas Commercial College in Brownwood.



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*In Our Opinion*

By W. T. HAYS

Four amendments face Texas voters next Tuesday, May 18. Probably too many citizens do not understand them and are wondering how to vote on them. Some will even say, "I don't know anything about them, so I'll just not vote."

That attitude, however, is a dangerous one. It is our duty to study the amendments and then try to make a judgement as to whether they are good or bad. Just because they are presented by the state legislature doesn't automatically give them the stamp of approval. Like anything else that is devised by human beings, there are good and bad.

Amendment 1 is the controversial, so-called ethics bill, which would appoint a board of nine men who would set the pay of legislators and their per diem allowance, and would set the standards of ethics for the legislators. The amendment deals mainly with the compensation of House and Senate members and the ethics part of it seems to be an after-thought.

The legislator's arguments for the amendments stress the ethics part of the bill, giving little or no reference to the pay setting powers of the board. Arguments against stress the pay raise part of the bill, giving little or no reference to the ethics part.

It is a shame that the two are not separated so that the people could vote on them separately. Certainly there is room for an improvement in the conduct of some legislators, and as well, room for better compensation. But what we don't like is the cloaking of a pay raise bill under the guise of ethics.

Amendment 2 would allow the legislature to pass and send to the voters a constitutional amendment during a special session, with the argument that sometimes an emergency exists that would necessitate such action. Opponents say that such an amendment would encourage frequent and ill-advised changes in the state's constitution, something they claim has already happened, even with the restriction of such action during regular sessions. We doubt that there will ever be a need for such a hurry in passing an amendment to the constitution, and if one was devised in such a hurry, we wonder if its consequences could be studied to the degree any amendment to the constitution deserves.

Amendment 3 is the well publicized welfare amendment, which would remove old age assistance, aid to the blind, and aid to the permanently and totally disabled from the welfare ceiling. This would leave only aid to families with dependent children under the ceiling.

Welfare costs have continued an upward spiral at an alarming rate and every state is scratching for funds to meet their needs. Although many genuinely needy people are on welfare rolls, they are also carrying too many "freeloaders" who don't deserve to be living off the public.

What really needs to be done is a complete re-vamping of welfare operation, putting old age assistance and others who are permanently on the rolls on computer operated basis, and cut out the high administrative costs of constantly checking on them to see if they might have made an extra dollar during a pay period. The administrative costs far exceeds anything the state could save by these checks and then there would be more money available to those who need help. Of course there is a need for administration, but like most governmental operations, administrative costs are usually more than the cost of the project itself. We would question that Amendment 3 is the answer to our problem.

Amendment 4 is one that would not cost the state more money. It allows the Water Development Board or Water Quality Board to issue bonds to help Texas cities improve their disposal systems, which many cities need but are unable to do so because of costs. It would allow cities to take advantage of federal matching funds to provide the necessary facilities to up-date their sewer systems, and as well would be a terrific boost to the state's water pollution problems.

MEN ARE GROWN UP BOYS is a saying that is common and all too often it is true.

When men gather in meetings where they take action, sometimes they act like children.

Recently in Vidor a city councilman was given a beating after he demanded the firing of a patrolman. After his demand, the police chief and the six other patrolmen quit in protest. Citizens attending the meeting beat up the councilman.

Now volunteers are serving as policemen in Vidor and they need volunteers to carry on city government.

"When I became a man, I put away childish things"

At a meeting the following Monday night the chief and his men asked to be taken back on. This time two other councilmen joined the victim of the beating. They thought the policemen should not have stood idly by while their colleague was getting beat up. 50 local citizens jeered them and the councilmen got up and walked out. The city secretary and assistant city secretary then resigned.

STATE Capital NEWS By VERN SANFORD

AUSTIN — Texas lawmakers wrapped up their toughest job, that of writing a record \$873.3 million tax bill, thus hopefully clearing the way for adjournment of their session by the May 31 deadline.

Top legislators said they feel that with the tax issue out of the way (assuming Gov. Preston Smith signs the bill), they can complete congressional and legislative redistricting and other "must" duties this month.

Few legislators claimed to be entirely satisfied with the huge tax bill, but the House voted 100-46 to concur in Senate amendments, bowing to the argument that a conference committee would only delay the inevitable.

Tremendous sentiment for lawmakers to wind up the bitter, complex session and get home as quickly as possible was apparent in the House vote.

Here are key provisions of the tax bill which will become effective July 1 if signed by Governor Smith:

- Sales tax increase from 3.25 to four percent.
- Auto sales and rental tax at four percent.
- Franchise tax rate increase from \$3.25 to \$4.50 per \$1,000.
- Cigarette tax raise from 15.5 to 18.5 cents a pack.
- Gasoline tax raise from five to seven cents a gallon (and diesel fuel increase from 6.5 cents to seven cents a gallon).
- Beer tax boost from \$4.30 to \$6 a barrel.

House Speaker Gus Mutscher, who pushed for concurrence in the Senate changes, indicated an agreement has been reached to roll back the beer tax increase to \$5 a barrel in subsequent liquor-by-the-drink legislation which will be voted on later.

SMITH VEToes 10-2 JURY VERDICTS — Governor Smith, in his first veto of the current session, rejected a bill to set up comparative negligence in personal injury lawsuits and 10-2 jury verdicts.

In a strongly-worded veto message, Smith claimed the bill would throw the judicial system "into utter chaos" and substantially increase auto insurance premiums.

Little chance was seen for overriding the veto. GOVERNORS BLAST NIXON ON DROUGHT — Governors of Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma in statements here blasted the Nixon administration for failure to provide complete aid to their drought-stricken areas.

Governors said they will ask their congressmen to press for disaster relief.

Meanwhile, Texas House members on the drought committee visited Washington officials and found "some hope" of low-interest federal loans. Committee reports that farmers and ranchers are not adequately informed on the types of loans available to them and asked for special meetings with the Farmers Home Administration to explain aid which can be provided.

Panhandle legislator, Rep. Dean Cobb of Dumas, introduced a bill to allow the governor to declare a county a disaster area due to "serious deficiency in normal rainfall and chronic lack of storage water." Local agencies would be authorized under the proposed act to revalue property for tax purposes on designation of the area as a disaster zone.

COURTS SPEAK — U.S. Supreme Court ruling upholding a jury's right to levy the death sentence may mean early execution of many convicted murderers in Texas. There are 43 on death row at the state penitentiary and others in county jails. Most of them are appealing sentences.

State Supreme Court refused a defeated Palestine city council candidate's bid to force his way to election by legal action.

Texas Supreme Court set June 2 for arguments in opposition complaints over grant application for a new savings and loan association in Bay City and a branch office in Hallettsville.

Court of Criminal Appeals upheld an 800-year prison sentence given a Fort Worth man for rape in 1969.

AG OPINIONS — A bill allowing banks to have drive-in facilities 1,850 feet from the main unit may or may not be held constitutional, depending on facts in each case, Atty.

Gen. Crawford Martin has held. Question is whether the bill permits banks to engage in business "in more than one place."

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded that:

• Legislation to permit a bank to increase its capital stock without issuing same is unconstitutional, since authorized capital stock must be subscribed and fully paid in cash.

• A barber inspector who practices barbering on weekends may be eligible for appointment to the State Board of Barber Examiners if he has performed "substantial practice continuously" for five years or more.

• Two proposed constitutional amendments concerning the Teacher Retirement System of Texas are offsetting. If both are adopted, no constitutional change would be made. If one (SJR 2) passes alone, the 10-year minimum service requirement would be cut to five years.

WELFARE INCREASE — When Social Security payments increase next month, most aged, blind and disabled in Texas will also get a slight income boost.

Social Security recipients will get \$4 more a month, as will those on Old Age Assistance who have no Social Security benefits.

State Welfare Board has authorized a \$1 monthly increase in standards for blind and disabled programs.

Texas public assistance recipients will not have Social Security increases retroactive to January counted against state grants.

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STATE LAND LEASED — Texas School Land Board accepted \$784,381 in high bids for leases on 13,436 acres of state-owned land.

Highest bidder was Humble Oil and Refining Company with a \$167,942 bid for 640 acres in Ward County.

Six bids were submitted on 70 upland tracts and 30 river-bed tracts. Total bids came to \$1.17 million. Forty-five high bids were accepted by the Board.

Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong said the Board was pleased with the \$53.38 average price per acre.

Another state lease sale for submerged lands is set for July 6.

18-YEAR-OLD VOTE NEARS — Governor Smith signed a legislative resolution giving formal Texas ratification to a federal constitutional amendment extending full voting rights to 18-year-olds.

Texas is one of 23 states which has ratified the proposed amendment. A total of 38 must approve it by legislative action to put it into effect.

Smith said he has "every confidence" that the required number of states will ratify and "that by 1972 all citizens over the age of 18 will have the right and the responsibility to vote. It is a likelihood to be cherished by all and feared by none."

SHORT SNORTS  
Dr. Elmer Baum of Austin resigned from the State Banking Board the day before the Senate nominations committee hearing.

Senate State Affairs Committee approved a bill calling for the state to assume 100 percent of the state foundation school program cost.

Cigarette tax revenue increased nearly \$1 million —

from \$14.8 to \$15.8 million — from April 1970 to last month.

Cars damaged in accidents would have to be re-inspected under a bill about to become law.

Jim Bowmer, Temple attorney, is new president-elect of State Bar of Texas; James C. Watson of Corpus Christi is incoming president, to be installed June 30.

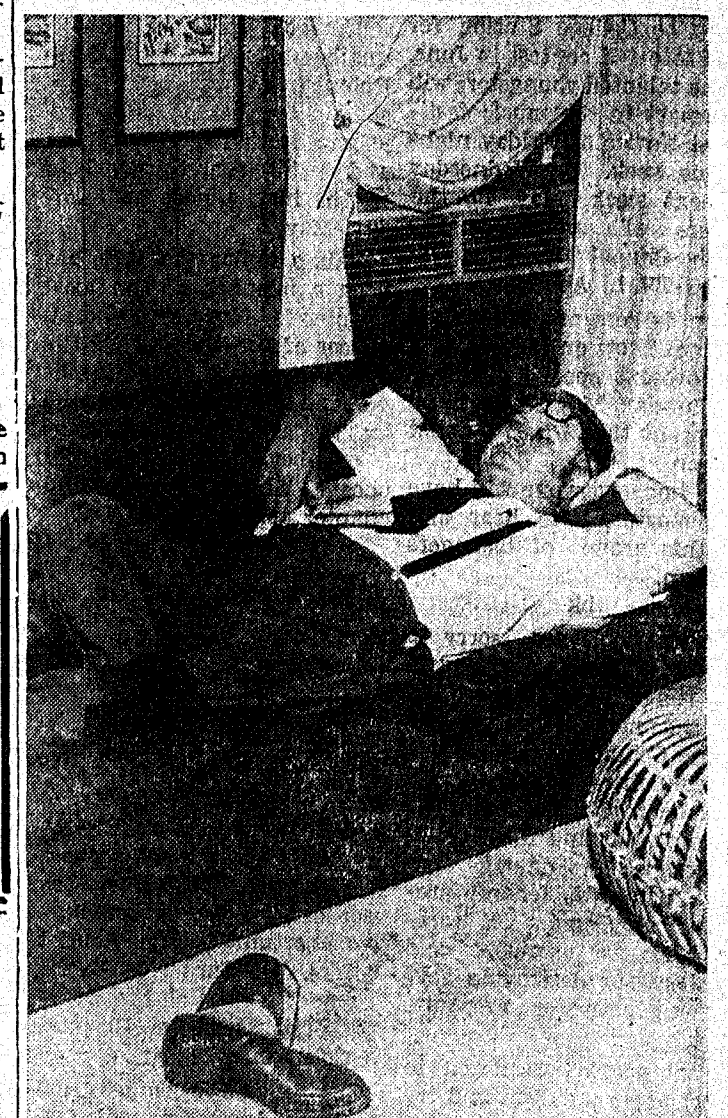
CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY  
Mrs. D. L. Wallace celebrated her 85th birthday on Saturday, May 1. Weekend visitors in the Wallace home were a daughter, Mrs. Inez Rouse of Center Point, and a granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rodriguez and boys of Houston.

Visitors on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace and family of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard and children of Zephyr.

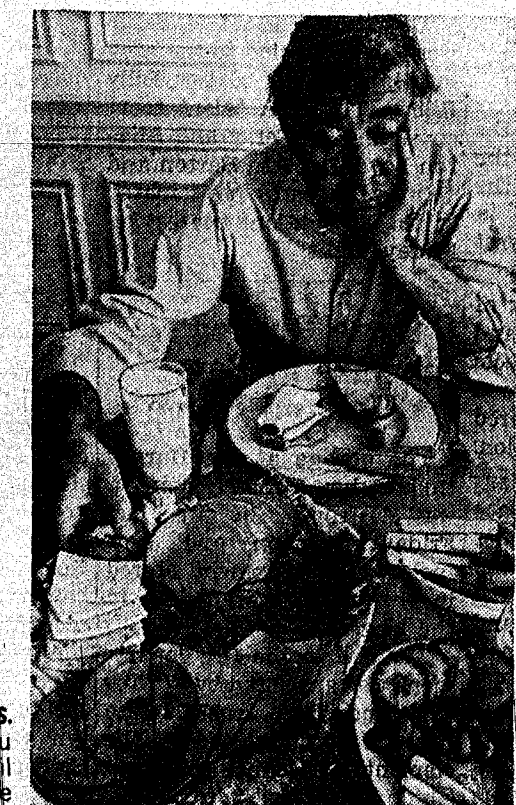
Mother's Day guests in the Wallace home were Mr. and Mrs. Clay Fletcher of Artesia, N. M., Bobbie Howard of Zephyr, Curtis Collins and Miss Virgie Brown.

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# Cleveland News

Mrs. Bruce Hibbetts

We had a real hall storm on Saturday evening, really had two. The biggest hall fell that any of the old timers had ever seen and there was a lot of it. We will have to have a roof on our home and on the Methodist Church. I have not asked about the Church of Christ building yet.

At our cemetery meeting on Saturday, we had a fair report and 12 were present. Our offerings were received from Richard and Lena Jennings of California, A. D. Brooks of Houston, Mrs. Carrie Hall, Arizona; Thelma and Charlie Fleming; Rachel and Clara Cupps; Roscoe and Dorothy Kilker, Washington; Beulah Wagner, San Angelo; Mrs. Rose Genz, Houston, Mrs. Harry B. Austin, Fort Worth; Mrs. Betrice Wilkins, Comanche; Frank and Gwen Garey, Buchholts; Lucy Montgomery, San Angelo; Campbell Spencer, Calif.; and Viola Brown, Brownwood; Also Dixie Cupps, Myrtle Wagner, Byrdia Miller, D. S. Baugh, S. D. Cupps, and Bill Williams. Others before this date were: Lela Hodges, Helen Williams, and Dovie Childers. There is always some donated work, which is appreciated as much as anything. We thank everyone.

Mrs. Lucille Cupps visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wells Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Evaline Herring visited Mrs. Schulle Monday morning at the hospital in Coleman.

We went to Charlie and Kathleen Avants' on Mothers

day and enjoyed a very good luncheon. Others were Buddy, Eva Nell, Timmy, Tammy and Tracy, beside their own children were there for dinner. After we got home Warren B. Wallace came and visited us for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps went to Newark, N. J., to visit their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Convey and children and were gone several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Don Cupps visited Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps Sunday.

Mrs. Lela Hodges, Mrs. Byrd Arnold, Johnnie Pat Campbell, Stephanie, and Leesa Gay Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Campbell and Calvin Campbell all visited Mrs. Tennie Campbell last week.

Mrs. Margaret Campbell is spending a few days with her children, Linda Rasch and family. Deana has been having trouble with her hip. They have it in a cast and built up shoes on her, and is walking with crutches.

Mrs. Tennie Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Campbell visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sims at Early, one day last week. I visited Mrs. Tennie Campbell and Mrs. Lela Hodges one evening last week.

Vernon Herring visited the Casey Herring family for a while on Saturday. Mrs. Ben Herring of Ranger Park Inn, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Bryan of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bryan and son of Odessa, Dale and Jeanie of Stephenville, were visitors over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring and Pam.

Mrs. Evaline Herring visited Mrs. Sylvia Herring awhile on Saturday.

Mrs. Thelma Fleming's company Monday morning was Evaline Herring, Leona Henderson and Mr. Elmer Cupps. Rodney, Roger and Randy Sikes spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Moore and Happy were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Moore

visited Mr. Horace Phillips on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perry had their boys, Mr. and Mrs. James Perry and children of Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry and children of Austin as Mothers' day visitors.

Buddy and Eva Nell Bengel and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bengel and with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace and family for awhile Sunday evening.

Mrs. Hodges' company last week was Mr. and Mrs. Shortie Ellis and Dick Baugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob White of Fort Worth, and Mr. Charlie Fleming visited Mrs. Beulah Fleming and family Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gould, Jr., and son visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gould, Sr. on Saturday. Mr. Claude Hunter visited them on Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Reville, Mrs. Lillie Weathersby and E. H. of Abilene were weekend visitors with Mrs. Mae Henderson and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henderson called Mrs. Mae Henderson on Mother's day to wish her a happy day.

Cindy, Becky and Patti spent Saturday night with Mrs. Mae Henderson and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Gilliam and family of Abilene and Mrs. Jewel Powers were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bible and children were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh and Nancy.

Warren Bruce Wallace is at home now after getting his basic training in the Army Reserve at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., and spending two months at Fort Carson, Colo. He was in the medics and the 490th Civil Affairs in Army Reserve. He will have three meetings each month at Abilene and spend two weeks each summer at camp for the next six years.

Warren Bruce is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace. He is a graduate of Santa Anna High School and Howard Payne College.

the terrible storm there. Hilary reported to us all homes around them lost the house tops and some had other damage also.

Mr. and Mrs. Etoile Cozart visited with Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley on Tuesday night.

Our sympathy goes to Mrs. Floyd Morris whose brother, Mr. Richie Perkins, passed away last week at the Coleman hospital. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family of Mr. Perkins.

Mrs. Bob Smith and children, Deborah and Barry of Odessa spent the week-end with her parents, the Tom Rutherford. Her husband, Mr. Bob Smith, is in Dallas this week. She and the children will fly to Dallas Thursday afternoon and join Bob for the weekend, and visit his folks at Wichita Falls before returning to Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants visited with Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley awhile Wednesday afternoon.

Little Miss Mychelle Bullion spent on Wednesday until Saturday night with the her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick and boys, Don and Neil. Don came home from Tarleton for the weekend. Mychelle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Bullion of Floresville, were attending the state track meet in Austin. They came to the Fitzpatrick's Saturday night for Mychelle.

Mrs. Fitzpatrick reports that their son in law, Mr. Jack Bullion, has accepted a position as assistant coach, and head track coach in the Lampasas High School for this coming school term. The Bullions will not move to Lampasas until about the first of July, since Jacky will teach drivers' education at Floresville for a period of time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and children, Rocky and Dena of Coleman visited his parents, the Tom Rutherford, Saturday. Rocky had friends to accompany him here spending the day on the farm. They were Dwayne Rhone and Rusty Ryan of Coleman. Dena Rutherford spent Friday night with us, returning home on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Snowden of Lohn, and Sherrie and Mike Snowden of Brady, visited in the Fitzpatrick home on Saturday.

Tona and Todd Rutherford of Bangs spent Saturday night with their grandparents, the Tom Rutherfords, and our guests. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rutherford, came for them and visited with us Sunday.

The brain of the elephant is the biggest of all land animals. It weighs more than 13 pounds.

## Cooking with Molly

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**The big breakfast problem.** Do you have a hard time trying to get your family to eat breakfast? You know we must have breakfast in order to operate at our best during the morning. But it's difficult to get this point across to children who are rushing to school and to a husband who is dashing off to work.

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Sunday.

Mrs. Cleburn Stanley reports their little granddaughter, Marsha Brown, who had heart surgery in Fort Worth is still in the hospital there, but reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Turney of Santa Anna were on their farm here Sunday and report they caught a great deal of water in their tanks Saturday night. Rex has been having water hauled to his cows for sometime, so this is real good news. Rex was back at the farm Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley visited awhile Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants.

Mr. Orval Bible of Houston was on his farm here during the past week.

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Thursday, May 13, 1971

NEWS FROM

## RANGER PARK INN . . .

Mrs. Lura Winger and Van Riddle visited recently with Mrs. Vera Parker.

Miss Louise Purdy visited with her aunt, Miss Mollie Denton, last week.

Mrs. Joe C. Mathews visited during the past week with Mrs. Retta Bartlett and Miss Florence Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Box of Fort Worth visited during the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Dora Vanderford.

Mrs. Eula Child and Ruth Limroth of Bangs visited Mrs. Irene Triplett.

Mary Densman ad-Gwen Shield visited recently with Jess Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Hutcherson of Dumas visited at the Inn.

Jim Lovelady visited with his wife, Fredda during the week.

To visit Mrs. Tena Steward were two of her daughters, Mrs. Frankie McCarthy and Mrs. Ora Caldwell.

Visiting during mother's Day weekend were Mrs. J. J. Horner's children, Mmes. Vada and Nadine Smith of New Mexico and Mrs. Vera Byram of Abilene.

Mrs. Otha Stephens of Lometa visited.

Mrs. Fowler of Bangs visited Mrs. Iva McMillan and Mrs. Tena Steward.

To see her father, Jess Griffith, was Mrs. Bill Price.

Mrs. Buster Woodard visited Mrs. Cassie Stiles and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Wenzel visited Mrs. Davis and her daughter, Mrs. Stella Sanford.

Clinton Estes visited his father, Drury, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cook and Richard were here to see Mr. and Mrs. Dan Shufford.

Davis Tucker visited on the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Winnie Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Strickland of Abilene visited Lela Wilkinson.

Mrs. Carl Buttry and Lana of San Angelo were visitors of Mrs. Iva McMillan.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Simmons were Mrs. Wesley Prinzing of Miles and Joe Simmons of Winters.

Miss E. Lee Harper and Mrs. Ione Caton visited with the

guests at the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Balentin Diaz of Burkett visited Mrs. Benito Vasquez.

Mrs. Elton McDonald and Mrs. Richard Horner visited with Mrs. J. J. Horner.

To see Mrs. Jim Lovelady were Mrs. Janette Winstead, Jan and Lena of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lankford of San Angelo visited Mrs. Tena Steward.

Mrs. Odell Phillips, Sally and Pat visited during Mother's Day weekend with her mother, Mrs. Cassie Stiles.

George Stewardson visited at the Inn.

Mrs. C. F. Lovelady of Brownwood was a weekend visitor of Mrs. Jim Lovelady.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Diaz and Barbara visited with her mother, Mrs. Benito Vasquez.

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## Whon News

By MRS. TOM RUTHERFORD

Our community has received nice rains. Saturday night we had over an inch of rain, with some hail, but no damage. Then Monday afternoon we had a nice rain, over 1/2 inch, and also more hail, but small. Most all pasture water tanks have received quite a lot of water, but at this time none are full. But we are trusting and looking forward to all tanks being completely filled. We know there will be no grain for this crop year, but we hope for field cotton and grazing.

We had a nice mother's day visit by telephone with our son, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ray Rutherford and children in Concord, N. H., Sunday morning. They were all fine, but the weather there was wet. They have been having lots of rain, more than needed.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Faye Marcee in Coleman, enjoying a nice mother's day dinner.

Our son, Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford's home in Coleman was damaged considerably Saturday night during

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# Social Activities . . .

## Mrs. Ken Bowker ESA President For Next Year

New officers for the coming year were elected at the Monday night meeting of the Delta Omicron chapter, ESA sorority. Those to serve for the coming year are Mrs. Ken Bowker, president; Mrs. Aubrey Edwards, vice president; Mrs. Rankin McIver, secretary; Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick, treasurer; Mrs. Jake McCreary, parliamentarian; Mrs. M. L. Guthrie, Jr., educational director; Mrs. Burgess Stewardson, historian; and Mrs. Jack Allen, reporter.

Mrs. Bowker will attend the State ESA convention this weekend. Mrs. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Elgean Harris and Mrs. Edwards will be in charge of the installation which will be held at a later date.

Mrs. Guthrie, hostess, served cake, coffee and cold drinks to those attending the meeting.

## SLIDE PROGRAM GIVEN AT WSCS MONDAY, MAY 10

Mrs. O. A. Etheredge was program leader for the WSCS of United Methodist Church when the group met at the church annex on Monday afternoon.

Rev. Lewis Sambeck was a guest at the program and showed slides of Spanish missions and earthquakes in Peru.

Mrs. Terry McIver, was a guest soloist on the program. During the business meeting Mrs. Dale Smith presided. The group voted to make a donation to the Wesleyan Home at Georgetown. A visitation report was given.

Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Cennie Ladd, hostesses, served refreshments of strawberry cake and coffee to those attending. Present were the ones mentioned and Mes. Roy Horne, Maud Harris, Annie Mae Wall, Mae McDonald, Sally Snook, O. L. Cheaney, Mae Blue, Louis Shambeck, and Misses E. Lee Harper and Xuma Myers.

Attend church regularly.



**ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED . . .** Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Rider of Santa Anna announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Janice Lynn, to Billy Gene Hubbard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hubbard of Coleman. Miss Rider will graduate from Santa Anna High School this month. Mr. Hubbard is employed by REA in Coleman. The couple will be married June 18, 1971, at 8:00 p. m. in the Emanuel Baptist Church in Coleman. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

## FBC Gives Date Of Bible School

The Vacation Bible School at the First Baptist Church has been planned for Monday through Friday, May 31-June 4, according to Rev. Bill Brewer, pastor of the church. The school will be held each afternoon of that week with Rev. Brewer serving as principal.

Departments have been planned for children from the nursery age through junior high and a Bible study group will be held each day for adults. The adult program is something new for the VBS and is also open to people of all denominations.

A more complete schedule for the VBS will be announced at a later date.

## Variety Program For 4-H Benefit Set For May 20

The Santa Anna 4-H singing group, recent winner of the district talent contest, will sponsor a variety program on Thursday night, May 20, at the high school auditorium. Proceeds from the program will be used to pay expenses of the group to the 4-H Roundup at College Station in June.

Many interesting and entertaining talent acts are planned for the program with The Singing Blues, Coleman High School athletes, directed by Pete Simmons, to be featured on the program along with the local 4-H group, which is sponsoring the show. Further plans and a time for the program will be announced by next week.

## IMPROVEMENT CLUB MEETS AT CITY CENTER TONIGHT

The Community Improvement Club will meet this Thursday night at the community center at the Mountain City Apartments at 7:30 p. m. All interested people are invited to attend.

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## David Haladay Guest Speaker At Circle Meet

The Nitia Daniell Circle of the First United Methodist Church met at the church annex on Wednesday, May 5. David Haladay, high school history teacher, was guest speaker and used "Peace" as his topic. Mrs. Cliff Herndon introduced Mr. Haladay, and a gift was presented him by the circle.

Mrs. Dorothy Watson gave the devotion and Mrs. Terry McIver, pianist, accompanied group singing. These theme for the meeting was "Celebrating peace, justice and progress" based on the 25th anniversary of the United Nations.

During the business meeting Gaye Harvey was presented an honorary life membership in memory of her aunt, Mrs. Lillian Siler. The group voted to meet at 7:30 p. m. during the summer months, with the next meeting to be held on Wednesday, June 2.

The hostess, Mrs. Jess Upchurch, served refreshments of cheese straws, stuffed fruit, olives, mints, cake, coffee and cold drinks to those attending. Present were the above mentioned and Mes. Ruby Strickland, Louis Shambeck, Ken Bowker, Bob Burton, Harry Crews, and Miss Pauline Eubank.

## DROUGHT RELIEF

A telegram from Congressman Omar Burleson last week announced that the Farmers Home Administration has authorized emergency loans to eligible Coleman County farmers and ranchers due to the drought.

## HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. John Brown returned Monday from the Brownwood she had major surgery. She is getting along well and is convalescing at her home.

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## COMMUNITY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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\* **Thursday, May 13:**  
\* SAHS seniors leave on trip  
\* 4-H Club, Methodist Church  
\* annex, 6:30 p. m.  
\* PTO, school cafeteria, 7:00  
\* p. m.  
\* CIC, Mountain City Center,  
\* 7:30 p. m.  
\* **Friday, May 14:**  
\* **Saturday, May 15:**  
\* Attend church  
\* Benefit luncheon, Commu-  
\* nity Civic Center, 12:00-2:30  
\* p. m.  
\* SACY, Junior group at the  
\* Northside Baptist Church at  
\* 7:30 p. m.  
\* SACY, Senior group at the  
\* Northside Church of Christ,  
\* 7:30 p. m.  
\* **Monday, May 17:**  
\* Eastern Star, Masonic hall  
\* 7:30 p. m.  
\* **Tuesday, May 18:**  
\* Amendment election, Moun-  
\* tain City center, 8:00 a. m.  
\* to 7:00 p. m.  
\* Lions Club, 12:00 noon  
\* **Wednesday, May 19:**  
\* 4-H group on KRBC-TV, at  
\* 12:15 p. m.  
\* Evening church services.

## LADIES NIGHT SLATED MAY 25 BY LIONS CLUB

Wives and special guests of local Lions Club members will be entertained with a banquet and program on Tuesday night, May 25, at the annual Lions Club Ladies Night. The supper and program will be held at the Lions Club building.

Rev. Bobby Weathers, pastor of the Brownwood United Methodist Church will be the guest speaker. Rev. Weathers is a former pastor of the local Methodist congregation.

The Band Booster Club will cater the meal and about 100 are expected to attend.

## Monthly Meeting Of Needlecraft Held Thursday

Mrs. Nora Goen was hostess last Thursday for the May meeting of the Needlecraft Club. Guests enjoyed conversation during the afternoon.

Refreshments of open-faced sandwiches, fruit punch and cake were served to Mes. Alfred Williams, T. H. Upton, Sr., Cecil Curry, M. L. Guthrie, Sr., Keetie Haynes, Sam Rutherford, and Miss Wanda Duggins.

## Eastern Star Meeting Slated On Monday Night

Mrs. Henry Newman will be in charge of the memorial program at the meeting of the Santa Anna Eastern Star chapter on Monday night, May 17. The group will meet in the Masonic Hall at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Nora Goen will be hostess for the social hour and all members of the chapter are urged to be present.

## VISITING GRANDPARENTS

Little Robbie Jennings of Kress is spending this week here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Paul Voss. The baby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jennings, brought him by enroute to the state track meet at Austin and will come for him this weekend.

## Routine Agenda At School Board On Tuesday P. M.

The Board of Trustees of the Santa Anna Independent School District met for the regular monthly meeting at the high school office Tuesday night, May 4. All members were present, being Jesse Williams, A. D. Pettit, Buddy Neff, Richard Horner, Barbara Kingsbery, M. L. Guthrie, Jr., and Vernon Parnell.

Minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved, and bill and accounts were approved for payment, totaling \$1,548.76.

A board of equalization for the school district tax was named. Those chosen were Max Eubank, William Brown, Louis Miles Guthrie, Tony Rehm, and Grady McIver.

The group voted to pay registration fees for teachers who will attend the Texas Small Schools Association workshop in Austin this summer. The board also agreed to help finance the purchase of band uniforms by the Band Booster Club.

The board instructed Supt. Perry to write a policy for sick leave for teachers under Title I program and those employed through local funds. The policy will be studied and adopted at a later meeting.

Pete Simmons was approved as a teacher for the summer driver education class. Simmons was instructor of the class last year.

After other discussion and announcements the meeting was adjourned.

## Cemetery Gifts As Memorials For Mr. Bartlett

Several memorial gifts were presented the Santa Anna Cemetery Association this past week in memory of the late W. W. Bartlett. The donations are from the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dillingham  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClellan  
Mr. and Mrs. Doug Moore  
Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bowker  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffin  
Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Evans  
Mrs. Jack Allen and Sammy

## VISIT IN BRADY

Mrs. Kitty Adams and Mrs. J. W. McClellan were in Brady Saturday to visit a cousin, Gene Williams. Mrs. McClellan attended the funeral of a friend, Mrs. Marion Holland of Waldrip, a former Santa Anna resident.

On Monday night Mr. and Mrs. Don Simmons of Abilene came to Santa Anna and Mrs. McClellan accompanied them to Coleman to hear the concert presented by the Singing Blues of Coleman, directed by Pete Simmons.

## WEEKEND AT LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Weathers were at their cabin at Lake Buchanan for the weekend and were met there by two of her daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ready and children of Waco, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Craig and children of Bruceville.

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## Mets Down Giants In Season Opener

The Santa Anna Mets downed the Coleman Giants, 10-5 Tuesday night in their season opener. They met the Giants at Coleman.

Alex DeLeon was on the mound for the Mets and Terry Day behind the plate. The Mets meet the Coleman Dodgers Friday night and the game will be played here if the field is finished in time, according to Manager Bob Burton. Bill Day is coaching the Mets.

## Brownwood Trip Made On Friday By Garden Club

The Mountain City Garden Club had the annual iris and greenhouse tour last Friday, visiting several places in Brownwood during the day. A picnic lunch was enjoyed by the group at noon and they were joined for the meal by several Brownwood friends.

Those attending spent the afternoon sightseeing and shopping before returning home.

## SACY Meetings Sunday Night

The Santa Anna Christian Youth groups will meet Sunday night at 7:30 p. m. in two groups. The junior high group will meet at the Northside Baptist Church and the senior high group at the Northside Church of Christ. Teenagers of all denominations are invited to attend.

## STILL IN HOSPITAL

Little Marsha Brown, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Brown of Early and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley, is getting along well in a Fort Worth hospital after recent heart surgery. She will possibly have a permanent pacemaker installed to regulate her heartbeat, which will require another ten-day stay in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown went to Fort Worth Sunday and Mrs. Brown stayed there to help care for Marsha. Randy Brown returned home to return to work.

## RUTHERFORD GUESTS

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rutherford were her mother, Mrs. Winnie Tucker of Ranger Park Inn, a sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hutcherson and Jackie of Dumus, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Price and Doyle, Jim and Danny Tucker, and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Tucker and Jeannie, all of Brownwood, and Davis Tucker of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford and Larry were in Fort Worth on Friday of last week to attend the graduation of their son, Don, from Southwestern Baptist Seminary.

## MEMORIAL GIFT DEDICATED AT FBC ON SUNDAY

A new Baldwin piano, a gift from Mrs. Nona Woodruff of Corpus Christi, was dedicated at the morning worship service at the First Baptist Church last Sunday, May 9. The gift to the church was in memory of her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. W. Ed Wallace, both of whom were members of the church.

Mrs. Woodruff is a former member of the church and served for many years as pianist and organist.

The late Mr. and Mrs. Wallace came to Santa Anna from Wise County in 1895. All six of the Wallace children were converted in the local church and several were married there.

Other children of the late couple are Karl E. Wallace of Burleson, Reta Ing of Brownwood, Corrine Mathews of Santa Anna, Scott Wallace of Houston, and Elmo Wallace, deceased.

## Jack Brewers Move To S-Anna

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brewer and three children have moved recently to Santa Anna from Alvin. Mr. Brewer is a mechanic employed at Bangs.

The Brewer family accompanied the Wayne Morgans here for a visit at Easter and liked the community so well that they moved here.

They are living in the Simmons house on Bowie Ave.

## HERE FOR WEEKEND

Robert Cheaney of Phoenix, Ariz., was a weekend visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Cheaney.

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### Funeral May 11 For Brother Of S-Anna Minister

Funeral services were held in Richland Springs on Tuesday for Alva D. Cawyer, 75, of Richland Springs, a brother of W. F. Cawyer of Santa Anna. The late Mr. Cawyer died Sunday, May 9, in the San Saba hospital after a long illness. Burial was in the Cox cemetery.

A San Saba resident since 1936, Mr. Cawyer was born on February 2, 1896 in Joplin, Mo. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors are his wife; one daughter; six brothers; one sister; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

### Team Tying Won By Local Roper

James Allen of Santa Anna and Howard Westfall of Quedo were championship winners in the seventh annual old timer's steer roping held recently in Marfa.

The annual roping contest consists of a team whose ages must total a minimum of 100 years.

In addition to cash prizes, each of the two received a hand-crafted sterling silver belt buckle for the best time in the four-steer roping.

### Kin of S-Annan Buried In Wichita Falls Saturday

Funeral services were held on May 8, in Wichita Falls for William Dewitt Robertson, 80, who died Wednesday, May 5, in Wichita Falls.

The late Mr. Robertson was a brother of Mrs. Lora Rollins of Santa Anna.

The late Mr. Robertson was an employee of the Texas Pipe Line Co. for 46 years, retiring in 1955.

Survivors are his wife, Bessie; one daughter, Mrs. Geneva Simmons of Alabama; one sister, Mrs. Lora Rollins of Santa Anna; one brother, S. H. Robertson of Brownwood; three grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

### Officer Election At Club Meeting Slated Tonight

The Santa Anna 4-H Club will meet Thursday night (tonight) at Methodist Church annex at 6:30 p. m. Officers for the coming year will be elected.

At the April meeting of the club the singing group entertained and then led a singing with those present, Sherrie McIver, president, led the short business session.

Rebecca Rendon and Cynthia Vasquez served refreshments to those attending which included 17 members and seven visitors. Also present were the assistant extension agents, Mike McCravy and Beth Steward.

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Any team desiring to enter should contact Sandra Barr at First Coleman National Bank or Connie Patton at the Coleman Bank. Entry fee for each team is \$10.

Teams already entered are:

Hornets, San Saba, Bangs, Coleman, Chapparals, Mozelle, Talpa, Wranglers and Roadrunners.

Men: Plummers, Cables, Santa Fe, Bangs, Talpa, Mozelle, Coleman and San Saba.

All profits received during the tournament will be used to further the development of the 4-H Club program in Coleman County.

### Youth Retreat At Lake B'Wood Attended By 32

Young people from the Santa Anna and Rockwood First Baptist Churches attended a youth retreat at the Lake Brownwood Baptist Encampment on Friday and Saturday of last week. A total of 32 were present for the overnight event.

Dr. Joe McClain of Howard Payne College and Bob Banks, minister of music from Garland, were on the program. The young people from the two churches were accompanied by the pastors, Rev. Bill Brewer and Rev. David Albin, and Mmes. Richard Horner, Elgean Harris, and David Albin.

Another retreat for young people of all denominations is planned for Friday and Saturday, June 11 and 12.

### S. J. Hull Rites Held In Coleman Last Thursday

Samuel J. Hull, 89, died in the Coleman hospital on Tuesday, May 4, at 5:05 p. m. Funeral services were held at the Stephens chapel in Coleman on Thursday afternoon with burial in the Trickham cemetery.

Born in Winchell on March 29, 1882 to Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hull, he married Miss Evie Wells at Whon on his birthday in 1905. She died on August 17, 1969. He was a retired farmer and a member of the Church of Christ, and had lived in Coleman County all his life.

Survivors are one daughter, Mrs. Dora Duren of Odessa; five sons, Frank of Trickham, Elzie of Fort Worth, and Edgar, Cecil and Alfred of Santa; 19 grandchildren, 18-great grandchildren; and two great-great grandchildren.

### S.A. Has Winners In Contests At Coleman Friday

Santa Anna Elementary School had several winners in the Coleman County Little Olympics at Coleman last Friday. The Santa Anna entries did not win any division championships but had winners in the individual groups.

In the junior boys division, Guy Allen was first in the 50 yard dash; Jay Weathers, Gip Allen, Terry Day and David Eubank, first in the 50 yard relay; Jay Weathers, Guy Allen, Gip Allen and David Eubank, second place in the 75 yard relay; Terry Day, third in chinning; Guy Allen, third in the 75 yard dash.

In the intermediate boys division, Tommy Elder was third in chinning; Lee Wristen, Albert DeLeon, Jody Day and Albert DeLeon, fourth in the 50 yard relay; Wristen, Stephen Early, Day and Albert DeLeon fourth in the 150 yard relay; and Stephen Early and David Robinett, third in the two-man horseback race.

In the midget boys division, Robert Barton was second and Terry Fleming, third in the 50 yard dash; Terry Fleming was third in broad jump; Jerry Culpepper, Robert Barton, Don Eubank and Terry Fleming, second in 50 yard relay; Robert Barton, second in 75 yard dash; Don Eubank, James Coyle, Gary Allcorn and Robert Barton, second in 75 yard relay; Jerry Culpepper and Terry Fleming, fourth in two-man horseback race.

In the girls division, intermediates, Kelly Cammack was first and Sharon McCreary second in the tow sack race. Becky Allen was third in the 50 yard dash and fourth in the 75 yard dash.

Laurie Shambeck placed second in broad jump; Kelly Cammack third and Adrienne Edwards fourth in soft ball throw; Donna James, Laurie Shambeck, Michelle Cozart and Denise Blair, second in 50 yard relay; and Becky Allen, Lisa Herring, Elizabeth Morris and Sharon Keeney, third in the 75 yard relay.

In the junior girls division, Gaye Harvey was fourth in the 50 yard dash; Jana Shambeck second in broad jump; Gaye Harvey, Robin Smith, Mary Anna Collins and Cynthia Cozart third in 50 yard relay; and Jana Shambeck, Phyllis Rasberry, Tammy Morris and Sue Weathers second in the 75 yard relay.

Midget division winners were Michelle Permenter, first and Tracy Duus third in soft ball throw; Pam Crabb fourth in broad jump; Alice DeLeon, Jennifer Rutherford, Linda Valdez and Michelle Permenter, third in 50 yard relay; Pam Crabb, Tanya Guthrie, Alice DeLeon and Maria Mills second in 75 yard relay.

### LODGE MEETING

Mountain Lodge No. 661 AF & AM will meet on Third Thursday each month at 7:30 p. m. Visitors are welcome. James F. Martin, Worshipful Master and James D. Rice, Secretary.

### Claud Alvey, 71 Funeral Held Monday, May 10

Claud Alvey, 71, died on Sunday, May 9, in the Coleman hospital at 3:40 a. m. Funeral services were held on Monday afternoon in Stevens chapel in Coleman with burial in the Coleman cemetery.

Born May 8, 1897 in Bell County, he was married to Rachel Starnes October 17, 1918 in Coleman. He had lived in Coleman County since 1900 and was a retired farmer and dairyman.

The survivors include his wife of Santa Anna; one daughter, Mrs. Bettie Elwell of Dallas; seven sisters, Mrs. Alec Jenkins and Mrs. Annie Evans, both of Snyder, Mrs. Pearl Berry and Mrs. Ella Caldwell, both of Wewoka, Okla., Mrs. Ila Gardner of Gerrell, Mrs. Ruby Markham of Freeport, Mrs. Louberta Hart of Little Rock, Ark.; two brothers, O. B. Alvey of Odessa and Robert Alvey of Snyder.

Also surviving are two grandsons.

### SUNDAY OBSERVANCE

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Fox took her sister, Mrs. Bert Turney, out to lunch Sunday in observance of Mothers Day and to celebrate Mrs. Turney's birthday. Mrs. Turney was visited by her son Rex and family, and had telephone calls from her other children. Mr. and Mrs. Fox left Monday for Arizona where they will be gone several weeks visiting relatives and friends.

### Brownwood Cattle Auction

DATE 5-5-71

MARKET: Buyer attendance normal. Packer bulls steady. Packer cows steady to 50c higher. Run composed of 65 per cent stocker and feeder calves and yearlings. Market active and fully steady with last weeks higher market.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS: 672

Stocker Steer Calves	wts. 250-425 lbs., 38.25-54.00
Stocker Heifer Calves	wts. 250-425 lbs., 32.50-47.00
Steer Yearlings	wts. 500-700 lbs., 30.50-35.50
Bull Yearlings	28.50-34.50
Heifer Yearlings	28.50-30.25
Plain Feeder Steers	28.50-31.25
Plain Feeder	
Heifers	27.50-29.75
Cows and Calves - pr.	
Good	240.00-302.50
Plain	143.00-212.50
Stocker Cows, 180-230 per head	
Slaughter Cattle	
Fat calves	29-31.10
Fat cows	20.50-22.60
Utility and cutter cows	18.75-20.75
Canners	17.10-18.90
Shells	14.75-16.70
Stocker bulls	24.50-28.50
Slaughter bulls	24.50-28.75
Hogs (top) none	

### Representative Sales

Jim Iance, May, Texas, 1665 lb. Char. bull, 27.25; T. C. Mazurek, Sidney, 820 lb. White-face bull, 28.75; A. R. Sikes, Brownwood, 500 lb. Whiteface bull, 36.00, and 540 lb. Whiteface bull, 34.25; Dennis Shelton, Mullin, 910 lb. Char. cow, \$22.50; Bill Roberts, Clifton, 155 lb. black wf. steer, 53.00; Black Mf cow and calf, \$285.00; 1170 lb. Char. cow and calf \$302.50; Jerry Godfrey, Brownwood, 335 lb. black Mf. str., 44.50; M. L. Ethridge, Mullin, 550 lb. Mf. hfr., 30.90; 520 lb. wf. str., 35.50; James Walton, Gustine, 445 lb. wf. str., 39.75; Shena Tongate, Brownwood, 730 lb. black str., 31.00; Green Oaks, Ranch Brownwood, 300 lb. black wf. str., 47.00; Lamar Turner, Santa Anna, 455 lb. wf. str., 40.25; 450 lb. wf. str., 39.50; 390 lb. wf. hfr., 36.00; 380 lb. wf. hfr., 35.25; Earl Albin Comanche, 340 lb. black str., 41.75; 285 lb. wf. str., 46.25.

### VISIT IN WACO

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith spent Sunday in Waco with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Smith and daughters.

### State 4-H Camp Will Be Aided By Candy Sales

Coleman County 4-H members will be calling on local citizens to purchase a bar of the World's Finest Chocolate, during May 8-19 as part of a statewide effort to raise funds for a Texas 4-H educational center.

The county sales goal is 15 bars per 4-H member. The bars will sell for a dollar each.

A state 4-H center is badly needed since the Texas 4-H program does not own any type of training or camping facility. The proposed center is being developed by the Texas 4-H Foundation, and will cost approximately one million dollars. It will accommodate about 175 people. The center will be a focal point for camping-type programs, 4-H leader training, citizenship seminar, leadership training labs, international 4-H activities, project training and other Extension Service activities. When not in use by 4-H, the center will be available to other groups.

While the 4-Hers themselves make their contribution, a statewide development council composed of business leaders will help raise the balance of the funds.

### Seniors Leave On Class Trip To Bar K Ranch

Members of the senior class will leave early Thursday morning on their trip to the Bar K Guest Ranch at Leander, near Austin. The group will go by bus and return on Sunday morning.

Adult chaperones to accompany the group will be Mr. and Mrs. Billy Riley and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Horton.

Class members and their sponsors will be entertained with breakfast at 5:00 a. m. Thursday morning at the United Methodist Church before they depart on the trip. The Aldersgate Class, young couples of the Sunday School, are hosting the breakfast.

### MRS. THATE IMPROVING

Mrs. W. H. Thate is getting along well after having surgery on her hip last Friday. She is a patient in Hendricks Hospital in Abilene, room 690.

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### Card Of Thanks

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Mrs. Junior (Nell) Brusenhan. 18-1c

The cards, flowers, gifts, visits and other kind deeds during my hospital stay were such a comfort and pleasure and I appreciate the many friends who were so thoughtful.  
Mrs. John Brown. 19-1p

For those whose comfort meant so much to us in our time of grief, we offer heartfelt thanks. We sincerely appreciate the cards, letters, food, memorial donations, flowers, visits, calls, and other gestures of sympathy shown to us.  
Mrs. W. W. Bartlett and family. 19-1c

We appreciate the help of everyone in extinguishing the fire of our garage. We sincerely thank the Volunteer Fire Department for their capable and efficient help in keeping our home from burning.  
The Holland family. 19-1tp

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

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

**FOR SALE:** Nice 3 bedroom, den, cottage, tile drain, hardwood floors, trees, good lot next to mountain.  
5 bedroom, 2 bath family home, paneled, wash-dryer connections, good floor plan, 2700 sq. ft. Call to see. J. Ross Kelley Real Estate, Box 253, Phone 348-3486 19-tfc

**FOR SALE:** Evening dresses, worn once, size 7. See at Earl Smith Jewelry, Coleman, Texas. 19-2tc

I HAVE a real good place for a G. I. 80 acres with a large lake that never goes dry. About half in cultivation, on pavement. This is the best place I have had for a G. I. If you are eligible, please contact Henry O. Newman, Ph. 348-3656, Box 665, Santa Anna, Texas. 19-tfc

### Miscellaneous

**FOR** the San Angelo Standard Times in Santa Anna, call Mrs. Ludy Jane Bryan. Phone 348-3855. 40-tfc

**WANT TO BUY:** Old china cabinet to refinish. Mrs. Robert Smith, 348-3744. 17-tfc

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3. **Conservation:** to help preserve one of our most precious natural resources—water.
4. **Public Health:** to avoid serious health problems downstream because of inadequate sewage treatment facilities upstream.

# Vote for the Clean Water Amendment #4 on the ballot Tuesday, May 18.

PD. POL. AD., Clean Water for Texas Committee, 801 Vaughn Building, Austin 78701, Richard D. Brown, Chairman

Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce



# Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes.

Dr. Homer Greenlee and son, Charles, of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yancy and Toni were supper guests Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan and Serena.

Mrs. Junior Brusenhan reminds friends she will close her beauty shop on Friday, May 14.

Jody Brusenhan spent last Thursday night with Bobby Permenter in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Emerson and Robert of Brownwood spent Saturday morning to Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan and family. Ray Gleaton and Jerry Don of Brownwood came for them.

Nola Wells of Santa Anna spent Sunday afternoon and night with Judy Brusenhan.

Attending the Youth Retreat at Lake Brownwood on Friday and Saturday from the Rockwood Baptist Church were Judy Brusenhan, Serena Bryan, Juanita Valdez, Sarah and Kathy Estes and Debbie Bray.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes of Fort Worth spent the weekend at their home here.

Visiting Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes were Rev. Ray Martin of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes and Rev. David Albin. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Alexander of San Antonio were Sunday visitors.

Mrs. A. L. King spent last Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hop Ashmore at Bangs. Other guests were Miss Sammie Stewardson and O. M. Nicks of Coleman and grandson, Bill Nicks of Houston.

Mrs. King accompanied Mrs. Sam Estes and Mrs. Claud Box on business to Brownwood last Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Luther Crutcher and Mrs. George Fowler of Bangs visited Mrs. A. L. Crutcher last Tuesday.

Stanley McSwane, a student in the University of Texas at Arlington came Monday to spend several days with his parents between semesters.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Johnson visited relatives in San Angelo last Wednesday. Sunday dinner guests of the Johnsons were Mrs. Fox Johnson and Miss Bernice and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Johnson, Pam and Michael of Abilene.

Recent visitors with Miss Linnie Box were Joe Box and Mrs. Sylvia Sury and son Bill of Freeport. Mr. and Mrs. Terrie Box and son, Wesley, of Lubbock and Mrs. Doyle Stanford of Fort Worth visited on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes of Fort Worth were joined here by their son, Weldon and his son, Gordon, of San Angelo for the weekend. Saturday afternoon the Estes family visited in Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hodges and in Brownwood with Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Estes and family.

Mrs. Garnet Reeves and Mike Estes, a student in Texas Tech came Saturday and

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lankford of San Angelo spent Mother's Day with Mrs. Bob Steward, Mrs. Frankie McCarthy and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell.

Lana Halmon of San Angelo spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry.

Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes and Geneva moved last week to their home in Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheffield, Mike and Montie of San Antonio spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper.

Mrs. Sandra Sams of Austin spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yancy and daughter, Toni. David Yancy is at Ft. Polk, La. for his basic training.

Mrs. E. M. Tisdale of Brady, Mrs. Beulah Unger and Melissa of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Wise of Lamesa were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wise, Hank and Mark. Korky Wise of Lubbock Tech was home Monday.

Mrs. Hubert Johnson of Mercury spent last Thursday with Mrs. John Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. John X. Steward were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avants and family in Brady. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barker were also guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Zabel of Brownwood were Saturday afternoon visitors with her mother, Mrs. Billy McIntire and Tommy.

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visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box. Mrs. Box and Mrs. Reeves and Mike Estes were Sunday dinner guests of the Estes family. Sunday afternoon Johnny Pat Campbell, a student in Texas Tech came and visited to Monday morning. He had been visiting friends in Midland since Friday. Mrs. Reeves returned home Monday by bus and Mike and Pat went to Fort Worth Monday for a vacation between terms.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Holman and son, Craig, of Mineral Wells spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Abernathy and all visited in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rutherford and Saturday night at Millersview with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clifton. Mr. and Mrs. Abernathy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Abernathy in Millersview. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yancy and Toni visited Sunday evening with the Abernathys.

Cash donations received recently for the cemetery association were from C. H. Lovelady, Joe Box, Paul Riddle, Harold Straughn, Mrs. Howard Lovelady, Denver Ellis, Doc Ellis, grandchildren of J. A. Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes spent Sunday to Tuesday of last week in Arlington with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Estes and children. Mrs. Estes and Bill Steward went to Coleman Monday and visited at Holiday Hill with Mrs. Frank Bryan and Mrs. Lee Miller and other friends and at the hospital with Edgar Hodges. Mrs. Lois Haines of Brady spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Estes.

Dorinda and Byron Densman of Brady spent Friday night with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and Ronnie. Their dad came for them Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brusenhan spent Mother's Day at Bronte with her mother, Mrs. Frank Burns and family. Geyer Wise of Brownwood visited with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Wise, Wednesday to Sunday, while her dad, Dr. Wess Wise attended a medical convention. Dr. and Mrs. Wise came by for her and visited Sunday. Other weekend visitors were Miss Colleen Wise, Corey and Forbes Black of Fort Worth, Mrs. Kelley Smith, Nesa and Birch of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Riley of Santa Anna. Sunday afternoon visitors were Mrs. Royce McIver and Sabrina, Mrs. James Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges.

Mother's Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges were Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver, Sabrina and Britt of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. James Hodges of Clyde Saturday night and Sunday. Due to the storm James was called

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# Shield News

Mrs. George Wheatley

We would like to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crum on their 60th wedding anniversary. They were married May 10, 1911 at Bowie, Texas. We all wish the best for this nice couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Anderson and boys of Santa Anna visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lawrence and children.

Weekend guests in the home of Mrs. Ura Dillingham and Richard were Mrs. Viola West and her daughter, Linda and children of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yancy and Mary and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Yancy and daughter, Carol and children David and Kenny of Benbrook, spent Mother's day with Mrs. C. F. Yancy in Santa Anna. The group took Mother Yancy out to dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scarborough and children of San Antonio spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Scarborough. Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Scarborough and children spent Sunday with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Woodard of Santa Anna and Mrs. Adrian Price visited in Our home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Stewardson, Kim, Judd and Ward spent Sunday at San Saba with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lowe and

children of Coleman visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Williams and Johnnie.

Mr. Douglas Milligan visited one day this week with Mr. George Stewardson.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Williams were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Williams and family, Gary Williams of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hester all of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Spivey of Cottonwood and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Spivey and children of Miles.

Everyone that I have talked to reports good amounts of rain. Jesse Williams reports two inches for the largest amount. There was some roof damage in the north part of the community, because of the hall, but it did not cover too large an area. We are always thankful for the rain, just can't think of a nicer Mother's Day gift. May we ever be mindful of the One who gave it.

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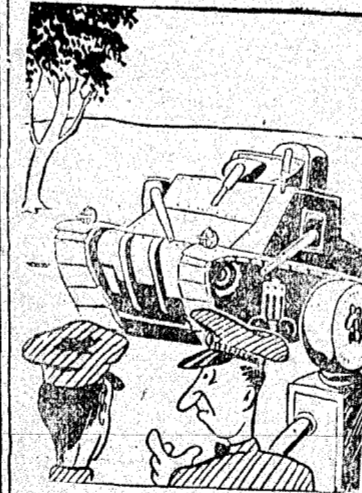
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# 26 Years Ago In The News

The following stories are from the May, 1945 issues of the NEWS.

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

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

**CLEVELAND NEWS:**

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Bur-

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The prayers of the Christian people everywhere 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.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Burgett of Santa Anna have been notified by the local Red Cross that their son, Lt. Quenton Burgett, has been liberated from a prisoner of war camp in Germany.

Lt. Burgett was shot down over Germany in January 1943 and his parents had not heard from him in many months.

After 32 years of service, W. A. Standly has sold his blacksmith shop and for the time being is on the retired list.

Mr. Standly opens his shop here in 1913 and has been

busily engaged in the business since.

Seven explorer Scouts and the post advisor, Rev. J. D. Williams, attended a scout camp near Mertzon. Other groups were from Del Rio and Uvalde.

Those making the trip were: W. H. Blake, Pat Gilmore, Bill Mulroy, Henry Goodwin, Dayton McDonald, Hal Sauder, and Arthur Dean Talley.

Miss Lilly Pearl Niell of Santa Anna is a member of the spring graduating class of Baylor University School of Nursing, Dallas.

A new dress shop and ladies ready-to-wear store will open in Santa Anna this week. The new establishment, to be known as The Ladies Store, is owned by Mrs. Hattie Shields of Brooksmith, and is located in the building next door to Hunter Brothers Grocery, formerly occupied by Ragsdale Bakery.

New officers of the Lions Club were elected at the luncheon meeting Tuesday.

President, Neal Oakes; 1st vice president, Rex Golston; 2nd vice president, W. R. Mulroy; and 3rd vice president, Emzy Brown.

Tail twister, F. C. Williams; Lion tamer, Bill Stiles; secretary-treasurer, Hardy Blue; directors, J. W. Riley and E. R. Purdy.

Students of the Liberty School together with their teacher, Mrs. Cliff Herndon, and Miss Katy Pye, visited the News office last Thursday afternoon. They also visited the post office and the Santa Fe depot.

## Well, What Do You Know? fun, games and knowledge

by MARTHA GLAUBER SHAPP, Editor, The New Book of Knowledge

**What do you know about archery?**

People have been shooting bows and arrows for at least 20,000 years. Some famous paintings of archers are at least that old. These paintings, showing men hunting huge deer and bison with bows and arrows, were found on the walls of caves in France and Spain.



Even today there are tribesmen in the jungles of South America who rely upon archery to obtain their food. For many centuries, too, the bow was a weapon of war, and nations rose and fell because of it. Indians were still fighting and hunting with bows and arrows when our grandfathers and great-grandfathers were boys.

Today archery is a sport that can be enjoyed by men, women, and young people everywhere. Many schools, playgrounds, parks, camps, and organizations have archery programs in which boys

and girls are taught to shoot the bow.

**Do you know what automation is?**

Automation is the latest stage in the process of substituting machines for manpower. The word "automation" refers to the technique of making a machine or a process self-regulating and self-controlling. The technique of automation has been applied to many tasks in factories, offices, homes, and transportation, to say nothing of its many military uses.

Automation is not the same thing as mechanization, which is using machines instead of hand labor. With automation, the machines either operate themselves or are controlled by other machines, without a human operator. Of course, humans must make the machines, install them properly, set the controls, and keep them running properly. But once these steps have been accomplished, the machines will keep on doing what they have been "instructed" to do until they are shut off or break down.

**Do you know what prestressed concrete is?**

Prestressed concrete, which was developed shortly after World War I, was a major advance in building technology. Prestressing is a method of compressing a concrete beam or slab before it is put into place in a building. This technique makes the concrete stronger and more durable.

(For a free booklet, "The Magic Carpet," illustrated in color from The New Book of Knowledge, send name and address to Martha Glauber Shapp, Box 47, Putnam Valley, New York 10579.)

The group of students included Paula Ruth Holt, Evelyn Arthur, Donald Truell, Jerry Holt, Carl Lankford, Ann Holt, Jerry and J. W. Arthur.

## Trickham News Notes

By Mrs. Oscar Boenleke

Bill Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Felton Martin, came home Saturday night on a 30-day furlough from Panama. He gave his folks a surprise as they did not know he was coming home.

Ann Martin is home from college. Betty Martin and family visited her mother, Mrs. John Crawford at Goldthwaite, on Sunday, Mother's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge McClatchy, Jr. received word on May 6 that they have a new granddaughter, Elizabeth Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meckfessel of Garfield, Tex. The mother is the former Linda McClatchy. The baby is the first great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howell Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Byler of Austin had dinner Saturday with Rankin and Natalie McIver, and Sherrie and Chris, and Natalie's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gee of Abilene, were dinner guests Sunday with them. Other visitors Sunday night were Grady and Genia McIver and Gayla Hornell and children.

Mrs. Sug Stearns attended church Sunday with her mother, Mrs. May Sharp, at the First Christian Church in Santa Anna, and her mother went home with her and spent the rest of the day.

Warren Baird, minister from the Dallas Christian College, was a dinner guest of the Oscar Boenlekes Sunday.

We are glad to report we got a good rain Saturday night, about 2 inches, and on Monday about one fourth of an inch. We also caught some water in our tanks Saturday night which will stop the water hauling to the stock for a time. We also got some hail but did not do much damage here. All over our community got good rains and some hail, east of us got more damage.

Visitors with Minnie Wilson Sunday evening were Mrs. Edna Laughlin, Mildred Laughlin and her mother, Mrs. Wise of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Stacy of Abilene visited his parents, the Walter Stacys, Saturday. They come most every Saturday and help them out.

Mr. and Mrs. Bond Featherston spent Mother's Day with their daughter and family, Lorene and Delbert Rice. Lynn and Ann Rice and Melissa of Irving, and Wendell and Sherry Rice and baby of Santa Anna, also Mrs. Frank Rice near Brooksmith, visited them all Sunday afternoon.

Saturday night Lynn and Ann Rice and Melissa spent the night with his grandparents, the Bond Featherstons. Visitors with the Fred Haynes were Sug and G. K. Stearns, Russle James, Winnie Haynes, Mattie and Jim Lineberry, Hilburn and Leona Henderson, Robert and Juanita Haynes and Julia, and Dwayne and Dorothy Petty, and Jessie Earl and Anna Laura York.

Visitors with the Grady McIvers Sunday were Mrs. Keatie Haynes of Santa Anna and Royce and Wanda McIver, Sabrina and Britt of Midland.

The Methodist minister, Rev. Ben McBride of Bangs, filled his appointment here Sunday morning and night.

The Oscar Boenlekes and Russle James visited Fay Whitley last Wednesday night before the meetings at the Bangs Methodist Church. They had a fellowship supper and there also were a number of foreign exchange students from other countries who made talks and sang some. It was very interesting.

Russle James spent Saturday and Sunday with her daughter and family, Roberta and Pat McShan, Cindy and Pat, Jr., in Brownwood. Sunday afternoon they all went to visit Pat's mother, Mrs. Myrtle McShan, at Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mitchell had all their family with them over the weekend. Lea and Loyd Mock and children of Post, and Mr. and Mrs. Damon Miller and children of Austin.

Donnie and Chris Henderson of Sherman spent the weekend with his parents, the Hilburn Hendersons. Sug and G. K. Stearns visited them on Sunday night.

Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Henderson and Donnie and Chris visited the Oil Martins, and Oma Lee Dockery visited them Sunday evening. Also Nova Cole visited them Friday.

The Quilting Club meets this Tuesday at the community center.

**HOME FROM FLORIDA**

Miss Alma McNutt has returned from Florida where she was with a granddaughter and family for two weeks. A great-granddaughter, three weeks of age, had been hospitalized with a heart defect but surgery was not necessary.

**ALLISON'S VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gehring and daughters, Bennie Jean and Allison Marlene, of San Angelo, were Mother's Day weekend visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Allison.

Other visitors during the weekend were Mrs. Allison's sister, Mrs. Maurine Blair of Coleman, an aunt, Mrs. Amy McCormick of Bangs, and a cousin, Kathleen Wheat of San Antonio.

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Ask him to release the names of prisoners, allow them to write to their families, and let the Red Cross inspect the prisons to

insure proper medical treatment and living conditions.

Remind him that he is bound by the 1949 Geneva Convention which his country signed. And by the Istanbul resolution.

North Vietnamese leaders do care about American public opinion. And if they think they can gain something by bowing to it, they will.

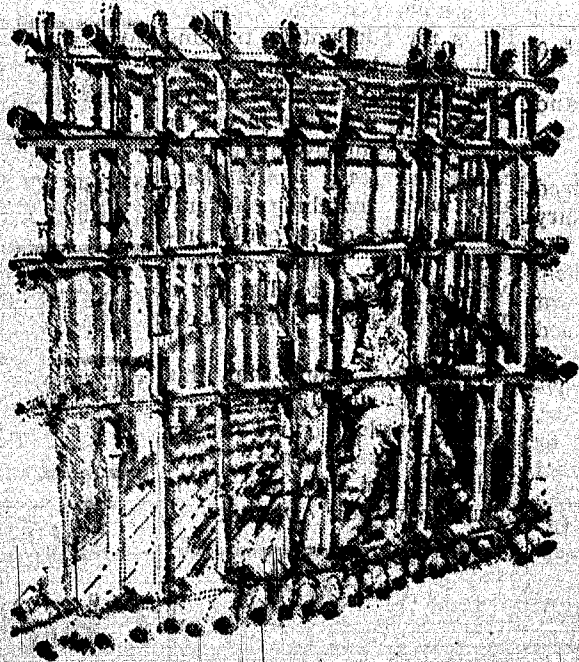
But one letter won't do it. Or a thousand. Maybe it will take millions. So we've got to write now. All of us. And often.

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### Luncheon Sunday At C-C Center For Fund Raising

A luncheon will be held at the Community Civic Center Sunday from 12:00 noon until 2:30 p. m. as a benefit for the center. A group of interested people is sponsoring the luncheon and everyone in the community is invited to attend.

Cost for the meal will be \$2.00 a plate and there will be a choice of meats on the menu. Proceeds from the fund raising event will be used to purchase playground equipment at the center.

The luncheon Sunday will be the first in which the new tables, chairs and table settings are used, and it will be an opportunity for local and area people to see the center's facilities.

Tickets will be sold around town this week or may be purchased at the door Sunday.

### Pre-School Kids To Register On Monday, May 17

A pre-school registration of kindergarten pupils will be held at the Santa Anna elementary school on Monday, May 17, from 3:15 to 3:45 p. m. The registration will be for children who will be five years of age by September 1 of this year and plan to attend the public school kindergarten class next fall.

The registration will be held in the kindergarten room at elementary school. If it is not possible for parents to attend the registration may be made anytime that week. Since no annual school census is made, school personnel hope to have a pre-enrollment figure so that plans for the coming school year may be made.

Especially needed are the names of eligible children of newcomers to the community or families who have no other children in school.

The kindergarten class was held for the first time this year with Mrs. Sue Newman as teacher. The class during the school term took the place of the summer head start program which has been conducted for several years.

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### Postage Rates To Be Changed Sunday, May 16

Postmaster John C. Gregg announced this week that increases in most postage rates will take effect Sunday, May 16, as the new United States Postal Service begins its task of achieving self sufficiency as required by the Postal Reorganization Act.

Mr. Gregg noted that general postage rates have not been increased since 1967 when Congress passed what was to become its final legislative act in this respect.

The postmaster explained that the new increases—authorized on a temporary basis until the newly created Postal Rate Commission can make recommendations to the Governors of the Postal Service on permanent changes—will raise first class letter rates from 6 to 8 cents an ounce, and airmail rates from 10 to 11 cents an ounce. Post cards will go from 5 to 6 cents each and air mail post cards will go from 8 to 9 cents each.

In addition to increases in first-class rates, second and third class will also go up on May 16. The full increases proposed by the Postal Service will not be put into effect on a temporary basis, in second and third class, since the postal reform legislation contemplates that such increases be phased over five years.

No changes will be made in the rates for parcel post, which is the principal component of fourth class mail. However, initial increases will be made in the "book rate" which is classified as fourth class.

The new temporary rates also make changes in other postage rate categories and special service fees, such as special delivery and registered mail.

When the domestic changes go into effect this Sunday, there will be conforming increases in letter rates to Canada and Mexico.

### To The Editor

Dear Editor:

Look out or you'll be slipped up on! The election of May 18 has one amendment which is the grass with the snake in it. It is No. 1 on the ballot, the so-called Ethics Bill.

It is supposed to set up a board which will be called the Ethics Commission to make rules for future decency in the State Legislature, and here is the bite. This Commission would also set salaries for the Legislators. Texas people voted down a pay raise for them in 1965, 1968 and 1969, and would do the same today.

The Legislature already has authority under existing statute to set up standards of conduct, but the current stock fraud and bank scandal will not be revealed. The ones involved belittled it and did all they could to hush it up; the new Commission would have no power to uncover or to punish any past or future misdoings. The answer to this is not to create another talk group. Just vote NO to Amendment No. 1 on May 18. Yours truly, Norman Walters.

### SA Lions Club Is Represented At Dist. Meeting

Five Santa Anna Lions Club members were in Midland on Saturday to attend the annual district convention. The local group was on hand for the business session and heard a talk by Dick Bryant, a past president of Lions International.

In his speech to the group, Bryant urged unity in local communities as a beginning for solution of the problems in the world. He told of experience on his visits to foreign countries while serving as head of the international organization.

Santa Annans attending were Cullen Perry, Norman Walters, Bill Weeks, Bob Burton, and Ford Barnes.

## Voters Face Amendments Tuesday

Next Tuesday is election day again, and this time Texas voters face four amendments to the State Constitution.

The amendments passed the state legislature early in the session and include an amendment on a state ethics commission and legislative compensation, an amendment on passing amendments to the state constitution, a public welfare amendment and a water bond amendment.

Amendment one would set up a state ethics commission empowered to set rules of ethics for members of the legislature, state officers, and legislative officers and to investigate violations of it; also to recommend compensation for members of the legislature and the lieutenant governor, and to recommend improvements and economy in the legislative process.

The history behind this amendment dates back to the 54th Legislature in 1955, who requested the Texas Legislative Council to study the possibility of adopting a code of ethics for public officials, followed by the enactment of a measure in the 55th Legislature in 1955 setting forth standards of conduct for all officers and employees, including members of the legislature.

However the act did not designate any department or commission to enforce these measures or act as a "watch dog" so the Speaker's Committee of 100 recommended

to the 62nd Legislature this year that legislation be enacted which contained "teeth" in the enforcement. They also recommended the creation of a commission to recommend legislative salaries, and they are both contained in this amendment.

Proponents argue and most people agree that there is a need for an accounting of their stewardship by members of the legislature, and no doubt the standards set forth in this amendment would go far in improving public confidence in state officials.

Opponents claim that although the amendment is called an ethics amendment, it is a disguised pay increase for the members of the state legislature and lieutenant governor. Three times in the last six years the people have rejected amendments that would have raised the salary and allowances for the state legislature, and they claim that they are trying to get a pay raise bill through by subterfuge. They claim that Texas voters can judge the ethics of a legislator and express their approval or disapproval at the polls. They also claim that such matters as ethics can be handled under existing statutes.

Amendment two would provide that the legislature may propose amendments to the constitution in called sessions as well as regular sessions of the legislature. The constitu-

tion now permits amendments to be considered only in regular sessions.

Proponents argue that the Texas Constitution is old and unwieldy, and situations arise frequently that require emergency action. Because of restrictions limiting consideration of proposed constitutional amendments to the regular biennial session, the people of Texas could suffer needlessly while awaiting the regular session year.

Opposing with the argument that the Texas constitution has been amended all too often, even under the present restrictions, and reminding that 200 amendments to the constitution have been adopted since 1876. They claim that all too often the constitution is ill-advisedly amended when amendment of the statutes or an entirely new law could have been enacted to meet the needs indicated.

Amendment three would remove the ceiling on state appropriations for assistance grants to the needy aged, the needy disabled and the needy blind, setting a limitation only on assistance grants for needy dependent children and caretakers of such children.

Proponents claim that Texas Department of Public Welfare funds will be exhausted shortly after Texas voters vote on this amendment, under the present ceiling, and that welfare grants will have to be cut drastically unless it passes. Adoption of the proposed amendment would remove inflexible limitations of welfare expenditures for the needy aged, blind, and disabled, which have caused welfare crises many times in Texas, and they say generally Texans have no quarrel with these three classes of public assistance. The danger of "run-away" appropriations in the area of aid to needy and dependent children would be removed by the ceiling of \$55 million on state funds for this type recipient.

Opponents are alarmed at the constant spiral of welfare costs, and say that unless a halt is called somewhere the only result can be ever-increasing tax burdens on Texas taxpayers. The claim that cost saving reforms would be far better than authorizing additional expenditures. They also argue that since the rules and regulations are made in Washington, it should be a function of the federal government and should be financed by federal taxes. They claim defeat of amendment three could do much to lay the burden of public welfare where it belongs, on the federal government.

Amendment four is called the clean water amendment. It would authorize the issuance of \$100 million in bonds to provide financial assistance to cities and other public agencies for water quality enhancement purposes, provide for the improvement and continuance of the water resources program, and establish an interest ceiling of six per cent on water development bonds.

Arguments for the measure state that the future of Texas depends upon the quality and supply of water. Passage of this amendment would make funds available to assist local governments in providing facilities for adequately treating and disposal of waste water. It would help the cities in that they would not have to pay as much for improvements because the state would help and with matching federal funds, many cities could improve their waste systems without having to dig up so much money from local sources.

Opponents claim that this amendment would place additional burdens on an already heavily taxed state. They claim that the cities and towns should pay their own way.

### Community Civic Center Report Given At Meeting On Thursday

The executive committee for the Community Civic Center held a meeting on Thursday night of last week. W. B. Griffin, chairman, presided.

It was reported that the Center has been used as many as 10 times each month since its opening less than a year ago. Donations from local civic groups in recent months have totaled \$577.23, which will be used on the second annual payment on the building.

The donations from individuals and clubs have included card tables, hat and coat rack, water cooler, platform-stage, ping-pong table and set, a punch bowl set and accessories, and a refrigerator. Purchases for the center have been table settings for 50, 32 new chairs, four large tables, and kitchen utensils.

The committee has overseen the repair of all the heaters and have found the exhaust fans and plumbing in good repair. The roof needs some repair which will be tended to in the near future.

Several benefits have been planned for the center which is available to everyone in the community for parties, club meetings family reunions or other activities. The cost for the use is from \$5 up, depending on the use and the number of people involved. Mr. Griffin reported that everyone who has used the building has left it in good order and the greatest need is for continued use of the facility.

The city council was thanked for their approval of the security lights for the property. It was reported that the utilities for the building are about \$18 a month. Members of the committee

### Two HPC Awards To Junior Lee

Albert Junior Lee, husband of the former Carolyn Rowe of Santa Anna, will be among the spring graduates at Howard Payne College. The Cross Plains student will receive his BS degree in physical education.

In the recent HPC awards program Lee received two honors, being given the awards as outstanding varsity track man and outstanding physical education student at HPC.

A track star at HPC, Lee has recently been awarded the Cap Shelton track award in the Lone Star Conference.

The college graduation will be held on Sunday, May 16.

voted to send letters to area people for contributions for the center. The fund drive last year was a success as most local people were enthusiastic about the purchase of the building and furnishing for a community building.

Attending the meeting were Mr. Griffin, Norman Walters, Glen Copeland, Mrs. Bob Garrett, Edd Hartman, and Mrs. C. M. Moseley, all members of the governing group, and a number of other interested local people.

The committee chairman is appointed by the City Council, and the City secretary and Mayor pro-tem are automatically members of the group. The four other members are appointed, all serving one-year terms. Terms of the present committee will end in June.

### CITY COUNCIL MONTHLY MEET HELD THURSDAY

Mayor Thomas Wristen presided at the Thursday night meeting of the City Council which was held at the directors room of the Coleman County Telephone Cooperative building. Attending were all council members who are H. A. Burden, Glen Pope, Gale Allen, Glen Copeland, and Julian Kelley.

Bills and accounts were approved for payment. Officers of the City Library Board met with the group to request a \$10 per month allocation to pay for library labor and maintenance, which was approved.

Council members approved the erection of two mercury vapor security lights at the Community Center. Vandalism at the building in recent months has caused the need for the lights.

Henry Sorrells was approved dog catcher for the city. Stray dogs without licenses or tags will be picked up and destroyed if not claimed. The pickup of stray dogs was requested by many city residents.

It was reported the new pump at the Brownwood Lake is in operation. The city is presently using about 40 per cent Brownwood Lake water and 60 per cent from the local city lake.

Major expenditure for the city during the past month was the purchase and installation of the auxiliary pump at Lake Brownwood.

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