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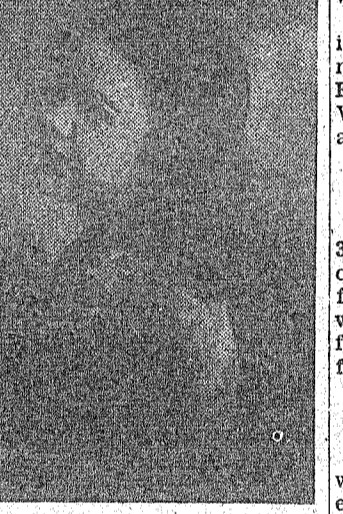
Glynda Myrl Gober will graduate at 17. She has belonged to the Homemaking Club...



of the playground ball team. Her hobbies are skating and collecting stamps...

Ray Hartman, an outstanding senior, attended Cleveland before coming to Santa Anna. He belongs to the F. F. A. and football clubs...

Ruth Lovelady, one of the best known senior girls, will graduate at 16. In her freshman and sophomore years she was class reporter...



last year; and in the Scriblers Club two years. She was in the Spanish play and the senior play...

Thomas Myron Hayes, who attended school at Buffalo before coming to Santa Anna will graduate at 16. He has been in the band seven years and played solo cornet five...

Edwin (Soupy) Hunter will graduate at 18. He has always attended Santa Anna schools. He has played in the band for seven years...

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school before coming to Santa Anna. She is a member of the Homemaking Club, having been hostess, parliamentarian, vice president and song-leader...

MOUNTAIN SNOOPERS

Well! Here we are with news from all four corners. Imagine that. Wayne, we thought you denied going with that little Coleman red head? Can you deny it now?

Who was that quiet, dark-headed senior last Wednesday night, Adrian? Why weren't you on time to get Parsons after play practice?

What is this we hear about Marie hollering "Ouch" when "Cuckle Burr" said good-night? Say! LaVerne and Julian have it bad! They were at the track meet Saturday.

We're going to stop Cheaney from going to Coleman. The girls up there seem to like him. Did any of you see that handsome foursome last Friday night? Mary B. who was that good-looking somebody from Bangs and LaVerne what about the guy from Brooksmith?

S. C. who do you make eyes at in the first period study hall? Tom Bill has at last found himself another Juliet. I believe Katherine Bagby looks upon him as her Romeo.

Jeanne, how do you like Mac as your leading man in "The Neighbors"? Anna Mae, who was the gentleman you were with Sunday afternoon?

Edwin what has happened to you and Virginia? Toodle-doo Sarie, Sadie & Sally

DISTRICT MEET

The literary events of the District interscholastic league meet will be held Friday, April 11 at Howard Payne College in Brownwood.

Santa Anna will be represented in four events. Bobby Jo Cheaney will represent declamation; Freddy Rowe, typing; Mary J. Wade, essay and Mary J. Wade and Marie Newman, debate.

EXAMS

This week marked the end of 30 weeks of school. This is only one more six-week period before school is out. We should work hard this last six-weeks for it is the last period left for us to show what we can do.

New Farce to Be Given Here

A delightful evening, filled with bright laughter and clean entertainment, is waiting for you at the Santa Anna High School auditorium on April 18, when the Junior class raise the curtain on a new farce entitled, "The Life of Riley," written by Harvey Mason. The performance is being given by special arrangement with Samuel French, the largest play publishers in the world.

This is a modern farce and is said to be one of the briskest and most amusing plays ever presented here. There'll be big doings in town on the night that the curtain rises on, "The Life of Riley"

Homemaking Club Meets

"The Future Homemakers of Texas Chapter, of Santa Anna would like to give a 5 or 10 minute skit at the area meeting," announced Katherine Ashmore, secretary of the Future Homemakers of Texas Chapter at their regular meeting in the Tech before becoming an aeronautical engineer. His hobbies are building model airplanes and photography. His favorite sport is tennis.

Band Presents Program

The high school band gave a "Musical College of Knowledge" program in chapel Friday morning. It turned out to be a battle of the sexes between the members of the faculty. By a very close decision of the judges Miss McCreary and Mr. McDonald were in the finals. Mr. McDonald, as the winner, was presented a fine 17 jewel wrist watch and the other contestants were presented balloons.

Girls Baseball Team

The girls baseball team, that will go to Coleman April 26, has been chosen as follows: Catcher, Ernestine England; Pitcher, Ruth Morris; first base, Mary Annis Norris; second base, Arvela Shmablin; third base, June Newman; first short, Doris McGahey; second short, Lois Blanton; first field, Billie Faye Lewellan; second field, Frances Stewardson; center field, Helen Moore; substitutes, Marjorie Jean Oakes, Ruth Dean, Wendolyn Campbell.

Track Team

Santa Anna High School's track team, victorious in almost every start this year, participated in a practice meet at Brownwood with Brownwood and Golthwaite, Tuesday April 8. The boys participating are: J. K. McClain, Adrain Speck, Rex Turney, Richard Horner, James Avant, Robert Lancaster, Robert Dunn.

Mr. Byrne Attends Meeting

Mr. Byrne attended the meeting in Temple for superintendents and trustees, called by State Superintendent Woods. The subject under discussion was the twelve grade system for Texas schools. The results of the meeting have not been reported.

APPLICATION FOR COTTON COMFORTER MATERIAL IS SUSPENDED

On account of army purchases in connection with the defense program, submission of further orders for percale and comfort cotton have been discontinued. C. D. Walker, acting director for the southern division of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, has notified B. F. Vance, administrative officer in charge of the AAA for Texas, that the discontinuance would affect applications for comfort material in

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MATTRESS DEADLINE

April 30 has been set as the final date for Texas farm and ranch families to make application for cotton and ticking under the Department of Agriculture's 1941 cotton mattress program.

This announcement has been made by B. F. Vance, administrative officer in charge of the Triple A in Texas. Since the Extension Service is charged with supervision of the program, Vice Directors Mildred Horton and G. E. Adams are urging all county extension agents to be certain every eligible family in Texas has opportunity to make application before the deadline. On March 24, more than a

THESE ARE SURPLUS FOODS

Fresh carrots have been added to the list of surplus foods available during April in all food stamp plan areas of the country, according to the Surplus Marketing Administration. Pears and rice, listed for March are not included in the April designations. The complete list of blue stamp foods for April includes: fresh grapefruit, oranges, apples, carrots, onions (except green onions), Irish potatoes, butter, raisins, pork lard, all pork (except that cooked or packed in metal or glass containers), corn meal, shell eggs, dried prunes, hominy (corn) grits, dry edible beans, wheat flour, and whole wheat (Graham) flour.

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Editorial

IT IS SIGNIFICANT that one of the greatest waves of applause at the President's recent speech before the White House Correspondents' Association came when he said that unnecessary strikes cannot be tolerated. The Washington newspapermen know better than any other group to what extent labor racketeering has been interfering with the defense program. They know that the total defense we are after can never be attained so long as a few unscrupulous labor leaders seem to have no other ambition than to exploit the emergency to the limit. Honest labor should keep this in mind. The man who delays defense through an unjustified strike belongs in the same category as the war profiteers, who are only one step removed from the Benedict Arnolds and the Judas Iscariots—both are brazen enemies of American security and safety in a world gone mad. Labor is besmirching itself by tolerating dictation by too many communistic foreigners who ought to be deported or deported to the nations now representing their highest ideals of slave-driving.

IF PUBLIC OWNERSHIP zealots have their way, socialism in the electric industry—the first industry sought to be socialized—is going to be rammed down the throats of the people whether they like it or not. The situation of Spokane, Washington, is a case in point. Spokane is close to the government's great hydro-electric project at Grand Coulee. About six months ago a proposal to establish a publicly-owned utility district, including Spokane and surrounding territory, to distribute Grand Coulee power was voted on. The electorate turned thumbs down, by a big majority. The socialists then went to work to get another election to include the City of Spokane only, which was held in March. This time the proposal was to take over the local private utility. Again the voters said No. The people of Spokane have now twice decided they prefer to remain out of debt and get their power from a heavily-taxed, state-regulated, private company, rather than from a socialized, untaxed, unregulated system. But be that as it may, the socialists, to whom the will of the people means little or nothing, still have another shot in their gun. It is the congressional bill to create a Columbia Valley Power toward dictatorship as this country has ever seen. The bill Authority. And that bill, if enacted, would be a long step bill would give the Secretary of the Interior powers which can only be described as czar-like. Every decision affecting electric service and water power in the great Columbia Valley area would be laid down by Washington. Local government would be powerless. The bill authorizes a large appropriation which would enable its administrators

to condemn and buy public utilities in the Columbia area without a vote of the people, and hold them until such time as the people of the various communities could be persuaded or forced to take them over—a real example of Hitlerian protection. Thus the bill would in effect make socialism obligatory. It would make a federal bureau the supreme arbiter. No regulation by local government, no taxes to support local projects. A bureau holding power next to the Almighty.

THE STORY THE MEDALS TELL

By R. A. JEFFREYS, Editor The Santa Anna (Tex.) News

The general public has little or no knowledge of the meaning of the ribbons and medals worn by the soldiers, sailors and marines of the United States. In a series of short articles the writer will endeavor to bring to our readers all available information so they may read the story of a man's service, as told by his ribbons, etc., and inform a huge percentage of World War veterans of the medals to which they are rightly entitled so they may if they so desire secure the outward evidence of a nation's appreciation of valor or service.

Medals are divided into three different classes: decorations, campaign medals, and organizational or soldiers', sailors' and marines' societies' medals. The medals are worn on formal and special occasions, while the ribbons representing them are used on the uniform at other times, and a lapel button or rosette of the ribbon worn on civilian clothes. For civilian use on special and formal occasions a miniature medal is worn by a veteran; less formal a miniature ribbon is worn.

Medals and the ribbons that represent them are not worn at the same time. While it is not contrary to regulations, probably, medals and ribbons representing other medals are not customarily worn together. It appears that custom dictates all of one or the other.

Each of the three classes of medals are in turn divided into two classes. Decorations, (1) congressional and (2) army award.

Service Medals, (1) campaign and (2) commemorative. Organizational, (1) national and (2) international.

The Congressional Medal of Honor is the highest decoration awarded by our government and can be given to any officer or enlisted man who in action involving actual conflict with an enemy distinguishes himself conspicuously by gallantry and intrepidity at the risk of his own life above and beyond the call of duty. The wearers of this medal are numerically few.

The medal is a five pointed star backed by a green wreath, is suspended by two points from a bar letter VALOR, and which is surmounted by an eagle with outspread wings, which in turn is suspended from a blue ribbon, studded with white stars, that is worn around the neck. The medal swinging at the top button of the coat, when worn on the most formal occasions. For parades and less formal occasions the usual ribboned medal is to be worn. The ribbon bar is blue with five white stars and the rosette a hexagon of blue with six radiating star spokes. The wearer of this medal takes the salute from all enlisted men and officers, even though the wearer be a buck private in the guard house or on k. p. This is one medal hard to get and it is respected for what it represents—the highest type of unselfish courage regardless of danger.

The next article in this series will deal with the six Army Decorations, those awarded by orders of the commander in chief upon recommendations of the

superior officers of the person cited.

Few Texans wear the Congressional Medal. Figures are not available, and while it was stated this week that David Barkeley, for whom the Abilene Army Post was named, was the only Texan awarded the Medal, it is believed that several Texans possess the coveted honor. Young Barkeley's medal was a posthumous award. A picture in the Abilene Reporter-News of the morning of April 8 shows 1st. Lieut. Harold Johnson of Denver, Colorado, wearing the C. M. awarded him at the time Barkeley was awarded him, the two being cited for the same feat.

The writer of the above was a Sergeant in Company E, 315th Engineers, 90th Division, and wears on ythose service and organizational medals his service record and Honorable Discharge show him to be entitled to wear: Victory Medal, French Commemorative, French Interallied Victory, Texas, St. Mihiel, Vedun for St. Mihiel and Ver-

dun, White Russian Commemorative and the two organizational, American Legion and Federation Interallie des Anciens sion Texas soldier serving thru the period in the AEF from arrival to the Armistice is entitled to these same campaign and commemorative medals as the writer, plus such organizational medals as his membership in veterans' societies call for.—Ed.

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THIS BUSINESS OF Living

BY SUSAN THAYER



He started for work so regularly that we said we could set our clocks by Jimmy—the boy next door. Month in and month out, rain or shine, the side door of the house would slam and he'd start up his old Jalopy at exactly the same time each morning; 35 minutes past seven and he'd be off for the garage which he hoped to own part of in a year or two.

Then, three weeks ago, he got a letter from the War Department. His draft number had been called and yesterday he came over to say good-bye.

"How do you feel about it?" I asked him, watching to see if there was any sign of disappointment on his face.

"Fine," he said; "just fine."

"But your job?" I went on.

"It will be here when I get back. And maybe I was getting into a rut. Maybe I need to be away from it for a while. Besides it's only for a year. And a year . . ."

He looked out across our yard with its early Spring green to the vacant lot next door where he'd played ball when he was a kid and still did something when he got home early enough.

"A year isn't much to give to a country that gives a fellow as

much as this one does. My folks never had much money, as you know. But I got a good education. Then, when I wanted a job at the garage instead of running the dairy as Dad does, Mr. Hughes gave me a chance. I guess I've made good. I've helped in the office the last six months besides working on cars. I've been able to do things for the folks and save some money besides and I've had a lot of fun . . .

"I want other boys to have the same kind of opportunities I've had . . . oh, like a chance to play ball when they're kids, to go to school as long as they want and to work at things they like and to save money. If my going into the army is going to help keep those opportunities, I'm willing. Besides," he added, grinning, "I want to own that garage some day and the only way I can be sure of it is to help keep this country the kind where men are free to own businesses and to go ahead as far as their abilities will take them."

So, it looks as if we'd be setting our clocks by Jimmy again some day . . . for hard work and ambition of that kind are bound to succeed in a country whose industrial system welcomes the man of ability.

THIS WEEK IN DEFENSE

Information Released by the Government and Reviewed by the National Defense Advisory Committee of the National Editorial Association.

The Office of Production Management announced that up to March 8 Congress had authorized expenditures of \$16,300,000,000 for the Army and the Navy, and the two forces had awarded contracts for \$11,550,000,000 of this amount—in addition to pay and subsistence for soldiers and sailors. The OPM also announced that up to March 1, the U. S. and British Governments spent about \$2,137,000 enlarging or building defense plants. Another \$393,000,000 worth of plants was financed privately, the agency estimated.

Information on how to get orders, the OPM stated is readily available from their Defense Contract Service offices at every Federal Reserve Bank. The agency warned, however, that agents or "contracts" cannot help get a contract, and any contract obtained through an agent on a fee basis is subject to cancellation.

Defense Investigations Senator Truman (D., Missouri) announced his special Senate committee was ready to begin its investigation of the defense program for the information of the Senate, and the House voted authority to the Military and Naval Affairs Committees to conduct similar investigations. Both House committees were given power to subpoena witnesses and investigate the labor situation.

Aid to Democracies President Roosevelt announced he had released \$500,000,000 in equipment from present Army and Navy stocks for transfer abroad, had allocated \$1,550,000,000 for purchase of new defense equipment including shipyards and 212 cargo ships.

The President did not itemize the equipment released, but said the transfers were similar to the release of field artillery to Greece announced earlier in the week. The President also stated he is developing plans to aid Yugoslavia.

Ships Seized The Coast Guard took into custody 28 Italian, 2 German, and 35 Danish merchant ships in American waters to prevent sabotage. Italian and German crews were arrested and charged with sabotage. Some were indicted by Federal juries and the U. S. requested the naval attaché to the Italian Embassy be withdrawn because charges in connection with the sabotage.

War-American Relations Congress passed a resolution warning aggressor nations the U. S. would not recognize the transfer of Western Hemisphere possessions to a non-American power, and giving joint hemisphere defense measures in such cases. The Senate ratified a State Department agreement with Mexico for joint use of existing air bases in the two countries.

Navy Secretary Knox invited Latin-American naval chiefs to visit the U. S. as Navy guests.

Nelson Rockefeller, Coordinator of Commercial and Cultural Relations between the American Republics, said in a public speech that the four most important fields of action for individual American citizens in extending the good-neighbor program in the interests of defense are: 1. Popular education about South America in every U. S. community; 2. The teaching of Spanish and Portuguese to children and adults; 3. Community action to increase purchases from South America, and 4. Establishment of friendly contacts with South American groups.

Sabotage The office for Emergency Management announced a comprehensive program for fire and sabotage protection under the supervision of State Fire Coordinators and local Defense Fire Chiefs in cooperation with the Federal Government. In a bulletin outlining the program, detailed suggestions were given regarding fire-fighting facilities, fire alarm communications, water supply, reserve man-power and mechanical equipment, and protection of production and transportation.

Army Air Expansion The War Department announced that additional flying schools are planned at Macon and Albany, Georgia; Selma, Alabama; Ellington Field, Texas; Bakersfield, Taft and Mathers Field, California; Phoenix, Arizona; and Las Vegas, Nevada, as part of the program to train 30,000 pilots a year. The Department also announced plans for \$29,000,000 in additional school facilities to train 100,000 plane technicians each year at Biloxi, Mississippi; Wichita Falls, Texas; Scott Field, Illinois; Lowry Field and Fort Logan, Colorado; Chanute Field, Illinois, and at fifteen civilian schools.

New Army Units The Army announced plans to form 300 new units composed of 148,000 draftees who will complete 13 weeks' initial instruction at replacement centers by June 30. The new units will include nine mobile and semi-mobile anti-aircraft regiments, twenty-two coast artillery groups, ten light and medium

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tank battalions, forty-one medical, twenty-five ordnance, one hundred twenty-seven quartermaster and seventeen field artillery organizations, nine signal corps groups, and seven cavalry and five chemical warfare units.

Defense Housing Defense Housing Coordinator Palmer announced completion of 5,425 defense dwelling units and the letting of contracts for an additional 1,800 units—making a total of 45,000 units on which work is ready to start. USHA announced it has 28 defense projects under construction or completed, with 22 more scheduled to begin before the end of April.

Selective Service The Selective Service System formed a medical advisory council to improve the System's medical techniques and plan health programs for men rejected as physically disqualified.

Selective Service also extended to 10 days the time limitation on filing of appeals from local board decisions and announced the start of a campaign to point out the opportunities of appeal.

Navy Progress The Navy announced it completed in the last month construction of six warships—four destroyers and two submarines—giving the Navy 329 combatant ships as of April 1—15 battleships, 6 aircraft carriers, 37 cruisers, 164 destroyers, and 107 submarines.

Labor Disputes An OPM survey showed more defense strikes had been caused by union dispute than by demand for higher wages. The President said mediation would be given a full and fair trial before he would sponsor new labor legislation. The US Conciliation Service announced the settlement of 16 defense strikes or labor disputes. Labor Secretary Perkins certified the Allis-Chalmers and the Snoqualmie (Wash.) strikes to the Defense Mediation Board. The Board announced four agreements temporarily reopening plants previously certified.

Price Stabilization National Defense Advisory Commissioner Henderson, in charge of price stabilization, issued price schedules for zinc and zinc scrap, soft coal, and iron and steel scrap. Coal prices were "frozen" to prevent extreme rises if the coal strike causes a shortage. The other schedules were issued to halt price rises due to speculation.

PERSONALS . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simmons were here this week visiting relatives. They are moving from Kingsport, Tenn., to Oscaloosa, La.

Mrs. L. W. Burdick and son of Coleman visited Mrs. Don Ewing Tuesday. She will be remembered here as Miss Vera Hagood.

Mrs. Billy McMillan and daughter of Coleman visited the past week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McElrath. Mrs. McMillan left this week for Jal, New Mexico to join her husband who is an employee of the El Paso Natural Gas Co., there.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Green and daughter, Elizabeth Ann of Roby visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Williams Sunday.

Mr. R. J. Marshall of Winters spent several days this week renewing old friendships in Santa Anna.

Mrs. Jeannette Hensley left Wednesday morning for Seguin

where she will spend several days in the interest of Pythian Sisters.

The regular singing class of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church will be held next Tuesday, April 15 at 8 o'clock Singers from all surrounding cities and communities attend these singings and present special songs. The Stamps-Baxter books are used.

Mary Jo Gregg is visiting relatives in Pecos.

Betty Ruth Blue and Wilma Jeannette Mills arrived home Wednesday evening from Sul Ross College, Alpine for their Easter vacation.

On going to press we learn of the death of Clara Bell Evans, age 3 years, 9 months and 14 days, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Evans. She was buried in the local cemetery Thursday, April 10.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Monroe, Mrs. Geo. Justice and Mrs. Marshall Thomas visited in Big Spring Wednesday.

Mrs. Roy Collier of Brady was a pleasant caller at the News office Thursday a. m. and discussed organizing a Legion Auxiliary in Santa Anna. She was accompanied by Mrs. Eddie Lett and Miss Jennie Mae Hartrider. They were here to visit the girl's N. Y. A. project.

Leedy News

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Page, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goodgoen and children were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tucker Sunday.

The "Coonville Aristocrat Club" will be presented by the outsiders Friday night April 11. Everyone will enjoy seeing this humorous negro play.

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Mrs. Odell Box of Coleman spent Saturday night with Mrs. Z. W. Box.

Miss Dorothy McClure spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Upchurch of the Elliott community.

Mrs. Z. W. Box visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hudler.

Visitors in the W. J. and J. E.

McClure home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Upchurch and Wamon Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Newman and Christine; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Newman.

Sanford Tune and Peggy of Rockwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Boardman and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Segler and family of San Angelo visited

Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Springer and family.

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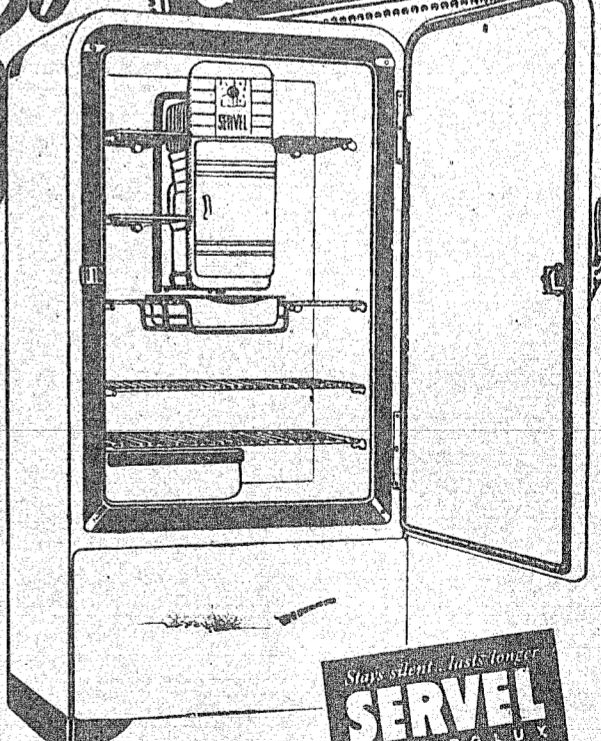
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Social Notes

RECENT BRIDE HONORED

Mrs. Robert Knox, the former Miss Lorene Gilbert, was the honoree at a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. Clarence Gilbert on Wednesday, April 9. Purple irises were the floral decorations.

Amusing games and contests were directed by Mrs. W. L. Thigpen.

A wagon decorated with pink crepe paper and loaded with gifts for the honoree was brought by Wade and Joy May Gilbert.

Refreshments were tuna fish sandwiches, cookies and punch, with candy Easter rabbits and Easter eggs as plate favors.

The guest's present were: Mmes. E. R. Norris, Sam McCain, W. L. Thigpen, Noel Elkins, Lee Boardman, Ed Jones, J. E. Howard, K. C. Holmes, C. A. Gilbert, Sam Presley, Sid Knox and Misses Louise McCain, Ora Lee Niell and Hazel Gilbert and the honoree, Mrs. Robert Knox.

Those sending gifts were: Mmes. Lizzie Watson, A. D. Lowry, Erlene Coker, Agnes Holman, Jim Harrison, Leroy Stockard, Jesse Lowry, Tom Wristen, Martel Ewalds, Tom Post Lynn May, Jess Garrett, Fred Shield and A. L. Hill.

EASTER PARTY

The Easter party was held for the members of the formerly Mrs. M. M. McDaniel on April 7 when Miss Tom Starnes and her little sister, Frances, entertained with an Easter egg hunt at the home of Mrs. L. O. Garrett.

After Tommy and Barbee asked their guests to sit and seated them at the table each with an Easter basket. They were then invited out to the lawn where the Easter rabbit had already hidden many eggs. After all the eggs were found and the little folks had played for awhile, they were served "double dip" ice cream cones topped with candy rabbits.

Mrs. L. O. Garrett and Mrs. Tommy Starnes assisted the host and hostess in serving the refreshments to Nancy Ann Wylie, Joyce Modawell, Sandra Starnes, Narita Starnes, Evelyn Oakes, Nita Marie Boardman, Tom Gilmore, Joe Lynn Modawell, Bascom Lowery, Billie Lowery, Tom Simpson, Scott Wallace, Jimmie Dunlap and Davy Simpson.

MERRY WIVES

Mrs. Ben Vinson used potted daffodils and other pot plants to decorate the guest rooms in the Easter theme when she entertained the Merry Wives on Thursday, April 3.

After an afternoon spent at needlework a lovely refreshment plate was served. It also carried out the Easter theme. It contained fruit salad, sandwiches, in rabbit and chicken shapes, olives, mints and iced tea. Plate favors were corsages of mixed flowers, made in lace paper doilies.

Those enjoying this pleasant afternoon were Mesdames Roger Hunter, Oscar Cheaney, Rex Golston, Teddy Stewardson, T. R. Sealy, Dennis Kelley D. R. Hill, R. F. Crum, Jack Woodward and the hostess.

WEDNESDAY BRIDGE

On Wednesday, April 2, Mrs. James Simpson entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club and other guests. Iris and potted plants were used to decorate the game rooms and the Easter motif was used in bridge appointments.

Mrs. George Johnson was presented high score for Club members and Mrs. Alvin Dunlap for guests.

Refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, olives, cookies and Coca Cola were passed to Mesdames George Johnson, J. Paul Board, Calvin Campbell, Jeanette Hensley, Alvin Dunlap, Roger Hunter, Chas. Matthews, Brown Lee Hunter, Leon Todd, T. M. McDonald, Roy Richardson, Miss Odell Brown and the hostess.

WEDNESDAY BRIDGE

Lilacs, bridal wreath and pansies formed a beautiful spring setting when Mrs. Paul Board entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club and guests at contract.

The Easter motif was used in the game appointments.

Miss Odell Brown was presented the club high score and Mrs. O. A. Etheredge with guest high score. Congeeled fruit salad, wafers and iced tea were used as refreshments and candy Easter bunnies were plate favors.

The guest list included Mmes. T. M. McDonald, Brown Lee Hunter, Chas. Matthews, Geo. Johnson, Roy Richardson, Niell Oakes, R. H. Spencer, O. A. Etheredge, James Simpson, Leon Todd and Miss Odell Brown.

1940 CLUB

Mrs. Raymond Williams entertained the 1940 Club at Contract Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Alvin Dunlap was awarded high score and Mrs. Lamar Woods consolation.

A delicious tuna fish salad, with these wafers, potato chips, lemon cake pie and an iced drink was served to Mesdames Harry Caton, Martin Adam, Alvin Dunlap, John Greenhaw, Arlie Welch, Lamar Woods, Alpheus Boardman and the hostess.

NEEDLECRAFT CLUB

Mrs. Pauline Harper was hostess to the Needlecraft Club on Thursday. After an afternoon spent in handwork a refreshment plate of sandwiches, pickles, olives, cake and tea was passed to the following members and guests: Mesdames Lillian Pettit, T. T. Perry, A. R. Brown, J. E. Watkins, C. W. Hamilton, S. R. Smith, T. M. McCreary, Miriam Prickett, Curtis Collins and the hostess.

JOLLY PASTIME CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Rowe were hosts to the Jolly Pastime Club Friday night at their home where 42 was played.

High score went to Mrs. L. M. Cole and Bill Griffin.

Refreshments of angel food cake, sandwiches, cookies and coffee and Easter eggs were served to the members and guests present.

Mrs. Morris Hostess To Garden Club

A flower study was the theme of last Friday's Garden Club meeting when Mrs. J. C. Morris was hostess.

The business meeting was directed by Mrs. Frank Crum and Mrs. Gipson answered questions on the care of flowers. Mrs. Morris was program leader.

Those who attended the meeting were, Mmes. Frank Crum, J. R. Gipson, T. R. Sealy, A. R. Brown, Clinton Lowe, Jack Woodward, Tom Hays, Chap Eeds, and M. L. Womack.

The next meeting will be May 2 and Mrs. R. C. Gay will be hostess.

Junior Self Culture Club News

Pink and green for a color scheme and Easter decorations were used Tuesday evening when Mrs. T. M. McDonald entertained the Junior Self Culture Club.

Miss Francine Merritt very ably and entertainingly reviewed "The White Cliffs" by Alice Duer Miller.

Easter chicks and Easter eggs were used as favors on plates containing ice cream, cake and punch. Those present were

Misses Eunice Wheeler, Margaret Schultz, Louise Purdy, Marie Blewett, Ruby Harper, Ouida Casey, Mattie Ella McCreary, Agnes Hayes, Francine Merritt, Mesdames Jeannette Hensley, Ruth Orrick and the hostess.

Mystic Weavers Club

Miss Mamie Turner was hostess to the Mystic Weavers Club on Friday, April 4. Easter lilies and lilacs were the floral decorations.

Refreshments of ice cream and angel food cake were served to the following guests: Mmes. Martin Adams, Harry Caton, C. W. Hamilton, Jesse Howard, Arlie Welch, Theo McCaughan, Lovell Richardson, Lewis Bobo, Mark Davis and Sam Presley.

I. O. O. F. Have Oyster Supper

The I. O. O. F. Lodge of Santa Anna entertained members, Rebekahs and visitors with an oyster supper, Thursday evening, April 3, after their regular business session.

Oysters, wafers, pickles, pie cake and coffee were enjoyed by a large group of local people and visitors from Rockwood, Shields and Talpa.

Self Culture Club

The Self Culture Club will meet Friday, April 11, with Mrs. Tom Hays.

Mrs. R. R. Lovelady will speak on Health.

Personals

Mrs. Taylor Wheeler and daughter Eunice spent last Saturday and Sunday in Colorado City visiting Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wheeler.

Mrs. M. D. Legrande of Norfolk, Ark., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Elrod.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Burris went to Fort Worth last Sunday to visit Dr. McDonald, who is ill there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Donham Jr., of Hollister, Okla., visited in the A. D. Donham home this week.

Mrs. O. A. Etheredge spent several days last week visiting her mother, Mrs. C. C. Myers, and Mrs. Gordon Kenley in San Angelo.

—SHIRTS AND SHORTS, ALL KINDS, SIZES AND PRICES. PARKER TAILOR SHOP.

Mrs. R. A. Jeffreys and Miss Arabell Ragsdale drove to Denton last Friday to bring Shirley Jeffreys home. Shirley is recuperating from measles and will be home until after Easter.

Jake and Mary Browning and Mickie Parker of Abilene spent the weekend in the J. W. Parker home.

Glenda Williamson, student in Shannon School of Nursing, San Angelo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Williamson.

Mrs. W. E. Wood of Lindale visited her children and old friends here and in Brady last week.

Mrs. Don Ewing received her

Morning Glory Incer Springs Matress Friday, which she won on the Crazy Water program from Mineral Wells.

Mrs. C. W. Hamilton, Mrs. Arthur Turner and Miss Mamie Turner spent Monday in Abilene.

—Dr. S. E. Phillips, the drugless doctor, is coming to Santa Anna every morning from 8:00 to 12:00 Office in residence of Mr. Will See. Treatment of rheumatism, neuritis, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gibson and son, Roy Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Waldo McLaren Jr. of O'Donnell visited Mrs. F. N. May and Mrs. Kate Garrett and family last week-end. Mrs. McLaren is the former June Gibson, who has visited here often. The young couple have been married two weeks.

Miss Edna McDaniel of San Angelo spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. E. McDaniel.

—WORK CLOTHES THAT GIVE YOU SATISFACTION AND SERVICE, PRICED RIGHT. J. W. PARKER TAILOR SHOP.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones of San Angelo spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haynes.

Mrs. Granville Herring and children, Gene Ann, and Joe Ray of Burkett visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Evans and other relatives and friends last week.

Mrs. Frank Goen visited the Don Ewing home Monday.

Miss Francine Merritt went to San Angelo last Saturday where she acted as judge in a district interscholastic League Speech Contest.

Miss Wylda Balin of Hollister Okla., accompanied Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Donham Jr. here this week.

—HATS AND SHOES TO MEET DISCRIMINATING TASTE. PARKER TAILOR SHOP.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Baker and children of Baird were weekend guests in the Oscar Cheaney home.

Mrs. H. B. Griffin and Mrs. Jeff Kennemore visited relatives in Hillsboro last weekend.

Miss Annelle Shields of Howard Payne College spent last weekend with her mother, Mrs. Vera Shields. She had as a guest, Miss Ann Gorman of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hill of Cisco were here last Monday to visit his mother, Mrs. F. B. Hill Sr.

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Midnight Show Saturday, Sunday, Monday:

● "Girl, Guy and Gob"
with—
LUCILLE BALL
GEORGE MURPHY

Times, Wednesday
● "Keeping Com"

Dany
FRANK MORGAN
ANN RUTHERFORD

John Gregg of Randolph Field, San Antonio spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gregg.

Romara Ray is the name of the little daughter who recently arrived at the Ray DeRusha home in Abilene.

Santa Anna was well represented at the huge army day demonstration at Camp Bowie last Monday and a few local people attended the demonstration at Camp Barkeley.

—CLEANING AND PRESSING THAT IS PLEASING TO THE PATRON. PARKER TAILOR SHOP.

Mrs. C. W. Hamilton is moving to Abilene this week to be nearer Mr. Hamilton's work. He is now employed at View, Texas.

Mrs. T. T. McCreary, Mrs. J. E. Watkins, Mrs. T. T. Perry and Miss Mattie Ella McCreary spent last weekend in Temple.

Mrs. R. C. Gay and V. L. Grady went to Brownwood Tuesday and from there they were accompanied to Indian Creek by Mr. Caleb Grady and Edd Grady. The three brothers will visit another brother, Will Grady, for several days before returning home.

Margaret, Evelyn and Barbara Bruce entered declamation contests in Brown county, with the first two winning first place and Barbara second place. They will enter district contests this week.

Miss Mary Lela Woodward of Texas Tech, Lubbock is home for the Easter holidays.

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