

# SANTA ANNA NEWS

"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

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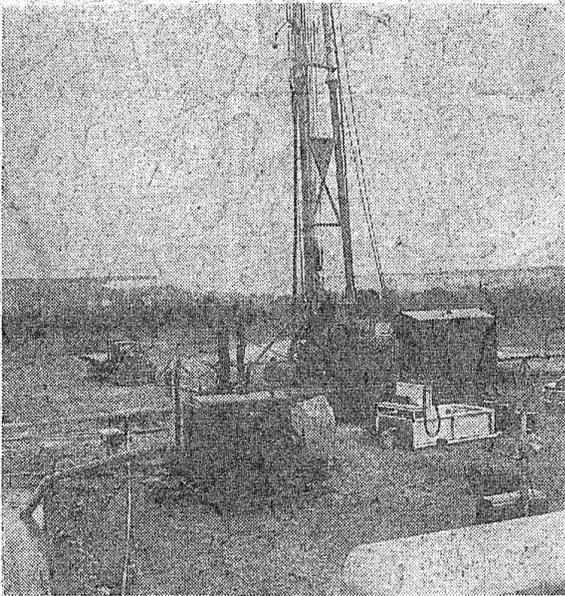
SANTA ANNA, COLEMAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MARCH 31, 1950

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## Santa Anna Oil News

By Elgean Shield

### The Fred Pool - Copeland Well No. 1



The Fred Pool-Copeland No. 1, located 330 feet south of the City Limits and 330 feet west of Jefferson Street, on the Glen Copeland land, was drilled into the Brinike Sand Saturday morning at 1782 feet. A core was taken to 1800 feet, and a good saturation was shown for the 18 feet. Drilling was stopped to set pipe and the well is expected to be completed the latter part of this week.

In the picture you can get a good idea as to the location of the well. The Santa Anna Mountains can be seen in the background. This well has caused considerable interest to be shown with the leasing of land and royalty purchases. The well is located due south of the Santa Anna High School property.

The Ross Smith-Elgean Shield on the Kingsberry land hit the top of the Marble Falls at 2185 feet, and were drilling Sunday night at 2205 feet with considerably more than 1/4 million feet of gas per day.

### Local Baptist Church News

Rev. A. A. Brian, assistant to the President of Howard Payne College will speak at 7:30 p. m. Friday, March 31, at the First Baptist Church, Coleman. These meetings are being held in preparation to the Simultaneous Revival 8,000 Baptist Churches west of the Mississippi are planning Revival services for the month of April. Most of these meetings will be held April 9-23. The meeting in the local church will be April 16-23. Frank Gilliam will do the preaching.

Two important meetings are scheduled to be at the First Baptist Church, Santa Anna, this week. Tuesday, April 4, at 7:00 p. m. the Associational Brotherhood will meet for a Rally and their regular associational meeting. Men from all of the churches of Coleman County are expected to be present. Supper will be served by the local Brotherhood. Rev. George Ray of Abilene will be the principal speaker. Artie Irby, associational president, extends an invitation to the men of Santa Anna to be present.

Friday, April 7, at 7:30 p. m. the Associational Youth Rally will be held in Santa Anna. Rev.

### Reserve Officers Being Considered For Active Duty

Air Force Reserve and National Guard Officers on inactive duty will be considered for recall to three years active duty, if they meet any one of the following requirements:

If under thirty years of age as of July 1st and with a college degree.

Prior service officers with less than three years of active duty must have an efficiency rating of excellent or better for the last twelve months they were on active duty.

Prior service officers with more than three years active duty must have an average efficiency rating of forty or more if of company grade, or forty-three or more if of field grade, for the last three years they were on active duty.

Rated pilots who meet any of these requirements who desire a recall on flying status must be currently proficient in flying or have the ability to become so quickly. Pilots without flying training during the last two years must meet a Flying Evaluation Board.

Interested Air Force Reserves and National Guard Officers who meet these requirements should contact Headquarters Twelfth Air Force, Brooks Air Force Base, Texas and request application forms.

### Mrs. Annie Farris Buried In Santa Anna, March 15

Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ in Santa Anna March 15 at 2:00 p. m. for Mrs. Annie Farris, who died at her home in Brownwood March 14, after being ill for two years. She was 76 years, 7 months and 17 days old. George Hines, Minister, of Brownwood, officiated.

Annie Reynolds was born July 27, 1876, to Mr. and Mrs. Stork Reynolds, deceased, in Runnels County, Texas. She was married to Hiram Farris August 25, 1892. Eight children were born to this union.

Survivors include the sons: Walter Farris, of Santa Anna; Stork Farris, of Cleburne; Jeff Farris, of Dumas; Dick Farris, of Stradford; Edd Farris, of Big Lake; and Bill Farris, of Brownwood, and two daughters: Mrs. H. H. Williams, of Borger, who was ill and unable to attend the funeral service, and Mrs. Walter Seale, of Brownwood. Twenty-five grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren also survive.

Palbearers were grandsons: Rufus, Otto, A. J., and Billy Dean Farris; Willie J. Hyatt and Marshall Williams. Flower bearers were girl granddaughters.

Interment was in the Santa Anna Cemetery.

Those from out-of-town who were here for the services were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam J. Farris and children of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Farris and children of Stradford, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Farris and children of Big Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Richardson and children of Borger, Mrs. Luther Bingham, of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Williams, of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Farris and baby of Big Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Townsley and children of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hyatt of San Saba, Mr. Otto Farris and son of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Grant McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. Artie McPherson and son and Mr. and Mrs. Ambros McPherson all of Llano.

### BREAKS ARM

Turney Smith fell last Friday, while on his way to town to buy groceries, and broke his left arm. He was near the cotton platform in the west part of town when he fell. He knew the injury was painful, but did not know it was broke until the next day.

### Sunrise Easter Service Announced

Sunrise Services for Easter Sunday Morning, April 9, have been announced to be held again this year on top of Santa Anna Mountain. The program will be similar to the one had last year, with doughnuts and coffee being served by the National Guard unit. This service last year drew a large number of people from the county and the surrounding counties. Watch the Santa Anna News for additional announcements next week.

### Santa Anna Food Locker Stocks Gandy Milk

The Santa Anna Food Locker is now the wholesale distributor for Gandy Dairy Products, a new brand of milk that is bottled in San Angelo and brought daily to Santa Anna. The milk is being stocked in all of the food stores in Santa Anna, and can be bought in the handy sanitary carton or in bottles in quart or half-gallon sizes.

The announcement of the new product in Santa Anna appears elsewhere in this issue of the News.

### Mozelle FFA To Compete In ACC Field Day Event

Abilene, Texas. Members of the Mozelle FFA Chapter will compete in the judging contests at Abilene Christian College's annual Field Day next Monday.

More than 500 boys from all parts of western Texas have been entered in the contests.

The program will be conducted at the A. C. C. agriculture department's Allen Farm.

### Hospital Notes

The following patients have been admitted to the Sealy Hospital within the last week:

Miss Mollie Lowe, city.  
Mrs. Annie Schermer, city.  
Mrs. Travis Starkley, Brooksmith, Texas.  
Mrs. D. R. Hill, city.  
Mr. S. H. Duggins, city.  
Mrs. E. M. Simmons, city.  
Mrs. John C. Gregg, city.  
Mr. A. E. Cleverger, Coleman.  
Miss Blanche Boyd, city.

### Methodist To Have Special Services Next Week

Beginning at 6:30 Monday morning, April 3rd, and continuing through Friday, April 7th, breakfast for men is being served at the Methodist Church. A worship service will follow immediately, directed by the pastor, Rev. W. F. Smith.

Every Methodist man is urged to attend and he is free to invite any other man of the community as his guest. Let us as men take advantage of this unusual opportunity for spiritual fellowship.

Evening services for every one are to be held at 7:30. Come and worship with us.

### LECTURE AND FILM AT HIGH SCHOOL APRIL 7

Mrs. Maggie Culver, president of the Mountain City Garden Club, announces that on Friday, April 7, at the High School auditorium, the club will hold a silver tea and program at 3 p. m.

The film, "The Williamsburg Gardens", will be shown and a lecture will follow. The public is cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Albro visited in Tuscola Sunday night, with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Harrington. They spent some time in Abilene Monday and returned home Monday night.

Be a soil conservation enthusiast.

### 16 Grand Jurors Summoned For Monday, April 3

The following named jurors are summoned to appear as Grand Jurors Monday, April 3rd, A. D. 1950, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. before the Honorable 55th Judicial District Court, Hon. A. O. Newman, Judge presiding.

A. A. Barnett, Coleman.  
J. Oden Brown, Coleman.  
James M. Gill, Coleman.  
N. D. Van Dalsen, Jr., Coleman.  
D. S. Baugh, Santa Anna.  
C. E. Kingsbery, Santa Anna.  
C. T. McClatchey, Bangs.  
A. W. Kennedy, Talpa.  
J. D. Brown, Talpa.  
M. L. Nichols, Novice.  
M. D. Bryan, Rockwood.  
A. V. Bullard, Burkett.  
Olan Wilson, Leady.  
Dennis Whitrey, Gouldsk.  
M. D. Whittington, Coleman.  
Dennis Gaines, Coleman.

### Firemen Complete Training School Monday Night

Monday night the Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department completed a 7-night training course, under the direction of L. O. Bynum, of Texas A & M Extension Service. This is a short course teaching firemen new and modern methods of fire fighting.

Through the Extension Service of A & M, this course is being carried to the firemen, instead of them going to the college for the course, as has been the custom in the past.

Of the 24 members of the Santa Anna Fire Department, and average attendance for the entire course was 16. Fire Chief C. W. Stephenson is proud of the results of the short course and the attendance of the firemen.

Bynum is considered as one of the best fire fighting instructors in the state, and he teaches in a manner that all the firemen will understand just what he is attempting to put over.

During the course the firemen studied Causes or Origins of Fires; Hose Laying and Hook-up; Theory of Pump Operation; Pump Hook-up; from Hydrant to Truck; Organized Drills; and Training of Firemen.

Love yourself only as you would make that self a servant of high purpose.

Do not let rich land wash away—save the soil.

### School Trustee Election Set For Saturday, April 1

The annual School Trustee election will be held at the City Hall in Santa Anna for the Santa Anna Independent School District, Saturday, April 1. Polls will open at eight o'clock and close at seven o'clock. Two trustees are to be elected this year.

Bruce Shodgrass, president of the School Board, and W. B. Bill Griffin are the only names that will be on the ballot. Both are asking re-election to the school board.

Miss Bettie Blue will be Election Judge and the Assistant Judges will be Mrs. Tom Mills and Mrs. W. M. Bell.

### Tabernacle At Rockwood To Be Sold Monday

Announcement was made this week that the Tabernacle at Rockwood would be sold at auction Monday, April 3, at 2:00 p. m. The committee selected to sell the Tabernacle reserves the right to reject any bids not suitable.

The Tabernacle contains a lot of heavy timber such as long 2 x 4s and 2 x 6s. Anyone interested in this is invited to be present.

### Band Concert Postponed

The annual Santa Anna High School Band concert, scheduled for last Friday night, has been postponed until Monday night, April 10. The concert will be held in the High School auditorium, beginning at 8:00 p. m.

Proceeds derived from the concert will be used for sound-proofing the band hall.

Make plans to attend the concert on Monday night, April 10.

### HONOR STUDENT

Garland Arrant, senior student at Texas Tech, is among those on the honor roll, with an average grade point of 2.67, which is in the upper 5% of the entire school body. Garland graduated from Santa Anna High School in 1945 and formerly lived in the Shield community. He is a brother to Mrs. Hays Hefner.

If in the morning you throw minutes away, you can't pick them up in the course of the day.

HAVE YOU BOUGHT OUR EASTER SEALS YET?

YOU BET I HAVE!! I WOULDN'T PASS UP THIS CHANCE TO HELP THE CRIPPLED CHILDREN FOR ALL THE CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE DINTY COULD COOK!!

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"He always was smart, if you recall, at running from one good foxhole to another."

# Court House News

### MARRIAGE LICENSES:

James Tilden Sikes and Marian Inez Gray.

### BIRTHS:

#### BORN TO:

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Wenton Epler, a son, Bernie Lee, March 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Russell Lanham, a son, James Elliott, March 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Jordan, a daughter, Chris Marie, Mar. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Gonzales Gutierrez, a daughter, Maria Christine, March 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edwin Denham, a daughter, Linda Sue, March 18.

Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Moore, a son, Bobby Dan, March 21.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jean Mills, a daughter, Deborah Jeann, March 21.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wythe, a daughter, Mona Patricia, March 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Herman Simpson, a daughter, Jean Patricia, March 22.

### DEATHS:

Thomas Linton McGahies, died March 3. Place of burial, Coleman.

Hattie Bell Yates, died March 6. Place of burial, Santa Anna.

Albert Percy Bledsoe, died March 5. Place of burial, Goldsmith, Texas.

William Bruce McMickan, died March 3. Place of burial, Coleman.

March 18. Place of burial, Crossen, Texas.

Maria Fossett, died March 11. Place of burial, Coleman.

### WARRANTY DEEDS:

J. C. Freeman et ux to Veterans Land Board, consideration \$7,000.00, 140 acres out of the W. Bomar Sur. No. 302.

County School Trustees to G. H. Kelsey, consideration \$5.00, part of block No. 25 of Burnett Co. School Land Sur. No. 703 and containing 1 acre.

I. L. Wright to R. L. Cross Jr., consideration \$350.00, part of block No. 12 of the Town of Burnett.

W. O. Stone et ux to Ollie H. Hamby et ux, consideration \$100.00, lots Nos. 4 & 5 in block No. 7 of the Santa Fe Addition to Coleman.

R. W. Sanders to John Skelton Jr. et ux, consideration \$11,610.00, 100 acres out of the West part of Block No. 18 of Coleman County School Land Sur. No. 94 and 160 acres out of Block No. 17 of the Coleman County School Land Sur. No. 94.

John Skelton Jr. et ux to R. W. Sanders, consideration \$900.00, Lot No. 3 in Block No. 24 of the Original Town of Voss.

Leroy Stockand, Receiver to A. D. Hunter, consideration \$15,520.00, 200 acres and being the N 1/2 of the George Miller Sur. No. 422.

C. B. McQueen et ux to L. Allen

M. Freeman et ux, consideration \$5,000.00, part of Lots Nos. 1 & 2, Block No. 13 of the Stobaugh Addition to Coleman.

J. W. Jordan Jr. et ux to Fred H. Shields, consideration \$200.00, Lots Nos. 9 & 10 of the W. E. Bartlett Subd. of Block No. 15 of the G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Addition to Santa Anna.

C. A. Billings et ux to Raymond DeAnda et ux, consideration \$300.00, W 1/2 of Lot No. 5 and the West 1/2 of Lot No. 6 of the Will Mathews Subd. of the N 1/2 of Block No. 16 of the W. E. Anderson Addition to Coleman.

L. M. Justice et al. to E. B. Smiley, consideration \$415.00, Lot No. 3 out of Block No. 23 of Stobaugh's Addition to Coleman.

City of Santa Anna to Elmo Eubank Jr. et ux, consideration \$100.00 part of Block No. 30 of the G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Addition to Santa Anna.

### MINERAL DEEDS

Fred Cummings et ux to Carvel S. Walker, consideration \$10.00 and other considerations. An undivided 1/2 int. in 4 1/2 acres and being 6 1/2 acres out of the M. H. Havens Sur. No. 162 and 40 acres out of the Harvey Derrick Home-lead Sur. No. 161.

Carvel S. Walker to M. T. White, consideration \$10.00 and other considerations. An undivided 1/2 int. in 4 1/2 acres and being 6 1/2 acres out of the M. H. Havens Sur. No. 162 and 40 acres out of the Harvey Derrick Home-lead Sur. No. 161.

L. B. Moseley et ux to M. T. White, consideration \$10.00 and other considerations. 4 1/2 acres and being 6 1/2 acres out of the M. H. Havens Sur. No. 162 and 40 acres out of the Harvey Derrick Home-lead Sur. No. 161.

L. B. Moseley et ux to M. T. White, consideration \$10.00 and other considerations. 4 1/2 acres and being 6 1/2 acres out of the M. H. Havens Sur. No. 162 and 40 acres out of the Harvey Derrick Home-lead Sur. No. 161.

### OIL AND GAS LEASES

Cliff Frookisher et ux to A. M. King, consideration \$10.00, 100 acres out of the C. W. Paynter Sur. No. 120 and 160 acres out of the John R. Havens Sur. No. 82.

O. L. DePrang et ux to A. M. King, consideration \$10.00, 160 acres out of the E. S. & F. Sec. No. 25, Blk. No. 1 of B. S. & F. Sur. and 160 acres and being the NW 1/4 of E. S. & F. Sec. No. 26.

O. L. DePrang et ux to A. M. King, consideration \$10.00, 40 acres and being the E 1/2 of the J. L. Pendleton Sur. No. 180 and 70 acres of the W. R. Pendleton Sur. No. 181.

O. L. DePrang et ux to A. M. King, consideration \$10.00, 161.7 acres and being the N 1/4 of the E 1/2 of Sec. No. 26, B. S. & F. Sur. consideration \$10.00, 160 acres out of the B. S. & F. Sur. No. 25.

R. W. Sheppard et ux to N. C. Walter, consideration \$10.00, East 1/2 acre of Blk. 12 and the West 3/4 acre of Blk. 18, of the King and Gilbough Addition to Santa Anna.

Floyd E. Sheller et ux to N. C. Walter, consideration \$10.00, Part of Block 18 of the King and Gilbough Addition to Santa Anna.

G. A. Morris et ux to N. C. Walter, consideration \$10.00, East 1/4 acre out of 5 acre block No. 23 of King and Gilbough Addition to

Santa Anna.

City of Santa Anna to N. C. Walter, consideration \$10.00, Lots Nos. 1 & 2 in Block 22 of the G. C. & S. F. Addition to Santa Anna.

W. B. Griffin et ux to N. C. Walter, consideration \$10.00, All of 5 acre Blk. No. 19 of the G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Addition to Santa Anna.

G. P. Richardson et ux to N. C. Walter, consideration \$10.00, All of 5 acre Blk. No. 19 of the G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Addition to Santa Anna.

J. Y. Brannan et ux to N. C. Walter, consideration \$10.00, Blks. Nos. 25 & 26 and the South 1/2 acre of Block 31 and South 1/2 acre of Block 32 and the North 1/2 acre of Block 32, of King and Gilbough Addition to Santa Anna.

W. F. Martin et ux to G. S. Taylor, consideration \$10.00 and other considerations, 162.6 acres out of the Joseph S. Loving Sur. 249.

Mrs. Mattie Dalton to G. S. Taylor, consideration \$10.00 and other considerations, 250 acres out of the G. H. & H. Ry. Co. Sec. No. 156 and 162.5 acres out of the Joseph S. Loving Sur. No. 249.

J. P. McCord et ux to D. H. Wigner, consideration \$177.25, 70.9 acres out of the Wm. H. King Sur. No. 737.

M. E. Abernathy et ux to D. H. Wigner, consideration \$10.00 and other considerations, 119 acres out of the W. H. King Sur. No. 737.

Jas. H. Greenway et ux to J. W. Quinn Sr. et al., consideration \$500.00, 100 acres out of the D. A. Mirdock Sur. No. 738.

Verdon Bragg to H. P. Dunn, consideration \$10.00, 84 acres out of the B. P. Adams Sur. No. 321.

Zipporah Bragg to H. P. Dunn, consideration \$10.00, 30 acres out of the B. P. Adams Sur. No. 321.

Mrs. M. J. DePrang to A. M. King, consideration \$10.00, 374 acres of the South side of Brooks and Burleson Sur. No. 9.

C. N. Davenport et ux to D. H. Wigner, consideration \$10.00, South 100 acres out of the W. H.

King Sur. No. 737 and D. A. Mirdock Sur. No. 738.

Oscar W. Gould et ux to D. H. Wigner, consideration \$10.00, North 60 acres out of the W. H. King Sur. No. 737 and A. Quigley Sur. 739.

Oscar W. Gould et ux to D. H. Wigner, consideration \$10.00, East 60 acres out of the W. H. King Sur. 737 and A. Quigley Sur. No. 739.

### ASSIGNMENT OF OIL AND GAS LEASES

R. A. Earle to Ralph J. Sunderhauf et ux, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations. An Overriding Royalty Int. in 160

acres out of the NW corner of the J. H. Gibson Sur. No. 3.

D. R. Hart et al. to Coastal Petroleum Co., consideration \$1.00 and other considerations, 150.62 acres out of the Jno. W. Rhine Sur. 629 and S. B. Mixon Sur. 628.

J. W. Quinn Sr. to A. N. Thomson, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations, West 50 acres out of the Bradford Fowler Sur. No. 495.

V. A. Blevins to J. H. Dunn et al., consideration \$1.00 and other considerations. An undivided int. in 6 acres out of the NE 1/4 of said Sec. No. 62, H. T. & B. R. R. Co. Sur.

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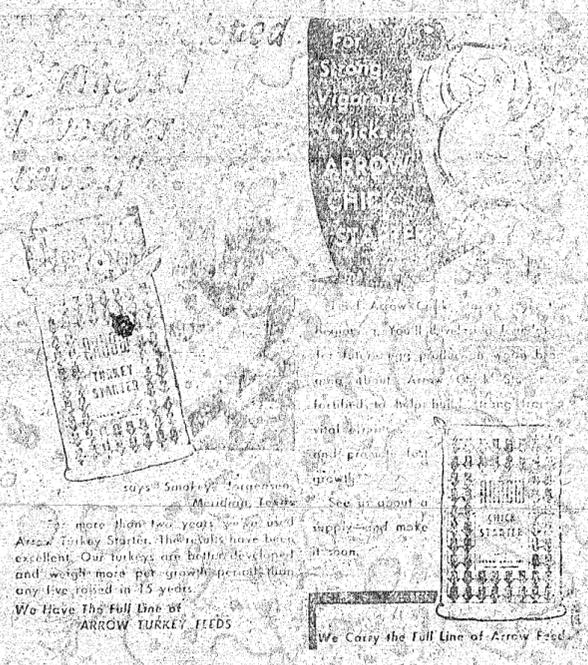
## Notice Dog Owners

All Dogs Not Registered By May 1st, 1950 Will Be Disposed Of.

Have Your Dog Vaccinated For Rabies, Bring The Certificate Of Vaccination To The City Hall And Get Your Dog Tag.

**CITY COMMISSION**  
Jettie Kirkpatrick  
City Secretary

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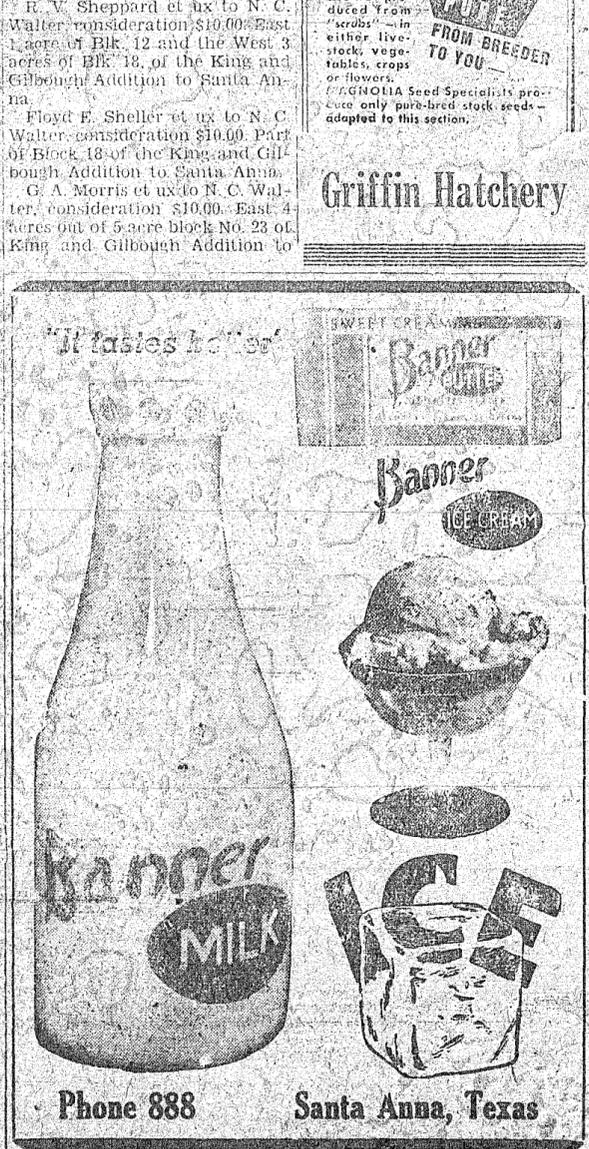
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2.50	130.00	668.97	1,440.84	1,725.00
3.75	195.00	1,004.20	2,163.45	2,600.00
7.50	390.00	2,009.02	4,329.02	5,200.00
12.50	650.00	3,348.95	7,217.20	8,650.00
15.00	780.00	4,018.67	8,660.42	10,400.00
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Shield News

(Mrs. J. B. Weathers)

The Community social was attended by a nice crowd on Friday night. The next regular meeting will be on the third Friday night in April. Everyone is invited.

Wenton Eppler has been in the hospital at Brownwood, having his tonsils removed.

Mr. and Mrs. Raeford Evans, along with Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Barton of Santa Anna, went for an outing on Home Creek Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Weathers along with Mr. and Mrs. John X. Steward and family of Rockwood, spent the week end at Inks Lake, fishing and sight-seeing. They visited the Longhorn Carvings and Buchanan Dam on Sunday.

The Leonard Watson and Martin West families spent the week end on the river.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe McClain and Mr. and Mrs. Norman McCloskey of San Angelo, visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Lowe and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Williams.

Mr. Booker Watson had two sisters to visit with he and Mrs.

Watson over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Tommie of Fort Worth, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Tommie over the week end. Mr. Tommie returned from McCloskey Hospital at Temple on Saturday.

Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Sampler of Matador, spent several days last week with their brother, Mr. H. C. Murrell.

Several from here attended the revival meeting at the Church of Christ at Rockwood last week.

Mrs. L. E. Page is visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Weathers, this week.

Since there has been no rain, there will not be a cemetery working on April 7th, as planned. Watch your paper for a future date, after the weeds begin to grow.

Mr. and Mrs. Jue Lindley and daughter of Colorado, Texas, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Williams, last week.

Otis Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Newton and son went to Houston on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Winder, who have been visiting here for the past week, returned with them to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams and children of Hale Center, were visiting relatives here the first of the week.

The terrace is an age old device to combat soil erosion.

To pass an idea on is to multiply its power.

NOTICE!

Again we must ask your cooperation in turning in your news items as early as possible. We suggest that you bring copy on parties, club meetings, etc., to the News office the same day they are scheduled, in order for us to have a better opportunity of getting them in the paper that week.

We are still having to work short-handed, and if all articles of interest to the public are not brought in before Wednesday, we are forced to have to leave some of them out, because we cannot get them prepared to go in the paper in such short time. We will certainly appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

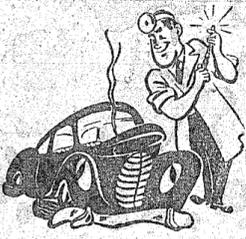
The Editor

Santa Anna Class Invited to Program At Hardin-Simmons

Abilene, Texas.—Students of the Santa Anna high school are among more than 4,000 students of Texas who have been invited to the 27th annual senior day program to be held April 29 on the Hardin-Simmons university campus. Schools within a radius of 200 miles of Abilene are expected to send their seniors for the day of entertainment and

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Is Your Auto All Tired Out?



If your car is in a run-down condition after a long winter's driving — Bring it here to have a good thorough check-up.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

"Curfew Shall Not Ring Tonight"

Our ten o'clock curfew lasted for 50 years, but the town council voted it out. I dropped in at the meeting in Town Hall last week just in time to hear Smiley Roberts.

"The curfew is old-fashioned," says Smiley. "We ought to be grown-up enough by now to behave like grownups. Seeing to it that our kids get to bed is the responsibility of each family." Then Judge Cunningham adds, "Most of us are in bed when the curfew horn blows anyway. It wakes me up just when I'm getting to sleep!"

What the Judge said was good

for a laugh, but Smiley just about summed up how folks think in this town. We believe that the democratic tradition of "live and let live" is the only way to live.

From where I sit, it's not the American way to regulate your life by a horn—any more than it's right to criticize my caring for a temperate glass of beer now and then. Think what you wish, say what you wish, but don't ask your neighbor to do exactly as you do!

Joe Marsh

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Hundreds Tell Bob Wills Of Hadacol's Numerous Blessings

Hundreds of folks, who are benefiting every day from taking HADACOL meet at the Trianon Building in Oklahoma City where Bob Wills, famous band leader, and his Texas Playboys broadcast each noon for HADACOL.

"It looks like all my fans are getting wonderful benefits from HADACOL," said Wills. "It is a real pleasure to broadcast for HADACOL because the folks taking HADACOL are so enthusiastic that I feel like I am performing a real service for mankind."

Hundreds have told Wills of the blessed benefits of HADACOL and the following statement by Miss Betty Lou Lobb, 720 College St., Bethany, a well known singer, is a good example. "I was tired, run down and lost my appetite. I suffered with gastric disturbances. I had tried almost everything but it didn't seem to help me. I had heard about the wonderful results HADACOL had been bringing to so many of my friends. Soon after taking HADACOL I was feeling much better, had no gastric disturbances and had a wonderful appetite. I am no longer nervous. I am sure that HADACOL has helped me a great deal and I recommend it to my friends."

Miss Lobb suffered with a deficiency of B Vitamins and important Minerals which HADACOL contains.

A lack of only a small amount of the B Vitamins and certain Minerals will cause digestive disturbances. . . . Your food will not agree with you. . . . You will have an upset stomach. . . . You will suffer from heartburns, gas pains, and your food will sour on your stomach, and you will not be able to eat the things you like for fear of being in misery afterwards. Many people also suffer from constipation. And while these symptoms may be the results of other causes, they are surely and certainly the symptoms and signs of the lack of the

Bob Wills Hears About HADACOL'S Blessings



Bob Wills, famous western music band leader, loves to talk with his fans at the Trianon Building auditorium in Oklahoma City about the blessings of HADACOL. In the picture above Miss Betty Lou Lobb, 720 College St., Bethany Okla., a very promising young singer, tells Bob how HADACOL has helped her. Hundreds of folks who are obtaining rich blessings from the precious B Vitamins and Minerals in HADACOL visit Wills each week for his network broadcast, which is originated from KBYE, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma's western music station, and sent over a leased wire to stations, KRMG, Tulsa; KWNN, Fort Smith; KGLO, Miami, Oklahoma; KLYN, Amarillo, and KWFT, Wichita Falls.

B Vitamins and Minerals which HADACOL contains. And if you suffer from such a disorder, there is no known cure except the administration of the Vitamins and the Minerals which your system lacks.

HADACOL contains not only one, but 5 of the B Vitamins. HADACOL contains not only one, but 4 of the necessary Minerals. It comes to you in liquid form, easily assimilated in the blood stream so that it can go to work right away.

It is easy to understand, therefore, why countless thousands have already been benefited by

this amazing tonic, HADACOL. So, it matters not who you are . . . it matters not where you live . . . or if you have tried all the medicines under the sun, give this wonderful preparation a trial. Don't go on suffering. Don't continue to lead a miserable life. Many persons who have suffered and waited for 10 to 20 years or even longer, are able now to live happy, comfortable lives again because HADACOL supplied the Vitamins and Minerals which their systems needed. Be fair to yourself. Give HADACOL a trial. Demand the genuine HADACOL. Accept no substitutes.

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education. "Senior Day has been held on the campus for a number of years in order to acquaint graduating high school students with life on a college campus. Prof. W. C. Ribble, faculty chairman of the program, said, "All equipment and recreational facilities of the University will be open for their inspection."

Visitors will be conducted on tours through the various departments and schools of the University and will be given the opportunity to view exhibits prepared by the campus organizations and units. Dormitories will also be open to visitors during the day.

Dr. Otto O. Watts, head of the science department, has announced that his department will display some of its work that has won acclaim in recent years. The heads of other departments will be on hand to meet the visitors. There will be free copies of The Brand, student newspaper, available.

The formal program will include a welcome by President Rupert N. Richardson, music by the Cowgirl and Cowboy bands, a short drama by the University Players Club, and the barbecue.

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**Political Announcements**

The Santa Anna News is pleased to announce the following political appointments for the year 1950:

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FOR DISTRICT CLERK  
COLEMAN COUNTY  
E. H. ...

FOR COUNTY SHERIFF  
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H. ...

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FOR COUNTY CLERK  
G. ...

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E. ...

FOR COUNTY TREASURER  
W. ...

FOR COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR  
Bennett Johnson  
Al ...

FOR COMMISSIONER  
PRECINCT 2, COLEMAN CO  
Earl Hardy  
Carl B. Ashmore  
Cliff Meador

Brownwood Sunday and had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bradley. In the afternoon they visited his sister, Mrs. Joe Stauder and family.

The 4-Her's club will have a party at the home of Mrs. Oscar ...

Sam Craig of Falls ...

Misses Lea Mitchell, Mary Catherine Fellers and Lucille Wells made a trip by bus last Friday to Gorman to spend the week end with Eddie Edmondson. They reported they had a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bontles and Mr. and Mrs. Will Hayes attended the Farm Park ...

Mr. and Mrs. ...



No Fleas, Please!

of the death of an uncle, Mr. George Patterson in Houston, last week. Mr. Patterson died suddenly of heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Smith of Santa Anna spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Riley McFarlin and daughter, Billie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob ...

Mr. and Mrs. ...

Rutherford, Mrs. Zack Bible is in Brownwood, with a sister, Mrs. Edna Smith. Since leaving here she has visited a sister, Mrs. Dick Black of near Austin, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. James Eubank and baby of Santa Anna visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Benge, Sunday night. The Eubanks are driving a new Ford.

**Cub Scouts Den 1 Has Wiener Roast**

Den No. 1 of the Santa Anna Cub Scouts, with their den mother, Mrs. Paul Pembroke, were entertained with a marshmallow and wiener roast at the Ranger Park, Tuesday afternoon.

The boys ate roasted wieners and pop, then lipped to the top of the mountain and back to eat cookies and marshmallows.

They were entertained by Mrs. C. D. Bruce with an interesting story of early American settlers' life during Indian days.

Those present were John Dean Cox, Bobby Densman, Joe Riley, Lowell Pembroke, Maxie Price, Kenneth Haynes, Kenneth Harris, Sherman Cleary, Billy Wayne Lowry and Misses Jim Riley, Paul Pembroke, J. C. Price, Clyde Haynes, C. D. Bruce and G. K. Stearns.

Next week the boys will clear a vacant lot for base ball practice.

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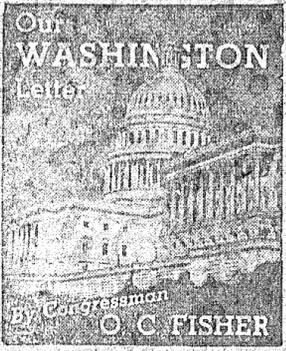
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Cotton and peanut farmers will soon know what they can plant this year as a result of House and Senate approval of a compromise acreage bill sent to the President last week.

As passed, the measure will assure the individual farmer that his cotton allotment cannot be cut below at least 65% of the average he planted in cotton and war crops during 1946, 1947 and 1948, or to not less than 45% of his highest acreage in such crops in any one of those three years.

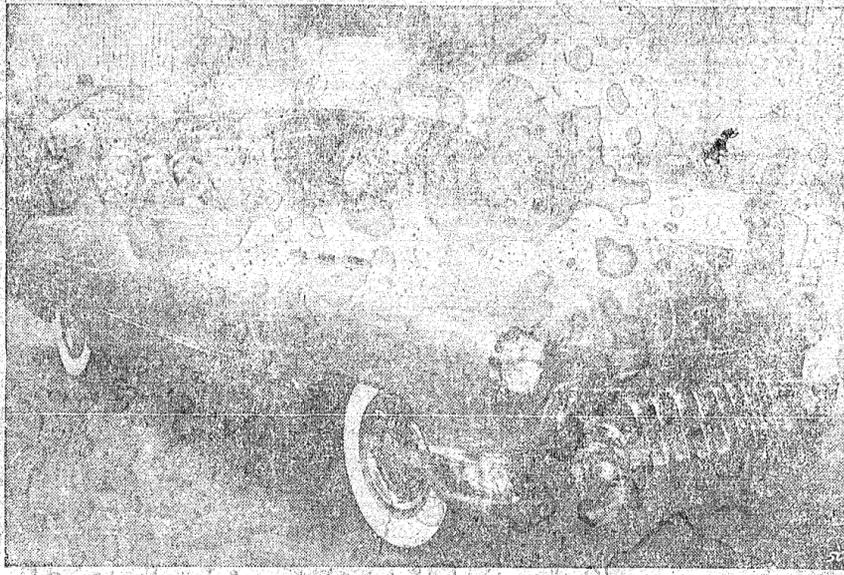
Texas was discriminated against in the peanut allotments for 1949, so we were able to get that corrected and provide for around 100,000 additional acres for peanuts this year, of which Texas will get about one-half.

The potato program was dealt with, restrictions being imposed and provision made that in 1951 any support for potato growers will apply only if marketing quotas are invoked.

While the cotton acreage relief will not remove all the injustices, it will help our district by allowing about 40,000 additional acres for cotton this year over the allotments announced in December.

The new amendment, if it becomes law, will not materially increase cotton production over the nation this year. During the bumper year 1949 a total of 27 million acres were planted, in

Five Beauties At Chicago's Automobile Show



CHICAGO, ILLINOIS — Four beauty queens and a car being shown publicly for the first time — Buick's Riviera in the Super Series — were outstanding hits at Chicago's huge automobile show.

The four smiling beauty queens posed in the Riviera to illustrate one of its principle features — the broad sweep of vision equivalent to that of a convertible. The car, however, has an all-steel top. Other features which interested visitors were the wrap-around rear window, the built-in bumper front end, one-piece windshield, the sloping fender lines, and the car's new P-263 engine.

Under the new law the total will be cut to about 21 million. Next year it will probably be necessary to cut the acreage down to 17 or 18 million acres in order to curb the carry-over and keep the program on a sound basis.

POLL TAXES DROP — Poll tax payments in our district took a drop in most of the counties compared with receipts issued two years ago. Of the 23 counties we have reports from fifteen of them show lower poll payments than two years ago, while only eight showed an increase.

The House rose up last week and repulsed two non-essential money bills which would have cost the taxpayers hundreds of millions of dollars. One to slash out \$37,000,000 to help local com-

munities finance a rural library service was defeated by only 3 votes. The other, to provide \$80 million annually, \$400,000,000 estimated eventually, to subsidize mining operations, was voted down by a margin of 20 votes. My vote helped to defeat both of these.

It seems to me that library service is purely local in character and should be financed by local communities and the various States, most of which are in better financial condition than is the Federal government. If Uncle Sam is to help on these things, he must borrow the money because he is now operating deep in the red.

TEXAS CONGRESSMEN HAVE BEEN getting a certain amount of good natured ribbing in the cloak rooms about why nearly all of us voted against Statehood for Alaska recently. Some facetiously claim we did it because if Alaska is admitted Texas would no longer be the biggest State in the Union!

Among recent visitors to our office have been: Corp. Donald E. Nichols of Brady, Miss Polly Norton of Llano, E. L. Wildman of Kerrville, C. R. Braze of Menard, A. E. Wells of Sonda, R. K. Green of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stein of Fredericksburg, Jack Hight and Walter Fraker of San Angelo.

The Comptroller got no comfort from a bill the House passed last week which will help protect our national security against theft and misuse of vital security information. It would fit cases like Alger Hiss, who was tried for perjury, not for the theft and misuse of government documents. Only two votes were recorded

against the bill — Marcantonio and Powell of New York.

Rockwood News

By Mrs. John C. Hunter

The Rev. C. K. Corley of Brownwood, filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church at the Sunday service. He and his family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davis and family.

Revival services at the Church of Christ concluded Sunday with Bro. Hayhurst delivering the message. Lunch was served at the church at the noon hour with a number of visitors from out of town.

Mrs. S. H. Gregory, who has been at the bedside of her brother-in-law, Malcolm Barklow, of Fort Worth, for the past three weeks, was visiting with her sister, Mrs. Marcus Johnson, over the week end before returning to her home in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Mrs. Gregory was driving a new Plymouth convertible.

Mrs. Bailey Hull was in Gouldsburg Friday, where she presented a demonstration on glove making.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward are driving a new Chevrolet pick-up. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Balmori of San Angelo, were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mannes of Brownwood, visited relatives Sunday.

Curtis Bostick of San Antonio, and Miss Eunice Bostick of Lampasas were week end guests in the Jack Bostick home.

The W.M.U. met at the Baptist Church Monday afternoon in Bible study.

Sunday guests of Mrs. J. W. Box were Mr. and Mrs. George Maxwell and children and Mrs. D. W. Wise of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutherford and Leroy and Mrs. Gerlie Wise. Mrs. Box accompanied Mrs. D. W. Wise to San Angelo for a visit.

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Mrs. Ray Burson and boys of Bryan Brock and Mrs. and Mr. Killen, and Mrs. L. G. Tucker, for McAnally, of Brady, Tex., visited Sunday with Porters. Mrs. and Mr. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davis, Lee and Brink, Monday and Don. Mr. and Mrs. Egan visited Mrs. Mary's home in San Antonio last week. Mrs. Egan visited with their daughter, Mrs. Egan, of Brownwood, and Bobbie Wise. Enjoying a day in the country, Mrs. Egan and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Brown, and Mrs. S. H. Gregory, were in the city. Mrs. Egan and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Egan, visited Mrs. Egan's home in San Antonio last week. Mrs. Egan and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Egan, visited Mrs. Egan's home in San Antonio last week. Mrs. Egan and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Egan, visited Mrs. Egan's home in San Antonio last week.

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**Courthouse News**

(Continued from Page Two)

J. W. Paulson et ux to Western Petroleum Co., consideration \$1,000. S 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co. Sec No. 2 containing 73.75 acres.

Hunter Woodruff to Westates Petroleum Corp., consideration \$1.00 and other considerations. South 100 acres out of the W. H.

Bynum Sur. No. 272.

Hunter Woodruff to Westates Petroleum Corp., consideration \$1.00. W 1/2 of Farm Block No. 120 of the Wade H. Bynum Sur. No. 272.

Hunter Woodruff to Westates Petroleum Corp., consideration \$1.00. 78.05 acres out of Blk. No. 121 of the Wade H. Bynum Sur. No. 272.

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Petroleum Corp., consideration \$1.00. 245.6 acres out of Block No. 121 of the Wade H. Bynum Sur. 272.

Hunter Woodruff to Westates Petroleum Corp., consideration \$1.00. S 1/2 of Blks. Nos. 111 and

119 of the W. H. Bynum Sur. 272.

Hunter Woodruff to Westates Petroleum Corp., consideration \$1.00. 142.9 acres out of the W. H. Bynum Sur. 272.

Hunter Woodruff to Westates Petroleum Corp., consideration \$1.00. 123 acres out of the Wade H. Bynum Sur. No. 272.

Hunter Woodruff to Westates Petroleum Corp., consideration \$1.00. 102 acres out of the Wade H. Bynum Sur. 272.

Hunter Woodruff to Westates Petroleum Corp., consideration \$1.00. 200.3 acres out of the Wade H. Bynum Sur. No. 272 and being the N 1/2 of Blks. Nos. 111 and 119.

J. C. Coleman to Lee Durrell, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations. An undivided 1/4 Int. in the East 100 acres of the

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Wm. Mason Sur. 163.

S. E. Snow to Lee Durrell, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations. An undivided 1/4 Int. in the East 100 acres of the Wm. Mason Sur. 163.

J. H. Elder to Lee Durrell, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations. An undivided 1/4 Int. in the East 100 acres of the Wm. Mason Sur. 163.

H. P. Dunn, Trustee to Horace E. White, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations. An undivided 1/4 Int. in 172 acres and being the SW 1/4 of H. T. & B. Ry. Co. Sec. No. 6.

Charles W. Scott et ux to Leslie Paris, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations. An undivided 1/4 Int. in 25.6 acres out of G. H. Allen Sur. No. 151 and 50 acres out of Dunlavy Sur. No. 259 and 30.3 acres out of J. Fazel Sur. No. 83.

Chas. W. Scott et ux to Leslie Paris, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations. An undivided 1/4 Int. in 25.6 acres out of the G. H. Allen Sur. No. 151 and 30 acres out of Dunlavy Sur. No. 259 and 30.3 acres out of the J. Fazel Sur. No. 83.

P. H. Gray et al to Paul D. Bieber, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations. An undivided 1/4 Int. in the N 1/2 of the SW Part of the A. H. Cleveland Sur. No. 495.

J. A. English to Edward C. English Jr., consideration \$1.00 and other considerations. 25.6 acres of 1/4 Int. in 320 acres out of the J. J. Luckenbach Sur. No. 258.

Mrs. Bryan and Mrs. Williams Hosts W.S.C.S. At Rockwood

The W.S.C.S. met at the Rockwood Methodist Church Monday afternoon in a social hour with Mrs. Tom Bryan and Mrs. W. G. Williams hostesses.

Opening hymn "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" with Mrs. Fred Shuford at the piano. Mrs. Bryan gave a scripture reading and Mrs. J. C. Ferguson officiated in prayer.

Mrs. Bryan directed the creation during which pills were exchanged.

The Easter motif was carried out in the refreshments which were served to Misses Fred Shuford, J. O. Baugh, J. E. Ferguson, Miss Mamee, H. E. Dutton, Mrs. Williams and Carolyn, Bob, John, J. C. Thaler and Mrs. J. C. Ferguson. Mrs. Bryan and Mrs. Williams were the main attractions.

Walton - Easley Vows Exchanged

Miss Reta Jane Walton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Walton, was married to Mr. Beale Easley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Easley, in a double ring ceremony at 8:00 p. m. Thursday, March 23, at the Liberty Baptist Church, Rev. Charles Conroy officiating.

O. W. Pierson  
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Coleman, Texas

of the church, officiated. The couple entered the church together and their only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cutley.

The bride chose for her wedding dress a white tulle with white and navy accessories. The bride lived near Bannock and the groom is from Killeen where the couple will make their home.

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present when the District M.Y.F. met with us, at which time our youth furnished the program and refreshments.

Our March meeting of the Guild was held at the parsonage with Mrs. Blue leading an interesting program on Japan. Refreshments consisted of punch, toasted pecans, and individual upside-down cakes topped with whipped cream. Favors were miniature blue bonnets.

A splendid attendance was noted Monday afternoon when the W.S.C.S. met with Mrs. Ethelredge. Mrs. Payne was leader of the program, the devotional talk followed by interesting talks on our schools and homes by Miss Blue and Mrs. Hardy Blue. In the thirty-three schools supported by the Woman's Division, six thousand boys and girls are receiving Christian training. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Gosson presided during a brief business session. Coffee and pecan pie topped with whipped cream were enjoyed.

Monday through Friday of next week early morning services for men are to be held in the church basement, preceded by breakfast prepared and served by men. Evening services are to be held at 7:30, at which time chalk talks for the children are to be given. All are invited to these meetings.

## State Job Openings Announced

Competitive examinations for positions with the Texas Employment Commission and the State Department of Public Welfare will be given on May 6 by the Merit System Council. Chas. S. Gardiner, director, announced in a statement released March 25.

Stenographers are needed in every part of the state, Gardiner declared. Clerk-Typists, Field Workers, Interviewers, and Clerks are needed primarily in the smaller cities and towns throughout the state.

Key Punch Operators and Tabulating Machine Operators are needed to work in Austin.

Qualifications for these positions vary from high school graduation to college graduation. Appropriate experience may be substituted for education in many cases. The positions of Key Punch Operator and Tabulating Machine Operator require training in the use of these machines.

Gardiner stated that these examinations present to people an opportunity for employment with the state under the most favorable conditions. Work under the merit rule, he pointed out, leads to permanent employment, with good salary, promotional possibilities, liberal vacation and sick leave, and retirement benefits.

Gardiner said that official application blanks can be obtained from the local office of the Texas Employment Commission or the State Department of Public Welfare, or by writing the Merit System Council, 1000 San Antonio Street, Austin, Texas. Applications must be postmarked before midnight, April 15.

Your interest in things depends largely on your interpretation.

## Home Economist Organizes Garden Committee In Co.

Mrs. Maude Hooten, FHA Home Economist, visited Coleman Co. on March 9, for the purpose of organizing a Garden Committee. The committee members are: Mrs. George Cobb, Mrs. Marcus Johnson, Mrs. Paul Smith, Mrs. Louis Dodson and Mrs. Leonard Williams.

Planting schedule records will follow approved practices for gardening, including 600 row feet per family member, soil fertility and insect control.

Planting schedule records will be kept and, it is planned that information obtained by this committee from actual practices will be made available at future club meetings and Annual Farm Ownership meeting.

It is planned that a visit will be made to gardens of each member and discussion of practices, methods of record keeping and use of insecticides will be held and information furnished to non-members of the committee.

## Pre-historic Remains Of Elephant Studied

Denton, Texas. Remains of a pre-historic elephant, believed buried by a glacier 20,000 years ago, are being uncovered by North Texas State College geographers near Denton.

Students working under direction of Dr. Walter Hansen of the geography department have already uncovered a five-foot tusk and a large pelvic bone.

The bones were first discovered by workmen digging in a gravel pit southwest of Denton.

## Social Security Benefits Do Not Increase With Tax

Many inquiries have been received from beneficiaries wanting to know if the 50% increase in social security taxes automatically increases their benefit, according to Ralph T. Fisher, manager of the local Social Security Administration office. "The increase in these taxes effective January 1, 1950, has no bearing on the present benefit payments," he says.

"Only an Act of Congress can raise the benefit schedule," Fisher stated. "A bill which passed the House of Representatives last year and is now pending before the Senate proposes many changes. If and when Congress completes any action raising benefit rates according to the present wording of the bill, those now receiving monthly payments would receive increases automatically."

## Queen Theatre

Friday and Saturday

MARCH 31 - APRIL 1

WILLIAM BOYD

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"Fools Gold"

Sunday & Monday

APRIL 2 AND 3

Shelley Winters - Helena Carter MacDonald Carey

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"South Sea Sinner"

Tues., Wed. & Thurs.

APRIL 4, 5, AND 6

DANNY KAYE

-IN-

"Inspector General"

locally. It probably would not even be necessary to call at our office. Fisher pointed out further that what the thirty-five million workers covered by the system and almost three million beneficiaries want to know is how much monthly benefits will be raised. Under the Bill passed by the House of Representatives, retired workers would receive benefits averaging more than 50% above the present scale.

Another change proposed is to

permit an individual receiving benefits to earn as much as \$50 in wages a month without losing his benefit for that month. At present he is permitted to earn up to \$14.99 a month.

The original Social Security Law provided for taxes on wages to be raised every three years until a maximum of 3% each for the employer and employee was reached, but this was deferred by Congress each year until 1950. The present tax increase is de-

signed to help build a reserve sufficient to take care of the ever-growing number of persons over age 65 and the survivors of deceased workers. The rate is scheduled to go up again to 2% on January 1, 1952.

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NO. 1 RUSSETS  
**POTATOES, lb. .05½**

BRIGHT & EARLY  
**COFFEE, lb. vac. can .69**

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**DESSERT, 2 pkgs .25**

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**GUM, 3 pkgs. .10**

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**TEA ¼ lb. pkg. .29**  
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**Bob Garrett**

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**Local Methodist Church News**

At the regular meeting of the church, Sunday, March 26, the pastor, Rev. J. H. Talley, presented a report on the church's financial condition. The report showed a net gain of \$1,200 for the year. The pastor also reported on the church's participation in the state conference on the same day.

The church will hold a special service on Sunday, April 2, at 7:30 p.m., for the purpose of raising funds for the purchase of a new organ. The service will be held in the church basement and will be conducted by the pastor.

The church is also planning a series of Bible studies for the next few weeks. The studies will be held on Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. in the church basement. The pastor will be the instructor for the studies.