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Ward School Boys Win Top Honors At District Meet

The Santa Anna Ward School softball team won first place at the District meet, held at May last Saturday. The boys won their first game over Bangs by a score of 15-2. Their second game was one of the most thrilling of the day, when they beat Early High by a score of 6-5 in the semi-finals. In the final game of the day they run over Blanket by a score of 13-5.

The Ward School girls lost in the semi-finals to the Early High girls by a close score of 10-9 in another thrilling game. They beat the Bangs girls by a score of 24-23 in their opening game at the District meet. Early went on to take first place in the girls division.

Teams entered in the tournament were Santa Anna, Bangs, Early, Blanket, Brooksmith, Williams and Zephyr.

The boys team composed of Boyd French, Aubry Goodwin, Jay Steward, Jimmy Priest, Joey Bryan, Donald Truell, Dean Bass, Temple Fiveash and Roy Henderson.

The girls team was composed of Jo Ann Dunn, Kay Steward, Kathryn Williams, Billy Joyce, Patsy Bryan, Ann Tatum, Neva Jean Rehm, Margaret Mathews and Bobby Rehm.

Leland Thompson To Be Head Mechanic At Mathews Motors

Leland Thompson has this week accepted the position as head mechanic at the Mathews Motor Company. Leland has been connected with mechanical work in Santa Anna since his return from the military service about 5 years ago.

He invites you to see him for your automotive and tractor repairs.

Coleman To Have All Girl Rodeo Next Week

West Texas rodeo fans will see something new in rodeos when the Coleman Rodeo Association presents for their first time an All Girl Rodeo for three nights, May 25, 26, and 27. All the contestants in the rodeo events, the performers in the specialty acts and even the clowns will be girls who love livestock and rodeos. The girls Rodeo Association was organized in 1949 and have since that time, put on some sensational shows in various parts of this country. Nancy Binford of Wildorado, Texas, is President of the Girls Rodeo Association and will take part in the show, as well as most of the other members, who are well known in rodeo circles.

There will be four main events in this show, with purses of \$1,500.00 being offered. The events will be Bull Riding, Calf Roping, Clover Leaf Race and Bare Back Bronc Riding. Already entered as contestants in this rodeo are the champion girl riders of each event.

The shows will start at 8:00 o'clock each night and a parade will be held downtown each afternoon.

The ground has been prepared and work will begin within a few days for a new home for Mrs. A. R. Brown. The building will be erected just west of the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. O. Garrett, on ground purchased from them.

Ann Priddy was home from T S C W. Denton, for the week end, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Priddy and Martha.

Mr. and Mrs. Mace Blanton Jr. and son Mike, of Fort Worth, were week end visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mace Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Moredock and Joyce, spent the week end in College Station, visiting their son and brother, Kenneth, and attending the Home Coming and Mothers Day celebration at A. & M. College.

1950 Senior Class History

In September, 1939, a scared bunch of little boys and girls gathered around the door of the Ward School building and waited expectantly for the doors to open. For all of their little lives, these children and been waiting both fearfully and happily for this day. Some of those children who are seniors today and will graduate on May 23, are David Hunter, Duane Moredock, Shirley Matthews, Patsy Baucom and Richard Shield.

In September 1939 another group of scared but acting very nonchalant boys and girls were at the same school house door waiting for it to open. Because of crowded conditions they picked a few of the (smarter?) ones and put them in the high first—

out of that group the ones who are seniors today were, Margaret McCaughan, Julia Ann Bailey, Patricia Davis, Charlie Joe Harris, Don Woodruff, Helen Day, Martha Priddy, and Billy Joe Scott. Later these two classes were combined. During our second, third, and fourth grades nothing important happened. When we were in the fifth grade something did—two new students joined us. Joe Hal England came to us from Mukewater school—Pauline Little, our class secretary-to-be, came from Leadville, Colorado.

In the sixth grade we were joined by another boy, Albus Little from Leadville, Colorado.

In the seventh grade we were joined by Wanda Bilbrey from Brown Ranch, Alwyn Brandon from Merkel, Lea Mitchell from Trickham, Frieda Brooks from Roby and Craig Douglas who was destined to be our Senior Class President came to us from Plainview, Kathleen Hibbets from Cleveland and Eddie Edmondson from Trickham. About this time, we thought we were really important people.

In the fall of 1946, a group of larger but still scared boys and girls gathered at a school house door waiting for it to open. This time it was the High School door and we were FRESHMEN! Think of that! Here we were joined by James Milligan, Glenn and Billy Ray Weathers all from Shields, R. L. Mackey from Albany, Rene Steward from Rockwood, Lois Haynes from Trickham and Junior Crueger.

While we were Sophomores we were joined by Joe Sealy Price from Coleman. He was the last one to join our class which now numbers 31.

Now after 12 years. What? Next year some of us will be going to College, some will work at various jobs and a few (lucky?) ones will be getting married. In several years some of us may even be famous but come what may we will always remember the good old days in dear old Santa Anna High School.

Margaret McCaughan, Class of '50 Historian.

Hospital Notes—

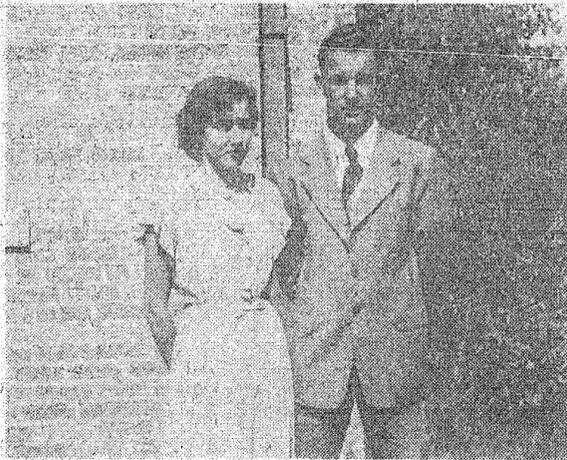
been admitted to the Sealy Hos-

The following patients have pital within the past week:
 Ruby Jean Aschenbeck, city.
 Mr. John Duncan, city.
 Mr. Sam Snedegar, Coleman.
 Mr. Odell Collins, Coleman.
 Mrs. C. T. Conley, city.
 Mr. A. E. Clevenger, Coleman.
 Mrs. Lee Smith, Bangs.
 Mrs. R. L. Hamiter, city.
 Jimmie Payne, city.
 Jim Gill, Whon.
 J. T. Williams, city.
 Deborah Gail Turner, Brady.
 Mrs. Alice Daniel, city.
 Mr. H. J. Reveille, city.
 Bobbie Lee Barnes, city.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Gray of San Angelo, were here awhile Saturday, en route to Brownwood.

Mrs. Johnnie Strawn and baby returned to their home in Fort Worth Monday, after a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Manley.

High School Honor Students



HONOR STUDENTS of the Santa Anna High School are Alwyn Brandon, left, of the Plainview Community with an average grade of 90.514 and James Milligan, right, of Rockwood Route 1, with an average grade of 92.42. These students will deliver the Salutatory and Valedictory addresses at the Santa Anna High School auditorium Tuesday night, May 23.

Baccalaureate Service

SUNDAY, MAY 21, 1950 — 8:00 P. M.
 HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

Processional	Rendezvous
Invocation	Miss Elsie Lee Harper
Hymn	Reverend W. F. Smith
Scripture Reading	"Holy, Holy, Holy"
	Congregation Standing
Sermon	Reverend Harry C. Wigger
	Margo
Announcements	High School Chorus
Benediction	Doctor Ben H. Moore
	Wilson
	Superintendent R. K. Green
	Reverend E. H. Wylie

Commencement Exercises

TUESDAY, MAY 23, 1950 — 8:00 P. M.
 HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

Processional	Rendezvous
Invocation	Miss Elsie Lee Harper
Salutatory Address	Reverend Frank Gilliam
"Souvenirs"	Alwyn Brandon
	Franz Drla
Valedictory Address	T. K. Martin
Introduction of Speaker	James Milligan
Address	Superintendent R. K. Green
	Doctor T. R. Havins
	Howard Payne College
	Lizette Woodworth Reese
	and Albert Hay Malotte
	Miss Sandra Shields
Presentation of Awards	Principal C. N. Perry
Presentation of Class	Superintendent R. K. Green
Presentation of Diplomas	Bruce Snodgrass
	President School Board
"Commencement Song"	Morison, Murry, Sawyer
	Senior Class
Benediction	Reverend M. L. Womack
Recessional (Audience seated)	Rendezvous
	Miss Elsie Lee Harper

Senior Class Trip

The Senior Class of the High School had a pleasant week-end trip. On Thursday night at 8:30 they left for Galveston and returned home at 9:30 Sunday night. They had a delightful time in the Oleander City.

They chartered a bus for the trip and were accompanied by 3 teachers and 2 mothers of Seniors: Coach Dow McBride, Cullen Perry, Mrs. Chas. Evans, Mrs. Elgean Shield and Mrs. Erin Day. On their return they stopped for a visit at the San Jacinto Monument, near Houston.

Miss Ina Bouchelle of Camp Hood, visited in Santa Anna, over the week end, with her sister, Mrs. Joe Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Banister of Marble Falls, were week end visitors with Mrs. A. E. Campbell, and his mother and sister, Mrs. J. R. Banister and Mrs. C. D. Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Griffith and daughter, Mrs. Bill Price, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Campbell and Donnie, spent Mothers Day with the Griffiths son, Durl Griffith and family in Fort Worth.

High School Baccalaureate Service Sun.; Commencement Exercises Tuesday Nite

Dr. Ben H. Moore, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church will deliver the Baccalaureate Address; Cullen N. Perry, principal, will present the awards; Sermon to the Senior Class Sunday evening, May 21, at the high school auditorium. All other church services in town will be dismissed in favor of the school. The program will start at 8:00 p. m.

Others who will take part in the service are: Rev. Harry C. Wigger, Scripture Reading; Rev. W. F. Smith, Invocation; Supt. R. K. Green, announcements; and Rev. E. H. Wylie will give the Benediction.

Dr. T. R. Havins, Dean of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, will be the principal speaker at the Commencement Exercises Tuesday evening, May 23. Rev. Frank Gilliam will deliver the Salutatory Address; Alwyn Brandon will deliver the Salutatory Address; Woodruff.

City Advertises For Bids On Construction Of Water Supply Line

The City Commissioners of Santa Anna are this week advertising for bids from contractors for the proposed water line, pump station and appurtenances from Lake Brownwood to the present location of the City Pump Station. The length of the water line will be approximately 46,200 feet.

All bids must be at the City Hall in Santa Anna not later than 2:00 p. m. Monday, June 5, at which time all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

All the easements have been acquired except one or two, but these will not delay the proceedings of getting the work started. It will take about a week from the time the bids are closed until the contract is awarded. Just how long it will take to complete the line will be determined by who ever is awarded the contract. Each bid is supposed to state the approximate time it will take to complete the project. Work is due to start within 10 days after the contract is awarded.

Our City Commissioners are getting the work completed as fast as possible in order that the water will be ready for the city to get to work when the contract is let. It is hoped that we will be using the water from Lake Brownwood within two months after the contract is let.

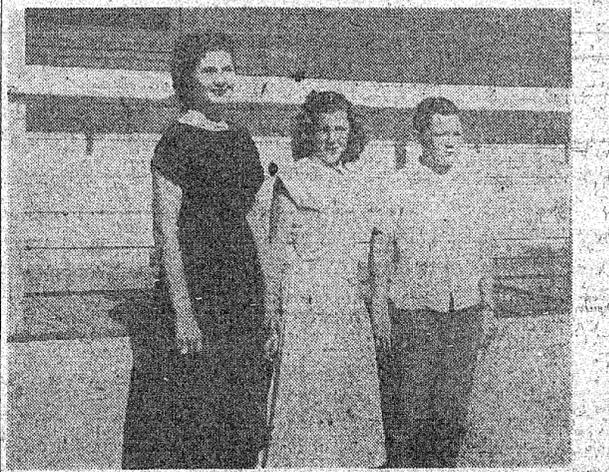
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Turner of San Angelo, spent Mothers Day with his mother, Mrs. Fred Turner and Gay.

Doretha Payne Casey was home for the week end from N T S C. Denton, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Casey.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lock and daughter, Mrs. Whatley and family, Mrs. Stephenson's other daughter, Mrs. J. D. Raegan and Lowe. Ronnie remained for a two weeks visit.

Mrs. Albert Stephenson visited Sunday in Brownwood with her daughter, Mrs. Whatley and family. Mrs. Stephenson's other daughter, Mrs. J. D. Raegan and Lowe. Ronnie remained for a two weeks visit.

Ward School Honor Students



HONOR STUDENTS of the Santa Ann Ward School are Kay Steward, left, with an average grade of 97.870; Neva Jean Rehm, center, with an average grade of 96.954; and Joey Bryan, right, with an average grade of 93.514. All three students come to the Santa Anna school from Rockwood. Kay will deliver the Valedictory address and Neva Jean will deliver the Salutatory address at the High School auditorium Monday night, May 22. Joey is the boy-honor student of the graduating class.

Arthur Talley Buys Sinclair Service Sta.

This week Arthur Talley announces the purchase of the Sinclair Service Station in the west part of town. Mr. Talley plans to operate the station, do washing, greasing and general automotive repairs. He states he will also handle a complete line of motor oils, and can furnish his customers with the motor oil they desire.

Mr. Talley is well known in Santa Anna and needs no introduction to the public. He has worked as a mechanic here for many years. He invites your patronage at his new business venture.

Flower Show To Be Held Saturday

Persons living in Santa Anna and surrounding communities, are reminded of the Mountain City Garden Club's Annual Flower Show.

The affair will be held on Saturday, May 20th in the Hays building, from 2 to 6 p. m., and the public is cordially invited. Recent rains should make flowers for the occasion quite plentiful.

Court House News

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Joseph Henry Nelson and Carrie Pauline Sawyer.

Celya Lillian Parker to Robert Skelton, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations. Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, and 9, out of Block No. 2 of the Subd. of Blk. 1 of the Town of Novice.

WARRANTY DEEDS

City of Santa Anna to George M. McDavid et ux, consideration \$10.00, Part of Lot No. 3 in Block No. 17 of the Orig. Town of Santa Anna.

Viola Pape May to B. W. Evans, et ux, consideration \$4,000.00, Part of Block No. 20 of

the Phillips Addition to Coleman. F. E. Fittrell et ux to M. L. Nichols, consideration \$625.00, Lot No. 1 in Block No. 14 of the Town of Novice.

Rolph Mathews to F. Z. Payne, consideration \$7,800.00, Lot No. 6 in Block No. 29, of the Original Town of Santa Anna.

Benjamin F. Robey Jr., et al to Minnie D. Robey, considerations \$10.00 and other considerations. An Undiv. 4 5ths Int. in S. 2 3rds of the W 1/2 of Block No. 12 and the N 1/2 of the W 1/2 of Block No. 12 of Clow's First Addition to Coleman.

Charlie M. Trapp et ux to Everett E. McKinney et ux, consideration \$6,000.00, W 1/2 of Lot No. 6 and the East 3 2 3 feet of Lot No. 5 in Block No. 24 of Paderford, Caswell and Higginson Subd. of Clow's Addition to Coleman.

C. H. Hall et ux to Geo. E. Wagley et ux, consideration \$10,000, Lot No. 4, in Block No. 3 of Henderson's Subd. No. 1 of Blk. No. 23 of Anderson's Addition to Coleman.

Sam H. Collier et al. Execs. to C. C. Holder et ux, consideration \$800.00, Part of Lot No. 3 in Blk. No. 52 of the Original Town of Santa Anna.

Mrs. Frieda Wahl to Ben W.

Yarborough et ux, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations. All of my Int. in 226-2/3 acres off the South side of H. E. & W. T. R. R. Co. Sur. No. 117.

Mrs. Hedwig Nord et al to Ben W. Yarborough et ux, consideration \$6,500.00, 226-2/3 acres off the South side of H. E. & W. T. R. R. Co. Sur. No. 117.

MINERAL DEEDS

E. L. Elliott to Nathan Berkman, consideration \$10.00, An Undiv. 1 36 Int. in 640 acres out of S. P. Ry. Co. Sur. No. 17; 93 acres out of B. F. Adams, Sur. No. 325; 169 acres out of Jno. R. Havens, Sur. 38; and 21 acres out of A. E. Wilkerson Sur. No. 17 1/2.

W. T. Gillaspay et ux to Blanche Gist McCarty et ux, consideration \$10.00. An Undiv. 4 3 acres Int. in 399.361 acres being the S 1/2 of E. L. & R. R. Co. Sec. No. 1.

C. I. Miller to Mabel Waller, consideration \$10.00, An Undiv. 1 8 Int. in E 1/2 of Block No. 2, Subd. of Coleman County Sch. Land Sur. No. 57 and containing 80 acres.

OIL AND GAS LEASES

City of Santa Anna to N. C. Walter, consideration \$10.00, Blk. No. 16, of the King & Gilbough Addition to Santa Anna.

B. G. Brown et ux to Wade Driver, consideration \$10.00, 2 acres out of Blk. No. 2, King & Gilbough Addition to Santa Anna.

O. H. Taylor et ux to Austin L. Lewis, consideration \$10.00, Blk. No. 10 of the King & Gilbough Addition to Santa Anna.

Santa Anna School Board to N. C. Waller, consideration \$10,000, Blocks Nos. 27 & 28, and the S 1/2 of Block No. 21 of the King & Gilbough Addition to Santa Anna.

W. P. McClatchey et ux to W. E. Burney, consideration \$10.00, 320 acres out of Bonds and Sanders Sur. No. 89.

L. C. Rumfield et al to W. B. Johnson Drilling Company et al, consideration \$10.00, Lots 11 & 12 of Block No. 17 of the Original Townsite of Novice, containing

4625 acres.

N. L. Lawrence et ux to Geo. A. Swink, consideration \$10.00, 75.8 acres out of the G. H. & H. R. R. Co. Sur. No. 153.

ASSIGNMENT OF OIL AND GAS LEASES

E. P. Wingfield to Blackwell Oil & Gas Co., consideration \$1.00 and other considerations, NW 1/4 of Sec. No. 32, T. & N. O. R. R. Co. Survey.

M. L. Brown to Mid-Continent Petroleum Corp., consideration (Continued on Page Eight)

FOR A NIGHT FULL OF THRILLS
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MAY 25th-26th-27th

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- BAREBACK BRONC RIDING
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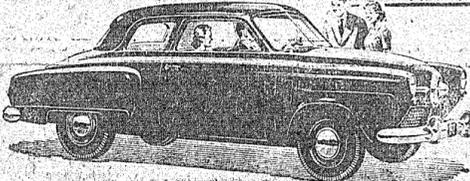
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Coleman County Farm Bureau News

The Coleman County Farm Bureau Directors met April 27 at the Recreation Bldg. at the Coleman Rodeo grounds. A covered dish supper was enjoyed by 15 directors and their families. Guests included Woodrow Allen, Asst. County Agent and Oscar Buck, an accountant.

Emzy Brown, President, presided over the meeting. During the meeting Mr. Buck discussed the rural Telephone cooperative law that passed congress last year, allowing farmers to establish companies for telephone service similar to the REA. The directors decided to do all they could to have the procedure for establishing a Rural Telephone Cooperative explained to the members, as soon as possible. A membership meeting will be called by Emzy Brown as soon as

a qualified speaker is secured, to explain the law and procedure on Rural Telephone; all directors expressed interest in getting telephones in the farm homes of the county. They think a telephone would be worth lots of money to the average farmer.

The Coleman County Fall Festival Sept. 28, 29 and 30th, was discussed by Herman Jenkins, Coleman County Agent, Clyde Tate and Raymond McElrath. The directors are in favor of the Farm Bureau doing all they can to make the Festival a success.

This column will be weekly and it is written by the directors of the Farm Bureau. The directors are elected by the membership of the county. There are 8 from each precinct, which makes a total of 32. This column will feature news of the county, State and National Farm Bureau. Each week we will introduce a director. All members should know their directors and use them to help Agriculture.

The director for the week of May 1-6 is A. V. Bullard of Burkett. Mr. Bullard is a stock farmer that is very interested in the Agriculture of the county. He raises wheat, maize, cotton, oats, chickens, turkeys and cattle. Mr. Bullard recently purchased a small herd of registered Polled Herefords. Besides a Farm Bureau Director of precinct 1, Mr. Bullard is a Breeder Feeder and is arrangement committee chairman of the County Livestock Show. Mr. Bullard is on the FMA committee of Coleman County. This is a very responsible position in that it sets the Agriculture practices for the County. Mr. Bullard is very active in his community and county. We are proud to have him as a director of our Coleman County Farm Bureau.

The American Farm Bureau is a National Farm Organization that looks after the farmers interest all over the nation. Every farmer or person making his living from agriculture should belong to the Farm Bureau, it offers the farmer many things.

First, Organized Farmers present a united and strong voice for agriculture.

Second, Farm Bureau guaran-

tees that farmers will protect themselves from cattish interests through guarantee of the American way of life.

Third, Farm Bureau is an organization of farmers who are interested in a balanced economy between agriculture, labor and industry.

Fourth, Farm Bureau seeks only a parity with labor and industry for the farmer and his business. It stands for fair and equitable methods of taxation at the local, state, and national levels.

Fifth, Farm Bureau supports a realistic and fair long range farm program.

Sixth, Farm Bureau speaks for farmers legislatively at local, state and national levels.

The Texas Farm Bureau membership showed an increase of over 5000 members last year. Coleman County membership increased also. Coleman County now has over 1000 members in the Farm Bureau.

At their last monthly meeting the directors voted to send at least 3 representatives to the Texas Farm Bureau Institute, to be held at College Station, July 31-Aug. 4. This school is very interesting and we will

hear more about it later.

Our Director of the week of May 8-13 is Dan Flippen of Coleman and from precinct 1. Mr. and Mrs. Flippen have recently moved into their new home that has just been completed, which is just across the road from the radio station KTSA and between the Baird and Abilene Highways. Mr. Flippen moved from Echo community where he owns a farm

and has practiced good sound farming. He has been growing cotton, oats, wheat and raised cattle and chickens. Mr. Flippen has belonged to the Coleman County Farm Bureau for a long time and has been a director for several years. He is also a director of the Co-op Gin and Elevator in Coleman which performs a valuable service to Coleman community where he owns a farm

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A BRIGHT FUTURE

GRADUATES OF 1950

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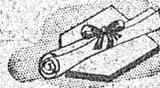
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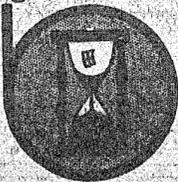


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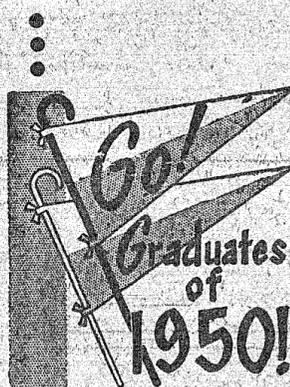
'50 GRADS

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Need For Qualified Nurses Is Great

AUSTIN.—The great need for qualified young women to enter the nursing profession will be emphasized this weekend when relations, civic, professional and military groups join in sponsoring American Student Nurses' Sabbath and Sunday, Council Oscar B. Abbott, Chief of the Texas Military District, announced here.

Among the organizations giving wholehearted support to the program are the Department of Defense, the Organized Reserve Corps, the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, the National Catholic Welfare

Conference, the Synagogue Council, and various medical associations throughout the country. The program is long range. Unless the nation has student nurses today, it will not have nurses tomorrow. Therefore, health-minded groups are backing the campaign to interest high school and college girls in nursing as a profession.

The Organized Reserve Corps is interested in the program, not only in connection with the national problem, but specifically as it affects its own ranks.

Colonel Oscar B. Abbott, Chief of the Texas Military District, has figures to prove the point. Authorized 2,533 Regular Army Nurses, the Army has only 953

And of the 29,000 Reservists authorized, there are only about 1,000, Colonel said. The civilian nursing picture, he added, is much the same.

In order to encourage young women to enter schools of nursing, the Texas Military District has offered the service of speakers to the nursing associations throughout the state of Texas.

Vacation Jobs For Youngsters Draw Note Of Caution

With the closing of school not far away, a lot of youngsters in this community already are looking forward to carrying home pay checks instead of report cards.

But, without wishing to discourage thrift or good work habits in any way, the U. S. Department of Labor has a word of caution about vacation jobs. And it is directed to prospective employers and parents as well as to the youngsters looking for jobs.

It's this: Injuries for minors under 18 are twice as high as for adult workers. Furthermore, every state and the Federal Government have enacted laws designed to protect the nation's young citizens.

Whichever statute, Federal or state, sets the higher standard governs the matter in any given state.

The best-known Federal law prohibits the employment of oppressive child labor in the production of goods for interstate commerce, and makes it illegal to employ transportation industries.

What do they mean by "oppressive child labor?" Simply the employment of boys and girls under the minimum ages set for various kinds of jobs.

For instance, under that Law (Fair Labor Standards Act) the minimum age for most jobs in interstate commerce itself or in the production of goods for commerce is 16. Children who are 14 or 15 may be employed in a few jobs, but only when certain rigid conditions are met. Children under 14 may not be employed in any work which is covered by the Law and not specifically exempt.

But wait a minute. There's a minimum age of 18 years, too.

That applies to the so-called hazardous jobs—jobs which the U. S. Secretary of Labor has found to be dangerous. There are seven classes of those which have been found unsafe for persons less than 18. They range from driving motor vehicles and helping on them to operating elevators and work in the operation of saw mills.

The child labor provisions of the Federal Law do not apply to the employment of children in agriculture outside of school hours for the school district where they are living while employed.

And, of course, there is an exemption for children under 16 employed in agriculture by their parents or their father's farm. But that exemption does not extend to jobs in mining or manufacturing or to other jobs which the Secretary of Labor has declared hazardous.

There is still another exemption for children who deliver newspapers to consumers. There is an exemption for youthful actors or performers in motion picture, theatrical, radio or television production.

Most employers know that under the minimum wage and overtime pay provisions of the Federal Law, minors as well as adults must be paid at least 75c an hour and time and a half their regular rates for overtime after 40 hours in any workweek, unless specifically exempted.

Any prospective employer can protect himself from unintentional violations of the child labor provisions of the Federal Law by obtaining and keeping on file an age or employer certificate for each minor employed, showing the child to be above the minimum age provided for the job he is doing.

Applications for such certificates in Texas should be directed to the local office of the Texas Employment Commission or to the Federal Issuing Officer, U. S. Department of Labor, Room 222, 1114 Commerce Street, Dallas.

Merit System Council Announces New Exam

AUSTIN.—Open competitive examinations for clerical, stenographic and secretarial positions, and a series of x-ray technicians and V. D. investigation positions, with the Texas State Department of Health are being announced this week by Mr. Russell E. Shrader, Supervisor of the Merit System Council.

Applications and information are available on request from Merit System Council, 805 Littlefield Building, Austin, Texas. Closing date for receiving applications is May 27, 1950.

Examinations will consist of a written test to count 50 per cent,

and a performance test for the kind of work to be done will count 50 per cent. Classifications for which examinations may be taken are Jr. Clerk, Clerk, Clerk-Typist, Clerk-Stenographer, Stenographer, Sr. Clerk, Secretary, Sr. Secretary, V. D. Investigators, and X-ray Technicians.

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Payne's Variety

Trickham News

(By Lea Mitchell and Mary Catherine Fellers)

No church Sunday morning. Brother Weathers preached Sunday night.

Miss Peggy Ford participated in the piano recital, presented by Mrs. Early of Bangs last Tuesday evening.

Misses Lois Haynes, Lea Mitchell, Winona Bradley and Nancy Joe Haynes attended the PHA

tea given at the school in Santa Anna Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laughlin and son from California have arrived.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. James were Brownwood shoppers last Saturday afternoon.

Misses Peggy Ford and Betty Mitchell spent the week end with Eva Nell Hibbits of the Cleveland community Sunday.

The Trickham Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Oscar Boenicke last Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes and boys spent last week end with relatives of Cherokee.

Grey Laughlin left Sunday to spend a week with James Grey Laughlin of McCamey.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson and Bud Laughlin Sunday were Mrs. Laughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laughlin and son, and James Grey and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin McIver visited his aunt, Mrs. Shields, last Friday night.

Miss Pearl Ford of Brownwood visited her sister, Mrs. C. F. Shields last week.

Mrs. Lizzie Watson Bates of Coleman attended Sunday school here Sunday, and also went to the cemetery. She is moving to Houston this week.

Latest news from Brother Baucum was that he had suffered a heart attack and was back in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernice McIver visited with Mrs. Shields last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcom Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bledsoe of Mt. View attended church here Sunday night.

Misses Lea Mitchell, Lois Haynes, Kathleen Hibbits and Eddie Edmondson reported a big time while away over the week end on the Senior trip to Galveston and other points in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haynes visited Saturday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Mollie Shields.

Mrs. Bill Vaughn honored her mother and also Bill's mother, Mrs. Dockery and Mrs. Lee Vaughn, with a Mother's Day dinner Sunday.

Mrs. Beula Kingston was surprised Monday when the school invited her out to lunch, to find it was a birthday dinner. After singing "Happy Birthday to You" we sat down to a very delicious

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HAM PRESSED Pound 49c	ICE CREAM MIX Junket, 3 flavors, chocolate, vanilla, strawberry, Pkg. 10c	TIDE Large Box 25c
CHEESE Pimento, Armour's Brick, sliced, lb. 49c	SALMON Our Value, extra quality cooking Salmon Tall Can 35c	DREFT Large Box 25c
TOMATOES Fresh, pink, vine ripened, lb. 12 1/2c	PEACHES Hunts, Packed in heavy syrup Sliced or halves Tall Can 15c	SPIC and SPAN 23c
POTATOES Calif., long whites Pound 5c	JUICE Orange, Floridaoid, Sweetened, It's delicious 6 oz. can 9c	CAMAY Reg Bar 9c
LIMES Mexico, Large Size Dozen 15c	KRAUT R&W, Solid pack Full No. 2 Can 14c	CRISCO 3 lbs. can 79c
CARROTS South Texas Large Bunch 5c	RAISINS Calif., Seedless, Economical Wholesome 2 Pound Package 34c	
ORANGES Florida, Full of Juice, Pound 10c	PEACHES Evaporated, Calif. Choice Yellow Halves, Pound Pkg. 29c	
TEA Liptons 1/2 Pound Package 29c	ANT KILLER Cynogas, follow directions on can and kill the red ants, each 29c	
BEANS Calif., large Limas 2 lb. cello bag 35c		
FLY SWATTERS Long wire handles 2 For 19c		

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dinner, prepared by Miss Catherine Fellers and say boys. If you are looking for a cook, better not let her pass her up.

Mrs. Mary Jo Spencer and baby Pat, spent the night with her grandmother, Mrs. Shields. Mary Jo was in her way to Snyder to see another grandmother.

Mrs. Zona Stacy was happy to have the following visit her Sunday: Mrs. Beula Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hancock of Zephyr, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Boulton of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Mary Ford and girls and Joe Flory and son, Martin, of Brooksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Driskill and children, visited Mrs. Shields Sunday.

Mrs. Hachi Stearns and Mr. Klipston visited with Mrs. and Mrs. R. S. Stearns last Friday night.

Those from here who attended the Baptist Workers Conference at Whon were Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes, Miss Mary Catherine Fellers and Mrs. Kingston.

Mrs. Walter Sharp of Santa Anna spent the week end with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Stearns and Sherman.

Refer to report Mrs. Marvin Whitley is on the sick list.

The Trickham 4-H Club will be continued on Page Eight.

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FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 35th JUDICIAL DISTRICT David J. Morris, Brownwood Bill Allecorn, Brownwood

FOR DISTRICT CLERK, COLEMAN COUNTY T. H. (Sticks) Corder, re-election.

FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT D. E. Loveless, re-election.

FOR SHERIFF, COLEMAN CO. H. F. Fenton, Jr., re-election J. S. Martin

FOR COUNTY CLERK Geo. M. Smith, re-election Ted L. White

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FOR COUNTY TREASURER W. E. (Bill) Burney, re-election Travis Bohannon

FOR COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR Bernice Johnson Al Hintner, re-election

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

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Hays and children of Winters, were weekend visitors with her mother, Mrs. Theo Kirkpatrick.

Rockwood News

By Mrs. John C. Hunter

Rev. G. W. Childers of Brownwood, pastor of the Baptist Church, preached Sunday. He and family were absent from town.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and Mrs. Dave Ellis were hosts to visitors in Brady, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Bryan were in San Angelo, Texas, where Mrs. Bryan will have a check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart, Mrs. Gladys and Billie were in San Angelo, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davis and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ustad in Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McCrory spent the week end in San Angelo with Capt. and Mrs. Frank McCrory Jr. and Frank III.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Cullen of Dallas visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell over the week end.

Mothers Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Heilman were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Harnes and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Hallbright and family of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Estes had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hodges of Coleman, and Mrs. and Mrs. Sam Alexander

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and children of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Day and Sherry of Goudouski, Mr. and Mrs. James Sluder, Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes and Weldon, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes and Don.

Raymond Baugh is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Baugh, after 2 1/2 years in the Army. He has a friend, Edgar Patterson, Lucile, Miss, visit with him.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Johnson and boys were Mr. and Mrs. Fox Johnson and Miss Bernice Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Straghan, Morris and Betty.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Halmon, of San Angelo, are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dittly.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Ward and family of Grosvonor, were visiting Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Crutcher and family of Banes, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Denver Ellis, of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Heilman and family and Doc.

Misses Joyce and Bobbie Wise, Bill Muller and Eddy Valchick of San Antonio, visited during the Mother's Day holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wise.

E. W. Brooks of Eldorado, visited Sunday afternoon with Miss Linnie Box.

Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Dutton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson and Mrs. J. C. Ferguson attended Quarterly Conference in Cleveland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baugh were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tucker and family in Trickham.

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ROCKWOOD NEWS

(Continued from Page Six) Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Black and children spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan. The Bryans visited in Santa Anna Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Porter and son were in Brady Sunday as guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Burk. Sunday guests in the Dr. Williams home were Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Richardson and Betty of Coleman, and Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Richardson and Max visited in Ozona, with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dudley from Friday to Sunday. Mrs. Luther Abernathy of Santa Anna, visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. Linnie Blackwell and other friends. Mr. and Mrs. Fox Johnson, Miss Bernice and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hunter attended the barbecue at the McClatchey ranch on Monday. Recent visitors with Mr. and

Mrs. Boss Estes were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cheaney of Gouldbusk. Sunday guests of Mrs. J. W. Wise were Mr. and Mrs. Collin Wise and children of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bryan and family. Ann Tatum of Shield, spent the week end with Kay Steward. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Steward and family spent the week end in Utopia, with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Porter. Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Straughan and Herbert of Coleman, visited Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Straughan. Mrs. Ray Caldwell won 2nd place in the judging at Brownwood, of Skits, conducted by the H. D. Club.

Whon News Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Mrs. Earl Cozart and Mrs. Granvil Hext and daughter returned home Wednesday after

spending over a week visiting in New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Will Fowler accompanied the home and will remain until Sunday. Fern Bengé of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bengé. Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford and children were Rev. and Mrs. Mac Hamm of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wynn and boys of Santa Anna, Sammie Shields and Bobbie Stuart. Rev. Hamm preached at the Nazarene Church both services Sunday. We are sorry little Jimmy Lee Gill was in the hospital with pneumonia several days. He was able to come home Monday. Several from this community attended the Negro Ministerial at Rockwood auditorium Saturday night. Mrs. Vernon Bolton and baby from S. Dakota, Mrs. Jack Cooper and children of Rockwood spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford. Mr. Sammie Shields and Mrs. Tom Rutherford went to Brownwood Thursday. Mary Jane Turner of Santa Anna spent Friday night with Vonnie Adkins. The home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Adkins was an appetizing

scene Wednesday afternoon, when they entertained with a barbecue supper in their outside dining room. Some 30 people enjoyed looking over cattle taking of the barbecue supper before leaving for their respective homes. Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper and children of Rockwood. Mr. and Mrs. Dee Smith of Teague and Mrs. J. G. Martin and son of Santa Anna, spent Saturday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith and attended services at the Nazarene Church Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith and children were also dinner guests in the Ben Smith home. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Haney and baby of Sweetwater, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford. Mrs. Ed Peeler of Fort Worth and Mr. R. C. Stokes of San Angelo, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Zack Bible and enjoyed fishing. Mr. and Mrs. Bean Riddle and children spent Sunday with his parents, near Santa Anna. Mr. and Mrs. Halcolia of Brownwood, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wallace and family.

Mrs. Wagie Montgomery of Santa Anna was home several days last week from her work, due to illness of her son, but he is doing fine at this writing. Mrs. Wade Wallace and children are visiting her parents in law, of near Gouldbusk. Mrs. Beulah McKinzie, a sister and Miss Willyne Ragsdale, a daughter, from El Campo, were week end guests in the home of Mrs. W. E. Ragsdale. FOR covered buttons and belts see Mrs. Earl Hardy, Phone Black 314. 20-p

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Grantham, and daughter, of San Antonio, came Friday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Grantham. On Saturday all of them went to Abilene for a week end visit with other members of the family. They got caught in the terrific hail storm and rain which fell in Abilene Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Sam Brown and son, Herman and family of Redonda Beach, California, visited in Santa Anna last week. Herman and family continued their journey to Detroit, Mich. for a visit with her people, and Mrs. Sam Brown went to Sherman for a visit with her sisters. W. C. Burden and wife of Lubbock, were Mothers Day visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Burden. FOR covered buttons and belts see Mrs. Earl Hardy, Phone Black 314. 20-p

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Ben Ramsey of San Augustine, backed by a long record of outstanding service in both the Texas House and Senate, has announced for Lieutenant Governor. Ramsey resigned as secretary of state Feb. 9 to prepare for the state race, convinced that the thinking people of Texas must take a more active interest in the actual operation of their state government. Ramsey has been a leader in advancing rural electrification in the state and in the farm-to-market road program. (Pol. Adv. paid for by friends of Ben Ramsey)

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SCRIPTURE: Micah, especially 1:11
DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalm 73:1-12

God and Our Rights

Lesson for May 21, 1950

CIVIL RIGHTS are now a political football in the United States. Every legislator likes to be known as favoring them. Everybody seems to be all out for rights for everybody. Then why don't everybody get together and legislate a bit of justice? When it comes down to political facts, the people who get their "rights" recognized first are the people with the most votes. The little people, especially if they haven't the many votes, are likely to be stepped on.



Dr. Foreman

Cannibal Country

THIS IS NOT a new problem. Long ago the prophet Micah faced it, said some brave words about it. He was a small-town man living in a village near the Judah-Philistine border line. Judah was at that time mostly rural. The villages were made up of farmers, who did not live on their farms as we do but lived all together for protection, going out into the country by day to work their farms, coming back to the village at night. None of them owned very much land, and few indeed were rich.

There was just one big city in Judah, Jerusalem the capital. Compared with the rest of the country it was immense and enormously rich. Now it does not take two guesses to know how Judah, as a nation, was run. Jerusalem ran it. The big city was growing richer and richer while the country grew poorer and poorer.

The small farmers were losing their lands and becoming tenants or hired men. Micah even talks of the princes of Israel, the aristocracy, as "consuming the flesh of the poor."

Half Slave, Half Free

NO COUNTRY is a good country, if its citizens are half slave and half free. If the strong are living off the weak, the whole nation grows weak. Micah saw that exactly, and he predicted, and because of the kind of country it was, half slave and half free, it would be destroyed. No enemy of his country, he did not enjoy forecasting its downfall. But he loved his people, he loved his country, he could see what was happening to people who were being crushed down into the dirt, he knew that could not go on and on without a smash. (And it came!)

This has been the story over and over again in the history of nations. When the few grow strong at the expense of the many, when wealth is concentrated in a few cities, or in a few individuals or families, look out!

When this goes on for a long time and becomes a sort of national habit, the nation may not fall at once but becomes a pushover for anybody who wants to take it. Why, for instance, was the downfall of the "Nationalists" in China so swift? It was because the Chinese people had become convinced that the political leaders and their wealthy backers were in it for what they could get out of it.

Why did so many Nationalist troops fail to fight, why did they surrender repeatedly without striking a blow? Because armies are made of common men, and the common man has been taking a beating too long. There is very little patriotism in a beaten man.

We Have Our Own Problems

WE ARE FORTUNATE in that we live in more democratic times and lands. It should never be forgotten that democracy is a fruit of the Jewish-Christian tradition which the prophet Micah helped to form. It was the prophets who plowed deeply the soil out of which democracy has grown.

Many of the laws of our land are intended to keep the strong from stepping on the weak. The farmer, the out of work, the man with the job, the man with the money, they are protected in some way, whether in our Constitution or in our laws of the United States.

Notice To Bidders WATER SUPPLY LINE & PUMP STATION

Sealed proposals will be received by the City of Santa Anna, Texas at the office of the City Secretary in the City Hall, Santa Anna, Texas until 2:00 P. M. June 5, 1950.

Construction of approximately 45,200 feet of 3" water supply line, pump station and appurtenances, as which will be publicly advertised and read aloud. An abstract will be returned immediately.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for a reasonable amount in amount of 75 percent of the bid as guarantee. If awarded a contract, the Bidder will enter into a contract within ten (10) days after date of award.

Plans and specifications and proposed contract documents are on file in the office of the City Secretary at the City Hall, Santa Anna, Texas, and may be procured from Ernest and Nichols, 407 Danziger Building, Fort Worth, Texas, upon a deposit of \$25.00. The full amount of the deposit will be returned to actual bona fide bidders, and to others who return the documents in good condition on or before the bidding date.

Attention is called to the fact that there must be paid on this project not less than the general prevailing rate of wages which have been established by the City for each classification of workmen required on the project, as set forth in the contract documents.

The City of Santa Anna reserves the right to reject any or all Bids and to waive formalities. No bids may be withdrawn within thirty (30) days after date on which bids are taken.

CITY OF SANTA ANNA, TEXAS
F. Z. PAYNE, Mayor

Courthouse News

(Continued from Page Two) \$1.00 and other considerations, 137 acres out of and being 8 acres out of the G. H. & H. Ry. Co. Sur. No. 79, Blk. 2, and 109 acres of the J. L. Boulton Sur. No. 95.

John W. More to Clarence C. Onke, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations, An Undiv. Int. in 46.93 acres of Blk. 10 of the A. White Sur. No. 161 and East 50 acres of Block 10, of the A. White Sur. No. 161.

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John W. More to Robert E. Ingle, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations, An Undiv. Int. in 46.93 acres of Blk. 10 of the A. White Sur. No. 161 and East 50 acres of Block 10 of the A. White Sur. No. 161.

Austin L. Lewis to Wade Drive, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations, Block No. 10 of the King and Gilbough Addition to Santa Anna.

W. E. Burney to Rena B. Slusher, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations, Part of the Bonds & Sanders Sur. No. 89, containing 320 acres.

Geo. A. Swink to B. & R. Oil Company, consideration \$1.00 and other considerations, 75.8 acres out of G. H. & H. R. R. Co. Sec. No. 153.

TRICKHAM NEWS

(Continued from Page Three) meet next Thursday, May 25th, at the club room.

Quite a number from here attended the Barbecue given at the McClatchey place last Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Oscar Boenicke attended the Home Demonstration Council meet in Coleman last Saturday afternoon.

Stapling machines at the News Office.

They never were in ancient Judah. To test whether we are treating others right, especially those who are weaker than ourselves, we need first to ask these basic questions: Do these people get their share of justice, and are we helping them get it? Do we treat them with mercy or do we only "use" them for our own benefit?

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Shield News

(Mrs. J. B. Weathers)

The Mothers Day program sponsored by the Club ladies on Friday afternoon was well attended, and a very nice program was rendered. Gifts were given to Grandmother Carroll for being the oldest mother present and Mrs. Emitt Lowe for the youngest Grandmother.

Mrs. Tom Camps and Frank Camps of San Antonio visited with her sister, Mrs. Clara Gilbreath over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Elliott and daughter of Levland were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Elliott over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. McClure visited with Miss Virgie Brown of Santa Anna on Sunday.

Ora Alice Newman of San Angelo visited on Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newman.

Mrs. Raeford Evans and children went to Morgan Mills on Wednesday to visit with her parents. Mr. Evans went over on Saturday and returned with the family on Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis Newman visited several days last week in San Antonio with Mr. and Mrs. Hal Wingo and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Tomme of Fort Worth visited in the S. L. Tomme home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Copeland of

San Angelo visited Saturday night with their daughter, Mrs. W. L. Lowe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCullough of Gouldbush and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Murrell and Betty of Doole were visiting in the community on Sunday.

Don't forget the Community Social on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vanderford had the pleasure of having some of their children and grandchildren, in home for Mothers Day. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Watson, and daughter, Carmetta, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Watson and son Dennis Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Watson, and son, Jackie Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Watson, all of Irving, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Alldridge and sons, Winston and Mrs. Rip Mayo, and sons, Charles Van, from Lawn; and W. D. Alldridge, from Kermit; Mr. and Mrs. Chris and Miss Nancy Priddy of Coleman.

Captain and Mrs. Barry Gullivan and children of Fort Worth were Mothers Day visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moseley. Sarah Frances Moseley and her roommate, Miss Cheverton were also there for the week end, from T. C. U., Ft. Worth.

Barbara Bruce was a week end visitor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce, from Tarleton State College, Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dragoo of Lueders, are here visiting indefinitely with her sister, Mrs. A. B. McClanahan, and Mr. McClanahan.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Russell flew from Lubbock, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McClintock. Mrs. Russell remained to take care of her mother.

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Gen. Eisenhower Addresses Scouts

General Dwight D. Eisenhower, in a message to the Boy Scouts of America said that he feels their second National Jamboree of 40,000 Scouts at Valley Forge, Pa., June 30-July 6, "will result in greater understanding, appreciation and reverence of the precious gifts America bestows on all of us."

Gen. Eisenhower is a member

of the National Executive Board of the Boy Scouts of America. His message follows:

"You camp on sacred ground when you hold your National Jamboree at Valley Forge—and your lives will be enriched by the experience."

"It was at Valley Forge in the winter of 1777-1778 that General George Washington, Father of our country, was put to the ultimate test in holding his ragged, sick and hungry forces. His suc-

cess in the darkest hour of the American Revolution was the inspiration for the later victories that established the Thirteen Colonies as a new nation dedicated to the principle of "Liberty and Justice for all." Valley Forge will forever symbolize Washington's spiritual strength and his moral force, his self-reliance and his leadership of men.

"You are a great Brotherhood dedicated by your Scout Oath and Law to strengthening liberty. I am convinced that the Jamboree will result in greater understanding, appreciation and reverence of the precious gifts America bestows on all of us."

"I salute you who may be

counted on to add much to our country's greatness when you assume the role of leaders. Valley Forge will help prepare you for that exalted task."

Miss Aleene Jones of Austin came Wednesday of last week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Jones. On Thursday of last week they visited in the Virgil Loudemay home and with Mrs. Billy Swain in San Angelo.

Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Lovelady visited awhile last week in Santa Anna while returning home from Fort Worth where they had attended the meeting of the American Medical Association.

Joyce Bartlett To Graduate From TSC

Stephenville, Texas, May—Joyce Bartlett, of Santa Anna, is one of the 67 candidates for graduation at Tarleton State College in Stephenville this month.

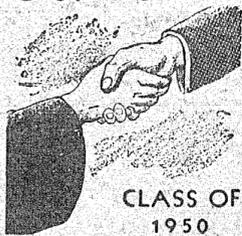
Joyce is majoring in physical education.

Dr. M. E. Sadler, president of

Texas Christian University, will be the speaker for graduation exercises which will be held May 29.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. H. E. Studdard and son Gary, of Enid, Oklahoma, was here last week on a five-day leave from Vance Air Force Base. They visited his mother, Mrs. J. E. Studdard and spent some time on Lake Brown-

BEST REGARDS

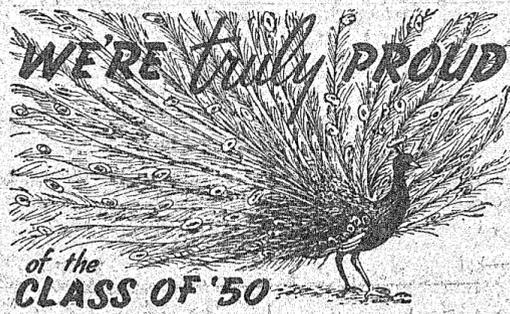


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Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Campbell and Carolce, visited on Friday afternoon and night of last week with her brother, O. L. McGahey and family in Ballinger.

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FARM BUREAU
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man-County Farmers. Mr. Flippen is very valuable to the Farm Bureau due to his sound judgment and experience.

Prison Rodeo In Dallas June 3-10

The eight-night stand of the annual Texas Prison Rodeo at the State Fair Grandstand in Dallas has been moved up to June 3-10. R. L. Thornton, president of the State Fair of Texas, has announced. Previous Dallas dates were June 4-11.

More than 150 inmates at the Texas Prison System will be participating in the rodeo. The rodeo will be held in the arena outside the prison walls.

The Picnic Pavilion at State Fair Park will be converted into a miniature prison and the inmates will be housed there during the Dallas run of the rodeo.

Ben Ramsey Announces For Lt. Governor

Austin, May 5.—Ben Ramsey of San Augustine, who has a long record of service in both houses of the Legislature, today formally announced his candidacy for lieutenant governor of Texas.

The tall East Texan resigned this spring as secretary of state in order to prepare to make the

face. He was appointed secretary of state in January, 1949, by the late Governor Beauford Jester and continued to serve under Governor Allan Shivers when he took office.

Ramsey began his political career in 1930 when he was elected to the House from San Augustine County. He served in the House four years and in 1940 was elected to the Texas Senate, where he served eight years.

The East Texas Senator has always been held in high regard by his fellow members of the Legislature, regardless of differences in voting, and the Senate demonstrated this in 1947 by electing him President Pro-Tempore of the Senate.

Ramsey said he is running for lieutenant governor because he is convinced that the thinking people of Texas must take a more active interest in their state government to solve their own problems in their own way.

Ramsey has been a consistent supporter of improving educational opportunities in Texas, and the farm-to-market road improvement program.

China was once a strong nation until her best soil washed away.

Grooved Nails For House Frames

Resistance of farm houses to high winds and other strains can be improved by using annually grooved nails, tests performed in the Wood Research Laboratory of Virginia Polytechnic Institute show.

It is the resistance to racking forces, such as wind during severe storms, or during settling of the foundations, that determines the strength of the frame of the house. Stronger house framing may also reduce upkeep repair costs, lengthen the useful life of a house, and make possible use of somewhat weaker sheathing or boarding material.

Takes Careful Plans For Good House

To build a home of minimum cost that will meet the needs of the family, requires careful planning. According to the Housing and Home Finance Agency, the house must provide for the minimum needs of the family without overcrowding; most houses should be planned for possible future expansion, and adequate storage space should be provided.

Eliminating the basement and erecting the house on a concrete slab saves in construction cost. The slab serves as a subfloor and obviates the expense of excavation and deep foundation walls. In the basementless home, a well-planned utility room should be provided for storage space and the equipment usually located in a basement.

Walls and roof represent about 20 percent of the cost of a house.

and to achieve possible savings care should be used in selection of materials for their construction. Bathroom and kitchen in back-to-back positions in a one-story house should produce a saving. In a two-story house, the bath should be placed directly above the kitchen to take advantage of a single plumbing stack.

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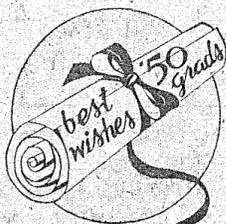
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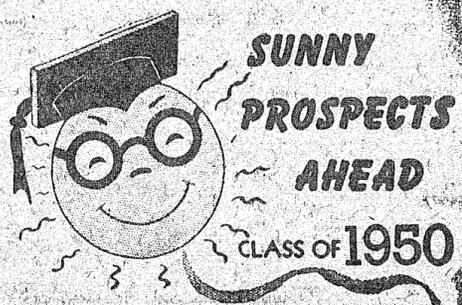
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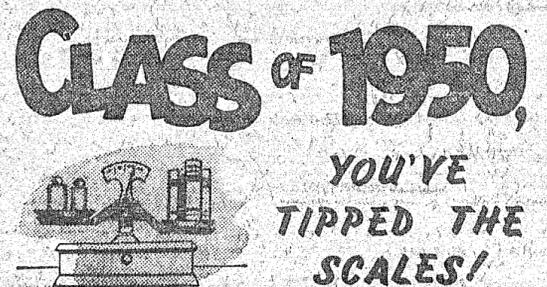
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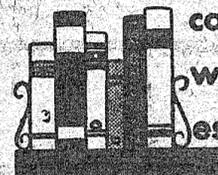
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BOSS ESTES' GRANDPARENTS
Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Estes, of Fort Worth, announce the birth of a son Monday, May 9. Baby has been named Michael Lee and weighed 8 pounds 1 oz. Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes, Rockwood are grandparents.

ROYAL SERVICE PROGRAM
The W. M. U. met at the Baptist Church Monday afternoon with Mrs. Ray Steward as leader. The Royal Service program was

in form of Radio Broadcast. Present were Mmes. Ray Caldwell, F. E. McCreary, J. T. Adian, R. S. Fondren, Ray Stewart, J. W. Box, Carl Buttry, Evan Wise, and J. W. Wise.

HALLS HOST TO FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hall entertained with dinner Sunday. Present were Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Davison, Nelda and Ginger Sife, of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil

Davison and children of Ballinger, Mrs. Darrell Flynt, of Tuscola. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davison and children and Mr. and Mrs. Eda B. Morris and boys, of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. McWilliams and children and Miss Pearl Castleman, of Hext, Jessie Melner, Rhonda Pavis, Menard Jaline Castleman and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marsell, of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hall of Brady.

Mrs. P. B. Snook and a friend, a Mrs. Sherman, both of Glade-water, were week end visitors with Mrs. Snook's sister, Mrs. Norval Wylie, and Mrs. Basil Gilmore.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Earnhart have received word that the home of their daughter, Mrs. Robert Luettke and family at Ft. Atkinson, Wisconsin, was completely destroyed when blown away by a cyclone, which followed a terrific rain. It seems that none of the family was hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hunter, and their daughter, Joyce, who was home for the week end from Glen Rose, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dean Hunter in Dallas. Mrs. Burgess Weaver accompanied them to Dallas and visited with her son, A. G. Weaver, and family. Mrs. T. R. Sealy went as far as Fort Worth and visited with her son, Dr. Burgess Sealy and family.

Mrs. James Hipp, and Linda Kay of Ft. Worth, are here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wristen, and her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Hipp.

Mrs. John Buss, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Byrd, and Mrs. John Mitchell, all of Brownwood, were Mothers Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bowden.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Short, of Brady, were week end visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McMinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newman and children of Dallas, were here for the week end, visiting with his mother, Mrs. Tom Newman. More than 50 decedents, visited with Mrs. Newman on Mothers Day.

Young Barton Lee Goodwin, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Goodwin, broke his left arm, at the elbow, on Tuesday of last week. The brake was caused by a fall from a tractor on which he was playing. Barton Lee was able to go back to school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Cornelius of Abilene, spent Mother's Day with Mrs. R. F. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lovelady and family. All had dinner in the Lovelady home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Patterson and Gary, visited in Comanche County Sunday, with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. May, who are building a nice new home on their farm.

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AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE: Several good used cars. See Arthur Talley. 21-1c

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Three room and bath apartment, modern and redecorated. 904 W. Ave. Mrs. Taylor White. 12-1c

FOR RENT: A furnished apartment, 2 rooms and bath. 1-12 Park. 12-1c

FOR RENT: New, modern 2 1/2 room apt. Harvey Cr. Rd. Galien. 12-1c

FOR RENT: Fully furnished apartment with bath and garage. Mrs. J. F. Kirkpatrick. 12-1c

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR RENT: 3 Rooms and bath. City. Separate, all modern conveniences, unfurnished. 515 St. South of Railroad. Would sell on easy terms. Small down payment. S. S. Squire. Galien. 12-1c

FOR SALE: Registered Corolla Rums. 12 to 18 months old. Featherston Farm and Ranch, three miles southwest of Trickham. 12-22p

FOR SALE: Steel swing frame will carry large swing. J. C. Nobley. 12-20c

FOR SALE: Hospital bed. Hardy Blue. 17-1c

Fresh Bulk Garden Seed. We have in stock fresh bulk Garden Seed. Buy in bulk and save money. Griffin Hatchery Santa Anna, Texas. 31c

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE: I am still sharpening and repairing lawn mowers at my home 404 Gross Street in Coleman. Bob Leavell. 12-21p

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POSTED: No hunting or fishing on the S. C. Stewardson estate. 9-10c

REAL ESTATE

NOTICE: If you want to Buy/Sell or Trade Real Estate, See M. L. Paul Guthrie, Santa Anna, Texas. 12-1c

LOST AND FOUND

LOST: Brown Leather Billfold containing identification. If found return to News Office. 20p

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank everyone for the nice cards, flowers, visits and all kindnesses shown me during my recent illness and stay in the hospital.

May God bless each of you. Mrs. E. E. McClintock. 20-p

To our many friends, we wish to thank each one for the showing of gifts. Thanks again. Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Ellis.

Mrs. G. W. Teagle Has Visitors

Mrs. G. W. Teagle had as her guests the past week and for Mothers Day, her daughter and son-in-law, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Ward T. Blacklock and son, Ward Truett. Col. Blacklock is officer in charge of the San Francisco "Quartermaster" Market Center and is now on leave.

During their visit they have enjoyed visiting friends and relatives in Santa Anna, Coleman, Brownwood and San Angelo.

Of special interest was their visit to San Angelo to see the display of fine Lenox china. There was a representative of the Lenox Pottery plant at Brownwood, New Jersey, on hand to describe the process of producing the china. Among the pieces displayed were plates from the services of the White House, including those of President Wilson, President Roosevelt and the service created for the use of the King and Queen of England during their visit in 1939. Other pieces that have been used by Royalty were exhibited.

Friday the Blacklocks and Mrs. Teagle visited in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. Holt Smith of Junction. Mrs. Smith is a sister of Mrs. Teagle. The Blacklocks left for their home Monday morning.

FOR covered buttons and belts see Mrs. Earl Hardy, Phone Black 314. 20-p

P-T. A. Has Final Meeting Of Year

There was a good attendance in the auditorium of the Ward School building on Tuesday afternoon, when the last meeting of the Santa Anna P-T. A. for the school year, was held.

Mrs. Jack Shields, president, presided.

The two groups of First Graders, taught by Mrs. Clifford Lowe and Mrs. Frank Turner, each put on a splendid program of songs, folk dances, and games all of which had plenty of action and rhythm, and all were exceedingly well done. Pete Wylie was the announcer for the section taught by Mrs. Lowe and Don Stack for the section taught by Mrs. Turner.

Mrs. Noval Wylie told of the effort now being planned to have a program of recreation for the summer months for the youth of the community. The organization voted to assist in sponsoring the effort.

Mrs. A. D. Donham, Jr. gave highlights of the year's work. The organization has about 75 members, and the year's close finds this organization's financial condition to be quite good.

Mrs. Turner's room won the attendance award. Mrs. Noval Wylie, using P-T. A. ritual, installed the new officers that were elected at the

previous meeting. They were: Mrs. Jack Mobley, president; Mrs. Tom Simpson, vice-president; and Mrs. J. A. Harris, secretary. Mrs. Roscoe Hosch will be serving her second year as treasurer.

After the installation, the new president made an appropriate talk and asked for the cooperation of all the members.

And thus the last meeting of the school year came to a close on a high note.

Self Culture Club Has Meeting

On Friday afternoon, May 12, the Self Culture Club met with Mrs. A. D. Donham, Jr. The year book committee announced that the year books would be ready to distribute at the next meeting. The organization voted its approval of a program of recreation for the young people through the summer, which is being planned by public spirited groups and individuals.

The only program feature of the afternoon was a book review of Ruth by Elaine Feinstein, which was splendidly given by Mrs. M. D. Pinkerton.

The book gives interesting highlights of the land of Moab, of Ruth and her mother-in-law, their journey to Palestine, and Ruth's marriage to Boaz, the birth of their son Obed, which made her the great grandmother of King David.

It was agreed to have the next and last meeting of the club year at the Ranger building at three-thirty (3:30) p. m. on Friday, May 26th. After the program, a picnic supper will be served.

Those present were: Mesdames A. D. Donham, Jr., Preston Bailey, J. L. Harris, W. F. Smith, C. L. Eeds, Ford Barnes, J. Edd Bartlett, R. C. Gay, Kittie Walker, J. R. Banister, J. C. Matthews, Ollie Weaver, C. D. Bruce, A. L. Oder, M. D. Pinkerton, and Miss Doris Kirkpatrick.

Local Baptist Church News

The First Baptist Church services will be dismissed Sunday evening because of the High School Baccalaureate Services. The Training Union, Director, Aubrey Brewer, announces that neither will the Training Unions meet that evening. The pastor has announced that his morning sermon subject will be "The Christian and His Business."

The Vacation Bible School at the First Baptist Church is scheduled to be held May 29 to June 7. Preparation Day will be Saturday, May 27, 10:00 a. m. After the children are enrolled they will parade through town in cars, pick-ups, etc. on Preparation Day.

Local Methodist Church News

Our Annual Conference convenes in Fort Worth Wednesday, June 7th. However, our year ends May 31st. Quite a bit remains yet to be done. Unusual reports are to be submitted cov-

ering the entire year's work. We are glad to give God the praise and thanksgiving to Him.

There are to be no evening services the third Sunday because of the baccalaureate service at the high school.

Christian Church Happenings

Mothers Day services were quite well attended Sunday morning at the First Christian Church, both for the Sunday School and preaching services.

Bro. Wylie based his sermon on a great Mothers of the Bible, and concluded with an eulogy of mother of James A. Garfield, whose guidance and sacrifice produced a Christian preacher, who became President of the United States.

Mrs. M. E. Waller had the following members for her family, as visitors for the week end: Jess Waller and wife of Lubbock; Charlie Waller and wife of Breck-

enridge; Raymond Waller and wife of Graham, Delbert Waller and wife and son of Albany, and Lonnie Waller and son of San Angelo. On Sunday all enjoyed a Mothers Day dinner in the home of Mrs. Wallers daughter, Mrs. Bob Garrett and family. Mrs. Wallers nephew, Neely Evans and wife, were also dinner guests.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Etheredge spent Sunday in San Angelo with her mother, Mrs. C. C. Myers, in the home of Mrs. Myers daughter, Mrs. Gordon Kenley and family. Mrs. Etheredge's brother, Russell Myers and family, also of San Angelo, visited with them and all the family had a pleasant Mothers Day together.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Z. Payne visited on Thursday night of last week with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Hunter in Houston, and attended to business in Austin on Friday.

Miss Bettie Blue left last Friday for a visit with her niece, Mrs. Oran Henderson, and family at Magnolia, Ark.

H. L. Biggs, who is employed at Consolidated in Fort Worth, was a week end visitor with his grandmother, Mrs. B. Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Blue were in Austin Sunday for a visit with John Hardy, who is a student at the U. of T. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mills accompanied them and visited with their daughter, Mary, who is taking post-graduate work at the U. of T. Mrs. A. R. Brown also went with them and visited with her sisters, Mrs. Frankie Adams, and Miss Ruby Valentine.

Mrs. W. R. Goldston of Roswell, New Mexico, visited last week, with her aunt, Mrs. A. E. Campbell.

Miss Ruby Goodgion of Abilene spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Goodgion.

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Coffee	Admiration, Drip or regular 2 lb. vacuum sealed can	1.39

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Hams, 1/2 or Whole, lb.		.35
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Sliced Bacon, lb.		.39
HOME MADE	100% Pork	
Pork Sausage, lb.		.45
BEEF	Home Killed	
Roast, Baby Beef, lb.		.49
LONGHORN		
Cheese, Cream, lb.		.49
GRIFFIN'S	Home Raised	
Fryers, None Better, lb.		.59

Crushed Silver River Pineapple, No. 2 can	.23
Nooksack Heavy Syrup Pears, can	.18
Linely Med. Small Peas, 2 cans	.25
Libby's Yellow Cream Style CORN, No. 2 can	.18
Del Co Hominy, 3 cans	.19
PORK & BEANS, 3 cans	.25
CUT Stringless Green Beans, 2 cans	.25
Comstock Sliced BEETS, 2 cans	.25
PINEAPPLE Baby's JUICE, 46-oz. can	.39
FANCY Crystal Spinach, 2 cans	.29
Diamond Hand Packed Tomatoes, 2 cans	.25

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Queen Theatre

Friday and Saturday

● MAY 19 and 20 ●

Randolph Scott - Robert Ryan
Anne Jeffereys
George (Gabby) Hays
-IN-
"Trail Street"

Sunday & Monday

● MAY 21 and 22 ●

Maria Montez - Jon Hall
Sabu
-IN-
"Cobra Woman"
IN TECHNICOLOR

Tues., Wed. & Thurs.

● MAY 23, 24 and 25 ●

Ann Southern - Carmen Miranda
-IN-
"Nancy Goes to Rio"
Color by TECHNICOLOR

FRESH FRUITS and VEGETABLES

DIRECT from neighboring farms

FRESH TOMATOES, Pound	.17
PRE-COOLED CORN, 3 Ears	.10
TENDER - KRISP LETTUCE, Head	.12
CENTRAL AMERICA BANANAS, Pound	.15
FRESH VINE RIPE PINEAPPLE CANTALOUPE	
CALIFORNIA LONG WHITES POTATOES, Pound	.05

PILLBURY'S With Premiums	
Flour 25-lb. SACK	\$1.79
SALAD Kraft's Pint	
Dressing	.31
SWIFT JEWEL Shortening, 3-lb. cn	.69
VIENNA Old Bill Sausage, 3 cans	.29
ASSORTED Flavors Jell-O, 3 pkgs.	.19
MY T-FINE Puddings, 2 pkgs.	.15
DESERT MIX Frostee, 2 pkgs.	.29
SOUP or DILL PICKLES, qt.	.21
STALEY'S White Syrups, 1/2-gal.	.49