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Thoughts

OF A COUNTRY EDITOR

BY JOHN C. GREGG

HIT AT PRESIDENT

Congressman O. C. Fisher hits at the President of the United States in his weekly column "Our Washington Letter", found elsewhere in this issue of the Santa Anna News. Also a release from Senator Lyndon B. Johnson of the United States Senate takes issue with the President.

Both Fisher and Johnson seemed to be very much disturbed over some of the statements made by our President. These two are not the only ones who are very much disturbed over his actions.

An article in the June, 1952 issue of the "Reader's Digest" entitled "The Missouri Gang: A National Issue!" pretty well explains who is robbing who so far as we are concerned. On a number of occasions we have read that President Truman was himself an honest man and all these scandals, five-percenters, influence peddlers and others were in no way connected with him. This we sincerely doubt. We doubt that our President is an honest man and also doubt that he has any intentions of doing what is right.

It appears to us that the President is doing everything in his power (and above his power) to have the United States under his control and the control of the Kansas City machine he is connected with.

If you have not read the article in the "Reader's Digest" we suggest you do so. It is very enlightening.

JULY PRIMARY

The first primary in Texas will be held Saturday, July 26. This gives us only two months to decide who we are going to vote for to lead our state for the next two years. A lot of issues are expected to be presented to the people during the next few weeks and we urge each voter to study the issues and then vote for the one who you think can best lead the state during these next two years time.

NEWSPRINT SITUATION

Newsprint paper is again on the rampage. Another \$10-a-ton increase is scheduled to go into newsprint. This will make the price of newsprint 152 percent higher than it was on VJ Day and more than 200 percent higher than it was during the depression years.

During the early 30's, newsprint cost some \$40 per ton and at the time of Pearl Harbor, the cost was \$50 per ton with the companies selling the paper paying the freight cost. It is now costing over \$200 a ton delivered in Santa Anna.

In way of comparison, since Pearl Harbor, the Santa Anna News subscription cost has increased from \$1.00 per year to \$1.50 per year, making an increase of 50 percent in subscription price. Advertising rates have increased a much smaller percentage.

The Federal government has asked the Canadian government to reconsider the increase, but it is not likely that this will have much bearing on the Canadian government doing so.

Jackets For Band Arrive!

T. K. Martin, director of the Santa Anna Band, announced this week that the band jackets had arrived for all the students who ordered them. Each student is requested to bring 25 cents to cover freight cost and contact Mr. Martin at his home for their jackets.

Kipling wrote both a happy and a tragic ending to his story, "The Man Who Walked Away."

Ward School Honor Roll

James A. Harris, principal of the Santa Anna Ward School, announces the semester and last six weeks honor rolls as follows:

FOURTH GRADE: Semester and six weeks: Jimmy Crews, Rebecca Greaves, Darlene Mercer, Patsy Clifton, Eddie Hartman, Travis Buse, Lavelle McClintock, Frances Bryan, Sandra Fowler, Richard Ferguson and Loyd Rutherford.

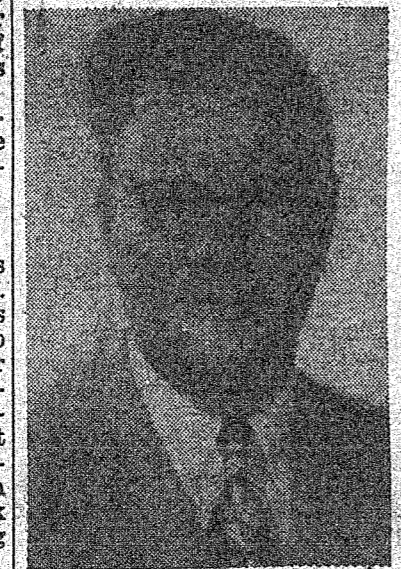
FIFTH GRADE: Semester and six weeks: Maxie Lee Price, Donald Ray, Ann Stewardson, Van Aldridge, Mary Baucom, Patsy DeSha, Geneva Jackson, Kay Kingsbery, Edna Lewis, Jean Smith and Faye Watson.

SIXTH GRADE: Semester and six weeks: Wanda Stevens, Linda Moore, Judy Ford, Carolee Campbell, Joe Yarborough, Eugene White, and Jerry Thompson.

SEVENTH GRADE: Semester and six weeks: Carolyn McLellan, Martha Parker, Shirley Little, Daniel Gilbert, O. S. Smith, and Jerry Snodgrass. Six weeks, Jerry Scarborough and Joyce Jackson.

EIGHTH GRADE: Semester and six weeks: Wally Foster, Ruth Milligan, Diane Williams, Martha Ray, Carolyn Woods, Jo Beth Cooper, Elizabeth Smith, Wess Wise, Olivia Ann McIntire and Carol McLellan. Six weeks, Pauline Voss.

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Early Edition This Week

Due to the fact that Friday is a National holiday and there will be no mail service that day to our rural readers, we are making an effort to get the paper mailed in time to go out in the Thursday morning mail. If you get your paper early, you will know we made it, otherwise our rural readers will not get their paper until Saturday morning.

We would have made mention of this in last week's paper, but the date slipped up on us. However, we are doing our best to get you the paper on time.

None of the Santa Anna stores plan to close other than the Bank and the Post Office.

Rockwood Honor Students Listed

The last six weeks honor roll for the Rockwood schools, is announced as follows:

FIRST GRADE: Mickey Steward, Carolyn Ann Williams and Sherron Cooper.

SECOND GRADE: Bettye Straughan and Louise Cooper.

THIRD GRADE: Mary Rehm, LaQuinn Cooper and Peggy McIntire.

FOURTH GRADE: Dixie Deal
FIFTH GRADE: Lady Jane Crutcher, Melvin Avants, Dana Davis, Vita Rehm and Billy Matt McIntire.
SIXTH GRADE: Patricia Bryan and Belva Dean Hellman.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

U. S. Senate Candidates Open Campaign

Price Daniel, candidate for the United States Senate, announced last week that he would make his first major speech since he announced his candidacy, on Thursday night, May 29, at 8:00 p. m. at a state wide opening rally in Waco.

Daniel said arrangements for the state wide rally have been made for it to be held on the courthouse lawn in Waco. Daniel will immediately begin a county-to-county campaign which will take him to all sections of the state.

Lindley Beckworth, U. S. Congressman, also a candidate for the Senate post is already on a statewide tour and is scheduled to make a speech in Coleman Saturday morning, May 31, at 10:30 a. m. Beckworth stated he would like to have as many Santa Anna friends there as possible as he did not plan a major speech here. He indicated that he might stop over here for a short while. He is scheduled to make another talk in Brady at 2:00 p. m.

Korean Boy Writes Mrs. Jack Bostick At Rockwood

Sometime back, M/Sgt. Alvin L. Bostick was made First Sergeant of Head Quarters Company, 3rd Bn., 38th Infantry Regiment. This outfit is now on guard duty at the POW camp on Koje Island and is guarding Compound 76, where Brig. Gen. Dodd was held hostage for a few days. Sgt. Bostick wrote his mother that since he was First Sergeant, he now has a house boy. Mrs. Bostick wrote Alvin and asked what the house boy would like to have from the States. Bostick's reply was to send the boy something to eat. Below is the letter of thanks received from the South Korean boy:

10 May 52

Mrs. Jack H. Bostick:

Thanks so lot for your wonderful gift to me. I think I have a liberty to write you.

My name is Hong Bong Im, and 25 years old now. Hong means a family name and Bong Im is a given name.

Well I have been working for this 3rd Battalion for about a year. And Sgt. Bostick who is a kind of good-will in this Battalion told me of you, so I think I can understand your personality fairly well even though I can't speak English well. I like Sgt. Bostick very much and glad to work for him at any cost. He is a very warm hearted nice guy.

Would you tell me what you would like to have something of this country. I would like to send you anything that you like to get.

I hope you will contact me in oftenly letters and call me "Hong" as like Sgt. Bostick does. Please oblige me with your answer.

Yours truly,
Hong

Board of Equalization To Meet Monday

Dick Bass, City Manager, reports the Board of Equalization will begin the process of tax equalization in the city Monday morning. Citizens serving on the board are J. W. Taylor, G. B. Smith and L. G. Bobo.

When the board gets taxes equalized, notices will be sent to property owners.

Mrs. Kathryn Walker left Sunday for Chicago, for a stay of about three weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Michael Egan.

Kenneth Stacy, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Stacy of Texon, fell and broke the large bone in his left arm, just above the wrist. It was a smooth break. The accident occurred about 8 o'clock last Friday night.

Construction To Start On Ward School Mon.

Radio Address On Postal Service Monday Night

Postmaster General Jesse M. Donaldson will make a radio address Monday night, June 2 at 9:30 p. m. over the Columbia Network system. The address will be on "Know Your Postal Service", and will not be a political address.

Every citizen of the country is urged to listen to this talk. The postal service is one branch of the government that every person comes in contact with almost daily, and in order that your service might be made better, it is to your advantage to listen to the address.

Mr. F. C. Woodard, local postmaster, said this week that first class mail in the United States has increased about 50 percent during the past ten years, from about 25 million first class pieces to about 50 million first class pieces. Your cooperation can help give you better mail service.

Rockwood Vacation Bible School

A vacation Bible School will begin next Monday, June 2, at the Baptist Church under the direction of Mrs. Lon Gray. The sessions each morning at 8:30 to 11:00 will include Bible study, handicraft, recreation, and refreshments.

A bus will pick up the students and all young people of the community are urged to attend.

Sgt. Box Sees Atomic Bomb Test

M/Sgt. A. W. Box writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box of Rockwood, that he is stationed at Camp Desert Rock, 65 miles north of Las Vegas, Nevada, in the middle of the desert, where they are working with the Atomic Bomb.

Box writes that the bomb that was set off on April 22, was the most beautiful sight he has ever witnessed, and was hard to believe it could be so beautiful yet so destructive. He also saw the other bomb on April 29 from a distance of 30 miles away.

Mrs. Tom Simpson and sons, Tommy, David and Robert, returned Tuesday from Mathis, where they had been visiting since Friday with Tom. He is building a gin there which he will manage. On Sunday they had a pleasant trip to Port Aransas and Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert and son, Daniel, spent the week end in Rising Star visiting with relatives.

Lions Den

A very light attendance was present for the weekly meeting of the Lions Club this week. Only one guest, Wren Vineyard of Coleman, was present. He was a guest of the president, Jesse K. Barton.

Lion Neal Oakes gave a booster talk for the Band Boosters Club and urged citizens of this area to support the band by donating to the Band Uniform Fund.

There being no business to take care of and members of the program committee were not present, the meeting was dismissed early. Members appointed on the program committee for next week were Lions O. A. Etheredge and A. D. Donlan, Jr.

Late word from Mr. Kirkbride indicated that it might be later in the week before he gets here because of rain in the Hillsboro area, where he is completing another construction job.

Construction on the proposed Santa Anna Ward School will get underway Monday, June 2, according to a statement made by Robert A. Kirkbride of Hillsboro, low bidder on the project. Kirkbride said plans had been altered some, but primarily there would not be much change in the actual construction but most changes were of minor importance. The building will be a fifteen-room building with a combination auditorium and cafeteria to be used for the lunchroom. It will be of red brick materials and will be located on the lot with the high school building.

Mr. Kirkbride said he would need one apartment for his construction foreman and his wife, and would also need a number of hired hands, because he was

E F Talley, who has been afflicted for several months with a heart ailment, is reported to be improving some at his home in the east part of town. During his illness, he has been a patient in nearby hospitals, and had treatment for awhile in Marlin.

Louis Zachary and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Parker left Friday on a several days fishing trip on the canal at the C. P. L. light plant near Eagle Pass.

Mrs. John Dawson, who was a patient in the Bangs Rest Home for sometime, is at home now recuperating. Mrs. J. L. P. Baker took her to Bangs for a check-up Monday and she seems to be getting along very well.

W. E. Calloway, who is working at Hobbs, New Mexico, was home visiting with his wife and daughter Jennie V. from Thursday of last week until Sunday.

going to depend almost entirely on local labor other than where some skilled labor is concerned. Anyone who needs or wants jobs are requested to be at the proposed site Monday morning.

The initial low bid was \$161,400 for the general construction. However, with the changes that have been made the bid has been dropped to \$135,000. Contracts are still to be let on the plumbing and heating construction and also on the electrical work. It is presumed that these contracts will go to the low bidders, which are C. C. White Plumbing and Heating Co., of Albany and the Jones Electric Co. of Coleman.

It will take approximately 280 working days for the completion of the building. Kirkbride stated he has been assured of delivery on all needed materials and did not expect any delays for this reason. He said he hoped to get the building ready to occupy by mid-term next year, but rather doubted it could be done. Kirkbride, contractor for the new Junior High School building in Coleman, said several from Santa Anna worked for him in that construction and he was sure a number of them would want work here.

Campaign For Cancer Funds Underway

Mrs. Robert L. Markland announced this week that she and Mr. Markland had been appointed drive chairmen for Santa Anna during the current Cancer Campaign. Mrs. Markland said volunteer workers were on the job now soliciting contributions.

She stated that if anyone who wanted to make a contribution to the Cancer Fund was missed in the drive, she would be glad to call on you if you would either telephone her at 141 or let her know by mail.

Nat'l Guard Leaves For Camp Sunday

The Tank Company (Medium), 142nd Infantry, Texas National Guard, will leave Santa Anna by chartered bus at 5:30 a. m. Sunday for Fort Hood, Texas where they will engage in a fifteen-day summer training program. The group will return here Sunday, June 15.

M/Sgt. Charles Wristen reports two boys, Sgt. James Engram and Pvt. Joe Benton left Wednesday to attend a 4-day pre-camp mess school; M/Sgt. Shag Garrett and Cpl. Roy A. Gipson left Thursday morning by truck as the advanced detachment and carried all equipment from here. They will also draw additional training equipment the Company will need while they are in the training program.

Men leaving Sunday morning are: Capt. Jesse K. Barton, 1st Lt. J. T. Garrett, 2nd Lt. Billy J. Harvey, M/Sgt. John Hensley, Thomas Wristen, Charles Wristen and Thomas M. Styles; SFCs O. L. Oakes, C. R. Owen, Joe R. Taylor, George W. Tucker, Roy E. Tucker, Ben P. Vinson and Elmo A. Wallace; Sgts. James M. Pitts, Melvin W. Pollock, Jimmy Region, William A. Sharp and Bill T. Walker; Cpls. Robert T. Allcorn, Martin L. Autrey, Temp R. Fiveash, Leroy V. Stockard and Johnny W. West; Pfc. O. P. Peacock, Floyd E. Shellar, Lloyd F. Sutherland, and Luther J. Talley; Pvts. Sam W. Golston, Gayle N. Stevens, Thomas E. Bailey, Albert M. Baucom, Daniel B. French, Roy D. Henderson, Charles R. Hosh, Gary D. Patterson, Elvin L. Pollock and Ver-

Commanding Officer



CAPT. JESSE K. BARTON

Commanding Officer Jesse K. Barton will depart here Sunday morning with 42 members of his National Guard Co. for summer training at Fort Hood.

non L. Shepard. Due to an acute shortage in transportation facilities of the 36th Division, transportation to camp this year is to be by chartered bus. Two 29-passenger Arrow Coaches will carry most of the local Guard unit to camp. M/Sgt. Charles Wristen stated there was a possibility that they would get issued new transportation equipment while at camp and if they did, they would return here with it.



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FINDERS NOT ALWAYS KEEPERS

The old rhyme, "Finders Keepers — losers weepers," is not always strictly accurate under the law. It is sometimes difficult to define the rights of the finder in court, and much confusion on the subject exists in the mind of the public generally. Confidence men have many times taken advantage of such confusion to "fast talk" unwary individuals out of large sums of

money.

There are some rather fine distinctions and exceptions to the "finders keepers" maxim that have plagued the courts — and finders — for generations. In the first place, the finder is not entitled to keep the property you find unless you can locate the owner and cannot be located. Neither may he keep it unless the object is truly "lost", and not merely "misaid". In general, property is legally "lost" when parted with involuntarily — through accident, neglect, forgetfulness or any other unintentional circumstances. Property is not lost in the legal sense when voluntarily left by the owner, intending to pick it up later — even though he fails to do so. Such property is "misaid."

Thus, if one loses a watch on the street by having the clasp break, not knowing where or when it was dropped, it is legally "lost". The same is true of a fountain pen falling through a

THE AMERICAN WAY

VIVIEN WRITES A BOOK
By George Peck

(Editor's Note: George Peck is Chairman of the Board of National Labor-Management Foundation and Executive Editor of its official publication, PARTNERS.)

That Kellems "gal" has gone and done it again. She has written a book, "What Kellems 'gal'?" you ask. Who else but Miss Vivien Kellems, manufacturer of Stonington, Conn., who in 1948 refused any longer to withhold taxes from her employees. Incidentally, four years later she is still pleading with the Federal Government to indict her and make a test case as to the constitutionality of the Withholding Tax Law.

The book is intriguingly entitled, "Toil, Taxes and Trouble." In it Miss Kellems makes the charge that the enactment of the 16th Amendment (Income Tax) was a grave constitutional error and she proves her case, at least to my complete satisfaction.

Rupert Hughes, who needs no introduction to the American reading public, in his inimitable style, has written an introduction to the book. In it he says in part:

"Her (Miss Kellems) defiance of the Withholding Tax Law was based on a woman's practical common sense. She maintained that she had no right to withhold from her employees the tax the Government deducted. Then she put the Government in the ridiculous position of demanding that she be punished for not paying it every week, other people's taxes, while still other people paid their taxes only twice a year. She jockeyed the Government into trying to punish her for not paying it moneys which it had already received long before.

"From a position, so bravely and unbudgeably upheld, she has gone on to the high position that the whole Income Tax Law is un-American and should be repealed.

"To those who still believe that the Income Tax Law serves a good purpose; and to those who dislike but think its repeal

impossible, I commend the reading of this book. I am convinced that the reader of this book will not only be sadder and wiser, but will be captivated and thrilled by it."

With Mr. Hughes' estimate of "Toil, Taxes and Trouble," I most heartily agree, because once I picked the book up I found it impossible to put it down. Miss Kellems proves that the Income Tax is destroying our American way of life and that the Withholding Tax violates the Constitution guaranty against involuntary servitude. She demonstrates that the very principle of taxing incomes is contrary to the provision in Section 9, Article I, of the Constitution which reads:

"No capitation, or other direct taxes, shall be laid, unless in proportion to the census or enumeration herein before directed to be taken."

Miss Kellems asserts that the Income Tax Amendment was slipped over on the unwary American taxpayer and is an instrument used by the followers of the Marx-Engels doctrine

which advocates the use of a progressive income tax to destroy the capitalistic system.

As for the Withholding Tax, Miss Kellems charges that it commandeers every employer into involuntary servitude, assumes that every American worker is unfit to administer his own affairs, sows seeds of dissension between employer and employee and conceals the hold which the politicians have acquired on every pay envelope.

These two evils must be eradicated, or there will be no America as we now know it, Miss Kellems says.

Yes, I heartily recommend this book by Vivien Kellems. It is a call to arms. "Toil, Taxes and Trouble," is published by E. P. Dutton & Company, Inc., 300 Fourth Avenue, New York 10, N. Y. It sells for \$2.50 — a bargain, if there ever was one.

Mrs. E. B. Morgan and Wayne of Berger came Monday night for a visit with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Morgan, and her mother, Mrs. J. Y. Brannan.

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Friday and Saturday
MAY 30 and 31
DALE ROBERTSON
JOANNE DRU
—IN—
"RETURN OF THE TEXAN"
● 2 Color Cartoons

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday
JUNE 1, 2 and 3
James Stewart
—IN—
"Carbine Williams"

Sunday and Monday
JUNE 1 and 2
BURT LANCASTER
—IN—
"TEN TALL MEN"
Color by Technicolor

Wednesday and Thursday
JUNE 4 and 5
Broderick Crawford
Donna Reed
John Derek
—IN—
"Scandal Sheet"

TUESDAY, June 3
SALLY FORREST
CLAIRE TREVOR
—IN—
"HARD, FAST AND BEAUTIFUL"
Wednesday and Thursday
JUNE 4 and 5
LEX BARKER
—IN—
"TARZAN'S PERIL"

hole in one's pocket unobserved. In such cases, the finder owns what he has found against all but the true owner.

But when articles are left on a train or bus, in a public hotel room, or even when dropped on a shop floor, under circumstances indicating that the true owner will later return to claim them, such items are not considered lost. The proper custodian to hold them for the owners return would be the proprietor or other person in charge. Remaining unclaimed, the property sometimes goes to this custodian, sometimes to the finder. The distinction here appears to be whether the place it is found is private or semi-private, or a place used by the general public.

Every month or so we see a newspaper item telling how some gullible person has learned the intricacies of the shady game known to police as "pigeon drop", at a cost of several hundred dollars. This confidence racket has many variations, but generally runs something like this.

A pair of smooth operators side up to their intended victim on a downtown street. Strangers to each other, they have just found a billfold containing a large denomination bill or a large check, say \$1000. They want to split the find, but neither has the money to buy out the other's interest. Now, if the victim can get hold of some cash, they are willing to split three ways, or even to give him more than one-third.

When the sucker produces the money in anticipation of a quick return on his investment, complications develop. One of the confidence workers may have consulted a fictitious employer in the absence of the victim. Now the billfold, its contents and the victim's money must be left in the employer's custody a few days in case the owner appears. Then the division is to be made. He takes the money to turn it in to the employer — just up the street a few doors — and disappears. His co-worker also judiciously takes his or her leave. Numerous twists, not too credible in print, but all sounding very plausible when suggested by a fast talking confidence man, invariably have but one result, the loss of your money.

Avoid being victimized by keeping these ideas in mind. If it is a bona fide "find", your rights are inferior to those of the true owner, who can probably be located. If there is a check involved, the signer will certainly have stopped payment. A large denomination bill can be cashed without assistance from you or any passerby.

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform — not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)

Weah McCulloch, Sec.-Treas.
Bettie McCulloch, Mgr.

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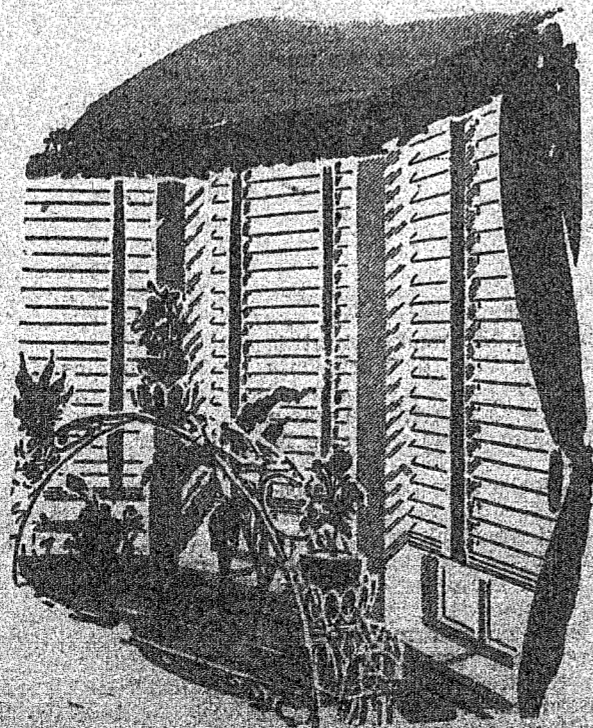
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Rockwood News

By Mrs. John C. Hunter

The Rev. Ray Tindol, pastor, filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church at the Sunday services and was dinner guest with Mrs. J. C. King and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King.

The Rev. Don Jopling filled his appointment at the Cleveland Methodist Church. As this was the last Sunday in the church year, the women presented the Joplings with a friendship quilt. They were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbets.

Mrs. W. G. Williams and Donald visited Sunday in San Angelo with Mrs. Williams' sister, Mrs. E. W. Wallace, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Halmon of San Angelo spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry.

Mrs. Ben Shelton, Sylvia Jane and Lucy Ann, Mrs. Minnie Floyd and Joe Shelton of Brownwood visited Monday afternoon in the King home and with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry.

Mrs. John McIlvain and John, Jr., of San Antonio, visited relatives and friends last Tuesday.

Cpl. Arlie McMillan is spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Leon McMillan. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brandstetter were Sunday guests in the McMillan home.

Jim Foster of San Antonio

visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson Tuesday to Saturday. Mrs. F. E. McCreary spent last week in Ft. Worth with her daughter, Mrs. Victor Payne and family. They brought Mrs. McCreary home and visited during the week end.

Steve Bennett, Hollis Payne, Jimmy Payne and John Alverson of Stamford and Odell Myers of Aspermont are enjoying a fishing trip for vacation.

John X. Steward is driving a new GMC pickup. He and Mrs. Steward went to Dimmitt Tuesday prospecting.

Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper and family in Hermleigh Sunday. Pete Cooper returned home with them after visiting with Alfred's family several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Golson of Santa Anna visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rehm.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Rehm and girls of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Steward and family were Sunday guests with the Tony Rehm family.

Cecil McCreary of Sweetwater recently visited in the F. E. McCreary home. He reports his daughter, Mrs. Joan Isom improving nicely. She recently suffered an attack of polio and is in Gonzales for treatment.

George Hartman of Murango, Iowa, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Elec Cooper and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Cornelison of Temple were greeting



MISS WANDA JOYCE HAYNES

Mr. and Mrs. George Haynes of Tomball, Texas, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Wanda Joyce, to Mr. Jimmy Roy Millsap, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Millsap of Houston, Texas. The wedding will be at the Tomball First Baptist Church Saturday, June 14. Miss Haynes is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Haynes of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Welch of Bangs.

friends one day last week. They were residents of Rockwood 42 years ago.

Miss Linnie Box has a beautiful new gas range in her cafe that she received when the Empire Southern Gas Co. of Brady conducted "an old stove round-up" presenting a new range to the person having the oldest stove in use at this time. Her stove

was 42 years old.

Mrs. Byrd Arnold, Mrs. Carl Ashmore, Mrs. Dovie Chapman and Mrs. Earl Watkins of Santa Anna were visiting friends Sunday afternoon.

Kay and Dahlia Davis visited with their father in Eldorado Friday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Wise and children of Anson spent the week end with Mrs. J. W. Wise. Mrs. Bill Steward and Sony returned home with them for a few days visit.

Jim Foster of San Antonio visited last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam McIlvain. Sunday guests in the McIlvain home were Mrs. Marcus Johnson and Nikki and Mr. and Mrs. Fox Johnson.

Lt. and Mrs. Noble McSwane spent the week end in the A. N. McSwane home. He has been stationed with the Air Corp. in Alaska. After visiting relatives, he will be stationed in North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mobley of San Angelo visited relatives during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brooks of Eldorado visited Saturday afternoon with Miss Linnie Box.

Mrs. John Kemp and her father, Mr. W. M. McCarroll visited Sunday in the L. L. Hallford home in Bangs. Mr. McCarroll remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes and Raymond and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Straughan, Morris and Betty visited Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bally Hull at Purdon.

Mrs. J. E. Porter, Ida Fay Porter and Shirley Rehm of Utopia spent Tuesday to Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Steward and James.

Wade Rehm spent Monday night with James Steward.

John Henry Rutherford of Ft. Worth is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rehm and family. He will be inducted into the Army in July.

Lady Jane Crutcher is visiting for several days in Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Audy Hodges and Eddie Joe.

Sunday guests in the Crutcher home were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris, Joe Floyd and Jamie Lee.

Sunday guests in the Maness home were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mobley of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick and Mrs. J. C. Ferguson, Tom Bryan and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hunter.

Mrs. J. T. Avants and boys, Melvin and Larry visited her sister and son, Mrs. L. R. Joslin and Don at Elm Mott Thursday to Saturday.

E. D. Black of San Angelo came to the Tom Bryan home for the week end. Mrs. Black and children, Gary and Elaine returned home with him after spending several days with her mother, who had been hospitalized because of a foot injury.

Mrs. J. C. King was on the sick list a few days last week.

Mrs. Bill Scoggins and son, Billy Ed spent the week end in Brady with Mrs. Neida Long. Mr. and Mrs. Max Braerigam

of Hobbs, New Mexico spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hall. Monday evening guests in the Hall home were the Rev. and Mrs. Hendricks of Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell have received word from their son, Cpl. Talmadge Caldwell who is stationed in the Panama Canal Zone, will sail for home May 26. He will be in Houston June 10. Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell will join him there for a family reunion.

They have also had word that their son, T/Sgt. Charles Caldwell and family who are in France will be home in December. Sgt. Caldwell will re-enlist when he reaches the states.

Mrs. Velma Box visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Drury Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Box of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riddle visited with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Buttry and Mrs. Bob Halmon were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan.

PERSONALS

Early last week, Mrs. S. E. Damon and her nephew, Henning Dieter, of Austin, came and took her father, Mr. J. E. McClellan home with her for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. Kate Holmes returned to her home in Brownwood Tuesday, after a visit since Friday with her father, Mr. A. L. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Robbins went to Stratford last week for an indefinite visit with their daughter, Mrs. J. D. Huggins, who came for them.

Mrs. Lois Henderson and Mrs. Roy West visited one day last week with Mrs. Henderson's daughter, Mrs. Raymond Teague and family in San Angelo.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. McClannahan and son, J. B., and a granddaughter, Vickie Lynn Bostwick of San Diego, California, were week end visitors with Mr. McClannahan's twin brother, A. B. McClannahan and wife. On Sunday, all of them went to Fredericksburg, where they met Mr. and Mrs. John Payne of Austin, and had a picnic lunch together.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bell of Abilene were week end visitors with her parents, the Payne Hendersons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ed Bartlett left last week for a visit in the home of their daughter, Mrs. R. E. Albright at Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

Mrs. John Lowe returned home last week from a visit with relatives at Burnet. Her daughter, Mrs. Nell Lock took her and went for her.

Mrs. Chet Holcombe of Bronte came Monday and brought her son, John, for a weeks visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Harvey.

Mrs. W. T. Wheatley returned on Thursday of last week from a two weeks visit with a brother in Texarkana, and with a daughter at Mt. Ida, Ark. Mrs. Wheatley has another daughter visiting in Arkansas, who will come next week and Mrs. Wheatley will return home with her to California to spend the summer.

Mrs. W. P. Burris and her daughter, Mrs. Fred Brushenhan, returned Saturday from a weeks visit with their granddaughter and daughter, Mrs. W. B. Lunsford and Mr. Lunsford in Coleman. Mr. Brushenhan is visiting indefinitely with his daughter, Mrs. Albert Griffin in Houston.

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MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED: Yard work. Let me cut your weeds and grass. O. V. Rutherford, 306 South 7th St. 21-22p.

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MAKE OLD FLOORS look like new — Rent our high-speed floor sander and edger — low rates. Santa Anna Hardware Co. 15-22c

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**Strawberries
Are Here**

Strawberry short-cake and strawberry ice cream topping is a year round delicacy for families who freeze berries in season. When carefully selected and properly frozen strawberries retain their natural flavor and color.

Frances Reasonover, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, recommends red ripe berries for freezing. These will hold their color better than those that are almost ripe. Use either dry sugar or a sugar syrup otherwise an off-flavor and off-color develops very quickly after the berries thaw. To prepare strawberries for freezing wash, drain and cap. Leave them whole for serving with cream and cut in half for toppings.

If the dry sugar method is used, weigh the berries and allow one part sugar to three or four parts of berries. Mix the berries until each is well coated with sugar. Let the berries stand until all the sugar is dissolved. Then pack in containers.

When sugar syrup is used, dissolve three cups of sugar in four cups of water. Fill the containers with berries and cover with cold syrup. Crushed berries may be frozen for use in ice cream, filling for short cake and toppings.

Miss Reasonover says place the containers in the food freezer at 0 degrees F. or below and put no more food in the freezer than will freeze in 24 hours. She suggests contacting the local home demonstration agent for further information on freezing foods. Ask for B-175, Frozen Foods, How to Freeze-How to Cook.

The Wright brothers made their first flight in 1903.

**Oil Activities
IN COLEMAN COUNTY**

Callihan Rotary Co. & C. L. Richardson No. 2 R. Bailey is to be a Glen Cove Jennings Field project one mile northwest of Glen Cove. Location is 330 feet from the north and west lines of Section 7 T&NO Survey. Proposed depth is 3,700 feet with rotary.

Joe L. Steel, et al, Houston, will drill No. 1 Helen J. Beavers as a Glen Cove Jennings South Field try three miles southwest of Glen Cove, 2,530 feet from the south and 330 feet from the east lines of D. L. Duncan Survey 24. It is scheduled for 3,500 feet with rotary.

New location in the North Coleman Junction Field five miles southeast of Coleman is the Anzac Oil Corp., et al, No. 2 J. E. Folk, 882 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines of Block 1, Coleman CSL 57. Projected depth is 2,300 feet with rotary.

The Blackwell Oil & Gas Co. will drill No. 1 C. B. Ashmore as a wildcat three miles west of Trickham. Location is 1,787 feet from the east and 2,357 feet from the south lines of M. Strouse Survey 285. Proposed depth is 1,800 feet with rotary.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haynes and daughter, Connie Joe, of Tomball, came Sunday and are visiting during his vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Haynes and Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Welch.

While enroute to Lubbock to see a son graduate, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Payne of Lampasas visited while Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. E. S. Haynes and Mr. Haynes.

Mrs. Robert Turner of Denison and Mrs. R. F. Watson of Irving brought their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vanderford home from a visit of about 10 days with them. The ladies visited over the night and returned home.

O. F. Darling & H. G. Arnold Co. have spotted a 3,600-foot project three and one-half miles north of Echo in Coleman County as No. 2 W. C. Henderson.

Location is 1,260 feet from the north and 46 feet from the west lines of J. Harris Survey 80.

Haynes E. Ownby Drilling Co., Dallas, is to drill No. 1 W. Dan Smith as a north Coleman County wildcat two and one-half miles northwest of Goldsboro.

Location is 1,497 feet from the north and 2,490 feet from the west lines of W. M. Miller Survey 469. Slated depth is 4,200 feet with rotary.

B. H. Nolen No. 5 I. C. Whittington, Section 4, T&NO Survey, Glen Cove Fry Sand Field project one-half mile south of Glen Cove, has been completed for a daily flow of 167 barrels of oil in 24 hours.

The well flowed through 14-64 choke with packer on casing and 375 pounds on tubing from 66 perforations at 3,196-3,207 feet. Total depth was 3,230 feet, with casing set at that depth.

Top of the pay was picked at 3,192 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 1000-1.

OIL AND GAS LEASES
Coleman Country Club to Horace E. White, \$10.00. 155 acres out of the Wm. Woolsey Sur. No. 294.

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man Producing Co., \$10.00. 165.6 acres out of the Pleasant Young Sur. and Wm. Farris Sur.

Virgil C. Newman et ux to Coleman Producing Co., \$10.00. 312 acres out of the Wharton County School Land Sur.

E. W. Moore et ux to Coleman Producing Co., \$10.00. West 160 acres out of the Wharton Co. School Land Sur. No. 496.

Jessie T. McCary et vir to L. H. Wilson, \$10.00. 164 acres out of the T. S. Goodrum Sur. No. 307.

Chas. W. Pitts et ux to Frank W. Burger, \$10.00. 117 1/4 and 7 1/2 acres out of the W. W. Wallingford Sur. No. 674.

Chas. W. Pitts et ux to Frank W. Burger, \$10.00. 175 1/12 acres out of the W. W. Wallingford Sur. No. 674 and J. Johnson Sur. No. 45.

A. W. Burkett et al, to Dale Smith, \$10.00. 70 acres out of the J. W. Hicks Sur. No. 265.

**Aged Population
On The Increase**

In the past, medicine and public health have concerned themselves largely with the health and disease problems of youth and middle age said Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer. We have neglected our aged population and have waited upon the devastations of time before extending aid to the old.

Our population each year includes an increasing number and percentage of older people. In 1950 in the United States, it is estimated that there are 11,000,000 persons over sixty-five years of age, as compared to 3,000,000 in 1900. In absolute numbers, aged persons among us have almost quadrupled in the last fifty years, whereas the proportion of elderly persons to the remainder of the population has merely doubled.

Dr. Cox stated that preventive medicine, private medical care, and social service have assisted in extending the life span. As encouraging as this fact may be, there is an accompanying tribulation: the aged are subject to the chronic diseases which, because of destroyed tissue structure, are especially weakened. Heart disease, cancer, diabetes, and other long-term illnesses resist the physician's most skillful attack and are notably disabling and lethal.

To insure health and peace of mind to our old people, preventive and curative medicine and social service can contribute techniques of prevention and care. These techniques should properly include the early discovery of beginning disease processes through periodic examinations that begin in early life and continue for one's remaining years. By such means many cases of chronic disease, with all their agony and fatality, might either be prevented or, through the substitution of different living regimen, be rendered tolerable.

Leonardo da Vinci, the painter, was also a sculptor, architect, engineer, philosopher and physicist.

**IT'S GOOD
MANAGEMENT**

The ratio between the price of eggs and the cost of feed for the past several weeks has been rough on all poultrymen but especially on the less efficient producers. One sure way to cut feed costs, says W. J. Moore, poultry husbandman for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, is to remove from the laying flock the non-producers.

Warmer weather usually ushers in the beginning of a slump in egg production and with it a rising market. Low production per hen during the summer season may mean the difference between a profitable year or a loss on the business. Take the non-producers to market, says Moore, just as soon as they are noticed in the flock. Chances are these hens will not come back into production for many months and feeding them is a dead expense.

Hens that show a shrunken, dried-up comb, yellow beak, new feathers, yellow shanks and yellow vents should be culled and sold. Hens that lack vigor and spend their time loafing should also be removed from the flock. A good producer must eat good feed and drink lots of clean, cool water and they can't do this unless they rustle. Of course, added Moore, the poultryman must do his part by supplying the feed and water.

The poultryman who does a good job of culling continuously will be well paid for his trouble. Poultry farm management can not be most efficient unless the non-producers are sent to market and this means continuous culling says Moore.

**Poultry Meat & Eggs
Good For Your Health
As Well As Appetite**

Chicago, Ill. — Although most people eat poultry meat and eggs because they like them, greater consumption of these foods is justified by their nutritive value, Don W. Lyon, general manager, Poultry and Egg National Board, declared today.

Mr. Lyon made this statement in a message directed to the millions of families who will include chicken, turkey, and eggs in picnic meals this summer.

Poultry meat is an excellent source of high quality protein, the nutrient which furnishes the building blocks for all body tissues, he said. In addition, poultry meat contains a great variety of important minerals and vitamins. There is phosphorus, needed for normal bone and tooth structure; niacin, an essential food element and a preventive of pellagra; iron, needed for good red blood; thiamin, another essential nutrient and the first of the B vitamins to be discovered; riboflavin, essential to tissue respiration; and a great assortment of other vitamins and minerals which play both great and small roles in the maintenance of bouyant health.

The following points were made in regard to eggs:

"Eggs are one of the protective foods. Eggs, like poultry meat, furnish proteins of particularly high quality and biological completeness and contain all of the amino acids necessary to growth, vigor, and body maintenance. Nutrition studies have demonstrated the need for the daily use of complete proteins such as eggs supply."

Recent scientific research has revealed the fact that eggs are an important source of vitamin B-12. Vitamin B-12 is one of the recently-discovered members of the vitamin B complex group and has been shown to be valuable in the treatment of pernicious anemia.

"A serving of only two eggs supplies about 22 percent of the daily vitamin A needs for the average adult. Two eggs, served in any of many appetizing ways, supply up to 18 and 26 percent, respectively, of the average daily needs for phosphorus and iron.

"Eggs are used and recommended from earliest infancy onward. They are rich with the nourishing essentials that people of all ages need."

**State Renews 4-H
Dairy Foods Demon.
Awards Program**

Lovely to look at — delightful to eat, can well describe the appetizing dishes prepared in the 4-H Dairy Foods Demonstration program, which has been renewed by the State Club office this year. About 400,000 4-H'ers throughout the country are learning the art of making new and better dairy dishes and desserts. This includes luscious ice creams, tapioca puddings, strawberry cheese pies, orange sherbets and even creamy candies — all high in food value.

June, which is national dairy month, points up the importance of dairying and dairy foods. Special attention is being given to dairy demonstrations. The young homemakers and farmers, individually and in teams, are carefully working out each step in the preparation of dairy dishes, and demonstrating them to others. They are learning by doing — the watchword of all 4-H'ers.

Achievements of 4-H members in dairy foods demonstrations are being encouraged through awards provided by the Carnation Company. County winners receive medals, while a 17-jewel wrist watch is awarded on the state level to the high individual and each member of the high team. Eight trips to National Club Congress in Chicago next November are presented to the fortunate national winners.

This program is conducted under the supervision of the Cooperative Extension Service and the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work.

Ginger Rogers won a Charleston contest in Fort Worth, Texas and thereby entered upon the career that led to movie stardom.

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Woman's Council Of Christian Church Has Regular Meeting

The Woman's Council of the Christian Church met in the parsonage at 4:30 on Wednesday afternoon of last week, the meeting having been postponed from Monday afternoon. It was time for the regular missionary lesson, and the subject was Porto Rico.

The study brought out facts concerning work and progress in that land for more than 50 years as missionaries of the church moved right in after the liberation of the country from Spanish rule. Mrs. J. E. Gipson gave the devotional, Mrs. Tom Shapson and Mrs. Bill Pritchard put on a question and answer feature on Porto Rico.

Others having special parts on the program were Mrs. Norval Wylie, and Mrs. Clifford Stephenson.

It was brought out that all our churches in that country are "bursting at the seams" with growth and activity.

Others besides those mentioned that were present were: Mrs. J. E. Scott, Mrs. L. O. Garrett, Mrs. E. A. Densman, Mrs. D. H. Moore and Mrs. A. L. Oder. After the meeting adjourned, other women came bearing food. Men and boys, who had been working on the church grounds came in and set up the tables and ere long, men, women, boys and girls were enjoying a fine supper.

Senior Class Of 1947 Has Get-To-Gether

On Sunday afternoon, several members of the Senior Class members of S. A. H. S. for the year 1947, had a pleasant time together at Lake Brownwood.

Lack of time for arrangements prevented a larger attendance, but they hope to have a large number together next year. Those present were: Doretha Faye Casey, John Hardy Blue, Jerry Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Campbell, Santa Anna; Era Lee Ingram, Coleman; and Mrs. Charles Meeks of Slaton, the former Rita Campbell of Santa Anna.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Kay Anderson Speaks To Blue Bonnet Club Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Anderson were guests of the Bluebonnet Club members and their husbands at their meeting Thursday evening at the club room. Mr. Anderson was the speaker for the meeting.

Mrs. S. D. Wilson called the meeting to order and Mrs. Rube Lobstein led the pledge and prayer. There was a short business session.

After Mr. Anderson was introduced, he gave an interesting talk on county finance and administration. After Mr. Anderson's talk the ladies present visited with Mrs. Anderson and the men present had a "round table" discussion with Mr. Anderson.

Bottle drinks were served to Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lobstein, Mr. and Mrs. John Lauder, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Lobstein, Mrs. John Dofson, Mrs. J. D. Williamson and her daughter, Nancy.

The next meeting will be Thursday, June 12th at 2 o'clock in the club room with Mrs. E. O. Rider and Mrs. John Lauder co-hostess.

Rockwood Home Demonstration Club Meeting Monday

The Rockwood Home Demonstration Club met at the school lunchroom Wednesday, May 21, at 3:00 p. m. with Miss Bernice Johnson of Coleman, County Tax Assessor-Collector, as guest speaker. She spoke on the "Duties of the County Officers". She was presented an Angel Food cake as a token of "Thanks".

Mrs. Marcus Johnson gave a report on "Big Government in our Country, Too".

Cold drinks were served to the guests, Miss Johnson, and Mmes. Woodrow Estes, Blake Williams, Aubrey McSwain, Jake McCreary, Lon Gray, J. T. Avants, Jack Bostick, Ora Caldwell, Fox Johnson, Yeoma Jackson and Marcus Johnson.

—Reporter

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Potatoes Sweet, Creole, Whole Pieces, No. 2 1/2 can	29c
Beans Limas, Calif., large, cello pack — 2 Pounds	39c
Onions Fresh, home grown Bunch	5c
PEAS Black-eye, Fresh, tender Pound	15c
Squash Green and fresh Pound	10c
CORN Fresh, yellow, sweet Pound	15c

Apples Sliced, R&W, makes excellent pies, No. 2 can	21c
Salmon Fancy Red No. 1/2 Flat can	55c
Sausage Vienna, Red & White, all meat in tender casings, Regular can	22c
Prunes Sugar Ripe, in moisture proof bag, medium size, 1 Pound	26c
JELLY Grape, Welch's 10 Oz. Jar	22c
JUICE Apple, Church's Quart Bottle	32c
JUICE Pineapple, Red & White 48 Oz. Can	33c
JUICE Orange, Libby's 48 Oz. Can	30c
Cheese Wedge Cut 8 Oz. Pkg.	39c
Bologna All Meat Pound	53c
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Bacon Armour's, Sliced Pound	49c

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MISS EVANGELINE MULROY

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mulroy of Santa Anna, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Evangeline, to Mr. Wayne Horton of San Saba, Texas. Mr. Horton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Horton of Austin, Texas, formerly of Santa Anna. The wedding will be in the First Methodist Church in Santa Anna about the middle of June, with the pastor, Rev. Carroll H. Thompson reading the ceremony.

M/Sgt. and Mrs. Shagg Garrett and children of O'Donnell, will be here this week and she and the children will visit with her mother, Mrs. Frank Turner, while he is attending the National Guard summer encampment at North Ft. Hood.

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Self Culture Club Has Final Meeting Of This Season

An interesting, and final meeting of the club year was held when the Self Culture Club met in the library building, Saturday afternoon. The assembly room was decorated with a variety of spring flowers. The meeting was postponed from Friday, because of the weather. Mrs. R. C. Gay, the president, presided. The subject for consideration was "Grand Opera".

Nancy Wylie, a visitor did splendidly in substituting for Mrs. Pinkerton. Her subject was "The Story of Opera".

She explained, an opera is a play set to music with the actors singing instead of speaking their parts.

Mrs. Ford Barnes told in an interesting way of Opera she has attended, some while traveling abroad, and others more recently in San Antonio. Some she mentioned were Aida, Madame Butterfly, The Barber of Seville, Salome and others. Records of some of the operas were played during the tea hour.

The tea committee was Mrs. Nona Woodruff, Mrs. Hardy Blue and Miss Dora Kirkpatrick.

The table laid with a crocheted cover was adorned with an arrangement of snap dragons. Waffle wafer sandwiches, a variety of cookies and punch were served.

Mrs. Stafford Baxter and Miss Kathryn Baxter were guests.

Piano Recital Well Attended

Mrs. Mae McDonald's recital of her piano pupils, held at the First Christian Church on Saturday night, was quite well attended. Besides local people, others were present from Coleman, Brownwood and Trickham.

The children acquitted themselves splendidly, and those attending enjoyed their program, which featured several vocal numbers along with the instrumental numbers.

Mrs. Bob Gray and family and Glenda of San Angelo, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Knox.

Mrs. Bilton Guest Speaker at Rockwood

Mrs. Ruth Bilton of Brownwood was guest speaker at the W. S. C. S. meeting Monday afternoon at the Rockwood Methodist Church, presenting the goals for the next Quadrennial. There were 10 members and 2 visitors present.

Reba Hardy, taking an X-Ray Technician course in Dallas, visited at home Sunday and a part of Monday. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy, took her back to Dallas. Mr. Hardy returned home and Mrs. Hardy remained for a longer visit.

Oscar Cheaney and Neal Oakes can vouch for the reports of the flood that descended on Stephenville last Friday afternoon. They were caught there during the downpour and it took them an hour and 10 minutes, or more, to get away because of the high waters.

Mrs. N. A. Thorp came from Vaughn, New Mexico, where she had been teaching, and spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. J. L. P. Baker. After visiting for awhile with other members of the family in Brownwood, she will return here, and stay most of the summer with Mrs. Baker.

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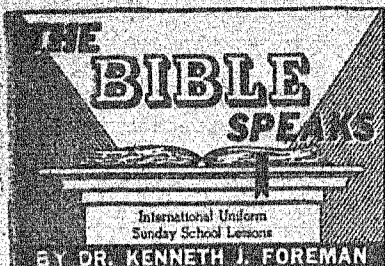
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SCRIPTURE: Exodus 20:14; Matthew 23:12-16, 27-28; Mark 10:2-12; Luke 20:10
DEVOTIONAL READING: Ephesians 5:1-10

Why Purity?

Lesson for June 1, 1952

AMONG THE NEW IDEAS that come into the world with the Christian religion... Do you want to know whether the next generation will be strong and good or weak and bad? Look into the homes where they are now growing up.



Dr. Foreman

What Purity Means
THE TRUE CHRISTIAN idea, the New Testament idea, Christ's idea, of purity means something far deeper and higher than merely not committing adultery.

It is not the same thing as celibacy or not marrying. It is not the same thing as perpetual virginity, otherwise we could never speak of a chaste wife.

It is not true New Testament teaching to say that sex is bad in itself. It is even farther from the New Testament to say that sex is good in itself.

Pursued for its own sake, it deprives the happiness of the pursuer; when into the atmosphere of true love, bound in the solemn vows of marriage, it can belong in a life of real happiness and goodness.

Forsaking All Others
CHRIST QUITE CLEARLY taught the ideal of marriage as a lifetime unbroken union of one man and one woman.

You do not need to go to the Bible to see how wrong this is. Just fall in love and you will understand the truth.

What young man would care to marry a girl who would say to him on their wedding day, 'Darling, you are the only man I love...'

The flower-to-flower notion of love is something every couple truly in love can see is nonsense, and worse.

Heart of the Home
PREACHERS HAVE BEEN saying for a long time, but now they don't need to say it any more for a while, because scientific investigators, sociologists, psychiatrists, probation officers, juvenile court judges, all are saying the same thing: It is the home that makes or unmakes the boy and girl.

Juvenile delinquents, we are told by those who know, come from all sorts of homes, but not from homes where the parents live in harmony.

the sake of the rising generation, it is for the whole community's sake. Do you want to know whether the next generation will be strong and good or weak and bad? Look into the homes where they are now growing up.

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Trickham News

By Mrs. Buck Mitchell

Rev. Allen, Presbyterian pastor, conducted services here Sunday. Next Sunday, June 1, Rev. Hugh Newsom will preach. Everyone is invited.

Definite plans have been made for our Revival Meeting to be held here from July 11th through 20th. Rev. Allen, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church here will preach.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gray Laughlin and family are visiting in the Laughlin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke attended Mrs. McDonald's Musical Recital at the Christian Church at Santa Anna last Saturday evening. Gala McIver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver was a participant of the class.

Visitors here for church last Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin and daughter of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. John McClatchey of Coleman, also Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whitley of Big Spring. Too, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Buse were present for the services that night.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke and Mrs. Shild visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Driskill and children of Brownwood last Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mary Catherine Fellers of Ft. Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Fellers.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Burney left last Thursday for a few days visit with their son, Jessie and family of new San Marcos.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ranne and son of Kerrville visited Sunday afternoon with her sisters, Mrs. H. B. James and Mrs. Charles Brian.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Paulson and children of Ft. Worth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Key Bradley and children. Winona and Wilma returned home with them Sunday for a few days visit.

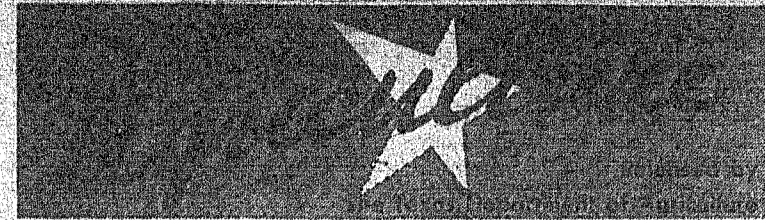
Lea Mitchell returned home from Howard Payne College, after completing her sophomore year there.

During the past week the community had almost two inches of rain and looks as if there will be more soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Lucas of Coleman visited Mrs. Beula Kingston Sunday afternoon. Later they visited with Mrs. R. S. Stearns and Mrs. Gifford. Also called in the O. R. Boenicke home.

Bill Pritchard came home from Gregory at the week end, and took his family there to live through the summer, where he is working at a gin. His mother, Mrs. M. A. Pritchard went with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Richardson of Abilene, visited over the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson.



TEXAS—ANOTHER DUST-BOWL?

Dust storms are a part of man's age-old struggle with nature — and Texas' greatest scourge!

Recurring "dusters" have changed fertile areas of the world into desert. That was the fate of one of the most productive regions which we know through the Bible as the Garden of Eden.

Our trouble in Texas is not enough cover. Old-time cattlemen think the prairies should have been kept as pastures and never plowed. There may be some truth in that. But millions of acres are already under cultivation in the so-called dust bowl, supporting millions of people. We can't go back. Our problem now is how to go on and cope with the combination of intensive prairie land tillage, lengthy drouths and strong winds which sets the stage for dust storms.

Of course, the way to conserve the moisture and prevent blowing in the "wide open spaces" of Texas is to adopt measures which will replace the cover nature originally gave us.

Contouring and terracing are two ways of making that running water walk. They keep the water from draining off the land as rapidly as it falls.

Still a better way to conserve moisture is to leave stubble and crop residue on top of the soil instead of plowing it under. This "stubble mulch" practice breaks the impact of the rainfall to let it soak in more slowly and thoroughly. It also provides protection for the soil from the sun and wind.

Stubble mulch has been used in Texas for only a few years and is not yet in general practice. Planting strips of foliage in a field, or "strip-cropping", is a good way to keep the field from being a bald race track for a high wind.

A lot of us have been forcing the soil to get more production out of maximum acreage. And, of course, all of us are far from production. On the other hand, we can't afford to abandon the practices we know will hold the soil and soil moisture.

So long as we don't have much water in Texas this year, the determining factor in our production for 1952, as well as in preventing a repetition of dust-bowl conditions, may very well be how well we take care of the little moisture we do have.

Mrs. Jesse West of Long Beach, California, and her daughter, Mrs. John D. Cloud of Lone Wolf, Oklahoma, came on Thursday of last week for a visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. S. K. Moredock. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tucker of Odessa came also the same day for a visit over the week end in the More-Dock home.

When News

Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Mrs. Mary Bible returned home first of last week after spending several days with her children in Houston reporting a wonderful trip.

Mr. John Fuller, a graduate of A. & M. College is spending a week or 10 days with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Adkins. He is studying the duties on a ranch before taking a job elsewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith went to Hamlin last Tuesday to visit Rev. and Mrs. Howard Smith and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Don Bury and boys returning home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. T. J. Adkins went to Dallas last Tuesday for Mr. George Hunter, who had been a patient in a hospital there for a week. Mr. Hunter is at the home of his brother, Walter Hunter and a niece, Mrs. Lorena Houston, in Coleman, his condition probably slightly improved. Mr. Hunter was moved to the home of his son, Mr. and Mrs. Byrl Hunter in Odessa.

Mrs. C. A. Armbrust and children of Houston are here for 2 weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney. She will be going home Thursday.

Mr. Jim Forrester of San Antonio visited with Mrs. Earl Cozart last Friday. Mr. Forrester is a cousin of Mrs. Cozart.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy England and children have moved back to the Gill ranch for the summer. Roy has been a student of A. & M. College and they have been living at College Station.

Earl Wright Gill is home with his parents for a few days before registering Thursday at Howard Payne for the summer.

Mr. T. J. Adkins and Mr. John Fuller went to the Flat Top Ranch Sunday, located near Walnut Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney and Mrs. Neewah Armbrust and children were Sunday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Turney and Children.

Dixie Deal spent Sunday with Bobby Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stephenson of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stephenson of Abilene, were Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wallace and family.

Mrs. Max Prator and daughter of Austin, spent last Tuesday night with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney.

Mr. and Mrs. John X. Steward and Nelda of Rockwood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avant and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Abernathy and children Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley McFarlin

spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Daniel Wheatley of Shild.

John Henry Rutherford of Fort Worth visited briefly with Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford Saturday. John Henry will be leaving for Uncle Sam's Service in June.

Thomas Ray Rutherford, who has been at Abilene this past winter, came home Saturday to help with farm work.

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

Mrs. Jack Yancy and children and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Klines and baby spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Switzer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick and children spent Sunday with his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wright of Mercury.

Mr. Earl Gill, Sr., of Brownwood was looking over the ranch here Monday.

Jimmy Lee Gill spent Monday night with Loyd Earl Rutherford.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Fuller and Bobby Jean, visited Sunday with Mrs. Fullers sister, Mrs. Clint Duggins and Mr. Duggins in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Campbell and their daughter, Mrs. Charles Meeks, and her son Oscar Meeks, of Slaton, were week end visitors with Mr. Campbell's mother, Mrs. A. E. Campbell.

Mr and Mrs. Eugene Medlin and sons, Topher and Charles of Odessa, came Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harris. Mr. Medlin returned home. The others are continuing their visit. Mr. Harris was brought home from Brownwood Saturday, where he had surgery on Monday, and is getting along quite well.

Advertisement for Red Chain Mo-Fat Creep Feed. Includes images of cows, a feed trough, and a bag of feed. Text: 'BUILD EXTRA BEEF BY CREEP FEEDING', 'RED CHAIN MO-FAT CREEP FEED', 'Griffin Hatchery'.

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Only WASHINGTON Letter
By Congressman **O. C. FISHER**

eye to eye with the Executive. In the mood of a setting hen, with the hatch over-due, the President lashed at Congress when he made a major speech before the left-of-center Americans for Democratic Action at their annual convention the other night.

Speaking to a group of liberals who look upon State's rights as something that belonged to the dark ages, Mr. Truman paid his respects to the Congress for again passing a bill confirming title in the States to their tidelands. In his words, "This would be robbery in broad daylight — and on a colossal scale". In his enthusiasm, he committed mayhem upon facts by saying the Congress had voted to turn over to a handful of States all of the country's great offshore petroleum and gas deposits — a national asset that "may be worth as much as \$40 billion."

He either did not know, or overlooked reporting, that from 70 to 80 percent of offshore oil reserves is beyond the area covered in the tidelands bill — in other words, is within that part of the continental shelf that Congress has not acted upon at all.

Appearing before another audience a few nights later, the President blasted what he called the "so-called economy bloc" for trimming his budget in many details. He said his \$85 billion budget was "a good budget and an honest budget", and the Congress was misbehaving very badly by tampering with it.

In still another appearance the President said if the Congress did not give him all he wanted in the way of money, he would call a special session every day if necessary until he got what he wanted.

In the meantime, the Congress went about its business, reviewing the cuts that have been made and some members searching for more fat that can be removed. It's the weather, most of them say, and the Potomac is known for unruly nerves and upset tempers — especially about this time of the year.

Cleveland News

By Mrs. M. F. Blanton

We have had some wonderful rains since we last wrote the news. We would like to say we were needing it badly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Howard and Elaine visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lancaster went to Sonora Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Seth Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson and Kay of Killeen, spent three days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Manley Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams took dinner last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Westly Williams. Mr. and Mrs. John Howard visited with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cupps Saturday night.

Ann Blanton and Martin A. T. Tommie Blanton and Charlotte Moseley, attended the Regatta at Lake Brownwood Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moore, Patsey and Terry spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Phillips in Santa Anna.

Mrs. Manley Blanton and Ann visited Wednesday evening with Mrs. Chas. Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley Blanton visited Sunday evening in Santa Anna with Mr. and Mrs. Mace Blanton.

Mrs. Sid Blanton and boys visited Mrs. Rosa Genz in Santa Anna Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Drisco Woods visited Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Chubby Drenon.

F. B. Wagner of Brownwood spent several days last week with James and Robert Perry.

Mrs. J. D. Howard and Elaine spent Monday with Mrs. John Howard. In the afternoon, they visited Mrs. Virgil Lancaster.

Duck and Dove Ballot Set

Austin. — The Executive Secretary of the Texas Game & Fish Commission said Texas waterfowl and mourning dove hunters will have a direct part in recommending the 1952 shooting season opening dates for migratory birds.

He announced that the same poll pattern used in 1951 to determine popular sentiment for the dove hunting will be used this year for both dove and waterfowl seasons.

The seasons on doves and waterfowl are set by the United States Fish & Wildlife Service since these species are migratory. But they normally are influenced by recommendations of states acting through their game and fish departments.

Seasons on other major game in Texas such as deer, turkey and quail are set by law for most of Texas and thus are not subject to change except through legislative act.

The Executive Secretary said the decision to ask hunters for

their opinions was made after it became apparent that "there may be more agreement between north and south Texas sportsmen than was previously believed." He said some recent trends indicate that the bulk of Texas hunters "can be made reasonably happy without resort to a special zoning plea which thus far has brought only frustration because of Federal dissent".

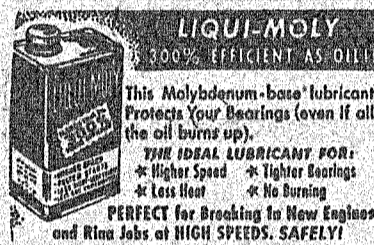
He explained that a surprisingly large number of South State hunters prefer a waterfowl season opening early in November, an arrangement which presumably suits most North Texans.

The waterfowl season last year ran from November 9 through December 28. The mourning dove season ran, in the north zone, from September 1 to October 10, and, in the south zone, from November 15 to December 24.

The Executive Secretary asked that sportsmen indicate primarily the opening dates preferred since length of season as well as bag limits are set by Federal authorities on the basis of late summer hatching data. This applies to both waterfowl and mourning doves.

He suggested that Texans state their addresses clearly so that the response may be catalogued on the basis of areas, mainly as to South Texas and North Texas. This mail should be addressed to SPORTSMEN'S POLL, Game & Fish Commission, Austin, Texas.

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Miss Mary Mills came home from Seminole, Texas, last Friday, where she had been teaching. On Sunday, she and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mills, and Miss Bettie Blue, left for a visit with the Mills' son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Spencer at Roswell, New Mexico.

Mrs. Stafford Baxter and son, Bill and family, of Waynoka, Oklahoma, came in on Thursday night of last week and left early Friday morning for Lockhart, where they attended funeral services for Mrs. Baxter's mother. They visited with Miss Kathryn Baxter in Waco and all came to Santa Anna Saturday afternoon.

Bill and family returned home Sunday morning. Mrs. Baxter returned to Waco with Miss Baxter, from which place she will return to Oklahoma.

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WHILE THE WEATHER along the Potomac has remained cool thus far, already there are outcroppings of frazzled nerves and irritation in some quarters. That has been particularly true in the case of President Truman who of late has been snapping impatiently at Congress and at most all others who do not see

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Time To Join Cotton Improvement Group

It's time to join a cotton improvement group.

This reminder comes to cotton farmers today from H. J. Matejowsky of Production and Marketing Administration's cotton classing office, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Abilene, Texas.

"If you belong to an improvement group last year, get with your neighbors and bring your organization up to date," Mr. Matejowsky said, adding, "and if you don't belong to one, join one."

He explained an application form could be obtained from the county PMA office, county agent, or local ginners.

Farmers who organize into improvement groups get two special benefits from the USDA — free classification and market news service.

Both are provided for under the Smith-Doxey Act, which encourages farmers to grow improved varieties of cotton particularly adapted to their soil.

Mr. Matejowsky said that as soon as all farmers in the group have planted their cotton, the application for classing and market news service should be mailed to his office. Address is P. O. Box 2001, Abilene, Texas.

First Baptist Church News

The Vacation Bible School at the First Baptist Church is having a splendid attendance. It is scheduled to run through Friday, June 6, with Commencement at 8:00 p. m. on the evening of the last day.

The attendance of 101 for Tuesday, the second day of the school was above the attendance of 1950 and 1951. These boys and girls between the ages of 4 and 16 years are being given added Bible study and character development helps through stories and handwork.

An invitation is extended to any boy or girl in Santa Anna or community to attend the second week of the school.

The pastor, Harry C. Wigger, is speaking on the Eighth Commandment in a series of messages on the Ten Commandments at the Sunday morning services. The message on June 1 will be "A Man's Possessions".

J. T. Avants Marks Birthday

Mrs. J. T. Avants honored her husband last Tuesday night with a birthday party at their home near Rockwood.

Friends invited for games and ice cream were: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter, and Don, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Estes and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams, Mac and Carolyn and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick.

Mrs. Bill Lowery returned last week from a two weeks visit with her husband who is working in the oil fields at Lampasas.

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Registration For Summer Course at San Marcos College

San Marcos — Registration for the first summer six weeks term at Southwest Texas State Teachers College will be held June 2, beginning at 7 a. m.

Registration will be according to an alphabetical arrangement with persons whose last names begin with letters A to D registering from 7 to 8:30; E to I, 8:30 to 10; J to Mc, 10 to 11:30; M to P, 1 to 2; Q to T, 2 to 3; and U to Z, 3 to 4. Students who do not register at the appointed time may do so during the 3 to 4 period. Registration machinery will be set up in the library.

Night students will not register at this time, but will follow a schedule to be announced later. Dr. J. Lloyd Read, registrar, said this week.

Big Business To Help Small Businessman

(This is one of a series of articles that will present facts about Federal spending.)

Uncle Sam is making big business out of helping small business. This is a development which the West Texas Chamber of Commerce points out in a plea that "our government in Washington give some real help to the nation's small businesses by reducing Federal spending, cutting the taxes on the small business man, and getting rid of bureaucratic red tape and restrictions."

If Congress should vote the full amount requested next year for the "small business" activities of the various Federal agencies and of Congress itself, the WTCC figured the total bill to run them would be about \$8,000,000 annually. Most of this money would go for salaries of more than 1,300 persons on various Federal "small business" agency payrolls.

Representative J. Vaughan Gary (D., Va.) of the House Appropriations Committee added the number of actual employees on small business activities in 11 Federal agencies and found that these alone totaled 757 persons. On top of all this, an appropriation of \$3,100,000 is now asked to support the newly created small Defense Plants Administration which would have a payroll of some 500 employees next year.

Still others are similarly employed in connection with the Federal Government's foreign economic aid programs. The activities of the Senate and House Committees on Small Business cost more than \$150,000 a year.

Weather Aids Wildlife Gain

Austin — The Assistant Director of Wildlife Restoration for the Texas Game & Fish Commission said recent rains have aided wildlife in most areas of the state.

"He said the moisture came at a crucial period of the spring nesting of such major game bird species as quail, mourning dove and turkey.

The rains also have stimulated growth of food and cover for deer and other game animals, as well as providing needed water.

The Assistant Director pointed out that the rains have not yet broken the drought in important parts of South Texas and West Texas.

One of the greatest benefits from the rains is the effect it will have on turkey nesting in the Hill country of Texas which provides estimated ninety per cent of Texas turkey hunting.

"The Assistant Director said this vital area has missed a good hatch for three previous years with the result that the brood stock has been hard hit.

"Without rain to grow cover for nesting, wild turkeys simply do not have a disposition to nest," he said. "Then many of the birds hatching died for lack of food and water."

Reports from field men to the Commission described spring prospects as "generally good" excepting the scattered areas which still are suffering from drought.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Golston and Evelyn will be leaving Thursday for Houston for a visit with relatives. From there, they will go to Leesville, Louisiana for an indefinite stay with their daughter, Mrs. Paul James. Lt. James is in Germany.

J. D. Center, Jr., of Justice stopped by and visited with his aunt, Mrs. Maude Smith on Wednesday of last week.

Statement By Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson

Prepared for delivery on Senate Floor

Mr. President: On Saturday night, May 17, the President of the United States addressed a private organization. During the course of his remarks, he took occasion to refer to a bill which recently passed this body — the so-called Tidelands legislation.

Mr. Truman's language on his subject can be most charitably described as "unusual". It was particularly unusual in that he still has a Constitutional duty to perform in respect to this legislation. He must approve, disapprove, or permit it to become law without his signature.

Ordinarily, the President's decisions on these matters are communicated directly to the Congress. There are well-established channels for such communications. For some reason known only to himself, Mr. Truman did not see fit to make use of those channels.

Instead, he decided to inform Congress of his attitude through the medium of a political forum and the press. He told the forum that the legislation represented "robbery in broad daylight — and on a colossal scale."

There is robbery involved in this issue. But who is robbing whom?

For more than 100 years these submerged lands have been considered part of the public domain of my state. That viewpoint has been upheld by international treaty, three Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States, the National Association of Attorneys General, the Governors Conference, an overwhelming majority of the members of the House of Representatives, and a substantial majority of the members of the United States Senate.

The Tidelands legislation would confirm what all these people have held — that the submerged lands belong to the States. It would block an outrageous attempt to take from the States property that is rightfully theirs.

The President's statement on robbery is no more accurate than his statement on ownership of the submerged lands. Possibly if he had taken the time to look up the facts, he would not have been so reckless in his language.

In his prepared statement, the President said that Federal ownership had been "affirmed by the Supreme Court of the United States." I do not believe that is an accurate statement of the facts.

The actual facts are these. The Solicitor General asked the Court to rule that the Federal Government was possessed of paramount rights of proprietorship in the submerged lands. Instead, the Court refrained from passing on the question of ownership and came up with the

Dairy Products "Key Foods" Truman Says

Chicago, — Official White House recognition of dairy foods as "key foods" in the American diet has been issued by President Truman in connection with June Dairy Month, it has been announced here by the National Dairy Council, headquarters for the annual national observance which begins June 1.

In a letter to C. R. Schoby, Iowa dairy farmer and Chairman of the National Sponsor Committee for June Dairy Month, President Truman said:

"Adequate food supplies are vital in building and maintaining the full productive strength of all our people.

"The dairy industry has a major role to play in this effort. Dairy products are key foods, contributing greatly to the high dietary levels we have reached in this country. At this season, when milk production is reaching the highest volume for the year, it is appropriate to re-emphasize the industry's contribution to national health and welfare.

"Ample supplies of dairy products — and all other needed food commodities —" the President continued, "will keep us strong at home. They will also help make it possible for us to continue extending a helping hand to those friends abroad who join with us in building the defenses of our free world."

June Dairy Month is sponsored each year by 14 national organizations. Chairmanship of the Sponsor Committee rotates annually.

doctrine that the Federal Government possessed "paramount rights" only.

Who is robbing whom? The States that seek to protect their own property of the Federal bureaucracy that seeks to take it away from them?

Mr. Truman may, if he wishes, accuse the distinguished jurists, State Officials and legislators I have mentioned of being guilty of "robbery in broad daylight." But the people will look at the facts and decide just who is the

thief and who is the victim.

Mr. President, this is a day when the air is full of strange and unusual doctrines. The steel mills have been seized upon the pretext that the President has "inherent powers" that override the plain language of the Constitution. An attempt is being made to seize the submerged lands on the pretext that the Federal Government has "paramount rights" regardless of the question of ownership — from whatever source it

Both doctrines — the inherent powers and the paramount rights — are defended largely by reckless charges and wild accusations.

Personally, I do not think the members of this body are going to be influenced by intemperate language or intimidated by political statements. I do not believe they will vote to set aside custom, agreement, tradition, and the Constitution because of pressure — from whatever source it may come.

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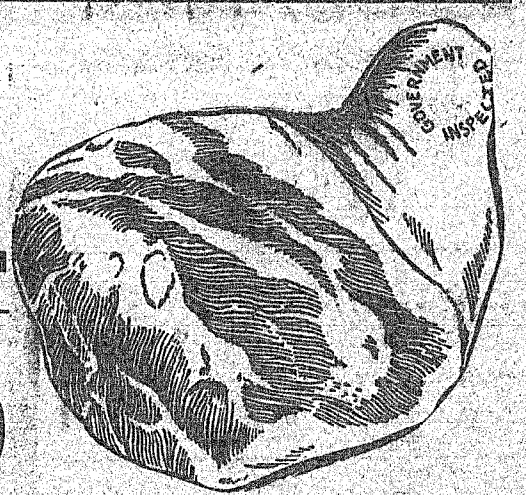
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