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J. C. Welch Dies In California

J. C. Welch, father of Arlie Welch, died in Yucaita, California, Thursday, November 24, at 11:00 a. m. after an illness since last January. Services for Mr. Welch were held at Delano, California, at 10 a. m. Saturday, with burial in the Delano Cemetery. He was 79 years of age.

Mr. Welch moved to Santa Anna in 1920 from near Bangs, and lived here about 15 years. During his stay here he was associated with the law enforcement agencies of the county and is still quite well known by a large number of old-timers here. He moved from Santa Anna to Arizona and later to California, where he has made his home for the past 15 years.

His first wife passed away about 48 years ago. Survivors by that marriage are: L. A. Welch of Santa Anna, Mrs. Agnes Driskill, Mrs. E. M. White, J. C. Welch, Jr., all of Coleman, and Roy Welch of Jafrel, Texas. He is also survived by his second wife and four children, all of whom live in California.

Billy Graham Film To Be At First Baptist Tuesday

The Rev. Billy Graham film, "Oiltown, U. S. A." will be shown at the First Baptist Church on Tuesday evening, December 6, beginning at 7:30 p. m. No admission will be charged and all 400 seats of the church will be a "first come" basis.

Rev. A. G. Purvis, pastor of the church, said the picture is in natural color and is approximately 90 minutes in length. He extended an invitation to the general public to see the picture.

The film features the Evangelist Billy Graham and members of his team in their city-wide evangelistic crusade in Houston, Texas. Highlighting the film are scenes from the meeting in Rice Stadium where 60,000 gathered to hear Graham for one of the largest evangelistic meetings in American history.

"Oiltown, U. S. A." is the second major film made by Billy Graham. This film centers around the life of Lance Manning, a wealthy Texas oil man, who was one of the 60,000 to attend the Sunday afternoon Billy Graham services in Rice Stadium.

There were 74 men on the Mayflower.

Christmas Opening Parade to be Friday

Flower Show And Bazaar To Be Held Friday

A large flower show and bazaar will be held in the Payne Building, next door to the Blue Hardware Co., Friday, December 2, in connection with the Christmas Opening in Santa Anna. The show will be sponsored by the Mountain City Garden Club and anyone interested in flowers is invited to enter an arrangement and everyone is invited to visit the show.

Three divisions have been announced and each will be judged and ribbons awarded. The divisions will include Dried Flowers, Christmas Arrangements, and Miscellaneous Arrangements.

A Silver Tea will be held in connection with the flower show.

The general public is invited to contribute gifts of handiwork, craftwork, home rooted plants, etc., for a bazaar to be held during the afternoon hours. Gifts of money will also be appreciated.

All the funds derived from the afternoon's activities will go into the Garden Club's Cemetery Beautification Program Fund. The cemetery is the primary project of the club and in order that they carry on this work, they must have needed funds.

Your help and visit to the show will be appreciated.

Coleman Woman Wins Free News Subscription

Mrs. Annie Bowen of Coleman is the winner of the free subscription to The Santa Anna News this week for correctly identifying Mystery Farm No. 33 as being the Mrs. W. C. Sharp farm south of Santa Anna in the Cross Roads community. This is the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dean.

Others who correctly identified the Mystery Farm are: Louie McCain, Mrs. T. E. Bowden, Mrs. Ray Dean, John Haynes.

City Amends Fire Cracker Ordinance

At a called meeting of the City Council on Tuesday afternoon, the city officials amended Section 2 of City Ordinance No. 186, which prohibited the sale of fireworks within the city limits, to prohibiting the sale of fireworks and other combustibles within the city fire zone.

They did not change the part of the ordinance prohibiting the shooting of fireworks within the city limits and fines for conviction of such can amount to as much as \$100.

Elsewhere in this issue of The News is the Notice of the change in the ordinance.

Telephone Co-op. Gets Go Ahead On Construction

George M. Johnson, manager of the Coleman County Telephone Cooperative, announced this week the organization had received notice from Washington they had acquired enough equities in the Coleman County Telephone Coop for money that had been appropriated previously, to be released for purchasing new switch boards and construction of lines to the areas in the south part of the country where the new telephone system will go into operation first.

Johnson said bids would be taken on all the switch boards and when the delivery dates were established on them, the organization would then begin construction on the lines at a time to make delivery of the switch board and line construction completed about the same time.

He said most of the staking was completed with the exception of the route from Santa Anna to Rockwood and from Santa Anna to Trickham. Work is in progress on the Trickham line and is pending on the Rockwood line, waiting to see the exact route the State Highway Department will go with the new Rockwood Highway, now under consideration.

Johnson said he expected it would be soon after the first of the year before bids on the switch boards could be called for and was not sure about the time construction on the lines would be started. Depending on the size of the switch boards, sometimes it takes several months (possibly more than a year) to get delivery. However, Johnson said they were doing everything possible to hurry the work up and assured everyone that the new system would be completed just as soon as possible, but added that it would still take a lot of time before the project is completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy were in Friona for Thanksgiving for a reunion of the Taylor family in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Hands. Others from a distance at Friona were: Mrs. Woodrow Copeland and son of Centerville, Calif., and Mrs. Worth Hawkins of San Pablo, Calif. They came to Santa Anna and were weekend visitors in the Hardy home. Mrs. Hawkins visited the News office and renewed her Santa Anna News subscription. The Hardy's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Tubbs of College Station, were also weekend visitors.

Mrs. J. J. Kirkpatrick visited at Thanksgiving and several days afterward, at Lohn, with her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Caylor and family.

Mrs. Kate Holmes visited over the Thanksgiving holidays with her son, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lovelady and Barbara, in Texas City.

Dr. C. M. Henner Returns Here

Doctor Charles Henner, well known physician and surgeon in this area, is returning to Santa Anna Hospital to continue his practice. This announcement was made by Rev. N. R. Dower, president of the Texas Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, which now owns and operates the hospital.

Doctor Henner was scheduled to leave shortly for Trinidad in the British West Indies to be chief of surgeons in the denomination's hospital on this island. He had already passed the British Medical Boards, and was getting ready to sail.

Because of the Conference's inability to find a suitable replacement for him, and because of Doctor Henner's love for, and interest in, the people of Santa Anna and Coleman County, a special request was made to the Adventist Mission Board to defer the appointment for a year or more. At present the conference is endeavoring to locate doctors to assist Henner in order to meet expanding needs of this institution.

"We want to find the best qualified physicians available anywhere for this hospital, and we need time to get them," Mr. Dower said.

Lions Club Pancake Sale To Be Friday

The annual Santa Anna Lions Club Pancake Sale will be held on Friday, December 2, in the W. R. Kelley building. Pancakes will be served from 11:30 a. m. to 1:30 p. m. and from 3:00 p. m. to 8:00 p. m.

All the pancakes you can eat along with all the accessories that go with them will be served. Prices of admission are 60 cents for adults and 35 cents for children. Admission may be paid at the door or you can still purchase tickets from most members of the Lions Club.

The Lions contest to determine which side would see that Aunt Jemima was in the parade was completed Tuesday at noon at the regular meeting. The team headed by Bill Talley sold the most tickets, leaving the team headed by Kenneth Bowker in charge of arranging transportation for Aunt Jemima.

Everyone is invited to eat pancakes sometime during the day. All the money derived from the Pancake Sale will go into the Lions Club Charity Fund, for the purpose of giving help to persons who need it.

Mrs. R. O. White of Rankin came Tuesday afternoon and spent the night with her mother, Mrs. H. M. Smith. She left for Fort Worth Wednesday to attend a workshop on "Knowing our World." The gathering to be held in the Amon Carter Y. M. C. A. building was scheduled to last until Friday noon with people attending from many other states besides Texas. Mrs. White, Santa Anna reared, is the former Lila Belle Smith, a splendid speaker and one of the most prominent Methodist Women in Texas. She plans on her return to spend Friday night with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Upton visited at Thanksgiving in Abilene with their son, Tommie Upton Jr. and family. Their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Miller and daughter, Maylane, of Cross Plains, visited with them at the weekend.

Danny Hitt, brother of Rev. Rodney Hitt, on leave from the Navy, was here last Sunday with a girl friend. They attended services in the morning at the First Christian Church and visited with the Rodney Hitt's.

Time To Write Santa That Letter

Parents are urged to remind their children that this is the time of year for them to write their Letter To Santa Claus.

Each year The Santa Anna News publishes all the letters to Santa Claus that we receive and we would like to have one from every child in the community area.

In order that the children's Letters to Santa Claus might be published, all they have to do is write the letter and either bring it to The News office or mail it to: SANTA CLAUS, SANTA ANNA, TEXAS.

Closing date for receiving these letters this year will be Monday, December 19. All letters must be in by that time and we would appreciate it if they were received as soon as practicable in December.

Conservation Field Program Set On Monday

A conservation equipment field program has been announced for Monday, December 5, 1955, at 1:30 p. m. on the Lynn Riley farm one mile of the Coleman County Courthouse.

The program is sponsored by supervisors of the Central Colorado Soil Conservation district, Farmers Home Administration and local implement dealers.

The purpose of the program is to show the various types of equipment that can be used to reduce run-off of rainfall, increase deep storage of moisture, to better effect moisture conservation, and to reduce the cost of operations. Also, Soil and Water Conservation loans will be discussed.

Types of implements that local farm implement dealers plan to show will include shedders, one and two-point chisels to fracture plow plans; tool-bar and Graham-Hoeme type chisel plows to accomplish land preparation, mulching, crop residues, and moisture saving; planter-cultivator combination used as a single unit to save moisture and to reduce the cost of operations.

The general public and particularly the farmers and ranchers of this area, are urged to attend this program.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Everett and daughter, Jayne, of Corpus Christi, came on Wednesday night of last week and visited with his mother, Mrs. Frances Everett. A daughter-in-law, Mrs. Hildegrade Everett of Eastland, visited with her at the same time. On Thursday a grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Leon Everett and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mackey, of Abilene visited with them. On Friday, the Pat Everetts and Mrs. Frances Everett returned to Eastland with Mrs. Hildegrade Everett and all went to Abilene to spend the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Brannan and Mr. and Mrs. Curran Pieratt visited Mr. and Mrs. Afton Pieratt and daughter, Tina Marcell, in Roswell, N. M., for the Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Burgess Weaver visited at Thanksgiving with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Weaver in Austin. Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Weaver and children of Dallas also visited with them and all had a pleasant time together.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Stewardson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ellis and family, in the Sloan Community near San Saba, Sunday. A sister, Mrs. Frank Allen, Jr., returned with them for a short visit.

A big parade at 2:30 p. m. Friday will mark the opening of the Christmas shopping season in Santa Anna. Everyone throughout the Santa Anna area is invited to visit in Santa Anna during the day and to see the parade.

Santa Claus will be in the parade and will have lots of treats for the children. After the parade he will meet with the children between the bank and hotel buildings and discuss their Christmas wishes with them.

Plans are being made for several nice floats to be in the parade along with bands from several neighboring towns. The local bands will also be in the parade and it is expected that a large number of school children will dress up their bicycles and themselves in a variety of costumes and enter the parade.

The local merchants will all have their windows decorated along the Christmas theme and a bronze trophy will be presented to the one with the best window.

Cash prizes will be awarded the top floats in the parade, along with cash prizes for the children.

The local merchants have made extra nice selections of Christmas merchandise for this holiday season and it is believed residents of this area will find outstanding merchandise in all types of stores in Santa Anna.

Everyone is reminded that it is much easier and much better to shop early. In this manner you avoid the last minute crowds and also you get first choice in all types of items.

Several stores are featuring gift certificates this year which is good for the giver as well as the receiver. Some other gift suggestions might include jewelry items for girls, dressing junior in styles similar to dad; electrical appliances are nice for the kitchen and other rooms in the home; there are lots of novel gifts in cosmetic line for women; for the sportsman there are lots of suggestions such as guns, gun accessories, reels, lures, etc.; and there is a wide variety of toys and dolls for the younger children; men always appreciate gifts of clothing; there are lots of yard gifts for those who enjoy working outside; teen-age girls like lots of pretty clothes and little girls like dressy clothes also; furniture gifts are always nice for the home; the entire family will enjoy photographic gifts.

During this season of the year you will be able to find lots of nice gift suggestions in the pages of The Santa Anna News. We urge you to visit Santa Anna for the annual Christmas Opening and plan your seasons shopping from these pages.

Mrs. R. F. Miller and Hays were in Abilene for the Thanksgiving holidays visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Marshall Cornelius. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lovelady took them to Abilene and went to Breckenridge to visit.

Happy Birthday

"Happy Birthday" to all who have birthdays during the next week. Below are listed the birthdays we have this week. If you would like your name added to our list, please let us know when your birthday is.

DECEMBER 2

W. F. Trull

James Sluder

DECEMBER 3

Mrs. H. M. Smith

DECEMBER 4

Mrs. A. L. Oder

DECEMBER 5

Geneva Estes

DECEMBER 7

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Mrs. Fox Johnson

Next week we will publish the names of those having birthdays between Friday, December 9 and Thursday, December 15. If you would like to have the date of your birth published, please be sure to let us know.



Aunt Jemima, well known member of the Quaker Oat Company family, will be in Santa Anna all day Friday, December 2 to supervise the serving of pancakes carrying her name at the annual Lions Club Pancake Sale, which will be held in the former Santa Anna Hardware Co. building at the corner of Walls Avenue and North 1st Street. Pancakes will be served from 11:30 a. m. to 1:30 p. m. and from 3:00 p. m. to 8:00 p. m. Aunt Jemima will also be in the big Christmas Parade at 2:30 p. m.

Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bryan attended the Baptist Brotherhood Meeting at White Chapel last Monday evening.

Mrs. J. T. Avants and boys, Melvin and Larry, of Anton, spent the holidays visiting with friends and relatives and looking after their crop. Larry spent Friday night with Jo'ed and Korky Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Briscoe, Lana and Randy, spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter and Don. Friday evening guests in the Hunter home were Mrs. Avants and boys, Mrs. Jack Bostick, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wise and boys. Melvin Avants spent Friday night with

Don. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunter of Coleman were Sunday guests in the Hunter home.

Mrs. Jack Bostick went to Houston Monday to bring her grandchildren, Ann and Danny Bostick for a visit.

R. W. Nevans was a patient in Brady hospital Friday and Sat.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Dean and children visited relatives in Fort Worth during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bryan visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes and Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter.

Thanksgiving holiday guests with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson were: Mrs. Cecil Richardson and children of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Richardson and Betty of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dudley of Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. Jim West and Cleve of Bridgeport, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Phenix and Cynthia

of Big Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cooper and children of Jayton.

Mrs. Kate McIlvain went to Fort Worth by bus, last Tuesday where she joined Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Smitherman, going by car to spend Thanksgiving with the Smitherman's daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams and family of Hampshire were also guests.

Holiday guests with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson were: Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Jackman and Gay Nell of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Manness of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart of Whon for Thanksgiving, Friday and Saturday guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Cap Johnson and family of Jarrell, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Johnson and children of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Fox Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Jack McSwane and Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller served a turkey dinner and all the "fixin's" to Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Pike and girls of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Selke and Rhonda, Mrs. Fannie Pike, of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McQueen of Gruver, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Mosier of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Davenport and LaNelle of Coleman, Mrs. J. W. Wise and Mrs. J. W. Box, on Thursday as a combination Thanksgiving and Christmas dinner.

A turkey dinner and all the "trimmings" was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes. Guests were Mr. Herman Estes, Kenneth and Sue of Bovina, Mr. and Mrs. Don Estes, Alissa Kay and Randy of Merkel, Barbara and Peggy McIntire.

John Hunter spent last Thursday at Richland Springs with his brother, Ruff, and family.

Morris Straughan of McCamey, Miss Bernice Johnson of Coleman, Marcus Johnson, Jerry and Nikki were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fox Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Richardson visited Sunday afternoon with the Johnsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Moore of Coleman visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Hyatt Moore.

Thanksgiving Day guests with Mr. and Mrs. Drury Estes were: Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Estes of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Munkins and Gaylon and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Estes and Phyllis of Coleman, Mrs. Wayne Thompson and Mike of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes were afternoon callers.

The Clinton Estes' and Mr. and Mrs. Drury Estes accompanied the folks to Coleman Thursday afternoon and visited to Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Estes and Phyllis and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Estes again visited the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drury Estes on Sunday before returning to their homes. Mrs. Ray Caldwell was a Sunday caller in the Estes home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutherford and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary spent the weekend in San Angelo with Mrs. Gussie Wise. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Echols of Fort Worth were also guests with Mrs. Wise and came by Sunday afternoon enroute home and visited Mrs. J. W. Box and Miss Linnie.

Wednesday to Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McCreary were Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCreary and girls of Memphis and Mrs. Glenn Jones and boys of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Baum of McAdoo, Mrs. Jones' parents, were also Saturday guests in the McCreary home.

Mrs. Bill Steward and Sonsy visited relatives in Fort Worth Wednesday to Sunday. They were joined by Mr. Steward who is employed in Graham and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson of Dallas.

Mr. N. J. Buttry is a patient in the Brady hospital having received surgery Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Porter of Utopia are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Steward and James.

Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford were: Mr. and Mrs. Alton Davis of Baird, Mrs. Wagie Montgomery and George Wayne of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper, Louise, David and Ronnie and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper and family.

College students home for Thanksgiving holidays were Misses Neva and Bobbie Rehm of Tarleton, in Stephenville and Joey Bryan of Texas Tech in Lubbock.

The Rev. Floyd Heard filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church at both Sunday services. He and his family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan and Leann.

Mrs. Ralph Hall, of Goldthwaite and her son, Dan, who is stationed at San Antonio, visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hall. Mrs. Minta Scoggins, Billy Ed and Molinda Ann and Miss Pearl Castleman of Wichita Falls spent Thursday and Friday in the Hall home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Day, Sherry and Susie spent Thursday and Friday in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Coy Day. The Cecil Days visited Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and family at Whon.

Mrs. Bill Steward and Sonsy

spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. James Estes and Kathy of Santa Anna spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Estes and Geneva.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Thomas and three children from Illinois, spent one day last week with their grandfather, J. A. Estes, and Mr. and Mrs. John Horsman. Mrs. Flora Thomas of Mineral Wells and Mrs. Coy Davis and baby spent last Tuesday in the Estes home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Horsman visited Friday and Saturday with their son, Clyde Horsman, and family at Thrifty.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box reports their son, M/Sgt. A. W. Box of Fort Lewis, Washington, has arrived at Camp Polk, La., to take part in Operation Sagebrush. It took the Convoy of 125 trucks two weeks to travel from Fort Lewis to Camp Polk.

Thanksgiving guests with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King and Mrs. J. C. King were Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Rothermel of Fort Worth and Mrs. George Hill of Houston.

Mrs. Lige Lancaster of Trichham and Mrs. Linten Oakes, Linda, Robert Linten and Charlotte of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Willie King of Coleman were Thursday afternoon guests.

Friday afternoon guests in the King home were Dr. Joe Floyd and family of El Paso and Mrs. Minnie Floyd of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kemp and Mr. W. M. McCarrell were in Coleman Wednesday evening to enjoy a birthday dinner honoring Roy Glenn Gardner. The Gardner family were Thanksgiving dinner guests in the Kemp home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemp and Mr. McCarrell visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Traylor at Coleman to see the College Students that were home for the holidays.

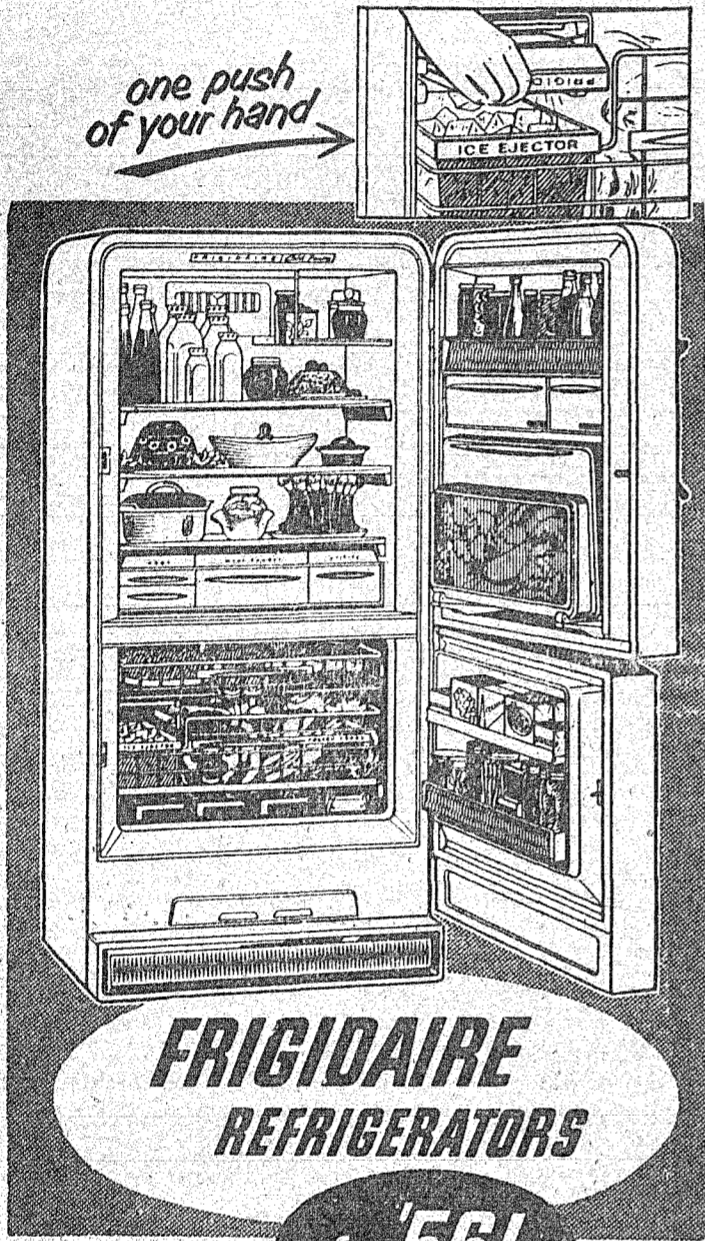
Sunday callers with Mrs. Fred Shuford were Mrs. M. D. Bryan, Mrs. Roy Blackwell and Diane and Mrs. Lee Miller.

Tuesday guests in the Carl Buttry home, also with Mrs. Bob Halmon, Jerry Carl and Milana Kay, were: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wright and children of San Angelo. Thursday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Halmon and baby of Monahans, Mrs. Billy Maness of Brownwood and Mrs. R. W. Jackman of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Hawley Green and Roger of San Angelo were Saturday visitors.

Mrs. Bobby Halmon was a business visitor in San Angelo Friday.

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Modern Day Circus - Parade of Progress To Be In Abilene Friday To Monday

A modern day circus of science opens on the Hardin-Simmons University Campus in Abilene on Friday, December 2, with something new under the big top.

No wild animal will be seen, but the roar of a jet engine will bespeak of more horsepower than could be summoned by all the king's horses.

There will be sideshows, but no raucous barkers — only the college trained accents of lecturers who speak with assurance of the wonders of present-day science and what the future has in store.

The occasion will be the opening of General Motor's colorful and thrilling Parade of Progress, which will be in Abilene through Monday, December 5. Show hours will be as follows: Friday — 7 to 10 p. m.; Saturday — 1 to 10 p. m.; Sunday — 1 to 6 p. m.; and Monday — 1 to 10 p. m. There is no admission charge for the tent show or 26 major outside exhibits.

Feature event of the Parade of Progress is its spectacular 40-minute stage show, which is presented every hour on the hour in the specially-built Aerodome tent. In a series of fast-moving demonstrations on the stage, young lecturers fry an egg on a stove that never gets hot, make synthetic rubber in a pop bottle and operate a small electrical motor on power from the sun.

These and other bits of scientific legerdemain demonstrate the miracles of engineering in physics, electronics, chemistry and allied fields.

Besides the tent show, the Parade has two dozen exhibits

built into giant Futurliners — big shining highway vehicles which appear like classic hybrids born on a bus and a truck.

A favorite among these is "Our American Crossroads," a panoramic spectacle which points out the physical changes that have come to America through the automobile.

Narrated by famed radio personality, "Titus Moody," the exhibit has moving panels which show how a crossroads village became a town over a 50-year period. As the scenery shifts, new buildings spring up, mud lanes become concrete highways crowded with moving model cars and cornfields become suburban developments.

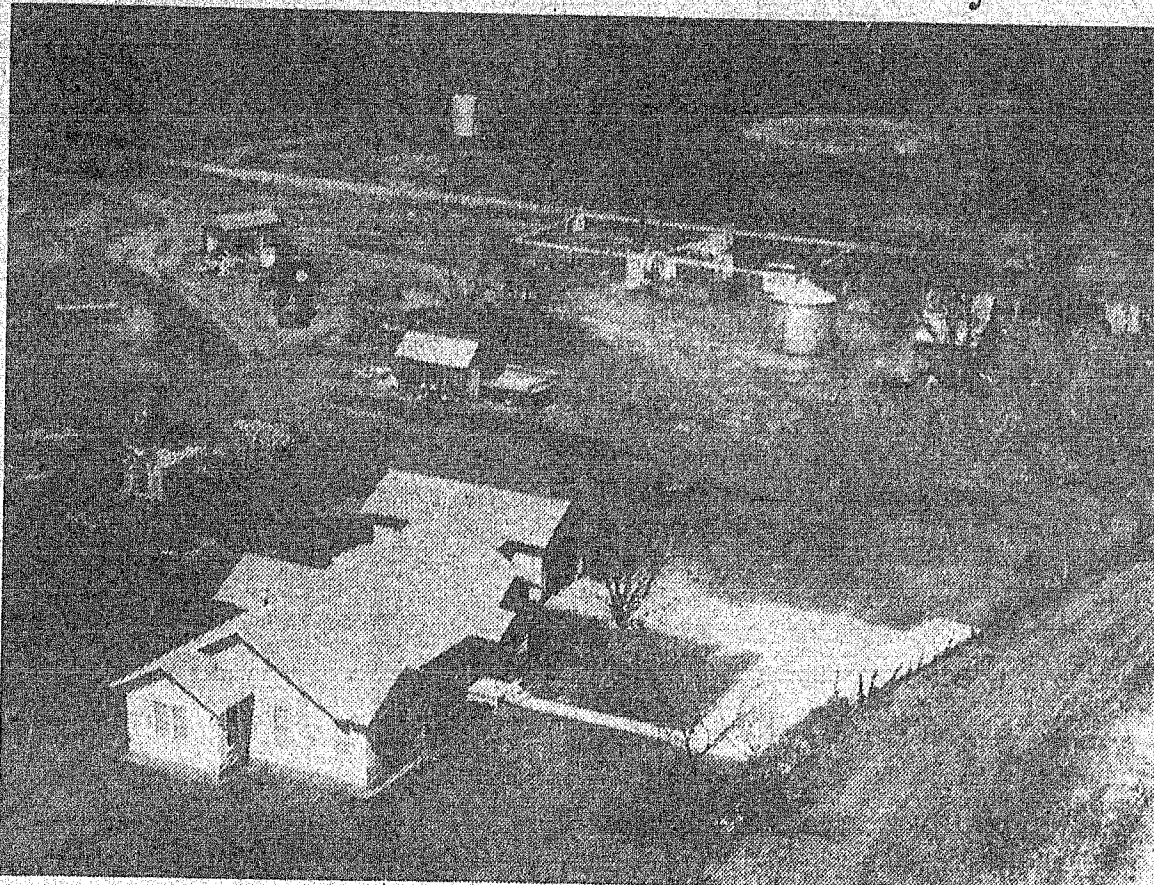
Using the same exhibit technique, GM has built a new exhibit, also shown at the Parade, called "Out of the Highway Muddle." One of the most complex bits of showmanship ever devised, it, too, tells the story of urban and rural growth, with particular emphasis on the traffic problems thus created. Step by step, it shows what made the problems and how they can be eliminated.

Now completing the third year of a projected five-year nationwide tour, the Parade of Progress is making its first swing through west Texas.

Frances McClellan and Annette Johnson, Seniors at N. T. S. C., Denton, were holiday visitors with the home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hunter spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their son, Brownlee Hunter, and family in Austin.

MYSTERY FARM NO. 34 - Can You Identify It?



If you can correctly identify the above Mystery Farm, you will have a chance of winning a free subscription to The Santa Anna News for one year and all who correctly identify the Mystery Farm will have their names published in next week's issue of The News.

The contest for the free subscription begins each week when

The News is mailed and ends each Monday at 5:00 p. m. The drawing for the free subscription will be held immediately after 5:00 p. m.

If the owner or operator of the above Mystery Farm will call at The News office not later than 5:00 p. m. Monday, we will present you with a beautiful 5x7 enlargement of the above

picture, absolutely free of charge. At the time you call for the picture an interview will be held and that will be published in next week's issue of The News.

The picture is presented with the compliments of The Santa Anna News, recognizing farming and ranching for the big business it is.

New Texas Almanac Ready For Public

The biggest Texas Almanac yet, celebrating its 100th anniversary, has just been published by The Dallas Morning News. The new book's 768 pages of reading matter, statistical tables, pictures, charts and maps constitute the most complete reference book on Texas ever published. In addition to current information, the book contains much historical matter.

The tremendous growth of Texas in recent years is shown by facts and figures on the development of all kinds of re-

sources and activities in every branch of human endeavor, including history, population, oil and other minerals, water, soils, native plant and animal life, farming and livestock raising, manufacturing, transportation, government and education.

Among the thousands of facts, one finds such a variety as the attendance of Decatur Baptist College, value of hay grown in Texas in 1890, location of the Davy Crockett Wild Game Area, money taken by the state from tidelands oil, Montague County bank deposits, property damage by Texas tornadoes, name of the Mayor of Tloga, shortest rail-

road in Texas and the altitude of Potato Top Peak.

One feature is the new census of Texas agriculture with county-by-county tables on present crop and livestock volumes and values, farm characteristics and values, farm mechanization and irrigation. Special features include history of Texas cattle industry, description of Texas wildflowers, survey of soils by regions and classes, kinds and value of minerals produced in each county, location of more than 100 of Texas' largest ranches, early Texas cattle trails and stage routes, and statistical history of Texas banking.

Specials For December 1, 2 & 3

Regular \$1.59 Value
54-Inch Indian Head Yd. \$1.39
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Velvet Belts, Reg. \$1.00 Now 79c
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Santa Anna Invited To Have Special Day At Stock Show

Santa Anna has been extended an invitation to have a special day at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth.

President-Manager W. R. Watt, in a letter to the Chamber of Commerce, expressed appreciation for the cooperation extended in past seasons.

"Last year," the letter stated, "almost 100 cities and organizations had 'days' and their organized delegations, cow and sweethearts, band and in many instances riding clubs, gained recognition for their communities and organizations, added 'color' and contributed greatly to the success of the exposition.

"We hope that you will have a 'day' which we will be happy to publicize; and we are sure that your delegation will have a fine time and, at the same time, will be helping the Stock Show as it serves the great livestock industry of our Southwest."

Dates of the show are Friday, Jan. 27 through Sunday, Feb. 5.

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Mrs. A. E. Campbell and Mrs. Iva Hillman returned home on Saturday from a visit of a week among Mrs. Campbell's children. The Wendell Campbells at Stanton, Mrs. Girdle Campbell at Floydada and Mrs. Jack Parnell at Paducah.

Don Davis, a Junior at McMurry College, Abilene, was home for the holidays and weekend visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Davis and Patricia.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Speck visited from Wednesday through Thanksgiving with their son, Adrain Speck, and wife in Dallas.

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Col. 3:17 — Whatsoever ye do, in word or in deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through Him.

YOU ARE WELCOME

Local Student To Take Tour With McMurry Chanters

Abilene — Melvin Pollock, former Santa Anna High School student, will leave Abilene Sunday (Dec. 4) with the McMurry College Chanters on the annual fall tour.

The 42-member mixed choral group will journey to communities in West Central Texas, singing in churches and high school assemblies. They will be accompanied by Dr. Richard C. von Ende, director.

The group will sing in Winters, Ballinger, Paint Rock, San Saba, Goldthwaite, Comanche, De Leon, Ranger, and Eastland. The final performance will be in the First Methodist Church in Eastland Wednesday evening, after which they will return to Abilene.

Pollock, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Pollock, was all-district fullback at Santa Anna High School in 1953 and won first

place in the UISL vocal solo contest. He is majoring in speech and minoring in music at McMurry. After graduation in 1959, he plans to teach in public school.

VISIT OF DEPUTY GRAND MATRON

Deputy Grand Matron, Exa Lane of Bangs, Chapter O. E. S., made her official visit to Santa Anna Chapter No. 247, Monday night, November 21st. Preceding the meeting Worthy Matron, Blanche Grantham, entertained her corps of officers and Deputy with a beautifully appointed buffet supper.

Deputy Exa Lane in bringing the Worthy Grand Matrons message said her motto for the year is, "Ideals", her Emblem, "The Star of the East, A Symphony of Service." Her main project for welfare work, our Ideal Home, at Arlington, Texas, where there are 780 Eastern Star members comfortably and happily taken care of.

Early Mailing Of Christmas Parcels Requested By P. O.

The Postoffice Department requests the citizens of this area to cooperate with them by getting all their Christmas mailings completed as early as possible. The earlier you get your mailing completed, the better for the Postoffice Department employees and the more likely yours will be delivered on time and in good condition.

Each year just before Christmas all the postal employees are swamped with an extra heavy burden of mail. It all must be handled as rapidly as possible and with the greatest care possible. Naturally, the sooner your mailing is completed, the better opportunity your mail will have to get to its destination on time.

MRS. HUNTER W. S. C. S. HOSTESS

A Thanksgiving theme was carried out when the Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Hunter near Rockwood, Monday afternoon, November 21.

The meeting opened with the group standing, giving Lord's Prayer in unison. Mrs. Tommy Briscoe and Mrs. Joe Wise directed recreation. Secret pal gifts were exchanged.

Refreshments of sandwiches, pumpkin pie, cocoa and coffee were served to Mes. Bob Johnson, Lee McMillan, M. A. Richardson, A. L. Crutcher, Fox Johnson, Jack McSwane, J. C. Ferguson, Kate McMillan, Sam Estes, Leon McMillan, John Hunter, Cecil Day, E. L. Estes, Joe Wise, Tommy Briscoe, Miss Ludy Jane Crutcher, the hostess, Mrs. J. A. Hunter and several children.

The Christmas Social will meet with Mrs. A. L. Crutcher, Monday, December 12, at 2:00 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray L. Davis, who moved recently from Oklahoma to Sanger, Texas, were weekend visitors with her mother, Mrs. Nannie Watson. Mr. Davis is Assistant Signalman working on Northern Division from Purcell, Okla., to Fort Worth. During their 18 months stay in several different towns, including Ardmore and Paul's Valley. In Texas they were at Gainesville and Valley View, before locating at Sanger.

Buy Savings Bonds For Christmas

Dallas — Mr. Nathan Adams and Mr. Ed Gossett, Co-Chairmen of the Savings Bonds Committee for the state, are urging all Texas Xmas Shoppers to include, among their Xmas purchases, "The Gift that keeps on giving." United States Savings Bonds. They said U. S. Savings Bonds for Christmas will help provide a brighter future — a Merrier Christmas year after year.

The co-chairmen advised that citizens of Texas had bought over 162 million dollars worth of U. S. Savings Bonds during the first 10 months of 1955. Bond sales throughout Texas, from January 1 thru October, totaled \$162,469,574, an increase of 19% over the same period for 1954.

Santa Anna Hospital News

Patients admitted and discharged from the Santa Anna Hospital during the past week are as follows:

ADMITTED:
James D. Green, Coleman
Barry Glynn Williams, Brownwood
Mrs. Lee Roy Arnold, Coleman
Edward Barker, Coleman
Vernon Campbell, city
Nicolas Delgado, Brownwood
Mrs. Lane Dillard, Coleman
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W. M. S. OBSERVES FOREIGN MISSION PROGRAM

"Haste, Pray, Make Known," was the theme of the Foreign Mission Program when the W. M. S. met at the Rockwood Baptist Church Monday afternoon, November 28.

The worship center was an open Bible on a table with a ribbon bookmark bearing the words "Tarry" and "Haste". Behind the Bible was a map of the world with a star above it and ribbon streamers reaching to the Bible.

Members of the W. M. S. taking part on the program were Mrs. F. E. McCreary, Mrs. Ray Steward, Mrs. Joe Wise, Mrs. Goldie Milberger, Mrs. Curtis Bryan, Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. Matt Estes, Mrs. Jim Rutherford, Mrs. Evan Wise and Mrs. Lon Gray. A cash offering was taken for foreign missions.

Mrs. Ray Steward and Mrs. Joe Wise served refreshments of cookies and coffee.

Mrs. Tom Wheatley returned home Saturday from a three weeks stay visiting with a granddaughter, Mrs. G. A. Wilson and family, in Houston. While there a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wilson. He has been named, Gary Allen Wilson.

Robert Flores returned Tuesday to his home in Ceres, California, after more than a weeks visit with his sister, Mrs. Sam McCrary, members of her family and other relatives in this area. He arrived on Monday of last week to attend funeral services for Mr. McCrary.

Mrs. Ernest Allen of Blanket visited Tuesday afternoon with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Hardy Blue.

J. W. Fulton was down town Tuesday afternoon for the first time since having surgery in a Brownwood hospital on November 13th. He is looking quite well.

Mrs. H. L. Biggs of Fort Worth has been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bartlett and helping to care for Mr. Bartlett took her to Dallas last week where she had treatments at a clinic and continues treatments at home. She seems to be getting along fairly well.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Golston and their granddaughter, Evelyn James, from Texas Tech, visited on Thanksgiving and until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul James in San Antonio. After returning here, Evelyn went on to Lubbock.

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NIWOT NEWS
BY THE NIWOT KIDS

Rev. Harold Orr brought the morning and night messages on Sunday. There was a good attendance for the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hughes and Ronald, Mrs. Dixie Cupps and Juanita visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh and girls Friday

night.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis visited Mrs. Edward Bishop of Bangs on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner and Fb visited Saturday night in the James Ford home.

Those visiting in the John Perry home over the weekend were: Mr. and Mrs. James Perry, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Huggins and children of Stratford, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh and girls.

Rev. Harold Orr, his mother, Mrs. Orr and a nephew, Henry Orr, were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbits. Also Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Bengé.

Mrs. Dixie Cupps and Mrs. Clark Miller visited Mrs. Claude Hodge Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner and Fb visited Sunday afternoon in the Elmer Cupps home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes visited with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis Friday night.

Mrs. Joe Flores spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Avants and Marty, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Bengé spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbits.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Battles spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. William Cupps and Juanita.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis had Thanksgiving Day dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller, Mr. and Mrs. James Ford and boys, Mrs. Harrell Cupps and children were bedtime visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner and Fb Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Bengé visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace and children.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Price had Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Evans and children of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hughes and Ronald of Bronte spent Friday and Saturday with Mrs. Dixie Cupps and Juanita.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Evans, Linda and Dana, visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Battles visited Mr. and Mrs. William Cupps and Juanita Sunday night and was to return to their home in California Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller visited in the William Cupps home Wednesday night.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Buffalo News

By Mrs. Don Eubanks

The Thanksgiving supper at the Buffalo School lunch room last Wednesday evening was well attended and everyone reported plenty of good food and a very pleasant evening.

Rev. Phil Schuler, pastor of the local Methodist Church, was the speaker for the evening. He was introduced by Rev. Melvin McCollum, Baptist pastor. Rev. Schuler discussed the many things we have to be thankful for. Mrs. Don Eubanks read "When the Frost is on the Punkin" by James Whitcomb Riley and the invocation was given by Mr. Oscar Pierce.

I believe every one present came away with a deeper appreciation of friends and neighbors and with heartfelt thanks for the blessings we enjoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Archer attended to business at Comanche last Thursday.

Mr. Brook Peyton is a guest of his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith of Vernon.

Mrs. John E. Brown of Santa Anna were dinner guests in the home of her son, William Brown, Thanksgiving.

Bobby Clawson spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his grandparents at Gustine.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pierce were dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Melvin McCollum Sunday.

Visiting in the Pierce home on Thursday were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Pierce of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. William Alman, also of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Todd of Snyder. Mrs. Neelie Byler, sister of Mr. Pierce was also present.

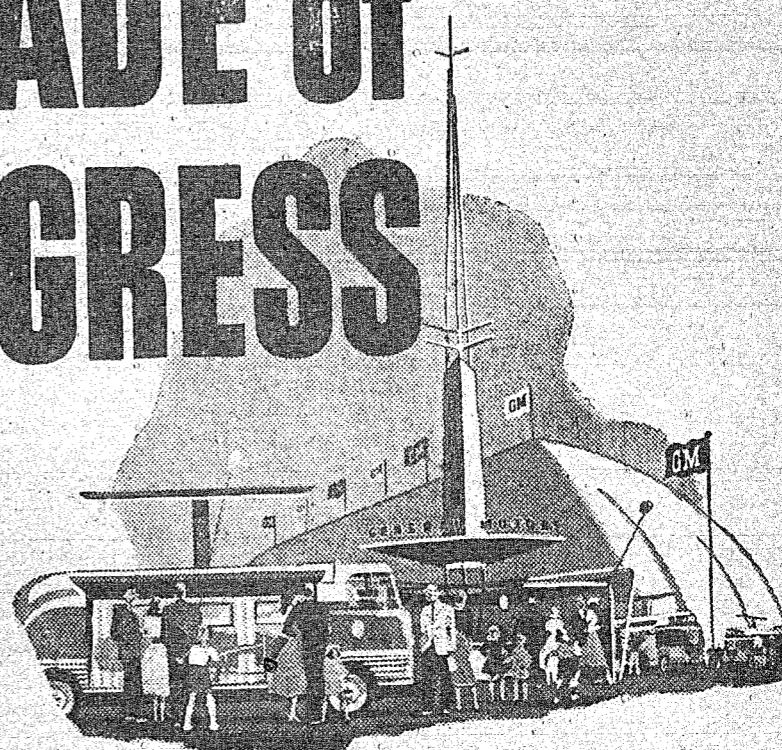
Mr. and Mrs. David Alley and children visited her mother, Mrs. Thompson of Rotan, Sunday.

Spending Thanksgiving in the Don Eubanks home Thursday were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. McCartney of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Foter, Virginia and Kermit of Bradshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Jim D. McCartney and children of Carlsbad, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Eubanks and Douglas of Winters, and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse T. Wetsel of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Brown and Randy visited friends and relatives at Abilene Sunday afternoon.

The Kent Martin family of Wingate were weekend visitors with the C. L. Eeds family. Mr. Martin was formerly Santa Anna's band director.

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GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY



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HOW A TRUST CAN SERVE YOU

When property is placed in trust it is turned over to a trustee who will see to it that it is properly managed for the benefit of a person or persons you name as beneficiaries. It is a method of disposing of your property and may be used in conjunction with a will.

Trusts have many advantages. A trust may be used to provide income for persons unable to support themselves, to provide funds for a child's education, as a means of establishing an annuity, or to provide a gift for a charitable institution.

In these days of high taxes, a trust may be utilized to minimize the tax burden. If carefully planned, a trust may decrease income and inheritance taxes.

A trust arrangement works roughly in this manner. A person who desires to create a trust is called a grantor. The grantor chooses a trustee. The trustee may be a bank, an individual, or a trust company. The grantor through a trust instrument tells the trustee how to distribute the trust property or income. The trustee will then manage and distribute the trust proceeds or property in whatever manner the grantor desires.

A very common arrangement is to place the property in trust with directions to pay the income from the property to a wife for her life, and on her death the trust is to end and the property is to be distributed to the grantor's children.

An interesting type of trust is that which is sometimes called a spendthrift trust. This is an arrangement whereby one sets up a certain sum of money to be given out to another at a definite rate per month or per year.

or under definite restrictions. This type of trust is generally used in wills where a person desires to leave money to an individual, but feels that the individual is not capable of properly caring for the money and that if left to them in full that the party receiving the money will spend and waste the money and not receive the maximum benefit from it.

Trust property quite often consists of securities. The law regulates the type of property in which trust funds may be invested. However, the grantor may designate the type of investments the trustee may make.

The effectiveness of a trust is dependent largely on its proper creation. To avoid the pitfalls and dangers of lawsuits and ineffective trust operations, a trust instrument should be properly prepared. A poorly planned or carelessly drawn trust instrument can not only defeat the objectives of its creator, but may prove costly as well.

Your lawyer can advise you whether a trust arrangement will be advantageous in your particular situation, and is qualified by education and experience to prepare properly the legal papers necessary to set up a trust. If you have in mind some bank or trust company to act as trustee, that firm's trust officers will be glad to discuss the matter in a conference with you and your attorney.

(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.)

Nowadays the manufacturers who advertise "a car to fit your purse" must be selling the small, foreign makes.

If you are wondering what to do with party leftovers, we suggest that you don't invite them again.

Cars are headed for the beaches these days, bumper to bumper, and when they arrive the crowd is so great the people sit the same way.

If it wasn't for pretzels some men would live on a liquid diet.

The Lester Jones' from Madera, Calif., enroute last week to the Jones Reunion visited with the Ed Jones'. After the reunion they went to Ingleside and visited with her sister, Mrs. Johnnie Jordan and family. They got to see Jimmy Jordan, a polio patient, before he left for Warm Springs, at Gonzales for further treatment.

Mrs. Curtis Shields of Fort Worth left for her home Tuesday after a visit since Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. Howard Norris and Mr. Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Johnson and baby of Tulsa, Oklahoma, were here for the weekend visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wallace and children visited at the weekend with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rouse and children of Center Point.

Tom Bailey was home from Midland, where he is employed, spending the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Bailey.

Visitors in the Millford Harris home for Thanksgiving were: Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dahlberg, Marsha and Rickey of Brady; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Burcham of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Elgean Harris of Santa Anna; and Bill Jack from Howard Payne College.

Hardy Stewardson and sons, Boyd and J. L. of San Saba, visited at the W. T. Stewardson ranch Sunday. The boys left in the afternoon for Fort Worth and Mr. Stewardson remained for supper.

Joan McClellan, who has employment in Austin, and attends a business college there, was home for the holidays visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClellan and other members of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mace Blanton Jr. and children, Mike and Karla Kay, were Thanksgiving and weekend visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mace Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Stacy of Texon planned to be here for the Thanksgiving holidays and weekend to visit with her mother, Mrs. H. M. Smith. Their little six months old son, Mike, became ill and was in a hospital at Big Lake, with complications which prevented their coming. The Stacy's have five sons.

Mrs. Ruth Irick and Mrs. Sue King are working in the Santa Anna Clinic as nurses for Dr. Henner.

Betty Clark spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting her mother, Mrs. Dorothy Clark and family. Betty is a Freshman at the University of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Simmons returned to their home in Corsicana Sunday, after visiting through the Thanksgiving holidays with their children, the M. R. Simmons and the W. M. Morgan families.

Mrs. T. E. Bowers and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Laura Bowers of Rising Star, were Thanksgiving visitors with Mrs. T. E. Bowers' brother, Joe Cochran and wife.

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PINEAPPLE	can .25	
WHITE SWAN		
COCONUT	can .15	
DIAMOND	2 1/2 Size Can	
Sweet Potatoes	3 cans .69	
HUNT'S		
CATSUP	Bottle .19	
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PRESERVES	4 jars 1.00	
PURE	1 1/2 lbs. Can	
BLACK PEPPER	can .10	
WHITE SWAN		
Cranberry Sauce	can .19	
BLACKBURN'S		
SYRUP	Large Jar .59	
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MILK	2 Large Cans .25	
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STEAK - Loin or T-Bone	Lb. .45
STEAK - Club or Seven	Lb. .39
ROAST - Crown or Chuck	Lb. .29
STEW MEAT - Lean, Rib	Lb. .19
GROUND MEAT - Fresh, Lean	Lb. .25

Harvey's Grocery

PHONE 30 WE DELIVER

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Easy Coins A Quick Profit

Hear about Easy Roberts last Friday? I helped him count his money—both before and after—so believe me, the story's true.

Easy was on the way to the bank to deposit his "cookie jar" savings—exactly \$24.95 in nickels, dimes and quarters. He had them in a paper bag and as we crossed Main Street the bottom fell out.

Money went flying. Passers-by pitched in to help recover the coins. Later on when Easy counted up, he had \$25.05. The "search party" had turned up all of

Easy's money plus ten cents someone else had lost!

From where I sit, I wouldn't want to try this "Easy" way to make money. Usually, it takes time for a bank roll to grow... just as it takes time for a friendship to grow. But by respecting a neighbor's rights—including his right to drink coffee, tea, beer or buttermilk, whichever and whenever he chooses—it's wonderful the solid friendship you can build. You can "bank" on that.

Joe Marsh

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Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Broyles, Sr., of Mesquite, Texas, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Frances Cromeens of Dallas, Texas, to S/Sgt. James B. Bass of Goodfellow Air Force Base, San Angelo, Texas. Sergeant Bass is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. Bass of Santa Anna.

The wedding date has been announced for December 28, at the St. Paul's Presbyterian Church in Dallas.

Sergeant Bass attended the Santa Anna High School and Brackenridge High School in San Antonio. The bride-elect is a graduate of the Mesquite High School.



FRANCES CROMEENS

San Angelo Group Entertained At W. T. Stewardson Home

A group of young people from San Angelo, including members of Miss Theola Stewardson's Sunday School Class, was entertained in the W. T. Stewardson home the past Sunday.

The group left San Angelo immediately after church services and enjoyed a picnic meal on the way. After arriving they visited a number of ranch homes in the area and enjoyed the evening meal in the Stewardson home.

Present for the meal were: Nick H. James, Laura Snider, Sandra Banks, Mary Louise Henjum, Donald L. Stine, George W. Steward, Charles Livingston, Jr., Joe Bunch, Bill McClintic and Miss Stewardson of San Angelo; Lois Epperson of Fort Worth; Mrs. James Allen and Tony, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Tatum and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kingsbery of Santa Anna; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Vance of Shields; Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Stewardson and her sister, Mrs. Frank Allen, Jr., and H. E. Stewardson of San Saba.

Stapling machines at the News Office.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Santa Anna P. T. A. will meet in regular session on Tuesday, December 6th, at 3:40 p. m. in the school cafeteria. Mrs. Gertrude Martin's Choral Club will furnish the entertainment and Rev. Bill Talley will be the speaker, using for a subject, "The Family Lives by Spiritual Values". The members are urged to be present and others welcome to attend.

The 20th Century Club will meet in regular session on Thursday afternoon, December 1st, instead of Friday, in the home of Mrs. Bill Pritchard. The meeting, beginning at 2:00 p. m., will feature a program and business period.

The Christian Womens Fellowship of the First Christian Church will observe Womens Day next Sunday, December 4th, with the women being in charge of all the morning worship services. All classes will be taught by the women. They will serve as elders and deacons at the Lord's table, lead the singing and bring the morning message. All members urged to attend and visitors always welcome.

Attend church regularly.

Children No. 1 Victims Of Souvenirs & Duds

(Editor's note: This is the second in a series of five stories designed to acquaint the public with the danger of harboring souvenirs and duds which have not been rendered harmless by explosive experts.)

Children just do not have the proper knowledge or fear of explosives. What knowledge they do have is gained by seeing carefully staged explosions in movies and TV, which give them only the realization that shells, rockets, grenades, etc. make a wonderfully attractive "bang!" Also, they seem to know instinctively that they will go bang if they are thrown into a fire. The result often is sudden and shocking tragedy which rocks the entire community.

Many people believe that there is no danger in keeping war souvenirs, because they "know how to handle them safely." But they do not take into account the passage of time — or children. In most cases, rather than deteriorating, explosives become more powerful and more dangerous as time goes on and they are affected by changes in temperature and other atmospheric conditions.

The Fourth United States Army, which embraces the states of Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and New Mexico, is well equipped to dispose of any explosives in this huge area. Explosive ordnance disposal teams are stationed in each state, and are capable of rendering harmless anything from .22 ammunition to the atomic bomb.

These men possess invaluable skill, gained by experience on the battlefield, in special schools, in work on military ranges with unexpected projectiles, bombs, grenades, etc., and through constant study and experimentation on all types of weapons, foreign and domestic. They are ready and willing 24 hours a day to speed to scenes of danger from any types of explosives.

Often adults are guilty of the same irresponsible actions as their children. In February this year, an ordnance disposal team was called to Leesville, La., to investigate an explosion in the yard of a man who had been gathering scrap and burning oil flammable parts in order to sell the remaining metal for junk. Their investigation revealed that a 3 1/2-inch anti-tank rocket had been thrown in the fire. Fortunately, the explosion caused no injury. When the ordnance men checked further, however, they found a larger, 5-inch rocket in the scrap remaining to be burned. Had it been tossed into the fire it would have caused untold damage to the residential section. The ordnance men took it to nearby Camp Polk and detonated it in a special area where no damage could result.

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PHONE 56

A few days earlier, two boys had been injured at Pitkin, La., in an exactly similar incident, when their father was burning scrap in his yard. The investigation showed that the explosive agent in this case was a dynamite blasting cap. A shower of fire and metal was blown directly into the eyes of the lads as they watched the fire.

With all of their experience, the ordnance men are constantly appalled at the types of death-dealing "duds" and souvenirs which otherwise sensible citizens will allow in their homes or on their property. They know there are many such lethal objects scattered throughout the five-state area, waiting for just the right type of jar or just enough heat to set them off with a shattering roar — but — and that is what is so frustrating to the experts — they cannot step in to avert tragedy unless they are told where the danger exists.

Anyone wishing to get rid of a potential killer — a projectile, a rocket, a grenade, or any type of explosive — may call the police, the sheriff's office, civil defense, or any military installation. The information will be relayed to the explosive experts closest to the scene, and they will be more than glad to investigate and eliminate any possible danger to the individual, his neighbors, and his community.

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Friday & Saturday — Dec. 2 & 3

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Cleveland News

By MRS. MANLEY F. BLANTON

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SANTA ANNA,
TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Battles of California, left for home on Monday. They had been visiting with the Elmer and William Cupps families and friends for the past two weeks.

Miss Patsy Moore was home for the Thanksgiving holidays returning to school Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cupps and with Mr. Cox's parents in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest battles spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Terry and daughters of Fort Worth spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cupps and attended church at Cleveland Sunday.

Those visiting with Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Blanton over the weekend were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips, Jerry and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Williams and Doyal and Dickie of Pecos, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McBeth, Mrs. Wayne Myers and children of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Blanton and girls of Killean, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rainey and sons of Lubbock, Mrs. S. E. Blanton and sons.

Mrs. Horace Phillips, Mrs. Gladys Haynes, Mrs. Ethel Casey, Mrs. W. M. Radle and Charlie, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore all of Santa Anna and Mrs. Odell Box and sons of Crane attended church at Cleveland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Schulte of Coleman attended church at Cleveland Sunday and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring.

Shields News

MRS. RALPH McWILLIAMS

The grounds around the Baptist Church look quite different as there has been a bull dozer cleaning out some of the under brush. Everyone is invited to come out next Saturday with hoes, rakes, etc. to help clean up weeds, rocks, etc., and bring a covered dish for lunch.

Mrs. Scarborough visited Mr. and Mrs. John Stewardson this weekend and was a visitor in church Sunday.

Bobby Bevell was home for the holidays with his parents. He was in church for both services Sunday. We hope he comes often.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Milligan visited relatives in Robert Lee during the weekend.

Mrs. Leonard Williams and Mrs. Audrey Scarborough visited their husbands this week. They are working in Ozona in the oil fields.

Those of Shields who attended the Workers Conference in White Chapel last Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Milligan, Mr. and Mrs. George Stewardson and Jeanie, Rev. and Mrs. Conner and Rev. and Mrs. McFarlin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McCarroll and Mr. and Mrs. George Stewardson and Jeanie were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Milligan and Ruth.

Rev. and Mrs. Conner and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Powers were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McWilliams.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. J. Z. Vercher and Homer this week were Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carroll, Mrs. Herman Gilbreath and Glenn, Mrs. Otis Powers, Mr. and Mrs. George Stewardson and Jean and Mr. and Mrs. Conn Gregory of San Antonio, Texas. Gloria Jane Elliott of Coleman

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips and children of Pecos and Mrs. Wayne Myers and children of Andrews spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sid Blanton and boys.

spent Thursday night with Karen Jones.

Mrs. David Zirkle and Dwight and Mrs. Lewellen spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jones. Mrs. Zirkle is improving from the polio. She learns to do new things every few days. We admire her fine spirit and know she will soon be as good as new.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Shulze and son, Wilford Ray, of San Antonio, visited Friday with Mrs. Dillingham and Richard.

Martin West spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his father and mother in Fort Worth.

Mr. Kahler Whitley of Ingram spent Friday night with his sister, Mrs. Ura Dillingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Box and their four boys, Jimmy, Jerry, Jackie and J. of Crane were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore.

Mrs. A. L. Fresman of San Angelo, Thomas Newman and wife of College Station, visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Newman, during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fletcher and Adrian of Graham and Leland Thigpen and Don were Thanksgiving visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thigpen. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thigpen of Fort Worth were weekend visitors with them.

Mrs. A. L. Oder spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her son, Harry M. Oder and family, in Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Herring and Janice after visiting with his mother near Lubbock, stopped in Abilene on Friday and after a big dinner, brought Mrs. Oder home and went on to their home in Austin.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Mrs. A. E. Griffin of Houston spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother, Mrs. Fred Brusenhan. Others who had Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. Brusenhan and her mother, W. P. Burris, were Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Burris of Santa Anna and

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lunsford of Coleman.

Mrs. J. M. Weathers and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Weathers spent Thanksgiving with other members of the family, the Clyde Weather's in Cisco.



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SANTA ANNA

THE BIBLE SPEAKS
International Union
Sunday School Lessons
BY DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

Background Scripture: Luke 9:7-12
Devotional Reading: Mark 10:35-45

His Demands

Lesson for December 4, 1955

CHRISTIANITY is not a matter of vague general good will. A character in a movie remarked: "I'm not a nice man. If I heard that my neighbor's children had been eaten by wolves, I would feel some regret." Well, of course that didn't make him a Christian. (He turned out to be the villain, by the way.) But there seems to be a number of church members and others who think that being a Christian calls for nothing more than being generally at peace with the world—like a turnip. Being



Dr. Foreman

a far more demanding thing. And the demands are Christ's demands. He is not a trademark, a portrait of a Founder beaming on us benevolently from the wall. He is the living Christ, Son of Man and Son of God. He makes demands on his disciples, and he has a right to make them.

Discipleship

Those who were closest to Jesus in Galilee, those with whom he took the greatest pains, were called Disciples. Now the least that "disciple" can mean is "learner." The first demand that Christ makes on us who would call ourselves Christians, the demand preliminary to all others, is that we learn of him. We never should assume that we know all about Jesus—his character, his teaching, his purpose. It is a sobering question: How much of our behavior, our attitudes, our thinking in various fields, our relationships with other people—how much of this did we learn from Jesus, and how much did we copy from other persons, and how much is our own invention?

Decision

Another demand Christ makes of us is decision. This in three ways: decision for him, decision about him, decision with him. It

is especially these last two that are highlighted in this week's passages from Luke. The decision for Christ is the point at which one begins to be a disciple. But besides learning, the Christian disciple has to decide, and act accordingly, about some questions that affect him vitally. One is the decision about Christ which Jesus pushed on his disciples. "Who do you say that I am?" Jesus put this question only after they had been disciples for some time. ("Why?" But it can be answered at any time, and it must be answered some time, if we have any title to the name "Christian." How seriously do we take Jesus Christ? That depends on what answer we give to his question: What do we think of him? Who and what is he? The more fully we know his importance, the more seriously we shall take him. Is he a dreamer, a poet, an impractical idealist? Is he a child of his age, important then, but now such a man as we can safely neglect? Is he a noble thinker, a stirring leader of men? Or is he, as Peter dared to believe, the Son of the living God? Does he come to us with the authority of one man's opinion, or does he speak as an ancient sage, or does he speak with the wisdom of the Almighty? He demands a decision.

Denial of Self

Now if we have answered the first two demands, for discipleship and for decision, we may be ready for the third demand. (This is the decision with him, spoken of just now.) We shall pay very little attention to this if we have not rightly met the other two. If we are not true learners we shall not even hear this, or we shall misunderstand it. If we think less of Christ than we ought to think, then this demand will seem egoistic, unreasonable, suicidal. It is only the Son of God who has the right to make such a demand. It is for nothing less than denial of self. There is a cheap substitute for this which is sometimes mistaken for it. It is called "self-denial" and may mean no more than going without ice cream for a while, doing without some luxury or other. Denial of self is something different entirely. Jesus puts it in terms of a crucifixion. To take up a cross was to be already on the last mile. To deny the self means to cease being one's own center-of-the-universe. It means "love thyself last." It means dying to oneself, as Paul put it, and living to God. It means "Not I, but Christ, liveth in me."

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Mystery Farm Is Home Of The Albert Dean's

Mystery Farm No. 33, as appeared in The Santa Anna News last week, is the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Dean of the Cross Roads Community south of Santa Anna. The farm located 11 miles out on the Trickham Road, belongs to Mrs. W. C. Sharp and the Deans have had the place leased for the past eight years.

During the years the Deans have lived on the farm, Mr. Dean has gone into the chicken business and has built the chicken houses in the background. He has also added the garage.

The Deans raise a large flock of White Rock chickens each year for hatching egg production. This year he has about 600 laying hens. He sells his eggs to Western Hatcheries at Dallas. Mr. Dean said he already had in an order for 1400 hens for next year and he hopes to raise at least 1200 of them, in order to double his production over this year.

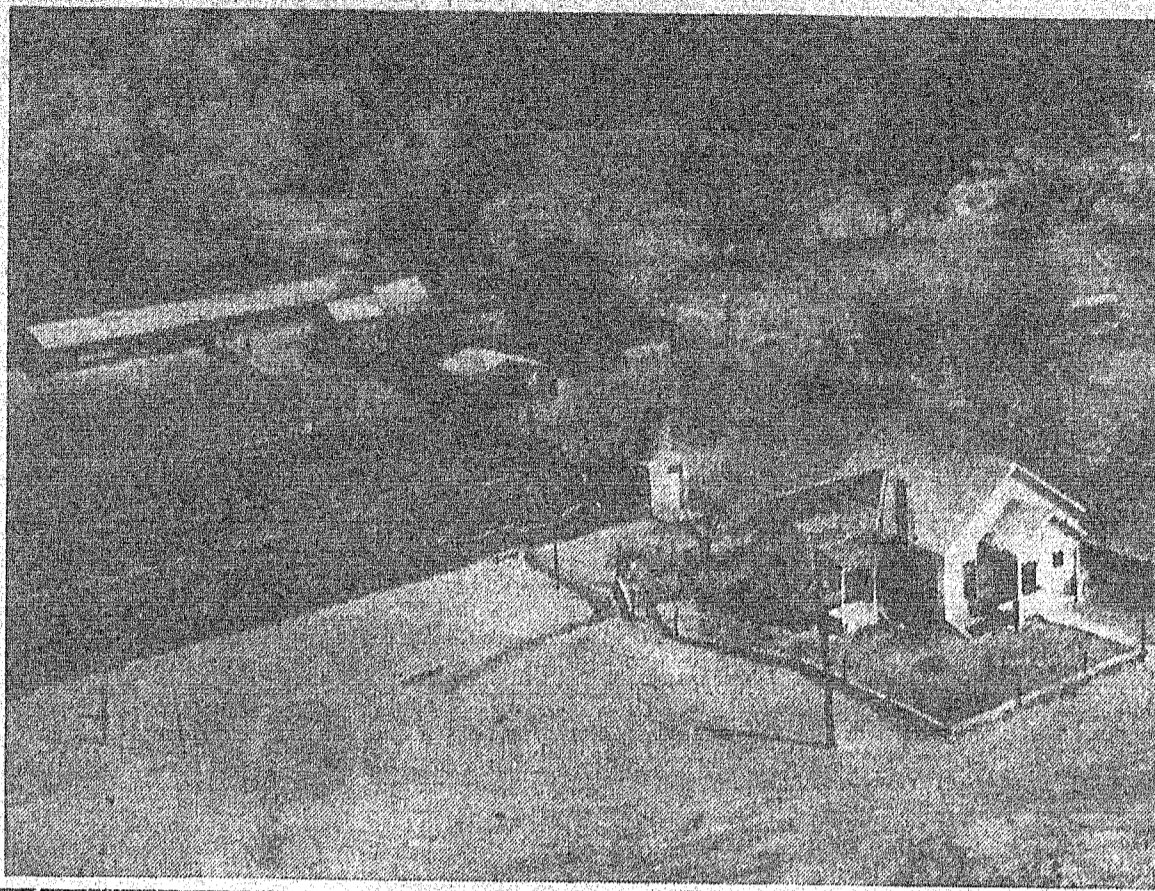
He had 67 acres in cotton and has just completed gathering it. He said he made 10 bales and said his feed did not turn out much better.

Mr. Dean also keeps about 20 head of cows for milk and beef production.

Mrs. Dean is the former Ruby Casey, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Kit Casey. They were married in 1916 and have four children and 13 grand children. The children are Mrs. Helen Haynes, who lives on Trickham Route; Rodney Dean of Rockwood, Ruth Dean, who lives at home and is the Trickham Correspondent for The Santa Anna News; and Ray Dean, a student in A&M College.

Typewriter paper at the Santa Anna News.

THE HOME OF MR. AND MRS. A. H. DEAN



Trickham News

BY EDNA R. DEAN

We had an increase at Sunday School Sunday with visitors. They were: Mrs. Mattie Lancaster of Midland, Mr. Elmer Haynes of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Heibrier and children of Fort Worth, Beth, Roddy, Linda and Rocky Dean of Rockwood.

Bro. Bill Rustenhaven of Blanket, preached Saturday night at the Trickham church and all of us who weren't fortunate enough to be there were told that we missed an excellent sermon.

Jack and Jackie Ray Laughlin of Brownwood visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson, Bud and Gray Laughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo James and Roberta, Pat McShan of Menard, were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. James and Wanda one day last week.

Mrs. Zona Stacy returned home one day last week after visiting ten days in Abilene with Mrs. Etta Gardner.

Elaine White and Donna Lee Walker of Santa Anna visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke.

Visiting on Thursday with Mrs. Zona Stacy were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stacy and family. Later in the day they all visited Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ford and family.

Visiting with Mrs. Zona Stacy on Friday were: Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ford and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Heibrier and children of Fort Worth.

Thanksgiving holiday visitors in the Eugene James home were: Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie James and children of Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holland and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harlie Stearns and son, Mrs. Dave Schaffer (Nelda Richardson) all of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Keyes and son of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dupree and children of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Hancock of Zephyr, Mr. and Mrs. Larry La Doneeur of Lubbock, Mrs. Desta Bagley of Brownwood visited Saturday with Mrs. Zona Stacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ford and family.

Mrs. Zona Stacy was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Heibrier and children. Mrs. Edd Jones and Mrs. Beula Kingston were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Zona Stacy.

Mrs. Ruth Driskell and children of Priddy were Thanksgiving day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke. On Thursday the Boenicke's attended a get-together at Mount View.

Bill and Ann Martin visited on Sunday with their great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Martin.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Burney the past week were: Lemman Lowery of Fort Worth, John and Lou Featherston, Mrs. Richardson and daughter, Mrs. Viola Mays, all of Coleman, Mrs. Wiley McClatchy, Mrs. Sid Blanton, Mrs. J. R. Haynes, Walter Stacy, Hilburn Henderson, Patsy and Billy Don Cupps, Mrs. Charlotte Burney and Weldon of Santa Anna.

Holiday weekend visitors with the J. R. Haynes children were: James Gary and Janelle Haynes of Tomball and James Carol of Kermitt.

Weldon Haynes visited Friday night with Jerry, Billy Don and Gerald Haynes.

Mrs. Florence Casey of Coleman, Mrs. W. C. Sharp and Lew Story of Santa Anna visited Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Stearns and Sherman Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry attended the wedding of Miss Winona Bradley at Santa Anna.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Haynes and children of Tom Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haynes and children were Thanksgiving day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Haynes of

Santa Anna. Mrs. Beula Kingston was surprised Wednesday morning when her granddaughter, Oressa and her husband and his mother drove by and insisted she go with them to San Angelo for Thanksgiving. They spent most of their time with Oressa's mother, Mrs. Jesse Monsey. Also visiting briefly with Clara and Mrs. Erkert, the former Mrs. Amelia Rodgers.

Mrs. Oscar Boenicke and Mrs. Kingston visited Mrs. R. S. Stearns Saturday afternoon. Also with Mrs. Ed Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Odean Lancaster and family of Kyle, Mrs. Lenton Oakes and children of Brownwood were Thanksgiving holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster and Mrs. Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster and Mrs. Nita Williamson visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Smith of Coleman.

Herman Martin of Garland visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Storm and children of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice McIver spent Thanksgiving day in Garland with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny McIver and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sullivan, nad daughter of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Heibrier and children of Fort Worth were Thanksgiving weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy.

Mrs. J. F. Goen returned to her home from Austin on Wednesday of last week after a visit of nearly three weeks with her son, Jesse Goen and family. The Goens moved into a nice new three bedroom home while she was there that they had bought. Joan Goen came home with her and stayed until Sunday afternoon returning to Austin by bus.

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NOTICE

Section 2, City Ordinance No. 186, Prohibiting the sale of fireworks, torpedoes, rockets, etc., within the City of Santa Anna, has been amended to read:

Section 2: No person, firm, company, corporation or association shall exhibit, or have in his possession with intent to give away or sell or offer for sale or sell or discharge within the Fire Zone of the City of Santa Anna, any squib, rocket, crackers, torpedoes, grenade, gun, revolver, pistol, cap or cartridge, or other combustible fireworks of any kind.

Upon conviction a person may be fined up to \$100.00.

NOTE: The Fire Zone of the City of Santa Anna is described as running from the east line of South Texas Lumber Co., north to Avenue B, west to west line of Bailey-Lancaster Lumber Co., south to the railroad, east to original line.

By Order Of City Council
W. Tilden Jones, Mayor

Mrs. W. B. Sparkman attended a Teachers meeting in San Antonio on Thanksgiving and visited with relatives there until the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wyatt of Troy, visited here at the weekend with a relative, Mrs. Ethel Bobo.

Nancy Wylie was home from Tarleton State College for the holidays. Her father, Norval Wylie, took her back to Stephenville Sunday afternoon on his way to Waco, where he is working.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Todd and their daughter, Mrs. Winnie Doster, had Thanksgiving dinner with their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Todd Jr., at Glen Cove.

Miss Alice Anna Guthrie of Sherman was home for the Thanksgiving holidays and weekend, visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Guthrie Sr.

Ora Beth Henderson of Snyder visited at Thanksgiving and until Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Blue. Friends passing through Santa Anna to visit elsewhere bought her here and took her back home.



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versity and is a Santa Anna boy making good.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Haynes of Amarillo, came Sunday night and visited until Wednesday with his mother, Mrs. Gladys Haynes and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Durham in Coleman. Raymond got his discharge from military service Sunday, but will continue to live in Amarillo, where he will be a jet mechanical instructor in

Civil Service. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Knight also of Amarillo came with the Haynes'. Raymond and Bob were inducted together and got their discharges together.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones returned home Saturday night from Dallas where they had attended the Jones annual reunion on Thanksgiving. Nine of the ten brothers were present coming from California, Tennessee, Alabama and Texas. The affair

was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones. Fifty-six were present which included an uncle of the Jones' and a sister of Mrs. Jones. E. W. Marshall of Dallas, formerly of Santa Anna and a long time friend of the Jones, visited with them during the day.
Rev. Glenn Brigman of Big Sandy, for two years pastor of the First Christian Church, was a Thanksgiving holiday visitor with Santa Anna friends. He had Thanksgiving dinner in the

Norval Wylie home. He reported his work with the Big Sandy Christian Church on the upgrade and learned the same concerning the local church.
Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stephenson spent Thanksgiving in Abilene and visited Curtis Richardson, a patient in the Hendricks Memorial hospital there. Curtis suffered a heart attack recently and continues to be a bed patient. Barbara Ann and Eula Marie Richardson, re-

turned home with the visitors and stayed until Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Densman and children, Bobby Joe, Denny and Brenda, moved back to Santa Anna on Thanksgiving day from McGregor, where they had been living for about two months. All are glad to be back in Santa Anna. Mr. Densman has resumed his old business. The Densmans are living with her father, B. G. Brown, in the southwest part of town.



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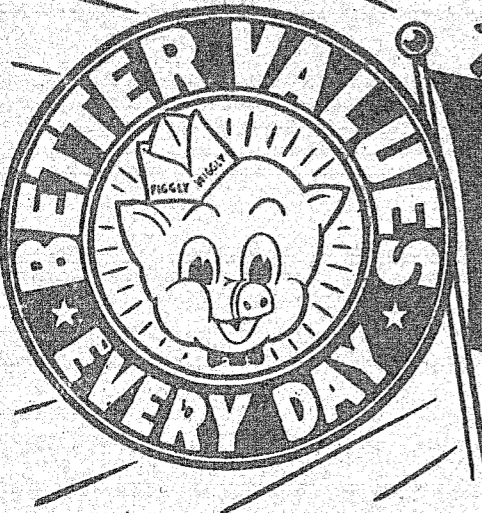
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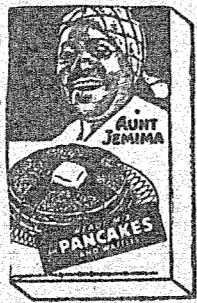
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