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Brief Illness Claims Mrs. W. L. Campbell

Services for Mrs. Will H. Campbell, 73, pioneer ranchwoman of the Sanco community, were conducted at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon from the Robert Lee Baptist Church.

The Rev. Fred D. Blake of Brownwood, a former pastor of the local church, officiated. He was assisted by the Rev. Ernest Stewart, pastor.

Mrs. Campbell died Saturday night at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Jack Lassiter, in Fort Worth. She had been ill only a few hours. Death was attributed to an enlarged heart condition.

Mrs. Campbell had been visiting her daughter in Fort Worth since Dec. 26. The body was returned here Sunday.

She was born Louvenia Payne, July 11, 1877 at Pantoc, Miss. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Payne, with whom she came to Texas while a small child.

The family settled in Bell County, then later moved to Kerrville. When Mrs. Campbell was 16, her parents moved to Coke County. She had resided in this locality since that time.

She married Will H. Campbell, Dec. 1, 1897, at Robert Lee. Mr. Campbell, former county commissioner, died at his ranch home near Sanco, Oct. 28, 1943.

Survivors include four children: Mrs. I. E. Yarbro, of Abilene, Mrs. Lassiter of Fort Worth, Otis H. and Fred Campbell of Robert Lee. Five grandchildren, and one great-grandchild survive.

Also three sisters, Mrs. A. B. Williamson of Kerrville, Mrs. B. U. Smith of Bridge City, and Mrs. L. M. Morrow of Deming, N. M.; and one brother, A. L. Payne of Marshall.

Pallbearers were B. A. Austin, Freeman Clark, Bryan Gartman, Elbert Benningfield, O. B. Jacobs, all of Robert Lee, and Howard McCullough of San Angelo.

Interment was in the Sanco Cemetery beside the grave of her husband.

Personals

Mrs. J. C. McDonald of Jonesboro is here for a visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jim Mauldin, and family.

Attending the district bankers convention in San Angelo Tuesday night were G. C. Allen and T. A. Richardson and their wives, Vincent Hanna and wife and Jewell Ledbetter.

Mrs. Bert Burton of Sundown came for the J. B. Robertson funeral last week and visited her brother, Roller Page.

Mrs. Charlie Schooley was down from Snyder last Thursday for an overnight visit with her daughter, Mrs. Turney Casey, and family.

Cecil Smith was ill the past week with influenza. During the time his brother-in-law, Homer Carwile, was in charge of Cecil's grocery and market at the east edge of town.

Mrs. A. E. Latham is a patient at Shannon hospital where she is undergoing observation and treatment.

W. B. Mathews has moved a large barracks building from Mineral Wells to Snyder where he will convert it into an apartment building. John Steakley of Oplin, father of Mrs. Mathews, visited his relatives here last week.

Want A Census Job?

There are a few vacancies as census enumerators in Coke county. Starting April 1 the task is expected to require from two to five weeks and workers will be paid from \$7.50 to \$10 per day. Applicants, who must be between 21 and 65 years of age, are requested to write or apply in person to Ralph Trolinger, District Census Office, on the Third Floor of the post office building in San Angelo.

Landers-Talley

Announcement was made last week of the marriage of Miss Billye Landers of Robert Lee and Mr. Winfred Talley of Abilene. The event took place Feb. 4 in Abilene. Both are students at Hardin-Simmons University. Mrs. Talley is a daughter of Mrs. J. B. Robertson. She grew to womanhood in this community and is an honor graduate of Robert Lee high school.

Failure Indicated

For Adams Wildcat

Failure of the S. E. Adams wildcat test, two miles south of Robert Lee, was indicated Thursday when drillstem tests during the week recovered large amounts of salt water.

After failing in the Ellenburger the test was plugged back to 5,500 feet above which depth an electrical survey showed oil. Some traces of oil and a slight blow of gas was present in the first test, but formations higher had nothing.

Operators are providing O. C. and A. C. Sorrelle, Jr. of Houston and Morris & Scherk of San Angelo. John Ashen, Providence field production man, was in charge of testing the past week.

Sun Oil Notes

Sun Oil Co. No. 12 C. E. Mathers, southwest of Silver, was drilling Thursday morning at 6,100 feet in shale. No shows were recovered in a drillstem test at 5,915 feet in sand and shale.

Sun No. 4 Allen Jameson at Silver was drilling in shale at 4,240 feet.

Sun No. 3 Davidson, west and north of Edith was making hole at 4,396 feet in shale.

Amerada No. 2 March, 12 miles southwest of Robert Lee was in line at a depth of 4,180 feet.

Friendship HD Club

The Friendship HD club met Feb. 9 at the home of Mrs. Willis Smith. Mrs. Barron demonstrated the laying of a flagstone walk. The club voted to sponsor a 42 party soon to help finance the furnishing of a hospital room. Refreshments were served to eight members, three children and the county home agent. The next meeting will be with Mrs. A. B. Sheppard when lawn sodding will be demonstrated.

The Paul Killam home at Sanco was the scene of a lively party last Saturday night. Games of pit, pickup sticks, flinch, and other contests played indoors. The energetic youngsters also enjoyed a session of running games in the yard. Refreshments of fritos, puffettes, cookies and cocoa were served to the thirty-two people present, eleven of whom were young people from Robert Lee. There were also three visitors from Silver.

Mrs. Ben Garvin of Silverton is a guest in the home of her son, Ralph Garvin, near Edith. The visitor, 79 years of age, drove her own car down last Friday.

Mrs. Lillian Turney of Alpine motored to Robert Lee for a weekend visit with her mother, Mrs. B. W. Bilbo, and other relatives.

Water Bond Vote Carries 146 To 1

Robert Lee citizens registered top heavy support of the issuance of \$65,000 water bonds at a special election Saturday. The vote was 146 for the bonds, and only 1 against.

The bonds are to be paid off entirely from earnings of the water department and will not become a lien on property. Proceeds of the bonds will be used to build a new filtering plant and lay mains and water pipe over the entire city. Jack Brown of San Angelo represented a bond firm which agreed to purchase the issue.

City commissioners met Monday night and made an official canvass of the election returns. Engineers are now working on plans for the filtering plant and water line extensions.

These improvements become necessary to make use of the water supply which will become available with construction of the Mountain Creek dam. The old water plant east of town will be abandoned after the new system is ready for use.

BCD Names Directors

A board of five directors were chosen at the Monday luncheon meeting of the Robert Lee Board of Community Development, G. C. Allen, C. S. Brown, Fern Havins, John Harvey and Victor Wojtek.

D. F. Welch, grade school principal, spoke of his work as scoutmaster. He said his troop meets every night at the high school gym and better work is expected when the new Scout cabin is completed.

Frank Bryan presided at the meeting and Sam Jay and Harry Porter were in charge of the arrangements.

Valentine Party

A birthday party for four children in the Second Grade whose birthdays fall during valentine week was given in the class room Tuesday, Feb. 14.

Mothers who sponsored the party were Mrs. Ross Welch, Mrs. J. W. Service, Mrs. Jeff Blair and Mrs. T. A. Gartman.

The children who were honored included Robert Gartman, Feb. 12; Jo Ann Hood, Feb. 14; Truman Welch, Feb. 14; and Kenneth Wink, Feb. 18.

March Of Dimes Goes Over Big

Coke county has given liberally to the March of Dimes campaign to fight infantile paralysis. A. J. Bilbo, chairman, for the west part of the county, reports \$1,087 has been turned in here, while a community sale in Bronte Monday night put Bronte over the \$1,000 mark. A more detailed report will be published next week.

Announcement

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for re-election as Commissioner from Precinct No. 3. I deeply appreciate the confidence that my friends and neighbors have placed in me during past years, and if re-elected I will continue to render the best possible service to my district and Coke county.—T. R. Harmon.

Book Review

The Homemakers class will present Mrs. Dean Chenoweth of San Angelo in a review of "In Our Image," by Houston Harte, on Feb. 20, 7:30 p. m. at the Robert Lee Baptist church. A free will offering will be taken for the choir loft carpet.

Successful Home Talent

The home talent play, "Aaron Slick From Punkin Crick," presented here last Thursday night delighted a large audience, and everyone agreed it was one of the best amateur productions ever given in Robert Lee. Proceeds of over \$100 will go the Volunteer Firemens insurance fund. Mrs. Virginia Jay directed the play which will be given at Silver next Tuesday night.

County Livestock Show

Plans are being completed for the annual Coke County Livestock Show to be held here Tuesday, Feb. 28. Only 4-H and FFA entries will be accepted for the fat stock which will include six calves, 80 head of lambs and 20 barrows. Cash awards of \$356.50 will be given. There will also be a show of registered cattle, sheep and hogs. Edwark Cumbie of Bronte is president of the association.

Annual Banquet For Football Boys

Robert Lee high school football players were honored at a community banquet last Friday night in the school auditorium. Members of the girls pep squad were also guests at the affair sponsored by the Board of Community Development. More than 250 were in attendance.

Frank D. Bryan, BCD president, served as master of ceremonies. C. C. Allen, banquet committee chairman, Raymond McGallian responded for the football squad. George Taylor of San Angelo, former school superintendent and coach here, gave a highly interesting talk, and another feature was the address by Max Bumgardner, new coach at San Angelo junior college.

Coach Mike Hughes presented jackets to the following: Donald Mauldin, John L. Bruton, Bobby Hood, Donald Hamilton, J. Q. Varnadore, Raymond McGallian, Jerome Sheppard, Jiggs Lofton, Tommy Kirkpatrick, Bud Austin, Donnie Duncan, Waymon Davis, Ronnie Baker, Milburn Wink, Sam Plumlee, Paul Smith and Donald Roe. Also Royce Smith, team manager. Presentation of a jacket to the football sweetheart, Juanice Childress was made by Capt. McGallian. E. C. Davis presented jackets to Coach Hughes and Principal Petross.

McGallian and Bruton are the only seniors, while Varnadore and Roe will be over the age limit for competition next season.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to friends and neighbors for their sympathy and many acts of kindness shown in the loss of our loved one. Especially for the lovely floral tributes and to everyone who helped in so many ways to give assistance in our time of sorrow. Your kindness and friendship will always be remembered.—The J. B. Robertson Family.

Big Time at Edith

There will be a "Sock" Supper at Green Mountain school house Friday night, Feb. 24. Everyone is invited to come. Bring a sock full of food and a pocket full of money. Edith folks extend a cordial invitation to the public.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDonald, Jr. left Sunday morning on a week's business trip to Waco, Dallas and points in East Texas and Louisiana. During their absence the children are staying with their grandmother, Mrs. O. V. Looney.

3 Major Projects Denote Progress Of This Locality

Three important projects which will be of great benefit to Coke county and Robert Lee are now underway.

The new county hospital is nearing completion and March 10 has been set as the date when the contractor will complete his work. Equipment is being ordered for shipment on that date. Indications are that the hospital will be in operation by May 1.

Work on the Mountain Creek dam is off to a good start since Contractor Fred Robertson moved in his heavy dirt moving equipment the past week. Located just beyond the northwest city limits, the dam will create a reservoir to furnish a new Robert Lee water supply.

The Upper Colorado River Authority are builders of the dam and reservoir. A permit for the dam was issued by the State Water Board in Austin on Monday. L. T. Youngblood and G. C. Allen, president and secretary of the UCRA, and City Commissioner Fern Havins were in Austin for the hearing.

Another fine improvement is the new road leading from Robert Lee to Edith, making the only east-west paved highway across the county. The new road was let by the highway Department in Austin Wednesday. Grading for the project is well under way.

Bean Luncheon

Gathering Tuesday, Feb. 14, at the home of Mrs. D. P. Key, twenty-five girls enjoyed their annual Bean Luncheon. A Valentine box was featured and outdoor games were played. Served at the luncheon were Pinto beans, bread, pickles, fresh onions, celery and lettuce. A part of the afternoon was spent in practicing gospel songs which they plan to sing when the girls visit the homes of aged and ill persons.

Folks You Know

Mrs. Jessie Garrett and niece, Jamie Bilbo, came down from Big Spring for weekend visit with relatives.

A. F. McKinley received a badly lacerated hand in a power saw a few weeks ago. He lost the end of one finger of his right hand. His injuries are healing nicely.

John L. Ross was ill the last of the week with influenza, and has gone to Lubbock for a few days' rest and visit with his son, John, Jr.

Jasper Gaines arrived home Wednesday of last week after completing an enlistment of 3 1/2 years in the U. S. Navy. He served more than two years in Hawaii and recently has been stationed in the Oakland area and received his discharge at Treasure Island. Jasper is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Gaines. He enlisted in the summer of 1946 immediately after his 17th birthday.

Mrs. Turney Casey continues to improve from vertebra injuries received in an auto wreck three months ago. Last week the plaster cast was replaced with a brace.

Welcomed guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Meek over the weekend were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Meek of Goldsmith, Luther Meek and family of Kermit and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harmes and children of Odessa.

More Delay Seen For Cotton Bill

(Sunday Star-Telegram)

Further delay in Senate action on a bill to increase Texas cotton acreage under the 1950 control program is seen by Representative Poage of Waco.

Poage told the Star-Telegram by telephone from Washington that a delay of at least another week is likely before the Senate agriculture committee acts on the bill passed by the House of Representatives.

Indifference on the part of members of the Senate committee is delaying such action, the Waco congressman said.

Poage thinks the bill passed by the House would give Texas relief.

"I believe this bill would answer 75 or 80 per cent of the complaints on acreage allocation," Poage said.

The bill passed by the House would insure farmers 70 per cent of the acreage they planted in 1946-47-48 or 50 per cent of the highest acreage planted in any one of those years.

The record acreage of 1949 is not considered in the base.

"There just aren't enough cotton state senators on that agriculture committee," Poage declared. "They fail to realize the urgency of this action."

Poage said the senators from the Southeast who are on the committee fail to remember that Texas cotton planting time comes well ahead of the time cotton is planted in their states.

Poage said several meetings of the Senate sub-committee had been called but that a quorum was not available. Republican members are out of town on political missions, he declared.

Neither Texas senator is on this committee.

The present law would do the job of adjusting some of the ministered properly, Poage believes.

He repeated his belief that the Production and Marketing Administration has authority to give Texas farmers credit for war crops despite the state's inclusion among those governed by the so-called "California gadget" of the cotton acreage law.

The PMA has said at its state offices in College Station that counties are getting war crop credits. Reports from individual counties indicate that while some farmers

may get credits, the acreage is being taken from other farmers.

Also included in the proposed law which the House has passed are provisions which would increase the state's peanut acreage by 140,000 acres.

This will give some relief to farmers in the West Cross Timbers area west of Fort Worth, facing a second year of drastic acreage cuts in their major cash crop.

Baptist Group Meets

Regular meeting of the Mary Martha class of the Baptist Sunday School was held Tuesday night of last week in the home of Mrs. Bob Fields. Business was directed by the class president, Mrs. W. D. McAdams, at which time all officers present gave a brief outline of her duties and functions of her office. Entertainment was featured by Valentine games. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. T. G. Sexton and Mrs. Victor Wojtek. Refreshments of Valentine cake and spiced punch were served to ten members, one guest and three children.

San Angelo Boosters Here Next Tuesday

San Angelo, Texas, Feb. 16.—From thirty to forty business men from San Angelo will be in Robert Lee at 5:25 p. m., Tuesday February 21, on a booster trip for the San Angelo Fat Stock Show and Rodeo March 2-5.

Trips were arranged by the trade extension committee of the Board of City Development. Escorted by a patrol car, the trippers will give free souvenirs to the children and distribute store placards in cities and towns visited.

Trip No. 3, which leaves San Angelo February 21, will visit Bronte, Abilene, Sweetwater, Snyder, Colorado City and Robert Lee. The group will have lunch in Abilene.

An overnight trip will be Trip No. 4 that will go into towns to the south of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Hargis returned the forepart of last week from Pampa where they visited his parents and old time friends.

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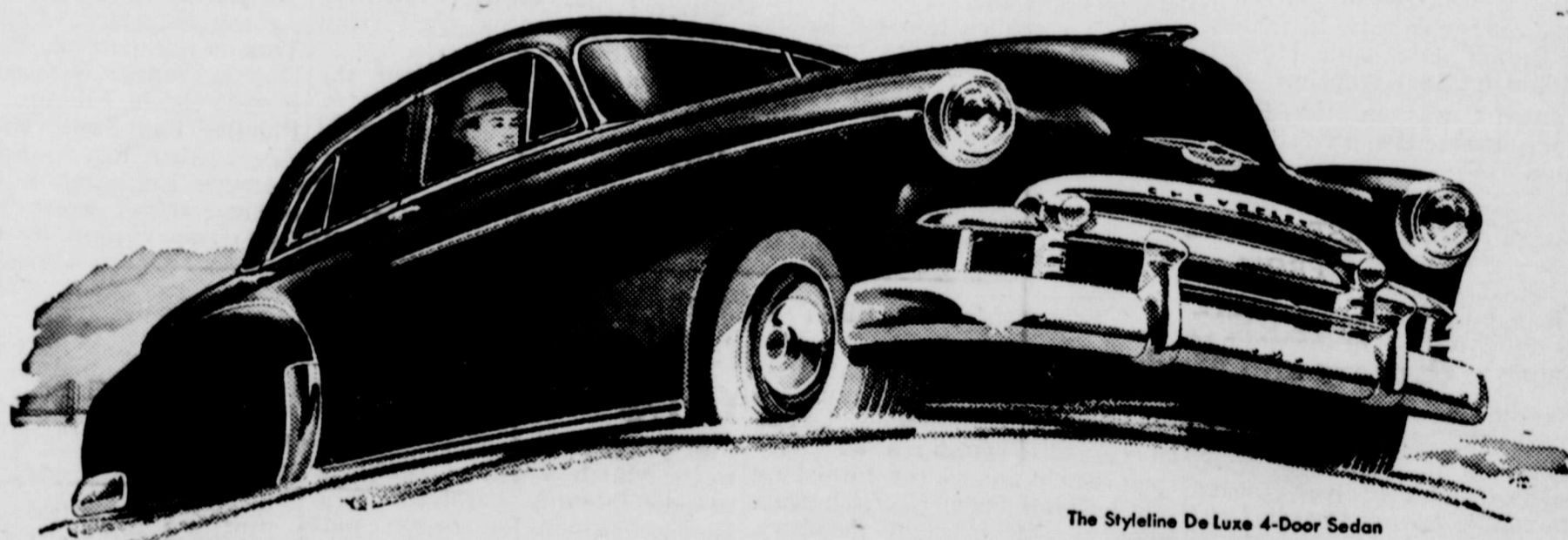
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STONE OF THE MONTH

18—Iwo Jima invaded by marines, 1946.

20—Birthday of Joseph Jefferson, George Du Maurier, Frederick Douglass, Mary Garden.

21—Japanese seize Bali, 1942.

22—George Washington born, 1732.

23—Birthday of Handel, Pops, La Moigne.

24—George Rogers Clark captures Vincennes, Ind., 1779.

25—1,600 U.S. navy planes attack Tokyo, 1945.

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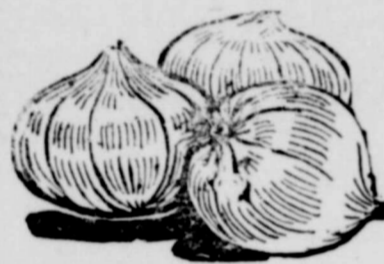
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Conoco Has New Super Motor Oil

Ponca City, Okla., Feb. 14.—Continental Oil Company today announced development of a new motor oil which is the result of more than eight years' laboratory research, two winters of testing in Montana and Colorado, and a 50,000 mile road-run in temperatures that ranged as high as 110 degrees in the shade.

The new product will be made available to the public February 15 throughout the company's trade outlets, according to L. F. McCollum, president.

The oil, McCollum said, marks another step forward in methods pioneered and developed by Continental to use additives in mineral oils to increase effectiveness against wear and assure longer life for automobile engines. It is called Conoco Super Motor Oil.

"The spectacular road test, conducted in the summer of 1949 on the Mexican border, showed that the new oil virtually stops wear before it starts," McCollum stated. "In fact, by measurement with highly sensitive instruments, wear was an average of less than one one-thousandth of an inch on cylinders and crankshafts. Original factory machining marks were still visible on cylinders and piston rings.

"In a 70-day road test, six cars and four trucks piled up a combined mileage of a half-million miles at an average speed of 60 miles an hour by the cars, and 50 miles per hour by the trucks," McCollum continued. "The cars traveled 800 miles a day and the trucks 690 miles daily, six days a week until each hit the 50,000 mile mark. This distance is equal to five years' mileage for the average family car."

Soil Conservation District News

District cooperators planning to seed native and introduced grasses should begin to order their seed and have them on hand before time for seeding arrives, is the statement made by C. N. Webb, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of the Coke County Soil Conservation District. From the trend in price quotations, grass seed are going to be higher and hard to find. Each quotation we receive shows the price of seed is going up. District cooperators desiring information on price and availability of seed should contact the office of the Board of Supervisors, Robert Lee, Webb points out.

Construction of two miles of level broad base terraces was staked last week on R. W. Walker's farm located four miles south of Silver. The terrace system is a part of Walker's coordinated plan he is applying as a district cooperator with the Coke County Soil Conservation District. Technicians of the Soil Conservation Service assisted Walker with designing the terrace system.

Jacob Morrow is planning to seed 10 acres of Hubam sweet clover. He plans to use the clover as a soil enriching crop on a trial basis. He will make light utilization by controlling his grazing during late spring and early summer. He plans to remove his livestock in time to allow the clover to set seed in July.

L. T. Youngblood, Taylor Emerson, D. K. Glenn, Otis Smith, Joe George Wilkins, Ed Cumbie, C. N. Webb, Ben Brooks, R. B. Allen, C. E. Mathers, and O. T. Colvin are a few of the land owners that are planning to seed native and introduced grasses on their farms and ranches as a part of their complete coordinated soil and water conservation plan that they are applying as cooperators with the Coke County Soil Conservation District. K. R. Bluestem, Blue Panic, and Weeping lovegrass are the principal introduced grass that is being seeded. Side oats grama, Blue grama, and Bluestem mixture are the principal native grasses being seeded.

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Many Attend Funeral Of Late J. B. Robertson

Funeral services for the late J. B. Robertson last Thursday afternoon were largely attended. Many were unable to find room in the Edith Tabernacle and the cortege leading to Paint Creek cemetery was more than a mile long.

Serving as pallbearers were Jeff Blair, Marvin Smith, Tom and Pat Rives, Cell and Morris Varnadore, Melvin Childress and Buster Fields. Members of the Bronte Odd Fellows lodge were designated as honorary pallbearers. An Odd Fellow tribute was given by Ed Hickman during the graveside rites.

Granddaughters serving a flower girls included Zona Mae and Joyce King, Betty Sue and Diane Mitchell, Annie Lou and Peggy Jean Boone, Patricia Smith and Jane Robertson.

Mr. Robertson's funeral was held just two weeks following the burial of his daughter, Mrs. Callie Smith.

All of his children and grandchildren were present for the funeral. Other kinfolk who came from a distance were Bert Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Moore and son of Jacksboro, Mrs. Verna Fagan and Mrs. Thomas Miller of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Saunders of Hale Center, George and Oll Crossman of Pampa and John Crossman of Colorado City.

Also Mrs. Mattie Stevenson, Mrs. Jewell Giesler and Earl McDonald of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson and little son of Sun-own, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Glasgow of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Blakely Robertson of Jal, New Mex., and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Long of Big Spring.

Coming from San Angelo were Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Robertson, Mrs. John Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Robertson, Mrs. Buck Clinton, Mrs. Josie Anthony and Huelin Robertson.

Methodist Church Notes

In a friendly exchange of pulpits, the Rev. W. O. Schulze, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, San Angelo, will preach at the local Methodist Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and the Rev. Ross Welch, will occupy the Trinity pulpit.

Everyone is invited to hear Mr. Schu'ze.

The Rev. Ross Welch is spending a day in Eldorado Thursday noon through Friday noon in a retreat for Methodist ministers of the San Angelo District churches. This is an annual observance, sponsored by the district superintendent, in which the work of the district is considered.

Mrs. Ross Welch attended a luncheon meeting of the executive committee of the San Angelo District of the Woman's Society of Christian Service at the Cactus Hotel last Friday.

Plans were made for the sub-district meetings to be held in the spring. Mrs. Welch will assist in planning one of these.

Mrs. Melvin Childress was brought home Friday from Shannon hospital where she underwent major surgery. She is recovering nicely.

Thirty young men and women attended the Youth Fellowship at the W. D. McAdams home following church services Sunday night. Cake and punch were served.

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SANCO NEWS

(By Mrs. Sam Fowler)

J. L. Carwile was admitted to Shannon hospital Monday evening for examination and treatment. He underwent a minor operation Tuesday and doctors hope they will not have to resort to major surgery.

Mrs. Truman Gartman and Bonnie Jean, and Mrs. Sam Fowler and Janis Elgene were present for the nice Valentine party given by the first and second grades at Robert Lee Tuesday.

A new car was badly damaged on the Sanco road near Sam Fowlers Monday after the funeral. Two girls were the only occupants and they were lucky to escape with minor injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fowler of 117 East Twohig, San Angelo, are the parents of an 8 1-2 pound boy. He was born Feb 12 at Shannon hospital and has been named Dellwyn Brice. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fowler of Sanco and Mrs. Belva McCutchen San Angelo. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wyatt and Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCutchen, Robert Lee, W. R. Thomason of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Fowler of Crandall, Tex.

Mrs. Ray McDonald and baby daughter of Conroe are visiting in the John Allen home.

Mrs. I. H. Devoll and Junior spent the weekend in Santa Anna visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Gartman spent Sunday at Snyder, and also visited the Robert Ramages, at Colorado City.

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