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## LISTEN TO LUKE

by Albert:---  
Last week we were asked to make clearer a statement which may be misleading. We will try!

The statement was printed in the December 27 paper in this column and referred to the spending of revenue sharing money. We were asked to clear the impression of the statement that all the revenue sharing refund was spent on road maintenance equipment. The only reference to this in the entire column was the statement: "There has been some interest generated the way that the revenue sharing rebate to Terrell County is spent, and some are wondering if it has to be spent on road maintenance equipment."

According to figures received from Mrs. Ginett Litton, county treasurer, and R.S. Wilkinson, county judge, in a story published Oct. 4, 1973, the county had received \$61,199.00 as of that date. Expenditures of the fund at that time were \$19,165.00 for a loader for precinct 4; a dump truck for \$5,080.00 which is used for hauling trash, street repairs and road repairs in precinct 1; and an ambulance for \$4,540.00 which is used county-wide. The commissioners have also committed \$25,300.00 for a maintainer based in precinct 3. A statement published in The Times September 13, 1973, states that the county plans to spend the balance in the fund at the time - \$41,186.00 - for transportation. The \$25,300.00 indicated above will come out of this total, leaving a balance of \$15,886.00 which the county plans to spend for transportation, the report says.

In an effort to be completely fair, divide the cost of the dump truck in precinct 1 in half - trash hauling and street and road repairs - and add it to the other totals of road equipment spent and committed and you come up with a figure of \$7,080.00 that has not been spent on road equipment (cost of the ambulance and 1/2 the cost of the dump truck). Including in the total amount received that amount that has been earned in savings accounts, the total comes to \$69,971.00. The amount of the total that has not been spent on road equipment is 10.12% of the total figure.

We try to present a true picture, according to the figures we were given.

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If any one has not noticed that all of this country is very very dry, you have not seen a vehicle going over a stretch of dirt road recently. It seems that we have never seen it so dry as it is now, but maybe we are wrong.

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We see some contradictions that are so blatant and so very contradictory at times that we feel compelled to say something about them, lest we, too, be so contradictory and be seen.

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## J. M. Davis Named Co. Demo. Chrmn.

J.M. Davis was appointed interim chairman of the Terrell County Democratic Executive Committee in action by the committee last weekend. The committee action was by Mrs. H.E. Ezelle, Graham Childress, and Tommy Hayre, precinct chairmen in precincts 1, 2, and 3, according to Mrs. Ezelle, who said that no one had been certified as chairman in precinct 4.

The appointment is until the next election, May 4, 1974.

Among other things, Davis is responsible for accepting filings of candidates in the Democratic primary.

Davis, an employee of the Southern Pacific Railroad, is chairman of the local railroad brotherhood, is legislative representative of the United Transportation Union, a job he has held for eight years; and was named to the citizens' advisory committee of the Constitutional Revision Committee of the State of Texas.

## Eagles Go To Big Lake Meet

The Sanderson Eagles went to Big Lake Friday to enter the invitational basketball tourney there. They met Crane in the first game and were beaten 73-62. Darrell Cooke was high-point scorer for the Eagles with 21. Icy road conditions prevented some of the teams coming to the tournament for the first day and Sanderson and Rankin moved into the consolation semi-finals.

Sanderson won over Brady by 56-48 with Bill Mott leading the scoring with 24 points. Rankin lost to Ozona by an identical score in their semi-final consolation match.

Sanderson, playing in the consolation finals, lost to Ozona 57-67 with Bill Mott leading the scoring with 12 points.

The Eagles made two trips to the tournament site with their coach, Tommy Gray.

## CANDIDATE VISITS HERE

Bob Kreuger of New Braunfels, one of several candidates seeking the office held by Cong. O.C. Fisher of the 21st District, spent the night in Sanderson Sunday and visited with several people here Monday morning before leaving for Fort Stockton on a swing of his district as a campaigning candidate.

He is a businessman with varied interests including the Comette Hosiery Mills and an automobile dealership in New Braunfels. This is his first candidacy for an elective office.

## POSTAL HIKE POSTPONED

The postal rate increases that were to go into effect in early January have been postponed two months to early March. The hikes were to include increasing rate of mailing a letter first class from 8¢ to 10¢.

## Improvement of US90 East Planned

Improvement of U.S. 90 for 7.1 miles east of Sanderson is planned by the Texas Highway Department, according to information received from Paul H. Coleman, district engineer of Odessa.

The plans call for the reconstruction of grading, structures, flexible base, and surfacing of the two-lane highway. Three span-type bridges will be widened in the project, according to the advertisement for bids on the back page of The Times in this issue.

## Revenue Sharing Boosted By \$10,296.00

County Judge R.S. Wilkinson stated Monday morning that he had received an additional revenue sharing check from the federal government. This check was in the amount of \$10,296.00.

The money is a rebate from the Department of Treasury of the federal government to cities and towns from sales tax revenue.

## Mrs. V. Barrera Dies In Stockton

Funeral services were in Fort Stockton Monday, December 31, for Mrs. Valentin Barrera Sr., 62, of that city. She died late Thursday evening in an Alpine hospital after a short illness.

Mrs. Barrera, the former Rosa Moreno, was born in Sanderson on November 3, 1911, and was married to Mr. Barrera in 1935 in Sanderson. The family moved to Fort Stockton in 1949. She was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in that city.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two sons, Valentin Barrera Jr. and Ray Falcon, and one sister, Mrs. Nick Salinas, all of Fort Stockton; also one granddaughter.

Call your news to The Times

## Charles Stavley Asks Election To County Judge

Charles H. Stavley has authorized The Times to announce his candidacy for the office of county judge of Terrell County.

He has been a teacher in the local schools during the past year, and was county Democratic chairman for the past two years, submitting his resignation at the time he filed for the post of county judge.

Stavley stated that he would prepare an official statement concerning his candidacy at a later time.

## Nature Movie To Be Here January 15

Whether you believe in ecology or not, this picture may change your whole outlook on life.

Filmed in 33MM and encompassing a period of 5 years, this ecology-oriented nature film has been produced and dedicated to those viewers who have never experienced the magnificent beauty of our vanishing wilderness.

You will witness amazing secrets of birds and animals from the Florida Everglades to the frozen tundra of Alaska; scenes never before photographed by man, unstaged, untouched since the beginning of time.

Ride the thundering white water of Oregon's primitive Rogue River with Arthur Dubs and family through "Zane Grey's" country; ski a high mountain slope and sail the frigid seas of the icy north; watch herds of caribou on a 1,300 mile trek in search of food; see beavers building and repairing their dams, and numerous other animals and birds in their natural habitat.

The film is rated "G".

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Hodgkins of Corpus Christi were holiday visitors with his father, J.R. Hodgkins, and John-

## Primaries To Be May 4 This Year

Action is promised in the Democratic Primary to be May 4, 1974, with the filing of one candidate for the office of county judge. There has been no indication that there would be a Republican Primary, which would be on the same date if one is held.

Besides a U.S. Senator, governor, lieutenant-governor, attorney general, comptroller of public accounts, commissioner of the general land office, commissioner of agriculture, railroad commissioner, supreme court justices, judges in courts of criminal appeals and civil appeals, there will also be named new state representative, district judge, county judge, county clerk, county treasurer, justice of the peace in Precincts 1 and 3, commissioners in precincts 2 and 4, county and precinct party chairmen.

## Eaglettes Whip Grandfalls Girls

Janice Carter led the scoring for the Eaglettes for their win over the Grandfalls girls here Friday night of last week. She had a total of 28 points; Elaine Brown had 19, Peggy Louwien 14, and Bryanann Stavley and Jo Ann Hagelgans each 10. The guards were Vonda Wallace, Janet Harrell, Linda Hagelgans, Yolanda Rodriguez, and Patti Hope.

It was the only game played in that session.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Robbins spent a week in El Paso with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Ed Robbins, and their daughter, Joni Jack; and with her brother, J.P. Clark, and family.

The crossing of Independence Creek is being completed by the method pictured below: Miss Sybil McKee, Mrs. W.H. Savage, is being carried over the water on the outing at the creek in the eastern part of the county many years ago. Mrs. Savage loaned us the picture.





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that some state leaders had for the national government's mandate to either adopt the 55-mile-per-hour speed limit or having federal highway programs ceased. It was called political blackmail and so labelled from the state houses of government and publicly, according to the press; and when the Arabs withheld oil from nations who did not support their cause, this, too, was called blackmail.

Tuesday morning, the tube reported V-P Ford stating that the U.S. was going to withhold food shipments to the near East if we didn't start getting oil.

I heard of no national or state leaders opposing this decision.

I guess this, too, depends on how you look at it!

**WATER DISTRICT ELECTION DATE IS POSTPONED**

Don Allen, manager of the Terrell County Water Conservation & Improvement District #1, stated recently that the election of directors, usually held in January each year, had been postponed by state law to the same date as for the election of school board members.

**FORMER RESIDENT DIES**

Funeral services were in St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Fort Stockton Monday morning for Mrs. Alijonera Barrera Garcia, 73, who died Saturday in her home there. She was born in Mexico and moved to Fort Stockton from Sanderson about 50 years ago.

Survivors include four daughters, three brothers, three sisters, 16 grandchildren, and 15 great-grandchildren.

**MRS. BONDURANT BREAKS HIP IN SAN ANTONIO**

Word was received last weekend that Mrs. W. T. Bondurant had received a broken hip in a fall in San Antonio the Sunday before Christmas.

The break was in the bone just below the ball joint and it was reported that the upper portion of the bone was replaced with an artificial joint and she is convalescing satisfactorily, and is still hospitalized in Baptist Memorial Hospital in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Sudduth and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sneddon, and son, Derek, of Denver, Colo., spent New Year's Day in Fort Stockton with her sister, Mrs. Shelby Blaydes, and family and other relatives. The Sneddons left for home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. F.H. Cooke Jr. and three children of Puckett Field were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thorn.

Mr. and Mrs. Jolly Harkins left Tuesday for Bastrop to visit his brother, Claude Harkins, who was recently injured by a chain saw in an accident. He is recuperating satisfactorily. They also took their son, Steve, into Austin where he boarded a plane for Columbia, Mo., where he is doing graduate work and is a teaching assistant at the University of Missouri.

**Historical Group Explains Origin And Purposes**

Mrs. W.H. Grigsby

Chairman, Terrell County Historical Survey Committee

The Terrell County Historical Survey Committee will endeavor to explain in a series of articles in The Times its organization, administration, purposes, and activities, both proposed and in progress.

First of all, it is not a "club" or "society". The statutes pertaining to the committee were enacted by the 55th Legislature of Texas, and there have been three amendments. Just as the commissioners court and the county judge are the governing body of the county, the committee under the supervision of the commissioners court, is the governing body of the historical preservation of the county. As we all know, the county does not belong to the commissioners and judge. They are elected to represent the people of the county. Likewise, the members of the historical survey committee are appointed for the purpose of historical preservation.

The Legislature of the State of Texas has created a permanent historical commission known until August 27, 1973,

as "The Texas State Historical Survey Committee". On that date, the name was changed to the "Texas Historical Commission". The commission is a state agency for the purpose of providing leadership and coordinating services in the field of historical preservation. It is composed of 18 members who serve a term of six years with one-third of the members appointed each two years by the governor with the advice and consent of the Senate.

The members serve without pay but are reimbursed for their actual expenses incurred in attending meetings of the commission. The commission employs an executive director who may employ professional and clerical personnel as necessary and in accordance with appropriations by the legislature. It is this commission that furnishes the leadership and services to County Historical Survey Committees.

Most counties have a Historical Survey Committee. The statutes require the appointment of at least seven residents of the county who have exhibited interest in the history and traditions of the State of Texas for a term of two years. The appointments are in January in odd-numbered years.

The commissioners court may pay the necessary expenses of the committee, may authorize a car allowance and part-time compensation for the chairman and members of the committee as determined by the commissioners court.

The committee shall institute and carry out a survey of the county to determine the existence of historical buildings, or other historical features within the county, and

shall thereafter continue to collect data on the same subject as it may become available, shall make any acquisitions of property, real or personal, which is of historical significance, when requested to do so by the commissioners court.

This basically, gives information for the creation of the committee and its association with the county.

It follows from the above that the Terrell County Historical Survey Committee is not a restrictive group. Each person in the county who is interested in historical preservation is invited and urged to become a part of each meeting. The committee welcomes suggestions, opinions, and ideas from any resident of the county. Everyone is invited to attend all meetings, and all citizens who desire a job will be given one as an associate member. This will give an opportunity for those interested to become a part of the organization.

For fiscal 1973, the commissioners court designated \$300 for the work of the committee, and a like amount for this year. The Historical Commission recommended a minimum of \$500, but due to an oversight, only \$300 was requested. In view of plans, this operational expense does not allow for our necessities - fil-

ing materials, filing cabinet, fire-proof filing cabinet, secretarial supplies, etc., with any money remaining for plans of work such as marking etc.

To be continued.

**GIRL SCOUTS MEET**

Monday the Girl Scouts met at the Scout Hut and discussed what they would be doing in the next few months. Also they learned a new game, and had a Court of Honor.

Amy Harrison, scribe.

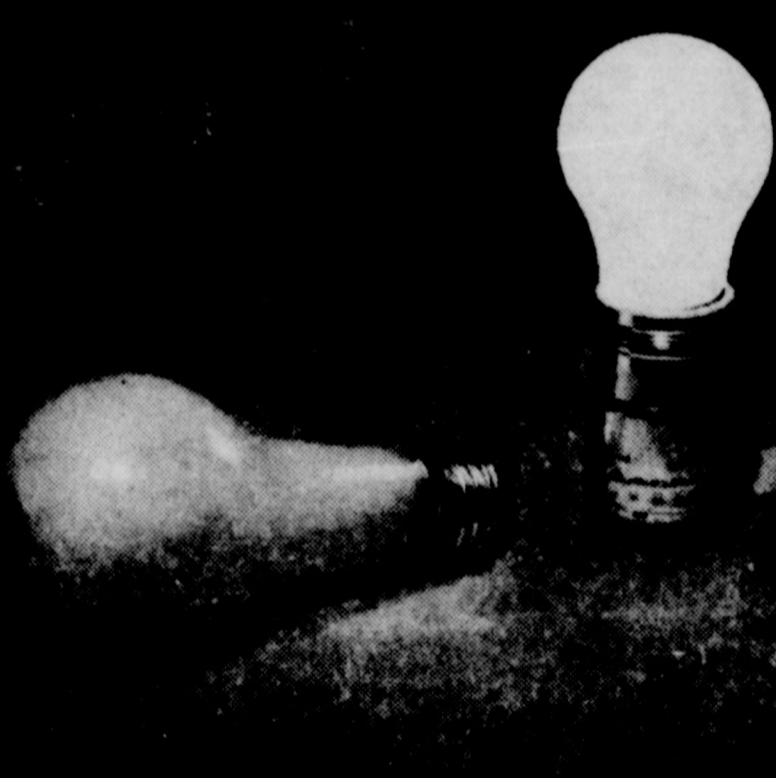
Mrs. Raul Flores took her children to Alpine Friday for medical attention.

**NEW HOURS**

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### O.E.S. Members Ged Instructions At Stockton School

"Wings of Winter" was the theme of the Eastern Star School of Instruction in Fort Stockton January 2-3. The school conducted at the First United Methodist Church included 14 chapters in District 2, Section 9, Grand Chapter of Texas.

Attending from Sanderson were Mmes. A.J. Hahn, Irvin Robbins, Bob Spence, Charles Hornsby, Ben Lockhart, Patty Phillips, and Dalton Hogg.

Mrs. Thelma Joyce Alsop of Houston, Worthy Grand Matron, Grand Chapter of Texas, O.E.S., made her fraternal visit during the school and Paul Huffhines, Worthy Grand Patron, was also honored.

### WEEK OF PRAYER TO BE OBSERVED JANUARY 13-19

A world-wide observance of the annual Week of Prayer and Self-Denial will be made by the United Methodist Women the week of January 13-19.

Miss Eva Billings will be the leader of the program for the local organization at a meeting in the church sanctuary on Monday, January 14, at 4:00 p.m. All of the women of the church are invited to attend.

### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Flores accompanied their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Flores Jr., of Fort Stockton, and children on a trip to San Antonio during the holidays to visit Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Garcia, uncle and aunt of Mrs. Gus Flores Jr., and then to Austin to visit Mr. and Mrs. Gus Flores Sr.'s son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Genaro Valdez, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rose and daughters visited relatives in Del Rio and Uvalde during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wenmohs and boys spent the Christmas holidays with relatives in Round Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Young and children had as holiday visitors her mother, Mrs. Charles Hunter, of Balmorhea and her brother, Kenny Hunter, and wife of Pecos.

Kevin Phillips visited in Kermit for several days with Floyd Watson, who brought him home Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. V.G. Ross visited his sister, Mrs. C.R. Sinclair, in Mertzon and then went to San Angelo for a holiday visit with her grandson, Paul Dunagan, and family. Her granddaughter, Mrs. P.H. Johnson, of Rowlett, Mr. Dunagan's sister, and family joined them there for the visit.

Miss Gwyn Mansfield spent Christmas holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Mansfield.

Mrs. Ruth Geaslin spent Christmas Day at Puckett Field with her daughter, Mrs. Dean Farmer, and family.

Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Armstrong were their sons, Mike Armstrong, with his wife and two children of Sierra Blanca and Earl Armstrong and three children of Van Horn; also their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crawley, and two children of Guadalupe Station.

James Druse, who attends Texas Tech University, was a holiday visitor here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Druse, and Debra.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hardgrave spent the holidays in Lubbock with their daughter, Miss Gina Hardgrave, who is employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Eggleston brought their youngest son, Vincent, home Thursday from an Alpine hospital where he

had been a medical patient for several days.

Mrs. Albert Chambers of Montgomery, Ill., arrived on Friday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Salas. Manuel Salas Jr., who is a senior at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos, was also a holiday visitor here and he will begin his practice teaching in San Antonio next semester.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Fisher and children recently included J.R. Clark of Sacramento, Calif., and a visitor with Miss Jane Fisher was Miss Brenda Calkins of San Angelo. Both are students at Angelo State University.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Moses and Tami were holiday visitors in El Paso with their son, Kenneth Moses, and family.

Mrs. Ira Moses and Mrs. Gene McSparran visited in Menard New Year's Day with Mrs. Moses' sister, Mrs. Pauline Murr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cash of Dryden were holiday visitors in Alpine with his sister, Mrs. Bobby Rains, and family and with his mother, Mrs. Lonnie Cash.

Mr. and Mrs. F.J. Barrett spent the holidays at the "D" Ranch near Carlsbad, N.M., with their daughter, Mrs. James Kinney, and husband. The Kinneys' daughter, Mrs. Gilbert Bell, and family joined them there to celebrate the Barretts' wedding anniversary on the 22nd and then Christmas. The Barretts went to El Paso for a few days and then back to Carlsbad for New Year's Day.

Mrs. Cora Harris was in a Del Rio hospital last week for a medical check-up and will return in two weeks for further tests.

Mr. and Mrs. Holis Haley of Marathon visited Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Billings, and with friends.

Mrs. Paul Galvan underwent major surgery Monday in a Del Rio hospital and is reported to be in satisfactory condition.

Mrs. J.A. Gilbreath had minor surgery on her foot Friday in Odessa. She will return home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Lozano took their grandson, George Lozano, to spend the day Christmas with his mother and family. Joe Trevino, George's uncle, returned to Sanderson with them for a short visit.

### NEW HOURS

8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday at Kerr's

Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Hasty of Del Rio visited here Sunday with her mother, Mrs. B.L. VanCleave, and family.

Mrs. H.E. Gatlin went to Del Rio Monday to have a medical check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Gatlin returned home Monday after spending almost three weeks in Phoenix, Ariz., with their son, Kip Gatlin, and family.

Mrs. William E. Morris and daughter, Miss Barbara Morris, of Marfa were holiday visitors with her sons, Marvin and Glenn Morris, and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Burleson and son visited in Olton during the holidays with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Milby Winn and children had a pre-Christmas visit in Del Rio with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G.G. Esqueda of Del Rio visited here Saturday with their son, Ruben Esqueda, and family and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Brown and children went to Waco to visit her mother and then to Freeport for a reunion with her brothers and sisters and their families during the holidays.

**SANDERSON CHAPTER**  
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Mrs. A.D. Brown is pictured with her daughter, Mrs. E.J. Foley of Alpine, and her son, Herbert Brown, at the open house Sunday afternoon marking her 90th birthday.

### Klassen-Gann Rites Wednesday, Dec. 23

Miss Mary Georgina Gann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Gann, and Charles H. Klassen, son of Mr. and Mrs. D.J. Klassen of Big Lake, were united in marriage on Sunday, December 23, in the home of the bride's parents, Judge R.S. Wilkinson officiated at the wedding ceremony. Those attending were the bride's sister, Mrs. Flo Falcon, and daughters of Fort Worth and Fred Falcon of Houston.

The bride, a 1972 graduate of Sanderson High School, attended a beautician's school in Fort Worth until returning to Sanderson several months ago.

The couple has a mobile home in Bradley's Trailer Park. He is a brakeman on the S.P. Railroad.

### Wednesday Bridge Club

Mrs. Worth Odom invited the members of the Wednesday Bridge Club to her ranch home last week for a luncheon served at 1:00 o'clock. Baked ham, cranberry salad, vegetable salad, sherbet, cookies, tea, and coffee were served.

High score prize went to Mrs. R.S. Wilkinson, second high to Mrs. C.H. Stavley, low to Mrs. Carlton White, with Mrs. Weldon Cox and Mrs. W.H. Goldwire holding slam prizes. Also present were Mmes. Jim Kerr, Tol Murrāh, and W.J. Murrāh.

### Thursday Bridge Club

The Thursday Bridge Club members and five guests were entertained in the home of Mrs. T.W. McKenzie last week.

Chicken continental, vegetables, salads, relishes, hot rolls, tea, and coffee were served with the guests seated at quartet tables.

The "birthday song" was sung to Mrs. Carlton White and ice cream was served with her white cocoanut birthday cake after she had-blown out the candles.

Nuts, candy, cold drinks, coffee, and tea were available throughout the party.

Mrs. White held high score, Mrs. Mark Duncan was second high, Mrs. Harvey Rogers was low and shared slam with Mrs. Weldon Cox.

The guests were Mmes. Fern Carmichael of Trinidad, Colorado, Rogers, Tol Murrāh, White, and R.S. Wilkinson. Members attending were Mesdames Diane Andrews, Cox, Duncan, Vic Littleton, C.H. Stavley, Bill Smith, and Worth Odom.

### Open House Honors Mrs. A.D. Brown on 90th Birthday

In observance of the 90th birthday of Mrs. A.D. Brown, there was an informal open house at the Herbert Brown home Sunday afternoon from 2:00 to 5:00 o'clock. A large crowd of friends came by to give her their best wishes on her natal observance.

The open house was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown, their daughters, Mrs. Elaine Andrews and children, Toni and Jerry, Miss Barbara Brown, and Miss Elaine Brown; Mrs. E.J. Foley of Alpine and her children, Miss Kathleen Foley, Denis, and Pat. Mr. Brown and Mrs. Foley are the son and daughter of the honoree.

Arrangements of flowers in white, yellow, and orange with greenery were used for decorations in the large living room. A white linen cutlery cloth was on the table where golden punch was served with the three-tiered birthday cake decorated in sprays of yellow flowers. Mints in yellow, white, and green were on the table, also mixed nuts.

Miss Lillie Anderson came to teach and married the late Mr. Brown in 1917.

### Lions' Ladies' Night Last Thursday

The Sanderson Lions Club observed their annual "Ladies' Night" at a New Year's dinner on Thursday evening in the dining room at the Oasis Restaurant. The inclement weather caused a smaller attendance than usual.

Charles Stavley, president, was master of ceremonies, and the invocation was given by Rev. Paul Tatum.

Musical entertainment was provided by Misses Wynne Massey, Elaine Brown, Janice Carter, and Bryann Stavley, who played guitars and sang several numbers.

### Coffee Honors Local Visitor

Mrs. W.H. Savage entertained with an informal coffee in her home Monday afternoon honoring Mrs. Ruth Marx. Fifteen guests attended and spent the time visiting. Cookies, coffee, and tea were served.

Mrs. Marx, who has been visiting here for about six weeks with her son, Rev. David Marx, and family, left Wednesday by train for her home in Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Lee Eggleston and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Frizzell, and children of Sweetwater were holiday visitors on the ranch with Mrs. Eggleston's daughter, Mrs. Lewis James, and family.



**PERSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Hahn returned home last week from their vacation spent with their parents at Belton. Their sons, Nicky Hahn of Odessa and Buddy Joe Hahn of Vidor, and their families joined them there for Christmas.

Mrs. T.H. Eastman and son, J.B. Chapman, went to El Paso to visit her daughter, Mrs. E.C. Dennis, and husband before Christmas and all went to Douglas, Ariz., to visit the Dennis' son, Jimmy Dennis, and family for several days.

Mrs. J.R. Blackwelder spent several days during the Christmas holidays with her sons, Weldon and James Blackwelder, and their families in Fort Stockton. Later, she went to Midland to visit for several days with her granddaughter, Mrs. Ernie Ayers, and family and her great-grandson, Ricky Ayers, came home with her for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Guadarrama and son, Hector, returned home last Wednesday from a two weeks' visit with her relatives in several cities in Mexico.

Barton Harkins left Wednesday of last week to go back to Waco where he is enrolled in Texas State Technical Institute. He had been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jolly Harkins, and his brother, Steve, who was also visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Williams and daughters visited in Austin during the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Rose Terbay. J.B. McPhee of Dryden is visiting relatives in California.

Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Holcombe and Rex visited her mother, Mrs. Jess White, and other relatives in Memphis and then went to Ruidoso. Her sister, Mrs. Ford Martin, and family of Midland accompanied them to Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. Babe Garza attended the ball game in Dallas and visited friends for several days before returning home Tuesday night.

James Caroline went to San

Antonio Monday for Mrs. Jim Kerr who had been visiting there during the holidays and then took Mrs. Caroline to El Paso for a medical check-up the next day. They also visited their son, Jimmy Caroline.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry DeVasto and daughter visited in Abilene with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S.A. DeVasto, during the holidays.

Mrs. Anna Cole of Kinder, La., is visiting her niece, Mrs. J.C. Wilcox. The Wilcoxes' son, John Wilcox, and four sons of Fort Stockton came to Sanderson for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Myers and children spent the holidays in Brady with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Myers and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Murrah.

Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Morris were her mother, Mrs. E.B. Smith, and husband of El Paso who brought her sister, Mrs. Gene Hunsaker, and son, Lynn, of North Hollywood, Calif. Mrs. Morris' sister, Mrs. W.T. Crowder, and children of San Antonio joined them here for the visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C.F. Cox had Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Jamie Glasscock and family, their mother, Mrs. Wes White, and their brother, Andy White and wife of Pumpville, joining them for the occasion.

Also present were Mrs. Glasscock's sons, Wes Shaw Franks and family of Sonora and Andy Franks and family of El Dorado; also her uncle, James Whiteon, and wife of Sonora.

Mrs. Mary Cox visited in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hignett during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith and boys visited in Lubbock during the holidays with her two daughters, her mother, and with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Johnson were holiday visitors in Al-

**CONGRATULATIONS**

To the Eastern Star members for their accomplishments at Fort Stockton.  
Members of the Masonic Lodge. *pd*

**NOTICE OF HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT OR CONSTRUCTION**

The Texas Highway Department is planning to proceed with the development of the proposed highway improvements on U.S. Highway 90 from Sanderson to 7.1 miles east of Sanderson.

This project will be developed in cooperation with the Federal Highway Administration and financing of construction will be State and Federal; therefore, FHWA's approval has been requested.

The project is for reconstructing the grading, structures, flexible base, surfacing, and delineation to provide for two 13-foot traffic lanes and 9-foot shoulders and the widening of three span-type bridges to provide for a 48-foot minimum roadway. The project will follow the existing route of U.S. 90 and no additional right of way will be required.

Maps, drawings showing geometric design, environmental studies, and all other available data concerning the development of this project may be inspected and copied at the Resident Engineer's Office at P.O. Box 97, East U.S. 290, Fort Stockton, Texas 79735. *1-1c*

pine with their daughter, Mrs. W.T. Locker Jr., and husband and their daughter, Kim.

Mrs. D.L. Duke returned home last week from a trip to San Antonio to visit her son, David Duke, and family and with other relatives, and to Bryan to visit her daughter, Mrs. Frank Steelman, and family.

Mrs. E.H. Jessup returned to Sanderson Friday after spending three weeks in her home in Barksdale during the holiday season with her family including her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Al G. Thornberg Jr., and family of National City, Calif.

Lawrence Janes, a former resident, who is a mortician in Ozona, suffered a heart attack several days ago and was hospitalized for several days. He is now at home and recuperating satisfactorily. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Couch, his brother-in-law and sister, visited him and his family while he was in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cosby and children were holiday visitors in Childress with her relatives.

Oscar Marquez has been at home for over a week and is recuperating satisfactorily after undergoing gall bladder surgery in a Fort Stockton hos-

pital. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cruz Marquez.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Perez and daughters were holiday visitors in Sonora with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Juan Barron, and family.

**TO FUNERAL IN SAN SABA**

Mr. and Mrs. James Clark and Tana attended funeral services in San Saba Tuesday for Mrs. Clark's grandmother, Mrs. Mary Ellen House, 85, who died Sunday in a nursing home in that city where she had resided for the past three years. Burial was in Richland Springs.

Survivors include Mrs. Eddie McNutt and Mrs. Mary Riggs of Bloomington, daughters, another daughter and two sons; ten grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren.

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