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Circle Four Met Thursday

Circle No. "4" of the First Presbyterian Church met Thursday afternoon, Feb. 11 at the church at 3:00 p.m. The song, "The Church's One Foundation," opened the program. Mrs. Floyd Smith led the Bible Study from the second chapter of Acts.

Mrs. Hugh Morrison, Mrs. F. L. McCord and Mrs. Jerald Brundrett outlined the beginning of the study of the History of the Christian Church, the New Testament Church.

During the business session the annual project was decided upon, to help several families in need of clothing, concentrating mainly on the children of these families. Mrs. Jerald Brundrett and Mrs. F. L. McCord were appointed to inquire of these families.

The party for February will be held Saturday night, the 27th, at the church assembly room, at 7 o'clock. All circle members and their husbands are invited.

The hostess, Mrs. Eric Freeman, served delicious sandwiches, cookies and coffee to the ten members present.

Jackie Gwynn Has Birthday Party

Jackie Gwynn was honored by his parents with a party at his home, on his 6th birthday, which was last Saturday.

Misses Virginia Gwynn, Melba Gwynn and Sandra Courts assisted with the party.

The children had fun playing different games, and with the balloons which they received for favors.

The children present were: Denny Elliot, "Punky" Roe, Charlene and Butch Begnaud, Marjorie McCready, Jimmy Dietrich, Mary Lou Little, Bart Rozzell, Chris Sorenson Delon Beasley, Pamela Court, Linda Eller, Bubba Morrison, Terry Thomas, Danny Cordy Kay Oulliber, Patsy Conner, and Maxine and Buddy Clinton.

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There's always danger involved, according to the Texas Safety Association. And the fact that it's not apparent often makes it more treacherous.

For instance, you may come upon a "School, Slow" sign when traveling on a clear stretch of road. As far as you can see there isn't a child around. But this doesn't excuse you from the obligation of slowing down. Children have an uncanny way of seeming to materialize from nowhere. One might suddenly dart in front of your car. The fact that you thought it was safe to disregard the warning sign wouldn't help much if you struck that child.

It's the same way with traffic signals, turning and passing regulations, and all the rest of the traffic laws and regulations. Their function is to protect you and everyone else who uses the streets and highways. They can't protect you if you ignore them.

Never ask yourself, "Is it safe to cheat a little this time?" Make up your mind, once and for all, that it's never safe to cheat on traffic laws.

The only way to say safe in traffic is to know your traffic laws and obey them!

Mrs. Tinnerman Wins Bridge Tournament

The members of the Live Oak Country Club had their regular card party last Tuesday night, with a good turn out of the members who played different games.

Mrs. Isabelle Tinnerman won the tournament for five consecutive nights.

High in Keno was won by Esther Kirkman, Ida Mae Snyder and Vernie Gilpin.

High in bridge went to J. M. Attaway and Nubins Fortner.

The Live Oak Club will have a game night again Saturday, Feb. 20, from 8:00 until 10:00 p.m., followed by dancing.

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Fulton P.-T.A. Holds Business Meeting

At a short business meeting held in the High School before the joint program for P.-T.A. Founders Day, the Fulton P.-T.A. voted to make tuberculosis tests available to all children at the Fulton school whose parents desire this service.

It was suggested by Mr. Millard Owens, school principal, that because of the School Evaluation Program, the children's participation be limited to the March meeting and it was voted to have the Finance Committee make suitable arrangements for the Spring project.

Mrs. Monte Rouquette, Mrs. Hopkins and Mrs. McHugh were named from the floor by acclamation at the nominating committee for next year's officers.

Sixteen members completed the Procedure Course and received their certificates.

The total membership attendance at the meeting was 25 and the fourth grade got the attendance prize.

Mrs. Lottie Madden, the first president of the Fulton P.-T.A. was presented with a life membership in the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers.

Altar Society Met At Fred Bracht Home

Following Rosary at the church the Altar Society of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church met with Mrs. Fred A. Bracht Tuesday afternoon.

There were three new members, Mrs. R. S. Strickland, Mrs. E. G. Brooks and Mrs. Wm. Caffey present, and one guest, Mrs. Wells.

The resignation of Mrs. Clark Wren as vice-president and Mrs. Dick Picton as secretary were accepted with regrets and Mrs. Chas. Picton was elected vice-president and Mrs. Jack McDavid secretary.

Mrs. Mary Adolphus and Mrs. Ed Barnard were appointed on the church committee for March and Mrs. A. C. Shivers and Mrs. Strickland are the visiting committee.

Mrs. Delo Caspary Honored by Coffee

Mrs. Jack McDavid was hostess for a coffee and pink and blue shower Sunday afternoon, honoring Mrs. Delo Caspary.

The tea table was centered with a pink heart surrounded with flowers. Mrs. Dick Picton served the cake and Miss Mabel Bracht poured coffee.

The group, which was a family party, was composed of Mrs. Travis Johnson, Mrs. Charles T. Picton, Mrs. T. J. Johnson, Mrs. Trudie Caspary, Mrs. DeWilton Jefferson, Mrs. Harold Picton, Mrs. Joe Johnson, Mrs. T. H. Ratliff, Mrs. Dick Picton, Miss Mabel Bracht, Miss Genevieve Bracht, Miss Vivien Picton, Miss Velma Picton, Miss Grace Smith and Mrs. Fred Johnson of Sinton.

Thomas Jefferson introduced waffles to America.

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Rev. Brad Ramsey
Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Preaching Service, 10:45 a.m.
Training Union, 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Service, Wednesday at 8:00 p.m.

Women meet every Thursday.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

L. C. Owen, Minister
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
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Preaching Service at 10:45 a.m.
Wednesday, Saturday, and Sunday night services at 7:00 p.m.

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Rev. Lee Bateman, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Regular Service at 11 a.m.
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Tuesday Night Service, 8:00 p.m.
C.A. Service, 8 p.m. Thursday

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. T. H. Pollard, Pastor
Sunday School at 9:45.
Worship Service at 11:00.
Evening Service at 7:30.
Men's Meeting 2nd Monday of month, 7:30 p.m.

Pioneer Young People meet Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.

Senior Young People's Meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Women of the Church, Third Thursday, 3:00.

Evening Circle 2nd Monday at 7:30 p.m.

Circle 1 meets 1st Thursday at 3:00.

Circle 2 meets 1st Thursday at 3:00.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Calvin Peterson, Pastor
Sunday School Services at 9:45 a.m.
Morning Church Service at 11:00 o'clock.

Evening Worship at 7:30 o'clock.
Methodist Men meet 2nd Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

Midweek Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Choir practice, Wednesday night.
W.S.C.S. meets 1st and 4th Thursday at 3:00 o'clock.

Fellowship dinner, first Sunday at noon.

Young People's meetings before and after Sunday night service.

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. C. Pearce, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Preaching Service, 10:45 a.m.
Training Union, 6:30 p.m.
Preaching Service, 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Service, Wed., 7:30 p.m.

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Morning Worship, 10:50 a.m.
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Marine Pilot Dies In Crash Near Rockport

A Marine captain was killed Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock when his F7F Hellcat fighter plane crashed and burned about 1/4 of a mile north of the Rockport tower at the airport.
He was Capt. Preston S. Taylor, 26, attached to the training unit, 101 at the Naval Air Station in Corpus Christi. His wife lives in Corpus Christi. Taylor had made two practice landings and was coming in for the third, when he reported he was having trouble with his landing gear. The cause of the crash has not been determined.

Funeral Services Held For Clesson Wells In Port Arthur

Clesson Wells, 67, passed away at his home in Port Arthur Tuesday morning. His funeral was held at Port Arthur Thursday (today).
Mr. Wells was a former resident of Rockport. His wife was the former Miss Stella Weber, daughter of Mrs. Fred Weber of Fulton.
Mr. Wells is survived by four children: La Rue, Clesson, Jr., Wanda and Wayne. He has one brother and two sisters living at Tivoli.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Owens and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Casterline of Fulton went to Port Arthur to attend his funeral.

Mrs. Cannon Joins VFW Auxiliary

The V.F.W. Auxiliary had its regular meeting Tuesday night with the president, Mrs. Violet Brundrett, presiding. There was a good attendance.
The meeting open to initiate Mrs. Ola Gladys Cannon into the Auxiliary, then recessed to welcome her.
The meeting then reopened for business, which included plans for a rummage sale which will be held Friday and Saturday, March 19 and 20, at the V.F.W. hall. All members are requested to bring the articles they have for sale to the hall Friday.
After the meeting closed a social hour was enjoyed, with Mrs. Ruth McShan and Mrs. Violet Brundrett at the hostesses.
The tea table was laid with white linen, the white cake with a cherry tree on the top in the center, and surrounded by heart shaped red cup cakes on paper doilies. Punch was served with the cake.
The next meeting of the Auxiliary will be on March 2nd.



IT'S THE LAW in Texas

TEXAS LAW SAYS

School buses over the state carry thousands of children to and from their studies. You quite often read reports of deaths and injuries occurring when impatient youngsters dash across busy highways to greet their waiting parents or to board the bus. Most of such accidents could be avoided if motorists would adhere strictly to the letter of the law pertaining to the passing of school buses.

Most Texans are aware of the law which requires a driver to come to a complete stop when overtaking from the rear a school bus which has stopped to receive or discharge school children. After stopping immediately behind the bus, he is then allowed by law to proceed past same at a speed "which is prudent, not exceeding ten miles per hour, and with due caution for the safety of such children."

What many persons do not realize is that the very same rule applies when meeting a stopped school bus. While everyone is interested in protecting our children, unthinking violators of this simple safety rule greatly outnumber those who comply. Failure to follow the law in this case can lead to fines up to \$200 even when no accident occurs. Following an accident in which some child is injured or killed, the penalties are naturally much more serious.

Although the above rule does not apply when passing a stopped school bus in a business or residential district of a town, the necessity for extreme caution even in those locations is obvious.

When it comes to overtaking and passing moving vehicles, exercise of ordinary common sense will generally keep a driver within the law. For instance, when passing a car it is only common sense to proceed on past it a safe distance before cutting back to the right side of the highway. Also, any driver would realize the danger of increasing his speed while another is attempting to pass him.

In the same category is the prohibition against passing on the right under most ordinary conditions. Of course, you may legally pass on the right in a few specific instances, such as when the vehicle overtaken is making or about to make a left turn, or upon a one-way street with two or more lanes, or upon a four-lane highway.

However, our traffic laws state that even when passing on the right is allowed, it shall be done only under conditions permitting such movement in safety. And, in no event should such passing be accomplished by driving off the pavement or main-traveled portion of the roadway.

Even when not engaged in passing another vehicle, a driver is prohibited from driving to the left of the center of the roadway in many instances. Familiar to all are the no passing zones designated by dash lines placed to one side of the center stripe on our highways.

Not so well known are the restrictions against crossing the center line when approaching within 100 feet of any bridge, viaduct or tunnel. The prohibition also applies when approaching within 100 feet of or when traversing any intersection or railroad grade crossing. A driver should never cross the center line of a highway when the left side of the road is not clearly visible and free of oncoming traffic.

Mrs. Violet Hampton is in the Aransas Pass Hospital for medical treatment this week.

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Annual Poetry Forum Opens Feb. 26, at Corpus Christi

The sixth annual Poetry Forum, sponsored by the By-liners is to be held in a series of three meetings, beginning Friday, Feb. 26.

The forum will be held in the Penthouse drawing room of the Robert Driscoll Hotel. Sessions will be from 8 to 10 p.m., Feb. 26, March 6 and March 12.

Prizes will be given for verse entered in competition.

Dr. Van Chandler of Kingsville, and Mrs. Roy Evans of Corpus Christi will be in charge of the programs and roundtables, assisted by the Rockport Rhymsters.

Admission to the forum is free but if writers wish to enter competition for the prizes they will pay \$2.00 registration fee. Top awards will be membership in the 1954 Southwest Writers Conference.

One to five poems may be entered in competition but they may not total more than 75 lines. All entries must be original and unpublished, any type of verse or song may be submitted. Poems will be judged by professional critics and their comments and criticisms will be attached to the returned work.

Entry fees should be sent to Forum Competition, 406 Carancahua and poems may be brought to either of the first two sessions. Those to be read in the work shop must be turned in by the first meeting.

Sale of License Plates Dragging

Mrs. Jordan Weber of the sheriff's department, says that the sale of license plates is still dragging, and reminds people to bring their license receipt and certificate of title when applying for the 1954 car plates.

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Funeral Services Held For George Lang In Laredo

The funeral of George Lang was held at Laredo last Friday. Mr. Lang had been ill for several years.

Miss Mabel Bracht, Mrs. Travis Bailey and Miss Verond Klaeser attended the funeral. He was a nephew of Mrs. L. M. Bracht and the late Mrs. John Klaeser, this city.

11 Persons Pass Driver's Tests

The following persons completed their examination for a Texas drivers license: Winston Weber, Thomas L. Matlock, Ray Washington, Mrs. Beverly Rohe, W. O. Paite, K. R. Kutzer, Mrs. Jaunita Allen and Steve Waker, all of Rockport; Loretta Wilson, Victor Dervage (beginner) and Dawn Olson, all of Fulton.

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Miss McLester Weds Elroy Parr in Local Church Sunday

Miss Patsy Nell McLester and Elroy Parr were married at the First Baptist Church at 3:00 p.m. Sunday, February 4. Rev. Bradford Ramsey, pastor, officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

A silver bowl of white stock with red satin ribbon on the altar with floor baskets of white shasta daisies on each side formed the floral background for the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted R. McLester of Falfurrias. Mr. and Mrs. VOLLIE PARR, of Rockport are the parents of the groom.

Miss Ina Marie Fitzhenry, of Falfurrias, played the nuptial music and accompanied Miss Barbara McLester, sister of the bride, who sang, "I Love You Truly", "Because", and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a waltz length chantilly lace dress over slipper satin. It had a bouffant skirt and long sleeves pointed over the hands. The net yoke with high round neckline was accented by a pearl necklace. A wreath of white tulle encircled with hearts of seed pearls held the finger tip veil of nylon tulle. She carried a bouquet of white carnations with a large white orchid in the center and showered with white satin ribbon.

The matron of honor was the bride's sister, Mrs. Kenneth Moore of Mission. The bridesmaids were Misses Marie and Barbara Parr, of Corpus Christi, cousins of the groom.

Mrs. Moore wore an ice blue taffeta dress with matching full net skirt and taffeta bolero, caught at the front by one button. She carried a nosegay of pink carnations. The bridesmaids wore similar dresses of pink taffeta and carried nosegays of blue carnations. They all wore net hats matching their dresses, trimmed with blue or pink carnations. The flower girl, little Miss Nancy McLester, sister of the bride, wore a white chantilly floor length dress over satin, with cap sleeves and a low scalloped neck. She carried white carnations.

Kenneth Moore, of Bishop, brother-in-law of the bride served as best man. The ushers were the bride's brother, Staff Sergeant Jerry McLester, of Victoria, and the groom's uncle, Alphonse Hat-



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tombach, of Corpus Christi.

Following the ceremony, the bride's aunt, Mrs. Milton Sparks was hostess at a reception in the church annex.

The bride's table was laid with a lace cloth over blue and had the bride's bouquet on a reflector for the centerpiece. The three-tiered wedding cake was embossed with sugar spun lillies and white and blush roses, tied with a white satin bow. A pedestal on top of the cake held a white lace heart in which stood a miniature bride and groom. The bride's cousins, Miss Mary Frances Bell served the cake and Miss Carol Sparks poured the punch.

Mrs. Jerry McLester, of Victoria, presided at the guest book which rested on a blue linen-covered table with a bouquet of pink carnations.

When the couple left on their wedding trip the bride wore a navy orlon suit with white blouse and red and navy accessories.

Mrs. Parr is a graduate of the Falfurrias High School and took a year's post graduate business course there. She has been employed by the Magnolia Petroleum Co. Mr. Parr attended Rockport High School and served with the Army, spending two years in Japan. He was discharged in April, 1953 and is employed by Heldenfels Brothers.

After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Parr will be at home at a cottage on Market Street.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Tom Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Hattenbach and Mr. and Mrs. Christian Hattenbach, all of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Young, of Agua Dulce, Mrs. Elberto Jones, of Falfurrias and Miss Betty Jean Moore of Premont.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Christilles visited their children in Houston a few days last week.

T. H. Pollards Have Open House Sunday

Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Pollard held open house at their home at the Presbyterian Manse, Sunday afternoon from 2 until 6 o'clock.

Arrangements of white stock and red carnations were on the mantel and coffee table.

A white cut-work linen cloth covered the tea table. The centerpiece was red satin hearts with white lace ruffle, over a silver bowl of red carnations and white narcissus. The Valentine motif was used on the white cake which was surrounded by a red maline ruffle and paper lace hearts.

The house party was composed of the wives of the elders and deacons of the church. Mrs. G. L. Brundrett, Mrs. S. F. Jackson, Mrs. Ted Little and Mrs. Hugh Morrison presided at the silver coffee and tea service. Serving the cake were Mrs. Pat Greene, Mrs. Norvell Jackson, Mrs. Fred Brundrett and Mrs. Floyd Smith.

In charge of the guest register and assisting in hostess duties were Mrs. James B. Jackson, Mrs. C. C. Hayden, Mrs. Ralph Matern, Mrs. Harry Mills, Mrs. John Cox, Mrs. Ceylon Ammons, Mrs. Jimmy Little, Mrs. Carl Osborn and Mrs. J. W. Wilkinson.

During the evening some of the ladies entertained the group with selections on the piano, among those playing was the only charter member of the First Presbyterian Church in Rockport, Mrs. Henry Bailey, whose lovely music brought back old memories to many.

Rev. and Mrs. Pollard are leaving Rockport the first of March to live at Woodboro where Rev. Pollard will assume the pastorate of the Woodboro Presbyterian Church.

There were about one hundred guests who enjoyed their hospital-ity Sunday afternoon.

Rockport Women Enjoy Card Party Saturday

Mrs. H. F. Elliot, Mrs. Harry Traylor and Mrs. R. F. McKnight entertained with bridge and canasta at the Woman's Club, Saturday afternoon. There were twenty-one tables playing.

The Valentine theme was accented in the table and room appointments.

The tea table was laid with a white cut-work linen cloth and centered with branched silver candelabra holding white tapers. An arrangement of white stock and red hearts, tied with red satin, was at one end of the table and at the other end Mrs. C. C. Melton, of Cody, Wyo., presided at the silver tea and coffee service. The tea wagon was covered with a handmade heirloom batenberg cloth.

Prizes were won by Mrs. A. C. Glass, Miss Katie Lee Clarke, Mrs. Norman Emerick, Mrs. Curtis Utz, Mrs. Ed Barnard, Mrs. S. H. Currey and Mrs. L. G. Wood.

There were 85 guests in attendance at the party.

Good Shepherd Class To Have Special Meeting

A special meeting of the Good Shepherd Class of the First Methodist Church will be held Tuesday night, February 23, at 7:30, at the church annex.

Mrs. Nina Garrett will be the hostess. Everyone bring a guest.

Polyandry is the form of marriage in which a woman has more than one husband.

Mrs. Willie Close Entertains Saturday

Mrs. Willie Close entertained a group of her old schoolmates and friends Saturday afternoon, benefit of the Sacred Heart Altar Society. The afternoon was spent in talking over olden times and looking at photograph albums which each brought. A planter, filled with ivy, was given as a door prize to Mrs. Richard Fox.

Refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, cookies, date loaf, salted nuts and coffee were served to the following: Mrs. T. H. Ratliff, Mrs. G. R. Rowe, Mrs. Somer Smith, Mrs. Austin Smith, Mrs. Richard Fox, Mrs. C. W. Armstrong, Mrs. Ted Atwood, Mrs. Dudley Bracht, Mrs. Jordan Weber, Mrs. L. J. LeBlanc, Mrs. A. C. Shivers, Mrs. Bertha Lassiter and the hostess, Mrs. Close.

Mrs. Hackett Hostess For Church Circle

Mrs. Ernest Hackett entertained the Darlene Elliot Circle at her home Thursday morning.

Mrs. C. N. Butler gave the devotional which was followed by a short business meeting when the party for the Intermediates was discussed and a skit practiced for the party.

Mrs. Butler was elected chairman of this circle to finish the unexpired term of Mrs. Ed Beasley, who resigned to become councilor for the G. A.'s. Mrs. Butler served doughnuts and coffee to the ten members present.

Don Greene and Bob Morrison were home from the University of Texas to spend the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Greene and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morrison.

First Baptist Church Juniors Have Party

The W.M.U. Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist Church sponsored a Valentine party for the Junior Department of the church Saturday night at the recreation room.

The ladies who helped with the party were Mrs. Eva Coaker, Mrs. Tom Shults, Mrs. Milton Mundine, Mrs. O. A. Carroll and Mrs. John Minton.

Valentine decorations were used in the rooms and there was a Valentine box for the children and many games were played. Red punch and Valentine cookies were served.

Dr. H. F. Elliot and Mr. J. B. Weaver toured the Calhoun County Hospital in Port Lavaca Monday morning on business for the Aransas Hospital, Inc.

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Mr. and Mrs. Christilles Entertain Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Christilles and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Williams of Riverton, Wyo. went on a sight-seeing and fishing trip up the main channel to the game preserve near Austwell Sunday.

W. M. U. Organized at Fulton Baptist Church

The ladies of the Fulton Baptist Church met in the Fulton Community Church building at 7:30 p.m. Thursday and organized a W. M. U. which will meet every Thursday night.

The following officers were elected: president, Mrs. Tom Murphy; secretary, Mrs. Vera Pady; treasurer, Mrs. Elaine Wendell; social chairman, Mrs. Dixie Down with Mrs. Edwin Mundine as co-chairman; community missions, Mrs. Frank Casterline; visitation, Mrs. John Tally and Mrs. Arthur Davis; Bible study, Mrs. Wilford; stewardship, Mrs. Mattie Cole; world missions, Mrs. Caffey; program chairman, Mrs. Bertha Rogers; publicity, Mrs. Dixie Downs.

"Come As You Are" Party at Wren Home

Mrs. A. C. Shivers, Mrs. C. C. Wren, Mrs. Dave Coleman and Mrs. Joe Johnson were hostesses at a "Come As You Are" party at the Wren home Saturday from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. for the benefit of the Altar Society of the Sacred Heart Church.

Between 90 and 100 ladies came as they were when invited that morning, all having the same disadvantage in their appearance and enjoying the affair immensely. Mrs. Grady West won the door prize for being the most attractive lady present.

The hostesses served cookies, coffee and orange juice.

Borden Train Was In Rockport Last Week

Elsie Borden's train was chugging around Rockport last week with its whistle blowing, bell ringing and smoke puffing, pulling two cars and a caboose behind it.

It stopped at several grocery stores where the children, and several adults inspected it.

New Tax Guide For Self-Employed Now Available

A special guide sheet to help self-employed persons in correctly reporting their net income for Social Security tax purposes is now available, H. M. Cleveland, manager of the Corpus Christi social security office, says.

This leaflet, "Helpful Guides on Reporting Your Self-Employment Tax," he said, has been issued by the Social Security Administration to supplement instructions given with the Federal income tax forms.

Pointing out that social security benefits payable to a self-employed person and his family in his old age, or to his dependents in case of his death, are based on earnings credited to his social security account, Cleveland stressed the importance of correct reporting.

State Draft Quota For March, 985 Men

Austin.—State Selective Service headquarters Tuesday announced a March draft quota of 985 men, as compared to a February call of 1,010 and a January quota of 1,314.

This is the smallest monthly quota received by state draft headquarters in 19 months, Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state Selective Service director, said. The Texas quota in June, 1952, was 384.

At the same time he announced the March induction call of 985 the state director of Selective Service said approximately 1,000 men will be sent for physical examinations during the same month.

No physical examinations are planned for February. About 4,000 men are undergoing these examinations during January. Men also take mental tests at the same time physical exams are given.

Local boards must fill their March call with men 20 years old or older if they have them. If necessary to reach its quota, a board may send 19-year-olds for induction.

Nearly 80,000 Texans have been inducted into the armed forces under the present draft law. During the same period 176,000 have undergone physical examinations. The law has been in effect since June, 1948.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Young, who were in a car wreck near Palestine a few weeks ago have been moved from the hospital there to the home of their son, Wilford, in San Antonio. Mr. Young, who had a shoulder broken, has a little use of his arm now, and Mrs. Young, who received a broken hip, has had surgery and is improving satisfactorily.

time and expense when an incomplete or incorrect return has to be straightened out," he declared.

This guide to accurate reporting of self-employment net income is available upon request at the Social Security Administration, 424 Taylor Street, Corpus Christi.

Cleveland urges all self-employed persons whose trade or business is covered by social security to carefully complete Schedule C, which is part of their 1953 Federal income tax form. The social security tax of 2 1/4 percent must be paid at the time the form is filed on or before March 15.

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Mrs. Ballou Hostess To B. W. Circle

The W. M. U. Business Womens Circle of the First Baptist Church met with Mrs. Somerville Ballou Thursday night for Mission study. Mrs. Milton Mundine led the lesson.

Mrs. Ballou served cookies and coffee to the first members: Mrs. Milton Mundine, Mrs. Eva Coaker, Mrs. Albert L. Ballou, Mrs. John Minton, Mrs. Tom Shults and Mrs. John McLester. The Business Women's Circle met with Mrs. Floy Rooke, Feb. 4, with twelve members present.

VISITS THE PHILIPPINES

FAR EAST (FHTNC)—Five Pacific Fleet Destroyer Force units visited the Republic of the Philippines last month.

Aboard the destroyer USS Yarnall was Ramon D. Torres, sonarman third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Torres and husband of Mrs. Virginia Torres, of Rockport, Texas.

These units are helping to maintain the Korean truce. They are engaged in patrol operations and training.

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**Rotary Club Holds
Regular Meeting**

The Rotary Club had club assembly at their meeting Wednesday noon in the Methodist Annex. Merritt Huelett of Saratoga Springs, N. Y., and Virgil Bogue of Geneva, Ohio, were guests. Fred Bracht reported attending the Jaycees meeting Friday night as a representative of the club. Fred Brundrett gave a short talk on his tour of the King Ranch last week.

President R. R. Rice, told the club that Rotary International requests a history of the club and Jack Horton is to see about this matter.

Jack Horton, Dick Denny and Ed Beasley were appointed to arrange for the election to be held next Wednesday.

**Wm. Wesley Gohlke
Dies At Austwell**

William Wesley Gohlke, 67, died suddenly at his home in Austwell, Monday morning, Feb. 8. Mr. Gohlke was the brother of Calvin Gohlke of this city.



This scene is from the Hollywood attraction, "The Story of Bob and Sally" which plays 2 days only, Sunday and Monday, Feb. 21-22 at the Tarpon Drive-In Theatre, Aransas Pass. Roger Miles noted sex hygiene commentator will also appear on the stage in person in conjunction with the showing of this program.

The HomeGrounds
(By Mrs. Emma H. S. Reese)

Bright days this week call the gardener out of doors. A few minutes each day devoted to weed pulling will save much work later on, and some of these unwelcome invaders yield to only one method of eradication: total extraction, root and all! My worst pests at present are the false dandelions, called by a variety of names, none of which in my books are complimentary. They grow while you look at them, produce number of fluffy seeds, exude a milky juice which irritates the skin of many people. They are not edible, I am told, and are altogether a nuisance. They pick bad company as well as good, as they are usually to be found near the pretty little plant with many names, mostly rude; the stinging nettle. So fellow gardeners, when you reach for that stray weed, WEAR GLOVES! I love the feel of fresh earth, myself, but scorpions, spiders, and a variety of creepers and crawlers are to be found where least expected, as they too like the sunshine, and resent being disturbed.

Pruning may be done now, but there still is danger of frost. Seeds of annuals and perennials may be planted where they are to remain, especially where protected by taller plants. There will be plenty of work, dividing clumps of permanent plantings, and this is still an excellent time to transplant trees and shrubs.

Most important of all, take a good look at the outline of your house while the leaves are off the trees, and see how you can improve over last year's planting. If you have any painting to be done, or repairs to concrete or brick-

work, now is a fine time to do it, so that spatters will not mar the foliage, and to give the grass a chance to grow. A little thought and work now will add much to our pleasure through the summer, and every bit of cleaning up or planting helps our town.

**Fulton Lions Club
Holds Regular Meeting**

The Fulton Lions Club had their regular meeting at their Club house Monday night, with 17 members present.

The club voted to give \$10.00 on the prizes to be given at the drawing at the Mass Chest X-Ray, to be held April 21 and 22 at the postoffice in Rockport.

There were two guests present, Pat H. Greene and Travis Bailey. Mr. Bailey, county chairman for the Mass Chest X-Ray, urged everyone to take an active part in this work, that TB may be entirely stamped out in Texas.

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**Finance Committee
Recommends Building
Pool At Country Club**

The finance committee of the Live Oak Golf Country Club, reports that a membership-wide canvass revealed that over \$4,000 has been donated toward a swimming pool and that commitments, both paid and pledged total approximately \$11,000 and recommend to the board of directors that a pool be built at the club.

The directors started looking into the cost of construction and maintenance of a swimming pool last week, after receiving the recommendation of the finance committee. They have indicated that the pool will be built only on the donation basis, and Walter Boehnke, club president, said that the board has set no date for the start of actual construction.

Pipes were laid last week end for watering No. 3 and No. 6 fairways at the club, according to announcement by W. E. Boehnke.

The two fairways mentioned are the only ones which were not piped when the club water system was installed before the course was opened.

At a meeting of the board plans were also made to fill in and condition the tees and certain bare sections of the fairways. They also approved purchase of an aerifier to perforate the greens.

**Roger Miles to Appear on
Stage in Person at
Tarpon Drive-In Theatre**

Roger T. Miles noted sex hygiene commentator will appear on the stage in person twice nightly in conjunction with the showing of the Hollywood attraction "The Story of Bob and Sally", which plays a limited engagement at the Tarpon Drive-In Theatre in Aransas Pass, Sunday and Monday, February 21 and 22.

Mr. Miles has been lauded from coast to coast by church and school officials as well as civic organizations for his ability to lecture to audiences on such intimate subjects as alcoholism, juvenile delinquency, marital relations and sex hygiene. This attraction has been shown to some 20 million people in the United States. This will be the first time shown in Aransas Pass and also the first time it has been shown to mixed audiences in the privacy of your own car.

There will be two shows nightly at 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. Admission is 50c per person.

**Brownie Troops Met
Monday and Tuesday**

Brownie Troop No. 5 met at the Scout Hut Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 16, with 14 members and one visitor present.

Refreshments were served to the troop by Mrs. G. R. Rowe.

Troop No. 4 met at Jerry Lynn Harrell's home Monday afternoon to help here celebrate her birthday. They made two posters for the benefit dance to be held at the Woman's Club Saturday night.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF ARANSAS

TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF ARANSAS COUNTY, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID COUNTY AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION: TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 13th day of March, 1954, within Aransas County, Texas, to determine if said County shall issue Courthouse and Jail Bonds, and if a tax shall be levied on all taxable property within said County sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal thereof at maturity, in pursuance of an ELECTION ORDER made and entered by the Commissioners' Court of Aransas County, Texas, on the 12th day of February, 1954, and which order is in words and figures as follows:

ORDER FOR COURTHOUSE AND JAIL BOND ELECTION

ON THIS, the 12th day of February, 1954, the Commissioners' Court of Aransas County, Texas, convened in regular session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the Courthouse at Rockport, Texas, there being present and in attendance the following members, to-wit:

JOHN WENDELL, COUNTY JUDGE, Presiding; and
W. B. ALLEN, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 1;
J. M. SPARKS, JR., COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 2;
A. L. DAVIS, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 3;
J. H. MILLS, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 4;
 and, among other proceedings had were the following:

Commissioner Mills introduced the following election order:

WHEREAS, the Commissioners' Court of Aransas County, Texas, deems it advisable to submit to the resident qualified taxpaying voters of said County, who own taxable property in said County, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, a proposition for the issuance of bonds of said County, for the purpose hereinafter stated; therefore

BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF ARANSAS COUNTY, TEXAS:

That an election be held in said County on the 13th day of March, 1954, which date is not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this order, at which election the following proposition

shall be submitted to the qualified taxpaying electors who own taxable property in said County, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, for their action thereupon:

"SHALL the Commissioners' Court of Aransas County, Texas, be authorized to issue bonds of said County in the total principal sum of THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$300,000), to mature serially at such time as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners' Court, but not later than fifteen (15) years from the date thereof, and to bear interest at a rate not to exceed THREE PER CENTUM (3%) per annum, and to levy ad valorem taxes sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal thereof at maturity, for permanent improvement purposes, to-wit: the construction and erection of the county courthouse and jail building in the City of Rockport, the County Seat of Aransas County, Texas, pursuant to authority conferred by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas?"

ALL VOTERS who are legally qualified voters of said Aransas County, Texas, and who are resident property taxpayers of said County, and who have duly rendered their property for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election; and said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapters 1 and 2, Title 22, Revised Statutes of 1925, and the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the ballots for said election shall be prepared in sufficient number and in conformity with Chapter 6, V.A.T.S. Election Code, adopted by the Fifty-second Legislature in 1951, and that printed on such ballots shall appear the following:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

EACH VOTER shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his or her vote on the proposition.

THE POLLING PLACES and officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

Precinct No. 1 (Box No. 1); Voting Place: Fire Station, Rockport, Texas; Election Judges: Mrs. Fay Brundrett, Presiding Judge, Mrs. Fred Diederich, Judge.
 Precinct No. 1 (Box No. 1a); Voting Place: Alamo Courts, Aransas Pass, Texas; Election Judges: Glenn Ellis, Presiding

Judge, Hazel Ellis, Judge.
 Precinct No. 2; Voting Place: Courthouse, Rockport, Texas; Election Judges: Mrs. Alma Ratliff, Presiding Judge, Gertrude Mills, Judge.

Precinct No. 3; Voting Place: School House, Fulton, Texas; Election Judges: W. J. Moss, Presiding Judge, W. S. Steede, Judge.

Precinct No. 4; Voting Place: Concession Hall, Lamar, Texas; Election Judges: Mrs. Alma Johnson, Presiding Judge, Mrs. R. S. Johnson, Judge.

THAT absentee voting shall be conducted at the Office of the County Clerk in the Court House, Rockport, Texas, and that the special canvassing board for canvassing ballots of absentee voters shall be as follows:

Harold Picton, Presiding Judge, J. B. Jackson, Clerk, Carl C. McCall, Clerk.

THE MANNER of holding said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas regulating General Elections.

A COPY OF THIS ORDER, signed by the County Judge of said County, and certified to by the County Clerk shall serve as proper and sufficient notice of such election.

NOTICE OF SAID ELECTION shall be given by posting and publication of a copy of this order, at the top of which shall appear the words, "NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS". Said Notice shall be posted in each of the election precincts of said County, and at the County Courthouse, not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date on which said election is to be held, and be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks, in a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Aransas, the first of said publications to be made not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for said election.

The above order having been read in full, it was moved by Commissioners Mills and seconded by Commissioner Sparks that it be passed. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Court voted "AYE": Commissioners Allen, Sparks, Davis and Mills; and none voted "NO".

WITNESS THE SIGNATURES of the members of the Commissioners' Court of Aransas County, Texas, this the 12th day of February, 1954.

JOHN D. WENDELL, County Judge, Aransas County, Texas
W. B. ALLEN, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
J. M. SPARKS, JR., Commissioner, Precinct No. 2
A. L. DAVIS, Commissioner, Precinct No. 3
J. H. MILLS, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4.

THE ABOVE and foregoing NOTICE is issued and given by me pursuant to authority conferred by the above and foregoing order of the Commissioners' Court of Aransas County, Texas, and I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the ORDER of said Court, ordering said bond election, and also the Minutes pertaining to the passage thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF ARANSAS

Mrs. Hanway Hostess For Wednesday Club

Mrs. J. P. Hanway entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club at her home Wednesday afternoon. There were two substitutes playing, Mrs. E. W. Means and Mrs. J. T. Hord. Mrs. Hanway used the Valentine motif in the party appointments, with arrangements of red carnations about the house. She served a red and white salad course. Mrs. Fred Christilles won high score and Miss Mable Bracht won second. Miss Genevieve Bracht won the third prize and bingo was won by Mrs. Fred A. Bracht.

Valentine Banquet For Intermediates

The Darlene Elliot Circle of the First Baptist Church at Rockport, entertained the Intermediate Department of the church with a Valentine banquet, Friday night in the church recreation room.

An old fashioned Valentine theme was carried out. The center piece on the serving table was old fashioned cars with a miniature old fashioned man and woman in each. A bouquet of red paper hearts with white stems and jade fern were in a gold bowl on the speakers table.

A bower of flowers and fern with an old fashioned boy and girl under it was on the piano.

The menu was chicken a la king in pastry cups, fruit salad, candied yams, cranberry hearts on lettuce leaves, pink cup cakes trimmed with red hearts and red punch.

Mrs. Grady West was the toastmaster and Rev. Buddy Welch of Aransas Pass was the speaker.

Members of the Circle presented a skit, "The Meeting of the Broken-Hearted Old Maids."

P.T.A. "Get Together" Well Attended

The Fulton P.T.A. get-together at the Woman's Club last Saturday was well attended by home folks and tourists, and thanks to the generosity of the parents who donated refreshments and prizes. Over \$100.00 was realized towards additional playground equipment for the Fulton school.

Canasta prizes went to Mrs. Oscar Raske and Mr. Beswick.

Bridge prizes to Mrs. A. G. Collins and Mrs. Bert Pope and the prize for dominoes, to Mr. K. Caldwell.

COUNTY, TEXAS, hereto affixed, this the 12th day of February, 1954.

JAS. C. HERRING, County Clerk and Ex-Office Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Aransas County, Texas
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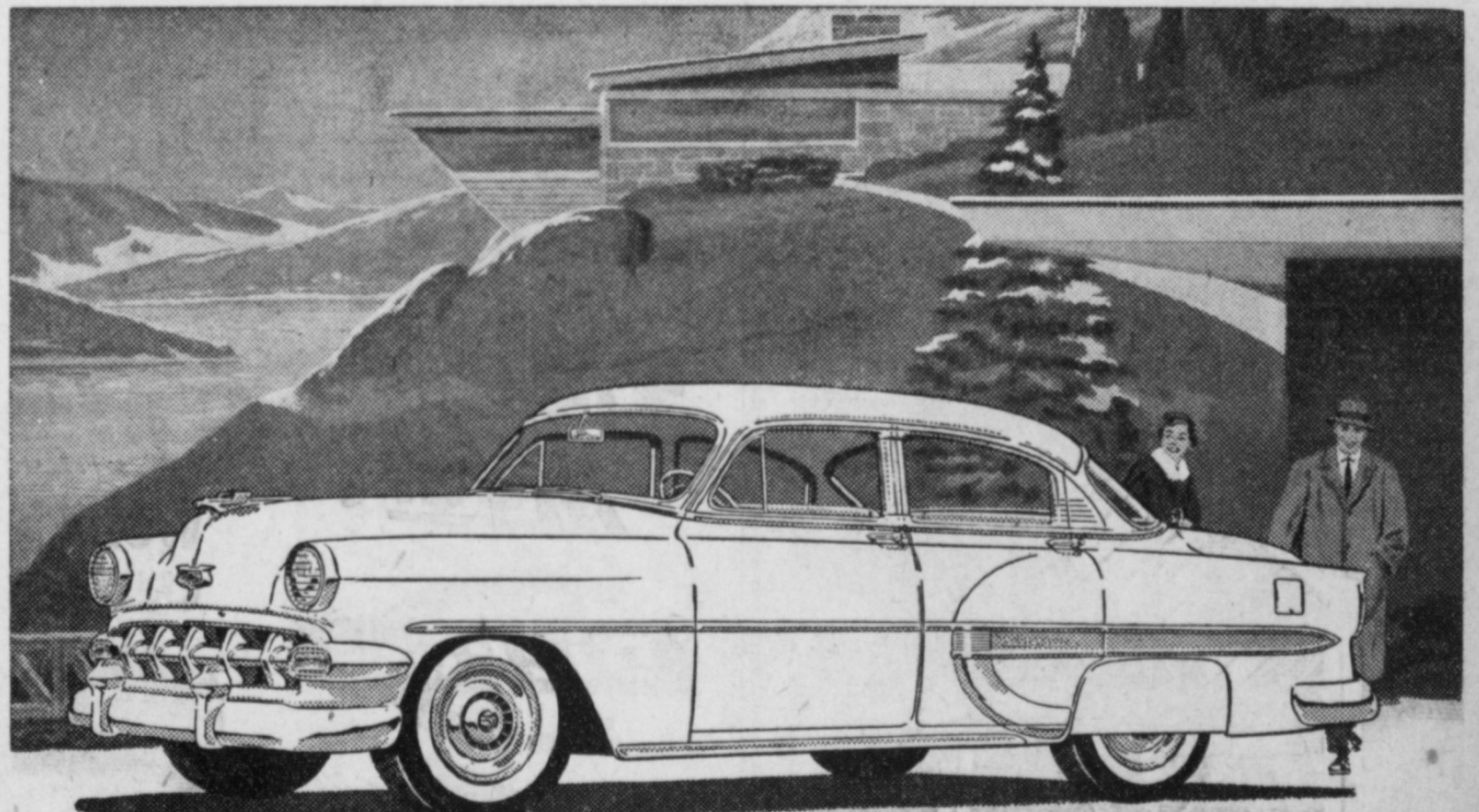
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Remember before the days of automobiles how a trip by train was a common thing for children as well as grownups? In fact, it was the only way to travel when the distance was too great for the family horse. Today, there are many children who have traveled from one end of the country to the other by automobile, yet have never been on a train. Remember?

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Tourist Parties Have Capacity Crowds

The parties sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce are really going over with capacity crowds. The game night last Thursday had a full house in spite of the King Ranch tour on the same day. Take a run out to the V.F.W. hall Thursday (tonight) at 7:30, and join the crowd for a lot of fun. No entry fee and refreshments are served.

The afternoon card party at the Woman's Club building Monday had about as many tables playing as they could get into the hall. Two more parties are scheduled for the afternoons held each Monday at 2 p.m. Hostesses for the party this week were Mrs. Chas. Roe, Mrs. Lois Rozzell, Mrs. J. D. Griggs and Mrs. Earle Thomas. Prizes were won in canasta by Mrs. Walter Larsen of Langford, South Dakota, high and Mrs. Alex Fahan of Yetter, Iowa, low.

Mrs. C. O. Lutz of Sharon Springs, Kans., won high in bridge and Mrs. R. F. McKnight of Rockport, low. Mrs. Alex Scott of Fulton won the Bingo prize which was donated by the Shell Shop of Rockport.

Mrs. Fannie Atwood Honored With Party

Mrs. Tom Shults and Mrs. Ted Atwood honored their mother, Mrs. Fannie Atwood with a party Friday afternoon, at the Shults home, the occasion being Mrs. Atwood's 70th birthday. The party was a complete surprise.

The birthday table was covered with a yellow linen cloth with a centerpiece of blue and yellow daisies in a blue bowl. The beautiful birthday cake was trimmed in blue.

Those present were: Mrs. Zeph Rouquette, Mrs. Otis Rouquette, Mrs. Francis Rouquette, Mrs. Hayes Atwood, Mrs. John Gilmore, Mrs. Pearl Wright, Mrs. Bobby Landrum, Mrs. W. S. Close, Mrs. Austin Smith, Mrs. Jack Sparks, Mrs. Richard Fox, Mrs. J. W. Wright, Mrs. G. R. Rowe and the hostesses, Mrs. Ted Atwood and Mrs. Tom Shults.

Surprise Birthday and Farewell Party for Rev. Calvin Peterson

Friday night, Feb. 12, the congregation of the First Methodist Church and other friends surprised their minister, Rev. Calvin Peterson with a birthday and farewell party combined. Rev. Peterson has been pastor of the local church for the past three years. He is moving to his new appointment at Victoria this week.

Rev. Peterson was being entertained at one of the homes until a call was sent for him to come to the church annex about 8:00 p.m. On his arrival, the group sang "Happy Birthday".

He was presented with a 50-year Minister's Diary, for his birthday, and a lovely poem, "Our Pastor and Our Friend", composed by Miss Gussie Dean was read by Mrs. W. B. Allen, was presented to him. Mrs. Allen then presented him a "going away" card and as he opened it found a gift certificate for a 21-inch TV set and antenna, of his own choice.

The table was covered with a linen cloth. There was a large bouquet of white flowers in a blue container on it. The birthday cake was a huge ring-shaped angel-food, iced in white and decorated with blue flowers and Happy Birthday. The other cakes were heart-shaped and decorated with Valentine motifs. Coffee, sandwiches and cake were served. Miss Loretta Wilson and Miss Joy Hamblin served the cake and Mrs. LeRoy Young poured the coffee.

General games were played and stories told. Rev. Peterson played and sang a song he has composed. Mrs. I. E. Allemang read a lovely poem she had written especially for him and presented it to him.

Rev. Peterson left for his new home Tuesday morning. He will be missed, not only by his congregation, but also by his many friends here.

Executive Board of Council of Church Women Meet

The executive board of the Council of Church Women met with the president, Mrs. J. P. Hanway, Tuesday morning. Plans were announced for the observance of the World Day of Prayer, March 5 at the Methodist Church at 4 p.m., Mrs. Marvin Bearden chairman of Christian World Missions, will present the program.

Tentative plans were made for the Easter sunrise service which will be held at the yacht basin. Harry Carter, lay minister of St. Peter's Episcopal Church will deliver the Easter message. He will be assisted in the service by the other ministers in the county and Mrs. Norvell Jackson will be music director.

Complete programs of both events will be published at later dates.

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