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FRIDAY AT THE 'FOUR CORNERS'



Football Meeting Monday Night

Head Coach Joe Van Breemen has called a meeting of all boys who will be in high school with the beginning of the fall term who are interested in coming out for football during the fall. Coach Van Breemen wants all these boys to meet with him at the school gym at 7:30 Monday night, and it is urgent that all boys who plan to come out for football be present.

Another meeting is planned later in this month when parents will be urged to attend a meeting with their sons.

Coach Van Breemen is attending coaching school this week and plans to return to his home here at the weekend.

Actual football training will get underway Monday, August 27 and the first game of the season is scheduled for September 7, with Clyde at Clyde.

Other games on the fall schedule are: Bings, here; Robert Lee here; Rochelle, there; Rising Star, here; Goldthwaite, there; Cross Plains, there; Bronte, here; Llano, here; and Mason, there.

"B" team games have been scheduled as follows: Goldthwaite, here; Cross Plains, there; Early, here; Mason, there; Goldthwaite, there; Cross Plains, here; and Early, there. All "B" team games will be played on Thursday nights and the regular schedule games will be played on Friday nights.

Elementary school games will be played on Tuesday nights.

County United Fund Directors Hold Meeting Aug. 1st

Committees were appointed and a constitution was adopted when the directors of the Coleman County United Fund met Wednesday night of last week at the Coleman B. C. D. office.

Purpose of the organization is to tie all the welfare and mercy drives, with the exception of the March of Dimes, into one organization, making one campaign for the year, instead of having one follow the other, with duplication of effort and overwork for house-to-house workers.

Twenty-seven Coleman County people make up the board of the United Fund, with those from the Santa Anna area being Ford Barnes, who is vice-president, W. T. Stewardson, John Will Vance, Ozro Eubank and Mrs. C. D. Bruce.

Mrs. Johnny Hammonds and daughters, Carol and Betty, returned home Sunday from a two weeks visit with her mother, Mrs. George Ryburn, at Hobbs, N. M. They also visited at Carlsbad with the children's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Hammonds.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harlowe and children of Dayton, Ohio, returned home on Wednesday of last week, after a three weeks visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Trick.

Baseball Results

FRIDAY NIGHT
Braves 5 — Cubs 4

Winning pitcher, Dockery
Cards 9 — Yankees 5

Winning pitcher, Vasquez
TUESDAY NIGHT
Cards 8 — Braves 7

Winning pitcher, Strength

LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct.
Cubs	12	6	.667
Cards	10	8	.556
Braves	9	9	.500
Yankees	5	13	.278

TOP BATTERS

F. Walker, Braves	620
E. Hartman, Cubs	491
K. Haynes, Braves	481
B. Wylie, Cubs	472
M. Drake, Cards	472
J. Haynes, Braves	436
A. Windham, Cards	403
B. Wardlow, Yankees	369
J. C. Bible, Yankees	348
T. Buse, Yankees	340

HOME RUN LEADERS

F. Walker, Braves	8
K. Haynes, Braves	8
J. C. Bible, Yankees	7
C. Strength, Cards	6

PITCHING RECORD

Name	W	L
E. Hartman, Cubs	8	1
C. Strength, Cards	6	4
J. Dockery, Braves	5	1
T. Moore, Yankees	3	3
P. Simmons, Braves	3	4
P. Vasquez, Cards	2	1
J. Blanton, Cubs	2	2
J. Niell, Yankees	2	6
M. Drake, Cards	1	0
B. Tucker, Cubs	1	1
J. Haynes, Braves	1	2

This completes the baseball season for the scheduled play.

A second game played Tuesday night was won by Santa Anna over Brownwood by a 11-10 score. At one time the Brownwood boys were leading Santa Anna 10-0 and the score was tied going into the ninth inning. An error and a single brought in a score for Santa Anna and ended the game.

New Religious Feature Added To The News This Week

Along with the changes being made in The News this week, a new religious feature has been added. Each week you will be invited to share in a meditation with a Scripture reading, prayer and a thought for the day.

This weekly meditation is taken from The Upper Room, the world's most widely used devotional guide which is distributed in more than seventy thousand churches in the United States and Canada and in thousands of churches in other lands. Those who write the meditations come from all parts of the world and from all walks of life. Selections are made without regard to denominations, nationality, race or language of the writer.

The Upper Room is currently printed in 28 languages and plans are being completed for editions in other languages soon. The new feature is found on page seven this week.

Athens and Sparta were the contenders in the Peloponnesian Wars.

Happy Birthday

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

AUGUST 10
Montie Guthrie
Mrs. Ruby Hartman
George P. Richardson
Mrs. Dayis Ellis
Curtis Bryan
Mrs. Cecil Day
Wayne Langford

AUGUST 11
Mrs. Roy Blackwell
Mrs. Charlotte Burney
Billy Don Haynes

AUGUST 12
C. B. James
Homer Burden
Kenny Haynes
Frances Biggs

AUGUST 13
C. R. (Ray) Owen
Mrs. John Haynes
John Haynes
Mrs. Uless Maness
Lester Bryan

AUGUST 14
Raymond Greaves
Kyle Dunn
Mrs. Bill Archer

AUGUST 15
Larry Avants
Ernest Cundiff

AUGUST 16
Earl Hardy
Mrs. Louise Odon
Billy Don McCrary
Mrs. J. H. Freeman

Would you like for your name to be published on your birthday? If so, please be sure to let us know when it is. Next week we will publish names of those having birthdays between August 17th through August 23rd.

Santa Anna Hospital News

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

ADMITTED:

Woody Ray Epperson, Coleman
Mrs. Margaret Harper, Brownwood.
Mrs. Floyd Jenkins, Coleman.
Mrs. Frances Tidmore, Rockwood.
Mrs. Shirley Merryman, Coleman.
Jerry Horner, city.
Mrs. Harvey Oxford, Coleman.
Mrs. Oma Moody, Bangs.
Mrs. Dixie Cupps, city.
Mrs. Angelina Lopez, Brownwood.
Mrs. Ethel Perrie, Coleman.
Mrs. Lloyd Price, city.
Mrs. Dennie Ruth Sharp, city.
Mrs. C. W. Fleming, city.

DISMISSED:

Mrs. Ethel Perrie, Coleman.
Mrs. Oma Moody and baby, Bangs.
Mrs. Harvey Oxford and baby, Coleman.
Woody Ray Epperson, Coleman
Mrs. Margaret Harper, Brownwood.
Mrs. Floyd Jenkins, Coleman.
Mrs. E. L. Keeney, Coleman.
Mrs. Maggie West, Rising Star.
Mrs. H. B. Monroe, city.
Mrs. Frances Tidmore, Rockwood.
Mrs. Shirley Merryman and baby, Coleman.
Dan F. Wristen, city.
Christopher Rameriz, Coleman
Dennis Rowe, San Francisco.
Mrs. Petro Comacho, Brownwood.
Donald Ray Owen, city.
Jerry Horner, city.

Cub Scouts To Have Day At Camp Tonkawa

All members of the Santa Anna Cub Scout Pack are invited to go on a days outing to Camp Tonkawa, near Buffalo Gap, on Wednesday, August 15.

The Den Mothers and other adults will go along with the pack.

All the members of the pack are requested to contact Mrs. Pat Hosch or Mrs. Cullen Perry as soon as possible and let them know whether you plan to go or not. Plans are being made to leave Santa Anna at 8:00 a. m. and return late that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Mills left by train early Monday morning for a visit with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold White and Nancy, at Lovington, N. M.

Fire Department Contributes \$100 To Blast Victims

The Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department voted Monday night to contribute \$100 to a fund for the families of fifteen firemen who were killed in an oil field explosion near Dumas and Sunray, Texas, recently. This amounts to \$4.00 per fireman in the local department.

David Clabaugh, president of the State Firemen's and Fire Marshal's Association of Texas, acting with the advice and consent of the Executive Committee of the association, made an appeal to every fire department in Texas for every member to contribute to the limit of their ability, in order that the firemen of Texas might show the families of these men they are thinking of them and want to help them.

All the firemen killed were just average citizens of the two towns. They were members of a volunteer department similar to our own department, and none of them had any great amount of protection for their families.

All contributions are to be sent to Olin Culberson, secretary and treasurer of the association. All funds received will be distributed on the basis of the fifteen firemen and will be distributed by a committee composed of the Fire Chief, the Chaplain and Mayor of the towns of Dumas and Sunray, respectfully.

Cancer Research Fund In Memory Of Mrs. Ethel Davis

A number of friends and neighbors of Mrs. Ethel Davis, who passed away recently as a result of cancer, have started a fund known as the Ethel W. Davis Memorial Fund for Cancer Research, and early this week \$150 had been deposited in the Santa Anna National Bank to this fund.

Friends of Mrs. Davis who would like to contribute to the fund are asked to leave their contributions at the Santa Anna National Bank or with Ford Barnes, secretary-manager of the Community Chamber of Commerce.

All the money contributed will be turned over to a cancer research institution in the name of Mrs. Davis.

Rites For Rev. W. G. Miller at Hamlin

Rev. W. G. Miller, former pastor of the Assembly of God church here, died Sunday at Hamlin, after being stricken while teaching a Sunday School class in the Assembly of God church there, where he was pastor. Rushed to the hospital, he died about 15 minutes after arrival.

Rev. Miller, 33, was well thought of in Santa Anna by others, as well as his own congregation. Most of the Assembly of God members here attended the rites held at 2:00 p. m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church in Hamlin, the big church being needed to accommodate the large crowd attending. Burial was in Rotan, following the funeral service.

Survivors include his wife and three children, a little girl having been born to them after the family left Santa Anna. They had two boys in school here.

Adult Swimming Program At The Pool

Charlie Owen, who supervised the swimming program for the Santa Anna children at the Pool west of Coleman, this week began an adult swimming instruction program. He is giving lessons to adults and children.

An advertisement appears in this issue of The News giving all the needed details.

The Kirkpatrick sisters, Mrs. Basil Gilmore of Fort Worth, Mrs. P. B. Snook and Mrs. Henry Newman of Artesia, N. M., and Mrs. Norval Wylie of Santa Anna, attended the Newman annual reunion at Lake Brownwood last Saturday. They spent Saturday night with their aunt, Miss Kathryn Baxter and those from out of town left for their homes early Sunday morning.

Two Youths Try To Burglarize Local Store

Two youths from Jacksonville, Florida Naval Air Station attempted to burglarize the Purdy Mercantile Company about 2 a. m. Tuesday and through the efforts of the nightwatchman, Jim Lovelady, were caught by the Brownwood Police a few minutes after they left Santa Anna.

The youths, Carl G. Fiveash, 18, and Donald L. Ballman, 17, admitted robbing service stations and garages at Meridian, Chalk Hill and Bangs soon after they were captured.

They forced the back screen door open on the Purdy Mercantile and attempted to pry the wooden door loose, but it was too well barred from the inside. Jim Lovelady picked up their trail as they were leaving the store and attempted to catch them here, but when they realized he was after them, they dodged him and headed for Brownwood.

Lovelady got a description of the car and part of the license number, then called Deputy Sheriff Bud Simmons to come and help him. Simmons radioed the Police at Brownwood and the boys were caught within a few minutes after the call was received at Brownwood. The car they were in, a 1951 4-door Chevrolet, had been stolen in Dallas.

They took a battery from a service station in Bangs and put it on the car they were driving. They discarded the old battery underneath the ice house at the Truck Harbor Service Station.

The youths were lodged in the Brown County jail for further questioning.

Youth Activity Week To Begin At Local Methodist Church

Youth Activity Week at the First Methodist Church in Santa Anna begins Monday evening, August 20, at 6:45 o'clock. The program is for youth of the Intermediate, Senior and Older Youth divisions.

The program will consist of supper, worship, classes and recreation. Teacher for the course, "I Believe" will be Mrs. Harry Crews. The pastor, Rev. Frank Turner Jr., will deliver the messages at the thirty-minute worship services. Mrs. T. M. Hays, W. S. C. S. president, is in charge of the meals each evening.

Second Sunday Singing At North Side Baptist Sunday

The regular Second Sunday Singing will be held next Sunday, August 12, at the North Side Baptist Church. Sessions begin at 2:00 p. m. and close at 4:00 p. m.

All singers are urged to attend and others are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Speck were weekend visitors with friends and relatives at Llano.

Size of The News Changed With This Issue

The page size of The Santa Anna News has been increased, effective with this issue. The width of the page remains the same but the depth has been increased from 18 inches to 20 inches deep.

During the past few weeks we have printed some of the new features that you will find regularly in The News now. Some of these include a weekly pattern, a variety of comic cartoons and strips, a crossword puzzle, a Sunday sermon and a number of other features we hope you will enjoy. Also we have left the usual head-rule off the inside pages and the date and page number will be found on a little shorter line somewhere on the page.

It is planned to add some other feature articles during the next few weeks. We will continue to carry all the local news and the regular weekly news columns from our rural correspondents.

Since last weeks News came off the press, we have been busy making the necessary changes on the presses, folder and other equipment in order to take care of the larger size paper. There is a number of changes that must be made as the paper is being printed and these will be made as rapidly as possible. Until all adjustments are made and locked, there is likely to be some bad printing on parts of the paper. We hope it won't inconvenience you and we will have all adjustments completed as soon as possible.

We would also appreciate your comments on the changes. If you like them, let us know and the same goes if you do not like them. We exert every effort to bring our readers the kind of newspaper you will appreciate and enjoy. Your comments will help us to do a better job.

Young Group To Appear On KRBC-TV Monday, Aug. 13

On Monday, August 13, the Church Choir of the First Baptist Church will appear on KRBC-TV on the Calvin Kees Wee Show at Abilene. The group will sing 15 minutes of the 30 minute program, which is seen at 4 o'clock each day.

Children participating in the program are:

Jeanne Babs Tatum, Janice Langford, Vickie and Sonja Neff, Leta and Clea Pollock, Pascal and Patrick Hosch, Johnny Hogue, Jerry and Marguerite Horner, Linda and Dickie Horner, Phil Huggins, Beth Irick, Neta Ann McClure, Marty Donham and Lanna Pollock.

This group of children are of the ages 4-8 and are under the supervision and direction of Mrs. W. V. Priddy, who is also accompanist for them.

The emblem of Canada is the maple leaf.

LAFF OF THE WEEK



"The note says, 'I took my hospital to the wife. Please leave an extra baby.'"

Stop, Look and Listen!

Don't Call Car Smashups Accidents! Lawbreaking Is Cause of Most Deaths

The word "accident" is a phony if it's used to describe what happens when cars collide with each other or run down pedestrians. It's also utter nonsense to regard people who cause these crashes as poor and unfortunate victims of circumstances.

These two fallacies, the experts say, are serious handicaps to our national traffic safety effort. Because people believe these false ideas, we are losing the battle to save lives on the highway and find ourselves in a traffic emergency.

Most of our so-called auto accidents aren't that at all. They are caused occurrences, and the causes are easily identifiable.

Chief Cause

What are the chief causes of crashes? They can be lumped into one large and simple category—LAWBREAKING.

A comprehensive study by a leading auto insurance company reveals that a fantastic number—88 per cent—of last year's highway victims died because of traffic law violations!

This study by Lumbermens Mutual Casualty Company shows that lawbreaking killed 33,700 of last year's more than 38,000 highway victims.

These 33,700 could have been alive and with their families today if the persons who were responsible for the fatal crashes only had obeyed the law.

Commenting on the study, James

S. Kemper, chairman of Lumbermens, said that nine out of 10 traffic fatalities could be classified more accurately as "manslaughter or suicide by homicidal highwaymaniacs."

"How can a death that results because of a violation of the law really be classified as an accident?" Kemper asked.

Typical Reports

Ask any police officer trained in traffic investigation and he'll tell you from personal experience the terrible toll exacted by lawbreakers. Or look into reports of typical accidents such as the following to see the vicious results of breaking traffic laws:

—Three youths killed in high speed crash. (Car traveling 90 m.p.h. - Speed limit was 65.)

—Driver and woman companion killed when car loses race to railroad crossing. (Violating speed law, ignoring flashing signal.)

—Six killed in head-on collision. (One car straddling center lane.)

—Eleven persons were killed in these three so-called accidents. They might be alive today if the persons responsible had been truly law-abiding citizens. So could 33,700 other people who were killed last year.

Double Standard

When it comes to the law, we Americans have a peculiar double standard. Supposedly we're a nation dedicated to the law and to obeying it. We believe it is good

that men obey the law and it is bad when they break it—except traffic laws, that is. We have a different standard for that.

You've heard many people brag about how fast their cars will go. Almost surely they had to break a speed law to prove it.

You've also heard people brag about how they can spot police officers in their rear-view mirrors. They're proud, apparently, that they can break the law and get away with it. But they holler if they are caught by a police officer they didn't see.

Yet behavior such as this is socially acceptable—despite the fact that more than 30,000 people die annually because of lawbreaking on the highway.

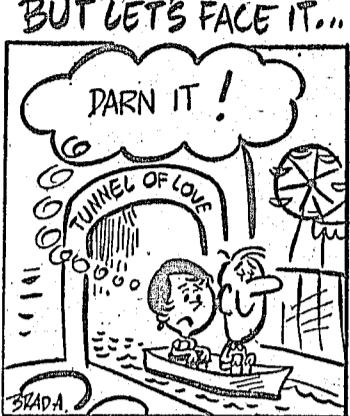
It's a fact that most drivers are careful and fire law-abiding most of the time. The regular and flagrant lawbreakers are in minority, but they're a constant threat to all other drivers on the road.

Any time a driver violates a traffic law, he's a potential killer. You could be his victim.

"The vast majority of drivers who are law-abiding deserve protection from the small but dangerous group of homicidal highwaymaniacs," Kemper asserted.

"If this group of potential killers won't obey the law voluntarily, strict and impartial enforcement of realistic traffic laws and stern justice must be employed to deter them and to protect others." (Next week: What Can Be Done.

WORDS by Brad Anderson **THOUGHTS**



assistance of a GI loan at the time of application and at the time of closing the loan.

The new law also clarifies and confirms VA's authority to make the final determination of reasonable value of property irrespective of the estimate of value made by an individual appraiser.

1956 AMENDMENTS TO THE SOCIAL SECURITY LAWS

By R. R. Tuley, Jr.
Dist. Mgr., Social Security Admin
Abilene, Texas

(Editor's note: This article is the first in a series from the Abilene Office of the Social Security Administration, explaining changes in the law recently passes by Congress.)

The 84th Congress and President Eisenhower have put into effect a number of changes in the old-age and survivors insurance provisions of the Social Security Act. This series of short articles will provide information about each of the changes summarized below:

1. Reduced age for women. Widows and dependent mothers may receive same benefit that would heretofore have been payable at age 62; wives and insured women may receive slightly reduced amounts; new age requirement is 62 instead of 65; November of 1956 is first month for which such benefits may be paid.
2. Disability payments. Cash payments can start in July 1957 to those aged 50 and above who are so disabled that they are unable to engage in any substantial gainful activity, provided they had sufficient social security coverage before the onset of the disability.
3. Disabled children. Age 18 no

longer stops child's benefits if meets disability requirements; some claims can now be payable for such children where parent died after 1939 and disability has existed since before the child was 18; effective January 1957.

4. Armed forces coverage. Compulsory contributory coverage under social security becomes effective Jan. 1, 1957.

5. Extension of coverage to more self-employed in 1957.

6. Changes in self-employed farmer and rancher's coverage for 1956.

8. Other technical changes regarding interest rate on trust fund, new disability trust fund, computation of benefits, restoration of some remarried widow's rights to benefits on former husband's record, stopping of benefits to persons convicted of certain crimes, etc.

Double jeopardy refers to a person tried twice for the same offense.

Good Attendance At Combined Services

There was an encouraging increase in attendance Sunday night at the Combined Church Service, which met in the First Methodist Church.

The pastor, Rev. Frank Turner, led good congregational singing, with Miss Elsie Lee Harper at the organ, who also accompanied Mrs. Billy Joe Robinson, who sang, "When I Come to the End of the Road." Rev. Rodney Hitt, pastor of the First Christian Church, brought the message, based on the 18th Chapter of Jeremiah, verses 1-8. He brought out interesting points on the potter and the clay.

Next Sunday night's services will be at the same place, with the same speaker. The two last Sunday nights in the month services will be held in the First Presbyterian Church with Rev. Turner speaking. Services begin at 7:45 p. m. and all are welcome to attend.

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GI Bill Loan Deadline Extended For 1 Year

The bill signed recently by the President extending the World War II GI Bill loan deadline also has other important provisions affecting many veterans.

DR. PEBBLE PURCELL
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Dr. George T. McMahan, Manager of the VA Center in Waco, said today.

The new law will permit any veteran who sells residential property purchased with a GI loan to be relieved from liability to the Government under certain circumstances, Dr. McMahan said.

Previously, the veteran who sold his property and allowed the purchaser to assume his GI loan still remained liable to the Government in the event of subsequent foreclosure and the payment of a guaranty claim by the

VA.

Now, Dr. McMahan pointed out, the veteran may be relieved of liability if the purchaser assumes full liability on the loan, the VA approves him from a credit standpoint, and the loan is current.

The new law also permits World War II veterans to have their GI loan entitlement restored up to January 31, 1965, if their property was taken by a Governmental agency for public use, was destroyed by a natural hazard, or was otherwise disposed of for compelling reasons without fault on the part of the veteran.

The law extended the World War II GI loan program ending date for one more year to July 25, 1958. Any loan application received by VA up to that time may be guaranteed by VA if it is completed by July 25, 1959.

Another provision permits the restoration of GI home loan entitlement to a veteran in military service who disposes of his home because of a transfer under military orders.

Veterans will have to certify that they intend to live in the home they are buying with the

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Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Dr. W. G. Williams visited with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Williams and Donald Lynn in Brownwood Sunday to Tuesday.

Weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bostick of Ft. Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Harms of Coleman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hellman.

Miss Lizzie Fowler of Coleman visited Saturday to Tuesday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Hyatt Moore and visited Sunday with Mrs. Rosa Belle Hellman.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Haines of Corpus Christi spent Tuesday to Saturday in the Moore home.

Mrs. Wagie Montgomery of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Dumpy Rutherford and family of Cisco were weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford.

Mrs. Claud Box and Mrs. Tinnie Campbell of Santa Anna visited Thursday and Friday in Eastland with Mr. and Mrs.

Marshall Campbell and Johnny Pat

Mrs. J. A. Hunter and Don are visiting in Austin with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Glass and family.

Joe Shelton of Brownwood visited last Wednesday morning in the Uless Maness home.

Out-of-town guests in the John Hunter home were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hunter of Columbus, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Kelley of Santa Anna on Tuesday. Mrs. L. C. Harrison, Jr., and Marilyn of Fort Worth came Thursday to visit and J. F. Maxey of Abilene spent Friday night and Saturday with the Hunters and Mr. Nevans. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hunter of Santa Anna visited Sunday evening.

Mrs. Flossie McWilliams and Miss Pearl Castelman of Hext were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Crutcher and Ludy Jane.

Mr. Crutcher's sister, Mrs. Hettie Pearson and Mrs. Bertha Cleveland of Coleman were Friday dinner guests in the Crutcher home.

Local callers with Mrs. Crutcher were Mrs. Kate McVain, Mrs. Mena Shuford, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King and Barbara Harden and Mrs. Lee Miller. Mr. and Mrs. James Steward returned from Bozeman, Mont. last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rehm and family visited Sunday in the Mack Rehm home in Brownwood. We are glad to report Mrs. Johnny Steward is able to be in the Rehm home after recent eye surgery in a Brownwood hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward and Sonsy were home over the weekend. Mr. Steward has been employed at Irving. They left Sunday for Wichita Falls where he will be employed for three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Box of San Angelo visited Sunday and Sunday night with Mrs. J. W. Box and Miss Linnie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mueller and Stony of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Valcek and Mike of San Antonio, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Harden, Barbara and Carol of Ft. Worth came Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King. All of them attended the wedding of Miss Peggy Crump in Coleman, also they attended the Stewardson reunion at Coleman Sunday. The group visited Mrs. J. C. King in Coleman Mounday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Siler and Mrs. Fannie Ellis of Melvin visited Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal Thursday. Mrs. Ellis remained for a longer visit in the Deal home.

Dixie Deal returned home Sunday night from Bishop and Corpus Christi, where she had visited Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Deal and Randy and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilson and Guy.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ellis of Woodson spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal and Mrs. Ellis.

Richard Deal and Jimmy Powers of Abilene spent the weekend in the Deal home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal and Mrs. Ellis visited Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McMinn in Santa Anna.

STATEWIDE RAIN MAKING BACKED

A statewide rain making effort may be launched to combat Texas' prolonged drought.

Sen. George Parkhouse of Dallas has called a September meeting of the Texas Water Resources Committee to study this possibility.

First to advance the idea publicly was O. G. McClain, Corpus Christi member of the committee. A petroleum geologist, McClain contended that rain making is the "most economical, permanent and equitable way to get more water."

Even "with complete conservation and development," he said, "the water supply still would be terribly inadequate, what we need are some good rains. We cannot legislate them. They are not coming naturally. The only alternative is to work for them."

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

NIWOT NEWS

BY THE NIWOT KIDS

We were sorry to hear that Mrs. Dixie Cupps was taken to the Santa Anna Hospital Friday morning. Those visiting Mrs. Cupps Saturday were Mrs. Tenna Campbell, Mrs. Lea Hodges, Mrs. Clark Miller, Mrs. Dick Raugh and Mrs. Elmer Cupps. We wish Mrs. Cupps a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Foster and family moved to Coleman last week, where Mrs. Foster has employment.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wagner and Mark of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. John

Perry and Robert and Little Regina Cupps.

Mrs. Floyd Baker of Copperas Cove visited in the home of Mrs. Beula Fleming and family Monday afternoon.

Miss Mammie and Euna Ray of Anson spent their vacation in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrel Cupps and Mike were visiting Mrs. Cupps's sisters, Mrs. Rex Baker and family of Irving and Mrs. Watt Ingram and family of Dallas over the weekend.

Mrs. Cecil Ellis was called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. G. O. Wells, who had a stroke Friday. We wish Mrs. Wells a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Clark Miller and Mrs. John Perry and Robert visited

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Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner and family Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Beula Fleming and family, Mrs. Duane Rasberry and Donno Kay, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McDaniel and family of Carbon Wednesday night.

Mrs. John Perry, Mrs. James Perry and Brenda Kay and Mrs. Buster Woodard were shopping in Coleman Saturday.

Mrs. John Naron had lunch with her aunt, Mrs. Tinnie Campbell in Santa Anna Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Perry and Brenda Kay were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Perry on Sunday.

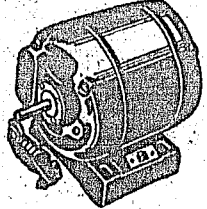
Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes and Dana Evans and Jerry and

Anita Ellis were TV viewers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis Friday night.

Fb Wagner visited Robert Perry Sunday night and Monday.

Mrs. Bessie Standly of Odessa came on Monday of last week and took her mother, Mrs. J. E. Watkins, her uncle, Sam Moore, and her cousin, Mrs. Lon Gray of Rockwood, to Marlin, where they visited until Wednesday, with Mr. W. U. Moore, 79, the oldest of the Moore family. He had been a patient in the Veterans Hospital at Marlin for several months but was in his home, where they visited him.

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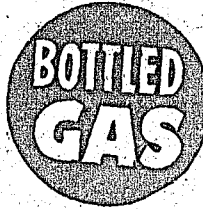
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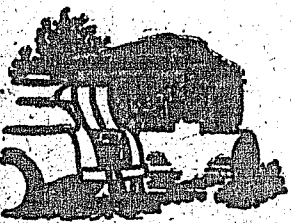
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FOR SALE: House, to be moved or wrecked and lot cleaned. North Side Church of Christ. See F. C. Williams. 301fc

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Mrs. Bessie A. Morris moved from Carbon, in Eastland County, to Santa Anna and is living in Miss Baxter's rent house on Willis Avenue, which has just had an outside paint job and other reconditioning. Mrs. Morris will be remembered as the former Miss Bessie Smith, R. N. of Santa Anna. Her friends are glad to have Bessie back in Santa Anna.

Swim at The Pool, 2 miles west of Coleman. Take the family.

Political Announcements

The Santa Anna News is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following persons for elective offices, subject to action of the Democratic Primaries in July and August, 1956.

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE 77th DISTRICT

E. J. (Ebb) GRINDSTAFF
A. J. BISHOP, Jr.
(Re-election)



BOTTLE BABY... Infant kangaroo thrives on milk fed to it from nursing bottle in zoo at Gelsenkirchen, Germany, after mother's death.

Trickham News

BY EDNA R. DEAN

Recent visitors with Mrs. Beula Kingston were Mrs. Silas Wagner, Mrs. Clark Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Wilson and granddaughters, Jane and Jean Spieck of Blanket, Mrs. Buck Mitchell, Mrs. G. K. Stearns, Mrs. Bill Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke, Linda and Ray Driskill, Mrs. Marion Ford, Judy and Mary, Mrs. Gene James, Sherill and Stanley, Mrs. Jesse Earl York, Donnie and Nicki.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Nolan and family of Sweeney, Mrs. Seth Jenkins of Bangs, spent Thursday in the Jesse Earl York home.

Mrs. Carrie McClatchey and Mrs. Beula Kingston visited Mrs. Maud Burney of Coleman Thursday. Mrs. McClatchey visited in the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John McClatchey.

Robert and Bill Proler of Houston are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vaughn.

Bobby Jack James of Kingsville Air Force Base, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Cleo James.

Mrs. A. J. Martin and Miss Delma visited last week in San Antonio with Mrs. Martin's brother, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mitchell, Lea and Betty, Peggy Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Harold James and Wanda, are spending their vacation in New Mexico and Arizona. Mrs. Howell Martin attended the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Fannie McCulloch of Lamesa, last week. On returning home Mike McSwain of Sweetwater, came home with his grandmother. On Saturday, Mrs. Martin and Bill carried Mike home, bringing his sisters, Patricia and Donna here for several days.

Donna and Patricia McSwain visited Monday with Bill, Ann and Janice Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haynes and family visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haynes of Coleman.

Mrs. Albert Dean and Ruth attended the funeral of James Lucas in Brownwood Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean and Ruth attended church at Concord Sunday night.

Visitors in the Albert Dean home the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Dean and children of Rockwood, Lyndon, Virginia, Weldon, Kay and Mary Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Phillips and three daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Barbee of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. John Rockel and three children of Philadelphia, Pa., and Mrs. Belton Phillips of Hereford. Those mentioned above and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haynes attended a Dean-Stephenson reunion at the Coleman Park on Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Dean and Ruth visited Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Grady McIver and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy and Mrs. Beula Kingston attended church Sunday night at the North Side Baptist Church in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Stacy and Janie of Waco, visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy.

Miss Ruth Dean visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. Cleo James. Mrs. Dean visited the same afternoon with Mrs. John Dockery and H. B.

Carbon paper and sales pad at the News office.

France and Spain fought against England in the Battle of Trafalgar.



HOW'S THE WATER?... Fay Ray makes a pretty picture posing tip-toed atop piling overlooking ocean beach at Miami, Fla.

Cleveland News

BY MRS. MANLEY F. BLANTON



The Cleveland Church of Christ meeting will start August 17, so make your plans to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Blanton, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Blanton and family and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Blanton and boys all attended the 19th annual Blanton reunion at Ballinger over the weekend Mr. and Mrs. Manley Blanton went from the reunion on to Lubbock, Pecos and Andrews, Texas, to visit their daughters and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Clifton have a little boy. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clifton are the grandparents.

Mrs. Lucille Blanton was pleasantly surprised by telephone last Friday when Mr. Curtis Hampton of Ballinger stopped in Santa Anna to inquire of the Genz family. They were friends when small.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Moore and boys of Tomball, and Mrs. Sam Moore were visitors in the C. T. Moore home last Monday.

Mike and Ronnie Bryan of Abilene were visiting in the Ben Herring home last week. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Bryan, came for them Saturday and they all are vacationing at Lake Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clifton were visiting his parents late Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clifton.

Mr. Irl Blanton of Stockton, California, was a visitor in the M. F. Blanton, S. E. Blanton and C. T. Moore homes last week.

Mrs. Dixie Cupps, Terry Moore and Mrs. Charlie Fleming were on the sick list last week. Mrs. Fleming is still in the hospital with a bone fracture. Hope all will be well soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrel Cupps and family are on their two weeks vacation. Hope they are catching lots of fish.

Miss Carolyn Cupps received a consolation gift at the Farm Bureau "Queen Contest" at Coleman Monday night.

Mrs. Eddie P. Voss visited Mrs. Sid Blanton last Thursday.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON-SERMON

How Christ Jesus healed sickness and discord of every kind will be set forth at Christian Science services Sunday.

The Master's reply to the messengers of John the Baptist will be included in the Scriptural readings in the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Soul" (Luke 7:22): "Then Jesus answering said unto them, Go your way, and tell John what things ye have seen and heard; how that the blind see,

the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, to the poor the gospel is preached."

Among the correlative selections to be read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary-Baker Eddy is the following: (210:11-16): "Knowing that Soul and its attributes were forever manifested through man, the Master healed the sick, gave sight to the blind, hearing to the deaf, feet to the lame, thus bringing to

light the scientific action of the divine Mind on human minds and bodies and giving a better understanding of Soul and salvation."

Swimming is good exercise. Visit The Pool 2 miles west of Coleman. Swim with the family and friends.

Joe Rutherford spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Tucker, who live near Coleman.

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ACROSS the DESK

ideas from other editors

From the Stewartville News, Stewartville, Mo. The other morning as we were driving along the street in a neighboring city we were attracted by the sight of a couple of half-grown squirrels frolicking in the park some distance ahead. One of the little fellows made a pass at the other, which dodged into the street to escape. But just then a car filled with young women whizzed past.

They were laughing and talking to each other. They didn't slow down, they didn't even look back at the little squirrel kicking convulsively in a pool of its own blood.

Surely a motoring public that can unfeelingly commit such wanton slaughter cannot have much love for God's lesser creatures. This is saddening, for according to God's plan, in spite of man's remarkable machines, wonder drugs and scientific reasoning, we could not exist on a planet devoid of our little furred, feathered and scaled brothers.

They don't show up in the hospitals nor in the highway casualty statistics so often, but as every one who does much driving knows, one of our major road hazards is the young male "expert" driver.

His reflexes are perfect, his vision and depth perception are excellent and his insolence is incredible. He cheats from two to three

miles per hour on every posted speed limit, he chisels on every stop sign and traffic light, he bluffs and crowds and dodges from lane to lane as he weaves his way homeward.

And he gets home safe and unscratched, but in his wake the very young drivers who lack experience and confidence, the very old drivers who can't see too well and whose reflexes are slower, and the women drivers who are more timid and nervous have had a rough time. And some of them don't make it home.

The answer is courtesy.

From the Suburban List, Essex Junction, Vermont: The federal program for construction of national defense highways is probably the biggest engineering project of all time anywhere in the world. While the federal government is appropriating 51 billion dollars for road improvement to be spent during the next 13 to 16 years that is only a part of it.

The different states will have to chip in about five billion dollars. Even that is not all. The different states are going to have to spend billions of dollars of their own money for road improvement during the next 10 years. When all this is added up it will amount to over 100 billion dollars.

Despite our world-wide commercial operations, the principal reason for the foreign trade of the United States is the Western Hemisphere, with this area accounting for more than 40 per cent of our exports and 55 per cent of our imports.

Stubborn tea stains in a teacup vanish when scoured briskly with table salt.

The Great Wall of China is thought by astronomers to be the only work of man that would be visible to the human eye from the moon. The structure is 2,000 miles long.

20th CENTURY CLUB TO MEET NEXT TUESDAY FOR FAMILY NIGHT AFFAIR

The 20th Century Club will have their family night supper on the lawn of the Clifford Stephenson home Tuesday night, August 14.

All members and their families are urged to attend. Members are asked to bring enough wieners, potato chips and cookies for their families and guests. Other items will be furnished by the club. Time for the gathering is 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Woodward of Alva, Okla., have been visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kingsbery and Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Kingsbery.

Mrs. Dovie Chapman returned home last Friday evening from more than a six weeks stay in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Ph.D. and Mrs. R. A. Glenn and Dick, at Pittsburgh, Pa. The Glenns had just moved into a lovely new home. Hosts and visitors took a 10 day sight-seeing trip to New York City, Saratoga, New Jersey and through the New England States. Returning home, Mrs. Chapman visited two days with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan E. Phillips in Fort Worth.

Sgt. Ogden McGonagill of Ft. Carson, Colo., came on Thursday of last week and is visiting, while on leave, with his mother, Mrs. Julia McGonagill.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Wright and children, Darrell, Clara Lynn and Judy, and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Parsons, visited recently at Jewett, with Mrs. Parsons son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Williamson and Blanda. They report seeing good crops of corn, cane and cotton part of the way and drought the rest. They had lots of good home grown eats.

Those visiting with Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Tucker and Davis, near Coleman, Sunday, were: Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Hutcherson and boys of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tucker and children and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Price and boys of Brownwood, and Mr. and Mrs. William Rutherford and boys of Santa Anna. Mr. Tucker is recovering nicely, since undergoing surgery.

Mrs. C. J. Deer left Monday for San Angelo, for a check up, where she had formerly been treated. She will be staying with relatives while there.

Mrs. Sam McCrary and family have received an invitation to the marriage of her granddaughter, Sammie Woods of Sweetwater, to Maurice Scott of Snyder. Vows will be exchanged at the home of the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Jettie Woods in Sweetwater, on Saturday, August 11. The bride to be is a this year graduate of Sweetwater High School. They will make their home in Snyder.

White, Eugene, Elaine and Pat, who will attend the wedding.

The greeting card project to finance redecorating of two annex rooms, is getting off to a good start.

Those attending the meeting besides the above mentioned, were: Mrs. Bill Pritchard, Mrs. Walter Sharp, Mrs. C. J. Deer, Mrs. J. R. Gipson, Mrs. Tom White and Mrs. A. L. Oder.

Miss Peggy Crump Honored With Kitchen Shower

Coke Party, Thursday evening of last week, was given on the Mulroy lighted lawn, honoring Miss Peggy Crump of Coleman, formerly of Santa Anna, bride-elect of Garland DePrang of Noxville.

The affair featured a kitchen shower. The beautiful lawn proved to be a very pleasant place, with cool breezes blowing and no mosquitoes to mar the occasion.

Hostesses were Mrs. W. R. Mulroy, her daughter, Mrs. Wayne Horton of Henderson, and Mrs. Ione Caton.

The refreshment table was covered with a red and white cloth with a horn of plenty, filled with colorful fruits.

Refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles and Cokes were served buffet style to a round 40 guests.

The honoree received many useful and beautiful gifts, which she opened and passed. Many not attending sent gifts.

Out-of-town persons attending were Mrs. Helen Hodeak, Miss Sammie Stewardson and Mrs. C. A. Crump of Coleman, Martha Lynn Dare of Ft. Stockton, Ruth Ann Starnes of Odessa and Mrs. Patsy Mills and Glenn of Clisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hutcherson, Jimmy and Johnny of Dumas, visited Mr. and Mrs. William Rutherford and boys last Friday.

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Christian Woman's Fellowship Enjoys Meeting on Aug. 1

The C. W. F. of the First Christian Church met in regular session in the annex on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Oscar Boenicke, the new president, presided.

The subject for consideration was "Mission, U. S. A." Mrs. Coy Brooke, Worship Chairman, conducted the devotions and the group sang "Faith is the Victory".

Mrs. Charles Bengel, program chairman, brought an interesting program on "Home Missions" telling what is being done for migrant laborers and others, by providing better camps, conducting vacation Bible schools among them, etc.

The congregation having been invited to the wedding in Big Sandy next Friday night, of our former pastor, Glenn Brigan and Miss Jane McDonald, a present was in order. Mrs. L. O. Garrett and others on her committee reported fine progress in securing funds. An elegant gift has been purchased and will be taken to Big Sandy Friday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. Tom

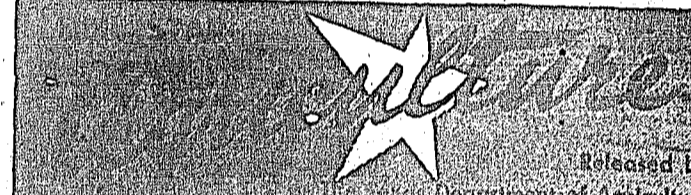
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Relatives of Mrs. H. L. Love of Lubbock, received word of her death there last week. She will be remembered as Miss Nettie Hunter of Santa Anna. She had been a wheel chair patient for 25 years or more. She was the mother of five children, one of whom preceded her in death. She was a sister-in-law of Clinton Love and a sister of Bill Hunter, neither of whom could attend the services.

Mrs. J. W. Fulton returned home Monday from a visit at Weatherford with members of her family. The temperature in Weatherford Sunday was 108 degrees, said to be the highest in 51 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Merriman of Coleman, are parents of a new son, named Billy Dale, born on July 31, at 11:55 a. m. in the Santa Anna Hospital. The Merrimans have another son, Calvin Wayne, 16 months old. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Barney Lewellen of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Drew Merriman of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Odum of Hamilton, visited with the C. F. Parkers and the Walker Tatums several days, the first part of the week.



THE SOIL BANK AND THE DROUTH FARMER

In its clamor to relieve the bad situation of our nation's farmers through the recently adopted and inaugurated soil bank program, the administration is all but by-passing the very farmer who needs help most—the drouth farmer.

Payments have already begun for those who choose to relieve surpluses by plowing under crops or letting potentially productive soil remain idle. But, for the farmer whose land refuses to grow crops because nature's water supply has been temporarily withdrawn, no help is forthcoming.

The intent of the program passed this year by Congress is to base soil bank payments on normal production, with the main purpose being elimination of surpluses.

Mrs. Don Taylor, the former Opal Mae Stockard, of Los Cruces, N. M., came Tuesday for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stockard.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horne and children, Clint, Jane and Bill, are vacationing this week in New Mexico.

A realistic interpretation of the measure would base consideration on production from a normal 10-year period. As it stands now, payments are being based on this season's potential production. This leaves hundreds of drouth-stricken Texas farmers out in the cold with a small token crop failure sum, plus the right to graze their grassless land.

Are the drouth farmers whose crops failed to come up relieving the surplus problem any less than those who set aside productive land for the same purpose? Our parched but otherwise fertile farms are just as idle as any soil "banked" in producing areas this season.

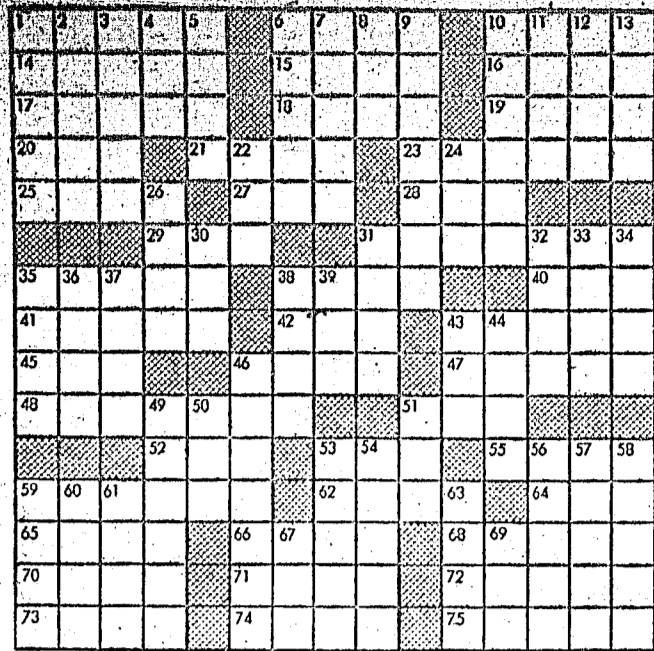
The soil bank system should not reward a man for plowing under a productive crop and then penalize a man for having a crop failure. The results are the same in both cases. Neither produces a surplus of goods, if that's what the program is for.

The soil bank could be one of the easiest means of providing vitally needed aid to farmers suffering from drouth. The matter of interpretation is the key that can mean the difference between relief and repression to our farm people.

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PUZZLE No. 100

ACROSS

- 1 Halo
2 Stuff
6 County in Michigan
14 Indian shelter
15 Rockfish
16 American Indian
17 Feminine name
18 Wife of Geraint
19 Cereal grain
20 Make mistake
21 Eating regimen
23 Glides to music
25 French river
27 Paid notices
28 French for summer
29 Feminine name
31 Deer's horns
35 Lift splints
36 Golf score (pl.)
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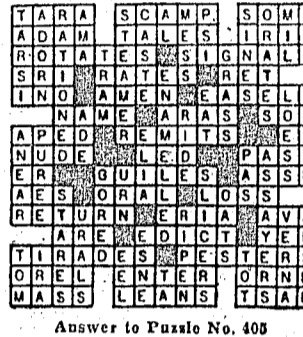
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14 Scotch for John

ACROSS

- 24 Sitmess coin
25 Estimate
26 God of war
27 Not fresh
28 Mixture
29 Winter vehicle
30 Greenland settlement
31 The smooth bread
32 A plaster
33 An equal
34 Skill
43 Female sheep
44 Charge upon property
46 Animal

DOWN

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50 To houston
51 Man's nickname
52 Not fresh
53 Throws
54 Standard of perfection
57 Pocketbook
58 Puts up poker stake
59 South African fox
60 To box
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Answer to Puzzle No. 100

Price Daniel Thanks Voters For 162,000 Vote Lead In Race

Senator Price Daniel this week thanked the 622,000 Texans who gave him an overwhelming lead in the first primary race for Governor, putting him more than 162,000 votes ahead of his run-off opponent.

"This is the widest lead a candidate for Governor ever has had in a run-off," Daniel said. "I am confident that, with hard work, we can win a landslide victory on August 25."

Daniel, a native of Liberty County, maintains his family home on a small ranch near his birthplace and is a member of the REA.

As a U. S. Senator, he supported 90 percent parity on basic crops, authored an amendment to the farm bill which placed grain sorghum supports at a comparable level as corn, and helped obtain more realistic farm credit provisions.

Daniel is advocating a state-wide water and soil conservation program, and a state drought relief program that would include loans to farmers and ranchers facing mortgage foreclosure.

His program also includes stepped-up research into proposals to create additional water supplies, such as conversion of salt water and artificial "rain-making."

Daniel said that as Governor he would "put the full power of the State Government behind our farmers and ranchers, to help them regain their fair share of the national income and to help them fight the worst drought disaster in our history."

Some Veterans Can Reinstate Lost GI Term Insurance

Dr. George T. McMahan, Manager of the VA Center in Waco, advised that thousands of World War II and post Korea veterans who lost their 5-year term GI insurance since July 23, 1953 because they had failed to pay either or both of the last two monthly premiums will be given an opportunity to reinstate their policies under a new law just signed by the President.

VA said it is searching its records for these cases, so it soon may send each former policyholder a reinstatement application with instructions on how to proceed.

The agency "strongly" requested the affected veterans not to write or otherwise make inquiries about their cases for at least a month so as not to delay the checking process to the detriment of all veterans involved.

Mrs. Elva Irby of Brady is here for awhile, caring for her father, J. E. Long, 86, who has an apartment with Mrs. J. J. Kirkpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Moore and Linda were in Dallas Sunday, attending the market and placing orders for fall merchandise. Dallas had temperatures of 109 degrees on Sunday.

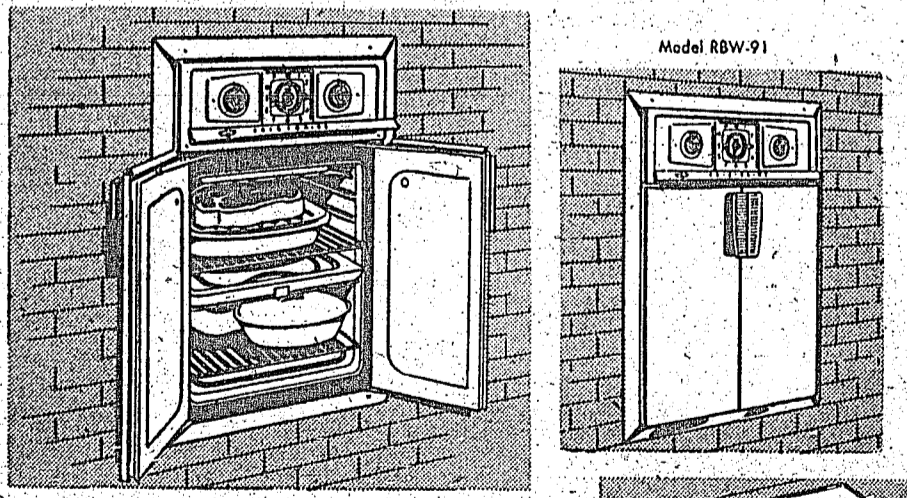
Mrs. John D. Wallace and girls, Kathy Pae and Mary Evelyn, left Santa Anna on Sunday, July 29, for Moody. After visiting with relatives in Moody and Belton, they will return to Fairbanks, Alaska, where they have lived for the past eight years. They have been visiting here with Mrs.

John Campbell, since March. She is the mother of Mrs. Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dahlberg and children, Marsha and Rickie, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Harris, while on their vacation.

Advertisement for E. D. (Jack) SHIELDS, BLACKSMITH and WELDING SHOP. Includes text 'See Us For WELDING Of All Kinds' and an illustration of a welder working on a piece of machinery.

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Advertisement for West Texas Utilities Company, featuring the slogan 'LIVE BETTER...Electrically' and a logo with a lightning bolt.

THE PARK OF THE WEEK



FORT PARKER STATE PARK boasts one of the best swimming beaches in the Texas state park system. It is on Lake Springfield which was formed by damming the Navasota river. The island in the background is man made.

Plenty of table with cooking grates, free camping and firewood, lighted picnic areas and ample space for car parking together with an unsurpassed swimming beach, good fishing and a lakeside dance terrace make Fort Parker State Park a popular summer outing spot.

The park is on Highway 14, about midway between Mexia and Grosbeck.

Main facilities of the park are on a peninsula extending into Lake Springfield. Here are the recreation building with a large outdoor terrace on the lake front, the bath houses, the boat docks and a grove of large trees under which there is an ample supply of group and single picnicking units.

Fort Parker State Park is one of six Texas state parks that

have group camps. This camp has an adjoining athletic field with baseball diamond. The camp dormitories can care for 100 people. The group camp has been so popular that reservations should be made far in advance. Many already have booked the camp for weeks in 1957.

Mrs. Nancy Smith and her three children, returned home Sunday from Abilene, where they had been visiting for a week with her uncle, Sam Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kingsbery and children of Crystal City, came on Thursday night of last week and visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kingsbery and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce.

Proposed Constitutional Amendments to be voted on at an election to be held Nov. 6, 1956

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, amending Section 48a, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to authorize needed changes in and revision of the means for retirement of teachers...

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2 proposing an amendment to Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, to change the membership of the Veterans' Land Board...

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 31 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new Section to be known as Section 51-c, providing that the Legislature may grant aid and compensation to persons who have been fined or imprisoned under the laws of this State for offenses of which they are not guilty...

POLIO VACCINE FOR ALL

The lid is off on polio vaccinations! State Health Commissioner Henry Holle reports that federal allocation of Salk vaccine has ended. Shots are now available commercially for any person of any age. More-than-adequate supplies make the change-over possible.

For Dr. Holle it was the end of a several months' fight to get shots for persons 20 years of age and more.

Health Department statistics show that 16 per cent of all Texas' paralytic polio cases this year and 29 per cent of polio deaths hit persons over 19.

So far this year Texas has had 688 cases, 15 of them fatal. During the same period last year 701 cases were reported. Health officials credit vaccinations for the drop.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bingham of Luling were weekend visitors with his sister, Mrs. Edd Spencer and family.

Advertisement for ARTISTIC MEMORIALS, featuring a photo of a granite monument and text: 'Authorized Manufacturer Of Barre Guild Granite, Georgia Granite, Winsboro Granite, Texas Granite And Marble Memorials. SEE H. G. Harwell, Phone 8276, Coleman, Texas. Representative For Coleman Monument Works, W. A. Finley, Owner, 1301 East 9th St., Coleman, Texas.'

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 31 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new Section to be known as Section 51-c, providing that the Legislature may grant aid and compensation to persons who have been fined or imprisoned under the laws of this State for offenses of which they are not guilty...

AGAINST the constitutional amendment empowering the Legislature to revise the existing Teacher Retirement System and to broaden the benefits to employees of public schools, colleges, and universities supported wholly or partly by the State, authorizing the State to levy a tax on the compensation of such employees...

THIS TOWN HAD TO LOSE A FACTORY TO FIND ITSELF

BY DONALD S. STROETZEL

Condensed from Town Journal Magazine
Until September 21, 1955, Logansport, Ind., with 22,000 people, was just another smug, contented, farm-trade center and light-industrial community on the Wabash. "We've got a good town," citizens were fond of saying . . . just as good as any river town in Indiana.

Maybe things did look a little Victorian and dated. Maybe the town looked a little grubby, too. And, probably the town had stressed tax savings too much—and civic improvements too little. You heard sporadic warnings that Logansport was becoming a town of old folks.

Just the same, life was pretty good. What did it matter if the population still hovered at 1920 levels?

Then came Sept. 21. Logansport's picking up the local paper, sat bolt upright. "What's wrong with Logansport?" blared the daily. Then: "General Motors Official Tells Why Plant Was Not Put Here."

The paper went on to tell how, instead, Marlon, Ind., had won the multi-million dollar Fisher Body assembly plant employing 3,500.

"What's wrong with our town?" citizens chorused. "We have good factory sites. Excellent train and truck service. Proximity markets. A fine labor record. Plenty of workers eager to give an honest day's work for an hon-

est-day's pay. What more could industry ask for?"

Town Told Its Shortcomings

They read on about the shortcomings of Logansport. "You take water from one river and dump it as raw sewage in another," the G. M. scout was quoted. "I drove over all sections of the city and noted that a good many properties had not seen paint in 25 years. The downtown areas, with a few exceptions, resembled the 1900 era . . . there's a decided lack of civic pride."

The G. M. scout made other charges and they all stung: hotel accommodations—poor; eating places—poor; traffic conditions—bad; schools and hospitals—inadequate; proper zoning laws—missing.

Logansport, "good as any river town in Indiana," apparently lacked, in the scout's estimation, what G. M. sought for its key employees—a good environment in which to raise a family. G. M. was evidently seeking more than just a good commercial location!

It was the mayor, George Muehlhausen, a local spring manufacturer, who got the first clue that G. M. had looked over Logansport and found it wanting.

As mayor, he had tried in eight blunt-talking years, to steer the town to better things. He built a new city electrical plant, started a new water plant, straightened

out the tangled finances, fired anyone he suspected of dishonesty, lacked up the police and fire departments.

In his fervor to produce the "kind of town industry likes" the Mayor held down on street repairs, when necessary, and allocated extra money for parks, playgrounds, and an Olympic-size swimming pool. But one man could do just so much; the whole town needed to pitch in.

Did the G. M. shock treatment wake up Logansport? Touch of civic improvements? Not at first. Instead, people got mad at G. M. Then, realizing the company wasn't at fault, and needing to express displeasure somehow, they voted Muehlhausen out of office. Only slowly did the real message of the G. M. turnaround sink in.

Logansport Wakes Up

But you should see Logansport today! True, the town doesn't look much different in just a year, yet big plans are afoot.

"We've got interim zoning now," the new mayor, Ralph Ebert says. "We hired a consultant to work up a permanent ordinance." Ebert plans a new \$6 million sewage disposal plant.

For some time, the Chamber of Commerce had wanted Indiana University to make a study of Logansport's assets and liabilities for industry—but nobody would put up the money. Finally young Herman Schmitt of the Golden Rule department store passed the hat for \$3,500—and got \$5,000.

The Chamber's airport project—talked about for 20 years—got funds at last.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce went to work on the traffic problem. "Put in one-way streets," the Jaycees asked. They took their fight to the city council. One way streets are going in.

"Maybe they won't work," Mel Riley of the Jaycees admits. "At least we can now go to the state and say: 'Look, we tried to help ourselves and it wasn't enough. Build us a by-pass.' Should this become necessary, Logansport service clubs are set to pay regular visits to the state capital until they get the job done."

G. M. had criticized the schools. So Superintendent Harry Koss personally surveyed Logansport manufacturers. "How can we serve industry's needs?" he asked.

Next fall, Logansport High will have a course in electricity! A co-operative program also will begin in which a number of students will split their school time between studies and on-the-job training in banks, stores, the newspaper, and local factories. The town will have its first full-time guidance counselor.

"It's time," says Koss, "to think about the 70% of our students who don't go to college as well as the 30% who do."

That charge of a 1900 business district still rankles. The National Bank is building a new building. "We hope it'll inspire other businesses to remodel and fix up, too," says Harold Robb, executive vice-president. To encourage remodeling elsewhere, the bank offered 3% money to any merchant wanting to put in a new store front. Already, several have remodeling plans under way.

Finally, Logansport is launching a new drive for industry. The Indiana University survey, completed in May, laid it on the line:

No town can live without growing. A town that loses its young people must die. With farm population shrinking, no town can lean too heavily on the farm trade.

Logansport businessmen are



Rev. Robert H. Harper

LAW OF CONTRADICTION

One of the three primary laws of thought upon which all reasoning must ultimately depend is the law of Contradiction—that nothing can both be and not be at the same time and in the same place. A piece of paper may be white and afterward be blackened in the flame, but it cannot be white and black at the same time. White is white, and black is black. Good is good, and bad is bad. And the two cannot be mixed.

Much of human error is due to reasoning and proceeding in a way counter to the law of Contradiction. And the sad thing is that many men try to shape their lives apart from this law. They are constantly trying to compromise between good and evil.

Holy Writ tells of only two roads that lead from time to eternity—one straight and narrow and leading to the gate of heaven, the other broad and smooth but leading to the gate of hell. There is no middle road that leads off between the two, a road neither hard and difficult and neither broad and smooth.

Strive to keep to the straight way—it may be narrow but it is wide enough for you, it may be hard but it leads to the gate of heaven. It is an unpopular way, but its course is always upward and it leads to light at last.

DEAN-STEPHENSON REUNION WELL ATTENDED

The first of the Dean-Stephenson reunions was held in the Coleman Park last Sunday, August 5. Seventy-three of the 123 descendants were present from widely scattered areas of Texas and some came from Pennsylvania.

The group enjoyed the day of fellowship and much good food was also enjoyed.

Organization was gone into and it was voted to make the gathering an annual affair, meeting each year on the first Sunday in August.

The Clifford Stephenson's had all their family with them Saturday night. The C. W. Stephensons and Charles Scarboroughs of Abilene and Mrs. Gerald Pruitt and Kenneth of Dallas. On Sunday morning the Scarboroughs left for Lubbock, where Charles will have five months or appliance training. All the others attended the reunion and Mrs. Pruitt and Kenneth remained for a several days visit.

STOREY-FOREHAND ANNUAL REUNION

The Storey-Forehand Reunion was held on Saturday and Sunday, August 4 and 5 at Lake Brownwood.

Those attending from Santa Anna were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rutherford, Mrs. Al Davis and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Grant who were visiting her from Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Winn, their son, Herchel and her brother Vernon Fiveash and wife of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schulze of San Antonio also attended. Others were present from San Angelo, Odessa, Comanche, Zephyr and Fluvonia.

The Storey-Forehand reunion has been made an annual affair.

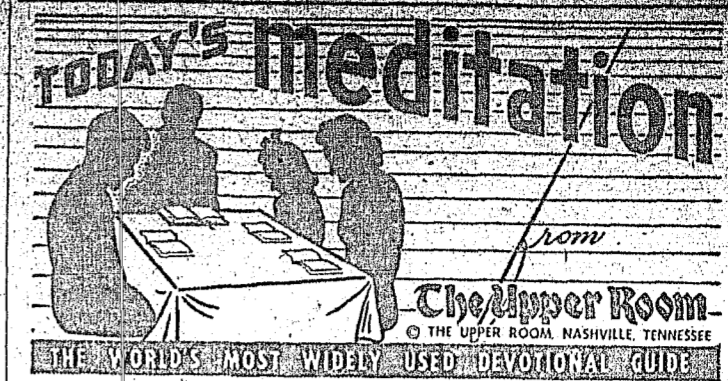
now forming a \$100,000 Industrial Development Corporation to buy up factory sites and make them available to industry at fair prices.

Meanwhile, a pilot-operation plastics firm has moved in—and hopes are high that it will eventually employ 250 or 300 people.

Already a better town to live in, Logansport is becoming a better town to work in.

It's too early to say that Logansport has licked all of its problems. But it's on the way.

Cool off at The Swimming Pool 2 miles west of Coleman with your family and friends.



Then said Jesus unto his disciples, If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me. (Matthew 16:24.)

One of the most beautiful words in any language is sacrifice. We associate it with the rich, sweet, and beautiful self-giving experiences of life.

I recall such an experience during the depression days. My mother, a devoted Christian, had a very limited income. It was her wish to subscribe for a splendid religious periodical for my brothers and me. Out of her limited income she expected to pay for those subscriptions. When I discovered it, I chided her and refused to allow her to pay for them. I shall never forget the pained expression on her face. Tears flowed down her cheeks as she said, "But I want

to; it gives me great joy."

The true Christian does not look upon such sacrifice as self-denial but as a privilege, an opportunity, a joy. This is the kind of sacrifice that God blesses. It enables His church to grow and to prosper. For those who would be true followers of Christ, the thread of sacrifice must run through all of life.

PRAYER

O God, forgive us wherein we have thought more of ourselves than of Thee and of others. Forgive us for accepting the lesser values. Grant us strength of mind and soul to find meaning in every sacrifice we make as Christians. In Christ's name we pray. Amen

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

God will help me to do more than is required.
Charles W. Grant (Tennessee)

Pink and Blue Shower Honors Mrs. Dean Bass

On Friday night a sizeable group of friends gathered in the Dick Bass home, honoring Mrs. Dean Bass with a pink and blue shower.

Besides Santa Anna women attending, quite a number were also present from Coleman and Rockwood. Mrs. Bennie Bass and Connie of San Angelo, also attended.

Two interesting contests were enjoyed, with the winners presenting the honoree with their prizes. These contests of jumbled letters, spoiled babies wearing apparel and the other one was on the young of animals, as "bear - cubs". When the gorgeous bassinet piled high was rolled in, the honoree was seated in a special chair and a tall stork was standing by. The bassinet was also a gift and besides the many other things, the honoree also received a bottle sterilizer.

The tea table was laid with lace over a pink cloth.

At one end was a mirror with a float arrangement of bright summer flowers and a silver stork with a baby in his bill, ready to be dropped into a little pink bed. At the other end of the table, was the punch bowl, containing pink punch. A variety of cookies and an assortment of mints were available for self service.

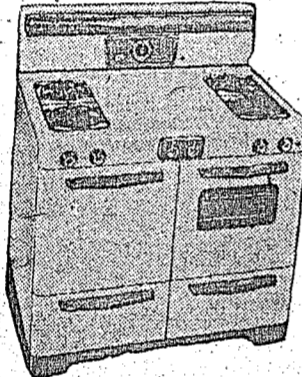
Mrs. George Wells was stricken with an illness at her home on Friday of last week, where she was to remain a bed patient for nearly a week. Her daughters, Mrs. Cecil Ellis and Mrs. Hulén Welch, have been with her and caring for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Stovall and children of Lubbock, after visiting with her mother in Brownwood at the weekend, visited in Santa Anna with friends on Monday afternoon.

Mary Frances Irick of Brownwood, where she is taking nurses training, visited from Friday until Tuesday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Irick.

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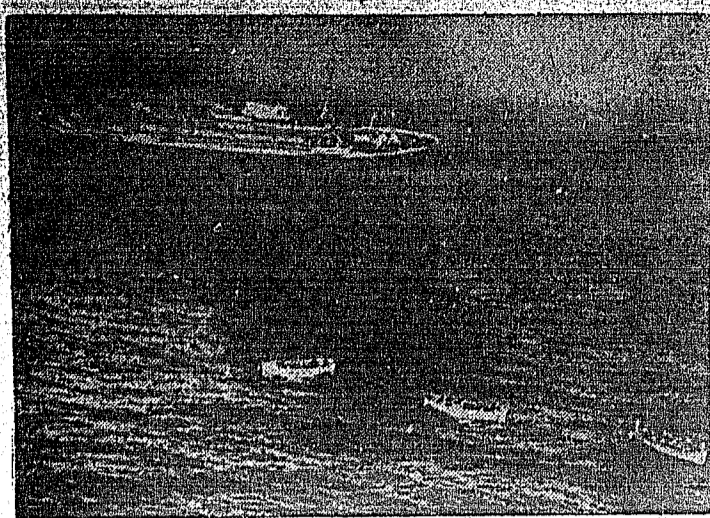
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Whon News

By MRS. TOM RUTHERFORD



WHON, TEXAS

PLEASE LEAVE NEWS ITEMS AT WHON POST OFFICE

The series of services at the Baptist Church closed Sunday night, under the leadership of the pastor, Rev. Bill Hall. Two candidates were baptized Sunday at 3:00 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick McFarlin and son and Mrs. Mary Avants visited one day last week with Dick's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Riley McFarlin.

Mr. Howell Yates and Earl Wright Gill of Fort Worth, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Nick Buse and Earla Sunday after attending morning services at the church here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Floyd and girls of Brady spent Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Switzer. June Floyd remained here for a weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lyon and Dana Kay spent the weekend with relatives at Austin.

Mrs. Dave Shields and boys spent the weekend with relatives at Cross Plains. Curtis Ray returned home after a weeks visit in Cross Plains.

Mrs. Fannie Ellis is visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal and Dixie.

Mr. Don Reeves of New Braunfels visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Riley McFarlin. Mr. Reeves is Mr. McFarlin's nieces' husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Townsend and children of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Switzer family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley McFarlin and Rev. Raymond Woods of Ft. Worth were dinner guests with

Mr. and Mrs. Yancy and children Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Bill Hall and baby of Brownwood, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Hall and son Kenneth of Fort Worth, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart.

Mr. and Mrs. Babe Gardiner spent the weekend with his sister and other relatives in Blackwell, Texas.

Otis Switzer of Texas City is here on vacation this week, visiting in the Walter Yancy and Thomas Switzer homes.

Dixie Deal left Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Deal and son near Corpus Christi. She was with her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ellis.

Mrs. Ann Bryan and Frances returned home the first of the week, after a few weeks visit in Corpus Christi. Cynthia Cooley, her niece, is here for two weeks visit.

Mrs. Mary Bible returned home Sunday after visiting her sister, Mrs. Edna Smith, several days in Brownwood. Mrs. Bible also

was in San Saba attending church services during her stay. Mrs. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stokler brought her home.

Mrs. Bert Turney spent the weekend with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Turney and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley McFarlin were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson and children of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lovelady of Angleton, Scottie and Bill Don and Jimmy Stearns of Trickham, visited in the Darwin Lovelady home.

Sandra Yancy is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Yancy of Santa Anna.

Mrs. Tommy McDonnell and her three children of Plains are here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Lewellen. Together they have all visited with Oran Lewellen and family at Tyler. They also visited with the Bill Herrmans and their new baby in Coleman.

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