

Santa Anna News

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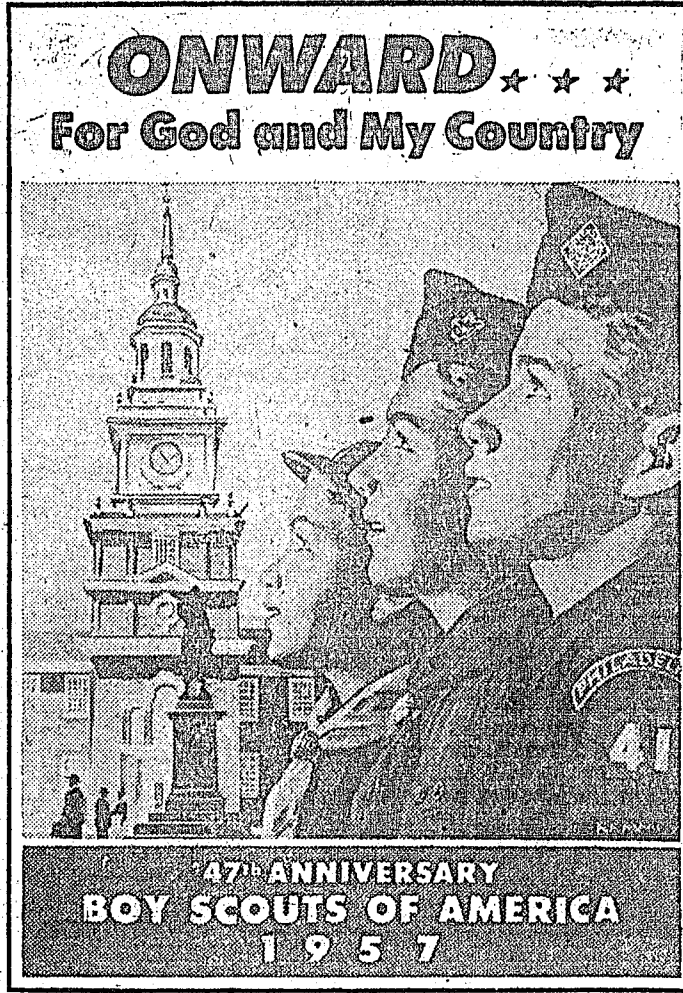
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Boy Scouts Mark 47th Birthday



OFFICIAL BOY SCOUT WEEK POSTER

More than 4,500,000 Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers, and adult leaders throughout the nation will observe Boy Scout Week, February 6 to 12, marking the 47th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America.

Since 1910, Scouting has served over 26,000,000 boys and adult leaders.

Through its Four-Year Program, "Onward for God and My Country," the organization seeks to train more boys in patriotism and character so that they will

become intelligent citizens with an appreciation of the free way of life and a dedication to high spiritual ideals.

Boy Scout Week observances will feature preparation for the Fourth National Jamboree, which will find 50,000 Scouts and leaders camping where Washington camped at historic Valley Forge, Pennsylvania, next July 12 to 18. The nation's 111,000 Scout units will feature rededication ceremonies on February 8, the actual birthday of Scouting in America.

Boy Scouts 47th Anniversary Being Observed Throughout The Nation

Boy Scout Week, marking the 47th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America, will be observed from Wednesday, February 6 through Tuesday, February 12. It is the largest youth observance in the nation since it will be celebrated in every city and town and most villages and hamlets throughout the nation by 4,500,000 boys and adult leaders.

Twelve outstanding Explorers, older boy members of the organization, will be chosen to go to Washington, D. C., to make the annual "Report to the Nation." They will call at the White House.

Federal officials, including leaders from the House and Senate, will join with representatives of national organizations at a breakfast in Washington, D. C., at which the twelve Explorers will report on Scouting's accomplishments for 1956 and tell of the activities planned for this year, including the Fourth National Jamboree to be held next July 12 to 18 at historic Valley Forge, Pa.

Other outstanding Explorers, together with Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, and adult leaders, will participate in ceremonies at state capitols and at city halls and town observances.

Boy Scout Week this year sees the production of the fifteen millionth copy of the "Handbook for Boys". Especially bound, it will be presented to President Eisenhower who is Honorary President of the Boy Scouts of America.

A limited number of handbooks in this printing will have a distinctive and decorative four-page inset commemorating this landmark in the publishing of a book which has enjoyed sales second only to the Holy Bible in the years since 1910 when it was first published. It is this volume that introduced millions of boys to their first knowledge of nature lore, first aid, proper honors for the United States Flag, and a wide range of "know-how" supplementing school courses.

Every governor is to be presented a copy of the limited edition, and in some communities it is planned to present copies in recognition of unselfish and dedicated service to the boys of America. Among them will be leaders in government, education, the clergy, sciences, business, industry, civic, and other community organizations.

Boy Scout Week finds the organization completing the first year of its new Four-Year program known as "Onward for God and My Country," through which it seeks to train more boys in patriotism and character so that they will become intelligent citizens with an appreciation of the free way of life and a dedication to high spiritual ideals.

The theme emphasis for Boy Scout Week — "Duty to Country" will present opportunities to Scouts and their leaders to highlight the democratic processes of government and their values, and the spirit of service as a natural expression of good citizenship.

Most of the nation's 40,500 Cub packs with 1,680,000 Cub Scouts, will hold "Blue and Gold banquets" which are really potluck dinners with each family bringing a part of the menu. These 8, 9 and 10-year old members follow a home-centered program in their homes and backyards. They will prepare skits, displays and take on service projects for neighborhood school assemblies and churches.

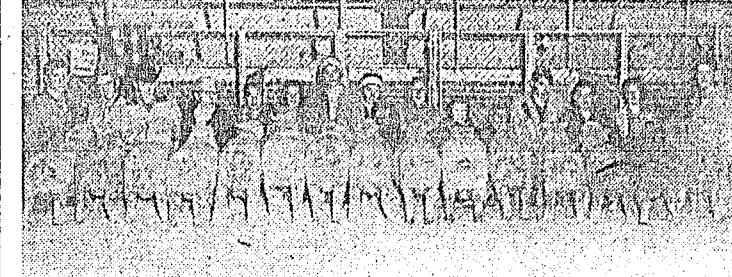
Most of the 55,500 Boy Scout troops with 1,155,000 members 11, 12 and 13-years old will recognize individual advancement and achievement and achievements at annual parents' and Scouts' dinners. During the month they will mark the 100th anniversary of the birth of the founder of Scouting, the late Lord Robert Baden-Powell, which birthday occurs on February 22.

Explorers in the 15,000 Explorer units and in Explorer crews in troops, with their 465,000 members 14 years and older, will observe Boy Scout Week in many ways. Some will address school assemblies, PTA meetings, service clubs, and radio and television audiences. Others will be guests on special vocational tours seeing the manufacturing of many products, learning first hand how airports, railroads, newspapers, and broadcasting stations operate.

The local Scout Troop will visit the Lions Club at their regular meeting next week and put on a demonstration for the club.

Dr. and Mrs. L. O. Garrett were in Temple Sunday, visiting with a brother of Mrs. Garrett, who is a patient in a nursing home there. Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Strozler made the trip with them.

Best Lambs at Fort Worth Show



Pictured above are the best 15 lambs shown at the Southwest Exposition and Livestock Show in Fort Worth recently. All the lambs belong to Santa Anna FFA and 4-H Club members. Of 55 lambs carried to the show none were sifted and 48 of them sold at auction last Friday in first and second places. A. D. Pettit is the local Vocational Agriculture teacher and FFA advisor.

Cut courtesy of Vocational Agriculture Teachers Assn. of Tex.

TIMES ARE CHANGING!

Santa Anna residents who have used the night mailing service at the Santa Fe depot in the past are notified that this service is no longer available to them. Those who have been accustomed to taking mail there to be put on the night trains will have to change their habits.

Effective February 1, 1957, there is no longer a night clerk at the station and therefore no mail will be picked up and put on the train. Any mail taken to the depot will stay there until the next day, when it will be brought back to the local Post Office for dispatching.

Also any mail deposited at the Post Office after 5:30 p. m. will be postmarked the following day. The clerks go off duty at that time and do not return until morning. It is hoped that patrons will be able to attend to their mailings during the time, 6:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m., in which clerks are on duty.

Window service is provided 9 hours a day, from 8:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m., except on Saturday when the windows are open from 8:00 a. m. to 1:00 p. m. No window service is provided on Sundays.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Grantham, who have been staying with members of their family in Abilene since before Christmas, returned to their home here last week.

Mrs. C. E. Eubank visited from Friday until Sunday in Brownwood with her sisters, Mrs. Jim Harrison and Mrs. T. W. Palmer. She also visited with relatives in Goldthwaite.

Mrs. B. C. Cox of Brownwood, visited here Monday with her sister, Miss Mollie Lowe, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Sam Lowe and Mrs. Stephenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerwin Baxter, who have been living in the south part of town, moved at the weekend to one of the Wheeler duplex apartments on Avenue B.

Roscoe McClain of San Angelo, visited Sunday with his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Lewellen. Others visiting with them were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Merriam and children, Calvin Wayne and Billy Dale of Coleman. The weekend previous, Mr. and Mrs. Merriam were in Shreveport, La., where they enjoyed the Louisiana Hayride.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Powell of Brownwood had dinner Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stockard. In the afternoon the Powells, their daughter, Carolyn, Mrs. Jeannie McCluskey and children, Mrs. Stockard and Marty Donham, went to Paint Rock, where they saw the interesting painted rocks and Kibkapoo Creek.

Marvin Rouse of Crane had dinner last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McClure, after spending Friday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rouse.

Friends of Rev. Glenn Briggman will be interested to learn that he has been called as associate minister for a Christian Church in Corpus Christi, which has a membership of fifteen hundred. He was, for two years, pastor of the First Christian Church here. He and wife have moved to their new location. He has been pastor at Big Sandy, while attending TCU.

Mrs. J. W. Taylor and son, John, visited in the home of Miss Edith Brannon in Brownwood last Saturday.

February Is National Heart Month

Austin — February is National Heart Month. During this period most Americans will be made aware, through one way or another, of the tremendous strides made during the last few years in the battle against heart disease.

Recently, a nationally televised program dramatized an operation that replaced a damaged heart valve with a plastic counterpart — a modern medical miracle.

And yet diseases of the heart and the cardiovascular-renal system are still the number one killer of Texans and Americans today.

During 1955, over 32,000 Texans died from these causes alone. This accounts for almost 50 percent of the total deaths from ALL causes in Texans.

Figures for 1956, not yet complete, appear to indicate a rise in this figure.

The exact causes of the conditions which produce the high death rate from heart diseases are still unknown to medical and scientific researchers.

However, on one fact they all agree: early warning of heart trouble or physical conditions that could lead to heart breakdown, makes cure much simpler for the physician.

On those conditions where cure is impossible, early diagnosis usually makes it possible, with proper medical attention, for the patient to lead a long and nearly normal life.

The heart is the toughest, strongest muscle in the entire body and is more efficient than any man-made machine. It even has its own complete maintenance and repair system.

About the size of a fist, the human heart produces enough energy in its lifetime to lift a battleship 14 feet out of the water.

This reservoir of power is specifically intended for strenuous exertion because it must pump every drop of blood to body tissues and back, once every minute.

The marvel of the heart is that it doesn't break down easier and more often. However, it does break down and often without warning.

Dr. Henry A. Holle, commissioner of health, urges Texans to check regularly with a physician and follow his advice, especially if they are past 40 years of age.

Take advantage of the free mobile chest x-ray unit provided by the Texas State Department of Health when it visits your community or neighborhood.

Chest x-rays, as well as uncovering chest cancer and tuberculosis, can also show up certain heart conditions in their early stages.

Lunchroom Menu

The menu at the Santa Anna Lunchroom for next week is listed below, subject to change when items listed are not available to the lunchroom. The menu is prepared by Mrs. Christine Smith, supervisor.

Monday, February 11
Baked beans, macaroni and tomatoes, lettuce leaf, sliced bread, milk, peach cobbler.

Tuesday, February 12
Pinto beans, cream potatoes, combination salad, sliced bread, butter, milk, cup cakes.

Wednesday, February 13
Chicken pie, green beans, lettuce and tomato salad, sliced bread, milk, oranges in jello.

Thursday, February 14
Meat loaf, whole kernel corn, boiled rice, sliced tomato, sliced bread, butter, milk, peach halves.

Friday, February 15
Turkey, dressing, gravy, cranberry sauce, buttered peas, lime jello with marshmallows, vanilla wafers.

March of Dimes Drive Tops \$1,000; To Be Completed Soon

March of Dimes money raised in Santa Anna amounted to \$1,005.34 Tuesday morning and the drive is all but complete. All the coin containers are still in the business houses in town and there are still a few regular contributors who have not made their contributions this year.

Although the goal for Santa Anna has already been exceeded, we would like for those who have not made their contributions to make them at their earliest convenience and we will conclude the drive. We have hopes the total will go above the \$1100 mark before it is completed. The containers will remain

in the local stores for several more days.

The Delta Omicron Sorority has completed their Mother's March and their total amounted to \$402.94. The Coffee Day Funds amounted to \$81.25, also sponsored by the Delta Omicron Sorority. The National Guard raised \$444.68 in their Peanuts for Polio Blockade. The remainder of the money has been raised through both schools and by contributions left at the bank and at the News Office.

COLORED SCHOOL ADDS \$4.40 TO FUND

The Santa Anna Colored School added \$4.40 to the March of Dimes fund late Tuesday afternoon. The teacher, Mrs. Alexander, said the students made the volunteer contributions. The March of Dimes committee would like to express appreciation to the students and the teacher for their interest in the March of Dimes.

This brings the total to \$1,009.74.

Santa Anna Hospital News

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

ADMITTED:
Mrs. Anita Rodriguez, Coleman.

Terese Elliott, city.

Mrs. O. O. Moss, city.

DISMISSED:
Mrs. Bill Cole and baby, Coleman.

R. W. Cupps, city.

Mrs. Anita Rodriguez.

Brownwood Man Injured Tuesday Morning In Crash

Bert Low, Brownwood, insurance and real estate man, was injured in a car-truck collision 2½ miles east of Santa Anna about 8:45 a. m. Tuesday morning.

According to reports Wednesday morning, his injuries are not believed to be serious. He was taken to a Brownwood hospital by the Hesch Funeral Home ambulance. He suffered a broken right leg and abrasions on the body and head. He also suffered from light shock.

Deputy Sheriff Bud Simmons, who investigated the accident with Deputy Sheriff Raymond Greaves of Coleman, said Low was driving alone in his 1956 Chevrolet toward Santa Anna at the time of the accident.

He said a car going in the opposite direction made a left turn and Low apparently swerved to his left to avoid hitting the other car. In doing so the Low car skidded and spun into a large trailer-truck driven by Dalton H. Stewart of Houston. The right front of the Low car hit the front part of the rear tandem on the truck and threw Low out of his car. The car was considered to be a complete loss and damage to the truck was not considered heavy.

No charge were filed in the accident.

Happy Birthday

"Happy Birthday" to all who have birthdays during the next week. Below are listed the birthdays we have this week.

FEBRUARY 8
W. J. Curry
Stanley James

FEBRUARY 9
Mrs. Bob McMinn
Alice Anna Lovelady

FEBRUARY 10
Mrs. Bob McMinn

FEBRUARY 11
Terry Blanton

FEBRUARY 12
Mrs. Hazel McCrary
Ben W. Yarborough
Earl Irick, Sr.

FEBRUARY 14
Mrs. W. J. McClure

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 February 15th and February 21st.

Chest X-Ray Unit To Be In Santa Anna

The State Department of Health X-ray unit will be in Santa Anna Friday, March 15, for the purpose of furnishing x-ray examinations of the chest for every citizen of this area who will spend about five minutes of time for the x-ray. It is all free of charge.

The unit is used primarily to find tuberculosis, but it also finds many heart conditions and other ailments of the chest. TB has been greatly reduced since the state has been furnishing this free service and can be wiped out completely if everyone would take advantage of the free service offered.

The unit in Santa Anna will be sponsored by the Delta Omicron Sorority and this organization will need help from other civic organizations.

The unit will be in Coleman March 12, 13 and the morning of the 14th. During the afternoon of the 14th, the machine will be moved to Santa Anna and set up, and will be ready to begin operation here at 8:30 a. m. the morning of March 15.

Everyone is urged to get a free chest x-ray during the time the machine is in Coleman County.

License Plates On Sale Here

The 1957 automobile license plates went on sale in Santa Anna Friday, February 1, with Dick Bass operating the substation here. Bass is located in the Phillips Shoe Repair Shop, just south of the telephone office. He has license plates for all automobile and farm vehicles. Numbers assigned to Santa Anna are DH 7000 through DH 7599.

The license plates have a white background with large black numerals, a complete change from the past several years. New plates are to be on all vehicles not later than April 1, 1957. John Skelton, county tax assessor-collector, urges everyone to purchase your plates early and avoid the rush of the last few days.

Bass is also rendering state and county taxes for the Santa Anna area while selling license plates. He has all the necessary supplies at his desk and will take care of your renditions at the time you purchase your license plates.

Sister of Buddy Neff Dies In Burkett

Miss Lottie Barbara Neff, 55, died at 12:08 p. m. Sunday at the home of her father, near Burkett.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p. m. Monday at the Burkett Baptist Church, with Rev. Emmett Key, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Burkett Cemetery.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Neff of Burkett; three brothers, Parker of Idalou, R. E. of Burkett and Buddy of Santa Anna; six sisters also survive. Mrs. Verna Stalcup of Cotton Center, Miss Lizzie Neff, Mrs. Della Uner and Mrs. Mary Hamlin, all of Big Spring, Mrs. Eva Lee Adams of Andrews, and Mrs. Edna Gould of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Baird visited several days at the weekend in Abilene with members of their family, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Yancy and their grandson, Sterling Ray Yancy, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Henry and Johnny Baird and family.

Whon News

By MRS. TOM RUTHERFORD



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Rev. Riley McFarlin had charge of services at the Baptist Church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Babe Gardainer were shopping in Brady Saturday. Mrs. Gardainer's mother, Mrs. Wooten, returned home with them and is spending this week in the Gardainer home.

Mrs. Kemp, a friend of the

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Lyons, from Austin, spent last week with Mrs. Lyon and daughter, while Mr. Lyon is at the Fat Stock Show. Mr. Lyon will return home tonight Monday. Mrs. Kemp returned to Austin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones of E-bony, Texas, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris and boys Saturday.

Mrs. Dave Shields and boys spent the weekend with relatives in Cross Plains, returning home Sunday afternoon.

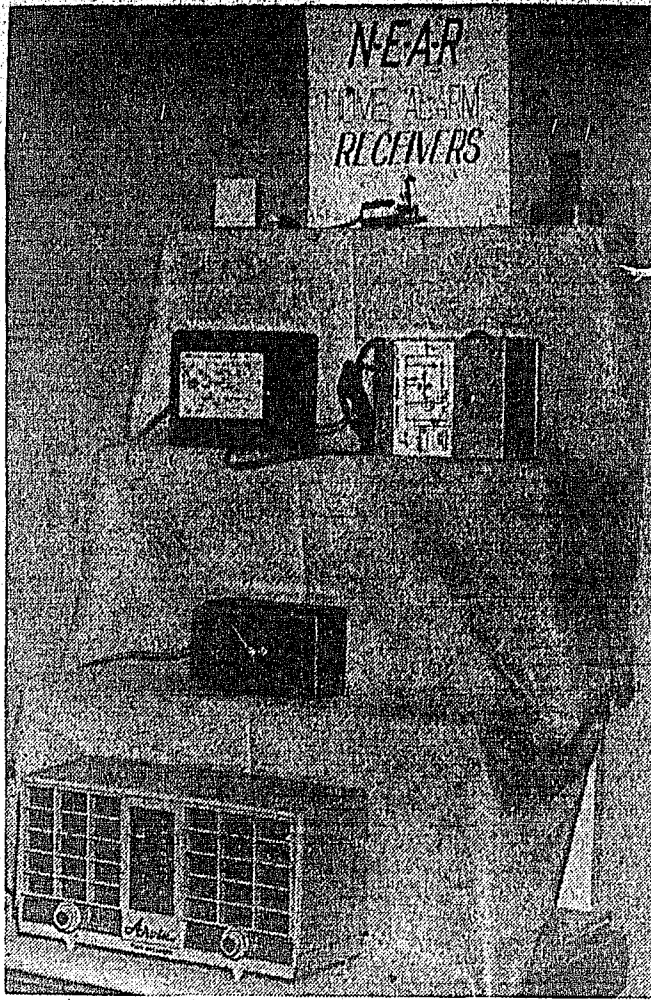
Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster and Mrs. Pleas Williamson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris and boys Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick and children spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Snowden of Lohn.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford, Loyd and Linda, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford of the Rockwood Community, briefly Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Church Deer of Santa Anna and Mrs. Bess Hockett of Seattle, Washington, visited last week with Mrs. Ann Bryan and Frances Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Abernathy of Millersview, spent Sunday with their son, Mr. and Mrs.



HOME ALARM which could be plugged into an ordinary electric socket to sound a buzzer or bell and light signal of approaching air attack, tornado or other natural disaster is shown in three small units (top level) and larger versions (second level). Also shown are clock and radio which could be activated by the National Emergency Alarm Repeater (NEAR). These alarms are presently being developed under contract to the Federal Civil Defense Administration. NEAR would be triggered by a signal over the nation's power lines to provide an alarm inside homes, where residents might be asleep or otherwise not hear present sirens. Civil defense Conelrad radio would then provide survival details.

Lee Abernathy and children.

Joe Riley of Santa Anna, spent Friday night with Loyd Rutherford.

Mr. Jernigan of Austin, spent the weekend with his daughter, Mrs. J. B. Lyon and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris and boys visited Mrs. Carter, Bert and Leon Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. B. Lyon and Lana Kay spent Sunday night with her aunt in Bangs.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and Randell spent Saturday night with Oscar Lovelady here, returning to Grand Prairie Sunday afternoon.

Hilary Rutherford, who has been employed for three weeks at Mertzon, was home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford, for several days, but was called back to work Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Morris of Brady spent Wednesday night with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris and boys. The group enjoyed TV with Mrs. Ann Bryan and Frances Ann Wed-

nesday night.

Mrs. Ann Bryan and Frances visited with Mr. and Mrs. Church Deer in Santa Anna Saturday.

Shields News

By Mrs. E. S. Jones

Our community is proud of John Dillingham, who won 2nd, 3rd, 4th, places with his sheep at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show.

Ero. and Mrs. Parker of Abilene, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Milligan. Bro. Parker preached morning and evening at the Baptist Church.

Mrs. Rowena McCoulskey and daughters, Kathy and Diane of San Angelo, visited this week with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Williams.

Thursday afternoon at the community center about 55 guests attended a gift tea honoring Miss Ruth Milligan, bride-elect of Mr. Duane Bivins.

Mrs. Beatrice Vercher of Coleman visited Thursday afternoon and Friday with Mrs. J. Z. Vercher, Mrs. E. S. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Scarborough.

Karen Jones spent Sunday with Joan Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carroll of Fort Worth, visited this weekend

with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carroll.

We extend sympathy to the family and relatives of James Hill, who was killed in a car wreck January 31. James had lived with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Williams, and attended Mozelle School and was a grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jno. A. Williams.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shelton during the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Milligan, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Brehm, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Edens, Mr. and Mrs. George Cobb, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shelton and boys, Mike and Randy.

Billy Gene Lowe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lowe, enlisted in the Army January 13, and is stationed at Carson City, Colo. The Lowe family lived in the Shields Community several years.

Saturday, February 2, at 5:00 p. m. Miss Ruth Milligan and Mr. Duane Bivins were married at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Milligan. Congratulations.

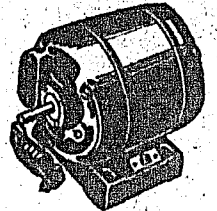
Miss Jeannie Stewardson visited home folks Sunday and attended services at the Baptist Church Sunday night.

Attend church regularly.

Mrs. Lola Lightfoot and Mrs. Ann. Kulp visited Mrs. Lightfoot's mother, Mrs. M. L. Fletcher, in a Brownwood nursing home last Friday and found her to be getting along quite well. They also visited awhile with Mrs. Dot Moore in another nursing home.

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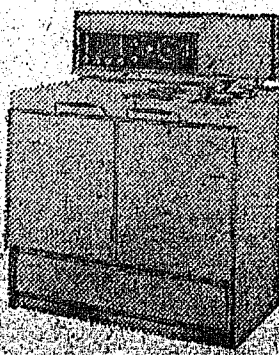
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This week it is again our privilege to salute the Boy Scouts of America on their anniversary...the 47th for this remarkable organization.

From a nucleus of one small troop in 1910, the scouting movement has spread to six million boys in sixty countries, carrying with it the highest ideals of moral and spiritual development. The growth of these ideals of respect of God, love of Country, and friendship for all mankind is helping greatly to build a better America...to mould better citizens, and make possible a better world.

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Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hodges and Andra of Lubbock visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges and James Tuesday to Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith were in Anderson Wednesday to Friday of last week, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy F. Smith and family. Enroute home they were Friday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Gray and children in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith visited



"EASY DOES IT"
BY... HELEN HALE

IF YOU want a tasty dish of noodles, toss them cooked but drained and still hot with butter, salt, pepper and a 3-ounce package of cream cheese.

It's easy to make a colorful molded salad by adding a can of drained fruit cocktail and grated carrot to lemon flavored gelatin.

For a cool evening when you want to eat lightly, prepare a dish of Spanish rice and serve with sausage cakes fried to a crisp, golden brown.

THIS WEEK'S RECIPE

Beet Relish

(Makes 1 1/2 cups)

- 1 1/2 cups chopped cooked or canned beets
 - 1 tablespoon minced onion
 - 3 tablespoons lemon juice
 - 2 teaspoons sugar
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 1/4 teaspoon celery seed
- Combine all ingredients. Let stand 24 hours in refrigerator to blend flavors. Serve with meat or fish.

Baked beans go nicely with a grilled slice of ham. While you broil the ham, broil some pineapple spears or peach slices right along with it for a nice fruit garnish.

Did you know that you could dress up simple chocolate pudding? Tuck a few lady fingers in the serving dishes and garnish with a fluting of whipped cream and a grating of nuts.

Scalloped potatoes won't curdle if you make them with canned mushroom soup thinned with a cup of milk. Slice the raw potatoes thin for this one.

A snappy snack spread for bread or crackers combines peanut butter with orange marmalade. Serve this with glasses of milk to the after-school crowd.

If you fry young beef liver and then make a cream gravy to go with it, the folks will call for seconds in a hurry.

Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Abernathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rinehart of Victor, Iowa, visited several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Elec. Cooper, Louise, David and Ronnie.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Estes and Phyllis of McGregor were also weekend guests in the Cooper home.

Weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson were Mrs. Roger Dudley of Ozona, Mrs. Jim West and Cleve of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Richardson and boys of Coleman were Saturday evening guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan of San Angelo, were greeting friends Sunday afternoon.

Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Russell of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Maness of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart of Whon, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bradley of Fife.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes of Sweetwater visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hyatt Moore and other relatives Friday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fowler and Miss Lizzie Fowler of Coleman were Saturday visitors in the Moore home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith and Cline of Santa Anna were Saturday guests in the M. D. Bryan home. Mr. and Mrs. Sealy Bryan of Coleman spent Sunday with the Bryans and afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Uless Maness Mrs. Roy Blackwell and Mrs. Mena Shuford.

Mrs. Church Deer of Santa Anna and Mrs. F. J. Hockett of Seattle, Washington, came Monday to spend a few days with Mrs. Kate McIlvain.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. McSwane of Brownwood, were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McSwane and Stanley.

Mrs. Pete Cooper and Kelley of Fort Worth and Mrs. Shorty Richardson, Dolores and Cynthia of Brownwood, visited last Saturday with Mrs. Sherman Hellman.

Mrs. C. H. McCarrell, Mrs. Goldie Milberger and Harold McCarrell visited Sunday afternoon at Buffalo with the Andrew McCarrell family.

Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan, Patricia, Judy and Serena, were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Burns. Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burson and Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Tucker.

Serena Bryan and Mrs. Ray Burson were celebrating their birthdays on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Richardson of Fort Worth, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Richardson.

Mr. Bob Steward, Mr. and Mrs. John X. Steward and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Steward and girls have been at the bedside of Mr. Will Steward in San Angelo. He is critically ill in St. John's Hos-

pital. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Williams and Donald Lynn of Brownwood spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams and Barney. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Richardson and Betty of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan of San Angelo.

Matt Estes of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Estes of Merkel were greeting friends and visiting with Miss Linnie Box Saturday afternoon.

Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller were Mr. and Mrs. Faye Mosler of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell McQueen and Mr. and Mrs. Lum McQueen of Grover and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Davenport of Coleman.

Mrs. Bill Steward joined Mr. and Mrs. Polly Wise in Brownwood Sunday and they attended funeral services for Mrs. Collins Wise's father in Fort Worth.

Miss Neva Rehm, a student in the University of Texas in Austin, and Miss Bobbie Rehm of Tarleton College, were home for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Estes and Phyllis of McGregor, spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Drury Estes and other relatives.

Kenneth Estes of Brownwood visited with them Sunday, also Mr. and Mrs. Dee Mankin, Gaylon of Coleman and Mike Thompson of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Crutcher were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Hodges, Eddie Joe and Ellen in Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry spent Sunday night in San Angelo

DAUGHTER BORN TO MR. AND MRS. LARRY ROSS

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ross of Brownwood announce the birth of a daughter on Friday, February 1, in a Brownwood hospital.

The baby weighed 7 pounds at birth and has been named Georgarna.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mack Rehm of Brownwood. The Rehms are former Rockwood residents.

with Mrs. Elton Halmon, Jerry Carl and Lana Kay.

Visiting during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Steward were Mr. and Mrs. James Steward of Imperial, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rehm of Bozeman, Montana, and Chick Rehm of Falfurrias.

Mrs. Garnet Reeves and sons; Garnet, Jr. and Bryan, of Lubbock, came Sunday night to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box. Mrs. Estes and Mrs. Box accompanied them to San Antonio to spend Monday night.

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The Woman's Missionary Society of the Rockwood Baptist Church held their regular social meeting Monday afternoon at the Rockwood Community Center, with Mrs. Junior Brusenhan as hostess. Mrs. A. L. King directed the games. Members exchanged gifts. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Henry Smith, M. D. Bryan, Bill Bryan, F. E. McCreary, Carl Buttry, Evan Wise, Lee McMillan, Goldie Milberger, L. Brusenhan, Sr., Lon Gray, A. L. King and the hostess, Mrs. Junior Brusenhan.

Mrs. E. W. Gober went to Abilene on Thursday of last week for a visit with her daughters, Mrs. Luke Pricer and Mrs. J. W. West and their families. Mr. Gober went to Abilene on Saturday and he and Mrs. Gober returned home Sunday.

Dr. Jimmy Barnes of San Antonio, was a weekend visitor here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes.

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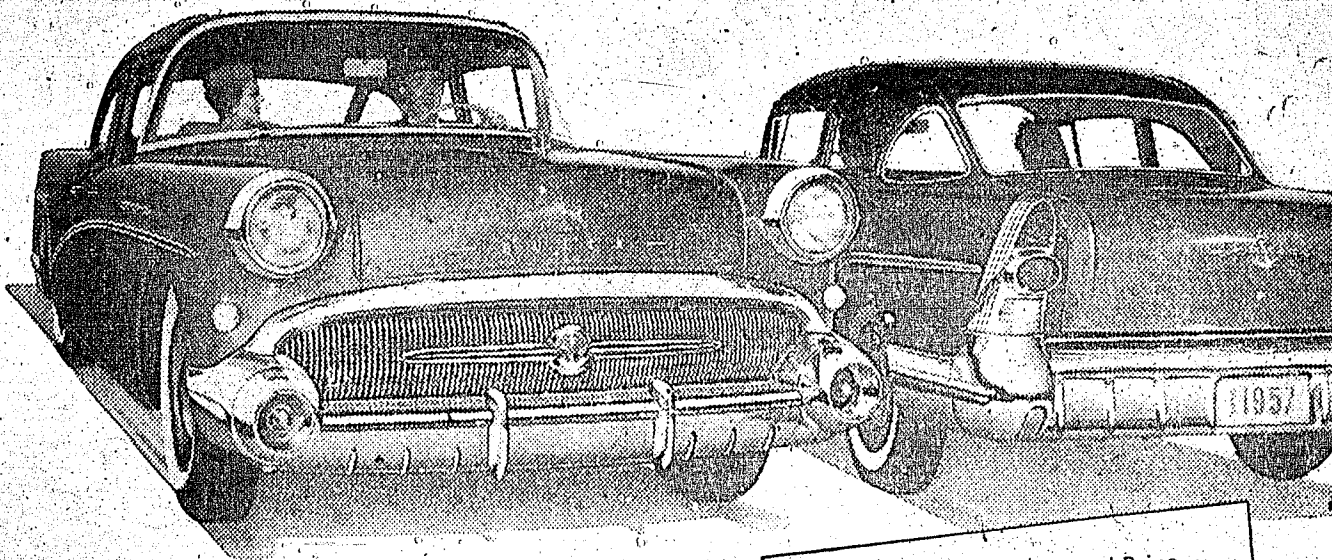


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Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Rutherford and Danny of Fort Worth, visited several days last week with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Rutherford and children. They also visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Rutherford, all in Santa Anna. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Phillips and children of Ballinger also visited here last Sunday with the Rutherford families.

Mrs. Bill Cope and daughter, Carlene, of Coleman, were Saturday visitors in the home of Robert Robinett and family.

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Trickham News

BY EDNA R. DEAN

Sorry we didn't get our weekly news in the paper last week.

We had good attendance for Sunday School and church Sunday. Rev. Frank Haynes, Baptist pastor, delivered both morning and evening sermons. We were glad to have Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes of Midland as visitors Sunday morning. Rev. and Mrs. Frank Haynes were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene James and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Damon Miller were honored with a wedding shower at the Trickham Community Center Saturday night, February 2. They received many beautiful and useful gifts. The hostesses were Mrs. Sam Craig, Mrs. O. J. Martin, Mrs. Harold James, and Miss Peggy Ford. Refreshments, plates of turkey sandwiches, cookies, mints, coffee or cocoa, were served to the 125 guests present. Mrs. Miller is the former Betty Mitchell of Trickham.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes of Midland were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bledsoe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Coleman and two boys of Coleman visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Craig.

Jack Laughlin and Jackie of Brownwood spent Saturday with his father, P. E. Laughlin. Chaplain and Mrs. Pat McClatchey and Mike of Roswell, N. M., Air Force Base, spent the

past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wylie McClatchey. Chaplain McClatchey was to leave from Dallas today (Monday) for Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie McClatchey were Sunday-luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bond Featherston.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dupree and boys of Fort Worth, were Sunday-afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene James and family.

Recent visitors in the Jesse Earl York home were Mr. and Mrs. Harold James and Wanda and Mrs. Clara James.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones of Regency visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Fellers.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Fellers and boys, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Dean and children of Rockwood.

Sherman Stearns visited Sunday with Tink Dockery.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Henderson and children, Mrs. Rosa Henderson of Santa Anna visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Dude Henderson of Cross Cut.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver and Sabrina of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whitley visited Saturday in San Angelo with Mrs. R. W. Williams, who had surgery there several days earlier.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lanewaster and Mrs. Neta Williamson visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Oakes and children of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stacy visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Oll Martin.

Misses Lea Mitchell, Reba Haynes and another girl friend, of Post, Mr. and Mrs. Damon Miller of Stephenville, were weekend visitors in the Buck Mitchell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mitchell, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold James and Wanda visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Buse.

Dr. and Mrs. Kollwitz and sons of Santa Anna were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes.

Visitors with Mrs. Beula Kingston since last news report were: Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke, Mrs. Clara James, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Wilson and Mrs. S. M. Fellers.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy and Mrs. Zona Stacy visited with relatives in Abilene Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Herring of Cleveland were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean.

Rev. Jimmy Henderson of Santa Anna, Donna Lee Walker and Sue Pritchard were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Emory Brown and Wanda.

Mrs. Howard Jones and children, Andy Anderson of Brownwood, Rev. and Mrs. Frank Haynes were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mrs. Beula Kingston.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Haynes visited Mrs. R. S. Stearns Sunday afternoon.

Recent visitors in the Fred Haynes home were George Haynes and Smooth Lollis of Tomball. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haynes of Brady, Mrs. Mattie Lancaster of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wallace and children of Abilene, Pete Trinidad of Santa Anna, J. R. Haynes, Grady McIver, Gayla and Terry Bankin

McIver, Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes, Bernice McIver, Mr. Latham, Mrs. J. E. York, Donnie and Nikki, Mrs. Bill Vaughn, G. K. Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes, Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Coker and girls, Mrs. Frank Wallace and children remained for a longer visit.

Garden Club Has Regular Meeting At City Library Friday

The Mountain City Garden Club met at the City Library in regular session on Friday afternoon, February 1st, with the president, Mrs. Arthur Casey, presiding.

Mrs. J. L. Boggus and Mrs. Louis Zachary, hostesses, had some lovely displays featuring the Valentine motif. Mrs. C. M. Moseley also brought a nice arrangement.

Mrs. J. R. Gipson spoke on "Figurines, their making and place in arrangements." Mrs. Hardy Blue spoke on cutting and care of flowers, to be used in arrangements.

Mrs. Casey spoke on, "Get the most for your plant food dollar." The meeting was well attended. Plans were made at this meeting for the mid-February three days school on arrangements at Brownwood, and a good attendance was urged.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knox of Rising Star, visited here a part of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Knox. Mrs. Jack Knox, who had surgery in a Brownwood hospital, is getting along real well. She is staying this week in Brownwood for treatments.

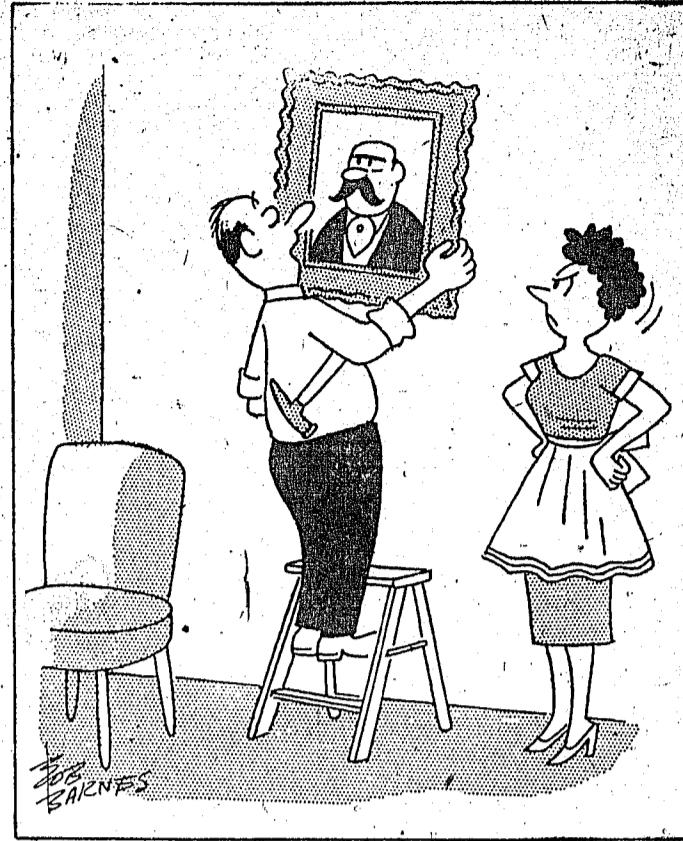
Mr. and Mrs. Bob R. Stewart, who arrived recently from England, are staying for awhile with his mother, Mrs. Phillip Radle in Santa Anna. Mr. Stewart served with the Air Force in England, at Northhamptonshire, and married an English girl. They plan to make their home in San Antonio, where he has employment.

Mrs. A. Hefner, who broke her left arm at the wrist, when she slipped on the ice at her home recently, is getting along very well. A daughter, Mrs. Bernice Rutledge, returned to her home at Midland Monday, after being here a week. Mrs. H. P. Baxter of Stephenville, a sister of Mrs. Hefner, is here now helping to care for her and her brother, Frank Mears, in the Hefner home, and invalid who has been a bed patient for 12 years. The Hefner's daughter, Mrs. Leo Healer of Brownwood, comes home every night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Churchwell of San Saba, came on Thursday of last week and visited with their daughter, Mrs. W. W. Bartlett. On Saturday Mr. Bartlett took Mrs. Bartlett to Fort Worth for a stay in the home of their daughter, Mrs. H. L. Biggs. Mrs. Bartlett, afflicted a long time, is reported as not doing so well.

Miss Blanche Boyd is glad to be back in her home here and her friends are glad to have her back, after she had spent a year as a companion with a friend at Big Lake. Before her return she had some improvements made on the interior of her home in the southeast part of town.

LAFF OF THE WEEK



Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson went to Greenville last Friday for a visit of several days with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Johnson and Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Autrey visited last Sunday with their son, Sfc. Martin Autrey and wife at Mineral Wells, where he is stationed at Camp Walters, attending a Helicopter School.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan of San Angelo spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Whetstone and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Calhoun and Debbie of Fort Worth, visited from Friday night until Sunday afternoon in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Moseley.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith went to Fort Worth last week, where he has been transferred to a run on the Santa Fe from Fort Worth to Brownwood. They have not moved their household goods yet, but are staying with her sister until they get located.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hipp returned to their home at Ferris Monday, after a weeks visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lykins of San Angelo, visited here Monday and Tuesday in the home of their daughter, Mrs. M. R. Pollock and family.

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SCANNING THE NEWS

MR. CLYDE T. ELLIS, General Manager of the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association with headquarters in Washington, has taken dead aim against what he terms is a studied national lobbying campaign backed by private utilities "to poison the minds of the American people and their public officials against rural electric cooperatives and public agencies such as municipalities, public power districts and the Federal power program."

Mr. Ellis refers to a national advertising campaign in magazines, newspapers, over television and radio which alleges "there is a privileged class of people in this country who pay little or no taxes in their electric bills, made up of those people who secure their electricity from government wholesale power sources."

He claims that the statement is false on the face of it since Rural Electric Cooperatives in fiscal 1956 purchased only 6 per cent of all Federally generated power, whereas private power companies themselves bought 10 per cent and private industry bought 20% of this federal power.

Ellis points out that the total cost of this advertising campaign by private utility interests is "paid for by those who must of necessity buy electricity from the companies who sponsors the ads, for they are monopolies within their respective areas. In addition since the cost of such ads and other manipulations of the public mind are deductible expenses for tax purposes 52 per cent of the cost of this propaganda

comes out of the Federal treasury. "We do not believe," Mr. Ellis said, "that it was the intent of Congress for consumers and taxpayers to pay the cost of their own misinformation."

Mr. Ellis grants the right of privately owned public service monopolies to use such propaganda advertisements to place their views on current issues before the public, provided the owners do it at their own expense.

"But," he continued, "we are convinced that remedial legislation is today necessary to close the door to the use of ratepayer's money collected to pay the cost of a public service for their own private purpose."

Mr. Ellis declared the Rural Electric systems, owned by farmers are directly interested in these propaganda expenditures for two reasons:

1—Nearly two-thirds of the rural electric are purchasing their wholesale power requirements from the privately owned public utilities, for which they paid \$59,449,112 in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1955;

2—Nearly one-third of the rural electric are purchasing all or part of their wholesale power requirements from Federal wholesale power agencies under laws attacked by these ads, and for which the rural electric paid the government \$28,844,795 in fiscal 1955.

Ellis declares, as set out in the Congressional Record, that the cost of this program of "misinformation" runs into "many millions of dollars a year."

Panel Discussion at Regular PTA Meeting Tuesday Afternoon

The Parent-Teachers Association met in regular session on Tuesday afternoon, February 5. The Hospitality Committee served cake and coffee, commemorating the founding of PTA on February 17, 1897, in Washington, D. C.

The beautiful double-heart decoration was made and displayed by Mrs. Carmen Donham.

Mrs. John Hensley, president, presided and brought the group to order. Mr. James Mallow, band director, directed the Junior Band in several numbers.

Sgt. Hyde of Abilene, gave an interesting discussion on Civil Defense and told of organizing a Ground Observer Corp here. County Judge Walter K. Boyd of Coleman, has appointed Mrs. Robert L. Markland as supervisor of the Corp.

Sgt. Hyde stated he is badly in need of supervisors and hopes volunteers will join the corp. Fifty-four boys in high school have volunteered. The corp is used in a number of different ways, some of them are to detect enemy aircraft, give warnings during tornados, etc. He showed a film showing the necessity of, and place filled by the Ground Observer Corp, as it fits in with Civil Defense.

Mrs. Martin, program chair-

man, introduced members of the school board and Supt. Perry, who held a panel discussion on the operation of the schools. Members of the board present were: W. H. Pittard, President; Tom Stewardson, Secretary; and William Brown, O. R. Boenke, J. W. McLeellan and Dick Baugh. During the panel discussion Mr. Perry stated all school board meetings are opened to the public and invited the public to attend their meetings.

The discussion was thoroughly enjoyed and it was very enlightening to the members present.

Mrs. Hensley expressed appreciation to members of the PTA who helped in making the meeting a success.

Room count and reading of the minutes were omitted until the next meeting, which will be held March 5th. Mrs. Crews' third grade and Mrs. Daventport's second and third grades will have the program at that meeting.

Burney - Scott Vows Exchanged

Mrs. Charlotte Burney was married to J. L. Scott Wednesday, January 30 at 6:30 p. m. in the parsonage of the Baptist Tabernacle in San Angelo. Rev. Edgar Tatum, pastor, officiated.

The bride wore a navy blue suit with navy accessories and a corsage of red and white carn-

ations. Her attendant, Irene Ellis, wore a suit of pink and brown with pink carnations.

Raymond Lind of Odessa was best man.

The bride is the County Treasurer. The groom is employed by an oil company in Coleman. The couple plan to make their home in Santa Anna.

Mrs. Scott is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Howington of Santa Anna. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Scott, Sr., of Coleman.

Mrs. Charles Bengé Hostess To 20th Century Club Meeting

Mrs. Charles Bengé was hostess for the 20th Century Club meeting last Friday afternoon, when it met in the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Alton Bengé, on Avenue B.

The program consisted of a most interesting discussion of February Highlights by Mrs. Bill Pritchard. It seems that the shortest month is noted for the birthdays of famous Americans, among them being George Washington, Abe Lincoln, Edison, Dickens and others. Ground Hog Day and Valentine Day are also a part of the month.

It is planned to have a discussion of the month, each month. Mrs. Clifford Stephenson presided over a short business session. Regrets were expressed over the loss of a good member, Mrs. Richard Smith, who has moved to Fort Worth.

Dainty refreshment plates were served, consisting of a red heart congealed salad, open faced party sandwiches, Pritos, mints, coffee and cold drinks.

Others attending besides the above mentioned were, two visitors, Mrs. Vera Shields and Mrs. R. B. Archer and members, Mrs. W. E. Vanderford, Mrs. Warren Aldridge, Mrs. Roy Stockard, Mrs. Edd Jones and Mrs. A. L. Oder.

Ruth Milligan, Duane Bivins Exchange Vows Saturday

Miss Ruth Milligan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas S. Milligan, became the bride of Duane Bivins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bivins, Saturday, February 2.

Rev. C. S. Parker officiated at the double-ring ceremony in the home of the bride's parents, at 5:00 p. m. The couple stood before an arch, placed against the wall, from which were suspended greenery and wedding bells. Large baskets with white ribbon bows and streamers, filled with

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SHORTENING	SWIFT'S JEWEL 3-LB. CARTON	65¢
APPLES Delicious		1b. 13¢
YAMS East Texas		1b. 13¢
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white gladioli and stock, flanked the arch on each side.

The bride wore a white ballerina length dress of lace over satin, which had a bolero jacket. Her headdress was of white net with rhinestones and seed pearls and a finger-tip length veil. She wore a strand of pearls and white mitts. She carried a white Bible topped with an orchid and streamers.

The bride's mother wore a black and white dress with harmonizing accessories and a white gardenia corsage.

The groom's mother wore a midnight blue dress with matching accessories and a gardenia corsage.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held.

The tea table was centered with an arrangement of white mums, flanked on each side by white candles in crystal holders.

Mrs. James S. Milligan, sister-in-law of the bride, ladled the punch and Miss Mary Milligan cut and served the three-tiered pink and white wedding cake.

The wedding was attended only by relatives of the couple.

For going away the bride wore a blue cape dress with blue and white accessories and the orchid from her bouquet.

The newly weds are making their home in Abilene, where both are employed.

Both are graduates of the Class of 1956 of the Santa Anna High School. The bride recently completed a business course in Abilene.

Gift Tea Honors Bride-Elect At Shields

A gift tea, honoring Miss Ruth Milligan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas S. Milligan, bride-elect of Duane Bivins, was given in the Shields Community Center on Thursday, January 31st. Calling hours were from 2:30 to 4:00 p. m.

Hostesses were Mrs. Arthur Casey, Mrs. George Cobb, Mrs. R. A. Milligan, Mrs. A. B. Carroll, Mrs. Edgar Shelton, Mrs. Tom Stewardson, Mrs. Jack Dillingham, Mrs. Leonard Williams, Mrs. Otis Powers, Mrs. Herman Gilbreath, Mrs. George Stewardson, Jr., and Mrs. Aubrey Scarborough.

Mrs. Casey and Mrs. Shelton greeted guests. In the receiving line were the bride-elect, her mother, Mrs. D. S. Milligan, and Mrs. Otis Bivins, mother of the prospective groom.

Mrs. Cobb poured tea and Mrs. R. A. Milligan served the cake squares. The tea table was laid with pink net over pink satin and had two arrangements of white mums.

A miniature bride and groom stood between the arrangements under an arch. On the arch, "Ruth and Duane Feb. 2" was lettered on pink ribbon. Mrs. Carroll displayed the

numerous gifts. Fifty-five ladies registered for the event.

Mrs. Fred Hicks Hostess for Ruth Circle Meeting

The Ruth Circle of the North Side Baptist Church met in regular session Tuesday morning in the home of Mrs. Fred Hicks.

Five members and one visitor were present.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Leonard Moore. The devotional was given by Mrs. Hicks. Mrs. Swindell taught a wonderful lesson from the Bible question books.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Leonard Moore on February 12, at 9:30 a. m.

The meeting was closed with a prayer by Mrs. Jane Campbell. The Circle welcomes anyone who would like to visit with them or who would like to join the circle.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Richardson of Abilene, visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson. Mr. Richardson is getting along very well but still has a bad cold.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Rowden and son, Tommy Lynn, of Abilene, were weekend visitors here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hodges.

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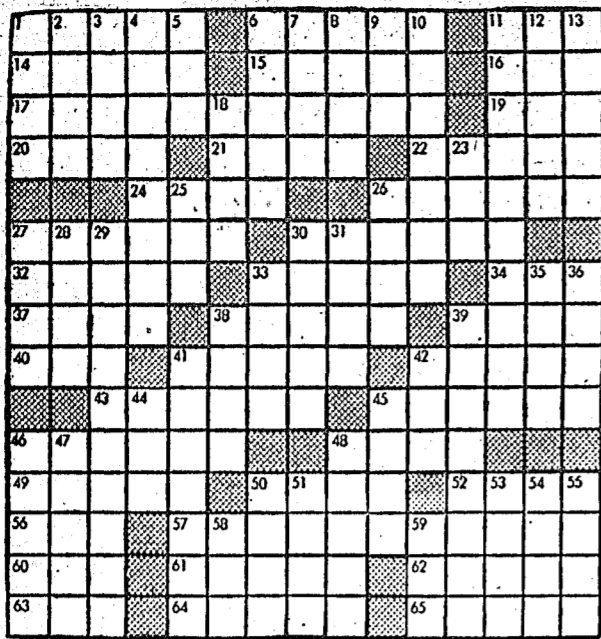
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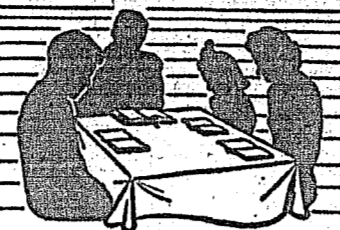
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 - Frozen precipitation
 - Hawaiian wreath
 - Chinese secret
- DOWN**
- Part of circle (pl.)
 - Utruly outbreak
 - Skin disease
 - Renewed
 - Alto-stratus (abbr.)
 - Sheet of window glass (pl.)
 - Skills
 - Courage
 - Vast age
 - To oppress with heat
 - Repressed

12 To speak
13 Island in Cyclades group
14 Siamese coin (pl.)
15 Rowing implement
16 Paid notices
17 To cut after snick
18 To make flaring
19 American Indian
20 Destroy completely
21 Crews
22 Epic poetry
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24 Was borne by
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Answer to Puzzle No. 431

Today's MEDITATION
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The Upper Room
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Read Luke 9:57-62.
No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God. (Luke 9:62.)

Polycarp, the martyr, was put to death by pagans in A. D. 156. He must have been familiar with this text. Early in life he decided to follow Jesus. Nothing could induce him to do otherwise.

In modern times, many African Christians, facing the terror of the Mau Mau movement in Kenya, decided not to forsake their faith in Christ. Some have faced death in order to remain true. Their spirit and faith inspire others to the daily walk with Him.

Our text reminds us of the fields where the land is ploughed in single furrows, with a beast pulling the plough and a man guiding it. The man must closely attend his work. He must look ahead to his guidepost. If he looks back, his furrows will be crooked.

Having decided to follow Christ, let us put our hands to the plough. Even in the hour of death, we can look forward to victory with Him.

PRAYER
Eternal God, who hast sent Thy Son Jesus Christ to challenge and to guide us, we beseech Thee to make us worthy of His sacrifice for us. Strengthen us afresh in decision and in faith. Grant that we may not fail Thee, but go forward, looking unto Christ, our Redeemer and Guide. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY
Faithful, diligent work for Christ is never in vain.
—E. Keith Ditterich
Australia

Mrs. Maudie Groves of Kerrville, is staying here during the month of February with her father, J. E. Long, and caring for him in an apartment at Mrs. J. J. Kirkpatrick's.

Wagner Sunday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner and Mrs. Watt Ingram and Danny were bedtime visitors in the Bunk Wagner home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner and Fb were bedtime visitors in the Harrell Cupps home Sunday night.

STUDENTS TAKE PART IN CHURCH PROGRAM

Students taking part in the program at the First Methodist Church Sunday afternoon were Mary Rehm, Dixie Baugh, Jackie Mobley, Darlene Mercer, Pete Simmons, La Velle McClintock, Dayton Jackson, Linda Evans, Chrystene Carpenter, Jimmy Crews, Margaret Mobley, Frances Bryan, Carolyn Carpenter, Linda Riley, Jané Horne, and Rita Ing, all members of the Santa Anna Band. Their director, James Mallow, was in charge of the program.
Jimmy Crews also played an organ solo.

MRS. McSWANE

W. S. C. S. HOSTESS
The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Rockwood Methodist Church, held their regular social meeting Monday at the home of Mrs. Aubrey McSwane in Rockwood. Mrs. Jack McSwane and Mrs. Jake McCreary directed games.

Refreshments of cookies, sandwiches, mints, coffee and cocoa were served to Mrs. C. A. Miller, Fox Johnson, Church Deer, Kate McIlvain, Uless Maness, Ludy Jane Crutcher, A. L. Crutcher, M. D. Bryan, Jack McSwane, John Hunter, Veoma Jackson, F. J. Hockett, Bob Johnson, J. A. Hunter, Sherman Heilman, Jack Postick, Jake McCreary and the hostess, Mrs. McSwane.

PLENTIFUL FOODS LIST FOR FEBRUARY

College Station — The feature spot on the USDA's plentiful foods list for February for the southwestern area goes to eggs. Supplies of this highly nutritive food are heavy and prices attractive. Consumers are urged to take advantage of the situation.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

All are reminded of the regular Second Sunday Singing, to be held Sunday, February 10, at the North Side Baptist Church, beginning at 2:00 p. m. All are invited to attend.

Members of the Self Culture Club are reminded of the regular meeting on Friday, February 8, in the home of Miss Alma Lovelady. Mrs. C. D. Bruce will review the book, "History and Romance of the Postal Service." This promises to be quite interesting.

DAUGHTER BORN TO MR. AND MRS. J. R. SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith of Fort Worth, announce the birth of a daughter on Thursday, January 31, at 12:20 a. m. in a Fort Worth hospital.

The baby weighed 6 pounds and 6 ounces at birth and has been named Nesa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wise of Rockwood are maternal grandparents and Mrs. J. W. Wise of Rockwood is the great-grandmother.

Stamp pads at the Santa Anna News office.

Beef, lamb, broilers and fryers, and ocean perch and haddock fillets are also listed by the USDA as in plentiful supply.

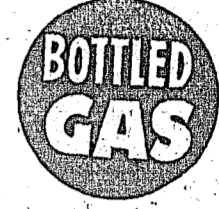
Other foods expected to be plentiful during February include rice, milk and other dairy products, potatoes, canned sweet corn, canned purple plums, and dried prunes.

A monthly survey made by the southwest food distribution division, Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA, forms the basis for determining the plentiful foods list for the southwestern area.

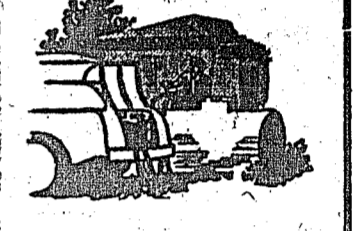
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Parish and children, Billy Joe and Patsy, returned to their home at Artesia, N. M., at the weekend, after visiting with their parents, Mrs. J. A. Parish and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Wallace.

Mrs. Annie Munger returned home at the weekend from Brownwood, where she had visited for a week with her daughter, Mrs. Jim Williams and family.

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NIWOT NEWS

BY THE NIWOT KIDS

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wagner and Mark of Irving spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner and Fb.

Mrs. Mae Flores of Bangs visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller were bedtime visitors Thursday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Cupps and children.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perry called on Mr. and Mrs. John Gear and family and Mr. and Mrs. Fred McCormick in the Concord Community Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner and Fb and Mrs. Watt Ingram

and Danny visited Thursday night in Brownwood in the Grandmother Gentry home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh and Nancy went with the grade school girls to Blanket Saturday night. The grade school girls played basketball and won the championship trophy.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes were in Brownwood Wednesday visiting the lady's brother, Mr. L. P. Jennings.

Visitors in the Silas Wagner home Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wagner and Mark and Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Cupps and children.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perry called on Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Huggins Friday night.
Robert Perry visited with Fb

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Narcotics, Liquor, Women, Gambling: They're All Part of the Duval Story

By-FREDERICK HODGSON

SAN DIEGO, TEX.—No self-respecting bona-fide barony is complete without its quota of syndicated sin. And Duval County, Texas, is no exception. For the moment "the heat is on" and the gambling wheels are still, night sin-spots like El Ranchito are closed, most of the women of easy virtue are in exile and traffic in illegal liquor and narcotics is very much under wraps.

One disgruntled deputy sheriff, raging at the Rangers who put him out of business, moved his house of prostitution, lock, stock and women, all the way to Houston.

The Rangers, armed with injunctions obtained by the Attorney General's office, simply padlocked the town.

"It was just like the good old days of prohibition," said Captain Alfred Allee, regarded by his fellows and by his superiors in Austin as one of the greatest Rangers of them all.

The merchants of sin fumed and fretted, appealed to the courts for injunctions of their own, tried every trick that wily lawyers could dream up. It was no soap. The places stayed closed and the gambling apparatus, the wheels and the dice and the tables, stayed carted away.

Quite naturally Captain Allee, Attorney General John Ben Shepperd, and all the others who had declared war on the Duchy of Duval and on its up-to-then undisputed ruler, Boss Parr, were roundly cursed by the purveyors of iniquity. The machine went even further.

This writer has a long document before him right now, a document revealing plans for the "liquidation" of Ranger Captain Allee and Ranger Joe Bridge. If these killings had been carried out, they would not have been the first political murders in that seething section of deep South Texas. Several years before Lawyer Jacob Floyd and District Judge Sam Reams had been marked for death. The pistoleros got their signals mixed and killed Floyd's son by mistake. The life of the Attorney General has been threatened three times.

The gambling, the women and the illegal liquor may have departed from Duval, for the time being at least, but the narcotics picture isn't so pretty.

Should you happen to be driving along the Benavides road, Highway 59 to Laredo, or along Highway 44 through Freer, you may hear the engine of a hedge-hopping airplane. It won't land so long as your car or any other car, except very special ones known to the pilot, is in the vicinity.

Once your car is out of sight the plane will touch down on the highway and its cargo will be quickly transferred to an automobile and the plane immediately takes off, flying low. This transfer always takes place in the early morning.

The cargo is heroin and marijuana. Sometimes the shipment includes diamonds and gold.

It is said by those who should know that 90 percent of all the illicit narcotics coming into the

United States is brought across the border from Mexico, most of it coming through Texas and through San Diego. And only a small proportion of the total amount of dope brought into Texas, and from here spread all over America, is ever seized.

I checked with the United States Air Force. South Texas is 180 degrees out of phase to the radar screen, concentrated as it is to spot planes coming in from the Atlantic or from the Pacific. Unless I've been badly misinformed, the Mexican border is wide open to any airplane, Russian or smuggler. Besides, a plane coming almost at ground level would be safe from radar in any case.

Previous articles in this series have pointed out that this utterly fantastic county is a product of its isolated geography, its history and its people. But history fades and people change. So in Duval. Democracy is raw, red meat, nourishing stuff on which a man, or a people, can grow strong. In Duval the people are feeding full.

George B. Parr is fighting, and fighting desperately, for his political life and for his physical liberty. There's something magnificent and awesome about a good fighter, even when he's on the opposite side.

According to Attorney General John Ben Shepperd, to District Attorney Sam Burris, to Lawyer Jacob Floyd of Alice, and to half a hundred other Parr opponents I've talked to, the Duke of Duval is fighting his last big fight. The Duke, they say, is through, finished, licked.

According to one of Parr's top attorneys, dapper Luther Jones of Corpus Christi, Shepperd, Burris et al are dripping wet. They couldn't be more wrong. So says Jones.

"Look at it, this way," said Jones to me. "This is an election year and the politicians are making hay. All this will blow over. These civil suits and indictments are pure politics and once the shouting is over they'll be allowed to die very quietly. You're a stranger to this part of Texas or you'd know all of this has happened before."

As Luther Jones talked my mind went back to long ago when I was just breaking into newspaper work on the old "Chicago Evening American." In those days Al Capone was running the rackets. I once met the King of the Racketeers and a right charming fellow he was. Nobody ever pinned a murder rap on Al. He went to Alcatraz for income tax evasion.

In New York I've met Frank Costello, he of the television hands that Senator Kefauver made so famous. Talking to him at the Vesuvio Restaurant on West 48th Street, one of his favorite haunts, you'd never think he'd ever heard of a slot machine or a gambling table. Charming fellow. Lovely fellow. He's in jail.

"And all this business about political killings in Duval," Jones went on. "They've been trying to pin a killing on Parr for years. Don't you think he'd have been charged with murder long ago if they could've got something on him?"

Jones, who is nothing if not frank, admits without any quibbles that his client is no saint. He depicts George B. Parr as a man who gets what he wants when he wants it and who isn't overly squeamish about methods. And Jones had admitted as much in open court, many times.

The well-dressed little lawyer, who presumably knows what is going on inside the Parr machine, has some interesting ideas about the future of Duval.

Should George B. Parr lose his battle, even be sent to prison, this does not mean the end of the Parr dynasty. Another Parr, the Duke's nephew, Archer Parr II, is ready to take over.

Should this switch happen, Duval history would be repeating itself. George Parr deposed his father just twenty years ago.

Archer Parr is a personable young man, 35, a Marine veteran, a family man, educated, and well schooled in the rough and tumble of Duval politics. He has served as sheriff under his uncle.

George B. Parr "did time" in Federal prison, in El Reno, Oklahoma, back in 1936. The charge was cheating on his income tax. When he got back home to San Diego he was greeted as a hero, as a man who had suffered persecution for the sake of his people. He was met by a brass band and by dancing in the streets.

But he returned to find that wire cutters had been at work on the Parr political fences, that his father, Senator Archie Parr, the then reigning Duke of Duval, was unable to ride the range as of old.

George took over the power in Duval. His father went into exile, to live at the Nueces Hotel in Corpus Christi until his death. Again George Parr is under indictment for income tax cheating, and again his followers say he is being persecuted for their sake. Should he again be convicted, on the tax charge or any one of a number of other Federal or State charges now pending against him, including a charge of using the mails to defraud, anything can happen in the county of Duval.

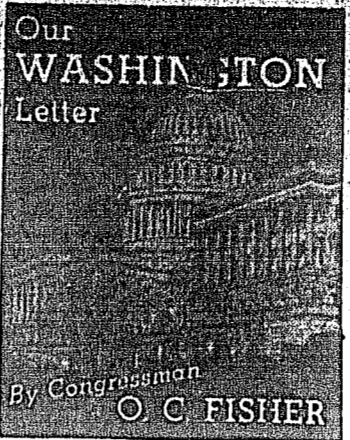
However, Luther Jones to the contrary, there is a vast difference between the Duval of 1936 and the Duval of 1956. (As a matter of fact, there is a vast difference between the Duval of 1954 and 1956, which will be the subject of the two final articles in this series.)

Twenty years ago the Parr power was solid as the Rocky Mountains, and seemingly as permanent. Men in Austin and Washington fawned upon the Duke, courted his favors, jumped when he crooked his little finger.

Parr could, and did, deliver 100 to 1 majorities in any election. He could loftily ignore the mundane doings of ordinary politics. He was the pious prince, after the fashion of the Middle Ages.

But Parr has been projected, head over heels, into the unsympathetic new world of the mid-Twentieth Century. The alchemy of his time has changed his county. George B. Parr was born just 500 years too late.

Actually, it was more than alchemy that changed Parr's county. The last two articles of this series will deal with what radical changes can be made in a boss-ruled county when one Attorney General gets it into his head that feudalism has got to go.



A Stern Warning that the U. S. will not allow Communist aggression in the vital Mid-East was contained in a Resolution passed in the House last week by a resounding 6-to-1 majority. This action came a week after Red China's Chou and the Soviet's Khrushchev in a joint blast in Moscow declared open cold war against the Resolution. I voted for the action taken by the House.

The Resolution gives the President stand-by authority (which experts on the Constitution say he already has) to commit American troops against overt Communist aggression in the Mid-East area, provided the invaded country requests our help.

The real value of the House action was, therefore, mainly psychological, a demonstration to the world, and particularly to the Kremlin, that this country will not tolerate any Monkey Business by the Soviets in a strategic area of the world long sought by Russia, even by the Czars long before the Revolution.

What The Soviets Long For is a warm water port on the Persian Gulf, and now a big cut in the fabulous oil reserves in that area — accounting for more than two-thirds of the world's known oil deposits. For them to gain a firm foothold in the Mid-East would be the most disastrous set-back for the Free World since World War II. And it would strengthen the Soviets, economically and militarily, tremendously. It would increase the likelihood of another world war.

So the stakes are high. It is hoped that the overwhelming approval of the Eisenhower Doctrine will have its intended deterring effect. It is a bold, firm move to put the Communist on notice and to still the hand of the would-be aggressor.

It will be recalled that two years ago the Congress approved a similar resolution authorizing

CHRISTIAN CHURCH YOUTHS GIVE REPORTS ON RECENT MEETING

In connection with the evening services at the First Christian Church Sunday, children who had attended the recent World Fellowship Retreat at Lake Brownwood made reports. Pat White told of the banquet on Friday night. Elaine White, Donna Lee Walker and Brenda Densman told of the interesting features and services held on Saturday.

The youngsters are looking forward to the several days camp during the summer.

The pastor, Rev. Jimmy Henderson, who attended the meeting, also reported and talked on Missions Sunday night.

In a largely attended official board meeting, after the service, it was voted to observe five missionary Sundays in 1957. This is over and above the contributions of the C. W. F.

Mrs. David Hunter and children, Debra, Cathy and Mike, of Abilene, are staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dunn, while undergoing treatments here. David was here for the weekend.

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the President to protect Formosa against attack. And it seemed to have a sobering effect on the Reds.

After All, although there are some who have certain misgivings about this sort of procedure, its objective is to help keep us out of involvement in another war by presenting a program of firmness — a position that has always been uncomfortable to the Commies and has worked better than uncertainty and evidence of indecision. It is certain that appeasement has never deterred the aggressive intention of a Dictator.



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Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming.

We are sorry to hear of Mr. William Cupps being sick. Hope he is soon feeling lots better. Those visiting him on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cupps, Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips, Judy and Jerry of Pecos, visited in our home from Friday until Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips and children and Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Blanton visited with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Blanton and family at Kemper on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Schulle visited Thursday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps.

Mrs. S. E. Blanton and sons were shopping in Brownwood

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Herring visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Herring and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hammons and daughters of Santa Anna and Mr. Criss Caldwell visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Caldwell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Blanton, Hill Blanton of Owen and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips, Judy and Jerry all had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Blanton and boys.

Mrs. M. F. Blanton visited Monday evening with Mrs. Nola Moore in Santa Anna.

Mr. Lee Phillips visited with his brother, Mr. D. S. Phillips, who is in the hospital at Temple. We hope he is soon able to come home.

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A Tribute To Mrs. V. J. Oder

BY MRS. A. L. ODER

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p. m. in a Waco funeral chapel for Mrs. V. J. Oder, on Wednesday, January 30, who died on Tuesday following a long illness, as stated in last weeks paper.

Harry Oder of Abilene, was supposed to take me when the time arrived, but he now is a rural carrier, didn't have the service of his substitute on the date. He and Velma both advised me by phone not to attempt the trip, because of the severe weather.

The deceased was 46 years old, and had spent most of her life in San Antonio, where she had head surgery for a malignancy, in a hospital last March. She and family had been liv-

ing in Waco more than 5 years. She was a member of the Baptist Church and Rev. J. Dalton Havard officiated at the services, which I am informed were quite well attended, although it was raining throughout the day in Waco. She, Ella, was my first daughter-in-law and we got a long like turtle doves, throughout the years.

Ella had a bright mind and a good singing voice. Returning to Waco after the surgery, she was in a hospital for a time and then in a good nursing home the remainder, except for a while, in her home last summer.

Ella was one who "looked well to the ways of her household," and with Javan's work and her conservation in the home; they became the possessors of a nice home in Ean Antonio. Selling it, they bought a nice place in Waco.

Besides her other interests, she was very much interested in

PTA work.

She is survived by the husband and four children, all of Waco: Victor; Mrs. Otis Robertson (Marianne), John Watts, and Harry, also one granddaughter, Rhonda Sue Robertson; two sisters, Mrs. Louis Herzik of Schulenberg and Mrs. M. P. Tolleite; and a brother, C. C. Watts, of San Antonio. Also two brothers who live in Florida that could not attend the rites but who had visited her after the surgery last year.

Many of the flowers given were sent to the nursing home after the rites, also much food left from the big dinner. Most of my children attended the rites.

Burial was in Waco Memorial Park.

Toby Singleton of Artesia, N. M., and his brother, Dee Singleton, just released from the Air Force at Randolph Field, San Antonio, came Monday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Singleton. On Tuesday the boys left for visits with

their sisters at Copperas Cove and Okalla. Mr. and Mrs. Singleton visited there at the weekend. Dee will soon be going to Michigan to attend the wedding of a buddy.

Sgt. and Mrs. Bennie Bass and Connie of Dallas, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bass. Benny is serving with the Army in Japan but was granted a 30-day leave last week because of the death of his wife's mother in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Woods and little son, William Driscoe, of Ft. Rucker, Ala., where he is stationed, came Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mathews. He is on furlough until February 20, and they will also visit his parents at Wicket, Texas.

Mrs. Dean Bass and baby, Clay, of San Antonio, visited last Friday and Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Parks.



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