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Mountaineers To Entertain Rising Star Wildcats Here Friday; Lose to Buffalos

The Santa Anna Mountaineers will play hosts to the Rising Star Wildcats on the local field at 8 p. m. Friday night. The Wildcats are another of the Mountaineer's former District 7-A conference foes and the two teams should be pretty evenly matched.

The Mountaineers will be without the valuable services of James Richard Allen this week. Allen is in the Coleman Hospital suffering from pleurisy, contracted last Saturday after the Cross Plains game. Reports got out the first of the week that Allen had suffered a heart attack, but these reports were unfounded. Allen will be replaced at the fullback slot this week by Kenneth Herring, 125 pound back who has seen considerable action thus far this season.

All the other boys are in good condition and are expected to try to redeem themselves for the unnecessary beating they took at the hand of the Cross Plains Buffalos last week.

Rising Star has about the same weight team as the Mountaineers and are much the same in experience. They lost most of their last year's team with graduation and are also using a completely new coaching staff this year. They have won one game and lost two. The Mountaineers have lost two games and tied one.

CROSS PLAINS GAME

Because we were in Austin during the week end, we did not have the opportunity to cover the Cross Plains game as we usually do. However, from reports we received about the game, it was not one for Santa Anna fans to see. The team's defense was all but nothing, according to reports reaching us. The offense was about as usual, with very little interference or blocking from the local string, except on the play where Daniel Gilbert raced untouched 40 yards for the only Santa Anna touchdown. On this play, it is said that all the Cross Plains boys were where they should have been a lot more often, "on the ground".

Home Robinson led the scoring for the Buffalos in the first quarter when he charged over from the one-yard line. David Jennings added another tally on a 38-yard run through center and Bill Sipes kicked the extra point. In the same period Sipes went through center for 19 yards and then kicked his own extra point. Jehnings plowed over from the one-yard line in a second period and Sipes converted.

In the third period Glenn Fleming made the longest run of the game, a 60-yard sprint to pay dirt. Later Robinson passed to Sipes for 14 yards and another TD. In the fourth period Terry Cearley went over center from three yards out for the final TD and Sipes kicked the extra point. During the third period Daniel Gilbert went 39 yards untouched for the lone Mountaineer TD and Wess Wise kicked the extra point. The final score was Cross Plains 46, Santa Anna 7.

DISTRICT PLAY

Mason is way out in front in District 23-A non-conference competition now. They have played three games and won all of them. Last week they handed Junction a 32-21 defeat. Other scores in the district were: Goldthwaite 6, Richland Springs 13; Llano 7, San Saba 39; Early 49, May 20; Bangs 7, Baird 32; and Santa Anna 7, Cross Plains 46.

Santa Anna now has two losses and one tie; Bangs has three losses; Early has two losses and one win; Burnett (rested the past week) has three losses; Goldthwaite has one win, one loss and one tie; Llano has three losses; and Mason has three wins.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Donham had as visitors last week Mrs. Donham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Lewis of Erick, Oklahoma and her maternal grandmother, Mrs. E. M. Reed of Elk City, Okla.

Dr. and Mrs. W. K. Thurmond and family of Fort Worth, were week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hosch and Mrs. Thurmond's aunt, Mrs. Lola Stephens.

Local Navy Man To Active Naval Duty For 14 Days

Brownwood — Lt. Comdr. W. E. Ferguson, Jr., of Santa Anna, will become an active duty Naval Reservist for a period of 14 days next Sunday, October 3, as he reports aboard a patrol ship at New Orleans, La., Naval Base. The ship will cruise in the Gulf of Mexico.

Comdr. Ferguson, native of Santa Anna, is education officer of U. S. Naval Reserve Electronics Division 8-21 which meets for weekly drills at Memorial Hall in Brownwood.

A veteran of some 11 years of Naval Service, Comdr. Ferguson is a veteran of both World War II and the Korean Conflict. His active duty years included extensive service aboard destroyers in both Pacific and Atlantic waters.

Comdr. Ferguson, who is associated with his father in the operation of farming and ranching interests, is a graduate of Santa Anna High School and Texas A & M College.

Editor and Wife Attend Ad Meet In Austin Sat.

Last Saturday your editor and wife attended the annual Texas Press Association Ad Meet in Austin. Purpose of the meeting was for advertising people of all Texas newspapers to gather together and study advertising from the standpoint of the advertiser and the newspaper.

During the course of the day a lot of good ideas were brought out by some of the nation's best advertising people and we returned home with a lot of good ideas for our own paper.

We regretted to miss the Santa Anna-Cross Plains football game but felt it was necessary that we attend this conference. We feel that the ideas we brought back with us will be worthwhile to the merchants of this area who use the columns of The Santa Anna News to tell prospective buyers of their merchandise.

Santa Anna Hospital News

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

ADMITTED:

Hugh M. Patterson, Commerce. Mrs. Noble Willman, Coleman. Mrs. Jack Kingsbery, Batesville.

Joe Torrez, city. Mrs. Cleo Croft, Coleman. Mrs. L. O. Garrett, city. Bruce Stark, city.

DISMISSED:

Hugh M. Patterson, Commerce. Mrs. L. O. Garrett, city. Mrs. Noble Willman, Coleman. Mrs. Jack Kingsbery, Batesville.

Joe Torrez, city. Henry (Bob) Ryan, Bangs.

BIRTHS:

Debra June Croft, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Croft of Coleman, Texas, was born at 6:25 a. m. September 26, 1954, weighing 7 pounds, 7 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gilbert went to San Angelo Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gilbert, and got acquainted with their new daughter, named Johnnie Maurine. Mrs. Sid Knox went with them and visited with her son, Bob Knox and family.

Mrs. Lura Williamson took Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Deer to San Angelo Sunday. Mrs. Williamson visited with her daughter, Mrs. Aex Riddle and family. Mrs. Deer remained until Tuesday for a check-up.

Mrs. Bill Price, who had major surgery in the Overall Hospital on Monday of last week, was able to be moved to her home in the Shields Community Monday morning.

Rooms Wanted

The officers of the Santa Anna Ex-Students Association are again calling on the good citizens of Santa Anna for help during the week end of October 8 and 9. We need several rooms for use for former students who will be here during the homecoming.

Well over 300 have already sent in their reservations for meals and several have indicated they will need lodging for Friday and Saturday nights. By the end of this week we expect to have several more requests and we want to be able to fill all of

them. We would appreciate it if every family who has an extra bed that will not be in use during the homecoming week end, October 8 and 9, would contact either M. L. Guthrie, Jr., or John C. Gregg, and let us know how many you can take care of.

Last year we had more rooms than we needed available and we hope to have enough this year to care for everyone. The cooperation of the citizens of Santa Anna on matters of this kind is exceptionally good and we know you will not let us down.

Rites For Mrs. C. E. Evans Held At Shields Sunday

Funeral services were held at the Shields Baptist Church on Sunday, September 26 at 3:30 p. m. for Mrs. C. E. Evans, who died at 6:00 a. m. on Saturday in the Overall Hospital, where she was taken on Friday, following a stroke.

Dr. A. Ben Oliver, from Baylor University, Waco, officiated. He was pastor of the Shields Baptist Church when he taught in the Santa Anna schools.

Mrs. Evans was born Bertha Jo Frazier January 23, 1877, in Tennessee, being 77 years, 8 months and two days old at the time of death. She was married to C. E. Evans December 23, 1901. They celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary in December, 1951, Mr. Evans being a semi-invalid at that time.

The Evans family moved to Coleman County in 1906, settling at Shields, where they have remained. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

She is survived by the husband of Shields, who is now an invalid; three sons, Ward W. Evans of Stephenville; E. Gay Evans of Puente, Calif.; and Raeford Evans of Shields; two daughters, Mrs. Edgar Shelton and Mrs. Aubrey Scarborough, both of Shields.

Other survivors are: one half-brother, L. A. Frazier of Waco; and two half-sisters, Mrs. Thomas Wood of Dallas and Mrs. G. J. Davis of Abilene; nine grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were: Ben Carroll, Carroll Barton, Romie Milligan, Douglas Milligan, Herman Gilbreath and Byron Gilbreath.

Ladies in charge of the floral tributes were members of the Glad Hand Class of the Shields Baptist Church.

Burial was in the Shields Cemetery with Hosch Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.



MRS. NORMAN HOSCH

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Speck of Houston are here on a two weeks vacation visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Speck. They plan to be here for the homecoming next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren P. Aldridge and Van visited Sunday at Lawn, with relatives and attended church services there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vanderford visited Sunday in Coleman with their daughter, Mrs. Rip Mayo and family.

Entertainment For Homecoming Announced

Entertainment features during October 9, the day of the Homecoming, are being completed, announces Mrs. C. D. Bruce, the committee chairman.

Mr. J. E. Hickman, who organized the Santa Anna High School into classes during his tenure as superintendent here, will be honored with a coffee in the Grade School auditorium at 10 o'clock that morning. In the receiving line with Mr. Hickman will be Mrs. E. K. Thompson of Coleman and Mrs. R. C. Gay, the only surviving members of the first graduating class of Santa Anna. Mrs. Curren Pieratt, sister of Mr. Hickman, will preside at the register, which will be given him.

John Gregg, Vice-President of the Ex-Student Association, will act as master of ceremonies. Mr. V. L. Grady will give an address of appreciation.

Mrs. Kenneth Bowker is chairman of the hostesses and others serving the coffee and doughnuts will be Mrs. A. D. Hunter, Mrs. Jim Boggus, Mrs. J. W. McClellan and Mrs. Ione Caton.

Decoration committee is Mrs. Maggie Culver, Mrs. Fern Hoke and Miss Dora Kirkpatrick.

At 8 p. m. the same day, another reception will be held in the Grade School auditorium and the public is cordially invited. The Homecoming Dance will be at the same time in the school gym, and the reception is planned for those who do not care to attend the dance.

Two short programs will be given, at 8:30 and 10:00 o'clock. Mrs. Bruce will be master of ceremonies, Mrs. Howell Martin is committee chairman for these programs and a talent show will take place for any ex-student who can play any instrument or sing or do stunts.

Mrs. Sam Collier; Mrs. Ross Kelley and Mrs. O. L. Cheaney will be in charge of decorations for stage and piano. Hostesses will be Mrs. Bowker, Miss Bettie Blue, Mrs. Mark Davis, Mrs. Chester Galloway, Mrs. T. W. Doster of Coleman.

The Student Council will be in charge of refreshments and will sell bottled drinks, coffee and homemade layer cakes.

F. F. A. News

On September 23 the Santa Anna Chapter of Future Farmers was called to order by Vice-President, Wess Wise. Wess presided over the meeting because President Morris Straughan was absent.

After the last meeting a committee was appointed to get the Sweetheart Contest underway. A girl was chosen from each class. These girls are: Freshman, Linda Riley; Sophomore, Sharon Hoke; Junior, Jo Beth Cooper; and Senior, Carlene Mills.

It costs one-cent per vote and the voting box is inside the high school building. These four girls will run until October 1, 1954. Then the two highest will run until October 8th.

A little was said about going to the Dallas fair, but nothing definite.

George Baucum and Edmond Switzer were chosen to take care of selling peanuts for the rest of the year. Four boys were chosen to help them.

We received a letter from Don Wilson, Area Vice-President, who wanted us to elect a candidate for district vice-president. Wess Wise was elected and he will be at the first district meeting.

There was no further business, so the meeting was adjourned. —Reporter

M. L. GUTHRIE, JR.
PRESIDENT, EX-STUDENT ASSOCIATION
SANTA ANNA, TEXAS

PLEASE RESERVE PLATES FOR THE EX-STUDENT BARBECUE ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1954, AT 5:00 P. M. FOR ME. I UNDERSTAND THE PLATES ARE \$1.00 EACH.

SIGNED

ADDRESS

Former Students Should Get Your Reservations In

A large number of reservations from former students of the Santa Anna schools have arrived and many others are expected during the last few days. Most of the ones who have sent in their reservations are from a distance and the ones who live nearby are holding theirs back.

M. L. Guthrie, Jr., president of the Ex-Student's Association, requested today that all nearby former students get their reservations in as soon as possible, in order that the food committee might make arrangements for their meals. It is imperative that all meal reservations be made in advance.

A barbecue supper will be served on the school grounds at 5:00 p. m. Saturday, October 9, and only those who make reservations will be served. Mr. Guthrie said that everyone who received a card should return it by the end of the week, regardless of whether you plan to attend or not.

For the convenience of the nearby students who may not have received a card or who might have misplaced their reservation cards, we are publishing a reservation card that you may cut out and either mail or bring to the Santa Anna Ex-Student Association, Santa Anna, Texas. This must be done immediately.

Third Generation Of Santa Anna Public Schools

Tommy Watson, sixth grade student, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Watson and Karen Jones, third grade student, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Jones, are third generation students of the Santa Anna Public Schools.

Mrs. O. H. Watson is the former Mary Tom Jones and a graduate of the high school with the class of 1936 and Elton Jones graduated with the class of 1934.

Both are children of Mrs. E. S. Jones, formerly Miss Ida Perry, daughter of Mrs. T. T. Perry of Santa Anna. Mrs. E. S. Jones finished the Santa Anna schools in 1906.

If there are other third generation students in the Santa Anna schools, we would appreciate having their names before next week.

Adventists Plan "Operation Doorbell" Saturday, October 2

In cooperation with the Seventh-day Adventist churches of North America, the local church is planning to visit members of the community Saturday afternoon, October 2. This is a part of the program to visit each member of the community within the next year. The purpose of each visit will be to encourage each family to engage in more earnest Bible Study, Pastor Lyndon DeWitt stated.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson left by plane from Coleman last week to visit with his sister in Rochester, New York. They plan to be gone about three weeks and will attend the National Telephone Convention in Chicago, October 10-13.

Pat Waller and son, Aubrey, were guests of his mother, Mrs. M. E. Waller Sunday. They returned to their home in San Angelo, Sunday night.

Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER



ROCKWOOD, TEXAS

PHONE 1003

Mrs. N. J. Battry was dismissed from the Brady Hospital last Thursday.

Mrs. Bob Straughan was dismissed from the Coleman Hospital and is at the home of her son, Clifton Straughan in Coleman.

Jack Bostick is on the sick list and has gone to Temple for medical attention.

Mrs. Nody Staton, 81, of Brownwood, passed away Wednesday evening and was buried Friday at Brownwood. We extend sympathy to her brother, Mr. Bob Steward and other relatives. Carolyn Williams spent Sunday with Betty Straughan.

Robert Johnson of Odessa and Tom Johnson of Alpine spent

Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Johnson. Other Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Cap Johnson and children of Jarrell, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Russell of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart of Whom, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Wood and children of Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Maness of Brownwood.

The Rev. T. A. Barnes preached at the Methodist Church at both Sunday services. Dr. H. B. Loyd, District Superintendent of Brownwood, conducted Quarterly Conference, after the evening services. He was accompanied by Mrs. Loyd.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Caskey of Ballinger, parents of Mrs. Barnes, attended Sunday evening services.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Deal of Floydada, spent the week end with homefolks.

Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cooper and children of Jayton, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Richardson and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Richardson and boys of Coleman.

Mr. Richardson went to San Angelo Wednesday, where he underwent an eye operation at St. John's Hospital.

Mrs. Kate McIlvain went to San Antonio last Friday to visit several days with relatives. She

visited last Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. A. L. Crutcher.

Sunday guests in the Crutcher home were Mrs. Hettie Pearson and grandmother Crutcher of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Collis Crutcher of Santa Anna, Ludy Jane went home with the Collis Crutchers.

Visiting Sunday in the A. N. McSwane home with Mr. McSwane, Mrs. Veoma Jackson, Joyce, Janice and Minnie Jean, were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McSwane, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ratliff, Shirley and Sandra of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mills, Linda and Joe Dan of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Jack McSwane and Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon McMillan were home over the week end. He is employed in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Wise and Mrs. J. W. Wise were in San Angelo Sunday to visit with Mrs. S. H. Pearson and family. They report the Pearson infant improved, but still in the hospital. Mrs. Pearson has been dismissed. The family lives at Eola, where Mr. Pearson teaches in the public schools.

Mrs. Bill Steward went Tuesday to be with Mrs. Pearson.

Mr. E. G. Billings of Monahans spent last Saturday night with his daughter, Mrs. Jack McSwane and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwane and Garland spent Sunday in San Angelo.

Mrs. Jack McSwane and family were in Coleman last Sunday to attend the 95th birthday celebration of her grandfather, Bird Billings.

The Rev. Earl Elder preached at the Baptist Church at both services Sunday. He was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan.

Mrs. Laura Whitfield and Nannie Marie of Brownwood spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams and Barney. We regret losing Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McIntire from our community.

Hope they like their new home in Brownwood. They have lived in this community since 1906.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Stanford and Mrs. Miller Box of Ft. Worth were Sunday supper guests of Mrs. J. W. Wise enroute home. Mrs. Box had been in San Angelo two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Howard Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary visited in San Angelo Friday to Sunday. Mrs. Gussie Wise accompanied them home, returning to San Angelo Tuesday with Mrs. Bill Steward.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burson of McGregor visited last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Drury Estes. Mrs. Estes is on the sick list. Sunday afternoon callers in the Estes home were Mrs. Rosa Belle Heilman, Mrs. Hyatt Moore and Mrs. Matt Estes.

Among the pastoral calls of the Rev. Carl Elder was a call to see Mrs. J. C. Ferguson.

Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Heilman and Belva were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Harms and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Heilman of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mueller of Austin, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. Brusenhan, Sr., visited Sunday in Walnut Springs with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brusenhan and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Featherston. The Brusenhans remained to visit this week with their son and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes, Mrs. Claud Box and Mrs. Ray Caldwell attended funeral services at Shields Sunday afternoon for Mrs. C. E. Evans.

The group also attended the 50th anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Livingston in Coleman. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. J. C. King, Mrs. John Kemp and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson.

MRS. BRYAN LEADS BIBLE STUDY

The Woman's Missionary Society met at the Rockwood Baptist Church Monday afternoon in Bible Study, directed by Mrs. Bill Bryan. Those attending were Mmes. F. E. McCreary, Goldie Milberger, Bryan Hodges, Matt Estes, Ray Caldwell, Boss Estes, Ray Steward, Evan Wise and Bill Bryan.

The W. M. S. will meet with Mrs. Dick Deal Monday, October 4th, at 2 p. m. in their monthly social.

MRS. BLAKE WILLIAMS HOSTESS TO W. S. C. S.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Rockwood Methodist Church held the

regular social meeting at the home of Mrs. Blake Williams Monday afternoon. Mrs. Williams directed some interesting games and secret pal gifts were exchanged.

The hostess served Ritz Cracker sandwiches, cookies and

punch to Mmes. Leffel Estes, Bob Johnson, A. L. Crutcher, J. T. Avants, Cecil Day, James Sluder, Tom Bryan, John Hunter, Veoma Jackson, Fox Johnson, M. A. Richardson, Aubrey McSwane, Harold Straughan and Sherry and Susie Day.



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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Slugger Wins the "Home" Game

Slugger White, the home town's star hitter, dropped by the other day to talk baseball, and to "tell one" on himself.

Seems Slugger had been baby-sitting. "I was doing just fine," he said, "until it was time for a 'change.' I called Mom for advice. Still didn't get it right. Then Dad set me straight."

"Place the diaper like a baseball diamond with you at bat," he said. "Fold second base over home plate, and pin first and third base on home plate." That did it—with no errors!"

From where I sit, Slugger's Dad had the idea. Often, like his Mom, a lot of us tend to give advice in our terms without considering the other fellow's way of doing things. Even in choosing your favorite beverage, it's best to think of your neighbor. If you like tea, and I prefer a temperate glass of beer, we should both "play the game" and try to understand each other's point of view.

Joe Marsh

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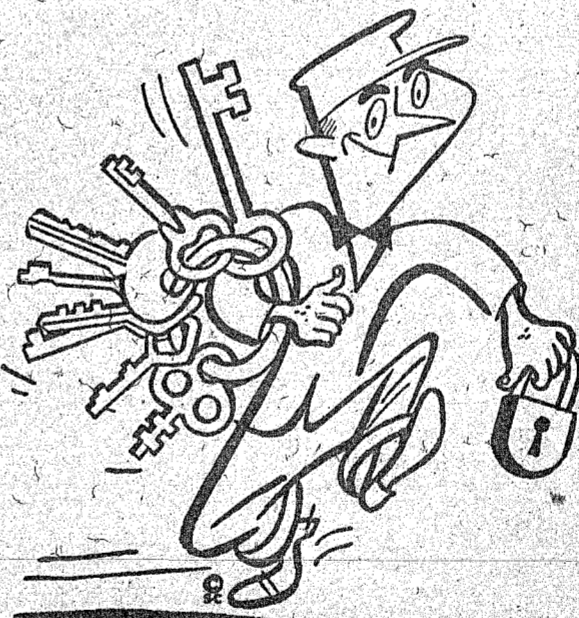
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Whon News

By MRS. TOM RUTHERFORD



WHON, TEXAS

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There were no church services at the Baptist Church Sunday. Rev. Haynes will be here this coming Sunday for services at the church. Rev. Jennings preached at the Nazarene Church Sunday. We welcomed Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy, Mrs. Zona Stacy and Mrs. Gene James and Cheryl from Trickham in the services Sunday night. Also all the others from this community. Your presence is always acknowledged and welcomed in the church services here.

Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Gill and Thomas Switzer were in Clifton several days attending the show and sale there. The Gill Ranch entered cattle there, returning

home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Maness of Brownwood, spent Saturday night on the river. They visited the girl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson of Rockwood Sunday afternoon.

Hilton Sherrod of Abilene, spent the week end with his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson. Mrs. Sherrod is visiting her parents in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. George Renfro of San Angelo and his sister, Mrs. Lela Hazlewood of Dallas, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Babe Gardainer. Mrs. Hazlewood plans to return one day this week for a few days visit with the Gardainers before returning to Dallas.

Patsy June Rutherford of Abilene spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford.

Mrs. Leon Leonard and girls and Mrs. Leonard's brother of Colorado City, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shields and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford visited in the Dick Deal home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gill and Jimmy, Mr. Earl Gill of Brownwood, visited in the ranch Sunday with Lt. and Mrs. Roy Eng-

land and children. If the England family didn't leave for California today (Monday) they will leave soon, where they will live until March.

Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson attended the Memorial services for Mrs. Evans at Shields Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Black of Brownwood spent one day last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carter and Leon.

Sammie Shields attended a

singing in Brownwood Sunday afternoon, also visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jennings. The two visited my grandmother, Mrs. Annie Smith, whose condition is very poorly.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Deal of Floydada, visited during the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal and family.

Mr. Joe Christl Barnes, who has employment near Lubbock, spent the week end with his family here, returning to Lub-

bock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lovelady visited in the Tom Rutherford home briefly Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ed Stearns and children and Mrs. Key Bradley and daughters of Trickham visited with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lovelady during the day Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Switzer and son visited several days last week with her parents in Brady.

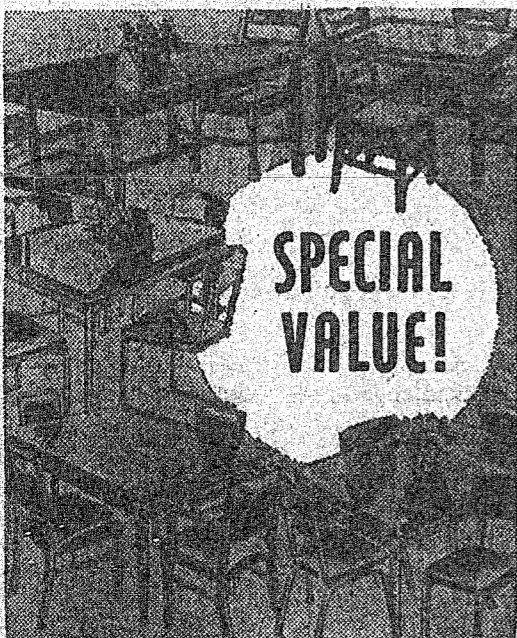
Attend Church Regularly

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Curry left for Lubbock Wednesday for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Jack Ogle and family. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mills accompanied them to Lubbock and went on to Tatum, New Mexico, for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Harold White and Mr. White.

Mrs. Bessie Bowers of Rising Star, visited Monday and Tuesday with her brother, Joe Cochran and wife.

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BEEF AND CHEESE—OCTOBER'S PLENTIFULS

College Station — Beef and cheese take the spotlight on the U. S. Department of Agriculture's October plentiful foods list.

Here's why, says U. S. D. A. Cattle slaughter is running ahead of last year's all time high and stocks of cheddar cheese are the largest in history.

With supplies of these two essential commodities so large, prices should be attractive enough to push consumption to the highest peaks ever reached, believes John J. Slaughter of the Agricultural Marketing Service.

Stocks of many foods which were heavy a month ago have increased, and still are listed as plentiful. These include: broilers and fryers, chicken hens and turkeys, milk and dairy products, rice, salad oils and vegetable shortenings.

We have been emphasizing medium and small eggs, but now all eggs are plentiful and seasonally cheap, says Slaughter. Also, there are two newcomers to October's list, shrimp and frozen



COTTON PRICE OUTLOOK

Cotton growing is always a gamble. But if the Texas farmer can afford to gamble a little more than usual this fall, then he may find the odds for getting a good price are better now than anytime since 1950.

Drouth and limited cotton acreages have cut 1954 production prospects down below the amount expected to be used by domestic and export consumers. As a result, cotton farmers may find they have a "seller's market" for the first time in four years. This could be especially true of better grade cotton.

Domestic and export demand for cotton is expected to exceed the predicted 1954 crop by nearly 2 million bales. Total U. S. production is forecast at about 11,832,000 bales. Consumption is predicted at 13,700,000. If this holds true, then textile mills may have to buy from Commodity Credit Corporation reserves to meet their needs.

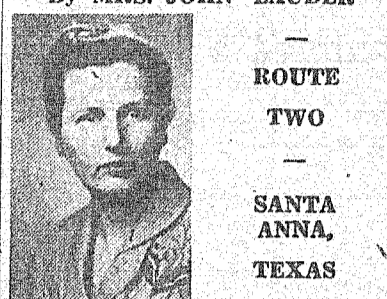
A farmer with a new crop of cotton has a more desirable product than this stored surplus. Furthermore, the interest and storage charges on CCC reserves should tend to make manufacturers seek out the new crop first.

The spread between this year's crop and the expected demand may become even wider. Texas production on Sept. 1, was estimated at 4,317,000 bales compared to 4,317,000 last year. But the drouth is deteriorating dry land rapidly and this figure is already out of date. There is no accurate way of estimating just how much less the crop will be.

In such a situation, cotton prices could ordinarily be expected to firm up to between 38 and 40 cents before the year is out. The dollar wise farmer, then, should seek out the very best market for his cotton and not be over anxious to sell too quickly unless it is really necessary.

Mr. and Mrs. Montie Guthrie and Les, her mother Mrs. A. F. Barnett and Mrs. Thomas Wristen and Lin went to San Antonio Sunday, where they met other members of the family. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Vaughn and son of Kingsville. All had dinner together in Brackenridge Park. All had a pleasant time, especially the three boys.

Buffalo News
By MRS. JOHN LAUDER



ROUTE TWO SANTA ANNA, TEXAS

Mrs. Garland Powell visited Mrs. W. R. Brown Monday morning.

Mrs. Leona Graves and Mrs. Fannie Curry of Bangs, visited Mrs. W. J. Curry Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. D. Dacy visited Mrs. Garland Powell Monday afternoon.

Mrs. A. N. Lovelace visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. W. J. Curry.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Powell visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Curry Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Curry and Harvey Ray and Danny visited Mr. and Mrs. David Alley, Connie Sue and Malinda Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. David Alley visited Mr. and Mrs. Garland Powell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Grimes spent Thursday at Melvin, visiting with Mrs. Grimes' sister, Mrs. B. F. Baker.

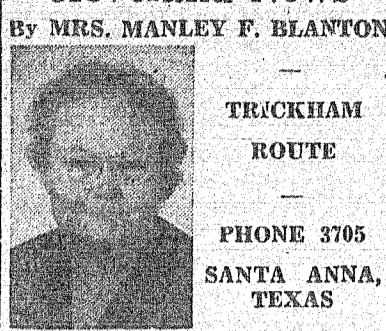
Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Curry and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Curry Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Gaines of Coleman and Mrs. Jack Chapman, Linda and Larry of Abilene made a short visit Friday afternoon in the John Lauder home. Larry spent the remainder of the week with the Lauders.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Curry and Jerry of Sweetwater visited over the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Curry. Mrs. Curry accompanied them back to Sweetwater on Sunday afternoon for a weeks visit there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lauder visited Saturday afternoon in the W. J. Curry home. Johnnie Curry, who is stationed at Ft. Monmouth, N. J.,

Cleveland News
By MRS. MANLEY F. BLANTON



TRUCKHAM ROUTE PHONE 3705 SANTA ANNA, TEXAS

Mrs. Elmer Cupps was called to Austin on Tuesday on account of the serious illness of her son-in-law, Mr. Emmett Terry. At this time Mr. Terry is feeling some better.

Mrs. Manley Blanton visited Wednesday morning with Mrs. C. T. Moore.

has been ill and in the hospital for the past two weeks. Rev. and Mrs. Charles Grimes of Brady visited Saturday in the John Lauder home.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Brannon visited Sunday in Coleman with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Armstrong. Mrs. Will Mills of Bangs is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lauder attended the Graves, Belvin and Fry cousins reunion at Brownwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lauder visited Sunday afternoon in the E. D. Bouchillon home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bouchillon, Willie Paul and Lonnie visited late Monday afternoon in the John Lauder home.

Mrs. Winnie McQueen and son, Delbert and Maxie Lee Price were callers in the D. Bouchillon home Monday evening.

Johnnie Ray Brookes, Gary Floyd spent Sunday with Larry Millender.

Mrs. Junior Henderson visited with Mrs. Joe C. Brookes the past week. Junior Henderson was home with his family over the week end from his work at Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Woods of Brooksmith visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Drisco Woods. Erlene Woods went home with them to spend the week end.

Those visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps Thursday night were Mrs. Jean Starnes of Brownwood, Mr. E. R. Cupps and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams.

Mrs. Drisco Woods visited last Tuesday with Mrs. C. V. Drennan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Banta of Coleman visited last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps.

Mr. and Mrs. Drisco Woods left Saturday morning for a visit with Mrs. Pinkie Woods at Streeter and they went on to Pearsol, Texas, to visit Mr. Bill Petty, a brother of Mrs. Woods, returning home late Sunday.

Jerry and Sandra Herring of Grand Prairie visited with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Herring over the week end.

LAST SUNDAY NIGHT SERVICES DISMISSED AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Night services at the First Christian Church were dismissed last Sunday and a large number of the members attended services at the First Christian Church in Brownwood, where the pastor of several years, Rev. Phil Runner, was preaching his last sermon. He and family will be leaving this week for Denver, Colo., where he has accepted the pastorate of a large Christian Church.

Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Cheatham of Millersview, visited on Wednesday of last week with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Bengé and family.

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As a church we are not organized as to theology. Our organizations are purely for the purpose of handling business and administrative affairs. As a body we are fairly well agreed in our belief in fundamentals of the Holy Scriptures. But we have no regular ritual, nor any established human creeds. The teaching of Christ and the apostles are expressed in the New Testament are accepted by us as the only creed to which we can subscribe.

We believe that all human creeds are without divine approval and therefore, destructive to the cause of Christ. We hold that God has but one true church and that every Christian is a member of that church. Therefore, all who are Christians are members of the same Church of which we are members.

We believe that creeds, "church joining systems" and denominations are of human origin, that they divide and confuse God's people, and that God is calling his people out of them into one glorious body. We believe salvation is the door to the Church, and that Christ is the door to salvation.

"Now therefore, ye are no more strangers and foreigners, but fellow-citizens with the saints, and of the household of God; and are built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief corner stone; in whom all the buildings fitly framed together groweth unto an holy temple in the Lord: in whom ye also are builded together for an habitation of God through the Spirit." (Eph. 2:19-22).

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Farmers Home Administration Loan Program Explained By Fisher

Representative O. C. Fisher said today that farmers in the 21st District can obtain a wide variety of operating loans from the Farmers Home Administration. Full details on the loans had been obtained, he said, from officials of the agency. The credit is available immediately and can be used to finance current living and operating expenses as well as the production costs of next year's crops.

The loans fall into three general categories, Representative Fisher said, emergency loans, special livestock loans, and regular production and subsistence loans. The production and subsistence loans are made only to operators of family-type farms. The emergency and livestock loans are made to operators of family-type farms and other farmers and ranchers as well. All of the loans are made only to farmers who are unable to obtain credit from other sources.

The regular production and subsistence loans help small farmers to improve their farming operations. These loans may be made to buy farm and home equipment, feed, seed, lime and fertilizer, and to pay other farm operating and family living expenses.

There is a statutory limit of \$7,000 on each production and subsistence loan and the total outstanding debt for these loans cannot exceed \$10,000. Repayments are based on the income to be received each year after reasonable expenses are met. In no case may the loan run for more than 7 years.

When the main purpose of the production and subsistence loan is to improve the farmer's operation, a limited amount of funds may be included to refinance debts secured by liens on livestock and farm equipment.

Special livestock loans are made to producers and feeders of cattle, sheep, and goats, except commercial feed lot operators. These loans are made to meet usual expenses necessary to successful livestock operations, such as the purchase or production of feed, and replacing, hiring, or repairing farm machinery and equipment. Livestock loans are not made to ex-

pand operations or to pay existing debts, except incidental current bills.

Livestock loans are made for periods up to 3 years. Any balance remaining on these loans after the 3 years are serviced for collection based on the repayment ability of the borrower. Other creditors are not asked to subordinate their liens, but are expected to stand by and to agree that a reasonable part of the applicant's normal income from livestock can be used in repaying the loan.

Emergency loans are made to farmers and ranchers who because of losses suffered from the drought or local economic conditions need credit to continue their operations.

These loans may be used for purchase of feed, seed, fertilizer, machinery repair, replacement of equipment, and for other essential farm and home operating expenses. Emergency loans may not be made to pay existing debts. Ordinarily emergency loans to meet current operating and living expenses are expected to be repaid out of the year's income. Repayments on advances for other purposes are scheduled in accordance with the borrower's ability to pay.

It is not the policy of the Farmers Home Administration to foreclose on borrowers because of their inability to make payments when the payments are due, except where there appears to be absolutely no chance of the borrower's future success or where a borrower has violated the terms of his loan agreement.

There is no limit set by law on the amount that a farmer or rancher can borrow under the

special livestock and emergency loan programs. The amount that can be borrowed under these programs is determined by the farmer's needs and his ability to repay. No loan is made unless it appears that an applicant has reasonable prospects for success.

For each loan, the Government obtains the best security available including a first lien on all crops to be produced with the loan and on all livestock and farm machinery purchased with the loan.

While special livestock and emergency loans cannot be used to refinance existing debts the loans include funds to pay interest on existing chattel and real estate debts and to pay creditors for the annual depreciation on chattels serving as security for their loans. In addition, local businessmen who are creditors benefit from loan funds used to purchase local supplies and services.

The county committee of the Farmers Home Administration pass on the eligibility of all applicants.

All applications for Farmers Home Administration loans are made at the agency's local county office. These offices are located at: Fredericksburg, Kerrville, San Angelo, Brady, Del Rio, Coleman, Lampasas, Brownwood, San Saba and Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cash and son, Lynn, of Texarkana, came last Friday on a week's vacation visit with her mother, Mrs. Ora Hunter. They will also visit in San Antonio and Austin before returning home. Harper Hunter of Midland was also a week end visitor with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bartlett of Mercury, have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rouse, recently.

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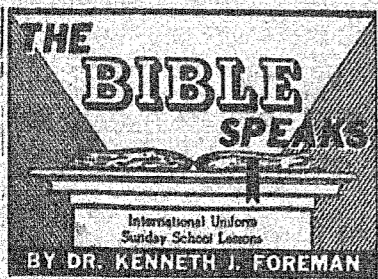
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Devotional Reading: Romans 8:33-39.

Man's Eternal 'Why'

Lesson for October 3, 1954

DURING the next three months the Sunday school lessons in the "uniform" series dealt with in this column, are drawn from the wisdom and the worship of the ancient Hebrews, as found in those four not too well known books, Job, Proverbs, Psalms and Ecclesiastes. Parts of all but the first of these are known by heart everywhere, but much of them is unfamiliar territory. It would be a good idea during these three months to read these four books from start to finish. An average of two and a half chapters a day would do it. Why not?



Dr. Foreman

More Questions Than Answers
It is a sort of well-worn saying of preachers that the Bible has the answers to life's questions. But there is one book in the Bible that has more questions than answers: the book of Job. It is one of the greatest books in the world, and it will always appeal to men everywhere, because it puts in a powerful way the very questions that the best people ask. Job himself was one of these "best people." He is called "blameless and upright, one who feared God and turned away from evil." God even speaks of him with some pride. But Job did not have all the answers, though he had most of the questions. His best friends thought, and no doubt he himself used to think, that suffering is always a sign that God is punishing the sufferer. This idea is still a common one. But Job felt there must be something wrong with it, for he felt a victim to disasters he would not have wished on his worst enemy. He lost his fortune (which was in cattle), his workmen, and his family, all within a few days, and finally he lost his health.

His friends thought they understood this. Suffering, they thought, was a sure sign of sin, so Job must have been a great sinner, in his intentions at least. But Job knew better. He knew he had not been a great sinner: So he raised the great "WHY?" that men before him and after him have raised. Why does God let good people suffer?

"But There Is No Justice"

It is not the mere painfulness of the world that weighs on us. It is the apparent unfairness of things. Pain and affliction that is "coming to" people does not bother our minds much, not even when it hits us ourselves. If you have a toothache and you know it is because you have indulged in too much candy and soft foods, you may cry about the toothache but you know, all the same, that you have nothing to cry about. You had it coming. If a cruel and murderous kidnapper dies in the gas chamber you do not feel greatly upset about it. You may even feel that no legal punishment can hurt him as much as he has hurt others. But if a good friend of yours dies of cancer, you do feel keen distress, because you cannot believe that your friend has earned such pain. And if you lift your eyes and look out over the world, especially if you know something about history, you will see so much frustration of the good, so much prospering of evil, down through the centuries, that you wonder sometimes how men can believe there is a God.

"I Seek . . . But I Cannot See"

If the woes of the world give us slight concern, selfish as we are by nature, we do wake up when trouble walks through our own doors. There must have been a good many people in trouble whom Job had known, but it took his own calamities to jolt him awake. We gather from his friends' remarks that he could speak cheerfully to those in distress, but when he was in trouble, he sang a sadder tune. Just when he needed most to talk with God, God did not seem to be anywhere near. The world is a puzzle to every man, but the good man, the believer in God, can sometimes be more puzzled by it than any one else. Because the believer feels that the world ought not to be like this, he is all the more distressed by what he sees. The better he is, the more he believes in God, the more distressed he is. It was Job who asked the terrible questions, not his weakly pious friends. Yet — Job did not "fold his hands and acquiesce."

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Trickham News

BY EDNA R. DEAN

Sunday school and both church services were well attended Sunday. Brother Bill Rustenhaven, the Presbyterian pastor, brought two excellent sermons. Bro. Bill Rustenhaven is a student at the Texas University now. He was dinner guest of Lou and John Featherston, visited and supper guest in the Bond Featherston home. We had visitors from Stanton, Bangs, Brooksmith, Abilene, Tolar, Coleman and Mt. View with us Sunday. We always appreciate our visitors and hope they will come back.

Visitors with Mrs. R. S. Stearns last week were: Mrs. Harry Wilson, Mrs. Ike Vaughn and Miss Nancy Jo Haynes of Abilene.

Among the visitors in the Lewis Burney home during the past week was his nephew, Bill Burney, son of Evans Burney of Denver, Colorado. Bill is on his way to Venezuela, South America, as an engineer for an oil company. Other visitors were: Mr. and Mrs. George Wells of Santa Anna, Rev. and Mrs. Loyd Coker of Mt. View, Bernice McIver of Trickham, Pat McClatchey of Tolar, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bowden, H. B. Dockery of Trickham, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jennings of Cleveland.

Mr. Paul Pembroke and son, Bobby McClure of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dockery and

boys of Trickham, visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Stearns Sunday afternoon.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Martin Saturday night were: Bro. Bill Rustenhaven of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin and Sherry and Mr. and Mrs. Hill all of Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster attended the Golden Wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Livingston of Coleman Sunday afternoon.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. (Malcolm) Wilson of the Mt. View community are having open house Sunday, October 10 from 1 to 5 p. m. at the Wilson home, celebrating the 50th Wedding Anniversary of their parents. No gifts. There will be a short program each hour. The Wilson home is east of Trickham on Farm Road 586. There will be a sign "W. M. Wilson Farm" on the lane gate. Everyone is invited to come.

Misses Peggy Ford of Abilene and Ima Jean Price of Stanton were week end visitors with Mr.

and Mrs. Marion Ford and girls. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Craig visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Powell of Bangs.

Visiting with Lou and John Featherston last week were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boatright of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laughlin and Jackie visited in the Laughlin home Sunday.

Brief visitors in to see Mrs. Kingston last week were: Mrs. Bill Vaughn, Mrs. Key Bradley, Mrs. Marion Ford, Mrs. Walter Stacy, Mrs. Zona Stacy, Mrs. Ed Jones, Mrs. Gene James and the Paul Jennings family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chelo James, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. James and Misses Peggy Ford, Ima Jean Price, Martha Priddy, Lea and Betty Mitchell and Wanda James attended the Howard Payne football game in Brownwood Saturday night.

Mrs. Joe Haynes of Fort Worth visited in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McClatchey

of Coleman visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge McClatchey, Sr., and Joel Sunday.

I am very happy to report that Mr. Marion Whitley is now able to be at home after being in the Memorial Hospital in Brownwood the past two weeks. Visiting with the Whitleys Sunday afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Laughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver and children, all of Trickham, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Hill and Mrs. Julian Whitley and children, all of Santa Anna.

Visiting with Judy Ford Sunday afternoon were Misses Betty and Wanda Stephens, Nita Coker and Juanita Cupps.

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin McIver and Sherrie visited in the Brownwood hospital Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Jack Reed, who had undergone surgery on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bond Featherston visited Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lindley of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy,

Mrs. Gene James and Sheryl and Mrs. Zona Stacy visited in the Old Folks Home in Coleman Sunday evening. Also attending the singing at the Rodeo Recreation Hall in Coleman.

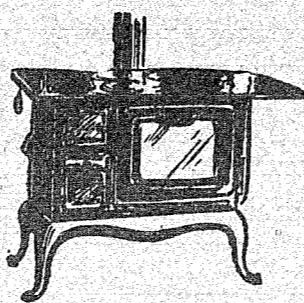
Visiting in the Grady McIver home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver and Billy Don Haynes.

Sherman Stearns visited Sunday with Jerry Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster and Robert Earl visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Craig.

Miss Nancy Jo Haynes visited in the Glenn Haynes home the past week.

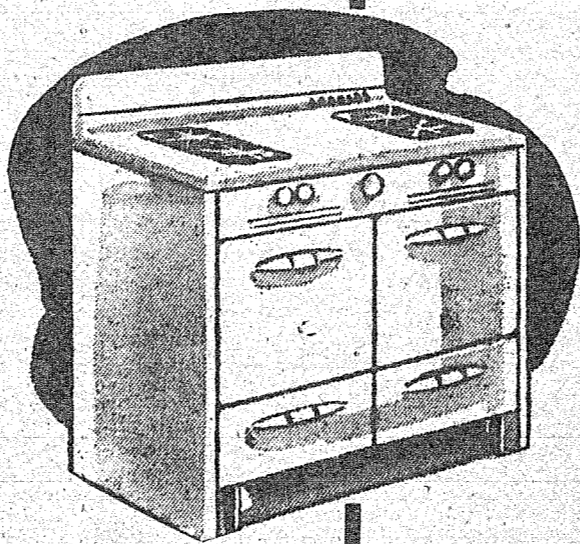
Pat McClatchey, one of the best young ministers of the present day, will be entering the service of his country Saturday October 2 as a chaplain. He will go to Lackland Air Force Base for some months training before being assigned his permanent work. Pat, we will all miss you and are wishing the very best for you in your new work.



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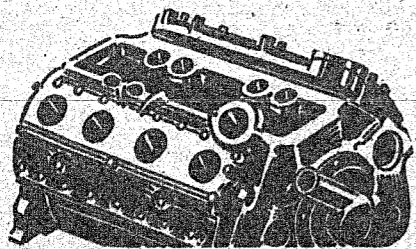
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G. O. Welch's Observe Golden Wedding Anniversary Sept 19

On Sunday, September 19, from 2 until 6 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Welch of Route One, Bangs, were honored by their children and grandchildren with an open house in honor of their Golden

Wedding Anniversary. Welcoming guests in the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Welch, their daughters, Mrs. W. B. Allison of Brownwood, Maurine Corder of Coleman and Mrs. J. G. Haynes of Tomball.

Mrs. Jimmie Roy Millsap a granddaughter, registered guests in a white leather album, with "Our Golden Anniversary, Gilford and Maggie", inlaid on the cover in gold.

The register table had an arrangement of yellow and gold gladioli.

The table, laid with lace over yellow mums and daisies on a square foundation, sprayed with gold. Wide white satin streamers with "Golden Wedding" in gold laid on the table.

Mrs. Cecil Johnson, granddaughter, served the three-tiered white cake, topped with a wreath of gold leaves and gold roses in clusters. Mrs. Joy Allison Smith, granddaughter, served golden punch from a crystal bowl.

Commie Joe Haynes, granddaughter, placed golden wedding bells and white napkins with Gilford and Maggie printed in gold on crystal plates.

Mrs. Duane Carleton, granddaughter, assisted in the serving.

Mrs. Fred McCormick, sister of Mr. Welch, directed the guests through the gift rooms. Others assisting in the house party were Mrs. Claude Hunter, niece of Mrs. Welch and Mrs. John Geer, a sister-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Welch were mar-

ried in Ellis County on September 18, 1904. They have lived in Brown and Coleman Counties for 45 years.

Before her marriage, Mrs. Welch was Maggie Geer. They have three daughters living and one daughter deceased, Mrs. L. R. (Zelda) Carleton. They have 12 grandchildren, three great grandchildren. All were present for the occasion.

W. M. Wilsons To Observe Golden Wedding Oct. 10th

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wilson, who live 12 miles south of Bangs on the Farm-to-Market road No. 586, will hold Open House Sunday, October 10, from 1 to 5 p. m. in observance of their 50th Wedding Anniversary. Mrs. Wilson was Addie Medley before their marriage, October 16, 1904. They were married in the home of Mrs. Wilson's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Henderson in Trichham with Rev. J. R. McCorkle the officiating minister. The couple lived in Coleman County until 1913 when they bought the farm they now live on.

The couple's children, who will act as hosts for the Open House, are: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Allen La-Cour of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. John Speich of Blanket, and a foster daughter, Mrs. Joe Sharp and her husband of San Angelo.

All friends and relatives are invited to call between the hours and the couple asked that friends just come and visit and no gifts.

Hill - Welch Vows Exchanged Aug. 25

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hill have returned to Santa Anna after several weeks spent mostly at Pasadena, Texas.

They were married there on August 25, at the Assembly of God Church, with the pastor, Rev. J. R. Goodman, officiating.

The bride is the former Mrs. Hannah Welch of Santa Anna.

The groom's daughter, Mrs. Jack Mayfield of Pasadena, was present for the ceremony and members of the ministers family. In Pasadena they stayed in Mrs. Mayfield's home.

After their marriage the newlyweds did some interesting sight-seeing. Mrs. J. C. Carruthers, another daughter of Mr. Hill, came from Port Arthur and took them there and into Louisiana, where they crossed the longest bridge in the state, thus passing over a large body of water. Elsewhere they went through a tunnel, under the water and at Galveston, they rode in a boat on the water. All was much enjoyed. The newlyweds are now at home in the home of the bride on South 5th street.

Self Culture Club Continues Study At Regular Meeting

The Self Culture Club met in regular session Friday afternoon, Sept 24th in the home of Mrs. Burl Sparkman. Mrs. L. E. Abernathy greeted the guests.

Several arrangements of queen's wreath, decorated the large living room. Mrs. J. C. Matthews, president, was in charge.

Routine business was attended to and plans made for raising funds.

The second program in the series on "An Immigrant Nation" was given. The Indian, Americas Aborigines, was the topic.

Mrs. Norval Wylie, program chairman, introduced the program participants. Mrs. J. L. Harris discussed "Indians as Portrayed in Art"; Mrs. Nona Woodruff told of "Indian Music" and played "By the Waters of Minnetonka" and "Red Wing" on the piano.

Well known Americans of Indian descent, was Miss Nancy Wylie's topic. This closed the

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very interesting program. Following the program, the hostess served a variety of bottled cold drinks.

The next meeting, on October 5th, will be held at the City Library. Miss Eudora Hawkins of Abilene will be present and she will speak on "Our Immigration Laws, Past and Present," and there will be a panel discussion on "Americanization".

Others present besides those mentioned above were: Mrs. C. L. Eeds, Mrs. Hardy Blue, Mrs. Preston Bailey, Mrs. Charlie Evans, Mrs. R. C. Gay, Mrs. J. F. Goen, Mrs. J. H. Martin, Mrs. A. L. Oder and Misses Dora Kirkpatrick and Alta Lovelady.

THE TERRY SANDERS BACK FROM THE PHILIPPINES

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes arrived home Saturday, from a three weeks trip to the west coast. At San Francisco they met their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Sanders and sons, Terry, Jr., and Christie Barnes. They arrived on the President Cleveland, from Manila, P. I., where he had served for two years as U. S. Consul.

It was the first time the Barnes had seen the grandson, 20-months old Christie Barnes, who was born in Manila.

The Sanders returned home with the Barnes for a stay of several weeks.

On Monday Mr. Sanders left for Washington, to make his reports.

MRS. B. M. MCCAIN FETED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. B. M. McCain had a number of the members of her family with her on Saturday, to observe her 80th birthday and her 62nd wedding anniversary. A buffet dinner was served which included a birthday cake with no candles, at the honorees request.

Those present besides Mrs. McCain and Louie, were Major and Mrs. H. A. Mooney and their four children of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Murray McCain and two children of Rankin; Stanton McCain, a grandson, of Kerrville, and Betty Clair McCain, a granddaughter, of Barstow; Harry McCain of Amarillo, phoned Sunday and introduced his new wife to Mrs. McCain and Louie and said they would come later. Mrs. W. J. Stephenson of La Porte, came Monday for a visit in the McCain home.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Members of the Santa Anna PTA and others interested, are reminded of the regular meeting, to be held on Tuesday afternoon, October 5th, in the cafeteria of the Elementary school building.

FRIENDS ENJOY QUILTING PARTY

A group of friends enjoyed a quilting party, in the home of Mrs. Lucie Daniel on Thursday of last week. It was a pleasant "stitch and chatter" affair. The large quilt in fan design, with green scallops, was pieced by Mrs. Daniel, and is a gift to her son, James.

A big old time quilting dinner was served at noon, which included a big roast, a variety of vegetables, relishes, a tossed salad, a five layer white cake, pineapple cobbler and plenty of coffee and iced tea.

BIRTHDAY CLUB HAS SUPPER


The Birthday Club, composed of a group of friends, met Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ferguson. Those having birthdays in September were honored.

They were: T. H. Upton, Walter Ferguson, Mrs. Neely Evans, Lester Newman, Mrs. John Brown and Miss Lilly Hosch.

Others present were Mrs. Upton, Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. Newman, and Neely Evans. A covered dish supper was served at 7 o'clock, which consisted of chicken and dressing, salads, a variety of vegetables, cake, ice cream and iced tea.

Games of "42" were played and conversation provided a part of the entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones of Dallas, visited several days last week with his brother, Edd Jones and wife. All made a trip to San Angelo and visited at Ft. Concho. They also visited their sister, Mrs. J. B. Hambricht and family at Talpa. Their son, John Wesley Hambricht had just returned home from four years service in the Air Corps. On Saturday Mrs. Coe Cross of Coleman brought her mother, Mrs. E. W. Marshall, formerly of Santa Anna, to the Jones' home and she returned to her home in Dallas with the Sam Jones.



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FREE PRESS PRESERVED BY CONSTITUTION, COURTS

With October 1 to 8 being observed this year as National Newspaper Week, public attention is focused upon the important part which a fully informed, free and uncensored press plays in all our lives. At the same time we should remember that freedom of the press is no accident in this country. It is provided for in our federal Constitution and jealously protected by the courts, along with the other guarantees of our Bill of Rights.

The right of freedom of the press is secured by the first amendment to the Federal Constitution, which says, "Congress shall make no law . . . abridging the freedom of . . . the press." The Constitution of the several states likewise contain similar guarantees.

Why did the farmers of New England, the planters of the South and the small storekeepers of Philadelphia, New York, and Boston insist some 160 years ago that the original Constitution be amended so that the people would be specifically guaranteed freedom of the press?

It was because the founders of our country had an abiding faith that enlightened citizens could be trusted with the job of governing themselves. If they could have an unfettered opportunity to read the history and to learn the lessons of the past, to understand the never-ending clash of ideas, to read about what forces are alive in the world, to check on their government as to its activities, its successes, its failures and its abuses, and to write and speak unimpeded — then they could not be made slaves.

The framers of the Constitution believed that freedom of the press would aid in enlightening the people. The competition of ideas would point out the choices of the people. With this freedom, they could decide their own problems better, with more resulting happiness to themselves, their families and their communities. The men who wrote the Constitution knew intimately of those countries across the seas whose governments controlled though, censored information and made political, economic and religious decisions for their subjects. They believed in the principle of competition and the value of permitting every citizen to develop himself to the limits of his abilities, and they insist that this right of freedom of the press be recognized by the fundamental law of the land.

Of course, all rights entail correlative obligations and duties. Freedom of the press is not unlimited. It does not permit license, libel, violation of the law nor interference with the orderly running of the government.

With but a few insignificant exceptions, the press of the free world has admirably justified the faith of the philosophy of the framers of the Constitution. Throughout the Western Hemisphere and in the free countries of the Old World, the "fourth estate" has fearlessly accepted its responsibility and has aided in preserving freedom and in checking tyranny and dictatorship.

The press has been able to continue performing its important functions in this country mainly because ours is a government of laws, rather than a government of men. Our constitutional guarantees, protected by the best judicial system in the world, insure that no dictator shall here suppress the free flow of news as is the habit in some less fortunate countries.

(This column, based on Federal law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts because the facts may change the application of the law.)

Mrs. L. O. Garrett became a patient at the Santa Anna Hospital last Friday and was moved to her home on Tuesday, and is about all right now.

Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Wylie visited several days last week with their daughter, Mrs. A. P. Petree and family in Abilene.

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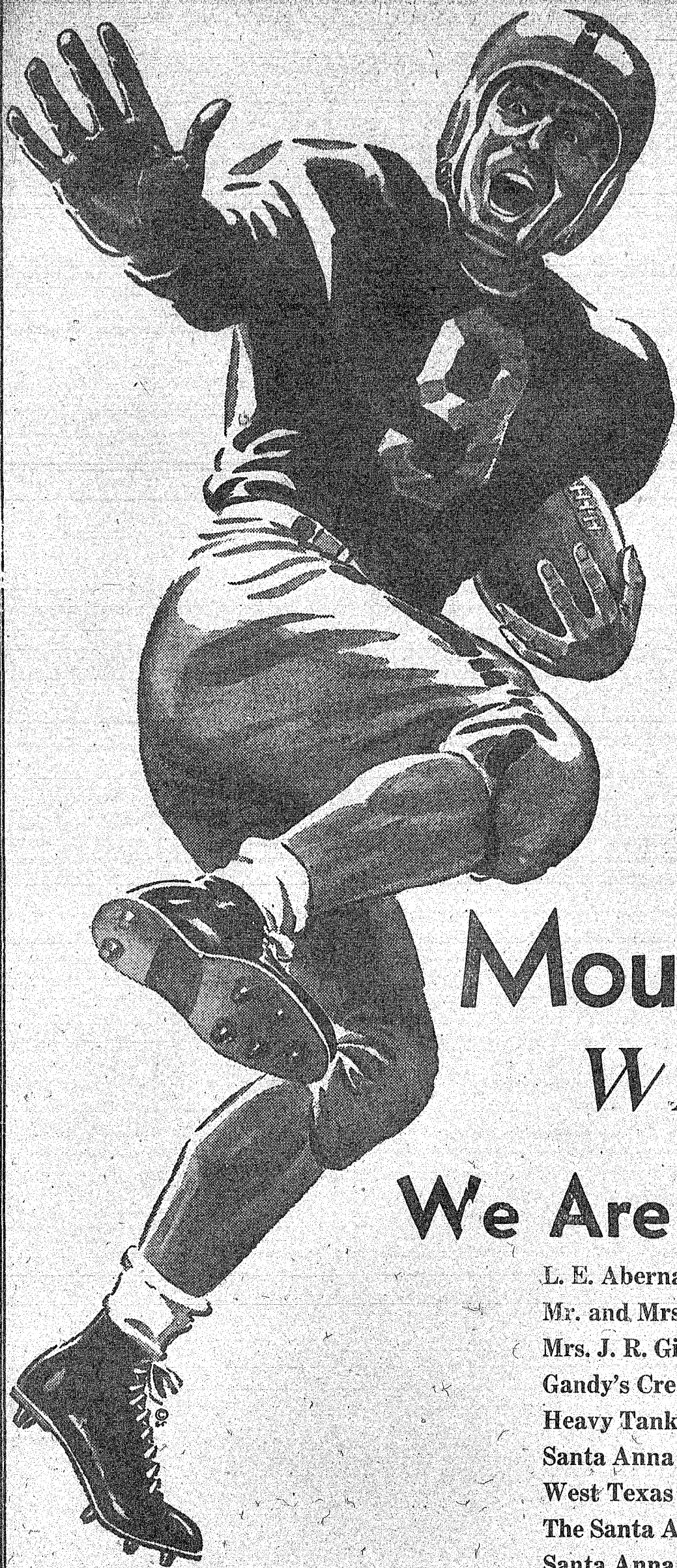
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29	Danny Johnson	LT	190
28	Doyle McIver	LG	195
49	Leroy Pollock	C	235
36	Clyde Windham	RG	160
34	Dwan Cozart	RT	180
33	Kenneth Henderson	RE	150
20	O. E. Smith	QB	120
45	Hollis Bible	LH	135
46	Daniel Gilbert	RH	155
25	Kenneth Herring	FB	125
44	James R. Allen	B	155
26	Jerry Scarborough	G	125
23	Donnie Clifton	E	125
37	Donald R. Owen	C	140
38	William Bradley	T	145
40	David Wells	T	150
41	Jesse Haynes	G	155
43	Wess Wise	B	145
	Brandon, Bill	T	145
	Donham, Larry	B 105	130
	Haynes, Roy	B 130	130
	Haynes, Lyndon	G 115	185
	Ransburger, Bobby	T 185	185
	Bivins, Duane	E 125	165
	James, Grady	T 165	165
	Ferry, Robert	E 110	110
	Fellers, Donald	B 110	110
	White, Eugene	B 105	165
	Millender, Larry	T 165	165
	Densman, Bobby	B 110	130
	Taylor, Ottis	E 130	130
	Fleming, Charlie	E 125	135
	Torres, Joe	B 135	135
	Wagner, Fh	E 100	145
	Brown, Maynard	C 145	145
	McClure, Bobby	T 155	130
	Hipsher, Edwin	B 130	130

COACHES: D. W. Behrens and James Pollard

Tame Those Wildcats

Delta Omicron Sorority Party

The fall rush party for the Delta Omicron Sorority was held Monday night, September 27, at 6 p. m. at the Ranger Park.

Hostesses for a wiener roast and games at the park building were: Lera Guthrie and Billie Guthrie, Potato salad, potato chips, beans, onions, pickles, cake and all the trimmings were served.

Members present were: Lera Guthrie, Billie Guthrie, Dilly Dockery, Patricia Davis, Sammie McCreary, Ione, Caton, Ruby Markland, Sandra Shields and Coyita Bowker.

Rushes attending were: Lea Mitchell, Gaye Turner, Kathleen Mitchell and Charlotte Moseley.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON-SERMON

The infinite aliness of God, good, and the consequent unreality of sickness and discord will be stressed at Christian Science services Sunday.

Readings from the King James Version of the Bible and correlative passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy comprise the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Unreality."

That real dominion and power are derived from God is brought out in the Scriptural passages to be read, including the following statement by Paul II Timothy 1: 7: "For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind."

From Science and Health the following selections will be among those read (414:21-23): "The Scripture declares, 'The Lord He is God (good); there is none else beside Him.' Even so, harmony is universal, and discord is unreal."

The Golden Text is from Matthew (7:18,19): "A good tree cannot bring forth evil fruit, neither can a corrupt tree bring forth good fruit. Every tree that bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire."

Council Urges Beef-Vegetable Diet

Fort Worth — Beef stew is suggested as Texans' main dish during the period of September 30 to October 9 by Roy Parks, president of the newly organized Texas Beef Council.

That is the period designated by Secretary of Agriculture Benson as "Beef-Vegetable Time," which is being sponsored nationally by the U. S. Department of Agriculture to encourage greater consumption of beef and vegetables.

"Both beef and vegetables are among our most valuable foods," Parks stated, in commenting on a message from Secretary Benson announcing the event. "It is highly desirable that we Texans eat more of both, and that we eat them together. We raise both products in great quantities here in Texas, and we certainly ought to use our own products. I urge every Texas housewife to serve her family beef stew as often as possible during this particular

week and to keep it up after the week is over."

Parks also called on hotels, restaurants, and institutions to feature beef stew on their menus, and urged that luncheon and service clubs also serve beef and vegetables during the special period.

\$1 MILLION DESTROYED IN TEXAS PUBLIC SCHOOLS BY FIRE IN 1953

Austin — Almost a million dollars worth of Texas school classrooms went up in smoke in 1953.

Norris W. Parker, manager of the Texas Insurance Advisory Association, said that statistics kept by this fire insurance trade association showed that fire destroyed \$984,662 worth of school property last year. Records show that 71 Texas schools were damaged by fire in 1953.

To help reduce school fire losses, the Texas Insurance Advisory Association will distribute thousands of posters to schools this month as a part of the nationwide observance of Fire Prevention Week, October 3-9, Mr. Parker said.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harrington and daughter, Mildred, of Evant, visited Saturday with his brother, J. A. Harrington and family.

Mrs. Blossom Owen and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Owen visited Tuesday and Wednesday in Hobbs, New Mexico; with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Owen.

Bobbie Joe Cheaney of San Francisco, Calif., came on Thursday of last week for a vacation visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Cheaney.

Mrs. Frank Turner is leaving this week for a visit of several weeks with a sister at Freeport.

CHICK CHATS—Chickens Face Fall Diseases

Many poultry disease problems begin at the time birds are moved off the range and confined in the poultry house. A few precautions at this time may ward off costly disease losses later.

The first rule is to provide a clean, sanitary poultry house. Accumulated filth, dust and cobwebs should be eliminated before birds are moved in. Then scrub the house with hot water and a strong cleansing agent.

Quarters and equipment should then be disinfected with a chemical disinfectant. For best results, choose a warm day when the temperature in the house is above 70 degrees.

CARE OF LITTER

A clean house deserves clean litter. Put down about 3 inches of litter to make a fresh, absorbent bed for the birds' droppings. Add to the litter as the season progresses. Have the litter at least 6 inches deep before cold weather.

Fall and winter months are accompanied by a number of

diseases that can cause trouble. Among them are fowl pox, laryngotracheitis, Newcastle disease, infectious bronchitis, fowl cholera, blue comb, coryza, colds, and roup.

Perhaps the commonest of the fall-winter troubles is the coryza group of diseases, commonly referred to as colds. Coryza is an infectious condition marked by soft facial swelling; roup is usually the result of a cold and swellings of the eye area are hard and evil looking.

PREVENT DRAFTS

Damp, drafty houses are possible factors in the occurrence of colds. In event of an outbreak, the affected birds should be isolated. Correct such management errors as drafts and excess moisture. An inhalant may be used to ease breathing difficulties. Coryza can be controlled with sulfathiazole in the drinking water.

Fowl pox and laryngotracheitis are virus diseases preventable by vaccination which is recommended whenever the diseases are recurrent year after year. Newcastle disease and infectious

bronchitis, also virus diseases, should be prevented by vaccination as a routine precaution.

Fowl cholera is one of the deadliest diseases of poultry. Treatment with sulfaquinoxaline is standard against fowl cholera. Bacterin vaccination is often recommended.

Blue comb seems to choose pullets that are somewhat fat. Blackstrap molasses with bran and oats is sometimes used or molasses may be given in the water as a treatment for blue comb.

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