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LISTEN TO LUKE

There has been considerable interest on the part of some concerning the proposed water district formation in Sanderson. This interest has been retarded in some degree by the lack of information available on the ramifications of the formation and possible future operation.

We don't know all of the answers, in fact very few of them. We do know that if we could have an additional supply of water at little or no increase in cost it would be a wonderful addition to the town. But we don't know that the formation of a water district would offer that advantage.

The local utility company has been working for years trying to get a larger or more plentiful source of supply for water within short distance of town, but to no avail. They have spent considerable money in drilling, trying to find water.

Possibly there are those who would say that they just weren't looking in the right place, or possibly there is no right place within the confines of Sanderson anyway nearby. Those things have to be determined by drilling holes in the ground. Unless a spring gushes forth to supply the wants or needs, there is no other way to find water.

One thing is sure — we think Sanderson can accommodate a very small increase in population with the present source of water supply.

With the water utility in the hands of a board of directors of water district, it is almost certain that sooner or later, whether by needs or desire, there would be some exploration done for more water. If it was found, would be to our advantage! We saw in a daily paper this week where a certain town, suffering from growing pains, had laid out plans, not for this year next, but up to 1980, for development of various projects. The city dads were looking toward a definite goal within the foreseeable future that was almost certain.

Monte Goode, III, To Head District American Legion



Monte Goode, III, 16th District Commander

Monte Goode III, commander of Clarence Hallie Mulkey Post No. 160 of the American Legion, was chosen district commander of the 16th District at the regular spring district convention at El Paso last week-end.

Bill Lowry of Odessa, present district commander, turned the command over to Goode immediately after his election, but he will officially take the office after the State Convention.

Goode's present administration as local post commander has been outstanding in that this post received a plaque at the beginning of the year for having the most paid-up membership of any post in the district according to quotas.

Local interest in the American Legion has shown gain as more projects are being perfected and the work is outstanding in the community. The Sanderson post was elected to be host to the fall convention to be the early part of August. This honor to a small post was accomplished by the efforts of local officers and delegates present at the El Paso meeting.

Those attending from Sanderson included Cmdr. and Mrs. Goode, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lea, Mrs. Winnie Magill, and Larry Horgan.

John Dodson, Jr., Heads Texas OST

John L. Dodson, Jr., was elected president of the Texas Old Spanish Trails Association, automatically making him a director of the national organization, at the meeting of representatives from cities along Highway 90 east and west on Sunday, March 16.

Frank K. Graham Dies In Houston

Frank Kenneth Graham, 39, died at about 5 a.m. Monday in the Methodist Hospital in Houston.

Mrs. Graham accompanied the body which was shipped to Pueblo, Colo., for funeral services and interment. His relatives reside in Pueblo and the Grahams are also former residents of that city.

Mr. Graham was a T&NO brakeman. The family moved here almost three years ago and Mr. Graham had spent much of that time in a Houston hospital for treatment. He underwent cardiac surgery on Monday, March 17, and his condition was regarded as critical following the operation until death came.

Otto Hagelgans left with the Graham children by car for Pueblo Monday morning. Besides his widow, Mrs. Helen Graham, survivors include a stepson, David Graham, and three other children, Patricia, Freddie, and Paula.

Fred Turner Dies Of Heart Attack In Del Rio

Word was received here Wednesday afternoon of the death of Fred Turner in Del Rio.

Death was the result of a heart attack, according to information received. Mr. Turner had extensive ranch holdings in Terrell and Val Verde Counties, and had operated an irrigated farm near Del Rio for several months.

He was a former resident of Terrell County and had resided in Del Rio for about six months prior to his death. Funeral services were planned for 9:30 a.m. from the Catholic Church Friday morning and interment will be in Del Rio.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Bill Turner. Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Martin went to Del Rio Wednesday afternoon after receiving word of Mr. Turner's death. Mr. Martin is a brother of Mrs. Turner.

Budget Enlarged For Promotion Of Sheep and Wool

Optimism for the future of the sheep industry in America was prevalent at the annual meeting of delegates to the American Sheep Producers Council in mid-March at Denver. Delegates, representing every major sheep producing area of the United States attended the meeting to hear of past accomplishments and plans for the future in the self-help program of promotion and advertising conducted by the council for sheepmen.

With sheep numbers on the increase, the directors of the council boosted the budget for lamb and wool advertising and promotion. Wool advertising and promotion for the fiscal year beginning July 1, is set at \$900,000, compared to \$800,000 for the current fiscal year. The lamb budget was increased from the present \$1,153,000 to \$1,350,000, and includes the addition of four promotion areas to the present — Toledo, Minneapolis-St. Paul, New York City and expansion of the Southern California promotion to include the San Diego marketing area.

John A. Martin, 79 Dies Wednesday At Ranch Home

John A. Martin, 79, Terrell County ranchman, was found dead at his ranch southeast of Dryden on the Rio Grande on Wednesday afternoon. Cause of the death was presumed to be a heart condition since he had developed heart trouble in October of last year.

The body was brought to Sanderson by the James & Magill funeral coach. Funeral services have been set for 10 a.m. Friday at the First Methodist Church in Ozona. Interment will be in that city.

Mr. Martin came to Terrell County in 1928 and had operated his ranch until his death. He is survived by eight children, four boys and four girls, and his widow, Mrs. Willie Martin of San Angelo.

The sons include: John A. Jr., of Sonora, Sam H. of Tucson, Arizona, William H. of Alpine, and Bobby T. of Comstock. The four daughters are: Mrs. J. W. Taylor of San Angelo, Mrs. R. L. Martin of Bay City and Mmes. Dan Ellis and Joe Almond of Lubbock.

Records Set By Local Rainfall During Year

Rains received in this area this year continue to set records, according to W. E. Grigsby, official rain reporter and record keeper.

There has been a total of 431.3 inches received in Sanderson, a record for the first three months of any year for which figures are available.

The total rainfall received this year is approaching that figure of rain received during the entire 12 months of years past.

Rainfall Saturday afternoon totaled 16-inch in slow falling drizzle and light mist. Monday afternoon rainfall totaled .23-inch in a similar manner.

A heavy dew Tuesday night left some moisture on the ground. There has been very little if any run-off of moisture during the year, with almost every drop of the 431.3-inches of moisture going into the ground for deep penetration.

Rainfall in other parts of the county have varied slightly in the amount of moisture received, but every section has been benefited by the type of rainfall which has come this year.

Large Crowd At Senior Play Last Thursday

"Her Kissin' Cousin", the senior play, presented in the high school auditorium Thursday evening, has drawn much favorable comment, both for the casting and acting. A large crowd was present for the three-act comedy drama that was directed by Mrs. Dudley Harrison. The scene of the play was in the living room of the Desmond home.

The cast of four male and four female characters included Misses Trudy Jones, Jessie Mae McDonald, Diana Duke, and Rebecca Flores; and Jerry Monroe, Tommy Werneking, Irvin Robbins, and Kelley Scott.

Press Escamilla was stage manager, assisted by Ramon Martinez. Adalberto Cobos and Olga Alvarado assisted Irma Martinez, business manager. Julian Rodriguez and Weldon Werneking were in charge of publicity and Charles Bentley was prompter.

Interest Shown In Water District Organization As Details Come In

Proposals and possibilities for forming a water district in Sanderson were discussed this week at meetings of the Sanderson Rotary Club, Lions Club, American Legion and V.F.W.

Carter Johnston, representative of Rauscher, Pierce & Co., Inc., investment securities, of San Antonio, was in town to meet with the groups and explain methods of formation, financing, administration and retirement of bonds.

Considerable interest has been displayed by several citizens here in the formation of the district in hopes of possibly increasing the water supply, possible lowering of water rates, and possibly assuring the possibility of obtaining FHA guaranteed loans for development of the town.

Since the establishment of a water district or incorporation of the town seems to be the only means of securing guaranteed loans by the FHA, the steering committee which has been active in getting together information needed by the citizenship to intelligently act upon the issue, has been assisted by Mr. Johnston in answering questions that have arisen from time to time by different residents.

In order to clarify some of the questions, D. E. Anderson, chairman of the steering committee, stated that the successive steps to be taken in the process of forming a water district would

necessarily be: (1) Determining the metes and bounds of the district by engineers; (2) circulating a petition to the Commissioner's Court to call an election for the formation of a district; (3) election for formation of district and formation of board of directors; (4) complete engineering studies to determine value of present system and necessary improvements; and (5) final step would be the bond election for financing the project.

Mr. Anderson stated that he was advised by a qualified firm of attorneys that an exclusion hearing would be held and persons who wished to be excluded from the water district would be given an opportunity to do so without having any obligation for debt later incurred by the district.

It was stated also that at the time of the bond election, which would be the final step in the organization program, if the citizenship voted to reject the bond issue, then the matter would be ended and the water district would serve no further purpose. At the time of the vote for bonds, the voters would have access to the full report of the engineers and the entire amount needed for repairs and maintenance.

Surface Casing Set at B-B No. 2; Goode Below 9,000

Surface casing was set to just below 800 feet at Brown-Basset No. 2, Western Natural Gas and Magnolia Petroleum Co.'s second venture in eastern Terrell County.

Operator was shut down temporarily waiting for cement to harden. Location is in section 216 of block Y.

Richardson and Bass No. 1 Goode venture in section 6, block R, is reported drilling below 9,000 feet in sidetracked hole.

Lambing Season Well Under Way

Lambing season is well under way in this section of West Texas with some of the ranchers completely through marking, others making plans for marking in the near future.

Figures quoted by some of the ranchmen place lamb crop figures well above the 100 per cent mark while others are down to the 80s in percentage. Some of the lambs of this year have been contracted for fall delivery at near 20c per pound. Few lambs have been contracted, however, according to information available.

Hopes are high among the stockmen for the possibilities of producing a better-than-average weight lamb, owing to the condition of the range and the ewes. Reports are universal in this area that the ewes are in excellent shape and should raise fat lambs and remain in good shape themselves.

The cool weather and the precipitation of the late weeks has done much to control the lack of infestation by flies and there have been no reports coming in of fly trouble as yet.

Coming Events

Thursday — Legion meeting
Friday — L.P.B. Club
Monday — Methodist W.S.C.S.
Baptist W.M.U., Altar Society.
Tuesday — Band Boosters food sale, Ranch Club.
Wednesday — Rotary Club, P.T.A. meeting, Wednesday Club.
Thursday — Lions Club, school Easter holidays begin.

Mrs. Lee McCue of San Antonio, a long-time resident of Sanderson, underwent major surgery in the Nix Hospital in that city Saturday. Her condition is reported to be satisfactory.

Local Residents To Uncle's Funeral

Funeral services were held in Fort Davis Sunday afternoon for Jesse Anderson Pruett, 85, who died Thursday in a Las Cruces, N.M., hospital.

Mr. Pruett came to Fort Davis in 1880 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Halker Pruett, and lived there all of his younger years. He held extensive ranch property in the Davis Mountains area. He had been in failing health for several years.

Mrs. Jettie Peavy and Mrs. J. T. Williams attended the funeral services for their uncle who was a brother of Mrs. Peavy's father, J. B. Pruett, of Marfa, and of Mrs. Williams mother, Mrs. J. W. Espy, of Fort Davis.

TWO SCHOOL HOLIDAYS FOR EASTER PERIOD

The Sanderson schools will dismiss classes on Thursday afternoon, April 3, for the Easter holidays. The four-day holiday period will also include Monday as classes will not be resumed until Tuesday, April 8.

This is the last scheduled holiday for the current term of school.

Best Cafe Has New Managers

The Best Cafe in Sanderson will have new managers and operators after Mar. 31, according to an announcement in The Times this week. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thorn will be the new managers. They are leasing the business from Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lemons. Mr. and Mrs. Thorn stated that there would be extensive remodeling of the interior of the cafe prior to the opening on April 1, and invited all their friends to come by on that date for free coffee and doughnuts. The Thorns are both experienced cafe managers and stated that they would try to operate the cafe in a manner that would be pleasing to the public in every way.

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Austin — New names, new faces. But the same old problems plague the state insurance liquidation division.

Next Legislature will undoubtedly step in and try to assign authority and responsibility more definitely — possibly overhaul the entire system.

Latest chapter in the division's history of cross-crossed efforts is the appointment of a new general counsel to the liquidator. He is Cecil C. Rotsch, former assistant attorney general.

Significant aspect of this is that Rotsch was appointed by the Insurance Commissioner William A. Harrison. Whether the State Insurance Board, which Harrison represents, or judges of the receivership courts have the right to appoint attorneys for liquidation has been an issue for some years.

Last year Austin District Judge Charles O. Betts appointed Rene Allred, Jr., counsel for receivership cases pending in his court.

This prompted the Insurance Board to institute a suit to get a Supreme Court ruling. But the high court's opinion didn't help. It said the Board was given authority to name the liquidator's attorney, but that the courts could step in and name one, too.

Which is just about what has happened with both Allred and Rotsch named by different persons to serve in apparently the same capacity.

Fee Study Set
Most interesting aspect of the liquidation study is the amount of money involved.

Senate investigating committee was told that liquidation attorney Rene Allred had received in 10½ months \$22,350 in fees

and \$4,311.08 in expenses. Allred has been in charge of winding up the affairs of several large bankrupt firms, including CT and US Trust and Guaranty.

Liquidation attorneys, unlike regular state employees, are not paid straight salaries, but receive fees taken from the assets of companies they handle.

Former State Liquidator J. D. Wheeler told the Senate panel that during his 2½ years in the post, the office collected \$4,938,927 with an administrative cost of \$2,102,590.

Senate committee asked for a list of attorney's fees paid out during the past two years. They said the list would be made public.

U.S. Trust Payments

One of the most celebrated bankruptcy cases in recent years has begun to unwind.

District Judge Charles O. Betts has ordered the state liquidator to pay out \$2,181,464 recovered from the assets of US Trust and Guaranty Co. This represents approximately 31 per cent of the \$7,300,000 in claims made by creditors, mostly holders of US Trust "investment certificates."

Action was made possible after the Supreme Court made final its ruling that certificate holders had no priority in claims.

Down Again — No miracle is yet in sight for the ailing Texas oil industry.

Railroad Commission cut the statewide allowable for April to 2,444,571 barrels a day. It's 129,280 barrels a day less than March. Eight producing days will be allowed, one less than March.

Commission set this lowest-in-history producing schedule after hearing most major oil buyers

Seniors Invited To Party After Play Presentation

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Causey and son, Joe, invited the members of the senior class and several guests to their home for a party following the senior play last Thursday evening.

Looking at the annuals of their school years furnished diversion along with conversation.

From a table covered in blue and white, the class colors, were served the refreshments consisting of bean dip, fritos, sandwiches, doughnuts, and cold drinks.

Besides the seniors, the guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Savage, Mrs. D. L. Duke, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Bader.

say they could foresee no substantial increase in demand for oil this year. Commission operates on the philosophy that oil should not be produced unless someone is willing to buy it.

Meanwhile, Texas officials who sought action to reduce importing of foreign oil, received some hope of help in Washington. Prospects is for reduction of import quotas in line with lessened U. S. demand.

More Growth Seen

Recession or no, Texas' rate of industrial expansion exceeds the national average and possibly will gain steam and set a new record in 1958.

So says the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research in a survey of the state's major industries.

Cited as areas of expansion were chemicals, plastics, aircraft and missiles, electronics, construction materials, metal fabrication, apparel, food processing and furniture.

More New Businesses

In the same vein the Texas Employment Commission reported an increase in new firms launched in Texas during February.

Began last month were 103 new businesses employing 1,273 persons. In January, 62 new firms employing 519 persons.

Landing Fields Urged

There will be 100 more landing strips in the Lone Star State if the Texas Aeronautics Commission has its way.

At a joint meeting of the commission and the State Advisory Council — representing all phases of aviation from glider pilots to aviation directors — a program for stimulating statewide enthusiasm for the construction of 100 additional landing strips was outlined. (Continued to page 4)

Linda Kay Stutes Has Party For Eleventh Birthday

Mrs. K. H. Stutes entertained with a birthday party Saturday afternoon honoring her daughter, Linda Kay, on her seventh birthday. Mrs. Sue B. Moseley assisted her in entertaining the little guests.

For finding the two lucky eggs in an Easter egg hunt, prizes were awarded to Sherry Stavley and Patricia Lee.

A merry-go-round cake was served with punch and ice cream.

The guests included Roby Lee Harrison, Janice Forth, Christine Downie, Toni Luxton, Susan McSparran, Sherry Stavley, Amanda Nicolls, Barbara Bowley, Brenda Babb, Robbie Masters, Ricky Sanders, Lea Elrod, Jack Whistler, Warren Rogers, Ernest Key, Lonnie Edrington, Patricia Lee, Larry Scott, Bonnie and Buddy Boothe, Faye Robinson, John Dewey and Linda Kay Stutes.

Mrs. Willie Banner Hostess Tuesday For Bridge Club

Mrs. Willie Banner entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club in her home this week, decorating the party rooms in bouquets of iris, ranunculus, and stock from Mrs. Jim Kerr's garden.

Club members present were Mmes. Jack Sexton, Mary Lou Kellar, Herbert Brown, Will J. Murrah, S. H. Underwood, J. A. Gilbreath, Hugh Rose, Buster Canon, W. R. Stumberg, and Jack Riggs, also two guests, Mrs. Jim Kerr, and Mrs. E. J. Hanson.

High score prize went to Mrs. Rose, second high to Mrs. Murrah, and Mrs. Stumberg was low. The hostess served lemon and chocolate pie, tea and coffee.

Methodist W.S.C.S. Closes Bible Study

The fourth and last lesson from the book, "Disciples of Such a Lord," based on the Gospel of Mark, was given by Mrs. L. H. Gilbreath Monday afternoon when the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service met in Fellowship Hall.

A large cross and an arrangement of white flowers on the worship table provided the setting for the lesson which opened with the group singing the hymn "How Marvelous, How Wonderful," and a period of silent prayer.

Miss Eva Billings read the key verses of the Bible study for the

worship meditation which closed the meeting. Mrs. M. W. Duncan giving the dismissal prayer.

Those present were Mmes. A. B. Gates, John Neal, H. E. Ezelle, Clyde Higgins, L. G. Hinkle, C. H. White, C. F. Cox, Lewis Hill,

Kelley E. Scott, and Gilbreath, and Miss Eva Billings.

R. V. Spears of San Antonio is spending a few days here this week to look after his business interests.

Mrs. Dan Farrow and family went to El Paso Wednesday visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Taff. Miss Eva Billings accompanied her to visit with her sister Mrs. Leonard Phillips, and family.

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Thursday Club Meets Last Week In Bader Home

The Thursday Bridge Club met in the home of Mrs. M. F. Bader last week. An arrangement of purple stock in driftwood was in the living room where three tables were arranged for the card games.

The guests included Meses. C. H. Stavley, Vic Littleton, A. J. Hahn, Jr., John Harrison, M. W. Duncan, Hugh Rose, Mary Lou Keller, G. E. Babb, H. E. Fletcher, S. H. Underwood, W. E. Stavley, and Jack Riggs.

Slam prizes were held by Mrs. Rose and Mrs. Riggs, with Mrs. Rose having high score and Mrs. Riggs, second high. Mrs. Harrison was low. The hostess served a salad plate with tea and coffee.

RANCH H-D CLUB MEETING TO BE APRIL 1

The Ranch Home Demonstration Club will meet on Tuesday, April 1, in the home of Mrs. Lewis Hill with Mrs. Lee Grigsby as co-hostess.

Members are asked to bring two buns, one-half pound ground meat, and a tomato for the lunch which will be prepared and served in the yard.

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Roadrunners Honored At Informal Party

Mrs. D. L. Duke entertained with an informal party in her home Saturday afternoon, honoring the Roadrunners, members of the high school girls basketball team, their coach, Y. F. Bowley, and W. V. Munson, bus driver.

Informal conversation and a sing-song furnished diversion after a game had been played. For forming the most words from the letters in "basketball", a prize was given to Bonda Boyd. Tying for the consolation prize were Diane Brown and Darla Freeman.

Miniature trophies, engraved, were presented to Coach Bowley, "World Champion Coach" and to Mr. Munson "World Champion Bus Driver".

Spring flowers were used to decorate the living and dining rooms.

For the serving of refreshments, the guests were invited to the dining room where the center of attraction on the lace-covered table was a large cake, a replica of a basketball court with a girl player about to throw a goal "Roadrunners" was on the side of the cake.

Mrs. L. D. Booker, Jr., served the cake and Mrs. Duke ladeled the punch. Chicken salad sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, and olives were also served.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Y. F. Bowley, Kay Williams, Sue Vaughn Haynes, Linda Shurley, Patty Gray, Kathleen Robbins, Mary Duncan, Darleen McDonald, Natalia Chalambaga, Angie Salinas, Trudy Jones, Diane Brown, Olga Alvarado, Elizabeth Lopez, Lydia Ramirez, Beatrice Alva, Judy Denson, Susan Harkins, Bonda Boyd, Barbara Sudduth, Anabella Flores, Darla Freeman, Jessie Mae McDonald, and Diana Duke.

METHODIST W.S.C.S. TO MEET MONDAY

The Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet Monday afternoon at 3 in regular monthly business and social session in the ranch home of Mrs. H. C. Goldwire. Miss Eva Billings will be co-hostess.

Office supplies at The Times.

Mrs. O. T. Sudduth Hostess Saturday To Garden Club

The Sanderson Garden Club met Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. O. T. Sudduth. Decorations included arrangements of apricot blossoms, and jasmine and an Easter egg tree.

Members present included Meses. L. D. Booker, Jr., S. L. Stumberg, J. J. Harkins, T. R. Arrington, J. L. Whistler, H. E. Ezelle, E. R. Searcy, and W. G. Downie.

"Sun-Loving Plants of West Texas" was the subject of an interesting discussion by Mrs. Arrington.

Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Arrington and Mrs. Booker in a quiz on "Gardening" directed by Mrs. Downie.

The hostess displayed a spring luncheon table.

Refreshments consisted of Hawaiian angel food cake, tea and coffee.

Bonhomie Club Meets Wednesday At Cox Ranch

The Bonhomie Club met in the ranch home of Mrs. C. F. Cox on Wednesday and she served a Mexican luncheon at noon to her guests.

Yellow table cloths were on the tables which were decorated in bouquets of yellow spring flowers in Mexican blue glassware.

A gift was presented to Mrs. Elma Riley in observance of her birthday.

Those present were Meses. A. B. Gates, Marion Batson, B. F. Dawson, L. H. Gilbreath, Chester Boyd, James Caroline, J. Garner, Alfred Bendele, J. W. Carruthers, Jr., Elma Riley, Mary Cox, and Charlie Cash and daughter, Charlene, of San Antonio. Mr. Cox and J. W. Carruthers, Jr., joined the group for the luncheon.

L.B.P. Club To Meet Friday

The L.B.P. Club will meet Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Don Capps. The time of the meeting is 1 p.m.

Enjoy your favorite snack in the presence of your television set on Cal-Dak TV trays. Available at Janes & Magill. adv

Important Facts Given Club Women By Three Speakers

The Sanderson Culture Club met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. C. Goldwire with Mrs. T. R. Arrington as co-hostess.

Beautiful arrangements of spring flowers were on the coffee table, desk and mantel in the living room.

During the business session, which opened with prayer by the president, Mrs. E. H. Jessup, announcement was made of the annual Texas Day luncheon planned for Saturday, April 19. Mrs. C. F. Cox was named general chairman of the luncheon after Mrs. W. J. Ferguson asked to be relieved of the chairmanship.

Three guests were introduced: Mrs. E. J. Foley of Venezuela, Mrs. W. H. Goldwire, and Mrs. Clyde Higgins.

Mrs. Jessup will attend the 8th district meeting of T.F.W.C. in Alpine Thursday and Friday as delegate from the club. Mrs. Cox will accompany her to the Alpine meeting.

The general theme of the afternoon's program was "Preparing for Widowhood". Jack Hayre discussed the making of wills, and Troy Druse's discussion was on insurance.

Mrs. A. D. Brown's topic was "Women Should Know How to Make Investments".

The Girl Scouts who were in uniforms and accompanied by one of their leaders, Mrs. Don Allen, were introduced and sang several of their Scout songs.

The hostesses invited the guests into the dining room for refreshments served from a dainty tea table which was covered in an Italian cutwork cloth. Pink candies in silver holders flanked the centerpiece of pink, orchid and purple stock arranged in a silver bowl.

Mrs. Foley served tea and coffee from the silver service and Mrs. Higgins served a congealed chicken salad. Mints, nuts, olives, pickles, crackers, and cookies were also served.

Members present were Meses. E. E. Farley, C. F. Cox, Jr., H. E. Ezelle, L. G. Hinkle, L. H. Gilbreath, Sue B. Moseley, W. J. Ferguson, J. W. Byrd, A. D. Brown, E. H. Jessup, and R. A. Gatlin.

Mrs. John W. Byrd Leads Program For Presbyterians

The Presbyterian Women of the Church met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. E. F. Pierson. Mrs. Leola Hill led in prayer after the hymn "Jesus Calls Us" had been sung.

Mrs. J. L. Whistler and Mrs. Sid Harkins assisted Mrs. John W. Byrd in presenting the program on "The Church — the Family of God".

Mrs. Pierson served a congealed salad, crackers, Mt. Shasta cookies, tea, and coffee during the social hour.

Those present were Meses. N. M. Mitchell, E. E. Farley, E. H. Jessup, J. W. McKee, John W. Byrd, G. K. Mitchell, J. D. Nichols, Sue B. Moseley, C. C. Mitchell, W. T. Frazier, W. H. Savage, J. L. Whistler, Sylvan Walker, Leola Hill, and Sid Harkins.

Boyd-Griffin Troth Announced

Mr and Mrs. Chester Boyd are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Bonda Gail, and Harold Wayne Griffin.

The wedding is planned for Saturday, May 31.

The bride-to-be has spent most of her life in Sanderson. She is a junior in the Sanderson High School and plans to finish her senior year here.

Mr. Griffin, the son of Mr and Mrs. R. G. Griffin of Atlanta, Texas is employed by the McCollum Exploration Co. of Pecos. He attended the Atlanta High School.

Week-end visitors on the Alfred Bendele ranch were her brother, W. G. Riley, with his wife and son of Hondo and her brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs. Charlie Cash, and daughter, Charlene, of San Antonio. Mrs. Cash and daughter remained for a longer visit and the other relatives returned to their homes Sunday.

BETA IOTA HAS MONEY FOR SCHOLARSHIP

Mrs. M. F. Bader has made the following announcement for the Beta Iota Chapter.

The Scholarship Committee of Beta Iota finds that the available interest on the \$2,000 Alice Cowan Scholarship Foundation is \$65. This interest is to be given for a scholarship award.

Applicants will wish to know that this award shall go to a woman teacher for advanced study; it may be used in any standard college in the summer for six semester hours of credit.

Application blanks are available from Mrs. C. L. Thomas, Box 334, Alpine.


No applications will be considered after May 15, 1958.

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ON SPECIALS TABLE

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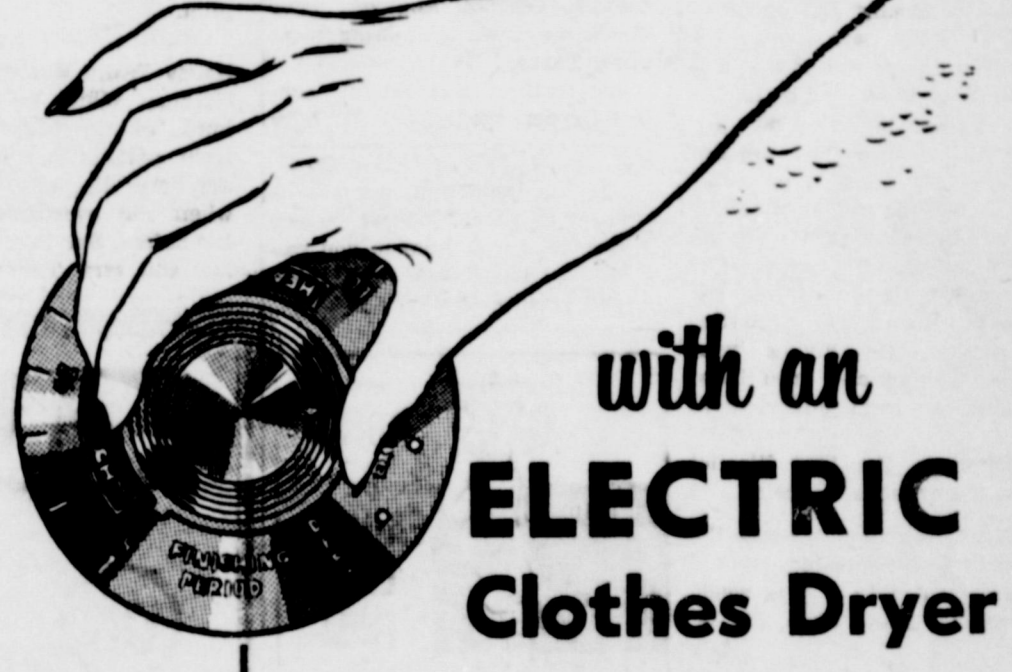
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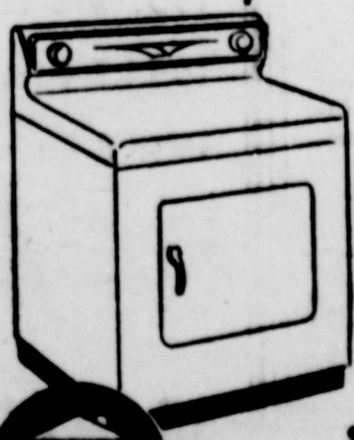
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USE THE WANT ADS

Be sure to see my new Spring dresses for ladies and teen-agers. Easter dresses for the little girls, too. Hometown Dress Shop, 320 W. Oak. 7-1c

24-FT. Commercial chest-type deepfreeze — will trade for 16 bred ewes or sell for cash. H. B. Louwien, phone DI 5-2347.

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FOR RENT
Light housekeeping apartments
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FOR RENT — Furnished garage apartment. See Mrs. J. W. McKee at 601 Third St., or phone DI 5-2475. 47-tfc

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Panties, slips, petticoats, half-slips, peignoir sets. It's lingerie that you are needing, see what we have at Hometown Dress Shop, 320 W. Oak. 7-1c

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Nylon hose at \$1 per pair. Knee-length stretch hose, too. Hometown Dress Shop, 320 W. Oak

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It is fun to rummage through the bargain box. Some blouses and shorts went into it this week. Hometown Dress Shop, 320 W. Oak. 7-1c

BABY SHOES Bronzed, mounted or unmounted. See L. A. McBe. 7-tfc

Western jeans that the ladies like. Bluebell brand in colors. Cotton sports jackets to wear with them. Hometown Dress Shop, 320 W. Oak. 7-1c

FOR SALE: Two steel TYPEWRITER TABLES — \$4.50 each; steel TRAILER 4 x 8 oak sideboards — \$115.00; THOR GLADIRON home iron — \$35.00; good SADDLE — \$55.00; livestock SPRAYER — \$150. Phone 2288 after dark. 4-2

FOR RENT — 3 large-room house unfurnished. See Peavy Insurance Agency or call DI 5-2211

TWO BEDROOM apartment. Utilities furnished, also house-trailers with two bedrooms, everything furnished. Bed-rooms by day, week or month. Twelve spaces for house-trailers. We have a nice lobby with telephone and reading material. M. S. Robertson, Sanderson Courts, Of. ph. DI5-9907, res. ph. DI5-2587. 45-tfc

NEW 1958 Texas Almanacs \$1.50 at The Times.

FOR SALE OR TRADE — My home in Sanderson, 2 bedroom, hardwood floors, Venetian blinds, attached garage. On 3 large 50x200 lots, plus a nice utility house and horse or cow shed. Will take my equity in good young cows or sheep. For more information see The Sanderson Times. Clayton Stubbsfield. 3-4fc

WORK WANTED — by Scouts on Saturdays to help pay way to camp. Contact O. D. Gray, DI 5-2408, C. H. Stavley, DI 5-2365, A. J. Hahn, DI 5-2215.

LOSE UGLY FAT IN TEN DAYS OR MONEY BACK

If you are overweight, here is the first really thrilling news to come along in years. A new & convenient way to get rid of extra pounds easier than ever, so you can be as slim and trim as you want. This new product called DIATRON curbs both hunger & appetite. No drugs, no diet, no exercise. Absolutely harmless. When you take DIATRON, you still enjoy your meals, still eat the foods you like but you simply don't have the urge for extra portions and automatically your weight must come down, because, as your own doctor will tell you, when you eat less, you weigh less. Excess weight endangers your heart, kidneys. So no matter what you have tried before, get DIATRON and prove to yourself what it can do. DIATRON is sold on this GUARANTEE. You must lose weight with the first package you use or the package costs you nothing. Just return the bottle to your druggist and get your money back. DIATRON costs \$3.00 and is sold with this strict money back guarantee by: Spears-Duncan Store - Sanderson Mail Orders Filled

Political Announcements —

The Times has been authorized to announce the candidacy of the following individuals, subject to action of the Democratic Primary:

For County Judge: R. S. Wilkinson (re-election)

For County and District Clerk: Ruel Adams (re-election)

For County Treasurer: Ben F. Dawson (re-election)

NOTICE
Bids will be accepted on one 18x36 and 2 smaller buildings located east of Dryden depot. All buildings to be included in the same bid.

Original copy of bid to be sent to Division Engineer, 243 Center Street, San Antonio, Texas, with copy to Division Engineer, care of Southern Pacific Bldg., El Paso, Texas.

For further information contact Dryden agent 7-2tp

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If you have made additions or improvements on your home and property, be sure you make these same improvements in your insurance program.

Don't be caught with your sensitive spots exposed. Call your local Capital Stock agent for a complete analysis of your insurance coverage.

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Listen to Luke

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concerning a proposed water district. Let's listen with open minds until we know all of the facts, and then let's base our future operations on the future.

The present water system for Sanderson was installed by an individual who got tired of buying drinking water by the barrel or hauling it into town and storing it in a barrel, or trying to rake up enough money to drill a well for his own individual use.

Maybe he got tired of drinking out of a dipper — gourd or porcelain. He probably liked the idea of a faucet at least in the kitchen.

Is the thought of an improvement over the present system, if possible, a satellite dream? Is a person being drastically futuristic modern to make such plans?

Personally we are glad our ancestors accepted the transition to inside plumbing and drinking glasses.

The good old days are wonderful to look back on and appreciate things now and correct the mistakes of the past.

Rootplowing Done By W. R. Stumberg

W. R. Stumberg, ranching 20 miles west of Sanderson, has completed about 200 acres of rootplowing and seeding.

The treatment was carried out on a deep-soil site that receives extra water from the surrounding hills. Mesquite had become very thick on the site.

It is planned that the rootplowing will kill the mesquite, loosen the hardpan formed in the top 6 to 8 inches of soil to allow more moisture penetration, and provide a good seedbed.

Stumberg, a member of the Rio Grande-Pecos River Soil Conservation District, planted two pounds of Blue Panic grass per acre on the rootplowed area.

G. K. Mitchell is chairman of the local soil conservation district, with Clarence Chandler as vice-chairman. C. C. Mitchell is secretary and John Harrison and Tol Murrab are members of the committee. L. D. Booker, Jr., is technician for the district.

Humberto Pena Breaks Leg in Wreck Near Shumla

Humberto Pena suffered a broken leg in a car wreck Sunday morning early on Highway 90 near Shumla. He was traveling west toward Sanderson from Del Rio when the accident occurred.

Humberto is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Pena and is receiving treatment in a Del Rio hospital.

Nancy White Burned

Nancy White received painful burns on the upper half of the front part of her body, and on her lower lip and chin Saturday when she overturned a cup of hot coffee. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman White.

State Capitol

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lined by Chairman Paul M. Fuiks of Wolfe City.

"Business in any town in Texas can be improved by the simple addition of an inexpensive landing field for airplanes," Fuiks advised. "It's the commission's plan to advise and assist any town that is interested."

The spiraling increase of interest in flying, particularly on the part of businessmen, has centered attention on more access methods to small towns. Even a 2,000 foot grass strip alongside a highway will help, said a number of the airmen.

At present 99 county seat towns in Texas have no airports of any kind.

Also cited by the new commission chairman was the fact that there are 36 towns in the 3,000 and above population bracket, and 33 between 2,000 and 3,000, that are completely shut off from aviation.

Firm Sponsors Home Contest

A fascinating contest for homeowners has just been announced by Don Anderson, manager of Alamo Lumber Co., member of the Home Improvement Council.

The contest is open to all local homeowners, and runs to June 30. There are 1003 cash prizes totaling \$125,000, according to Anderson.

"The purpose of the contest is to help people in Sanderson and every other community see the great need for home improvements to protect themselves and the value of their property," Anderson declared.

Official entry blanks as well as information may be obtained from the local firm sponsoring the contest.

Roger Rose Has Heart Attack

The condition of Roger Rose is considered satisfactory following his hospitalization Saturday night. He suffered a heart attack while watching television here with friends and was taken to an Alpine hospital.

Mrs. Rose was in Denver City with her daughter, Mrs. Don Barber, and family, when her husband was stricken. She is now at his bedside in Alpine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilbreath took Melinda to an orthodontist in Odessa for a check-up Saturday and they spent the week-end with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Word, and son, Zinkie.

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DEL RIO, TEXAS

PERSONALS . .

W. H. Savage is in a Houston hospital for a medical check-up. He is making satisfactory recovery from a heart attack.

H. G. Cates went to Houston Saturday to have a medical examination.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Zuberbuehler of Alpine transacted business matters here last week and spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gatlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith and children of Langtry visited here Thursday with her mother, Mrs. L. M. Wooten.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Louwien and children have moved to the house at 305 E. Mansfield vacated by the J. R. Shurley family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Nunn have bought the house at 306 W. Pine which was owned by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bochat of Del Rio. Mr. Nunn, a T&NO employee, was transferred here from Del Rio. Their four daughters have enrolled in the local schools.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith have returned from San Antonio after spending two weeks there. He received medical examination and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Henderson and children visited with relatives in San Angelo last week-end.

No unnecessary eye strain if you have a TV lamp on your set. Look at the large selection of lamps available at **Janes & Magill** adv

Mrs. J. H. Loehausen is visiting in Long Beach, Calif., with her son, Dr. Wesley Loehausen.

Television lamps and Cal-Dak TV trays can add to your viewing comfort. At **Janes and Magill** adv

Clarence Chandler, Jr., and his son, Leslie, arrived Wednesday for a visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chandler, Sr.

Butch Stavley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stavley, returned home last week from San Antonio where he had nasal surgery for injuries received while playing football. He is attending school and making satisfactory recovery.

Rev. Kelley E. Scott, Methodist pastor, attended a meeting of Methodist ministers in Monahans Friday.

Among Our Subscribers
Renewal subscriptions to The Times have come from C. C. Mitchell, Catarino Velez, J. W. Caruthers, Jr., Pablo Ochoa, Jr., M. F. Bader, Bustin Canon, K. K. Robinson, all of Sanderson; H. G. Newton of El Paso, Mrs. A. A. Burdwell of Del Rio; Mrs. Doe Turk of Dryden; A. F. Buchanan of College Station; Miss Kate Frazier of Arlington; Mrs. C. A. Ropp of Osage City, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Felts and children have moved to 212 W. Pine, the house vacated by the N. Morris family who moved to Oregon.

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