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## LISTEN TO LUKE

Albert:--  
 Last week during one of the  
 ere thunderstorms we had,  
 some unknown reason our  
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 er during such a display of  
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 ut what thunder and light-  
 is, what causes them, etc.  
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 ls of thunder were so strong  
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 of all of the gods of nature,  
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 e things in our nation. And  
 e not worthy of recognition,  
 ept for the foolishness of  
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 as past by some not com-  
 etely a part of the churches or  
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 t be anyone to pay the bill,  
 ause it all will have to go to  
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 e first! And mistreated most!  
 nd this has nothing to do  
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 er thought!  
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 nds and neighbors who were  
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 e, or financial set-backs suf-  
 ed during their service and  
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 this time to gain? And why  
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## Heavy Hail Hits, Damage Heavy

Heavy hail hit portions of Terrell County Friday night causing extensive damage. Trees, brush, and shrubs were reported stripped on parts of the ranches belonging to G. K. Mitchell, Lee Weathersbee, E. H. Jessup, Graham Childress, Herbert Brown, and Reg Monroe, according to the reports given, indicating extensive damage in a line southeast across the eastern part of the county. Stock was reported killed by the heavy hail on the Mitchell, Jessup, Childress, and Monroe ranches with the heaviest loss reported on the Jessup ranch. Monroe reported hail through the roof and ceiling of his ranch house and cracked asbestos siding, and lighter damage was reported to other houses. Dead deer were also found after the hail. One ranchman stated that it looked like a fire had gone across a portion of his ranch as there was not a leaf left on anything, only bare limbs and not a sprig of grass was seen. Hailstones 1 1/2 inches in diameter were found Saturday morning several hours after the hail fell and draws and canyons running Saturday after the rain and hail had ping-pong ball size hail, according to reports. Beneficial rains accompanied the hail, according to most of the ranchmen contacted, ranging up to two inches, but the benefits were more than offset by the damage done by the hail, it was said.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Elsberg of Houston visited here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tronson, and Dwight last week. They had been to Phoenix, Ariz., to make arrangements for moving there the first of June.

## R. A. Gatlin Ranch House Burns

The R. A. Gatlin ranch home and all of the personal belongings of the family went up in smoke Sunday afternoon. Mr. Gatlin and Pay Clifford were marking lambs in a pen near the house at the time of the fire and their wives had left for Sanderson to bring a man to catch a bus. Mr. Gatlin happened to look up and saw "too much black smoke" and ran up a slight rise from the pens to see the house engulfed in flames. He and Clifford made an effort to get into the house to try to salvage something but they said the heat was too terrific and the fire too widespread to permit saving anything. The people at the ranch had only guesses as to where and how the fire started. Gatlin built the clay tile house in 1950. Many friends of the family gathered at the ranch after they heard about the fire to offer help in any way. Volunteer firemen were unable to do anything more than put out the blaze in some of the larger piles of rubbish since it is about a 45-minute trip from Sanderson in the large tank truck.

**REV. PEAK RETURNED**  
 Rev. Albert Peak, who has served the Sanderson-Dryden charge of the Methodist Church for the past year, was returned to the pastorate another year at the session of the annual conference in Clovis, N. M., last week. Mrs. Peak accompanied him to the conference and Mrs. C. P. Peavy was the lay delegate.

Texas Highway Patrolman Malcom Bolinger spent several days with his family last week, returning to Odessa Monday.

## Interest High In University Lands In Terrell County, Auction Indicates

Terrell County lands provided most of the action when the Board for Lease of University Lands sold mineral leases totaling more than \$3.5 million at auction on May 15 in Austin. Of this total, \$2,281,000 was paid for slightly more than 15,000 acres of leases in Terrell County. The bids on the 251 tracts offered for sale brought in \$3,507,800. Announcement of these figures was made by Jerry Sadler, Commissioner of the General Land Office.

## Reynaldo Garza Interred Last Week In San Antonio

Following requiem mass in the San Fernando Cathedral in San Antonio last Wednesday morning, Reynaldo Garza was buried in the Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery in that city. Mr. Garza died May 11 after a long period of ill health, a victim of cancer. He and his wife had been in San Antonio in recent months to receive medical attention. He was born in Del Rio October 9, 1906, the son of the late Antonio Garza and Mrs. Augustina Garza who has occupied a home on the Garza property here for many years. He came to Sanderson in 1925 and was married to Fidela Perez on April 9, 1933. He was a mason and was employed on many local construction jobs. He is survived by his widow, his mother, a brother, Jesus Garza, four sons, and a daughter and three grandsons. Danny Garza returned home with his aunt, Mrs. Manuel Flores, for the close of school and Mrs. Garza will remain in San Antonio for at least another week.

Largest bid of the day was one of \$290,000 by Forest Oil Corporation of Midland, and it won for Forest a 323.7-acre tract about 37 miles northeast of Sanderson. It was in this area that nearly all of the action by the "high rollers" in the auction lay.

Forest and Skelly Oil Company both showed great interest in the Terrell County area, with Skelly paying \$240,000 for the other half of the same section for which Forest paid the top price of the day. Forest also bought half of an adjoining section for \$230,000 and Skelly paid \$112,000 for the other half of that section. And Skelly and Forest shelled out another \$160,000 apiece when each bought half of a third section in the same area.

This interest apparently stems from a deep test being drilled now in the area. A Railroad Commission permit for a test to 21,000 feet was issued in July 1967. Later another to deepen it to 24,000 feet was secured in January of this year. Last month a third permit was approved permitting drilling to 25,000.

In all, 47 half-section tracts of 50 offered in Terrell County were purchased. Three were "passed" because of failure to get the minimum bid required by the board, which was \$5,000.

Some students of Sanderson High School in about 1938 are shown in the picture below loaned by Mrs. G. W. Kyle. It includes: Lawrence Gutierrez, Margaret Gregory, Wilburn Short, Elizabeth Brown, Bob Allen, Hicks Canon, Miss Rachel Sweeney, teacher; Reg Monroe Emma Faye Harris, Robert Chandler, Mary Beth Banner, Clyde Morris, and seated are Maxine Clafelter and Margaret Winn.





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**Awards Earned by By HS Students**

An assembly was held Thursday of last week at the high school for the presentation of awards. Principal C. B. Card noted the following achievements by the students and presented appropriate awards:

Highest scholastic average in each class for the first five six-weeks periods, and recognition of the second-ranking student was made: Jackie Bob Riggs 93.50, Maurine Riess 92.85; Clelia Silvas 97.77, Brad Harrison 90.57; Tom Allen 94.50, Barbara Brown 92.27; Rosa Linda Valles 92.40, Christine Ochoa 92.00.

The Mary Mitchell Award, for the highest scholastic average in Sanderson High School for the year: Clelia Silvas.

Academic awards for the highest in individual subjects:

- English IV: Christine Ochoa 94.67, Viola Fisher 92.67
- Government: Christine Ochoa 96.75, Oralia Munoz 96.25
- Trigonometry: Yolanda Salazar 94.75, Buddy Carr 91.50
- Analytic Geometry: Yolanda Salazar 93.50, Buddy Carr 90.00
- Health: Christine Ochoa 96.00, Maurine Riess 95.25
- English III: Tom Allen 96.67, Barbara Brown 95.50
- Algebra II: Tom Allen 93.67, Virginia Hardgrave 91.50
- American History: Tom Allen 96.17, Gwyn Mansfield 95.83
- Physics: Tom Allen 92.83, Buddy Carr 91.33
- Speech: Candace Cooksey 89.16, Ana Calzada 88.83
- English II: Clelia Silvas 96.33, Brad Harrison 92.16
- Geometry: Clelia Silvas 98.83, David Bolinger 89.67
- Biology: Clelia Silvas 99.17, Nancy Harkins 96.33

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- World Geography: Clelia Silvas 94.50, James McSparran 89.00
- Texas History: Clelia Silvas 94.50, Brad Harrison 90.00
- Spanish II: Clelia Silvas 97.50, Virginia Hardgrave 89.00
- Related Math II: Josephine Cruz 98.50, Aurelia Arredondo 89.17
- English I: Maurine Riess 94.33, James Druse 94.16
- Physical Science: Ronnie Stewart 97.33, Jackie Bob Riggs 97.17
- Algebra I: Jackie Bob Riggs 97.83, Ronnie Stewart 96.67
- Spanish I: Josephine Cruz 96.50, Evangelina Calzada 93.67
- Related Math I: Peggy Cox 88.67, Juan Valles 88.00

Viola Fisher received the Betty Crocker Homememaker of Tomorrow and the DAR Good Citizen awards.

Perfect attendance Certificates were given to: Blain Chriesman, Greg Richmond, Clelia Silvas, Eunice

Garcia, Elva Flores, Rosa Silvas, Oralia Olivares, Patrosinia Picaso.

Reader's Certificates were awarded to:

Tom Allen, Barbara Brown, James Druse, Nancy Harkins, Mona Harris, Rosie Lopez, Gloria Villarreal, Gwyn Mansfield, Marsha Monroe, Greg Richmond, Maurine Riess, Marilyn Sanchez, Clelia Silvas, Juan Valles, Estella Calzada, Evangelina Calzada, Rosalinda Calzada, Mitzi Cash, Beth Clifford, Candace Cooksey, Peggy Cox.

Recognition was also given to the cheer leaders: Nancy Harkins, Mitzi Cash, Rhonda Louwien, Faye Muller, Jackie Bob Riggs, and Marilyn Sanchez; "El Aguila" staff: Marsha Monroe, Nancy Harkins, Gina Hardgrave, Maurine Riess, Ronnie Stewart, Sheryl Stewart, Rosalie Kerr, Rosie Lopez, Ana Salazar, Barton Harkins, Oralia Olivares, Mitzi Cash, Elva Flores, and Mrs. Ike Billings, sponsor; to the "Claw" staff, Candace Cooksey, Barbara Brown, Clelia Silvas, Rosa Silvas, Gwyn Mansfield, Tom Allen, Jackie Bob Riggs, Blain Chriesman, Cliffie McSparran, Leslie Hall, Estella Calzada, Connie Brooks, Juanita Castro, Susi Robbins, Manuel Salas, and Hector Chalambaga.

Tom Allen, Hector Chalambaga, Oscar Villegas, Virginia Hardgrave, Marsha Monroe were recognized as having been chosen delegates and alternates to Boys and Girls State in Austin.



**New Arrivals**

To Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Valles Olivarez was born a son, Pedro Chalambaga, in an Alpine hospital on May 8. His birth weight was eight pounds, five and 3/4 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Gentry Holmes of Beaumont, former residents; have been transferred to Ennis. He is an SP Railroad employee.



John Cates

... gets degree  
John Cates, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Cates, will receive his B. S. Degree from Baylor University May 30. He will have a major in physical education and a minor in history. He plans to do graduate work this summer.

**Work Slated On Highway 285**

The Fort Stockton end and the Sanderson end of US 285 are scheduled for improvements, according to word received this week.

Preliminary work has begun on a 6-mile job to improve US 285 from its junction with US 290 in Fort Stockton to a point about six miles south toward Sanderson. This project is anticipated for mid-1970.

Major improvements on the Sanderson end of the highway call for work for about 10 miles north from Sanderson. This project is still in the surveying stages.

Mrs. M. E. Hope and Mrs. W. H. Savage attended the library workshop in Marfa last Thursday.

**Willborn Meyers Is New Coach**

Willborn Myers has been hired as head football and track coach and assistant basketball coach of Sanderson High School with teaching assignment in the high school.

He holds a B. S. Degree from Howard Payne College (1960) where he majored in Secondary Education and Business Administration and minored in Physical Education. He was assistant and head football and track coach at Rochelle for 5 years, 4 years as head coach; head coach at Matador 2 years; assistant and head coach at Robert Lee one year, and head coach at Overton one year.

He is married and has two children.

**THREE INJURED IN LOCAL COLLISION**

Three local persons were taken to an Alpine hospital by ambulance Sunday night after an accident in the residential section of Sanderson. The car driven by Robert Barron with Annie Adams as a passenger and a vehicle driven by Claudio Villegas collided.

Miss Adams remained in the hospital for observation and the other two returned home after emergency treatment.

Both cars had extensive damage.

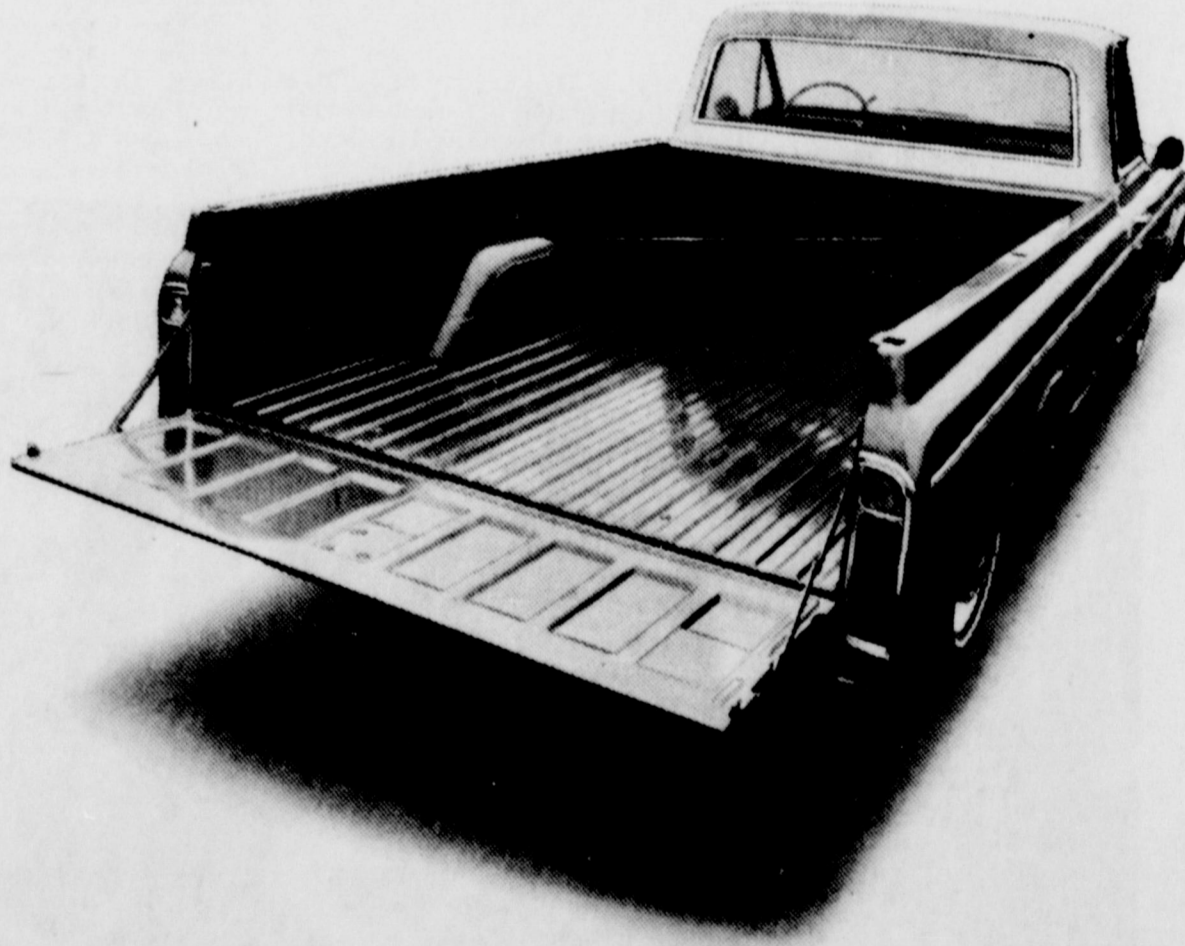
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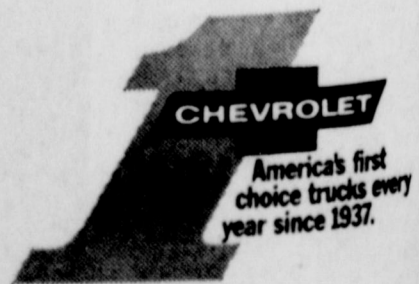
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*Honored  
Several Parties*

A group of parents of the high school graduates invited all of the graduates to a Mexican dinner served in St. James Hall at 1:00 o'clock Sunday.

Decorations included Mexican paintings, corn shucks in Mexican baskets, and other decorations were used to transform the hall into a Mexican market.

Ten tables were arranged for the dinner and decorated with Mexican and other native plants and Mexican pottery.

C. B. Card, high school principal, gave the invocation. The menu included rice, beans, salad, and flour tortillas in baskets, chili con queso, empanadas, and iced tea were served in a Mexican style.

After dinner there was a burrito for entertainment. Mexican music was played throughout the dinner.

The favors were Mexican hats. "Seniors '69" in gold glitter on the red satin hatbands.

Mrs. E. E. Farley and Miss Patricia Reece, senior sponsors, were also among the 30 guests attending the dinner.

The hosts and hostesses were Mrs. R. M. Arredondo, Isidoro Arredondo, Alejandro Chalambrada, Elisandro Chalambrada, Alberto Calzada, Roberto Eligio Bustos, L. E. Miller, Pablo Ochoa Jr., Man-Parada, Genaro Valles, Juan Villarreal, Eulalio Arredondo, Mmes. Minnie Chalambrada, Connie Carroll, Paulita Arredondo, Drucilla Tijerina, Julia Arredondo, and Crucera Olivares.

On Saturday evening the members of the graduating class of Sanderson High School and teachers were invited to a spaghetti supper at the Downie ranch. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Downie were bringing their daughter, Christine, who is a member of the class.

The guests were seated at round tables on the patio. The tables were covered with white cloths and they were centered with a yellow candle in a hurricane lamp surrounded by white flowers, carrying out the class colors of yellow and white.

The guests drew numbers for prizes. Lali Munoz was successful in breaking the pinata which was a graduate and filled with fun-making prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jolly Harkins hosted the Downies at the supper. On Tuesday afternoon the seniors and their sponsors gathered at the Downie headquarters for a swimming party with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bondurant as hosts honoring their granddaughter, Christine Downie. The sponsors are Mrs. E. E. Farley, Patricia Reece, and Nor- Gladson, with Mrs. Gladson also a guest.

**BIRTHDAY OBSERVED**  
**MRS. LIZZIE BILLINGS**

The 83rd birthday of Mrs. Lizzie Billings was celebrated Sunday afternoon in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Haley, and Mrs. J. L. Schwalbe.

Mrs. J. L. Schwalbe baked and decorated the birthday cake which was served with coffee. Those attending were a granddaughter, Mrs. Gene Armstrong, Starla and Wanliss of Jalisco; Mr. and Mrs. Schwalbe, his sister, Mrs. Fritz Schram, Missville; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Schram and Mrs. Pearl Nicholson; Mrs. Ernest Miller of San Diego, Calif.; Mrs. A. A. Billings Jr., and Miss Eva Phillips, her other two daughters and Kevin Phillips, another grandson.

W. E. Riggs of Del Rio had major surgery in that city Sunday. Her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Riggs, spent several days with her last week.

*District Officers  
Installed For  
Culture Club State*

The Sanderson Culture Club members had the last meeting of the club year Saturday, a luncheon in the dining room at Harvey's Restaurant at 1:00 o'clock.

White cloths were on the T-shaped table with an arrangement of white majestic daisies and madonna lillies on the head table and a large assortment of cut flowers in shades of red and white on the other table. The GFWC emblem was on the napkins and place cards.

Chicken salad, ripe and stuffed olives, celery sticks, pickles, and a pickled peach were on the luncheon plate with crackers, mints, and potato chips in bowls on the tables. Mrs. R. A. Harrison gave the invocation.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. N. M. Mitchell, Mrs. R. A. Gatlin, vice-president, presided during a brief business meeting when the action of the club was taken on matters decided upon at the recent called meeting.

She also introduced the special numbers for entertainment. Miss Patricia Reece presented two of her speech pupils, Ana Calzada and Candace Cooksey, who read prose and poetry pertaining to words which they had selected. Several numbers were sung by "The Silhouettes": Gina Hardgrave, Marsha Monroe, Susan McSparran, and Christine Downie with Gina playing the guitar accompaniment.

Other visitors were introduced including Mmes. W. H. Grigsby, Pinky Carruthers, Ray Clifford, W. W. Sudduth, C. W. Cox of Monahans, Haley Haynes of Lubbock, and J. Garner.

Mrs. Richard Dublin, Western District TFWC president, made a short talk on "Federation" and then installed the new officers for the 1969-70 club year giving each officer a blue-print for a "house for tomorrow" and, relative to her duties, assigning to her some room in the house with the membership assigned to the antrim and the bedrooms.

Mrs. Paul Kenworthy also of Odessa, accompanied Mrs. Dublin to Sanderson.

The new officers include: Mrs. W. H. Savage, president; Mrs. N. M. Mitchell Jr., vice-president; Mrs. C. B. Card, secretary; Mrs. H. E. Ezelle, treasurer; Mrs. E. H. Jessup, historian; Mrs. L. H. Gilbreath, reporter; Mrs. R. A. Gatlin, corresponding secretary; Mrs. N. M. Mitchell, parliamentarian; Mrs. Mary Cox, Federation counselor.

Mrs. Dublin pinned the president's pin on Mrs. Savage before the department chairmen and special committees were named to include: conservation, Mrs. N. M. Mitchell; education, Mrs. Dick Sullivan; fine arts, Mrs. N. M. Mitchell Jr.; home life, Mrs. Card; public affairs, Mrs. Ezelle; international affairs, Mrs. R. A. Harrison, Texas heritage, Mrs. E. H. Jessup; international clubs, Mrs. C. F. Cox; yearbook committee; Mmes. N. M. Mitchell Jr., Card, S. D. Harrison, and E. E. Farley; finance, Mmes. Ezelle, N. M. Mitchell, and A. D. Brown; honor students, Mmes. Farley and Jessup; Christmas project, Mmes. N. M. Mitchell, R. A. Harrison, and G. K. Mitchell; Texas Day, Mmes. Gatlin, Jessup, and L. H. Gilbreath; constitution, Mmes. H. C. Goldwire, Ezelle, and Farley; Federation Day, Mrs. Mary Cox and Mrs. Goldwire.

Among a large number of friends attending funeral services in Alpine May 11 were the six pallbearers J. L. Schwalbe, Tol Murrah, Aubry Harrell, Don Allen, Jack Hardgrave, and Bob Allen.

Miss Carol Anne Hord, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Babb, is a graduate of a Houston High School this spring. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hord.

*Mrs. Ray Clifford  
As New President  
Of Hobby Club*

Dinner was served at noon to the Hobby Club which met on May 13 in the ranch home of Mrs. W. A. Arledge with Mrs. Andy White as co-hostess. Mrs. Newman Billings gave the invocation. The menu consisted of barbecued beef, pinto beans, salads, green beans, pie, coffee, and iced tea.

Mrs. Guy Skiles presided during the meeting which followed. There was a discussion of a reunion for the observation of the club's 10th birthday.

Members worked on boudoir pillows with each member receiving a pillow and one was also sent to Mrs. Myrtle Cash who was ill.

New officers were installed and include: Mrs. Ray Clifford, president; Mrs. Newman Billings, vice-president; Mrs. R. A. Gatlin, secretary; Mrs. Guy Skiles, treasurer; Mrs. A. M. Cook, parliamentarian; Mrs. Andy White, reporter.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Skiles. Also present were Mmes. B. C. Babb, and Elmo Arledge, a visitor.

*Presbyterian Circle  
Meets Monday*

Circle I of the Presbyterian Women of the Church met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. H. Savage.

Mrs. E. F. Pierson, circle chairman, read the 121st Psalm for her devotional and led the prayer to open the meeting. The hymn "Sweet Hour of Prayer" was sung.

Announcement was made of the gift of a gold pen to Miss Oralia Munoz, a graduating senior, who has been in charge of the nursery at the church; and of an Abingdon Bible Commentary as a "love gift" to Mrs. R. A. Gatlin.

Mrs. Sid Harkins was the moderator for the Bible lesson on "Jesus' Teaching Through Miracles" based on Luke 13, 14, and 15. Mrs. J. D. Nichols gave the dismissal prayer.

Mrs. Savage served spiced peans, lime fluff, and iced tea during the social hour. Also present were Mmes. C. C. Mitchell, E. E. Harkins, J. A. Gilbreath, David Mitchell, E. E. Farley, E. H. Jessup, and A. H. Zuberbueller.

**BRENDA BOLINGER FETED AT SWIM PARTY**

About 40 junior high school youths attended the swimming party last Friday evening at the Sunset Siesta Motel honoring Brenda Bolinger who is moving to Odessa.

Vicki Haley, assisted by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Haley, hosted the party. Refreshments of punch and cookies were served at the pool-side.



Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dyal of New Braunfels, former residents, were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Harrell and Mrs. John Neal who took their visitors to Fort Davis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bondurant of San Antonio are spending the week here on the ranch and will attend the high school graduation exercises when their granddaughter, Christine Downie, gets her high school diploma.

Mrs. Tol Murrah was brought home Saturday from El Paso and is making satisfactory recovery from recent orthopedic surgery. She is able to walk with her crutches.

Mrs. Worth Odom spent two days in Fort Stockton with her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Holland

Jr., and family while Mr. Odom was on a fishing trip. Starting Saturday, May 24, Riggins Jewel & Gift Shop will be closed on Saturdays at noon until September 1.

Word was received from C. M. Murray that his grandson, Kenneth Eldrige Murrah, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Murray of Houston, will receive his degree from the University of Houston on May 21. He was reported to be on the deans' list and an honor student.

Anne Catherine Kerr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard A. Kerr and granddaughter of Mrs. Jim Kerr, will be among the graduates of Ursuline Academy in San Antonio on May 23. They are former residents of Sanderson.

A note from Mrs. O. H. McAlams of Round Rock, a former resident, conveyed the news that she has moved to Sabinal and would welcome visits from her Sanderson friends.

Starting Saturday, May 24, Riggins Jewel & Gift Shop will be closed on Saturdays at noon until September 1.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Sutton Jr. and family of Brownwood were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Reg Monroe, Marsha, and Jimmy on the ranch. He is the brother of Mrs. Monroe.

Mrs. Clarence Jessup returned home last week after being in an Alpine hospital with pneumonia. She will not be able to teach the rest of this semester and her place is being filled by Mrs. John Wegener.

Mrs. Joe F. Brown, former resident, has been seriously ill in recent weeks, but is reported to be showing some improvement. She is in a Uvalde hospital.

Miss Linda Louwien of Houston was a Mother's Day weekend visitor here with her mother, Mrs. H. B. Louwien, and family.

John L. Whistler, commander of the local post of the American Legion, and Mrs. Whistler attended the Fourth Division

meeting in San Angelo last weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Allen joined them there to attend the meeting as delegates of the local post and Auxiliary.

Dudley Harrison and R. S. Wilkinson attended funeral rites in Fort Stockton last Thursday for J. A. Purser Sr., district sales supervisor for the Texas Co. in this area. He was stricken at a meeting there and death was immediate. Burial was in El Paso.



BY MARY LEE

Microwave ovens, which were introduced quite some time ago, are finally beginning to sizzle. According to a leading trade publication, there is great optimism about the future of cooking with microwaves.

Where only a couple of domestic appliance manufacturers were making the ovens a year or so ago, there are now a half-dozen or more top manufacturers on the electronic range bandwagon.

With prices coming down from the \$1,000 and higher level to around \$500, more homemakers can afford the new "instant cooking." And women who have seen the demonstrations or cooked with the microwave oven are tremendously enthusiastic about them, say industry sources.

Just think of being able to cook a 6-pound roast of beef in 30 minutes instead of 4 hours, or a 12-pound turkey in about an hour instead of 4½ hours. You can cook bacon in seconds and defrost foods in a jiffy as well.

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- IF A CHILD LIVES WITH RIDICULE. HE LEARNS TO BE SHY.
- IF A CHILD LIVES WITH SHAME. HE LEARNS TO FEEL GUILTY.
- IF A CHILD LIVES WITH TOLERANCE. HE LEARNS TO BE PATIENT.
- IF A CHILD LIVES WITH ENCOURAGEMENT. HE LEARNS CONFIDENCE.
- IF A CHILD LIVES WITH PRAISE. HE LEARNS TO APPRECIATE.
- IF A CHILD LIVES WITH FAIRNESS. HE LEARNS JUSTICE.
- IF A CHILD LIVES WITH SECURITY. HE LEARNS TO HAVE FAITH.
- IF A CHILD LIVES WITH APPROVAL. HE LEARNS TO LIKE HIMSELF.
- IF A CHILD LIVES WITH ACCEPTANCE AND FRIENDSHIP. HE LEARNS TO FIND LOVE IN THE WORLD.

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### Wednesday Bridge Club

Mrs. J. T. Williams was hostess for the Wednesday Bridge Club which met May 8 in her home. She used arrangements of roses and snapdragons in the living room and pansies in the dining room. The luncheon was served at one o'clock.

High score in the card games was held by Mrs. Jack Riggs, second high by Mrs. Austin Nance, with Mrs. Herbert Brown and R. S. Wilkinson holding slam.

Also present were Mmes. Bill Rose, Jim Kerr, Worth Odum, and Edward Kerr.

### Thursday Bridge Club

Mrs. Worth Odum invited the members of the Thursday Bridge Club and several guests to her ranch home last week for a luncheon. Arrangements of spring flowers including beautiful roses decorated the party rooms.

In the card games high score was held by Mrs. Jim Kerr, second high by Mrs. James Caroline who got the slam prize also and Mrs. Weldon Cox was low.

Also present were Mmes. Gilbert Bell, Lee Weathersbee, Bill Rose, C. H. Stavley, W. W. Sudduth, Mary Lou Kellar, W. H. Goldwire, Vic Littleton, and Dan Riggs.

### Tuesday Bridge Club

The Tuesday Bridge Club was entertained in the dining room at Harvey's Restaurant last week with Mrs. Hugh Rose as hostess. Pots of African violets decorated the dining room.

High score and slam prize went to Mrs. Austin Nance, second high to Mrs. Jack Riggs, and slam to Mrs. W. A. Banner.

Also present were Mmes. C. E. Litton, James Caroline, Roger Rose, Jim Kerr, and Mary Lou Kellar.

Pie, coffee and iced tea were served for refreshments.

Amanda Niccolls, daughter of Mrs. B. F. Davis of Janesville, Calif., was a May graduate of the Woodrow Wilson High School in Dallas.

Mrs. Clyde Higgins, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. L. G. Hinkle and sons, Glen Bob and Paul, will attend her granddaughter's graduation.

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### Legion Auxiliary Meets Last Week

The Legion Auxiliary met in the home of Mrs. A. C. Garner Tuesday evening with Mrs. C. E. Litton as co-hostess.

Following the opening ceremony which included the singing of the National Anthem, the Hymn of the Month "America the Beautiful" was sung and Mrs. W. H. Savage read the Patriotic Hymn of the Month.

Since May is "Americanism Month", Mrs. Jim Kerr and Mrs. H. E. Ezelle read inspiring cuttings from speeches on that subject. Mrs. E. E. Farley, president, conducted a quiz.

Final plans for the Auxiliary's participation in the annual Fourth of July celebration planned by the Legion will be made at the June meeting. This year special emphasis is to be given the parade to open the day's festivities and the ringing of the bells at 11 A.M. the hour that the Armistice was signed as this year marks the 50th birthday of the Legion.

A silver medallion commemorating the Legion's birthday will be given to Tom Breeding in appreciation of his work in supervising the erection of the roof and shade over the tables and benches at the hall, a project of the Auxiliary.

Mrs. Farley read the minutes of the late 16th District Convention in McCamey. Mrs. Marvin Allen was the delegate to the 4th Division meeting in San Angelo last weekend.

An order will be made for 750 poppies. Graves of deceased Auxiliary members in the local cemetery will be decorated on Memorial Day.

Following adjournment, the hostesses served cheesecake, cookies, and frosted lime punch.

Also present were Mmes. Clyde Higgins, L. H. Gilbreath, E. McSparran and George Garner of Austin, a visitor.

Phyllis Ann Schroegler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schroegler of Santa Fe, N. M., former residents, was a May graduate of the Santa Fe High School. She is the granddaughter of Rev. and Mrs. John W. Byrd now of Van Horn.

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Mrs. Ernest Miller of Burbank, Calif., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. A. Shelton.

Mrs. Clyde Higgins went to Uvalde Sunday to attend funeral services for her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lawrence Carter, who died Friday in a Kerrville rest home. The Lawrences were former Sanderson residents. She is survived by four children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Zuberbueler were weekend visitors in Marfa with their daughter, Mrs. Buster Holland, and family. Scotty Holland, their son, will be a May graduate of the Marfa High School.

Sheriff Bill C. Cooksey and his mother, Mrs. Tom Cooksey, went to Mullen on a business trip last week.

Mrs. Gene Armstrong and

children of Hobbs, N. M., were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Haley, and Vicki. Mrs. J. D. Nichols has been

visiting in Uvalde with her daughter, Mrs. Seth Davenport, and family and in San Antonio with her other daughter, Mrs. Bernice Peace.



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### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (HJR3)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Sections 42, 46, and 48 of Article III, Sections 3a and 7 of Article VII, Section 12 of Article VIII, Section 3 of Article IX, Sections 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9 of Article X, Section 10 of Article XI, Sections 3, 4, 5, and 7 of Article XII, Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article XIII, Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 of Article XIV, Sections 3, 4, 7, 13, 29, 32, 34, 35, 36, 38, 42, 45, 46, 54, 55, 57, 58, and 60 of Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, be repealed, it being specifically

understood that the repeal of these sections shall not in any way make any substantive change in our present constitution.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to repeal the obsolete, superfluous and unnecessary sections of the Constitution."

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE ON THE BALLOT (HJR8)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 5, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 5. The Legislature shall meet in regular session each year at such time as may be provided by law and at other times as convened by the Governor. When convened in odd-numbered years in regular session, the Legislature shall devote the first thirty days to the introduction of bills and resolutions, acting upon emergency appropriations, passing upon the confirmation of the recess appointees of the Governor and such emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor in special messages to the Legislature; provided that during the succeeding thirty days of such session the various committees of each House shall hold hearings to consider all bills and resolutions and other matters then pending; and such emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor; provided further that during the following sixty days the Legislature shall act upon such bills and resolutions as

may be then pending and upon such emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor in special messages to the Legislature; provided, however, either House may otherwise determine its order of business during this session by an affirmative vote of four-fifths of its membership.

"Regular sessions in even-numbered years, commencing in 1972, shall not exceed sixty days and shall be limited to legislation on the subjects of providing funds for the support of functions and activities of the state government and emergency matters submitted by the Governor in messages to the Legislature. At each regular session, commencing in 1971, appropriations shall be made for the support of functions and activities of the state government for the next fiscal year."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on August 5, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to provide for annual legislative sessions."



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#### Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (SJR6)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 2, Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 2. All occupation taxes shall be equal and uniform upon the same class of subjects within the limits of the authority levying the tax; but the legislature may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes; all real and personal property owned by a nonprofit water supply corporation which is reasonably necessary for, and is used in, operation of the corporation in the acquisition, storage, transportation and sale of water as authorized as its sole legal purpose; actual places or (of) religious worship, also any property owned by a church or by a strictly religious society for the exclusive use as a dwelling place for the ministry of such church or religious society, and which yields no revenue whatever to

such church or religious society; provided that such exemption shall not extend to more property than is reasonably necessary for a dwelling place and in no event more than one acre of land; places of burial not held for private or corporate profit; all buildings used exclusively and owned by persons or associations of persons for school purposes and the necessary furniture of all schools and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary in conducting any association engaged in promoting the religious, educational and physical development of boys, girls, young men or young women operating under a state or national organization of like character; also the endowment funds of such institutions of learning and religion not used with a view to profit; and when the same are invested in bonds or mortgages, or in land or other property which has been and shall hereafter be bought in by such institutions under foreclosure sales made to satisfy or protect such

bonds or mortgages, that such exemption of such land and property shall continue only for two years after the purchase of the same at such sale by such institutions and no longer, and institutions of purely public charity; and all laws exempting property from taxation other than the property above mentioned shall be null and void."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the Constitutional amendment to exempt nonprofit water supply corporations from taxation," and "AGAINST the Constitutional amendment to exempt nonprofit water supply corporations from taxation."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election, and this amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR4)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 51-d, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 51-d. The Legislature shall have the power, by general law, to provide for the payment of assistance by the State of Texas to the surviving spouse and minor children of officers, employees, and agents, including members of organized volunteer fire departments and members of organized police reserve or auxiliary units with authority to make an arrest, of the state or of any city, county, district, or other political subdivision who, because of the hazardous nature of their duties, suffer death in the course of the performance of those official duties. Should the Legislature

enact any enabling laws in anticipation of this amendment, no such law shall be void by reason of its anticipatory nature."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for payment of assistance to surviving spouses and minor children of governmental officers, employees, and agents, including members of organized volunteer fire departments and certain organized police reserve units, who have hazardous duties and are killed in the performance of those duties."



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### Sheriff's Department Radio Contract Let

The Commissioners Court of Terrell County authorized the purchase of radio equipment for use in the county emergency vehicles. There will be a base station and antenna in connection with the Sanderson Cable Co. tower on the hill west of town and transmitters and receivers in the cars of Sheriff Bill C. Cooksey and Deputy Sheriff Dalton Hogg, and in the county's ambulance.

The cost of the system is approximately \$6,100.00 and an Odessa firm was the lowest of three bidders for the installation of the system. Installation is to begin as soon as the equipment is available, according to Sheriff Cooksey, who stated that the system should be operational in 16 weeks.

The sheriff stated that the main purpose of the system would be to see that contact was available from the ambulance to either Sanderson, Fort Stockton, or Alpine at all times when enroute to a hospital so that in case of a breakdown help could be summoned. He said the equipment would also give them immediate contact with other law enforcement agencies of the area to give or secure information that was needed.

It was pointed out that the testing of the equipment could be made only after it was installed, but they were given assurance that it would furnish a much-needed facility for the officers.

### LL Baseball Season Begins

The Little League baseball season in Sanderson opened this week with the first game Tuesday night at the Little League field near the Legion Hall. The Dodgers and Giants were matched for the opening game.

Julian Martinez is coaching the Yankees and is assisted by Gene Black and Roman Gonzales.

Jack O'Donnell is coaching the Giants assisted by Jim Turner and Eric Cooksey when he returns home from College.

The Dodgers have Alex Escamilla for the coach and he is assisted by Stanley Seguro.

There will be games each Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday evenings beginning at 6:30.

Ray Fitzgerald is president of the Little League; Ernest Couch is vice-president; Mrs. Robert Hunn is secretary-treasurer; and Clayton Stubblefield, the announcer.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Andrews and children, Toni and Jerry, of Pecos spent last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown, and family.

### Baccalaureate Service Held Sunday Night

The Baccalaureate service for the senior class of Sanderson High School was Sunday evening in the high school auditorium.

Mrs. R. S. Wilkinson played the processional and recessional marches.

The invocation was given by Yolanda Salazar and the benediction by Viola Fisher.

Mrs. Darwin Schrader directed the high school choir in singing three numbers: "Jesus Calls Us", "Have Thine Own Way", and "May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You".

The sermon was given by Rev. Albert Peak, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, after Christine Downie had read the scripture which was Mark 8:34-38.

The ushers were Romelia Villarreal, Candace Cooney, Annie Adams, Emelio Martinez, Tom Allen, and Oscar Villegas.

### School Board Action Is Noted

The Board of Trustees of the Terrell County Independent School District met in regular session Monday night and the following action was taken in regards to business before the group:

The student teacher contract with Sul Ross State University was approved for next year;

Willborn Myers was hired as head coach of football, track, assistant basketball coach and high school teacher;

Mrs. Raymond Sanders was hired as elementary teacher;

Carroll B. Card was hired as driver education instructor;

Mrs. J. A. Gilbreath was hired as teacher aide to replace Mrs. F. M. Wood for the rest of the year;

W. G. Shoemaker was hired as custodian;

Mrs. C. O. Cash was approved as secretary for the next year;

The pay for driver education instructor was set at \$25 per student; for sponsors of the school newspaper and yearbook at \$200 each;

Athletic and student insurance and the agency was approved for next year;

Hobbs Demolishing Co. was granted an extension of 30 days for their work;

Bids for fuel oil, butane, bus service will be advertised.

Mrs. Walter Thorn returned home Thursday from an Alpine hospital where she had received medical treatment for 10 days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. DeVolin of Marfa visited here last weekend with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Nance.

### Methodists Plan Negro Merger and Reconciliation Fund

Nearly one million United Methodists in Texas are represented at the nine annual conferences which began meeting last week and will continue through the middle of June.

Major concerns of the conferences are expected to include: plans for merging the Negro annual conferences with six of the seven Anglo annual conferences in the state adopting a constitution for a new state-wide communications agency; and developing direction for the \$20,000,000 Fund for Reconciliation.

The merger proposal calls for local churches in the Gulf Coast and West Texas (Negro) Annual Conferences which lie in the respective geographical boundary of the Central Texas, North Texas, Northwest Texas, Southwest Texas, and New Mexico Annual Conferences to become a part of the annual conferences in 1970. The merger would involve nearly 200 Negro churches and over 2000 Anglo churches.

Communications among United Methodists and through the mass media will get a boost with the expected ratification of a constitution of the Methodist Communications Council of Texas. The proposal calls for two major divisions of the council to be established. The church's 125-year old newspaper, the Texas Methodist, will head up an informational services division and the electronic services division will place increased emphasis on radio, TV, and film use by the church.

Detailed plans for the \$20,000,000 Fund for Reconciliation are expected to be adopted at each conference. Each conference is to retain one-half the funds raised and use them to foster reconciliation projects within its own boundaries.

The final sessions of each annual conference will see the traditional reading of the United Methodist pastoral appointments by the presiding bishops. Over 2000 pastors will be assigned to 2200 United Methodist churches in the state.

Some 65 United Methodist Churches in the western "wing" of Texas are actually a part of the New Mexico Annual Conference of which Van Horn is a part. Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Wofford and Gene Bingham returned today from Clovis, N.M. where they attended the conference.

Starting Saturday, May 24, Riggins Jewel & Gift Shop will be closed on Saturdays at noon until September 1. adv



Gilbert C. Valles

... magna cum laude graduate

Gilbert C. Valles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix S. Valles Sr., graduated with magna cum laude honors from Sul Ross State University Sunday, receiving his Bachelor of Arts Degree. He majored in history, government, and Spanish.

Mr. Valles is a 1966 graduate of Sanderson High School.

Honors that he received while at Sul Ross include nomination in "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities" and membership in the scholarship societies of Phi Alpha Theta and Alpha Chi. He also participated in the Newman Club and the Catholic Youth Organizations of Alpine.

Mr. Valles has a fellowship at the University of Houston and plans to do graduate study in Latin American studies starting in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Valles Sr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Valles Jr. of El Paso, and Mr. and Mrs. Juan Carrasco and Ernestina attended the graduation exercises.

### AWARDS PROGRAM FOR JUNIOR HIGH TODAY

There will be an awards program Thursday afternoon (today) in the high school auditorium for the junior high school students, according to an announcement by Jack Cosby, the principal.

The public is invited to the program.

### Library News

New biographies in the library include:

- "Madam Sarah"
- "Yes, I Can"
- "Amazing Mr. Doolittle"
- "Elizabeth and Essex"
- "Solo in Tom-toms"
- "Autobiografia de Benjamin Franklin"
- "The Man Who Is France"
- "Little Locksmith"
- "Sam Houston"
- "Next Week East Lynn"
- "Fifty Fabulous Years"
- "Anybody Can Do Anything"
- "Captain Jeff"
- "I'm a Lucky One"
- "Santa Anna the Eagle"
- "The Lady of the House"
- "Memoirs of Pancho Villa"
- "T. H. White"
- "The House at Otowi Bridge"

There are a number of overdue books out. If you are leaving town for the summer, please look over your shelves and if any books belong to the library they would appreciate their return.

Next week's paper will have information about the summer program and summer hours the library will be open.

### EASTER SEAL CAMPAIGN HAS \$207 FOR MONTH

C. G. Riggins, chairman of the Easter Seal campaign in Terrell County, reported \$207 received this year during April.

He stated that anyone with a crippling condition that has need of the help and services made possible through the funds derived from the sale of Easter Seals is requested to see him and he will be of any assistance possible.

James A. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Davis of El Paso, is graduating from Stephen F. Austin High School this month. The father is a son of Mrs. Nell Nance Stokes and they are former residents of Sanderson.

Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Mitchell left Monday for Beaumont to attend a meeting of the Texas Synod of the United Presbyterian Church of the United States.

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"My mother insisted upon knowing where we kids were at all times. You'd think we were on a chain gang. She had to know who our friends were, and what we were doing. She insisted if we said we'd be gone an hour that we be gone one hour or less; not one hour and one minute. I am really ashamed to admit it, but she actually struck us; not once, but each time we did as we pleased. Can you imagine someone actually hitting a child just because he disobeyed? Now you can begin to see how mean she really was.

"The worst is yet to come! We had to be in bed by nine each night, and up early the next morning. We couldn't sleep till noon like our friends. So, while they slept, my mother actually had the nerve to break the child labor law. She made us work. We had to wash dishes, make beds, learn to cook, and all sorts of cruel things. I believe she laid awake at night thinking up mean things to do to us. She always insisted upon our telling the truth,

the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, even if it killed us — and it nearly did!

"By the time we were teenagers, she was much wiser, and our life became even more unbearable. None of this tooting the horn of a car in front of the house for us to come running. She embarrassed us to no end by making our dates and friends come to the door to get us.

"I forgot to mention, while my friends were dating at the 'mature' age of 12 and 13, my old fashioned mother refused to let us date until the age of 15 and 18. Fifteen, that is, if you dated only to go to school functions, and that was twice a year.

"My mother was a complete failure as a mother! None of us has ever been arrested or beaten his mate! Each of my brothers served his time in the service of his country. And whom do we have to blame for the terrible way we turned out? You are right, our mean mother! Look at all these things we missed — we never got to march in a protest parade; nor take part in a riot; burn draft cards, and a million and one things that our friends did. She forced us to grow into God fearing, educated, honest adults.

"Using this as a background, I am trying to raise my three children. I stand a little taller and I am filled with pride when my children call me 'mean.' Because you see, I thank God. He gave me me 'the meanest mother in the whole world!'"

—Author—"Anonymous"

### THE TIMES



Bonhomie Club Meeting in Kenzie Home... Mrs. T. W. McKenzie invited members of the Bonhomie Club to her home for their party Wednesday afternoon...

conut cake and angel food cup cakes were served for refreshments. Also present were Meses. L. R. Hall, F. G. Grigsby, H. P. Boyd, C. I. White, J. Garner, W. D. O'Bryant, E. F. Pierson, Ray Caldwell, Dawson, and S. C. Harrell; also three guests Mrs. Grace Wheeler, Mrs. J. C. Halbert and Mrs. S. J. Burchett.

times in recent months. Mrs. Harry Nutter and son, Nathan, of Big Lake, were overnight visitors here Wednesday with her brothers, Joe Farley and Raymond Farley. George Turner of Pandale underwent cup orthoplasty surgery in a San Angelo hospital last Tuesday. Mrs. Turner and

their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Turner of Gainesville, have been with him and Mrs. Turner reported his condition to be satisfactory.

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Personals . . .

Mrs. Ella Schram of Lewisville is visiting here with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Schwalbe. Atilano Bravo, who is seriously ill, was taken to a Galveston hospital the first of last week to continue medical treatment. He had been in an Odesa hospital for treatment several

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT (HJR7)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding new Section 64 to read as follows: Section 64. All other provisions of the Constitution notwithstanding, bonds issued pursuant to constitutional authority shall bear such rates of interest as shall be prescribed by the issuing agency, subject to limitations as may be imposed by the legislature."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to remove the constitutional interest rate limitations, subject to limits imposed by the Legislature, for bonds issued pursuant to constitutional authority."

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (SJR31)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 24, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows: Section 24. The Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall each receive from the Public Treasury an annual salary in an amount to be fixed by the Legislature, not to exceed one-half the annual salary of the Governor. Each other member of the Legislature shall receive from the Public Treasury an annual salary to be fixed by the Legislature, not to exceed the annual salary paid to a district judge from state funds. Members of the Legislature shall also receive a per diem of not exceeding Twelve Dollars (\$12) per day during each Regular and Special Session of the Legis-

lature. No Regular Session shall be of longer duration than one hundred and forty (140) days. Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on August 5, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment providing that the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall receive a salary fixed by the Legislature, not to exceed one-half the salary of the Governor; providing that the Legislature shall fix the salary of the other members, not to exceed that received by a district judge from state funds; and removing the 120-day limitation on per diem for regular sessions."

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT ON THE BALLOT (HJR50)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding new Section 50b-1 to read as follows: Section 50b-1. (a) The Legislature may provide that the Comptroller, Texas College and University System, or its successor or successors, shall have authority to issue and sell general obligation bonds of the State of Texas in an amount not to exceed Two Hundred Million Dollars (\$200,000,000) in addition to those heretofore authorized to be issued pursuant to Section 50b of the Constitution. The bonds authorized herein shall be executed in such form, upon such terms and in such denomination as may be prescribed by law and shall bear interest, and be paid in such installments as may be prescribed by the Legislature, provided that the maximum net effective interest rate to be borne by such bonds shall be fixed by law. (b) The moneys received from the sale of such bonds shall be deposited to the credit of the Texas Opportunity Plan created by Section 50b of the Constitution and shall otherwise be handled as provided in Section 50b of the

Constitution and the laws enacted pursuant thereto. (c) The said bonds shall be general obligations of the state and shall be payable in the same manner and from the same sources as bonds heretofore authorized pursuant to Section 50b. (d) All bonds issued hereunder shall, after approval by the Attorney General, registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, and delivery to the purchasers, be incontestable and shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas under this Constitution. (e) Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this Amendment such acts shall not be void because of their anticipatory nature. Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The Constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for additional loans to students at institutions of higher education under the Texas Opportunity Plan."

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (HJR9)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section 49-d-1 to read as follows: "Section 49-d-1. (a) In addition to Texas Water Development Bonds heretofore authorized to be issued by Sections 49-c and 49-d of Article III of the Constitution, the Texas Water Development Board is hereby authorized to issue \$3,500,000,000 in aggregate principal amount of bonds. No part of such additional bonds shall be issued prior to approval thereof by the vote of two-thirds of the elected members of both houses of the Legislature. (b) The proceeds from the sale of such bonds shall be deposited in the Texas Water Development Fund. (c) The bonds herein authorized and all bonds authorized by such Sections 49-c and 49-d of Article III shall bear such interest and mature as the Texas Water Development Board shall prescribe subject to the limitations as may be imposed by the Legislature. (d) The Texas Water Development Fund shall be used for the purposes heretofore permitted by and subject to the limitations in said Sections 49-c and 49-d and in addition thereto for the purposes of developing water resources and facilities for the State of Texas, both within the State and without the

State of Texas. Provided, however, that financial assistance may be made pursuant to the provisions of such Sections 49-c and 49-d subject only to the availability of funds and without regard to the provisions in Section 49-c that such financial assistance shall terminate after December 31, 1982. (e) Under such provisions as the Legislature may prescribe, the Texas Water Development Board may receive grants and, in addition, execute contracts with the United States or any of its agencies, other states of the United States, foreign governments and others, for the acquisition and development of such water resources and facilities for the State of Texas. Such contracts when executed may be secured by the general credit of the state, and if so secured shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas in the same manner and with the same effect as Texas Water Development Bonds. If facilities are acquired for a term of years, such contracts shall contain provisions for renewal that will protect the state's investment. The aggregate principal amount of Texas Water Development Bonds authorized herein and in said Sections 49-c and 49-d shall be reduced by the aggregate of principal payments committed under such contracts constituting general obligations of the state. The provisions hereof shall not be construed to limit the authority of the Texas

Water Development Board to execute contracts or issue revenue bonds when such contracts or bonds are not secured by the general credit of the state.

"(f) Texas Water Development Bonds and such contracts secured by the general credit of the state shall after approval by the Attorney General, registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, and delivery to the purchasers, be incontestable and shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas under the Constitution of Texas.

"(g) Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such Acts shall not be void by reason of their anticipatory character."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on Tuesday, August 5, 1969, at which election all ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment broadening the powers of the Texas Water Development Board and the purposes of the Texas Water Development Fund; eliminating the interest limitations on Texas Water Development Bonds; raising the authorized amount of Texas Water Development Bonds by \$3,500,000,000; extending the maturity schedule on Texas Water Development Bonds; eliminating the procedures for curtailment and the curtailment date of financial assistance to be provided by the Texas Water Development Board."

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (SJR8)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 51-a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "Section 51-a. The Legislature shall have the power, by General Laws, to provide, subject to limitations herein contained, and such other limitations, restrictions and regulations as may be by the Legislature be deemed expedient, for assistance grants to and/or medical care for, and for rehabilitation and any other services included in the federal laws as they now read or as they may hereafter be amended, providing matching funds to help such families and individuals attain or retain capability for independence or self-care, to accept and expend funds from the Government of the United States for such purposes in accordance with the laws of the United States as they now are or as they may hereafter be amended, and to make appropriations out of state funds for such purposes; provided that the maximum amount paid out of state funds to or on behalf of any needy person shall not exceed the amount that is matchable out of federal funds; provided that the total amount of such assistance payments only out of state funds on behalf of such individuals shall not exceed the amount of Eighty Million Dollars (\$80,000,000) during any fiscal year. "Supplementing legislative appropriations for assistance payments authorized by this Section, the following sums are allocated out of the Omnibus Tax Clearance Fund and are appropriated to the State Department of Public Welfare for the period beginning September 1, 1969 and ending August 31, 1971: Three Million, Six Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$3,600,000) for Old Age Assistance, Two Million, Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$2,500,000) for Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled, and Twenty-Three Million, Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$23,900,000) for Aid to Families with Dependent Children. Such allocations and appropriations shall be made available on the basis of equal monthly installments and otherwise shall be subject to the provisions of currently existing laws making allocations and appropriations for these purposes. "Provided further, that if the limitations and restrictions herein contained are found to be in conflict with the provisions of appropriate federal statutes, as they now are or as they may be amended to the extent that federal matching money is not available to

making matching funds available to help such families and individuals attain or retain capability for independence or self-care, to accept and expend funds from the Government of the United States for such purposes in accordance with the laws of the United States as they now are or as they may hereafter be amended, and to make appropriations out of state funds for such purposes; provided that the maximum amount paid out of state funds to or on behalf of any needy person shall not exceed the amount that is matchable out of federal funds; provided that the total amount of such assistance payments only out of state funds on behalf of such individuals shall not exceed the amount of Eighty Million Dollars (\$80,000,000) during any fiscal year. "Supplementing legislative appropriations for assistance payments authorized by this Section, the following sums are allocated out of the Omnibus Tax Clearance Fund and are appropriated to the State Department of Public Welfare for the period beginning September 1, 1969 and ending August 31, 1971: Three Million, Six Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$3,600,000) for Old Age Assistance, Two Million, Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$2,500,000) for Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled, and Twenty-Three Million, Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$23,900,000) for Aid to Families with Dependent Children. Such allocations and appropriations shall be made available on the basis of equal monthly installments and otherwise shall be subject to the provisions of currently existing laws making allocations and appropriations for these purposes. "Provided further, that if the limitations and restrictions herein contained are found to be in conflict with the provisions of appropriate federal statutes, as they now are or as they may be amended to the extent that federal matching money is not available to

the state for these purposes, then and in that event the Legislature is specifically authorized and empowered to prescribe such limitations and restrictions and enacts such laws as may be necessary in order that such federal matching money will be available for assistance and/or medical care for or on behalf of needy persons.

"Nothing in this Section shall be construed to amend, modify or repeal Section 31 of Article XVI of this Constitution; provided further, however, that such medical care, services or assistance shall also include the employment of objective or subjective means, without the use of drugs, for the purpose of ascertaining and measuring the powers of vision of the human eye, and fitting lenses or prisms to correct or remedy any defect or abnormal condition of vision. Nothing herein shall be construed to permit optometrists to treat the eyes for any defect whatsoever in any manner nor to administer nor to prescribe any drug or physical treatment whatsoever, unless such optometrist is a regularly licensed physician or surgeon under the laws of this state."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday in August, 1969. At the election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting "FOR" or "AGAINST" the proposition: "The Constitutional Amendment providing for assistance to and/or medical care on behalf of the needy aged, the needy blind, the needy disabled, and the needy dependent children and their caretakers; establishing Eighty Million Dollars (\$80,000,000) as the maximum amount that may be paid per year from state funds for assistance only; allocating and appropriating additional sums supplementing current legislative appropriations for assistance grants; and authorizing the Legislature to enact such laws as may be necessary in order that federal matching money will be available for assistance and/or medical care."



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Mr. and Mrs. Haley Haynes of Lubbock were weekend visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Haynes and Mrs. E. E. Farley.  
 Mrs. O. L. Dunagan of Bishop, Calif., has been visiting here with her mother, Mrs. V. G. Ross, and Mr. Ross.

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## Postal Rates Increase Slated

An "inherited" postal deficit of \$1.2 billion is responsible for the proposals to raise the postage bill for residents of Terrell County, Postmaster Hodgkins said today.

Mr. Hodgkins said he had been advised by Postmaster General Winton M. Blount in Washington, D. C. that the record \$1.2 billion 1970 deficit compelled President Nixon to seek postage rate increases. Without higher rates the Department will be left with a staggering deficit that would become an added public tax burden.

In addition to increasing letter mail from 6 to 7 cents, as proposed by the Johnson Administration, President Nixon also asked that second and third-class mailers help reduce the large postal deficit which would otherwise be paid by taxpayers, the postmaster said.  
 For bulk third-class mail and most magazines and newspapers, the rates would be increased 16 percent to 20 percent above today's levels, he noted. These percentages include rate hikes already scheduled by previous action of Congress.

The postmaster listed these other details on the proposed increases:

**First-class mail:** Letters and post cards would be increased one cent, to 7 cents an ounce and 6 cents a piece, respectively, on July 1, 1969. Airmail postage would remain at 10 cents.

**Second-Class Mail:** A handling charge of 3/10ths of a cent per piece for circulation outside of county will be charged after July 1, 1969.



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## DEN 5 CUB SCOUTS TAKEN THROUGH SONORA CAVERNS

The members of Den 5 of the Cub Scouts were taken to the Sonora Caverns Saturday. They had lunch at noon at the picnic grounds there.

Making the trip were Jody Callahan, Henry Elizondo, Tom Whistler, George Ochoa, James Finley, Rusty and Rocky McDonald, Julian Martinez, Wade Conn and Shalar Sumrall, John Escudero, and Gib Bell.

Den Mothers making the trip were Mmes. Tex Sumrall, Bill McDonald, and Julian Martinez; also Mrs. Bill Goodwin and Mrs. Gilbert Bell.

Miss Lellee Mitchell, a student at Trinity University in San Antonio, spent last weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Mitchell.

Herman Chandler, who had surgery in a San Angelo hospital over two weeks ago, was at home for a few days and then returned to San Angelo to continue treatments. His wife has been with him.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stumberg returned home Monday afternoon after making the train trip from Ojinaga, Mexico, to Topolobampo. The trip took a week.

## LISTEN TO LUKE

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 is it the reparation sought is only from Christian churches, and as far as we know up to now only from Protestant denominations? Shouldn't the DAR, DRT, Order of the Alamo, and other civic, fraternal, social, and even the Ku Klux Klan share in the debt too?

Somewhere from deep within the grey-matter comes forth the logic that there is now possible a chance that tomorrow will come and that with it will be a new beginning of a new era in the life of all the living. Whatever life owes anyone - if anything - from yesterday or even today - cannot be paid. And if it could be paid, dollars and cents could not buy time and its advantages or disadvantages. It is not to be bought, but used!

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The parishoners of St. James Catholic Church are giving a going-away party Saturday evening for their pastor, Rev. Dan Dierschke. "Father Dan" as he is affectionately called locally, is going to San Antonio to attend Our Lady of the Lake College to work on his Master's Degree.

The party will be in the parish hall and will begin at 8:00 o'clock. A cordial invitation is being extended to everyone to attend.

Mrs. Wilson Banner has returned home after undergoing medical treatment in an Alpine hospital for a week.

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