

The Junior Chamber of Commerce is made up of wide awake, alert, on-the-ball young men.

For example, the local club got together a group to visit the meeting of the club at Dublin. The local members, under the leadership of Ken Minyard, set out for Dublin Monday evening. They arrived in Dublin okay, found the place where the meeting was to be held, and were all set to have an enlightening session.

However, there was one slight problem. The meeting had been held on the preceding Friday.

The local Jaycees would have felt much worse about this misadventure, however, if had not learned that a delegation from the Stephenville Jaycee organization came to Santa Anna the same night.

They couldn't find the meeting either.

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We have had many testimonials about the quality of *The Santa Anna News*. Both ways as a matter of fact. But we have never had one quite so emphatic as the one we received the other day. Seems a lady, who will remain nameless here at her request, wanted to drive right down and pick up her copy of the paper, hot off the press Thursday morning. She lives on a hill, and when she started down the incline in her car, she experienced some kind of mechanical failure—emergency brake failed to hold or something—and she made kindling out of a utility pole and didn't do her car much good either.

"The Santa Anna News is the only newspaper I ever wrecked a car going to get a copy of," she says.

We know we put out an exciting and interesting paper, but we would appreciate it if our readers would try to control themselves in their mad haste to get a copy.

We have been tapped to play a role in the upcoming play to be staged by the Santa Anna Independent School District P-TA. This will no doubt set the American theatre back about 30 years. We play a Scotchman, complete with kilts. It will be worth the price of admission to see us in kilts.

We are now involved in desperate research, trying to find the answer to the old question, "What does a Scotchman wear under his kilts?"

According to a release received from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, personnel of this agency has transplanted 200 redfish fry into a couple of lakes on the Pecos River. We come from the Gulf Coast originally, and we have had our share of fishing tackle busted by ornery redfish, one of the fightingest small gamefish around (by small we mean that it is not in the size class with tarpon and sailfish—a good-sized redfish can weigh in at an easy 25 pounds—this is the same fish known as the channel bass further north and east along the Atlantic coast).

It will be a sight worth beholding when some freshwater fisherman, all prepared to do battle with a fighting crappie, tangles with a mad ten-pound redfish in one of these Pecos River reservoirs. It could bring back the stories of the Loch Ness monster.

Some former residents, descendants of pioneers in Santa Anna, were by the office recently. Mr. D. D. (Dan) Paulk, Sr., who was born here in 1885, which makes him one year older than *The Santa Anna News*, came in, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Alex Paulk Kubeczka, and his daughter in law, Mrs. Dan Paulk, Jr. These folks are all from Houston, and they were accompanied by William A. Paulk, of Miami, Florida.

According to "Into The Setting Sun", a history of Coleman County and the Santa Anna area: "Frank Sullivan and the Paulk brothers settled Madge" in 1875. The book does not say who or what Madge is or was.

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BOND ELECTION CONTEST SUIT FILED FRIDAY

Municipal Election Races Go Down To The Wire; Irick Eligibility Questioned

One of the most hotly-contested municipal elections in recent Santa Anna history will be decided Tuesday, April 6, when the voters of the city go to the polls to elect a mayor and two aldermen.

Candidates now on the ballot include one candidate for mayor, incumbent W. Ford Barnes, and four hopefuls running for the two City Council seats available. Alderman candidates include incumbent Lewis Miles Guthrie, along with H. A. (Sy) Burden, Earl Irick, Jr., and Alton Bengel. The other incumbent, Doug Moore, is not a candidate for re-election.

The eligibility of one of the alderman candidates, Earl Irick, Jr., has been questioned in a new development in the race Tuesday, March 30. According to

County Attorney Wallace Dingus and County Judge Frank Lewis, Irick is not eligible to serve on the City Council as long as he is employed by the County, as is now the case.

County Commissioner Thomas Wristen notified Irick of this ruling Tuesday afternoon. According to Wristen, if Irick is elected, he will either have to resign from the City Council or from his job with the County.

Voting will take place in the Fire Department section of City Hall on Tuesday, April 6. Polls will open at 8:00 a.m. and will remain open until 7:00 p.m. Election judge will be Joe Baker, with Arthur Turney as assistant, and Mrs. Hardy Blue as clerk.

Voters, to be eligible to cast a ballot, must have a valid poll tax payment, or be eligible for exemption. All persons over 60 years of age are automatically eligible for exemption. They need only to come to the voting place with proof of age and address. All voters must have resided in Texas for one year, and in Coleman County for six months, prior to the date of the election, and must be a resident of the city of Santa Anna.

Excavation Begins On Medical Center Here This Week

Construction started this week on the second section of Ranger Park Inn nursing home, with foundation excavations being made for the 40 bed unit, which will double the capacity of the new nursing home.

As soon as the excavations finish with the nursing home work, they will begin work on the new Santa Anna Medical Center Hospital and clinic buildings. The nursing home will be a \$40,000 job, and the hospital and clinic construction will total more than \$300,000.

Completion of the nursing home unit is expected to require 90 days.

The first unit of Ranger Park Inn received final approval of the State Health Department following an inspection Tuesday, March 30.

Five County Meeting Set For Coleman

There will be a meeting of representative from five counties in Coleman Monday, April 5, to discuss organization of a group to work with the government under the Community Development Program.

Representatives from Coleman County will meet those from Concho, McCulloch, Runnels, Callahan counties in the courtroom at the County Courthouse, in Coleman, at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend this session.

Hand punches at the News

Some Signers Demand Names Be Removed; Claim Misrepresentation

TEXAS INDUSTRY WEEK

County Products To Be Feature Of Industry Show

Products manufactured in Coleman County will be the feature of a two day Industrial Show to be held in Coleman on Friday and Saturday of this week, April 2 and 3.

Nineteen County firms will be represented with exhibits at the show, including two from Santa Anna—Santa Anna Tile Company and Galloway Cabinet Shop.

The exhibition is to be located in the Old Morris Building, across from the First Baptist Church. This is the former location of Caperton Chevrolet Company.

The show will be open from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Friday evening, and from 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Saturday. Four \$25 United States Savings Bonds will be given away as door prizes, and all who attend may register. These Bonds will be awarded on the hour each hour from 3:00 p.m. through 6:00 p.m. Saturday. Winners do not have to be present.

The three banks in the County, Santa Anna National Bank, Coleman County State Bank, and First Coleman National Bank, are assisting in the production of the show, and furnish the Savings Bonds.

The Industrial Show is presented as part of the local recognition of Texas Industrial Week, proclaimed by Governor John Connally for the week from April 1 through April 7.

The public is urged to visit this show. There is no admission charge.

Local Guard Unit Adds Men

Company A 1st Battalion 142nd Infantry, Coleman County National Guard unit, gained the following new members in recent days.

Sergeant Marion S. Ward, who lives in Brownwood, recently enlisted in the unit. Ward is married to the former Bobbie Lynn Bull, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Yantis Bull, are former residents of the Santa Anna area. Sgt. Ward has prior service, and worked full-time for the guard in Dallas for about three years. He is employed by Uniform Rental Service, as a route salesman.

Specialist 4th Class Tex L. Robin began his military service in Company A several years ago, from which he entered the regular Army for a few years. He has been out of the service for some time and just recently re-enlisted in Company A. Sp4c Robin is married and lives in Coleman, where he is associated with the Tex Robin Boot and Shoe Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Holt of Oklahoma City, have been visiting with friends and relatives here. Mr. Holt was reared here and has been living in Oklahoma City for the past 10 years. They came by The News Office to renew their subscription and stated how much they enjoyed the news from home.

Frances Cleveland was the first presidential wife to campaign openly for her husband's reelection.

A suit contesting the results of the February 26 bond election in Santa Anna was filed in 35th District Court, in Coleman, Friday, March 26. The suit lists 19 persons as plaintiffs (those filing the suit), but in a series of late-breaking developments, four of these persons have petitioned the Court to have their names removed from the complaint, charging that the whole affair was misrepresented to them, and that they had no intention of participating in a contest of the election.

In another development, a spokesman for the attorneys representing the city stated Tuesday, March 30, that a countersuit for damages against those filing the original complaint is planned. The spokesman stated that if the contestants fall in their attempt to have the election nullified, or if they fail to prove in court any one of the many contentions of irregularities, the city and the firm handling the bonds will be able to sue the persons listed as plaintiffs for recovery of damages. It is not known at presstime whether this countersuit will be for the amount of actual damages only, or if it will include claims for exemplary or punitive damages in addition to actual damages.

Attorneys from Dallas and Austin, representing one of the leading legal firms in the state specializing in bond matters, will work with the city's attorneys, Hal Woodward and Don Johnson, in handling the city's end of the legal dispute. They are expected to file an answer to the original suit late this week.

Those listed on the original petition as plaintiffs in the suit, which is styled "Leland Thompson, et al, vs. W. Ford Barnes, Mayor of the City of Santa Anna,

et al" include the following local citizens: Leland P. Thompson, H. B. Monroe, Mrs. H. B. Monroe, L. A. Welch, Mrs. L. A. Welch, Bobby J. Fuller, D. D. Blake, Mrs. Clara Gilbreath, W. R. Buse, Lela Campbell, S. L. McCrary, Maggie Culver, H. C. Goodwin, Mrs. H. C. Goodwin, T. H. Goodjohn, C. L. Eeds, Mrs. C. L. Eeds, Clark Miller, and Joe Wallace.

However, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Monroe and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Eeds have sent registered letters to the District Clerk for the 35th District Court and to the attorneys for the plaintiffs, the firm of Yates and Yates, of Abilene, stating that they wish their names removed as plaintiffs. They state that the whole matter was completely misrepresented to them when they were solicited to participate in the action, that they did not believe that the elections were handled incorrectly, that they did not believe that the Mayor and the members of the City Council (listed as defendants in the suit) had been responsible for any irregularities, and that they had not been informed that they would be included as plaintiffs in the suit.

At least two of these persons have stated that they voted for the bond issue and supported the issuance of the bonds, and that the papers they signed concerning the election contest were completely misrepresented to them.

Judge Joe Dibrell, in whose court the case was filed, is filing in for another judge in Midland this week, and will not be back in Coleman until Friday, according to District Clerk G. A. (Tode) Hensley. According to law, the city has a period of 10 days from the date of the filing of the contest petition to file an answer. This answer will be filed within the next few days, according to attorneys for the city. Then the case will be placed on the court's docket, or schedule of cases. By law, and election contest suit takes precedence over all other cases on the docket, and must be heard first.

Leaders of the plaintiff group tried several weeks to obtain attorneys to handle the contest, trying in both Brownwood and Coleman without success before retaining the Abilene law firm.

According to the spokesman for the city's attorneys, the city plans to demand that all voters participating in the election be subpoenaed as witnesses, so that the validity of their ballot may be proven. This will cost the plaintiffs a minimum of several hundred dollars in additional court costs. If the contest fails, the city will also institute action to recover the city's legal costs from the plaintiffs, the spokesman said.

Junior Bandmen Compete, Skate At Cisco Saturday

This past Saturday, March 27, the Santa Anna Junior High School Band went to the band festival at Cisco. There were 26 bands entered. The local aggregation rated a Division II in both sightreading and playing.

Individual results included: Baritone Saxophone Solo: Jerry Horner, Division III.

Trombone Solo: Pascal Hosch, Division II.

French Horn Solo: Boots Walker, Division I.

Clarinet Solo: Nancy Baugh, Division I; Barbara Jones, Division II.

Cornet Solo: Ann Martin, Division II.

Bass Clarinet Solo: Glenna Russell, Division I.

Saxophone Quartet: Dorethea Carpenter, Beth Dean, Geneva Pittard, Nolan Perry, Division II.

Cornet Solo: Ann Martin, James Eubank, Vickie Neff, Division III.

Clarinet Trio: Janice Langford, Emily Wells, Cindy Hartman, Division II.

Twirling: Barbara Jones, Division I; Janice Langford, Division II.

Following the competition, the band members held a picnic and an afternoon of skating at Lake Cisco.

Freddie Cullins In HP Honor Society

Freddie Cullins, a student at Howard Payne College, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cullins, of Santa Anna, was selected for membership in Phi Eta Delta at the Brownwood college.

Phi Eta Delta is an honor society for men students from the freshman class.

Local Jaycees Call Meeting Thursday

The Santa Anna Junior Chamber of Commerce will have a special called meeting on Thursday, April 1, in the Santa Anna Lions Club Building, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Purpose of the meeting is to plan for the Santa Anna Invitational Elementary Track Meet, to be held Monday, April 5, and all members are urged to attend, according to Jaycee President Max Eubank.

There will be an area meeting of the Junior Chamber of Commerce next Monday, April 5, in the Elementary School cafeteria. Jaycees from 10 area towns are expected to attend. More than 100 Jaycees are expected.

Attend church regularly.

Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Mr. and Mrs. John Fulbright of Coleman and Brother Dan Fogarty of Santa Anna were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hellman. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and children of Coleman. Mrs. Hellman visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. M. D. Bryan.

Mrs. Carl Buttery and Mrs. Lee McMillan went to Temple Saturday for Mr. McMillan, who will visit till Friday. He is a

patient in the VA Hospital.

Visiting in the McMillan home have been Mr. and Mrs. Clemmie Brock of Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes, Miss Bernice Johnson, Mrs. Rosa Belle Hellman and Mrs. Carl Buttery.

Leslie and Sharon McCreary of Santa Anna spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain. Mr. and Mrs. McCreary came for them Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nixon of Valera visited last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes and Geneva. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cullins of Gouldbusk visited Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Day and children of Coleman were Sunday dinner guests.

Bruce Estes, who is employed in Dallas, was with homefolks Thursday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Estes and children of Abilene visited Saturday with his parents; Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes. Sunday visitors were Billy Matt McIntire of Brownwood and Mrs. Mabel Brock of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson and Miss Bernice Johnson were attending the quarterly conference of the Methodist Church at the Cleveland Methodist Church. Sunday, Dr. Wallace J. Shelton, District Superintendent preached and conducted conference.

Mrs. Letrice Benedict of Temple spent the weekend with Mrs. John Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Straughan of McCamey spent the weekend with Mrs. Fox Johnson and with Mr. Johnson at the Brady Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson visited with Mrs. Johnson Monday afternoon.

Pfc. and Mrs. James C. Childs of Fort Benning, Georgia, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Johnson.

J. A. Hunter was admitted to the Santa Anna hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Ted McCarthy of Dallas visited Thursday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Steward.

Mrs. Lee Hunter of Santa Anna visited Saturday with Mrs. John

Hunter and her guest, Mrs. Benedict.

Garland McSwain of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain Friday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sleepy Garner, Randy, Dianne and Barbara of Brownwood visited Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Hodges, Eddie Joe and Ellen of Coleman were Sunday dinner guests with Mrs. A. L. Crutcher. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bryan, Mrs. Sam Estes, Mrs. A. L. King and Mrs. Ray Caldwell visited Sunday afternoon and Mrs. Drury Estes called Monday afternoon. The occasion was Mrs. Crutcher's birthday.

Mrs. Lester Bryan reports her grandmother, Mrs. A. F. Crutcher is very ill in the Coleman hospital.

The Rev. Donnie Melton preached at the Baptist Church at both Sunday services. He and Miss Mel-Ling were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King. Mrs. King visited Monday with Miss Sammie Stewardson and Mrs. C. A. Crump in Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Estes and Phyllis of McGregor spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Drury Estes. Donnie Estes visited Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Allen of Stephenville spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper. Other supper guests were Mrs. Alton Davis of Snyder. Callers were

Mrs. Denver Ellis and Sissy Steward. Mr. and Mrs. Denny Denman and Dorinda and Mrs. Elec Cooper.

Mrs. Jerry McAlister and Dee-Dee of Coleman spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan and Serena.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Porter of Utopia came Monday to visit a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Steward, enroute to Bozeman, Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wise spent the weekend in San Angelo with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hodges and Gary of San Angelo were guests of friends Monday.

Mrs. C. W. Hunter of Sham-

rock is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan and Leann.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fowler of Coleman visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. Rosa Belle Hellman.

The Women's Society of Christian Service met at the Rockwood Methodist Church, for a printed program, directed by Mrs. Aubrey McSwain.

Participating in the program were Mrs. A. L. Crutcher, Mrs. M. A. Richardson, Mrs. McSwain, Miss Bernice Johnson, Mrs. John Hunter.

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Texas Sheep And Goat Raisers Pass Various Resolutions In Brady Meeting

A drive for an additional \$300,000 in screwworm eradication funds from Texas livestock producers was endorsed wholeheartedly by the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association in its Brady quarterly meeting March 27.

Dolph Briscoe, Jr., of Uvalde, asked stockmen present to raise their hands if they had suffered screwworm cases in 1964. None did. He asked those who had

such cases in 1961 to raise their hands. Almost all of them did. Then he called the eradication program "one of the greatest accomplishments of the livestock industry."

The meeting drew more than 400 persons, including an all-time record high of 155 directors.

Among resolutions were one of gratitude to the Congress and the executive branch for their favorable consideration toward extending the National Wool Act; one opposing any increase or change in sales tax regulations pertaining to feed, farm machinery and similar farm and ranch equipment; one asking for no further concessions in wool tariffs; one supporting abolition

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of the state ad valorem tax; one asking for transfer of all facilities and personnel of the predator control branch from the Department of Interior to the Department of Agriculture; one supporting California farmers in their quest for bracero labor.

A proposal to change the Association's name was referred to a study committee.

Former Resident Dies, Buried Here

Mrs. L. E. (Irene) Wells of Fort Worth, passed away Thursday, March 25, in Pasadena. Mrs. Wells was a former resident of Santa Anna. Survivors include her husband, L. E. Wells of Fort Worth, one son Elsworth of Pasadena, one brother, Bryan Brown of Alvin, four grandchildren. Funeral services were held Saturday March 27, in the Hosch Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Leon Ward of Fort Worth officiating. Burial was in the Santa Anna Cemetery. Pallbearers were: Sammie Duggins, Jess Howard, Cy Burden, Calvin Campbell, Walter Holt and Lewis Miles Guthrie.

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Army Reserve-National Guard Changes To Affect Local Citizen Soldiers

The plan to be submitted to the Department of Army for approval on the reorganization of the Reserve program in Texas calls for a field artillery group made up of two 8-inch artillery battalions will comprise the major structure of the merging Texas Army National Guard and Army Reserves in the Panhandle and Plains area, it was announced Wednesday, March 30, by Major General Thomas S. Bishop, Adjutant General of Texas.

Wichita Falls will be the site of the headquarters and headquarters battery of the field artillery group and will operate with a staff of 95 men. An engineer company of 153 men and a headquarters and headquarters company of an engineer group of 82 men will also be located at Wichita Falls.

Nine Panhandle and Plains cities will be left without Guard units. They are Breckenridge, Canyon, Cisco, Colorado City, Electra, Monahans, Olney, Pecos, and Santa Anna.

A total of 20 cities in Texas will lose units completely, including Army Reserve, it was revealed.

The Department of Army reorganization calls for a 42 percent reduction in the number of units now in the Guard and Reserve program in Texas, and a 17 percent reduction in the number of personnel.

This great reduction in units

According to information received today, the Coleman County National Guard unit will be designated as Mortar Platoon, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 142nd Infantry Regiment, 36th Infantry Brigade.

make it necessary to inactivate units in 20 cities, General Bishop explained. He called this action very regrettable, but said the troop allotment left the state no alternative. He said the decision to withdraw from these cities was made only after thorough study of recruiting potential, population trends, facilities, and many other factors, including the early readiness time required of the units remaining in the program.

Units in other Panhandle and Plains cities include:

- Abilene:** an infantry company of 216 men.
- Amarillo:** a headquarters and maintenance support company of 186 men, a quartermaster company of 152 men, and a special detachment of 32 men.
- Ballinger:** an infantry company of 63 men.
- Brady:** a detachment of an infantry company of 62 men.
- Big Spring:** an artillery service battery of 54 men, to be shared with Lamesa.
- Brownfield:** will share an artillery battalion headquarters with Lubbock.
- Brownwood:** a headquarters and

headquarters company of an infantry battalion of 159 men.

Borger: an artillery battery of 134 men.

Coleman: a detachment of a headquarters and headquarters infantry company of 48 men.

Dumas: a detachment of an artillery battery of 39 men.

El Paso: a heavy material supply company of 199 men, a general supply company of 155 men, and a psychological warfare company of 68 men.

Lamesa: will share artillery service battery with Big Spring.

Levelland: an artillery service battery of 68 men.

Lubbock: a signal company of 154 men, an engineer company of 102 men, an artillery headquarters and headquarters battery of 98 men, a civil affairs company of 70 men, and a USAR school of 33 men.

Midland: an artillery battery of 87 men.

Odessa: an artillery battery of 100 men.

Pampa: an artillery battery of 144 men.

Plainview: an artillery battery of 98 men.

San Angelo: an artillery headquarters and headquarters battery of 156 men, and a detachment of an engineer company of 57 men.

Shamrock: a detachment of a field service company of 45 men.

Snyder: a detachment of an infantry company of 47 men.

Stamford: a detachment of an infantry company of 55 men.

Sweetwater: an infantry company of 75 men.

Terminal: an artillery battery of 264 men.

Tulia: a detachment of a field service company of 42 men.

Vernon: a detachment of an engineer company of 48 men.

Wellington: a detachment of a field service company of 39 men.

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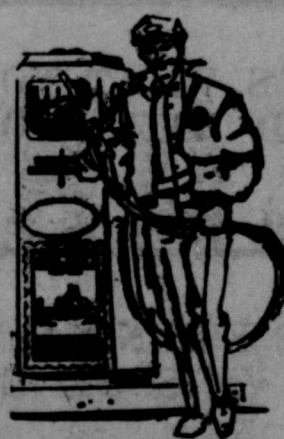
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J.E. PEAVY, M.D.
 Commissioner of Health

Salmonellosis may sound like a new dish to eat, but instead, it is a disease.

Fatalities from the disease occur usually in the older person or the very young, but anyone who has had Salmonellosis will vouch that he doesn't want it again.

The number of cases in the nation has greatly increased in the last 20 years—from 726 cases in 1945 to 9,680 last year.

First, some basic facts about the disease. It is caused when a Salmonella bacillus enters man, usually through eating or drinking contaminated foods.

About 12 to 48 hours later, the person becomes ill—with diarrhea, vomiting, fever.

Almost all types of warm and cold blooded animals have been found infected with Salmonellae. The organisms are shed in the body discharges of the infected animals and man. Either a man or an animal may carry the bacteria without seeming to have the disease.

What is being done to combat this ever growing problem?

Public health wise, careful efforts to record and check the incidence of Salmonellosis, both State and nationwide, are underway to aid detection and isolation of trouble spots. Food and drug leadership, physicians, veterinarians, industrialists and others are concerned about the situation. Water pollution control helps keep down the incidence of Salmonellae.

But the quickest and surest preventive methods lie with individual efforts, either in your own home or if you work in the food service industry.

Thoroughly cook meat and other foods before tasting, eating or serving them. Also, avoid the possibility of contamination of work areas in the kitchen by preparing foods on a disposable paper and washing them thoroughly with hot detergent water.

Refrigerate both cooked and uncooked foods to prevent multiplication of bacteria. And when preparing ready-mixes, cook them well before tasting and

wash containers with hot detergent water before reusing.

Thorough hand washing before eating and after a visit to the toilet is also important.

Salmonellosis, statistics show, is on the increase, but you can cut your chances of contacting it in your own kitchen and through your own efforts.

Civil Defense More Than Attack Service

Civil Defense can't make it rain, but it is prepared to cope with most any type of emergency.

Action by Young County Civil Defense alleviated a water problem for the City of Newcastle recently when the municipal supply in a nearby reservoir diminished.

Newcastle, a North Central Texas town of 600, located between Olney and Graham, was forced to seek another source of supply. Dry, drought conditions which existed over most of Texas prevented replenishment of the city's reservoir.

Wayne Hale, Newcastle school superintendent, went first to Congressman Graham Purcell for assistance in obtaining emergency pipe, and was referred to Civil Defense channels. When the State Office of Defense and Disaster Relief was informed of the request, the Young County Civil Defense director Floyd Owen, was notified.

Owen had two water trailers, which he had obtained for Civil Defense use through the Texas surplus property program, available for loan to Newcastle. In addition, Owen quickly located trucks that could be rented by the city, enough to provide delivery of 152,000 gallons of water per day. Under a rationing program, Newcastle had been using only 25,000 gallons per day.

Water hauling began on the weekend of August 22 from a lake near Graham and is delivered to the city's filtration plant.

Superintendent Hale's first request for pipe as a means of delivery would have been an extensive program. It was Civil Defense director Owen that came up with the solution and proved that most local emergencies can be solved quickly and efficiently by an organized local Civil Defense capability.

Contrary to the concept that Civil Defense activates only during nuclear threat or large-scale disaster, it is primarily government in emergency administered by local government officials.

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SOCIAL NOTES

Smorgasbord Lunch To Raise Money For Self Culture Club At Library

The public is invited to visit the City Library on Thursday April 8, when the Self Culture Club will offer a smorgasbord luncheon, as a money raising project. Served buffet style with a wide variety of home cooked foods the smorgasbord proved a great success last fall, and will be the only plan of raising money by the club this spring.

This study and civic club has been of great service to Santa Anna since it was organized in 1903. In 1907 it joined the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs; and has helped to provide the town with the City Library, the Ranger Park and with all city beautification and improvements.

At the April 8 luncheon, serving will begin at 11:30 a.m. and continue through the noon hour. Tables will be available for anyone wishing to play bridge or 42 following the meal. Cost of the meal is \$1.00 per plate. Mrs. Henry Newman is chairman for the luncheon and Mrs. Tom Kingsbery is club president.

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Shower Held For Gloria Henderson Last Thursday

Miss Gloria Jane Henderson, bride elect of Mickey Rhoads, was honored Thursday March 25, with a gift tea in the Educational Building of North Side Baptist Church.

Receiving guests were: Mrs. Payne Henderson Jr., mother of the bride-elect, Mrs. Zuda Henderson, grandmother of the bride-elect, Gloria Henderson, bride-elect and Mrs. J. L. Rhoads, mother of the groom.

The refreshment table was laid with white lace cloth over pink cotton. An arrangement of pink and white flowers centered the table. Cake, punch and mints, were served from crystal appointments. Gifts were displayed in the gift room. Hostesses for the tea were: Mrs. John Perry, Mrs. Raymond Gary, Mrs. Robert Robinett, Mrs. Roy West, Mrs. James Keeney, Mrs. Jewell Owens, Mrs. John Gregg, Mrs. Luther McCrary, Mrs. Donnie Clifton and Mrs. Murray Cooper.

Self Culture Club Holds Meeting With Americanism Theme

A program on Americanism was given when the Self Culture club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. J. L. Harris, with 10 members present.

Mrs. Hardy Blue told of an American experiment in Communism in 1815 in southern Illinois. Mrs. Harris spoke on "Why The American System Works So Well," as discussed in a private utilities company booklet.

Mrs. Tom Kingsbery, presi-

dent, appointed a study course committee of Mrs. Henry Newman, Mrs. Burl Sparkman, and Mrs. C. D. Bruce. Mrs. Roy Stockard told of plans for the Federation luncheon on April 23, and Mrs. Kingsbery reported on the district convention held in Sonora last week.

Plans for an Easter program were made. This will be at the First Baptist Church at 3:00 p.m. April 9, with a guest singer and a talk by Mrs. Newman, to which the public will be invited.

Eastern Star Meets Monday

The Santa Anna Chapter No. 247 met for a called meeting Monday March 29, in Masonic Hall.

Mrs. Richard Bass Worthy Matron, and Richard Bass presided in East, assisted by twelve other officers. Jack Bostick presented the flag. Richard Bass lead the group in repeating the Pledge of Allegiance. Mrs. W. W. Polley, Deputy Grand Matron, of District 3 Section 5 was introduced and welcomed. The Initiation Ceremony was presented.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Carmen Donham and Mrs. Roy West to nineteen members, four visitors from Coleman, and four from Brownwood, and two from Richland Springs. Flowers were used throughout the hall as decorations.

Brown County Singing Convention

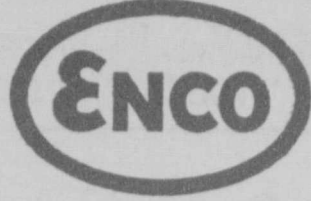
The Brown County Singing Convention, will be held at Early High School Auditorium Sunday, April 4, from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m.

Typewriter paper at the Santa Anna News.

WMU Holds Thursday Meeting

The Women's Missionary Union of First Baptist Church, met Thursday afternoon March 25, in the Educational Building for a circle program. Mrs. Raymond Jones was program leader. Missionary prayer period was lead by Mrs. Vernon Rowe. Members ap-

pearing on the program with Mrs. Jones were: Mrs. Clyde Pittard, Mrs. Pat Hosch, Mrs. Nick Buse and Mrs. Glynn McClure.



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EDITORIAL

Why?

A small group of dissident citizens have filed a suit contesting the recent bond election. We would like to ask one question of them: Why?

Why are they opposed to Santa Anna having a modern sewer system, eliminating the present septic tank that is a health hazard to our city (and particularly to our children, since the untreated effluent from this tank empties near the schools), when they know that the state public health department has told the city that this condition must be corrected?

Why are they opposed to improvements to the water system, when they know that only good luck has prevented the city from facing water rationing during the past two summers?

Why are they opposed to the method of financing proposed for these bonds, when they know that this government-financed method provides the lowest rate of interest, saving Santa Anna thousands of dollars in interest payments, and when they know that Santa Anna must act now to receive these government funds?

These are good questions. The bond opponents have never tried to answer them. It is time the people of the city demanded an answer.

It is planned, by a group opposing the bond issue, to circulate some printed circulars within the next few days, printed on yellow paper and carrying a number of erroneous and misleading statements. We would like to ask some questions about this, also:

Why didn't the persons responsible for this circular have the courage to put their names on it? Don't they know that anonymous claims carry little weight? Or are the statements contained in this circular so outlandish that those responsible are ashamed to have their names connected with it?

Why does the circular quote information carried in *The News* pertaining to one election and apply it to another, totally different election? Do they think they can fool people by twisting facts like this? Can't they see that this is like asking how many oranges there are in a dozen apples, that there is no real connection?

Why does this circular state that it will cost between \$4 and \$5 per foot for people to connect from their sewer outlet to the main, when every plumber contacted by *The News* in Santa Anna, Coleman, and Brownwood has made a price of \$1 per foot or less? Do they think they are strengthening their position by lying to the people like this?

Why are these persons apparently opposed to the new Medical Center and the bond issue, which will bring more than \$600,000 into Santa Anna next year, meaning better living, more jobs, and a stronger economic situation for the city and its people?

Why do these persons claim, without any basis in fact or reason, that tax rates will be increased, when the City Council has officially stated that they will not, and when they know that under law no tax money can be used to pay off the bonds?

Why does this circular state that people will be forced to connect to the sewer, when they know that the City Council has publicly affirmed that no one will be forced to connect against their will.

And finally, why have these people ignored repeated requests by *The News* to use this paper as a public forum to present their facts to the people of Santa Anna? Is it because they have no facts? Is it because they are afraid that exposing their claims to the light of public examination will reveal how faulty they are? These are questions every citizen of Santa Anna should be asking.

A Disgrace

Six men give of their time, their efforts, and their concern to help guide this city. They spend several nights every month at City Hall, working on the problems of Santa Anna, when they would rather be home relaxing. They do this for the grand sum of one dollar per year. These are the men who make up our City Council. Other men give of their time to carry out the wearisome and troublesome tasks of running an election so that the people can have the benefit of the democratic process. These men are giving of their own selves to try to make Santa Anna a better place for all its citizens. It is a disgrace that these very men are now being accused, by inference and innuendo and direct attack, of dishonesty. It shows a great deal of ingratitude by certain persons here in Santa Anna. It is something that the people of Santa Anna, as a whole, should repudiate. These men would be the last to deny that they might make mistakes, but to accuse them of outright dishonesty is a disgrace, and it places in a very bad light those persons responsible for such unfounded charges.

Yesterday's News

FIVE YEARS AGO
 The Santa Anna Lions Club cleared \$130 on their broom sale, it was reported this week.

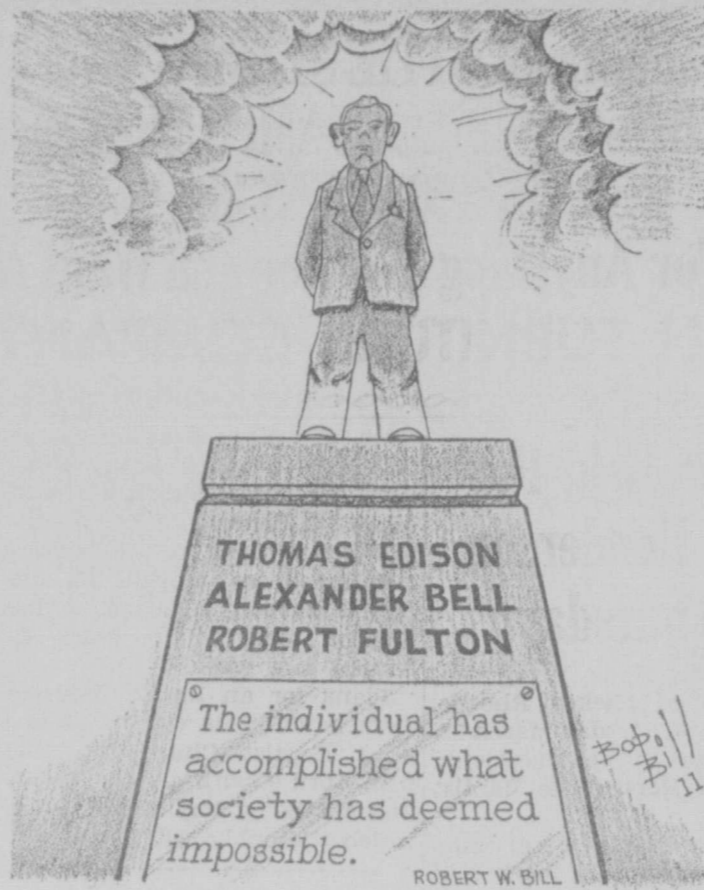
TEN YEARS AGO
 A fire destroyed the garage at the Clifford Stephenson home early Wednesday morning. Included in the loss were Stephenson woodworking shop, an automobile, and large amount of tools and equipment. Total loss was estimated at \$4,000.

TWENTY YEARS AGO
 W. H. Thate, of Comanche, was in Santa Anna this week.

TWENTY FIVE YEARS AGO
 The John Ward house, on East Mountain Street, was destroyed by fire this week. Ward and the Irl Burden family resided in the house, reports *The News* for March 29, 1940.

THIRTY YEARS AGO
 Schreiber Chevrolet Company, of Santa Anna, advertises brand new Chevrolets ranging from \$465 for the Standard to \$560 for the Master Deluxe.

FORTY YEARS AGO
 A Lions Club will be organized at a meeting here next week.



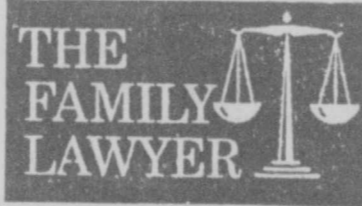
LETTERS

Editor:

You will please find enclosed my check to cover subscription to the *Santa Anna News*, now being mailed to Mrs. Stafford Baxter, 703 Hays Street, San Antonio, Texas. We have given the subscription to Mrs. Baxter for a number of years. She is a former longtime resident of Santa Anna, and Mr. Baxter, now deceased, was a leading resident and business man. It seems to me that her subscription is usually due in March, and I do hope the bill for its renewal has not been mailed to Mrs. Baxter. In the event it has, would you be kind enough to refund any payment, and accept my check in its place?

Bill and I, and our family here in Jacksonville, enjoy the *News* very much, and may I commend you highly on your very timely, and frank editorials? We may not always agree with you, but you have the courage of your convictions, and that I admire and respect, so please accept our admiration for the willingness to "stand up and be counted."

Sincerely,
 Berniece Mulroy
 Jacksonville, Texas



HOTEL HAZARDS

Finishing her shower, a hotel guest started to turn off the water. But she lost her footing, skidded, and hit the tile floor with a thud. Battered and bruised, she later sued the hotel for damages.

"That tile was slippery," she complained in court. "Why didn't they furnish a rubber mat for safety? As a guest of the hotel, I was entitled to every possible protection."

But the court denied her claim, finding no fault on the part of the management. The judge said the danger of slipping in such circumstances ought to be obvious to everyone who ever has taken a shower.

Much of our hotel law dates back to the Middle Ages, when thieves and ruffians (and Robin Hood) roamed the roads of England. A high degree of responsibility was imposed on the owners of inns, which were a sort of safety zone for the anxious traveler.

However, the emphasis was on his belongings rather than his personal safety. Thus, this strict rule never applied to hazards from the accommodations themselves—the furnishings and appliances used by the guest.

In that respect the hotel's responsibility has always been, and still is, merely to use "reasonable care"—much like the responsibility of a store toward its customers.

What care is "reasonable"? Of course, circumstances differ in each case. However, a few examples will give you a rough guide:

A hotel was held liable to a guest who stepped on a needle, where evidence showed that the room had not been properly cleaned for her arrival.

And a hotel was held liable to a guest who got a shock from turning on the light, where the management had allowed the wiring to fall into dangerous disrepair.

But a hotel was held not liable to a guest bitten by an insect, where there was nothing to indicate that the hotel could have prevented the mishap.

And a hotel was held not liable to a guest injured when a bench cracked under her weight, where there was a defect in the wood not discoverable by any normal precautions.

"A hotel," said the court, "is not an insurer against accidents."

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Williams of Abilene, were visiting with Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. R. B. Archer recently.

Mrs. Rex Golston returned home Sunday, from El Paso where she had been visiting her sons and families, Lt. Col. J. R. Golston USA retired, and S. Webb Golston. She was accompanied on the trip by her daughter, Mrs. Lenora James and her sister, Mrs. Jessie Kimbrough, both of Houston. The occasion was to attend the Christening of Roxane Evelyn, five week old baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Webb Golston.

The Woman's Missionary Society met at the Rockwood Baptist Church Monday for a devotional program before having visitation.

Mrs. Henry Smith, Mrs. F. E. McCreary, Mrs. Claud Box, Mrs. Evan Wise, Mrs. Bill Bryan, Mrs. R. J. Deal and Mrs. Ray Caldwell visited with Mr. and Mrs. Drury Estes, Mrs. Frank Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Steward.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Deal and children visited Thursday to Sunday with Mrs. Bill Rehm and Mr. Buttry, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal visited Friday. Visiting some time during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Casey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry, Mrs. Grace Kemp, Ernest Smith, Matt Estes.

Would you like your name to be published on your birthday? If so, please be sure to let us know when it is. Next week we will publish the names of those having birthdays between April 8 to April 14.

State Capitol NEWS

Farmers, especially those living near large cities, would get a big tax break under a constitutional amendment now pending in a House committee.

Bill by Representative W. T. (Bill) Dungan, of McKinney, calls for farm land being used for agricultural purposes to be taxed on its productive capacity, instead of its market value.

Witnesses testifying before the House Constitutional Amendments Committee said that in some cases taxes exceed the dollar-yield of the land being used for farming or ranching. In those cases, pressure to sell the land for residential or commercial development virtually is impossible to resist.

Testifying in favor of the resolution, Representative Alonzo Jamison, of Denton, said Texas soon may get to the point when only people with city jobs will be able to afford land in the countryside.

Other supporters were representatives of the Texas Farm Bureau, the Texas Farmers Union, the South Texas Milk Producers Association and farm bureaus of Nueces and Hays counties.

Dungan said the proposal provides for land to be assessed at lower rates so long as it is in agricultural use.

At the time the land is taken out of agricultural production, it would have a lien for the difference between the agricultural tax evaluation and the market value the seven preceding years. Tax would be payable either by the farmer or the buyer.

STUDENT LOANS

Texas students from junior college to graduate school level would be able to get state-financed loans to pay for their educations under a proposed constitutional amendment due to go to voters in November.

Senate approved the measure by Representative George Hinson, of Mineola, to set up a \$75,000,000 bond-supported loan fund.

State, denominational, private college and university students would be eligible to borrow sums needed for tuition and reasonable living expenses. Loans would be repayable in 10 years at four to four and a half percent interest.

Governor Connally recommended the program in his message to the Legislature last January.

If voters approve the plan, Hinson estimates \$28,000,000 to \$32,000,000 will be borrowed by Texas students within the next two years.

LONGER TRUCKS PERMITTED

Larger trucks, twin trailer trucks and three unit combinations soon may be traveling Texas highways.

A bill passed and sent to the Governor will extend maximum length of single trucks from 35 to 40 feet and tractor-trailer maximums from 50 to 55 feet.

Three unit combinations up to 65 feet long, now not allowed, will be permitted on Texas highways.

RURAL PHONE SERVICE HIT

Rural citizens are open to discrimination by some telephone companies, House State Affairs Committee was told.

Witnesses from East, Central, and North Texas testified at a hearing in favor of a bill to give commissioners courts or a state commission power to regulate rural area telephone rates.

Bill by Representatives Dick Cherry, of Waco, and James D. Cole, of Greenville, was sent to subcommittee.

MEDICAL AID ADVANCES

Bill to set up assistance payments for medical and hospital attention to persons over 65 who are not on the old age assistance rolls is taking a speedy trip through the House.

Bill makes it possible for the state to take advantage more extensively of Federal matching funds available under the Kerr-Mills program.

In the State Senate, the bill probably will be held up pending action by Congress on new legislation for medical aid to the aged. Senate may write in provisions allowing Texas to participate in the newer programs is done, then the final details would be worked out by a conference committee of members from both chambers.

FEBRUARY BUILDING DOWN

Total building in Texas during February was eight percent less than February of 1964. However, it was a five percent increase over January.

Bureau of Business Research

at University of Texas also reports that new residential construction of \$52,800,000 for the month was down 18 percent from the same period last year. Non-residential building totaled \$47,600,000.

GAMBLING CURB OFFERED

Proponents of legalized race horse betting have a rival in a proposed constitutional amendment sponsored by Representative Rayford Price, of Frankston, to prohibit all forms of organized gambling.

"The unfair thing I ever saw to the little ponies," lamented Representative V. E. (Red) Berry, of San Antonio, perennial champion of horse racing.

SHORT SNORTS

A bill to let county commissioners enforce speeding and littering laws on public beaches passed the Senate and went to the House.

A proposed constitutional amendment by Senator Grady Hazlewood, of Amarillo, which would have kept the state and local governments from interfering with discrimination in property sales died a quiet death as a Senate committee holding a hearing on it was confronted with a large group of opposing clergymen.

A Senate committee approved a bill by Senator Jim Bates, of Edinburg, authorizing 18 percent bank rates for loans up to \$12,000.

Senate approved four year terms for governor and other statewide officials.

State government would go on smoothly if a third of the Texas Constitution were repealed, Representative Carl Parker argued in support of bill to set up a Constitutional Revision Commission.

Proposal to change the name of East Texas College at Commerce to "East Texas State University" received final legislative clearance and was sent to the Governor.

Secretary of State Crawford Martin approved articles of incorporation for Frio-La Salle-McMullen counties Economic Opportunities Development Corporation to participate in the war on poverty program.

Today's MEDITATION from The World's Most Widely Used Devotional Guide



The Upper Room - THE UPPER ROOM, NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

Read Romans 5:6-11

God shows His love for us in that while we were yet sinners Christ died for us. Romans 5:8 (RSV)

One day my roommate violated a school regulation. I advised her to observe it, but she said, "I have seen someone else break it." She was wilful and disobedient, and had many other faults. I always criticized her in my mind and did not love her.

I was thankful to God for His love and forgiveness for my sins. And I thought I loved Him, but then I perceived that I really did not because I did not love my roommate, who was also His child.

Because God created all persons, Jesus loves them all, though they have sins or do not accept His redeeming love. In fact, because of His love for people, Jesus laid down His life on the cross. God has showed us His great love; we show that His love is in us by loving one another.

I have more faults than my roommate, but God loves even me. Now I can say that I love God and also my roommate, whom He loves.

PRAYER

Lord Jesus, we thank Thee for Thy suffering on the cross, for Thy patience and love despite our weakness and sin. We thank Thee for the victory that is ours because Thou dost enable us to love one another. Help us to keep loving all Thy children. In Thy name we ask. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Jesus suffered on the cross because He loves sinners like me. Kimiyo Ogawa, Japanese Edition (Japan)

HERE IS THE RECORD

Of The Present City Administration

- When the present administration took office, the only streets that were paved in Santa Anna were Avenue B, Wallis Avenue, and Bowie Street near the cemetery. Santa Anna now has the highest percentage of paved streets of any city in Texas.
- Santa Anna had the highest per capita investment in construction of any city in Texas during 1964.
- When the present administration took office, the city did not have enough funds in the treasury to pay the city employees. During this administration, the city has operated entirely in the black, has never delayed payment on any bill, and now has one of the best credit ratings possible for a city of its size.
- City Hall has been completely renovated, and a new roof added, during the tenure of the present administration.
- The current administration constructed a long-needed dog pound, eliminating the double problem of roving bands of stray dogs and the danger of indiscriminate poisoning of dogs.
- The administration was responsible for the cleaning and renovating of 40,000 feet of city water lines, providing purer, safer water for the citizens of Santa Anna and reducing the need for expensive maintenance.
- Many new businesses have come to Santa Anna, encouraged by the progressive city administration—two nursing homes, a motel, a medical center that will be a multimillion dollar asset to the city, and many more.
- The administration participated in the county labor survey, providing facts to help obtain new industries and businesses for the area.
- The present administration obtained an additional firetruck for the Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department, and remodeled the fire department's portion of City Hall so that all three trucks could be garaged there (previously, one had to be kept in a metal shed).
- The administration cooperated with the Santa Anna Housing Authority to obtain the 16-unit housing project, adding to the local economic situation.
- The present administration installed two-way radios in City Hall and the city's vehicles, saving time and money for the city, and providing faster service for its citizens.
- The current officeholders were responsible for remodeling and modernizing the City Warehouse Building, and the Water and Street department headquarters—all paid for.
- When the present administration took office, the city was employing three secretaries. With the addition of modern bookkeeping machines and systems, only one fulltime secretary is now needed, saving the taxpayers of the city the salaries of two fulltime workers.
- The city had no vehicles or machinery in good repair when the present administration took office, costing the city large sums in repairs. The city now owns two trucks, two pickups, a grader, two tractors (one with a mower attachment, one with a frontend loader), and two rollers (one self-propelled), and in good repair, and all paid for.
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Trickham News

By Mrs. J. E. York
Telephone DU-2-3336

Mrs. Kit Douglas of Abilene and Craig Douglas of Dallas, and Mrs. Lea Mock of Post visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Zona Stacy. Other recent visitors with Mrs. Stacey besides local folks have been Mr. and Mrs. Larry LaDauleur of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hultz and children of Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Grantham and daughter of San Antonio visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stearns.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mock of Post and Mr. and Mrs. Damon Miller and girls of Austin spent the weekend with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mitchell.

Terry McIver and Ora Beth Henderson from McMurry College in Abilene visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver.

Weah McCulloch, Sec.-Treas.
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Billy Don Haynes of Ranger Junior College spent the weekend at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes. Janie Estess and Pattie Roberts of Brooksmith and Donnie York were Sunday afternoon visitors. Other visitors the past week were Mrs. John Haynes and Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Stearns.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Jenkins of Bangs and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cole and grandson Harold Wayne Casey from Santa Anna were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. York and Nikkie.

Due to the annual Cemetary Association meeting held the last Sunday in April, all ladies of the quilting club are asked to meet on the 6th and 20th, to finish all quilts and tend to other business.

Rev. Archer Durant of Denton and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Martin were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wylie McClatchy.

Mrs. Mary Boenicke visited Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Regier, Mrs. Storm and Mrs. Beula Kingston in a Bangs rest home.

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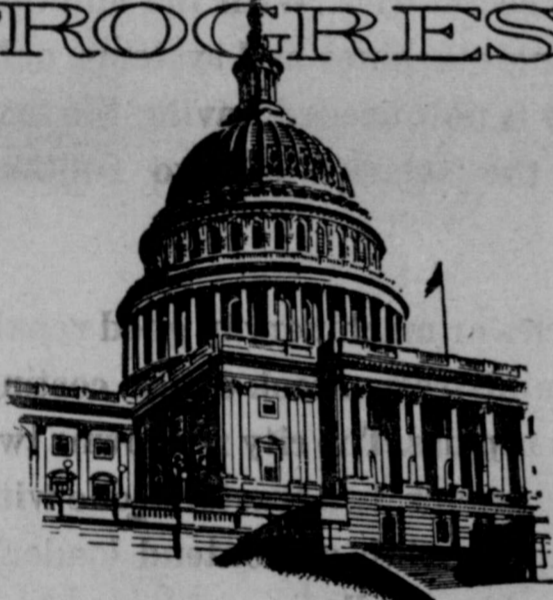
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Whon News

By MRS. TOM RUTHERFORD

Mrs. Jake Degal had major surgery in the Memorial Hospital in Brownwood Friday. Reports are that she is doing fine considering her surgery. She is in room 124, Memorial Hospital. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rutherford and children of Concord New Hampshire, Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and children, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rutherford of Coleman, Mrs. Joe Langer and son of San Angelo and Sammie Shields were Sunday and weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford and Lynda.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Baker of Midland were weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and Randel.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Floyd Morris of Brownwood were weekend guests with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris and Jamie Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and Randel visited with Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and boys in Rockwood Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley visited with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Byrd at Crossvener Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Darwin Lovelady visited with Mrs. Vera Lovelady in Brownwood Tuesday.

Mr. Sammie Shields received word Saturday his sister, Mrs. Walter Strickland was seriously ill following a fall and breaking her hip Friday afternoon. Mrs. Strickland is in a Rising Star hospital.

Mr. Oscar Lovelady spent the weekend with Guy and Alta Lovelady in Santa Anna.

Mrs. Darwin Lovelady visited with Mrs. Floyd Morris Friday afternoon.

Cheryl Fitzpatrick of Abilene spent the weekend with her homefolk, Mr. and Mrs. Greham Fitzpatrick and boys, Don and Neil.

Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and Mr. Oscar Lovelady visited in the Thomas Switcher home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Cleburn Stanley visited her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Brown and baby in Santa Anna Monday.

Lynda Rutherford spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rutherford in Coleman.

Mrs. Florence Carter spent the weekend with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Black in Brownwood and went Monday to her Doctor for a check-up.

Don't forget to attend the Whon picnic Saturday April 3. We'll be looking for you.

Cleveland News

By Mrs. Sid Blanton

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bigham of California are here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cupps and other relatives in our community.

Mrs. Nora Blanton, Mrs. Elmer Cupps, Mr. and Mrs. John Howard enjoyed a 42 party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gilbert last Monday night. Others attending besides those mentioned were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Howard, Mrs. Gladys Day and Mrs. Jewell Powers.

Mrs. Elmer Cupps visited in Odessa on Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Blount

visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Cupps Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Howard and son George of Bangs visited on Friday with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard.

Wednesday afternoon visitors with Mrs. Jewell Powers were Mrs. Gladys Day, Mrs. Ruby Howard, and Mrs. Nora Blanton.

Visitors with Mrs. Nora Blanton last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Duane Williams and family also the T. L. Blanton family of Kempver.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard and children of Lometa were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Howard Sunday night.

Tommy Blanton went to Merkel to a track meet on Saturday.

Mrs. Darrel Cupps and Sydney, Mrs. Edward Leonard, Cathy, Carolyn and Richard Wells attended the 60th wedding anniversary of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hull of Santa Anna. About 70 people called.

Mr. Bill Williams, Tommy and Sidney Blanton went rattlesnake hunting Sunday afternoon. They got 17 and the largest had 14 rattlers. Also Mr. and Mrs. John Howard were rattlesnake hunting on Saturday and got 10 in a den.

Shields News

By MRS. E. S. JONES

Thursday morning of last week our community received about two tenths of an inch of rain and some hail, tho no damage. Friday supped guests with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Scarborough and children were; Mrs. Manton Jamison of Leday, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jamison, Sarah and Chris of Gouldbusk and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Scarborough.

Tuesday, Mrs. O. H. Watson of Leday community and Mrs. E. S. Jones visited in Coleman with Mrs. Ernest Newman and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Prince visited Sunday in Santa Anna with Mr. and Mrs. Busty Woodard

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other visitors in the Woodard home were Miss Alma Hardin of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Collins Prince of Abilene.

Glenn Gilbreath of Texas Teck is spending the spring holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gilbreath. Visitors with Glenn Sunday night and Monday were; Billy Baur and Kenneth and Dean Richardson, students at Texas Teck in Lobbuck.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane West and children, William and Lisa of Fort Worth spent Sunday with Mrs. Ura Dillingham and Richard.

Larry Fowler and Miss Ann

Bickly of Fort Worth visited Saturday with Larry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fiwler.

Mr. and Mrs. James McElrath and children visited in Coleman Sunday with her mother, Mrs. E. E. Henderson.

Rev. David Wigger and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Milligan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Stewardson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cobb with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Standly Cobb, Carolee and Christin of Midland attended the funeral of Mrs. Willie Watkins at Brady Saturday afternoon.

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Junior high school track teams from 18 area towns will be in Santa Anna on Monday, April 5, for the Santa Anna Junior High Invitational Track Meet. Schools participating will include Blanket, Mullin, Melvin,

Bangs, Baird, Albany, Novice, Mozelle, Talpa-Centennial, Comanche, Dublin, San Saba, Coleman, Early, Goldthwaite, Friddy, Sidney, and Santa Anna.

The meet, for seventh and eighth graders, will feature the following events: Broad jump, high jump, chinning, discus, shotput, pole vault, 60 yard high hurdles, 100 yard low hurdles, 50 yard dash, 440 yard run, 880 yard relay, 100 yard dash, 1,320 yard run, and 440 yard relay.

The meet will get underway at 2:30 p.m. at the Santa Anna High School field. Admission will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students.

Local Dogs Win At Big Dallas, Fort Worth Shows

Four beagles from Santa Anna's Rio POCO Kennels made a spectacular showing at the Fort Worth and Dallas American Kennel Club all-breed dog shows during the past weekend.

The local dogs came back from a so-so weekend at the Galveston and Houston shows the preceding week to sweep most of the possible honors at the Fort Worth and Dallas shows, the two largest dog shows in the state.

Rio POCO Tigre, a 16 month old beagle puppy, competing in the 13 inch open class, won first place in that class and went on

to win the Winners Dog class, picking up two points toward his championship in the Fort Worth Show, Saturday, March 27. He now has eight of the 15 points needed.

Williamson's Sullmo Rocky, the local kennels' entry in the 15 inch Open class, won first place in that class over five other dogs at Fort Worth, going on to beat two other class winners in Winners Dog class, to receive a total of three points toward the title of Champion. The number of points awarded a dog for taking first place in Winners class is based on the number of entries that dog must beat for the win, and can vary from one to five points. In the total of 15 points that a dog must have to be a champion, there must be included at least two "major" wins, with a "major" being a show at which the dog receives at least three points by winning. Thus the local beagle picked up the first of the two required "majors" by capturing first place at the Fort Worth show.

The next day, in Dallas, at the largest dog show ever held in the Southwest, Williamson's Sullmo Rocky maintained his winning ways, taking first in Open class again, and again winning the coveted Winners Dog (best male in show) title, receiving four points for this win due to the larger number of male 15 inch beagles against which he was competing. Rocky now has 12 of the 15 points required for

the championship, with both "majors" accounted for.

The local entries also included Rio POCO Morenito, first place winner at both shows in the Bred by Exhibitor Dog class for 13 inch beagles; and Rio POCO Pancho, who won first in the same class for 15 inch beagles at both shows.

Next shows for the local beagles will be at Amarillo, Sunday, April 18, and at Beaumont, Sunday, April 25. It is expected that Williamson's Sullmo Rocky will complete the requirements for his championship at these two shows.

Jack Potts, owner of the nationally famous Double-Jac Kennels, in Abilene, and a noted authority on, and handler of, beagles, handled Williamson's Sullmo Rocky in the Fort Worth and Dallas shows.

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Document 5053, which furnishes more detailed information on this subject, is available upon request from the Internal Revenue Service.

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