



# Santa Anna News

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## Point Rows

Our sister newspapers in the county seat are having trouble with the law. It seems that the backshop crew, when they go for coffee twice a day, have been in the habit of pitching coins at a crack in the sidewalk to see who pays for the drinks.

Well, they got caught Monday morning. Coleman Police Chief Raymond Graves was on stake-out in front of the newspaper office, operating on a tip that gambling was going on thereabouts. After observing the wild gambling, as the printers tossed their coins at the line, he ordered such scandalous and illegal proceedings to stop forthwith. Can't have gambling going on in Coleman, he said.

We feel good, knowing that the morals of Coleman are being so well protected.

Speaking of gambling, if Chief Graves wants to arrest gamblers, he should put every farmer in the County in jail. If farming isn't the biggest gamble around, we don't know what is. Makes Las Vegas look like a church social.

We are considering holding a stock reduction sale at our kennels. We have had three litters of beagle puppies since June 1 (we haven't had them personally, you understand, but some of our female beagles did). In fact, we were selling a puppy a week ago last Monday, to some people from San Antonio, and congratulating ourselves on reducing our puppy population by one, when we happened to notice that another female beagle was having four more puppies while we were selling the one.

This makes it very difficult to keep up on the inventory.

We wonder if there is a connection between tile and beagles. A couple of months ago, we sold one of our pups to the Bob Marklands, and Bob, as you know, is connected with the Santa Anna Tile Company. And now we have sold one of these new pups to Bill Baker, from San Angelo, who is connected with the Monarch Tile Company in that city.

There was a loud explosion in the back room over at Phillips Drug the other day. Doc Barker came staggering out, singed and smoked, with his glasses shattered and his jacket in shreds. "Please, lady," he said to his customer, "Have Doctor Henner write out that prescription again. And this time, tell him to print it."

Well, we don't have any more to report this week on the who-is-the-oldest - person - living-in - Santa-Anna-Now-who-was-born - here controversy. Our undercover agent hasn't been able to get the lady who now claims the title to reveal her actual age yet.

We are still working on it. May call in James Bond before its over.

Kenneth Minyard, who spends some of his time around the office here, officially claims to be the oldest native of Georgia now living in Santa Anna.

According to a study recently completed by a psychologist, newspaper workers have the highest level of anxiety of any profession tested. Before he got around to checking on the members of the press, the highest anxiety levels he found had belonged to Navy frogmen and student pilots.

The only thing we don't understand is why it took a psychologist to figure that out. Anyone could have discovered this fact by dropping by a newspaper office while the staff was trying to get out the paper, and the press had broken down, and the Linotype machine had jammed, and six salesmen were trying to see the publisher, and 12 creditors were doing likewise, and four and a half advertisers were wanting to change the copy in their ads after they were already made up, and a lady couldn't understand why the story about the engagement of her great grand-niece seven times removed couldn't be given the place of honor on the front page, and the paper on which the newspaper is printed hadn't arrived and the trucking company couldn't locate it, and a frog had jumped in the barrel of printing ink and couldn't be removed.

Anxious? Who, us?

We saw Smokey Moseley, from Piggly Wiggly, coming out of the bank the other day with a paper sack under his arm. Guess with prices the way they have been the last few weeks, they have to keep the meat in the bank vault nowadays.

## Two Local Physicians Leave This Week For Colorado Surgery Study

Two of Santa Anna's three medical doctors are leaving this week, and by coincidence, both are going to the same Colorado hospital.

Both Dr. R. W. McMullen, who has been on the staff of Santa Anna Hospital, and Dr. John Murrell, who has operated Central Medical Clinic here, are going to Colorado State Hospital,

## Construction Lag Causes Tile Layoff

The Santa Anna Tile Plant has temporarily laid off "10 or 11 men" according to Roy Horne, manager.

The layoff is a temporary reaction to a slump in construction, which is reflected in a smaller demand for building tile, Horne said. The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports that building authorizations in the state dropped 13 percent last month, to the second lowest level for any month in the last year.

"This is a temporary layoff, such as we have in this business from time to time," Horne said. "And we will offer these employees their jobs back when business picks up, if they haven't already found other employment."

Horne also pointed out that imports are hurting the tile industry in the United States. Due to lower labor costs, Japanese tile can be produced and imported into this country at such a low price as to deprive the domestic manufacturers of a large part of their market. Import duties on this building material has fallen more than 50 percent over the past few years, allowing the cheaply produced foreign tile to undersell the tile made in this country. Efforts of the industry to have import duties raised to their previous level, allowing domestic producers to operate on a more competitive basis, have so far been unsuccessful, Horne said.

where they will be serving residencies in surgery.

Dr. McMullen, who has been associated with the Santa Anna Hospital since January of 1960, left this week for Pueblo, Colorado, to begin the surgical residency, accompanied by Mrs. McMullen, and their children, Ronnie, Denny, and Jerry.

Dr. McMullen served three years in China and four years in the Congo, as a medical missionary, barely escaping each time when Communists took over the country, a spokesman for Santa Anna Hospital told The News.

Dr. Charles Henner, medical head of Santa Anna Hospital, has been working for the past year to assist Dr. McMullen in obtaining a residency of this type, which is required of a doctor to advance in any of the specialized fields of medicine. Dr. Henner said that although he hated losing Dr. McMullen from the staff of Santa Anna Hospital, he was glad that he had received the opportunity for this very important advanced training.

Dr. Murrell, who came to Santa Anna in December of 1960, was first associated with Santa Anna Hospital and then opened the Central Medical Clinic in February of 1962. He will leave for Pueblo, Colorado, on Thursday. Mrs. Murrell and the three Murrell children, Tony, 18, Tommy, 16, and Kenny, 10, will remain in Santa Anna until Tony completes the summer term at Howard Payne College, in Brownwood.

Progress is being made in obtaining a doctor to fill the vacancy on the staff of Santa Anna Hospital, but nothing definite has been decided at this time, according to a spokesman for the Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Watson and children, Donnie, David, and Gary, and Mrs. Chick Watson of Irving, were visitors in the W. E. Vanderford home Saturday night.

## Operation Headstart Gets Underway Here With 30 New Students Enrolled

Operation Headstart got off to a successful start here this week, with 25 preschoolers enrolled the first day. By Thursday, the total had grown to 30.

Purpose of the four week program is to prepare children who will be starting school for the first time this fall. Originally developed nationally as a program for underprivileged children, Operation Headstart was adapted by local school officials of the Santa Anna Independent School District as a program for all children, to prepare them for the start of their academic career.

## Local Masons Install New Officers Recently

Thursday, June 24, was installation date for Santa Anna's Mountain Lodge number 661, AF&AM.

The joint installation ceremony took place in Coleman, and included Atoka, Gouldbusk, and Voss Masonic chapters as well as those from Santa Anna and Coleman.

Local officers installed include: James Martin, worshipful master; Paul Pembroke, senior warden; Floyd Smith, junior warden; Ben Vinson, treasurer; D. H. Moore, secretary; H. A. Burden, senior deacon; Jake McCreary, junior deacon; Cullen Perry, chaplain; Roy West, senior steward; J. T. Avants, junior steward; and Roy Biedsoe, tiler.

## Winners Announced In Store Contest

Winners in the contest sponsored by the Ladies Shop, of Santa Anna, during their recent sale, were announced this week.

First place winner was Margie Martin, who took home the bedroom suite. Other winners, in order, were: Eva Nell Bengel (dinner set), Lawanda Horner (rockers), Linda Horner (\$25.00 gift certificate), Janet Gray (\$20.00 gift certificate), Billie Guthrie (table lamp), Ruby Pritchard (\$10.00 gift certificate), Mrs. Cladence Smith \$7.50 (gift certificate), Mrs. Denny Densman (\$5.00 gift certificate), and Amelia DeLeon (three pair of dress hose).

Also getting the hardtop treatment this week is one block of Banister Street immediately east of the housing project in south-east Santa Anna.

Santa Anna is widely recognized as having the highest percentage of paved streets of any city in Texas, bar none. This week's additions to the paved streets of the city is calculated to keep the Mountain City in the lead.

Attend church regularly.

## Two More Streets Now Being Paved

Two more blocks of Santa Anna's city streets are in the process of being paved this week. The 200 block of Avenue C being paved, continuing the pavement on Avenue C, which pavement begins near the baseball field and continues for three blocks until it reaches the block being paved.

Phillips Drug Store will be open until noon on Monday.

Mail will be placed in the Post Office boxes in Santa Anna Post Office, but windows will not be open Monday, nor will there be route delivery that day.

Santa Anna Clinic will be closed Sunday, but will be open as usual on Monday.

# TV CABLE PROGRESSES

Progress is being made toward placing in operation the new television cable service for Santa Anna.

Two antennae, which went astray between the time they were ordered and the time they were supposed to have arrived, have finally been installed on the tower atop the western portion of Santa Anna Mountain.

Next step in the process of

CABLE TELEVISION is fast becoming a reality here, as Max Eubank makes an adjustment on the antenna tower, which will be about 110 feet high when extended. In the photo on the right is the culprit that caused the delay, one of two antennae that went astray in shipment. Note the grid that eliminates all unwanted signals.

furnishing Santa Anna viewers with clear, interference-free television reception is the installation of amplifiers and other transmission equipment needed to insure a uniform signal to all sets in town. It is expected that connection of subscribers will begin in about one week.

Community antenna television cable service provides one very high antenna, with necessary filtering and amplifying equipment, needed to obtain an excellent television picture, without interference, "snow", fading, and other troubles that plague television reception in fringe areas. Because of the expense involved, most individual home television viewers could not afford to install receiving apparatus required to obtain such results. But with a

community antenna system, with many subscribers paying a small amount for the service, one installation can be built that will provide this type of high quality signal to the sets of all users. These community systems are installed in localities in which distance from transmitting facilities, or geographical features, prevent reception of a strong signal with conventional antenna systems. Santa Anna suffers from both problems, being located quite some distance from the nearest transmitters, and being below Santa Anna Mountain, which blocks off the signal from these transmitters to a large extent.

Santa Anna will be the only city of its size in Texas with its own community television cable system.

Contractors are preparing the system for the connection of individual subscribers at the present time. This involves installing small amplifiers at various locations around town, and adjusting these amplifiers so that all the sets served receive a strong, well modulated signal.

When these preparations are complete, individual subscribers will be connected. Max Eubank, who is installing the system, estimates that it will take about two weeks to hook up everyone now subscribing to the system.

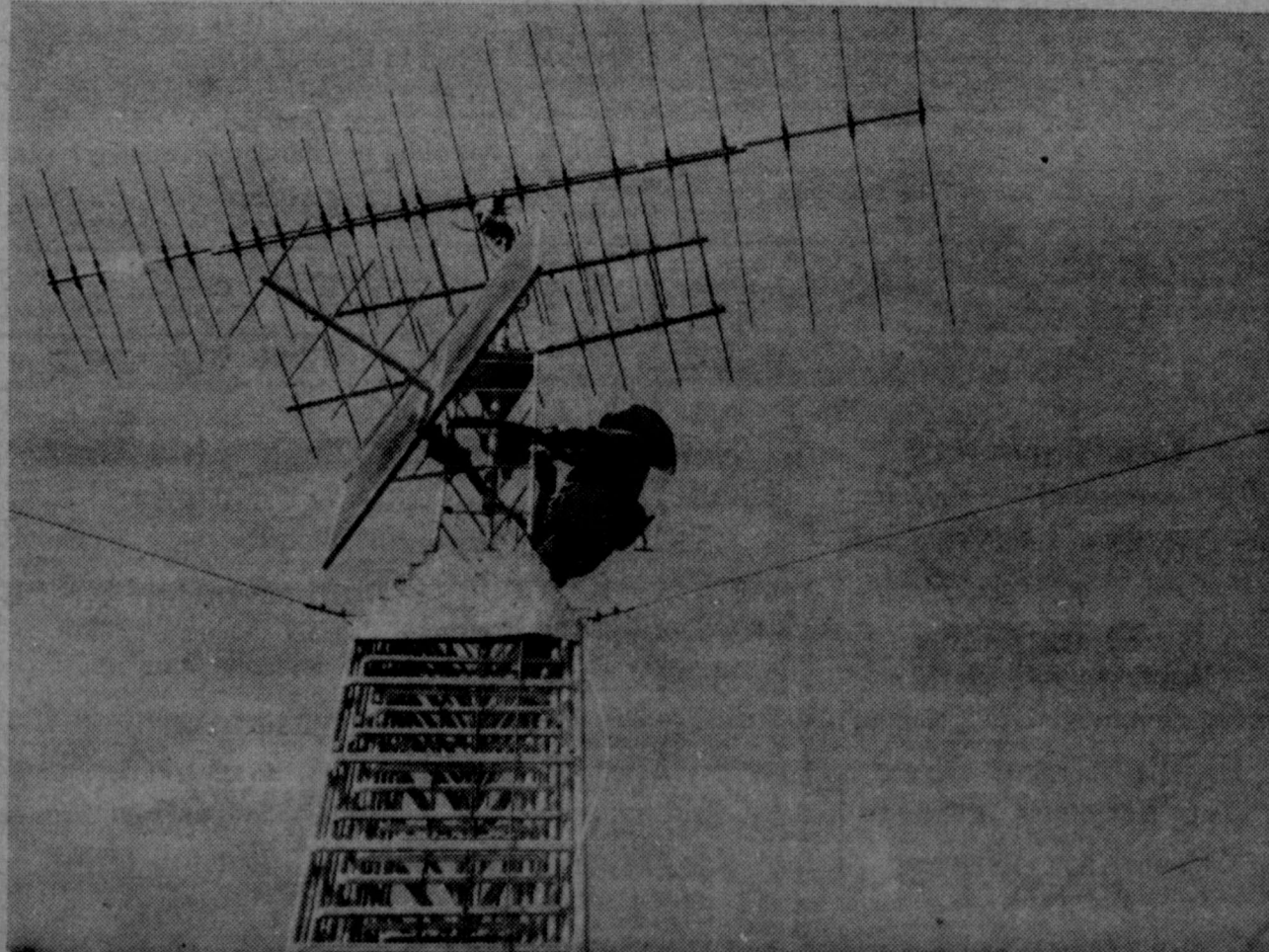
The initial reception on the community antenna system will be on three channels, channel 8 (San Angelo), channel 9 (Abilene), and channel 12 (Sweetwater). This will provide viewers with reception from all three national television networks.

Possibilities, still in the future, include reception of other channels, and the addition of facilities for FM radio reception. FM radio signals have about the same carrying ability as do television signals, and an antenna system is needed for this type of interference-free radio reception.

Eubank says that about 40 subscribers have already signed up for the new service, with quite a few more expected as soon as the system is ready to go.

The community antenna provides both color and black and white reception, Eubank said.

Any persons interested in subscribing to the new television service can contact Eubank at Post Office Box 162, Santa Anna, or call him at FI 8-3413.





## Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Orchids to Mr. Parker and the staff of the Santa Anna News for first place award in Texas State Newspaper competition.

Recent guests with Mrs. A. L. Crutcher were Mrs. Mena Shuford on Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Joe A. Hodges and children of Coleman Friday morning, and Mrs. J. A. Hunter Sunday morning.

Mrs. Bill Rehm took her dad, N. J. Buttry to San Antonio last Wednesday for an eye checkup. Boss Estes accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Rehm of Snyder visited Friday night to Sunday with Mrs. Rehm and Mr. Buttry.

Visiting Sunday morning with Mrs. Kate McIlvain were Oral McGill and Billy of Houston and Miss Carolyn Williams of Pasadena and Donald Williams of Brownwood.

Mrs. Rodney Dean is with her father at Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood. He suffered a severe heart attack recently. Mr. Dean, Beth, Roddy, Linda and Rocky spent Saturday night at Brownwood Lake at the Dean and Stephenson family reunion and visited Sunday at the hospital with Mr. Fellers, who is improving.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan and children were visiting in Brownwood Father's Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Emerson and met Loretta Broadway, who had been visiting relatives in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Brusenhan, Judy and Jodie were again visiting in Brownwood on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Mary Broadway and Miss Judy Counts of Fort Worth visited Monday to Thursday with her family, the Brusenhans.

Judy Brusenhan spent Friday night with Serena Bryan. Sunday dinner guest in the Brusenhan home were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brusenhan of Eden and grandson, Mike Spiser of San Antonio, Mrs. Mary Brusenhan and Joe McCreary.

Monday guest with the Brusenhans were Mrs. Bill Polk and Candy of Salt Gap and two granddaughters, Linda and Jan Atkinson of San Antonio.

Guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunter of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Briscoe and children of Waldrip Friday evening; Mr. and Mrs. Don Hunter of Brownwood Saturday. They all visited Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunter for ice cream and cake. The J. A. Hunters visited with Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter and Jimmy at Coleman Sunday. Jimmy spent Monday night with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal were Saturday afternoon Mrs. L. L. Bryan visited Mr. and Mrs. Leffel

and Mrs. C. A. Poe in Abilene. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny R. Deal and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Deal, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Deal are moving to Denver, Colorado. They also visited Mrs. W. R. McMin.

Mr. and Mrs. Deal were in Fort Stockton Sunday and Monday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Deal and children. Patsy had been in a hospital with an infected foot and the recent storm had damaged Rolan's crop and blown outbuildings away.

Visiting briefly in the Deal home Sunday morning were Leo Deal of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Deal of Gouldbusk and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff McSpadden of Odessa.

Elon Cheatham and son, Walton, of San Antonio visited Friday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box.

Mrs. Claud Box, Cemetery Association secretary, reports with appreciation the following contributions: Mrs. Bruce Snodgrass, \$5.00; Mrs. Gussie Wise, \$5.00; Mrs. Bill Polk, \$4.00; John X. Steward, \$5.00; Mrs. Mena Shuford, \$5.00; Mrs. Nettie Blackwell, \$6.00; Mrs. Bird White, \$3.00; T. A. Hodges, \$5.00; Evan Wise, \$5.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dudley of Ozona visited Thursday to Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson. Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Phenix and Cindy of Crane and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cooper of Snyder visited Friday and they all attended the Richardson-Lowrance wedding in Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Milligan visited the Richardsons Sunday afternoon.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. L. L. Bryan visited Mr. and Mrs. Leffel

Estes and family. Bill Conner of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes were Saturday guests. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Day and boys of Coleman were Saturday supper guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes and Geneva visited Mrs. Alex Conner in Santa Anna Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Kemp of Santa Anna and Mrs. John Hunter spent Friday night and Saturday with Mrs. Letrice Benedict and Miss Eunice Coffee in Temple. Visiting with Mrs. Uless Maness and Mrs. Ora Caldwell at the Memorial Hospital and with Roy Stafford at the Medical Arts Hospital enroute home. They also visited with Lee McMullan at the V. A. Hospital in Temple. Mrs. W. M. Holland of Talpa spent Monday with Mrs. John Hunter.

Mrs. Donald R. Hunter, a recent bride, will be honored with a miscellaneous shower at the Community Center, Saturday, July 3, at 2:30 p.m. Hostesses are Mrs. Lester Bryan, Mrs. Jack McSwane, Mrs. Curtis Bryan, Mrs. John Hunter, Mrs. Joe Wise, Mrs. Bert Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Box, Mrs. Doyle Stanford and Julie of Fort Worth spent the weekend at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mueller and children of San Antonio spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wise.

Evan Wise and Polley Wise left Sunday for the coast, fishing. Mrs. Evan Wise will visit their daughters and families in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Caldwell and son of Houston spent

Saturday and Sunday with Ray Caldwell. Mrs. Caldwell remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Eckles and Dawn and Mrs. Gussie Wise of San Angelo spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutherford and children.

Randy Estes of Abilene spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes, who took him home Wednesday and spent the night.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson and children of Irving spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward.

Mrs. Rosa Belle Heilman was Sunday dinner guest with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler and family.

Mrs. Lee Miller, Mrs. Clarence Davenport and Mrs. Betty Hobson and children of Coleman visited with Linnie Box Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Wise left Sunday for Austin to visit Mr. and Mrs. Joe Riley, then to Ft. Worth to visit daughters and families.

Mrs. Lon Gray gave the book report for the Mission Study, titled: "Go Home and Tell," and Mrs. Henry Smith conducted the business session when the Woman's Missionary Society met at the Rockwood Baptist Church Monday afternoon.

The regular social will be held at the Community Center, Monday, July 5, at 2:30 p.m. Hostesses are Mrs. Evan Wise and Mrs. Bill Steward.

Members present were Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. Bill Bryan and Mrs. Matt Estes.

Attend church regularly.

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Part of playing any game is to learn how to settle the inevitable arguments. In a league in which nobody has a coin to toss, this is the time-honored method for getting the game started without a squabble.

But there are other games to be played, in other leagues. Life for each of us brings many occasions for conflict. And they don't all yield to simple techniques like twirling a bat around one's shoulders with just a couple of fingers.

Earnest Christians believe that our faith can point men to the right attitude and action in times of stress.

That's why, as we face the conflicts of life, we always hope the other fellow will behave like a Christian. And he's hoping as much of us.

Why not meet him in Church next Sunday? That's where right attitudes often begin.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Matthew 18:21-35	Mark 9:33-41	Ephesians 4:22-33	Philippians 2:1-11	Philippians 2:14-18	Colossians 2:1-6	Timothy 6:3-10
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## Shields News

By MRS. E. S. JONES

Sunday, Larry Moore, minister of the Church of Christ was guest of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Eppler and Dwight.

Visitors Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler were Mr. and Mrs. John McClelland of New Braunfels, and Mrs. Rosa Hellman of Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Skelton and Mr. and Mrs. Varrell McClain and girls attended the McClain family reunion at Riverside Park, Brownwood, on Sunday.

Mrs. A. D. Eppler and Mrs. E. S. Jones were in Coleman Monday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe.

Visitors during the week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price were Miss Alma Hardin of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Woodard of Cache, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Audie Woodard of Bakersfield, California.

Carol Ann Scarborough of Enid, Oklahoma, was a visitor for Sunday School at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McDonald visited in Santa Anna with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stovall on Thurs-

day. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bivins and Joe Lynn of Clearfield, Utah, visited during the week in the Otis Bivins home.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Scarborough were in Brownwood Sunday to see Leonard Williams, a patient in Medical Arts Hospital and Leonard is improving.

Leta McClure who is attending San Angelo State College spent the weekend with home folks.

Mrs. Lee Tatum of Santa Anna spent several days last week with W. T. Stewardson and family.

Mrs. Otis Bivins and Mrs. Duane Bivins were business visitors in Abilene on Monday.

## Whon News

By MRS. TOM RUTHERFORD

Mr. Gus Hines of Marshall, Texas, visited during the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney.

Mr. Oscar Lovelady spent Wednesday and Thursday in the Bert Turney home and visited also with Mr. Hines.

Mr. Zack Bible and daughter, Mrs. Willie (Juanita) Branch of

Houston spent the weekend in their home here and attended the Bible family reunion at Brady Park Sunday. Mr. Bible has been in Houston several weeks and has had medical care while there. Mrs. Bible has also had medical care, but was unable to come home. Juanita returned to Houston Sunday afternoon, but Mr. Bible remained in his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Turney and children, Mark and Becky, of Santa Anna were Sunday dinner guests with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney. Becky was just returning home following two weeks visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bible in Killeen.

Mr. Dave Shields of Cross Plains and Calvin Shields spent Sunday afternoon with their brother, Sammie Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and Randal were shopping in Brownwood Saturday afternoon and visited with Mrs. Audrey Palvado.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and children of Coleman spent Saturday with Tom Rutherford and Lynda.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants were in Christoval Sunday attending the Avants' family reunion. They reported all Aaron Avants' family present and all Mrs. Mary Avants' children, grandchildren and in laws, unless one grandson in law was not present. They reported a nice day, lots of food and people.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Deal of Mozelle and Mrs. Deal's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff McSpadden of Odessa, visited briefly with Sammie Shields Sunday morning, and also went to the Whon Cemetery.

Mr. Fred Shields did some awfully good work last week in the Whon Cemetery. It is in real good condition now.

Mr. Oscar Lovelady visited in Santa Anna with Guy and Alta Lovelady Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick were in Eden Thursday afternoon attending memorial ser-

mons for Mrs. Fitzpatrick's aunt, a sister of Mr. Snowden. Our sympathy to the bereaved.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris visited in Brownwood Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Johnie James and boys. A son, Darrell Ray James, will be leaving this next week for his induction into the Service for his country. This will be the second call from this family in about a three weeks period of time. The oldest James boy is now stationed at Ft. Polk, Louisiana.

Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and son, Randal visited in the Thomas Switzer home Thursday p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Floyd Morris of Early, Mr. and Mrs. John David Morris of Coleman were weekend guests in the home of the boy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris and Jamie Lee.

Neil and Don Fitzpatrick have been active in rodeo parades during the past week. Both Ballinger and possibly Winter's rodeos.

and Mrs. Hollis Keller and family of Cross Cut.

Steve and Phil Henderson of San Angelo are visiting several weeks with their uncle, Hilburn Henderson, and Mrs. Henderson. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson and girls of Hobbs, New Mexico, and Mrs. Rosa Henderson spent Wednesday with the Hilburn Hendersons. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Collins of the Leedy community were Sunday afternoon visitors.

Janice Martin and Sherrie McIver attended G. A. Camp at Brownwood Lake last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bolton of Dallas were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stearns. Mrs. Ray Wells and children of Coleman were Sunday afternoon visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Woods and daughter, Jo Anna, of Brownwood were Saturday night visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dockery and John.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes and

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dockery were visitors in the Fred Haynes home during the weekend. Mr. Frank Wallace of Garland came after Mrs. Wallace and children who had spent last week here visiting her parents and brother. They returned to their home on Sunday.

Miss Jane Vaughan of San Antonio is spending this week with her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vaughn.

Debbie, Freddie and Billy Wallace of Garland visited Saturday with Nikki York. The group enjoyed games and a picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Felton Martin and children visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Durtkchi at Brownwood Lake and enjoyed boating and skiing.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle McIver and son of Mansfield spent Sunday and Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver. Mrs. Keetie Haynes of Santa Anna visited with them on Sunday.

## Trickham News

By Mrs. J. E. York  
Telephone DU2-3336

There will be a miscellaneous shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. Otis Wade Stephens at the Community Center, Friday afternoon at 3 p.m. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited.

Little Mike James, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady James of Fort Worth, is spending this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene James, while his parents and older brother are vacationing in California. Miss Sherril James is visiting at home with her parents and brother for a couple of weeks before going to Houston where she will be employed.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Felton Martin and children were Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford of Goldthwaite, Mr. George Cox of Bryds and Mr.



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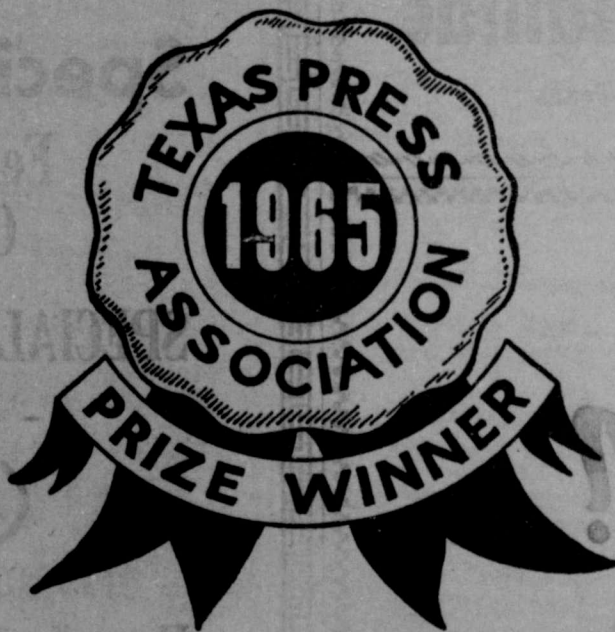
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Mrs. L. O. Garrett 26p

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to our many friends for the shower at Rockwood, and to all others for contributions, food, and other kindnesses shown at the death of our loved one, and the loss of our home. May God bless each of you.

Mrs. L. L. Bryan and Kenneth. 26c

Dr. and Mrs. R. W. McMullen wish to thank their friends, for their friendship and patronage. We regret to say goodbye, but Dr. McMullen is going to Colorado, to take post graduate training in surgery.

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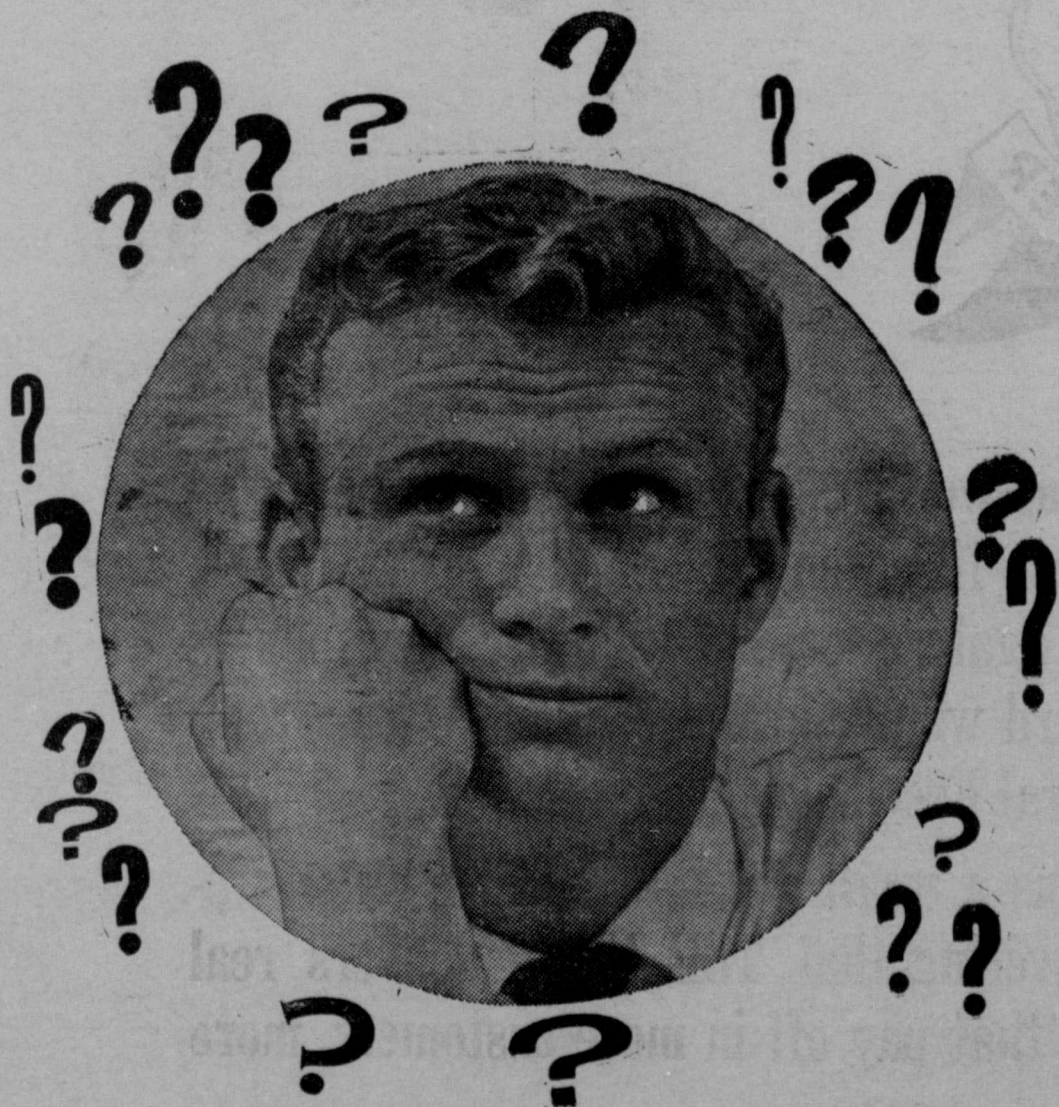
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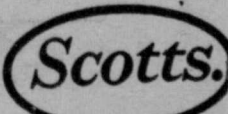
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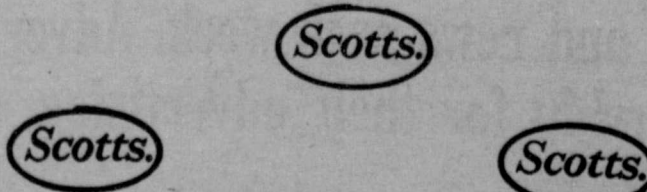
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## Obituaries

**BROWN**  
John S. Brown, 84, of Santa Anna, passed away Wednesday, June 23, in Santa Anna. Funeral services were held Friday, June 25, at Stevens Memorial Chapel, with Rev. Paul Smith, of Concho Baptist Church, Coleman, officiating.

Burial was in Santa Anna Cemetery with Stevens Funeral Home in charge.

Survivors include a son, George Ellis Brown, of Abilene; four daughters, Mrs. Dora Dyer, of

Coleman, Mrs. Velma Dyer, Dallas, Mrs. Fannie Vestal, Abilene, and Mrs. Ella Mae Hinze, Imperial, California; 17 grandchildren, and 30 great grandchildren.

### SQYRES

Sam Sqyres, 74, died Friday, June 25, in a Coleman hospital. Funeral services were held Saturday, June 26, in Stevens Memorial Chapel, with Rev. Jack Skelton, of Voss Baptist Church, officiating.

Sqyres, a retired farmer, was born in Helena, Texas, and was married in Santa Anna, moving to Gouldbusk in 1908.

Survivors include his wife; four brothers, Rev. C. W. Sqyres, of Lawton, Oklahoma, J. O. Sqyres, Fort Worth, and John Sqyres and J. E. Sqyres, both of San Diego, California; four sisters, Mrs. Allie Garrett, Dayton, Texas, Mrs. Annie Utz, San Angelo, Mrs. Stanley Graves, Brownwood, and Mrs. Boyd Hopkins, Victoria; two sons, J. T. Sqyres and Samuel Sqyres, of Santa Anna; five daughters, Mrs. Lela Brown, Stacy, Texas, Mrs. Faye Wheeler, Fisk, Mrs. Neva Howard, Coleman, Mrs. Katherine Sparks, San Angelo, and Mrs. Wilma Sidoner, Fort Worth; 20 grandchildren, and 15 great grandchildren.

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## James Allen Wins At Bangs Rodeo Recently

James Allen, of Santa Anna, swept honors in steer roping at the annual rodeo in Bangs, Saturday, June 26. Allen also took first place in the jackpot calf roping, and he beat Don Davis of View, Texas, in the matched roping competition.

The weekend of July 4 (Friday, July 2 through Sunday, July 4) will see Allen again competing in matched roping, this time at the May, Texas rodeo, competing against George Spiller, of Brady.

Due to an error in last week's paper, the time for the Smith-Castleberry wedding was listed as 8:30 p.m. on July 4. The time should have been 8:30 a.m. on July 4, in the First Baptist Church.

## Horse Auction Set For July 10 In Coleman

A special pre-rodeo horse sale is planned for Saturday, July 10, at the Double C Riding Club arena, in Coleman, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

James Allen, of Santa Anna, will be the auctioneer, and consignments of all types of horses are invited.

### GREEN REUNION PLANNED

The descendants of the late Willis and Mary E. Green will meet on Sunday, July 4, 1965, at the Coleman City Park, for their annual reunion. All relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend. Basket lunch will be served at 12:30 p.m., allowing time for those who wish to do so to attend church services in the morning.

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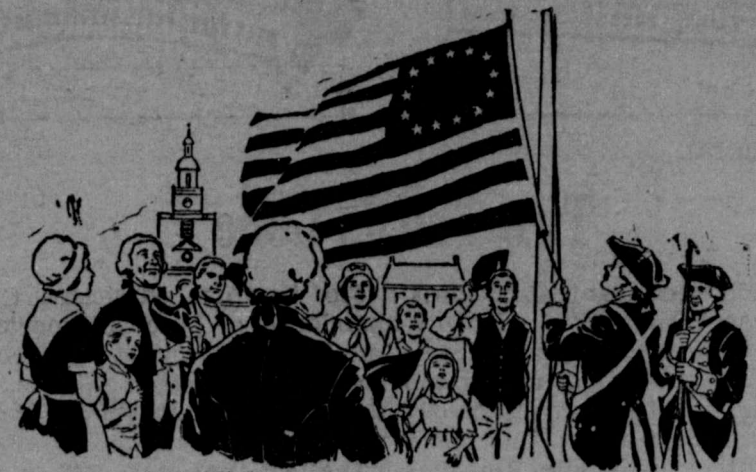
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Mr. and Mrs. Winston Aldridge, Vaden and Varlyn of Kermit, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Aldridge. They all attended the Aldridge reunion at the Coleman Lake Saturday night and Sunday.

Debra Aldridge of Kermit is visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Aldridge, this week.

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## EDITORIAL

### Two Thirds Gone

This week, Santa Anna lost two of its three physicians. Our city has been blessed with an abundance of excellent medical doctors during the past few years, although many residents remember that it was not too long ago when the city had none.

The fact that two thirds of our medical practitioners are leaving points out a fact that communities sometimes tend to overlook until it is too late. And that is the fact that every city needs adequate medical facilities. Although we realize that both of the doctors who are leaving are doing so in order to better prepare themselves for their profession, it is still with a slight sense of shock that we realize that within one week Santa Anna has come to the point where it is only one doctor away from being a doctorless town.

Although Dr. Charles Henner has no intentions of leaving Santa Anna, despite some rather foolish rumors that have been circulated to the contrary, still we must realize that a doctor, like all of us, must go where opportunity and need is greatest.

Santa Anna has been offered one of the greatest gifts any city our size could receive, in the proposed Santa Anna Medical Center. Many cities, much larger than ours, would pay great amounts to obtain a facility like this. Brownwood and Coleman are both trying to increase their hospital facilities, obtaining the funds required through donations and increased taxation. Yet Santa Anna is being offered such a tremendous asset at no cost to the city or its people.

In fact, construction would now be underway on a modern hospital for our city were it not for the obstructionist tactics of a few diehards, who would rather satisfy their own petty dislikes than see our city improved, and for the lethargy and lack of initiative of a great many of us, who seem to take the attitude that it is okay for someone else to do something to improve Santa Anna, as long as we ourselves do not have to put out any effort.

It is time, we think, that all of us who are interested in building a better Santa Anna in which to live and work and raise our families, get behind the people who are working toward this goal, give them our active support, and refute the small minority that would like to see Santa Anna wither up and die.

### A Good Example Of Private Enterprise

Max Eubank is nearing completion of the first stage of his community television cable installation. As a story elsewhere in this issue of The News tells, his organization will begin hooking up subscribers within a few days.

The enterprise and initiative shown in creating this new facility for Santa Anna is to be commended. There were two goals, two reasons for risking money, time, and effort in establishing this system: (1) To make a profit; and (2) To help improve Santa Anna. We think, of these two reasons, number (2) was probably the strongest. Eubank cannot hope to recoup his investment for quite some time, and he is running a risk of never making it back. But he went ahead because he felt that this community television cable system would be an asset to the city of Santa Anna and its people.

The News wants to congratulate Eubank on bringing this improvement to Santa Anna, and to urge all the people of our community to support this worthwhile venture.

### Hesterday's News

#### FIVE YEARS AGO

The Vernon Campbell Gin, on Bowie Avenue, was completely destroyed by late night fire here about 1:30 a.m. Friday, reports The News for June 24, 1960. Loss was estimated at more than \$40,000.

Outgoing Lions Club president Kenneth Bowker turned the reins over to the incoming prey, Elgean Harris at the meeting this week.

Mrs. J. J. Gregg is recuperating following a fall that resulted in two broken ribs.

#### TEN YEARS AGO

More than 350 persons turned out for the dedication of the new Northside Church of Christ last Sunday, according to the paper for July 1, 1955.

D. H. Williams has gone into the earthmoving business in Coleman County, according to a story and an advertisement in this week's paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Brooke and Brownie returned this week from a sightseeing trip through New Mexico and Colorado.

#### TWENTY YEARS AGO

Marine Corps Corporal Clovis Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wells, of Santa Anna, died as a result of wounds received in the battle for Okinawa, the paper for June 29, 1945 reports.

Staff Sergeant W. C. Burden returned to Pueblo, Colorado, following a visit with his parents here.

First Lieutenant Henry W. Kingsbery returned to Lubbock Army Air Field this week, where he is undergoing special weather training.

Sergeant Willie McCrary, of Santa Anna, goes to Fort Sam

Houston for reassignment this week.

#### TWENTY FIVE YEARS AGO

As the clouds of war gather over Europe, more and more Americans are enlisting in the military services. The News for June 28, 1940 reports that 14 young men from this area enlisted in the Army in a period of two days, at the Brownwood recruiting office.

The newest scientific discovery, nylon hose for women, have been declared "an unqualified success" according to the paper.

The annual reunion of former Texas Rangers, held in Santa Anna, is in progress this week, with 27 exRangers registered so far.

#### THIRTY YEARS AGO

W. G. Godwin, vocational agriculture teacher at Santa Anna High School, was married recently in Wichita Falls, reports the paper for June 28, 1935.

Leon Weaver, of Santa Anna, was injured in an auto-train collision near Coleman. The car was demolished.

Mrs. E. F. Rutherford was fatally burned at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Tony Rehm, near Rockwood. The fire followed an explosion occurring when Mrs. Rutherford used kerosene to light a wood cooking stove.

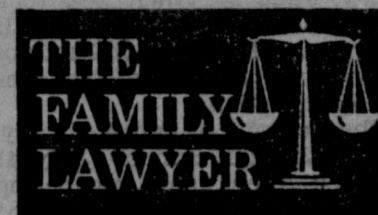
#### FORTY YEARS AGO

The First State Bank, of Santa Anna, will convert to a national bank, according to the lead story in the paper for June 26, 1925.

D. J. Johnson, president of the Santa Anna Lions Club, is on his way to Cedar Point, Ohio, for the international Lions Club Convention.



Working for the Government, Instead of his Customers



### "HARRY SHOT ME!"

Watchers of TV westerns know the scene by heart. Old Ed, the victim of a shooting, lies near death. The sheriff bends over to catch his last words. Ed gasps: "Harry shot me!"

On TV, that usually settles the identity of the killer. But in real life, if Harry were charged with murder, would a statement like Ed's be valid in court?

There are arguments both ways. The main problem is that Ed's accusation, when repeated later by the sheriff, is mere hearsay—that is, secondhand evidence. And the law has good reasons to be wary of hearsay.

For one thing, Ed's charge was not made under oath. For another, he is no longer available for cross-examination by the person he has accused. For another, a man in his death throes might not be calm enough or rational enough to make a dependable declaration on any subject.

Yet there are also good reasons for accepting the evidence. As a practical matter, it may offer the best possible chance of bringing a killer to justice. Furthermore, the very nearness of death is likely to induce the victim to be truthful. In the words of a dying Shakespearean character:

"What in the world should make me now deceive,

Since I must lose the use of all deceit?"

Balancing these conflicting considerations, the law generally does accept a deathbed accusation as evidence—but only under careful safeguards.

### Happy Birthday

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

#### JULY 1

Mrs. Leon Phillips  
Gilbert (Bubba) Jones  
Karen McCluskey

#### JULY 3

William Rutherford  
E. F. Talley  
Mrs. Billy Joe Harvey  
Rodger Jackson, Rockville, Md.

#### JULY 4

W. R. Mulroy  
Sam H. Collier  
Mrs. Vernon Penny  
Dale Hicks  
Clyde Parker  
Mary Ann Collins  
Katie Lee Collins  
Mrs. R. C. Rainey, Lubbock

#### JULY 5

Dan Tindol

#### JULY 6

Leland Thompson  
Mrs. Lefel Estes  
Mrs. Bob Nixon, Valera

#### JULY 7

Mrs. Roscoe Hosch  
Mrs. Lois Henderson, San Angelo

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 July 8 and July 14.

For example, it is necessary that the victim not only be near death but be aware of it. If he still has hope of surviving, he might not be sufficiently motivated to tell the truth.

But if all hope has fled, his words may be heard in court. In fact, if he is too far gone to speak, even gestures alone may serve. In one case, a dying woman's squeeze of the hand, in response to a question, helped to send her slayer to jail. In another case, a nod of the head was held enough.

Of course, the principle works both ways. A victim's dying words may be used in court not only to prove that the defendant is the killer but also to prove that he is not. As with all rules of law, what may convict the guilty may also free the innocent.

A public service feature of the American Bar Association and the State Bar of Texas. Written by Will Bernard.

### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Medley and children of Houston were Sunday dinner guests of her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Boenicke, Rev. Crawford of Fort Worth and Cullen Perry of Santa Anna were afternoon visitors. Other recent visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster and Mrs. Russie James.

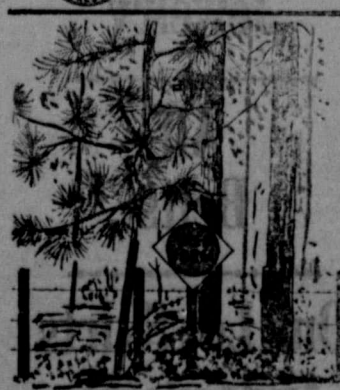
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Zona Stacy in the Twilight Nursing home at Bangs and found her feeling pretty good and liking her new home. Mr. and Mrs. Stacy attended church services at Brooksmith Sunday night.

The Joe Englands of Jacksonville, North Carolina, are visiting with relatives here in Santa Anna this week. They state that it is the first time in six years that they have visited here.

Sunday guests in the home of Mrs. R. B. Archer were her son, Billy, of the Buffalo community; her daughter and son in law, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Williams, of Abilene; and her daughter, Mrs. Peyton Dick, of San Angelo, who will be staying here for several days.



DID YOU KNOW THAT:



In October 1944, the Texas Forest Service, in cooperation with the Texas Forestry Association, the Southern Pine Association, and the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, inaugurated the Tree Farm System in Texas. It is part of a national project sponsored by the American Forest Products Industries to recognize forest landowners who are following good forestry practices.



# NEWS

Two of the three redistricting plans passed by the last legislature soon will come under courtroom attacks.

In a legislative redistricting case in Houston, motions will be filed asking that the new plan for dividing Texas into 150 districts for the State House of representatives be declared unconstitutional.

State Republican Chairman Peter O'Donnell, Jr., has announced that the Harris County plaintiffs in the Congressional redistricting case, headed by George Bush, will drop out of active roles in the case because that county was treated fairly in the redistricting plan.

But the Republicans plan to bring in new plaintiffs from Dallas, Bexar, Tarrant, Midland, Ector, Jefferson, Orange, and Brazoria Counties to try to convince the three judge Federal court in Houston that the new law violates several apportionment principles.

On legislative redistricting, state Representatives Jake Johnson, of San Antonio, and Robert C. Eckhardt, of Houston, who joined in the suit which led to present reapportionment procedures being declared unconstitutional, will ask the court to say that the new plan violates the US Constitution, too.

Main attack is expected to be purely on the question of whether countywide districts with more than one legislator serve to discriminate against minority racial and political groups.

No attack is expected on the plan passed to divide the Texas State Senate into 31 new districts.

### AUTO RATES GO UP

A State Insurance Board public hearing confirmed the earlier warning that auto insurance rates will go up an average of some 13.4 percent on August 1.

Actually, new rates for property damage, liability, and collision lines carried by most motorists will be increased more than 20 percent in most areas.

A rising toll from traffic accidents is blamed for the hike.

Insured drivers paid \$404,000,000 in premiums last year against \$198,000,000 settled by companies on claims. Another \$16,000,000 in payouts is pending. Board decides premiums should go up when more than 63 cents of the premium dollar goes to pay claims and adjustment costs.

### GOVERNOR'S VEToes

Just before the veto deadline, Governor Connally vetoed the bill which would have allowed banks, savings and loans associations, and others, to charge up to 17 1/4 percent interest on certain types of loans.

"No evidence was presented to the Legislature to justify these specific rates, either on the basis of reasonableness or need," the Governor said in his veto message. He said he also was concerned about a provision of the bill which would have let lenders require borrowers to purchase or provide insurance as security for a loan. That provision, he noted, would not have limited in any way "the number or types of insurance coverages which (could have been) required."

Connally vetoed a total of 40 bills passed by the 59th Legislature. Among them were:

Insecticide bill which would have affected both commercial insecticide applicators and farmers and ranchers.

Bill which would have authorized the expansion of the Upper Colorado River Authority to include Coleman, Comcho, Irion, McCulloch, Menard, Rannels, and Sterling counties.

Bills creating Northeast Texas State College, at Texarkana, and Permian State College, at Odessa.

### JULY 4 TOLL WARNING ISSUED

Homer Garrison, Department of Public Safety Director, estimates that thirty one persons will die in Texas traffic accidents during the three day July 4 holiday.

DPS plans maximum enforcement with additional personnel from other uniformed services to augment the regular Highway Patrol.

"Operation Motorcade," a DPS-directed coordinated effort among state agencies to reduce traffic accidents, will focus public attention on added dangers of holiday travel.

### COURTS SPEAK

State Supreme Court affirmed Court of Civil Appeals finding that the two year old law which placed bonded liquor exporters along the Mexico border under state regulation is unconstitutional.

In two separate opinions—from Harris and Matagorda counties—court held that holders of hurricane insurance policies which specifically excluded water damage coverage could not collect for flood water damages to their home from the September 11, 1961, Hurricane Carla.

### UT LANDS LEASED

University of Texas leased 47,014 acres of land for \$10,106,000 at the fiftieth public auction of oil and gas leases.

Active bids were drawn on 159 of 187 tracts offered. All leases were made for five year terms and a one sixth royalty on mineral production. Highest and second highest bids—\$260,000 and \$225,000—were on 320 acre tracts in Ward County.

Receipts from auction will swell the Permanent University Fund to over \$442,000, Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler said.

### SHORT SNORTS

A proposed pulp and paper mill (Owens-Illinois, Inc.) received a permit from Texas Water Pollution Control Board to discharge a maximum of 48,000,000 gallons of treated industrial waste daily into the Sabine River five miles north of Orange.

Governor Connally is recruiting membership for two vital new education groups—the 18 member Coordinating Board, Texas Colleges and Universities, and the 15 member Governor's Committee on Public School Education.

Six more Neighborhood Youth Corps job projects have been approved in Paducah, Rusk, Mercedes, Port Isabel, Hebbbronville, and Goliad.

1966 license plates for an estimated 6,000,000 vehicles already are in production at Huntsville State Prison shops in 33 different types of plates plus new "prestige" tags.

Secretary of State Crawford Martin has granted a charter to Texas Oil Producers Marketing Association, Inc., a nonprofit corporation to purchase and resell crude oil, believed to be first of its kind in industry.

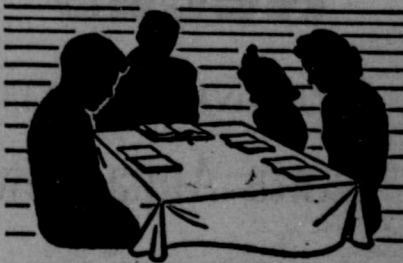
Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler has cancelled a seismograph permit issued to Geophysical Services and Pan American Petroleum after two of their explosive containers washed up on a Mustang Island beach.

Attorney General Carr has announced recovery of \$3,800 judgment from a Dallas man who allegedly drilled and operated a slant oil well in Gregg County.

Trinity Valley Savings and Loan Association, Cleveland, has filed application for charter and Savings and Loan Department set a hearing for August 26.

State Teachers Colleges Board of Regents is accepting applications for presidency of Sul Ross State College, Alpine, following death of Dr. Bryan Wildenthal.

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



The Upper Room THE UPPER ROOM, NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

Read John 16:7-14

The Spirit also helpeth our infirmities...the Spirit itself maketh intercession for us. Romans 8:26

Jesus said, "Ask and it shall be given you." We and others, our interests and those of others, can properly be the objects of our prayers.

Prayer means looking to God in thought and with heart and soul. To pray well it is necessary also to allow ourselves to be guided by the Holy Spirit. Scripture tells us that the Spirit Himself "comes to the aid of our weakness."

Prayer that is not heartfelt cannot be an expression of faith and degenerates in interest and effectiveness. Even in prayer made with faith, we must always rely upon Jesus' merits, believing that He "pleads our cause."

Christians know that he who lives a life of prayer is in direct communion with God, that He speaks more to us than we speak to Him.

Paul tells us not to grow tired in praying

### PRAYER

Our Father, we thank You for Your infinite goodness every time we prostrate ourselves before the throne of Your grace. We come to You to invoke Your mercy and pardon. We ask in the name and for the love of Christ Jesus, our Lord. Amen.

### THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

We express reverence for God through humbleness in His presence.

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sunfish and cat time for growth and spawning for small fish as food for bass. Rockenbaugh urges all land-owners needing fish for stock- ing ponds to make their requests in time for fall delivery. He also states that those having already placed requests will receive fish for planting beginning this fall.

# SPORTS

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fall, according to an announcement from the Burnet hatchery of the Fish and Wildlife Service, T. G. Rockenbaugh, local soil conservation service work unit conservationist, states.

A new method of stocking is being initiated which provides better balance and growth of fish, George Johnson, Hatchery manager, points out. The order of stocking fish calls for placing channel cat and sunfish during the fall season, and bass during the spring. This order gives the

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