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Mountain Echoes

By Barbara Kingsbery

Santa Anna can boast of many things, but maybe things have gone too far. An advertisement came Monday to Manager, Hillcrest Golf Club, Santa Anna, Texas. If there is such a club, it must be a well kept secret—or little known past.

Mrs. Charles Henner has recently had one of the downtown buildings restored and it is a nice change in the town's appearance. The former Overby Tailor Shop building now sports iron grille-work at the windows and over the door. It is quite attractive on the sturdy old rock facade.

The most excitement in years happened when Fred Hicks, Jake McCreary, and Joe Riley brought their monster fish into town Thursday night. The huge 70 pound catfish was shown, lifted, photographed, and generally admired by everyone the three fishermen could rouse out of bed at that hour. We have heard that the fish was skinned and frozen whole so that they could admire the huge carcass awhile longer. Someone hopefully suggested a city-wide fish fry.

Not everyone believed that Fred, Jake and Joe actually caught the big catfish last week. We were told that Hawkshaw Parker said Joe bought the fish for \$49.65.

Mrs. E. S. Jones sent us newspaper clippings from the 1953 Ex-Student homecoming. It was interesting to note that about 500 former students attended the meeting. Dr. O. J. Curry, a member of the class of 1923, was ex-student of the year.

We would like to see that large an attendance at the 1969 homecoming next week.

We are still having rain and scattered showers in our community. A brief shower fell Monday night. The Santa Anna area has been blessed with good rains during the past three or four weeks.

The Lions Club annual light bulb sale will be held in Santa Anna next Tuesday afternoon. The club will be pleased to have your support, so plan to purchase your light bulbs from this local organization.

The Santa Anna seniors got their class rings Monday of this week. The members of the class of 1970 are really proud of them.

We appreciate the nice news stories contributed to the NEWS, and we regret that some of them have to be held over due to lack of space in the current issue. One thing we would like to have — personal items from our readers. If you have had company, gone on an out-of-town trip, or have any other news of interest, please call the NEWS office on Monday or Tuesday or phone me at my home any other time. We will appreciate your help.

Dr. and Mrs. John Woodward and children, Julie, Catherine, and Hugh, of Dallas spent the weekend here with the Tom Kingsbery family. They returned to Dallas Sunday night.

Santa Anna Hospital Back In Business

After closing, opening and re-closing in recent weeks, the Santa Anna Hospital is again open this week. Dr. Walter E. Brady is to arrive this morning and the clinic will be open today. The hospital will be open within a few days and is available for emergencies at the present time.

Larry Ferris is coordinating plans for the opening and has spent all this week interviewing and scheduling employees at the clinic and hospital. Most of the former staff will return to the facility. Mr. Ferris and his wife and little daughter Christine have moved to Santa Anna from Wichita, Kan. where he will be associated with the hospital and clinic.

Dr. I. S. Hiremath from St. Louis, Mo., will arrive in a few days to practice at the Santa Anna Hospital. He and family will live in the Mascarenhas house on the Whon road. The Hiremaths have 4

sons, ages 8, 6, 2 and 1.

Dr. Brady and his wife will reside in the Burgos home. He is a Doctor of Osteopathy, and a graduate of the Kansas City School of Osteopathy. He has practiced in California before moving to Tucson, Ariz.

Dr. Hiremath is a surgeon, with three years residency in chest surgery, two years in pathology, and two years training in general surgery. He has been practicing at the St. Louis County Hospital.

To join the staff at the local hospital in January will be Dr. Gary Ferris, a brother of Mr. Ferris. Dr. Ferris is presently doing his internship at St. Louis with special training in radiology.

Although plans call for a new hospital to be constructed in the near future, the new staff plans to keep the present facility open to serve the medical needs of Santa Anna and the surrounding areas.

Jr. High Team Wins 28-0 Over Blanket JHS

The Santa Anna Junior High football team won their game over the Blanket juniors on Tuesday night at the local football stadium. The final score was Santa Anna 28-Blanket 0.

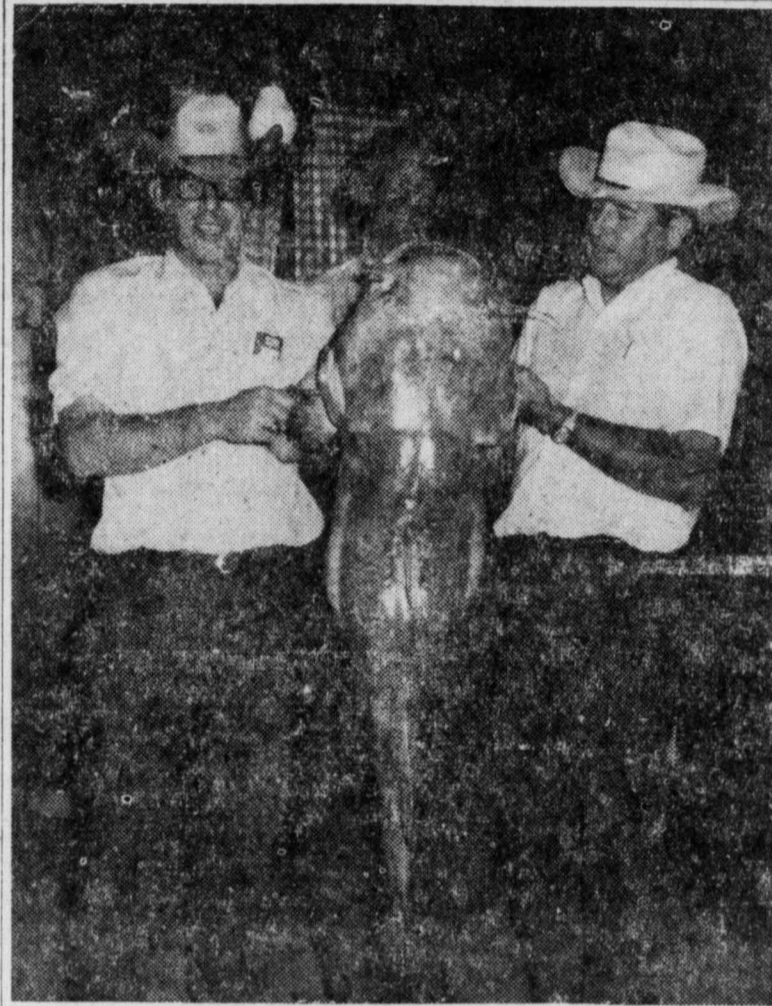
The Junior Mounties had lost their first game at Cross Plains last week and are scheduled to play at Bangs next Tuesday night at 7:30.

Thomas Wristen Attending Coop Managers Meet

Coleman County Telephone Cooperative manager Thomas Wristen is in Hot Springs, Ark., this week attending the annual seminar for managers of telephone cooperatives. The meeting is sponsored by the national cooperative organization.

Mr. Wristen left Sunday for the meeting and will return home Saturday.

SA Mounties Overpowered By Mighty Junction Eagles



THE ONE THAT DIDN'T GET AWAY . . . Jake McCreary, Fred Hicks, and Joe Riley proudly show the 70 pound yellow catfish that they caught last Thursday at Lake Brownwood. The fish was caught on a trot-line with goldfish bait. The three men were fishing near the Hicks' lake home.

SAHS To Play At Rising Star Saturday Night

The Junction Eagles took charge at the beginning of the football game with the Santa Anna team last Friday night and ended the contest with a 67-0 score. The rebounding loss came at the first home game for the Mounties.

Rated as number 5 in the state, the Eagles were led in the scoring by wingback, Jimmy Bankston who scored 4 touchdowns. Fullback Charles Allen made three.

The Eagles ran up 436 yards total offense to Santa Anna's 147.

The Santa Anna team played a good game and were hindered by numerous penalties during the evening. Tailback Jerry Horner was injured in the game Friday night, but expects to be back in training soon. The ankle injury occurred during the last quarter of the game.

The Mountaineers will go to Rising Star Saturday night for the homecoming game with the Wildcats. The Rising Star team has won their first two games this season, the last one over district 9-A Cross Plains.

Second Annual County Fair Set In Coleman Saturday

The bigger and better Second Annual Coleman County Fair will be held all day Saturday, September 27, at the rodeo grounds at Coleman.

Opening time for the fair will be 8:00 a. m. and there will be a long day of fun and prizes, ending about 8:00 p. m. that evening.

Entertainment on the outdoor stage will be presented

during the day by the John Loyd Western combo of Santa Anna and the "Sound Society," a group from Abilene who specialize in the Tiajuana brass sound.

Helicopter rides will be given all day at the fair grounds and there will be kiddie rides and exhibition parachute jumps by Jan Nesbit and Brady Elliott of Abilene and Paul Ross of Coleman.

A free barbecue supper will be served at 5:00 p. m. and concession stands will be open all day. There will be carnival booths and dozens of displays by merchants, manufacturers, and county-wide clubs and organizations.

One of the most interesting portions of the fair will be the Ladies Exhibit Building, located in the recreation building. On display will be all kinds of exhibits—antiques, china paintings, canned goods and needlework.

Admission charges are \$1 for adults and 75c for children under 12. The barbecue and entertainment are free to each ticket holder, simply for the price of admission to the grounds.

The fair committee, of which Jim Williams of Coleman is chairman, stress their hope for everyone in the county to attend, and to enjoy a day of fun and entertainment at the County Fair.

H.S. Annual Staff To Sell Corsages

Members of the Santa Anna High School annual staff are selling mum corsages for the homecoming weekend. The corsages may be decorated in a number of ways and will cost from \$2.00 up. The corsages must be ordered by Tuesday, September 30, and must be paid in advance.

Anyone interested in ordering a corsage for the football game or the activities on Saturday should contact Patrick Hosch or Sue Kingsbery, or you may call the school business office for more information.

Yellow and bronze mums will both be available in an assortment of styles with a number of different decorations available at small extra cost.

The mum sale is sponsored each year by the annual staff to raise money to publish the school yearbook.

CCTC Officers Are Re-Elected

All officers of the Coleman County Telephone Cooperative were re-elected at the meeting of the board of directors last Thursday. Tom Kingsbery is president; Grady McIver, vice-president; and Frank Gillispie, secretary.

Recently chosen to serve on the board of directors are C. H. Wise, Gordon Monsey, Topsy Beaver, and Mr. Gillespie. Glen Copeland is also a director of the cooperative.

Directors are elected for two-year terms and officers are elected for one-year terms.

Band Boosters To Serve Meal At Homecoming

At a called meeting of the Band Booster Club last Thursday night, it was decided to serve the buffet supper at the homecoming on Saturday, October 4. The recent smorgasbord meal was a success and the Band Boosters voted to use the homecoming supper as another fund raising method.

Appointed to committees for the meal are Mrs. Tom Kingsbery, Mrs. Carl Benton, Mrs. Donald Strickland and Mrs. Aubrey Edwards, food committee; and Mrs. Ruth Aldridge, Mrs. Robert Smith, Mrs. L. M. Guthrie, Mrs. R. C. Smith, Mrs. Pat Hosch, and Mrs. Billy Jones, serving committee. Other parents and band members will assist with the serving that evening.

Members of the club voted to pay for the new uniform for the drum major, and other business was discussed.

All band parents will be contacted within the next week about helping with the supper on October 4. The buffet supper will be open to all community residents whether attending the homecoming activities or not.

Quarterback Club To Meet Monday

The film of the Rising Star-Santa Anna football game will be shown at the Monday night Quarterback Club meeting. Everyone interested may attend and see the film beginning at 8 p. m.

Coffee and doughnuts will also be served during the evening. The Monday night meetings are held each week during the football season.

Mrs. W. B. Watson Is Buried Sunday

Funeral services were held in the Coleman Church of Christ on Sunday afternoon for Mrs. W. B. Watson, aged 76, who died Friday in All Saints Hospital in Ft. Worth where she had been a patient for several weeks.

Burial was in the Shield Cemetery.

Mrs. Watson was born on November 18, 1892 and had lived in Coleman County since 1908. She was married to W. B. Watson in 1908 and was a member of the Church of Christ. The Watsons had lived in the Shield community for many years before moving to Coleman.

Survivors include the husband of Coleman; two daughters, Mrs. Edith Guffey of Las Cruces, N. M. and Mrs. Phillie Schrader of Columbus, N. M.; four sons, Darwin Watson of San Antonio, W. C. Watson of Lubbock, and N. C. Watson and O. H. Watson, both of Santa Anna; a brother, Charlie Atherton of Aransas Pass; a sister, Mrs. Vera Bean of Dallas; 11 grandchildren, and 17 great-grandchildren.

MELVIN LAWRENCE HAS FIRST BALE OF COTTON

Melvin Lawrence, who farms and ranches just below Home Creek, south of Santa Anna, had the first bale of cotton ginned at the Santa Anna Cooperative Gin this season. The 400 pound

bale was brought in Thursday.

The first bale of cotton is always ginned free of charge at the local gin and a premium will be given to Mr. Lawrence for producing the earliest cotton. The premium is sponsored by the Community Chamber of Commerce.

Twenty years ago the first bale of the year was brought in by Luther McCrary. The 574 pound bale was raised on the Mobby place north of town and the premium received by McCrary was \$199.

Lions To Have Light Bulb Sale

The annual lightbulb sale will be sponsored by the Santa Anna Lions Club next Tuesday. President Ed Hartman has announced the teams that will canvas the town selling the lightbulbs door to door.

Zone 1 salesmen are Ford Barnes, Bill Brewer, Norman Hosch, Merle Roller, J. C. Barkley, R. P. Knowles, and Joe Riley.

Selling in Zone 2 will be Roy Horne, O. L. Cheaney, Elgean Harris, H. D. Speck, Bob Burton and R. C. Smith. Zone 3 will be sold by M. L. Guthrie, R. A. Brooks, Jake McCreary, Henry Rice, Buddy Neff, Larry Coffman, and Richard Horner.

Zone 4 will be canvassed by Thomas Wristen, H. A. Burden, Henry Newman, Norman Walters, Dub Proctor, Terry McIver and Billy Riley. Those to sell in Zone 5 will be W. B. Griffin, John Gregg, Cullen Perry, A. D. Pettit, David Barkley and Tom Kingsbery.

The Lions Club members will begin the sale soon after noon next Tuesday and call on each home in town. Those who are away from home that day but wish to buy the lightbulbs from the Lions may contact any Lions Club member and have the bulbs delivered to them at their convenience.

The light bulbs are packaged in sacks of six and are in several sizes. The purchaser may select the wattage of the bulbs they buy.

The light bulb sale is one of the major fund raising projects of the Lions Club each year.

Shields Grocery Opened Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shields and son, Myril Shields, formerly of Early, have reopened the Shields Grocery in the south part of town after having it closed for the past several months.

Myril and his wife Mildred are making their home in the living quarters at the store and she is commuting to Brownwood where she is employed at the Southwest State Bank. Their youngest son, the only child still at home, is staying at Early during the week to attend school at Early High School. He will be here during the weekends with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Shields have owned and operated the local grocery store for several years and we welcome the Myril Shields family to our community to continue the business. The store, located on the Rockwood highway, will be open from 6 a. m. to 10 p. m., seven days a week.

REV. ALTFATHER SPEAKER FOR PRESBYTERIANS

Rev. Kenneth Altfather, a student at the Austin Presbyterian Seminary, will speak at the Sunday morning service at the Santa Anna United Presbyterian Church. The members and visitors are invited to attend the 11:00 a. m. service.

Directors Are Re-Elected For S. A. Coop Gin

C. H. Wise, James Eubank, and Grady McIver were re-elected to three-year terms as directors of the Santa Anna Cooperative Gin at the annual membership meeting held last Saturday night at the school cafeteria. About 60 people attended the barbecue supper and business session.

Other directors for the coop are Emzy Brown, William Brown, Dick Baugh, and Garland Powell.

During the meeting the manager's report was given by Pierre Rowe and Don Johnson of Coleman gave the auditor's report.

Officers for the organization will be elected at the next regular meeting of the board of directors next month.

Baptist Revival To End Sunday

The revival meeting at the First Baptist Church will end Sunday after a week of services. Rev. Jack Badgero of Fort Worth is evangelist and Dr. Joe Trussell from Brownwood is song leader. Mrs. Trussell is serving as pianist.

Services will be held each evening at 7:30 p. m. and the final morning services will be on Friday at 10:00 a. m. and Sunday morning at 11:00 a. m.

A barbecue supper will be served for members and visitors at the church annex tonight (Thursday) preceding the service, and the Friday night service has been designated as Youth Night and will include a fellowship hour following the service.

Everyone in the community is invited to attend the remaining services during the revival. Special music is presented during each service.

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In Our Opinion

By W. T. Egan

"OPERATION INTERCEPT," a joint operation by Justice Department and the Mexican government was announced last week and it is designed to severely reduce the amount of marijuana and other drugs entering the United States from Mexico.

It has been established that Mexico is the primary source of nearly all high potency marijuana which has been seized by law enforcement officials in the United States.

The use of marijuana and other dangerous drugs in our nation has been on the increase for the past several years. This has been especially true among young people, even down to the junior high level.

Contrary to the claim of a few people, the use of the so-called "mind-expanding" drugs affects the brain and nervous system and there is evidence that these effects can cause lasting mental illness. Also the use of narcotics contributes to the incidence of crime in the United States because of the expense addicts encounter in maintaining their narcotic habit.

The incidence of arrests for violation of various drug laws has been steadily increasing since 1963, according to reports of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. In fact, the number of arrests has increased 200 per cent and more.

We heartily support the cause of "Operation Intercept," for we believe if the drug is less available it will of necessity cut down the use of it.

Of course, why anyone would want to use it is a big question in our mind, but they do, and the only solution we can see is to make it unavailable.

THE SUPREME COURT DECISION in 1962 which, in effect, banned use of prescribed prayer in public schools, is often in the news because of differences of opinion in its interpretation and application.

Mrs. Madelyn Murray O'Hair continues to threaten all kinds of suits against those who would seek their own freedom of religion. The best we can interpret the ruling of the Court is that a student cannot be required to participate in a religious activity of which he does not approve, and we would be the first to grant him that privilege.

But Mrs. O'Hair is not satisfied with granting him his religious freedom, which is guaranteed by the Constitution. She wants to force on each of us her belief, or "non-belief" as the case may be.

If she had her way the motto "In God We Trust" would be removed from coins of the United States and Congress would discontinue their prayer at their opening.

We congratulate the Jaycees for their petitions that have been circulating combatting her efforts to stifle the religious freedom of this country.

Now Mrs. O'Hair can "go to Hell" if she wants to, but she is not going to tell me whether I can worship or not.

STATE Capital NEWS BY ERIN SANFORD

Austin - Governor Preston Smith has signed into law a \$1.8 billion (1970-71) budget. This was after weighing \$46 million in miscellaneous spending items. Net the expenditure is an all-time record.

Earlier Smith approved a new record \$300 million tax bill which takes effect October 1. In addition to state revenues, cities will get an estimated \$3 million a year due to extension of the sales tax to beer and liquor. Sales tax rate goes up from 3 to 3.25 per cent.

Smith also signed other acts of the special session, including legislation creating 26 new Texas district courts. He will name all judges to serve until they may be the largest single amount of judicial patronage assigned a Texas governor at one time in state history.

Tax bill as passed by the Legislature provided plenty of revenue to fill the state's needs, but Smith said his voters are "justified for the sake of economy perhaps more than for anything else." Many of the items vetoed, he noted, were not part of the original House or Senate appropriations acts, and some were even requested by agencies.

Governor Smith vetoed the following items a new "unjustified or non-essential" construction funds totaling \$29 million for Dallas Neuro-psychiatric Institute; \$222,727 for the Department of Public Safety sub-district headquarters in McAllen; \$230,000 for the Junction airport of Texas A&M; \$180,000 for Texas Machine Academy Pelican Island Development.

Also an appropriation of \$226,000 for contracts of private lawyers to assist the Attorney General in lost claims cases in 1971; \$172,000 for park land acquisition in Hardeman and - or Motley counties; \$207,500 for acquiring land and development of Port Lavaca Causeway State Park; \$50,000 for selling a water well at Lyndon E. Johnson State Park in Gillespie County; \$26,000 for Loughon Cavern State Park; \$29,000 for completion of a master plan for the Red River Authority; \$60,000 for a fish raising facility at Stephen F. Austin College in Nacogdoches; and \$65,000 for environmental pollution control studies at Prairie View Agricultural and Mechanical College.

BARNES FOR SENATE? - Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes, 31, about to become a candidate for the U. S. Senate against

Sen. Ralph W. Yarborough. Nobody can truthfully claim to know the answer to that, including Barnes himself, who says he has not yet made up his mind.

Net Governor Smith opened up new speculation on the subject during the recent Southern Governor's Conference at Williamsburg, Va.

Asked by reporters if the inside Barnes could beat Yarborough, Smith said he believes that is possible - depending on the kind of campaign by each, their financial resources and a lot of imponderables.

Smith didn't claim to know, but the fact he was willing to discuss the prospective race at all was an indicator of the widespread circulation of the Barnes - Yarborough contest rumor.

Smith also told newsmen he feels Yarborough is in the best political position he has enjoyed since he went to Washington more than a decade ago.

Smith will, he emphasized, take no hand in the Senate race no matter who the candidates are.

APPOINTMENTS ANNOUNCED - Major and minor appointments came thick and fast during the last week.

Veteran State Securities Commissioner William M. King resigned his post to enter private banking here and his longtime deputy, Thomas C. Holladay, was named to succeed.

Former State Sen. Dorsey E. Hardeman of San Angelo was selected executive director of Texas Water Right Commission, succeeding Frank South who resigned to enter private law practice.

Sen. Criss Cole of Houston was sworn in as president pro-tempore of the Texas Senate on September 22. Smith named a nine member board of regents for East Texas State University. They include Houston H. Harle of San Antonio, Raymond Middleton Holliday of Houston, Joseph Zeppa of Tyler, William Garland Burton of Dallas, Cam F. Dowell Jr. of Dallas, Joel Thomas Williams Jr. of Dallas, Leon Jackson Collier Jr. of Texarkana, Thomas Beason Stiedy of Paris and Luther Preston Johnson of Lubbock.

Smith placed on the new State Board of Landscape Architects Robert Earl Green of Houston, Otto Erwin Schertz of

San Antonio and Leonard Morrison Rags of Longview.

He named Gerald Hines Smith of Houston and James L. Landry of College Station to the State Finance Commission and reappointed F. G. Baker Jr. of Houston to the Commission's hearing section.

Buster Eugene French of Dayton was named to the board of directors of the Coastal Industrial Water Authority. Smith named James Glen Jennings of Baytown and Robert Clayton Lanier of Houston to same agency. Malcolm J. Henry of Lubbock was named on the Sabine River Authority board of directors and Tom H. Pagan of Minors and Charles T. Wackerstein of Orange were appointed to the Sabine Authority.

Ben E. Godfrey of Fort Worth, Davis James Lawson of Dallas and Gus E. Worlham of Houston were assigned by Smith to six-year terms on the board of regents of North Texas State University.

Smith selected Mrs. Elaine Byron Cominsky of Pasadena and Mrs. Helen Ruth Cox of Lubbock for the board of nurse examiners. He appointed Roy Lee Fowler of Austin to the Board of barter examiners.

Dr. Stewart Wolf will head the marine biomedical institute at Galveston. Mrs. Marie Gehris has been named program director of the library systems act for the state library. Eleven new Texas Rangers were designated by the Department of Public Safety.

LEASE SALES SET - A total of 336 tracts of University of Texas lands (111,812 acres) in West Texas will be placed on lease auction, December 16. November 4 some 768 tracts totaling 496,871 acres will be offered in a school land sale.

Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler said 225 tracts of university land in Hudspeth County will be offered at bidders of not less than \$1,000 per half section and at annual lease rentals of \$1.50 an acre. This was reduced from former requirements of \$5,000 per quarter section and \$2 per acre. Former requirements will govern other tracts leases.

In school land sale, 37 tracts in El Paso County had acceptable bonus reduced to \$5 an acre and annual rental to \$2. Other upland and riverbed tracts will command a \$20 per acre bonus and \$5 per acre rental. Those lying under bays, inlets and Gulf of Mex-

ican limits will go at the same rate and a \$5 per acre annual rental. Most of school land is in East Texas watershed zone.

ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESS - James H. Byrnes, Governor of Texas, announced that the Texas State University president, Dr. J. Paul Taylor, and court action would be necessary to amend H. Byrnes' Senate-backed Martin bill.

In other recent actions, Martin vetoed the bill.

Commercial fishing boat "Landing net" bills for 1968 must provide study by industry a bill showing the number of boats they need for each vessel on January 1.

New type liquor violators general idea are to eliminate against other permit holders and is constitutional.

Harris County commissioners may grant the county sheriff and his deputies the same authority DPS officers have, to remove vehicles from county roads.

Depository interest earned on special constitutional funds or funds that funds created for specific purposes should be deposited to the credit of those specific funds rather than the general revenue fund.

Employees of the House and Senate are not part of the class of elected officials for purposes of membership in the state employees retirement system. Therefore they are not eligible to make contributions or receive benefits as elected personnel. Only officers of the two houses who are required to take the constitutional oath of office, can be so considered.

SCHOOL DISTRICTS WARNED - More than a doz-

and also of state laws passed in 1967, including those that limit the amount of state aid to school districts.

County Independent School Districts will be notified by mail of their obligations under the state laws of 1967.

Public accountants may file a new law amendment of 1968, which is approved by the state board of accountancy.

The state board of accountancy, which is composed of seven members, will meet in Dallas on September 25-26 for the 1968 annual meeting.

State Board of Education will meet in Austin on September 25-26 for the 1968 annual meeting.

Legislative Council Board will make new rules covering collection of cases on minor state for private suits before the jury goes into effect October 1.

Many Texas starting homes are withdrawing from medicine program because of government and state, according to an association spokesman.

Law enforcement academies have scheduled meeting in Austin for Sept. 27-28 for the 16th annual attorney general's law enforcement conference.

DPS is actively recruiting men (ages 20-35) for Texas Highway Patrol training.

A last-minute item in the appropriations bill was a \$100,000 allotment to the Texas Water Quality Board to contract with the Sabine River Authority for a study of pollution in the Sabine.

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Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

The Rockwood Quilting Club resumed meeting last Thursday after a summer recess. The members draw for places on the quilting list, and each serves refreshments as her quilt is quilted. There is no dues as a "Pay" quilt is quilted each month and that takes care of all the expenses and furnishes cards for ill members or other needs. Conversation is enjoyed and grandchildren's pictures are shown, the latest was the new granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Wise. Mrs. F. E. McCreary served cake and iced tea to Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. J. P. Hodges, Mrs. Hilton Wise, Mrs. Bill Bryan, Mrs. Bill Steward, Mrs. Sam Estes, Mrs. John Hunter, Mrs. Claud Box, Mrs. Lon Gray, and Mrs. R. J. Deal.

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The following is an extract from the "Trust Deed" of Martha Tyler Overall, dated and recorded January 3, 1924:

"WHEREAS, I, Martha Tyler Overall, in memory of my beloved husband, R. H. Overall, deceased, and to fulfill a benevolent desire long entertained by myself to establish a modern hospital for the benefit of the present and future residents of the town of Coleman, as well as of the County of Coleman in the State of Texas, to be maintained and operated under religious influences and auspices as a perpetual memorial to my deceased husband and myself, have erected and equipped such a modern hospital upon the South East quarter Block No. Three, Clow's Addition No. One, to the town of Coleman in Coleman County, Texas, now known as Overall Memorial Hospital and to be hereafter continuously, perpetually so known and designated . . ."

It is the sincere desire of each member of the board that the people of Coleman County fully understand that the hospital was established and is operated for the purpose of administering to, and relieving so far as possible, the sick, helpless and afflicted, who are in need of medical or surgical attention in this county. The Board of Trustees is completely dedicated to the operation of the hospital and that it be continuously upgraded and modernized in order that Coleman County residents may receive the best care possible. Board members serve without pay or benefits of any kind.

No person has ever been refused admission because of race, creed or color, or for the lack of funds when admitted by an authorized physician. No outside funds are received for the operation and upkeep of the hospital, except those donations and memorials that people see fit to contribute. No profits are used for any purpose except for the replacement or addition of needed equipment or for building repairs and upkeep.

At this time plans are being drawn for a new dietary department, complete, and modern in every respect, costing approximately \$90,000. Provisions were made in 1967 for future expansion of hospital rooms when needed by providing the open area under the new wing. Approximately forty beds can be completed at a nominal cost. With this addition the hospital will have a net value of over \$1,000,000.00.

In view of the above, we, the Board of Trustees, invite you to visit your hospital and should you need its facilities, we assure you that the best care and attention possible will be given to you.

Farbanks, Alaska and Mrs. Fayette Wooley of Brownwood and Mrs. Woody Short and daughter, Marian, of Lohn. Other recent visitors were Mrs. Tom Bryan, Mrs. Margaret Black and Jan and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Storms and Nicole of San Angelo.

Mrs. Stella Bolton of Fort Worth spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jones and baby of Fort Worth were Saturday guests. Donnie Estes and family of San Angelo and Mrs. L. L. Bryan were Sunday afternoon visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Billy McIntyre and boys.

Mrs. Richard Allen and Chris of Brownwood visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Eurrell Blair and Denise.

Mrs. Bill Bryan was visiting relatives in Killeen Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver, Sabrina and Britt of Abilene were Saturday afternoon and supper guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges. Mr. and Mrs. James Hodges of Clyde were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests.

Mrs. Tinker Dockery and Lynne spent Saturday and Sunday in Brownwood with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blackwell and girls while Mr. Dockery was at camp. Mrs. Dockery and Lynne visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. Pat Rutherford and Majetta. Miss Deane Blackwell spent Monday night.

Mrs. F. E. McCreary and Mrs. Lon Gray had coffee with Mrs. Henry Smith last Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Trent of Denver City spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter.

Saturday afternoon visitors with Miss Linnie Box were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan of

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jones and Lori of Fort Worth spent Friday to Sunday with Mrs. Billy McIntyre and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Deal and family in Brownwood.

Mrs. Deal and Mrs. John Ferry went to Weatherford Tuesday to attend funeral services for Mrs. C. M. Winstead 84, who was mother-in-law of Mrs. Deal's sister.

Dr. Ben Moore of May was supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Iru Bray. Dr. Moore preach-

ed Sunday night at the Waldrip Presbyterian Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Iru Bray and Mrs. Wayne Bray were shopping in Brownwood Saturday and visited Mrs. Ethel Robertson.

Mrs. T. B. Halford and Loyd of San Antonio spent Friday night with Mrs. Goldie Milberger and Harold McCarrell, and visited again on Sunday enroute home. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jackson of Bangs visited Sunday in the McCarrell home. The Halfords visited in Santa Anna with Mrs. John Kemp and Mrs. A. E. McCarrell and at Ranger Park Inn with Mrs. Carrie McCarrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Briscoe and family of Austin were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter. Jimmy Hunter of Coleman visited Friday to Sunday, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter, came for him Sunday morning.

Mrs. Junior Brusenhan and Judy went to Eden Saturday for Mrs. Mary Brusenhan to visit to Monday. Other Sunday dinner guests were Rev. Donnie Melton and Joe McCreary.

Mrs. Earl McClintock visited Mrs. Henry Smith Thursday morning. Mrs. Edna Henderson was Thursday afternoon visitor. Mrs. Smith visited Mrs. Homer Goodgion Thursday afternoon and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith were guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Riley McFarlin.

Judy Brusenhan spent Sunday afternoon with Kittle Phillips at Waldrip.

Joe Bryan of Abilene visited Monday morning with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Bryan. Granddaughter, Joy Smith, visited Monday afternoon. Mrs. L. L. Bryan visited Saturday evening.

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DALLAS GUESTS IN C. D. BRUCE HOME

Tom Land and son, Bruce, and a friend, Sean Felps, all of Dallas, visited in Santa Anna Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce. They spent the afternoon dove hunting.

The three visitors had come to Brownwood Friday night to attend the Brownwood-Dallas Woodrow Wilson football game. The two boys attend the Dallas school.

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Coleman County -- From Its Beginning

(by Leona Bruce)

After Texas entered the Union, a line of forts was established along the western frontier to protect the settlers from the Indians. As the people moved on west these forts were abandoned and new ones were founded farther out, attempting to prevent raiding attacks and to punish those on forays if caught.

By 1850, a well-marked military road went northeast from Eagle Pass to the forts in Indian Territory; along this road went the detachments of cavalry, the commissary wagons, the companies of soldiers on patrol, and inspecting corps from time to time. Most of the forts were located some two days ride apart, but from Fort Mason to Camp Cooper it was much farther.

In May, 1856, the Secretary of War, Col. Albert Sidney Johnston made plans to establish a military post between the two forts and he pinpointed the spot and sent orders to Brevet Major Earl Van Dorn to proceed with Companies A and F along the road from Mason to Camp Cooper, and there to establish a new military post, the name of which would be the name of the stream on which it was located.

Van Dorn left Camp Cooper with Capt. O'Hara, Lt. White and 122 men, riding southward; they had several wagons of supplies and one loaded with nine prisoners in leg irons, soldiers who were being punished for fighting among themselves. On August 1, the force halted on Hord's Creek, some six miles north of the two long hills named on their map as Santa Anna's Mountains, and rested there for a few hours before going on toward the Colorado River. The site for the new camp was a few miles south of the valley of the Mukewater Creek where Trickham was located a few years later, but later that fall a flood covered the new camp and destroyed some of the stock and horse pens that had been built by the soldiers.

Later in the year 1856 a permanent site was selected on the Jim Ned, and although it was more than thirty miles north of the river, the name of Camp Colorado was retained. With the new post grew the little settlement of blacksmiths, carpenters and families of the soldiers; the Texas Rangers attempting to protect the frontier stopped often at the camp, explorers and prospectors came that way, cowmen felt safe in driving their herds farther west, and crisscrossing the whole of Texas were the surveyors with chain and transit, mapping and measuring.

What a fabulous country. Grass grew as high as a man's waist, game of every kind was easy to find, good timber marked the creeks, most of the small streams ran clear good water, and springs were at the base of many hills. New land plowed and planted by the settlers grew better and finer crops than they had ever seen; in a year or two corn was raised for sale along Mud Creek, and haystacks, peach trees and vegetable gardens were common.

Surveying the area was a crew headed by a young man with a great future, J. E. McCord. With the Santa Anna Mountains as a starting place lines were run east and west, north and south. A troop of Texas Rangers protected them from Indians, as the surveyors worked mostly on foot and were easy prey to the raiders, and both groups camped on Home Creek, not far from the present highway to Brady.

McCord was among the rangers and surveyors who later came to this wonderful area to live. He preempted lands on Home Creek and bought a large spread in the west part of the county, including the famous Pecan Springs, a good waterhole in that high country. He and his family lived for several years after the Civil War on the lower Home Creek, where he and Mrs. McCord's brother conducted a prosperous real estate business under the name of McCord and Lindsey, making sales of homesteads to the many settlers arriving here.

When the town of Coleman was started, McCord moved there, continuing his real estate and ranching business. His son, J. P., was much respected, and a grandson, J. B., still owns and manages the famous Pecan Spring ranch. The high quality of the Coleman settler was exemplified by J. E. McCord; Coleman was always a town of law and order, of churches

and schools, of fairly operated businesses, of peace and opportunity, and this was due to the caliber of the families who came here.

At the Coleman City Park is a historical marker dedicated to J. E. McCord, reading in part:

Col. James E. McCord, surveyor of lands in this region, including the site of Camp Colorado. Prominent secessionist, Texas Ranger, member Texas State troops at the start of Civil War. Lt. Col. of Texas Frontier Regiment, established 1862.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday, Sept. 26:
Youth Night, 1st Baptist Church Revival, 7:30 p. m.
Saturday, Sept. 27:
Football game at Rising Star, 8:00 p. m.
Sunday, Sept. 28:
McCulloch County Singing Convention at Melvin Baptist Church at 2:00 p. m.
Revival ends, 1st Baptist Church
Monday, Sept. 29:
Quarterback Club, school cafeteria, 8 p. m.
Tuesday, Sept. 30:
Lions Club, 12 noon.
Jr. High football game at Bangs, 7:30 p. m.

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FOR SALE: 213 acres of land for sale, good location, 135 acres in cultivation. Priced right, close to Santa Anna. 115 acres of land with a small amount in cultivation, to be bought worth the money. An extra nice 3-bedroom house on paved street. 2 lots—One 140x140 on pavement, good location. One 140 x175. M. L. (Rat) Guthrie. 27-tfc

FOR SALE: New and used dinette suits. New supply of old dining room chairs. Used mahogany china cabinet and other antique items. You may see at BARGAIN HOUSE, 715 Concho in Coleman. 36-tf

FOR SALE: Arkwin oats. Best for grazing and combining. Carroll Kingsbery. 37-tfc

FOR SALE: 3 large rooms and bath with one acre of land. Fruit and blackberries. Will trade for property of equal value in or around Santa Anna. J. C. Parnell, Box 656, Bangs, Texas. 38-2p

FOR SALE By Owner: 160 acre farm, 8 miles SW of Bangs on pavement. 140 acres in cultivation, spring watered. Mrs. Nona Woodruff, 348-3731. 39-tfc

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BIDS will be accepted at City hall on the junked motors. These can be seen at the city warehouse. Pauline Garrett, City Secretary. 37-4tc

WEED SPRAYING: Agricultural Spraying (army worms, etc.). Henry Rice, 348-3750, before 7:00 a. m. 39-2p

WANT TO LEASE, 20 to 100 acres of land. A. C. Pierce, Phone 348-3151. 39-4tc

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FFA Sees Films At Recent Meet

The Santa Anna FFA officers and members met last Thursday night for their regular chapter meeting at the high school auditorium. The meeting was opened by Jerry Horner, president, and other FFA officers with the opening ceremonies. After the opening, the meeting was led by Billy Riley, chapter advisor.

Guest speaker for the meeting was Roy Winburne, game management officer with the Parks and Wildlife Department. Mr. Winburne showed two films, "Return of the Deer" and "Hill Country." After the showing he discussed the films and the new game laws and regulations.

Attending the meeting were 41 members of the FFA chapter and several parents. Raymond Valdez, Reporter.

Dyer Services Held Wednesday

Mrs. Frank Dyer of Coleman, the former Myrtle Smith, died in the Coleman Hospital on Tuesday morning. Funeral services were held in Coleman on Wednesday with interment in the Coleman City Cemetery.

Born in Williamson County on May 26, 1906, she was married to Frank Dyer on January 26, 1926. He preceded her in death in 1959. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John A. Smith and had lived in Coleman County for 61 years. She was a member of the Emanuel Baptist Church in Coleman.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Carlton Jackson of Coleman and Mrs. Leroy Keeney of Santa Anna; four sons: John Dyer and Tommy Dyer, both of Coleman, Gary Dyer of Austin and Albert Dyer of San Angelo; 14 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Also surviving are three sisters, Mrs. Hays Dixon and Mrs. Pat Hosch, both of Santa Anna, and Mrs. Ade Pallet of Brownwood; and one brother, J. L. Smith of Coleman.

Mrs. Chick Watson of Irving is visiting here with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Vanderford and her sister, Mrs. Ruby Pritchard. She will be here two weeks.

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NEWS FROM

RANGER PARK INN . . .

Mrs. Faye Parnell, an aide at the Inn, is attending L. V. N. school in Brownwood.

To see the George Simmons was their daughter, Mrs. Bill Curry of Paint Rock.

Sunday afternoon Mrs. Cliff Herndon visited Mrs. Ella Stiles.

Mrs. Hardy Blue visited Mrs. Tom Mills during the week.

Mrs. Blanche Grantham was a visitor of her sister, Mrs. Ella Stiles.

Mrs. P. B. Snook is a dally visitor of her husband, P. B.

Mrs. Alfred Williams of Coleman visited friends and her sister, Mrs. Cassie Stiles.

Mr. and Mrs. Balentine Diaz, Danny and Veronica of Burkett visited Mrs. Beniona Vasquez.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Taylor were visitors of Mrs. Jimmie Taylor.

Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Brooks Jr., pastor of the United Methodist Church, visited at the Inn recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moore visited with his mother, Mrs. Nola Moore and others.

Visiting Mrs. Moore have been her daughters, Mrs. Buck Mills of Olton, Mrs. Ruby Hartman of Santa Anna, and another son, D. H. Moore of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Kemp had her mother, Mrs. Ella Folk for a visit on Saturday.

Visiting also with Mrs. Folk were Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Keilers from San Angelo.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Victor Diaz visited her mother, Mrs. Benito Vasquez.

Mrs. Tena Steward visited in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell.

Visitors at the Inn with friends and relatives have been Mrs. F. Alexander of Talpa and Mrs. Ray Gardner.

Mrs. Ruth Lemroth of Bangs visited Mrs. Irene Triplett.

From Tacoma, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Herring visited J. R. Herring.

Mrs. Bill Stiles of Coleman visited her mother-in-law, Mrs. Ella Stiles.

Mrs. Harold White from New Mexico was in Santa Anna visiting her father, Tom Mills and her mother, Mrs. Mills at the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gilliam of Abilene visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Penny.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Buford of Odessa visited with Mrs. Bufford's grandmother, Mrs. Blount.

Mr. and Mrs. Auther McCarrell of Abilene and Mrs. Florence McCarrell visited at the Inn.

The Coleman Concho Baptist Church was in charge of the Sunday afternoon services Sept. 21. A large number of members were in attendance to assist.

Dr. and Mrs. John Woodward and children of Dallas were Sunday visitors of his uncle, Howard Kingsbery.

County Agent News Column

Last week I was helping Lonnie Stephenson's 4-Hers Johnny Mike and Deborah, with their club lambs. These kids don't get home from school until 5 o'clock so we were late getting through. The long trip down there and not getting through until nearly dark was well worth the time, however, because Deborah fixed us an enchilada dinner that out of this world. I don't know if she learned all of her cooking skills in 4-H or not, but I don't believe I ever tasted any better enchiladas.

I enjoyed very much a visit and coffee last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stewardson and Burgess. The coffee really hit the spot as we'd spent just about an hour picking out club lambs in a down-pour. The Stewardsons have done a lot of brush control work, but like most Texas ranchers are interested in better methods to control mesquite.

We've had several reports of armyworms in small grain. Producers should be on the lookout for these pests. There may be as many as 5 to 10 generations of fall armyworms each year. The larval stage lasts about 20 days during which time the fall armyworms reach a length of one to one and one-half inches. When the larvae are full grown, they dig into the soil about an inch and pupate. The adult female emerges from the ground within two weeks and generally flies some distance before laying eggs in masses of about 150; female fall armyworms produce about 1,000 eggs. The full grown larvae vary in color from light tan or green to nearly black. They have three yellowish-white hair lines down the back from head to tail; on the side next to the yellow lines is a darker stripe spotted with red. There is a prominent white inverted Y on the front of the head. When large numbers of fall armyworms are present, the host plants can be cleaned out of a field; then these larvae invade the adjoining fields. Bullheads are heaviest after cool, wet weather; however, when host plants are limited by dry weather, fall armyworms may be found in large numbers in grain sorghum or small grain fields (especially those fields that have been irrigated or that are in a lush green condition.)

Cultural control by shallow cultivation is effective when the larvae have become full grown and entered the soil a few inches where the pupal stage is passed. Insecticidal control of fall armyworms is accomplished most efficiently when larvae are small. Several applications of insecticides may be required to control larger larvae. Sevin, DDT, Edrin, Methyl Parathion, Parathion, Toxaphene, and Toxaphene-DDT are chemicals that give good control. Spray formulations and amounts are available from this office.

The following are new subscribers to the NEWS, or those who have renewed their subscriptions:

Mrs. T. E. Crites, Lubbock
A. D. Edwards
Linda Slusher, Odessa
Henry Smith
L. K. Wardlow
Jettie Kirkpatrick, Zephyr
H. B. James
Mrs. Tom Stewardson
W. B. Allison
O. M. Jackson
Phillips Drug
Bill Brewer
Mrs. Preston Bailey
Mrs. Jesse Upchurch.

Trickham News Notes

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke

Memorials To S. A. Cemetery

A number of people have made donations to the Santa Anna Cemetery Association in the past few weeks. Among the gifts were memorial contributions in memory of the late Mrs. T. R. Sealy. Those making donations have been:

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClellan
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffin
Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Bowker
Mrs. Bertie Hull
Mrs. Dorothy Watson
Mrs. Ione Caton
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Blake and Dan, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen-Sam Collier
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stubelman, Midland
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stubeman, Corpus Christi.
Mr. and Mrs. David Stubeman, Abilene.
Mr. and Mrs. Doug Moore.
Mrs. Fred Turner Estate by Helen Stepp
Other memorial donations have been from
The Ladies Auxiliary of the S. A. Fire Dept.
Will Holt and family
The S. A. Presbyterian Church.

THIS IS TEXAS HIGHWAY WEEK

Austin — The impact of modern highways on cities and towns throughout Texas amply illustrates the theme for Highway Week in Texas this year—"Highways Bring Better Living."

Wherever freeway facilities have been built, there has been a new kind of land rush. Industry wants to showcase its gleaming new plants at the edge of an Interstate Highway as a visible part of its corporate image.

Developers of shopping areas and office building complexes look for easy access afforded by new freeways and expressways for their products.

Land values soar. Cities and counties benefit from the broadened tax base. The highway adds value to abutting land far in excess of the value of the relatively small area it may have taken off the tax rolls for right-of-way.

Increased land value, of course, is just one example of the better living that the highways bring.

The Texas Good Roads Association, which sponsors Highway Week in Texas, points out that highways bring better living in thousands of different ways.

Highways permit more youngsters to go to school and college. They enable more people to go to church, to attend civic meetings, to vote. Highways permit a greater number of people to travel far and wide seeking the kind of employment they desire and deserve.

The Texas Good Roads Association joins the Texas Highway Commission in promoting the highway Week, September 21-27.

SAHS Sophomores Elect Leaders

The sophomore class of the Santa Anna High School elected officers for the 1969-1970 school year during a class meeting last week.

Chosen for the offices are Neil Fitzpatrick, president; Jimmy Benton, vice-president; Deborah Aldridge, secretary; Linda Dean, treasurer; Ricky Beal, parliamentarian, and Sherrie McIver, historian.

Sophomore representatives to the Student Council are Randall Lovelady and Glenda Strickland.

Sponsors for the class are Miss Tommie Tate and A. D. Edwards.

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The Quilting Club will meet Tuesday afternoon this week. Mrs. Florence Stearns went with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming Friday to visit their son and daughter and grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ray Flemings and son at Alice, Texas, and came home Sunday evening.

Rev. Pat McClatchy and Leslie Thomas of Hurst visited their parents, the Wiley McClatchys, Friday, Pat came to Brownwood for a check up. The doctor thought he was doing all right, only needed more exercise or a special exercise, to help him walk better.

Mrs. Addie Foreman of Cross Plains had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Wiley McClatchy Monday and spent most of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin of Garland visited his parents the O. J. Martins on Thursday. Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Martin visited their daughter and husband, Ora and Joe Stacy.

Tuesday night we attended a get-together and fish fry for the Mont View Community at Carl Harris' Lake with 15 present. We had a cloud to come up so we did not get to stay long after supper. We got 1 inch of rain that night and another inch Thursday evening.

Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Eoff of Blanket and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boenicke of Texarkana visited the Oscar Boenicks. The Louis Boenicks will be moving back to Brownwood in a month as soon as they can get the house they bought there.

Howell Martin and his two sisters, Russie James and Lyndall Moore, went to Big Springs Sunday to visit an old friend, John Cate, in the hospital there, where he had surgery.

Oscar and Mary Boenicke visited Rankin McIver and Sherrie Sunday night, Annie Lou Vaughn and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Martin visited Mrs. Jack Dockery Monday evening.

Gayla Hornell and Lori and Allen were dinner guests with Terry and Orabeth McIver on Sunday at Santa Anna. Sherrie McIver spent Saturday night with Lori Hornell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Haynes and children of Levelland spent the weekend with his parents the Fred Haynes, also Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Robinson and Tracy of Alvin, Texas met the Jerry Haynes family here and spent the weekend with them. Other visitors were Mattie and Jim Linebery of Bangs, Robert and Juanita Haynes and Julia, and Dwayne of Brownwood, Goldie Haynes of Lovington, N. M. and G. K. Stearns and Clint.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene James and daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy McIver and Karen of Fort Worth, visited the Walter Stacys on Saturday night.

Walter Stacy attended a singing at Jones Chapel on Sunday afternoon and visited his mother, Mrs. Zona Stacy, at the Twilight Nursing Home at Bangs. Carrie visited the Bill Vaughns on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Lou Storm and Loy, Ann and Monte Reed of Brownwood visited the Bernice McIvers Sunday evening. They were there when May and Bernice got home from visiting Aunt Pearl Ford in the Twilight Nursing Home at Bangs.

Gayla Hornell and Lori and Allen visited the Bernice McIvers awhile Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Henderson visited in Dallas with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Brent Nichols, and Donnie and Chris Henderson over the weekend. Leona visited her mother, Mrs. Tal McClatchy, Monday evening.

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OES Meeting Held Monday

Plans to attend the grand chapter "The Light of Many Lamps" session were made by members of the Santa Anna Eastern Star chapter at the regular meeting held Monday night at the Masonic hall. Mrs. Zuda Henderson, Worthy Matron, and Jack Bostick, Worthy Patron, presided at the business session.

Mrs. H. H. Barnett, a member of the Time and Talent Committee of the grand chapter was introduced and spoke to the group about her work and of the plans at the OES home in Arlington.

Others visitors were Mrs. Grace Winters, WM, of the Brownwood chapter; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beeman of the Indian Creek chapter; Mrs. Mary Lou Tucker, WM, and Mrs. Verda Moore, both of Coleman, and Mrs. Emma Haynes of the Lott OES chapter.

Plans for the 65th anniversary celebration of the local chapter were made. The observance will be on October 20.

During the social hour Mrs. Nora Goen, H. W. Gray and Mrs. Lora Rollins served cookies, sandwiches, coffee and punch to those attending. The refreshment table was laid with a white cut-work cloth centered with an arrangement of queens wreath and pink cannas in a crystal container. Other appointments of crystal were used, and floral arrangements of roses and cannas were used throughout the party room.



MISS McREYNOLDS, MR. COFFMAN HAVE ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Rev. and Mrs. William McReynolds of Abilene have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ellen, to Mr. Larry Coffman of Santa Anna, the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Coffman of Brownwood. The wedding will be at the Elmwood West Metho-

dist Church in Abilene on November 29.

A graduate of Lockney High School, the bride-elect is presently attending McMurry College where she is a member of the Delta Omicron, McMurry Chanters, and was a runner-up for Totem beauty in 1968.

Mr. Coffman is a McMurry graduate where he was a member of the Letterman's Club and Alpha Sigma Chi. He is presently employed as assistant athletic coach at Santa Anna High School.

Following the marriage the couple will reside at 303 South First Street in Santa Anna.

Mrs. Bob Burton Feted At Coffee

Mrs. R. C. Smith and Mrs. Dayton Jackson were hostesses last week at an informal coffee entertaining Mrs. Bob Burton, a new resident of Santa Anna. The party was held at the Smith home at 2312 Wallis Ave.

Coffee cake and coffee were served to the ladies attending the get-together.

The Burtons moved here recently from Moran. Mr. Burton is office manager for the West Texas Utilities Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilburn and son, Warren of Big Lake visited in Santa Anna over the weekend with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Herndon.

My Trip to Hawaii

(by Dortha Stearns)

(Ed. note: Mrs. Stearns spent a week in Hawaii with her husband, Capt. Sherman Stearns, who had an R. & R. leave from Viet Nam.)

I flew from Brownwood to Honolulu on the island of Oahu, arriving the day before Sherman was to arrive. I checked into the Outrigger Hotel on Waikiki beach and waited for confirmation of Sherman's flight from Saigon. His flight was scheduled to arrive at 3:45 a. m. the next day.

Wives of the servicemen meet their husbands at the R. & R. center on Fort De Russy instead of the airport.

Before the arrival by bus of the servicemen to the center, the wives make two lines, one on each side of the entrance way. The men unload and walk through the line until each picks out his wife. Then they reassemble for a short briefing. After the briefing the couples are free to go where they please as long as they stay in Hawaii.

Sherman and I spent the first night at the Outrigger. That evening Buddy Campbell phoned Sherman and they met at the coffee shop to visit for an hour. Buddy is stationed in the Navy there.

The next day we decided to fly to the island of Kauai to get away from the Labor Day crowd in Honolulu. We spent the next three days there at the Hanalei Plantation, a resort hotel. The hotel beach-

es were the site of the movie, "South Pacific."

On Sunday we phoned home to talk to our son, Clint, and Sherman's parents and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Stearns and Mrs. May Sharp.

The day after Labor Day we flew back to Honolulu. That evening Buddy took us out to eat at a Mexican restaurant, then showed us his living quarters which are only a block and one-half from our hotel.

We spent the next two days touring the island of Oahu in a rented car. We saw sugar cane fields, pineapple fields, papaya orchards, and hundreds of beautiful beaches. We also visited two of the regular attractions, Sea Life Park (similar to Marineland), and the Polynesian Cultural Center, where we learned of the culture of Samoa, New Zealand, Fiji, Tahiti, Hawaii and Tonga.

On September 3 I boarded the jet home at 11:00 p. m. and Sherman boarded his flight to Saigon at 12:00 p. m.

Trading Stamps Needed By CIC

The new housing project in downtown Santa Anna will be completed within the next three weeks, including the large community center. The S. A. Community Improvement Club plans to promote the furnishing of the community room and are taking donations for the project.

Trading stamps of any kind will be collected and used for the purchase of needed items. Books of stamps, partial books or loose ones will be helpful.

Anyone having trading stamps they will donate for the project may leave them at the city hall, housing authority office or at the NEWS office. Club members would like to have the stamps as soon as possible.

Danny Wylie of San Antonio and Harvey Curry of the U. S. Navy visited on Saturday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gober. Mr. and Mrs. Luke Pricer and sons, Randall and Gaylon, and Miss Gloria Mills all of Abilene, were Sunday guests in the Gober home.

Visitors on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Evans and Mrs. George Johnson, all of Santa Anna.



Mrs. Michael Sanchez, nee Pamela Baxter
MRS. R. MICHAEL SANCHEZ, nee Pamela Baxter, and Mr. Sanchez were married in Ponca City, Okla., on September 6. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. William S. Baxter of Ponca City, and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Sanchez of Fort Worth. Mrs. W. Stafford Baxter of San Antonio, formerly of Santa Anna, is grandmother of the bride.

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Cleveland News Notes

Mrs. Bruce Hibbetts

Next Sunday will be our preaching day. Bro. J. L. Glaze will be here at 9 a. m. and again at 6:00 p. m. Everyone come.

Don't forget the shower for Sherriel next Sunday afternoon from 2 to 4, at the home of Ovella Williams.

Elmer Cupps visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams Sunday. On Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming were bedtime visitors in the home of J. E. Williams.

Mr. Dumas and Miss Jewel Beeler visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gould Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Covey and children of Houston were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Cupps were Sunday supper guests with the Cupps.

Mrs. Ben Herring and Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring visited in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. Danny Bryan on Sunday.

Mrs. Wylie McClatchey and Mrs. Atta Mae Alkins visited with Mrs. Evaline Herring on

Wednesday.

Mrs. Evaline Herring and Mrs. Thelma Fleming visited with Mrs. Charlene Schulle on Tuesday.

Mrs. Ruby Howard, Mr. Jewel Powers and Mrs. Lura Winger visited in the Ranger Park Inn on Friday. Mrs. Ruby Howard and Mrs. Jewell Powers visited again Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming went to Alice, Texas, to visit Charlie Ray Fleming family on Friday. They went to Parde Island on Saturday for a swim, returned home on Sunday.

Mrs. Thelma Fleming visited with Mrs. Anna Laura York on Monday, and on Tuesday with Mrs. Florence Stearns.

Miss Susan Culpepper of Santa Anna was a weekend visitor with Miss Phyllis Raspberry.

Mrs. Bula Fleming visited Mrs. C. W. Raspberry of Santa Anna Friday night.

J. C. Bible, Jamie Joe and Debbie of San Angelo visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh and Nancy on Sunday.

Mrs. Nona Ellis visited with her mother Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. Mrs. Stella Wells is not feeling very good these days.

Mrs. Cecil Ellis and Tammy were dinner guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis. Mr. Ellis' cousins of Anson are visiting with the Ellis for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis, Misses Mamie and Euna Ray of Anson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis on Monday.

Mrs. Ilene Haynes visited with Mrs. Nona Ellis Tuesday.

Mrs. Lela Hodges visited with Mrs. Etta Mae Cupps on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Don Cupps and Jerry spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Cupps and family.

Mrs. Ella Cupps was a bedtime visitor with Mrs. Nora Blanton Saturday night.

Mrs. Amanda Perry attended the WMA at Talpa Monday.

Tammy Blanton called on Mr. and Mrs. John Perry a little while Sunday evening.

Mrs. Syble Huggins visited with Mrs. Eva Nell Bengo on Friday morning. In the afternoon the two of them went to Brownwood shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Cupps visited with Mrs. Lola Dunlap and Fred Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Phillips and Mrs. Fannie Anderson and Nance and Jo of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Don McBeth and Kelly spent the weekend with Mrs. Nora Blanton. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Sid Blanton joined the group. Mrs. Blanton said she sure did enjoy the weekend.

Mrs. Tennie Campbell dropped in for a short visit with Mrs. Lela Hodges Saturday evening. Miss Clara Brown was a visitor with Mrs. Campbell Sunday afternoon.

Those to visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard Saturday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard and children of Zephyr; Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Granad and Connie of Carlsbad, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Gilliam of Abilene.

Mrs. Jess Howard and Mrs. John Howard went to Brownwood to see the dentist on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Davis visited the Howards Friday night.

Mrs. Pearl Etheridge and

26 Years Ago In The News

The following stories are from the April 2, 1943 issue of the NEWS:

RATION REMINDER:

Gasoline—"A" Book Coupons No. 5, good for four gallons each from March 22 to May 21.

Sugar—Coupon No. 12 good for 5 lbs. Must last through May 31.

Coffee—Stamp No. 26 (1 lb.)

Mrs. Alto Bratton of Brownwood were Sunday visitors also Mrs. Jewel Powers.

Later in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. John Howard visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Davis.

Miss Anita Ellis was home over the weekend.

We are sorry that John Haynes is not well. He is in the Coleman hospital having some tests made at this time of writing.

We had .3 inch of rain on Monday night.

expires April 25.

Shoes—No. 17 stamp in War Ration Book 1, good for one pair until June 15.

Recent graduates of the Santa Angelo Army Air Field's airplane mechanics' school include one man from Santa Anna and one from Trickham. Pvt. James D. Rice is from Trickham and Pvt. Wilburn E. Schulle is from Santa Anna.

They successfully completed an intensive 100-hour course in bomber mechanics and maintenance.

Completion of the course makes them eligible for assignment as an aircraft mechanic or for selection to attend one of AAF's specialist schools.

Friends here will be interested to learn of the marriage last Thursday, March 25, of Mr. Oran Henderson and Miss Bettie Ruth Blue, the wedding taking place in

Alva, Okla.

The bride, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Blue, is a graduate of Santa Anna High School and is a senior science major to graduate this spring from Northwestern University at Alva.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henderson and also a graduate of SAHS. He is also a student at Northwestern and is employed by Zenith Gas Co., at Alva.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Woodward of Alva, former Santa Anna residents, were hosts at a reception following the

wedding.

WATTS CREEK NEWS: Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy West Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flores of Santa Anna, and Bro. and Mrs. C. L. Carrol of Richland Springs.

Ima Love and Geraldine Seals visited Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Parker and Bonnie Jean.

ROCKWOOD NEWS: Mrs. Emmett Woods and daughter Wanda, Misses Margaret Bryan and Sammie McIlvain are shopping today in Brownwood.

Bro. Ray Sparks filled his regular Sunday morning and evening appointments at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Mrs. Billy McIntire and children of Novice are spend-

ing this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes.

It should be the aim of every person to make the most use of everything we have, stated Miss Jewel Hipp, County H. D. Agent at the March 10 meeting of the Trickham 4-H Club.

Mrs. Oscar Boenicke, sponsor for the 4-H Club girls, and Sybil Lou Fellers, Lea Mitchell and Era Jean Norris served punch and cookies to the large crowd that attended the exhibit night program.

A mayor and two commissioners are to be elected in the biennial city election to be held at the city hall next Tuesday, April 6. Only one of the elected officials of two years ago are still in service, that being George M. Johnson, who has again consented for his name to go on the ticket for another term. W. A. Griffin and Leon Morgan are candidates for city commissioners.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Parker of Odessa and Sp. 5 Edward W. Parker spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Zachary. Sp. 5 Parker has just returned from a tour of duty in Viet Nam and will leave October 1 for Thailand.

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 Sept. 27—Rising Star at Rising Star
 Oct. 3—Menard at Santa Anna
 Oct. 10—Ranger at Ranger
 Oct. 17—Cross Plains at Santa Anna
 Oct. 24—Abilene Central Catholic at Santa Anna
 Oct. 31—Goldthwaite at Goldthwaite
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DALE HICKS

Dale Hicks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hicks, was elected unanimously last year to the All-district football team on both the offensive and defensive teams. He played tackle last year but is playing end this season. He has lettered all three years in high school.

A senior student, Dale is a member of the FFA. He name's hunting and fishing as his hobbies.

Another honor Dale has received was getting honorable mention for the All West Texas football team last year.

Dale stated that he would like to have a career as a football coach.

Native shrubs are not always easy to transplant.



DON FITZPATRICK

Don Fitzpatrick, tailback on the 1969 Mountaineer team, was recently elected president of the senior class. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick of Whon, and has lettered two years on the football team.

Besides football, Don has taken part in basketball and track. He is a four-year member of the FFA and is vice-president of the local chapter this year.

Don has been a member of the 4-H Club for several years, taking part in the Horse Club, riding and showing his registered quarter horses. He lists rodeos and football as his main interests.

After graduation from SAHS, Don plans to go to Texas Tech and major in agricultural economics.

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RAYMOND VALDEZ

Playing as middle linebacker on defense and guard on offense is Raymond Valdez, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Valdez of Rockwood. Raymond is a senior student at SAHS and has lettered in football for the past three years. He was chosen as All-District linebacker last year.

As a member of the FFA, Raymond is currently serving as reporter of the chapter. During the past two years he has been showing lambs for his FFA project, going to many stock shows each season. He lists stock shows and feeding lambs as his main interests.

Chamber of Commerce REPORT

by Billie Guthrie

A meeting of the Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce was held September 17, at the Coleman County Telephone Coop. directors room. This was a very enthusiastic meeting with nine directors and 14 members present.

President Joe Riley called on Mayor Thomas Wristen for a complete report on the status of the reopening of the hospital. As of this writing the hospital will be open and ready for operation

Thursday, September 25. This has been a long, drawn out affair but with the many hours of consultations and the cooperation of many of our local citizens our goal was established.

Plans and committees were made for the annual Christmas program. The parade will be held in conjunction with the Lions Club pancake sale, Friday, December 5 with the theme being "Voices of Christmas". Santa Claus will be at the Lions Club building each Saturday thereafter to charge. The children's Mrs. Jack Allen will be in charge with the children's choirs of different churches to furnish entertainment.

One new member, Richard Horner, became the 55th member. We do appreciate all the efforts these people have put forth in helping to keep our community looking up instead of taking a step backward.

Shield News

By Mrs. E. S. Jones

Mrs. W. B. Watson, 76, died Friday in Fort Worth and was buried Sunday in Coleman. Our sympathy to the family.

Mary Milligan of Coleman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Milligan.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Riley of Eden visited the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Fitzhugh.

Mrs. Ethel Cobb and B. B. Fowler of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. John McClelland and Susan of San Antonio and Mrs. Jessa Fowler of Coleman visited this weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler.

Mrs. David Zirkle and Don of Austin visited Friday thru Sunday with Mrs. Lillian Lewellen.

Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Ward Evans of Stephenville visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Scarborough and Mrs. E. S. Jones.

Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Buster Woodard of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Scarborough and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yancy visited Mr. and Mrs. Dock Skelton and enjoyed games of 84.

Sunday visitors with H. C. Clures were: Rev. and Mrs. Rives of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Upchurch and Jesse Wayne of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Eppler of Abilene, Francene McClure and Gail Wilson of Midland and Mrs. E. S. Jones.

Mrs. George Cobb, a delegate of Coleman County, attended the State Home Demonstration convention at Dallas from Tuesday through Friday.

Kim Bray of Rockwood spent Friday night with Sherry Scarborough.

T-Sgt. Dean Bass At Tinker AFB

U. S. Air Force Technical Sergeant Richard Dean Bass, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bass, has arrived for duty at Tinker AFB, Oklahoma City.

Sgt. Bass, a training technician in a unit of the Air Force Communications Service, previously served at Sembach Air Base, Germany. Dean and his wife, Faye, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Parks of Santa Anna, visited here for several weeks before going to Oklahoma City.

Antiques To Be Shown At Fair

All county residents are invited to show one of their choice antiques at the County Fair Saturday. Mrs. C. D. Bruce, chairman of the committee, has asked that all items be taken to the exhibit building by 9:00 a. m. Saturday morning and each owner will be responsible for picking up their own articles by 8:00 p. m. that evening.

Mrs. Floyd Thompson of Talpa and Miss Stella Loyd of Gouldbusk are also on the committee. Ribbons will be awarded by judges in the antique division.

James Gibbs invented the chain-stitch sewing machine.

FT. GRIFFIN GOT THE FAME, ALBANY THE COURTHOUSE

The great 86-year-old courthouse at Albany, Texas, is one of the last intact survivors among the Victorian Era county capitols. From its clean-lined walls of native limestone to its elaborate clock tower, it is a prototype for its time, place and purpose.

Created in 1858 and named for an Alabama doctor who survived the Goliad Massacre, Shackelford County was not organized until 1874. The Comanche Indians were still terrorizing this country northeast of Abilene, although R. S. Mackenzie was giving them what-for with his famous raids that were supply-based at Fort Griffin.

Around that fort on the Clear Fork of the Brazos, 15 miles north of the present town of Albany, gathered untamed cowboys, dead shot buffalo hunters, mean pistol-toters, bad women, and the choicest collection of cattle thieves Texas ever had. This was the town that was Shackelford's county seat for the first year.

Albany was built for a county seat and was a railroad town by 1881. It stood for a better class of people and conduct than the fast-draw town of Fort Griffin, although it was some time before even Albany could be confused with a Sunday School encampment.

Vigilantes with stout hanging ropes and 45's permanently reformed a good many rustlers and finally gunned down the best sheriff Shackle-

Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson of Lubbock were on their farm here during the weekend. They were here due to the death of Mr. Watson's mother, Mrs. Booker Watson of Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. Watson visited briefly in the Tom Rutherford home Sunday morning. Our deepest sympathy to the bereaved over Mrs. Watson's passing away Friday night in a Fort Worth hospital.

Lloyd Rutherford and his daughter, Tonna of Bangs visited his parents, the Tom Rutherford's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants were shopping in Santa Anna Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Floyd of Brady spent Monday with Mrs. Floyd's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Switzer and children.

Aaron Avants reported killing an awfully large rattlesnake near his lane gate on Saturday. We have had two rattlesnakes killed pretty close to our house the past few weeks. Mrs. Floyd Morris reports they are really killing lots of rattlesnakes. So another precaution to be on the look out. They seem to be crawling about quite thick.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart Homsley and children, Beth and Terry of Dallas spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley.

Jimmy Avants of Santa Anna rode the bus out Friday afternoon and spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants. His father, James, came out and spent Saturday night and they returned to Santa Anna Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Floyd Morris LVN is now employed in the Overall Morris Hospital in Coleman. She states she is well pleased with her work.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford attended memorial services for Mrs. Booker Watson in Coleman Sunday afternoon. Burial was in the Shield Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Brown and children of Brownwood spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley, also with her sister and family of Dallas, who were here over the weekend.

Jim Gill of Coleman was looking over the ranch here during the past week. He visited briefly with Tom Rutherford.

ford county had in those days. Trouble with John Larn, the nightriders thought he was as good cow thief as he was a sheriff.

Larn was handsome, fearless, though, and young—only 27 years old. He was well connected, by marriage, to one of the leading ranch families. There is still some doubt about the extent of his guilt. However there is no doubt about the orneriness of his partner, John Selman.

Selman finally got away out of Shackelford county. Nearly 20 years later, after a career that alternated between being a peace officer and being chased by them, Selman gained his permanent place in history by killing in an El Paso saloon the most dangerous gunman in Texas annals, John Wesley Hardin. Nine months later Selman himself was shot by

a "friend" in a nearby alley, and that ended his career. There's nothing much left of the famous old fort, although a restoration project is underway. Luss is left of Fort Griffin town, but vivid memories still mark that place. Each summer it comes back to life in the justly famed "Fort Griffin Fandang-

Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hartman were Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mills of Olton, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wayne Hartman and Mike of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hartman and Robin, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker, Scotty and Stacy, all of Santa Anna.



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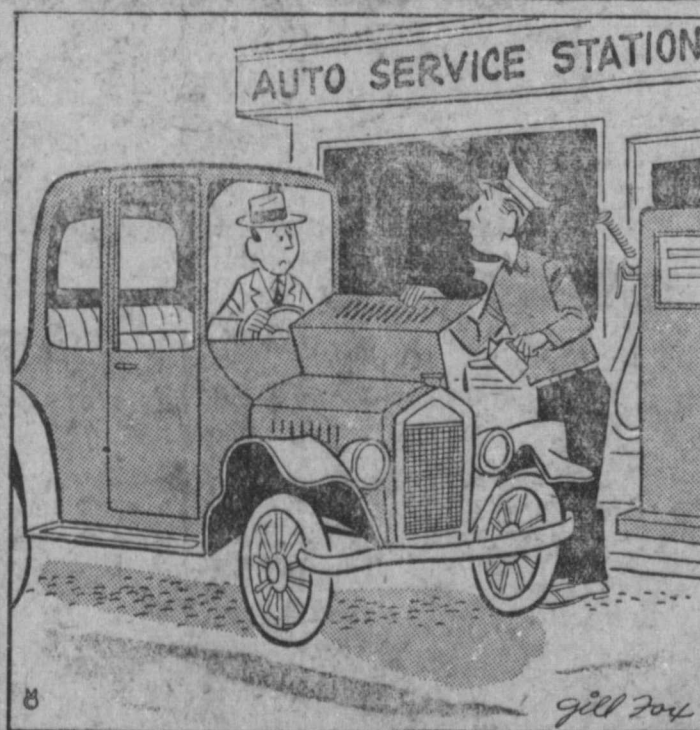
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