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Box 337
City

Point Rows

One of the Social Security representatives who serve Coleman County stopped by the office this week, and told us that 94 percent of the eligible persons in the Abilene district (which includes our county) have signed up for Medicare. "We are real happy with the percentage that have taken action," he said. "But we are worried about the six percent we still haven't reached." He emphasized that anyone over age 65, whether working or retired, whether recipients of Social Security payments or not, is eligible for the government medical care insurance, commonly called Medicare.

He also pointed out that in case elderly persons are not able to sign up for themselves, their children may sign up for them.

Here in Santa Anna, he noted that all the residents at Ranger Park Inn nursing home have signed up for the Medicare program, with the exception of one person, who is not able to sign for himself. His children are being contacted so as to have a 100 percent enrollment at the Inn.

Medicare, and other programs aimed at our senior citizens, are important to all of us in Coleman County. Approximately 17 percent of the people living in our county are age 65 and over, as compared with Abilene, where only six percent are over the 65 mark.

We read in the daily papers that the Mexican Communist Party has demanded the return of Texas to Mexico. If Republican Senator John Tower gets reelected, LBJ just might be mad enough to do it.

Did you know that Coleman (or rather, precinct 1) is holding a local option election this coming Saturday? One of the groups opposing the legal sale of alcoholic beverages is the service station operators. Think of all the gasoline sales they won't make if people don't have to go to Brownwood.

Santa Anna's recent blizzard made us curious about snowfall records. We did a little research and discovered that the record for snowfall in one day took place back in 1921, at Silver Lake, Colorado, when 76 inches of snow fell in one 24 hour period. Heaviest snowfall for one month occurred at Tamarack, in sunny California, where 390 inches fell during January of 1911. The same place and year also holds the record for the deepest accumulation of snow during one winter—454 inches covered the ground. The alltime United States record for snowfall during one 12 month season took place on Mount Rainier, Washington, during the 1955-1956 winter, when 1,000.3 inches of snow fell.

And to settle some arguments we heard during the recent snow here, it takes 30 inches of dry snow, or six inches of moist snow, to equal one inch of rain.

Since we have a rule that we brag about the paper in this column in only one issue a week, we will have to mention that of Point Rows got quoted by the Dallas Morning News, which is a publication in another Texas town that copied the name of its paper from ours. The quote was on the editorial page of last Monday's Dallas paper.

We had a visit with Eldon Mahon, who is running for the Congressional seat now occupied by Representative Omar Burleson. Mahon said he had been campaigning since 6:30 that morning, and it was the 11:00 in the p.m. Who said politics was an easy racket?

Some of our state officials are all in a flap because the Justice Department is sending FBI agents to check on Texas voter registration procedures during the special registration period. We suggest that while the feds are checking on such matters, they might check into certain box 13 situation that occurred a few years ago down in George Parr country. Never has been solved.

The sons of four graduates of Santa Anna High School played in the class AAAA state football championship game last fall, between Robert E. Lee High School, of San Antonio, and Permian High School, of Odessa. They were Tony Conley, son of Ralph Conley; David Routh, son of the former Irene McCreary; and Gary Horner, son of Bailey Horner; all of whom played for Permian; and Terry Upton, son Mr. and Mrs. Newman Upton, who played for San Antonio Lee.

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Voter Registration Period Now Underway; 119 Registered So Far

At presstime on Wednesday of this week, 119 Coleman County citizens had signed up with County Tax Assessor-Collector John Skelton under the special registration procedure necessitated by the abolishment of the poll tax as a requirement for voting.

Skelton had predicted that no more than 400 would sign up during the period in Coleman County. The "emergency" registration period set up by the Texas Legislature will continue through Thursday, March 17.

Talent Show Winners Listed

The Student Council of Santa Anna High School produced a talent show in the High School auditorium last Thursday night, March 3, with the proceeds going to the March of Dimes.

In the junior division, Ricky Jones took first place with the reading of a poem. In the number two spot, Jimmy Benton played a piano solo. Number three in the ratings was a vocal trio composed of Jana Eubank, Carol Kingsbery, and Janice Martin.

Other participants in the junior division included Edwin Cornet, Joyce Weathers, Glenda Strickland, Nancy Baugh, Ann Martin, Barbara Jones, Melinda Dean, Sherry McIver, and Kay Brock.

Top honors in the senior division went to a vocal duo starring Daphna Seymour and Dianne Blair. Second in the placings was the twirling team of Marguerite Horner and Sonja Neff. Third place went to the combo composed of Calvin Bailey, Jimmy Bailey, Mac Boyet, Pat Boyet, and Steve Hall.

Others competing in the senior division were Beth Cross, Jean Simpson, Paulette Puckett, Duane Whorton, Jimmy Eubank, Beth Irick, Janice Barnett, Jan Huggins, and Janeen Huggins, Lana Edington, Darlene Jones, Donna Strickland, and Vickie Skelton.

Some Special Postal Charges To Go Up Effective Saturday, March 26

Some of the special services offered by the United States Post Office will increase in cost, effective Saturday, March 26 according to an announcement this week by John Gregg, Acting Postmaster of the Santa Anna Post Office.

The services effected by the rate increases include money orders, certified mail, insured mail, registered mail, and cash on delivery (COD) mail.

Postmaster Gregg explained that the rate increases have

Mountaineer Band In Busy Season

The Santa Anna High School Mountaineer Band came back from the annual Heart of Texas Band Festival, in Brady, with a division II rating in sightreading, and a division III in playing. The band festival, held Saturday, March 5, included five class A bands—Burnet, Eastland, Iraan, and Menard, in addition to Santa Anna.

The outstanding class A band was the Eastland entry. Blanco was ranked as the best in class B, with class AA honors going to Winters, and class AAA title to Breckenridge.

Following the competition, a street parade was held in downtown Brady, with all the competing bands grouping together to play three massed band numbers.

Friday, March 11, the Santa Anna band will go to San Angelo to march in the stock show parade, and will stay for the afternoon performance of the rodeo.

Saturday, March 12, will see some members of the local band in Brownwood for Texas Inter-scholastic League competition in solo and ensemble playing.

interview with The Santa Anna News this week that no deputies have been appointed to carry out registration procedures in other parts of the County. Due to the newness of the process, it was decided that all registration during this special period should be done in the County office. However, Skelton said, registration may be done by mail. Printed copies of the registration form are now available, and Skelton has authorized The News to make these forms available to anyone desiring to register by mail. The forms may be picked up at the office of The Santa Anna News.

Anyone who has a current, valid poll tax receipt, or who was over 60 years of age on January 1, 1965, does not need to register. All others must register in order to be able to vote during 1966. Poll tax receipts are required for voting in all elections until March 26, 1966, and thereafter registration is required.

Former Resident On College Dean's List

Mrs. Betty Henderson, former resident of Santa Anna, has been named to the dean's list of the College of the Southwest, Hobbs, New Mexico, according to information released by Dean C. H. Schrader, recently. Mrs. Henderson has been on the honor list two consecutive semesters with a grade point average of 3.87 for the spring 1965 semester, and 4.00 for the fall 1965 semester.

In addition to her regular studies during the past semester, Mrs. Henderson has served as president of the student body of CSW and has given volunteer time to the curriculum programing for patients at Lea County Cerebral Palsy Center.

Mrs. Henderson is the daughter-in-law of Mrs. Rosa Henderson, of Santa Anna. She and her husband, Roy, have two daughters, Dana, age 11, and Sharlet, age 9. They have recently moved into their new home at 1727 East Albertson, Hobbs, New Mexico.

Six Candidates Vie For Three Santa Anna City Council Seats

Filing Mixup Eliminates School Board Member

Due to a misunderstanding about filing deadlines, William Brown, longtime member of the Board of Trustees of the Santa Anna Independent School District failed to qualify as a candidate in this year's election. At least one other potential candidate may also have been stymied by a misunderstanding of the filing procedure.

Three candidates did get filed in time to be placed on the ballot: Floyd Gilbreath, of Santa Anna; Mrs. Allyn (Bess) Gill, of Santa Anna; and Jesse Williams, of Shield.

Gilbreath is in the custom farming business. Mrs. Gill is the wife of the manager of the Coleman County Telephone Cooperative. Williams is a farmer.

School board elections are scheduled for Saturday, April 2 this year. Absentee voting will begin on Monday, March 14, and continue through Tuesday, March 29. Absentee ballots may be obtained at the Santa Anna City Hall.

Everyone over 65 should get the free booklet "A Brief Explanation of Medicare" from his nearest Social Security office.

Six candidates will be contesting for three seats on the Santa Anna City Council in the municipal election, Tuesday, April 12.

The Council is made up of five members. Three of these are elected for two year terms on even numbered years, and the other two, and the mayor, are elected on odd number years.

The election this year has turned into a contest between supporters of the proposed bond issue for improvements and additions to the municipal water and sewer systems, and opponents of the issue. The bond election was contested, but declared valid in district court, and later, following appeal, in the court of

civil appeals.

Three incumbents who will be running for reelection include Calvin Campbell, A. O. Ethridge, and Ben Yarbrough. The three candidates in office represent the group supporting the bond issue.

Running with the backing of opponents of the bond issue are Kenneth Bowker, Jr., James Ford, and Luther McCrary.

Campbell, a petroleum products distributor and raiser of quarterhorses, has been on the City Commission for approximately five years.

Ethridge, who operates a Texaco Service Station in Santa Anna, and Yarbrough, a farmer and rancher, have both served about 13 years on the Council.

Bowker, who served on the Council in the past, operates the Purina dealership in Coleman.

Ford, who was a write-in candidate for mayor in last year's city elections, operates a welding business in Santa Anna. He is also minister of the Assembly of God Church here.

McCrary operates a Premier Service Station in Santa Anna.

Absentee balloting will begin on Wednesday, March 16, and continue through Friday, April 1. Absentee ballots will be available at the Santa Anna City Hall.

Other members of the City Council are W. A. (Sy) Burden and Lewis Miles Guthrie.

Glenn Copeland will be election judge, with Mrs. Hardy Blue as his assistant.

Cleveland Resident In Viet Nam Waters

Fineman Joel Collins, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Collins of Route 2, Cleveland, Texas, is aboard the destroyer USS Wedderburn, which has joined the Seventh Fleet in the South China Sea.

Destroyers are high speed ships used primarily in antisubmarine warfare. They also operate offensively against surface ships, defend against airborne attack, and provide gunfire support for amphibious assaults.

This is the twelfth Western Pacific deployment for the Wedderburn, which normally operates as a unit of the Pacific Fleet, and is homeported in San Diego, California.



TRACK SCENES at the first running of the Santa Anna Jaycees Invitational Track Meet, Saturday, March 5. ABOVE: The first handoff in the mile relay. In the center of the photo, Tommy Blanton prepares to pass the baton. The local mile relayers finished fourth. BELOW: The winning mile relay team, from Early, receives the trophy. (Story On Page 7).



RANGER PARK INN NEWS

By MRS. CLIFF HERNDON

The First Methodist Church conducted the church service Sunday afternoon, March 6, with Rev. Bobby Weathers in charge. Pianist, Miss E. Lee Harper with Mrs. Blanche Grantham, Ruby Harper, Mrs. T. B. Gilmore, Mrs. Harry Crews, Mrs. I. V. Dean, and Mrs. Norval Wylie from the choir assisted. Mrs. Joe Baker also attended.

Mrs. Joe Baker and Mrs. Blanche Grantham visited their sister, Mrs. Ella Stiles.

The church of Christ will have charge of the service for March 13, at 3:00 p.m., with Jimmy Roden in charge.

Mrs. Randy Beard and infant son visited her grandmother, Mrs. Dora White Monday.

Mrs. A. L. Hollon is in Santa Anna Hospital for surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Doss, daughter and son-in-law, of Fort Worth, visited the George Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Currie, of Paint Rock, also visited the George Simmons.

Jay Akins sent Mrs. Ella Stiles a box of chewing gum. Mrs. Stiles was his mother's room mate.

Rev. Robert Brandt, Pastor of First Christian Church, visited Mrs. Hulda Johnson.

Mrs. Emzy Brown, of Brownwood, visited Mrs. Nancy Jackson.

Mrs. Kate Holmes visited Mrs. Hannah Hill.

Bill McCabe, of Dallas visited with his mother, Mrs. Sally Gregg.

Mrs. M. Davis, of Coleman also visited her sister, Mrs. Gregg.

Mrs. Bill Holmes, of Coleman, visited at the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Masey, of Bangs, visited with O. F. Epperson.

Weimar F. Hein and Mrs. F. W. Hein, of Fredricksburg, visited Mrs. Hein's sister-in-law, Mrs. Hulda Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer, of Ballinger, visited the A. L. Wallons.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Martin, of Gouldbusk, visited at the Inn. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Smith visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Turney Smith.

Mrs. H. A. Burden visited her father-in-law, Homer Burden, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kinney, of Coleman, visited Mrs. Hattie Futeh.

Sally Warnock visited her sister, Mrs. Clara Kryder, at the Inn. She visited others also.

Mrs. Burden and Mrs. Claude McHorse, of Coleman, visited with Mrs. Addie Huggins. Lee Ray Huggins also visited his mother, Mrs. Addie Huggins.

Mrs. Henry Newman, of Santa Anna, Mrs. Anna Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Wilkerson, Mrs. Loma Stevens, all of Coleman, and Mrs. Ruth Dulard, of San Antonio, visited Mrs. Dera Dibrell.

Visitors with Mrs. Ben Herring were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Dany Bryan, of Abilene, Casey and Vernon Herring, of Santa Anna, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Yarborough, of Santa Anna.

Mrs. Chester Gallaway, Mrs. Nap Watson, Mrs. Dora Vanderford, Mrs. Ruby Pritchard, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Yarborough, Mrs. Nora Goen, Mrs. Elgean Harris, Mrs. Lucy Price, of Santa Anna, Mrs. Morrow, of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Ellis, of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Archer of Buffalo, Opal Burden, of San Angelo, Mrs. George Green, of Santa Anna, Mrs. Lola Williams, of Abilene, Mrs. Claude Hodges, Mrs. Walker, of Santa Anna, Mrs. Roy Horne, Mrs. Basil Gilmore visited Mrs. Lillie Archer, Mrs. Mattie Ellis, and other friends at the Inn during the past week.

Mrs. Odell Phillips and children, of Dallas visited her mother, Mrs. Cassie Stiles, Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Buttry visited her mother, Mrs. Lee McMillan and took her for a drive.

Nell Bailey, of Coleman, and Ethel Smith visited Mrs. Dera Dibrell and Mrs. Omi Heaton and others.

Bill Stiles, of Coleman, visited his mother, Mrs. Ella Stiles.

Mrs. Roy Horne, Mrs. T. B. Gilmore, Ruby Harper, and Mrs. Tom Hays visited Mrs. Ella Stiles.

Thelma Campbell, of Comanche, visited her mother, Mrs. A. L. Hollon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Stainback, of Talpa visited with his mother, Mrs. Mozelle Stainback.

Mrs. Claude Hodges and Mrs. Pleas Ellis visited Mr. Hodges and Mrs. Mattie Ellis.

Mrs. Charles Armstrong and father, U. S. Brannon, visited mother and wife, Mrs. Beulah Brannon.

Mrs. Loyd Holman visited with her grandmother, Mrs. U. S. Brannon.

B. F. Leach, of Fort Worth visited with his mother, Mrs. Hallie Leach.

Mrs. Trudy Cantrell, of Roanoke, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Minnie Lane.

Mrs. Minnie Lane attended church on Sunday.

Mrs. Gwen Walker called at the Inn Sunday morning and carried Blanche Boyd to church

at United Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Mabel Burrage visited her mother, Mrs. Lula Harvey.

Mrs. Otto Irby, of Coleman, visited her father, Henry Childs. Preston Childs, of Abilene also visited Henry Childs, his father.

Mrs. D. G. Allen, of Sweetwater, called about her father, W. W. Corbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Deakins, of Novice, are two new residents at the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Deakins, of Longview, Texas, are visiting the Luther Deakins.

Jim Quinn gave a devotional at the Inn on Friday afternoon. A group of the youth came with him to sing.

Mrs. Morris, of Coleman, was at the Inn for the singing.

J. C. Conger visited the Inn and helped with singing on Tuesday.

B. F. Mitchell, of Valera, visited with his mother, Mrs. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kresto were visitors at the Inn.

Shields News

By MRS. E. S. JONES

Tuesday, February 15, eleven members of the Quilting Club met and worked on a club quilt. The top was donated by Mrs. O. C. Yancy and pieced by Mr. Yancy's mother, Mrs. Virgie Yancy, of Santa Anna. On Thursday, several members finished the quilt and it was hemmed by Mrs. Bill Price.

Mrs. Nora Wheatley and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wheatley, of Kerrville, spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bivins. Dave Shamblin, who had spent several weeks in Kerrville, came with them and is at his home in Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler visited Friday in Fort Worth with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Power.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith, of Dallas, spent Friday to Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Eppler.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wheatley visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Perry, at Bangs on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe, of Coleman, visited Sunday with the H. D. Eppler and Rastus McClure families and with Mrs. E. S. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McDonald were in Stephenville, Friday visiting her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Cobb. Recently Mrs. Cobb fell and injured

her back and is in the Stephenville Hospital.

Mrs. J. S. Akin, of Melvin, passed away in Santa Anna Hospital, Wednesday, February 23. Burial was in Melvin Thursday.

Sincere sympathy goes to her daughter, Mrs. Jack Dillingham and family, and to her son, Wink and family, of Melvin, and former residents of our community, and to others of her family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cobb visited in Brownwood Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Will Bowen.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Orr, of Fort Worth announce the birth of a son, Paul David, born Monday, February 21st. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Rastus McClure and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Orr, of Coleman.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Meredith and Lea returned to their home in El Paso, after having visited the past week with Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Milligan.

We extend sympathy to the family of Albert Reasoner, a former resident of our community, who passed away Friday night at Holiday Hill in Coleman. Burial was at Shields Saturday.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shelton visited in Austin with relatives.

Leo McDaniel, of ACC, Abilene was guest speaker for the evening and morning services at the Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stewardson were in Fort Worth for the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Watson, Jr. and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Scarborough were in Eald, Oklahoma, for the weekend visiting their son Charles, and family.

Granville England and daughter, Judy, of Amarillo, and Mrs. Ernest England, of Vernon spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bivins.

Mr. and Wayne Stewardson, Beverly, and Becky, of Plainview, visited the weekend with his mother, Mrs. John Stewardson.

Mrs. J. Z. Vercher, of Coleman, who has lived here many years is in the Coleman Hospital. Mrs. Vercher was injured Sunday in a fall at her home. Glad to report no broken bones. This happened Sunday, March 6, her 66th birthday.

Visitors attending the Quilting Club, Tuesday afternoon were Mrs. Buster Woodard, of Santa Anna, Mrs. Fay Lane, of Coleman, and Mrs. Alma Hardin, of Dallas. For the business session, officers for the year were elected, President, Mrs. O. C. Yancy; secretary-treasure, Mrs. Bill Price.

Wilford Ray Schulze, of San

Marcus, visited Saturday with the A. D. Epplers.

Mrs. Ura Dillingham and Mrs. Fay Lane visited at Stacy, Friday with Mrs. Jane Hawkins.

The Santa Anna High School Band was in Brady, Saturday for the Band Festival. Members of the band from here were Danny and Gary Williams, Dwight Eppler, and Donna Williams. The band placed second in sight reading and third in concert playing.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wheatley attended singing at Jones Chapel and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Perry in Bangs. Mr. Perry is recovering from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Taylor and Maudie Yerton, of Coleman, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Skelton.

Methodist Ladies Have Meeting

Mrs. Henry Newman used "Strangers No More" as the topic of Women's Society of Christian Service Monday, March 7, when they met in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Newman opened the meeting with a prayer.

Others on the program were Mrs. Roy Horne, who gave "First Thirty Years" Xuma Myers "The Birth of World Council", and Mrs. Tom Hays, "Fullness of Unity". Mrs. Newman closed the program with a "Litany", assisted by all members.

Mrs. Dale Smith and Mrs. Jesse Upchurch served coffee and cake to the above mentioned and Mrs. Joe Baker, Mrs. Bobby Weathers, E. Lee and Ruby Harper, Louise Purdy, Mrs. O. L. Cheaney, Mrs. W. B. Griffin, Mrs. Ora Hunter, Mrs. Arch Hull, Mrs. Tom Mills, and Jennie Ladd.

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Fourth Street and Avenue D
Minister: James Ford
TELEPHONE
Home: FI8-3485
SUNDAY SERVICES
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

SANTA ANNA
203 North Lee Street
Minister: Raymond Jones
TELEPHONE
Church: FI8-3725
Home: FI8-3754
SUNDAY SERVICES
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Training Union 7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY SERVICES
Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

SANTA ANNA
First Street and Avenue C
Minister: John Brandt
SUNDAY SERVICES
Bible School 9:50 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

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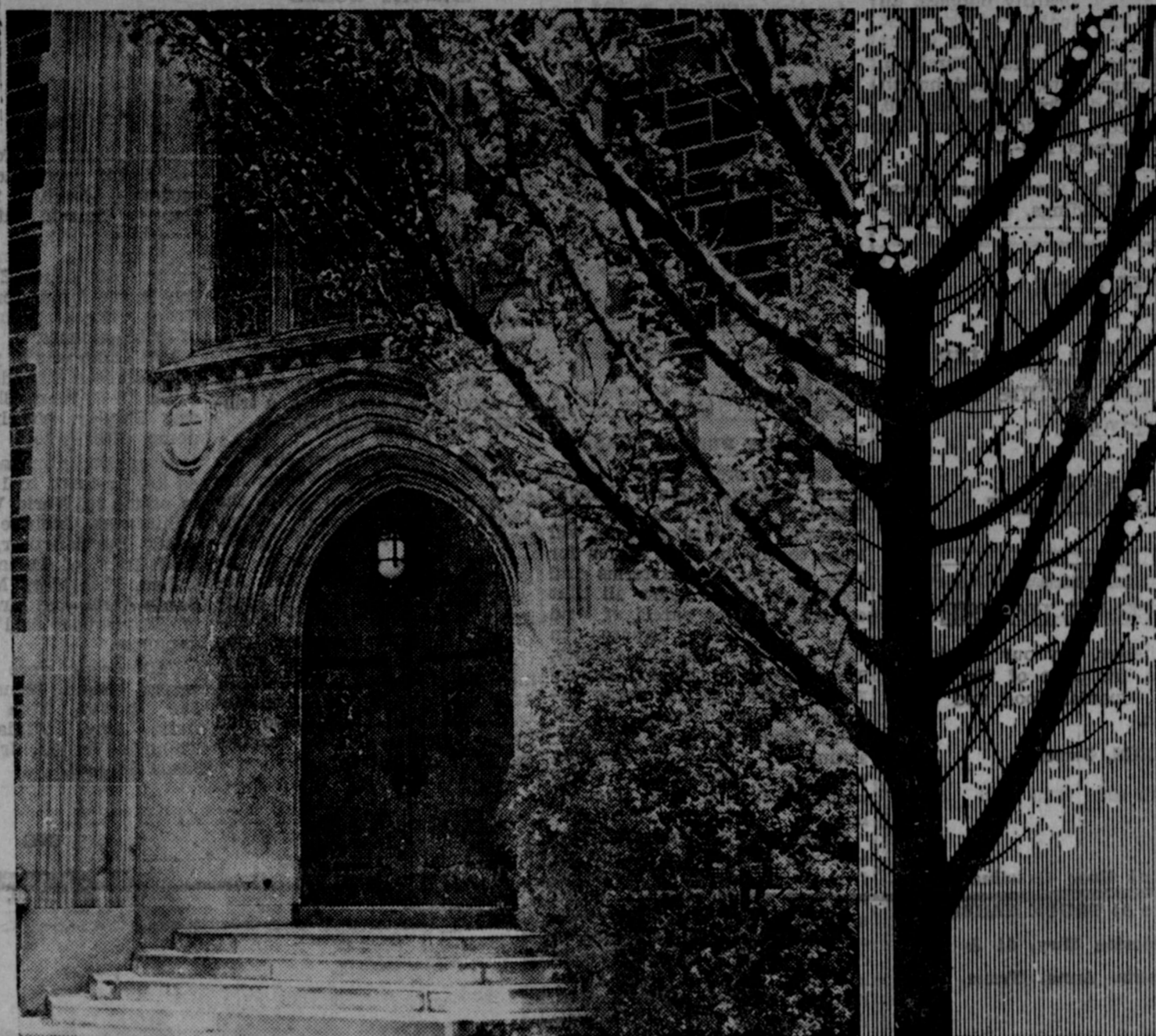
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405 South First Street
Minister: Bobby Weathers
TELEPHONE
Church: FI8-3667
Home: FI8-3776
SUNDAY SERVICES
Church School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:45 p.m.
MEETINGS
Choir Practice—6:00 p.m.,
Wednesday; Methodist Men—
Last Thursday of Month; Nitia
Daniel Circle—First Wednes-
day of Month; Women's Socie-
ty of Christian Service—3:00
p.m., Monday; Ambassadors—
6:30 p.m., First Sunday of
Month.

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Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY SERVICES
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When the buds burst into fragile flower, and their breath is everywhere, and a warming breeze caresses the cold, damp earth . . . this is more than Spring. This is the time of Promise.

For these same festive branches shall lift a precious burden of fruit when the red-gold mantle of harvest falls across the land.

When human souls awaken to the reveille of faith, and hymns and prayers fill the arches of heaven, and the warmth of an ageless hope reaches from heart to heart . . . this is more than Lent.

For the faith which blossoms today will bear its own precious fruit. Love! Joy! Peace! The harvest of souls like yours and mine is beginning anew to grow.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Isaiah 18:1-7	Isaiah 35:1-10	Matthew 13:24-32	John 4:31-38	I Thessalonians 2:13-20	I Peter 1:10-21	Revelation 14:12-16
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NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

SANTA ANNA
Avenue B and Third Street
Minister: Raymond L. Gary
TELEPHONE
Home: FI8-3785
SUNDAY SERVICES
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Baptist Training School
6:15 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY SERVICES
Women's Missionary
Auxiliary 9:30 a.m.
Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

NORTHSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

SANTA ANNA
508 Avenue B
Minister: Jimmy Roden
TELEPHONE
Church: FI8-3342
Home: FI8-3416
SUNDAY SERVICES
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:15 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

SANTA ANNA
Avenue B and Eighth Street
Minister: H. B. Petry
TELEPHONE
Church: FI8-3534
Home: FI8-3348
SATURDAY SERVICES
Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
WEDNESDAY SERVICES
Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

SOUTHSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

SANTA ANNA
Willis Avenue and South Fifth
SUNDAY SERVICES
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SANTA ANNA
Wallis Avenue and Fifth Street
Minister: Ben H. Moore
SUNDAY SERVICES
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

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Sealed bids for the said property will be received at the office of the Director of the Texas National Guard Armory Board until 10:00 a.m., March 10, 1966. All bids should be addressed to Colonel Harry B. Kelton, Director, Texas National Guard Armory Board, West Austin Station, Austin, Texas 78703. The envelope containing the bid must bear the notation, "Bid on Santa Anna Armory" on outside lower left hand corner. No oral, telephone, or telegraphic proposals will be considered. Term of the lease will be from

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Political

Announcements

The following candidates have authorized this newspaper to announce their candidacy for the public office under which each name appears, subject to action of the primary election in 1966.

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ERMAN MILLER

COUNTY CLERK

LEE F. CRAIG (Reelection)

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COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NUMBER 2

THOMAS WRISTEN, JR. (Reelection)

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BYRON (Lefty) GILBREATH

COUNTY TREASURE

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DISTRICT CLERK

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the beginning to 31 August 1967 with an option to lessee to extend the lease two years until 31 August 1969 under the same provisions as the original lease. The Armory Board reserves the right to offer this property for sale after 31 August 1967.

The Armory Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids and waive any or all formalities in connection therewith. For inspection of the property, bidders may contact Captain Billy J. Harvey, phone F18-3632, Santa Anna, Texas.

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 By Charles W. Caston
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Notice is hereby given that the City of Santa Anna, Texas, has filed an application with the Texas Water Pollution Board, 1100 West 49th Street, Austin, Texas, pursuant to the State Water Pollution Control Act (Article 7621d of Vernon's Civil Statutes) to amend their permit to discharge municipal wastes from a proposed municipal sewerage treatment plant located approximately one half mile south of Santa Anna near Highway number 283, said wastes to be discharged into Horse Creek, a tributary of the Colorado River.

Notice is hereby given that the City of Santa Anna, Texas, has filed an application with the Texas Water Pollution Control Board, 1100 West 49th Street, Austin, Texas, (pursuant to the State Water Pollution Act, Article 7621d of Vernon's Civil Statutes) to request a permit to discharge municipal wastes from the City's existing water treatment plant located 12,000 feet NE of the City of Santa Anna, said wastes to be discharged into Mud Creek which eventually reaches the Colorado River.

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Funeral services will be held Thursday, March 10, at 2:30 p.m.

Obituaries

LAMB

Funeral services for Mrs. Melvin Lamb, were held Tuesday morning, March 8, in the First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Maurice Smith, of Brownwood and the Rev. Raymond Jones, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Santa Anna Cemetery with Hosh Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Lamb was 67 years of age, and had been a resident of Santa Anna for 63 years. She passed away Sunday, March 6, in her home, after a long illness.

A son, Lt. John Lamb, preceded her in death in 1945. He died in action in World War II.

Survivors include her husband; one daughter, Mrs. Mary Ruth Irick, of Santa Anna; two sisters, Miss Mary McCorkle, of Santa Anna, and Mrs. Lena Cox, of Brownwood; and one granddaughter.

Pallbearers were Buddy A-vants, Leland Thompson, Billy Joe Harvey, Tom Kingsbery, Artie Irby, William Brown, Thomas Wristen, Jr., and Tension Granad.

for Charles Ing of Dallas, a former resident of Santa Anna. Services will be held at the First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Raymond Jones officiating, with Masonic graveside services at the Santa Anna Cemetery.

Ing was 58 years of age, and died at his home in Dallas, Tuesday, March 8. He had moved to Dallas from Santa Anna about six years ago. He was a civil engineer and a Mason, and a member of the Christian Church.

Mrs. Ing was the former Reta Mae Wallace, and was reared in Santa Anna.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Reta Jane Ing, of Dallas; his mother, Mrs. J. N. Ing, of Lubbock; one brother, Dean Emory Ing, of Palo Alto, California.

Mason's will serve as pallbearers. Arrangements are under the direction of Hosh Funeral Home.

Rockwood Baptist Ladies Meet Monday

Mrs. Johnnie Steward and Mrs. A. L. King were hostesses for the Woman's Missionary Union social, Monday March 7, at the Rockwood Community Center. Mrs. F. E. McCreary gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Ray Caldwell brought the devotional, and Mrs. Lon Gray was at the piano for group singing. Mrs. Steward directed recreation, and gifts were exchanged. Mrs. R. J. Deal conducted the business session.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Lon Gray, Mrs. Ray Caldwell, Mrs. Billy Lovelady, Mrs. M. D. Bryan, Mrs. Junior Brusenhan, Mrs. Evan Wise, Mrs. Henry Smith, Mrs. Matt Estes, Mrs. F. E. McCreary, Mrs. R. J. Deal, Mrs. Bill Rehm, and Mrs. Bill Bryan.

The WMS is meeting each morning this week from 8:00 a. m. to 9:00 a. m. at the Church in a Week of Prayer, directed by Mrs. Junior Brusenhan.

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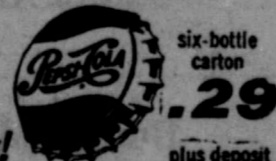
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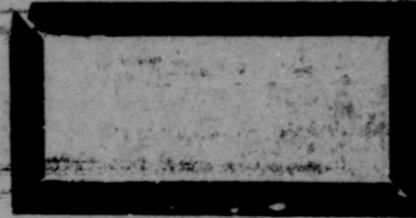
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SOCIAL NOTES

Wedding Of Peggy Jean Hawkins And Art Attaway Set Next Month



PEGGY JEAN HAWKINS
April Wedding Planned

Mr. and Mrs. Allen L. Hawkins, of Santa Anna, have announced the approaching marriage of their daughter, Peggy Jean Hawkins, to Art H. Attaway, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Attaway, of Gladewater.

Wedding has been scheduled for Sunday, April 3, in the Methodist Church at Sherman, with Rev. Thomas Roberts officiating. The prospective bride is a graduate of Santa Anna High

Book Review At WMU Meeting

The Women's Missionary Union of First Baptist Church met Thursday afternoon in the church annex at 2:30 p.m.

Mrs. William Brown completed the book, "Panama The Country In Between" which she began last week.

Thursday, March 10, will be the week of prayer for home missions.

An offering will be taken for Annie Armstrong.

Others attending include Mrs. Raymond Jones, Mrs. Elton McDonald, and Mrs. John Brown.

School, and is employed by F&S Clothiers, in Abilene. The groom graduated from Gladewater High School, and is employed with J. C. Penneys, in Dallas.

District 4-H Club Council Holds Meet

The district 7 4-H Council held its annual meeting in the Coleman Junior High School, Saturday March 5, beginning at 10:00 a.m. Paul Beaver, of Coleman, District Council co-chairman, presided.

Beaver, a freshman veterinary medicine major at Tarleton State College, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Topsy Beaver, of Talpa. He is chairman of the State 4-H Roundup committee. He has been 4-H club member working in the county, district, and state levels for several years.

The agenda included business meeting, election of officers, and a pop session after the noon meal. Reports from each county council were given.

Two delegates from each of the 22 counties in the district attended. In addition some leaders and agents attended. Morning refreshments were served compliments of the Coleman County Telephone Cooperative. The noon meal was sponsored by the Coleman County Electric Cooperative and prepared and served by the Centennial Home Demonstration Club.

Second Sunday Singers Scheduled

The regular Second Sunday Singing will be held Sunday, March 13, at the Assembly of God Church in Santa Anna, from two until four in the afternoon. Everyone is invited to attend the singing.

Attend Church Regularly.

Hand punches at the News office.

Coleman County 4-H Clubbers Hold Meet On Winning Demonstrations

A 4-H Club, program on "The Winning Demonstration" was given in the Hospitality Room of the First Coleman National Bank on Thursday, February 24.

The evening's agenda included planning, preparation, and presentation of a demonstration. Doris Froehling, Coleman County Assistant Home Demonstration Agent, discussed the importance of choosing a topic of interest and being informed on the topic. "A good demonstration has three parts—the introduction, the body, and the conclusion," she said.

Mrs. Zeno Hemphill gave pointers on presenting the demonstration, particularly public speaking. She illustrated the need for proper enunciation. Jingles such as "A big black bear bit a big black bug" were repeated by the entire group as part of an exercise to improve speech clarity.

Thirty 4-H club members and leaders were in attendance. Each club member was urged

Local Sorority Holds Sweetheart Dance

The Delta Omicron chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority held their annual Sweetheart Dance Saturday night, March 5, at Coleman Country Club.

Mrs. Allyn Gill was chosen the Sweetheart of the year. Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick presented Mrs. Gill with a bouquet of red carnations.

Runnersup were Mrs. Montie Guthrie and Mrs. Bruce Cammack.

The club room was decorated with red tapers and pink carnations.

About 25 attending were served refreshments of dips and soft drinks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Priddy, Mrs. Charles Evans, Mrs. C. D. Bruce, Mrs. Hardy Blue, Mrs. J. W. McClellan, Mrs. Joe C. Matthews, and Alma McNutt were in Brownwood recently to attend the Civic Music Concert. The concert was given by the New York Sextet, featuring Edmond Karlsrud, bass-baritone.

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to begin work on his demonstration. County eliminations to determine who will go to district competition will be held Saturday, April 16, in the Coleman High School.

Golden Wedding Anniversary Noted

Mrs. Burl Sparkman and Mrs. B. A. Parker were hostesses March 5, when Mr. and Mrs. Luther Abernathy celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in their home.

Mrs. Parker, sister in law, served coffee from a silver service and Mrs. J. R. Barton, Mr. Abernathy's sister served punch from table centered with arrangements of gold mums.

Guests were registered in a white guest book, by guest book was nosegay of yellow daffodils, tube roses and ribbon.

The coffee table held an arrangement also of yellow daffodils and tube roses, in gold container.

About 40 friends, neighbors and relatives called during the party hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Abernathy were married March 5, in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Parker of Garden City, Texas. They spent their honeymoon in San Angelo and returned to their ranch near Garden City.

About 40 years ago they moved to Coleman County where they were engaged in ranching. For a number of years he owned the Texaco Service Station also.

Out of town relatives attending were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Parker of Garden City, and his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Barton of San Angelo.

Mrs. B. H. Sawyer, Mike, Lisa, and Billy of Brownwood and Mrs. Ray Stockard of Santa Anna also Garie Powell of Dallas visited over the weekend with Karen McCluskey who is a freshman student at Texas Tech, Lubbock Texas.

Everyone over 65 should file his Social Security claim now, even though he still has high earnings; see your Social Security representative.

Monday Meeting For Rockwood WSCS

Mrs. A. L. Crutcher brought the devotional when the Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the Rockwood Methodist Church Monday, March 7. Mrs. Marcus Johnson had charge of the business session, when officers reported. Plans were made for a social meeting at the home of Mrs. Lester Bryan, Monday, March 28, including a pink and blue shower for Mrs. James Estes.

Participating in the meeting were Mrs. Crutcher, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Aubrey McSwain, Mrs. Sam Estes, Mrs. John Hunter, Mrs. Bill Rehm, Bernice Johnson, and Mrs. Lester Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith spent last week in Waco with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith. Glenn was gone on a business trip to New York, returning Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith and boys, of Tyler, were weekend visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rehm, of Rockwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith, of Santa Anna.

Trickham News

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

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Boenicke attended a birthday dinner honoring Miss Pauline Boenicke, in Brownwood, on Saturday, February 26. There were 19 relatives present for the occasion. On Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Boenicke were in Santa Anna where they picked up Mrs. Featherston and all visited with friends at the rest home. Later the group visited Mrs. Lacy and Mrs. Denton.

Janie Estes and Pattie Roberts, of Brooksmith, visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lindly, of Snyder, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bond Featherston.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Starnes were Sunday night visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Gordin Starnes, at Brooksmith.

Mrs. Ray McSwain and children, of Fort Worth, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Martin on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Vaughn attended funeral services in Amar-

illo last Wednesday for an Aunt of Mrs. Vaughn, Mrs. L. B. Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whitley and Mrs. Lois McElderry visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Looney and Mrs. Rus-sie James were other visitors during the week.

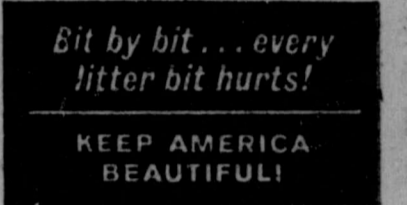
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy attended a singing at Holiday Hill rest home in Coleman on Friday night. Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Stacy visited the rest homes in Bangs.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones and Elaine, of Abilene, and Mrs. Bessie Haynes, of Roanok visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Stearnes.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Watson, of Coleman, were dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dockery Sunday.

J. H. Martin attended dairy meetings in Corpus Christi and Austin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Wallace and Mrs. Bessie Parish, of Santa Anna were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Martin.



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—Theodore Roosevelt

EDITORIAL

The Right Of The People

As almost everyone in the county is aware, our state legislatures have been reorganized, by order of the Supreme Court of the United States, which decided that the people of the states do not have the right to determine the form that their state government is to take, and also that the form of government outlined in the Constitution of the United States is unconstitutional, and so it decreed, against the will of all of our nation's tradition and history, that both houses of all state legislatures must be apportioned on the basis of population alone, declaring that anything else is "unConstitutional", a strange attitude in view of the fact that the type of government against which the Supreme Court ruled—having one house elected on a basis of population, and the other on a geographical basis—is the form of government established in the Constitution.

This action by the Supreme Court deprives every citizen of several important freedoms, in several ways. In the first place, it states that the citizens of this nation do not have the right to decide their own form of government. If the Congress were to try to limit our freedoms in this respect, there would be a great hassle, and the voters of the various states would refuse to reelect the Representatives and Senators who had tried to take this freedom from the voters. But the Supreme Court does not answer to the voters, and so they can arbitrarily impose their will on the people of the nation without fear of reprisal. The Supreme Court has thus established itself as a legislative body, a far cry from the purpose for which it was intended. We would never think of appointing members of the Senate or House of Representatives for life, without the consent of the voters, but, in effect, this is what the Supreme Court is becoming.

In the second place, the decision by the Supreme Court denies equal representation to large segments of our people. Under the so called "one man one vote" ruling, the big cities will control overwhelmingly both houses of our state legislatures. In effect, the Supreme Court has said that only the people now living in the populated areas are entitled to representation. The farmer, rancher, and citizen of small communities will have such a small voice in determining the laws and policies that will affect him that he might as well have none. How many farmers will be satisfied with having lawmakers who were born and raised in large cities determining farm policy? How will the problems of smaller communities, such as ours, receive proper attention or consideration when the overwhelming majority of members of both legislative houses will be representing large cities? These men will be striving to please the voters in those large cities, and the needs and desires of smaller communities will be of no interest to them at all.

Thus, in declaring the form of government described in the Constitution to be unconstitutional, the Supreme Court has, in one move, made second class citizens out of everyone who does not live in a metropolitan area.

But what can be done about this? Fortunately, a few courageous members of Congress, from both parties, have begun action to correct this rather assinine action by the Supreme Court. Led by Senator Everett Dirksen, they have formed the Committee for Government of the People. The purpose of this committee is to have an amendment added to the Constitution that will specifically insure that the citizens of any state will have the right to determine what form their state government will take. The proposed amendment will not force any type of government on any state—it will merely say that the people of each state have the right to select their own form of government. This hardly seems unreasonable in a democracy. In fact, the only people who should be opposed to it are the big city political bosses, who see, in the Supreme Court's decision, an open road to extending their power over the entire state.

To become a part of the Constitution, the proposed amendment must receive two thirds votes in both the Senate and the House of Representatives. Majorities in both houses are in favor of the amendment, but it will take two thirds to put it into action.

And what can you do? You can contact your US Representatives (O. C. Fisher and Omar Bureson) and your US Senators (John Tower and Ralph Yarborough) and let them know, in no uncertain terms, that you feel that you have the right to help determine the form of government in your own state, and that you expect them, as your elected representatives, to vote to protect that right.

The right of the people to govern themselves is a sacred right. It is at least worth the effort of writing a few letters to your representatives in Washington.

Yesterday's News

- FIVE YEARS AGO**
The paper for March 10, 1961 reports that Barbara Kingsbery, Tony Rehm, and Buddy Neff are candidates for the two places open on the Board of Trustees of the Santa Anna Independent School District.
- TEN YEARS AGO**
Clifford Stephenson suffered several broken ribs in fighting the fire that destroyed Payne Variety Store, according to the paper for March 16, 1956.
- TWENTY YEARS AGO**
Ford Barnes has been employed as secretary of the Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce,
- notes the paper for March 8, 1946.
- THIRTY YEARS AGO**
County Tax Assessor-Collector Frank Lewis urges car owners to get their tags before the deadline, in the paper for March 6, 1936.
- THIRTY FIVE YEARS AGO**
Claude Gipson was seriously injured when a car on which he was working fell on him, reports the paper for March 11, 1921.



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LETTERS

EDITOR'S NOTE

The following is the text of a letter from Texas State Attorney General Waggoner Carr to United States Attorney General Nicholas Katzenbach, protesting the use of Federal Bureau of Investigation agents to check on the voter registration program now underway in Texas. In view of the widespread interest in this controversy, The News is publishing the full text of the letter, for the information of its readers. Copy of the letter was furnished to The News by the Attorney General Carr's office.

Dear Mr. Attorney General:
 Last Saturday the State of Texas found it necessary to oppose your office before the Federal Court in Houston in order to protect the honesty of our elections until our new registration law could be put into effect. Without a 30 day stay of the court order abolishing the poll tax in Texas we had no satisfactory way to prevent fraudulent multiple voting by persons presenting themselves to vote under real or fictitious names. I concede, of course, that you had the right to oppose our efforts. However, I found it difficult to understand why Texas had to fight your office for the right to protect the purity of her elections for the next 30 days. As you know, after arguments the Federal Court promptly granted the 30 day stay we needed to allow our citizens to register.

Since your efforts were rebuffed by the Federal Court, however, your assistant, Mr. Stephen Pollak, has on two occasions made long distance calls to my office in which he stated that he had discussed the matter with his superiors (he did not say whether you were one of those with whom he checked) and it had been decided that the lawyers in the Department of Justice felt it

Happy Birthday

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

- MARCH 11**
W. H. Thate
Peggy Jo McIntire
- MARCH 12**
Jimmy Eubank
- MARCH 13**
John David Morris
Raymond Valdez
Mrs. Lura Williamson, San Angelo
- MARCH 14**
Mrs. E. E. McClintok
Mrs. Inez Buse
Earl Irick, Jr.
O. M. Jackson
Sandra (Pricer) Clawson
Doyle Price, Brownwood
- MARCH 15**
Silas Eugene Baker
Clara Jean McClellan
Melvin Lamb
Mrs. Miller Stanford
- MARCH 16**
Wade Jones
- MARCH 17**
Mrs. Ruby Pritchard
Doye Wright

Would you like for your name to be published on your birthday? Or do you know someone with an upcoming birthday? If so, please be sure to let us know about it. Next week, we will publish the names of those having birthdays between March 18 and March 24.

their duty to keep a close watch on voter registration in Texas to be sure our citizens have an adequate chance to register. He requested that my office report to yours on such things as the communications I have with the Texas tax assessor-collectors and to account to you our actions in carrying out the registration law of Texas. It was requested that we report to you whether the tax collectors make their employees work overtime and on weekends, as well as other details.

On Tuesday morning, March 1, Pollak called this office again and said you were asking the FBI to check on Texas to see whether our registration is carried out as you think it should be.

I simply want to state to you that I know of no court order which requires me, as Attorney General of Texas, to report to you for anything Texas does. Quite frankly, we feel our State is capable of handling our internal affairs. Our reports will be made to the Federal Court having jurisdiction over this matter and to no one else unless the Court directs us to do it. You have the same right as any other citizen to see what we file with the Court if the Court desires you to see it. Our State appreciates the confidence the Court has in Texas' ability to see that its citizens are duly protected in their Constitutional rights once those rights are judicially determined.

Your assignment of the FBI to maintain surveillance over the Texas government is an insult to every public official and every citizen of Texas. No citizen of Texas, any more than any citizen of any other proud state, will cover under such misuse of authority. If you have any complaint against Texas, state it in court—don't threaten with the FBI. I would remind you that once before you sent them out over our State to search out any possible instance where Texas had used the poll tax to prevent anyone from voting. You failed—and the Federal Court specifically found that no such discrimination existed in Texas.

Texas will cooperate with you in every reasonable way on this or any other matter, but we will not subject this State to any humiliation resulting from an "overlord" attitude.

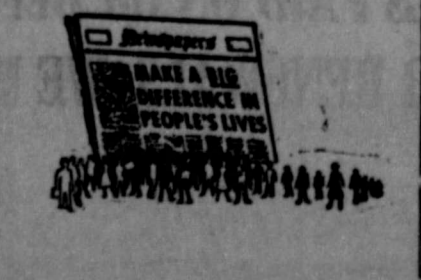
In the meantime, this State will continue to see that each of its citizens has the opportunity to become qualified to vote in our State and local elections. This we are dedicated to accomplish. This we will accomplish.

Yours very truly,
 Waggoner Carr

COURTS DECIDE

State Supreme Court held for the typographical union in requiring the Houston Chronicle and Houston Post to reset in their composing rooms advertisements placed by a local firm through a local advertising agency. Arbitration board held that "national" advertising does not have to be reproduced by the newspapers, but "local" advertising does.

Supreme Court turned down the appeal of Mayor Morris L. Newham, of Ranger, to be included on the Democratic primary ballot as a candidate for District (Eastland, Palo Pinto, Stephens, Callahan and Shackelford Counties). Lower courts held Newham ineligible to run for the Legislature because he's now serving a term in a "lucrative public office." Actually, he draws no pay.



State Capital NEWS

Texas' first big free voter sign-up is underway.

But top state officials still are fighting mad because FBI agents were assigned to keep an eye on registration procedures in selected counties.

"It's an insult to every public official and every citizen of Texas," wrote Texas Attorney General Waggoner Carr in a letter to United States Attorney General Nicholas Katzenbach about the FBI check.

Governor John Connally agreed, and further charged the United States Department of Justice with intentionally "instigating trouble" among stormy state political factions.

A three judge Federal court granted Carr's request for a 30 day stay of its order abolishing the poll tax as a voting requirement. Stay was granted in order to allow time to put the new registration law into effect. Therefore, the old poll tax requirement will apply through most local elections this month.

All indications are the initial 15 day free registration drives are underway in the major counties, with all factions trying to sign up more voters who reflect their own views.

Connally and Carr have called on local tax assessor-collectors, who are voting registrars, to provide as many substations and deputies as necessary and to authorize all the overtime needed to assure the widest possible opportunities for voter qualifications.

This is in keeping with instructions of the Federal court which conceivably could lengthen the 15 day period if it feels all voters who wanted to register were not given sufficient opportunity.

Carr, meanwhile, has appealed the poll tax invalidation order to the United States Supreme Court. However, few feel it will be reversed.

Reversing earlier instructions, the Attorney General said Texans over 60 years of age in cities of 10,000 or more who failed to get exemption certificates before January 31 can still sign up free. Reliable estimates of the number of new voters who will qualify by March 17 have been raised to around 500,000.

CIGARETTE IMPORTS TIGHTENED

State and Federal inspectors are clamping down on imported sales that resulted when the state per-pack tax on cigarettes jumped to 11 cents.

Travelers are being warned that they can bring back no more than two packs of untaxed cigarettes from across the Mexican border.

State Comptroller's agents, Liquor Control Board inspectors, and customs officers are making close checks in an effort to enforce the limit.

Comptroller's figures show the total cigarette tax collected for February as \$8,500,000. This is nearly a \$2,000,000 increase from February, 1965. Actually, however, last month's stamp sales meant 77,778,963 packages of smokes were purchased. This compares with 83,431,387 at the old rate in February, 1965.

Before the last three-cent-a-pack increase, sales sometimes went to more than 100,000,000 a month.

"We're looking at every avenue we can to protect the revenue of the state," commented Albert Brown, head of the excise tax division of the comptroller's office.

TEXAS JOINS COMPACT

Texas will be one of the first states to participate in the interstate Compact for Education, Governor Connally has announced.

Compact aims to strengthen the voice of states in formulation of alternative nationwide educational policies.

Connally has indicated he is making a bid for location of the compact's central office in Texas.

An interstate commission composed of seven representatives from each member state will develop alternatives in educational policies; gather data on enrollments, conduct research, exchange information with other groups, and recommend proposals for financing education.

HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT PLANNED

State Highway Commission initiated plans to make United States Highway 271 a multilane facility from Paris northward to the Red River and the Oklahoma border.

Facility will connect with a multilane highway planned by the state of Oklahoma to extend southward from McAlester to the river.

Among other projects ordered by the commission was completion of a highway loop around the city of Lufkin.

Devil's River Bridge on United States Highway 90, west of Del

Rio, received the American Institute of Steel Construction "Oscar" at a commission meeting here as the best of its class constructed in 1964.

POLICY CHANGES

Writing of general liability and automobile insurance policies will be changed by July 1. But the "average driver" won't be affected.

Big change will be introduction of a "jacket" plan, the agent will insert standard insurance parts, such as fire protection, auto protection, and so forth.

Basically, the change is designed for business enterprises rather than for individuals. Family policies will not be under the "jacket" plan.

Under the new method, "an insured now will be covered by liability for injuries to others arising out of his use as a passenger of a land public conveyance, such as a taxicab or bus."

A second area for increased protection is for "the insured's liability arising out of watercraft powered by outboard motors in excess of 24 horsepower."

Most significant change in the general liability plan as it relates to automobiles and other vehicles is that the policies will be written on a "per occurrence" basis with no additional charge.

SULPHUR LEASE SALE SET

An April lease sale for development of sulphur deposits on West Texas lands owned by the University of Texas was ordered by UT regents.

Regents will notify oil companies doing business on the lands, requesting a list of tracts for sulphur mining. Lease sale will be handled directly by regents.

"Prospects look very good," commented Chairman W. W. Heath.

SHORT SNORTS

Parks and Wildlife Commission, in an unpublicized meeting, added nearly 400 acres to 245 previously designated as Lyndon B. Johnson State Park, near famed LBJ Ranch.

State Securities Commissioner William M. King has taken action to prohibit the sale of securities issued by Atlas-American Oil Corporation, Dallas.

Texas Department of Public Safety is now tied in with a multistate high speed police teletype network to carry information on crime and traffic.

More than 1,000 persons are expected to attend the Governor's Conference on Mental Retardation in Austin, March 17 and 18.

Today's MEDITATION
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Read Romans 5:6-11

Christ died for our sins. (I Corinthians 15:3)

A man was talking about another who had wronged him: "Well he hurt me and I'm going to make him pay! Have we all not been at moments like this man? When someone injures us, our first reaction is to get even.

It hurts God when man spurns His love and ignores His will, but God is forgiving.

Forgiveness means that one is willing to take all of the pain caused by another into his own heart. If I forgive a wrong done to me, it means that I take the hurt without demanding that the offender pay a share, too.

This is what Jesus did on the cross. He took the burden of man's sin into His own heart. "Christ died for our sins."

There is redemptive power in this. If God were only a judge, our guilt would bring us to hate Him for exacting the penalty of justice. But our sin causes Him anguish. We are confronted by this undeserved, suffering love, and are thereby led into repentance and reconciliation.

PRAYER

O God, forgive us for the careless thought that our sin causes pain only to ourselves. Draw us near enough to the cross that we may be aware of the suffering which our sin causes. Your searching love. In Jesus' name. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Does my life bring pain or joy to the infinite God?

—Robert L. Smith
 (Iowa)

SPORTS

Goldthwaite Takes Honors In First Jaycee Invitational Track Meet Here

Before a sparse crowd, limited by cold weather, the finals of the first annual Santa Anna Jaycee Invitational Track Meet were held Saturday night, March 5, in Mountaineer Stadium. The Goldthwaite Eagles took the team championship in the 17 team meet.

Profits from the meet will go into the current Jaycee project of providing a curbing for the track in Mountaineer Stadium.

Goldthwaite took the team honors with 102 points, leading their nearest rivals, Rising Star, by 20 points. In third place was the team from Marble Falls, with 76½ points. Early was in the fourth spot, with 58 points, followed by San Saba, fifth, with 42 points; Lometa, sixth, with 31½ points; Bangs, seventh, with 28 points; Valley Mills, eighth, with 26 points; Eastland, ninth, with 17 points; Hico, tenth, with 12 points; Santa Anna eleventh, with 11 points; and Gorman, twelfth, with 8 points. Teams that were entered from Blanket, DeLeon, Jim Ned, Novice, and Rochelle, failed to break into

the scoring column.

Following are the events with the placings, in order, first through sixth places:

Shotput: Watkins, San Saba; Greenhaw, Valley Mills; Roulett, Goldthwaite; White, Rising Star; Rust, Bangs; Holland, Goldthwaite. Best distance: 47 feet, nine inches.

Broad Jump: Myers, Marble Falls; Newley, Lometa; Fortner, Early; Blankenship, Marble Falls; White, Bangs; Roundtree, Goldthwaite. Best distance: 21 feet two inches.

High Jump: Hollingshead, Goldthwaite; McCoy, Eastland; D. Polk, Hico; B. Polk, Hico; Fisher, Rising Star; Fortner, Early. Best height: five feet eight inches.

Pole Vault: Fortner, Early; McCoy, Eastland; Porter, Lometa; Cox, Valley Mills; (tie for sixth) Stanford, Marble Falls, and Whitehead, Lometa. Best height: 10 feet 10 inches.

Discus: Watkins, San Saba; Shelton, Lometa; Butler, Rising Star; Sanderson, San Saba; White, Rising Star; Wadsworth, Bangs. Best distance: 134 feet six inches.

440 Yard Relay: Goldthwaite, Rising Star, Marble Falls, Valley Mills, San Saba, Bangs. Best time: 44.6 seconds.

880 Yard Run: Davis, Early; Williams, Gorman; Costa, Early; Wilson, Eastland; Mullin, Bangs; Thurman, Marble Falls. Best time: 2:04.1.

120 Yard High Hurdles: Hollingshead, Goldthwaite; Myers, Marble Falls; Pickens, Valley Mills; Porter, Lometa; Polk, Hico; McCoy, Eastland. Best time: 17.1 seconds.

100 Yard Dash: Blackburn, Goldthwaite; Warlick, Goldthwaite; Burns, Rising Star; Makuta, Santa Anna; Blankenship, Marble Falls; Blanton, Santa Anna. Best time: 10.5 seconds.

440 Yard Run: Keeney, San Saba; Carter, Rising Star; Joost, Marble Falls; Ramsey, Bangs; White, Early; Hallford, Bangs. Best time: 53.0 seconds.

180 Yard Low Hurdles: Clark, Rising Star; Horton, Bangs; Moore, Goldthwaite; Burns, Rising Star; Evans, Santa Anna; Deeds, Early. Best time: 22.7 seconds.

220 Yard Dash: Myers, Marble Falls; Warlick, Goldthwaite; Roundtree, Goldthwaite; Little, San Saba; Shelton, Lometa; Sharp, Early. Best time: 23.6 seconds.

1 Mile Run: Ezzell, Rising Star; Harland, Marble Falls; Hazard, Marble Falls; Strader, Eastland; Hunt, Rising Star; Levisay, Early. Best time: 5:00.3.

1 Mile Relay: Early, Goldthwaite, Rising Star, Bangs, Santa Anna, Lometa. Best time: 3:35.3.

J. T. Oakes and Mrs. J. W. McClellan were in Robert Lee Sunday night to visit Mr. and Mrs. Otte Wojtek.

son, Mr. and Mrs. George Eper-son, of Coleman, visited O. F. Epperson.

Mrs. O. F. Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. L. Walthall of Lubbock, his

Bobby Fuller, of Santa Anna, mailed each resident at the Inn a Valentine and presented the staff with a box of candy.

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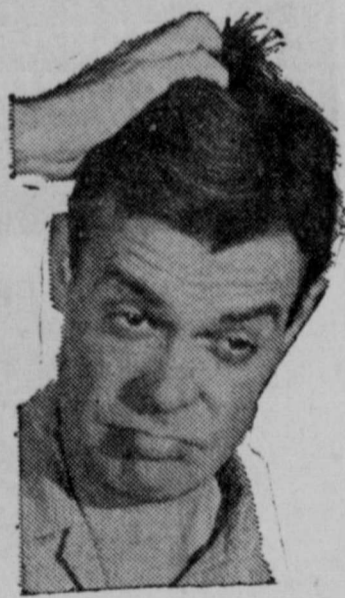


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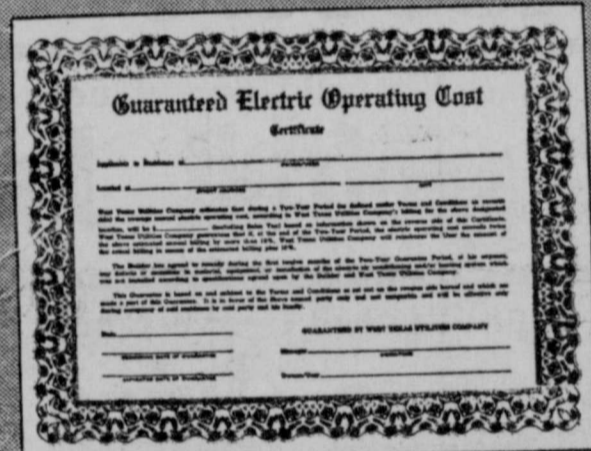
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Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheffield and boys, of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Allen and Elizabeth Ann, of Santa Anna, Mrs. Eugene Dyer and Keith, and Kay Hollingsworth, of Coeman.

Mrs. Carl Buttry visited her mother, Mrs. Lee McMillan, in Santa Anna, Sunday, and they visited in Coeman with Mrs. Bob Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McMillan, and Mrs. Clifton Straughn. Mrs. Buttry also visited with N. J. Buttry.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nixon, of Valera, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes and family Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Orville Slate, of Gouldbusk, were Sunday visitors.

The Rev. Billy McIntire preached at the Baptist Church at the Sunday morning worship service. The Rev. Donnie Melton preached at the evening service. The Rev. and Mrs. Melton were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brushenhan and family.

Mrs. Bill Rehm went to Fort Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Rolan Deal and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hellman have been informed of the death of a niece, Mrs. Jessie Mae Stevens, of Muncie, Indiana. Mrs. Stevens was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hellman, and lived at Rockwood as a child. Burial was at Muncie, Indiana, Saturday, February 26.

Dorinda Densman, of Santa Anna spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper, David, and Ronnie. Mrs. Densman came for her and visited Saturday.

Recent callers with Mrs. Kate McIlvain have been Mrs. Goldie Milberger, Bernice Johnson, Mrs. Jake McCreary, Leslie, and Sharon.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church will hold regular social Monday, March 7, at 2:30 p.m. at the Community Center. Mrs. Johnnie Steward and Mrs. A. L. King will be March hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King visited in Coeman Monday and Sammie Stewardson came to spend the week with them.

Mrs. Sam Estes visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. A. L. Crutcher.

Bernice Johnson visited last Friday with Lena Boyd, of Santa Anna.

Mrs. Cecil Day and Shawn, of Coeman, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes and Geneva Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Estes, of Houston, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Drury Estes.

Mrs. Drury Estes and Mrs. Clinton Estes visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. M. D. Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes, Douglas, and Mike, of San Antonio, spent the weekend at their home here.

Mrs. Lee McMillan, of Santa Anna, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jackson, of Bangs visited last Tuesday with Mrs. C. H. McCarrell, Mrs. Goldie Milberger, and Harold McCarrell. Sunday guests in the McCarrell home were Mrs. J. I. Buford, Mickey, and Junior, and Mrs. Sealy Bryan and children, of Coeman and Mrs. John Hunter. Boss Estes visited Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes spent Friday at Valera with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nixon, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Alexander, of San Angelo, spent Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Day and children, of Santa Anna, visited Monday. Mrs. M. D. Bryan visited Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bryan.

Mrs. Alton Davis, of Snyder, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper. Sissy Steward was a dinner guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, Bernice Johnson, and Mrs. John Hunter were Sunday callers with Mr. and Mrs. Fox Johnson. Other recent visitors were Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson, of Coeman, and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Eppler.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith and children, of Tyler, and Wade Rehm, of College Station, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rehm.

Kelly Black, of Fort Worth, spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Wise. They, with Mrs. Joe Riley took her home and visited over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith and children, of Houston, were also guests.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King and their guest, Sammie Stewardson, of Coeman, visited Wednesday

evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Stewardson. Mrs. Georgia Hill, of Houston, and Mrs. Annie Rothermel, of Fort Worth, visited in the King home Thursday and Miss Stewardson accompanied them to Coeman.

S. H. Estes and son, Kelly, of Sweetwater, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Estes. Mrs. A. L. Crutcher was a caller.

Mrs. Pete Cullum and Mrs. Ted McCarthy, of Dallas, returned home Friday after visiting with Mrs. R. L. Steward and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell.

The Rev. Donnie Melton, pastor, spoke of "A Converted People Admit a Confused World," at the Sunday morning worship hour at the Baptist Church. Mrs. Melton talked at the evening service of "Panama, the Land Between." She will continue the study on Panama next Sunday evening; showing slides.

Mrs. Bill Rehm was at Fort Stockton last week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Rolan Deal and family, and meeting the new grandson, Ronald Earl.

Boss Estes visited with Mr. Buttry Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Johnson, Mrs. Carl Buttry, and Mrs. Lee McMillan were afternoon visitors. Mrs. Rehm and Mrs. Buttry took Mrs. McMillan to Santa Anna in the afternoon and visited at the Ranger Park Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter were at Waldrip last Wednesday evening to help celebrate Randy's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hunter, of Valley Mills, spent Friday to Sunday with his parents. They all visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter and Jimmy, in Coeman. Other Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Taft Morris and Myrna, of Midland and Mr. Tommy Briscoe and Randy.

Boss Estes, Douglas, Mike, and Gordon visited with Mr. and Mrs. Drury Estes Saturday. Mrs. Dee Mankins, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hodges, of Coeman, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Alexander, of San Angelo visited Sunday.

Sunday callers with Mrs. R. L. Steward and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steward were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell, the Rev. and Mrs. Donnie Melton, and Mrs. John Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steward will leave Friday to make their home in Huntsville. Mr. Steward retired from the Army, November 30, 1965, after 24 years in the service, with the rank of Colonel. Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Moore, of Brady, visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Rosa Belle Hellman.

Home Demonstration Clubs At Meeting

A planning meeting for district 7 of the Texas Home Development Association was held on Tuesday, March 8, at the courthouse in Johnson City.

Training included plans for the district 7 meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association, to be held at the Starlite Inn, in Abilene, on Saturday, May 3. Three workshops will be planned for the district meeting—safety, citizenship, and 4-H Clubs. Coeman County will assist with the workshop on 4-H Clubs.

Coffee was served in the jury room. The noon meal was served in the kitchen of the Pedernales Electric Cooperative.

Following the Meeting a tour was made of President Lyndon Johnson's boyhood home—Johnson City.

Those attending from Coeman County included Mrs. A. S. Tisdale, County THDA chairman; Mrs. Ivan Hill, council chairman; Mrs. Clyde Larence, council treasurer; Mrs. Raymond McElrath, district 7 messenger chairman; Mrs. R. C. Sparks, member of state THDA committee on 4-H; Mrs. Bessie Parker, County Home Demonstration Agent; and Doris Froehling, Assistant County Home Demonstration Agent.

Volunteer Firemen To Hold Public Meetings

The Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department invites everyone to attend a series of meetings that will be presented on "Basic Fire Fighting".

The instructor is W. B. Dorman, of the Fireman's Training School, at College Station.

The meeting dates of classes are: March 11, 18, and 25, and April 1. This is on Friday nights at 7:00 p.m.

The boys of the Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department want to thank everyone that has become an associate member. This money will help us to enlarge our facilities that we may serve you better.

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