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Column

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By Johnny Valentine

The man on the street says that obstacles are those frightful things you see when you take your eyes off the goal.

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"Grow old along with me—the best is yet to be." Vanderbilt at 80 added more than a hundred million to his fortune. Wadsworth earned the Daureateship at 73. Thiers at 73 established the French Republic and became the first president. Verdi wrote "Falstaff" at 80. Gladstone became Premier of England for the fourth time at 83. Stradivari made his first violin after 60. And Sir Walter Scott was \$600,000 in debt at 55, but through his own efforts paid this amount in full, and built a lasting name for himself.

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President Johnson reminded some ladies, who were agitated over women's rights, of Dr. Samuel Johnson's quotation: "Nature has given women so much power that the law very wisely has given them little."

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Two men were discussing taxes and the government's use of money. Just then a school bus passed. "See what I mean?" exclaimed one. "When I was a boy we walked three miles to school and three miles home each day. Now we spend \$5,000 for a bus to pick up the children so they don't have to walk. Then we spend \$50,000 for a gymnasium so they can get exercise."

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Coleman will have their First Annual Rattlesnake Round-Up on March 29-30-31. The show will be sponsored by the Coleman County Farm Bureau. Not only will there be snake hunters but a Wildcat Show will be featured also at the National Guard Armory on the same three days.

Get ready to go out and enjoy the excitement of the round-up. If you have never been to one of these shows, it is an experience that you don't want to miss. The News will carry complete details of the round-up next week.

All-District 9-A Basketball Teams Are Selected by District Coaches

The 9-A All-District Basketball Teams have been selected by the District Coaches for the 1967-68 season. Two girls were selected from Santa Anna High School. Vicki Neff was selected as all-district Forward and Willie Lee Terrell was selected as all-district guard. Honorable mention for the Santa Anna team was Sue Kingsberry.

Two boys were selected to the all-district team from Santa Anna. Bob Rutherford was picked for the first team and Larry Williams was all-district second team.

The following is a complete list of the all-district 9-A basketball teams:

GIRLS

Forwards: Vicki Neff, Santa Anna; Bess Lee, Rising Star; Valeta Edington, Cross Plains; Colleen White, Rising Star.

Guards: Willie Lee Terrell, Santa Anna; Jly Calloway, Rising Star; Peggy Purvis, Cross Plains; Sandra Linney, Rising Star.

Honorable Mention Forwards: Barbara Renfro, Cross Plains; Debbie Medley, Rising Star.

Honorable Mention Guards: Sue Kingsberry, Santa Anna; Sue Walker, Cross Plains.

BOYS

First String: Bob Rutherford, Santa Anna; Dalton

Hughes, Rising Star; Joey Grissom, Early; Mike Conradt, Goldthwaite; Mike Bright, Cross Plains.

Second String: Larry Williams, Santa Anna; James Gerhardt, Rising Star; Ronnie Aldridge, Goldthwaite; Lynn Berry, Goldthwaite; Jerry Strickland of Cross Plains.

Hospital Patients

March 10 through March 16, 1968.

Admissions:

Mrs. Juan Trevino, Doole; Mrs. Lera Henniger, Winters

Coleman Shelley, Coleman; Miss Joy Smith, Winters; August Powe, Talpa; E. A. Menges, city; Mrs. Alton Lancaster, Brownwood

Percy Stewart, city; Mrs. Leo Bradley, city; Pete Diaz, city

Mrs. James Vandever, Coleman

Mrs. A. H. Dean, Bangs.

Dismissals:

Andrew N. Cummings, Coleman (deceased)

Mrs. Dora Vanderford, city; Ab Hedley, Coleman

Pedro Ramirez, Coleman; Karl Van Dyke, Brady

Mrs. Floyd Gilbreath, San Antonio

Mrs. Juan Trevino and baby, Doole

Mrs. Lera Henniger, Winters

Miss Joy Smith, Winters; August Powe, Talpa; E. A. Menges, city

Mrs. Alton Lancaster, Brownwood.

Births:

Rosie Trevino was born on March 10 to Mr. and Mrs. Juan Trevino of Doole. She weighed in at 6 lbs., 8 ozs., and arrived at 5:15 a. m.

Local Families Visit Bahamas

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bowker and children and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Griffin left Friday by car for Florida. Went by boat to the Bahama Islands Tuesday. They will spend two days on the islands before returning to Florida and home. Mr. Bowker won the trip on a Purina Feed selling project.

PERSONALS

Fred Oakes of Dallas spent the weekend with his sisters, Lampasas and with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClellan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walker of Colorado City visited Mrs. Gwendolyn Walker Friday and all of them spent the weekend in Fort Worth with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith spent Tuesday and Wednesday of last week in Austin with their son, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce went to San Antonio Monday to be at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. C. P. Bruce, 93, who is seriously ill, suffering from a broken hip.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland McCarrell, Larry and Carolyn Faye of Brady and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wilcoxon visited on Sunday with Mrs. A. E. McCarrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Walters spent Tuesday night in Robert Lee with her sister, Mrs. Otto Wojtek.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Smith and girls of Austin spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith. Other recent visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith and boys of Tyler.

Carlton Watson, a student in McMurry College in Abilene, was with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Watson, for the weekend.



NEW CHAMBER OFFICERS—New officers were elected to the Community Chamber of Commerce at a meeting of the directors. Elected as President of the Chamber was John McDaniel, center, Manager of West Texas Utilities in Santa Anna. Joe Riley, left, was elected to the 1st vice president's post, and W. F. Barnes was re-elected secretary.

New Officers Are Elected To Community Chamber of Commerce

Ballots were sent out by the Community Chamber of Commerce to members of the organization for the purpose of electing five new directors.

New directors elected to the organization were Oscar Cheaney, Santa Anna National Bank; Thomas Wristen, Coleman County Telephone Co-op.; Pierre Rowe, Santa Anna Co-op. Gin; Jake McCreary and Tom Kingsberry.

Hold-over Directors in the Chamber Organization are: Roy Horne, Santa Anna Tile Company; John, McDaniel, West Texas Utilities; Joe Riley, Joe's Pharmacy; Cullen

Easter Seal Society Offers Variety Of Services To Disabled Citizens

The Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas offers a variety of services to the physically disabled citizens of Coleman County, according to Amon Johnston, the Easter Seal representative for the county.

"The Texas Easter Seal Society can provide services to people and families who cannot afford to pay all or part of the cost involved. We can assist in paying for physical, occupational, speech and hearing therapy when it is prescribed by a medical doctor," he said.

"Should a family or individual have to travel to another town for therapy we can help defray traveling expenses when the family is unable to meet them."

"We can also provide assistance to individuals and families in purchasing orthopedic equipment such as wheelchairs, walkers, crutches or braces when prescribed by a medical doctor."

"We can provide help to

Only 4 Eligibles in County Have Not Made Medicare Decision

As of March 15, only four previously unenrolled persons past 65 in Coleman County have not sent in a written decision on the medical insurance part of Medicare, according to Don Austin field representative.

Austin reminds readers of the Santa Anna News that anyone born before 1903 who has not already enrolled for that part of Medicare has until April 1, 1968 to do so. He urges each reader to

SINGING CONVENTION TO HOLD MEETING

McCulloch County Singing Convention will meet at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the Gospel Tabernacle, located on East Pearl Street in Brady.

Everyone is invited.

Master Masons Night Observed By Local Chapter

Master Masons night was observed by Santa Anna chapter 247, Order of Eastern Star, Monday night, March 18.

A salad supper was served to the Mountain City Lodge 118, at 6 p. m., their wives and visitors, in the fellowship hall at the Masonic building. The supper was served buffet style from table laid with white cutwork cloth, centered with an arrangement of blue flowers. Red roses and red hurricane candles were used on tables.

The chapter held its regular meeting at 7:30 p. m., with Mrs. Henry Newman, worthy matron and Jack Bostick, worthy patron presiding.



Jesse Williams

Jesse Williams Seeking Job As Commissioner

To the voters and residents of Precinct Two:

I would like to serve you as Commissioner. A desire I have had for many years. I am making the race of my own free choice, and would give full consideration to the problems of each person in the precinct.

I have been a candidate for this office before and received very good support. I have had much encouragement and moral support from my many friends. I am very thankful for what they are doing.

If elected I will do my very best.

I am 49 years old, married and we have five sons. Donald is married and has a son and daughter. They are living in this community and are stock farming. Leland is married and will receive his degree in May from A & M. Gary is a sophomore at Angelo State College.

Larry is a senior and Danny a sophomore at Santa Anna High School. All have received their Grammar and High School education at Santa Anna. I graduated from Santa Anna High School wit the class of 1935.

I have served on the school board of the Santa Anna Independent School District for two years.

This has been an enlightening experience. I feel that I am qualified to handle this office and would do the best I could with available finances. I would not be in favor of new taxes. I would work with the commissioners court in every way possible to promote better business for our towns and communities.

There should be something done to encourage our young people to stay in the precinct and county.

I have worked most of my life with farm and industrial machinery, large and small. I have worked with rock crushers and road work.

I know that good materials, proper ditch drainage and proper road grading are a must in maintaining good roads. Better drainage solutions should be worked out for road crossings, below government dams.

If elected to this office, I will devote whatever time is necessary to fulfill the obligations to the people, and serve you in an honest and businesslike manner.

I would like to take this opportunity to ask each and every one of you for your vote and influence in the Democratic Primary in May. I will do my very best to contact each of you before then.

Your vote and influence will be appreciated. Thank you, Jesse Williams.

Mrs. C. W. Woodruff and Mrs. J. F. Fanning of Comanche visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hunter.

WMS Meet At Rockwood Baptist Church

The Woman's Missionary Society met at the Rockwood Baptist Church on Monday afternoon under the direction of Mrs. F. E. McCreary. Mrs. Bill Bryan gave the devotional.

Participating were Mrs. Lon Gray, Mrs. Henry Smith, Mrs. Goldie Milberger, Mrs. McCreary, Mrs. Bryan, and Mrs. R. J. Deal.

Mrs. Frank Turner returned home Saturday after several months with her daughter, Mrs. Dodson Garrett and family, in El Paso. Mrs. Garrett accompanied her home.

R. L. Bertrand of Houston visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bertrand during the weekend. His father was admitted to the Santa Anna hospital Monday.



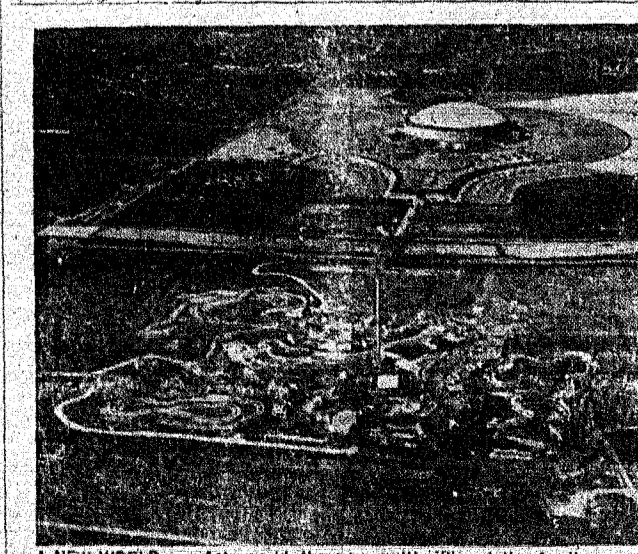
Bro. Doyce Whitten

REVIVAL AT NORTHSIDE BAPTIST IN PROGRESS

Revival at the Northside Baptist Church has gotten off to a good start. The attendance has been much better than we had expected. Bro. Doyce Whitten, from Canyon, Texas is our evangelist.

The Revival will continue each night through Saturday night. Bro. Whitten will also be with us in each of the Sunday services.

The Northside Baptist will hold services at the Ranger Park Inn at 3 p. m. Sunday. Bro. Whitten will be the guest speaker in this service.



A NEW WORLD... AstroWorld, the new multimillion dollar family amusement and entertainment center just south of the Astrodome in Houston will open Saturday, June 1st, featuring 17 rides and scores of other attractions. AstroWorld will have more than 2,400 tons of air conditioning in order to make it more comfortable for guests.



DISCOVER AMERICA, nationwide program to promote tourism within U. S., and its tie-in with HemisFair '68, Texas World Fair, planned in San Antonio, is discussed by Georges Hanzi, President, Gulf-Mart, department store chain in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, and Raymond Burr, star of new television series "Ironside." Hanzi has voluntarily toured the country several times on behalf of Discover America and HemisFair '68. He visited Burr on "Ironside" set at Universal City Studios in Hollywood, presenting him with HemisFair plaque, on wall behind them.



Austin, Texas.—All those candidates for governor got a hefty bit of pressure off them when both the state Democratic and Republican executive committees decided to put the question of liquor-by-the-drink on the May 4 ballot.

With increasing concern over liquor law enforcement and the Texas Liquor Control Board, coupled with Gov. John Connally's push for the liquor-by-the-drink, gubernatorial candidates have been pressured hard for their stand on the issue.

Now, with the question being put to the voters in a referendum, all the candidates have to say is that they will abide by the wishes of the voters.

Weah McCulloch, Mgr.

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Also on the ballot as referendums will be the question of pari-mutuel horse race betting and the creation of a Texas Dairy Commission with the power to regulate and fix the price of milk and other dairy products.

Although none of the voters' answers to the three questions will be binding, the issues do assure a high turnout of the more than 4,000,000 registered voters. It will take an act of the Legislature to put any of them in effect. Ballots will merely say: "This proposition is only an expression of public opinion and has no force or effect as law."

The legislature directed the first primary vote on local option pari-mutuel gambling. Petitions signed by 119,000 voters called for voter opinion on creating a Texas Dairy Commission with power to regulate milk prices.

Both party leaders decided the liquor by the drink issue is not enough to warrant a check on that, too. This referendum will be the first opportunity Texas voters have

had to express their opinions statewide since the repeal of prohibition in the 1930s.

Campaigns already are shaping up on the high-voltage drinking and gambling issues. Opponents of a dairy commission also are organized for battle. Anti-Crime Council of Texas has formed to combat organized crime and defeat the racing proposition. Committee for Tourism and Regulated Sale of Mixed Drinks stands ready to get back into action. Dry spokesmen report they have organized to fight liquor by the drink. Texas Racing Association is ready with a campaign for a wagering proposal.

Meanwhile, the House committee studying liquor laws has asked for an attorney general's opinion on constitutionality of a mixed drink local option bill.

PARKS IMPROVED

While finishing touches were applied to the \$1,000,000 renovation of Davis Mountains State Scenic Park near Ft. Davis, new federal grants were approved for four other state parks.

Federal funds of \$104,150 matched by a state appropriation of like amount will finance a 498-acre park 14 miles southwest of Cleburne.

Federal funds of \$28,500, also matched by legislative appropriation, is earmarked for Mission San Francisco del Los Tejas Historic Park northwest of Crockett, a 118-acre historic park in the Piney Woods.

Lake Brownwood State Recreation Park near Brownwood will get \$117,150 federal money matched by the state for its 538-acre park.

Another federal grant of \$99,990, matched by state funds, will create the 588-acre Bentson-Rio Grande Valley State Scenic Park near Mission.

Dedication tentatively is set for March 23 of the Davis Mountains Park. Also slated for dedication by Governor Connally that same day at the Park is scenic Texas Mountain Trail, one of ten unveiled by Connally last January to lure tourists off the beaten path into Texas areas of outstanding beauty.

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SCREW WORM CASES CUT

Texas' screw worm eradication program cut reported cases of infection from 49,484 in 1962 to 1,219 in 1967. So reports Auditor C. H. Cavness in his audit of the Animal Health Commission.

The Commission's share of the program has been turned over to the federal government except for security supervision of Rio Grande Valley screw worm fly production plant and the required inspection force.

COURTS SPEAK

The State won its \$1,000 civil penalty suit against a Bellville Contractor under a water permit law. The road builder was first permanently enjoined from using public waters without permit from the Texas Water Rights Commission.

The State Supreme Court denied rehearing of decision that Hillsboro cannot enforce a peddlers and vendors ordinance against an insurance company.

The Court of Criminal Appeals upheld a six-year probation sentence for a Houston lawyer who encouraged his client to lie on the witness stand.

The same court ordered a new trial for the man who received the death penalty for the shooting death of a potato chip salesman in Chambers County.

APPOINTMENTS

John Stokes of Lufkin is the new executive director and special counsel for the Republican Party of Texas. He succeeds Al Allison of Dallas who resigned to accept a private business offer.

John Hill a gubernatorial candidate named Rep. Bob Armstrong of Austin as executive director of his statewide campaign.

Governor Connally appointed A. E. Fawcett, Jr. of Houston and R. F. Byers of Dallas to the Texas Water Well Drillers Board.

House Speaker Ben Barnes has appointed Rep. Delwin Jones of Lubbock as the chairman of the House Interim Committee to study egg importation and grading.

WALTER J. Harding will direct activities of the new Association of Texas Fire and Casualty Insurance Companies.

John Peace of San Antonio, a member of the Board of Regents of the University of Texas System, has been appointed by Chairman Frank C. Erwin Jr. as a member of the Board for Lease of University Lands.

MORATORIUM ASKED

The Texas Animal Health Commission has joined the Texas Farm Bureau and the Texas Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association in asking the U. S. Department of Agriculture to delay a proposed new regulation prohibit-

ing interstate shipment of cattle from counties not certified for brucellosis control.

Under the proposed regulation, cattle in uncertified counties could be sold for consumption only in Texas, unless the cattleman has his herd qualified himself, which involves personal expense.

Ninety-five Texas counties are not certified, and one AHC official estimates that three years will be required for compliance. As the regulation now reads, it will go into effect sometime between May 1 and January 1, 1969.

The USDA regulation is being sought by those states which are completely certified and do not want infected cattle being shipped in

Claude Baker Completes Basic

Pfc. Claude James Baker spent two weeks with his mother, Mrs. Sylvia Edwards. He has completed his basic training at Fort Polk, La., and will be stationed at Oakland Army Base before going to Viet Nam for a tour of duty. Pvt. Baker is 20 years old and a graduate of Santa Anna High School.

TAX MAN SAM SEZ:

Even though April 15 is almost at hand, as taxpayers we have only reached the half-way point. About half of us have filed our income tax returns — a few of us have spent our refund check, but at least half of us are still looking for those records we did not keep during 1967. There is no better time than right now—get out those records and get that tax return ready.

(P. S. Don't forget to keep records for 1968.)

Mr. and Mrs. Baurice Barnes of Waco and Bonner Barnes of Bryan visited Saturday and Sunday with Mayor and Mrs. Ford Barnes and with Mrs. John Poole and other relatives.

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from states not so certified.

Short Snorts

The City of Abilene has received permission from the Texas Water Rights Commission to divert water from the Brazos River's Clear Fork as long as flow in the Fork is not reduced to less than 200 cubic feet per second.

Rio Grande Valley cotton farmers have been given a 13-day planting extension (until April 13) because excessive rains and low soil temperatures have made planting impractical under the old schedule, says Agriculture Commission John C. White.

State Rep. Dave Allred of Wichita Falls, who is unopposed for re-election, has taken a leave of absence from the Wichita Falls Record-News and Times to handle press relations for Mr. Dolph Briscoe in his campaign for governor.

Rep. Bill Clayton of Spring Lake, chairman of the House Interim Water Study Committee, sustained a heart attack in Austin after attending a meeting of the special House subcommittee on liquor-law revision.

Attorney General Martin in a new opinion has held that the highest ranking officers eligible for Texas National Guard Army Board membership are Brig. Gen. D. A. Thompson, Col. Lewis E. Bracy, Jr., and Col. Charles A. Francis.

State Securities Board has

blocked dealer sales of securities of Eastridge Park Baptist Church of Mesquite.

The Texas Railroad Commission met May 7 for hearing on current market price for gas used for light and fuel in the Panhandle.

Judge Sherman G. Finesilver of Denver Colo., who has worked with the Colorado Commission on Aging, specializing in pedestrian safety and home safety problems confronting older persons, addressed the annual meeting in Austin of the Governor's Committee on Aging.

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**NEWS FROM
RANGER PARK INN . . .**

Vallene Mills, Mabel Gray and Pearl Wilson have visited Cora Lewis.

Mrs. Olga Burgos put a new display on the bulletin board on Thursday, while she was at the Inn for volunteer work.

Mrs. Kathy Qualls showed movies on Monday night. One was on Alaska and one on the Smokey Mountains.

Mrs. Charlotte Vandevere, office employee, has been in the hospital the past week. All will be looking forward

Vote for Everett J. (Ebb) GRINDSTAFF for State Representative
(Paid pol. adv.)

to her return to the Inn.

The Concho Baptist Church of Coleman was in charge of the Sunday afternoon services. Mr. Hall led the singing and a number of the members attended and assisted with the music.

Rev. Parnell, pastor of the Northside Baptist Church in Santa Anna will be in charge of the 3 p. m. service Sunday, March 24.

Mrs. Rebecca Platner attended church at the Seventh Day Adventist Church.

Mrs. Minnie Lane and Mrs. Sam Moore attended church March 17, at the Southside Church of Christ.

Mrs. Lillie Archer's visitors last week were Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Curry of Kilgore, her brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Parks of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gartman of Colorado City, Mrs. Keetie Haynes, Mrs. A. L. King, her son, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Archer and Mrs. W. F. Scarborough

of Robert Lee, Mrs. McCullough, George Stewardson, Reta Rendon and her sister. Miss Ann Stiles, the Hosch family and Mrs. P. B. Snook all sent flowers for the open house held Thursday.

Joe's Pharmacy and Phillip Drug sent corsages and buttonnieres for the oldest guest and the six charter residents.

Mrs. Alfred Williams visited her sister, Mrs. Cassie Stiles.

Mrs. H. L. Zachary and Mrs. V. I. Dean visited with friends at the Inn.

Arthur Brandon of Stephenville, Mrs. Elton McDonald and Mrs. Richard Horner visited their mother and grandmother. Mrs. Horner also visited her mother-in-law, Mrs. J. J. Horner.

Visitors of Mrs. Lula Harvey have been her daughter, Mrs. Mabel Burrage, her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Harvey of Roby, her granddaughter, Mrs. Elgean Harris and children.

Mrs. Curtis Price of Abilene visited her mother, Mrs. Winnie Tucker.

Mrs. E. R. Parks and Mrs. John Hunter signed the guest book.

Mrs. Frances Adams and Miss Ruby Valentine attended the open house Thursday and visited their sister, Mrs. Jesse Brown.

John M. Fox visited his father.

Mrs. Joe Baker, Mrs. Blanche Grantham, Mrs. P. M. Rice and Mrs. Cliff Herndon attended open house with Mrs. Ella Stiles.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson of Coleman visited at the Inn.

Charlie Smith's son was in to visit him.

Hubert Smith visited his parents, the Turney Smiths.

Mr. and Mrs. George Simon's daughter from Andrews visited them Sunday.

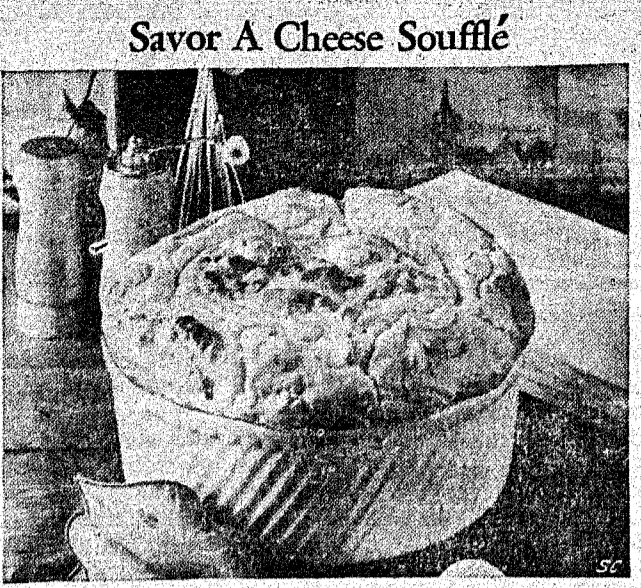
Mr. Down's son and daughter visited him at the Inn.

P. G. Payne, Mrs. Nora Saunders, Miss E. Lee Harper were some of those attending open house.

Drury Estes visited his wife Sunday.

James and Jana Eubanks, O. C. Barker and Mrs. Dick Baugh were visitors at the Inn.

A. D. Hedley was out for



From the Borden Kitchen comes this foolproof recipe (gentle folding's the secret) for a splendid American cheese soufflé.

Cheese Soufflé
(Makes 1-1/2 qt. soufflé)

1/4 cup Danish margarine or butter	Dash cayenne
1/4 cup flour	Dash pepper
1 cup homogenized milk	2 cups shredded Borden's Cheese Spread
1/2 teaspoon salt	4 eggs, separated
1/4 teaspoon dry mustard	1/4 teaspoon cream of tartar

In a medium-size saucepan, melt margarine over low heat. Slowly blend in flour. Gradually add milk; stir continuously until mixture is thick and begins to boil. Blend in seasonings and shredded cheese. Continue to stir over low heat until cheese melts. Remove from heat; set aside. In a small mixing bowl, beat egg yolks to a light lemon color. Gradually stir a little of the hot cheese sauce into beaten yolks. Blend into remaining cheese sauce. In a narrow-bottom mixing bowl, combine egg whites and cream of tartar. With a rotary beater, beat until soft peaks form. Gently fold cheese sauce into egg whites until evenly blended. Turn into an ungreased 1-1/2 quart casserole. With a spatula, slice a deep ring around the edge of batter, about one-inch from sides of dish. Do not touch sides or bottom of dish. Set in a 1 inch hot water bath. Bake in a moderate (350°F.) oven 20 minutes. Remove from oven; quickly re-slice the ring into the top of soufflé. Return to oven; bake 30-35 minutes longer, or until golden brown. Serve immediately.

Ranger Park Inn Celebrates 3rd Anniversary

Ranger Park Inn celebrated its Third Anniversary on Thursday, March 14, from 5 to 7 p. m. with Mrs. Elton McDonald and Mrs. Pat Hosch serving as hostesses.

The Santa Anna Volunteer Fireman's Auxiliary served refreshments of hand decorated cookies with tiny yellow roses in center and punch from a table laid with gold cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow mums.

Mrs. Edd Hartman, Mrs. Freddie Dodson, Mrs. Stanley Hartman, Mrs. Ray Owens and Mrs. Lee Ray Huggins served at the table.

A musical number was given by Jo Ann and Virginia Petry, music by the John Loyds, music by Mrs. Herman Burgos and the Santa Anna Mountaineer Band under the direction of Jasper Storks.

The oldest guest, Mr. James Baird, was recognized, Mr. Fox, who was admitted to the Inn shortly after the opening was honored. The six charter residents were

recognized, they were Mrs. Eula Burris, Mrs. Ella Stiles, Miss Bellinda Mystal, Mrs. Hulda Johnson and Edd Spender, and Mrs. Lydia Weardon.

Mrs. Esther Davis had recent visitors from San Antonio. They were her daughter, Mrs. Stewart King, her granddaughter, Mrs. Carol Summers and great granddaughter Kathy Summers; Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobs, of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Lefty Wenzel of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horne visited last week in Waco with his sisters, Misses Olga and Dora Horne and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stanford. Mrs. Horne remained with her parents while Mr. Horne went to Austin, Houston, San Antonio and Corpus Christi on business.

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Mr. Miller's wife visited him.

O. B. Yancy visited friends.

Mrs. Eula Stafford returned to the Inn after a few days visit with her mother.

Mrs. Arthur King visited her husband.

The Preslar's daughter and granddaughter were at the Inn to visit, also Mr. Dodson's daughter.

The Pantler's daughter, Mrs. Morris, came for a visit.

Mrs. C. E. Flint visited Mrs. Eula Burris, her sister.

The John Loyd family visited and presented special music for the residents.

the day Sunday. Also Mrs. W. A. Brandon, Mrs. U. S. Brannon and Mrs. Ben Herring.

A. D. Hedley of Coleman is new resident.

Santigo Fernandez was out for the day Sunday. Also Mrs. W. A. Brandon, Mrs. U. S. Brannon and Mrs. Ben Herring.

Mrs. G. S. Fitzpatrick, Verna Newman, Lucille Wyllie, Sally Snook, Modora Gilmore, Elder Petry, Earl Ray, Pat Hosch, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Peterson, Rev. J. L. Johnson, Rev. D. C. McNeal signed the guest book.

Kate Holmes and Ann B. F. Mitchell visited his

Mr. and Mrs. Preslar's children visited.

Mrs. C. E. Flint sent a wall hanging calendar for all to enjoy throughout the year.

Mrs. Vernon Herring furnished the gold table cloth and punch bowl for open house. All the courtesies extended to residents at their open house are appreciated.

Mrs. Eula Burris celebrated her birthday March 18, also Mrs. Eula Stafford and Mrs. Joe Richardson on the 19th of March. Mrs. Folk will have a birthday March 24.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Monroe and Mrs. Jean-Bowman visited last weekend in Temple with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Francis. Mrs. Inetta Williams of Bangs and Mrs. Mae Taylor visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kelley and her brother, John Hunter spent from Wednesday to Monday in Dallas, visiting with Miss Doris Belle Turner and Julian Kelley.

Mrs. Ora Hunter spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. David Hunter and family in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horn are expecting Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Horne and daughters of Boulder, Colo., Bill Horne of the University of Arkansas and Jane Horne from Kansas City, Mo., to visit them Saturday.

Mrs. Edd Bartlett returned home Saturday. She had visited with her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Albright, in Baton Rouge, La., since December. Mrs. Albright brought her home returning to Baton Rouge Sunday. They spent Friday night in Waco enroute home.


Mrs. C. D. Bruce was in Killeen Saturday to attend the wedding of her great-niece, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Hobart Rowley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mobley and Margaret Ann visited S-Sgt. and Mrs. Jackie Mobley in Wichita Falls Sunday. Mrs. Carmen Donham accompanied them, visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lewis.

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Rockwood News

By Mrs. John C. Hunter

Postmaster Terrell Greaves will speak to the H. D. Club at the Rockwood Community Center, March 27, at 2 p. m. on "Why the Zip Code". Mrs. Jack Cooper will serve as hostess. Everyone is invited.

Please circle the date of Thursday, March 28, on your calendar. Dr. J. Ray Martin of Coleman will be at the Rockwood Community Center at 10 to 11:30 a. m. on that date to vaccinate pets. The surrounding communities are invited to bring your pets.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brusenhan were in Bronte last Wednesday to help her mother, Mrs. Frank Burns, celebrate her birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes and Geneva spent Sunday in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie McCarrell. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Day and family of Coleman were also visitors.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Steward of Clute visited Friday to Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bar-

ker and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avants and children of Brady were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John X. Steward. Mrs. Roger Gilpin and Judd of Laredo spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rehm, who took them home Sunday. Others visiting in the Rehm home during the past weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith and boys of Tyler, Mrs. Monte Robicheaux and girls and Miss Mary Rehm of Fort Worth. Wade Rehm, a student in A. & M. University, was home for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Rutherford and Graham of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Steward, G. T. England, Mrs. J. E. Porter and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutherford and family joined the visitors in the Rehm home.

Joe Fred Estes of Abilene spent Tuesday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes. Mrs. Rosa Belle Hellman and Mrs. Lols Haines were Friday luncheon guests. Bailey Hull visited Sunday morning. Mrs. Bill Steward and Mrs. Bill Rehm visited Sunday evening.

Robert Lee Estes and Drury Estes were at the Estes home during the weekend.

Mrs. Claud Box visited in Coleman Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riddle. She visited at Ranger Park Inn with Mrs. Bob Steward, Mr.

and Mrs. Ray Caldwell, Mrs. Roy Stafford and A. L. King. Mr. and Mrs. Doc Ellis of Colorado City visited Saturday to Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hellman. They visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box.

Visitors attending services at the Baptist Church Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Doc Ellis, Mrs. Matt Estes, Rev. Billy Matt McIntire.

The Rev. and Mrs. Donnie Melton of Fort Worth spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bray and girls. They were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Dea and family.

The Rev. Frank Leach preached at the Methodist Church at the morning hour. He announced quarterly conference for the fifth Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Steward visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bryan Sunday morning.

Raymond McNutt and Mrs. Dick Inman of Abilene visited Wednesday with Mrs. Bill Rehm and Mr. Buttry. Lefel Estes visited with Mr. Buttry Thursday.

Jerry Halmon of San Angelo, received a broken leg in a motorcycle-car collision last week. Mrs. Carl Buttry spent several days there with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Pollock of Austin spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan and family. Other Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hull of Dawson, Mrs. Mary Brusenhan of Eden and Joe McCreary. David Cooper visited Sunday morning.

Joe Ed Wise, a student in Texas Tech in Lubbock, was with home folks over the weekend. Mrs. E. M. Tisdale of Brady was a Sunday visitor with the Joe Wise family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Richard Deal and family of Brownwood visited last Wednesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal.

The R. J. Deals visited Thursday to Saturday at Ft. Stockton with Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Deal and family.

Leslie and Sharon McCreary of Santa Anna are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary, are in El Paso attending a Commissioner's convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and Ronnie entertained with a family dinner Sunday, honoring David, who has recently returned from a tour of duty in Germany. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheffield, Mike and Monte, Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Allen and Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Davis and Denise, Mr. and Mrs. Denny Densman and Dorinda.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Briscoe, Randy and Lana of Austin and Jimmy Hunter of Coleman spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter. Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter of Coleman visited Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter attended church at Waldrip Sunday evening.

Bob Mobley and Lee Carpenter of San Angelo visited Sunday with the Aubrey Mc-

Swains.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIyer and children of Abilene spent Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal were Monday supper guests of the John Richard Deal family in Brownwood. The occasion was in honor of grandson Ricky's 7th birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Carl Buttry was a Tuesday luncheon guest of Mrs. Gussie Wise in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheffield and boys of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Allen and Elizabeth of New Braunfels spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper.

Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Our community news is short again this week, due to being away from home on Monday night. We were at Dyess Hospital to see our daughter, Mrs. Eric Wheeler, who was accidentally shot in the calf of her left leg Sunday afternoon when a pistol accidentally discharged. Her condition seems good, although she will be in a cast for several months.

There will be a meeting concerning the Homecoming and April picnic, at Whon Community center Friday night, March 22. The picnic is the first Saturday in April, which is April 6. We will be looking for you.

Kathy Waydell spent the weekend in Santa Anna with a girl friend.

Arthur Switzer spent the weekend with his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Switzer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith visited with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford on Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and children of Coleman were Sunday afternoon visitors. Hilary was out Monday.

Sharon Culppepper of Santa Anna spent Monday night with Kathy Waydell.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gill of Brownwood were on the ranch Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Snowden of Lohn visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpat-

rick and boys Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants were in Bangs and Santa Anna Friday.

Federal Tax Questions And Answers

This column of questions and answers on Federal tax matters is provided by the local office of the U. S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.

Q—What form do I use to report a profit on the sale of my home?

A—Profits on the sale of a home should be reported on Schedule D, "Gains and Losses from Sales or Exchanges of Property." Taxpayers who filed this schedule with their return last year should find it included with the 1040 tax package they received in the mail.

Copies of Schedule D are available at many banks and post offices as well as local offices of the IRS.

Q—I owe a couple hundred dollars on my 1967 tax. Can I pay half of this when I file the rest later?

A—No. The tax due must be paid in full when the return is filed.

Q—I drive to work every day and have several regular riders. Am I taxed on the money they give me to cover driving expenses?

A—Payments such as you describe do not have to be reported as income unless they exceed expenses.

Q—I am expecting a refund this year. Do I use the envelope that came in the 1040 package?

A—Yes. All returns calling for a refund should be sent to the IRS Service Center. Taxpayers expecting refunds but who do not have an envelope addressed to the Service Center should check page 10 of the 1040 instructions.

Q—I read in the 1040 instructions that unemployment benefits paid by a company are taxable. Does that include state unemployment benefits too?

A—No. State unemploy-

ment benefits are not taxable and do not have to be reported.

Q—Can you claim someone as a dependent if he does not live with you?

A—A person does not have to be a member of your household to be eligible as a dependent as long as he is a close relative.

A parent, brother or sister, child or grandchild are among those that meet the legal definition of a close relative.

Q—Where can I hire someone to help me prepare my tax return?

A—Call your local accounting, legal or tax practitioner association. They should be able to make a recommendation.

Q—I changed jobs last year and when I left my old job I collected what had been built up in my profit-sharing account. Is that taxable?

A—Yes. However, if you received the funds all in one year because you left the company, then the excess over your contribution can be taxed as a capital gain. Otherwise, report it as ordinary income.

Q—My company provides me with an expense account to cover costs while I am on business trips. Do I have to report this on my return?

A—This should be noted by checking the box at the bottom of Page 2 of Form 1040. If you account to your employer for these expenses and your reimbursement matches these expenses, then there is nothing further to report.

However, if your reimbursement exceeds your expenses, then the excess should be reported as income. If your expenses were greater than your reimbursement then you report the reimbursement and deduct the expenses. Details on expense accounts can be found on Page 7 of the 1040 instructions.

Q—Are lump sum Social Security payments taxable?

A—No. All Social Security benefits are tax exempt.

Q—Withholding covered my

1967 income tax. Do I still have to file a return?

A—Whether you owe additional taxes is not the determining factor. If your income was \$600 or more, or \$1,200 if you are 65 or older, you must file. If you have net earnings from self-employment of \$400 or more you must file a return and pay self-employment tax.

Mrs. Carl Ashmore was admitted to Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watson went to Andrews Monday to visit with the James Watson family and with James, who is in a Kermit hospital following the fall of some 30 feet from an oil rig recently.

Mrs. Charles Ing and Reta Jane of Brownwood spent Saturday night and Monday with Mrs. J. C. Mathews.

Mrs. Nicky Poldrack and Danita of Coleman spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Radle.

Mrs. Bessie Parrish and Mrs. J. S. Martin visited Mrs. Patsy Bible in Houston Friday night to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bray visited Tuesday to Friday in Gatesville with relatives.



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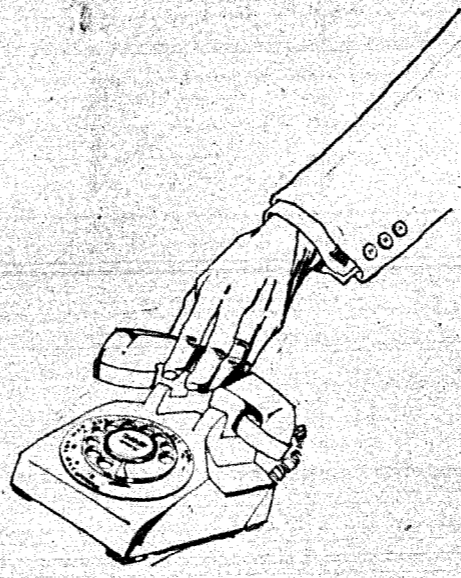
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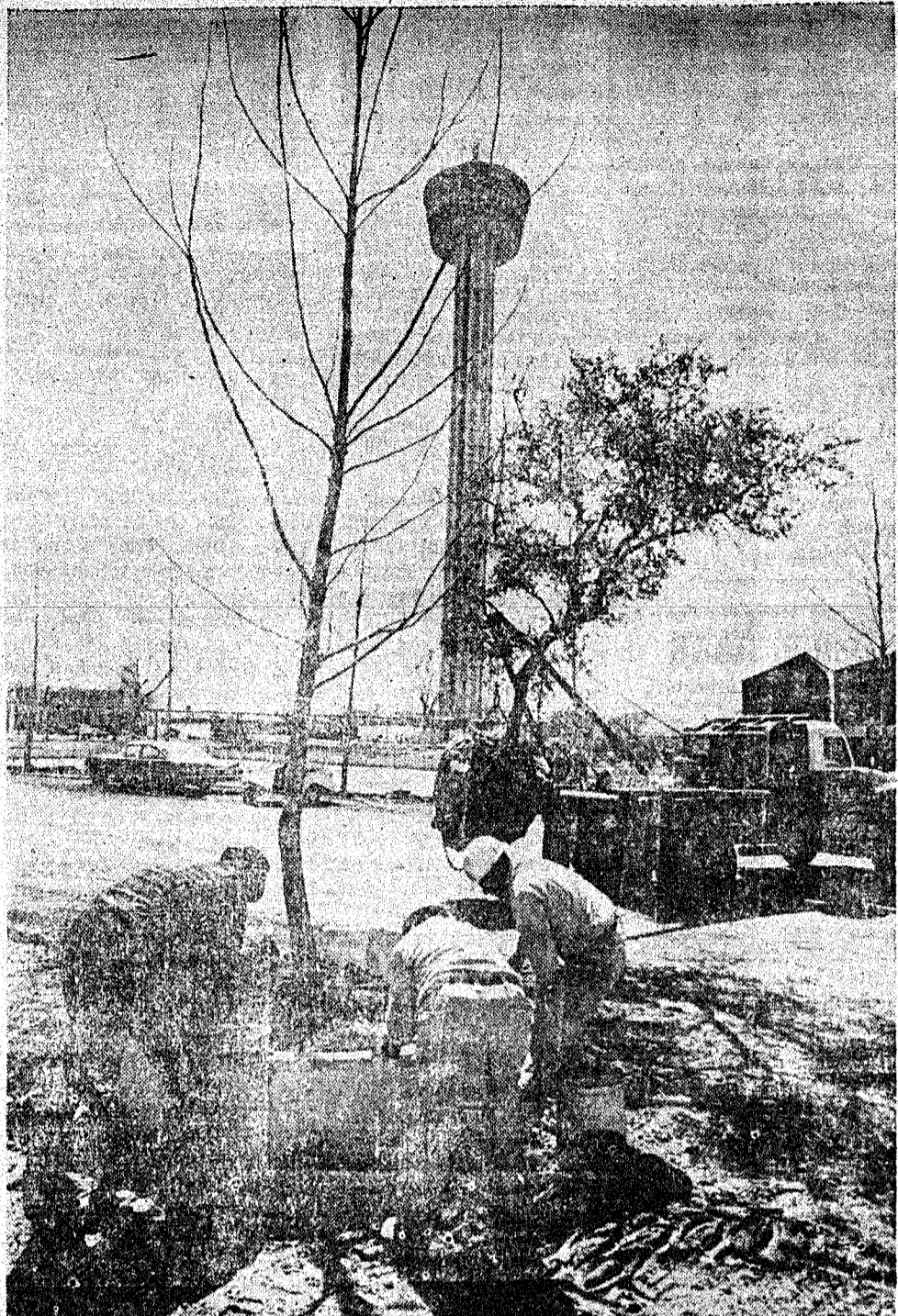
Or is this information "privileged" — that is, protected against public disclosure?

The common law, generally speaking, did not recognize any such privilege. The courts were reluctant to give up access to what could be a valuable source of information. Obviously the more facts available to a court, the better it could do justice — both in punishing the guilty and in freeing the innocent.

However, most states have now passed special statutes (called "priest - penitent" laws) to change the rule. These statutes, in varying degree, grant a privilege of privacy to communications confided to a clergyman.

To be sure, there are still limits on the scope of this privilege. For one thing, information given to a clergyman in an ordinary conversation—not as a part of a regular church procedure—is usually not protected.

Thus, a court found no



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privilege in the remarks of a suspected rapist to a minister, voiced during a casual encounter in a railroad station. The judge ruled that the minister, just like any other citizen, would have to tell what he had heard.

Nor does the privilege apply to a clergyman's general observations, unrelated to any specific admission of wrongdoing.

For example, a court saw no reason why a minister should not give his opinion of the mental condition of a woman whose will was being challenged—an opinion based on long years of acquaintance with her.

But in most situations, the

person unburdening his failings to his spiritual adviser may count on a legal curtain of privacy. As one court put it:

"The human being does sometimes have need of a place of penitence and confession and spiritual discipline. When any person enters that secret chamber, civil authority turns away its ear."

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

Among visitors expected in the Roy Horne home Saturday are Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stanford and Miss Pat Blanton of Dallas and Charles Blanton of Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Norval Wylie spent the weekend at Wichita Falls with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Buddy Wylie.

John Gregg was dismissed from the Coleman Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital on Monday.

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(Editor's note: This is the 9th of 11 articles giving the pertinent details of the new provisions in Social Security.)

wC 8 For older people and other beneficiaries who continue to work, the recent changes in social security will enable them to make more money and still draw some or all of their social security benefits.

The amount of money a person can earn a year and still draw all his social security benefits has been raised. Beginning with 1968, a person who makes as much as \$1,680 can still collect all of his social security benefits. Even if he earns considerably more than that, he may still draw some bene-

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Aldridge and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Aldridge, Deb, Duane and Belinda visited last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Aldridge Jr. and family in Jal, N. M. They returned home during the hail that hit Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Simmons of Abilene spent the weekend with his parents in Lampasas with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClellan.

fits. The old law had set that limit at \$1,500 through 1967.

Here's how it works. If you are working regularly and do not earn more than \$1,680 a year, \$1 will be withheld from your benefits for each \$2 you make over \$1,680, and up to \$2,880.

However, regardless of your total earnings for the year, you will receive your social security check for any month in which you do not earn more than \$140 in wages and are not active in self-employment. This means that you could make any amount over \$1,680 a year, and still receive your checks for any month that you do not work, but with deductions against the months you do work.

Remember, these new provisions apply to earnings in 1968. The old law applies to earnings and benefits in 1967. The provisions of the re-

tirement test apply also to dependents of people who are receiving disability benefits, but not to the disabled worker himself. Special rules, including medical considerations, apply to people who are receiving benefits because of disability.

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AS IT LOOKS FROM HERE

Omar Bureson, M. C. 17th District, Texas Washington, D. C. — To speculate on what may happen in the November elections is about as certain as an amateur prognosticator predicting what the weather will be eight months hence. The possibility, however, is that the election of the next president of the United States could be thrown into the House of Representatives. The case for such is no longer theoretical. Conditions which could bring it about are showing more substantially.

Should this occur, the decision would certainly not be in conformity with the "one man, one vote" rule laid down by the Supreme Court placing more political strength in the populated areas.

In such an event each of the fifty states would have one vote. Alaska, for instance, with 722,000 citizens would have the same vote as Texas with its 11,000,000 and Delaware with one vote equal to more than 19,000,000 people of California.

Even the possibility of such a situation points up the great need to amend the Constitution to abolish the electoral college and provide

for the election of the president and vice president by more democratic processes. It is much too late for such action to avert the possibility of the president being elected in 1968 by the House of Representatives and the vice president by the U. S. Senate, but with the splinter parties likely to increase instead of decrease, reform should be brought about before another presidential election.

The experience of 1948 should have been a lesson. In that election there were really four parties and four pretty important presidential candidates. There was Mr. Truman as the Democrat, Thomas E. Dewey as the Republican, Senator Strom Thurman of South Carolina as the States Rights Party candidate and Henry Wallace on the "peace" ticket.

A change of less than 0.6% of the popular vote from only two states would have shifted the election into the House of Representatives.

Henry Wallace did not carry a single state but was perhaps controlling in taking New York, Michigan and Maryland away from the Democratic candidate.

There is a feeling among some expert politics that political opinion now dividing the country causes the possibility to be greater in 1968 than it was 20 years ago.

Some pretty astute political writers are already cautiously predicting that no presidential candidate in this year's election will be able to get an adequate popular vote to assure a majority in

the Electoral College. In this event only two things could happen—either some of the electors would have to defect and act contrarily to the voters who selected them or have a deadlock, throwing the whole thing into the U. S. House of Representatives.

Some political analysts say there are more signs pointing to a deadlock situation this year than in the 1948 election year. One reason given is that Thurmond's counterpart, George Wallace of Alabama is showing far more strength in that slot than was shown in 1948. In that year the combined vote of Thurmond and Henry Wallace was 4.78% of the total. The polls are now giving George Wallace around 12% or 2½ times greater than the two splinter parties got in 1948.

Alaska, Delaware, Nevada, Vermont and Wyoming have only one member each in the House of Representatives. Each of their votes would equal that of California with 38 members or Texas with 23. Borderline states where political sentiment shifts from year to year are keeping a close watch on these developments. It is to be assumed that the one unit vote of any State's Delegation in Congress would be cast for the controlling party's presidential candidate.

The 1968 elections appear to have new dimensions of importance.

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- March 22: Vernon Oakes
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- March 25: Mrs. A. E. Campbell La Faunda Brown Calvin Shields
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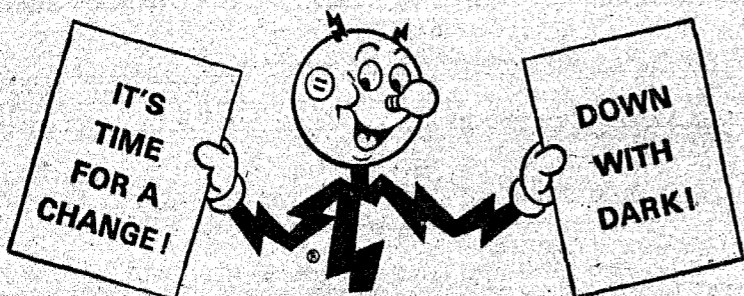
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Shield News

By Mrs. E. S. Jones

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith and Lisa of Plano, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schulze of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Chapman of Abilene visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Eppler and son, Dwight.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Moore of Richland Springs spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. George Stewardson. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Riley McFarlin and Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Milligan.

Airman and Mrs. Larry Fowler and Troy of Austin visited the weekend with relatives.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shelton attended funeral services for A. F. Land, father of Mrs. Floyd Shelton, at Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Woodard and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Radle of Santa Anna, Mr.

and Mrs. Aaron Avants of Whon, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Scarborough visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Riley McFarlin.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Tom Newman, Susan and Elaine of Santa Anna and Mary Milligan of Coleman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Milligan.

H. C. McClure entered the West Texas Medical Center at Abilene Thursday of last week.

Visitors attending the supper and game party at the Community Center Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Buster Woodard of Santa Anna and Alton Taylor and Mrs. Maude Yearnton of Coleman.

Visitors with Mrs. E. S. Jones were Mrs. J. R. Stacy and Mrs. Nora Goen of Santa Anna, Mrs. T. J. Dalton and Jay Lynn of Brown Ranch, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gilbreath, Glenda and Bill of San Antonio, Tony McClain of San Angelo and Rev. Matt McIntire of Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lowe and Guy Lowe of Coleman visited Sunday with the Grady Williams family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Eppler announce the arrival of a grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Eppler of Houston, Sunday, March 17. Glendon is in Viet Nam.

Mrs. Ura Dillingham was taken to the Coleman Hospital Monday afternoon.

Thursday of last week Mrs. Effie Dalton of Coleman, Mrs. Ura Dillingham and Mrs. Mattie Lee Brown visited Mrs. Sammie Harris at Mozelle.

Trickham News

By Mrs. Oscar Boenike

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy returned from Upland, Calif. Tuesday, March 12, having

visited three weeks with their son and family, Del Ray and Patsy Stacy, Charm, Tom and David. Mr. and Mrs. Del Ray Stacy visited in Hawaii for six days while his parents kept the children in school. Walter and Carrie flew back on a jet plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Stephens had all their children with them over the weekend. They were Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Weatherman and family of Junction, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sharp and family of Nordheim, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Stephens of Brownwood. Friday Mrs. Roy Martin of Bangs visited with Mamie.

Mrs. Eupha Shield came from Bonham, where she had spent two and a half months with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shield. She came to the Oscar Boenikes Thursday evening and stayed until Saturday morning. She was on her way to Sacramento, N. M. Friday night she had some friends and relatives over to visit her. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice McIver, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ford and Mr. and Mrs. Anton Boenike.

Mrs. Wiley McClatchey left Thursday to visit her brother and family at Denver, Colo. Evans Burney has been ill a long time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ray Fleming and son of Abilene spent Friday night with her

mother, Mrs. Robert Stearns and left their son with her Saturday while they went to San Antonio to rent a house. Charlie Ray has a job there. They will move this weekend. G. K. Stearns visited them Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold James and Donna visited the Buck Mitchells Sunday afternoon. The Mitchells visited his aunt, Pearl Buse, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Estess and Janie and Laura Lynn of Brookesmith and John and Winnie Haynes, the G. K. Stearns and Anna Laura York visited the Fred Haynes last week.

Lyndall Moore and Mr. Martin spent Saturday night with Russle James. Sunday they were all dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howell Martin.

Jack Gartman of Brady visited the Bill Vaughans Sunday.

Gayla Hornell and children spent Friday night with her parents, the Grady McIvers. Terry and Orabeth visited them Sunday night.

Sorry to report two of our friends here are in the hospitals. Mrs. Bond Featherston is in Coleman Hospital for treatment and will be home in a few days. Mrs. O. J. Martin is in Brownwood Memorial.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Henderson last week were her mother, Daisy McClatchey, Mr. and Mrs. G.

K. Stearns, Oscar and Mary Boenike, Lige Lancaster, Claud and Gary Seals of Coleman, Ruth and Wayne Whitley of Big Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Lanham Cole of Coleman and Casey Herring.

Mrs. Felton Martin and girls visited Sunday afternoon with Betty's mother at Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Henderson visited G. K. Stearns

family Thursday afternoon. The Trickham Quilting Club will sponsor a candidate rally Saturday, April 16, at 7:30 p. m. The quilting club met Tuesday of this week,

because it was put off last week.

The annual cemetery meeting will be Sunday, April 21. Plans are being made.

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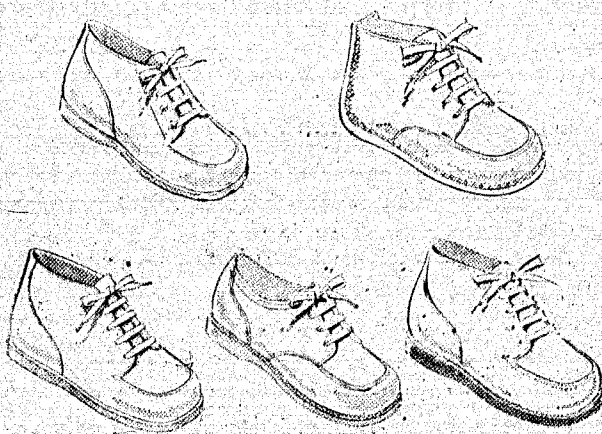
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