

# Santa Anna News

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## Large Crowds Hear Prophecy Speaks Lectures

With the life of Christ the theme, the staff of the Santa Anna Hospital presented "The Desire of All Nations" as the opening program of Prophecy Speaks Friday night, April 23. A full auditorium heard and saw depicted the progressive steps in the life of the Savior, from manger to majesty. Twenty special numbers were given by Mrs. Charles Henner, Mrs. Don Jefferies, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Weber, Fred Murray and Mr. and Mrs. Tilden Jones.

Taking the prophecy of the second chapter of Daniel, Pastor Lyndon DeWitt pointed out that world rulership under one government or head was impossible. In a dream interpreted by the prophet Daniel, the preview of the empires was outlined, beginning at Babylon, and carrying on through Medo-Persia, Greece, Rome, and the ten Teutonic kingdoms, which are now the divisions of Europe. The seven words of Bible Prophecy, "They shall not cleave one to another" have been stronger than the attempt of all the war lords since the time of Charlemagne. The prophecy goes on to reveal that in the days of these kings, the time in which we are now living, shall the God of heaven set up a kingdom that will stand forever. The speaker appealed to the audience to prepare for that kingdom.

Tuesday night Dr. Charles Henner presented 3 motion pictures on Cancer. It was pointed out that many lives are needlessly being sacrificed today because of ignorance on this important matter. What to do in case you suspect cancer was particularly emphasized. It was pointed out that delay in treating cancer was often fatal.

"The Return of Christ" was the subject studied Wednesday evening. DeWitt told the congregation that the most important and prominent prophecy of all the Bible was the return of Christ. Over 300 times this impending event is mentioned in the New Testament. The manner and purpose of His coming were emphasized. It was pointed out that all the good men from the time of Adam's fall were essentially Adventists in the respect that they believed, and many prophesied, concerning the second coming of Christ.

The lectures will take a sequence, each being connected, DeWitt stated. Friday night the subject to be presented is "Bible Signs of Christ's Soon Return." Identical program will be presented Sunday, May 2, one at 4:30 p. m. and one at 7:30 p. m., the purpose being to better accommodate the large crowds that are attending, and to permit many to come who may also wish to attend their church in the evening.

Tuesday night, May 4, is Health and Healing night, with "Polio" being the subject of the lecture and motion pictures. "1,000 Years of Peace" will be the title of Wednesday night's lecture. DeWitt urges all to bring their Bibles to read the texts of the lecture.

Prophecy Speaks is conducting an "Old Bible Survey". Nation-wide Seventh-day Adventists are searching for old copies of the scriptures. Many of considerable worth have been discovered. If you have an old Bible please make your entry by calling 294. The owner of the oldest Bible in the community will be rewarded with a prize.

A classical concert will be presented by the hospital staff on Saturday night, May 8, at the Prophecy Speaks auditorium. You may have a reserved seat to this program by calling 294. There will be no admission charge and no offering will be taken, DeWitt stated.

Anyone not able to attend the lectures who would like a copy, may obtain one by writing to the pastor.

We never see a fat woman enter a corset shop without thinking of the Bible's story.

## Local Bands To Have Spring Music Festival

All the members of the Santa Anna Bands, including the beginners of the elementary school will participate in the annual Spring Music Festival, to be held at the high school auditorium Monday night, May 3, beginning at 8:00 p. m.

The affair will be under the direction of Carl Gilkerson, local band director and will include a wide variety of musical selections. Prices of admission are 25 cents for students and 50 cents for adults. Tickets are on sale by all the band students.

Proceeds will be used for the purpose of making some records of the band's music. They will include the school Alma Mater, the fight song and other songs of which the band students are particularly proud.

A good evening of entertainment is planned and everyone is urged to attend and show your support for the Santa Anna School Bands.

## Welfare Center Needs Shelf Material

The Welfare Center, soon to be opened and operated by Seventh-day Adventists, is in need of material to make shelves. Clothing is accumulating that needs to be sorted so it can be put into use in the community.

If any used material might be available, you are requested to contact the pastor, phone 122, or Mrs. Chas. Henner, phone 98.

A request for old furniture has also been made. The need is for furniture that can be made over and passed on to those in need.

## Trickham Cemetery Association Meeting Largely Attended

By MRS. A. L. ODER  
It was my privilege to attend the annual meeting of the Trickham Cemetery Association, in the Trickham Union Church, Sunday, April 25, which brought out the largest attendance since its organization seven years ago.

The large edifice was filled to capacity, including the Sunday School rooms. Walter Stacy led the full choir and congregation in singing.

Rev. J. W. Burgett of Bowie, was at his best, in an inspirational address. Mrs. Burgett was with him.

Bro. Howell Martin of Trickham was on hand and taking a part.

Bro. Glen Brigman, pastor of the First Christian Church, attended the meeting after holding services here. He was present for the big dinner and fellowship.

The dinner, served in the school lunchroom, surpassed in abundance and variety, anything I have ever seen there before, and I have been privileged to enjoy many dinners there.

Just before adjourning for dinner, a short business session was held, with O. R. Boenicke, associate president, in charge.

Miss Lou Featherston, secretary-treasurer, made a fine annual report. There are association members and contributors in eight states, and many from distant places, attended the meeting.

Directors of the association are O. R. Boenicke, Miss Lou Featherston, Will Haynes, Lige Lancaster and Albert Cole. Boenicke, Lancaster and Cole were supposed to be outgoing directors, but didn't get out until they were re-elected to serve another year.

The Trickham Cemetery, the oldest in the county, is kept as the best, and better than the rest.

## Mozelle Lions Club Observes Charter Night

Charter night for the Mozelle Lions Club was held at the Mozelle school gym Monday, April 25 at 8:00 p. m. with an estimated 100 persons in attendance. Gordon Monsey was chairman for the charter night activities.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Archie Bryson, and the entire group sang "America", followed by all repeating the Pledge of Allegiance. The invocation was offered by Lee Williams.

Following the banquet which featured fried chicken with all the trimmings, Ralph Wilmeth gave the welcome address and Monsey introduced the visiting clubs.

Arthur Dose introduced the speaker for the evening, Judge E. C. Grandstaff of Ballinger. Following the fine address by Grandstaff, James L. Mogford, District 2-A Governor, presented the club with the International Charter, which was accepted by the president.

R. K. Green, acting president of the Santa Anna Club, presented the new club with the bell and gavel, a gift from the sponsoring club. Durwood Bissett, accepted the gift. The benediction was given by Dennis Winfrey.

Charter members of the Mozelle Lions Club are: L. B. Kennedy, Dennis Winfrey, Richard Dillingham, Kenneth Lockett, Walter Reid, Ed Simonton, W. W. Skelton, Ralph Wilmeth, Archie Bryson, Lee Williams, Doile Wheeler, Derwood Bissett, Arthur Dose, S. C. Winslett, L. W. Jamison, Gordon Monsey and Welton Holt.

Officers are: President, Archie Bryson; 1st Vice President, Lee Williams; 2nd Vice President, Doile Wheeler; 3rd Vice President, Derwood Bissett; Secretary-Treasurer, Arthur Dose; Tail Twister, Pete Winslett; and Lion Tamer, Gordon Monsey. The Directors are: L. W. Jamison, Dennis Winfrey, L. B. Kennedy and Welton Holt.

Music for the occasion was furnished by the Santa Anna Stage Band, under the direction of Carl Gilkerson. Twenty-six members of the Santa Anna Club attended the affair and several other clubs were represented.

## Revival and Singing To Be Held At New Methodist Church

Rev. J. H. Hamblen, evangelist of Abilene, will preach at the Santa Anna Evangelical Chapel from May 2 through May 9, with services being nightly at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. Hamblen is the General Superintendent of the Evangelical Methodist Church.

On Friday night, April 30, Mrs. Eugene Gilbreath, wife of the minister who has been preaching here at the chapel on Friday nights, will deliver a missionary address, telling of her 13 years in Korea, where her father was a medical missionary.

### SINGING SUNDAY

A singing will be held at the church Sunday afternoon, May 2 from 2:00 until 4:30 p. m. Quartets, trios and group singing will be enjoyed. Singers are especially invited to attend the singing and everyone has a cordial invitation to attend each of the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Garrett and family, accompanied by Mrs. Edie Garrett of Coleman, went to San Antonio early Saturday morning and returned home Sunday night. They saw the Flambeau parade Saturday night, which wound up the Fiesta week activities.

Mrs. R. B. Archer had all her family with her Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Archer of Buffalo, Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Dick, Duane and Deiores of Brownwood, and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Williams of Abilene.

It was but natural that "The Jersey Bounce" would be followed by the "Milk Cow Blues."

## Former Santa Annan Is Making Good In Business World

Mrs. Irene McKay of Austin, Santa Anna born and reared, is at the head of many affairs and throws her 95 pounds into all that she does.

She is the managing editor of "Talugram" official bulletin of the Texas Association of Life Underwriters, and is also Executive Secretary.

In the April 12 issue of the bulletin, there was a very interesting article about her, written by her sister-in-law and secretary, Mrs. Reuben Rountree.

Irene graduated from Santa Anna high school with the class of 1934. The next day she left Santa Anna with a five dollars award, given her by J. J. Gregg, for outstanding journalism achievement.

She has attended the University of Texas, the University of California, Magazine Institute, and Draughan's Business College.

She continues to take at least three courses a year at night at the University of Texas or YMC A and each year attends an advertising clinic.

She is a member of the "Heré How" committee of the American Trade Association Executives, the Austin Advertising Club and the Adult Education Association.

Irene still finds time to maintain a home for her two sons, Ronnie, 16, and Gary, 8, to sew for all of them and teach a Sunday School Class.

## Santa Anna Hospital News

Patients admitted and discharged from the Santa Anna Hospital during the past week are as follows:

**ADMITTED:**  
Mrs. Willie King, Coleman.  
Mrs. J. Y. Brannan, city.  
Mrs. Robert Smith, city.  
Mrs. M. M. Morris, Odessa.  
W. D. Dacy, city.  
Jerry Alberts, Coleman.  
Lester Murray, Doole.  
Mrs. J. J. Brown, city.  
Mrs. Evelyn Hibbs, city.  
Robert Morgan, city.  
G. R. McClure, city.  
Charles Sumner, Monhans.  
Sammie Keeney, Coleman.  
Mrs. Earl Murray, Doole.

**DISMISSED:**  
W. D. Lumpkins, deceased, Miles.

Mrs. James Garner, Coleman.  
Mrs. Jessie Latimer, Bangs.  
Lester Murray, Doole.  
Sammie Keeney, Coleman.  
Mrs. James Wolf, Coleman.  
Mrs. Earl Murray, Doole.  
Mrs. Sidney Blanton, city.  
Mrs. Mike Dienda, Coleman.  
Mrs. J. J. Brown, Coleman.  
Mrs. Evelyn Hibbs, city.  
Robert Morgan, city.  
Mrs. Willie Comedy, Coleman.  
Mrs. Raymond Esplita, Coleman.

Jerry Alberts, Coleman.  
Charles Sumners, Monhans.  
Mrs. Robert Smith, city.  
Mrs. J. Y. Brannan, city.  
G. R. McClure, city.  
W. D. Dacy, city.  
Mrs. M. M. Morris, Odessa.

**BIRTHS:**  
Suwanee is the named given a daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith Friday, April 23.

## Rites For Houston Grant Held at Trickham Wed.

Funeral services were held at the Trickham Union Church Wednesday, April 28 at 3:00 p. m. for Houston Grant, who died in the Veterans' Hospital at Kerrville, Texas on Monday night at 8:30.

Sam Grant, his brother, accompanied the Hosh ambulance to Kerrville for the body and they arrived here early Tuesday afternoon.

A complete obituary will appear next week.

J. W. Taylor received a message on Saturday, that Lloyd Shoemaker had died in O'Donnell, of a heart attack. He was a banker at O'Donnell. Mr. Shoemaker married the former Miss Chloe Rothmel, who was reared in Santa Anna. She survives him. He is also survived by four children and grandchildren.

## Prospects Good For Permanent Home For Santa Anna National Guard Unit

For about the past year the Community Chamber of Commerce has been working in close cooperation with Capt. Jesse K. Barton, Commander of the local National Guard unit, in an effort to secure a permanent home for the Santa Anna National Guard Company. At present it seems likely that this will be a reality by the end of this year.

When Santa Anna was put on the priority list, the Texas National Guard Armory Board of Austin sent requirements for the town to meet, to Capt. Barton and he immediately enlisted the aid of the Chamber of Commerce, to help meet these requirements. Last week this Armory Board accepted all the requirements as having been met and stated it was the first time all requirements had been met in the first application. They said there would be about three months of "red tape" before the construction could begin, but so far as is known here, the building will be approved and possibly completed by the end of the year.

The building will cost approximately \$100,000 and will be of masonry construction. It will be located on the block formerly occupied by the public schools and will be 103 feet by 120 feet in size. The building will face west and will occupy the approximate location where the former school building was located.

The building will contain a 60 by 100-foot gymnasium, kitchen, two dressing rooms with individual steel lockers and showers, supply room, strong room, orderly room and office and two or three classrooms.

The primary requirement to be met was the deed of sufficient land to the Texas National Guard Armory Board to take care of the requirements for the National Guard. The former school location was the ideal site and the Community Chamber of Commerce went to work to get this location approved and the land deeded to the Armory Board. The School District Trustees deeded the land to the City of Santa Anna, who in turn deeded the site to the Armory Board and agreed to put all the utilities to within five feet of the building site. Proof of all the requirements along with the deed to this property was sent the Armory Board several days ago and it was returned last week, with the instructions that the deed be put on record at the county clerk's office, indicating their acceptance.

The building will be modern in every respect and will fulfill a long-time dream of having a permanent home for the Santa Anna National Guard Company.

Since his health began to fail, Mr. Casey and Thelma have been living in Coleman.

He had been for many years, a member of the First Christian Church in Santa Anna.

He is survived by two sons and five daughters: Arthur Casey of Coleman, Wade Casey of Brawley, Calif., Mrs. Ben Herring and Mrs. Albert Dean of Santa Anna, Mrs. Oscar Peters of Kingsville, Mrs. Mark Sheffield of Rising Star and Miss Thelma Casey of Coleman.

Two brothers and one sister also survive: Shep Casey, Albuquerque, N. M., Tex Casey of Hot Springs, N. M., Mrs. Smith Simmons of California, many grandchildren great grandchildren and other relatives. Mrs. Casey preceded him in death on March 4, 1950.

They had observed their golden wedding anniversary in 1943.

Pallbearers were Jess Griffith, David Neal, Neely Evans, J. B. Howington, Lloyd Price, William Curry, Alpha Boardman and John Lauder.

Flower bearers were Mrs. Jess Griffith, Mrs. J. D. Williamson, Mrs. Neely Evans, Mrs. Neely Evans, Mrs. Lloyd Price and Mrs. Otis Bivins.

Burial was in the Coleman Cemetery.

Funeral services were held Saturday, April 24 at 4:00 p. m. in the First Baptist Church for Mrs. Annie Dawson, who died early Friday morning.

Death came after a long illness, apart of which time she was hospitalized.

Rev. S. R. Smith, a former pastor officiated, assisted by the Rev. Nolan Fisher, pastor of the First Methodist Church. Mrs. Dawson had previously planned her funeral services.

Mrs. Annie Shawn Palmer Dawson was born in Matagorda, Texas August 12, 1878, being 75 years, 8 months and 11 days old at the time of death.

She became a member of the Methodist Church at the age of 14 years. She united with the Baptist Church in South McAlester, Okla., in 1901, and later joined the local First Baptist Church, in which fellowship she continued until death.

Two children preceded her in death. During the many years of her residence here, she made many friends.

Annie and John Dawson were married December 11, 1949. He survives her. Other survivors are one daughter, Mrs. S. W. Ogle of Fresno, Calif., four grandchildren, five great grandchildren, one great great grandchild and one sister, Mrs. W. C. Jones of Clarendon, Texas.

Pallbearers were Earl Hardy, Mace Blanton, C. L. Eeds, Oscar Cheaney, H. B. Monroe and John Stevens.

Ladies in charge of the floral tributes were Mrs. C. L. Eeds, Mrs. J. L. P. Baker, Mrs. Virgie Loudermilk, Mrs. Artie Irby, Mrs. Aubrey Parker, Mrs. Robert Robinson and Mrs. M. H. Patterson.

Burial was in the Santa Anna Cemetery with Wright's Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

A number of relatives from over the state came for the services.

## Rites For Kit Casey Sunday

Funeral services were held on Sunday, April 25 at 2:30 p. m. in the First Christian Church of Coleman, with Rev. W. M. Feay, pastor, officiating.

Mr. Casey died Friday, April 23, at 1:30 p. m. in the Coleman hospital, after a long illness.

Born in Tennessee February 13, 1869, he was 85 years old and had lived in Texas 65 years, most of the time in Coleman County.

He and wife, who before her marriage was Miss Ada Lowe, lived on their farm northeast of Santa Anna, in the Longview community for many years and their children were mostly reared there.

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C. R. (Ray) OWEN

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stephenson returned home Sunday afternoon from a week vacation trip. They attended to business in San Antonio and visited with relatives at Seguin, Lockhart, and San Marcos. They stopped in Austin and visited with the Eya Reids, at Temple with Mrs. Eva Conley and Winston and family, in Dallas with their daughter, Mrs. Gerald Pruitt and family, and the last stop was with the Jimmy Clifts in Fort Worth.

# Queen Theater

Friday and Saturday  
APRIL 30 - MAY 1  
JOHNNY WEISSMULLER as  
JUNGLE JIM

—IN—  
"Killer Ape"  
With Carol Thurston

Sunday, Monday  
And Tuesday  
MAY 2, 3 and 4  
Ester Williams - Van Johnson  
Tony Martin

—IN—  
"Easy To Love"  
COLOR BY TECHNICOLOR

Wednesday-Thursday  
MAY 5 and 6  
MARJORIE MAIN  
PERCY KILBRIDE

—IN—  
"Ma and Pa Kettle  
At Home"

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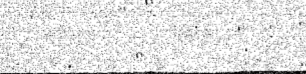
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• De luxe wall paint  
• Guaranteed washable  
• Rich gorgeous colors



Deep Colors slightly more

**KEM-GLO® ENAMEL**  
• For kitchens, bathrooms, woodwork  
• Looks and washes like baked enamel



**Santa Anna Hardware Co.**



## Whon News

By MRS. TOM RUTHERFORD



WHON, TEXAS

PLEASE LEAVE NEWS ITEMS AT WHON POST OFFICE

Rev. Earl Wright Gill had charge of services at the Baptist Church Sunday, and was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gill. Earl Wright has employment in Brownwood. Mr. and Mrs. Riley McFarlin and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Wheatly, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. John McFarlin in Comanche. Mr. and Mrs. John McFarlin returned home with them for this week.

Christine Barnes spent Sunday afternoon with Joyce Jackson in Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Beeher Wisdom of Morenci, Arizona, spent Sunday night with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Gill and son, Keith. They left Monday morning to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gamble and a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gamble and children, in and near Houston. Keith Gill accompanied them on the trip. They plan to return here the last of the week.

Mrs. Pleas Williamson spent Sunday with Mrs. Ann Bryan and Frances. They visited with Mrs. Fuller and Mrs. Etoile Cozart Sunday afternoon. Then with Mrs. Zack Bible. All called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lovelady and Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady Sunday afternoon.

Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Babe Gardiner were Mr. and Mrs. Emal Bowers of Doole, Mr. and Mrs. Granville Hext and children of Gouldbusk, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Edwards of Odessa, a daughter of Mrs. Gardiner. The Edwards returned to Odessa Tuesday.

Week end and Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tackett and children were Mr. and Mrs. David Rhodes and children of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. James Tackett, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Moss Sykes and Waymon Mathews of Bangs, Billie Mathews and Kenneth Griffin of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Black of Brownwood and Bert Carter of Waltrip were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carter and Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford and children Lynda, Loyd and Hilary were bedtime callers with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutherford and children of Rockwood, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avants and baby of Brady visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants and James Sunday.

Lanita Bengé and Norma Jo Eubank of Santa Anna visited in the Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Barnes home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Sherrard of Abilene, spent Saturday night with his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Biggs of Coleman, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shields and boys.

Mrs. Bert Turney left Monday to make the acquaintance of a new granddaughter, who has arrived to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Chilton in Dallas. She is the former Pat Turney.

Henry Smith made a business trip to Bryan, Texas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford and Lynda Sue visited with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin and Oscar Lovelady Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wells and

children visited Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shields and boys Sunday night.

## CHICK CHATS— Increase Need For Feed and Water

Nothing is more important to a growing chick than plenty of good feed and water. A growing chick doubles its weight several times before it is 8 weeks old. There is a constantly increasing demand for protein, minerals, vitamins and water.

A chick's early feed consumption is small but increases rapidly. Daily consumption for 100 chicks averages only 1.3 pounds during the first week. It doubles the second week and the third week reaches 4 pounds per 100 chickens.

The fourth week, daily feed intake per 100 chicks is 5.2 pounds. This is four times the daily rate the first week. At the end of four week, 100 chicks will have eaten about 100 pounds of feed. At eight weeks, the 100 chicks will have consumed 375 pounds of feed. At nine weeks, they are eating nearly 100 pounds of feed a week.

**More Space.**  
Increasing feed consumption means more feeder space. It is recommended that 100 chicks should have 100 linear inches of feeder space the first two weeks. From 3 through 6 weeks, 100 chicks will need 175 linear inches and from 7 through 12 weeks, 100 chicks will need 300 linear inches. By "linear inches" is meant the total inches of a feed hopper on both sides.

As chicks grow they need more room. You should allow a minimum of one-half square foot space per bird through 6 weeks of age. From 7 through 12 weeks, chicks need at least one square foot of floor space according to the American Feed Manufacturers Association.

**Water Needs**  
Equally important to chicks is an ample supply of good water. Daily intake for 100 chicks is about one-third gallon the first week, one-half gallon the second week, three-fifths gallon the third week and one and one-fifth gallon the fourth week. By eight weeks of age, 100 chicks are drinking 3 gallons of water daily and, at 24 weeks, the figure has grown to 5 gallons daily.

Provide chicks with 20 linear inches or 2 one-gallon fountains from one day old through 2 weeks. From 3 through 12 weeks, 100 chicks need 40 linear inches or 2 three-gallon fountains. The poultry raiser who skimps on feed and water reduces his own profit. Chicks need plenty of feed and water to grow at a profitable rate.

have had appropriate education or experience.

Further information and application forms may be secured at many post offices throughout the country, or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C. Applicants will be accepted by the Commission' office in Washington, D. C., until further notice.

Reason people do so much driving around nowadays is that it is cheaper to drive it than to park it.

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\$1000 BONUS FOR ALL VETS  
SAVE WATER-SAVE FARMS

## Civil Service Announces Jobs For Librarians

The United States Civil Service Commission today announced a Library Assistant examination for filling positions in Washington, D. C., and vicinity, paying \$2,950 to \$3,410 a year. To qualify, applicants must pass a written test and must

Charter No. 13854 Reserve District No. 11

## REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE SANTA ANNA NATIONAL BANK OF SANTA ANNA IN THE STATE OF TEXAS AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 15, 1954

Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes

ASSETS	
1. Cash balances with other banks, including reserve balance and cash items in process of collection	\$569,351.28
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	551,000.00
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	16,525.86
5. Corporate stocks (including \$4,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	4,500.00
6. Loans and discounts (including \$1,138.99 overdrafts)	585,473.25
7. Bank premises owned \$3,200.00, furniture and fixtures \$1,100.00	4,300.00
11. Other assets	700.00
<b>12. TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$1,731,850.39</b>
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$1,451,823.95
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	43,998.85
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	59,082.79
17. Deposits of banks	1,621.17
<b>19. TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$1,556,526.76</b>
<b>24. TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$1,556,526.76</b>
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
26. Surplus	100,000.00
27. Undivided profits	25,323.63
<b>29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>175,323.63</b>
<b>30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$1,731,850.39</b>
MEMORANDA	
31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	\$76,000.00

I, O. L. Cheaney, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

O. L. CHEANEY, Cashier

CORRECT-ATTEST: V. L. Grady  
J. W. Riley  
Ozro, Eubank  
DIRECTORS

State of Texas, County of Coleman, ss:  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th day of April, 1954, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

LEROY V. STOCKARD, Notary Public

(SEAL)

My commission expires June 1, 1955.

## CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE SANTA ANNA NATIONAL BANK SANTA ANNA, TEXAS AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 15, 1954

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans & Discounts .. \$430,369.15	Capital Stock .. \$50,000.00
Overdrafts .. 1,138.99	
Stock Fed. Res. Bank .. 4,500.00	Surplus .. 100,000.00
Banking House F. & F. .. 4,300.00	Undivided Profits .. 25,323.63
<b>QUICK ASSETS:</b>	Deposits .. 1,556,526.76
C. C. C. Loans .. \$153,465.11	
Bonds and War- rants .. 567,525.86	
Bills of Exchange .. 500.00	
Cash and Due From Banks .. 569,351.28	
1,290,842.25	
Other Assets .. 700.00	
<b>\$1,731,850.39</b>	<b>\$1,731,850.39</b>

I, O. L. Cheaney, Executive Vice President and Cashier  
Certify the above to be Correct.

OFFICERS	DIRECTORS
W. T. Stewardson .. President	W. T. Stewardson
V. L. Grady .. Chairman of Board	V. L. Grady
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Seventh-day Adventist Nation Wide Are Conducting A Survey To Locate The Oldest Bible, or Part Of The Scriptures Available. A Prize Will Be Given Away Sunday Night, May 9, For The Oldest Bible Entered In This Survey.

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## FRIDAY NIGHT — APRIL 30 — 7:30 P. M. "Bible Signs of Christ's Soon Return"

Thinking people today are asking, "Is all the trouble in the world a sign of the soon return of Christ?" Hear the Bible signs that tell when the end of the world is near.

### DOUBLE HEADER

Due to our lack of adequate seating capacity for our large Sunday evening attendance, and to give many an opportunity to attend their own church in the evening, two identical programs will be given

**SUNDAY, MAY 2  
4:30 P. M. and 7:30 P. M.**

## "What And Where Is HEAVEN?"

Will we know each other in Heaven? Is heaven to be on this earth, or is heaven a state of mind? What will we do in heaven? Will we have employment in heaven? What is the size and where is the location of the holy city? These and many more questions will be answered from your Bibles.

TUESDAY NIGHT — MAY 4 — 7:30 P. M.

## "POLIO"

Another in our series of Health and Healing Lectures. The new Polio Serum: its use effectiveness and possible cure of this dread disease. The lecture will be illustrated with Moving Pictures.

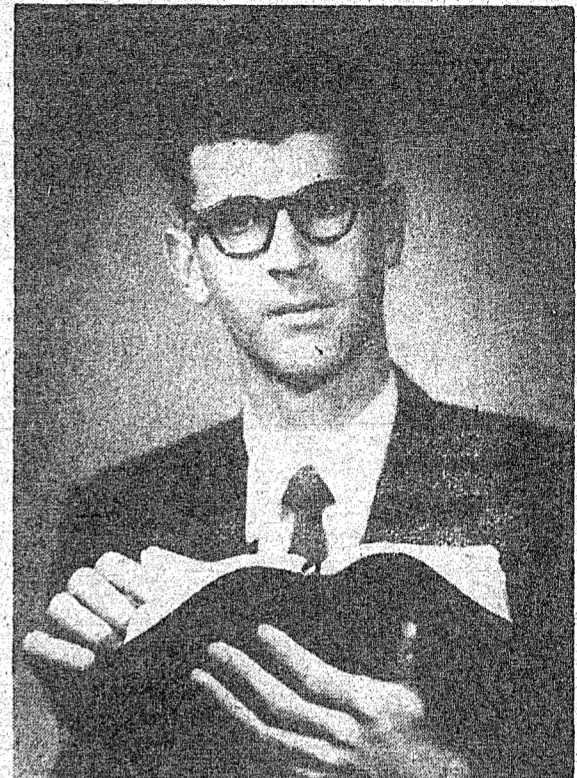
WEDNESDAY NIGHT — MAY 5 — 7:30 P. M.

## "1000 Years of World Peace"

The Bible Millenium — what events begin and close this important period of time? Where will the wicked be? Where will the righteous be? Bible Prophecy tells us!

### CONCERT

The Staff Of The Santa Anna Hospital And The Members Of The Seventh-day Adventist Church, Will Present A Formal Classical Concert At The Prophecy Speaks Auditorium Saturday Night, May 8. No Admission, No Offering. Call 294 For a Reserved Seat.



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### SENATOR JOHNSON DISCUSSES INDO-CHINA

PEACE THE GOAL: Again last week, I sat in on a conference of the utmost gravity to all of us. Congressional leaders of both parties met with Secretary of State Dulles just after his return from his journey to England and France — just before he left on another journey that would take him finally to Geneva.

The subject of discussion was Indo-China. What are the issues? It is im-

possible to exaggerate the seriousness of the situation. The issues can be stated in a few words:

Indo-China is a rich prize. It is the richest source of tungsten still available to the free world. Tungsten is vital to our defenses.

Beneath the soil of Indo-China are rich deposits of tin and manganese. No military machine can operate without those metals.

Even more important than these physical resources is Indo-China's strategic location.

If this country should be captured by the communists, they would be in a commanding position to take over the entire continent of Asia — the world's most populous land mass.

That would be a heavy blow to freedom.

The National Good: As I looked around at the faces of the men gathered at the conference and listened to their solemn words I had no doubt that every man present was thinking, above all else, of the good of America.

There was no political sniping, for every man recognized that the grave issues under discussion transcend all political considerations.

There was, I firmly believe, a solemn intention on the part of each man present to weight his words carefully — to consider the whole grave problem from every angle — and to act, finally, in the best interests of all the people of America.

Fight For Freedom: The French Foreign Legion, which has been fighting in Indo-China, has been magnificent. So have the officers in command on the scene. But — and this is a BIG but — There has been little support on the French home front for the war. (Many of the Legionnaires are professional German soldiers.)

The French have refused to grant full independence to the people of Indo-China.

Many Asians feel they have no choice between French imperialism and Chinese imperialism. They are apathetic.

The French might well take a lesson from our own Texas history. At the battle of San Jacinto, Texans routed the forces of Mexico — although Texans were outnumbered two to one. They were fighting for freedom. That fact more than made up for the numerical odds.

Many Questions: The questions to be settled in connection with Indo-China are as numerous as they are serious.

I do not know what action will be taken.

I feel very strongly that any action, whatever its nature, must proceed with the full knowledge and consent of the American people.

Like all other Americans, I hope and pray there will be no decision which takes our fellow-Americans through the valley of the shadow of death.

Faith: In a letter I received the other day from a Texas woman, there was this striking thought:

"I know the times are troubled. I know the questions you are

called upon to help settle are of the greatest seriousness. But I know this as well: I know Christianity and democracy are stronger than communism and atheism."

How well advised all of us would be to keep its truth steadfastly in mind. It is a belief that can serve as a guidepost to lead us away from the threat of war and tyranny.

### Objectives of National Home Demonstration Week May 2 - 8

College Station — Work of 40,000 Texas home demonstration club women will be spotlighted when National Home Demonstration Week May 2-8 calls attention to the achievements that farm and ranch women have made through organized planning and action.

Maurine Hearn, State Home Demonstration Leader for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says the women will observe these objectives for the week:

1. To encourage and assist parents in the training and guidance of children and youth; to develop teamwork in the family.
2. To encourage all families to eat well-balanced meals.
3. To help families to make decisions in the use of the family income.
4. To aid families to make satisfactory choices in the selection and use of clothing and household fabrics.

5. To help families achieve the maximum standards of housing possible within their incomes.

6. To encourage the families to use their influence to strengthen the communities in which they live.

7. To acquaint young families with the educational opportunities provided by the Extension Service and the many avenues through which home demonstration work may serve their needs.

8. To recognize that families through organized study, planning, and action are making a lasting contribution to home and

community improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baxter and Pam and John, of Waypoka, Okla., stopped here on Friday night of last week and stayed in one of Kathryn Baxter's apartments. After visiting briefly Saturday morning with relatives, they left for San Antonio, to visit several days with his mother, Mrs. Stafford Baxter. Bill was scheduled to attend a gas company convention in Houston on Monday and Tuesday.

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**CARD OF THANKS**  
Our recent sad loss leaves us with grateful hearts towards neighbors and friends. Their comforting expressions of sympathy and thoughtfulness will always be remembered. J. C. Dawson and Family. 1p

I wish to express my sincere thanks to everyone for the beautiful flowers, cards and gifts and to the doctor and nurses of the Santa Anna Hospital for their kindnesses during my recent illness. Your kindnesses will always be remembered. Mrs. Sidney Blanton. 18c

**Nation Has Worst Accident Toll In Entire History**

Hartford, Conn. - (Sp.) - The worst automobile accident toll in the nation's history - more than two million casualties - was recorded in 1953, according to figures released today by the Travelers Insurance Companies. Traffic deaths totaled 38,500, an increase of 900 over 1952. The injury count reached 2,140,000 compared to 2,090,000 for the previous year.

The totals are statistics from "The Passing Scene", twelfth in an annual series of traffic accident data booklets published by The Travelers. Accident facts from every state in the country are collected and analyzed for the publication by Travelers statisticians.

Excessive speed was the most dangerous driving mistake in 1953. Speed killed 13,870 persons and injured more than 600,000. Drivers under 25 years of age were involved in almost 25 per cent of the year's fatal accidents although they constitute only about 15 per cent of the total of all drivers.

Week end crashes accounted for 15,800 killed and 800,000 hurt during 1953. Forty-one per cent of the deaths and 36 per cent of the injuries occurred on Saturdays and Sundays last year.

The pedestrian record reflected the third consecutive year of improvement. Booklet figures show pedestrian casualties reduced by 50 to 8,600. Crossing between intersections, "jay walking," still is the chief cause of pedestrian deaths and injuries.

"The Passing Scene" also reports that three out of four 1953 auto accidents happened to passenger cars driving in clear weather on dry roads.

Eighty per cent of vehicles involved in fatal accidents were traveling straight ahead.

Saturday was the most dangerous day of the week to drive. 1953 was the fourth consecutive year of increase in the death toll.

"Here We Come Gathering", Daniel Baker College Auditorium May 3 and 4, 8:00 p. m.

People who say they sleep like a baby apparently never had a baby.

**Farm Bureau To Sponsor Queen Contest Again**

Waco. - The Texas Farm Bureau will sponsor a state-wide queen contest again this year, according to J. Walter Hammond, president of the state farm organization.

Purpose of the contest is to give recognition to the beauty, charm and vivaciousness of Tex-farm and ranch girls. Contestants will be judged on three main points: (1) appearance, (2) poise, and (3) personality.

Finals of the state-wide queen contest will be held the night of November 8 at the 21st annual convention of the Texas Farm Bureau in Galveston. The girl chosen Texas Farm Bureau Queen will receive \$500 for herself and a matron escort to attend the 26th annual convention of the American Farm Bureau in December in New York.

Only daughters or sisters of Farm Bureau members are eligible for the contest. To enter the contest, girls must be 16 by September 1, 1954, and not over 22 years of age on that date. Daughters of employees, officers, or directors of either the state or county Farm Bureau organizations are not eligible. Neither are previous state winners.

County Farm Bureaus over the state will begin holding eliminations in July. County winners tests to be held September 13-25. District winners and their matron escorts will receive expense-paid trips to the Galveston convention. In addition, the contestants will receive beautiful wrist watches.

Miss Fayette Peoples, 17-year-old blonde beauty from Quail, Collingsworth County, was Texas Farm Bureau Queen last year.

**Political Announcements**

The Santa Anna News is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following persons for elective offices, subject to action of the Democratic Primaries in July and August, 1954:

All political announcements must be paid in cash before they are published and no exceptions will be made. All political advertising must also be paid in advance.

A maximum of 400 words is allowed for political announcements. All over 400 words will be charged for at the rate of 2 cents per word.

**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER**  
**PRECINCT 2:**  
(Re-election)

**EARL HARDY**  
**WALTER C. HOLT**

**FOR COUNTY JUDGE**  
**WALTER K. BOYD**  
Re-election

**FOR COUNTY TREASURER**  
**W. E. (BILL) BURNEY**  
Re-election

**J. C. (John) LAUDER**  
**E. C. (Ernest) BRUSENHAN**

**FOR COUNTY CLERK**  
**LEE F. CRAIG**  
Re-election

**FOR DISTRICT CLERK**  
**RICHARD D. (DICK) BASS**  
**G. A. (TODE) HENSLEY**  
**NEWT-MELL HUGHES**  
**BECKER**

**FOR COUNTY SHERIFF**  
**H. F. FENTON, JR.**  
Re-election

**FOR COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR**  
**BERNICE JOHNSON**  
Re-election

**FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT**  
**D. E. LOVELESS**  
(Re-election)

**FOR U. S. REPRESENTATIVE**  
**21st CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**  
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**Pinto Beans** Colorado Re-Cleaned 10 lbs. **\$1**

**Tomato Juice** White Swan 3 46 oz. Cans **\$1**

**CRACKERS** Supreme 1 lb. Box **.25**

**OLEO** Deckers Churned 5 Pounds **\$1**

**CATSUP** Wapco 6 Bottles For **\$1**

**POTATOES** Wapco, New, Whole 10 303 Cans **\$1**

**DOG FOOD** Scrappy 12 Large Cans **\$1**

**MILK** White Swan 8 Lge. Cans **\$1**

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**Delta Omicron Honors Mrs. Gill**

The local chapter of the Delta Omicron chapter, Epsilon Sigma Alpha, entertained Monday night in the home of Mrs. C. D. Bruce with a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Allyn Gill. Games and quizzes were enjoyed by the group, after which Mrs. Gill was presented with a very nice gift from the sorority. Games of canasta and "42" were enjoyed by the group.

Mrs. Jake McCreary, hostess, then served refreshments from the beautifully decorated table. Refreshments consisted of sandwiches, cake squares, punch and coffee, to the following members: Mrs. M. L. Guthrie, Jr., Mrs. Louis M. Guthrie, Mrs. Kenneth Bowker, Mrs. B. J. Robinson, Mrs. Willard Allen, Mrs. Vernon Herring, Mrs. Ione Caton, Mrs. C. D. Bruce, Sadie Richardson, Sandra Shields, Patricia Davis, and the honoree, Mrs. Gill.

**W. S. C. S. Enjoys Mexican Supper**

The W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church have finished their study course in Spanish Speaking Americans, in observance of which a supper of Mexican foods was enjoyed in the home of Mrs. Hardy Blue on Monday night.

Other hostesses were Miss Bettie Blue, Mrs. Tom Mills and Mrs. Harry Crews.

Mrs. O. J. Albro conducted the devotion. On the program were Misses Ruby and Elsie Lee Har-

per, Mrs. Tom Hays, Mrs. O. A. Etheredge, Mrs. Cliff Herndon, Mrs. Lela Hays and little Miss Scarborough.

Tortillas, vegetable salad, lemon pudding and ice tea were featured on the menu.

Others present besides those above mentioned were Mrs. Lucille Baker, W. B. Griffin, Arch Hull, J. J. Kirkpatrick, Doc Scarborough, O. L. Cheaney, Cecil Curry, Ella Stiles and Blanche Grantham.

**20th Century Club Has First Regular Meeting, Program**

The newly organized 20th Century Club had its first regular meeting in the form of a coffee, in the home of Mrs. Louis Zachary, last Friday morning.

The rains and wind perhaps kept some from attending.

Conversation and viewing the many flowers from the Zachary's yard, used in decorations, added interest to the gathering. Coffee and doughnuts, with second helpings if desired, were served from flower-centered tables.

Those attending, members and guests were: the hostess and Mrs. W. A. Standly, Mrs. W. E. Vanderford, Mrs. Doug Moore, Mrs. Richard Smith, Mrs. John Perry, Mrs. Arthur Talley, Mrs. Norval Wylie, Mrs. Lovel Richardson, Mrs. A. L. Oder, Mrs. J. E. Pollard and son, James, and Mrs. Lucie Daniel.

The next meeting will be at 2:30 p. m. on Friday, May 7, at the home of Mrs. Richard Smith, when a program on "Mothers" will be given.

**District Epsilon Sigma Alpha Meeting**

The district meeting of Epsilon Sigma Alpha, was held in Ozona Sunday, April 25, for a luncheon and business meeting.

Those attending from Santa Anna were Mrs. H. L. Markland, Mrs. Ione Caton, Patricia Davis, Mrs. Willard Allen and Mrs. James Dockery.

Plans were discussed for future campaigning for Mrs. Don Stearns of Coleman, for State President, to be elected at the state meeting at Galveston in May.

**Self Culture Club Enjoys Program Featuring Texas**

The Self Culture Club, meeting in the elementary school auditorium on Friday afternoon, April 23rd, was well attended.

A Texas Day program was given. Spring flowers were used in decorations and Mrs. W. B. Sparkman and Mrs. Howell Martin were hostesses.

Mrs. Martin played for the singing of "The Eyes of Texas", and "Have you ever been to Texas in the Spring?" sung by her

7th and 8th grade chorus girls.

Mrs. J. L. Harris' 2nd grade pupils gave a pageant depicting Texas History. Each boy and girl wore costumes and head gear appropriate to their parts, and the flags of the countries that have governed Texas were carried.

Mrs. A. L. Oder gave "Incomparable Texas" or "Texas Brags". Mrs. Martin discussed "Future Outlook, Educational and Financial".

The next meeting will be on May 14th, with Mrs. Hardy Blue, when a program on Switzerland will be given.

Besides the above mentioned, attending were: Mrs. Nona Woodruff, Mrs. Norval Wylie, Mrs. C. L. Eeds, Mrs. Charles Evans, Mrs. R. C. Gay and Misses Dora Kirkpatrick, Alta Lovelady and Nancy Wylie.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Santa Anna PTA will have its final meeting of the school year in the elementary school auditorium on Tuesday, May 4 at 3:40 p. m. Among other things on the agenda, officers for the coming year will be installed. A good attendance is urged.

**MRS. M. L. FLETCHER OBSERVES 33RD BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. Mary L. Fletcher observed her 33rd birthday quietly at her home on Avenue C on Friday, April 23rd.

During the day while Mrs. Fletcher was away from home, some friends called and left some nice gifts, which Mrs. Fletcher appreciated very much.

Mrs. Fletcher has lived in Santa Anna or vicinity for many years. Her health is fairly good, which enables her to get about over town.

**BRICE STARK FEATURED IN COMEDY PLAY**

Brice Stark of Santa Anna, will play the leading role next week in a 3-act comedy at the Daniel Baker College auditorium in Brownwood on May 3 and 4.

The comedy is titled "Here we come Gathering".

**"Here We Come Gathering". Daniel Baker College Auditorium May 3 and 4, 8:00 p. m.**

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Erick and Mary Frances left last week for a 3 week visit with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Harlow, at Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. J. W. Tabor, who has not been well of late, and was hospitalized for a time, has improved at his home. Mrs. Tabor and Bert took him to Brownwood Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Tabor.

Cpl. Billy Joe Robinson returned to Ft. Bliss Sunday, after a 10-day visit here with his wife and other home folks. Billy Joe is expecting to get his discharge sometime soon.

Mrs. Gladys Haynes returned home on Monday, from a week end visit with her son, A/1c Raymond Haynes and wife at Amarillo.

Darwin Schrader came in last Friday from San Diego, Calif., on a 15-day leave. He has visited briefly with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Schrader, but is spending most of his time in Mason, with his wife. A daughter, named Sheila Gwen, was born in a Mason hospital on Thursday,

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<b>SPICED HAM</b> Pound	<b>49c</b>
<b>POTATOES</b> New 2 LB. BAG	<b>14c</b>
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How the selfishness and egotism which would impede man's spiritual progress can be overcome through obedience to God, divine Love, will be brought out at Christian Science services Sunday.

The Lesson-Sermon entitled "Everlasting Punishment" includes the following verses from the King James version of the Bible:

"As many as I love, I rebuke and chasten: be zealous therefore, and repent. Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and sup with him, and he with me (Revelation 3:19,20).

From "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy the following passage will also be read:

"In patient obedience to a patient God, let us labor to dissolve with the universal solvent of Love the adamant of error, self-

will, self-justification, and self-love, which wars against spirituality and is the law of sin and death" (242:15).

The Golden Text is from Job: "Surely it is meet to be said unto God, I have borne chastisement, I will not offend any more (34:31).

**John Ben Shepperd Announces He Will Seek Re-election**

Texas Attorney General John Ben Shepperd formally filed for re-election to a second term today, subject to action of the Democratic primary.

In his announcement, Shepperd pledged continuing war by his office on "Crime, Communism and Corruption."

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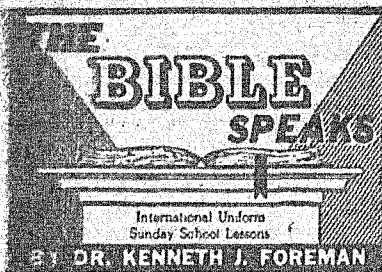



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By DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

Scripture: 1 Kings 12:25-33; 14:1-20. Devotional Reading: Psalm 9:1-8.

Leader Who Failed

Lesson for May 2, 1954

IT IS said that at the time of the French Revolution there was one day a tremendous uproar in the streets of Paris, and an elderly gentleman who had not kept up with the news, inquired what it was. "It sounds like a revolt," said he. "Not a revolt, Sir," was the reply. "—a revolution." A revolution is a revolution that doesn't succeed. Yet the success of a revolution is not to be measured by what it accomplishes there and then. Only as the years go on can we man assess a revolution, political or any other sort. What Dr. Foreman has to say to Jeroboam's revolution, the one the prophet Ahijah had approved and authorized?



Success in the First Chapter Jeroboam had had many ghostly warnings, and if they had written up the story of his political coup, they could have made it sound like a tremendous success. Jeroboam himself was young, able, and with immense political sagacity. He was a good organizer, and he was a popular man. As a labor leader under King Solomon he knew how to deal with people and as a political exile in Egypt for many years what he had not learned about the ins and outs of international politics was probably not worth learning. He had succeeded in drawing out of the original united Kingdom of Solomon ten out of the twelve tribes that composed it. Population, wealth, opportunity — everything was in his favor, plus the basic fact that a prophet of God was behind the movement to begin with. With God and the people on his side, how could Jeroboam lose?

Failure in the Last Chapter When Jeroboam was some years older, a son of his lay very sick, and the king thought again of the

prophet Ahijah who had once been his friend. Ahijah could surely tell him whether the child would live. But Jeroboam's queen, at Ahijah's door, met with no welcome. Quite the contrary: the old prophet cursed King Jeroboam and all his house. The revolution which had begun with the blessing of God upon it, ended by incurring the anger of God. The king who had begun with such overwhelming success ended as a failure. If the secession of the ten tribes had proved to be a failure, it was not that there was anything sinful in the idea itself, but that the revolution had been in Jeroboam's hands not a means of helping the people but of doing them harm.

... Who Made Israel to Sin? More than one writer in later times used the same standard formula for this Jeroboam. He is called "Jeroboam the son of Nebat, who made Israel to sin." That is a terrible tag to hang on a man; that he is the cause of a nation's sin. But it was true of this man. What in particular had Jeroboam done, as King of Israel, to "make Israel to sin"? His great sins were two, but they were part of the same policy. It will be remembered that this was shortly after the time of Solomon, and the great temple which Solomon built was still the center of the religious life of all the twelve tribes. When Jeroboam engineered his revolution, he felt it to be a dangerous thing for the temple to be in the hands of the Kingdom of Judah up there in Jerusalem. So he organized two other religious centers, at convenient locations, Bethel in the south, Dan in the north; and in these newly appointed "shrine cities" he set up gold-plated calves and other animals as the gods of his people. In two ways among others, this was ruinous to right religion, and led to the decay of the nation.

God Is Not Mocked First this involved the sin of making religion a department of the government. As King, Jeroboam attempted to dictate (and only too successfully) where and how his people should worship. The priests in his shrine cities were political appointees. Religion was subsidized by the state. But worse than that; Jeroboam tied the people down to a crude and cheap kind of religion. For the great invisible God of heaven and earth (see Solomon's prayer in 1 Kings 8) Jeroboam substituted gold-plated statues of bulls and he-goats. Debasing religion, he debased his people. Cheap and bad religion will ruin a nation faster than fire or famine.

Mrs. Lovel Richardson returned to Santa Anna on Tuesday night of last week, after a visit with her brother, Odell Price and wife at Overton, and receiving medical treatments in Dallas. She has been visiting with Mr.

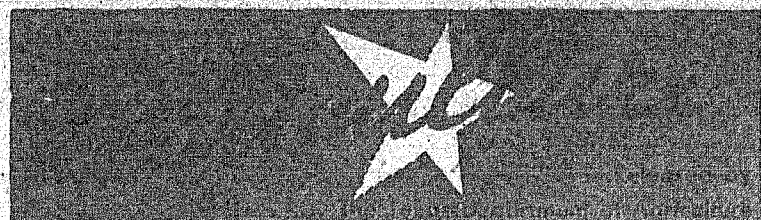
and Mrs. Louis Zachary, other relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Price will come for her at the week end and she will return for a longer stay and future medical treatments.

Our WASHINGTON Letter By Congressman O. C. FISHER

THE WAR IN INDO-CHINA

was top news last week. My mail was filled with concern about possible U. S. involvement. On Tuesday I, representing the Democrats on the Armed Services Committee, attended a secret briefing by Secretary of State Dulles when he reported to 20 Congressional leaders following his return from London and Paris where he had discussed Indo China. I got the impression that the loss of Indo China to communists would be considered as catastrophic, from the standpoint of the West, as was the loss of the Chinese mainland. It seems conceded that if Indo China falls, then "like a row of dominoes", most of southeast Asia, rich in manpower and resources, would follow suit. The Secretary did not discuss that phase of the subject, but I got no impression that there are any plans afoot now for American troops to be sent into that war zone.

As I see it, manpower shortage is not the major problem in Indo China at this time. There are a half million natives in uniform, although lacking in trained leadership and a fully aroused popular support. If need be, use could probably be made of trained Nationalist Chinese from Formosa, or some of Sygman Rhee's veterans from South Korea. The latter are willing and ready. But what is needed more than troops right now is a fully aroused upsurge of native enthusiasm in support of the war against the communists. Without it victory is hardly possible. Contrary to some reports, the French have fought valiantly for seven years over there. Their casualties in Indo China have approximated our in Korea. It has cost the French a billion dollars a year. And the war has become increasingly unpopular in France. Last July 3 the French promised the natives independence, and for a time it looked like that gesture would lead to a united Viet Nameze front. But since then the French have been dragging their feet in spelling out acceptable terms. In the meantime, Moscow-trained, goat-bearded Ho Chi



START FLY CONTROL PROGRAMS EARLY

Neither strict sanitation nor a spray program alone can eliminate the costly nuisance of the common fly. Instead, a sound fly control program must be a combination of both practices. This is the time of year for the livestockman, dairyman or general farmer to start his campaign against the fly. If you begin early enough, a small initial outlay or cash and effort will return good dividends in increased production. Recent tests in Oklahoma showed that cattle protected from flies during the grazing season gained 15 to 30 pounds more than unprotected cattle. An extra income of at least \$3 to \$6 per head was gained at a spray cost of about 6 cents per head. Dairy cows also respond by giving more milk if unmolesated by flies. During one 60-day test, the sprayed herds averaged over 3 pounds more milk each day than cows in unsprayed herds. The 200 extra pounds of milk received per cow was a good return on the small investment for fly control. Farm sanitation should start with eliminating breeding places such as manure piles, unsanitary poultry houses, dirty hog

lots, outdoor toilets and decaying organic matter. This should be followed by: (1) Spraying early when fly population has not had a chance to multiply. (2) Spraying all buildings housing animals and other buildings that are known to attract flies. (3) Spraying with a concentration according to manufacturers recommendation. (4) Spraying animals regularly. Flies are attracted to animals who will continue to bring them into treated buildings. Remember, the two-fold program — sanitation and fly control — will mean better results from your livestock or poultry operations. And it helps eliminate the dangers of human and animal diseases.

Boy With A Penny And A Million-Dollar Idea

College Station — The bygone lad who pondered with a penny at the candy counter was a wise boy. He wanted to make sure that he was getting the most for his money. Today his penny isn't much good, but his idea is! Everyone can make sure that the goods, services, and satisfactions they receive for their money have real meaning and value. They can do this by setting up long-time and short-time goals for the family which will help dictate which purchases are worthwhile. When the lad with the penny finally decided what to buy, he paid his money and that was the end. What if he had been able to charge it? Families today have a choice between charging and paying cash. Which is best? Cash is usually cheaper and there are no bills later, says Mrs. Eulla J. Newman, home management specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Credit is convenient, allows installment buying, and establishes a credit rating which facilitates borrowing money. Before making a purchase, consider these points: 1. Is there real need for the goods? 2. Would increased efficiency offset the added expense of the item? 3. What would happen in case of sickness or accident? 4. Consider what you can expect your future earnings to be. 5. If buying on time, consider borrowing a lump sum at a lower rate of interest and pay cash. 6. Could you possibly save the money first? Don't throw your tongue into high gear until you get your brain in motion.

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**Buffalo News**

By MRS. JOHN LAUDER



ROUTE TWO — SANTA ANNA, TEXAS

The Methodist Church social was well attended last Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Graves, Sr. Mrs. W. J. Curry and Mrs. Leroy Curry were co-hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Brannan attended the services at the Baptist Church Sunday afternoon in which Rev. Pink Voss was ordained.

Mr. and Mrs. David Graves and girls of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Graves Jr., of Brownwood, were visitors Sunday in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Graves, Sr.

Mrs. Calvin Fuller had as her guest Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Clara Traylor of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Lovelace visited in the U. S. Brannan home on Thursday night.

Mrs. W. C. Casey is in San Angelo attending her niece, Mrs. Clayton Verner, who is recovering from surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Brannan had supper Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Lovelace.

Jack Lauder is to arrive here from Illinois next week end for a thirty-day furlough

**Trickham News**

By Wilma and Winona Bradley

Our community was grieved to hear of the death of Mr. Kit Casey of Coleman. He was the father of Mrs. A. H. Dean

Mrs. John McClatchey of Coleman is reported not doing so well of late. Her friends here wish her the best.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Goodgoin and John Oakes were brief callers with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dockery last week.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Martin Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Larence.

News has just reached here (early Tuesday morning) of the death of Houston Grant, who

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Gaines of Coleman spent Friday afternoon and most of Saturday in the home of their daughter, Mrs. John Lauder, helping them re-prepare their dining room.

Everyone was sorry to hear of the death on Friday of Mr. Kit Casey, a long-time resident of this community. We extend to the family our sincere sympathy. Among those from this community to attend the funeral Sunday afternoon at Coleman, were Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Wilson and Miss Reta Joy Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Pricer, Mr. David Neal, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Curry, Mrs. Leroy Curry, Mr. and Mrs. John Lauder, Mrs. A. K. Grimes, Mrs. J. D. Williamson and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bouchillon and family.

The Buffalo Community night will be held Thursday night, May 6, at the school house. 42 and flinch will be the order of the evening. Bring your game tables and dominoes. Everyone is invited to be there at eight o'clock.

Mrs. E. D. Bouchillon and children, Gary, Floyd and Larry Millender were fishing at Blackwell Crossing Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bouchillon and children visited in the John Lauder home Tuesday evening.

passed away in a Kerrville Hospital Monday night.

An estimated crowd of more than 300 were here Sunday for the annual Cemetery Association meeting. Rev. J. W. Burget, a former pastor here, brought the message for the eleven o'clock hour. Some were here from as far as Stephenville and Lubbock, Brady and San Angelo, also Abilene, Walnut Springs, besides close-by towns and communities. To me the coming together made me think of the scripture where it says, "and they shall come from the west, east, north and south, and shall sit down in the Kingdom of God." Luke 13:29. It was a sad, yet happy meeting, to meet with friends of the yesterdays.

Mrs. Nan Roberts, Robert and Bill Proler of Houston, spent several days here at the Vaughn home and with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vaughn.

Mrs. Louis Burney visited with Mrs. Zona Stacy Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bradley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Key Bradley.

Monday afternoon callers with Mrs. Oscar Boenicke were Mrs. Jack Dockery and Mrs. Chelo James.

Word was received here of Mrs. Homer (Mary) McClatchey of Eldorado, having a bad heart attack. Miss Myrtle Baird of

Brownwood has gone to stay with her.

Mr. C. D. Mitchell visited with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mitchell Sunday.

Mrs. Etta Gardner has returned to her home in Abilene, after spending several days in Trickham.

Mr. and Mrs. Leston Cozart visited awhile Sunday with her father, Mr. A. F. Ford of Novice.

Visitors with Mrs. Zona Stacy Sunday were Mrs. Handcock of Zephyr, Mrs. Tom Bagley of Brownwood, Mrs. M. A. Ford and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy.

Mrs. Ruth Driskill and Miss Clara Sheld visited with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Antone Boenicke visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke one day last week.

Sunday and week end visitors in the Gene James home were Mr. and Mrs. Harley Stearns of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dupree and baby of Coleman, and Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene James attended the singing at Voca Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Parker of Canton came Sunday for a visit of several days with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Parker.

**Housewarming Honors The Jack Dillingham Family**

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dillingham, Jackie and John, were honored with a house-warming in their newly re-modeled home in the Shield Community, on Thursday night of last week.

Despite the good rain and mud, some 60 or more of their friends and neighbors assembled in their home, bringing a great amount of lovely decorated cookies, punch and coffee ready to serve. They also brought trays and napkins for serving.

The affair also served as a birthday party for Mrs. Dillingham, whose birthday anniversary was Sunday, April 25.

Guests surrounded Mrs. Dillingham and sang "Happy Birthday" and "He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

A large number of gifts in wide variety were received, including quite a number of hand-painted articles, sheets, towels, etc. Kitchen ware and other miscellaneous items were also received. An enjoyable time was had by all, and the visitors also cleaned up, after the serving.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Gilmore of Fort Worth, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Casey at the week end, and attended funeral services for her grandfather, Mr. Kit Casey in Coleman Sunday afternoon.

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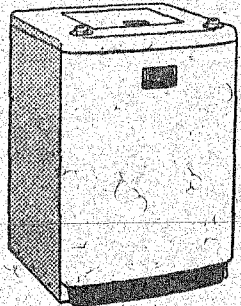


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